

The Negro And Americanism

(By the Associated Negro Press)

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug.—In his weekly sermon on "Who is American Anyway?" the Rev. Dr. Samuel W. Purvis has this to say: "I wonder if we are far enough from the Great War for me to mention that we have 10,000,000 Germans living peaceably among us, a great host of Hungarians and Austrians, and an army corps of Turks, not counting of course all those from your President to this pastor, who have worn a red fez and talk in some terms Oriental? I ought surely to mention 12,000,000 of our neighbors in black, one-seventh of the working force of the country. Since there were 400,000 of him called to the colors, and 200,000 went overseas, we ought to give him a fair grade in Americanism."

Trying To Keep Negroes in South

(By The Associated Negro Press)

Atlanta, Ga., Aug.—An effort to check the migration of Negroes and other farm laborers was given by the authors as the reason for the introduction of a bill in the Georgia Legislature, today, which would make it a felony for any person or concern to solicit labor in Georgia for other states. Punishment would be a prison term of not less than three years nor more than seven.

"Passage of this bill" one of the authors declared, "will result in checking the exodus of Negroes and other farm labor of Georgia to other States. It does not allow even licensed labor agents to operate in the State. The present labor situation in Georgia demands drastic legislation and this measure is one which we think best to provide relief."

Breaks Up The Mob

(By the Associated Negro Press)

St. Joseph, Mich., Aug.—A mob of several hundred men, bent upon obtaining two Negroes held on charges of attacking a white girl at Benton Harbor, Sunday night, menaced the county jail here during the night and was prevented from storming the structure only by a show of bravado on the part of the Sheriff George Bridgman.

The crowd, assembling last night, demanded the sheriff turn the prisoners over. The officer established a dead line, and one member of the mob who crossed it was seized and placed in a cell adjoining that occupied by the two Negroes.

The mob broke up at an early hour in the morning.

New Head For Lincoln Institute

(By The Associated Negro Press)

Kansas City, Mo.—It is reported that Lincoln Institute, of Jefferson City, Mo. will be headed this year by Professor Nathan B. Young, who recently retired from the presidency of the Florida State A. and M. College. Professor Young, who has the record of building the Florida School up to an enviable place among the Southern State schools, visited Lincoln Institute last week and appeared before the board which is said to have tendered him the position at that time.

Brown Stockings Are All the Rage

(By the Associated Negro Press)

Paris, France, Aug.—The bare, white legs of the fashionable Paris women are about to give way to "Nigger Brown" stockings. The fad started at Deauville during the recent season at the famed resort and has now reached and captured Paris. It is said that the adoption of brown stockings has been ordered by fashion's devotees as a rebuke to the Americans who have been over zealous in their efforts to establish a "color line" here in Paris.

Burned At Stake

(By the Associated Negro Press)

Yazoo City, Miss., Aug.—A frenzied mob burned Willie Minnifield at the stake last Saturday night. The young Negro was accused of attacking a white woman with an ax and otherwise mutilating her. She was expected to die from her injuries.

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