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Michigan Convicts Petition Roosevelt to End Jim Crow

Two Hundred Signers Protest Discrimination in Work Assignments

SHUN PROPOSAL FOR JIM CROW CLASSES

Official Says Colored Must Not Dominate Whites

(Special to the AFRO)

JACKSON, Mich. — Despairing of all other sources of relief, more than two hundred inmates of the Michigan State Prison here sent a petition to President Roosevelt, recently, seeking his aid in the elimination of alleged Jim crow practices at the institution.

The petitioners, who were joined in the movement by several white prisoners, contended chiefly of discrimination in the assignment of inmates to the better class jobs.

Spend Day in Cells

In explaining their dissatisfaction, they declare that even the well-qualified ones of their number are required to remain in their cells for twenty-two hours out of a day, while white prisoners, no better qualified, are given the advantage of development in worthwhile lines of employment.

One of the prisoners, who stated that an official of the prison complimented him highly on his mark in the customary I.Q. test upon his transfer from the Marquette Branch, was allegedly refused an appointment to the teaching staff because of his race.

He quotes the official as saying: "We held you colored people in slavery two hundred and fifty years and my ego will not allow me to place a colored man where he can dominate a white man, as a teacher or otherwise."

Jim Crow Class Shunned

An offer to place the prisoner in charge of a class of colored fellow-inmates was turned down, according to reports.

The petition to the President follows:

Previous to your elevation to the high office which you now occupy, you expressed your sympathy for and interest in the plights of the "Forgotten Men."

We—the undersigned—are prisoners confined at Jackson, Michigan, being placed somewhat among those who are forgotten, do petition you to use some small remnant of your boundless influence to the end that the injustices to which we are subjected be discontinued.

Barred from Prison Chair

We are forced to undergo the most ruthless discrimination as regards employment in the institution. For an unwritten law excludes colored persons from positions as secretaries, clerks, or typists in the various departments, and from positions on the teaching staff, library staff, the prison newspaper staff, the dining room staff, even bars them from singing in the prison choir.

Inasmuch as we have been unable to obtain relief from the prison officials, for they take the position that the sons of Ham should not aspire to any position above that of a menial, we appeal to you, who are the chief executive of all the people of the United States, to use your influence to the end that justice may reign within the walls of the illustrious apostle to the Gentiles: "Remember them that are in bonds, as bound with them; and them which suffer adversity . . ."—Hebrews 13:3.

Blames Woman Singer in Suit for Divorce

RICHMOND—Charging that his wife, Mrs. Flora Belle James had sexually left him and was taking up all of her time with Maude S. A. Hicks, of the Miracle Temple, John Henry James, churchman and printer, has been granted a partial divorce on the grounds of desertion.

Filed under the complaint of James were newspaper clippings and a letter, all indicating that there was some strange relationship between the singing evangelist and her female members.

James married Miss Flora Belle Branch in 1927, and they lived with her mother at 226 South Temple Street, until September, 1933, when Mrs. James is alleged to have told her husband that she preferred the company of Madam Hicks and was through with him. The suit was not contested and James was awarded the custody of the two children. The divorce will become absolute in three years.

An interesting light into the James marital difficulties is contained in a letter written by the husband on October 25, 1933, shortly after the wife is said to have left him. It stated in part:

"I feel that you are being influenced by Mrs. Hicks, which I feel is causing our separation. That's why I am asking you to sever relations with this strange woman and come on to me."

Chi N.A.A.C.P. Wins Extradition Fight

CHICAGO, Ill. — Tennessee, which sought to extradite Leander McCline from Chicago on a charge of murdering a white girl, which when the United States Circuit Court of Appeals upheld Cook's decision ordering McCline to be discharged.

The long extradition fight begun by the branch in 1933 was carried through under the direction of Irvin C. Mollison, attorney, of the branch's legal committee, and president of the Illinois State Conference of N.A.A.C.P. Branches. McCline's attorneys made much of the fact that Maury County, Tenn., which was requesting McCline, was the same county in which Cordie Cheek had been lynched in December, 1933, after a grand jury had failed to indict him.

Will Wed Next Summer

MISS ROMA LAWSON

Miss Roma Lawson, a teacher in the public schools of Chicago, and Sidney A. Jones, Chicago attorney and a national vice-president of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, whose engagement was announced in the Windy City last week. The wedding will take place in the early summer.

Staff Positions Are Now Created at Dillard Hospital

NEW ORLEANS. — Appointments for 1935 to the medical staff of Flint-Goodridge Hospital of Dillard University have been announced by Warren Kearny, chairman of the hospital committee of Dillard University trustees.

For the first three years of the operation of the new hospital the members of the active staff were of the same status, with the exception of Dr. Rivers Frederick, who held an appointment as chief of the department of surgery.

For 1935, active staff members have been appointed to the status of chief, senior associate, junior associate and junior assistant. Staff appointments in the hospital are made upon the recommendation of the medical advisory board and the hospital staff, the hospital committee of the trustees.

The appointments follow:

Pathology: Dr. Jerome G. Miller, J. Lawrence Parham, Dr. Thaddeus Hume and B. C. Mae Lean are members of the medical advisory board of the hospital. Members of the hospital committee of the medical staff are: Vernon Kearny, chairman; Alvin P. Howard, Simon H. T. Jones, R. J. Lallande and Edgar B. Stern.

Medical Staff

The medical staff of the hospital, including consultants, is composed of: Medicine: Dr. J. J. Lemann, senior consultant; Dr. J. J. Archinard and Dr. Fred DeLaunay, junior consultants; Dr. C. R. D. Bowers, senior associate; Dr. J. A. Sherrod and Dr. Thaddeus Porter, junior associates.

Surgery: Dr. Lawrence Cohn, consultant; Dr. Rivers Frederick, senior associate; Dr. Hayden Bruce, junior associate; Dr. W. E. Adams, Dr. O. W. Dunson, Dr. A. J. Smith, junior associates; Dr. Frederick Rhodes and Dr. F. P. Wisdom, clinical assistants.

Diseases of Women: Dr. C. Jeff Miller, senior consultant; Dr. S. H. Willis, junior consultant; Dr. R. J. Vinnik, senior associate; Dr. A. W. Brantley, Dr. R. J. Cohen, Dr. J. Y. Jones, Dr. Ernest Cook, Dr. J. O. Shelton and Dr. J. W. Thomas, junior associates.

Diseases of Children: Dr. C. J. Bloom, senior consultant; Dr. J. E. Strange, junior consultant; Dr. Ernest Cherrie, senior associate; Dr. T. H. Mims and Dr. Thaddeus Taylor, junior associates.

Urology: Dr. Joseph Burns, senior consultant; Dr. J. J. Vickery, junior consultant; Dr. E. L. Demasier and Dr. W. Weeks, senior associates.

Ear, Nose, Throat: Dr. Julian Leake, senior consultant; Dr. J. A. McConiskey, junior consultant; Dr. A. W. Montana, senior associate.

Eye: Dr. R. H. Blum, senior consultant; Dr. E. E. Allegyer, junior consultant; Dr. L. W. Horton, senior associate.

X-Ray: Dr. L. J. Menville, senior consultant; Dr. J. Ex. Ave, junior consultant; Dr. F. Y. Jones, senior associate; Dr. J. H. Murphy, clinical assistant.

Pathology: Dr. A. V. Friedrichs, consultant.

SIDNEY A. JONES

British Author Speaks to Atlanta Students

ATLANTA.—Dr. Basil Mathews, noted British author, spoke to the students of Atlanta University, Morehouse College and Spelman College at a special assembly held in Howe Memorial Hall, Wednesday morning.

A graduate of Oxford University, Dr. Mathews is a critic on race relations throughout the world. He is the author of "The Clash of Colors" and "John R. Mott, World Citizen."

French Nurse Discovered How To Grow Hair Two Inches in Two Months

Free Trial Boxes To All Readers Of This Paper

Mlle. Renee Guidet, a former nurse in a large Parisian hospital and now an international beauty expert, has accidentally discovered how to grow hair at the rate of two inches in two months. When interviewed by the writer, Miss Guidet said: "This new discovery is so by-product of my own brain, it is really the re-action caused by considerably stimulating a tuberculous condition by a formula given me by a well known dermatologist. Until one observes it was never particularly noticed in growing hair; my shops were running out of hair tonic and we were so sure that it stood in 'Coiffure' and various beauty treatments. Finally I had sent word requesting some from the States (U. S.) who often visited Paris, and this product was delayed in customs. In the meantime I had run out of my own hair tonic and contracted a very old fever and had lost all of her hair. I was asked to bath this scarcely grown, and hearing my knowledge along this line was limited, I immediately sought the formula I had given the doctor. To my surprise, in two weeks time, I noticed the astonishing discovery.

"The girl's hair was finally made to grow and grow at a rapid rate, which I noted about twice a week. All kinks and baldness seemed to have disappeared. Since this accidental experiment I began to try the product on the heads of the prominent women of Paris, and the results were so astonishing that I felt it my duty to make it public, and that my experiment was 100 per cent successful. Now I am introducing my product to the world and will prove its merits by sending a free trial box to all readers of this paper.

"Mlle. Guidet has found her product, which she has named her Mlle. Guidet Hair Grower, has proved a factory for the Guidet Products, Inc., Dept. 401, Paris, Pa. For a limited time, write to Mlle. Guidet Products, Inc., Dept. 401, Paris, Pa., for a free trial box.

Congress for Job Insurance Hears Many Speakers

Representative E. Lundeen Pledges Support to Workers' Bill

MASS PRESSURE ON CONGRESSMEN URGED

Hardships of Unemployment on Youth Cited

WASHINGTON. — An array of speakers representing many classes of workers, from a congressman on down through the ranks of professionals and unskilled laborers, addressed the general session of the congress for unemployment and social insurance, which met at the Washington Auditorium, January 5 to 8.

Representative Ernest Lundeen, white, farmer-laborite from Minnesota, informed the group at its Saturday session that the House, on the opening day, had passed the gas rule, which would require 218 signatures to bring a bill out of a congressional committee instead of the usual 145.

Support Promise

He urged the delegates to rally their forces to get enough signatures from their representatives in Congress to bring the workers' bill for unemployment insurance out of the committee.

The bill was introduced on the first day of the session by Congressman Lundeen and was sent to a committee. He also urged the workers to prepare to send speakers to the hearings on the bill, which he would insist upon having, promising them that if he is made a member of that committee, a post for which he is striving, he will see to it that their delegates have a hearing.

Miss Scott Applauded

"It is up to you people," he continued, "to educate your servants in Congress—and they are your servants—so that they really will serve you. If they don't carry out your wishes as you want them to, there is a democratic way to give them a vacation and send them home. Let them think it over, and some of you folks go there and take their seats."

Miss Elizabeth Scott, from the St. James Presbyterian Church in New York City, a member of the Youths' Congress, received great applause when she came to give a short talk, as did many other speakers.

Youth Problem Cited

She told the assembly that unemployment was the "most burning problem before America's youth; that six to seven million young people under the age of twenty-five are idle; that a great portion of these had never had the opportunity of employment, having graduated from school into the army of the unemployed; and that all of these facts had resulted in causing close to one million youths to be homeless and wandering wanderers."

Now Youths' Congress, she said, disagreed with the proposals to place the millions of jobless and homeless youth into CCC camps, tiant camps, stating that such proposals are "identical to the steps taken by Fascist Germany, Poland, and Italy to militarize the young generation."

Permanent Unity Urged

Manning Johnson, of New York City, whose oratory brought great applause, told the workers that they must not only be united today, but tomorrow when the conference is over.

"The trade unions can stage an important part in the fight," he declared. "They can develop their shops into powerful strongholds for unemployment insurance. When the workers of all of the organizations in this congress determine to do this, these United States will resound from coast to coast with the thunderous cry for unemployment insurance for the millions of workers."

Hardships Recounted

Dick Dickerson, white, of Oregon, who spent seven years in jail, he said, because of union activities, urged the gathering to protest against terrorism and military power those workers who are trying to organize.

Miss Alice Prattis, of New Orleans, representing the Unemployed Council there, told the delegates of the work that her organization had done in her home town. She told the group that the white and colored members, using mass pressure, had caused the reinstatement of forty-five workers in their positions. She represented 25,000 members of her group, she said.

Aged Woman Speaks

"Mother" Ella Reeves Bloor, white, 72-year-old labor fighter, was another to bring the house to its feet, as did Earl Browder, editor in the Communist party. Mr. Browder had to wait many moments before the house became quiet enough for his speech to be heard.

Merril C. Work, business manager of the Negro Liberator, published in New York under the editorship of Ben Davis, Jr., gave the report of the subsession on the "Negro Masses and Unemployment."

Mrs. Marion D. Butler, representing the industrial department of the District Branch of the National Federation of Colored Women, spoke in one of the subsessions.

Sunday School Board to Meet in Kentucky

WASHINGTON (ANP) The Rev. W. H. Jernagin, president of the National Sunday School and BYPU Congress, announced this week that the mid-winter board meeting of that organization will be held at Richmond, Ky., at the First Baptist Church, January 28.

Boston Pastors Chided for Scottsboro Apathy

BOSTON — Ministers were asked to cooperate in the fight to free the nine Scottsboro youths, in a letter sent them by the committee of citizens, who also requested that each pastor allow a representative from the ILD to speak to his congregation.

The group was organized with William Taylor as chairman and Mrs. Mary Ahlquist, secretary.

The letter to the ministers said in part:

"Your response at any time has been very weak. We hold you ministers of Greater Boston partially responsible for the holding of these boys. . . . You ministers have time and time again refused to allow members of the ILD to tell your congregations the truth about the Scottsboro case.

"By withholding information from your followers, you are helping to prolong the torture of these nine innocent children. You are prolonging jim-crowism, segregation and the lily-white South, whose slogan is to keep the n. down."

Wife Locked Door; Pastor Gets Divorce

RICHMOND—Claiming that his wife, Mrs. Ethel Holman, of 209 S. Randolph Street, once climaxed a series of little quarrels by locking the door between them and not entering his room for six weeks, the Rev. C. H. Holman, pastor of the North Gayton and Mount Olivet Hundred Baptist Churches, was awarded a divorce by Judge Julien Gunn in the Circuit Court, last week.

The Rev. Mr. Holman contended that his wife left him on September 22, 1932, and refused to yield to his request for her to return to him. The bill states that the two were married on April 27, 1908, and that four children, now supporting themselves, were born.

The minister asked for the divorce on the ground of constructive desertion, and it was upon this that the separation was legalized. The Rev. Mr. Holman lives at 1438 Idlewood Avenue.

Probe Death of Man Found Dead in Bed

BOSTON—The death of Charles McEnery of 16 Truro Street, who was found by his wife, Mrs. Mae Beth McEnery, stretched across a bed in his home, Wednesday, is being investigated by the police and Dr. Timothy Leary, medical examiner, discovered bruises and others marks about McEnery's head and will perform an autopsy in an effort to determine the cause of his death.

Mrs. McEnery, who had been visiting in Lawrence during the holidays, returned the police report finding her husband. They, in company with Sergeant Kevin Devlin, police surgeon, who determined that McEnery was dead, and reported the case to the medical examiner.

Evangelist Hits Hub Pastors Who Criticize Method

Who Are Racketeers? Asks the Rev. Frederic W. Fisher.

SAYS ENEMIES GET $50; PREACH ONCE

Points to 5 Children as Proof of Manhood

(Carroll News Service)

BOSTON.—A battle to a finish to determine whether sensational evangelism shall survive in this city, has caused one of the greatest stirs in church circles that this staid old city has ever seen.

The participants are certain ministers, aided by a local weekly, on one side and the Rev. W. Frederic Fisher, Chicago evangelist, and his supporters on the other, "racketeering," the Rev. Dr. Fisher made a scathing reply to his critics in the Sunday afternoon sermon at Christ Temple Church. His subject was "The Racketeers: and Who Are the Racketeers?"

Amid uncontrollable emotion, the Chicago evangelist told 1300 worshipers, who packed every available space, that the pastors who were attacking him "receive a salary of $50 a week, a house, and all expenses, and preach only one sermon a week."

"On the other hand," he said, "I preach from six to eight sermons a week, do not receive $50 every week, and have to pay all expenses."

Raps Lucky Numbers

"Speaking of rackets, who is a bigger racketeer than the pastor who sells lucky numbers in ruffles on pillows, quilts, cake and anything else he can think of?"

Answering the question, the Rev. Dr. Fisher declared that there was no difference between the games of chance which are sponsored by certain pastors and the sponsoring of sweepstakes tickets, numbers slips, or shooting craps. Smilingly he said: "In a crap game a man can see how he lost his money."

Tearfully, Dr. Fisher declared that his enemies have tried in every way to trap him into some conduct unbecoming a clergyman. They have even put women in my way, and because I would not have them, they have lied and said that I am not a man. "To prove that I am a man," he said, "I am the father of five children. That should be proof enough."

At the Sunday afternoon service, $36 was collected for the defense of the Scottsboro boys.

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ILLINOIS DEMOCRAT SWORN INTO OFFICE

Only Colored Member Recorded as Voting Twice

WASHINGTON — Arthur W. Mitchell, Democrat, who succeeded Oscar DePrit : as Congressman from the first district of Illinois, cast his first vote with his party for the election of Joseph W. Byrns, of Tennessee, as speaker of the House, Thursday, at the opening of the Seventy-fourth Congress.

The speaker's first act was to administer the oath of office to the membership. All members took the oath at the same time. Mr. Mitchell along with his colleagues.

After these formalities, the House, which is dominated by Southern Democrats, placed itself under the old "gag rule," by which they can cut off unwelcome legislation by stifling it in committee. Mr. Mitchell again voted with his party.

Discharge Rule Scrapped

The discharge rule which was placed on the scrapheap by the New Congress provided that a petition of 145 members could force the speaker to take a vote on the question of discharging any committee from further consideration of any pending measure. The purpose of the rule was to enable the House itself to appeal from the decision of a committee plainly intent upon killing a bill by pigeonholing it in committee.

The rule was used effectively during the last session of Congress by DePriest to force a vote on his resolution for an investigation of the authority exercised by the account committee in the management of the House restaurant and in issuing an order denying service to colored persons in that part of off for the public.

Aimed at Minorities

By the repeal of the discharge rule, the House reverted to the former rule under which a majority of its members must petition for a vote on a proposed measure to give up a bill. The gag rule, the leaders admit, is directed against minority factions, which include Democrats as well as members of other parties.

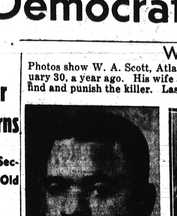
Reports to the contrary, notwithstanding, Miss Bowles is still on the job in Cincinnati.

Former Golf Champion Files Suit for Divorce

CHICAGO—Charging her husband, Dwight E. Harris, lieutenant in the Eighth Regiment and nationally known golfer, with Mrs. Marie Thompson, social leader, in Cincinnati, Mrs. Dorothy Harris filed suit here for a divorce, in the superior court, Wednesday.

Will Papa's Death Be Avenged?

Photos show W. A. Scott, Atlanta World editor, murdered by an assassin as he entered his garage the night of January 30, a year ago. His wife and two children, Aurelius, who has been directing the movement to find and punish the killer. Last week the grand jury indicted George Maddox, Jr., the dead man's brother-in-law, for the crime.



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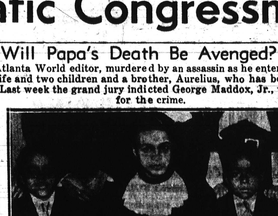

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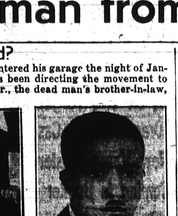

AURELIUS SCOTT

Russian, Son of Slaves, Rises to High Soviet Office

MOSCOW, U.S.S.R. — (CNA)— The story of the rise of a native colored Russian, Shaban Abash, to a powerful position in the government apparatus, is told in the November issue of the Moscow Daily News.

Abash is a member of the Central Executive Committee of the Transcaucasian Federation, one of the seven constituent republics of the Soviet Union. He is a native of one of the republics which make up this federation—Abkhasia, popularly known as the "Riveria of the Black Sea."

Before 1861, colored people were purchased like cattle in slave markets of Turkey, by Abkhasian feudal lords trying to emulate the grandeur of the Sultan. These were the ancestors of the eighty colored families now scattered over Abshasia, who were "liberated" in 1861. They were given just enough land so that they did not starve to death—when the crops were good. Abash was born heir to an "estate" of about two acres and a hut.

Elected to Office

In 1931, Abash was elected a member of the village Soviet (council) and later to the Central Executive Committee of Transcaucasia.

Miss Bowles Not Fired, Cincinnati Advises Insist

CHICAGO (ANP)—Miss Eva D. Bowles, executive secretary of the Cincinnati branch of the Young Women's Christian Association, declared this week that she had not been discharged by the committee of management of the local association.

Reports to the contrary, notwithstanding, Miss Bowles is still on the job in Cincinnati.

New Books

"Puppy Love"

"Rhymes of Puppy Love," a first book of poetry by Thomas V. Simpkins, privately published by the Christopher House, Boston. Price $1.25—60 pages.

Here are a number of lyrics dedicated to Ruth, who wed another; Viola, who sings in church; "A wonderful girl, a stranger, Florence No. 2, whom he met when the youth first left her girlhood's dead"; and to Georgia, "Your sweet child woman native stubbornness doth cause me gloom."

Contemplating this perhaps incomplete line of damsels who have stirred unfulfilled emotions in his heart, the poet regrets that he was not killed in the World War. He sings

No broken heart would cause me pain,

Nor woman's spurning slanders; No love would I have given in vain

If I had slept in Flanders.

Banishing Unemployment

"Banishing the Ghost of Unemployment," by Isaac James Hoover; 105 Pages. Meador Company, publishers, Boston. Price $1.00.

Mr. Hoover takes exception to the Roosevelt industrial recovery program to put men back to work. He cites the squandering of millions of dollars upon public works and doles by means of which only three of the ten millions of unemployed have been benefited.

He condemns the Roosevelt injustice of putting all labor at the absolute mercy of the American Federation of Labor which he describes as hostile to colored workers than all other agencies combined. Had the NRA won the fight again Henry Ford, Mr. Hoover claims, hundreds of colored workers would have lost their jobs in Ford plants.

Organized labor's ruthlessness in keeping millions of colored workers out of unions and thus out of opportunity to earn an humble and honest living is so well known that the Roosevelt policy of going along with the union in this respect is only one bit of evidence. Hundreds have accused by this means in banishing unemployed Negroes.

To banish unemployment, Mr. Hoover's proposals are:

(1) To levy all city, state and federal taxes only in accord with the ability of individuals to pay.

(2) Give a higher percentage of economic profits to the consumers in form of lower commodity prices.

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According to Detectives McDonald, Butler and Humble, who investigated the tragedy, the trouble started when the husband was ordered to leave the house following a quarrel over a welfare check. Mrs. Adams accused him of spending the money for liquor instead of the groceries it was intended to purchase.

Immediately after the quarrel, it was said, he left the house and proceed a gun. Coming back, he waited in the kitchen for his wife to come. The gun was found on the shelf of the kitchen, detectives said.

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FORGOTTEN MAN OF CASE IS DISGUSTED

Mystery Shrouds Reports He Was Missing

FLEMINGTON, N.J. (UNP)—A million or so words flashed Friday from the now-famous Hunterdon County Courthouse, scene of the drama-filled Bruno Richard Hauptmann trial, failed to reveal in daily papers that William A. Allen, Lindbergh baby finder, arrived here by automobile at 9:45 a.m., prepared to testify when called by the state.

Although not called to the stand Friday, Allen left his home at 43 Roosevelt Street, Trenton, at 9 a.m., that day in the car of one of the prosecution aides. His cheerful wife who had wanted so badly to accompany him, found that her wish could be fulfilled at the last moment, but then she had no time to prepare for the trip. She will come to Flemington on Monday, however.

Allen was not called to the stand Friday because it was not completely taken up with the direct and cross examination of Colonel Lindbergh.' Mrs. Elsie Whately, widow of the Lindbergh nurse, and Hopewell police officer, Charles E. Williamson.

Returned Monday

Allen returned to Flemington early Monday morning.

Although he did not testify on Friday, his name was called once from the witness stand by Officer Williamson. Under direct examination by Attorney General David A. Wilentz, this testimony was as follows:

Q.—Now, officer, on May 12, 1932, was your attention directed to the location of a body somewhere in Mercer County?

A.—Yes.

Q.—Who directed your attention to it?

A.—A colored man by the name of William Allen.

Thursday, Wilentz in his fleet opening address to the jury of eight men and four women, also mentioned Allen but not by name. He said the decaying body of the Lindbergh baby was found by a "colored gentleman."

Sees Lindbergh

Allen, who until today has never seen Lindbergh face to face, saw him at last.

The baby finder was served with a subpoena Wednesday week ago. He departed with his wife for his job at the State Home for Girls in Trenton. He still has that job, and that means a lot.

Allen's chief complaint is that as the baby's finder, white papers and radio people expect him to furnish pictures and story material for nothing. He is far from being a mercenary man, but he has seen so many other people make money from the case that he feels he should at least get a cigar or two. Long ago he decided that all he wanted was to be left alone.

Failure All Developments

He and Mrs. Allen are eager followers of every development in the case itself, however. They can call the names of all the principals, have heard practically every radio broadcast on the subject, read local and out-of-town papers about it and, of course, have been visited by the "big names" on the state's staff.

Soon after Hauptmann's arrest, Mrs. Allen said Thursday, officials visited Allen from New York. She said they "tried to make him remember" that he saw a burlap bag and an old hat lying near the spot where he found the baby. Allen replied that he had seen no such objects.

Allen talks little. He is as taciturn as the much-lauded Lindbergh. He sits at his home for hours at a time and converses not at all. In summer his favorite pastime in the warm evenings is pitching quoits in a vacant field across from his humble home.

The baby finder was born in Virginia but married Mrs. Allen in Pennington, N.J., near Trenton, well, her home. Both are intimately familiar with the Sourland Mountain district, Hopewell, Flemington, and other nearby towns.

Mrs. Allen wishes she could be a witness so she "could tell the Lindbergh's a few things."

Allen himself has contributed to the disappearance report. He has declined to talk to reporters, but has given out a story against all white newspaper and moving picture people, and has even refused to discuss the case with Federal and state authorities. He is simply "not at home" when the groups call. This naturally would give rise to a belief that he must have moved away.

In Trenton All the Time

The value of the cache of illicit drugs was estimated by Federal authorities who are in the midst of a city-wide war against dope and drug peddling.

"To gain a true perspective of the prevalence of dope, we started to uncaught peddlers operating in Chicago," Mary D. Bailey, assistant United States District Attorney in charge of narcotics prosecutions, stated. "Shortwire's trade must be spotted many times over."

Confession Reported

"They've got the goods on me this time," Shortwire was reported to have said when arraigned before Federal Commissioner Edwin L. Walker. He was said to have entered a plea of guilty to charges of possessing narcotics.

The young man, only seven months ago, was released from the Federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, after serving his second long term for operations in the dope field. Twenty people were employed as peddlers by Shortwire, Federal investigation disclosed, in a wholesale syndicate in Detroit allegedly under his control. The stuff being brought in from Canada.

Only a Week's Supply

Shortwire was reported to have admitted that the $30,000 worth of drugs seized in his flat was only a week's supply for a week. His business is quoted as admitting, average.

In the Detroit area, Federal Agent Miles Bailey, Shortwire is "the biggest dope peddler outside of Detroit."

Through his arrest, it was said, the Government hopes to break up the syndicate in Detroit with many single dope into other large cities and towns.

Many white women were said to have been in Shortwire's numerous apartment.

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ALLEN'S WIFE TELLS OF RADIO STATEMENT

Finder of Baby Wrongly Reported Missing

FLASH

FLEMINGTON, N.J. (UNP.)—Additional but vague details of the mysterious "Madame X," the woman reported last week to be prepared to "throw a bombshell" into the trial of Bruno Richard Hauptmann, were available here this week.

The woman is said until recently to have lived in an apartment on West 119th Street in New York City. It was said in New York Sunday that she had been taken from that city to California suddenly last week. California is beyond the 1000-mile limit within which witnesses may be subpoenaed to this state. From this information it appears she may not testify after all.

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