

# SCOTTSBORO COMMITTEE CHARTERED

**Dr. George E. Haynes  
Is Director**

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 23—Under the leadership of Dr. George E. Haynes, one of the directors, the American Scottsboro Committee, Inc., obtained a charter Friday under the Membership Corporation Laws. The purposes as shown in the incorporation papers are:

"To voluntarily raise and disburse funds for the legal defense of said defendants in the cast of the State of Alabama vs. Haywood Patterson, Clarence Norris, Ozie Powell, Willie Robertson, Andy Wright, Olen Montgomery, Charlie Weems, Roy Wright and Eugene Williams.

"The carrying out of the purposes of this corporation shall be without pecuniary profit to any of the organizers, directors or members of said corporation."

## **Bojangles**

The offices of the corporation are at 269 Fourth Ave., where the Scottsboro Committee is to have on its directorate, in addition to Dr. Haynes, Bill Robinson, the dancer; the Rev. Richard M. Bolden, pastor of the Emanuel church; William H. Davis, publisher of the Amsterdam News; J. Dalmus Steele, real estate operator and fraternal man; the Rev. James W. Brown, pastor of Mother Zion A. M. E. church, and Fred R. Moore, editor of the New York Age.

Dr. Haynes, who is executive secretary of the department of race relationships, said that the committee would support Samuel S. Leibowitz as counsel for the defendants, and would have nothing to do with the Communist lawyers who are seeking to carry on the defense. He added that the defendants want Mr. Leibowitz to continue to represent them, and do not want to be represented by the I. L. D.