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Madison Loses His Appeal, To Take It Higher

Conviction, Disbarment
Of Negro Lawyer
Upheld

Circuit Judge Eugene Carter yesterday upheld a common pleas court verdict in fining Arthur A. Madison, New York negro lawyer, \$500 and declaring Madison incompetent to practice law in Alabama.

Intent to appeal his case to the Alabama State Court of Appeals was indicated by Madison immediately upon pronouncement of the verdict.

The verdict was in one of five cases in which Madison, native of Montgomery County, was charged with attempting to act as counsel for as many negroes without having been retained by them, in violation of Alabama law.

Judge Carter continued the four remaining cases until next Wednesday. Identical verdicts had been rendered in each by Common Pleas Judge Lomax Crum.

The cases grew out of the filing of appeals by a group of negroes from action of the county board of registrars in refusing to list them as qualified voters. Five of those on whose behalf appeals were filed denied they had authorized the lawyer to act for them.

Others of the group, including General Madison, the defendant's brother, testified the efforts to register negroes was part of a two-year-old "movement," and that complainants in the cases under litigation were members of the "movement."

No jury trial was asked. Assistant Solicitor Evans Hinson said the jury venire for this week included the names of both negroes and white persons.

Arthur Shores, Birmingham negro lawyer, as defense counsel, argued that the State had not shown "criminal intent" and that Madison's purpose was "to help these people, to help the community and to make them better citizens." R. T. Rives, special prosecuting attorney, contended the testimony "clearly showed" that Madison had not been retained by Mildred Hardy, negro school teacher and complainant in the case tried yesterday.

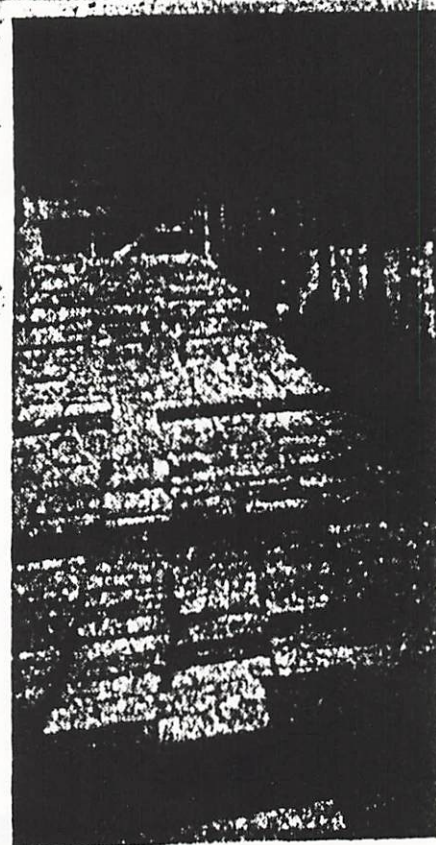
Sixteen negroes indicted by the grand jury on various charges pleaded guilty yesterday and were sentenced by Judge Carter. Charles Bullard pleaded guilty to a charge of grand larceny and was given a suspended sentence of 18 months and placed on five

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1944 Bells And Pomegranates Is Dedicated To

The new issue of the Huntingdon College annual "Bells and Pomegranates for 1944" which has just come from the press is dedicated to Mrs. Marylee Collins, student counselor there for the past five years.

With a full page photograph of Mrs. Collins, the book carries this inscription: "Mrs. Collins welcomed us to Huntingdon during the first week at the reception after convocation; she talks to us at frequent fireside visits in the chapel; and she chats with us in her office throughout the year. At no time that we are with her do we feel afraid to ask her for late permission, or feel hesitant to present her with the problems which we feel confident she can help us to solve."

"When she fusses about 'head rags' or leg make-up, or when she is stern she is only showing her desire to maintain the high standards of Huntingdon. We like to have her as a chaperon; we like to point out proudly our dean of women; and we like to talk 'clothes' with her."

"We thank her for her help, her friendliness, and her jealousy for the good name of our college. As a token of our thanks we dedicate the 1944 edition of 'Bells and Pomegranates' to the first lady of our faculty."

years probation. R. O. Sewell pleaded guilty to a charge of false pretenses and paid a fine of \$1 and costs. Bennie Banks and Watson Lee Burton pleaded to manufacturing liquor, were each given a suspended sentence of two years and placed on three years probation. Henry Champion pleaded to a charge of embezzlement and was sentenced to 15 months and placed on probation.

George Flowers, charged with prohibition law violation, pleaded guilty and was fined \$50 and costs; Charlie Gilmore and Isaiah Harris pleaded guilty to charges of manufacturing liquor and paid court costs and informer's fee. Charlie Jenkins pleaded guilty to the same charge and his case was continued for sentence.

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