

DIVISION OF NEGRO ECONOMICS HAYNES - PHILLIPS

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

TELEGRAM

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F. New York. Sa. Jan 31, 1921.

Phillips,

Care Haynes, Labor, Washington.

Leave out business league resolution from Committee testimony
and sentence following period Make correct figures my departmental
service. Past six months.

Haynes

930a Jan 31

*This has been done,
and then some!*

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
JAN 31 1921

Director of Negro Economics

*Senate Committee
~~and~~ pleased for
testimony at
11/30 a.m. 1/31/21.
Returned at 13:30*

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Negro Economics

December 20, 1920.

George E. Haynes,
Room 912, 160 Fifth Avenue,
New York,

Chief Clerk directs your appearance before Appropriations Committee,
tomorrow, Tuesday, December twentyfirst.

PHILLIPS,
Assistant.

ATTEST:

Special Agent.

Office of the Secretary,
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DR GEORGE HAYNES

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

December 9, 1920.

Dear Mr. Haynes.

In connection with the notes
and list which Miss Shields is sending
to Mr. Edwards, I thought it best
that you, as Director, should make
mention of the appreciation of the
Department for his cooperation.

The enclosure is the abstract

Yours respectfully,

Frank T. Phillips
Special Agent

Done
E. G. H.
12/10/20

December 2, 1920.

Dr. George E. Haynes,
Director of Negro Economics,
45 West 18th Street,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Dr. Haynes:

The Annual Report of the Commissioner General of Immigration for 1919 is going forward to you today under separate cover.

Yours respectfully,

Special Agent.

H. Phillips

December 11, 1920.

Mr. Prince L. Edwoods,
Superintendent, Bureau of Employment,
184 West 135th Street,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Edwoods:

Miss Shields has just returned from the field and has today worked over some of the material relating to her New York investigations. I understand that she is returning to you today the list of firms which you so kindly loaned to her, and that she has been able to make a few notations, as requested by you, regarding the attitude of many of the firms towards the employment of Negro workers. It may be that the information will help you in what you are doing for the Negro workers of New York.

May I again express to you the full appreciation of the Department for your ready assistance and advice to Miss Shields. I am hopeful that our pleasant contacts in this common cause may be long continued.

Yours sincerely,

Director of Negro Economics.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

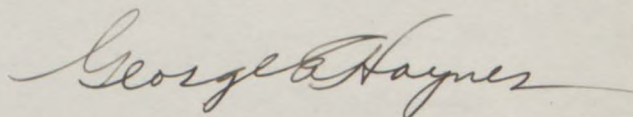
WASHINGTON

November 6, 1920.

Dear Mr. Phillips:

Responding to your official telegram just received, I wish to advise that we shall use the address given, but it may be well for you to call at Attorney Emory R. Carter's, as I am not positive that some official mail sent you has not gone in his care.

Yours sincerely,



Director of Negro Economics.

Atty. Karl F. Phillips, Special Agent,
Department of Labor,
Charleston, West Va.

H/MLC

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Director of Negro Economics

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Charleston, W. Va. Nov 6, 1920

Haynes,

Labor Dept, Washington.

Today, tomorrow, and Monday, one thirteen McFarland St.
care Attorney Irish.

Phillips.

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11/6/20
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October 30, 1920.

Memorandum:

From: Karl F. Phillips,
To: The Director of Negro Economics.
Subject: Elimination of "mills" and "tenths of mills" column from
bulletin - "The Negro at Work during the War and Reconstruction".

1. The Assistant Chief (Mr. Shelby Smith) of the Division of Publications and Supplies has just telephoned this office, objecting to the tables showing the comparative hourly earnings of white and colored workers in the 23 typical industries. He states that the tables in their present state are "unintelligible" owing to the "mills" and "tenths of mills" columns. He says that it is sufficient to have "cents" - that the carrying of the two extra rows of digits is troublesome, "unintelligible" and "very expensive".

2. With great courtesy I explained to Mr. Smith that the publications of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, on similar studies, carried such computations out to three places (the "mills") column, and that the table to which he objected would be even a trifle more vital as to interest on account of the comparison of white and colored workers. In reply to this, Mr. Smith said that the publications of the Bureau of Labor Statistics were "technical and scientific" but that the publication "The Negro at Work during the War and Reconstruction", as he understood it, "was not of any significance, being intended merely for the 'hoi poloi' and not for any technical or scientific use". With great courtesy, I explained that the table in question was an exact counterpart of similar tables of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and, hence, was a technical table. Mr. Smith said that his suggestion would make the table more valuable. He said that he had not had the time to read over the text of the table, as yet, to see (I infer) whether or not it was of any worth.

3. With great courtesy, I thanked Mr. Smith for his suggestion and told him that I was without authority to say "yea or nay" as to his objection, but that I would have to submit it to you for final decision and handling. That, I am hereby respectfully doing. Mr. Smith will hold the bulletin pending your action.

4. May I, though, with deep respect, submit the following opinion and recommendation:

The table, in its present form, is both "technical and scientific" and to remove the "mills" and "tenths of mills" digit columns will be to make the table both untechnical and unscientific.

I base my opinion upon my statistical apprenticeship, served under such eminent statisticians as Dr. William J. Meyers of the New York Public Service Commission,; Jean Paul Muller, C. P. A., and Attorney; Dr. J. M. Gitterman, Ph. D., with the American Waterways Commission, under Senator Burton and Congressman A. J. Sabath; with Will L. Lloyd, under whom I compiled, immediately, many of the express zone tables, now in use. I beg to state, with all modesty, that a few of the tables which I have constructed have been accepted as scientific and technical formulae to such an extent that they have been published, as such, for American business.

Very respectfully,

Karl Phillips
Special Agent.

[Handwritten flourish]
W. G. K.

Wheeling, Buffalo, Detroit, Boston, Philadelphia

Le P. S. V. V. V.

Talked with Mr Smith
on this, holding that
we thought it best
to have ^{extra} ~~rows~~ ^{rows} away so
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Very respectfully,

Farley Phillips
Special Agent.

October 28, 1920.

Dr. George E. Haynes,
158 West 131st Street,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Dr. Haynes:

Although he promised on two occasions, personally, to come down and
look into the position at Middletown, Ohio, the trained male nurse,
recommended by Dr. Fisher, has not appeared. Have you any further
"leads" which you wish taken up in this connection?

Yours respectfully,

Special Agent.

*noted
Galt
11/2/20*

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON

October 27, 1920.

Dr. George E. Haynes,
158 West 131st Street,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Dr. Haynes:

The enclosed communication, deemed "important", from Miss Van Kleeck,
is sent to you at once for immediate attention.

Respectfully,

Frank J. Phillips
Special Agent.

P. S. I shall endeavor to send off other important papers today.

*noted
Gast
10/20/20*

New York City, May 8, 1920.

Mr. Karl F. Phillips,
Expert - Bureau of Labor Statistics,
Department of Labor,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Phillips:

In the absence of Miss Manley I am sending you the
itinerary of Dr. Haynes.

May 7 - 8	St. Louis, Mo.	Pine Street Y. M. C. A.
May 9	en route	
May 10-11	Cleveland, Ohio.	Hollenden Hotel.
May 12 - 14	St. Louis (?)	Pine Street Y. M. C. A.
May 12 - 15	New York (?)	
May 16	en route	
May 17 - 19	Knoxville, Tenn.	% A. M. E. Zion Conference.
May 20 - 22	Atlanta, Ga.	200 Auburn Avenue.
May 23 - 24	Washington, D. C.	
May 25	Hampton, Va.	

Yours very truly,

A. H. Lyons

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Director of Negro Economics

W. H. R.
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Haynes-Phillips

May 7, 1920.

Dr. George E. Haynes,
Director of Negro Economics,
45 West 18th Street,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Dr. Haynes:

I have checked up some of the appropriations for other divisions
of the Department of Labor as follows:

Women in Industry	\$75,000 (increase of \$35,000)
U. S. Employment	225,000
U. S. Housing	1,065,000
Negro Economics	15,000

Respectfully,

Expert - Bureau of Labor Statistics.

W. H. C.
5/10/20

Haynes - Phillips

New York City, May 3, 1920.

Miss Mattie Campbell,
Department of Labor,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Miss Campbell:

Dr. Haynes is leaving this morning for Hartford and I may be a day or two late in returning. Please take last year's budget and work over a new estimate based on the \$15,000.

Yours very truly,

Paul D. Phillips
Assistant Director Negro Economics.

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Director of Negro Economics

Haynes Phillips

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NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

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Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

May 1, 1920.

George E. Haynes
Interchurch World Movement ✓
45 West 18th Street
New York City.

Appropriation Sundry Civil Bill for Negro Economics
fifteen thousand dollars.

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Haynes-Phelps

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON

April 30, 1920.

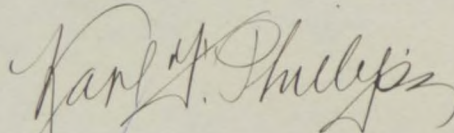
M e m o :

To: Miss M. L. Campbell

Ascertain in the morning from Mr. Gompers whether or not the Negro Economics appropriation was favorably reported out by the House Subcommittee, and, if so, what amount was appropriated.

Telegraph this information by personal telegram to Dr. Haynes.

Respectfully,



Expert - Bureau of Labor Statistics.

I will refund the price of telegraph - not to be over 10 words.
I have no change at this time.

*I shall be in office Wednesday
morning, subject to change
RP*

April 28, 1920.

Dr. George E. Haynes,
Director of Negro Economics,
45 West 18th Street,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Dr. Haynes:

Pursuant to your instructions, I shall report at your official station for departmental business on next Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, later adjustments subject to your convenience.

Yours very truly,

Expert - Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Haynes Phillips

April 26, 1920.

Dr. George E. Haynes,
Director of Negro Economics,
45 West 18th Street,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Dr. Haynes:

I am hastening reply to yours of April 24th, just received, concerning the bulletin:

The bulletin now bears the indorsement of Secretary W. B. Wilson, as follows: "Print the report after July 1, 1920 - WBW - April 22, 1920".

The situation turning about the bulletin seems to be about as follows: (Although I have not been able to see Mr. Reid or Mr. Post this a. m., both being in important conferences):

1. Even though there were money available to print the bulletin, it could not be printed before July 1, 1920, account of the tremendous pressure on the G. P. O. by all the departments. I understand that the Labor Department has on the press fare more than its proportion and that no more printing will be done for the Labor Department until July 1, 1920. Important legislative bills, reports (financial and otherwise), have the right of way ahead of such bulletins as your office proposes to publish.
2. It is estimated by Dr. Baldwin, that it would cost \$2,500.00 to print your bulletin. Obviously, the balance which we have would be of no use, and even if it were, the work could not be done.
3. Dr. Baldwin says all they will give us in the Monthly Review would be five or six pages. He says they have had to cut down the Review one third, eliminating tables, graphs and the like. These eliminated types are the feature of our bulletin.
4. Apparently, news releases offer the only outlet. Dr. Baldwin and I agree that an inequitable amount of attention is given by readers to news releases, and that the value of material is greatly lessened under the news release system. It seems to me that the important material of your bulletin should come out in a more dignified way.

However, a very interesting series of stories can be made up from the bulletin; but Quaere - What effect will this have on the final bulletin, to be printed some day?

Haynes-Phillips

Dr. Baldwin says they will be very glad to authorize my coming to New York to go over these points with you, in case you so desire.

If you decide that the Department can best be served by my coming up for a day or two, it will be convenient for me to come up Saturday afternoon or night. If convenient to you, we could then take a few hours on Sunday morning or afternoon, and on Monday, day or night, if necessary, in order to go at length into this and other important matters.

In case you desire me to come, kindly advise me by return mail in order that I may arrange the office schedule and other plans accordingly.

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Haynes - Phillips

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Yours respectfully,

Karl F. Phillips

Expert, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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It will be best to come Friday night. I leave for New England Monday noon. Sunday will be full.

W. H. C.
Special Agent

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

April 24, 1920.

Mr. Karl F. Phillips,
Department of Labor,
Negro Economics Division,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Phillips:

Can you not ask the Assistant Secretary to see if the Commission of Labor Statistics would allow the bulletin, the publication of which has been approved, could be provided out of the unexpended balance which will probably remain in the fund of the allowance for the Negro Economics Division. It seems to me if you show him the bulletin and the character of the statistical material contained in it, he might agree to this or to give you a section in the Monthly Review, with sufficient number of pages to print the report.

If this is not feasible and the plan for news releases is a last resort it may be necessary for you to ask for authorization to come to New York on official business, connected with this, that we may work the matter out here, as I shall be unable to come to Washington on official business within the next two weeks.

I shall then take the question of the requests of Chicago Race/ with you, , also Mr. Leavell and others. Commission

Yours very truly,

George E. Haynes

Director of Negro Economics.

GEH : M

4/26/20

Mr. Leavelle telephoned, saying that only "printing" money can be used for printing bulletin - Now available

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Noted
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4/26/20

April 22, 1920.

Personal

Dr. George E. Haynes,
Interchurch World Movement,
45 West 18th Street,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Dr. Haynes:

Mr. Reid has just talked with me about the bulletin, just submitted, and has said that the Secretary has approved the publication of the bulletin, but, ALAS, that there is no MONEY AVAILABLE to print the bulletin before July 1, 1920 - a lapse of two months.

He suggests that we get out a series of news releases, beginning at once, in order that interested parties may have the benefit of the information. Please advise me at once about this procedure.

Of course, I am heartbroken about this delay. To have the bulletin come out after July 1, 1920, when we may not be here to read the proof and "finish" up. Requests are coming in for the information which the publication contains, which, of course, it is impossible for us to answer to each individual.

I have no further news on the appropriation.

I presume we had better write to the Chicago Race Commission, Mr. Leavell, and others, informing them of the condition. They have been counting on the information at an earlier date.

Regretfully yours,

April 8, 1920.

Dr. George E. Haynes,
Director of Negro Economics,
45 West 18th Street,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Dr. Haynes:

The Bureau of Labor Statistics has no figures showing comparative incomes of white and colored workers in the same industries in the same districts. You will recall, however, that we have tables covering 30 industries (plants) for a number of occupations in meat-packing and slaughtering, and in the iron and steel foundry industries which show the comparative weekly and hourly wage paid to white and colored workers in the Illinois districts. We have only the carbon copies, the originals having gone forward with the bulletin.

If you wish the carbon copies, I can send them at once.

Mr. R. H. Leavell is particularly anxious to see you. He will be in New York on Saturday next and early the following week. Will you kindly keep on the lookout for him, as he has been in the office a number of times.

Yours respectfully,

Assistant to the Director
of Negro Economics.

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Haynes-Phillips

Personal

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

4/7/20

My dear Phillips:

Sec of Bureau of Labor Statistics has any figures showing comparative incomes of white and Colored workers in same industries and same districts; I wish to use these in connection with occupational opportunity. The Bureau may have them from the Cost of Living Schedules.

Hope you have succeeded in getting Bulletin through to Secretary. I hope to get there a day next week.

Dr Taylor told me about your work on E. St Louis report in Mr Mann's office. See if you can get him to help on Negro Economics Appropriation.

Yours,
W. H. Haynes

INTERCHURCH WORLD MOVEMENT OF NORTH AMERICA

HOME MISSIONS SURVEY
DEPARTMENT
45 West 18th Street
RALPH E. DIFFENDORFER

NEW YORK CITY

S. EARL TAYLOR, General Secretary

April 5, 1920.

Mr. Karl Phillips,
Department of Labor,
Negro Economics Division,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Phillips:

Your wire of April 3,
has just reached this office,
too late for Dr. Haynes to
attend the meeting to which
Mr. Phillips has extended an
invitation.

Dr. Haynes can be reached
care of Mr. Frank O. Beck, 1918
Association Bldg., Chicago, Ill.
today and through Tuesday 6th.
Further changes will be sent
later.

Yours truly,

J.C. Manley

Noted
K. Phillips
April 6, 1920.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

TELEGRAM

WU 22 Q 25 Govt.

MS...New York City: 10.55am. Apr.3,1920

Phillips,

Dep't Labor, Washington, D. C.

See Wilbur Phillips, executive secretary, New Community
Organization, New Willard Hotel, about my attending executive
committee meeting there.

Haynes.

Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

APR 2 1920

Director of Negro Economics

10 clock pm. W. A. Phillips

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TELEGRAM

GOVERNMENT RATES

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

FROM

Division of Negro Economics.

(BUREAU OR OFFICE)

Washington,

April 3, 1920.

George E. Haynes
Interchurch World Movement
45 West 18th Street
New York City.

Phillips invites you attend committee meeting.
Period. Sessions to-night.

Assistant.
Office of the Secretary
Contingent Expenses, 1920.

CHARGE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, APPROPRIATION FOR "-----"

Director Negro Economics

April 2, 1920.

Haynes,
Care Interchurch World Movement,
45 West 18th Street,
New York

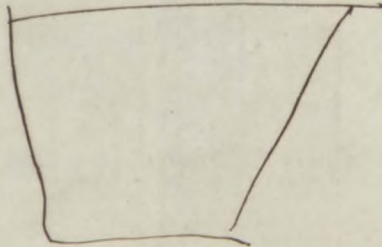
Do not come for Longshoremen conference.

PHILLIPS,
Assistant.

ATTEST:

Office of the Secretary
Contingent Expenses 1920

Karl A. Phillips
Assistant to the Director of Negro Economics.



*Noted
4/19/20*

Haynes-Phillips

C o p y

New York, April 1, 1920.

Phillips, care Haynes,
Dept. of Labor,
Wash., D. C.

Received Dept. of Labor, Apr. 1, 1920
Director of Negro Economics 4:30
p. m. kp

See Assistant Secretary immediately about Longshoremen's hearing
with Secretary tomorrow. Hundred Negro longshoremen involved.
Will Secretary need me.

Haynes,
Director.

4:23 p. m.

Mr. Phillips:
Consult with Mr. Kerwin, LFP
Apr. 1, 20

Mr. Kerwin gone. Mr. Cunningham gone. Can get no action on
this tonight. Will follow up in morning. Phillips.

4/2/20

Mr. Kerwin says "Mr. Haynes' not needed
on this, what is ~~needed~~ needed to
make a stroke. They will be glad to
confer with the Urban League at
some other time"

noted
Galt
4/19/20

Phillips

C o p y

New York City, 3:15 p. m. Apr. 1, 1920.

Phillips,
c/o Haynes,
Dept. of Labor,
Wash., D. C.

Received Dept. of Labor,
Apr. 1, 1920,
Director of Negro Economics
4:25 p. m. - kp

Send transmittal letter bulletin special delivery with return
envelop. Prepare bulletin, submittal Saturday.

Haynes,
Director.

3:50 p. m.

This has been done.
kp April 1, 1920
kp

Mr. Gompers says a special delivery
stamp is not justified. I bought one.
Phillips.

*Noted
Gelt
4/19/20*

Haynes - Phillips

Dr Haynes

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

TELEGRAM



WU 38 Q 13 Govt

UD... Dayton, Ohio. 11.17am. Mch 30, 1920.

Assistant Secretary Post,

Dept Labor, Washington.

Please arrange reappointment Phillips to-day.

Haynes,

Director.

1pm.

*Advised over phone
by Mr Osborne (actg. dir. of
bureau) that this has already been
taken care of. Mr Phillips' appt has been
extended to the end of the fiscal year.*

*W.R.
Notified in Dr. Hayes
Mar 30/20
L.F.P.*

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON

March 11, 1920.

Mr. Karl F. Phillips,
Department of Labor,
Division of Negro Economics,
Washington, D.C.

My dear Mr. Phillips:

As per your request of March 9, I
am mailing to Mr. Harry E. Arnold, c/o
War Camp Community Service, 62 Harrison Av.,
Jersey City, N. J. a copy of our "Prelimi-
nary Statement and Budget for H.M."

The article for the National Asso.
of Corporation Schools Report, requested
by Mr. J.E. Banks, does not seem to be in
our files. Dr. Haynes will doubtless
be able to give you the information
about same.

Yours very truly,

J.C. Manley.

Noted

RP 3/12/20

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

March 9, 1920.

Mr. Karl F. Phillips,
Department of Labor,
office of the Secretary,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Phillips:

Your letter of March 9
at hand and same carefully noted.
The "Pennsylvania" section of the propos-
ed bulletin in the "Negro in Industry"
is not in our files. Dr. Haynes has
some of the Department correspondence
with him and as per itinerary sent
will be in Washington March 12.

Yours very truly,

J.C. Manley.

Noted
Mar 10/20

Haynes - Phillips

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON

March 9, 1920.

Mr. Karl F. Phillips,
"Division of Negro Economics",
Department of Labor,
Washington, D.C.

My dear Mr. Phillips:

Answering your letter of March 8
with reference to the "Introduction"
and "General Statement" of proposed
departmental bulletin, these manuscripts
do not seem to be in our files. Dr.
Haynes evidently has same with him as
he selected the material for use there.

Yours very truly,

J. C. Manley.

Noted

JP.
3/10/20

Haynes - Phillips

March 9, 1920.

Miss T. C. Manley,
c/o Dr. George E. Haynes,
Interchurch World Movement,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Miss Manley:

Will you kindly forward to Mr. Harry E. Arnold, c/o War Camp
Community Service, 62 Harrison Avenue, Jersey City, N. J.,
one copy of "Preliminary Statement and Budget for Home Missions -
World Survey Conference - Atlantic City, January 7 to 10, 1920"
and accept my appreciation therefor.

If there is any charge for this bulletin, kindly bill it against
me.

Yours very truly,

March 8, 1920.

Miss T. C. Manley,
c/o Dr. George E. Haynes,
45 West 18th Street,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Miss Manley:

Will you kindly determine whether or not Dr. Haynes took with him, on his present itinerary, the "Introduction" and "General Statement" of our proposed departmental bulletin. If these papers are in the New York office, kindly forward them to me by return mail, as we shall need the same for conference at the end of this week, when I shall have completed the first "draft" of the bulletin.

The file is a rather bulky one, and deals with the early plans of the Secretary of Labor, and of the functions of the Division of Negro Economics.

Thanks for the "itinerary" and for prompt attention to the foregoing.

Yours very truly,

Expert - Bureau of Labor Statistics.

P. S. In addressing mail to me, please disregard my official designation and use address "Division of Negro Economics."

March 8, 1920.

Miss T. C. Manley,
c/o Dr. George E. Haynes,
45 West 13th St.,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Miss Manley:

Please look in Dr. Haynes' New York files and see if you can locate the "Pennsylvania" section of our proposed bulletin in the "Negro in Industry". This section is introduced by a paragraph "Pre-War Conditions in Pennsylvania". It seems to be missing from our departmental files. My recollection is that Dr. Haynes took it to New York for revision. ✓

If you find it, please forward in next mail.

Yours very truly,

Expert - Bureau of Labor Statistics.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON

February 24, 1920.

Dr. George E. Haynes,
c/o Interchurch World Movement,
45 West 18th St.,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Dr. Haynes:

Immediately upon receipt of this letter, will you kindly wire Dr. J. E. McCulloch, of the Southern Sociological Congress, Room 735, Munsey Building, Washington, D. C., whether or not you can speak before that Congress, on "Race Relations", at its meeting on Monday, March 1, 1920, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, Franklin Square Hotel, 14th and "K" Streets, N. W., Washington, D. C.

The time allotted to you will be twenty (20) minutes.

Respectfully,

Assistant to the Director
of Negro Economics.

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*noted.
Gast
wired, as requested*

Haynes - Phillips

Saturday, February 21, 1920.

My dear W. Haynes:

I hope you will be able to put in about three (3) intensive days at the Department in dictating bits of the remaining state reports and general conclusion.

I am badly "worked out" on the bulletin and am finding it difficult to "get anything real concrete" ~~of~~ out of some of the state reports. Particularly, should Georgia and Florida be handled by you, personally.

Also it will require a preponderance ^{noted} ~~of~~
 H-Plains
 2/21/20

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judgment to "reconcile" your and
Mr. Fall's version of the Ohio story.

Respectfully,
Phillips

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON

February 17, 1920.

Miss T. C. Manley,
c/o Dr. George E. Haynes,
45 West 18th Street,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Miss Manley:

Thinking that Dr. Haynes is out of office today, I am mailing the enclosed "draft" to you with the following request:

Will you kindly bring this "draft" to the attention of Dr. Haynes, stating that I have thought that he can, perhaps, read it over on the train as he comes South on Friday.

In case, however, he is unable to give it any attention between now and Friday, kindly remail it to me not later than Friday noon, in order that we may have it for consideration early Saturday morning.

Thank you for your assistance. Thanks, also, for the special delivery of last Saturday. The table was found in Dr. Haynes' suit case.

Yours very truly,

Karl F. Phillips
Assistant to the Director
of Negro Economics

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Enclosure - (draft - general statement - Negro Economics)

Haynes - Phillips

HOME MISSIONS DIV SURVEY DEPT.			
DATE 2/18/20			
TO	EPE	LD	DATE
BY	ANSWERED	DATE	
BY	PASSED TO FILE	DATE	
BY	FILED	DATE	

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON

Hays - Phelps

Tuesday, February 17, 1920.

Dear Mr. Hays:

Perchance you will have a chance to look over the enclosed "draft" on your way down Friday. If so, it will save a little time.

The "draft" is, of course, very rough and gives ample space for corrections and interjections.

I noted your corrections in the Ohio report. Hall, also, gave his version of the work. Shall you or shall I try to reconcile the two versions so as to include both "versions"?

Respectfully,
Hart Phelps
Expert, Selma Statistics.

January 23, 1920.

Dr. George E. Haynes,
Director of Negro Economics,
45 West 18th Street,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Dr. Haynes:

The enclosed well-written article speaks for itself. Do you know who wrote the article?

If consistent with your wishes, will you return it for departmental files.

Yours very truly,

Expert - Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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E n c l o s u r e

Haynes-Phillips

January 22, 1920.

Dr. George E. Haynes,
Director of Negro Economics,
45 West 18th Street,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Dr. Haynes:

Your Western Union wire - "please send duplicate of Negro newspaper mailing list" - is just received (11.45 a. m.) and I am sending, at once, card index (latest) list as per your instructions.

This is the third Negro newspaper mailing list which has been sent to your New York office. Do you desire to keep all three lists in New York, or will it be practicable for you to return one of the former lists for your departmental files?

Yours respectfully,

Expert - Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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Enclosure - separate cover

Issuing Unit Survey Dept. Home Miss. Div. Written By George E. Haynes.

NOTE: MAKE ORIGINAL AND TWO COPIES.
FORWARD ORIGINAL AND ONE COPY TO INFORMATION DESK IN YOUR BUILDING.
FILE OTHER COPY SAME AS REGULAR CORRESPONDENCE.
MAKE ADDITIONAL COPIES IF NEEDED IN EXCESS OF THE NUMBER HERE REQUIRED.

TELEGRAM — INTERCHURCH WORLD MOVEMENT — 894 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY
OF NORTH AMERICA

Send the following message Regular, Prepaid Date January 22, 1920
Regular Day Letter Night Letter Prepaid Collect

To: Mr. Karl P. Phillips,
c/o Dr. George E. Haynes.
Department of Labor,
Washington, D. C.

CONFIRMATION

PLEASE SEND DUPLICATE OF NEGRO NEWSPAPER MAILING LIST.

George E. Haynes.

noted
1/23/20
W. Smith

Issuing Unit Survey Department.
Home Mission Division

Written By George E. Haynes.

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To:
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Department of Labor,
Washington, D. C.

SEND DUPLICATE OF NEGRO NEWS PAPER MAIL MAILING LIST.

George E. Haynes.

Noted *Sent*
W
1/23/20

CONFIRMATION.

Haynes-Phillips

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

TELEGRAM

WU.....18.....Q.....8 Paid.

MS...New York City. 10.15am. January 22, 1920.

Karl F. Phillips,

Care Dr. George E. Haynes,

Department Labor, Washington.

Please send duplicate of negro newspaper mailing list.

George E. Haynes.

11:20am.

*noted
Sent 1/22/20
no*

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
JAN 22 1920

Director of Negro Economics

January 19, 1920.

Miss T. C. Manly,
c/o Interchurch World Movement,
45 West 18th Street,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Miss Manly:

I have received the letter of January 15th, enclosing copies and originals of certain correspondence relating to departmental business.

I have just explained to Dr. Haynes that, properly, these copies should be retained in the New York office, in order that you may have as full a record as possible of official business transacted through the New York office.

Therefore, I am returning these copies of letters and telegrams. We have complete files in this office. If, in the future, we desire copies returned, I shall make special request therefor.

Yours very truly,

Assistant to the Director
of Negro Economics.
(Expert - Bureau of Labor Statistics)

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Enclosures.

Haynes Phelps

INTERCHURCH WORLD MOVEMENT OF NORTH AMERICA

SURVEY DEPARTMENT
45 West 18th Street

NEW YORK CITY

Home Missions Division
RALPH E. DIFFENDORFER

S. EARL TAYLOR, General Secretary

January 15, 1920.

Mr. Karl F. Phillips,
Department of Labor,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Phillips:

I am enclosing the following
correspondence; for files:

*replied wrote
this letter
1/17/20*

To L. K. Sherman, Pres. U.S. Housing Corporation
13th & G. Sts. Washington

From K.F. Phillips Copy Letter. 1/6/20

To G.E. Haynes.

From K.F. Phillips

Jan. 13, '20.

Telegr. Re. McCracken.

To K.F. Phillips

From G.E. Haynes.

Copy.

" " "

1/13/20

*noted
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To McCracken

From G.E. Haynes.

Copy.

Telegram.

1/12/19

To Dr. Haynes

From M.L. Campbell

Letter

Dec. 29, 1919.

To D. McCracken

From K.F. Phillips.

Copy

Letter

Jan 14

Dr. Haynes.

K. F. Phillips

"

Dec. 27, 19.

January 8, 1920.

The Ridley Hotel,
Arctic Avenue, near Ohio Ave.,
Atlantic City, N. J.

Gentlemen:

In case certain official mail recently forwarded, in your care, to Dr. George E. Haynes, Director of Negro Economics, has not been called for or delivered, will you kindly re-direct the same to this office.

Thanking you for your attention to this matter, I am

Yours very truly,

Assistant to the Director
of Negro Economics.

P
P

Haynes-Phillips

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

TELEGRAM

3 PO A 17 Gvt 2pm

Harrisburg Penna Dec 23

Phillips care Haynes, Dept Labor,

Washn DC.

Arrive five oclock coming to office please arrange

Haynes Director

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DEC 23 1919

Director of Negro Economics

Dec. 23, 1919.
4 p . m .

My dear Dr. Haynes:

I am so very sorry that for the past two days I have been, practically, a sick man. Today has been the worst of all, and I am compelled to hurry home and continue vigorous treatment. I should much like to work with you for an extra hour or two. Only with difficulty have I kept "shop" for the past two days. I am hoping to be able to put in full time tomorrow.

Miss Campbell, who was much overworked last week in Bur. of Immigration, is having a few days leave, which she much deserves. I have hesitated to ask her to give it up. However, you will find that she is now stopping at your house, and can, no doubt, give you a lift until tomorrow when I am sure I shall be able to turn out my usual amount of work.

Frank Phillips

*Noted
GPH
12/23/19*

*Noted
KP
12/23/19*

Gen. No. 22

SPECIAL

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

December 4, 1919.
"Now Est minutes"

Mr. Hayes:

I am held responsible by the Library for a pamphlet entitled "Regulations of the Department of Labor" which I borrowed for you last September. You used this pamphlet in your memorandum on "Scope of Authority of the Dept. of Labor."

Can you help me locate this missing pamphlet, the return of which the Library is pressing me for?²
Phillips

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON

December 4, 1919.

Memorandum:

From: Karl F. Phillips
To: The Director of Negro Economics
Subject: Publication - Bureau of Labor Statistics

It is respectfully recommended that this office take up with the Bureau of Labor Statistics the possibility of having printed, in a future number of the "Monthly Labor Bulletin", comprehensive statistics prepared by the Division of Negro Economics, with full introduction, statement and supplementary notes, such statistics to be run as a special feature. Sufficient copies should be made for Negro mailing list and future needs.

Respectfully,

Karl F. Phillips
Assistant.

Noted and approved
W. H. Clegg
12/6/19

*Conferred with
W. H. Clegg
1/14/20*

*W
1/15/20*

Layman-Phillips

November 29, 1919.

Dear Dr. Haynes:

In reply to your telegram addressed to Mr. Phillips I am sending you herewith a copy of "FUNCTIONS" and the speech delivered at the Detroit Urban League.

I am also enclosing personal mail as follows, which I held pending your return to Washington last Wednesday as per schedule:

Letter from Mr. L. Hollingsworth Wood dated November 20.

Letter from Richard Badger, publisher, dated November 20.

Personal letter from Mr. Phillips.

Check for \$10 from the Star Realty and Investment Company, W.D. Hawkins, Treasurer.

Interest notice for \$4.67 from the State Mutual Life Assurance Company of Worcester.

Yours truly,

Mattie L. Campbell

Dr. George E. Haynes
Interchurch World Movement
New York City.

*Haynes - Campbell
Phillips*

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

TELEGRAM

PO....7.....Q.....15 Paid.

BR...New York. November 29, 1919.

K.P. Phillips,

Care Dr. Haynes,

Department of Labor, Washington.

Here until Tuesday. Washington Wednesday. Mail immediately
Detroit Urban League speech, and copy of Functions.

Geo. E. Haynes.

4pm.-

*Noted
this has been done*

RP

12/4/19

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NOV 29 1919

Director of Negro Economics

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON

November 28, 1919.

Dr. George E. Haynes,
Director of Negro Economics,
894 Broadway,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Dr. Haynes:

I was glad to get your note this morning, as I thought, at first, that I had located you, but since it was dated so far back, I fear that now, perhaps, you may be in Atlanta. We were expecting to see you Wednesday, as per your schedule, but Miss Campbell, who had seen Mrs. Haynes, told me you would not be in the office, as per your schedule, but Miss Campbell did not know whether you were in New York or not. Your telegram - re President Gandy - gave me some "light" on your whereabouts, but that was prior to Wednesday.

There is some mail here which I wanted, very much, that you see this week, but I am fearful to send it to New York, lest you be in Atlanta and would not see it on the way back. I hope that we may be able to keep in closer touch in the future.

Sincerely and respectfully,

Karl Phillips
Assistant to the Director
of Negro Economics.

P
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My dear Phillips:

*I shall be in the office
Wednesday morning by 10:30. Please
hold mail till then. I shall telegraph
you otherwise. Had hoped to be there on
schedule but every minute has brought some
new news.*
Yours, G. E. Haynes, Director

H. Phillips

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

November 28, 1919.

Dear Dr. Haynes:

Your letter of November 25 has just been received. Quite sometime ago Miss Campbell forwarded to you at New York our entire file in the case of James J. Robins, for whom you sought a transfer at the request of Dr. Scott. You will note on the copy of our last letter to Mr. Robins my pen notation to the effect that we have not his address. The only place which showed his address in New York was in Mr. Scott's voluminous file which, you will recall, Mr. Scott requested to be returned. We have tried every source to locate Mr. Robins' address without success. Mr. Scott's office has traced the War Department which in turn has traced Major Enright who has left the Service and is now somewhere in Kansas, having taken the War Department's file with him. I will now try the Civil Service Commission in the hope of locating Mr. Robins.

*This was
clearing Jst.
Louis - not
Robins.*

Sincerely,

Karl F. Phillips
Assistant to the
Director of Negro Economics.

Dr. George E. Haynes
Interchurch World Movement
New York City.

MLC/KFP.

*noted
GSK
11/28/19
MLC. Phanttrace*

*H-Phillips
Fe*

Washington, D. C., November 17, 1919.

1st Indorsement

From: The Director of Negro Economics
To: Bureau of Industrial Housing and Transportation
Subject: Request of H. L. Eddy, Des Moines Chamber of Commerce

1. Noted
2. Publications and releases of Division of Negro Economics forwarded to Mr. Eddy, and his request referred to you for attention.

Respectfully,

GEORGE E. HAYNES,

Director of Negro Economics

By

A s s i s t a n t .

November 17, 1919.

Mr. H. L. Eddy,
Secretary, Des Moines Chamber of Commerce,
Fifth Floor, Shops Building,
Des Moines, Iowa.

My dear Sir:

In response to your request of the Information and Education Service of August 21, 1919, which has just been received by this office, I am pleased to send you, under separate cover, publications and releases relating to the work of the Division of Negro Economics.

Yours very truly,

GEORGE E. HAYNES,

Director of Negro Economics

By

A s s i s t a n t .

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON

November 15, 1919.

Dr. George E. Haynes,
Director of Negro Economics, U. S. Dept. of Labor,
894 Broadway,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Dr. Haynes:

Referring to the case of Charles H. Fearing, you will recall the letter sent to you at New York about one week ago, and the file of papers which Miss Campbell handled as "follow-ups". Miss Campbell states that you have this file with you at New York. The War Department, through Mr. Gardner - referred to in my last letter to you - has made further inquiry on behalf of Mr. Fearing. Has your time permitted you to take any action along the line of my letter?

Sincerely yours,

Assistant to the Director
of Negro Economics.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

TELEGRAM

31 WU A 146pm 18 Gvt

Charlottesville Va Nov 13, 1919

Phillips,

Care Haynes, Dept of Labor,

Washn DC.

Arrive five fifteen coming to office Please arrange

Haynes.

Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
NOV 13 1919

Director of Negro Economics

*This has been done
11/13/19
K. F. Phillips*

*Noted
M.H.
11/13/19*

*Phoned M.L.C. who
said she would report
at 5 p.m.
K.P.*

*I have return at 6/30 p.m.
np*

*Chief clerk will issue
"pass"*

Phillips,

Care Haynes

Department of Labor

Washington

Arrive five fifteen. Coming to office.

Please arrange.

Haynes
Director

Official business

Gov't rate paid

Office of the Secretary

Contingent expenses, 1920

11/20/19

I think this is telegram
sent from Charlottesville some time
ago.

No date hereon. I received "original"

HP

H-Phillips

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON

November 12, 1919.

Dr. George E. Haynes,
Director of Negro Economics,
894 Broadway,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Dr. Haynes:

The enclosures are self-explanatory. The correspondence with Dr. Anthony will refresh your recollection of engagement which you have Saturday morning of this week.

We have been at a little loss to know just what to tell persons inquiring for you, as you left no word regarding your schedule for this week, and not having seen you after Saturday evening, I did not know until Mrs. Haynes told me, yesterday, that you had gone back to New York. Signor Jose, international labor delegate from India, was anxious to see you Monday, as I had told him last week you would be in D. C. on Monday; and Dr. Phenix, who is here attending President Durkee's inauguration, was anxious to see you today.

I am advising Signor Jose that this office will tell him just when you will return.

Respectfully,

Assistant to the Director
of Negro Economics.

*Noted
G.H.
11/13/19*

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON

C o p y

November 5, 1919.

Dr. Phillips,
c/o George E. Haynes,
Department of Labor,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Dr. Phillips:

Please see Dr. Baldwin and make certain that the following sentence in my general appointment is removed and any similar wording substituted. "You will not be allowed to work more than two days a week under this appointment."

I would like to ask that these papers be not put through until I return to take the Oath, if that is agreeable to Dr. Baldwin.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) George E. Haynes,

Director of Negro Economics.

GEH/ODW

To: Dr. Baldwin for appropriate attention.

Phillips. 11-6-19

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
NOV 6 1919

Director of Negro Economics

This has been done

*H-Phillips RP
11/6/19*

November 4, 1919.

Dr. George E. Haynes,
Director of Negro Economics,
U. S. Department of Labor,
New York, N. Y.

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Assistant to the Director
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*Noted
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11/5/19*

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT-FIXED DATE

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK

WASHINGTON

October 28, 1919.

Negro Economics



Mr. George E. Haynes,

Through Commissioner of Labor Statistics.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office, and to actual entrance upon duty (unless on authorized leave) on the date indicated, Special Agent

in the Bureau of Labor Statistics

at a salary of Eight dollars per diem,
(when actually employed)

effective November 1, 1919, in accordance with Departmental authority of that date.

You will not be allowed to work more than two days per week under this appointment.

Your appointment will continue for a period not to exceed three months.

(By change from Expert at \$2760 per annum, for duty outside of the District of Columbia)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

J. Gompers

Chief Clerk.

(New York, New York)

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S. EARL TAYLOR, General Secretary

October 21st, 1919.

Mr. Karl F. Phillips,
c/o Dr. Haynes,
Department of Labor,
Washington, D. C.

*Noted
Geoff
10/23/19*

My dear Phillips:-

Please send me by return mail our Negro newspaper list. This should be sent under personal mail, and not official.

I hope you have been able to take up the matter with the Interstate Commerce Commission on Negro Labor statistics.

Yours sincerely,

George E. Haynes

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This has been done

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Haynes - Phillips

Am waiting on S. E. C and U. S. R. A. for response to request. Harry worked for Statesman of D. C. & took up matter with him personally. No reply as yet. Phillips

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

10/20/19

Mr. Reid:

As you know
Mr. Marsh, would
you be willing to
~~ask~~ ask him to
take Jan. 4th, 1919.

Whellies

Mr Reid is,
away

Box # 252

~~R/Spott~~
10/23/19

Vinita, Okla.

Oct. 13, 1919.

Prof. G. E. Haynes,
Nashville, Tenn.

Dear Sir:-

Am writing to you to ascertain as to why Thebna Davis, Vinita, Okla., did not remain at the University. Her excuse was that she contracted malaria fever, and the doctor advised her to leave.

I am writing you, because I knew your Mother and Sister at Hot Springs, also

met your wife there, and believe that you will give me the desired information.

I am one of the teachers here, and would like to know just how and where she was classified.

Hoping to hear from you at your earliest convenience.

Respectfully yours,
(Miss) Melite J. Foyar.

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September 27th, 1919.

Dr. George E. Haynes,
Labor Department,
Washington, D.C.

My dear Haynes:

Could you use the material which you have for your address and bring in your experiences the work that your Department has done at Truxton, Va., and in the room-registry, and speak on Thursday evening, October 16th so that we may not be embarrassed with the speakers whom we have asked to appear on Wednesday evening the 15th.

I took up the matter with our special committee on Detroit plans yesterday, and I am writing this letter in compliance with the decision then reached.

Sincerely yours,

Eugene Kinckle Jones

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Director of Negro Economics

"Let us not work as colored people nor as white people for the narrow benefit of any group alone, but TOGETHER, as American citizens for the common good of our common city, our common country

MRS. WILLAM H. BALDWIN, JR.

What we do toward this end

We

1. Try to show social welfare agencies the advantage of co-operation.
2. Secure and train social workers.
3. Protect women and children from unscrupulous persons.
4. Fit workers { for }
 { to } work.
5. Help to secure playgrounds and other clean places of amusement.
6. Organize boys' and girls' clubs and neighborhood unions.
7. Help with probation oversight of delinquents.
8. Maintain a country home for convalescent women.
9. Investigate conditions of city life as a basis for practical work.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

9/27/19

Is it not better
procedure to ask
Federal Director of
Illinois to make
inquiry? Then,

We have no way
of recruiting negro
labor in Chicago,
have we?

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September 25, 1919.

Mr. John G. Dancy, Jr.,
Executive Secretary, Detroit Urban League,
297 St. Antoine Street,
Detroit, Mich.

My dear Mr. Dancy:

Just as the enclosures are being mailed to you, your letter of September 23d has been received. On account of Dr. Haynes being out of the city, I regret that reply to your last letter will be delayed.

Yours very truly,

Karl P. Phillips
Assistant to the Director
of Negro Economics.

Noted
YGH
9/29/19

Memorandum :

Issues, joinder of - JDB-GEH

1. Declaration: U. S. Employment decides its policy^c in re recruiting of Negroes for the South.

Plea: Office of the Secretary apparently has had no opportunity to seek advice of its Director of Negro Economics.

2. D. Advice of Director General of U. S. Emp. Serv. and his Federal Directors regarding operations of Hall and Jennifer apparently takes precedence over that of the Office of the Secretary of Labor and "makes their employment the same as all employees of this (U. S. Emp.) Service."

P. Such a policy eliminates entirely any discrimination in administration of these agents (Hall and Jennifer) but it at once establishes a marked discrimination in their operations because they were appointed "for the purpose of assisting in the recruiting of Negro labor for the South", an operation of obvious delicateness because of the many peculiar conditions surrounding Negro labor, largely known to the Negro folk, only, and obviously unknown to "all employees" of the U. S. Emp. Serv. (Attach Chicago Defender Editorial.)

3. D. The opinions of Hall and Jennifer apparently are the sole guides as to the merits of any conditions which may be of "interest" to the Director of Negro Economics.

P. The Director of Negro Economics is charged with more than an "interest". He holds a commission from the Secretary of Labor, which charges him with specific duties regarding the functions of the Department of Labor and the powers of the Secretary of Labor.

4. D. The operations of agents Hall and Jennifer, so far as the Director of Negro Economics is concerned, are alleged to turn upon "the advantage to the Employment Service" and upon suggestions regarding this advantage which the D. of N. E. might make to the Director General.

P. It is the duty of the D. of N. E. to recommend to the Secretary of Labor policies and plans not of any greater advantage to the U. S. E. S. than to any other branch of the U. S. Dept. of Labor, and certainly, in no instance, anything which does not have as its aim the general advantage to the public in that the functions of the Dept. of Labor, as imposed upon it by Congress,

Employment Service

Subject: Adjustment of matters relating to special agents Charles E. Hall and William Jennifer.

On August 30, 1919, following a conference with you, the Assistant Secretary and the Director General of the U. S. Employment Service, with reference ^{about} to the adjustment of the work of Charles E. Hall and William Jennifer, ~~special agents of the U. S. Employment Service~~, I conferred with the Director General and Messrs Hall and Jennifer with reference to ^{settling} ~~details about this matter~~. Following this conference, and with the consent of the Director General, I drew up, jointly with Messrs. Hall and Jennifer, a statement embodying the substance of our conference and submitted this statement, ^{to the Director General for his approval,} September 2, signed by Messrs. Hall, Jennifer and myself. (See Exhibit 1).

The Director General took exception to some of the points in the statement and to the fact of its being signed by Messrs. Hall and Jennifer. I called his attention to the fact that this had been done on what we understood was his expressed ~~assent~~ ^{agreement for us to draft such a statement for his approval,} ~~assent~~ ^{then} ~~assent~~. However, I agreed to leave the statement with him and to await from him a redraft of it in a memorandum to me. Not receiving a redraft from the Director General, on September 23 I prepared and mailed to him a memorandum, over my own signature, embodying the main points of ~~my understanding~~ ^{the former statement} ~~of the matter~~ ^{submitted September 2} and eliminating the points to which he had taken exception, including the signatures of Messrs. Hall and Jennifer.

(See Exhibit 2). On September 24, I received a memorandum from the Director General (See Exhibit 3) which seems to me to raise some im-

portant points, about the whole case, that need your attention as follows:

1. The Director General's memorandum of September 23, received September 24, states that Messrs. Hall and Jennifer were appointed ^{upon} his requestⁿ for the purpose of assisting in the recruiting in the congested northern cities of Negro labor for the South. In our conference with you it is my understanding that in view of the ~~difficult~~ very tense racial situation, both North and South, these men were detailed for special service in recruiting and placing Negro labor, but ~~with the distinct understanding that there would be no special efforts made in adjusting northern congested northern centers for special inducements to Negroes to go South; but that opportunities offered from the South would be handled in the same ~~same~~ as opportunities offered from other ~~places~~ places.~~ ^{not with the understanding that any were to be} ^{places in} ^{due cause,} ^{The Director General} ^{statement seems to call for a clearer understanding on} ^{clearer statement on this point} ^{this point.}

2. The Director General states that these two special agents are to travel and be on detail upon advice from his office. This raises the question as to the meaning the Director General gives to ^{this point and to his interpretation of the relation of his office} the following statement: Is the U. S. Employment Service to decide its plans and policies in the recruiting ^{and placement of} of Negroes for labor in the ~~South~~ and are these men (Hall and Jennifer) to act in the premises without the advice or the opportunity for such advice to be given from the office of the Secretary?

3. The Director General states that these special agents "are ~~governed~~ governed in all respects in their employment the same as all employees of this service." This being the case, it follows that

to the Secretary
 to the Director of Negro Economic Affairs as advisor to Negro employment
 on matters relating to Negro employment

they are under the supervision of the office of the Secretary, ~~and ac-~~
 cording to instructions of the Secretary ^{the advice of the Director} ~~all employees of the Depart-~~
~~ment, through regular channels, of course, should keep the Director of~~
~~Negro Economics informed about their work as it relates to Negro~~
~~wage-earners, in order that they may have the benefit of~~
~~his advice and cooperation.~~ ^{Director General} ~~Furthermore, since the men~~
~~pointed for the special purpose of assisting in the recruiting and~~
~~placing of Negro labor, an operation of such delicate and difficult~~
~~character because of the many tense racial conditions in in-~~
~~dustrial centers, north and south, there is special need of~~
~~keeping close contact with the office of the Secretary.~~ ^{his having}
~~During the~~
~~month of September, special efforts of private parties to do special~~
~~recruiting of Negro labor in Chicago and to create a movement of~~
~~Negroes southward~~ ^{met with} ~~has made no success, but~~ ~~stirred up a con-~~
~~siderable amount of criticism and bitterness among Negroes in~~
~~Chicago.~~ ^{not only} ~~(See attached Exhibit No. 4)~~

4. The Director General states that these special agents are
^{authorized} ~~to make such reports on conditions which in their opinion may be of~~
~~interest to the Director of Negro Economics."~~ ^{as as they find in their line of work,} ~~It is not my under-~~
~~standing that this is the wish of the Secretary, who~~ ^{said has charged} ~~has charged the~~
~~Director of Negro Economics with a specific duty of securing informa-~~
~~tion from employees of the Department dealing with Negro workers.~~ ^{the}
~~in specific memoranda has directed that such employees furnish informa-~~
~~tion to the Director of Negro Economics about that work.~~ ^{secretary has instructed that the Director be advised of the}
~~The question~~
~~of these special agents as to what would~~ ^{benefit of his judgment in all matters affecting Negroes} ~~be of interest to the~~
~~office of the Secretary seems to me to be~~ ^{the question of the} ~~immaterial and~~
~~irrelevant.~~

5. The Director General sets forth that the Director of Negro Economics should submit facts in the premises, when, in his judgment, he discovers conditions which would make it advantageous to the U. S. Employment Service to utilize the services of either of these employees outside of ~~his~~ his present official station or in another state.

While it is ~~obviously~~ within the function of the Director of Negro Economics as adviser to the Secretary to submit such facts in the premises to the Director General, it ~~seems to me~~ ^{would appear} that the adviser to the Secretary of Labor has been charged with wider duties ^{than this} ~~than just~~ with reference to the Employment Service as well as to other branches ^{implies.} ~~of the Department.~~ ^{as defined by the Secretary} ~~The function of the Director as adviser to the~~

Secretary is to recommend policies and plans to the Secretary, to furnish ~~him~~ ^{on all matters affecting Negroes} information and advice ~~on Negro affairs~~ that will enable the Secretary and the heads of the several divisions and bureaus of the Department effectively to carry out their work to the general advantage of the wage-earners of the U. S., and to the fulfillment of the purpose of the Department of Labor as imposed upon it by Congress. Apparently this function applies to any work of any particular Service, departmental or interdepartmental, where Negro

matters are concerned, and calls for the carrying out of the policies outlined by the Secretary of Labor over one year ago. Applying this function to the case in question, it would seem that it is the duty of the Director of Negro Economics to advise the Director General about any matter relating to Negro wage-earners where the action of

the officials and employees of the U. S. Employment Service affect ^{Negroes and} the interests and activities of the Department in carrying out its ^{other branches of} purpose for the wage-earners of the United States

Respectfully Submitted

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~~shall be carried out.~~ ^X Apparently this ^{applies} broad function ~~overlaps~~
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Pr..New York Sept.18, 1919

Phillips

Care Haynes, Department Labor,

Washington, D. C.

Hold memorandum to Director General until I return Make
Lugagement JernaginSaturday thanks.

Haynes

Director

9:25 A. M.

W. S. Phillips
Assistant 9/18/19

Miss Campbell
 Please make arrangement
 with Mr. Jernagin

W. S. Phillips
 9/22/19 3 p. m.

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Ms New York Sep 17 1919

Geo E Haynes, Director Negro Economics,

Dept of Labor, Washn DC

Survey as it affects Negroes will not be discussed fully until
Saturday No objections to your presence preceeding days

Adolphus Lewis

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See Mr. Haynes
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Dr. Haynes

P.O. Box 149
Kenia, Ohio.
Sept. 16, 1919

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Dear sir:

I am very much interested in the race question in America, and I believe that you are also.

The solution of the problem means much to this great country of ours.

It is because of this interest, I am writing to the prominent men of the country to outline my plan of solution.

I wish to state that I do not approve of the method of cursing and abusing the white man, but like Booker T. Washington, I put my hope in a peaceful solution.

In order to solve any problem, one must have the proper solution.

I believe my plan to be that Proper solution.

My belief is that if the negro

Builds up industries, prejudice and discrimination will vanish.

What do you think of it?

For an example of what money and industries do for a race, one has only to consider the few.

Enclosed you will find my plan.

I want to know if you approve or disapprove of it.

Thanking you in advance for your reply I am,

Yours truly,

James T. Logan

The Logan Plan.

1. The organization of what is to be known as the "National League for the Development of Negro Industries."
2. The membership fee of said organization to be no specified sum but any amount from one to one thousand dollars. The money to be used to build negro industries.
3. The National League is to obtain a charter of incorporation after each factory has been in operation long enough to be on a paying basis. Stocks will then be issued to those who contributed.
4. The officers of the league to be only men who are willing to do that which is fair and square.
5. The headquarters of the league to be located in the city of Xenia, state of Ohio, County of Greene. To be

operated in such a manner as not to conflict with the laws of Ohio, or of the United States.

The purpose of the league in developing negro industries, is to make the negro less dependent and to bring him into the commercial activities of the country, thereby adding to the wealth and prosperity of the nation.

Through the development of these industries, the negro youth will no longer be afforded the excuse of not having a chance to be a great factor in the industrial world.

Industries will cause prejudice and discrimination to vanish.

— James Logan

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GO- Philadelphia, Pa.

Sept 14, 1919.

Geo. E. Haynes,

Dept of Labor,

Washington, D. C.

Arriving ten thirty Monday morning ✓

Adolphus Lewis

10am Sept 15th.

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LIBERIAN CONSULATE GENERAL

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BALTIMORE, MD.

Sep. 14/19

The Hon. Geo. E. Haynes
Director of Negro Economics
Washington D.C.

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Director of Negro Economics

Sir:-

Thank your letter inviting Liberia
to take part in the Interna-
tional Labor Conference to be
held in Washington October 29th.
Liberia will be glad to be re-
presented. I shall take the
matter up formally with the
Government in the mean time.
You can count on representation
from the Republic.

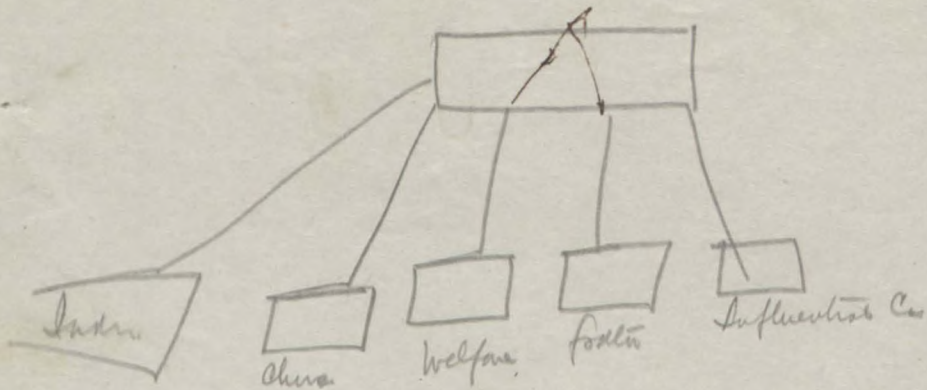
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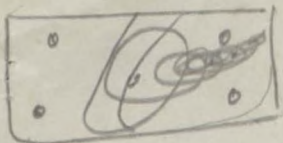
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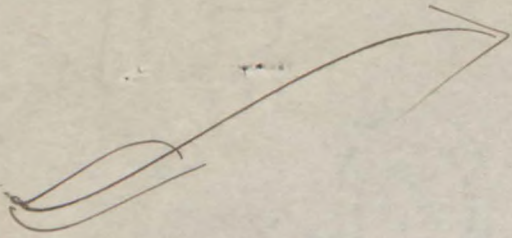


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September 12, 1919.

Mr. Adolphus Lewis
Field Secretary
Interchurch World Movement
222 Fourth Avenue
New York City.

Dear Mr. Lewis:

Your two cordial letters of September 9 are before me. I can respond by saying that it was indeed a pleasure for me to get acquainted with you and I, too, look forward with anticipation to a more intimate cooperative relationship. Whenever I can serve you, command me.

The enclosed questionnaire is one the Department used in making inquiry into industrial plants in six northern states where Negroes had been taken into industry in large numbers. We covered 244 establishments in eight lines of industry where Negroes were principally employed and had hoped to carry this further into the South and to increase the number of plants but failure of our appropriation prevented.

As you will notice, this does not cover labor conditions in the rural districts which seem to me quite as important for the South. I am not sure of the exact purpose of your inquiry but will be pleased to make suggestions for questions on the rural phase of labor if you give me further information on this point.

I may add also that I am as deeply interested in other phases of the investigation because it seems to me that housing, recreation, church and school facilities are also vital matters in problems of Negro laborers.

I appreciate so much your cordial invitation to use your office when in New York and will be pleased to accept it whenever the occasion arises.

Yours sincerely,

Enclosure.

Director of Negro Economics.

P.S. Please return the questionnaire as we have no blank copies. In using parts of it you will of course note that it will be necessary to acknowledge its source as it is official.

H/MLC

NEGRO WOMEN IN INDUSTRY

Page 1:

- a. Purpose of U. S. Dept. of Labor to - "of wage-earning women" etc.
- b. Study not covering "all industrial occupations at which the three million Negro working women of the U. S., are employed."
- c. One hundred seventy plants - - surveyed? Plants and industries "investigated".
- d. "Long-distance studies". What does this mean?
- e. Introduction is not supported by text of report.

Page 2:

- a. Community problems studied and recommendations, etc.
- b. More than 50% of Negro wage-earners are women?
- c. "With elementary education" etc.

Page 4: Table poor. Should be reconstructed.

Page 5:

- a. Over 5,000 doing office work in 16 offices. Government work constitutes how much of "card filing, clerking" and "typist, stenographer" - "were found to be equal to any observed." In what respects?
- b. "Abattoir" misspelled. - Correct it.

Page 6: Appreciated the "shorter" working day. Shorter than what? Armistice meant dismissal of most of these workers. "For majority" etc. Where are facts of numbers in plants since armistice to show this?

Page 7: Workers seeing these advantages are organizing. Are advantages due to organizing?

Page 8: "Many are still to be found". How many? "Are working under most objectionable conditions". What are they?

Employment managers "invariably insisted upon hiring only pretty types". How do you know?

Vague. "The working season being approximately identical with the school term."

Pages 8 and 9:

General opinion - without data.

Tobacco: Fearfully vague and unspecific: Age, wage rate,

available industries?

- Page 9: Paragraph on "hotels" fearfully vague and almost immaterial.
 "These latter were afterward". After what?
- Page 11: General statements without data.
- Page 14: "Conditions apt to be" etc.
- Page 16: (d) General opinion - without data.
- Page 17: (b) Organization statement unsupported.
- Page 18: Paragraph four: How can you prove it? Next paragraph vague.
- Page 19: "Education". Words! This is not fundamental elementary education in industry. It is the "polishing up" which should follow an education in the understanding of industry - - of work.
- Pages 23-29. Account of what representative of Women's Bureau did rather than what was discovered.
- Page 23. "Administrative Methods". What are they? What should they be? (This part should be left out).
- Page 25. Second paragraph. The "climax" is given before "tragic moments" and "moments of last suspense."
- "Addresses made at" incomplete.

September 12, 1919.

Dear Sir:

Several times I have tried to reach you by telephone with reference to the International Labor Conference to be held here in Washington October 29. As you probably know, delegates to this conference are to represent the nations that were represented at the Peace Conference.

I am writing to inquire whether the matter has been taken up by the Government of Liberia as it seems to me very important that the Negro Republics should be represented. This office is at your service in that connection.

Yours very truly,

Director of Negro Economics.

To the Honorable Ernest Lyons
Liberian Consul General to United States
421 Druid Hill Avenue
Baltimore, Md.

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September 11, 1919.

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Mr. Charles H. Anderson
Care of Charles H. Anderson Banking Co.
Jacksonville, Fla.

Dear Mr. Anderson:

I called the other day at the Nucleus Toggery Shop as per my conversation with you at Chicago some days previous. To my regret, I was informed that you had gone home. I would be pleased to have such word from you as you think best about development of plans for your New York Bank.

Recently a young man, Mr. Wilber F. Lucas, who lives at 240 West 40th Street, New York, called upon me for advice about opportunities for accounting and financial opportunities. He is a bright young man, has just finished from New York University, specializing in economics, banking and theory of accountancy. I have known him and his family for a number of years and regard him as a young man of very reliable character, above the average in ability and with a pleasing personality. I do not know but what you might want to get in touch with such a young fellow in view of your banking plans. Of course he has had no experience. This he realizes and says he is willing to start at the bottom and work up.

Trusting to hear from you at your pleasure,

I remain

Yours sincerely,

Director of Negro Economics.

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INTERCHURCH WORLD MOVEMENT OF NORTH AMERICA NEW YORK CITY

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222 FOURTH AVENUE

September 9, 1919.

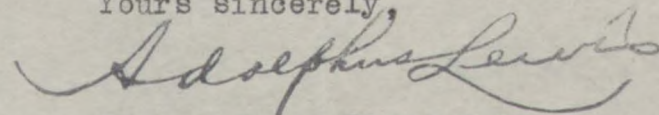
Mr. George E. Haynes,
Director of Negro Economics,
Department of Labor,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Haynes:

Will you kindly send to me any form of questionnaire that you may have dealing with the labor situation among our folk. I am preparing a questionnaire for the general use of the Movement for our survey and I feel certain that you can help us especially where it relates to labor conditions.

If you have not one already prepared, if you will just suggest a list of questions, we shall be glad.

Yours sincerely,



Secretary of Field Work
Among Colored People.

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222 FOURTH AVENUE

September 9, 1919.

Mr. George B. Haynes,
Director Negro Economics,
Department of Labor,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Haynes:

Thank you for your letter of the 6th and the names you submitted. May I again express my deep appreciation for your having called in to see me and proffered your assistance to the task that is before us. It was indeed a pleasure for me to have met you and I trust that it is only the beginning of a more intimate and cooperative relationship.

I trust that you will give me the liberty to call upon you for any assistance at any time that we may need it.

Whenever you are in the city kindly feel free to use my office for any convenience it may be to you.

Yours sincerely,

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Josephus Lawrence
Secretary of Field Work
Among Colored People.

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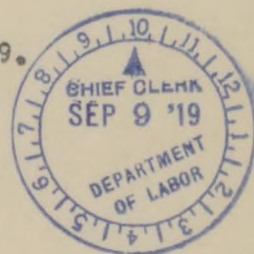
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Philadelphia, September 8th, 1919.



Secretary,
 Division of Industrial Studies,
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 Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Will you kindly advise us whether the Department of Labor has made a study or a survey of the colored women workers in Philadelphia or Pennsylvania. If so, is the material in printed form that would be available to us?

Very sincerely yours,

A. Estelle Lauder
 Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON

September 6, 1919.

Mr. Adolphus Lewis,
Secretary of Field Work, Interchurch World Movement,
222 Fourth Avenue,
New York City.

My dear Mr. Lewis:

It was indeed a pleasure to have a visit with you this week and to know of the large and constructive plans your organization is working out.

You asked me to send you the names and addresses of some persons who might be suitable field workers. I take pleasure in naming the following: Mr. John C. Wright, 36 Sherman Street, West Medford, Mass.; Mrs. Helen Curtis, 208 West 134th St., New York, N. Y.; Lieut. Richard Allen Greene, 20th and Jasper Streets, S. E., Washington, D. C.

Among some applications which are on file here there are some additional names, as follows: Dr. Harriet A. Rice, 75 Spring Street, Newport, R. I.; Thos. A. Bolling, 40 Lincoln Street, Hampton, Va.; and Arrington S. Helm, 1825 Gales St., N. E., Washington, D. C.

I judge you will have your own forms for requesting information regarding the training and experience of these persons, so I am not including any information about them.

With many cordial greetings, I remain

Yours very truly,

Director of Negro Economics.

INTERCHURCH WORLD MOVEMENT OF NORTH AMERICA NEW YORK CITY

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September 3rd, 1919.

Director of Negro Economics

Dr. George E. Haynes,
Director of Negro Economics,
Department of Labor,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Dr. Haynes:

Just a word to say that in a few days I shall answer your letter and its enclosure of the 30th.

I am glad to know you are in sympathy with all we are attempting to do and are anxious to lend assistance. We are rapidly organizing our work for the fall and when we get to it, I shall give you some detailed information concerning the Negro participation.

The Columbus report to which you refer will be published and I shall be glad to mail you a copy as soon as it is ready.

Yours sincerely,

Adolphus Lewis

Secretary of Field Work
Among Colored People.

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Bridgeville, Sullivan Co., N.Y.
August 31, 1919.

Dr. George Haynes,

Director of Negro Economics
Department of Labor
Washington, D.C.

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My dear Dr. Haynes:

I wish to acknowledge your letter of August 19, 1919 forwarded to me here from 3011 Vermont Ave. Wash. D.C. relative to examination for Farm Economist. "State Relation Service" of the Department of Agriculture on September 23.

Through your offices placing me in contact with Mr. William Lashby Secretary Urban League Newark New Jersey I am at present with Dr.

A. W. Herzog² 123 West 53rd
St. New York N.Y. on his farm
at Bridgville New York under a
three year profit sharing contract.
This employment prevents my
candidacy for the position of
Farm Economist referred to in your
letter of August 19th.

The situation here is typical
of the conditions in Sullivan County
New York I am told where the
profits to be obtained from summer
boarders are greater than from
farming or else more easy of
obtaining. Summer boarding has
assumed such proportions that

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very little farming is done not
sufficient to meet the demands of
the borders for vegetables. The
market is excellent being even a
higher priced one on the farm than
the New York market. I hope to
meet the demands of this local
market in ensuing years.

The farm itself lies admirably
along the bank of the Neversink
River for a mile and is especially
suited to market garden crops.
The winter farm works will be built
around dairying and poultry
raising which should provide
profitable employment at that season
and also fit in well with the

demands during the summer season
of the summer boarders. At this
place is an 18 room hotel and
in addition there are seven cottages
with apartments of 3 or 4 rooms, having
3 such apartments in each on an average.
Under construction are more cottages
of 4 room apartments providing
housing for one family where privacy
and individual housing is desirable.
These are rented furnished the renters
doing their own cooking which helps
make the market for vegetables.

I wish to thank you again for
your past favors to me and to
express my appreciation of your valuable
aid to me in placing me in contact
with this situation. Sincerely yours
Wilfred W. Lawson.

August 30, 1919.

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Mr. Adolphus Lewis
Field Secretary
Interchurch World Movement
222 Fourth Avenue
New York City.

Dear Mr. Lewis:

Please find enclosed copy of a letter I have written to Mr. Taylor in the hope that I might get in touch with your plans for racial cooperation.

Finding at the last day that I could not make it to Columbus I sent you a telegram as per the enclosed copy. I have been expecting since to have a report of the results of the Columbus conference and hope that you will let me have such a report as soon as you have such for distribution.

I am anxious to get in touch with the Interchurch World Movement and to help in any way I can.

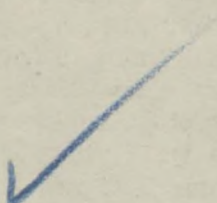
Yours very truly,

Director of Negro Economics

Enclosures - 2
telegram dated July 9; letter Aug. 26.

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August 29, 1919.



William H. Lewis, Esq.,
345 Old South Building,
294 Washington Street,
Boston, Mass.

My dear Mr. Lewis:

I thank you so much for your letter giving me your impression of the racial situation in Boston. After receiving it, I concluded it was not worth while to come on to Boston for conference with others in touch with the situation, as I am sure that any race friction would have come to your attention.

At a later time I hope I may be able to come to the "Hub" City for conference with you, and other citizens, on labor matters.

Yours sincerely,

Director of Negro Economics.

Railroad Men.

J. Maura	228 West 130th St., New York City
T. W. Driver	1008 Victory St., Little Rock, Ark.
R. A. Bufford	Oklahoma City, Ark
W. M. Marshall	Pine Bluff, Ark.
Thomas Bell	Texarkana, Ark.
Louis Fairchild	Poplar Bluff, Mo.
D. E. Kyles	Kansas City, Mo.
Pat Henry	(No street address) Chicago, Ill.
R. A. Fletcher	Ft. Smith, Ark.
Prince A. Goines	Y. M. C. A., Bluefield, W. Va.
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Samuel R. Williams	2704 Jeanette St., Vicksburg, Miss.
R. L. Mays	3902 St. State St., Chicago, Ill, (Room 3)
W. G. Young	Box 115, Graham, Va.

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August 27, 1919.

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Mr. A.B. Lemus
85 West Rutland Square
Boston, Mass.

My dear Mr. Lemus:

I am so sorry that you found me out when you called at my office on the 19th, for I should have liked so much to have had a talk with you. Could you furnish me with the names and addresses of all the men who are active in leadership among the railroad employees? I am in very much need of such a list for use in the Department.

Yours sincerely,

Director of Negro Economics.

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Handwritten:
J. E. H. M. C.
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294 WASHINGTON STREET
BOSTON.

August 14th, 1919.

Dr. George E. Haines, Director,
c/o U. S. Employment Service,
Detroit, Michigan.

My dear Dr. Haines:-

My delay in replying to your letter of
August 8th is owing to the fact that I have been
out of the city for several days.

What you say with regard to the situation
here is news to me. Perhaps it would do no harm
to come on and investigate the situation for your-
self. I should be glad to be of any possible
assistance.

Very sincerely yours,

William H. Lewis

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~~*R. S. H. 29/19*~~

Mr. Kline

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON

Civil Service Exam.
Sept. 23rd for
Farm Economist.

States Relation Service
Dept. of Agriculture,
for duty in this city
Department of
Agriculture
Salary \$2500. to \$3500

Write Mr. Lawson

August 19, 1919.

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Mr. Wilfrid W. Lawson
2011 Vermont Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Lawson:

Information has come to this office that the Civil Service Commission will hold an examination for Farm Economist for the "States Relation Service" of the Department of Agriculture (duty in this city) on September 23. Salary from \$2500 to \$3500 per annum. I am writing in the hope that this information will be of interest to you. Further information can be secured from the Civil Service Commission.

Yours very truly, *per.*

Mattie L. Campbell

Secretary to Dr. Haynes
Director of Negro Economics.

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*noted
G. H.
8/23/19*

August 5, 1919.

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Mr. Alfred Lawless, Sr.
1947 N. Johnson Street
New Orleans, La.

Dear Mr. Lawless:

Your good letter of July 31 gave me inspiration and renewed courage. We are reorganizing our plans so as to be able to carry on much of the activities by correspondence. By securing information from private organization, agencies etc. and advising them of things that may be done we hope, in this way, to carry on until a time when Congress sees its way clear to give appropriations for the work.

In line with your letter I am adding your name to our list of correspondents whom we shall write from time to time for information, advice and help. Communications will probably be in circular form because of having to get them out to a number of people, but I hope you will look upon them as personal communications and assent to ~~your~~ along with several other carefully selected citizens.

With many personal regards and best wishes for your success, I remain

Yours very truly,

Director of Negro Economics.

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Prof. Geo. E. Haynes,
Director of Negro Economics,
Department of Labor,
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Dear Prof. Haynes:-

Director of Negro Economics

One of your circular letters of July 12 calling attention to the fact that the Department of Negro Economics is one of the three activities the Secretary of Labor has retained and asking for the continued cooperation of citizens has been mailed to me from Meridian, Miss. I think this line of activity deserves our most faithful support. While we have not done very much in Louisiana, yet I am writing to assure you that we are in hearty sympathy with the work you are doing and stand ready to cooperate as far as our time and means will permit.

If there is any line of activity in connection with your department which we may get back of and give sympathetic and positive support to, suggest it and we shall give it our attention.

I am glad that some way was found by which Lemuel Foster was retained in service in Meridian. His influence in that life is very much needed.

Best wishes for continued success.

Very truly yours,

Alfred Lawless, Jr.

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*Notes
G. L. H.*

LEXINGTON, KY.,

*7/26/19
College Hill, Ky; July 24, 1919*

Dr. George E. Haynes,
Director Negro Economics,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

When I returned from a trip out
in the county, I found your esteemed letter of the 15th inst.
replying to my letter of some weeks ago inviting you to address
the Madison County (Ky.) Colored Chautauque on "Farmers' Day"
Aug. 9th, 1919. I regret, very much, that the delay in hearing
from you, caused us to fear that my letter may not have
reached you; ^{and} as time was so rapidly passing, we thought
it best to go ahead with arrangements, trusting that in the near
future arrangements may be made, whereby Madison County people
may have the pleasure of hearing you speak. Trusting that the
turn of affairs may not cause you any inconvenience, I beg
to remain yours,

With cordial good wishes,

Henry A. Laine

County Demonstration Agent,
Madison County, Ky.

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Handwritten: College Hill Ky
June 24, 1919.

Handwritten: Dr. George E. Haynes
Washington Ky.
Dear Sir:—

Handwritten: Would it be possible for
you to spend one day at the Madison
County Colored Chautauqua, to be held
at Richmond Ky. Aug. 6—10—1919?

Handwritten: Farmers' Day will be on Saturday Aug. 9, 1919. If
you could come, what would it cost the Chautauqua?
Please let me hear at your earliest convenience.
With Highest Regards, I am

Handwritten: Yours truly,

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Director of Negro Economics

Handwritten: Henry A. Laine, C. Agr.

Handwritten: Madison County
Ky.

Handwritten: Used for [unclear] 6/26/19

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

July 16, 1919.

Dear Mr. Phillips:

I am returning these to you so as to avoid any error in date, etc., in passing thru Commissioners office. Will you please carry them here in person. Thank you for other mail.

Yours very truly
George E. Hayes

W. D. W.
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He replied
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July 15, 1919.

Mr. Henry A. Laine
College Hill, Ky.

Dear Sir:

Your invitation addressed to me at Washington, Ky., was received at the time. It has been necessary to wait until ~~we were readjusting~~ my work due to ~~was readjusted~~ after we sought failure of appropriations asked from Congress. ~~before replying to you.~~ It has been necessary, therefore, to delay my reply until the crisis was passed.

I shall be glad to come to Richmond for your Farmer's Day of the Chautauqua, Saturday Aug. 9, if you have not already made other arrangements provided you cover expenses which I estimate at about \$60. There will be no charge for my services.

I would come via C and O, to Winchester and either by auto or L and N. to Richmond.

Appreciating your invitation, I remain

Yours very truly

George B. Hayes
Director, Dept. of Labor

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

WASHINGTON

January 5, 1919.

Dr. George E. Haynes
Director Negro Economics
Care Ridley Hotel
Atlantic City, N.J.

Dear Dr. Haynes:

You will recall, I am sure, copy of a memorandum which ^{you} noted and approved December 6, 1919, herewith enclosed. Also, there is enclosed self-explanatory "draft" of tentative outline. I have merely scratched this off hastily this morning, just to see how it would look, and in accordance with your instructions. Of course this, like any other outline, could not be expected to stand the final test of systematic topic development, or of a substantial foundation. It will have to be changed and remodeled many, many times in order to meet the needs of the subject which it purports to cover.

I talked with Dr. Baldwin, who stated that his Bureau had no printing fund available and that its own publications were being held unfinished in the Government Printing Office because of lack of money. He said they were conserving every penny in order to keep the Monthly Labor Review going. He said that the Division of Negro Economics could submit a summary of material which he would recommend being given a few pages in the Monthly Labor Review. This was indeed encouraging and gives us some leeway to keep continuous material before the public. It did not, however, meet the greater plan, so I went to the Office of the Assistant Secretary, having in mind the kind of a bulletin on "Negro in Industry" about which we talked.

I found Mr. Reid very enthusiastic over this possibility. He assured me that he would find the money somewhere to finance a REAL bulletin. I told him that I estimated that we could get out a bulletin of merit considerably larger than the Migration Bulletin and considerably more interesting, at least to Negroes.

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If you approve of this project, will you not issue additional instructions, as I am willing to "go to it" and to give the last ounce of blood to this Negro cause if you give your approval. Of course you know that I think a concrete Negro bulletin would be the biggest thing which you, as Director of Negro Economics, could have published. It would rehabilitate sentiment in furthering your Division; it would answer inquiries of Negro workers and their backers; and it would stimulate a greater and better sentiment among whites, whether employers or employees.

May I become personal enough, even in my enthusiasm, to mention the human side as it affects me? Having worked for years on similar bulletins at "one man's job" it is going to be a physical and mental task to assume the roles of text writer, compiler, statistician, calculating machine operator, tabulator, and typewriter. Of course Miss Campbell is going to become a partner in all of these roles, but I know you can see a semi-disheartening vision in realizing that we two will have to do the entire job.

May we hear from you soon? If you approve the outline, or submit another outline, we will begin at once to "grind" out the bulletin.

Sincerely yours,

Frank P. Phillips
Expert - Bureau of Labor Statistics.

P/MLC

P.S. Of course, if I am transferred to position in the War Dept., of which I would you, I shall be "worrying" about other things
FP

I shall prepare the final discussion, the tables and data.

*R in person
1/14/20
G.E.H.*