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Rev. Adolphus Carty Resigns As Rector NAACP To Hold Planning Meeting

The Rev. Adolphus Carty, Rector of St. Luke's Protestant Episcopal Church since October 1951, resigned from his charge at St. Luke's Church. The effective date of the resignation is September 1, 1954, on which date he will take over his new duties in the Diocese of Kentucky.

Along with St. Luke's Church, the Rev. Mr. Carty is Priest in Charge of St. Anne's Church, West Columbia; St. Thomas's Church, Eastover, South Carolina and St. Anna's Church, Liberty Hill, Columbia, S. C.

The Rev. Mr. Carty is married with two children, Jeffrey and Joanne. Mrs. Carty was formally a School teacher in Nova Scotia, Canada.

The Rev. Adolphus Carty was born in Saint John, New Brunswick, Canada. After completing his high school studies in 1931, he became Detail Officer at the Boy's Industrial Home, a reform School for Boys, until he enlisted in the Royal Canadian Airforce in 1939.

He served in the Air Force

A call has been issued for a meeting in Columbia on August 4 of a committee to plan the next annual session of the NAACP Conference to be held in Spartanburg, October 1 and 17. Attending the meeting will be the conference executive committee, congressional district representatives and church council officials, according to an announcement by J. M. Hinton, Conference President.

Hinton also said that plans to organize all Negro lawyers in the State at a meeting to be held the second Saturday in September will be discussed at this time, as well as the congressional district meetings scheduled for Saturdays during November and early December.

Also, on the agenda will be the consideration of the testimonial dinner scheduled in Charleston on November 6 for The Honorable J. Walter Waring.



Bail For Claude Lightfoot Reduced

Bail for Claude Lightfoot, executive secretary of the Communist Party of Illinois was reduced from \$50,000 to \$30,000 by Judge Joseph Sam Perry in the Federal District Court Saturday, July 17, it was announced by the Civil Rights Congress of Illinois today. In reducing the bond, Judge Perry set an unusual requirement making it necessary for Mr. Lightfoot to report to the U. S. Marshall every Saturday morning.

Mr. Lightfoot is presently under a lifetime United States section of the Smith Act which attempts to make membership in the Communist Party a criminal offense. As part of the judge's prepared statement on the motion for reduction of bail which he read at the conclusion of the oral arguments by attorneys of both sides he attempted to make a big issue of the fact that Mr. Lightfoot for the last three years has not lived at his permanent address. This Mr. Lightfoot explained was done in order to protect his family and associates from harassment which has been the case of hundreds of other working class leaders.

"From the viciousness of the statement of the judge in giving his decision one must conclude that impartiality was lacking," stated Mr. John T. Bernard, Chairman of the Civil Rights Congress of Illinois.

Mr. Lightfoot was ably represented by Miss Pearl Hart, well known Chicago lawyer and Mr. Nelson Willis, past president of the Cook County Bar Association, former head of the Chicago Branch of the NAACP and past chairman of the Civil Liberties Committee of the IBPOE.

Blue Ribbon Matrons Club

The BRMC held its meeting at the home of Mrs. Aron Jenkins Jr. Mrs. James Greene acted as Assistant Hostess. The meeting was opened with prayer, after which business was reported on the Blue Ribbon Taxi we've learned that they are doing some excellent work.

They have donated \$200.00 for the Little League Baseball team this year and on last year \$200.00. Mr. C. W. Madden is in charge of that team and we learned that he has done wonders and is an excellent coach. We are proud of our children who have done so well on the team, so let's help in every way we can, small or large. Please read your Lighthouse and Informer.

throughout the war in the Aeronautical Engineering and Inspection Department until 1945.

In 1954 Mr. Carty entered Wycliffe College, Toronto, Canada, to study for the Ministry of the Church of England. After graduation assumed the duties of the rector in a Parish in Beuton Harbor, Michigan. While in Benton Harbor, the Rev. Mr. Carty served on the committee of the Board of Control of the Twin City Area Safety Control Boy Scout Committee of Berrien County, the Department of Christian Social Relations of the Diocese of Western Michigan, The Ministerial Counseling Group to the Juvenile Court, and the Boys Work Committee of the Twin City Y. M. C. A.

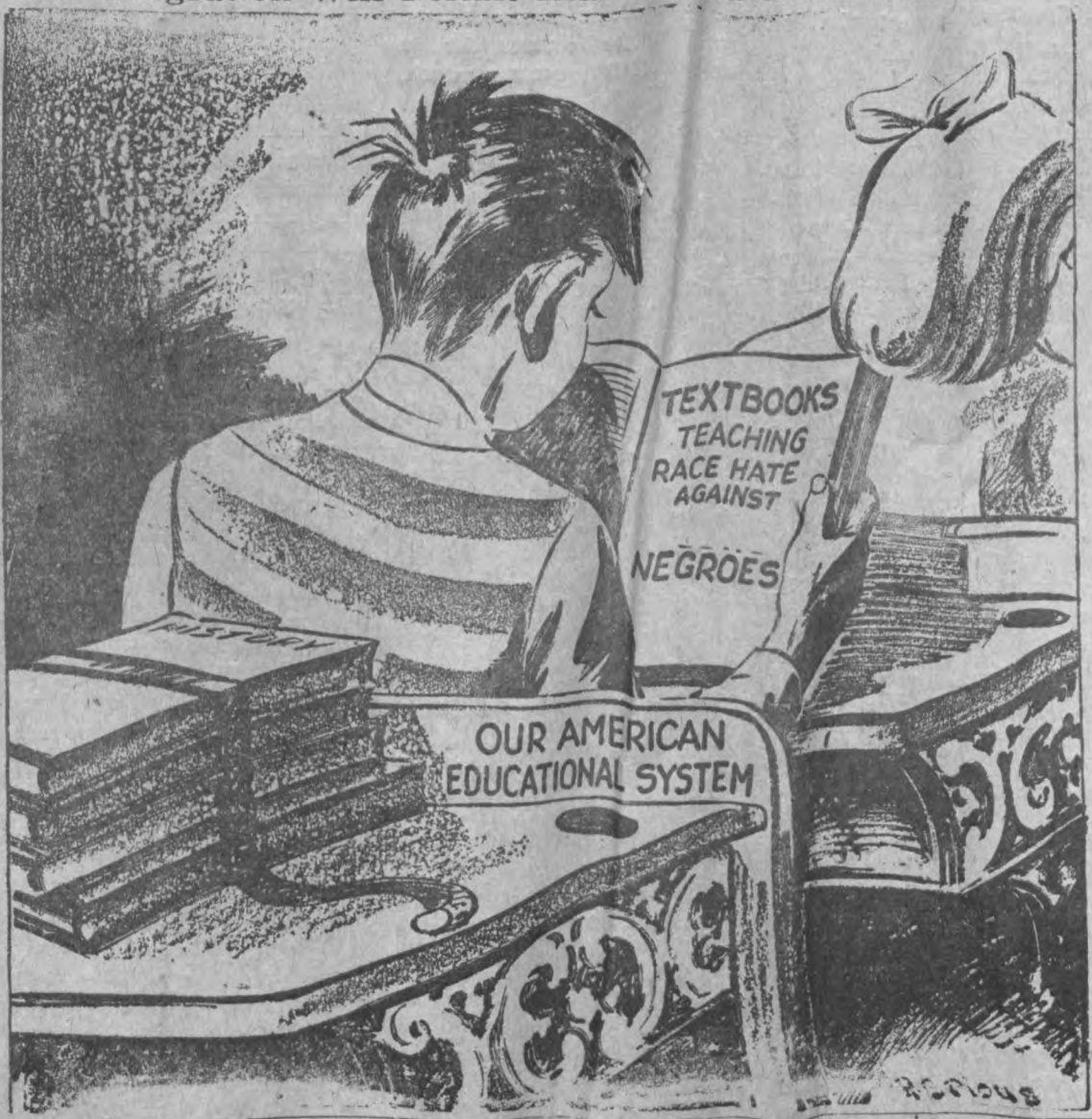
While in Columbia, he served on the Standing Committee of Upper South Carolina, and other Committees. The Rev. Mr. Carty is also on the Board of Trustees of Voorhee's High School and Junior College in Denmark.

On Sunday morning August 1, the Rev. Mr. Carty will give his farewell sermon in St. Luke's Church at 9:00 A. M.



A LITTLE INJUN' — Velma Gibson, a pretty little junior at A & T College, drew above ordinary glances in her Indian makeup for the annual Omega Psi Phi Mardi Gras held on the campus recently. A Greensboro native, she majors in elementary education and hopes to become a classroom teacher upon graduation.

"Integration Will Permit Him To Learn the true Story"



NAACP CONVENTION - GOERS enjoy free "Cokes" at their recent Texas meet.



LOVES THE WATER — Ellaworth Kirby, Wilson, N. C. rising senior at A & T College, has adopted swimming as her favorite activity. The attractive major in elementary education is perched on the diving board of the new college pool.

Young People To Meet At Benedict

The fifth annual session of the Young People's Christian Assembly of South Carolina will be held on the campus of Benedict College August 2-6. The following courses will be offered: Bible Study, Principles of Religious Education, Christian Doctrine, Christian Stewardship, Church School - Intermediate and Junior Methods, Church School - Beginner Methods, Christian Citizenship, Daily Vacation Bible School Methods, B. T. U. Administration, Missionary Methods, and Friendship and Marriage. Recreational features will be hiking, swimming, soft ball, etc. There will be inspirational messages each evening. Thursday evening will be talent night and Friday at noon certificates will be awarded. The faculty is interracial. The Young People's Christian Assembly is sponsored by Benedict College and by the Baptist W. M. U. of South Carolina. The assembly provides a wonderful stimulating experience in Christian fellowship where the young people spend one week in study and recreation and inspirational programs.

Social Security Office Lists Retirement Figures

Here's a question to all persons in Richland County.

How much covered employment or self-employment income will YOU need in order to be eligible for social security benefits when you reach 65?

According to W. H. Nixon, manager of the Columbia social security office, there is better than an even chance that your answer—if you have one—will be wrong. Why? Mr. Nixon explains it this way: Since thousands of older workers have already qualified for benefits with as little as a year and one-half of covered earnings, many people have assumed that any person can do the same. Actually that is true only where the individual attained that age before July 1, 1954.

Anyone reaching 65 after June 30th of this year will need two more quarters of covered employment or self-employment for every additional year up to the time he reaches 65. Thus, a person who will be 65 three years from now will need 6 more quarters in addition to the 6 already required, or a total of 12. The maximum coverage requirement is 40 quarters and the minimum is 6.

The Columbia social security manager stated that a pamphlet explaining fully the eligibility requirements and other social security questions is available upon request at any social security office. Request for Pamphlet number 35 should be addressed to the Social Security Administration, 1420 Lady Street, Columbia, South Carolina. Persons approaching 65 who have any doubt about their ability to meet the employment requirements are urged to obtain a copy.

HAILE SELASSIE REQUESTS AUDIENCE WITH NEGRO HISTORIAN

NEW YORK, (GLOBAL) ... J. A. Rogers, author and lecturer whose many volumes on Negro history have uncovered little known facts on the contributions of the Negro to world history, was summoned by Emperor Haile Selassie last week for an interview and discussion on Mr. Rogers' works.

Mr. Rogers said he visited Ethiopia in 1930 and 1936 and met the Emperor. However, since Haile Selassie was on a state visit to this country and since there were extensive demands on the Emperor's time, he had decided not to attempt

to contact His Majesty.

However, the Emperor asked Mr. Rogers to visit him in his suite at the Waldorf Astoria, explaining, "I sent for you because I like your book 'Great Men of Color' and I think you are doing a splendid work."

The Emperor bought 128 copies (Mr. Rogers' remaining supply) of the book and gave Mr. Rogers a gold coin of the Coronation. These coins were limited in production. Only 1,000 of them were struck and the Emperor directs their presentation only to those most worthy.

S.C. 4-H'ERS TO ATTEND REG. CAMP

ORANGEBURG — The seventh Regional 4-H Club Camp gets underway at Jackson College, Jackson, Mississippi, Monday August 9. The camp brings together outstanding 4-H boys and girls from seventeen Southern and Border States who have been selected because of their achievement in 4-H club work. The theme of the camp this year is "Working together for world understanding."

South Carolina has always been represented, and this year will be represented by the following:

- NAMES**
- John A. Floyd
 - Frances Munis
 - Charles Benson
 - Mary A. Williams
 - Arthur Cauthen
 - LaVerne Bing
 - Charles Graves
 - Miss Sara Aiken, Asst. State Mome Agent, and Waymon Johnson, Asst. State Supervisor of Negro Extension Work, will accompany this 4-H number.

STATE YWA PLANS RALLY

The Baptist Young Women's Auxiliary has formulated plans for a state-wide Harvest and Thanksgiving pageant to be held at Morris College, Thanksgiving Eve, November 24, 1954.

Each church is asked to send a queen to compete in the Harvest Contest. The queen reporting the highest amount above (\$50.00) fifty dollars, will be crowned "Queen of the Harvest" and will ride on the YWA float in the Morris College Homecoming Parade on Thanksgiving Day.

The pageant is being prepared by very inspiring Choirs from various parts of the state are being invited to participate.

Each YWA is urged to cooperate with these efforts. If your church does not have a YWA, you may enter the contest by sending your name and address to Mrs. J. C. Sharper, Morris College, Sumter, or Mrs. Magnolia A. Lewis, Horatio, S. C.

93 STUDENTS MAKE HONOR AT J.C. SMITH

CHARLOTTE, N. C. — The honor roll at Johnson C. Smith University for the second semester of the past school term shows that ninety-three students in the College of Liberal Arts earned a scholastic average of "B" or above.

Bruce Chandler, a Junior in the College of Liberal art from Charlotte, maintained a straight "A" average in all of his courses for both the first and second semesters.

The following South Carolinians were among those receiving honors:

SENIORS:—
Gwendolyn L. Currence, Clover, Thornell K. Page, Dillon, and Kenneth M. Williams, Columbia.

JUNIOR:—
Videlia S. Blageney, Rock Hill, and Laura J. Tyson, Cheraw

SOPHOMORES:—
Doris A. Frasier, Walterboro and Wilhelmina G. Page, Dillon.

FRESHMAN:—
Floyd L. Davis, Georgetown; Leonard Greene, Columbia; Sandra A. Medford, Lancaster; Louise C. and Joan P. Page, Dillon and Rebecca L. Vance, Pendleton.



EASY! BARBED WIRE. — a barbed wire fence on the Margaret Bell, Jackson, college farm. A farm girl rising sophomore at A & T herself, Margaret knows the College, observes extreme danger. She is majoring in caution as she goes through physical education.