

GETS PART OF HIS NEGRO MASTER'S ESTATE

GETS JUDGEMENT OF \$50,000 OF A RICH ESTATE

Ned Brooks is Awarded Judgment Against the Estate of J. H. Herndon

WORTH NEAR A MILLION

Brooks Claims that he Has Worked for Herndon Nearly 50 Years Without Pay

Texarkana, Ark., Nov. 18.—Ned Brooks, 62, has been awarded a judgment of \$50,000 against the estate of the late J. H. Herndon. Herndon was 82 when he died. In the suit filed by Brooks, it was stated that the plaintiff had worked for the deceased defendant for nearly fifty years without pay and that it was with the understanding that if Herndon died, Brooks was to get the estate. Shortly before he died, Herndon discovered oil on his farm property, and his wealth grew to nearly one million dollars. He left it to near relatives and Brooks contested the will. As soon as the suit was filed, \$60,000 in a local bank was attached.

Miss Charlotte Jackson—Waverley School Principal and Mrs. Mamie Dunmore—Principal of Booker Washington Heights School Led in Contest.

Splendid Affair Held in Auditorium at Allen Tuesday Night.

In a contest for the most popular seventh grade pupil in the grammar grades in city and adjacent schools was held in the auditorium at Allen University last Tuesday night. Votes were cast for the most popular seventh grade pupil. Pupils from old Howard and New Howard schools of the city were in the contest with pupils from Miss Jackson's school in Waverley and Mrs. Dunmore's school in Colonial Heights. The Waverley school led with a report of 666 votes at ten cents each; Booker Washington Heights was second with 614; Old Howard 82 and New Howard 48.

In the contest the sum of \$140 was raised. The program rendered was very good being made up with numbers from all of the contesting schools. Many parents attended the affair and had an enjoyable time.

PROGRAM.

- Song—Waverley School.
- The Lord's Prayer.
- Song—Colonial Heights.
- Inst. Duet—Old Howard.
- Song—Waverley School.
- Recitation—New Howard.
- Vocal Duet—Waverley school.
- Recitation—Colonial Heights.
- Quartette—Old Howard.
- Concert Recitation—Colonial Heights.
- Song—Waverley School.
- Contest report—Mr. Foster.
- Chorus—Waverley.

Editor J. D. Carr, of the Asheville Enterprise is spending a few days in the city.

Nine states now require that the Bible be read at stated times in the public schools.

CONVICTED OF CRIMINAL ATTACK ON CHILD

BOOKER T's. TRANSLATOR VISITS HAMPTON

CHILD WAS AN INMATE OF THE ORPHAN HOME

SAYS BOOKER T. IS WELL KNOWN IN ALL GERMANY

Has Translated Into German Booker T. Washington's "Up From Slavery."

AUDIENCE IS INTERESTED

He Says the Missionaries Must Learn the Various African Languages.

Hampton, Va., Nov.—Sunday evening at Ogden Hall an address was given by Dr. Diederich H. Westerman, Professor of African languages at the University of Berlin. He has translated into German Booker T. Washington's autobiography, "Up from Slavery". In fact, according to the speaker, the names of Tuskegee and its founder are known to all in Germany who are interested in Africa.

Dr. Westerman laid great stress upon the necessity of the missionaries learning the various African languages and said that it was possible for them to win the confidence of the natives if they were only able to speak foreign languages. The various African dialects are most difficult to learn some words having three or four meanings depending upon the inflection or kind of 'click' used.

RICHLAND COUNTY TEACHERS ASSOCIATION TO MEET SOON

The regular monthly meeting of the Richland County Teachers Association will be held, Saturday Nov. 28th at the Booker Washington High School.

Devotional Exercises to be conducted by the Rev. T. M. Boykin, and methods in geography presented by Mrs. C. D. Saxon. Refreshments will be served by the faculty of Howard Graduate School.

Miss C. A. Jackson, Pres., Mrs. M. E. Dinmore, Ch. Program Committee

WHITE AND COLORED MEN ORGANIZE

STABS COLORED BOY TO DEATH

E. P. Hall, White Boy Stabs to Death Earnest Wood Colored at Richey Grocery Plant

CLAIMS IT WAS ACCIDENT

Other Employees State that Hall was Running Around Plant Looking for Wood

El Dorado, Ark., Nov.—E. P. Hall, 18 year old white boy, is held in jail here, charged with first degree murder as a result of the stabbing to death of Earnest Wood, a colored employee, Hall, the white boy, explains that he did not mean to kill Wood, although they had been arguing. Other employees state that Hall was running around the plant of the Richey Grocery Company looking for wood.

ESSAY PRIZE CONTEST.

Any School Child May Enter This Prize Essay Contest.

The Central Woman's Christian Temperance Union, of Rockford, Illinois, has announced a Prize Essay Contest on the subject: "Why Drunken Drivers Should not be Paroled," which school children anywhere may enter. Eleven prizes will be offered in the high school group, the first prize being five dollars, and the other ten awards one dollar each. The same prizes will be offered in the grade school group.

Essays should not be more than one hundred words in length, should be written on one side of the paper, bear the name, address, school and grade of the writer, and be mailed to the Central Union's Headquarters, 102 West State Street, Rockford, Illinois.

"Drunken Drivers Contest." The contest is to close on November 28.

The Meiji shrine, nearing completion in Tokio, is the largest atheletic field in the Orient.

ATTY. MATTHEWS WINS CASE FOR THE GOVERNMENT

Mr. Matthews is the Recognized National Leader of the Negro Republican Group

WERE FINED \$2,500 EACH

A Skillful Lawyer, and the Special Assistant of the U. S. Attorney General

Lincoln, Nebraska, Nov.—General William H. Matthews, special assistant of the U. S. Attorney General, was elected to prosecute the case of two former officers of the City National Bank of Lincoln. They were L. J. Dunn and L. B. Howey, charged in the Federal Court with misapplication of the banks funds. The acceptance on their part of bad papers which the directors of the institution had to make good was included in the charges. Under the skillful and able direction of Mr. Matthews the case was won for the government and the charges sustained. Dunn and Harvey were forced to accept such fines as the court saw fit to impose. The court penalized them \$2,500 each.

This is the first of the cases brought to trial by Mr. Matthews, the recognized national leader in the Negro Republican group, since his appointment as special assistant to the government's legal forces. He made a fine showing during the trial.

Leaving Lincoln after the winning of his case, Matthews was banquetted by a distinguished group of leaders in Omaha.

A finger and toenailless family has been discovered in Italy.

The military ban against the general use of radio sets in Palestine has been lifted.

JOIN HANDS TO BETTER CONDITIONS

White and Colored Longshoremen Organize After a Two Years Strike

BY A UNANIMOUS VOTE

Harry Keegan, white, President and Mose Johnson, Colored Vice President

New Orleans, La. Nov.—A amalgamation of the white and colored longshoremen, who have been on strike for the past two years was consummated Sunday, when the two organizations by an unanimous vote decided to join hands in an effort to win better wages and conditions generally. Hereafter the two organizations will meet as one body, with Harry Keegan, white as president, and Mose Johnson, late president of the Negro longshoremen, as vice president.

Asheville News.

Special to The Leader:

Dr. T. O. Miller, widely known physician and surgeon, of this city is receiving many letters of congratulation from all sections of the country, on the editorial that appeared in The Asheville Enterprise on October 30th.

"Do Negroes Protect Criminals?" The original article did not carry Dr. Miller's signature, due to the many demands upon his time, the day he wrote it. It was an oversight or negligence. The last issue of that paper makes known that he is the author of the editorial.

Aside from being a great surgeon, he is a scholar and orator of excellent ability. He received a part of his training at Clarin University and later entered the School of Liberal Arts New York City. From there he went to Boston University from which school he graduated in

The Man is Henry Wilson Johnson, white, Superintendent of an Orphanage

THE CHILD IS 13 YEARS OLD

Three Other Indictments Charging Him with the Same Offense, Awaits Him

New York, N. Y., Nov., 18.—Henry Wilson Johnson, white, a former Superintendent of the Children's Home of the Long Island Baptists' Orphanage, pleaded guilty Tuesday before Justice Cropsey in Supreme Court Brooklyn, to a charge of criminal attack on Elizabeth Sullivan, 13 years old, inmate of the home. He will be sentenced Monday.

Indictments charging Johnson with the same offense against three other girls in the home were returned last week. Johnson's arrest was the result of an investigation by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

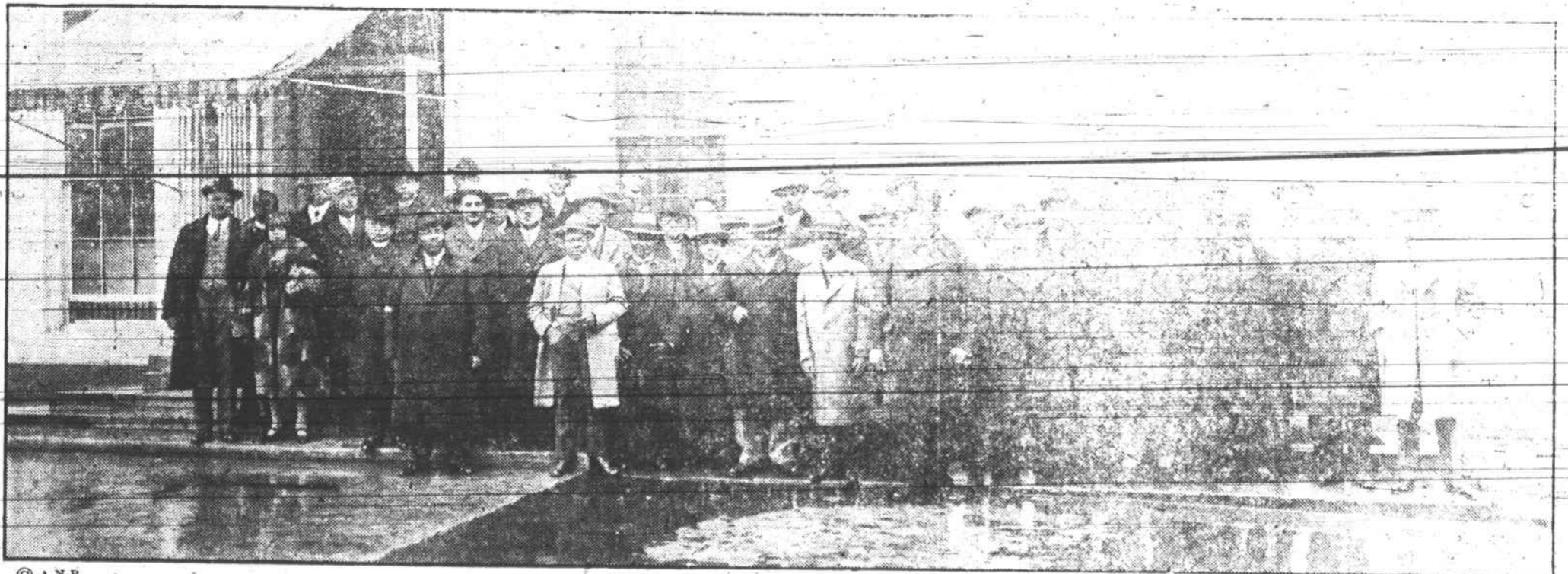
1918—being the only Negro in his class.

He has established a wonderful reputation in the field of surgery. The statistics at the Blue Ridge Hospital show that in 1921 he performed twenty-two abdominal operations and lost two.

PRESIDENT HALE ABSOLVED OF CHARGES

Nashville, Tenn., Nov.—The grounds charges filed against President W. J. Hale of the Agricultural and Industrial State College, in federal court more than four years ago, which attracted nation-wide attention, were set at naught today when a jury in the middle Tennessee district of federal court, presided over by Judge John M. Goss, returned verdicts of not guilty as concerned all of the charges against the well-known educator.

The charges grew out of dealings with the soldiers who were in training at the State College, of which President Hale is the head.



MEMBERS NATIONAL POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC CONFERENCE AT WHITE HOUSE. Reading from left to right: C. A. Franklin, Rev. Charles Sumner Williams, Miss Jeanette Carter, C. R. Richardson, J. W. McCulloch, Rev. R. E. Taylor, Bishop A. J. Carey, J. A. Munnerlyn, John B. Hawkins, R. B. Lemus, A. L. Holsey, Robert J. Nelson, E. W. Dale, W. W. Chisum, E. J. Davis, J. E. Mitchell, Rev. Noah Williams, E. L. Patton, Scipio A. Jones, C. E. Hall, Roy. W. H. Peck, W. J. Jones, Marvin J. Chisum, Claude A. Barnett, Perry W. Howard, L. R. Lautler, West A. Hamilton, Joseph D. Bibb, A. G. Froe, C. C. Spaulding, Rev. C. M. Tanner, Joseph Frigg, P. B. Young, Emmett J. Scott, Dr. W. Jarvis Bowen, James A. Cobb, Joseph Johnson, Henry A. Boyd, W. R. Driver and Charles H. Calloway.