

ARREST "TIGER" FLOWERS FOR SPEEDING IN FLORIDA

(By The Associated Negro Press.) Orlando, Fla., Aug.—The worst outrage that has ever been committed in this state was committed when "Tiger" Flowers, the "Georgia Tornado," was arrested for speeding. His arrest was not considered an outrage, but "Tigers" was placed under \$2,100 bond for his appearance September 14, which the public thinks is an outrage. The speed laws of Florida allow 45 miles an hour on open road and 25 miles when passing through a city, and "Tiger" must have been going at a powerful clip. The law also requires that road police must have uniforms. According to the arresting officers, "Tiger" passed them when he did not have on his uniform. When he was arrested by a policeman in uniform, he rode alongside "Tiger" the road edge and caused injuries to him. "Tiger" was later arrested by a policeman in uniform and brought before a justice of the peace, and placed under bond for \$2,100, which he paid himself and continued to St. Petersburg, to visit his mother, who lives there. The charge against "Tiger" is "overspeeding and culpable negligence." Legal opinion is that no offense in connection with speeding would justify such heavy bond, especially since the laws of the state are inclined toward liberality to tourists on the open road. However, citizens here think it is because of the color of "Tiger's" skin that he was thus dealt with. The Florida Sentinel, the biggest race paper in the state, has raised a howl about the arrest.

WALLACE WINS 100-MILE RACE IN LESS THAN TWO MINUTES

(By The Associated Negro Press.) Indianapolis, Ind., Aug.—When the roar of thousands of speed thrilled spectators ringing in his ears, "Bobby" Wallace, in his Trey of Hearts Special, passed the century mark in the Gold and Glory Sweepstakes at the Park Grounds Saturday, just one minute and forty seconds ahead of Bill Carson, Chicago, in his Lyons Special. Wallace made the one hundred miles in one hour and 32 minutes, 26 3-5 seconds, maintaining an average speed of 64.9 miles per hour. Carson's time was 65.8 miles per hour.

JOE GANS FIGHTS SLOW

(By The Associated Negro Press.) Philadelphia, Pa., Aug.—Allentown Joe Gans (Joe Hicks), the light-hitting and fast-stepping welterweight, who gave Jack Dempsey the fight of his life, only to lose the decision after the judges had disagreed, made his first appearance in this city after an absence of two years, when he met Sailor Freedman in one of the ten-round bouts at Shibe Park Monday night. The daily papers for a week or more were loud in their praise for the coming appearance of the Gans, but Monday night he made a sorry showing before a large crowd. It seemed as if he did not want to hurt Freedman and the bout lagged on. The fight was very slow and at the end of 10 rounds the judges failed to arrive at a verdict and the referee dodged the issue by calling it a draw.

NATIONAL NEGRO INS. ASSOCIATION MEETS

Louisville, Ky., Aug.—(A. N. P.) With sixteen of the major insurance companies of the country present, the National Negro Insurance Association held its annual meeting here last week. In a session pregnant with interest the delegates developed a

program which calls for increasing cooperation between the companies for the mutual benefit of their policy-holders and themselves as well as a united attempt to encourage the support and business for Negro companies. It was determined to secure a roster of the Companies, both Legal Reserve and Industrial, operating in the United States; to cooperate in handling men; to increase ethical practices among the companies; to build a mortality table of experience among all the Companies in the U. S. operated by Negroes; to meet in New Orleans, August, 1926, date to be determined by the Executive Committee. The following officers were elected:

- President, Mr. L. A. Lewis, Insurance Co., Jacksonville, Fla.; First Vice-President, Mr. A. P. Bentley, Secretary, Supreme Life Co., Columbus, Ohio; Second Vice-President, Mr. John Hollomon, President, Pyramid Mutual Life Co., Chicago, Ill.; Third Vice-President, J. E. Harris, Richmond Beneficial, Richmond, Va.; Fourth Vice-President, Mr. G. P. Hughes, President Domestic Life and Accident Insurance Company, Louisville, Ky.; W. Ellis Stewart, Secretary, and he is also Secretary of Liberty Life Ins. Co., of Chicago, Ill.; Asst. Secretary, Dr. P. P. Creunozot, Secretary of the Louisiana Industrial Life Insurance Co., of New Orleans, La.; 2238 Dyes St., New Orleans, La.; Treasurer, Mr. H. E. Hall, President, Mammoth Life Co., Louisville, Ky.; Chaplain, Rev. T. W. Carter, President of the Peoples Industrial Life, Jacksonville, Fla. Executive committee is as follows:

- Mr. E. H. Carry, Liberty Life Ins. Co., Chicago, Ill.; Mr. D. C. Dean, State Agent of Virginia, North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Durham, N. C.; Mr. L. T. Burbridge, President of the Louisiana Industrial Life Ins. Co., New Orleans, La.; Mr. W. F. Turner, Secretary, Domestic Life Ins. Co., Indianapolis, Ind.; Dr. J. E. Walker, President of the Universal Life, Memphis, Tenn.

COMPLETE MEDICAL CONVENTION PLANS

Chicago, Ill., Aug.—(A. N. P.) The National Medical Association, composed of nearly three thousand medical men has recently issued a bulletin approving the magnificent program for the National convention to be held here August 25, 29, arranged by the local committee headed by Dr. Carl F. Roberts. An array of clinics and lectures that would do credit to any scientific gathering has been carefully planned and members coming from various points throughout the country will be given a rare opportunity to observe the latest and best in modern practice of medicine, pharmacy and dentistry.

The local committee is also emphasizing the recreational aspect of the convention, arrangements having been completed for beach and card parties, golf tournaments, tennis matches, boat rides, auto-sight-seeing tours, basket picnics, socials for both women and men, a monster smoker, and as a finale, the Eighth Regiment Armory, appropriately decorated, will be the scene of the grand ball and reception in honor of the president, Dr. Dumas, of Washington, D. C.

A committee on housing is active in taking stock of suitable quarters for visitors, that no detail may be overlooked in an effort to provide comfortable home environment.

SCHOOLS ACCEPT SCHOLARSHIP OFFER

Baltimore, Md., Aug. (A. N. P.) An offer by George W. Blount,

president of the Blount Company of this city, to defray one-third of the cost of a loving cup to be presented annually to the member of the graduating class who maintained the highest scholarship or athletic record throughout the course, has been accepted by the following institutions: Hampton, Virginia Normal and Industrial Institute, Henderson Institute, North Carolina College for Negroes, Wiley College, North Carolina A. and T. College, Cheyney Training School, Edward Waters College, the National Training School in Washington, West Virginia, Atlanta University, Meharry Medical College, Princess Anne Academy, and Spellman College.

TO CELEBRATE SIXTY YEARS OF PROGRESS

Chicago, Aug.—(A. N. P.) One of the most significant observances which the Negro race in this country has yet attempted will be staged in Chicago during the week of October 4 to 10, when the rapid progress and present advance of the Negro race in all fields of endeavor will be celebrated in a Progress and Achievement Jubilee according to an announcement made by those interested. Leading figures in the business, educational, religious, and political world will join in collecting and compiling material for this exposition and jubilee of Race achievement.

With the year 1925 marking not only the end of a 60 year period of unprecedented accomplishment by the Negro in America, but also the opening of the new developments of the second quarter of the twentieth century, the idea of setting aside in the fall of the year an entire week for celebrating the advance of the Negro up to 1925 appealed so strongly to a group of prominent Chicagoans that a Citizens' Committee was appointed to work out details of the jubilee. Invitations are being extended through the press to other cities to participate, and to stage local celebrations. While 1925 happens to be the sixtieth anniversary of the passage of the Thirteenth amendment and the abolition of slavery, the significance of the jubilee year is entirely in the record of achievement at this beginning of the second quarter of the twentieth century. Slavery's abolition was but the starting-point and the background; the thing upon which attention is to be focused during the Progress and Achievement jubilee is not the starting-point but the goal attained and the goal set for the future.

RICHMOND ALL "DIKED" UP FOR ELKS

Richmond, Va., Aug.—"Hello Bill," "Welcome," "I am with you," "Ask me," and hundreds of other familiar signs greet every house and building, even in some of the remotest parts of the city. Lunch stands, hot dog stations, cold drink places have sprung up over night in every nook and corner where there is the faintest hope that a visiting Elk will pass.

A vanguard of visitors has already arrived, the air in and around the city seems surcharged with that one word "convention", everybody is on his toes waiting the stroke of the clock that announces Sunday morning, which will bring with it a steady stream of humanity.

CONFERENCE ON CONDITIONS IN AFRICA

New York, Aug.—The Africa committee of the Committee of Reference and Counsel has called an open conference on Africa to

be held in Hartford, Connecticut, October 30, to November 1. The sessions of the conference will be held in Kennedy School of Missions.

Some of the problems to be considered at this conference, which will be attended largely by representatives of missions boards having work on that continent will be: "Present Situation In Africa," "Educational Objectives in Africa," "The Education of Women and Girls," "Cooperation for Africa and Africans," as well as a consideration of problems in hygiene and public health, languages and literature, and in the reaching of the people in large cities and mining centers of Africa. Plans will also be made looking toward the "World Conference on Africa," which is to be held during 1926.

Among the missionary and educational leaders who will address the conference are: Dr. Thomas Jesse Jones, educational director of the Phelps-Stokes Fund, Dr. Homer L. Shantz, of the United States Department of Agriculture, Dr. J. H. Dillard, president of the Jeanes and Slaumann of the University of Better Funds, Prof. Dr. Westermiin, Rev. Thomas S. Donohugh, associate secretary of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and Mr. J. H. Oldham, of London, secretary of the International Missionary Council, and editor of the International Review of Missions.

Georgetown Items.

Mr. Henry Alston returned to Hampton Institute after a short visit home. Mr. Z. D. Green, a prosperous lawyer, of Tampa, Fla., is visiting relatives.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY SYSTEM.

Table with columns for arrival and departure of passenger trains at Columbia, S. C. Includes train numbers, routes, and times.

Mr. Alexander Brown has returned to the city after a long business trip to Beaufort.

Miss Carlene Hardy left for New York, where she will spend the winter. Mr. Oliver Pawley is visiting his wife and daughter.

The Smarter Set entertained in honor of Miss Carlene Hardy and Mr. Henry Alston at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Dunmore on Friday evening.

Miss Blondell Horry left the city last week to spend a short vacation with friends and relatives in Charleston.

Mr. Robt. Jackson is attending the Woodmen's Convention in Denver, Col. Mr. Wm. Robinson left for an indefinite stay in Jacksonville, Fla.

Mr. Nesbit Patterson returned to Hampton Institute, after a month's vacation in the city with his father, Mr. Robert Patterson.

Miss Rudean Reeder, of Columbia, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Atkinson.

Mr. S. W. Tucker paid a flying trip to Mayesville on Sunday.

And they are still leaving for Miami.

Miss Maggie Lucas, of Tampa, Fla., is spending her vacation in the city visiting her mother.

Miss Etta Vanderhost, of Charleston is visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Dunmore.

The stork paid the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Kelley a visit and left a bouncing baby girl.

A. Q. Dunmore, Reporter.

HOWARD TEACHER GIVEN HARVARD HONOR DEGREE

(By The Associated Negro Press) Washington, D. C., Aug.—Professor Charles H. Wesley, head of the Department of History at Howard University,

Washington, D. C., has been awarded one of the highest honors which a University may confer, the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in History, at Harvard University. He is the fourth scholar of his race to be granted this degree by Harvard University.

The other three include Dr. W. E. B. DuBois, Dr. C. G. Woodson, and Dr. A. L. Locke.

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