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Storer College Refuses N.A.A.C.P. Tablet

Atty. Chas. P. Howard To Be Principal Speaker

Negroes from every section of the state will attend the annual meeting of the Republican Voters League in Des Moines June 30.

The organization which has a membership of 5,000, will hold sessions at the Bethel A. M. E. church, East Sixteenth street and University avenue.



After a business meeting all candidates for public office will be invited to speak at 2 p. m.

Formed Two Years Ago

This league was organized two years ago to promote interest among Negroes in state and national affairs. Charles P. Howard, assistant city solicitor, will be the principal speaker.

Dance Planned

Other speakers will be F. N. Bynum, Davenport; M. F. Fields, Waterloo attorney; Mrs. Maude Brewton, Mason City; D. W. Mixon, Council Bluffs; Mrs. Etta Mae Bland, Keokuk; and A. J. Hick, Sioux City.

A dance will be held in the evening at the "Barn", 1017 Walnut street. Herb Heuer's Vagabonds featuring Gene Ballard, Negro tenor, will play.

'Negro Holds Balance of Power' - Walter White

Will Come Into His On This Fall, Says Walter White in Address

Washington, May 27.—That the Negro vote holds the balance of power in 13 states and will come into his own this fall, were statements made yesterday (Sunday) afternoon in an address in the Washington Auditorium by Walter White, secretary of the N. A. A. C. P., addressing the closing meeting of the Association's 23rd Annual Conference.

Mr. White said the Negro vote was increasingly militant and independent and that Negro voters were no longer being taken in by the blandishments and lies of professional politicians, white or black.

"I predict a greater independence of Negro voters in 1932 than has ever been known," said Mr. White. "This militant independent vote holds the balance of power in 13 states with a total electoral vote of 187. In this year of unemployment, depression and revolt, the Negro will play a potent role in additional states with a total electoral vote of 62."

Chicago Institution Goes on the Rocks

DOUGLASS NATIONAL BANK CLOSES

Chicago, May 26.—After battling against the relentless gods of the depression for more than two years, the directors of the Douglass National Bank Friday afternoon chose discretion as the better part of valor and ordered the famous race institution temporarily closed in the hope of being able to effect readjustments and reorganization.

The order was forced upon the board ever since the financial structure of the Negro community of Chicago's Southside began to crumble in July of 1930 when the Binga State Bank failed, Anthony Overton, president and chairman of the board, and his corps of advisers had struggled with courage and legerdemain against fate that was certain.

Friday afternoon the bank did not have sufficient funds to meet its clearing house obligations. The obligations were \$8,000. All that the bank had was \$5,600.

Lawyers Hold Memorial Services POLK BAR HONORS THE

LATE H. R. WRIGHT

Memorial services were held by the Polk County Bar for recently deceased members at the Court House, Saturday morning, May 21. Among resolutions presented was one in honor of the late Herbert R. Wright by a committee consisting of S. Joe Brown, James B. Morris and Chas. P. Howard.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The Committee on Colored Work of the Des Moines Young Women's Christian Association announces the final Forum-for-the-study of Literature by and about Negroes, of the season at the Blue Triangle Branch of the Association, 1227 Schobl street, on Tuesday, May 31, 8 p. m. Mrs. Eva M. Page of the library staff will review "One Way to Heaven" by Countee Cullen and "The Chinaberry Tree" by Jessie Fauset. Miss Clara Webb will give the biography of both authors. There will be musical selections chosen and directed by Mrs. Joburness Kelso, music chairman. The planning committee will appreciate suggestions for next year's program (submitted in writing).

On Friday, May 20, at the regular meeting of the Book Lovers Mrs. Virginia Harrison gave an account of the life and works of Booker T. Washington. On May 27, Mrs. C. C. Johnson reviewed Clarence Darrow's "The Story of My Life". On June 3 Mrs. Howard will review "Loads of Love" by Anne Parrish. At this time officers will be elected and committees appointed for the year beginning in October. On June 5 the season will be closed with a picnic at McHenry Park. Officers this year have been Mrs. J. G. Browne, chairman; Mrs. Adah Johnson, secretary; Mrs. Margaret Patten, critic; Mrs. Beattie Hughes, program chairman; Mrs. J. A. Bailey, membership chairman.

The June meeting of the Committee of Management will be held on Thursday, June 2, 8 p. m.

North High Girl Wins Art Award

Cornelia Leonard, 19, of 1901 Washington Ave., North High school student, won third place in a poster contest held by the National Fire Protection association in Atlantic City, N. J.

Miss Leonard is prominent in the art circles having won first honors in



CORNELIA LEONARD

many contests. Her poster was chosen first place winner in the state contest to represent Iowa in the national competition.

She is a popular society co-ed and member of St. Paul A. M. E. church. Miss Leonard will graduate this June and expects to continue her art work in Chicago.

She is the daughter of Mrs. Bennie Branch.

Dr. Nelson Ordered To Pay Alimony

'Follies' Mate Wins \$300 a Month Pending Divorce Trial

Los Angeles, Cal., May 23.—Losing in the first round of his matrimonial battle with his white "Follies" beauty, Dr. Eugene C. Nelson, wealthy physician, must pay Helen Le Worthington-Nelson \$300 monthly alimony pending the trial of her divorce suit against him, by order of Superior Court here last week.

Great Day at Bethel Church Sunday

The third quarterly meeting of the above church will be held Sunday, May 29th, with the following program:

9:30 A. M. Sunday School, W. H. Summerville, Supt., accompanied by fifteen teachers. 11:00 A. M., Sermon by the Rev. Thomas B. Stovall, president.

Condemned Boys' Fate Yet Unknown

U. S. DECISION IN SCOTTSBORO CASE PENDING

Expect Supreme Court Ruling Tuesday Washington, D. C. May 27. Three petitions for review of the conviction of seven youths for alleged assaults on two white girls near Scottsboro, Alabama, will be passed on by the United States supreme court next Tuesday.

If the petitions for writs of certiorari are denied by the supreme court, the youths will be executed June 24. If the writs are granted their cases will be reviewed when the supreme court reconvenes next October.

Night Club Owner Slain In Fight

DANCER SHOT AS CHORINES FLEE

Chicago, May 26.—Death played the lead role in a gruesome drama enacted in Sammy Dyer's exclusive dancing studio here Monday afternoon when Joe Wilson, featured dancer of "Runnin' Wild" and "Sidewalks of New York," was fatally shot, and Charlie Marshall, pianist, seriously injured.

The tragedy, staged 'midst a scene including scantily-clad chorus girls and shouting directors, was the aftermath of a reprimand to Frank Murphy about tampering with the studio piano. Murphy left after the argument, but returned later to do his shooting.

SEN. COPELAND SEEKS PENSION FOR MATT HENSON, POLE HERO

Washington, D. C., May 27.—A bill granting a pension to Matt Henson, who accompanied Admiral Robert E. Peary to the north pole, was introduced in the senate last Saturday by Senator Royal S. Copeland, Democrat of New York. The bill provides that "in recognition of the service rendered by Matt Henson on the late Robert Edwin Peary's expedition to the north pole in 1908-1909, the administrator of veterans is authorized and directed to place the name of the said Matt Henson on the pension roll." The amount of the pension which he would be paid is not stated in the bill as introduced.

Henson was one of the members of the 1908-1909 Peary Arctic club north pole expedition and made the trip to the north pole with Admiral Peary. He is now holding a government position in New York city.



ing Elder of the Des Moines District. Special musical program by the juvenile choir of the church.

At 3:00 P. M. Communion Sermon by the Rev. W. E. Guy, pastor of St. Paul's A. M. E. Church, will be held. Bethel Choir will sing; Wm. Wheels is director. J. J. Evans, pastor.

Mrs. R. A. Dobson Heads Federation

The Thirtieth Annual Session of the Iowa Federation of Colored Women's Clubs held at St. Paul's A. M. E. Church, May 23, 24, 25, observed Citizens' Night, Monday and was entertained at a banquet in which Mayor Dwight P. Lewis gave the welcome address on behalf of the city. Jessie Walker of Marshalltown, Iowa, gave a response to the Welcome address, and musical numbers were rendered.

At the Tuesday afternoon session, Mrs. A. A. Alexander, of Des Moines, and State President of the Federation,



MRS. A. A. ALEXANDER

presented the Honorable Governor Dan Turner, who brought greetings to the Federation and Mrs. Dot Jackson, past-president of the Des Moines Women's Clubs gave an address on education. Mrs. R. A. Dobson of Sioux City, First Vice President, presided at the night session. The President delivered her annual address as follows:

PRESIDENT'S ANNUAL ADDRESS

May 23, 1932. To the Officers, Delegates, Members and Friends of the Iowa Federation of Colored Women's Clubs: Greetings:

I pledged myself to faithfully carry out the policies of this organization and to lend myself to my utmost capacity to reflect the highest aspirations of the club woman in my actions as your leader. Once more it is my pleasing duty to render to you the result of my accomplishments and desires.

The thing that impresses me so deeply at this moment is the great intangible force which draws us together each year in spite of human fears and prejudices. That force is called "The National Association of Colored Women's Clubs." It was coordinated of thought that first conceived the idea and ideals for this organization. It was coordinated of those ideas and ideals. Coordination started us on our way, kept our feet to the right, maintained our courage and hope, sustained our enthusiasm and loyalty, and led us to a common goal.

The National Association of Colored Women which is only by lifting the individual that we adequately raise the standard, chose as their motto: "Lifting As We Climb." This association was founded in Washington, D. C., in 1896, for the purpose of raising to the highest plane, the home life, the moral standards and the civic life of our race. In the year of 1910 the women of Iowa raised their banner to the already twinkling stars, having as their motto: "Sowing seeds of kindness," with the hope of teaching not only our children, but also the mothers how to live, to establish homes and create an atmosphere which shall be conducive to the development of children into the finest type of citizenry. Despite the fact that the National Association of Colored Women may seem far removed from our local organization, to be one of the links in this great chain, to be a part of the most powerful organization in the world, is a far-reaching influence among all women, among educators, legislators, politicians and business men. In this day of highly organized society it is imperative that we support our National Association and let me again stress the fact that no particular social, political or religious group claims the sole interest of this organization.

When the organization elected me to its Presidency a distinct honor was accorded me, and especially the acceptance of the office, fully realized the responsibility of the obligations of its indebtedness to the National Office. I have attempted to inject part of this responsibility to the individual members, and while the response has not been great, I realize the financial stress under which you are laboring and I feel that you have done your best.

Trustees Object To Wording Of DuBois Speech

Harper's Ferry, W. Va., May 23.—A startling sensation was created Saturday when for the first time many of the hundreds of delegates to the N. A. A. C. P. conference in Washington, D. C., who had journeyed to the Storer College campus here for the dedication of a tablet in honor of John Brown, learned that the tablet was not to be erected because of the objection of the President and Trustees of the college to the language of the tablet as written by Dr. W. E. B. DuBois.

President Leaves Platform The announcement came at the end of the meeting where the story of the John Brown raid of 1859 and its significance was told by Oswald Garrison Villard, editor of the Nation, and John Max Barber, president of the John Brown Association. President Henry T. McDonald of Storer College had made a speech of welcome to the delegates and immediately left the platform. The significance of his leaving was not noticed at that time.

DuBois Scores Confederacy Sensing the disappointment of his hearers, Dr. DuBois then launched into a fiery denunciation of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, whose influence it was charged had kept the tablet from being received, and told the white people of the community to their face that they were moral cowards, liars, and had entered into a deliberate conspiracy to besmirch the name of John Brown. The audience, roared its approval as Dr. DuBois, with biting sarcasm, and with the effective invective for which he has been noted throughout his long public career, said that the trustees had requested that practically everything be eliminated from the tablet except the name of John Brown. DuBois again brought cheers when he said that although two hundred thousand Negro soldiers marched in the Civil War, and that President Lincoln himself said the war could not have been won without them, that these soldiers no longer march in the history books, and he doubted whether even the history books used at Storer College for colored youth mentioned Negro soldiers in the Civil War. After his terrific onslaught against the college Dr. DuBois then calmed down and said facetiously: "Now, I will read you the more polite official statement from the N. A. A. C. P." The statement reads: "The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People regrets that the tablet displayed here today is not to be placed on John Brown's Fort. In fairness to all parties concerned and especially to our host today, Storer College, we take this means of making public the reasons for this."

Allen Awaits Word of Reward

FINDER OF LINDY BABY GETS \$300 A WEEK IN VAUDEVILLE

Hopewell, N. J., May 27.—Fortune smiled on William Allen, the Trenton, N. J., truck driver, who two weeks ago, found the slain kidnaped Lindbergh baby, Charles Augustus Lindbergh, Jr. Allen has accepted a stage offer at \$300 a week. Allen, who is under the management of Attorney J. Austin Norris, left Tuesday for Philadelphia, where he will tell theatregoers how he came to discover the baby's body. His tour will take him to all the leading cities.

Attorney Norris is still awaiting word from the Lindbergh family and officials of various newspapers who offered liberal rewards for the finding of the child, dead or alive.

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Jerry Hayes' Jenerators Make Hit at Riverview

By Everett Wadsworth

Four thousand dancers can't be wrong. Jerry Hayes and his original Joy Jenerators, eleven piece sensational outfit, was greeted with the greatest outburst of enthusiasm ever accorded an orchestra, when they engaged in a battle of music with Joe Gazzo's band at Riverview Park last Saturday night. The affair was sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, where it was broadcast by remote control over radio stations WHO and WOC.

The fans went wild as the local band entertained with hot sizzling syncopation, with the inimitable Jerry Hayes, popular entertainer, that was equalled only by Fletcher Henderson's appearance here last December. Enthusiastic dancers surged around the colored musicians to see the snappy new uniforms of light tan and brown ensemble, and to hear the sweet, fascinating and scintillating Harlem hot tunes as played only by experts.

The Jenerators were organized in 1924 and is now one of the top notch bands of the middle-west. In 1930 they toured western Canada and have received many flattering offers to return. Local promoters are reluctant to let them go and are keeping them always busy. The personnel includes: Floyd Bowman, Alonzo Miller, Maurice Allen, reeds; Seymour Morrison,

Harold Wilkinson, trumpets; Ronzo Hayes, banjo; Francis Bates, tuba and bass viol; Eddie Barber, trombone; Jimmy Windsor, piano, and "Buck" Perry, drums.

Local Bands 'Clicking'

Harry Miller and his Billiken Ballroom band, seven piece orchestra, played at the Gates Country Club at Grinnell Saturday night and for the Entre Nous Dancing Club at the Billiken Tuesday evening. The boys were resplendent with their new summer outfits consisting of sea green silk blouses, black sport tie and sash and black trousers.

The aggregation is well known throughout central Iowa and have had many successful engagements since its first organization a year ago. The personnel includes: Julian Mason, trumpet; Earl Washington, trombone and voice; Everett Wadsworth, sax and clarinet; Russell Shepherd, banjo and trumpet; Mrs. Minta Miles, piano and voice; Harry Miller, drums and Dorothy Miles, entertainer and tap dancer.

Boots Jackson and his Syncopaters engaged in a battle of music with Fred Williams and his Seven Aces of Ottumwa at Centerville, Monday night.

Curtis Morton and his Band played at the Barn Saturday night.

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A CHANGE

In years gone by members of Congress coming from the New England states have taken the lead in championing the rights of the Negro in and out of Congress. It is striking that on the N. A. A. C. P. conference program which closed its session recently, Senators La Follette of Wisconsin, Cutting of New Mexico, outstanding progressives, Capper of Kansas, and Bulking of Ohio, appeared as speakers.

Senators La Follette and Cutting, without any question, are strong champions of the cause of the laboring man and the farmer. What does this mean? Most Negroes in this country are laborers or farmers and if the masses of the two groups are to be helped the Negro is bound to be a beneficiary. Without in the least minimizing what the other friends have done, the addition of this alignment is bound to have a far-reaching influence on the Negroes' future.

ANOTHER TO WEST POINT

Benj. O. Davis, Jr., has received an appointment to West Point upon recommendation of Representative DePriest of Illinois. Mr. Davis is the son of Col. B. O. Davis, the ranking Negro officer in the U. S. Army. Having passed the preliminary examination, this young man is to report to the United States Military Academy July 1.

De Priest is doing the right thing. We hope the boy will be successful. It is highly gratifying to have Negro boys at West Point. It is well that we have commissioned officers as well as enlisted men in the Army.

SOUTHERN DELEGATIONS

With the selection of delegates to the Republican National Convention the quadrennial farce of naming two sets of delegates from Southern States is on. Even though Republicans, the white and black ones can't get along. The so-called "lily whites" usually hold their conventions in hotels where Negroes are not admitted—which of course is entirely illegal—and the Negroes proceed to hold another convention. This is one of the leading causes of the two sets of delegates.

The Republican National Committee is responsible for

HEALTH TALKS

By Dr. H. H. London

DYSENTERY

Bacillary Dysentery is a disease of the intestines which results from poor sanitation occurring especially in crowded and overcrowded institutions. The real cause is, however, a germ called a bacillus which becomes located in the intestine causing the symptoms of the disease. The other Dysentery called Amoebic is caused by an entirely different form of organism which is nevertheless microscopic and cannot be seen with the natural eye. Both forms are more frequent in the warm climates and occur in any climate in the warmer weather.

Both children and adults may be the victims of the disease and indeed it may prove fatal in anyone if proper care is not taken to limit the results of its presence. In armies it has been said to have taken more men than powder and shot. The disease begins with pain in the abdomen and soon there follows frequent stools and the passage of blood and mucus. The disease should receive attention at the beginning of these symptoms for if neglected the one affected may soon be very weak and emaciated. It is just as important, if not more so that children so affected have immediate treatment.

All diarrhoeas are not dysentery as such a condition may be caused from some unsuitable food which has been taken and the treatment of this condition is different and a different course must be pursued in each. In one of the forms the liver becomes affected and it is desirable to avoid such a complication. The disease becomes chronic sometimes and the fact that the patient has neglected himself unintentionally may have had something to do with such an undesirable continuance of the disease. Early treatment will prevent these complications, prevent a long illness, and remove the possibility of a fatal ending which possibility must be considered in any case where treatment has been put off too long.

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Noah H. Williams, D. H. Sims and H. Y. Tookes, Elected to Highest Positions in A. M. E. Church

Cleveland O., May 19.—After 28 hours of balloting, the delegates to the quadrennial conference of the A. M. E. church elected Rev. Noah W. Williams of St. Louis, Rev. D. H. Sims of South Carolina, and Rev. H. Y. Tookes, of Florida, to the Bishopric. The balloting began Friday morning at 11 o'clock and at three o'clock Saturday afternoon, the third bishop was elected. Seven ballots were cast. Bishop R. A. Grant, of Alabama, presided.

Bishops and general officers of the A. M. E. church will continue to receive the same salaries. The committee on Temporal Economy reported that the bishops receive \$4,800 a year and the general officers \$3,600, which means no cut for those discharging official duties. The measure was adopted a few moments before adjournment Monday.

The number of bishops, however, has been reduced to 15 and the office of historian has been abolished. This means a saving of \$74,400 a quadrennium.

Mrs. Mary Mickles, 813 14th street, who has been employed at the local postoffice for thirty years will retire May 31st. She is the first colored person to retire from government service in Des Moines.

She entered the custodian service, U. S. Treasury Department, in October, 1900 and was first assigned to the U. S. Post Office in the old Federal building at 5th and Court ave., and transferred to the new post office building in 1910.

Mrs. Mickles served under seven postmasters: Schneider, McKay, Myerly, Kurtz, Huffman, Thornburg and Frisk. Edwin J. Frisk, present postmaster states: "She has rendered honest and faithful service and leaves with an excellent record of conscientious, loyal service to the government."

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Chicago, May 19.—Notice has been received by Benjamin O. Davis, Jr., 4524 South Park Way, this city, of his having successfully passed the mental and physical examination for entrance in West Point Military Academy.

He has been directed to report in person to the superintendent of the military academy on July 1, 1932, before 12 o'clock noon, for admission as a cadet.

Davis is the son of Col. Benjamin O. Davis, commandant of cadets at Tuskegee Institute.

He is an appointee of Congressman Oscar DePriest.

FESS WILLIAMS OPENS

NEW YORK CAFE

New York, May 20.—Fess Williams, popular orchestra leader and former maestro at the Regal theater, Chicago, has gone into a new line. The music master of jazz numbers has opened a cafe for the profession at 151 West 131st Street.

SHUFFLE ALONG

TO BE REVIVED

New York, May 20.—The great Noble Sissle-Eubie Blake-Miller and Lyles musical comedy of 10 years ago, "Shuffle Along", which brought a galaxy of stars to the fore, all of whom are now shining save the late and lovely Florence Mills, is to be revived in New York soon with a number of the original stars, according to a report for a most reliable source.

At present both of the authors and musicians, Sissle and Blake, are in New York. The former has his famous Ambassadeurs band, straight from Paris, at the swank Park Central hotel, and Blake, who besides playing in vaudeville with Broadway Jones, directs bands and has shows in the Lafayette from time to time.

Washington May 19.—with Armed officers standing as sentinels, the stately building housing the United States Supreme Court was fortified Monday against a possible demonstration by Communists, who are urging the supreme tribunal to intervene in the case of the doomed Scottsboro (Ala.) youths. Nothing occurred to mar the calmness of the judicial atmosphere, however, and the distinguished looking justices took their places.

In addition to the policemen assigned to the court to preserve order, two others in uniform watched closely as the usual line formed at the doors to await admittance to the court. No one among the spectators was questioned, however.

Hopewell, N. J., May 20.—Determined to combat any attempts to prevent him from collecting rewards offered by the state of New Jersey and eastern daily newspapers, William Al-

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len, truck driver, who last Thursday afternoon found the slain kidnaped baby of Col. and Mrs. Charles Lindbergh, has retained the services of Attorney J. Austin Norris of Philadelphia.

Attorney Norris hopes to get at least \$50,000 in rewards for his client. He will represent Mr. Allen in all negotiations concerning rewards offered by state officials and newspapers for the finding of the body.

NEGROES WILL FIGHT

SALARIES OF 11 ZION

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Pittsburgh, May 20.—The closing sessions of the 29th quadrennial general conference of the A. M. E. Zion



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church were filled with bitter wrangling over the various bits of new legislation calling for the reduction of salaries of bishops and general officers. The bitterest contest came on Tuesday morning when an attempt was made to re-franchise the bishops and general officers. The motion was lost by an overwhelming majority. The age limit of bishops also created a heated discussion, but resulted unchanged.

The salaries of the eleven bishops in the A. M. E. Zion church were cut from \$5,000 per year to \$3,600 as delegates continued their "economy drive."

Allen Candidate For Treasurer

Clint A. Allen, who is a candidate for County Treasurer of Polk County, is a life long resident of this County and is now 34 years of age.

At the time of his enlistment in the Service during the World War, he was night manager of the Commercial Department of the Western Union Telegraph Company in Des Moines, Mr. Allen also served seven and one-half years in the Iowa National Guard, since the war, having resigned a Commission as Captain and Commanding Officer of the State Detachment in September, 1929.

For the past ten years Mr. Allen has been employed in the Treasurer of State's office, handling the book-keeping and accounts of that office.

His lodge and other organization connections are as follows: Home

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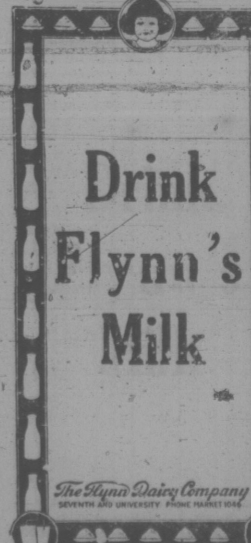
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Mr. Allen's Statement

County Treasurer of Polk County and I am against no one. If the people of this County desire a change in this office, I would like to be the change.

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POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT



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Republican Candidate for

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Primaries June 6, 1932

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ECONOMY

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON SPECIAL EXECUTION

District Court of Polk County, Iowa

STATE OF IOWA, Polk County

A. J. SMALL

versus

FRED L. HERBERT, Administrator of the Estate of Ella G. Herbert, Deceased; FRED L. HERBERT and M. L. HERBERT.

BY VIRTUE OF A SPECIAL EXECUTION

TO ME DIRECTED, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, in

favor of A. J. Small, and against Fred L. Herbert, Administrator, on a judgment rendered by said court on the 9th day of May, A. D. 1932, wherein it was ordered, adjudged and decreed that the following described property to be sold to satisfy said judgment to-wit:

Lot 25, Block 2, in Inglewood, now included 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 25th day of June A. D. 1932, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at which time said above described property is hereby advertised to be sold, and pay of the amount of said execution, with interest and costs, I will sell said property, or sufficient thereof to satisfy said Execution, with interest and costs, at public outcry, to the highest bidder, at the east front door of the Court House, in Des Moines, Iowa, for cash in hand to pay off said Execution.

C. F. KEELING, Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa.

R. L. Hanson, Deputy.

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Society and Clubs = by Helen Elizabeth Childs

Dames Club Wins Table Setting Contest

Mrs. Goletha Trotter of Des Moines, Chairman of Household Economic Department of the I. F. C. W. C. sponsored a table setting contest Tuesday evening at the State Convention.

The Dames club, a popular club of society matrons of Sioux City, Iowa, won first prize, the Modernistic club a popular club of exclusive young society matrons of Des Moines, second. Both clubs received cash prizes. Judges for the contest were: Miss Florence Weaver and Mrs. Ollie Lindsey.

Demonstration of Clothing

Mrs. Georgine Morris, of Des Moines gave a demonstration at the I. F. C. W. C., Thursday evening, with living models, on "Clothing—How, When and Where to Wear Them." Those modeling were: Misses Lavenia Graves, Anna Mae Manuel, Mesdames Mable Mann, and Ruth Moore.

Entre Nous Entertains

The Entre Nous entertained in honor of the visitors of I. F. C. W. C. at a party at the Billiken Ballroom, Tuesday evening, May 24. Music for the occasion was furnished by Harry Miller and his Billiken Ballroom Band.

Sioux City Visitors to I. F. C. W. C.

Mrs. Williams of Sioux City, Iowa, was in the city attending the I. F. C. W. C. While in the city she stopped at the home of Mrs. Adelle McGuire.

Mrs. R. A. Dobson, Mattie Watkins, and Hattie Brown, were the house guests of Mrs. Maude Woods, and Mrs. A. A. Alexander, and Mrs. J. N. Boyd was the house guest of Mrs. Susie Hart.

Visitor from Marshalltown

Mrs. Jessie Walker of Marshalltown, Iowa, was the house guest of Mrs. S. Joe Brown, while attending

the I. F. C. W. C. Clubs. Demonstration of Aircraft and Needle Work

Mrs. Mattie Watkins of Sioux City, Iowa, gave an interesting display on Aircraft and Needle Work, Paintings, Mesdames Lillian Edmunds and Adelle McGuire, of Des Moines, Mrs. Williams of Sioux City, Iowa, won first prize for the best needle work.

Mrs. Selby Johnson of Keokuk, Iowa, past president of the I. F. C. W. C. was in the city attending the Convention.

L. T. Club

The L. T. club met with Mrs. Clara Miller, 1721 Pleasant Street, May 18. Prizes and awards were won by Ada Jean Watkins, and Victoria Hendricks. The club guests were: Mesdames Julia Miller and Gladys Carter. Club adjourned to meet with Veuna McCraven, 725 Boyd street.

Royal Dukes

The Royal Dukes met in regular session, Tuesday, May 24, at the Community Center. Plans for the Annual Spring Party were made.

"Fifi's Fortune"

The thrilling one-act comedy, "Fifi's Fortune", under the direction of Marie Nowling, made a tremendous hit. Ola McCraney played the leading part as Fifi, Beatrice Eaves, as Ruth, Lawrence Graves, as Bob, and Archie Davis as Tom.

Those appearing in the production were: Robert Smith, Jesse Smith, Dorothy Tolson, Slim Davis, little Johanna Brewer, Leonard Nowling, Marie Nowling, George Edmunds, Jean Morris, and Eleanor Powell.

Hostess

Miss Gladys Brodus was hostess at a breakfast Monday, May 23, at her home, 1017 W. 11th Street, in honor of Mrs. Pearl Wilson of Chicago, who is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Allen, 1216 Laurel street. Those included in the courtesy were: Mesdames John Lomas, M. Shelton, Lovell Owens, and Edward Allen.

Mrs. Pearl Wilson of Chicago, Ill., is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Allen, 1216 Laurel street.

Don't Forget the Comedy, "High Brown Breach of Promise," given by the boys, May 31, at St. Paul's A. M. E. Church. The boys will give an evening's entertainment well worth your money. The May Pole drill and crowning of the May Queen will also complete this program.

Jolly Twelve

Mrs. Belle Dacus, 3131 Bowdoin Avenue, was hostess to the Jolly Twelve and Mesdames Sarah Ward and Della Robinson, Thursday evening, May 19. Club prizes were received by Mesdames Ruth Piggee and Lizzie Beckton.

Jump Bid Contract Bridge

The old members of the Jump Bid Contract Bridge club entertained the new members Thursday, May 19, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus McCraven, 1815 Boyd street. Bridge was played throughout the evening.

Social Whist Club

The Tuesday Night Social Whist Club met with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes, 1537 Maple street, Tuesday, May 24th.

Clover Leaf Club

The Clover Leaf club met Friday evening, May 20, with Mrs. Ada Jefferson, 848 W. 9th street.

Visits Waterloo

Mr. Henri L. Hill, 1410 Center St., spent a few days visiting in Waterloo, Iowa, last week.

Mrs. Green of Sioux City, Iowa, was one of the many visitors in the city last week, attending the Iowa Federation of Colored Women's Clubs Convention. While in the City, Mrs. Green stopped at the home of Mrs. Goldie Fant, 1656 Maple street.

ST. SIMON'S EPISCOPAL MISSION

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The First Sunday after Trinity
Holy Communion, 8 A. M. Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11 A. M. Church School 12 M. Meeting of Bishop Committee 4 P. M. Evening Prayer and Instruction, 7-8 P. M. The public is cordially invited.—The Rev. Roger E. Bunn, Priest in Charge.

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East Sixteenth and University Ave.
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Sunday school meets at 9:30, Preaching at 11:00. The B. Y. P. U. meets at 6:30. Topic: "Why Should We Pray?" Psalms, 51: 10-19. Preaching at 8:00. Regular prayer service, Wednesday evening at 8:00. Mrs. Lulu Jones, president of prayer band.

The Four Derby Quartet will render a Musical, Vocal and Literary program Thursday evening, June 2, at 8:00. Choir rehearsal Friday evening at 8:00. Mr. Richard Oliver, musical director. The Willing Workers club will meet Thursday evening at 8:00 in the Pastor's Study. The Bible Study class will meet Thursday evening at 8:00. Lesson study, Exodus 28, 39:2. Motto: "Study to show thyself approved of God."

MASON CITY

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ashford and daughter, Helen, attended the reception given in honor of the pastor at the Union Memorial church, Monday evening, May 16th. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ashford entertained at their country home in Garner, Iowa, Sunday, May 15, at dinner, Rev. and Mrs. E. Sims, Rev. and Mrs. J. Lee, Rev. and Mrs. John Taylor, Mrs. Sallie McDaniels, and grandsons, James, Miss Frances Mitchell, and Mr. L. Caldwell, all of Mason City.

INFORMATION

William Jones who married Lena Johnson Jackson in Fort Dodge, Feb. 11, 1914. Des Moines Red Cross is interested in contacting him for the purpose of clearing his government record.

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St. Paul Society to Hold Sunday Evening Services

The Allen C. E. League of St. Paul A. M. E. Church will have charge of the evening services at 8:15 P. M. Musical selections will be given by E. W. Perkins, bass soloist, Lucille Simmons, pianist, B. D. Brown, violinist, and the St. Paul's Junior Quartet. Talks will be given by S. E. Gilbert and Miss Altha Childress. Mrs. Anna B. Simmons, is president of the league. A ten minutes discussion will follow each talk.

KYLES A. M. E. CHURCH

The Cavalry Chorus of Corinthian Baptist Church will give a program at the Church Sunday evening, May 29. This chorus is composed of some of the best talent of the city. Everyone is welcome.

Plans Visit

Mrs. Mary Turner plans a three weeks visit to Ohio to visit her uncle and sisters. She will visit in Columbus, Akron and Gallipolis, Ohio. She left Friday morning, June 27. Turner's home residence is 1645 Buchanan street.

Sioux City Woman

Guest of Mrs. Tutt

Mrs. Mary Cabbell of Sioux City, is the house guest in the home of Mrs. J. W. Tutt, 1446 Buchanan street. She is here in attendance at the State Federation of Colored Women's Clubs.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Laura Jeffries was born in Knoxville, Iowa, March 12, 1865, and died May 21, 1932. She was united in marriage to Rev. H. S. Skanes of Chariton, Iowa, in 1892. One daughter, Mrs. Hazel Johnson, died in Chicago several years ago. She became affiliated with the Methodist Church. She is survived by two children, Mamie Amos of Tucson, Arizona, and Paris Skanes, of Des Moines, also one brother, and a host of relatives and friends. Funeral services were held at St. Paul's A. M. E. church, Tuesday, May 24, at 1:00. Interment at Glendale.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for the kindness shown at the time of the death of our mother, Mrs. Laura Jeffries; for the beautiful floral offering, donation of cars; Rev. G. W. Guy for his remarks, and Tug Wilson and his assistants for their most efficient service.

Mamie Amos, Daughter, Paris Skanes, Son.

Olmstead Runs for Co. Auditor

Colonel E. S. Olmsted, head of Olmsted Incorporated, Insurance Agency, World War and Spanish American War Veteran is a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Auditor.

Long a resident of Des Moines, Colonel Olmsted has been interested in its civic and commercial activities, and has taken an active part in the general welfare of the citizens.

His wide knowledge of business affairs which has enabled him to build one of the largest Insurance Agencies in the State of Iowa admirably qualified him to conduct the office of County Auditor in an efficient and business-like manner.

The readers of the Bystander, those of Lincoln Post of the American Legion particularly, have known Colonel Olmsted for a number of years, and know that he is a square shooter.

If nominated and elected, Colonel Olmsted states that he will assure every citizen of the County equal accommodations and will not at any time be governed by the selfish motives of any clicks or groups.

Y Track Meet Decoration Day

CROCKER Y. M. C. A. TO HOLD ANNUAL TRACK MEET

East High Stadium will afford the setting for the tenth annual Crocker "Y" track and field meet to be held on Memorial Day at 2:00 p. m. Approximately two hundred athletes will take the mark in the three divisions and the special events. The Divisions are classified as follows: Lightweights—up to 110 lbs. Middleweights—111 to 135 lbs. Heavyweights—136 lbs up.

Lightweights—50 yd. dash, 440 yd. relay, shuttle race, broad jump, high jump, 100 yd. dash, pole vault, low hurdles.

Heavyweights will participate in the following events—mile run, 100 yd. dash, pole vault, 440 yd. dash, broad jump, low hurdles, high jump, shot put, 880 yd. run, 440 yd. relay, 220 yd. dash, one mile relay.

Middleweights—100 yd. dash, high jump, low hurdles, 220 yd. dash, pole vault, broad jump, shot put, 880 yd. relay.

Special Events—Baseball team 440 yd. relay. (Only baseball players eligible) baseball used instead of baton. Open 100 yd. dash. Anyone eligible regardless of weight.

Every Negro boy and young man in the city is eligible to compete in their respective divisions. Junior high senior high, and college track men are eligible as the meet will be held after the close of the school season.

Entrance fees may be paid at the "Y" or at the Stadium on the day of the meet.

Race Superiority Theories Have Heralded Doom of Nations Ancient and Modern

Washington, May 20.—Equality of races as an ideal and a fact, is the prime need of the American nation today, declared Col. J. E. Spingarn, president of the N. A. A. C. P., in the keynote address Tuesday night opening the Association's 23rd Annual conference which is to continue in Washington through Sunday, May 22.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Elizabeth Lane was born in Atlanta, Georgia, in 1866, and died May 17, 1932 at the age of 66 years. She was a resident of Des Moines for the last fourteen years. She became affiliated with the Church of God in Christ in 1921, under the leadership of Elder F. W. McGee. Mrs. Lane is survived by a sister, Mrs. Mossie Thomas of Cleveland, Ohio, brother, Bishop Lane, and a host of friends. Funeral services were held at the Sanctified Church of Christ, Friday, May 30, with Elder A. Brewer, officiating. Interment at Laurel Hill.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for the kindness shown during the illness and at the time of the death of our loved one, Mrs. Elizabeth Lane; for the beautiful floral display donation of cars; Elder A. Brewer and assistants for their consoling remarks, and L. S. Fowler and Son for their most efficient service.

Mrs. Mossie Thomas, sister Bishop Lane, brother Mrs. Mattie Hilliard and Avery, friends.

NO VETERAN DISCRIMINATION, GEN. HINES, VETERAN BUREAU HEAD, TELLS N. A. A. C. P.

New York, May 20.—Replying to a letter from the N. A. A. C. P. urging steps to defeat a proposed bill for a Jim Crow veterans hospital, General Frank T. Hines, Administrator of the Veterans Bureau assures the N. A. A. C. P. no discrimination will be permitted in the bureau.

TEXAS ATTEMPT TO EVADE SUPREME COURT DECISION

New York, May 20.—Warning that attempts by the Democratic party in Texas to evade the two sweeping decisions by the U. S. Supreme Court, holding that Negroes may not be barred from primary elections, would be vigorously contested by the N. A. A. C. P., whose attorneys won the two cases involving the white primary, was issued from the national offices of the Association at 69 Fifth Ave., today.

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Theories of the "superiority" of race and national groups in the ancient and modern worlds have heralded the doom of nations, Col. Spingarn warned his audience, citing the poison of the slave population of Rome which doomed ancient Italy; the dispersion of the Hebrew who considered themselves the chosen people; the destruction of the south in the Civil war; and the crushing of modern Germanic or Nordic race.

SENATOR CAPPER URGES NEGRO TO BE POLITICAL INDEPENDENT

Washington, May 20.—Political independence was urged upon the Negroes of the United States, in an address Tuesday night by Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas, opening the 23rd annual conference of the N. A. A. C. P. which meets in Washington through Sunday, May 22.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT



CLINT A. ALLEN Candidate for Treasurer of Polk County Is Fair and Impartial

Having known Mr. Allen as a fair and impartial man in every phase of contact that he has had with our group, we, the colored friends take this means of endorsing his candidacy for Treasurer of Polk County, we do this because we know Mr. Allen, know he is able, qualified, efficient, trustworthy, and believes in representation of all groups. This we have not been able to determine as to the other candidates for the office of County Treasurer.

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monthly magazine published by the "Dames" meets the support of all club women of Iowa and I recommend the publication of this organization as the official organ of this organization. I hope that each club woman will subscribe to this magazine and take advantage of the invitation extended to them by the "Dames" to send club news each month in order that the sister states may know just what Iowa is doing.

Since the purpose of the organization is to raise the standards of the home life, to protect the rights of women and children, to obtain for colored women the opportunity to reach the highest standards in all fields of endeavor, I plead with you as women voters of Iowa to intelligently exercise your privilege of suffrage at the polls June 6th. The ballot should be used in order that the deplorable conditions of farm lands and farm products be more equitably valued, that the depleted value of farm lands and farm products be retrieved so that our Nation will return to the prosperity that the eighteenth amendment enforcement of the prohibition law and order causing an utter disregard of law and order be rectified; that adjustments be made concerning the tariff in order to promote better relations between nations; that economy and expenditures program involving foreign indebtedness be solved so that economy and recovery will be guaranteed and when these problems are solved the unemployment problem will take care of itself.

Today, more perhaps than at any other time of the world it is necessary for women not only to be trained in home matters but need also to be trained in social, political, economic, and industrial matters. I recommend that the National Association of Colored Women has organized two new major departments, namely, Mother, Home and Child, and Women in Industry. I recommend the adoption of these two departments. I further recommend that this organization, in accordance with the policy of the National Association, change its name from the Iowa Federation of Colored Women's Clubs to The Iowa Association of Colored Women.

The money paid to the ways and means department by the clubs is insufficient to carry on the work of the association and the pledge made four years ago by a former president to the National Association to "keep paid" has not been met. The balance now due to be returned among the various clubs and paid later than the best of us. This is a hard and difficult financial year but this is not the time for relaxing our efforts. As a new club year approaches let us not complain, but muster courage and common sense sufficient to use the facilities within the most of whatever conditions arise, may we realize that every achievement is made possible and sanctified by the blessings of God. He is the source of abundance, and that Providence which itself the spirit of love will bless and guide us throughout the year to come.

Your humble servant,
MRS. A. A. ALEXANDER,
State President.

Wednesday afternoon's session was given over to the election of officers. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. R. A. Dobson, of Sioux City, 1st vice president, Mrs. Lillian Edmunds, of Des Moines, second vice president, Mrs. Sophie Nichols, of Des Moines; recording secretary, Mrs. Agnes Matthews of Des Moines; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Mattie Watkins of Sioux City; treasurer, Mrs. Lillie Mills of Council Bluffs; auditor, Mrs. Meredith Carl of Des Moines, parliamentarian, Mrs. Goldie Fant of Des Moines; organizer, Mrs. Selma Hendricks of Des Moines; chaplain, Mrs. George Slater of Council Bluffs; statistician, Mrs. Pearl Thompson; superintendent of Girls' Work, Mrs. Adel McGuire, both of Des Moines.

Wednesday evening Mrs. A. A. Alexander presided, at which time Miss Ruth Marie Brown, of the Blue Triangle Y. W. C. A., Mrs. Lillian Edmunds of the Community Service, and Mrs. S. Joe Brown, appeared on the program. The officers were installed by Mrs. S. Joe Brown.

The Federation adjourned to meet in Council Bluffs, Iowa, in 1933.

SHERIFF KEELING COMPLETES YEAR OF PUBLIC SERVICE

1931 a Busy Year for Sheriff and His Staff

Just one year ago Charles Keeling was selected by the board of supervisors as the right man, (according to their best judgment) to fill the vacancy in the sheriff's office, brought about by the untimely death of William Walker.

In accepting the appointment Mr. Keeling said he would do his best to carry out the program as outlined by Mr. Walker for conducting the affairs of the sheriff's office—also pledging the Polk county citizens his undivided time and personal efforts to give to them the very best law enforcement program possible.

The year 1931 brought forth many problems for solution. With the crime wave rising higher and higher each month of the year, Sheriff Keeling and his well organized staff of deputies including Deputy Sheriff Lloyd McGuire, left no stone unturned in their efforts to check the crime wave and to bring to justice the offenders of the law.

Approximately 700 criminals were investigated during the year, and many criminals are today paying the penalty for their transgressions because of the splendid work done by Sheriff Keeling.

The sheriff has made many friends by the splendid cooperation he has given to the Ministerial association in their move to probe the crime situation in Des Moines.

If net results of things accomplished and work well done are the things required on the balance sheet of the sheriff's office, then the board of supervisors certainly feel that their appointment of Sheriff Keeling one year ago was no mistake.

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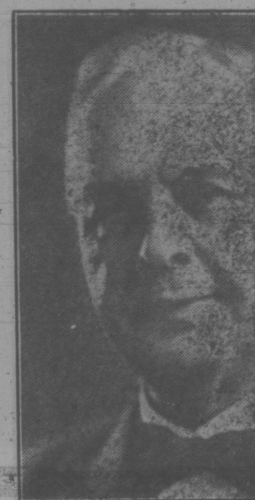
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POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT

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"I understand Col. Glenn C. Haynes is a candidate for United States Senator. I know him both as a friend and public officer, having served under him as an Auditor of the Iowa State Soldiers' Bonus Board for practically two years, during the time Col. Haynes was Auditor of the State of Iowa.

Col. Glenn C. Haynes is eminently qualified for this position possessing all of the attributed requisites for the highest public offices. It was he through his broad-mindedness and spirit of fair play in matters of public moment who opened a door of possibility, giving the colored citizenry of the great State of Iowa, their highest representations in State Officialdom, viz.: an Auditor and stenographer and the Iowa State Soldiers' Bonus Board.

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BY F. H. CHELEY

MISTAKES FATHERS MAKE

"THE trouble with my Dad," one fine boy told me, "is that he is always saying what he thinks, without thinking what he says. He's one of these hot-headed chaps, good, fine as gold when he isn't blustering, who is always so cock sure, that he ought to be awarded a gold medal for jumping at conclusions. According to him, he just couldn't be wrong and what I think or say on any subject is as he says 'just pure bunk.' He laughs at me and ridicules my ideas and says all the time, 'Well, where did you get that kid idea,' so I've just learned to keep my mouth shut and let him do the talking, when he's around and I do mine when he isn't present.

"He thinks I'm glum and grouchy and unappreciative and a lot of other things—and perhaps I am, but whose fault is it? There are ever so many things I'd like to discuss with him. I do respect his judgment. He is a good provider and all that, but he knows too much for me."

Think of the tragedy of it! Here is a sensitive boy who cannot bear to be ridiculed (not many of us can), who day by day is withdrawing within himself; afraid to express his thoughts; belittled into believing they are not any too sound, anyhow; initiative inhibited, natural exuberant enthusiasm squelched; personality dwarfed and frustrated, all because a thoughtless father will not

make any effort to see what kind of an emotional environment he creates and maintains in his home.

He works long hours for his family; has no other objective except to be a worthy parent; but in getting emotional satisfaction for himself, he does so at the price of the boy's lost self and development and in later years will ponder perplexedly over why it is that he enjoys no confidences and experiences, no fellowship with his "strange" son.

The boy knows with certainty that his father is not always right and growing boys are very sensitive to justice and imagined injustice. When and where and how is the lad going to learn to make wise decisions when he is never allowed to practice. When and where and how is this boy going to learn to stand upon his own and meet the world as it is. All his days, unless he happens to be a "revolutionist" in spirit, he will be afraid to step out and take the lead and assume responsibility and leadership. Constantly and forever he will be a weak, timid "follower"—the son of an essentially ignorant, bombastic father who, nine chances to ten, is but covering up his own conscious inferiority by his noisy attitude. Just what good is a fit body and generous schooling to that boy, when the very heart of things has been ignored?

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NOTICE IN PRORATE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Will of Annie Freely also known as Annie Brooks, deceased.

You are hereby notified to appear at the Court house in Polk County, Iowa, on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1932, at 10 o'clock A. M., to attend the probate of an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of Annie Freely, also known as Annie Brooks, deceased, late of Polk County, Iowa, at which time and place you will appear and show cause, if any, why said will should not be admitted to probate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the

District Court at Des Moines, this 25th day of April, A. D. 1932.

C. A. HORNER,
Clerk of District Court,
By Fred Barkalow, Deputy.

(Seal)

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POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT



VOTE FOR
MRS. AGNES LEE Hermandsen
FOR
County Recorder
SECOND TERM
Widow of World War veteran, member American Legion auxiliary, V. F. W., O. E. S., Daughters of Union Veterans of Civil War, and the N. A. A. C. P.

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William Carpenter M. D.
for
CORONER
Qualified by training, medical education and experience.
Charter Member Argonne Post,

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