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NAACP FIGHTS TO SAVE SWAIN FROM CHAIR

State Convention Ends Sessions

The 19th session of the General State Convention held joint meetings at the McFarland Church, Rev. J. Herbert Anderson, pastor and Liberty, Rev. L. S. Smith pastor, July 11-17.

For the first time in the history, Congress was held to train Christian leaders in Sunday School and B.Y.P.U. service. Congress was held at Liberty Baptist Church and General Convention at the McFarland.

Thursday night a banquet was given by the Sunday School and B.Y.P.U. at the McFarland Church which was largely attended. An interesting program was rendered with Mr. James V. Roach as Master of Ceremonies.

Sunday afternoon was the final program with an address delivered by the State President, Rev. F. M. Reed, of Indianapolis. Music was conducted by Professor Theo. Frye of Chicago, Illinois.

The General State Convention will hold its sessions in Gary in 1939 at St. Paul Baptist Church, Rev. W. F. Lovelace, pastor.

Young Tailor Operates Fine Business

Mr. Robert Anglin, owner of the Superior Hat Works of Lincoln Ave., has been in the hat cleaning and blocking, pressing dry cleaning and altering business for the past four years. Prior to that time he was employed by several of the largest tailoring and cleaning establishments in the city, therefore he has had quite a deal of experience in this type of work, which enables him to give to his customers A-1 service in any of the above named work. His establishment can easily be classed as one of the most outstanding race enterprises in southern Indiana.

Bar-B-Q 'King' Comes To Town

Well! at last the people of Evansville will have a chance to taste some of Hankin's famous Kentucky Pit Bar-B-Q, for he has only recently opened a pit at the corner of 8th and Canal Sts. Hankins has had 26 years of experience barbecuing meats, and has been dubbed, "Bar-B-Q-King." For a while he cooked at Kurney's 8th and Chestnut. Mr. Hankins says that all of his meats are cooked by hickory charcoal. His business is always open for special orders.

Oratorical Contest At Little Hope Baptist Church

The Grand United Order of Odd Fellows will have its first charity program at the Little Hope Baptist Church, Monday August 1 at 8 p.m. The program is oratorical in nature and promises to be very interesting.

"The Progress of the Negro Since the Emancipation Proclamation Was Signed," is the subject to be debated by the following young persons:

Misses Esther Mitchell, Fran-Cooksey, Elsie Tunley, and Mr. Stephen Wells. Mr. Henry Ford is the Grand Noble of this organization and Mr. James Howard is the secretary.

Reformers have faults, but to get the meat of their contention you must consider the truth of their propositions.

Pres. Local NAACP



REV. M. R. DIXON JR., President Of The Local N. A. A. C. P.

Rev. M. R. Dixon Jr., president of the local N.A.A.C.P., which is staging a fight to save Swain from the electric chair.

Rev. Dixon was born in Natchez, Miss., 33 years ago and was educated in the Beville Public School of New Orleans, at Morris Brown college, Atlanta; Crane Junior College, Chicago; Northwestern University, Evanston, Wilberforce University, Xenia, Ohio.

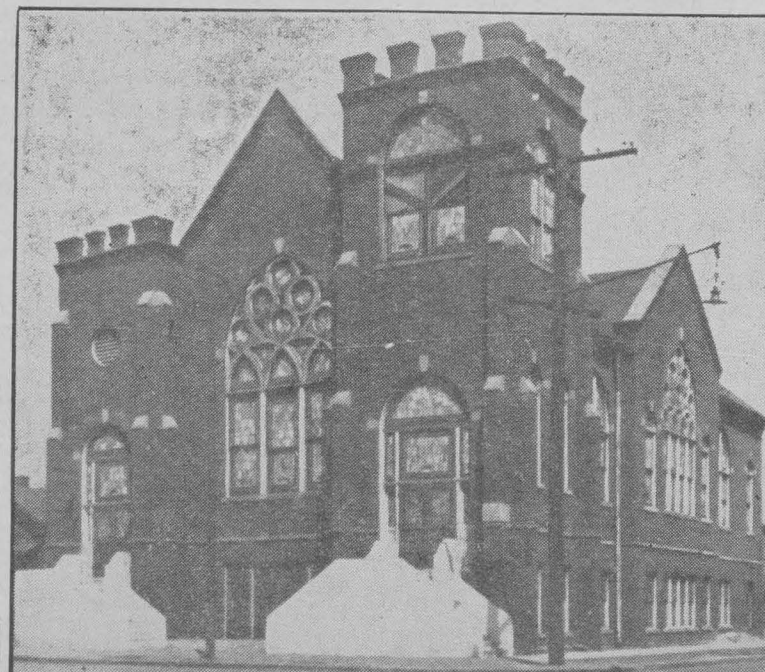
He received his A.D. and B.D. from Wilberforce as well as a certificate in Religious Education. He plans to pursue a graduate course in the very near future, possibly at the University of Chicago.

Rev. Dixon is the son of the Rev. M. R. Dixon Sr., prominent pastor of St. Luke's AME church, E. St. Louis, Ill.

Mrs. Dixon is also a graduate of Wilberforce.

Rev. Dixon married the popular and beautiful Miss Elizabeth Lucas of Martin's Ferry, Ohio, in 1928. Mrs. Dixon graduated from the school of Commerce at Wilberforce, finished an extension course in music from the University of Chicago, and finished a course in photography. Only recently she served as bookkeeper

McFarland Baptist Church



Where State Convention Sessions Were Held

Ind. Conference Meets At Alexander

Rev. Dixon announces that his church is now in the midst of a program that will be carried out at the 100 session of the Indiana A.M.E. Conference that meets here in the month of September.

DADDY OF THE LOCAL N.A.A.C.P.

Red Dixon is the daddy of the local branch of this association having introduced this organization to the citizens of Evansville 4 months ago. Since this time the membership of the branch has grown to the figure of 77. The goal is 100 by September.

BROTHER OF NOTED MUSICIANS

Rev. Dixon is the brother of Geo. Dixon, first trumpet player in Earl Hines Band and Cab Dixon, famous young orchestra leader of Wilberforce.

Rochelle Again Heads Legion

Charles E. Rochelle has been named commander of Otis Stone post, American Legion, for the sixth time. A teacher at Lincoln high school, Commander Rochelle is attending Indiana university this summer, working for a Ph.D. degree.

Other officers of the post are Syrus Garner, first vice-commander; Robert Walden, second vice-commander; Allie Forte, adjutant; Charles Gracy, finance officer; Hubert Adams, service officer; George W. Brown, chaplain; Jake Groshears, historian; Garnet Robinson, sergeant-at-arms; Clifton Fields, athletics officer; Brazier McGee, child welfare officer; Ber-lace Brown, Americanism officer; Walter Thompson, employment officer; Fred W. Slaughter, membership chairman; Hosey Games, sons of the Legion director; Meredith Stovall, publicity officer; Henry Brooks, poppy chairman; Frank Rowan, C.M.T.C. chairman and Roy Perry, graves registration chairman.

Delegates to the state convention are Charles Rochelle and Al-lie Forte, with George W. Brown and Ber-lace Brown as alternates.

Used Garment Shop Features Big Sale

THE EDMOND'S USED GARMENT SHOP ON S. MORTON STREET IS ONE OF THE MOST UNIQUE OF ITS KIND OWNED BY RACE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF EVANSVILLE. MR. AND MRS. EDMONDS HAVE SERVED THEIR NEIGHBORHOOD FOR OVER THREE AND A HALF YEARS AND WANT EVANSVILLE PUBLIC TO KNOW THAT ALL GARMENTS ARE GUARANTEED FRESHLY CLEANED AND RENOVATED BEFORE BEING OFFERED FOR SALE. MRS. EDMONDS SAYS: "WE HAVE A FINE SELECTION OF WOMEN, CHILDREN, AND MEN'S GARMENTS OF DRESSES, SUITS, AND SHOES. WE ALSO HAVE A NICE ASSORTMENT OF HOUSEHOLD CURTAINS OF ATTRACTIVE AND DISTINCTIVE DESIGNS." CALL EDMOND'S GARMENTS SHOP FOR YOUR NEEDS. YOUR PATRONAGE IS WELCOME.

Of all popular tunes, that of the cash register is the most so.

Nobody needs to know everything except the writers on a newspaper.

10 PWA Workers Killed in Blast

BALTIMORE, Md.—Ten colored PWA workers were killed about 7 a.m. Wednesday in a premature explosion of 450 pounds of dynamite in a water tunnel 200 feet below the ground near the city pumping station. The men were horribly mangled and seared. It is presumed the dynamite was set off accidentally while the men were tamping down the huge charge of explosives. The dead, all of Baltimore, were Willie Lee, 37 years old; Charles Durham, 27; Luther Randolph, 28; Melvin Duke, 29; Henry Sanford, 24; James Fouch, 26; Charles Harvey, 23; William Boits, 37; James Key, 22, and Robert James, 36.

Canal Dept. Store Offers Real Values

The Canal Department Store, located at the corner of Morton and Walnut Sts., is offering some real money saving values in its summer clearance sale that is now going on. It will pay all the ladies to go to this big department store and see the shoes that have been drastically reduced for this sale. There are some 50 pairs of shoes that will go to the first purchasers for the small price of 50c. These shoes are real good ones that will last for quite a while.

Straw hats and bathing suits are on sale, almost at cost. The manager of the Canal Department Store, declared, "we are out of the high rent district and our expenses are cheaper, consequently, we are able to offer the people of Evansville bargains in merchandise. Then too, we save our customers the car fare that they would have to pay to ride the trolley up town". Go to Canal and save.

NOTICE!! To All City Pastors

The Evansville ARGUS will print your church news each week FREE of charge. All that we are requesting you to do is, "Speak A B O U T the Papers to Your Congregation—Encourage them to patronize our advertisers—The people must be schooled to the fact that the paper can not continue unless we have their cooperation. Tell them to subscribe for the paper. "We are not in a position to print notices in regards to your affairs that have admission fees attached unless there is the regular advertising rate charged."

Speak to your congregation about the popularity contest—Encourage them to help these deserving young ladies win these valuable prizes that are being offered by the merchants.... In order to make the paper go over the top, there must be action!!!! More Action!!!! And then more action!!!! The ARGUS is your paper if you want it—Now it is up to you to help it on the streets of the city every week. May we depend on you to do your part? Encourage your audience to trade with the Spiegel Furniture Co.

This furniture company is very appreciative of your patronage and offers real Money Saving Values.

NAACP Meets Sunday, July 24

The local branch of the association meets in the Cherry St. Community Center Sunday June 24 at 5 p.m. The president encourages all members to be present.

WHEN MAKING YOUR PURCHASE MENTION THE ARGUS GO TO SPIEGEL TODAY !!!

Circulation Manager



MISS VERA ETHEL SMITH,

popular young co-ed of Philander Smith College, Little Rock, Ark., is at home for the summer months. She is a junior in school and is a mem-

ber of the choral club and Y. W. C. A. Miss Smith is the charming daughter of Rev. and Mrs. I. C. Smith. She is now serving as circulation manager of the Argus.

Enter Popularity Contest Today!

The Miss Evansville Argus Popularity Contest starts today with quite a number of young ladies expected to enter. There is still time for you to enter—Just see the General Manager of the ARGUS Today.....

FREE PRIZES OFFERED
A Radio—Wrist Watches—Free Guest Tickets to Majestic Theatre

—Enter the Contest Today..... There is no Entrance Fee..... TO ALL ARGUS READERS
There are quite a number of young ladies entered in this contest. They want to win one of those Valuable Prizes—Will you support them? Help them to win—When these young ladies come to you, don't say, "I am taking the paper by the week," but take out a subscription at the Money Saving rate—You will be helping her out too. She wants one of the above named prizes, but it is impossible for her to win, if you put her off, by saying "I buy it by the week." You don't purchase the white paper by the week, so why not support us in the same manner?

The manager of the Majestic Theatre has been kind enough to offer guest tickets to the contestants—You can always see a First run movie at this Theatre and you can sit in comfort—Tis very Cool inside.

The feature picture for the week of July 24, is Rudy Vallee in "Gold Diggers in Paris" plus Prison Farm.... Don't Miss this great musical comedy.

ALL BUYERS—NOTICE !!! ** SPIEGEL FURNITURE OF 617-619 MAIN STREET HAS A S A L E THAT WILL LAST UNTIL AUGUST 1, 1938. This Sale was made possible through the purchase of the stock of the Monitor Furniture Co. You may be able to save 50c on the dollar if you will buy now while this BIG "MONEY SAVING SALE" is now on. Mr. Ortmeier, manager of Spiegel, has formulated some plans whereby the W.P.A. workers as well as all employed people of Evansville can have a house full of furniture delivered to them with only a small down payment and the balance on easy terms, terms that will give you a chance to "breathe."

LOOK AT THE MANY BARGAINS CONTAINED IN SPIEGEL'S BIG HALF PAGE AD LOCATED ELSEWHERE IN THIS ISSUE. ATTENTION ALL LINCOLN GARDEN OCCUPANTS !!! SPIEGEL'S is the place to do your buying. All the salesmen are polite and courteous and Mr. Ortmeier appreciates your patronage.....

WHEN MAKING YOUR PURCHASE MENTION THE ARGUS GO TO SPIEGEL TODAY !!!

Petition Offered In Fight For Life of Youth

The local branch of the N.A.A.C.P. headed by the popular young minister of the Alexander A.M.E. Church, Rev. M. R. Dixon Jr., has started its final fight to save James Swain from the electric chair. Only recently the boy was denied a re-hearing of the case by the Supreme Court of Indiana. Last November Swain in company with James Alexander, 16, entered the grocery of Christ Bredenkamp on Governor St. with the intention of robbing the store, but as the command, "get up your hands", was uttered by the duo, the groceryman came up with a butcher knife instead, and then Swain fired one time with the shotgun he was carrying, killing the man instantly. The boys immediately fled from the scene and were apprehended later by officers.

N.A.A.C.P. URGES ALL CITIZENS TO SIGN PETITION
The N.A.A.C.P. has drawn up a petition to present to the governor of the state in an attempt to save Swain from the chair. This petition may be found in the possession of the president of the association.

SWAIN'S LIFE HISTORY
Swain is a colored, uneducated, underprivileged youth between the ages of 18 and 20, his exact age being unknown. His mother died while he was a mere infant, and outside of the time that he spent in State correctional institutions, he has been a homeless waif, wandering the streets, without any home, and without any parental care of any kind. His mental ability and training were such that he could not, and did not perceive of the seriousness of the crime which he was committing, and the infliction of the death penalty in this case would represent a cruel and harsh punishment under the facts and circumstances involved.

(The above statements in regards to the life of Swain were taken from the petition.)

OTHER LAD GIVEN
LIFE IMPRISONMENT
James Alexander, the other participant in the crime, was given a sentence of life imprisonment, after pleading guilty before the circuit court.

N.A.A.C.P. URGES GOVERNOR TO STAY EXECUTION
The petition, when it has the proper number of signers, will be delivered to Governor Townsend. It requests that the Governor stay the execution, that is scheduled for the 29th, day of July, 1938, to such a time as will give the Governor ample opportunity to investigate the record of the cause of action, and the facts and circumstances surrounding it, and upon a consideration of the same that the Governor of the State commute the sentence now imposed upon Swain to life imprisonment.

Premiums Given To Customers

The Lincoln Garden's Grocery located at 407 Lincoln Ave., directly in front of the Garden announces the issuing of stamps, which are redeemable at the store and are good for the most valuable prizes that are offered. Mr. Chivlare, the manager, declared, "I have opened this store for the people of Evansville and I intend to give them the very best service that can be given in this type of business. I have been in this type of business quite a while, having managed a store on the corner of Gar and Olive Sts., for 4 years. The very best in meats, groceries, I am inviting housewives to make my store their headquarters."

Lincoln Principal Will Attend National Event

Principal William E. Best of Lincoln high school will leave this weekend for Tuskegee Institute, Tuskegee, Ala., to attend meetings of the national association of teachers in Negro schools and colleges, July 26 to 29, and the National Congress of Colored Parents and Teachers, July 27 and 30.

The theme of the teachers meeting will be "Negro Youth Looks at Occupations." A number of special conferences, including several on visual education, are planned. After the meetings, Mr. Best will go to Atlanta, Ga., to inspect a new federal low-cost housing project.

IN THE SOCIAL REALM

Personals - Parties

Visits - Visitors

REVISED EDITION OF ST. LOUIS TEACHER'S BOOK PROVES A VALUABLE VOLUME JUST OFF PRESS

Rumbles and Ramblings

There is one outstanding thing that has always impressed Rumbler and Ramblings about the Negroes of Evansville and that is they knock their own city. But did you know these things about Evansville's Race Situation:

1. There are 7,000 of us starving for an intelligent civic minded leader.
2. That we have one of the finest Negro schools in the United States.
3. That we have produced some fine people who now live elsewhere.
4. There are some fine people in this town.
5. That all we need to do is to adopt a policy of "one for all and all for one."
6. That we need fewer churches and more trained ministers.
7. Negro business will not thrive as long as you patronize the "other man." Shame on you.

8. That few of our leaders ever put themselves last instead of first.

9. That many of our own people are daily striving to keep members down.

10. That "as a man thinks so he is."

The much talked about Lincoln Gardens has finally become a reality. But there was a large group of "doubting Thomases" who are now walking around like a dog with his tail between his legs—There is no doubt that it, Lincoln Gardens is here to stay and to those of you who live there make the best of the fine opportunity.

The ARGUS is coming along fine. If you support it—the ARGUS will support you. The future of our race in Evansville can in a large measure be determined by this paper if you will give it your support. Come on folks. Let's all hang together.

Wouldn't it be nice if some of our fine politicians could secure some civic improvements this fall. I'm sure there are many of our people who desire them.

If you are a parent, an older brother or sister and old enough to vote why don't you do something about it? You can. No one will ever censure you for making fine contributions to this fine community.

Who is going to be Mayor of Derbyville? There are several fine candidates. There is Dr. Baylor, Albert Hall, Rev. Polk, Robert Moody Dr. Wilson and others who could fill that job. If you have someone to offer—send us his name. We will support all of them equally and let the public separate them.

Ask your merchant to advertise in the ARGUS.

Bar Association To Hear Judge Watson At Meet Aug. 4-6

DURHAM, N. C. (ANP)—When the 14th annual convention of the National Bar Association meets here August 4-6, it will hear in one of the principal addresses at the evening mass meeting August 4, Judge James S. Watson of the Municipal court of New York City. Judge Watson's subject will be the "Responsibilities of the Negro Lawyer to His People."

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Ewitt McFarland of S. Tenn. St. have returned from Decatur Ala., where they spent the week visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Deola Willingham of Birmingham Alabama is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Willingham of Mulberry St. Miss Willingham is very popular in the social circle of the southern city and graduated from the industrial high school of that city last June. Mr. Dee Willingham plans to spend the next ten days in Birmingham on his vacation. He will visit his brother the father of Miss Willingham. Mr. Willingham is a member of the Evansville Police Force.

Master George Kelley II. of W. Iowa St., son of Mr. and Mrs. George Kelley, left the city last week to spend his vacation with relatives in Detroit, Michigan. George is a member of the Independence Baptist Sunday School.

Little Miss Audrey Stewart has returned to Chicago after visiting here in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Ida Jones of Mulberry St.

CORRECTION FOR LAST WEEK
Miss Vera Jones is not "Mrs." as was stated in last week's Argus. Just a typographical error.

CORRECTION
Mr. and Mrs. Archie Harper of Ann Arbor Michigan spent the past week here, house guest of Mr. and Mrs. V. T. McElroy, and not Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harper as was stated in the paper last week.

Mr. Henry Porter of W. Virginia has been ill for the past five weeks, but at this writing, he is much improved. The members of the West Side are very proud of this fact.

Mr. Euriel Long, of Cleveland Ohio, a former employee at the Mayflower Hotel in Akron is now employed at the McCurdy Hotel.

Rev. S. L. Greene Jr., presiding elder of the Brookhaven District, Mississippi Conference of the A.M.E. Church spent Friday as the guest of Rev. M. R. Dixon. He is the son of Bishop S. L. Greene who presides over the 8th district of the A.M.E. Church, which embraces La. and Miss. Rev. Greene will return to the city Sunday July 31 to occupy the pulpit of the Alexander A. M.E. Church on that date.

Three scholarships representing a cash value of \$100 were awarded to the city of Evansville by Pres. D. Ormonde Walker of Wilberforce University. These scholarships will be given to three of last June's outstanding graduates of local high schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Bell of 413 E. Sycamore St. are the proud parents of a 7 lb. baby girl born last week. Both mother and baby are doing well.

Dr. Elbert F. Cox, associate professor of mathematics at Howard University, Washington, D. C., son of Mr. J. D. Cox and the late Mrs. Eugenia Cox, of this city, was the guest of his father the past week. Mrs. E. F. Cox and sons are spending the summer with her parents in Princeton, Indiana.

Miss Nuby Elmore a student of A and I State College is visiting Rev. and Mrs. E. G. Jennings, of Morton Ave.

Miss Floretta Fisher of Princeton, Indiana is spending the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wolfe of 656 E. Cherry St.

Mr. Elvov Finn spent the week end with his parents and friends here last week. He is in the C. C. camp at Sebree, Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. William D. Hae-

Henderson, Ky. News

A large and appreciative audience witnessed the program sponsored by Mr. H. F. Jones and Mrs. Lucille H. Bowling, agents, acknowledging the sixteen years of service of the Domestic Life and Accident Insurance Company in Henderson at the Norris Chapel Church last Sunday afternoon. Mr. William F. Turner, a former Hendersonian and President of the Company, delivered a very inspiring address. Other persons on the program were Mr. H. F. Jones, Rev. E. Pullen, Mr. P. A. Watkins and Mrs. Ora K. Glass. The choir rendered several beautiful and appropriate numbers.

Mr. William Carr is seriously ill at the home of his mother, Mrs. Susan Carr, on Holloway Street.

Miss Virginia Buckman and Mr. James Sisney were united in holy matrimony last Saturday night. Their many friends wish them a happy future.

Mr. Alonzo Clarke left Sunday for Belleville, Illinois where he plans to make his future home.

Mrs. Ora K. Glass left Thursday for Tuskegee, Alabama where she will attend the National Congress of Parent-Teachers Associations.

Miss Edna Williams of Cincinnati, Ohio is spending the week with Miss Ollie Mae Clarke and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Morris and Mrs. O'Herl B. Langley returned home Sunday from a pleasant trip to Cleveland, Ohio.

Much interest and enthusiasm is being shown in the newly organized soft-ball league. Last Sunday, the local team was defeated in a double-header by the soft-ball aggregation of Owensboro before a record-breaking crowd.

If the stout woman puts enough beads and spangles on her gown, at least people notice that it sparkles.

der Jr. spent Sunday, here guests of the general manager of the Argus, J. V. Haeder. They are on their way to Chicago, after visiting some three weeks in the south.

Mrs. M. V. Lauderdale of 501 Bellmeade, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tenis Currie of Hickman, Ky.

Misses Agnes and Myrtle Slayton of 501 Bellmeade St. are indisposed at this writing.

Mrs. Lennie Shoulders of 1159 Indiana St. passed away at her home here this week. She is a native of Paducah Ky. at which place she will be buried. She is survived by a son, Clarence Holmes and a daughter, Agnes Holmes; two nephews, Charlie Frazier of Paducah and Richard of Toledo, Ohio.

Little Julia Margurite Roberts, 15 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Roberts is in the St. Mary's hospital with a fractured skull received from a fall.

According to J. B. Prescott, supervisor of the Lincoln Gardens Project, there are 55 families in the apartments at present, with 195 applications having been approved at Washington, D. C.

The Complete Service
We are prepared to give a complete Mortuary Service including many details which until recently were not considered to be in the Province of The Funeral Director.
We relieve the Family of a large number of tasks which would be irksome at such a time.

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EDUCATOR HONORED



DR. J. A. BACOATS

Dr. Bacoats, for nine years president of Leland college, Baker, La., near Baton Rouge, was honored with the D.D. degree at commencement of Virginia Union university, Richmond, this year. A graduate of Moore high school in '12, Waco, Texas, and Bishop college in '16, the President received the B. D. degree from Union in '19, and A. M. from Oberlin in '29. He did further study at the University of Chicago and Columbia university, and in '34, toured Europe, Egypt, and Palestine. After ten years as minister and educator in Virginia, he went to Louisiana, and Leland college, under his guidance, has grown to high rank in its field. (Calvin Service.)

Thompkins Visits Roosevelt Train

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., (ANP)—When President Roosevelt's special train arrived here Saturday, Dr. William J. Thompkins, Recorder of Deeds of the District of Columbia, and who has been championing for Senator Elmer Thomas in the state was admitted through the lines and boarded the President's special.

Dr. Thompkins had an engagement with Marvin McIntyre, the President's secretary, and remained on the special train until it was switched over to the Santa Fe Station.

"I had a nice chat with Elliot Roosevelt, the President's son while on the train and also got to greet the President."

Two Women Have Solo Licenses: One A Private Pilot License

WASHINGTON, (ANP)—Two colored women have solo or amateur flying licenses and one has a private pilot's license, it was revealed here last week. They are the only Negro women licensed as aviators in the nation.

Miss Dorothy Darby of Pontiac, Mich., and Miss Lola Jones of Chicago are those with solo or amateur licenses. They require 10 hours of flying and do not permit the holders to take up passengers. Before the Joe Louis fight with Max Schmeling, Miss Darby flew with special greetings to the Brown Bomber from Detroit.

The first and only colored aviatrix with a private pilot's license is Miss Willa Brown of Chicago, who received her license in June. At least 35 air hours are necessary to receive this rating, and the applicant must pass an exacting three hour technical test, as well as demonstrate the ability to perform such aerial feats as tailspins, loops, etc. Miss Brown had close to 100 air hours and received a grade of 96, the highest mark in the class of 15 taking this test. The other 14 applicants were white men.

Honor Doctor Who Practices 50 Years

DALLAS, Tex., (By Fritz Candler for ANP)—One hundred and fifty Dallas citizens assembled last Wednesday at a testimonial banquet arranged by a committee in honor of the 50th anniversary of the beginning of the practice of medicine here by Dr. J. W. Anderson, one of the country's leading physicians and philanthropists.

Dr. Anderson, fresh from Meharry Medical college, arrived in Dallas on July 13, 1888, and began the practice of medicine in which profession he has been engaged since. He is now numbered as one of the outstanding members of the local medical profession.

HOW IT SHOULD — BE DONE —

By R. "BOB" E. MITCHELL

FOODS HELLO FOLKS!!!

Last week I promised to tell you in my next article about foods, but it is really too hot to eat but even at that a bit of food goes good every now and then.

Well, service is what we need. Oh! Waiter, please, for my lunch I will like a glass of cold tomato juice, a chicken salad sandwich on toast, and a pot of iced coffee. The lady desire a cup of jelled consommé, and a tropical fruit plate, made with all fresh fruit: oranges, grapefruit, bananas, prunes topped with whipped cream garnished with Maraschino cherries, and a small portion of walnuts or pecans, and a pot of hot tea with lemon. Oh yes, you had better bring an order of whole wheat toast, "dry" please.

Joe, since you refuse to eat, why not have a cocktail? You can have one of those most delicious palatable and refreshing ones that will make you forget this intense

and torrid heat. Waiter, one jigger O'Jen and a dash of Peychaud Bitters with plenty of crushed ice. Am sure you will like it.

I didn't tell you about the dinner last evening. 'Twas a very delightful meal, consisting of a fresh shrimp cocktail, a broiled Filet Mignon with mushroom sauce, persillade potatoes, fresh asparagus, Hollandaise sauce, head lettuce, Roquefort Cheese dressing, and cantaloupe almodé. Just a minute, I forgot to tell you about the wine to serve with this meal. We had a dry Sherry to start with and steak. We also had a nice bottle of sparkling Burguandy which was purchased in France. It was quite old and an imported product. With the demetasse we had a green creamed menthe frappe.

To top the evening off we indulged in a rubber of bridge. Sorry, there is the phone, order me a Pousse Cafe.
See you next week.
Bob

"The Colored Situation" Is A Good Seller

Faye P. Everett's 328 Pages of Much Use Says ANP Critic

(By Frank Marshall Davis for ANP)—Two years ago, Faye P. Everett, a St. Louis school teacher, produced a volume entitled "The Colored Situation," which caused me to comment that although the book was fundamentally valuable, it possessed several glaring faults, among them the inclusion of articles on the changing Aframerican scene that had become outmoded before publication.

Published by Meador Co. Two or three weeks ago, the revised edition of "The Colored Situation" was released by the Meador Publishing company of Boston. In this 328 page volume, selling for \$2, most of the faulty material has been deleted, articles brought up to date, and a section added on Recent Observations. The new book is an hundred percent improvement over the old.

Mr. Everett's purpose in compiling this important book was to present for the student, in particular a picture of vocational opportunities existing for the young Negro today in America. He is both interested and qualified for this work, because in addition to teaching, he maintains a Bureau of Guidance for Negro Youth at 4260 West Belle place, St. Louis. The Colored Situation may be used as a text book in the high school or college, as a source book for social workers and as a fountain of interesting information for the general reader.

Is Informative
Although Mr. Everett edited the volume and wrote much of the material, he has been assisted by some of the race's foremost specialists in their fields. Those who have contributed factual and informative articles include such educators as Dr. George Haynes of the Federal Council of Churches, B. F. Hubert of Georgia State Industrial college and W. R. Banks of Prairie View; Newspapermen such as J. E. Mitchell, Romeo L. Dougherty, George J. Fleming and Roscoe Dunjee; business leaders such as James A. "Billboard" Jackson, Albon L. Holsey, Harry H. Pace, and Elish. Scott; labor leaders as A. Phillip Randolph and Reinzi B. Lemus; technicians Charles S. Duke, J. C. Evans, C. B. Hutchinson and J. A. Parsons, and health leaders such as Dr. Algeron B. Jackson and Dr. John A. Kenney.

In addition to special articles by and biographies of these men, Mr. Everett points out the social heritages and sociological tendencies which have had an effect upon the race's vocational opportunities, and he also deals with the civic life of Aframericans. Naturally, all of the conclusions of this brilliant 36-year-old educator will not meet with unanimous approval, but they in no way detract from the worth of the volume.

The Colored Situation should prove a valuable addition to the library of every school in America, and deserves to be widely read by all those people interested in the employment and economic possibilities of Negroes.

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Mound Bayou Marks 51st Anniv. of Founding

MOUND BAYOU, Miss., (By Rev. Thos. J. Brown for ANP)—Rev. Glen T. Settle of Cleveland, Ohio, director of the popular radio program "Wings Over Jordan," was the principal speaker last Tuesday at the 51st anniversary of the founding of his all-Negro town. Many citizens from various parts of the country journeyed here to pay tribute to the late Isaiah T. Montgomery and B. T. Green, co-founders of Mound Bayou.

Rev. Settle was introduced to the big gathering by Mayor B. A. Green and the entire program was broadcast over a C.B.S. national hookup, through Station WREC, Memphis. Following the program a pilgrimage was made to the graves of the founders where the sermon was delivered by Dr. A. D. Pernel, pastor First Baptist church.

Fred T. Miller was the master of ceremonies and the principal eulogy was by Atty. Benjamin T. Montgomery of Washington, D. C., cousin of the founder. Music was furnished by the "Wings Over Jordan" singers and other speakers included Principal A. R. Taylor, Mound Bayou High school and Miss B. O. Felder, a teacher.

M.E. Bishop Clair Protests Bombing Spanish Civilians

CINCINNATI, July—(ANP) Bishop Matthew W. Clair of Covington, Ky., supervisor of M.E. churches, this week was among the 12 prominent churchmen who appealed to people of all faiths to observe Saturday and Sunday as days of "solemn protest" against the bombing of civilian populations in Spain. It was asserted that more than 10,000 children have been killed and 15,000 wounded in open cities in Spain, despite official protests from many governments.

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For all who want to conduct a meeting and work in committees, this book, which brings up-to-date the rules of parliamentary procedure, will prove indispensable.

COURAGE

By Mary Lindsay
This story is a mother's account of rearing a daughter who was painfully handicapped from birth. It is told in a simple, honest way, with no play for sympathy.

SEEDS OF TIME

By Ethel Doherty
The three generations of Holts, in their everyday living, touch so many facts of national life and development that one sees a third dimension in this interesting story; a full picture of their age and of middle-western America.

Lexington Educator Honored on Retirement

LEXINGTON, Ky.,—(ANP) Dr. W. H. Fouse, principal of Dunbar High school, since its erection 15 years ago, and who served as high school administrator of the city for 25 years, was honored by citizens and friends here last week as he retired from active duty and became principal-emeritus of Dunbar High. A banquet was held in his honor and former students and associates presented him a silver loving cup and other valuable gifts.

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Well, I am sure that you have been wondering all the week, just who would be scooped by the man on the AV-o-nue? Well, here 'tis.

All the rave out Derbyville way is about the two big dances that will be here August 1 and 2. Hartley foots, that swinging band from the sunny shores of Florida, will invade the city on the night of the first. He plays at the Rainbow Gardens on that date. Then the next night, Chick "Tisket Tasket" Webb and the lady that really lays the jive, will swing out a-la-Harlem fashion at the Coliseum, Derbyville is strictly on some time now, eh?

Hear that Rose Murphy, that chick who really lays some ivorys, from up Naptownway, has signed with the great Benny for some 50 weeks. Kinda keen, we think Benny can really spot real septa talent—gives them a break, too.

Here's the laff of the week—Lady—dialing—2-9072—"ring—ring" voice at the other end of the phone—hello—then the dialer speaks, "may I speak to Mr. Argus?"—the other voice, "sure, just a minute"—then Mr. Argus speaks. Do you get the jive? She actually thought that Mr. Argus was the manager's name.

Would you believe this? Dock Dulin, the gentleman who has done a great deal of good along Derbyville way with his chiropractic acts, relates this story: "Some few years ago when I was in the general practice, I received a letter which contained a postal money order for \$5. The letter stated, 'please send me a bottle of chiropractor.' Did he send it? Well, wouldn't know about that, better ask 'Dock.'"

Little Tommy Tucker and his famous orchestra has one theme song that really puts you in the groove, "Oh, How I Need You." 'Tis vally vally beautiful. Tommy played at the Ocean Pier in the Angel City for some 5 straight years. You may pick him up via the C.B.S. any old night at 9:30, from Atlantic City.

Paging all local interested parties in the beautiful young Miss on Mulberry St.!!! That dapper man from Indiana State Teachers College is in the city. From all indications, this is the continuation of a high school romance that started at the Lincoln a while back, when Courtland was in school here. Boy, he's sure some heart breaker....

This column is intended to be one of a spicy nature. . . one that aims no remarks that would be injurious to the character of anyone. Don't be afraid, it will not spy on anyone who desires not to be spied upon. 'Tis not a Brotherhood Eyes.

Local radio fans were in for a real treat last Sunday—Count Basie, Erskine Hawkins, Fletcher and Horace Henderson held sway on the ether waves.

Isn't this nice?? A baby bottle—red nipple—a half-pint of warm milk, all complimentary, too. Would you like to know? 'Tis a secret. Coo—coo—coo.

Avenue Liquor Store Operated By Race Man

Al's Liquor Store located in the heart of Derbyville at 417 1-2 Lincoln Ave., is now celebrating its year and a half anniversary at this same location. This is the only race owned establishment of its kind in the city. Al credits the success of his business to his ever winning smile and his efforts to satisfy his customers.

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BOUQUET OF THE WEEK ** GOES TO MRS. LENA GEORGE OF E. SYCAMORE STREET.** She will soon turn over her beautiful residence on that street to her son and daughter, Lawrence and Madolyn. This is just an indication of her fine spirit to aid the younger generation. Wouldn't it be swell if we had more Lena George's to give the younger generation a push up that long ole greasy and slippery path of life? Mr. and Mrs. George will move in their recently purchased home on Lincoln avenue in the very near future.

Boy!! Oh!! Boy!! The Charities are ready sharp. Catch them via the ether waves any Saturday at 8:15 a.m.

"Wings Over Jordan" is another program that is well worth listening to . . . each Sunday morning at 8:30. Do you get up that early?

For a real treat in musical entertainment, put a nickel on "It's Over Because We're Through," by the Chick Webb band.

News At A Glance

Condensed Summary For Busy Readers

(By Albert G. Barnett for ANP) Editor's Note: If stories are used individually or as a column, please use ANP credit line.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Miss Josephine Roche, chairman and members of the interdepartmental Committee to Coordinate Health and Welfare Activities, are completing arrangements for the National Conference on Health and Medical Care called at the behest of President Roosevelt, to be held at this city's Mayflower hotel, July 18-20. Among the 100 delegates invited will be representatives of national organizations of colored people. Dr. George W. Bowles, York, Pa., president-elect National Medical Association, will represent the nation's Negro medical profession.

MONROVIA, Liberia—At impressive final rites held here Wednesday and attended by government officials, dignitaries of the church and business and professional leaders, the body of Hon. Arthur Barclay, 86, former president of Liberia (1904-1908), was laid to rest. Mr. Barclay's administration was notable for effecting its policy of cooperation between the government and native tribes.

NEW ROCHELLE, N. Y.—Marking the first time a colored teacher has been appointed to the public school system here and throughout Westchester County, Miss Ethel Harris, attractive New York City girl, was assigned last Tuesday to Lincoln school, Superintendent of schools H. C. Hunt recommended her appointment to Lincoln, where 90 per cent of the pupils are colored.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The old "how you see it, how you don't" badger game claimed another victim here last week when Gilbert Brown, 32, colored employe of the Italian Embassy, was tricked out of \$240 by three Negroes using the "handkerchief trick." The con men handed Brown the handkerchief which they found and supposedly containing a big wad of bills, after Brown had given them \$240 in good American money "to show his good faith." Several hours later, Brown opened his treasure, found an empty cigarette package wrapped in brown paper.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind.—Said to be the first Negro to be awarded an Indiana doctorate in the field of chemistry, E. D. Raines, former professor of chemistry at Faine college, Augusta, Ga., was awarded the doctor of philosophy degree at University of Indiana's recent convocation. Dr. Raines will head the chemistry department at Kentucky State college in the Fall.

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STANDINGS OF THE LINCOLN SOFT BALL LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Lincoln Repair	7	2	.777
Bud Bilikens	7	3	.700
Oakdale	3	6	.333
A. B. C.	2	8	.200

BATTING AVERAGES

Player	AB.	H.	Pct.
*W. Anderson	12	7	.580
Kolman	18	10	.550
Keel	18	9	.500
Marshall	14	7	.500
Barrett	15	7	.466
Wimsatt	11	5	.454
Turpin	18	8	.444
Wagner	12	5	.416
Byum	12	5	.416
Jackson	15	6	.400

LINCOLN JUNIOR LEAGUE Standings

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Gold Medal	10	0	1.000
Junior Boys	5	4	.555
Troop 14	3	6	.333
All-Stars	1	9	.100

BATTING AVERAGES

Player	AB.	H.	Pct.
Woods	10	6	.600
Coates	16	9	.562
Slosser	20	9	.450
Tillerson	8	3	.375
Howard	15	5	.333

Junior Boys

Player	AB.	H.	Pct.
C. Green	14	6	.428
Boyd	14	6	.428
Northington	14	6	.428
Hambleton	12	4	.333

Troop 14

Player	AB.	H.	Pct.
Quien	9	5	.555
Turpin	16	7	.437
Johnson	12	5	.416
Fields	18	7	.388
Yates	17	6	.352

LINCOLN ADULT LEAGUE Standings

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Johnican A-Stars	9	1	.900
Bagwell Cubs	5	5	.500
W. P. A. Bees	5	5	.500
Beverly Aces	1	9	.100

SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK

Monday
 Johnican vs. W. P. A. Bees.
Tuesday
 Bagwell Cubs vs. Beverly Aces.
Wednesday
 W. P. A. Bees vs. Bagwell Cubs.
Thursday
 Johnican All-Stars vs. Beverly Aces.

BATTING AVERAGES

Player	AB.	H.	Pct.
C. Jackson	12	10	.833
H. Bell	29	13	.448
J. Nance	19	6	.429
Crowe	17	7	.412
Stubblefield	22	9	.409

Bagwell Cubs

Player	AB.	H.	Pct.
Jackson	20	11	.550
Coleman	24	12	.500
H. Hite	15	7	.466
Jones	22	10	.454
A. Hite	12	5	.450

W. P. A. Bees

Player	AB.	H.	Pct.
Nicklas	24	13	.542
Bronson	22	11	.500
Boyd	32	15	.468
Steger	27	11	.407
Decker	32	12	.375

Prays for Death Same Day As Ill Sister And Dies 3 Minutes Later

WOODRUFF, S. C., July—(ANP) When Mrs. Etta Thompson, 64, became ill at her farm home near Fountain Inn, her sister, Mrs. Ellie Rogers, 60, went to wait on her. When death for her elder sister seemed inevitable, Ellie prayed fervently every day that she might die the same day her sister was taken. Saturday Mrs. Thompson died, three minutes later Mrs. Rogers got her wish. She dropped dead from a heart attack, although she had not been ill previously. The next day a double funeral was held at Beaverdam church near Woodruff.

Ex-Liberia Envoy Dies

BALTIMORE, July (ANP)—Dr. Ernest Lyon, Consul-General of the Liberian Republic in the United States for the past 27 years and former American Minister to that country, died of pneumonia Sunday at Johns Hopkins Hospital here. Dr. Lyons was 63, was a native of British Honduras. A graduate of Straight and New Orleans universities, he became prominent in the Methodist Episcopal church. He served as Sunday School agent, as special agent for Freedman's Aid and pastored several prominent churches, notably St. Mark's church, New York City, 1896 and John Wesley Church, Baltimore 1901. He was associated with many civic and social organizations.

hash first day after its day of glory.

Some boarding houses have the good taste to turn the turkey into

Sport News

By Bob Lambert

During the past week, several tournaments have been held and the winners named. Tomas Bronson won the award given by the City Recreation Dept. for checkers. This tournament was held on the Lincoln grounds.

Popular demand for a tournament to be run off at the Governor St. Playground has resulted in the drawing up of a schedule of entrants. These matches were played Friday July 22nd.

On Thursday July 14, wheel toys were pitted against each other by their youthful owners. Any sort of a riding apparatus was eligible to entry. Thomas Gant Jr. won the skatemobile race with Roderick Matchless second. Howard Lockhart and Edward Eaylor Jr., duelled mightily in the bicycle race, it was great race with Lockhart winning and Edward Eaylor Jr. second. A wagon race was won by William Rowland, Ivory Thompson placed next.

One of clubs of young girls whose headquarters are in the Phyllis Wheatley YWCA gave a chicken dinner there on Sat. July 9th. This club is named the Marjoe Club; it announces that the dinner was a success from all angles. The Adroit Club had planned a lawn social at the home of Mrs. Marjorie Jackson, 1163 E. Indiana St. but the storm on that night caused them to abandon this plan. These clubs are supervised by Miss Georgia Nance.

Miss Nance is planning a picnic for the little boys and girls between the ages of five and twelve.

Every mother who will allow her children to go should see Miss Nance or Mr. Robert Lambert. There will be a small charge for transportation. The children will be well taken care of.

Everyone seems to enjoy playing croquet. Every afternoon the croquet courts are well attended. Many youngsters are learning the game and playing it with some skill, why can't we have a Sunday school Croquet league? This league could be made up of those who attend some Sunday school regularly and are chosen to represent that school. I shall try to see the various Supts. of Sunday Schools. Should I fail to contact your supt., have him or her to see me.

The Lincoln Junior Tennis Club has started its tournament. There are quite a few of the young racquet wielders entered. Some have played their first round matches and "raring to go." Geo. Crawford defeated Jewel Hamilton 6-1, Felton Huston defeated Roy Barrett 6-0 and Ishmond Thompkins played "Ike" Kirby 7-7 and the darkness halted this nip and tuck affair. The girls matches will be played this week end.

Ark. Democrats Ban Negro Primary Vote

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., (ANP)—Although there is an Arkansas Negro Democratic association with members anxious to vote for candidates of their party, they will not be able to do so in the Democratic primary Aug. 9. Chairman June P. Wooten of the State Democratic committee, Friday told President J. M. Robinson of the colored group.

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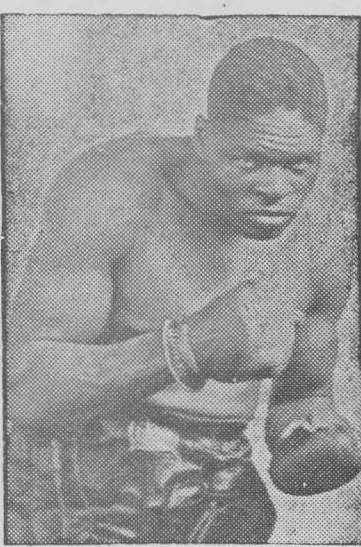
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Until work is provided, you can't very well criticize those who don't work.

SPORTS

HURLS CHALLENGE



ELZA THOMPSON

Lark Jones, Co-captain of Elza Thompson, 234-pound winner of the Chicago Golden Gloves Tournament last year by a whirlwind final bout with Monroe Harrison, local fighter, has issued a challenge to Tony Musto, onquor of Leonard Bostick for Thompson. The Indianapolis heavyweight contender "stands ready to meet Musto or any other heavyweight in St. Louis or vicinity who thinks he can fight," says Jones.

Harrison is of the opinion that Thompson would make a hit in St. Louis.

Tunney Wonders If Dempsey Could Have Whipped Louis

CHICAGO, (ANP)—A new convert to the Joe Louis fists is Gene Tunney, who in addition to declaring here last week that he thought the Brown Bomber would retain the crown for "at least five more years," said he doubted that Jack Dempsey, at his prime, could have beaten Joe.

"It will take a good boxer and a fellow who won't allow himself to be hit to defeat Louis," said Tunney. "In the recent Schmeling fight, Louis did just what he should have done in the first bout—walked right out and let go at Max."

Declaring that Dempsey, the man he dethroned for the title, "probably would have beaten Louis if able to get in close," Tunney said, "I'm not so sure that Dempsey, in his prime, could have gotten in close on Louis."

"Joe attacks with fury, as Dempsey did. Louis, however, is more scientific in his attack, and in all his career, I don't think Dempsey turned on such a crushing offense as Joe used against Schmeling. Jack was fast, though—fast at weaving away from his opponent's punches, and it sure would be a great fight to see Dempsey and Louis at their best."

TUSKEGEE GIVES GIRL CHAMPS AND MOZELL ELLERBE ROUSING SENDOFF TO MAJOR TRACK MEETS

JEANETTE GIPSON TUSKEGEE INSTITUTE, Ala.—Ellerbe Day was fittingly celebrated by the students, faculty and teachers attending the summer school here today. The townspeople and the staff and personnel of the Veterans Administration Facility joined in the celebration.

American flags and Old Gold and Crimson pennants and banners, the colors of the school, were displayed by all departments and divisions. The Ellerbe Dinner hour as served in the Institute Cafeteria from 11:15 until 1:30 o'clock. A delicious and appropriate menu was served. There was music by the Tuskegee Band, gay chatter and laughter, and many good wishes expressed for Ellerbe, Tuskegee's No. 1 track man.

Lewis Sure He Will Beat 2 Ton Galento Tuesday
PHILADELPHIA, Pa. (ANP)—Champion John Henry Lewis is confident that he will win when he meets Tony Galento in a 15-round bout at the Municipal stadium here on July 26.

A visitor at the office of Promoter Herman Taylor last Tuesday, the champion said: "You can say for me that my people won't have to make any excuses for me on the night of July 26. I have never yet let them down. I won't do it now. I believe they will be proud of the fight I will make against Galento."

Lewis Confident
 Lewis rates Galento as a good fighter, possibly a great one, but he is not worried about the outcome. "I realize that Tony is a good fighter," Lewis said. "His record for the past year proves that. I am not at all jealous of the publicity he gets, but I don't care easily and if the public undertakes me, he'll be a surprise in store for a lot of folks on July 26."

JAIL FORTY IN PITTSBURGH RIOTS
PITTSBURGH (ANP)—Following two nights of rioting over recreational facilities, 40 persons were in jail Saturday. The trouble broke out Wednesday night in sporadic street fights near West Park, center of the disturbances which spread over an area three miles square. An argument over a mushball field and swimming pool, caused the disorders. The rioters, mainly youths, carried bricks and clubs.

Star Tuskegee Woman Stricken
TUSKEGEE, (ANP)—Tuskegee's championship women's track and field team was thrown for a heavy loss last week when Mable Smith, the American long jump champion, and read-out on the relay team, was rushed to the John A. Andrew Memorial hospital to undergo an operation Monday for appendicitis.

Negro Bands to Be In Chi. Night of Swing

CHICAGO, (ANP)—Negro amateur and semi-professional swing bands from Chicago and other cities were extended an invitation this week to participate in what is scheduled to be "the world's largest Swing Jamboree" to be held at Soldier's field the night of Tuesday, August 23.

The jamboree is under the sponsorship of Chicago's New Century committee with Mayor Edward J. Kelly as chairman and is part of a series of celebrations marking the start of Chicago's second hundred years as a metropolis. Admission to the event will be free. Soldiers field can accommodate more than 100,000 spectators.

U.S. Powerless To Act in Lynchings

NEW YORK CITY, (ANP)—The federal government "is powerless, under the law" to act in the two recent lynchings in Georgia and Mississippi, United States Attorney General Homer Cummings said last Thursday. Cummings made the statement in a telegram dated July 13 which he sent to Senator Robert F. Wagner at Albany, N. Y., where the latter is attending the New York State Constitution convention.

St. Louis Boys Appointed For CMTC Officers
 By WOODROW W. KNOX
 FORT RILEY, Kans.—St. Louis youths got their share of the official appointments at the CMTF camp at Fort Riley where 49 Mount Cityans began a month's stay last week. The following appointments of CMTC officers and noncommissioned officers were announced.

Officer's Name
 Captains: William Gregory Wilbert Clark; Lieutenants: Ruben E. Frasier, Emmett C. Hart; Sergeants: Woodrow W. Knox, Robert T. Riley, Eugene E. Fields, Joe Phillips, Butler Harris, Frank Davis, William Paschall, William B. Brown, Henry T. Clay; Corporals: Williams Hammons, James Terry, Crystal Sykes, Charles Brown, Archie White, Excell Gilleylen, Earl L. Moore.

Games To Feature All-Star Players

Sunday July 24, Lincoln Field will be the scene of two of the most interesting softball tilts of the season. The first game which starts at 3:30, will find the WPA Bees and Carrier Mills opposing each other. In the second tilts which starts at 4:30, the Johnicans All Stars will tackle the Carrier Mills.

This Carrier Mills team is one of the strongest in this section of the country. They have met and defeated some of the name teams in Indiana. They lost only one game on the Lincoln Field last year and that was the one to the present Johnican All Stars, who were playing under the banner of the Serval Stars at that time.

This Carrier Mills Team has played weekly since the opening of the softball season and remains undefeated. The Johnican All Stars have lost only one game.

The largest crowd of the season is expected to be on hand to witness these great teams battle for the title, "champs of Lincoln". The gates will be open at 2:30, so come early so that you may be assured of a good comfortable seat.

Henry Armstrong Begins Training For Lou Ambers

NEW YORK—Henry Armstrong, "Husling Hank" from St. Louis, this week setled down to prepare for a tilt at his third title. If he is successful in wrestling the lightweight crown from Lou Ambers' head at the radio grounds August 10, he will be the first fighter in history to possess three titles at the same time, already having the 126 and 127-pound titles in his possession.

To Defend All Titles
 Sealing 140 pounds, "two-title Hank" started with limbering up exercises at Stillman's gym Wednesday he expected to open camp at Pompton Lakes, N. J. He planned to begin boxing Saturday with three sparring partners—Lew Feldman, Chucky Wright and Jackie Kocems. He aimed to return to Los Angeles after the bout and par down to 126 pounds to defend his featherweight crown against Jackie Wilson, Leo Rodak or whoever is most outstanding.

Commenting on his coming fight, Hank said Ambers "is not as rugged as Barney Ross. I saw Jimmy Vaughn stagger him in Los Angeles. I was a bit disappointed as I heard he shook off the best punches from Canzoneri, McLaroi and Montanez. "If he doesn't take my punches any better, I am sure the fight won't go 15 rounds. "It'll be my hardest fight because Ambers has the style that batters me most," he replied. "He is a jumping jack, always in motion, always going away from punches. He'll make me miss a lot and look bad in the early rounds. He may make me look bad for several rounds, because

U.S. CIVIL SERVICE POSTS NEW EXAMS

WASHINGTON, D. C., (ANP)—The following examinations were announced this week by the U. S. Civil Service Commission: Social Worker (Psychiatric), \$2,000 a year, Veterans' Administration, application deadline Aug. 8-11; Junior Blueprint Operator, \$1,440 a year, Under Blueprint Operator, \$1,260 a year, Junior Photostat Operator, \$1,440 a year, and Under Photostat Operator, \$1,260 a year, Application deadline, Aug. 1-4; Home Extension Agent, \$2,600 a year and Junior Home Extension Agent, \$1,800 a year, Indian Field Service, Department of the Interior, application deadline, Aug. 8-11; Home Economist, \$3,800 a year and Associate Home Economist, \$3,200 a year, Bureau of Home Economics, Department of Agriculture, application deadline Aug. 8-11. Full information concerning exams at all local post offices.

SOFTBALL DOUBLEHEADER
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SUNDAY SCHOOL—9:30 a.m.
MORNING SERVICE—11:00 a.m.
EPWORTH LEAGUE—6:30 p.m.
EVENING SERVICES—7:45 p.m.
Rev. J. W. Appleby, pastor; Miss Emma Hill and George Brown, reporters.

ST. JOHN M.E. CHURCH
Cherry and Evans Sts.

Church Calendar
MORNING SERVICE—11:00 a.m.
SUNDAY SCHOOL—1:00 p.m.
EVENING SERVICE—7:30 p.m.
Rev. I. C. Smith, pastor; Miss Vera Smith, reporter.

GRACE LUTHERAN NEWS VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
The Vacation Bible School finished its first full week of school this past Friday. To date we have met for eight days of school. The average attendance at sessions for these eight days is 37 per day. This is above the average attendance for last year. Thus our school grows from year to year. The following boys and girls have not missed a day of school since we began.

Deloris Howard, Elizabeth Kraft, Douglass Lander, Eunice Lander, Elinor Lander, Gordon Fields, Wm. Marshall, Alice Wilford, Marjorie Watkins, Lenora Watkins, Harriet Bynum, Harold Fields and Clarence Fields.

The following have not missed a day since they enrolled (late): Gloria Stepp, Agnes Lowe, and Samuel Perkins. How many will have a perfect attendance for the next week?

ALEXANDER CHAPEL A.M.E.
Reverend M. R. Dixon Jr., greeted the members of Alexander Chapel Sunday morning after a two weeks absence. His brief sojourn in Northern Indiana and Ohio afforded him such pleasant reactions as would cause him to state that, "I have returned from a veritable mountain top of inspiration."

Reverend Dixon's sermon was built around the theme: "Our Inter-related lives." The text was found in Romans, 14th chapter, 7th verse, which reads: "For none of us liveth to himself, and no man dieth to himself. "More than Conquerers" will be the theme for next Sunday's sermon.

The Fannie J. Coppin Mite Missionary Society will sponsor a Lawn social on the lawn of Mrs. Marie McDow, 659 South Governor Street. The public is invited to attend. Friday evening July 22, Hours 6:00—?. Adm. 15c.

A young women's auxiliary of the Missionary society has been started. The young women who have been contacted have responded enthusiastically. This organization does not necessarily include members of Alexander Chapel, but welcomes any young woman up to 25 years of age, who is not now actively engaged in Missionary work.

Reverend M. R. Dixon, Jr. Minister; Gorhea Offutt, Church Reporter.

Calvin's Newspaper Service
TESTED RECIPE
By Frances Lee Barton

ON a summer Saturday, when the youngsters go off on their own, bearing baseball paraphernalia or home-made fishing rods, it is up to mother to provide the eatables. The young ones take the sandwiches for granted — but they always get a thrill over the little frills you add to the lunch. These coconut date bars will get a rousing hand. In fact, your own grown-up guests will find them just as acceptable.

Coconut Date Bars
1 1/4 cups sifted cake flour; 1 1/2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder; 1/2 teaspoon salt; 1 cup sugar; 2 eggs, well beaten; 1 tablespoon melted butter; 1 cup finely cut dates; 1 cup shredded coconut; 1 tablespoon hot water.

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift again. Add sugar gradually to eggs, beating thoroughly. Add butter; then dates and coconut, mixing thoroughly. Add flour, alternately with water, beating well. Turn mixture into two greased pans, 8x8x2 inches, spreading batter thin. Bake in slow oven (325° F.) 30 to 35 minutes. Cool. Cut in bars, 2 1/2x1 inches. Remove from pans. Makes 4 dozen bars.

CLEAVES MEMORIAL CHURCH

COMING EVENTS
Monday—7:30 p.m. Official Meeting.
Class Prayer Meeting—Wednesday—7:30 p.m.
Sr. Choir rehearsal—Thursday—7:30 p.m.
Bible Study and Teacher's Meeting—Friday—7:00 p.m.

Bishop C. H. Phillips of Cleveland, Ohio, spent the day here Sunday July 12. He is the senior bishop of the C.M.E. Church. Bishop Phillips came here in interest of the building project that is now on at the church. While here, he held conferences with several of the laymen and ministers from the neighboring cities. Some of the ministers and laymen who were here in the conference are; C. E. Burns, G. W. Moore, J. C. Hines, Lewis, Webb, and Norman.

The dinner committee composed of Mesdames Bowling, Taylor and Partee, prepared a very delicious repast for the visiting friends.

SENIOR CHOIR ACTIVITIES
Last Sunday nite the Senior Choir rendered a very entertaining musical and literary program, several numbers were highly praised by the Bishop, among those being several selections from Paul Laurence Dunbar's work by Mrs. Adams. These contributions were in the form of dialect reading. He was also impressed with Mrs. N. Churchill's interpretation of the famous "Raven", by Edgar Allen Poe.

The choir was royally entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mims of 503 E. Sycamore St. Thursday. A good time was had by all.

The Jr. Choir under the direction of Miss E. C. Hill, assisted by Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Edmonds, rendered a splendid children day program last Sunday.

We wish to announce the opening of our 10 day vacation Bible School which will be held at this church Monday August 1 at 9:30 a.m.

The United Harmony Boys featured radio artists over stations WEW and WIL St. Louis Mo., will present a musical program here Sunday July 24th, at 3 p.m.

INDEPENDENCE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. A. D. Devashir, Anderson Indiana, occupied the pulpit last Sunday, and delivered two very interesting messages before a large and enthusiastic gathering.

The Local Brotherhood under the leadership of Bro. H. W. Hackner, meets every Wednesday. Immediately after the meeting, prayer services are in session. Every one is invited to attend these meetings.

The Mission Circle meets every Wednesday at 5 p.m. This organization is now in the midst of a strenuous drive for membership, and invites all interested persons to visit the meetings.

Don't forget the chicken dinner given by the Independence Baptist Church Sunday, July 24. The plates are 25c. On this plate will be fried chicken, mashed potatoes, peas, slaw, dressing and pie. Call 7093 and make reservations.

NAZARENE BAPT. CHURCH
518 Linwood Ave.

Church Calendar
SUNDAY SCHOOL—9:30 a.m.
MORNING SERVICES—11:30 a.m.
B.Y.P.U.—6:30 p.m.
EVENING SERVICES—8 p.m.
Rev. M. D. Banks, pastor; Miss Mary E. Banks, reporter.

INDEPENDENCE BAPTIST CHURCH
12th and Virginia Sts.

SUNDAY SCHOOL—9:30 a.m.
MORNING SERVICE—11 a.m.
EVENING SERVICE—8:15 p.m.
B.Y.P.U.—7:30 p.m.
Miss Esther Mitchell, reporter; Rev. W. M. Edwards, pastor.

MT. ZION BAPTIST
CALENDAR
SUNDAY SCHOOL, 9:30 a.m.

10,000 Sign Petition For A Graduate School In St. Louis

Mass Meeting Sunday
Sunday afternoon, at 3:30 p.m., Citizens will continue their drive for graduate and professional schools in St. Louis. Atty. Henry D. Espy will discuss the legal phase. Judge George L. Vaughn will deal with the general awakening of the Negro. John W. Hays will discuss educational progress. Hon. M. M. McGaughey, Mayor of Brownville, will be master of ceremonies. Music will be furnished by Prof. J. Roy Terry. All candidates who favor this cause are invited to speak briefly on this subject.

Ten thousand registered voters in St. Louis, Clayton, Richmond Heights, Webster Groves, and Kirkwood have signed petitions for a state supported Graduate School and Professional Schools to be located in St. Louis.

The negro citizens of St. Louis and this metropolitan area, consider that a state supported institution of higher learning located in St. Louis would be practically self-supporting. They feel the appropriation of money for the tuition of Negro students to study outside of St. Louis has never been ample to take care of the educational needs of the Negro of Missouri, and aware of the injustice in requiring Negroes to go outside of the state to obtain university training, whereas all other races except the Negro can obtain and do obtain university training in Missouri. They believe that the institution of learning they desire should be in St. Louis and have its own president and a Board of Curators serving for a period of six years, with one-third of them appointed each two years by the governor of the state.

MORNING SERVICES 11 a.m.
B.Y.P.U. 6:30 p.m.
EVENING SERVICE, 7:30 p.m.
Rev. G. E. Johnson, pastor; Miss Bertha Starks, reporter.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
Elliott and Gum Sts.

Church Calendar
SUNDAY SCHOOL—9:15 a.m.
MORNING SERVICE—10:30 a.m.
EVENING SERVICE will be discontinued until the fall months.
Rev. Theodore Hafner, pastor.

ALEXANDER A.M.E. CHURCH
5th and Walnut Sts.

Church Calendar
MORNING SERVICE—10:45 a.m.
CHURCH SCHOOL—12:15 a.m.
Rev. M. R. Dixon Jr., pastor.

Rumor Armstrong To Trade Gloves for Baton
KANSAS CITY, Mo., (ANP)—Little Homicide Henry Armstrong, who has a habit of getting "in the groove" early inside the ring and who is also an excellent musician, may trade his boxing gloves for an orchestra leader's baton after six more fights, Manager Eddie Meade said here last week.

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The Larieuse Beauty Foundation was established by the Godefroy Manufacturing Company to study methods of preserving women's natural beauty, and to make the results of this research available to the public.

The selection of a summer wardrobe, especially for the working girl, presents a serious problem. Most dresses after a few broiling hours look as though they had been wrung through a wringer and not even hung up to dry. A careful choice of fabrics and styles will be a help in avoiding this appearance.

First of all, limit yourself to wash dresses almost entirely during the hottest part of the summer. Buy them with an eye to easy laundering. Several dresses that can be rinsed out at a moment's notice, dried in a few minutes and ironed with little or no effort will serve you better than five or six frocks that must be sent to the cleaner or which are a real chore to launder yourself. On these days when we go around in a perpetual drip, it is almost impossible to make a dress do more than one day without rinsing it out, but a clever collection of easily laundered dresses will save your leisure hours from tubbing and ironing drudgery.

There are a number of fabrics on the market today which are said to be "crush-resistant." How well these materials make good their claim is a matter of opinion but they are especially treated to hold up under trials of summer weather. Washable prints are very wise buys for the working girl since the print has a tendency to make creases less noticeable. Light colors always look cooler in summer than dark or bright hues and we feel, to some extent at least, as cool as we look. While all white is impractical for all-day wear since it shows the dirt so readily, a flowered print on a white background is very attractive.

A number of manufacturers in recent years have been making cotton slips especially for summer wear. These have the double advantage of being much less expensive than the silk ones and considerably cooler.

Choose your summer shoes for comfort even if you have to sacrifice a little of their beauty. Many people buy their shoes a half-size larger for summer. And in buying your shoes, remember how often they will have to be cleaned. Nothing looks more untidy than brown and white shoes with white polish smeared across the brown, unless it is brown and white shoes with brown polish streaked across the white. Choose a simple, easily-cleaned design in a size that will allow for any possible swelling from heat and long hours of standing.

Avoid wide or tight belts for summer and collars that fasten up high around the neck. Your summer clothes need not be fitted as closely as your winter dresses. There are plenty of patterns which are cool as well as stylish. Make your selections from these.

What are your beauty problems? Write Marie Downing, Larieuse Beauty Foundation, Room 607—511 Locust St., St. Louis, Mo., and she will be glad to answer them. Be sure to enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope.

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Chick Webb And Hartley Toots Coming To Town!!

Hartley Toots Carries On; Scoring Nightly On Tour

MELROSE COLBERT AND "SNOOKUM" RUSSELL FAVORITES WITH FANS WHEREVER ORCHESTRA APPEARS

It was announced by the officials of the Associated Promoters that Hartley Toots and his famous orchestra, who is now on its annual coast to coast tour, is now regarded as one of the best "Box Office" draws to play Dixie this season. The band left its winter home, the New Rockland Palace ballroom of Miami, last April enroute to the Cincinnati Cotton Club where it was a sensation for two weeks before hitting the road again playing one-nighters in Kentucky, the Carolinas, Virginias, Ohio, Tennessee and Maryland.

Toots has swung all through Florida and the Carolinas in recent months, where he has been breaking all records at the box office. "Snookum" Russell, nationally known skat singer and featured man with the band, has been dubbed the "Robert Taylor" of the musical field. This handsome lad will simply "send you" latest songs. with his interpretations of the TOOTS COMES TO THE RAINBOW GARDENS AUG. 1ST 9 'TILL ? Hartley Toots and his aggre-

Appears Here Aug. 2



ELLA FITZGERALD

The buxom Ella Fitzgerald, "First Lady of Swing," who will come to Derbyville with Chick Webb and his NBC Orchestra for a dance engagement in the newly air-conditioned Coliseum, Tuesday August 2. Miss Fitzgerald's "A Tisket—A Tasket" is a solid sander, and can be heard on any vender.

Pre-Vues of Pictures at The Royal Theatre

SATURDAY JULY 23—

Rolling Caravans is a story of the early pioneers of this country. The old story is an exact portrayal of the existing conditions of this country in ye ole "gold rush" days. John Luden and Buzz Barton, well known actors for this type of role, give a marvelous performance in this action packed drama. The motion picture industry goes to quite an expense to make such films as these. This picture was filmed in the hills where quite a deal of pioneering was done, naturally, there was a great deal of expense incurred in the moving of the cameras and sound equipment over the hills. Some of the critics have said that "Rolling Caravans" is about one of the best stories of the year that deals with the portrayal of such historical incidents, such as pioneering of the wild and woolly west. On the same bill is the cartoon, "Man Hunt," which is a truly a "rib tickler," one that gives you a chance to see just what happens when a "looney" cop goes to hunt for a wanted criminal. Chapter No. 11 of Wild West Days completes the bill.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY

This is the picture that all Derbyville has been waiting for, "Dead End" with Humphrey Bogart, Wendy Barrie and Joel McCrea. This is the story of 7 boyhood pals that that grew up together in the slums. At the end of the street, which was the playground for these kids, was the rear entrance to the mansion of a banker, who forbade his son, who incidentally was the same age as the kids of the slum area,

to venture out into the back street. On several occasions when the little rich kid did go out into the street to play, he was seized and given a good spanking by the street urchins, who were jealous of his home and clothes. Humphrey Bogart can very easily be dubbed the real star of the picture. He is a public enemy and is wanted by the police for several crimes that he committed, but by hook or crook, he was able to evade the law for quite a while, and it was not until Joel McCrea, a poor worker, came on the scene, was the public enemy apprehended. Could tell a deal more, but such would spoil the story, so see the picture for real entertainment. . . .

On this same bill is a comedy and cartoon that is very interesting.

TUESDAY

Miriam Hopkins and Ray Milland will appear on the screen in the picture, titled, "Wise Girl." Miss Hopkins, as usual, gives a very good performance in this "light humor" picture. She is ably assisted by the ever popular, Ray Milland. People usually are of the opinion that the show that plays only one day is of little importance, but this is one film that will make you want to see it over two or three times. Miriam Hopkins will give the theatre-goers a chance to see the many offers that are made to girls, in many ways, some good and bad. She shows how to choose, the best ones and how they may be used to the best advantage. Also on the bill is "March of Time" No. 7. This March of Time will give a graphic review of some of the most interesting highlights on the political, social, and educational fields of the nation. "Going Places," a light comedy completes the bill.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

Tom Brown, the great All-American Football Player, comes to the screen in a great outdoor picture that will interest all theatre-goers. Barbara Read and Lewis Stone support Tom Brown. The name of the picture is, "The Man Who Cried Wolf." This picture has been heralded from coast to coast as the greatest picture of its kind. Lewis Stone, who is famous for his roles of a business man, is at his best in this film. All Derbyville is raving over the first chapter of the serial, "Treasure Island," which was shown last week, so don't miss this second chapter, as this is one serial that will thrill you from week to week. A graphic review of the news of the day will also appear on the same bill.

FRIDAY

"That's My Story," will come to this theatre Friday for one day only. This picture features Claudia Morgan and William Lundigan. This is a very entertaining film for the entire family. Selected short subjects complete the bill.

Polar Bears Give Big Moonlight Dance Aug. 3

The steamer, Idlewild, will be the scene of a big moonlight dance Wednesday night August 3. This beautiful steamer that has been recently renovated, is one of the prettiest steamers to be found in this section of the Country. It has a very beautiful and substantial dance floor that is second to none. The Polar Bear Club is bringing this moonlight dance boat ride to the city and from all indications, the boat will carry a nice crowd.

Eddie Johnson, that youthful maestro from St. Louis, will be on hand to dish out some really mellow rhythm. The admission price is 75c in advance and 85c at the door.

Naval officers from battleships of Great Britain in colorful full dress uniforms, are to attend a grand costume ball climaxing British Empire Day at the 1939 Golden Gate International Exposition.

Appears Here Aug. 2



CHICK WEBB

"Midnight Musing of a Sky Pilot"

"Is It Nothing To You?"

There are many silent tragedies these days—silent, that is so far as public awareness is concerned. Measured as incidents, these unproclaimed tragedies, taken by and large, mean little to the total life of the community or the world. They are all of a piece with a process that must involve success or failure. Successes move ahead! Failures are eliminated! And society prospers! This is the story of human endeavor in all its phases, be it political, manual, or professional labor.

And the man farthest down is among the first relegated to the scrap-heap. Why all this waste? Why need we have more than our share among the flotsam and jetsam with the rest of the driftwood on the shores of time?

Here in America, particularly because of our economic grouping among the consumers rather than the producers (and not as some of our pseudo-leaders would have you believe, our racial grouping) Afro-Americans fall into that category of silent tragedies. They are exploited, regimented, and segregated; socially, politically, and religiously because in matters economic there is a decided tendency toward selfish individualism rather than group preservation.

Under ordinary circumstances of life, maintaining one's integrity is difficult. In this modern era of economic and social spasms it is particularly challenging. And when one is passing thru transitions, the achievement is doubly difficult. In the final analysis, the only permanent solutions to our economic and social problems can be obtained thru our own united efforts. Other groups could not assist if they would; they are busy caring for their own! When we discover that self-preservation is the first law of nature for the group as well as for the individual then may we hope to find our "place in the sun."

More anon — Rev. M. R. Dixon, Jr.

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Chick Webb and Ella To Appear Here August 2nd

CHICAGO.—Martin Block, conductor of station WNEW, found himself this week when his swing contest ended with Benny Goodman in the lead and Chick Webb running him a close second by 20 votes.

During the life of the contest which lasted more than 2 weeks, recordings of every well known band in the country were played for the approval of the public. Each night the records of two of these orchestras were played with listeners voting their preference between the two bands. Among the colored bands which included Count Basie, Jimmie Lunceford, Erskine Hawkins, Lucky Millinder, Don Redman and others, only Chick Webb survived to pair off with Benny Goodman after the two had by public vote, defeated all comers, white and colored.

During the run of the contest more than 60,000 votes were cast. Voters got nothing for their ballots except the satisfaction of having aided in the selection of 'King of Swing' Orchestras were referred to by numbers during the broadcast so as to prevent listeners from being influenced by reputations, but many true swing fans identified their favorites by style and so voted.

Chick Webb and his "Tisket A Tasket" band will appear at the newly air-conditioned Coliseum Tuesday, August 2 for one night only. Jute Tyler, popular young man of the city is bringing this great band to Derbyville. Tyler declared, "this is the first time in the history of all Derbyville that we have been able to bring such a great name band here at such reasonable prices."

With Ella Fitzgerald, songstress deluxe, as one of the stellar attractions, Webb and his orchestra has skyrocketed to fame in recent months. He upset all theatre dope recently with a \$20,000 box office during one week's engagement at the Fox Theatre in Detroit.

Chick is also bringing Taft "Louie" Jordan with him. He is that hot trumpet man that plays so much trumpet on that famous piece, "It's Over Because We're Through." He also does the vocal on this waxing. It can be heard at George Hubbard's Bar B. Q. Place.

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Tasty Sandwich Shop Popular Eating Place

The Stubblefield's Sandwich Shop located at 425 Walnut St., proves to be one of the most popular places to stop and get a snack before and after the shopping hours. This establishment is now about 4 years old, and is managed by Mr. and Mrs. David Stubblefield, who are well known for their good old fashioned "home cooking". When you want a meal like mother cooks, stop at the Stubblefield's Sandwich Shop.

gation, which includes Melrose Golbert and Snookum Russell, will invade Derbyville August 1 for one night's engagement. He will appear at the beautiful Rainbow Gardens, the place where you can enjoy a dance under the stars. The Gardens are cooled by nature's own cooling system.

YOUNG COLORED MEN SPONSOR DANCE
Chester Moore and C. Gardner popular young men of the city, are sponsoring the dance, and they have said that the biggest crowd of the season will be on hand to hear this great dance band from Florida, the band that has withdrawn such name bands as, Don Redman, Earl Hines, etc.

THE ADMISSION IS ONLY 60c IN ADVANCE—75c AT THE DOOR. BUY YOUR TICKETS IN ADVANCE AND SAVE. TICKETS ARE NOW ON SALE AT DR. BAYLOR'S DRUG STORE AND LINCOLN TAP ROOM.

In Great Demand
Willie R. Davie, president of the Associated Promoters and owner of the band with offices in the Rockland Palace building, 829 NW Second avenue, declares that he gets more requests for the Hartley Toots attraction than any that has played the South this season and that includes such names as Don Redman, Earl Hines, Lucky Millinder, Sunset Royals, Tiny Bradshaw and scores of others.

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Tuesday, July 26
"One Day Only—"
"WISE GIRL"
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WEDNESDAY - THURS.
JULY 27, 28—
"THE MAN WHO CRIED WOLF"
with Tom Brown, Barbara Reed and Lewis Stone Also Chapt. No. 2 "Secret of Treasure Island" and News

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Only recently my attention was called to the great work done by the Jewish Agricultural Society. This organization has been successful in placing three score, thousand young Jewish farmers on their own land in thirty years.

When a boy or girl finishes school, he or she is broke. practically all positions are closed to this same person because of color, so what avenue of escape has this youngster? He or she has only a diploma and a head full of knowledge.

We haven't begun to exploit our economical opportunities in the general field as opposed to the restricted Negro field. We have not grasped the opportunities to aid our own personal selves as well as the race as a whole.

Trusted men and women with vision and business experience in positions of leadership could inspire the confidence which would make possible the financing of corporate enterprises, bringing tens of millions of dollars yearly to our group and furnishing employment to tens of thousands now jobless and who will not get work otherwise.

WE DIFFER WITH MR. CUMMINGS

In his reply to Senator Robert F. Wagner's request that the Department of Justice make an investigation of the two recent lynchings, one in Rolling Fork, Mississippi and the other in Arab, Georgia, Attorney General Homer Cummings said: "In the absence of any federal statute dealing with lynchings, the Department of Justice is powerless, under the law, to take any action with reference to the deplorable crimes to which you refer in your telegram of to-day."

We beg to differ with Mr. Cummings in that we claim that any time the provisions of the Constitution or its amendments are violated, a prima facie case is made where in the Attorney General may act of his own volition, or he may act through the executive department of the government.

LEGAL HINTS

ATTY S. R. REDMOND DELUSIONS OF A TESTATOR

Before a will may be voided on the theory of delusion, the extent of the delusion must be such as destroys one or all the elements that go to make a testamentary mind.

In the trial of a will contest an instruction on delusion is not proper unless there is substantial evidence of a delusion or monomania; that an unjust, unnatural, and unreasonable will has been made; and there is some proof to show the absence of one or more of the elements of testamentary capacity.

Courts are anxious to sustain wills and will not break one unless there is no other escape. Jurors itch to break wills but the appellate courts guard against this tendency.

Negro NYA Employment Reaches All-Time High

CHICAGO, (ANP) — Negro youth employment on NYA work projects reached an all time high in the report released July 1 by NYA State Director William J. Campbell.

More than 1,200 NYA youths have received complete physical examinations through the cooperation of local boards of health, medical societies and community organizations. Over 1,000 have also taken special training in first aid, community hygiene and personal hygiene.

It is urged that more apple trees be planted; but that is but the half of raising apples. Pruning and spraying for insects is the other half.

ties of citizens of the United States; nor shall any State deprive any person of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law; nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws."

We maintain that any State which, through its officers, allows a person's property or life to be taken from him without due process of law then such officers should be adjudged as having denied the victim his rights as a citizen, and consequently, the Attorney General has a right to act in such case.

Instead of his office being "powerless to act" in the case of the two lynchings in the South, we think that the Attorney General should be charged with neglect of duty for his failure to perform the obligation as required of him by the Fourteenth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States.

GEORGIA ABOLISHES CHAIN GANG

A new page in the history of the state of Georgia was written last Monday when Governor Rivers signed an order which prohibited whipping and sweat-boxes and removed the chains from the ankles of seven thousand and five hundred prisoners in that state.

We are particularly interested in this matter because of the seven thousand and five hundred prisoners in the different camps, six thousand were Negroes. No one will look upon these figures and believe that it just happens that Negroes as a race are more criminally inclined than white people.

BREAKING HOME TIES!



A THIRD TERM FOR F. D. ROOSEVELT

By KELLY MILLER

Will Franklin D. Roosevelt be chosen for a third term? Read the answer in the Stars "For mortals do not know." No President knows at the middle of his term whether or not he will stand for re-nomination, whether for a second or third term.

With the political horizon before him, he must consult the conjunction of the planet in the zodiacal heavens. Hypothecating good health, the decision whether to run or not to run is dictated by the welfare of his country and the exigencies of his party.

The American people are irrevocably committed to a program of liberalism. Conservatism and reaction have been thoroughly discredited as belonging to the "horse and buggy age."

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President Roosevelt has as tight a grasp upon our foreign as upon our domestic problems. Should present forbodings lead this nation into war the captaincy must needs continue in his hands.

Franklin D. Roosevelt is the only American President whose third term is demanded by the trend of events. From the present posture of political and economic affairs, it is a safe venture to predict that if the Presidential election were held today instead of 1940, Franklin D. Roosevelt would be chosen for a third term by an impressive majority comparable with that which he received for his first and second terms.

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Missing Pages From History

By HENRY WINFIELD WHEELER

INVISIBLE TRANSPORTATION

The shrill echo of the whistle from the distant woods, the hoot of the owl at midnight, a silent little group of human beings gliding quietly through the underbrush in some obscure foot-path, their figures making grotesque shadows in the pale moonlight, were the signs of the preparations for the departure of human cargo by means of "Invisible Transportation."

The flight of the Hebrews from Egyptian bondage, the retreat of ten thousand Greeks, related in Xenophon's "Anabasis," or the wanderings of the mythical Ulysses in Homer's "Odyssey," in fact, all history is surpassed in the innumerable series of dramatic incidents in this transportation system where operators wrought deeds that make truth seem stranger than fiction.

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leading to the most secret and nearest Canadian post.

It is with gratitude and admiration that the writer tells of the Quakers in Pennsylvania, William Lloyd Garrison in Massachusetts and of those hundreds of noble white Christian men and women in all parts of the United States who defied the penalties proscribed for their violation of the drastic Fugitive Slave Law of 1850.

"Underground Railroad" was a term originated by a Negro, "Tiek" Davis, who, when the purchasers of a slave woman inquired the direction she had taken, replied, "she went under the ground."

The various routes of the Underground Railroad, of which Levi Coffin and Robert Purvis were the presidents, extended from Virginia into Pennsylvania, from Kentucky to Ohio and from Missouri into Illinois—all routes

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It is the opinion of the writer that the noble and worthy deeds of all the citizens of St. Louis should be taught in the white and colored schools. When we read of the suffering of the men and women of both races, for a righteous cause, it should give us a greater incentive to carry on. In commemoration of the Knights of Liberty, let us go forward.

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