

for certification, and some uncertainty in Louisiana where the Administration is new.

#### Public Works Administration

This Administration has been a large user of Works Progress Administration labor. It has offered the one opportunity for wide use of Negro skilled workers. A clause in its Housing Construction regulations compels the use of proportionate Negro skilled labor.

#### Resettlement Administration

Engaged in the unenviable task of providing succor for the rural destitute, this Administration has also employed a large number of Negro skilled and unskilled workers on Resettlement Housing Projects. Actual assistance to individual Negro farm dwellers, appears to have been experimental. Real plans for assistance to debt-burdened, stranded farmers, on worn out land, have been made.

#### Emergency Conservation

The CCC camps have offered opportunity for employment to 40,000 Negro youths. Two hundred all-Negro camps have 105 Negro Advisors. There is at least one Negro officer in charge of a camp, and several Medical officers and Chaplains.

#### Soil Conservation

Particularly notable for its refusal to use Negro Works Progress Administration workers as conservation workers on white farms.