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The Business Outreach and Development Program of the Urban League ~~will graduate~~ graduated 28 businessmen from its Business Management Course for Small Businessmen ~~in special ceremonies~~, November 22, ~~at 7:30 p.m.~~ The graduates are the first group of new and established businessmen to complete the eight-week course, which started in late September.

~~Taught by~~ Speakers from the Small Business Administration's SCORE (~~speaker's~~ program), taught the classes which covered ~~such areas as~~ bookkeeping, ~~and~~ accounting, advertising, salesmanship, business management, future growth and personal development, insurance and banking.

Graduates are: John A. Black, who plans to buy a trailer rental service; Beauvey Bethea, who owns a used tire shop; Anthony Buso, who is awaiting a loan for a plate glass shop; Willie L. Cammon, who manages a service station; Charles Caples, who plans to open a restaurant; Bobby Chambers and Preston L. Parker, who own an Afro boutique; Mary Ann Cherton and Richard Keith Van Natha, who intend to open a natural foods restaurant; Wes Galloway, who owns a service station; Albert and Floyd Hopson, who plan to start a trucking business; Edward Hill, who is an insurance broker; Levi Jefferson, who owns a heavy equipment operation, and his secretary Alice McCrady; J. B. Johnson, who owns a men's clothing store; William and Mary Quiroz, who own a blue print shop; and Fred Hoyle and Ken Shaw, who are waiting for a loan to start a die-casting concern.

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Members of the Business Outreach staff also participated in the program. They are Economic Development Specialists, Joseph Flores, Roy L. Landers and Carter Williams, Jr., and Community Workers, Janice Pawlowski and Lurean Taylor.

Guests at the special ceremonies will be John Quimby; John Webber and Dennis Nelson of the Small Business Administration; Henry Hill, President of the Urban League's Board of Directors, who will deliver the speech to the graduates; and John E. Jacob, Executive Director of the Urban League. Fenton Bembry, Project Director of Business Outreach and Development, will make the awards.

The public is invited to attend the graduation ceremonies, which will be held November 22, at 7:30 p.m., at Rockefeller Center, 6130 Skyline Drive, on the grounds of O'Farrell Junior High School.

Another course will start January 3rd. These courses are free. Anyone interested, please call 263-6123.