

# Mrs. A. Fleming Re-Elected Head Of State Women

## USO, NAACP Get Aid, Scholarship Given

CHEYNEY, Pa.— (ANP) — Mrs. Adelaide Harty Fleming, R. N., of Philadelphia, was reelected president of the Pennsylvania State Federation of Negro Women's clubs at the 38th annual convention of the organization last week at the Cheyney State Teachers college.

Mrs. Fleming was reelected for her fifth year, thus breaking a tradition in the federation that no president shall serve more than four years. As she was "drafted" to serve again, her entire cabinet was also reelected.

The federation contributed \$50 to the N.A.A.C.P., \$25 to the USO, and \$250 to the Cheyney State Teachers college for scholarship aid.

A large part of the three-day convention was given to a discussion of "Negro Women and Defense," with the principal address by Miss Anna Broadnar, Wilmington, Del., school teacher and national president of the National Business and Professional Women's clubs. Other speakers were: G. James Fleming, chairman of the Philadelphia Committee on the Participation of Negroes in National Defense; Dr. Leslie Pinckney Hill, president of the college, and Mrs. Maude E. Coleman, state interracial consultant.

The junior federation held its sessions at the same time with the parent body. Officers elected:

Mrs. Adelaide H. Fleming, Philadelphia president; Mrs. Elma Veney, Homestead, vice president; Mrs. Susan J. Blockson, Sewickley, recording secretary; DMrs. Anna Corbin, West Chester, organizer; Mrs. Annie E. Morton, Pittsburgh, treasurer; Mrs. Helen L. Duckett, Philadelphia, parliamentarian; Mrs. Viola Hill Green, Philadelphia, publicity. New trustees: Mrs. Jessie Moore, Rankin; Mrs. Annie Franklin; Mrs. Jean Sdthern, Philadelphia.

Jhnior Federation officers elected are Miss Bettie Cuff, Coatesville, president; Miss Bessie Gibson, of Pittsburgh, vice president; Miss Marie Ballimore, Pittsburgh, recording secretary; Miss Elizabeth Broadnax, Philadelphia, corresponding secretary; Miss Hazell Howell, of Homestead, treasurer; Miss Henrine Martin, Erie, parliamentarian; Miss Sarah B. Trout, Coatesville, organizer for the east; and Miss Josephine Ralston, organizer for the