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BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 24—The proposed establishment of a state NYA advisory council on Negro affairs, which will study the problems of approximately 22.500 unemployed Race persons in Massachusetts was announced here this week by John L. Donovan Jr., state NYA administrator.

The plan was outlined at a meeting held in Mr. Donovan's office and attended by Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, national NYA director of Negro Affairs. Also attending the conference were: Matthew Bullock of the state parole board, the Rev. Samuel Daviscount, Richard H. Walker, state unemployment compensation commissioner, and Cornelius Piper, city clerk of New Bedford. They are all members of the Massachusetts Negro Council.

Miss Mary A. Cutler was promoted to be state NYA director of Negro Affairs