

DR. GREGG SELLS TO QUIT POST

WILMINGTON, Del. (ANP)

The long drawn-out fight between Gov. Elbert N. Carvel of Delaware and Dr. Howard D. Gregg, president of Delaware State College at Dover, ended last Saturday when the board of trustees brought up the remaining four years of Gregg's contract.

Gregg had been charged with mismanagement by the state's executive officer and the president had faced a trial of 19 days of hearings and testimonies. The end of the affair was announced by H. Albert Young, counsel for Gregg, and Atty. Albert W. James who represented the board of trustees.

Had Dr. Gregg remained in active office until his contract expires, June 30, 1953, he would have earned \$26,000. The contract was brought up for \$20,000.

The fight started at Delaware State when the students went on strike last February demanding the ouster of Dr. Gregg. The governor promptly ordered an investigation. Later he charged the president with maladministration and with using his office for personal gains for himself and his family.

For several days, the core of the dispute centered around "whose chickens were whose." Chickens were raised on the campus. The matter of feeding and how they were sold to the school for food became a heated issue.

Gregg was also accused of refusing to permit veterans at the college to enter veterans organizations; collecting fees from students for lockers without ever supplying keys; and collecting laboratory deposits and not returning the same at the end of the year.

First WAC Major At Camp Edwards

BOSTON (ANP) — Maj. Mildred E. Davenport, WAC, reserve, the first Negro WAC major in the New England area, is on a 30-day tour of duty at Camp Edwards on the cape. She is serving as library and service club officer.

A native of Boston, Maj. Davenport was graduated from the Sargent School of Physical Education (Boston university) and taught physical education at Tuskegee institute, Ala., 1921-22. She then embarked on a stage career, singing and dancing in Broadway hits like "Flying Colours" and "Blackbirds." In 1923 she was presented in a dance interpretation of Negro spirituals at Symphony hall in Boston.

Maj. Davenport was a member of the first WAC contingent trained at Ft. Des Moines, Iowa, receiving her commission as second lieutenant in August, 1942. She later saw service overseas in England and France.

As a civilian, Miss Davenport's principal interests are a curio shop which she owns and operates, the Teehaven league of which she is the founder and first president, as well as the National Council of Negro Woman.



Shown above are many outstanding Negro business and civic leaders who, as officers and delegates attended the combined convention of the National Negro Business league and the American Housewives' league in Detroit last week. Horace Sudduth, president of the business league, is seen wearing a white suit in the front row, right center. Standing to the left besides him is Mrs. Christina Ennis, president of the housewives' league. Mr. Sudduth announced at the close of the convention seven organizations including the housewives' league had voted to join with the business league in its fight to gain Negro integration into the American economic picture.

Baptists Are World's Largest, Richest Denomination For Race

CHICAGO — From a group of less than 20 which first met at Savannah, Ga., in 1880 to the largest and richest Negro organization in the world is how an October Ebony photo-story describes the National Baptist Convention, U. S. A., Inc., now convening in Shrine Auditorium in Los Angeles.

"Patriarchal president of this powerful body which represents \$115 million in churches, schools, missions and even an African rubber plantation and numbering 4,122,316," the Ebony story says, "is 36-year-old Dr. David V. Jemison, who spent all but 16 years of his half-century of preaching in a modest little Alabama church only a few miles from the place where he was born."

Nothing can equal the annual Baptist meet for good music and superb oratory freely interspersed with traveling preacher jokes that are really funny, the feature states. Independent-thinking Dr. Jemison is a typical example of Baptist ideology which gives each

church complete autonomy and all ministers equal voice in the convention. The convention is a social as well as a spiritual occasion says Dr. Jemison, who, though failing in health, has lost none of his fiery oratory or sly wit during his nine years of leadership. And Ebony quotes him as telling the convention audience:

"I don't object to the preachers socializing with the ladies, but don't carry it to the extent that you will infringe on the other man's property."

Cheraw News

CHERAW — Mrs. Ada Belle Robinson of 348 Hugur street entertained at a luncheon in honor of Mrs. Carrie Reid of New York City and Mrs. Perry Brown of Chicago, Illinois, last Wednesday evening. The luncheon was enjoyed by all.

Willie Brown of Powe street, husband of Mrs. Rosena Brown died last Monday evening and was funeralized from the Pee Dee Union Baptist. Rev. A.P. Sumter and Rev. Lawhorn conducted the services in the absence of Rev. J.N. Carr, pastor who is in Los Angeles, Calif.

Surviving are his wife and two sons, one sister and a host of relatives and friends. Miss Bernice Ford of New York City has returned home after vacationing here with her mother Mrs. Sallie Ford.

Herman Martin, who spent the summer in Atlantic City, N.J. has returned home and is now preparing to leave for school at Virginia State, Petersburg, Va. Miss Mariam Bridges has returned home after spending the summer with her sister in Brooklyn, N.Y.

After a lingering illness, Mrs. Agnes Cole passed and was funeralized on Thursday from the Pee Dee Union Baptist church. Mrs. Cole leaves several children, sisters, brothers and other relatives.

Mrs. Mammie M. Haigler of Columbia, spent the week-end with her mother Mrs. S.W. Deas. Wilson Caesar Deas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Deas left the city last Tuesday for New Orleans, La., where he will matriculate at Xavier University's school of pharmacy.

Publicity Gag Lands Driver In Hoosgow

CINCINNATI (ATLAS) — William Geroski, Negro driver for Walter E. Schott Company, a automobile sales firm was nabbed last week, while driving a fire engine offered for sale by his employers.

Police noted Geroski at the wheel of the gaily decorated fire apparatus, with banners flying high with "For sale, Fire Engine," and stopped and hauled him in Traffic Court on a charge of using an automobile for purpose of "advertising."

It was a publicity gag, and his employers quickly came to his rescue, but the incident, almost gagged Geroski.

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NAACP URGES ARREST OF N. Y. RIOTERS

NEW YORK — Expressing "indignation and shame over the recurrence of mob violence in Peekskill," the NAACP has called for the arrest and prosecution of the mob leaders, the suspension from duty of the officer in command of the state police, and a "sweeping investigation" by state officials into the conduct of District Attorney George M. Faneli and Sheriff Fred W. Ruscoe.

In a telegram to Governor Dewey, on Sept. 6, Roy Wilkins, acting NAACP secretary, called attention to "clearly discernible anti-Negro sentiment" among members of the mob which attacked citizens following the Paul Robeson concert near Peekskill on Sept. 4.

Migrant Children Attend N. J. School

FREEHOLD, N. J. (ANP) — Pupils of the Freehold Migrant school, said to be the only of its kind in the nation, put on a closing day program last week. Most of the children, who range in age from 3 to 13, are from the south. Their parents are among the 6,000 workers who come to this area each year to harvest potatoes, berries, and tomatoes.

The school, which opened July 20, has been conducted for three summers, and has passed the experimental stage and is in the demonstrative period, according to Mrs. Dorothy Jackson, its director.

The school is operated by the Migrant Labor Bureau of the New Jersey State Department of Labor and Industry in cooperation with the State Department of Education. The average daily attendance was 40. The curriculum offered a combination of reading, writing, and arithmetic. Its aim is "a school for living."

HANDBOOK ON RIGHTS RELEASED

CHICAGO — (ANP) — Publication of the handbook, "Your Civil Rights," by the Chicago Commission on Human Relations was announced last week in a joint statement by Augustine J. Bove, chairman, and Willard S. Townsend, vice chairman, of the commission. The handbook, a first publication of its kind to be issued by an American municipal agency, gives in total all states statutes and city ordinances covering civil rights for all citizens.

Emphasizing the basic purpose of the handbook, Bove and Townsend stated: "A democratic nation and a democratic city must be constantly alert to ensure the same privileges, observe the same laws, and receive the same services. The rights of one group of people cannot be violated without threatening the freedom and liberty and security of all."

Youngest Ph. D. To Address British Science Group

SILER CITY, N. C. (ANP) — The nation's youngest Negro Ph. D., Dr. Clement Paige, 19, will fly to Great Britain this week to address the British Association for the Advancement of Science. He will be the first Negro ever to speak to this learned group.

A native of Siler City, Dr. Paige is the youngest Negro in the nation's history to attain a doctor's degree. He gained his education through hard work and scholarships. He holds his degree as a physiological psychologist.

One of eight children of a farmer, he worked hard to save enough money to attend high school in New York. He then returned to North Carolina where he studied for his bachelor's degree at A and T college in Greensboro.

At this time his money ran out, but Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune heard about him and helped him to attain scholarships which financed him through graduate study at the City College of New York and at McGill university in Montreal, Canada.

His next study will be in Europe as the recipient of the \$4,000 Elizabeth C. Stanton memorial award of the American Institute of Psychoanalysts. When this study is completed he will become head of the biology department of Fort Valley State college in Georgia. At present he is professor of biology at Bethune-Cookman college, the school founded by Mrs. Bethune.

Church Work Aids Girl's Editing

BROOKLYN — (ANP) — Inspired by her work in preparing programs for her church, Little Geraldine Conway, 10, has decided to publish her own newspaper. Last week she put out her first edition of the Comet News, dated Sept. 12.

Jerry—that's what all her friends call her—has her own rotary press for her journal for children. She attends the Siloam Presbyterian church here, and lives with her aunt, Mrs. Alice Beasley, who has taken care of her since her mother died several years ago.

By helping one of the church trustees in preparing the program for the church, Jerry said, she decided she could do some added good printing a newspaper.

She reads a lot, and has a large library of her own. She also plays the piano very well.

More Cotton Farms Loom For Ethiopia

ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia — (ATLAS) — Private capital could be profitably invested in large-scale cotton growing in Ethiopia, if it is carried out as a joint undertaking with the government. That is the conclusion of Roy F. Sanders, United States cotton expert, who has just completed an extensive survey of Ethiopia for the United Nations Food Agricultural organization.

WOMEN INVESTORS BETTER THAN MEN

LOS ANGELES, Calif. — (ATLAS) — The majority of men consider themselves superior to women when it comes to investing, but give the Misses investor even a modest grounding in the fundamentals and she will eclipse the man at his so-called "own game."

This is the assertion of a man who will strive to prove its accuracy here this fall through the facilities of University of California Extension. He is Sydney E. Stroud, and investment and Management of Personal Finance, which the University opens to Los Angeles women on September 13.

"Take one common, fundamental of investing, called timing," says Mr. Stroud who is associated with a large Los Angeles and Beverly Hills investment firm. "This simply means buying the right stocks, annuities, real estate, at the correct time. Have you ever observed a woman purchasing an out-of-season item unless

she is trying to impress someone? Women must know prices and values or else their budgets will not balance.

"A woman, conversely, will not buy an item merely because it is cheap. If the value is there, and the price is reasonable, no obstacle can prevent her from reaching the counter. Yet, man will buy stocks selling under \$5 per share, or marked-down real estate in poor locations, merely because they are cheap. They usually become cheaper.

TOSSED LYE HITS BABY

PHILADELPHIA — (ANP) — A baby will probably lose his eyesight as the result of burns caused by a quantity of liquid lye thrown into his face as a man and woman fought Saturday afternoon.

The infant is 13-month-old Lacey C. Powell, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Lacey Powell in whose apartment Roosevelt Reed, 25, and Lena Farrow, 33, were fighting.

Reed, who lives in the same house as do the Powells had been arguing with Miss Farrow. They carried the fuss to the room where the baby was sleeping. The man allegedly swung a chair at the woman. Miss Farrow then reached for an open can of lye on a nearby shelf and tossed it at Reed. Reed ducked and the lye splashed into the baby's face.

Police took the child to Pennsylvania hospital where first aid was administered and then to Children's hospital where doctors are still trying to save the baby's sight.

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