

UNITED BROTHERHOOD MAKES PROGRESS

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Negro Fire Chief Takes Over Post

NEW YORK. —(ANP)—When Mayor LaGuardia shook hands and congratulated Wesley Williams Friday at noon on the steps of the city hall, it marked another step in the steady climb up the ladder for the first Negro in the N. Y. city fire department, for Wesley, as he is well known in Harlem by his host of friends, made the grade of battalion chief, carrying a nifty salary of \$5,300 per annum and a command of six fire companies.

Right up through the grades he went fireman first class; lieutenant; captain and now battalion chief. His accomplishments were won solely on merit, each promotion being made as the result of a competitive examination. His physical rating is one of the highest in the department, and his record as a firefighter is almost unequalled in the department.

It is his job to attend every fire in his district, riding to the fire in a special car with a private chauffeur, supervising all work while at a conflagration and supervising the activities of the units under his command. Chief Williams is one of the best liked officers in the department, and has his eyes set on a higher ranking before his retirement. He is also one of the youngest battalion chiefs being around forty-five years of age.

To Dedicate Debt-Free Church In Gary

GARY, Ind., (ANP)—The members and friends of Israel CME church with their pastor, the Rev. J. Claude Allen, will see the realization of their dreams and efforts when they worship in their new church this Sunday. Bishop J. A. Bray of Chicago is expected to preach at the morning service.

The dedication service will last two weeks, August 8-22 while many local and out of town men and women will appear on the nightly programs. The pastors and their choirs of the nine C.M.E. Churches in Chicago will be the guests of Israel Tuesday evening.

So far the new church under Rev. Allen has met all building expenses. The pastor has added to the church roll 307 members and has raised since coming here in 1934, \$33,004.04.

Stephen Wells Wins Oratorical Contest

The oratorical contest given at the Liberty Baptist Church last Monday evening was well attended and proved to be a huge success. The contest was sponsored by the Oddfellows. Stephen Wells was awarded the first prize in the contest. Anna Lewis, Esther Mitchell and Elsie Tunley won the second, third and fourth prizes respectively. The other contestant was Frances Cooksey.

Oddfellows To Sponsor Other Educational Programs

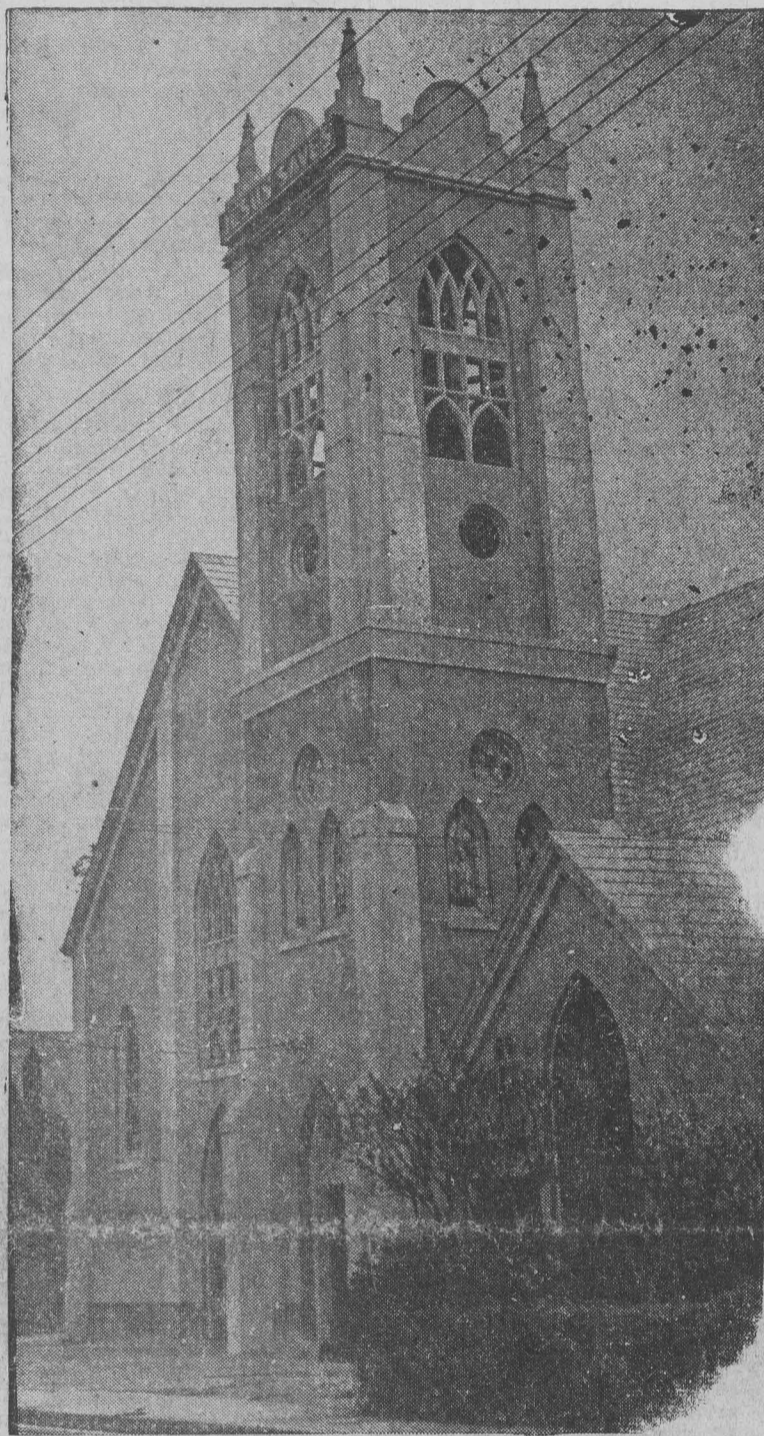
This oratorical contest is only one of the many such programs that will be sponsored in the very near future. The proceeds of these events will go to the benefit of the CHARITY FUND, A VERY WORTHWHILE CAUSE.

Actor Saves A White Film Star

HOLLYWOOD, (ANP)—James Stephenson saved Boris Karloff's neck on the set of "Devil's Island" when a movie guillotine didn't follow direction and went berserk in a "last minute pardon" scene which nearly ended disastrously for Karloff.

The star was to have his neck saved in the film scene by a soldier who interposed his rifle barrel between the blade and the block. Real steel was used instead of wood to add drama in sound as well as action when steel met steel.

Where The Negro Business League Will Meet



Antioch Baptist Church, 313 Robin Street, Houston, Texas (Rev. T. J. Goodall, pastor), which will serve as headquarters for the 38th annual session of the National Negro Business League, August 17 to 19. Morning sessions will be held in the auditorium, August 17 and 18, and exhibits will be housed on the first floor. Arrangements have been perfected to serve noonday meals to delegates and visitors in the dining room. The \$2,000,000 Coliseum site for League's Night Program. The recently constructed \$2,000,000 Sam Houston Coliseum will be the scene of the public programs of the National Negro Business League. The city council of Houston granted the Houston Negro Chamber of Commerce, host to the league parley, free use of this modern and air-conditioned municipal auditorium. Governor James V. Allred of Texas, will speak in this building at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, August 17.

CRASH FATAL TO "HARLEM HITLER"

NEW YORK CITY. —(ANP)—Sufi Abdul Hamid, known as the "Black Hitler of Harlem" and one of that district's most colorful characters, was killed Sunday when the plane he bought last Thursday crashed at Bellmore, L. I., narrowly missing a highway crowded with Sunday motorists. Hamid's pilot, Fred Burkhardt was killed and his white secretary, Miss Kay Price, was critically hurt.

Plane Plunges

Early Sunday afternoon, he arrived at Roosevelt Field with his wife and a score of followers. His wife, who was known as Madame Futam, spiritualist is said to be the author of several booklets on how to win in the numbers game. She waited at the hangar with her husband's disciples while Hamid went aloft in the recently-purchased plane to continue lessons under Burkhardt's instruction. Miss Price also climbed into the cabin.

Rival Of Father Divine

The death of the Sufi ended a career that had affected Harlem more deeply than that of any cult leader, not excluding Father Divine, whose idea of fried chicken and gravy "heavens" the Sufi is suspected of having borrowed. The Sufi, whose name was frequently corrupted with "Snoofi" in Harlem, called himself His Holiness Bishop Amiru-Al-Mu-Minim Sufi Abdul Hamid. He said he was born in the shadow of an Egyptian pyramid. The police said his name was Eugene Brown and that he was born in Lombard street, Philadelphia.

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Organization In Display Of Fine Work For Race

Central Body To Hold Meet Monday Night

The United States Missionary Baptist Brotherhood has made rapid strides since its organization several years ago under the leadership of Gilbert B. Bell. The organization has promoted many worthwhile projects that have helped the members of our race in this city and has aided in a great way to eliminate the great misunderstanding that usually exists where two races of people reside.

Policy Of The Organization

The purpose of the organization is to increase knowledge of church policy and discipline and to aid the churches in a financial way. Several incidents fostered by this association in the past few years, have been acclaimed by some of the outstanding leaders of the city.

Program To Be Rendered At Regular Meeting Monday Night

The Brotherhood of the Independent Church of the city will render a program at the business meeting of the Central Body which will be held at the Community Center. The program will start at 8 p.m.

Officers Of The Brotherhood

G. B. Bell, pres.; W. E. Emage vice president; W. M. Johnson, second vice president; H. W. Hackman, sec'y. Austin Griffith, treas.; B. F. Lambert, chaplain, Adrian Bell, auditor, James V. Roach, musical director. T. B. Weely, parliamentarian. James V. Roach, chrm., of program committee.

James Weldon Johnson Left "Over \$10,000"

NEW YORK CITY, (ANP)—James Weldon Johnson, killed on June 26, in an auto crash at Wicasset, Maine, left an estate of "over \$10,000" it was learned.

Yellow is a beautiful color. We disapprove of its use to indicate cowardice.

Sufi was the first Harlem cult leader to preach direct action for jobs.

Father Divine led the singing and eating, but the Sufi put his followers on the picket line with placards saying: "Buy Where You Can Work." in front of stores whose proprietors he accused of refusing to hire Negro help. He reached the height of his power in the Winter of 1934-35 and his picket lines were a sore trial to Harlem merchants. The tension that resulted from this, combined with other causes of friction, resulted in the fatal Harlem race riots of March, 1935.

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President of Brotherhood



Mr. Gilbert B. Bell, president of the Missionary Baptist Brotherhood. Before coming to this city he gained fame as a noted lecturer and orator. Mr. Bell is employed by the city of Evansville and holds a very responsible position. He resides in the Lincoln Gardens.

The 'Big Dipper' Comes To Town

This conversation was recently heard on the avenue. 1st party: "I hear that the Big Dipper has come to town". The second party, "what is the Big Dipper"? The first party, "have not you heard, it is that new wide brim drape model hat with the low crown, recently introduced to Harlem and is now sweeping the nation from coast to coast. It is now featured at LEVINSON AT THIRD AND MAIN STREETS. The second party, "well, I just purchased a new suit from STANLEY CLOTHING CO., one of these new shades of green in a drape model, and I think that I will go to LEVINSON today and get me one of the Big Dippers in a jade green color and then I believe that I will be looking as if I just stepped out of the Esquire Magazine." The first party, "You will be surely toggled in the above named regalia but you forgot to mention your tie. You can get the shirt, tie and other accessories at the same store, in colors to match your ensemble. If you get that outfit, a wrist watch and Cameo ring from ACME JEWELERS ON MAIN STREET, you will be titled, the man of the hour."

Harry Levinson Has Established A Store In The City That Has Grown To Be Quite Popular For The Members Of The Younger Group Who Want The Latest In Hat Styles.

Levinson Is Now Indiana's Leading Hatter. This Is A Complete Haberdashery With The Latest In Men's Styles.

Father Divine Given 50-Room N.Y. Mansion

NEW YORK.—Father Divine, the Harlem evangelist has received from followers as a gift a 50-room mansion on Madison avenue, complete with private telephone system and a loud-speaker arrangement which will broadcast his frequent exhortations of "peace" in the building. The purchase of the house, which consists of two brownstone homes made into one, was disclosed last night. The price was \$24,000.

The evangelist will live there with his 12 secretaries and chosen disciples.

Business, Political Figure Passes On

NEW YORK.—(Special to ANP)—Jacob Q. Moses, for more than half a century prominent in the business and political life of New York, died Wednesday night at Bellevue hospital after a lengthy illness.

Grown-ups ought to follow the Boy Scout idea; and by "doing one good turn a day," they would find more than one coming to hand.

NAACP To Hold Mass Meeting At Liberty Church

Attorney Bailey will be principal speaker.

The president of the local branch of the N.A.A.C.P. announces that there will be a big mass meeting at the Liberty Baptist Church Sunday Aug. 7, at 3 p.m. There is expected to be a capacity house to hear Attorney R. L. Bailey, who will be the principal speaker.

Appeal To Be Made To Clemency Commission

The purpose of the big meeting is to formulate plans by which an appeal can be made to the Clemency Commission by the citizens of the city, on behalf of the Swain case. The commission will act on the case August 9. Attorney Bailey, chairman of the State Legislature Redress Commission of the N. A.A.C.P., presented the petition signed by Evansville citizens, to the Governor of Indiana, last week which resulted in the granting of a stay of execution until the eleventh day of August.

Ass'n Wants Sentence Commuted To Life Imprisonment

The N.A.A.C.P. is working to have the death sentence of James Swain, who was indicted and sentenced for killing of Chris Bredekamp, local white grocerman, last fall, commuted to life imprisonment. Swain, in company with James Alexander, 16, entered Bredekamp's Grocery with the intention of robbing the store, and as a result of such actions the grocerman was killed.

Pastor's Institute

Rev. M. R. Dixon Jr., president of the N.A.A.C.P. has gone to Chicago where he will attend the Pastor's Institute and Educational Conference to be conducted jointly by the Divinity School of the University of Chicago and the Chicago Theological Seminary and the Disciples Divinity House. This institute will be in session from Monday, August 1 through Sunday, August 14. Rev. Dixon will return to the city on week ends to occupy his pulpit at Alexander A.M.E. Church.

TEXAN WHO FORCED DAUGHTERS INTO SEORGIES GETS CHA

TYLER, Tex.—(ANP)—In one of the most sensational cases ever tried in Smith county, District court, and with the courtroom restricted to men only because of the nature of the testimony, the jury, after being only 14 minutes, found Charles Tucker, white Rio Grande berry picker, guilty of participating in the rape of his daughter, Irene, 15, by prostituting her to Negroes. Tucker was sentenced to die in the electric chair.

Although found guilty of participating in the sex crime against only one daughter, Irene Tucker was also charged with forcing his wife, Mrs. Gold Tucker, 38, and another daughter, Ruby, 17, to have illicit relations with 19 Negroes, for an average of 75 cents for each offense. Mrs. Tucker said she and her daughters had taken enough money in one night to make a \$25 down payment on a car.

Since the present term of District court ended last week, was believed that the trial of Mrs. Tucker and the 19 Negroes—all held on statutory charges—will not be held until the November term of court. Witnesses against Tucker were his daughter, Irene and two other residents of Bullard—St. Moseley, 55, a railroad steam hand and Young Johnson, 50, a farmer. Although the case is one of plain "pandering," the family one of ill repute, was thought here the prosecution may demand the extreme penalty for the 19 Negroes involved.

Most fascinating feature of old fiddlers' contest is the old idlers.

C And H Shoe Shop

The C and H Shoe Shop located on Lincoln Avenue, directly in front of the Lincoln Gardens is announcing special prices on high class shoe repairing. Henry Piland and his son-in-law, Clarence Donhoff have a small but complete shop that is equipped to give you the best of service in the shoe repair line. Free Heel Plates Will Be Given Away With Each Repair Job. The C and H Shoe Shop has been in business only for the past few months and in the short time that it has been established, the owners have been able to build a large patronage.

See Their Ad For Special Prices On Shoe Repairing—The Ad May Be Found On Another Page In This Paper.

OLSHINE CREDIT CLOTHIERS

The Olsshine Credit Clothiers located at 615 Main Street has one of the most complete lines of clothing for the entire family that can be found in the city. Mr. Bohrer, manager of the store declares, "we are clearing our shelves making ready for the fall merchandise that will soon come in. We do not want an overstuffed store, so we are offering special prices on clothing for the entire family at reduced prices". A charge account at Olsshine means (1) you can buy now (2) save now (3) wear now BUT PAY LATER.

"That's Credit With A Smile" MITCHELL'S FOOD MARKET

The Mitchell's Food Market is having its grand opening this week at 273 Canal St. The Market is located in the building formerly occupied by the S and B Market. During Opening Week The Owner Of The Market Is Offering Some Quality Meats And Groceries At Greatly Reduced Prices. See These Items Listed In An Ad On Another Page In This Week's Paper. Go To Mitchell's Market Today And Take Advantage Of These Rock Bottom Prices. The Market Is Very Clean And Sanitary. Mr. Mitchell Appreciates Your Patronage, So Pay Him A Visit Today And Make A Purchase.

AUTO LAUNDRY

When you have a car to be washed or polished, take it to the Auto Laundry at 611 S. E. 7th St. and let James "Shorty" Hobby give it the best wash and polish in the state. "Shorty" has the reputation of being the best in the game. He is fast, dependable and efficient. At the Auto Laundry you will find a laundry that is equipped to give your car a full Radian Auto Lustre that will preserve the paint on your car and will give it that everlasting gloss. There are 7 distinct points that are features of the Radian Auto Lustre Treatment;

1. Provides a hard transparent finish that does not water spot, crack or peel.
2. Maintains a clear lustre for many months.
3. The more it is washed, the better it looks.
4. Easily removes scum found on the car with cleaner—lustre never requires removal.
5. Stripping can be applied over the lustre.
6. Unaffected by weather conditions.
7. Two applications a year maintains new car appearances for the life of the car.

Did You Know That Kraft's Weekend Special Is Fresh Peach Ice Cream Sundae? These Ice Cream Sundaes, Made By That Popular Young Clerk In Kraft's, Harold Davis, Are The Talk Of The Town.

Don't Forget To Mention The Argus When Answering Ads. Just Say, "I Saw Your Ad In The Evansville Argus".

AIR COOLED ROYAL GARDENS DRAW LARGE CROWDS NIGHTLY

Popular Henderson Nite Club Proves Popular With Youngsters The Royal Gardens, managed by "Dorsey", is proving to be one of the most popular places for the pleasure seekers of Henderson and Derbyville. The Gar-

dens is a very beautiful place, air cooled by nature. The Gardens can always accommodate your private parties, just contact Dorsey. Opened 24 hours a day. You may dine and dance at the Gardens, located at the corner of Dixon and Alvasie Sts. Dorsey has a complete line of cigarettes, ice cream and cigars.

YOUNG RACE MAN HAS MODERN TONSORIAL SHOP

Mr. Ewitt McFarland, owner of the McFarland Barber Shop located in the heart of Derbyville, is announcing a celebration of the first year that his modern shop has been in the present location.

McFarland has worked in different shops in the city for 7 years and has added quite a number to his long list of satisfied customers, since he has established his business on Lincoln. Thomas Piper assists McFarland in the shop.

STERILIZATION OF INSTRUMENTS

All instruments that are used in this Union Shop are completely sterilized. There are plenty of comfortable chairs, for the waiting customers, in this air-cooled shop. The barbers specialize in ladies' work and are equipped to give a complete tonsorial service, including shaves, haircuts, massages, hair straightening, etc.

Go To Mc's The Next Time You Need Some Barber Work.

NOTICE!

The Evansville Argus is sponsoring a Cash Drawing Contest that will start Saturday August 6, 1938 and will be held every two weeks thereafter. \$2.00 in cash money will be given away to the holder of the lucky ticket. At the public drawing that will be held at the offices of the ARGUS every other Saturday at 4 p.m.

In order to be eligible to enter this contest, you must be an adult.

You Do Not Have To Make A Single Purchase. You Just Clip The Ad Of The Elite Liquor Store Out Of This Paper And Carry The Same To The Elite Liquor Store Where You Will Be Given A Coupon. Write Your Name And Address On The Coupon, Place It In A Box That Will Be Found At The Store And Retain The Stub.

In case you do not have the stub on your person when the winner is announced or when some one comes to your home with the cash award, the money will go back into the cash fund and added to the next cash award that will be given away two weeks from that date. This will be the general procedure from week to week. You may be present at the drawing if you so desire. THE ELITE LIQUOR STORE IS LOCATED AT 718 LINCOLN AVENUE and features a complete line of liquors, gins, cocktails, and wines at reasonable prices. They are as near as your phone.—Call 2-7482.

MISS EVANSVILLE ARGUS POPULARITY CONTEST GOING GREAT

The names of the contestants of the Miss Evansville Argus Contest will be printed in next week's issue of the Argus. The contest is going great and the ladies are working very faithfully to win that beautiful Philco Radio that is now on display at Spiegel's Furniture Co. 617-19 Main Street. This Radio Is Being Offered As The Grand Prize. The Second Prize is a Beautiful 15 Jewel Ladies' Wrist Watch Now On Display At The Acme Jewelers, 428 Main Street. Go And See These Beautiful Prizes Today. To All Contestants!!!! August 15 Is The Deadline On The Guest Tickets Now Being Offered By The Manager Of The Majestic Theatre. So Please Work Hard And Get Your Tickets. We Have Only A Limited Amount And They Are Going Fast.

Something like the trailer life existed in the time of the "moving wagon." But moving wagon folk knew that that kind of existence couldn't go on forever.

TEACHERS ASSOCIATION ASKS RAISE OF NYA AGE LIMIT TO THIRTY-FIVE YRS. AT ANN'L CONVENTION

Negro Vets Plan For The Legion Con'v

LOS ANGELES, Aug. (ANP)—As the date, Sept. 18-22, draws nigh which will bring thousands of legionnaires here from all over the country for the National American Legion convention local colored citizens become more and more conscious of the important part Negro doughboys played in the great war. But the fact that there were many colored officers in command in various divisions will be more graphically brought to light than at any past gathering since the armistice was signed.

The commander, is Lieut. Norman O. Houston, adjutant of the association with a number of local ex-service men who also were the bars of officers. Mr. Houston was with the 317th ammunition train. A few of the other members of the local chapter are Lieuts. Curtis C. Taylor, A. J. Booker, Curtis Carpenter, Bennis Matthews, Captains Frank Pearl, Thos. Pwen, George Allen, Edward Spearman, Chas. Owens, and others, 35 in all.

Preparations are being made to entertain the visiting officers royally with many side trips, etc., during their visit and reunion here.

TRY TO KEEP NEWLY APPOINTED FIREMEN OUT JOBS

DETROIT, (By Robert A. Camp for ANP) The efforts of a mob of hoodlums who made an unsuccessful attempt to prevent the first negroes ever to be admitted as members of the local fire department from taking their positions here Saturday, has been linked to the unscrupulous work of the intamous Ku Klux Klan and the hanger on from the Black Legion, a combination now known as the "Pioneer League of Michigan."

That some members of the fire department are connected with the Pioneer outfit is evidenced by the fact that while it had not been made public as to what fire station these two negroes, Marvin White and Marcena Taylor, would be assigned when they had completed their training, word leaked out to the people in the neighborhood of Engine Co. No. 34 at Livernic and Walton avenue that these men would report for duty there Saturday morning.

As a result, when the new fire fighters arrived at the fire house to take up their duties, more than 150 whites were on hand to prevent their entering, barring the way on all sides and completely blocking the doorway.

It will be recalled that for the past three years a fight has been waged by various organizations for the placement of Negroes in the local fire department. Chief among them was the Detroit Civic Rights committee, headed by Snow F. Grigsby, Grigsby, who would not take "no" for an answer even though his committee had previously been told by former Mayor Frank Couzens that there would NEVER be any Negroes in the local fire department.

The reasons that Mr. Couzens gave coincided with the actions taken by the mob, continued his fight, which resulted in the two men passing the civil service and entering the training school.

Howard Names Three Ph.D.'s To Faculty

WASHINGTON, (ANP)—Three new additions to the faculty of the holding doctor of philosophy degrees, were announced last week by Howard University. Dr. Rayford W. Logan, graduate of Harvard and Williams, has been added to the history department. He is a Phi Beta Kappa member and an author, and formerly taught at Virginia Union and Atlanta universities.

The new associate professor of education is Dr. Martin D. Jenkins, who holds degrees from Indiana State Teachers college and Northwestern university, and is widely known in educational circles. A graduate of Cornell university and the University of Maryland, Germany; Dr. Stanton J. Wormley will become assistant professor of German.

It was also announced that Laurence Ira Cooper, instructor,

Worker May Receive \$575,000 Oil Wealth

TULSA, Okla.—(A N P)—Oil riches may come to Tom Montgomery, 64-year old resident here but it'll have to be more than the \$575,000 already offered him he insisted Saturday.

Montgomery, owner of 547 acres near Kilgore, Texas, said he had been offered sums ranging from \$4,000 to \$575,000 for the land but he's in no hurry to sell. He inherited the land years ago and holds the abstract, he said, but litigation has been in progress for a long time. Montgomery and his wife live in the rear of 1605 Peoria. They have five children, all living in Texas. Tom was an official employee of a food store but thru a business slump the store had been forced to close and Tom is on the Oklahoma unemployment list.

Kilgore is in the heart of Texas' largest oil belt, where many Negroes have come into great wealth and land. Kilgore is located between Shreveport, La., and Dallas, Tex.

Capital, 5th Negro City, Ranks Ninth In Retail Business

WASHINGTON, D. C.—(ANP)—William L. Austin, director Bureau of the Census, reports that Washington, fifth among the cities of the United States in Negro population, ranked ninth among the cities having 50,000 or more Negro inhabitants in the number of retail stores operated by Negroes in 1935. New Orleans, Detroit, Memphis and Atlanta, sixth, seventh, ninth and eleventh in size of Negro population, had a larger number of retail stores operated by Negroes than Washington.

However, the 279 stores operating in Washington, D. C., in 1935 by 287 active proprietors and firm members represented an increase of 35 stores over the number (244) of stores operated in the same city in 1929. Of the stores operated by Negro proprietors in Washington in 1935, 31.5 per cent (88 enterprises) were classified as eating and drinking places and 25.1% (70 enterprises) as "other retail stores." These 158 establishments constituted 56.6% of all stores operated by Negro proprietors in the city named.

In total sales, Washington's Negro-operated stores with receipts of \$1,593,000 ranked fourth among the fifteen leading cities in Negro population and first as to average sales.

Pres. Sanford Given European Vacation

LANGSTON, Okla.—(ANP)—Members of the Langston University Board of Regents, including Governor E. W. Marland and State Superintendent of Education A. L. Crable, are reported so well pleased with the phenomenal progress of the institution since President J. W. Sanford became administrative head three years ago, that they are rewarding him with a vacation trip to Europe.

The popular educator will be accompanied by his charming wife and son and Miss Gladys Tillman of the department of English.

The party will sail from New York City, August 10, on the S. S. Queen Mary and will return on the S. S. Normandie, September 11. While abroad they plan to visit historic and picturesque points in England, Germany, Switzerland, Italy and France.

DR. RALPH BUNCHE HONORED IN OLD HOME

LOS ANGELES, (ANP)—With the most brilliant record of any young Californian who has left here since 1927, Dr. Ralph Bunche returned here last week with his charming little family to spend a much needed summer vacation. Since he received his bachelor of arts degree from U. S. C. in 1927, followed by Ph. D. and M.A. degrees at Harvard, he has been head of the Department of Political Science at Howard U. until two years ago.

When awarded a fellowship by the Social Science Research council, and commissioned to research in Europe and Africa, in "Advanced Anthropology" he set out at once. This field work took him to many lands with much time spent among the African

has been named acting dean of the college of pharmacy.

PERSONALITIES IN MUSIC

HARRY T. BURLEIGH, A.S.C.A.P.
The Student That Inspired Dvorak



By Daniel I. McNamara

"SWING low, sweet chariot!" The stirring strains of this Negro spiritual are mirrored in the second theme of the first movement of Dvorak's "New World Symphony." Dvorak died in 1904, but the young Negro student who first revealed to the famous Bohemian composer the beauties of this refrain and of scores of other spirituals has lived to become one of the most notable figures in American music—Harry T. Burleigh, A.S.C.A.P., famous baritone soloist and composer.

Burleigh had won a scholarship in the National Conservatory of Music in New York while Dvorak was his head in the early '90's. Born in Erie, Pennsylvania, December 6, 1886, he learned music first from his talented mother, a college graduate whose cultivated mind flowered in the genius of her son. Dvorak often listened hours at a time while the young student played the spirituals he had learned from his mother. Her lasting impression on Dvorak is seen in the music of his New World Symphony, first performed at Carnegie Hall in 1893.

While still a student, Burleigh won appointment as baritone soloist in St. George's Protestant Episcopal Church. Now, as the only Negro member of a choir of 120 voices, he is completing his forty-fifth year of continuous service. Worshipers in the famous institution long since have come to regard Burleigh's singing as an integral part of their de-

colonies and various African tribes. His travels took him deep into the interior of the "dark Continent," including the Belgian Congo, Uganda, Tanganyika and Kenya.

Demands Kroger Store Colored Managers

DETROIT, Mich.—(ANP)—A demand that qualified Negroes be employed as managers in Kroger Grocery and Baking Co. stores was made Friday by Local 136 of the United Bakers and Foodhandlers, one of the unions on strike against the company.

The union also demanded that colored employees be paid the same wages as whites. Kroger stores have refused to hire Negroes as store managers even in colored districts, employing members of the race only as menials and at much lower wages than whites doing similar jobs.

GRAND-DAUGHTER OF B. T. WASHINGTON WEDS

YORK, Pa., (ANP)—At a quiet ceremony attended by a few relatives and held here Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mitchell, brother and sister-in-law of the groom, Miss Fannie Virginia Pittman, grand-daughter of Dr. Booker T. Washington, and Leonard Carl Mitchell, prominent York business man and musician, were united in marriage.

The bride's mother, Mrs. Portia Washington Pittman, Tuskegee Institute, Ala., came here for the wedding. Well known in music

C. L. Davis Made President. Choose Atlantic City, N.J.

Notables Participate In A. T. A. 35th Annual Meet In Tuskegee

TUSKEGEE, ALA., July 31.—The Thirty-Fifth Annual meeting of the American Teachers Association, in session at Tuskegee Institute since Tuesday, July 26, closed Friday evening, July 29, with a brief address by the retiring President A. Henningburg, Assistant to the President, North Carolina College, Durham, and the presentation of the newly elected president Carrington L. Davis, Principal, Douglass High School, Baltimore, and former Regional Vice-President of the American Teachers Association.

Highlights in the program throughout the week were addresses by Thurgood Marshall, Assistant Special Counsel, NAACP, New York City, who told of the work that the Association has recently accomplished in the equalization of teachers' salaries in Maryland and Virginia. In this connection the recently dismissed Principal in St. Petersburg, Florida, was presented to the audience and told of developments in Florida toward equalization of teachers' salaries. James A. "Bill Board" Jackson, special representative of the Esso Marketers, New York City, presented the stirring challenge of commerce to modern youth. Miss Fannie C. Williams, Principal of the Valena C. Jones Normal School, New Orleans, Louisiana, and past president of the ATA, told of the work in vocational guidance being done in the schools of her city. In a brief address, Mrs. B. B. Walcott, of the editorial staff, Tuskegee Institute, spoke of the chance windows—a picturization of Negro Spirituals in stained glass. Prof. H. L. Trigg, Inspector of Negro High Schools, Raleigh, North Carolina, gave an illuminating address on vocational guidance. Dr. F. D. Patterson spoke on "The Philosophy and Program of Tuskegee Institute. Mr. Willis Ward of the Personnel Department of the Ford Motor Company, Detroit, told what the Ford Motor Company in training and in opening up opportunities for the Negro youth. Dr. T. T. Tildon, representing Dr. Eugene H. Dibble Jr., Manager, United States Veterans Facility, brought greetings and invited the delegate assembly to visit that facility.

Ask NYA Age Raise

As a result of a resolution to the delegate assembly a request was sent The National Youth Administration, Washington, requesting that the age limit for Negroes receiving NYA assistance for graduate study be raised from the present age of 24 to 35 years. A generous contribution was voted for the work of the NAACP and special greetings were sent Mr. C. J. Calloway, for many years Executive Secretary of the Association, who for the first time in many years was unable to attend the sessions because of serious illness at his home in Greenwood, Tuskegee Institute, and to President H. L. McCrorey, who because of a serious fall, has been confined to the John A. Andrew Memorial Hospital, Tuskegee Institute, throughout the sessions.

An outstanding bit of business completed by the Association was the coalition of the National Teachers Association with the National Educational Outlook to the end that the National Educational Outlook becomes the official organ of the ATA.

Officers elected were: Carrington L. Davis, Baltimore, President; Miss Mary L. Williams, Charleston, West Virginia, Vice-President; William W. Sanders, Charleston, West Virginia, Executive Secretary; Howard H. Long, Washington, D. C., Treasurer; John A. Davis, West Virginia, Chairman Resolution Committee.

New member of the Trustee Board: Mrs. Anna M. P. Strong, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Atlantic City, N. J., was unanimously accepted as the site of the 1939 meeting.

Canadian AME's Vote To Merge With U.S.

ONTARIO, Canada—(ANP)—After a split dating back 86 years, the British Methodist Episcopal Church of Canada, last week at its 20th Quadrennial meeting in this city, voted favorably on the proposal to return to its parent body the African Methodist Episcopal Church.

TRAINMEN UNION OFFICIALS MEET

OKLAHOMA CITY.—(ANP)—On July 28, executive board members, members of trustee board and about 100 members of the Trainmen, Brakemen and Porters Union No. 21458, affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, met in a special call meeting at the home of the president, Steve Bennett, here for consideration of the resignation of A. K. Webb, white, national representative of the union, and to elect another representative to serve in his place until the general election, February, 1939. They also discussed wages and working condition schedules now pending before various Western, Southern and southeastern railroads.

Vernon C. Coffey, colored, of Kansas City, Kans., employed as trainman on the Omaha division of the Missouri Pacific Lines, was elected as the national representative.

If we build noble cities (the riverfront improvements) we shall be sure to keep them clean. One virtue begets another.

Men first began to seek personal beauty when they began to One of the banes of winter resorts is the number of hypochondriacs who want to tell you their symptoms when you sit on a bench with them.

circles, the bride was honor student at Detroit Conservatory of Music and the Damosch School of Music in Manhattan and for two years studied privately under tutelage of Hazel Harrison.

Harlem Manufacturers To Open Coop. Stores

NEW YORK CITY.—(ANP)—Fourteen of the 125 Negro manufacturers operating in Harlem have formed what is believed to be the first Negro producers cooperative association the purpose of which is to open a large retail outlet store where products manufactured by themselves will be displayed and sold. This group is affiliated with the Consumers and Craftmen's Guild of Harlem, Inc., organized by Ralph O. Gothard in 1936 to sponsor a cooperative movement in Harlem.

Save money and somebody will always give you interest on it. Easiest way on earth to get a living—after you've saved the money. Young man, we adjure you to think on it.

Contractor Retains Negro Road-Builders; Defies KKK Threat

KNOXVILLE, Tenn.—(By Dr. O. B. Taylor for ANP)—Superintendent Cash of the McDougal Construction Co., with branch offices at Concord, Tenn., near here has answered a KKK warning "get those Negroes back to Georgia" by bringing in more men from Atlanta where their main office is located.

A seven mile stretch on the Chattanooga-Nashville four lane highway a few miles out of Knoxville, is now under construction by the McDougal company, headed by Supt. Cash who is reported to have said, "If I am to be responsible for this job then it is only fair that I should know something of the ability of the men who work on it." "These men have been with my company for years, they are dependable, and their work has been satisfactory. The colored workers who recently arrived from the Georgia City, as well as those who have been here for a longer period are paid \$1 an hour as skilled concrete finishers.

Calvin's Newspaper Service TESTED RECIPE

By Frances Lee Barton

GINGERBREAD has as many roles in the household as an actor in a stock company. Sometimes gingerbread is a "company fixer" and sometimes it is a between-meal filler-upper for the children.

With a dish of apple sauce and a glass of milk, hot gingerbread makes a grand, satisfying lunch. Here's yet another recipe for gingerbread—and how good it is!

Hot Gingerbread Cakes

2 cups sifted cake flour; 2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder; 2 teaspoons ginger; 1 teaspoon cinnamon; 1/2 teaspoon salt; 1/2 cup butter or other shortening; 1/2 cup sugar; 1 egg, unbeaten; 3/4 cup molasses; 3/4 cup milk.

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, spices, and salt, and sift together three times. Cream butter thoroughly, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add egg and beat well; then molasses. Add flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time, beating after each addition until smooth. Turn into greased cup-cake pans, filling them 3/4 full. Bake in moderate oven (375° F.) 20 minutes, or until done. Serve with whipped cream or apple sauce. Makes 2 dozen cup cakes.

This batter may be stored in cold place as long as 24 hours before baking. Cover partially filled cup-cake pans with damp cloth, then waxed paper; tie securely and store in refrigerator until cakes are to be baked.

ASKS LYNCHING PROBE BY UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON.—Rep. Louis Ludlow (D), Indiana proposed a "compromise" anti-lynching bill and insisted that Atty. Gen. Homer S. Cummings conduct studies with a view toward offering to congress definite recommendations for anti-lynching legislation.

Ludlow renewed his request for a justice department study of possible anti-lynching legislation in reply to Cummings' statement that responsibility for such legislation "is primarily and unmistakably upon congress."

Ludlow submitted a proposed anti-lynching bill which, he said, might be used as the basis for justice department recommendations. Under the Ludlow suggestion, the justice department would investigate all lynchings to determine whether a federal statute had been violated.

Mississippi Boy, 16, Makes First Solo Flight

GREENVILLE, Miss., (ANP)—After completing the eight-hours of training fixed by the U. S. Department of Commerce, David Lee Scott, 16 year old aviation enthusiast, made his first solo flight last week.

Taking off at the Greenville aviation field, young Scott made what was described as a perfect three point landing. Sidney Monson, local instructor, says the youth is one of the best flying prospects in the country.

N. Y. Boasts A Colored Social Security Branch

NEW YORK, Aug. (By Al White for ANP)—Although hundreds of thousands of colored citizens of the United States are registered under the administration of the Social Security Board, and hundreds of colored workers are engaged in maintaining the records of the various offices, there is only one branch office in the country manned exclusively by Negroes. And to New York, went the honor of being selected for that branch office. Chicago had one which later was consolidated.

Located at the cross roads of Harlem, 125th Street and 7th Avenue, this office is under the immediate supervision of George E. Cohorn, who has the title of manager; his assistant is William C. Kelley, both with long experience in government work and both being civil service appointees as the result of competitive examinations.

Others on the staff of the Harlem office are Mrs. Wormley; Mrs. Brown, Misses Murray and Trotman and Mr. Hartgrove—all civil service appointees with records of former service with the government.

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He is one of five convention delegates elected at a recent membership meeting of Local 6, together with five other members of the New York Hotel Trades council, is now conducting a drive to organize New York's hotels and clubs. Of the 100,000 workers employed in these, about 60,000 are Negroes. Eckford is employed at the Hotel Cameron.

One of the important resolutions delegates were instructed to support on the floor of the convention provides for complete abolition of discrimination against Negro workers in the catering industry. The delegation will also support an amendment to the International Constitution to distinguish separate Negro locals in the Hotel and restaurant fields.

The other delegates are: M. J. O'Brien, secretary-treasurer of Local 6; Gertrude Lane, organizer; Patrick McAuliffe, formerly Vice-President of the Capitol Hotel and now a member of the union's executive board; and Jerry Ross, secretary of the union.

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Regardless of the efficiency and courtesy of any service rendered to any community, if that service is not open to all, it is not rendering the greatest service to humanity.

With all due respect to the efficiency, interest and courtesy of the White Public Health Nurses of the Evansville Public Health Service, there is a need for Colored Public Health Nurses. Why don't we have any in our city of about 7000 population? We have some very efficient nurses, some of them capable of filling the job.

Any service is NOT COMPLETE if it will not part of the citizens of a certain community of the opportunity to serve humanity, if the inspiration that the younger generation would receive through seeing real service rendered by a nurse.

Miss Carolyn O. Brown of Chicago spent a week with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Chas. G. Brown, 257 Lincoln Avenue, July 27-31.

Miss Henrietta Johnson of 419 S. Linwood Avenue, will leave Sunday for Chicago, Ill., where she will visit her sister, Miss Atlanta Johnson.

St. John's M.E. Sunday School plans to have its annual picnic August 13 in Mesker Park. The picnic will be a most enjoyable affair. The picnic will be held at the Mesker Park Hotel. The picnic will be held at the Mesker Park Hotel.

How we wish we could be living 100 years from now, when the national forests will be in their prime.

At the Cotton Club Chicken Shack on 422 Chestnut St. you will find delicious meals prepared by Leona.

Mrs. Susie Cunningham and her son, Oliver of Cadiz, Kentucky were called to the home of Mrs. Lennox on Walnut Street, on the account of her son Adolphus Cunningham. He met with an accident Wednesday July 27, when he fell from a truck and fractured his skull. He is now at the Walker Annex.

Mr. Lennox has suffered a relapse recently. He is much improved at this writing.

Rev. George Cole of East View Baptist Church will sponsor a chicken dinner August 6 at the church on Queen Street.

Rev. and Mrs. I. C. Smith and family, had as their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kellogg and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thurman of Harvey, Illinois and Mrs. Ina Boyd of Chicago, Illinois. These visitors are members of one of the former charges of which Rev. Smith pastored in Harvey, Illinois.

CORRECTION: (Not a published error, but a rumor) It was a serious mistake when it was made publicly known that Miss Juanita Brown, the piano player, had taken an apartment in the Lincoln Gardens. She has never applied for one of them and as yet has never been an any of them," declared Miss Brown.

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Chick Webb and Ella Fitzgerald played to a capacity house Tuesday night at the beautiful Coliseum. All Derbyville turned out en-masse to greet the "king and queen of swing," and they in turn put on a show, the like all Derbyville has never seen before. Miss Fitzgerald's swinging of her most popular song, "A Tisket a Tasket," brought cheers and more cheers each time that she did this number.

Among some of the out-of-town guests seen enjoying the many entertaining features of the evening include: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clay, Mrs. Lillie Randolph, Mr.

and Mrs. W. L. "Fats" Brown, Mr. Melvin Bell, Mrs. Joe McGuire, Miss Marianna Jordan and James Blakemore of Henderson, the members of the Bachelor Benedict club of Owensboro, Paul Lewis, McKay Hughes, Robert Marshall and Harry Dickerson of Princeton, John McFarland and Herman Smith of Vincennes.

Promoter Jute Tyler announced at the dance that he is bringing the famous Horace Henderson and his band to Derbyville later on in this month. Watch the pages of the ARGUS for the exact dates.

75 Screen Extras Strike Hold Up No. 1 Stars' Film

HOLLYWOOD, Calif.—(ANP)—Just about the most important happening of the week was the fact that the Screen Actor's Guild, fair, square, undiscriminating union for motion picture players of all classes, came near getting a black eye from the colored group, one that it has benefited greatly. And with the colored players having been members only a year, after being forced to join as a body where only a few belonged before, it would have been a very bad reflection on the face if this black eye had landed.

It happened this way. Director Conway, now in the midst of shooting "Too Hot to Handle," at MGM, made a call to Central Casting bureau for 100 men for natives. They all had to be of athletic build and be willing to dance war dances, and shoot bows and arrows if necessary. Charles Butler, veteran colored casting director, could only find 88 of the required description, because from 2,000 formerly on his books there are only a few over 400 now since joining fees and quarterly dues are required by the union. Of these 75 passed the tests and fully agreed to report last Tuesday morning at 7:30 at the guild rate

of wages for extras of atmosphere players of \$8.25 per day, with overtime, transportation, waiting time, rehearsal periods, etc., fully covered in the guild's specifications. All had a thorough understanding and all seemingly were well satisfied, as the former non-union wages for extras averaged \$5 per day, with no protection from discrimination, over-work or other irregularities.

But seemingly overnight, considerable agitation had been going on within the ranks and although they all reported on time, they all struck and refused to start work. Their demands were for \$11 each, except for a few who were to receive \$15. While the production staff was at its wits' end, Clark Gable, Myrna Loy, the high salaried stars, marked time and with the cameramen, electricians, grip men, prop man, and others of the technical staff all waiting, every tick of the clock was adding thousands to the production costs. Finally after much arguing, the studio acquiesced to the new demands and all worked.

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A 34-Piece One Man Band Too Much

HOUSTON.—(ANP)—How to arrest a one-man band who played 34 pieces was too big a problem for one traffic officer to solve. So he got reinforcements.

Paul Blackmon, 24, was arrested for obstructing traffic when he began playing in front of Sam Houston high school. Some of his 34 "instruments" were beer cans, a tin cake box and a skillet. All were fastened about a wooden box, and he managed to play them all at the same time.

Mr. Handy practically earns his living now from royalties on "The St. Louis Blues." As a member of the American Society of Authors, Composers and Publishers, his rights are amply protected, and his income runs around \$20,000 a year from all rights to the song. His firm is active, however, in the publishing field, and is making a special effort to cause the public to know better the works of Negro authors. A new piece the firm has published is "Drum Corps with Bugle," a modern treatise by A. Jack Thomas, former bandmaster of the U. S. Army, many copies of which have been bought by the government for CCC Camp bands.

DENTISTS ANNOUNCE PROGRAM FOR ANNUAL MEET NEXT WEEK

CHICAGO.—(ANP)—Chicago's Mayor, Edward J. Kelley, will welcome the National Dental Association on its 25th anniversary convention at a public meeting Tuesday in the auditorium of DuSable High school. The association response will be delivered by Dr. S. C. Hamilton, national president-elect of Chicago.

Following the morning registration on August 9 there will be the first business session starting at 2 p.m. with the opening remarks by Dr. M. R. Hebert, Chicago, president of the Lincoln Dental Society, the host chapter, and replying will be Dr. E. W. Taggart, Birmingham, chairman executive board. Other important matters for that meeting are the address of the national president, Dr. R. E. Beaman, Cincinnati, and the yearly report of the secretary-treasurer, Dr. J. A. Jackson, Charlottesville, Va. The president will appoint committees and hear reports of the standing committees, along with the statement of the highest governing body, the executive board.

Knights of Peter Claver in Confab

LAFAYETTE, La.—(By O. C. W. Taylor for ANP)—The Knights of Peter Claver, Catholic organization, and the Ladies auxiliary of the order, are meeting this week in the auditorium of St. Paul Catholic church and the Good Hope hall with a record number of delegates present.

Louis M. Israel, Plaquemine, La., is the head of the men's department and Mrs. A. R. Aubry, New Orleans, is the head of the Ladies auxiliary. Reports from Gilbert Faustina, treasurer of the Knights, and from Mrs. Clotilda T. Williams, treasurer of the auxiliary, both of whom are from Mobile, Ala., state that the finances of the order are in the best of condition. The treasurer of the men shows a balance of \$39,275.17 to the credit of the order and the women's balance is \$12,175.86. Both of these balances are said to be clear of debt. An increase of 563 members for the year was reported by Supreme Knight Israel.

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SLEEPS ON TRACKS; HEAD IS CUT OFF

ST. LOUIS, MO., August—What began as an enjoyable fishing trip Sunday for Max Walker, 25, and several companions ended tragically for Walker. Becoming sleepy, he laid his head on a train track to appease the approach of Morpheus. He was struck by a Rock Island freight train, when shouts from his companions failed to awaken him. He resided at 4327 Cozens avenue. Funeral services for the victim were held Tuesday.

"St. Louis Blues" Brings Its Author \$20,000 A Year

NEW YORK.—(C)—W. C. Handy, father of the "blues," has been on Broadway for twenty years, he revealed in a special interview in the office of Handy Brothers Music Co., 1587 Broadway, Friday. Mr. Handy will be 65 years old next November 16, and is still active, managing the affairs of his world-wide organization himself. Associated with him in the business is his brother, C. E. Handy, and his son, W. C. Handy, Jr.

15 Million People To Be At Youth Conf.

NEW YORK CITY.—(ANP)—Representatives of 50 organizations will comprise the U. S. delegation to the 2nd World Youth Congress which meets at Vassar college, August 16-24. It was announced this week by Joseph Cadden, chairman of the U. S. Organization Committee for the Congress. The 50 organizations have a combined membership of approximately 15 million young people.

DRAMATIC CLUB MEMBER INJURED

Mrs. Hattie Daniels, 29, 4219 W. Cook avenue, prominent as a member of the Aldridge Players, was struck by a Ford delivery truck Tuesday about 3:42 p.m. in front of 122 N. Taylor. She received shock, bruises and injury of the left foot. Joseph Reiley, 25 (white), driver of the truck belonging to the Pahl Cleaners, was booked for careless driving.

Got Signals Crossed

ST. LOUIS, MO., August—Martin Thompson, 28, 1118 S. Compton avenue, stated he was stabbed in the right chest with an ice pick Tuesday by his common-law wife, Rosie Franklin, 27. He said she attacked him when he waved at a woman who was passing his house.

Act To Protect Funeral Corteges On The Street

ST. LOUIS, MO., August—Letters were sent out by the St. Louis Funeral Director's Association Monday requesting drivers of funeral cars and private cars to turn on the headlights of their cars while in funeral processions to cemeteries, in addition to carrying insignias to identify their cars. This was done in an effort to identify and assure funeral corteges safe passage over public streets without interference. If effective, action will be taken to have an ordinance introduced to provide for proper observance and respect by all other traffic.

VETERAN DOCTOR DIES

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Prevues of Pictures At The Royal Theatre

SATURDAY AUGUST 6.
Buck Jones, Helen Twelvetrees and Grant Withers come to the screen of this theatre for one day only in the picture, Hollywood Roundup. This story is a modern conception of the twentieth century cowboy, showing the many tricks of the rodeo cowboys and cowgirls. Buck Jones, long a favorite with the kiddies, will thrill the grown-ups with his fancy steer riding and lariat twirling. On the same bill is the final chapter of the serial, "Wild West Days." A cartoon completes the show.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY AUGUST 7 AND 8.

The members of the fairer sex will get a chance to see the predominant styles in the fashion world as displayed by some of the most gorgeous professional models in the film capital. This is a Walter Wanger production that has been heralded by critics as being one of the few pictures

PRO FOOTBALL TEAM PLANNED FOR ST. LOUIS

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Saint Louis is promised one of the best professional football teams ever assembled west of Chicago this fall. The team is being financed and managed by Dr. Franklin Lovings, St. Louis renowned sportsman.

The following are asked to attend the first meeting of the grid iron season at 912 1-2 N. Ewing avenue, August 7 at 9:30 p.m.

Moon Laster, Wild Bill Dickey, "Sully" Buckner, "Keeg" Chandler, "Alex" Mosley, "Bill" Campbell, Ed. Hoskins, Pledge Macklin, James "Flash" Coyes, Carl Westfall, Willie Smith, Cooper, "Ray" Jackson, James Whitesides, Wendell England, W. M. Palm, "Bingie" Farmer, Chas. Lane, "Blinkie" Hertford, Quincy Troupe, "Puff" Rhodes, "Bull" Clay.

The line will be coached by "Beet" Blackshear, former Lincoln U. star lineman. Any other players who wish to try out for the team also report at meeting. Games are being booked throughout the Middle West.

It is requested that the St. Louis fans give their whole hearted

Condensed Summary For Busy Readers By ALBERT G. BARNETT (For ANP)

LEAVENWORTH, Kan.—For the first time in history of state or nation, a second coroner's jury was summoned last week to investigate the recent fatal shooting of John Greeley, 46-year-old colored War veteran, by City Detective George O'Dell. The first jury failed to reach a verdict, the second absolved the detective of blame, said he fired in the line of duty. Objecting to calling of the second jury, T. W. Bell, counsel for Mrs. Greeley, declared, "She is going to insist on her rights to have a jury trial in open court and, if necessary, will appeal to the attorney general and the governor."

News At A Glance!

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Colored workers throughout the 11 Southern states are rapidly being added to WPA payrolls, it was learned here this week. Activity followed the order issued last week by Harry Hopkins, WPA administrator, that 200,000 Southern workers be given jobs, at \$30 each a month. Declared Mr. Hopkins: "The income of the South needs to be raised now . . . to get wages into the hands of those who need to spend it."

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How It Should Be Done By R. "BOB" E. MITCHELL

Dear Readers:
So sorry that I was unable to be with you last week, but the reason is, I was slightly indisposed. A friend of mine and I were talking the other day about eating and drinking. I made this observation to him: 95 percent of the people in the United States do not know how to eat properly and 98 percent do not know how to drink properly. He was taken aback at this startling revelation and utterly dumbfounded. For his benefit and consolation, I am offering a dinner menu with the appropriate wines and served by one of the best waiters in the game, Alfred Lambert.

For the first course, we'll have a Dry Sherry, optional, —melon slices — slice of lime. Second course, A Mossie wine, Zeltinger Schlossberg. Entree—grilled sweet bread. Third course, A Claret wine—Pontet Canet, A fillet of Beef and Bearnaise Sauce, chestnut and celery dressing-salad-artichokes and vinaigrette. The dessert shall consist of sherry tart and a small glass of Tokay wine—Latin coffee and a Poney of Cognac or a B. & B.

After one shall have partaken of this meal he will have dined sufficiently. Now we will take a stroll out into the cool on the veranda where we may be able to take a smoke. I will tell the first story that usually accompanies a conversation that deals with the right and wrong way to eat and drink. Wine, like music and pictorial art, has been inseparably linked with endless pageants of fine emotions. In every high civilization it has fed the hard flames of imagination and beauty in every land, but when we know how to drink it, it may occupy the highest place in the minds of all. Quoting one celebrated epicure and brilliant savarin, "wine is the king of liquids and carries exaltation of the palate to the fullest degree." Now for a stroll in the moonlight.

—See you later, — BOB

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B.Y.P.U.—6:30 p.m.
EVENING SERVICE—7:30 p.m.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
BALTIMORE DEDICATES
Our sister congregation, Baltimore, Md., which is about eight years old, has for the past eight years been worshipping in the auditorium of the Y.M.C.A. However, last Sunday a change for the better was made by St. Matthew's Lutheran Church. They dedicated their own building to the services of the Triune God.

LITTLE ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
Elliot and Cross Sts.
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Robert Bronson Vice Pres. Epworth League, Misses E. C. Hill and Lillian Landers, president of the Senior and Junior Missionary Societies respectively. Rev. H. E. Edmonds of Cleaves was also elected delegate to the annual conference this fall which meets in Paducah, Kentucky.

Our ten day vacation Bible School is now in session and a very splendid enrollment is reported. We are asking all pastors and parents to cooperate with this school.

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Local Golf Stars Point For Central States Tournament

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Plans are being made to entertain the largest entry list ever to compete in the association's eight year history. The tourney is a one 36-hole medal play affair. Ex-champs Charles P. Howard, of Des Moines, and Richard Young of St. Louis, will also be here. Shepard has two legs on the association's beautiful championship trophy, will be on hand to head phy while Young has one, copping

Midnight Musings Of A "Sky-Pilot" "CASUAL OBSERVATIONS"

Your columnist is inditing this week in a rather blasé environment, the lobby of the Ritz Hotel on Chicago's South Parkway at Oakwood boulevard. A few feet away sits the Earl Hines, pride of the Sixth Side's "Grand Terrace" and incidentally the world's greatest "ivory tickler." It's rather stimulating at times to move in sophisticated circles especially among Afro-Americans for there they actively scintillate.

One can best appreciate the advantages or disadvantages of his community only by contrasts. There are certain types of individuals in every small community who are rather distinguished. Their words are of tremendous import in their particular circle. Their personalities are outstanding, given the proper background. But when they are forced to gravitate in a limited sphere of activity for too long a period, their horizons are likely to become limited, and eventually their capabilities and talents. It is impossible to perpetually extract inspiration from one's inner self without an occasional recharging from outside stimuli.

St. Louis Pirates Hang 2-1 Defeat On Moberly Browns

ST. LOUIS, MO., August—Some 250 enthusiastic baseball fans saw the St. Louis Pirates defeat the Moberly Browns of Moberly, 2-1, Friday night, at Metropolitan Park. Although the Pirates won the game, they were out hit by Moberly, 5-2.

The game started as a pitcher's duel between the veteran, Cooper and the youngster, Robertson. In the sixth, Dehuk reached first on an error and Nunn, the Pirates' centerfielder, tripped to left center, scoring Dehuk with the first run of the game. Pinkston struck out for

went on to write: "And another matter—the judging of some recent bouts have been atrocious, to say the least, yet they're right back there humped after fight." "Almost the same thing happened Wednesday night at the Auditorium, only it was worse, in that Parks, thoroughly beaten, a sorry sight from the fifth round to the finish, was given a decision over George Burnette, a Detroit Negro. The crowd, slim as it was, recognized the injustice and booed and boomed for several minutes.

"But that wasn't all. The final bout of the evening, between Marty Simmons and Red Bruce, the latter a light-colored Negro, was terminated by the referee in the ninth round of what was to have been a 10-round encounter, the referee disqualifying Bruce "for not fighting," although he had stood up through nine rounds of a merciless body attack that had his ribs and kidneys a dull red. And he was fighting a dull chunky fellow who hit and clinched for the first five rounds while Bruce was trying in vain to connect with his specialty—a hard right hand.

"The fight was slow and uninteresting for the first five rounds and could well have been stopped then, but it seemed such poor judgment to ring the curtain down with less than a round and half to go. "If we remember correctly, the new commission was going to work pretty hard with that nice new broom the Governor gave it—and "bring boxing back."

SPORTS

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CHICAGO.—(A N P)—What is described as a "charity football game between the Chicago Bears, champions of the Western division of the National Professional League, and a team of Negro stars selected by popular vote," has been scheduled for Friday night, September 23, at Soldiers Field, it was announced last week by Dr. Curtis W. Reese, dean of Abraham Lincoln Centre and chairman of the Charities Joint Committee, sponsors.

Colored Stars And Chicago Bears
Proceeds will be distributed among three Chicago charities, Lincoln Centre, Hull House and Chicago United Charities. Those elected to the team will be brought to Chicago two weeks before the game, have all expenses paid, and will receive \$100 each for playing, the sponsors announced.

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Boxing Show To Be Featured At Arena Mon. Nite
Weekly amateur fight shows are offered at the Fox Arena on Carpenter Street each and every Monday night by the Fox Athletic Club, which is a member of the Amateur Athletic Union of Indiana and Kentucky. On these fight cards many outstanding Negro fighters have appeared with success.

For this next Monday, August 8th, the Fox A. C., is bringing to Evansville one of the outstanding fight teams in the United States consisting of 8 boys known as the "BROWN BOMBERS" from St. Louis, Missouri. Among these fighters on the St. Louis team will be such outstanding boys as Earl Major, Scotty Taylor, Dummy Jones and Ted Robinson. Two other Negro boys who will appear on the fight card are George Cooksey, former Lincoln High School athlete and one of the best prospects as a fighter in the middleweight division. Cooksey has fought many times on the Fox A. C. cards and has been successful in most of his fights. He is a middleweight. He fights Al Tibbetts, Golden Glove middleweight champion from Danville, Illinois, this Monday night.

Two other Negro boys will fight on the card and they are Oliver Phillips, sensational heavyweight from Danville, Illinois, and little Leon Haire, St. Louis featherweight Golden Glove champion. There will be eight bouts on the card, and Promoter Lee Sullivan says that the colored people are always welcome at the Arena.

The prices of admission for these fights are 40c and 60c, but special coupons have been passed out and can be secured at Dr. Baylor's Drug Store, and with these coupons you can get a good seat for 25c. The Fox A. C. is expecting a large turn out of colored people for these fights.

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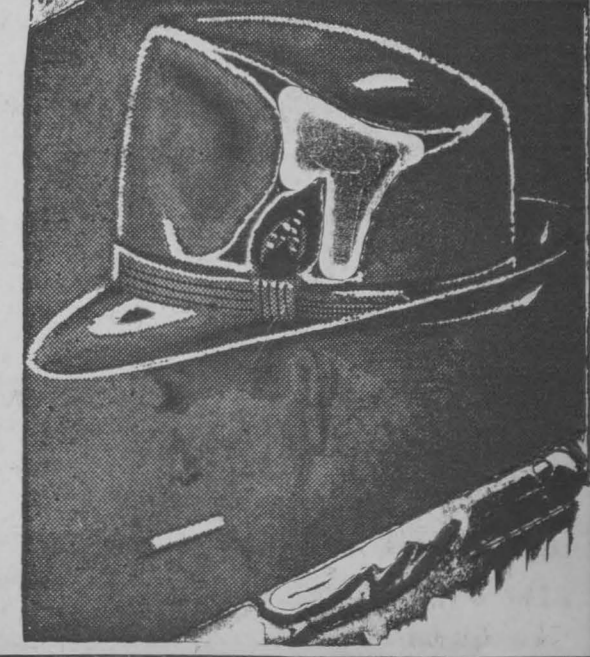
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If we will only realize that we know not what tomorrow brings and that if we are fired from one job, that it usually takes time to find another one and during all this time we have to live and it is impossible so to do without funds. If we live within the range of our pocketbooks, we can look our employer straight in the eye and tell him what is what, if such occasion arises.

Named Chief Negro Weston Speaks At Adviser By Ickes Nat'l Rail Meet

WASHINGTON, (ANP)—William J. Trent Jr., of Greensboro, N. C., was appointed Thursday as chief adviser on Negro affairs in the PWA by Secretary of Interior Harold Ickes.

Trent, on the staff of Bennett college, Greensboro, the past four years, assumed his new post immediately. His work will consist of obtaining Negro participation in the programs of the Department of the Interior, PWA, and associate agencies.

Only 28 years old, Trent was educated at Livingstone college in North Carolina and at the University of Pennsylvania where he received his master's degree in business administration in 1932. He has taken additional graduate courses in economics and sociology at the University of Pennsylvania and is author of the "History of the Negro Insurance Enterprises."

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RALEIGH, N. C., (ANP)—Delegates representing 9,000 workers, here attending the fourth annual convention of the International Association of Railway Employees which opened Sunday at First Baptist church, heard C. W. Rice of Houston, principal speaker, discuss railroad labor conditions in Louisiana and Texas and the general labor movement as it affects the American Negro. About 1,500 were present at the opening meeting.

The decision to employ a full-time attorney and open headquarters at Washington was reached after a report on the coach cleaners' suit was made by Rice, who was the agent in bringing the suit that secured a temporary injunction against the National Mediation Board to be heard October 10 in the court of the District of Columbia. Willis, who resides in Chicago and Danville, Ill., has been general attorney for the association since its beginning four years ago. He was elected for the new post unanimously.

Timely remarks were made by Ley on Weston, secretary-treasurer of the Dining Car Waiters, and general secretary of the International Association of Railway Employees. Other features of the convention were a sightseeing tour around the city; the annual banquet was held at the Washington High school and a dance at the Masonic ballroom.

The convention voted to hold the fifth annual session in Atlanta, Ga., Monday after the fourth Sunday in July, 1939. Weston was named as instructor in economics and assistant business manager at Livingstone and Bennett, and also was dean at Bennett.

AT THE CROSSROADS!



MISSING PAGES FROM HISTORY

by HENRY WINFIELD WHEELER

SLAVE TRADITIONS

Our African ancestors were dominated by many taboos and traditions, as were all primitive people. They firmly believed in the separate existence of the body and the soul, and one of these spiritisms had a more lasting effect than any other on the life of the Negro in America.

White people soon learned that the dead were revered and feared by the African and therefore beside being taught that God and His angels were white, he was also made to believe that after death, the returning spirit was in a white form. In other words, white was "summum bonum" "ne plus ultra," and black anathema, "malum in se."

On the good ship, "Jesus" came the voodoo man and the conjurer with all their tricks and incantations from the African kraals. The man or woman who could "conjure" was credited with many powers for good and evil, such as being able to destroy the injurious influence of an enemy by sprinkling pepper and salt around his door, or being able to cause invalidism, or even death, by filling a bottle with red pepper, dried rattlesnake and vinegar. Believers in conjuring missed the incongruities of these practices—the impotency of these "witch doctors" to conjure a white person, even though he be the slave trader, Haley, or that devil incarnate, the slave-driving Simon Legree.

The slave owners, in order that they might have no conscientious scruples in regard to slavery, were fortunate in having spiritual advisers who reminded them of the curse of God upon Canaan—"And He said, 'cursed be Canaan. A servant of servants shall be unto his brethren.'" (Genesis IX, 25.) To them, this Hebrew prognostic could mean no other than black folk. For the perpetuity of the institution of slavery, Negroes were not allowed to have confidence in each other; anything to be valid had to have the stamp of approval of some Anglo-Saxon, no matter how mediocre he or she might be. This training crept into our religious dogma. When the hardened sinner, on the mourners' bench, for whom fervent petitions for his soul had been sent up by the church, was snatched from the gates of Hell, his testimony usually ran in this manner: "I was in the valley on my knees, praying, just about four o'clock Sunday morning when Jesus blessed my soul and the scales fell from my eyes. I looked at my hands and they looked new, and a little white man took me by the hand and placed my feet on the eternal rock, which is Christ Jesus."

Seventy-five years of freedom and the marvelous achievements of such men and women as Booker T. Washington, the

educator, Misses A. Bowden, Nannie Burroughs and Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, organizers and presidents of colleges for girls; Dr. E. Just of Howard University and the late Dr. Chas. Henry Turner of Sumner High School in St. Louis; Roland Hayes, Marian Anderson, Duke Ellington and J. Rosamond Johnson in music; W. E. Dubois and James Weldon Johnson in literature, and the miraculous accomplishments of Dr. George Washington Carver have failed to lay the ghost of slave traditions which still haunts us and impedes our progress.

We have seen Negroes lose law suits simply because they trusted some untrained white shyster, instead of hiring a Negro attorney from the law schools of Harvard or Yale, or some equally well qualified Negro school. It is a psychological fact that the Negro lawyer has a sentimental interest in your cause of action. The writer has a personal friend who is a dentist, having graduated from Howard University, and has a reputation for doing excellent work, yet members of his race must consult a specialist (white) before they have any work done by him.

The saddest part of this inferiority complex psychology is the lack of confidence and even professional courtesy to the Negro physician. Several months ago a highly qualified colored physician and surgeon who is a graduate of one of the best medical schools in the country, and who has done post graduate work in various hospitals was consulted by a man concerning his wife. After a thorough examination the doctor informed them that the case was so baffling that an X-ray examination was necessary. Before agreeing to this the husband insisted upon consulting a white physician who concurred in the opinion of the Negro doctor. The patient's husband then immediately secured the money for an X-ray.

LEGAL HINTS

ATTY S. R. REDMOND

Q. If a person buys an article and pays with a check does title to the article pass to the purchaser at the time of the sale?

A. No. It will not pass until the check is cashed.

Q. I rent the upstairs of a two-story house. My family is the only one that uses the steps going to the second floor as it is a two-family house. I missed a step and injured myself. There is nothing wrong with the premises. Can I recover for my injuries?

A. No. Recovery is based on negligence or willfulness. Your landlord had nothing to do with your injury and is not responsible.

Q. If a person has property and is insane what should be done?

A. Have the probate court try the matter and appoint a guardian for the insane person.

Q. If one is out of the state an election day can he vote?

A. Yes. Missouri permits absentee voting and if a qualified voter will not be at his home to cast his vote he should get a ballot from the election commission.

"THE DUKE IS TOPS" PANNED IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK. (A N P)—Although Million Dollar Productions' filmical, "The Duke Is Tops," drew good crowds when it was shown at the Apollo theatre, the general impression here is that the company devoted to all-Negro talkies has produced a flop that will appeal little to colored audiences and not at all to white.

had been done, and suggested trying black coffee (for an abdominal obstruction). The friend then insisted upon consultation with Dr. B, a white specialist, who had treated his grandfather "for a mosquito bite." So the patient was removed to Hospital Q, where Dr. B realizing the danger of delay, frantically endeavored to obtain a surgeon, finally secured a friend (white) who performed the operation—too late. An autopsy confirmed the diagnosis of the colored Dr. Z. "The fault, dear Brutus, is not in our stars, but in ourselves that we are underlings."

How often have we heard the expression "You never see a white man do that." Such reasoning as this tends to debase a race and reduce its efficiency to a minimum degree. The black boy and the white boy must be educated away from slave traditions and the foolish philosophy of superior and inferior races. They must be taught that the measure of a man is his mind, and that man is an expression of divinity. Next week—"A Pioneer Artist."

N.Y. Yanks' Star Powell Suspended For Race Slur

CHICAGO TAVERN OWNER FIRST TO PROTEST "NIGGER" BROADCAST

C. H. Brown Sends Telegram Minute After Jake Powell's Slur At White Sox Park

CHICAGO.—(By Albert G. Barnett for ANP)—The first Chicagoer to send a telegram of protest last Friday to Bob Elson, WGN sports announcer, denouncing Jake Powell, outfielder with the New York Yankees, for using the word "Nigger" in his radio interview, was Chylow H. Brown, proprietor of Brown's tavern at 729 East 43rd street.

Brown, with a group of friends, was listening to the dug-out interview, broadcast just prior to the Yankee-Sox game. Bob Elson asked Player Powell what he did during the Winter. Powell replied that he worked as a policeman at his home in Dayton, O., adding the flippant remark, "I use my club on niggers." That insulting sentence immediately reverberated throughout the Southside section. Shocked and surprised by its unexpected utterance, Bob Elson cut off his "mike," terminating the interview.

Meanwhile, Brown's wire was on its way, and ten minutes later when Announcer Elson started his regular broadcast of the game, sponsored by Old Gold cigarette manufacturers, he announced receipt of the wire, was profuse in his apology of the incident and said he was never so shocked in his life. The telegram, signed by "The Gang at Brown's Tavern," read, "We protest word 'nigger' used by Jake Powell in radio interview as direct insult to race!"

Soon other telegrams and phone calls deluged the local WGN broadcasting station adjoining the Tribune Building on upper Michigan boulevard, and the wave of protest spread to all sections of the city, both white and colored baseball fans denouncing Powell for his uncalculated insult.

The protests also reached the offices of Baseball Commissioner Kenschaw Mountain Landis and he soon took official action. Later, during the broadcast of the game, Elson made two more references to the incident and declared that Powell would never be permitted to speak over the WGN microphone again. The next day (Saturday) Commissioner Landis summoned Powell to his office, and after hearing the player admit making the remark, suspended him for ten days.

In addition to sending the telegram Tavern Owner Brown also phoned Player Lou Gehrig and Manager Joe McCarthy of the Yankees, both of whom he knew Friday night, at the Del Prado hotel, where the team was quartered. Gehrig and McCarthy expressed regret at the occurrence and said it would never happen again. Brown, for a number of years headwaiter at the hotel, was succeeded several years ago by present headwaiter Irving Gray.

He is said to know personally more major league ball players than any colored hotel man in the country.

Mo. Calanthe In Fine Shape

ST. LOUIS, MO., August—The Grand Court Order of Calanthe of Missouri closed the thirty ninth annual session in St. Louis July 28. New laws were made for the growth of the Order.

The reports of the Grand Registrar of Deeds, Mrs. Hattie M. Flower and Grand Receiver of Deposits, Mrs. Ellen Henderson, showed the Order in a splendid financial condition with six thousand dollars in the Beneficiary and Burial departments, and all claims paid.

The Grand Worthy Inspector, Mrs. Josephine Truchart, presided over the Grand Court because of the illness of the Grand Worthy Counselor, Mrs. Bertha T. Buckner.

There were delegates from all over the state. All officers were re-elected except the vacancy of the Grand Assistant Conductress, to which Mrs. Laura Beason of Miami, Mo. was elected. Mrs. Eva M. Fox of Kansas City was elected Supreme Representative to Detroit, Mich., in August 1939.

J. Dennis Stressed The further development of the Juvenile Department was stressed through an educational program with a scholarship loan fund, Mrs. Rosetta W. Gibson of Kansas City, chairman. The joint memorial services were conducted by Mrs. Blanch Snell of Kansas City. Two Grand Court Officers have joined the Heavenly Court—the mother of the Grand Court, Mrs. Martha Price of St. Louis, and Mrs. Haradenia Lampkin of Miami. There were a number of social events for delegates and visitors. A special feature each year is a "Pal Revelation Party" where

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So many of us give hours of careful attention to our complexions and completely ignore the frame that sets off that complexion—our hair. No matter how lovely the hair that is dried out, streaked or too oily will mar the effect. Summer is the hardest season on the hair. Most of us neglect to take proper precautions against sun and wind. We go without hats and it for hours in the broiling sun and then are distressed to find our hair parched and streaked.

The hair should be washed more often in water cooler than in hot. Just because you have your hair washed regularly once a week or once every two weeks during the winter doesn't mean that the same rule should hold during the summer. Simple hot oil shampoos or oil treatments are invaluable during the summer to counteract the drying effects of the sun. However, streaked appearance of the hair brought on by over-exposure to the sun may require the use of a wise selection of hair coloring. For hair that streaked an all-over application of coloring, matched with your original shade, will give a uniform effect.

Gray or graying hair, of course, can be colored by touching up only the gray strands, although it is usually wise to apply the first application uniformly over the head. After that you need only touch up the part nearest the scalp as the graying grows in, since the hair, as you know, grows from the scalp, not from the ends. It's as simple as that and will grow worth your while.

Be sure to brush your hair regularly. Why not arrange a set routine and stick to it? Pick out the most convenient time of day to brush your hair and the best day of the week to have it washed. In that way you are less likely to put it off as long as possible and in the end neglect the important hundred strokes of the brush. Nothing gives the hair a more gleaming, burnished look than regular brushing. Brushing removes accumulated dust and grime from the hair and stimulates the circulation. Be sure, however, to keep your brushes and combs immaculately clean.

And don't forget the ounce of prevention. Keep a hat or some protective covering on your hair when you are in the sun. These are all simple suggestions, but if you follow them they will reward you with a shining "Crown of Glory."

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.

TO BUILD SCHOOL IN SWAMP OUT OF SALVAGE MATERIAL

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 6.—(By Leon Lewis for ANP)—Announcement came this week that "construction of a \$37,000 elementary school for Negroes, will begin Monday. The building will be constructed with lumber salvaged from the Walter C. Flower and William Franz schools (white) which have recently been replaced with brick structures."

"Radiators and boilers from the schools will be salvaged also for the 'new' Negro school. Because of the soft condition of the soil at the site of the school, about 200 pilings will have to be driven to support the building."

This prompted an investigation which revealed that the material to be used in construction of the proposed school is from condemned structures and the site is a swampy, soggy piece of property which realtors have not been able to sell.

With nearly a million and a half dollars earmarked for new school buildings in the city, the Orleans Parish School Board dishes out this type of junk to

formality is laid aside and gifts are exchanged by Grand Court Officers. This party is held at the home of the G.W.C., Mrs. Bertha T. Buckner. The next meeting will be in Kansas City, Mo.

Houston College Dean Named NYA Aide

WASHINGTON.—(ANP)—R. O'Hara Lanier, dean of the Houston college for Negroes, Houston, has been named assistant to Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, director of the NYA Division of Negro Affairs.

A native of North Carolina, the new assistant received his early training at the Biddle university academy before the institution became Johnson C. Smith university. Prior to his graduation from Lincoln university, Pa., in 1922, Mr. Lanier was student assistant in the library and in English.

its Negro citizens. There are five other schools in the city that were constructed from the same type of material.

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