

# NEWSPAPER AID IN JOB DRIVE IS ACKNOWLEDGED

## New Negro Alliance Reports Progress In Efforts

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WASHINGTON, D. C.—No satisfactory adjustment of the wage and employment dispute has been reached at mid-week by the New Negro Alliance with Louis Hurwitz, proprietor of the Temple Luncheonette and Drug Company, Tenth and U Streets, Northwest.

A committee representing the alliance conferred with Hurwitz last Saturday evening. After the conference, Frank Thorne, administrator of the alliance, said that no agreement could be reached on the basis of data presented the committee by Hurwitz.

A definite recommendation for drastic action in the event no agreement is reached will probably be submitted to the alliance at its meeting next Saturday night.

### Other Efforts Started

The committee representing the alliance, which conferred with Hurwitz consisted of Mr. Thorne, William H. Hastie, an attorney; Albert DeMond, and Howard Fitzhugh.

Negotiations for the employment of colored clerks in Sanitary and Piggly Wiggly Food Stores in colored neighborhoods were expected to be begun this week.

The alliance has been awaiting the carrying out of the policy agreed upon by the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company with respect to the employment of colored clerks in its stores in Colored neighborhoods. According to latest reports at the headquarters of the alliance, six clerks are actually at work in A. and P. stores at Ninth and S Streets, northwest, Fourteenth and Wallace Streets, northwest, Fairmont and Eleventh Streets, northwest, and in the 600 block of T Street, northwest.

Clerks will gradually be put into other stores, according to S. W. Zink, general manager of A. and P. stores in the District of Columbia. The alliance is satisfied with the good faith of the company and has decided to go forward with other projects.

### Thanks Newspapers

At the regular weekly meeting of the alliance at the Twelfth Street Branch Young Men's Christian Association last Saturday night, Mr. Thorne expressed appreciation of the support given the alliance by newspapers.

Grayson McGuire, Jr., chairman of the case committee, submitted a report of its activities.

Belford Lawson, Jr., an attorney, explained the plans of the executive council for making the alliance a permanent organization. He said it is to be incorporated as a non-profit, mutual benefit society.

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