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Gary "Jim-Crow" School Fight Looms Anew

Awarded Scholarship



Winson R. Coleman, son of W. C. Coleman and the late Mrs. Cassie Coleman of Oskaloosa, Iowa, who was graduated from Penn College at Oskaloosa, June 11, was recently awarded the Haverford scholarship, a \$600 fellowship covering all charges for board and tuition, and which gives permission to study for the master's degree in any department of Haverford, a Pennsylvania school.

Porters Threaten Total Walkout Again; Confab To Fix Date

First Call Will Bring Out 75 Per Cent of Pullman Porters, Says Organizer

CONFERENCE TO FIX DATE

New York, July 11—(KNF)—The possibility of a nation-wide strike of sleeping car porters and maids loomed large Saturday with the arrival in New York City of organizers of the Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters. A general conference Monday at New York will consider whether, and if so, when they will call the strike for the union members voted overwhelmingly in April.

Strike Plans Shaped

Plans for the organizers to go ahead with the strike are being shaped following the recent announcement by the United States Board of Mediation that it would reopen the case of the Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters had they failed to start the strike at 5 p. m. on July 9. The Mediation Board refused to intervene. Under the law the board must declare an emergency exists before the President may appoint an Emergency Commission to investigate, automatically calling a truce of sixty days.

Conference to Fix Date

In announcing the conference Frank B. Conroy, New York organizer of the Brotherhood, said: "The first call for the national strike will bring out 75 per cent of the Pullman Porters. A second call will result in a complete strike. The date for the national strike will be announced the week of best week. The main purpose of the conference is to fix the date of the strike."

A. W. Ward Succeeds Tookes

Chicago, Ill., July 13—The Rev. Dr. A. Wayman Ward, who was recently appointed to the pastorate of the Greater Bethel A. M. E. church made vacant by the resignation of Dr. H. Y. Tookes, preached his initial sermon last Sunday.

Dr. Ward, who has pastored in the west since his graduation from Wilberforce University, is also a graduate of Yale and has taken special studies in various western schools. Dr. Ward is 35 years of age and has a splendid reputation as a church builder, having recently rebuilt a church edifice at Denver, to take the place of one destroyed by fire.

PAYS FINE OF \$100 FOR DANCING DAUGHTER

New York, July 10—(KNF)—Because William Jones, 45, 44 West 98th Street, permitted his daughter, Ether, age seven, to dance in a night club, he was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 or spend 30 days in jail. He paid the fine.

700 Picnic At Grandview Park On July Fourth

Athletic Events Feature in Program of the Day; Local Concerns Furnish Awards

Seven hundred Des Moines citizens old and young gathered at Grand View Park, July 4th to enjoy a picnic sponsored jointly by the Crocker St. Y and the Des Moines Picnic Association.

Two hundred people took active part in the athletic program which consisted of baseball, tennis, foot racing, standing broad jumping, 100 and 50 yard dashes for small boys, girls and young men, rolling pen throwing contest and relay races.

Shepard Takes Broad Jump

The standing broad jump was won by Russell Shepard. The prize of one gallon of Manhattan Oil was given by that company through its representative, Harry E. Wilson. Hopkins sporting Goods Co. furnished two tennis balls for the matched contests. The Y. M. C. A. furnished prizes for the small boys races, the rolling pen throw and girls relay.

Clifford Williams, of the East Side, won his camp fee to the Annual Camp by winning the 100 yard dash. Lawrence Graves of the West Side won an annual membership in the Crocker St. Y for winning the race for larger boys. Miss Nellie Edwards won the rolling pen throwing contest and Miss Clara Webb's team won the girls relay.

Committee in Charge

The picnic and activities were in charge of the following persons: Mrs. W. W. Jones, S. Joe Brown, W. W. Jones, Harry E. Wilson, Ben Zackery, Geo. Davis, Allen Ashby and Gordon Kitchen.

Man Runs Amuck; Shoots Two Girls

Omaha, Neb., July 13—Said to have been suffering under a hallucination that girl employees were trying to have him discharged, William Lewis, 30, a dishwasher in the Woolworth Cafe, ran amuck Thursday afternoon with a revolver, shooting two waitresses. One of the victims Miss Nina Dodson, 21, is not expected to recover. Lewis is being held by the police.

Says Customer Attacked Her

Chester, Pa., July 13—Rose Goldberg, aged 15 years, whose father conducts a store here, claims that a colored man came to their place and inquired as to some furniture that was for sale. The young girl claims that when she went to the cellar to show the man the goods, he seized her and placed his hand over her mouth and stifled her cries. She fought desperately and warded off his attacks. The man made his escape.

Name Ohio Negro Presidential Elector

Columbus, O., July 12—Negro adherents to the Republican party in Ohio are rejoicing this week over having had for the first time in history of Ohio politics one of their number selected to run as a candidate for Presidential elector on the Republican ticket in November. This high honor was bestowed on Councilman Thomas W. Fleming of Cleveland, by the Republican state convention meeting here last week.

Set 'Boy Friend' On Fire, Charge

New York City, July 13—Alberta Fleming, 20, of 115 West 136th Street, was held without bail on charges of arson and felonious assault for hearing Wednesday by Magistrate McQuade of Washington Heights court yesterday. She is accused of setting fire to her sweetheart, Sidney Bailey, also of 115 W. 136th Street.

Miss Fleming was arrested Saturday when an investigation into the cause of a blaze in her apartment disclosed that after a quarrel with Bailey, she threw a can of gasoline on his clothing and then applied a lighted match. Bailey was severely burned.

Opposes Songsters

Ex-President's Widow Resents Appearance of Negro Singers On Same Platform With Her

CHAIRMAN DEFENDS COLORED GROUP

Houston, Texas, July 13—Demoting, at unexpected times, in unexpected ways and unexpected places. One of these unexpected things happened at the recent meeting of the National Democratic Convention, when a group of 100 singers of our group was presented for a fifty minute concert at the opening of the Wednesday and Friday morning sessions of the convention.

Woman Defends Singers

The daily papers have made much ado of the fact that it was reported that Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, who was Houston's special guest, was opposed to having a group of Negro singers to appear on the same platform where she was to be seated. Colonel Holsy, the sergeant-at-arms, espoused the cause of Mrs. Wilson, but in spite of this fact, Mrs. H. M. Garwood, chairman of the music committee, stood her ground and won her contention that the singers whom she had invited should appear on the program according to pre-arranged plans.

Mrs. Wilson Objects

It was quite out of the ordinary to see a leading white woman of Texas, stand up and make an open contention against the wishes of Mrs. Woodrow Wilson in a matter where Negroes were involved.

The chorus was under the direction of H. B. P. Johnson, director of music for the National Sunday School Congress.

N. Y. Boy Gives Life In Effort To Save, Pal

New York, July 12—Two boys, one in an attempt to save the other. Herman Goodman, 10, of 426 W. Fifty-third Street, swimming near a pier in the North river, off Fifty-fourth Street, suddenly screamed and sank. Frank Singleton, 15, of 428 W. Fifty-third Street, dived in to the rescue, was seized with cramps, and also went down. Herman's body was recovered.

PHILADELPHIA WOMAN MYSTERIOUSLY KILLED

Philadelphia, Pa., July 12—When John Brown, a roemer, was unable to get in his home at 2053 Addison Street, he summoned police who found the body of Evelyn Caswell, with the face battered and hacked.

Mrs. Brown Issues New NAACP List

N. A. A. C. P. President Publishes Partial List of Members, Who Joined in Annual Drive

Mrs. S. Joe Brown, President of the Des Moines Branch of the N. A. A. C. P., who served as director of the recent membership drive sponsored by the Association and which resulted in the sending of a representative to the Nineteenth Annual Conference at Los Angeles recently, takes this method of thanking the contestants and their assistants as well as all who contributed to the success of the drive by giving their memberships. A partial list follows:

Mrs. S. Joe Brown, C. W. Smith, Mrs. Laura Bowmer, Mrs. Georgia Blackwell, Mrs. Birdie Winn, Mose Levich, Hon. Harvey Ingham, J. Oliver Fletcher, Mrs. Irene Douglass, Mrs. Jessie Brown, Mrs. Jessie E. McClain, Noble F. Gray, C. Hendricks, Rufus Smith, Leslie Williams, Mrs. Victoria Hendricks, Mrs. Sarah West, Mrs. Minnie McGuire, Mrs. Helen D. Be-shears, Mrs. H. J. Bullock, Miss Helen Hudson, Mrs. W. C. Buice, J. A. Wilson, Atty. E. D. Samsom, Robt. T. Dacus, Atty. S. Joe Brown, Judge W. G. Bonner, Mrs. Mary-Emma Fletcher, Elroy Hogsette, Mrs. Adella Watkins, Mrs. Olive Lindsey, D. P. Woodard, Sr., Mrs. A. J. Esters, Bryant Carr, Mrs. Rose Woods, Mrs. Janie Mann, Allen Solomon, Mrs. Maggie Bohannon, Joe Haines, Mrs. Laura Rhodes, Mrs. Marie Brown.

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NAACP Loses First Round When Judge Denies Pupil's Plea

Forty Girls Go to Y Camp

Thirty-five Girls and Five Leaders Leave For Ten Day Period at Boone

Thirty-five girls and five leaders under the supervision of Mrs. Ella Willis, acting executive secretary, bid good-bye to sweltering heat and scorching pavements as they left Blue Triangle Y. W. C. A. cottage, 1227 School Street, eleven o'clock Thursday morning, bound for the Y. W. C. A. camp located seven miles out of Boone, Iowa.

The girls will be in camp for ten days returning on Saturday, July 21. Those in the group are as follows: Dorothy Mackay, Dora Elva Mackay, Delele Cassell, Geraldine Cassell, Mildred Davis, Lillian McCraven, Evelyn Harriet, Doris Jones, Ruth Logan, Geraldine Scott, Blossom Rhone, Velryt Cooley, Adeline Wilson, Audra Dixon, Clarine Thornton, Laddie Baker, Mrs. Lewis Wanda Henry, Doris Bailey, Martha Williams, Edith Woodward, Myrtle Eaves, Cecelia Williams, Katherine Williams, Freida Garland, Eunice Rhodes, Irene Glass, Katherine Glass, Bernice Lewis, Catherine Ligon, Fern Jackson, Venus McCampbell, Virginia Forrester, Eva Pierson and Charleen Davis.

The leaders are: Mrs. E. P. Jackson, Miss Ethel Bowman, Mrs. Adelaide Bowman, Miss Clara Webb and Miss Anna Wilson.

The cars to transport the girls to the camp were donated by several citizens of Des Moines.

Bury Daughter Of Abolitionist

Dobbs Ferry, N. Y., July 10—(KNF)—Funeral services were held at 4 o'clock Saturday for Mrs. Fannie Garrison, widow of Henry Willard and daughter of William Lloyd Garrison, the Abolitionist, at her summer home on Clinton Avenue. The Rev. John Haynes Holmes, pastor of the Community Church of New York, conducted the services in which he read poems and spoke in eulogy of Mrs. Willard.

Mrs. S. Joe Brown Takes Summer Course at S. U. I.

Mrs. S. Joe Brown, chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Federation Home for Girls at Iowa City, left Sunday evening for Iowa City, accompanied by Mrs. Fannie Tomlin of this city, who will serve as Matron of the Home during the Summer Session.

While in Iowa City Mrs. Brown will oversee some improvements being made on the Home and will also attend the sixth annual Commonwealth Conference, as short course in Practical Politics, being given under the direction of the University Department of Political Science, July 9th, 10th and 11th and during which about twenty of the current national issues will be discussed by recognized authorities on each coming from both within and without the state.

Indianians Fear Spread of "Jim Crow" Schools After Loss of Gary Fight

TAKE FURTHER ACTION

Gary, Ind., July 12—The announcement that the city council had approved the erection of the Roosevelt school, which is conceded to be a colored school, has aroused the ire of Negro citizens of this city and they are girding themselves for battle and a finished fight.

It is believed that if this separate school is erected the time will be short before a Negro high school will be established and Jim Crow schools will be the order of the day. Attorney Robert Bailey, counsel for the parents who opposed the original effort to establish Jim Crow schools, states that he has no knowledge of this new effort, but that it will be vigorously fought by the Gary citizens and that he will be on the firing line.

Court Denies Plea Of Negro High Student

Valparaiso, Ind., July 12—A suit brought by attorneys for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People to compel authorities at Gary to admit Alberta Cheeks, a Negro student, to Emerson high school was dismissed today by Circuit Judge Grant Crumppacker. The Cheeks girl was dismissed from the Emerson school last December when white students refused to attend the school with her and demanded the segregation of Negro students.

Halem Undertaker Seizes Burglar

New York, July 10—(KNF)—When Granville O. Paris, an undertaker at 151 West 131st Street, surprised a burglar hiding under his bed last Thursday afternoon, he with the aid of his employees, held the man until the arrival of the police.

Taken to the station house, the man under arrest gave his name as Russell Rames, 31, 2023 Seventh Avenue, and when arraigned in Heights Court, Friday, was held in \$5,000 bail for the Grand Jury.

Mr. Paris is Past Master of the St. John's Lodge No. 29, Free and Accepted Masons and a member of the Supreme Council with a degree of thirty-three.

Appoint Negro Probation Officer At Atlanta, Ga.

Atlanta, Ga., July 14—The first colored paid probation officer in Atlanta has just been appointed through an appropriation made by the county commissioners. The new official is a woman, a member of this year's graduating class of the Atlanta School of Social Work and a graduate of Atlanta University.

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HEFLIN IN DES MOINES

Senator J. Thomas Heflin (the title senator is used because he honor the office and not the man) made one of his famous bombastic, hair-pulling speeches at the Shrine Temple Monday night before a large and enthusiastic audience.

During the course of his speech, which was directed against the Catholic Church, he plead for the freedom of the press, free speech, equal opportunity and justice for all men whether Catholic, Jew or Protestant. This of course he did not mean. He got a wonderful reception. Whether it was because the audience believed in his cause or enjoyed the way he delivered his message or both, we do not attempt to say, but we do think it ridiculous that a dirty coward like Heflin can come before a supposedly intelligent Des Moines audience, stoop to such low tactics and say so many things he would do if he were president which he knows cannot be done and get away with such a reception.

He made no mention of the Negro except to tell four stories all of which involved Negroes and of course he used the term "Nigger." That in itself shows the calibre of the gentleman from Alabama. Heflin is the type of dirty, low propagandist who takes the advantage of every opportunity to do and say the mean low thing at every opportunity. He said he was a christian, a methodist. If that is a christian then we take sides with the other fellow. Heflin is a dangerous character more so than any mad dog that ever ran wild.

The Negro in America

BY J. G. BROWNE

From the military point of view the attack upon Fort Wagner was a failure, but it was a most rigid and sure test of Negro valor and courage. They who advocated the use of Negro troops were justified in that stand and could point the finger of scorn at the sneering doubters of Negro manhood. The terrible list of casualties proved how bravely this regiment had done its duty, and if it had been properly supported Wagner would have been taken that night. Nearly half of the enlisted men were killed, wounded or missing and more than one-half of the officers were lost in battle, killed or wounded.

Troops Display Courage

It must be remembered that the Fifty-fourth led the assault, this column charged the fort, mounted the parapet, climbed over into the breast works and just at the hottest part of the terrible struggle, a supporting regiment charged up to the moat, halted and began firing into the ranks of the colored troops whom they were supposed to assist; it is reported that this was a regiment of troops from Maine. Shortly after this blunder the order was given to retreat, which order was well executed facing the enemy, though the line of retreat was lit with an infernal fire of bursting shells.

Historians say that Fort Wagner was the red letter day for black soldiers. The gallant color-sergeant John Wall, who fell in the outer trenches was succeeded by Sergeant William H. Carney, who planted the flag upon the ramparts of the rebel fort and after

The Week's Poem

By Viola P. Jones

THE POET

The poet catches beauty along where nature dwells,
He makes a song of moon beams,
Under their magic spell,
With tight-closed lips and shadowy eyes,
He sees the birds go twittering by,
And translates their language into verse,
Their beautiful and chirping songs
That all around him burst.

The poet senses turmoil in a nation,
As it were,
He feels the pangs of deep remorse,
The tragedies incurred;
He shuts his eyes and pictures men
On bloody battlefields,
He hears the mighty roar of guns,
The terrible clank of steel,
He writes it all in tragic verse
As bombs and shells around him burst.

The poet feels the joy that chases care
away,
He gathers up the sunshine where
human beings play;
He finds worlds of earthly joy among
the brooks and flowers,
Hidden deep among the nooks of shady
bowers,
Armored and sheathed in nature's
joys, he puts it into verse,
That others, too, feel the joys that
all around them burst.

The poet puts to words what others
feel,
When twilight shadows fall and
moon beams 'round his steal,
He shuts his eyes and writes of sor-
row and of joy,
He writes of human beings' cares,
of nature's joys;
While moon beams play, he puts into
verse,
Whatever thought that comes upon
his brain to swell and burst.

being severely wounded several times,
crawled back to the rear with the
colors in his teeth and stained with
his own blood and as he returned it to
the regiment he exclaimed: "The old
flag never touched the ground."

In the unequal struggle, the state
colors were lost. General Ripley, of
the rebel army carried it with him to
England, saying: "When Massachusetts
elects a democrat governor, I
will return the flag." Twelve years
later, when William Gaston, a democrat,
was chosen governor, true to his
word, the flag was returned to the
state.

"We Have Buried Him With His Niggers"

When Colonel Robert Gould Shaw's
body was called for under a flag of
truce; a rebel officer responded, "We
have buried him with his niggers!"
The indignity he intended to cast
upon the dead hero was a failure.
"They buried him with his niggers!"
But the glorious souls at free
Are leading the van of the army
That fights for liberty.
Brothers in death, in glory
The same palm branches bear
And the crown is as bright o'er the
sable brow
As o'er the golden hair."

Crocker Street Y Notes

WHAT IS CAMP LIFE?

"Camp is life in the open, where
youth gathers educational experiences
from nature; a place where they may
listen to the silence of the stars and
perhaps hear God speak. A place
where they may catch His whisper in
the still forest and see His hand in
the faint traceries of a wild flower's
petal. Make sure the camp is like
that and the uniform will not matter."
—Angelo Patri.

The Corinthian Baptist Sunday
School went back in a tie with the
Maple Street Sunday School team for
first place honors with six wins and
three defeats each. The Corinthian
Baptist won from the Burns M. E.
team last Tuesday by a 6 to 0 score.

Standing:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Corinthian Baptist	6	3	
Maple St. Baptist	6	3	
Burns M. E.	4	4	.445
Kyles A. M. E. Zion	3	4	.429
St. Paul A. M. E.	2	5	.250

Schedule for two weeks:
July 13th, Friday, St. Paul vs. Corinthian.
July 17, Burns M. E. vs. Kyles A. M. E. Zion.
July 20, Maple St. vs. Corinthian.

Weekly Health Talks

By Dr. Hubert H. London

NORMAL PREGNANCY

An authority states that normal pregnancy is not the rule in our generation. It is a very necessary to use any care prior to the birth of the baby. He also states that 25,000 women lose their lives annually from the direct or indirect effect of pregnancy and labor. There are about 2,500,000 babies born annually. This is a very high death rate for this number of births, and the reason is explainable to a certain extent. The mothers are not doing all they should to protect themselves against the things which are preventable in pregnancy and childbirth.



Health authorities and physicians everywhere are urging mothers to see their physicians early in pregnancy and as often thereafter as is advisable to put them in the best general health for childbirth and the latter will bear frequent repetition. The convulsions which occur sometimes during birth are almost wholly preventable if constant medical care is had early in pregnancy and no more serious condition during the child-carrying period is known. This fact alone with the exclusion of others of almost equal importance is reason enough for diligence before the day of birth.

Hardly Cheerful Greeting

A large number of travelers never actually see the beautiful scenery and monuments whose pictures they send home on post cards. One card showing a photograph of a vista in Perse la Chaise cemetery read: "Having a lovely time. Wish you were here!"

Junior League Standing:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Paul	8	1	.875
Corinthian	7	2	.778
First C. M. E.	1	8	.167
Union Baptist	0	9	.000

Schedule:
July 13, First C. M. E. vs. St. Paul A. M. E.
July 17, Union Baptist vs. Corinthian Baptist.

CAMP TIPS

The leader this year will be _____

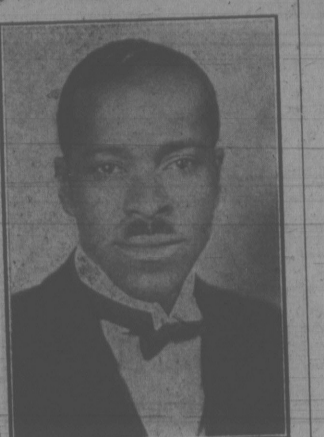
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THE REV. H. L. OVERTON

Fred Johnson of the Corinthian Baptist Church, and a student of North High. Fred is one of the outstanding boys of Des Moines. Robert Webb of the Corinthian Church and a star athlete. Everyone in Iowa who follows sport knows of the athletic exploits of Bob. Walter Thompson of the Maple St. Church and star athlete of the East High School. Walt has the honor of being the best sprinter in Des Moines and one of the best in Iowa. Dudley Black, a graduate of East High, and for seven years a leader in camp affairs. Joe Bryant, who last year proved to be one of the best leaders we have ever taken to camp. Bill Brewer encouraged his cabin last year to win first honors in every competition. He will be in charge of IROQUOIS again this year. Bill Forrester had the distinction of filling two cabins last year and he hopes to fill three this year. We are for him. Lloyd Shelton, of the Corinthian Church, and a North High graduate this year, was the most popular leader in camp. All the fellows wanted to be in Lloyd's cabin. Harry, Miller of the Maple St. Church, and one of the outstanding students in Lincoln High always has more boys than his share wanting to sign up for his cabin, the Whip O' Will.

This week we have signed up: Clifford Williams, Virgil Mann, Franklin Cooper, Clarence Lewis and the following promised to send a boy each: Dr. W. J. Ritchey, A. M. White, Gordon H. Kitchen and Momach Club.

When you called me to this high and noble position of presiding over you one year ago, I was stunned with surprise and astonished at your wisdom.

Realizing my inability, as I did at once, I sought divine guidance for this great task of attempting to be your presiding officer and I trust to have been guided by same. It has been my highest endeavor to be courteous to each and every brother and recognize all as true apostles of our common Lord. We have been able, with the cooperation of the brethren who make up

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Younger Social Set Give Three Breakfasts at Park

Honoring the Misses Gladys, Helen and Viola Graham, who recently returned from Quindaro, Kansas, where they attended Western University, Miss Julia Marie Manuel, 3422 Grand Avenue, was hostess to a six o'clock breakfast Sunday morning, July 8th at Union Park. More than thirty members of the younger social set were present.

The hostess was assisted by Mesdames Elizabeth Thomas, Margaret Patten, Minnie Brewer and Izora Mackay.

Miss Evelyn Mays of Newton, was an out-of-town guest.

On Sunday morning, July 8th, the little cabin at Greenwood Park was the scene of a jolly little breakfast when the Misses Helen Alexander, Mac Manuel, Enola Clark and Roberta Maupin entertained the Miss Mary Lumpkin, of Nashville, Tenn. Others present were Paris Skanes, Dr. W. J. Ritchey, Berry Tucker and Seymour Orkson.

The members of the Fidelis Club enjoyed themselves at a breakfast at Union Park, Sunday morning, July 8th.

On July 4th, the Roosevelt and Monarch Clubs of this city participated in a union picnic. Heretofore these two clubs have given picnics separately each Fourth, but being the two leading clubs in the city they thought that they would be more interested socially and athletically if they would go together. About two hundred attended the picnic. The day was spent in races, jumping and a baseball game. The Monarchs won most of the races, but the Roosevelts carried away the prize by running the baseball game. The game was a hard fought one, the score being 17 to 13, in favor of the Roosevelts. After the games, the game of eating took place. The Roosevelts on one side and the Monarchs on the other. Ice cream and pop was served by the clubs. Everyone reported a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. Clara Talbert of Sioux City arrived in the city last week to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Goldie Fant.

The Mary Church Terrell Club met at the home of Mrs. Chas. Winn, Monday night, July 9th. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Archie Alexander.

The Fortnightly Club will meet Saturday night, July 14th, with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Esters, 1410 Center Street.

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Rev. G. W. White of Perry preached at Maple St. Church Sunday, July 1st, at 3:00 P. M., to the Willing and Ready Club.

Mesdames Wm. Neal, 1064 Eleventh Street and H. A. Manuel, 1433 Fremont Street, have returned home from Chicago, where they were called on account of the illness and death of their brother, J. E. White.

The La Mercredi Club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. A. P. Trotter, 934 Fourteenth Street Place. Mrs. Clara Johnson was hostess.

The American Legion Auxiliary had their monthly program at the Community Center, Attorney J. B. Morris spoke on the "Nation's Defense."

The Monarch Club will meet next Monday night, July 16th, at the Community Center.

The Baby Clinic meets each Thursday at the Community Center.

The Fidelis Club will give a dancing party at the Community Center, Friday night, July 13th. They are also making plans for a carnival the first of August.

The Boy Scouts meet each Friday night at the Community Center.

Mrs. Lola Hardwick, the mother of Mrs. Lillian Edmunds, will leave Thursday morning for Leavenworth, Kansas, to spend a few days visiting her brother. From there she will go to Denver, Colo., where she will spend the rest of the summer.

Mrs. G. W. Robinson, 1009 Twelfth Street, left Sunday night for Chicago, Illinois and Milwaukee, Wis., for a few weeks visit. Rev. G. W. Robinson and boys will join her in Milwaukee, Monday, July 16th. They will take a tour through Illinois, stopping at several places on their return home.

Miss Mary Lumpkin, dental nurse from Nashville, Tenn., and the house guest of Miss Enola Thompson, 1306 Twentieth Street, was entertained on the Fourth of July by a group of young people at Union Park. After partaking of wholesome picnic dinners the crowd then enjoyed an interesting celebration with fire works.

NOTICE OF MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Old Settler's Association, held at the Community Center, Sunday, July 15th, at 4:00 o'clock P. M.

All members and friends of the Association are invited to be present. This meeting will make arrangements for the Old Settler's Annual Picnic, to be held the first Thursday in August.

Signed, H. E. JACOBS,
Acting President.
JOHN L. THOMPSON,
Secretary.

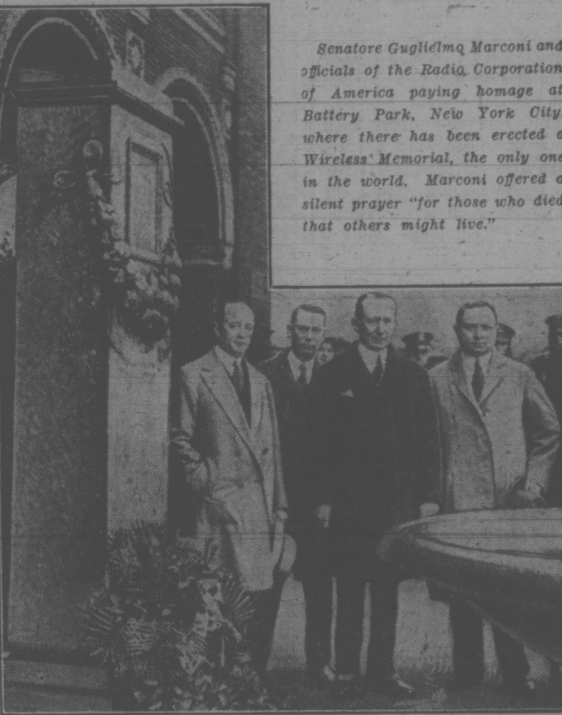
Molly Brayden and nephew, Junior Frides, of St. Joseph, Mo., spent several days in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. L. Jackson and brother, Jesse Brayden.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Newcomb spent a joyful Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Green, on Broad Street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Sloan, 213 Clark Street, entertained Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hammit, 217 Clark Street, at a two-course breakfast, July 4th.

Mrs. F. F. Ancell, of Kirksville, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ancell, of Macon, Mo., arrived Sunday morning to join Mrs. Wm. McGruder, 1628 Carpenter Avenue, who will accompany them to Chicago, Illinois, and Gary, Ind., for a short visit. Mrs. McGruder and Mrs. J. T. Ancell, Jr., will make an extended visit through the East, visiting Columbus, Ohio, Cleveland, Charleston and Ronceterre, West Va., and other cities.

Marconi Pays Tribute to Operators Lost at Sea



Senatore Guglielmo Marconi and officials of the Radio Corporation of America paying homage at Battery Park, New York City, where there has been erected a Wireless Memorial, the only one in the world. Marconi offered a silent prayer "for those who died that others might live."

THE GEEVUM GIRLS



ican women voters must not allow this Tammany rottenness to spread throughout America."

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NOTICE!

THE EDITOR OF THE IOWA BYSTANDER WILL BE IN MARSHALLTOWN SUNDAY, JULY 15. PLEASE BE PREPARED TO PAY UP.

YANKTON, S. D.

Services were held at the Second Baptist Church, with Rev. O. Green filling the pulpit. The picnic given on the Fourth under the auspices of the Second Baptist Church was a grand success. There were visitors from Sioux City, Iowa, Huron, S. Dak., and Norfolk, Nebr. Mr. James Harris spent the week-end in Yankton. Mrs. A. Johnson of Norfolk has been visiting for a few days at Mrs. O. Blakey, Mr. Johnson and Mrs. Luvena Blakey and daughter, Dora, of Norfolk, were visitors in the city Sunday also Messrs. J. Spence, Forest Williams, Alva Hayes of Sioux City, Misses Georgia Grigby, Ida Maxley and L. Crawford and Messrs. B. Vann, Harvey Mitchell, Mrs. J. Maxley and Mr. and Mrs. Warden of Sioux Falls were visitors in the city Sunday. Mr. Francis Smith is sick. He returned home Sunday morning after undergoing an operation. Miss Susan Miller is visiting in Sioux Falls. Mr. Glen Smith has left to attend summer camp at Madison Camp in Madison. Mrs. Lillie Hayes returned home to Sioux City, Sunday.

Services were held at both churches Sunday. Rev. O. Green filled the pulpit and preached a wonderful sermon. Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Strong have not returned from the convention held at St. Paul. Visitors of the city are: Messrs. Glen Warren and Hulan Merritt of Huron, S. D.; Mesdames Lillie Hayes and Christ Yancy, of Sioux City. They are visiting friends and relatives. Mr. O. Blakey gave a birthday party Wednesday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kenney, of Los Angeles; Mrs. E. Stokes, Mr. L. Kenney, Mr. and Mrs. R. Bentley. They all reported an enjoyable time. Mr. H. L. Marston is out of the city on business. The Second Baptist Church had a grand celebration on the Fourth of July. Mr. Peter Holly is sick. A social was held at the Second Baptist Church, Friday evening.

SIoux CITY, IOWA

Revival meetings which have been in progress at the Mt. Holy A. M. E. Mission closed last afternoon with wonderful success, under the leadership of Evangelist Mattie Tuck of the Chicago Annual Conference, Chicago, Ill. Malone A. M. E. Church is to open a revival meeting Sunday for seven days. Evangelist Mattie Tuck, of Chicago Annual Conference will be in charge. Mr. Hugh Anderson, on West Eighth Street, was converted, baptized and received into full membership of the church before leaving for Iowa City, Iowa. Rev. C. P. Jones, pastor of the Malcom A. M. E. Church performed the ceremonies. Mr. Robert Wilson, chief cook of the Northwestern Railroad, dropped dead as he was going to work Friday morning. Funeral services will be held from the Anderson Undertaking Parlor, Monday afternoon at 2:00 P. M. Rev. C. P. Jones officiates at the parlor and the grave. Mrs. Johnson, of West Seventh Street, was called to Kansas on account of the death of her mother. Mrs. N. C. Marshall, president of Baptist Women's Convention, was the guest of the Mt. Zion and Mt. Olive Mission Circles Sunday. Rev. C. P. Jones and Evangelist Lillie A. P. Jones, Evangelist Lillie A. P. Jones and little daughter, Alberta Mae Jones were dinner guests on the Fourth of July of Mr. and Mrs. M. Baykin and Miss L. Baykin, while there also called on Mrs. Anna Edmond and Mrs. Brooks. Mr. T. H. Ford and Mrs. T. G. Franklin have opened a new lunch room on West Seventh Street.

KEOSAUQUA, IOWA

(By Mrs. Wm. Green)

Mrs. Lola Edwards of Des Moines is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Ocie Howard and family. Mr. Harold Green of Okaloosa attended the funeral of his aunt, Monday. Mr. and Mrs. James Bowles of Burlington spent the Fourth at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Garrette. Rev. E. Allen, wife and baby and Mrs. Faye Majors of Fairfield were in Keosauqua Monday. On Wednesday of last week a picnic supper was served on the lawn of Mrs. Mary Garrette in honor of Mr. and Mrs. James Bowles. Mr. George Johnson of Fairfield spent the Fourth at Keosauqua. Miss Anna Perkins of Farmington attended the funeral of Mrs. Ann Dickson. Mrs. Arthur Tolson and little daughter, Betty Lou, of Des Moines are visiting at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. John Buckner. Mr. Clinton Smith of Chicago, Illinois, was the guest at the Mrs. John H. Buckner home the past week.

PERRY, IOWA

(By Mrs. C. E. Blank)

The Billikens Joy Makers of Perry, Iowa, was organized May 23, 1928, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lewis, 1226 Summer, for the benefit of the young people. The officers are: Mr. C. Taylor, President; Mr. A. Johnson, Treasurer; Miss E. Banks, Secretary. The organization celebrated, with a banquet, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blanks, on the evening of May 30th. The house was beautifully decorated with the colors of Black and Orange. The tables were elaborately supplied with Peonies. A three course dinner was served at which twenty-one were seated. A lawn social was given Tuesday evening, July 10, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lewis. There was a short program given in connection with the social. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bonwell died Thursday, July 5th. Their many friends sympathize with them in their bereavement. Carl Oscars, our local boxer and Mrs. E. Ross are at their respective homes convalescing from a recent operation. Mr. John Templeton passed away June 28th, after an illness of eighteen months. Rev. Sis. Schooler, of Des Moines, was a visitor in our city, Sunday and held two services at Melicks Temple.

WASHINGTON, IOWA

(By Lillie Rhodes)

Mrs. Jesse Armistead and daughter, Edna, and Paul and Thelma Dabner, of Fairfield, visited in Washington, Saturday evening. Mr. Hayes Crayton left Sunday evening for Burlington, to attend the Grand Lodge. Mr. P. A. McLamore, of Rockford, Illinois, visited with friends last week. Mr. and Mrs. Jones, from Denver, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turner.

NORFOLK, NEBRASKA

On Saturday, June 23d, Mrs. R. H. Thomas returned home from Mt. Vernon, Ind., where she was called by the death of her father, June 2d. She stopped in Des Moines on her way home and visited the Grand Chapter O. E. S. Rev. O. J. Mullen, of Sioux City, Iowa, visited in Norfolk last week. While in the city he organized a mission known as the Baptist Mission. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thomas have connected themselves with the mission. New officers are: Mrs. Florence Rolley Zackery, President; Mrs. Minnie Ousley, Vice President; Mrs. Rubenia H. Thomas, Secretary; Mrs. Correne Lowrey, Treasurer; Mrs. Giles, Chaplain. The Mission meets every Monday night at 8:00 P. M. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Anderson of Omaha, Nebr., are in our city for an indefinite stay. Mr. Frank Lowrey was on the sick list last week. Mrs. Frank Lowrey entertained at her home Sunday for dinner, Rev. O. J. Mullen, of Sioux City, Iowa, Mr. Dervy Jackson, Mr. William Douglas and Mrs. Rubenia Thomas and Mrs. Gills visited friends in Sioux City, Iowa, last week. Services were held all day at the Mission, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and Mr. Jordan Blakey spent the Fourth of July in Yankton, S. D. Mr. Dewey Jackson spent the Fourth in Omaha, Nebr.

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Mrs. Azalia Mitchell, Judge O. S. Franklin, Col. E. R. Bennett, Miss Effie E. Doan, Miss Caroline Kennedy, Atty. R. J. Bannister, Mrs. Edie M. Watkins, Miss Gertrude Broddus, W. H. Turrell, Atty. Chas. P. Howard, W. M. Brooks, Ovel L. Carter, Mrs. Anna Mae Carter, Mrs. Clara Johnson, A. P. Trotter, Mrs. Gus Nichols, Matthew Johnson, C. F. Topson, Mrs. R. E. Alexander, Mrs. Georgine C. Morris, Henry Bryson, Mrs. Will Gibson, Mrs. Salema Morris, Mrs. Alice Bell, Mrs. L. A. Shelton, Mrs. J. H. McDowell, John J. Bynon, Dr. H. H. London, Gordon H. Kitchen, Lafe Fowler, Harry E. Wilson, Mrs. H. E. Wilson, John Elzy, R. O. Morrow, Frank Poudrebarac, Mrs. Mabel Tymony, Dr. A. J. Lieber, J. V. Case, Geo. Gater, F. T. Stone, Mrs. Lafe Fowler, Mrs. Mae Pride, Henry Casin, Atty. J. B. Morris, Atty. Geo. Harnage, Everett Clay, Miss Lorraine Crawford, Mrs. E. O. Fleur, John M. Stewart, Miss Agnes L. Hermanson.

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WINTERTIME RADIO RESULTS OBTAINED DURING SUMMERTIME

No Longer Is There a Dividing Line Between One Season and the Next in the Pursuit of Radio Happiness.

By DR. ALFRED N. GOLDSMITH, Chief Broadcast Engineer, R. C. A.

Radio, unlike canned goods, has no winter or summer season. There are fresh vegetables the year round in the radio garden, so that it is hardly necessary to harvest and can our radio enjoyment during a few months for use in what might be a less fortunate season.

If we mentioned wintertime or summertime phonographic music, we might be laughed at, because the phonographic presentation has come to be accepted as a permanent, unchanging, immune form of entertainment, ready to serve in mid-winter or mid-summer alike. And by the same token, when radio programs and radio services are maintained from one end of the year to the other at the same high levels of excellence, with little difference to indicate the passing seasons, it becomes decidedly out of order to speak of seasonable radio.

Today the signal strength of any first-class broadcasting station within its service range is more than ample to ride high above the normal summertime static level. Indeed, it is only when the radio enthusiast insists on going in search of DX or long-distance signals that the static level becomes troublesome, since he has plunged below it.

Of course the elements of good reception should perhaps be more closely observed in summertime than in winter. Among the more important considerations are:

- 1. Selecting the signals from a station of adequate power, located not too far distant. It is well that the station have a reputation for careful maintenance, and be quite free from the criticisms of poor transmitter operation, haphazard monitoring, varying power, serious fading, wave length wobble, and other signs of poor broadcasting. Fading, it goes without saying, is usually a condition beyond the control of the broadcaster, and may just as well be charged up to the location of the listener.
2. Selecting high quality programs, and especially features with sufficient "body" to cover up such static background as may exist even with high signal level. It is well to note that signal level is one thing, and sound level is another. This is a dance orchestra or concert band is a better feature in combatting static interference than a string trio or a violin solo.
3. It is well to be content with reasonable volume. While it is true that the volume control of the radio set increases or decreases everything issuing from the loudspeaker—static as well as signal—proportionately, it is a matter of how much background noise may be present before the listener becomes fully conscious and even irritated by its presence. By being satisfied with reasonable volume during the days of high static, we may reduce the background noise to a minimum. The power of transmitters is not reduced during the summer months. Hence in most localities there is ample signal strength from leading stations to ride well above the usual summer static, with the exception of the occasional thunderstorm in the immediate neighborhood. Yet who expects ideal radio conditions every night? Try driving your automobile through a thunderstorm at night, with the dazzling flashes of lightning, the torrential downpour of rain, with the ignition system in difficulties due to moisture, and other troubles! Still, we do not speak of summertime automobile handicaps. We are willing to forego motoring during the occasional storm of winter or summer.

Quality Programs

Programs are maintained at the highest standards, although in keeping with seasonal moods and activities of outdoor weather, they may be pleasantly different from those of indoor weather. The skilled program director, in fact, pays close attention to the demands of his summertime audience. As to the radio listener, there is just as much reason to listen in during the summer as during the winter. Music, enlightenment, contact with the world, the thrill of sporting events, participation in history in the making, and other program features form a rich mental background for our summer life.

If anything, radio may truly be enjoyed to better advantage amid the warm weather. The acoustics are frequently better when windows can be thrown open. Radio is, at its best outdoors, on the porch or even on the lawn. Indeed, too little attention has been paid to the stage setting for the radio presentation, and summertime offers us many an opportunity in this direction.

GORILLA Fussy About His Sleeping Place

The main apparent preoccupation of the male gorilla is fighting for the continued possession of his wives. As the family party moves along through the forest, rarely sleeping twice in the same spot, there is every night the business of making beds. For the gorilla has at least this in common with his human cousin that he likes, and demands a comfortable sleeping place and, what is more, he prefers to make his sleeping arrangements well before darkness falls. For this purpose patenterfamilias bends down saplings and covers them with leafy branches, while the members of his harem, who are sent up neighboring trees, make each her own bed in a suitable fork by breaking off branches within her reach. Their beds are never very high up—never too high for the old man to be able to keep his eye upon them. You may find chimpanzees nesting in the treetops, but never gorillas.

Once I had a chance of studying this proceeding, I made my camp close to two parties of gorillas. My own bed was made in five minutes, but the gorilla took twenty minutes to finish theirs to their liking, and probably were more comfortable than I. They are certainly very fastidious in this matter. Even when they remain in the same spot for a few days they make fresh beds every night, sometimes even in the same trees as the night before, but in other forks.—Dr. N. A. Dyer Sharp in the Continental Edition of the London Daily Mail.

"Lost Chord" Dear to Heart of Composer

Arthur Sullivan sketched out the complete setting of "The Lost Chord" while he sat by the deathbed of his brother, Frederic. It was his last composition for many months. The song, when published, swept the world, and the inevitable penalty of popularity followed—it was parodied, to Sullivan's disgust. He wrote to the parodist: "I wrote 'The Lost Chord' in sorrow at my brother Fred's death. Don't burlesque it!" Sullivan gave one of his manuscript copies of "The Lost Chord"—those scribbled notes that had come from the depth of his suffering—to a famous American hostess living in London. She was a very gifted amateur singer and Sullivan openly said that she alone brought tears to his eyes with her own notes. Mrs. Ronalds' rendition of "The Lost Chord" was famous. King Edward—then prince of Wales—once remarked that he would travel the length of his future kingdom to hear Mrs. Ronalds sing "The Lost Chord." When she passed on the manuscript was by her instructions, buried with her.—Kansas City Star.

Li Hung Chang the Buffer

Li Hung Chang was a Chinese statesman and diplomat born about 1823. Early in life he became noted as a scholar and soon became prominent in the army by suppressing the Taping rebellion. His career was most checkered as he was alternately raised to the highest rank in power and degraded and stripped of his honors. In 1896 he made a tour of the world and returning home became even more powerful. His shrewdness and thrift were his outstanding characteristics and he was responsible for much of the progress made by China during his life. He has often been called the "buffer" between China and the rest of the world.

Difficult Language

Pity the Finnish schoolboy! There are many strange things about Finland, and the strangest is the language. It properly is called either "Finno-Ulgric" or "Ulgric-Finnic," is Asiatic in nature and incomprehensible except to Finns or specialists. And the specialists aver that it is probably the most difficult language in the world. For instance, a noun declines into 15 different cases! That is, every noun has 15 different forms other than those of gender and number. The cases are as follows: Nominative, possessive, genitive, possessive, relative, adverbial, illative, allative, abessive, prolativ, translative, essive, comitative and instructive.

Harnessing Tides

The most practical system as yet suggested for harnessing the tides is the basin system, because it permits large scale installation. It consists of one or more basins cut off from the sea by dams. As the tide rises and falls gates permit the maintenance of differences of level of water between the basin and the sea, or between one basin and another during part of the tidal cycle. These differences in level produce the necessary heads of water for the production of power through turbines and auxiliary machinery.

On Being "Nice"

Being nice to people requires a virtue not unlike that which impels a hero to surrender his place in a lifeboat to some one else. Unfortunately, however, the instant it becomes a pleasure to be nice to some one you discover that they have no need of your being nice to them. People to whom it is necessary to be nice never seem altogether conscious of their position. Which provokes the awful thought that, in the eyes of others, you yourself may be one of them without knowing it.—Exchange.

1,000 Sentenced for Playing "Numbers"

New York, July 11.—(KNF)—During the past few months approximately 1,000 persons have been arrested and convicted for playing colored New York's pastime, the "numbers."

POOLROOM MANAGER HELD

For permitting two 13 and one 15-year old boys to play pool in his pool parlor, Howard Ferguson, 36, 201 West 145th Street, was arrested last week at the instance of the mothers of the three boys and held in \$200 bail for trial in Special Sessions Court.

SWINDLER SENTENCED TO PENITENTIARY

New York, July 11.—Walter Raphael was convicted of grand larceny in both the first and second degree and was brought up for sentence in Queens County Court on Friday, and sent to the penitentiary for an indefinite period for swindling H. S. Warner realtor, 654 Lenox Avenue, out of \$5,000 some months ago.

Goes for All of Us

Armed with a little self-confidence, a sincere interest in others and an agreeable manner, any girl can put unhappiness to rest. Doris Blake tells us. That good-around recipe doesn't cost much to try.—Capper's Weekly.

Blackberry a Nuisance

War on the blackberry has been declared in New Zealand. During the last few years this fruit has encroached upon nearly 100,000 acres of valuable dairying land, and thousands of pounds have been spent on vain efforts to defeat it. Insects have now been sent to New Zealand to eat up the blackberry.

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Age and Weight

Many authorities agree that after a person passes the age of thirty he should weigh from 10 to 20 per cent less than the weight given on scales as average. They explain that after that age a person has ceased to grow and does not need extra weight for building. It is, therefore, deemed unnecessary to tax the heart with pumping blood through tissues which are not actually needed.

When an Important Call Comes for You at Night

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The Willing and Ready Club of the Maple Street Church will hold their "Wrist Watch" contest next Tuesday evening, July 17th, at 8 o'clock at the church. In connection with the contest there will be a sermon by Rev. T. L. Scott, pastor of St. Paul Church and a program by the Club. Every one is cordially invited. A beautiful watch will be given the winner.

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OBITUARY Mrs. Anna Lorie Peek, age 70, died at the Broadview General Hospital, June 30, 1928, after three weeks of illness. Her body was shipped to Muskegon, Michigan, for burial. Burial services were held at the Corinthian Baptist Church, July 2nd, at 4 o'clock. Daughter Elks, Rose Temple No. 33, had charge of the remains. She leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, Ernest Peek, a son, Russell Peek, sister-in-law, Ethel Peek and brother-in-law, Charley Peek.

CARD OF THANKS We the undersigned wish to thank the neighbors and friends for the sympathy and kindness during the death of and sickness of my wife, Annie Lorie Peek. We also wish to thank L. Fowler and son for their wonderful service they rendered. We also thank Rev. G. W. Robinson for his wonderful remarks, also Daughter Elks of Rose Temple No. 33. ERNEST PEEK, Husband. RUSSELL PEEK, Son.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON SPECIAL EXECUTION State of Iowa, Polk County, 112 District Court of Polk County, Iowa. Dora Sylvester vs. Marjorie Marie Sylvester, Jaunita May Sylvester and Charles A. Sylvester. BY VIRTUE OF A SPECIAL EXECUTION TO ME DIRECTED, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, in favor of Dora Sylvester, and against Charles A. Sylvester, on a judgment rendered by said Court on the 5th day of July A. D. 1928, wherein it was ordered, adjudged and decreed that the following described property be sold to satisfy said judgment to-wit:

Lot 2, Block 11, in the City of Des Moines, Iowa, West of the 20th P. M. now in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

NOW, THEREFORE, public notice is hereby given that unless the said defendants appear at my office in Des Moines on or before the 18th day of August A. D. 1928, at 9 o'clock A. M., of said day, at which time the above described property is hereby to be sold, and pay off the said judgment, with interest and costs, said execution, or sufficient thereof to satisfy said execution, to the highest bidder, at the east front door of the Court House, in Des Moines, Iowa, for cash in hand to pay of said Execution.

PARK A. FINDLEY, Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa. By GEO. M. CLEBER, Deputy. Sheriff's Office, Des Moines, Iowa. Date of first publication, July 12, 1928. Published and printed by the Iowa Bystander. Printer's fee \$7.50.

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