## The Dunbar National Bank

THE Dunbar National Bank was opened in Harlem in September. It is located in the Dunbar Apartments at 2824 Eighth Avenue and 150th Street. It has a capital and surplus of over a million dollars, and the Board of Directors is white, with the exception of Mr. Roscoe C. Bruce, Resident Manager of the Dunbar Apartments. The bank is conducted by three technical experts who are white: the President being Joseph D. Higgins; the Vice President, Arthur H. Thien; and the Cashier, George S.

The operating staff is entirely Negro: the Paying Teller is Garnet R. Waller, who for ten years has been in the employ of H. O. Wilson, a colored banker of Baltimore. Before that, he was in government work dur- the Y. W. C. A. Mrs. Bernice Wolfe- Night Watchman, and Mr. Ira J.



ing the war, and was employed by the Greene is Stenographer; Mr. Joshua Williams, Messenger. Mutual Benefit Society. He is the H. Williams, in charge of the Safety

THE object of this arrangement of the bank's officers and employees, is stated by persons in authority as

(1) "The present organization and personnel of the Bank are such as to place the institution at once upon the most cordial and helpful terms with the other financial institutions of the City, a matter of vital import.

(2) "Under three technical experts,-the President, the Vice-President, the Cashier,-the Negro operating staff can and will receive the best possible training in the exacting technique of banking under New York City conditions.

(3) "The advancement without limit of any Negro employee depends entirely upon his own comparative character, ability and devotion."

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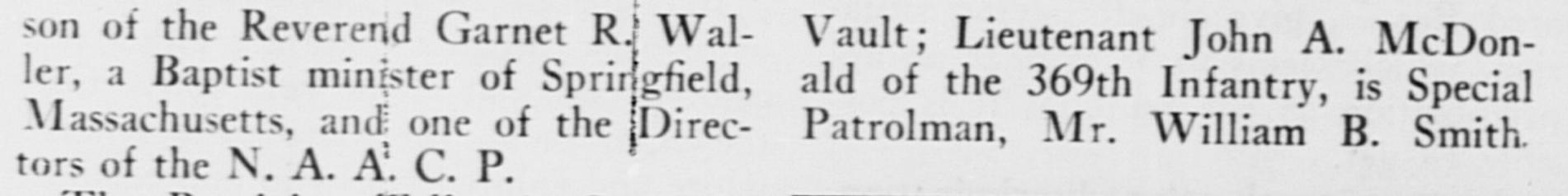


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The Receiving Teller is Cyril A. Wilson, who was born in Barbados, and who has been for the past six years employed by the Seaboard National Bank in various capacities, the last of which was that of Assistant Receiving Teller.

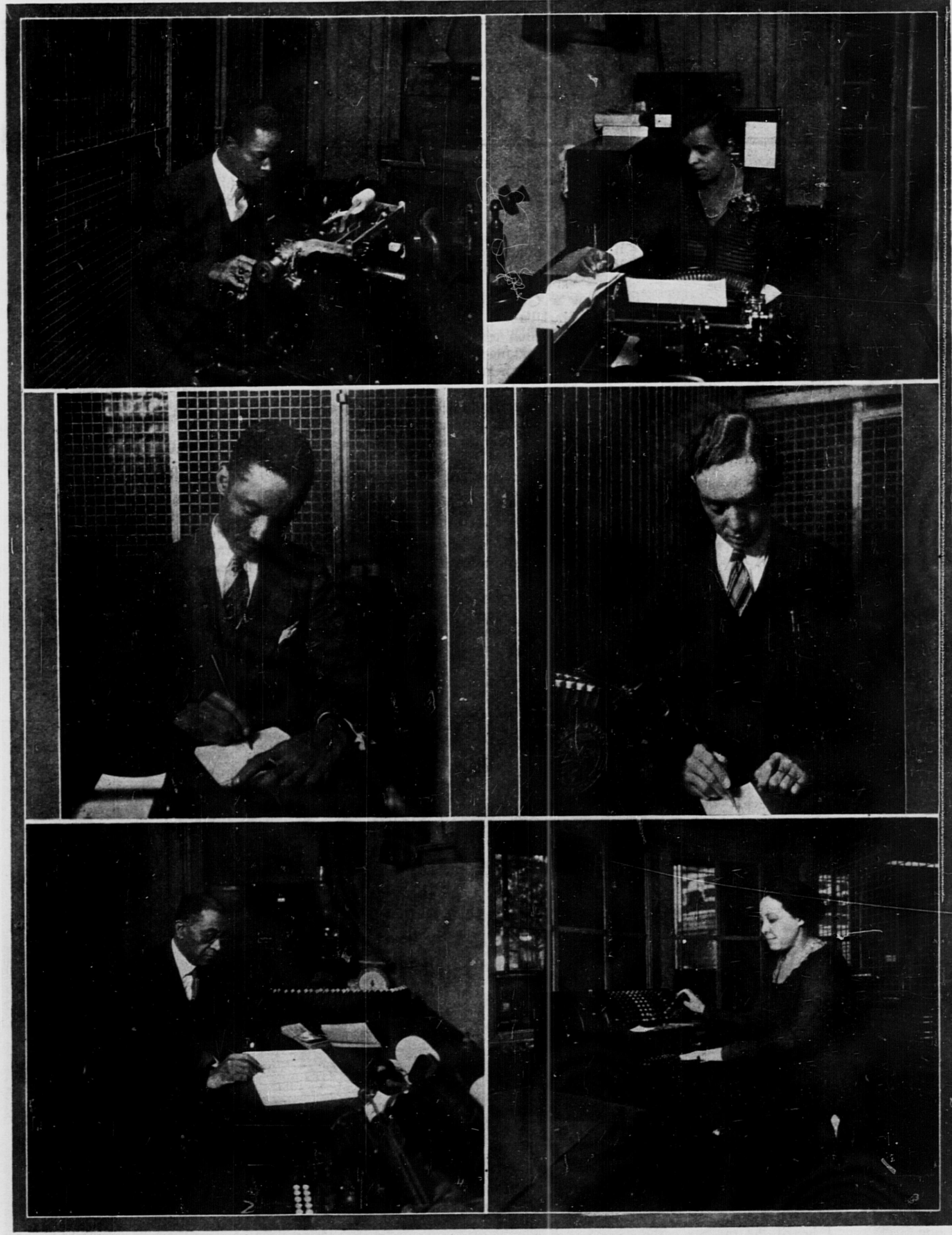
The Bookkeeper is John P. Quander, Jr., who was formerly Auditor of the Black Swan Phonograph Company and the Northeastern Life Insurance Company. He was in the Quarter Master Department during the war and for twelve years was in the Philippine Constabulary.

In charge of Thrift Accounts is Miss Mae C. Hawes, a graduate of Atlanta University, and a Master of Arts of Columbia. She was formerly employed by the National Council of





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Employees of the Dunbar National Bank

Ira Williams Bank Messenger Cyril A. Wilson Receiving Teller John P. Quander Bookkeeper

Miss Berneice Wolfe-Greene Secretary to the Vice President and Cashier Garnet A. Waller Paying Teller Miss Mae C. Hawes In charge of Thrift Accounts