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Rev. Hackley, Lucas Returned To St. Paul, Bethel Churches At 16th Northwest Session

By Mrs. Goldie Fant
WATERLOO, IOWA, (Special)—With the final sermon delivered by the Rev. W. E. Guy of Minneapolis, Minn., the sixteenth session of the Northwestern A. M. E. annual conference closed Sunday night at the Payne Chapel A. M. E. church with the appointments by the Rt. Rev. John A. Gregg of Kansas City, Kansas, bishop of the fourth Episcopal district. A total of \$2,836.50 was turned in by the various churches. St. Paul church, Des Moines raised \$502 in dollar money followed by St. James in St. Paul, Minn., with \$450 and St. Peter's in Minneapolis with \$435. The Rev. E. A. London of Burlington showed the greatest increase in dollar money with \$18 with the Rev. C. H. Copeland of Clarinda, \$10.



Rev. R. H. Hackley (above) "short term" pastor at St. Paul A. M. E. church, who recently was sent from Decatur, Illinois, was appointed to have the pastorate another year by the Northwestern A. M. E. annual conference.

Rev. Alexander
The Rev. J. A. Alexander of Evanston, Illinois, formerly of St. Paul in Des Moines, delivered the annual sermon Wednesday, Sept. 2. A reception was given in the evening honoring Bishop and Mrs. Gregg. On Thursday the Rev. L. A. McGee of Keokuk delivered the educational sermon. A missionary mass meeting was held Friday. The Rev. J. W. Wiley of Ottumwa gave the sermon.

J. G. Browne Heads Negro Division of Local Republicans

Appointment of James G. Browne of Des Moines as chairman of the Negro division of the Republican state central committee headquarters was announced Wednesday by Chairman Carl N. Cook.
Mr. Browne is one of the best known Negro leaders in the state. He is president of the Negro Republican Voters League of Iowa. For many years he has been an active worker for his party both in Polk County and in the state. He is recognized as an able organizer and an outstanding public speaker.
Mr. Browne will open offices at the Republican headquarters at the Savery hotel, Des Moines, on September 15th. Mr. Browne is a native of Pennsylvania, was born and reared in Connelville, sixty miles south of Pittsburgh, after graduating from the public schools of Pennsylvania he entered Fisk University, Nashville, Tennessee and is an alumni of that school, he is also a graduate from the Des Moines College of Law. He and his wife have been residents of this city since Nov. 15, 1915.
Browne is chairman of the Negro Republican Voters League of Iowa, an institution, which he Harry E. Wilson and Clarence Adams organized in 1931, in 1919 he helped to organize the Teddy Roosevelt club of which he is

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Black Legion Probe Ordered in Detroit

STATE DISMISSES MEMBERS ON PAYROLL
Detroit, Sept. 10—Bracing itself for a complete cleanup of the Black Legion terrorists in Michigan, the state on Wednesday began the dismissal of employes denounced as members of the black robed band. At about the same time the head of a citizens' committee in Pontiac demanded that the city do likewise with thirty-one employes named as belonging to the society.
The state demanded the resignation of Charles W. Cole, Pontiac, manager for the state board of tax administration, and the state liquor control commission announced that Gordon C. MacDougall, manager of its Pontiac store, was off the payroll.
Gov. Frank D. Fitzgerald said that Black Legion members employed at the state hospital in Pontiac might be discharged a few at a time. He said it would cripple the organization to let them all go at once.
Cole, MacDougall and more than a score of Pontiac state hospital employes were named as members of the lawless organization in the grand jury report submitted this week by Circuit Judge George B. Hatrlick.
The judge, sitting as a one-man grand jury, named eighty-six members of the Black Legion, many of whom are in the employ of the state, county and Pontiac city officials, as having belonged to the society of night riders.

of Chicago; Presiding Elder W. G. Burbidge and Rev. Stevens of the Nebraska conference. The 1937 meet will be held in Keokuk. Bishop Gregg's appointments were as follows:
Two Districts
ST. PAUL DISTRICTS—Rev. T. B. Stovall, Presiding Elder; Revs. S. M. McCormick of Sioux City transferred to Illinois; L. L. Johnson, Ft. Dodge; W. R. Stewart, Sioux City; J. J. Evans, Cedar Rapids; L. L. Robinson, Winnipeg, Canada; C. H. Copeland, Wayman Chapel, Minneapolis; C. F. Stewart, Minneapolis; Henderson Hedrick, St. James, Minn.; W. E. Guy St. James, St. Paul; L. L. Johnson, Huron S. D.; J. A. Dickinson, Yankton, S. D.; H. J. Parker, Waterloo.
DES MOINES DISTRICT—Revs. W. H. Ogilton, P. E.; Grant Page, Albia; N. M. Majors, Clarinda; A. R. Parks, Okaloosa; C. S. Spears, Clinton; George W. Slater, Council Bluffs; W. H. Wiley, Ottumwa; L. A. McGee, Keokuk; W. M. Berry, Fairfield and Washington; E. F. Madison and M. Pleasant; E. A. London, Burlington; J. W. Collins, Davenport; B. H. Lucas, Bethel, Des Moines; R. H. Hackley, St. Paul, Des Moines; R. C. Campbell, Newton; W. M. Ogilton, Muscatine.

Jas. Ford on NBC Network, Sept. 21

COMMUNIST NOMINEE WILL BE HEARD OVER WHO
New York, N. Y.—For the first time in America's history a nationwide radio hookup will carry the voice of a Negro vice presidential candidate into the deep south when James W. Ford, Communist, steps before the microphone on September 21 at 10:45 p. m. (New York daylight saving time) (over radio station WHO 8:45 p. m. central standard time).
Ford, outstanding Negro leader, will speak over the Red network of the National Broadcasting company for fifteen minutes on the problems facing the Negro people in the election campaign. Nine important southern cities from Richmond to Miami will carry his words to hundreds of thousands in the south.
This will be the third of a series of eight coast-to-coast hookups arranged by the national election campaign committee of the Communist party. Mr. Ford's radio address will take place on the eve of a tour which will take him across the country to the Pacific coast.

Church Moved to Construct Bridge

SHILOH BAPTISTS HOLD SERVICES AT 729 S. E. 15TH ST.
The Shiloh Baptist church services will be held temporarily at 729 S. E. Fifteenth street, pending negotiations for a new lot. The church was formerly located at S. E. Fifteenth and Scott streets.
The church and ground was purchased by the government to make way for the construction of the WPA viaduct over East Fourteenth street. The Rev. J. L. Lucas is pastor.



Rev. Ben H. Lucas (above) was returned to Bethel A. M. E. church by Bishop J. A. Gregg at the Northwestern A. M. E. conference at Waterloo last week.

We'll Get 'Em in November!



J. Finley Wilson of Washington, D. C. (left) grand exalted ruler of Elks, smiles with James E. Kelley, his secretary, following his address blasting the "New Deal" at the Iowa Negro Republican Voters' League Rally at Mrs. E. T. Meredith's farm, Monday.

Tatum Is Held in Death of Hughes

WAR VETERAN STABBED IN QUARREL OVER GIRL, OFFICERS SAY
Layman Tatum, 37, of 748 Tenth street, faces murder charges in the county jail in connection with the death of Earl Hughes, 47, of 1029 Seventeenth street, who died Saturday morning in Broadlawn General hospital from knife wounds in the neck suffered Tuesday, September 1, at Tenth and Chestnut streets.
Hughes was slashed in an argument over a girl, Jack Brophy, chief of detectives, said. Detectives J. L. McGuire and John Rhodes have obtained Australia Grace, 1060 Eleventh street, and Lincoln Scott, 819 Ninth street, as witnesses, who said they saw the fatal fight. Tatum denied the charges and shield awaiting action of the Polk county grand jury.
Funeral services for Hughes were held Tuesday at the St. Paul A. M. E. church, of which he was a member, with the Rev. R. H. Hackley officiating. Inment, in charge of J. Fowler & Son, funeral directors, was in the world war memorial plot of Glendale cemetery. He was born in Des Moines and had been employed for many years as a mailer for the Meredith Publishing Co. Hughes is survived by the widow; his father, Henry Hughes; brother, Bernon, and stepson, Arnold Wiley.

LA GUARDIA THANKED FOR APPOINTMENT OF PAIGE AS FIRST NEGRO MAGISTRATE
New York, Sept. 10—Appreciation was expressed today by Mayor F. H. LaGuardia of New York City by the N. A. A. C. P. on his appointment of Myles L. Paige as magistrate. Mr. Paige is the first Negro to serve in this capacity.
His term extends for nine years to April 30, 1945, and carries with it a substantial salary. Appointment of Mr. Paige raises to three the number of Negro judges serving in New York City, the others being Justices Charles E. Toney and James Watson of the New York municipal court.

CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDATES POLLED BY N. A. A. C. P. ON LYNCHING JOBS, RELIEF AND CIVIL SERVICE

New York, Sept. 10—All candidates for both senate and house of representatives of the seventy-fifth congress "who have at least a remote chance of being elected" are being asked to pledge their attitude on issues of importance to the Negro, it became known here this week. The pledges are being asked of candidates by branches of the N. A. A. C. P. in line with action voted at the recent annual conference at Baltimore.
The specific points on which aspirants for seats in congress are being asked to make their position clear include federal anti-lynching legislation, bills dealing with relief jobs, the civil service and enforcement of these measures.

Elk Ruler Urges Negroes to Follow Landon Leadership

G.O.P. Chief aims Sounds War Note
Leaders Enthusiastic As Opening Volley Is Fired At New Deal Target
CHICAGO, September 10—One of the most significant and thrilling Republican pep-woes in recent years, attended by the outstanding colored leaders, men and women of the country—and reminding of the enthusiastic call to arms and mustering of recruits in the G. O. P. triumphs of the past—was the two-day meet, held here last Wednesday and Thursday at the LaSalle hotel, of the National Planning Council—the purpose of which was to sound the war cry among the Negro electorate of America and elect Gov. Alfred M. Landon the next president of the United States. Dr. L. K. Williams, director of the Colored Voters Division, was active in framing the program of the Board.
From North, South, East and West, came those colored Republican stalwarts, in response to the invitation to the invitation of Presidential Nominee Landon and National Chairman John D. Hamilton, and the enthusiasm and interest which marked every minute of the two-day session was proof in itself that the New Deal horizon was fast becoming dimmed and that the glorious Republican star was again in the ascendency.
"The Democrats want our vote and are making a strong bid for it, but our people must not let the constitution be disturbed, our God-given protection!" Mr. Wilson reminded his listeners. James E. Kelley, Birmingham, Alabama, grand secretary of the Elks, was also a speaker.
John Burdett, "cheer leader" sent by the Chicago Tribune, led the community singing and gave his spirited rendition of "O! Man River." The community band, under the direction of Morris DeSleet, provided music during the day. A loud speaking system aided in the program.

Nation-Wide Program Mapped Out
After the gavel had been sounded by Robert Kratky, Linson Officer of the National Committee and Chairman of the meeting, the members of the Planning Board at the first session, began shaping the huge national program, state by state — and through state officials, into each county and precinct—the objective being mass concentration of colored voters through these channels, leading to victory for the Republican ticket in November.
Loud salvos of approval marked the

Billiken Nite Club Attracts Over 600
SIX HUNDRED PACKED IN FOR GRAND OPENING
By the Staff Writer
Nat Towles and his 14 Southern Gentlemen, straight from the Texas Centennial at Dallas, Texas, will be featured Monday night at the new Billiken nite club, Center at 12th, T. L. (Speck) Howard, manager, announced today. "Popular prices will prevail at this dance and everyone is welcome," he said. "The management is happy to have served so many Des Moines people at our first night's entertainment."
The personnel of the organization consists of Richard Parsons, Morris DeSleet, Matt Johnson, Ezra Ewing, Charles Wood, Melvin Carr, Herbert Green, Charles Danforth Roscoe Lee, Sylvia DeVan, Phil McGuire, Clarence Davis and Roosevelt Carter.
A capacity throng of six hundred packed the new night club in its premiere opening Monday evening. Music was furnished by the Billiken ballroom orchestra. Crowds milled in and out of the renovated, modern gay night spot until the hour of closing. Society was there en masse with all the gaiety of styles and fashions.

Ask Press Service To Ban 'Race' Talk In Crime Stories

New York, Sept. 10—The Associated Press, the United Press, the International News Service and 265 newspapers in all parts of the United States with circulations of 10,000 and over have been asked by the N. A. A. C. P. to follow the example of the New York Evening Post in banning unnecessary reference to the racial identity of persons accused of crime.
In its letter, which is accompanied recently by the Evening Post following a protest by Walter White, secretary of the N. A. A. C. P., the Advancement Association points out that its request is an entirely reasonable one and that compliance with it would help materially to disabuse the public mind of the erroneous belief that Negroes are more given to crime than other races.
The association also points out that between one and two million Negroes as a conservative estimate are purchasers of newspapers and that this not inconsiderable number of patrons have a right to ask that their race be not held up improperly, untruthfully and unduly as criminals.

Old Story, Woman Yells, Negro Killed

GEORGIA MOB LYNCHES MAN
Dalton, Ga.—(C)—A. L. McCamy was lynched near here Sunday after a mob of 150 had stormed the jail and forced Jailer John Pitt to hand over his keys. McCamy was jailed when a white woman screamed, admitting McCamy had no more than touched her.
The woman only "thought" McCamy meant to assault her. Sheriff J. H. Bryan regarded the charge against McCamy so slight he had not even questioned him, although the man had been in jail a day and two nights.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

IOWA TOWNS

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

1150 W. 13th Street
R. T. Hudson, Pastor
Sabbath School 9:30 A. M. Morning worship 11:00 A. M. Young Peoples' Mission Society 3:30 P. M. Bible Study League, Sight Singing, Chorus, 7:00-10:00 P. M. Teaching, Nursing Class Tuesday 8 P. M., Prayer meeting, Wednesday, Teachers' meeting Friday 8:00 P. M.

VALLEY JUNCTION, IOWA

Mt. Hebron Baptist Church
Rev. L. G. Garrett, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.; Morning worship 11:00 A. M.; Evening worship 7:30 P. M.; B. Y. P. U. 6:15 P. M. Midweek prayer service Wednesday

ST. PAUL A. M. E. CHURCH

12th and Crocker
Rev. R. H. Hackley
Sunday school 9:30 A. M.; morning worship 11:00, evening worship 8:00 P. M. A. C. E. League 6:30 P. M. Verlene Reeves, president. Harrison Gould superintendent of the church school. Midweek prayer service Wednesday 7:30 P. M. Choir rehearsal, Friday evening 8:00 P. M.

SILVER BAPTIST CHURCH

S. E. 14th and Scott St.
J. L. Lucas, Pastor
300 Sheridan Ave. H. P. Ph. 4-3840
Sunday School, 9:45; preaching, 11; B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 to 7:30; preaching, 8:00. Mid-week prayer service, Wednesday evening 7:30 P. M.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

S. E. Fourth street at Allen.
Rev. C. B. Wheeler
Order of Service: Sunday School, at 9:45 a. m.; worship at 11:00 a. m.; B. Y. P. U. at 6 p. m.; evening services at 8 p. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 P. M.

KYLES A. M. E. ZION CHURCH

709 S. E. Fifteenth Street
Phone 4-2715
O. R. Ellis, Pastor
Worship Services
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal Tuesday and Wednesday nights. Class meeting Friday night.

CHESTERFIELD SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST

809 S. E. Twenty-seventh
M. J. Cranshaw, Pastor
Order of service: Sunday school 1 P. M.; preaching service 2:30 P. M.; Y. O. 6:30 P. M. Subject: "New Training for Service." Four year course; preaching, 2 p. m. and 8 p. m.; Tuesday preaching, 8 p. m.; Thursday, 8 p. m.; Bible Study; Friday 8 p. m.; Dorcas Sewing club. "The Church With a Veiloma."

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH

East Sixteenth and University Ave.
Jordan W. Tutt, Pastor
Sunday School at 9:45; morning Service 11:00 a. m.; evening service 8 p. m.; B. Y. P. U. 6:30; Prayer service, Wednesday evening 7:30 p. m.; Choir rehearsal, Friday, 8 p. m., Dr. L. R. Willis, Director.

HOLY CHURCH

Elder A. B. Brewer, Pastor,
1521 E. University Avenue
Order of Service
Sunday morning prayer service, 9:00 a. m.; Sunday school, 12:30 p. m.; preaching service, 2:00 p. m.; Y. B. L., 6:30 p. m.; Sunday evening, preaching service, 8:00 p. m.; Tuesday evening, Bible study, 8:00 o'clock; Friday night, preaching service, 8:00 o'clock. Everyone welcome

EAST SECOND STREET MISSION

A. M. E. ZION
507 E. 2nd Street
S. S. INGRAM, pastor
Sunday school at 2 p. m.; Sunday worship 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Mid-week prayer service Thursday 7:30.

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

East 14th and University Avenue
Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Mrs. Vienna Williams, Supt. Noonday services at 12:30 p. m. Y. P. W. W. at 6:30 p. m. George Parchman, president. General services at 8:00 p. m. Weekly services: Tuesday night general services at 8:00 p. m. Friday night general services at 5:00. Elder Eugene Robinson, Pastor.

FREE SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST

1049 12th Street
Sabbath school, 9:30 A. M. Preaching, 11:15 A. M., Y. P. M. V., 3:00 P. M.; H. M. 3:00; Mid-week service, Wednesday evening, 8:00. Berean Bible class Sunday evening, 8:00 P. M. Elder A. C. Chatman, pastor.

CHURCH OF GOD AND SAINTS

928 West 12th Street
ORDER OF SERVICES
Sunday night at 7:30 P. M.; Wednesday night at 7:30 P. M.; Friday night at 7:30 P. M.; All day Sabbath, commonly called Saturday; all are welcome. Elder M. L. Smith, Pastor-in-charge

MAPLE ST. BAPTIST CHURCH

A. Ross Bren, Pastor
Corner East 16th and Maple Streets
Order of Service: Morning Service, 11 A. M.; Sunday School, 1 P. M.; B. Y. P. U., 6:30; evening Service, 8 P. M.; Prayer Service Wednesday, 7:30; Choir rehearsal, Friday, 8 P. M.

BURNS M. E. CHURCH

811 Crocker Street
C. K. Brown, D., Pastor
Order of Service: Sunday school 9:45 a. m.; Morning service 11 a. m.; Epworth League 6:30 p. m.; Evening service 8:00 p. m. Prayer and class meeting Wednesday, 8:00 p. m. Choir rehearsal, Friday, 8 p. m. A cordial welcome awaits you at Burns. M. E. CHURCH'S SANCTIFIED

ANTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH

6th and School Streets
Dev. G. W. Robinson, Pastor
Sunday school at 10 a. m. F. C. Guggins, Supt. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Evening worship at 7:45 o'clock. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. Choir rehearsal Friday at 8 p. m.

FIRST C. M. E. CHURCH

S. E. 28th and Maury
Rev. Wm. McCray, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.; Morning Worship, 11 A. M.; Epworth League, 6:30 P. M.; Evening Worship, 8:00 P. M.; Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00 P. M.; Choir rehearsal Friday at 8:00 P. M.

CHURCH OF GOD

115 West Third Street
ORDER OF SERVICES
Sunday evening at 8:00 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00 P. M. Sabbath (Saturday) School at 10:00 A. M. Morning service 11:30 A. M. Evening service one hour before sundown. ELDER W. O. DICKENS, Pastor

ST. SIMON'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Thirteenth and School
Rev. Roger E. Bunn, Priest in Charge
Church School: 10; Morning Prayer and Sermon 11
Gamma Kappa Delta 6:30
First and Fourth Sundays
Holy Communion: 8 and 11 A. M.

COLFAX, IOWA

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Ed. Mason, Pastor
Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.
Morning Service at 11:00 A. M.
Mission Circle Thursday Afternoon
Prayer Meeting Wednesday Night

EMPEROR MAKES PLEA

FOR UNOCCUPIED AREA
London, Sept. 4.—Following a delicate undertaking by Capt. Brophill of the Ethiopian medical corps, who flew from Malaka on the Sudanese border to report on the exact state of affairs for the League of Nations Union and the Ethiopian association in London, Haile Selassie plans once more to appeal personally to the League.

MITE MISSIONARIES ENDED

SESSION FRIDAY EVENING
The Northwestern Mite Missionary Society opened its 16th Annual session at Payne Chapel A. M. E. Church of Waterloo, Iowa, with Rev. and Mrs. H. J. Parker. The Rt. Rev. J. A. Gregg, presiding bishop of the 4th Episcopal district, and Mrs. Celia Gregg, superintendent of the Missionary work, were present. The meeting was opened with a six o'clock sunrise meeting led by Evangelist Merrell Parker of Waterloo and Julia Smith of Davenport. The convention proper was opened with Mrs. Esther Stovall of Minneapolis, Minn., presiding.

CARD OF THANKS

We thank the friends for the kindness during the illness and at the death of our loved one, Matthew Floyd; donation of the cars, beautiful floral display, Rev. J. Garrett for his inspiring remarks and L. Fowler & Son Funeral Home for their efficient service.—Mrs. Gertrude Floyd, widow, and relatives.

OBITUARY

Earl H. Hughes was born in Des Moines on October 22, 1889, and died September 5, 1936. He was a member of St. Paul A. M. E. church. His widow, step-son, father and brother survive. The funeral services were held Tuesday, September 8th, at St. Paul A. M. E. church, with Rev. R. H. Hackley officiating. Internment at Glendale cemetery.

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OBITUARY

Washington, D. C., Sept. 3.—Edgar E. Long, federal inspector at Boulder Dam, has been fired and Ranger W. E. Lukens has been warned to avoid any partiality or discounty in future towards visitors. This action has been taken by Secretary of the Interior Harold I. Ickes, it became known here today, as a result of the difficulties which William Pickens, director of branches of the N. A. A. C. P., experienced at the federal-financed project.

OBITUARY

Matthew Thomas Floyd was born in Tennessee, March 78, 1877, and died in Iowa City hospital September 4, 1936. He was married to Ora Hendricks of Paola, Kansas, in November, 1896, to which union one child was born. He later married Mrs. Gertrude Freeman in 1927. He was a member of Mt. Hebron Baptist church. His widow, brother, daughter, three step-daughters and two step-sons survive. Funeral services

WASHINGTON NEWS

The last quarterly meeting for this conference year was held Sunday, August 30th, with the presiding elder, Rev. W. H. Ogelton, officiating. The conference and quarterly meeting were combined due to insufficient time of the presiding elder of the district. A baptism ceremony was also performed during the regular service hour. Rev. Berry, pastor of the Fairfield and Mt. Pleasant churches, and Mr. Bain of Muscatine were visitors at church services. A called meeting of the Missionary society by the president was held Thursday, August 28th, at the home of Mrs. Eva Turner, with four of the members present. This meeting was held to straighten financial and business affairs. Mrs. Emma Black attended the annual conference at Waterloo the past week. Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Crayton, Mrs. McIntyre of Iowa City, Mr. Bain of Muscatine, the presiding elder, Rev. W. H. Ogelton, and his son, Rev. W. F. Ogelton, of Muscatine, attended the basket dinner at Mt.

Old-Time Conveyance

Not many years ago on the plains of Argentina, the gauchos, or cowboys, used a unique method of conveying their wives to and from town. The lady would sit on a dried horsehide lashed there by along the ground by a long rope tied to his saddle. All she had to do was to hang on tightly when going over the bumps and keep from choking on the dust stirred up by the horse.—Collier's Weekly.

Manchuria's Currency Confusion

Manchuria has suffered more from currency confusion than almost any other country. Up to a few years ago, the paper money and coins that circulated there were issued not only by banks, banks and foreign governments, but also by arsenals, money changers, chambers of commerce, grain mills, distilleries, produce exchanges, retail stores and even private individuals.—Collier's Weekly.

Lesson for September 13

THE COUNCIL IN JERUSALEM
LESSON TEXT—Acts 15:22-29; Galatians 2:1, 2, 5, 10.
GOLDEN TEXT—For ye, brethren, were called for freedom; only use not your freedom for an occasion to the flesh, but through love be servants one to another.

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war cries of the leaders from the various states during this planned regimentation of the colored voters of the country, and short, fiery speeches by the party chieftains re-echoed through the corridors of the 19th floor of the big hotel where the pow-wow was being held. Declared Perry W. Howard, Republican National Committeeman of Mississippi: "There is no doubt but what Governor Landon will be elected. As a result of this conference, the campaign among colored Americans will be accelerated."

Opening Blast at New Deal

A wild burst of applause greeted Dr. J. B. Martin of Memphis, Tenn., as he shouted: "We've fired the opening volley at the New Deal target! We won't stop the bombardment 'til Landon is in the White House!"

I. Willis Cole, of Louisville, Ky.: "The situation is improving daily. This meeting of the Planning Board shows that the New Deal have waned and we'll ride the crest of the Republican wave toward victory and Real Prosperity."

Dr. J. H. P. Westbrook, Republican leader from Denver: "Governor Landon is gaining all the time. Negroes of the West will rise in a mighty surge and sweep all Democratic opposition before them! When the votes are counted—Colorado will be in the upper brackets!"

Major Lynch Honored by Delegates

At the concluding session of the Board the delegates paid a remarkable and deserved tribute to the race's most distinguished Republican veteran—Major John R. Lynch, soldier, statesman and scholar, now in his 89th year, who for three terms was a member of the United States Congress, and who also won distinction as Paymaster of the United States Army—during the years of his active service for his country.

Colonel Roscoe Conkling Simmons, director of the Colored Speakers Bureau and nationally known exponent of the precepts and principles of the Republican party, in a short but brilliant speech and in its inimitable style, introduced the G. O. P. patriarch to his younger colleagues, who rose en masse as a tribute of respect for the man who thrice has graced the Halls of Congress but who now has surrendered his mantle of genius to younger, more vigorous shoulders. The Major responded briefly, but sincerely and eloquently to the tribute paid him by the men and women of the Planning Board.

Members of G. O. P. Planning Board

The Party chieftains comprising the membership of the Planning Board, Division of Colored Voters, were as follows:

Bishop James A. Bray, Bishop William J. Walls, William H. Haynes, Jacob R. Tipper, Oscar DePriest, Dr. L. K. Williams, Roscoe C. Simmons, Robert S. Abbott, Dr. Mary F. Waring, all of Chicago; J. Finley Wilson, Rev. W. H. Jernagin, Perry W. Howard, Dr. Emmett J. Scott, Dr. John R. Hawkins, Judge James A. Cobb, Mrs. Carrie M. S. Pipes, Francis Wells, J. Francis Wilson all of Washington, D. C.; Judge Edward W. Henry, Rev. C. C. Adams, Mrs. S. Willie Layton, all of Philadelphia Pa.; Mr. Hamilton Travis, George Wibecan, Francis E. Rivers, Charles E. Mitchell, Robert Leftbridge all of New York City, John W. Schenck, and William H. Lewis of Boston, Mass.; George E. Bates, Oliver Randolph J. Mercer Burrell Newark, N. J. Bishop R. E. Jones, Columbus, Ohio; Dr. A. L. Boone, Mrs. Letha Fleming, Rev. A. L. Boone, Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. F. W. Dabney Kansas City, Mo.; Dr. J. L. Leach, Flint, Michigan; Dr. S. A. Furniss, Indianapolis; Attorney E. T. Barbour E. Reno, Okla.; Dr. W. T. Merchant and I. Willis Cole, Louisville, Ky.; Mr. S. Joe Brown and James B. Morris, Des Moines, Iowa; George W. Lee and Dr. J. B. Martin, Memphis Tenn.; Hutchins Inga, St. Louis, Mo.; James E. Kelley, Birmingham, Ala.; R. N. Vandine, Attorney at Law Flint, Mich.; William Burrus, Gary Indiana; Charles H. Colburn, Wilmington, Del.; Mrs. Grace Evans, Terre Haute, Indiana; Rev. L. H. Crawford, Kansas City, Kansas, Mrs. S. Joe Brown Des Moines, Iowa; Daniel W. Stewart New Haven, Conn.; Rev. J. M. Patterson, Hartford, Conn.; Mrs. Lulu I. Brown, Urbana, Ohio; John E. Horton Jr., Omaha, Neb.; Mrs. J. C. Napier Nashville, Tenn.; Mrs. Clemmie White, Nashville, Tenn.; Mrs. Naomi Oldham, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Luella Shobe, St. Louis, Mo. Rev. J. H. Bruce Detroit; N. H. Coleman, Detroit; Dr. J. H. P. Westbrook, Denver, Colo.; Miss Edna S. Goodell, Boston Miss Anna A. Lewis, Providence R. I.; James M. Stockett, Providence R. I.; Mrs. Maude R. Coleman, Harrisburg, Pa.; Attorney Rob-

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Governor Landon Sends Message

Governor Alfred M. Landon of Kansas, Republican nominee for president, became the only candidate of the two major parties to address a direct message to the colored voters of America when he sent a special telegram to the National planning board. Because neither he nor his party is dominated by the prejudiced South, the home of Democracy, the Kansan spoke freely and reiterated his well known belief in the equality of all citizens. The telegram of Governor Landon, who was awaiting the drouth conference in Iowa with Roosevelt of the National Committee who also was read by Chairman John Hamilton made pertinent remarks of his own.

Chairman Hamilton himself said: "I always feel my work has been cordial with your group. We appreciate in headquarters the tremendous problems that we have in regard to the colored voters throughout the United States. Although these problems are peculiarly yours, they are problems that are just as widespread socially, economically and politically as those of any other group in the United States."

Bishop Supports Ticket

SEATTLE WASHINGTON, September 8.—A notable addition to the Landon-Knox G. O. P. National ticket was registered here last week when Bishop Noah W. Williams, widely known A. M. E. church prelate, here to reside over the Puget Sound Conference—advised the colored voters of America to vote for Landon and Knox. "Four years ago" declared the Bishop, "I supported Franklin D. Roosevelt with my voice and vote. I thought that he was like Teddy Roosevelt, but I am forced now to the conviction that my people cannot afford to go with him again. Their best hope lies with Landon."

Bishop Williams presides over the largest district of the A. M. E. church—extending from the Mississippi River at St. Louis to the Pacific Ocean at San Francisco and from the Canadian boundary to Mexico.

(See report in full on page 3) Colored Planning Board blasts New Deal, maps campaign fight in Chicago meet.

CHICAGO, September 8.—Vigorously denouncing the New Deal for its regimentation of the Negro and discriminatory relief practices as well as subsidization of many Negro leaders, the National Planning Board of the Republican National Committee for Colored Voters held a two-day session in Chicago Wednesday and Thursday at which campaign procedure was outlined.

This meeting, held in the big LaSalle hotel in the loop area brought together colored leaders from all parts of the country who, after listening to a special telegram from Governor Alf Landon of Kansas, Republican presidential nominee, and a message from John Hamilton, chairman of the national committee, went on record with a list of definite remedies which would take place in the event of Republican success at the polls in November.

Relief Assured

Important among those pledges was the definite assurance to relief recipients that if Governor Landon is elected the needy will not only continue to be given direct and work relief but also without the discrimination now practiced by the Democratic agencies.

The complete report follows: "The National Planning Board for Colored Voters in session at Chicago held on the 2nd and 3rd days of September, 1936, does hereby adopt the following declaration of principles.

"We believe that the condition of the colored citizen in America today is more grave than at any time in his existence. The Democratic Administration, taking advantage of the misfortune and destitution of millions of our colored citizens, which misfortune and destitution were brought on by the infamous practices of the Democratic Party, has made them pay the price of their freedom for the same relief which it gives to other citizens for no exacting whatsoever. The New Deal has designedly used its great powers to regiment the colored citizen out of America's productive life. It has abandoned our Negro farmer to the mercies of large landowners, permitting him to be thrown off farms to starve on inadequate relief rolls. Under the guise of an NRA, it fixed wages for Negro workers so low as to

make relief a necessary choice.

Brutality, Discrimination

"The New Deal has permitted unlimited brutality to be inflicted upon Negro sharecroppers. It has, even in the administration of relief, discriminated against our colored citizens, both by giving them less for home relief than is given to whites and by compelling skilled Negro artisans to work mainly at unskilled labor on the WPA. It has created in our government service the vicious system of colored divisions compelling colored Federal employes to work only among colored people and by the use of photographs has excluded Negroes from entering, in a large measure, the government service.

"It has prostituted many of our leading Negro organizations and the heads thereof, by subsidizing them through the medium of Jim Crow Federal appointments. It has refused to take any steps to protect the life of the colored citizens in the Southern States against the brutalities of mob violence. And, finally, by means of relief, the New Deal has sought to drug the colored citizen into an indifference to this rape of his liberties and manhood.

Republican Platform

"Fully recognizing this grave peril to our colored citizens, the Republican Party in fulfillment of its historical and logical destiny did, in its National Convention in Cleveland, in June, 1936, include in its platform, the following pledge and declarations concerning our colored citizens:

"2. We favor equal opportunity for our colored citizens. We pledge our protection of their economic status and personal safety. We will do our best to further their employment in the gainfully occupied life of America, particularly in private industry, agriculture, emergency agencies and the civil service.

"We condemn the present New Deal policies which would regiment and ultimately eliminate the colored citizen from the country's productive life and make him solely a ward of the Federal government."

Landon's Telegram

"That this platform pledge was not simply a bait for voters has been shown dramatically at this meeting by the following telegram received from Governor Landon, the Republican presidential candidate:

"Hon. John D. Hamilton, Chairman, Republican National Committee.

Extend to the National Planning Board of the Colored Republicans my felicitations and earnest regards. The history of the Republican Party and that of our colored fellow citizens is so intertwined that it is impossible to think of freedom and the remarkable progress of colored Americans without recalling the origin of our Party. Who can forget the labors of the Republican Party for this people in their darkest hour against forces often concealed but nevertheless tireless and industrious. The Republican Party keeps the faith with its founders who promised to remain unwavering in the cause of fully established emancipation. Our Party is not sectional. Its beliefs and practices are everywhere the same, North and South alike. It is universal. I employ neither platitudes nor mottoes. Our platform of 1936 as it relates to colored Americans together with the principles of the Republican party as they were first uttered express my feelings and convictions on all problems that concern them. No turn of fortune could change my belief in the absolute equality of all American citizens. Wherever I may be in the future, I shall strive as I have thus far striven, to adhere to the fundamentals of justice both by word and deed.

Democrats Silent

"All colored American citizens have recognized the perilous condition existing today of the Negro race. Members of the Democratic National Convention held in Philadelphia in June, 1936, demanded that the Democratic Party declare against these abuses in its platform and pledge their correction. But, despite this demand, the Democratic Party's platform was completely silent on these grave needs of colored citizens. Furthermore, the head of the Democratic Party, President Roosevelt, in most glaring contrast to the forthright courage of Governor Landon, has failed to recognize in any way, the great abuses suffered by the colored citizens or to demand their correction, although often petitioned to do so.

"We believe that in view of these facts, the fortunes of the colored American citizen are vitally tied up with the Republican Party and that his support must be given en masse to Governor Landon and the candidates of the Republican Party as the only way to prevent extinction from all that counts in American life.

"The picture of the omissions and injustices of the Democratic Party



A glimpse of the meeting of the National Planning Board of the Republican Party's Colored Division, comprising leaders from every section of the country, photographed

in the Gold Room of the Hotel LaSalle Thursday, Sept. 3. On the speaker's dias in the rear, from left to right are Major John R. Lynch, Republican Patriarch and former Congressman, Dr. L. K. Williams, Chairman of Colored Division, Arthur M. Curtis, national committeeman and assistant to

and the forthright pledges of the Republican Party and its candidates as well as the history of the Republican Party's relations with the Negro, when applied to each section and group of colored American life, all point to the same conclusion: that the best interests of the Negro lie with the principles of the Republican Party.

"To Get Equal Relief

"Negro relief recipients will find their fortunes better served by supporting the Republican Party. The Republican platform and Governor Landon have made adequate assurances that relief for all needy persons will be continued. Therefore, the colored beneficiary of relief can know that in aiding the election of Governor Landon, he has the same assurance of government relief as under the present administration. But, under Governor Landon, the relief recipient has more; he has the promise that the aid which he will receive will be equal to that received by the white relief client; he has the pledge of the Republican platform to aid and further his employment in the emergency services of the Federal Government which includes work relief.

"The injustices of New Deal relief which impose prejudiced supervisors upon helpless colored relief clients, are notorious and are to be wiped out only by replacing this New Deal. Moreover, the New Dealers must be made to know that no colored American is satisfied to live forever on government relief and that we all yearn desperately for the day when by jobs, by gainful occupation, we can secure our living. The program of the Republican Party of 'jobs rather than relief' states the personal ambition of each and every colored citizen whether receiving relief from the government or not. We believe that this end can be achieved only by the victory of the Republican Party.

"Losing Character

"Greater than all the perils facing the colored American citizen, in common with other unfortunate American citizens, is the danger of a permanent loss of character, loss of morals, and loss of spiritual vision. The New Deal Administration of relief and corruption of our life bids fair to rapidly deteriorate the genius of the American people and make of them sub-standard human beings entirely alien and foreign to American ideals. This disintegration of moral fibre falls with greatest severity and effect upon our colored citizens.

"Partisans of the New Deal under the guise of social service is an organization known as the Good Neighbor League and in the Democratic Administration subsidy of the churches for community projects have invaded the church to make political gain and advance the fortunes of the Democratic Party. Therefore, we call upon the church to lead in a spiritual program for the purpose of saving the character and manhood of the people by rallying to this great cause of helping to bring more forcibly to the minds of American citizens and particularly colored American citizens this grave danger and to awaken them to the need for fighting off this menace to our greatest possession: character.

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Many Des Moines Students Enter Northern and Southern Schools

TALKING IT OVER

By Miss Robert Maupin

Now that summer vacations are over, we are busily engaged in centering our attention on various constructive plans for the fall and winter. We are about this process of focusing our attention on plans for the future individually and as groups. While those of us in the adult group are carrying on our various religious, educational and political activities, the young people are directing their attention mainly toward the field of education. To me this is one of the most significant things that is happening.

There is a greater need for further education in this age where the "survival of the fittest" is the slogan and it is so gratifying to note that the Des Moines youth recognizes this fact and by their entrance into higher institutions of learning give us the answer to the question—"after high school—what?"

In the last four months the local staff of the National Survey of Education and Vocational Guidance among Negroes has contacted practically every Negro student in the Des Moines school system covering the period of 1925 to 1945 inclusive. In these contacts we have had some interesting conversations with these students the majority of whom we feel have been anxious to prepare themselves for some definite vocation but because of the lack of proper guidance or perhaps mainly their economic situation, were unable to realize their ambition or adjust themselves. Here we as parents, civic leaders, and boys' and girls' advisors must realize that our guidance and planning for youth must be continuance and more far reaching. "Youth's demand upon the community is two-fold, states the committee on Youth Problems of the Office of Education, first to help youth tide over the emergency period and second to divide, through long-range planning ways and means to help youth adjust to life." We must not lose sight of these demands.

The fact that there are between twenty-five and thirty of our students planning to enter institutions of higher learning this fall should present a most pleasing and interesting picture to those of us who are interested in the future of the race.

The line-up of college entrants this fall is most complimentary to our community and the writer sights you to the following list with pride. To Arkansas: Harold Robinson, Adeline Wilson, Catherine Hawkins and Leonard Brown. Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa: Irene Glass and Elenor Powell. Tennessee State College, Nashville, Tenn.: Virgil Dixon. Morehouse College, Atlanta, Ga.: Owen Robinson. Talladega College, Talladega, Ala.: Mary Jane Asbury. Paul Quinn College, Waco, Texas: Mrs. Atrell Jett Smith. Iowa University: Charles Boston. Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa: Harry Miller, Howard Gray, Edith Woodward, Arnold Wiley, Henry McKnight, William Bell, Robert Hyde, Fred Morrow, Jr., Donna Graham, Maxine Blagburn, Arthelia Watlington, Charles Austin, Aaron Moore, George Robinson, Maxine Payne; Mesdames Patten, Alberta Bradford, Alice McCraney and Viola Jones, Miss Ada Graham may attend Drake University or Lincoln University, Jefferson City, Mo.

The following students plan to pursue their Master Degrees: Earl Newcomb, Drake University; Mrs. Helen Dameron Beshears and Roberta L. Maupin, Extension Department, Iowa University; The step that these people are about to take is made only after great and careful budgeting on the part of the older group and a great sacrifice must be made by parents to encourage them. But by whomsoever these attempts for educational progress are made it is a worthwhile one, for training along any line plays an important part in employment and achievement.

For a guiding principle, I should like to sight these people to the words of Ralph Waldo Emerson, "There is a time in every man's education that he arrives at the conviction that he must take himself for better or for worse, as his portion, that, though the wide universe is full of good, no kernel of nourishing corn can come to him but through his toil bestowed on that plot of ground which is given to him to till. The power which resided in him is now in nature and no one but he knows what that is which he can do, nor does he know until he has tried."

"Thanks Very Much" - Landon

NOMINEE GETS IOWA'S ONLY NEGRO NEWSPAPER

By Everett Wadsworth Staff Writer

Gov. Alfred M. Landon received the first copy off the press of the Iowa Bystander on Thursday evening, September 3, at 7:00 o'clock. After viewing President F. R. Roosevelt both en route and return, to and from the momentous drought conference, where history was made with the meeting of two presidential opponents, the usual procedure of putting out the paper was uninterrupted (despite the fact that Atty. J. B. Morris, editor and publisher, was attending a conference in Chicago).

When the final forms had been locked and sent to the printer, the staff writer rushed to join the ever increasing throng in front of the Fort Des Moines hotel entrance, waiting to see the Republican nominee. After several minutes of impatient, but good natured crowding and jostling, the Kansas governor was sighted as he made his appearance amid a tremendous roar. There was no chance for an interview, due to the crowded programs, but both dignitaries will return later this month for separate political rallies.

Waving his hat to his well wishers, Gov. Landon climbed in his car as everyone tried to grasp his hand at once. As the staff writer reached the candidate, the current issue of The Bystander was opened, showing the governor conversing with Hon. Oscar DePriest. With a hearty handshake he greeted the Negro reporter and smiled broadly at his picture on the front page. "Thank you very much," he exclaimed, as the car pulled out. The last view of Gov. Landon in his speeding car was of him, seated beside Gov. C. L. Herring of Iowa, reading Iowa's only Negro newspaper.

er, that he would take the stamp for the Republican presidential nominee. Owens visited Republican headquarters at 41 East Forty-second street and met newspaper men at Mr. Martin's afternoon press conference. The Olympic champion said he wanted to meet Governor Landon and expected to go to Topeka to see him.

"I have told Mr. Martin my Olympic triumphs would not mean much if I did not use the leadership those victories gave me to do something for my race," Jesse said. "I know that the name of Booker T. Washington will live forever in the memory of the colored people. I would like to become a little bit like him. I would like later on to get into politics to see if I could help.

"Right now the most important thing, I think, is to elect Governor Alfred M. Landon president. His election will be good for America, and for the people of the colored race."

(Continued on page 3) Bad Democratic Record

"We cannot forget nor should the youth of the colored race ever forget, though belabored by phrases and words invented to deceive, that the Democratic Party, whose life flows the tyranny practiced against us in places where we are weak and unprotected, remains the Party of disfranchisement, of the Jim Crow car, the party of oppression of the helpless and prostitution of womanhood, of judicial railroad of prisoners at the bar, the party whose creed calls for separation of colored people from every bright way in life. It remains the party of lynching and the stake. It is of one faith in Massachusetts and another faith in Mississippi. It is racial and sectional and the self-respect of the colored people directs them to oppose its hypocrisy in the free states of the Union.

"Millions of our people are inarticulate in their government and still live under a form of political slavery because of the relentless brutality of the Democratic Party. These people we promise never to forget and we implore our youth to remember them in all they say and do."

J. G. BROWNE CHAIRMAN NEGRO REPUBLICAN DIVISION

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still an active member at present he is the president of the Des Moines Branch of the N.A.A.C.P., a member of Elks lodge and Senior Warden of St. Simons Episcopal Mission and a member of Polk County Sunday School Superintendents Council. Browne has been very active in the

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Cash Prizes to Be Awarded in 1936 Bystander Talent Week Show

Cash prizes will be awarded this year in each classification: Five dollars, first; \$2.50, second; and \$1.00, third. Amateurs and professionals will be grouped separately.

On Monday, September 30, 1935, The Bystander, Iowa's only Negro newspaper, sponsored its first Talent Week finals, in which an audience of over a thousand watched and listened to a festival of harmony, melody and rhythm as one hundred persons vied for honors in their first amateur, and professional performance. An effort was made to open an opportunity for theatre bookings, radio and stage contracts and prizes. Assisting in the community project were leaders in music and drama, professional and business world, who cooperated to make it a success.

At Jewish Community Center Monday, October 12th, will be a red letter day as this second annual Negro Talent Week, eagerly awaited by the public, is to be held at the Jewish Community Center. Since last year the winners and many of the other contestants have rated big time appearances and lucrative offers.

More elaborate preparations are being made for a larger number of contestants and an even greater show. This year's entertainment promises to eclipse last year's by a larger margin.

Classifications

Amateurs and professionals in any line of music or dramatics, single or groups, alike, are eligible to enter any of the classifications—voice, instrumental and dancing. These classes are grouped in sub-divisions as shown in the entry blank:

VOCAL (instrumental, classic and popular)—Solos or groups. INSTRUMENTAL (any combination). DANCING—Tap, toe and ballroom. NOVELTY ACTS—Monologues, comedy teams, variety, etc., are accepted. Watch this paper for further announcements.

Eliminations

The entry blank found on the society page of this paper must be mailed before September 30th and contestant must live in Iowa. Those outside of Des Moines must hold their elimination groupings before that date and the results mailed to the office by Saturday, October 3rd. Address all inquiries and communications to the Negro Talent Editor, care of Iowa Bystander, 203 Seventh street, Des Moines, Iowa.

The Negro Talent Week organization is as follows: Toussaint (Speck) Howard, general chairman; Spencer Elliston, advertising and promotion manager; Everett Wadsworth, in charge of publicity and display, assisted by Dorothy Wheels. Attorney James B. Morris will be director of arrangements.

HERNDON WINS CHAIN GANG STAY APPEAL

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 3.—(CNA)—The Georgia supreme court last week ordered a new stay of execution of the chain gang sentence against Angelo Herndon, pending hearing of an appeal being taken by the International Labor Defense to the United States supreme court.

Herndon, young Negro Communist leader, is under sentence of eighteen to twenty years on the Georgia chain gang for organizing Negro and white Atlanta unemployed workers in a successful struggle for relief. For his leadership of the struggle he was charged with "inciting to insurrection" under an ancient slave statute dog up for the purpose.

Briefs and records for the U. S. supreme court, to which the case will come for the second time in October, are now being prepared under the direction of the I.L.D.

URNS DOWN PLEA OF GOVERNOR OF ARKANSAS Sees Justice in Keeping Sharecropper in Illinois

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 4.—Governor Henry Horner last week wrote the final note in the Sam Bennett extradition case when he flatly denied the application of Arkansas for the return of the former sharecropper, alleged to have attacked a white foreman on an Arkansas plantation several months ago.

Action by the Illinois governor is viewed by many citizens here as virtually snatching Bennett from the jaws of death, as it has been reliably reported that a mob would be waiting for him when he reached Arkansas.

In denying the extradition request, Governor Horner issued the following statement: "Justice does not demand prosecution and further punishment as an object lesson to other sharecroppers, or to society, or to satisfy the just demands of Arkansas. His chances for the future in providing a living for himself and his wife and grandchild will be better if he is permitted to remain in this state."

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 3.—(CNA)— Nationwide indignation over the official mob hanging of Rainey Bethea in

political life of his adopted state having been a member of Polk County Central Committee fourteen years and on the executive council eight years and reelected in June of this year for another term in precinct 27, West high school.

ROSCOE SIMMONS BACK ON CHICAGO DEFENDER Chicago, Sept. 3.—(C)After an absence of twelve years, Roscoe Simmons came back to the Chicago Defender last week as special writer. He is head of the speakers bureau, Negro division, of the national Republican committee.

SPORTS

by Allen Ashby

Football

The season of legalized murder and mayhem called football is about to be with us again. All over the country the boys are getting ready for the first whistle. Here in our city there are a host of our boys out, headed by Al Thomas of East and Chet Simms of North. There are several more whose friends say they will be sensations. However, we will wait until after the first week of scrimmage. Then those who will and those who won't will be weeded out and a fairly accurate line will be had on the fellows. It is surprising how a few hard tackles or bumps can take the keenness from a razor-edged football ambition.

The main question is, will Ozzie Simmons be a unanimous all-American. Our prediction goes now, so paste it in your hats for future reference. The game with Temple university in Philadelphia will go a long way towards determining Ozzie's all-star hopes. If he looks good that day, he is a cinch. If not, he will be rated about like he was last year or lower. If the boys can do some blocking, things might be O. K. If they do not, for goodness sakes, don't say they are laying down on Ozzie and bring back stories some one who is supposed to be on the side, but who really is as far from there as your writer is has cooked up out of a pipe dream or four ounces.

Boxing Our big tournament starts this week and we will soon see who is who. Maybe out of that tournament we can develop a boxing team for this winter.

Our boys were all over the River-view park bill Monday night. Chuck Broddus getting the nod over Johnny De Cruz, a Norwalk boy; Hobby Huiwelling dusting his rival and Al Powell coming out second in his scrap. Powell wants to fight, seems to have retention of Whitney North Seymour, noted constitutional lawyer.

FORD TALK BANNED ON AIR IN HOME OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 3.—(CNA)—James W. Ford, Negro Communist vice presidential candidate, was denied the right to speak over the air last week from this city, which prides itself as the home for many years of Abraham Lincoln, the Great Emancipator. The local radio stations, WTAX and WCBS, refused to sell the Negro leader time over their outlets.

The stations had no criticism to make of Ford's speech, which was submitted to them within the required time, but flatly refused to allow him to speak "for business reasons." They refused to explain whether these "business reasons" barred Ford from speaking solely because he was a Negro or because, in addition to being a Negro and Communist, he has been assailing the presidential candidate of big business, Governor Alf Landon, of Kansas.

Washington, Iowa

Pleasant on Sunday. The presiding elder delivered the sermon at the 3 o'clock services in Mt. Pleasant. Mrs. McIntyre from Iowa City visited at Mrs. H. R. Crayton's home for a week. Lawrence Jay Monday of Fairfield visited Richard Turner for several days last week. Juddy Smith also stopped in Washington on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. P. A. McLamore and daughter, Leola, attended a ball game at Havel field, where the Hutentots were playing Sunday. Mrs. Ab. Hall of Indianapolis, Indiana, Mrs. Will Taylor of Rock Island and Mrs. Edith Stewart of East Moline visited at Mrs. Emma Black's home and Mrs. Myrtle Rhodes' home last Friday, August 28. Tag day was held Saturday, August 29th, for the benefit of A. M. E. church, with some of the boys and girls of the church selling. They netted all total \$63. Mrs. Rhodes and daughter, Lucile, were in Iowa City some time ago. Mr. and Mrs. P. A. McLamore and daughter, Leola, attended the annual conference at Waterloo on Sunday.

the heart and can punch pretty well, but the lad needs just hours and hours of gymnasium work before he is ready to get in the ring for keeps. Otherwise a fine prospect can be ruined.

NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE TO ROSCOE S. KERR, BERNICE L. KERR, persons in possession of real estate described below.

TO CLARA L. WARD, person in whose name the property described below is taxed.

You are hereby notified that on the 8th day of May, 1935, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: North one-half Lot 18, Block 26, Highland Park.

now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, was sold by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, for the then delinquent and unpaid taxes against the said real estate for the years 1931, 1932, 1933, to Polk County, Iowa; and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to Polk County, Iowa, by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the said real estate will be made unless redemption from said sale is made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice.

Dated this 18th day of July, 1935.

POLK COUNTY, IOWA
ERNEST S. OLMSTED,
County Auditor of and for Polk County, Iowa.

(SEAL) Published in The Iowa Bystander September 3, 10 and 17, 1935.

NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE TO WILLIAM H. LONGWORTH, CARRIE LONGWORTH, persons in possession of real estate described below.

TO MARY WALKER, Person in whose name the property described below is taxed.

You are hereby notified that on the 8th day of May, 1935, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lot 78, College Park.

now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, was sold by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, for the then delinquent and unpaid taxes against the said real estate for the years 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, to Polk County, Iowa; and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to Polk County, Iowa, by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, pursuant to said sale, which certificate is now lawfully held and owned by Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the said real estate will be made unless redemption from said sale is made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice.

Dated this 20th day of August, 1935.

POLK COUNTY, IOWA
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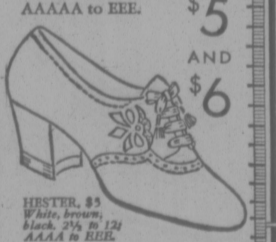
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SOCIETY and CLUBS

By Dorothy Wheeler

NOTICE
Due to the fact that the paper is reaching you on Friday mornings now, we are asking that each one who has any kind of news, whether it is social or general, see that it reaches our office before Wednesday. If this is done your news will receive our undivided attention. Will you not cooperate with us and see that your news is in by Tuesday or before Wednesday?
The Society Editor.

Clubs—And What They're Doing
The Three Purpose club met Wednesday evening, September 2, with Mrs. Harry Johnson, 1515 School street. The evening was spent playing cards, with Mrs. E. W. Perkins winning first prize; second prize, Mrs. Floyd Shelton, and consolation by Mrs. Johnson.
The La Mercredi club was entertained Wednesday by Mrs. Adah Josph at the La Margarita hotel.
The Mary Church Terrell club was entertained Wednesday by Mrs. J. J. Bourne Kelsa.
The Modernistic club will meet Tuesday, September 15th, with Mrs. Mary Ritchey.
The T. O. B. club met September 4th with Mrs. Cecil Jones as hostess.
The Des Moines Federation of Colored Women's Clubs will meet Friday, September 18th, at the Community Center.
The Charmante club will meet Wednesday with Miss Geneva Sloan, 732 Eighteenth street.
The Regal Contract Bridge club met Friday with Mrs. Nell Esters.
Boy Scout troop No. 59 will entertain their parents on Monday evening at parents' night. Robert Davis is chairman of the troop committee.
The Junior N. A. C. P. will meet Tuesday evening at the Community Center.
The Community Center art exhibit will be held the first week in December.
The L. T. club will meet Wednesday with Mrs. Leona Jordan, 1029 Tenth street.
Traveling, Entertaining And Visiting
J. T. Henderson of Keosauqua, Iowa, spent Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week visiting the state fair. While in the city he was the house guest of his nephew, Atty. S. Joe Brown.
Atty. S. Joe Brown and James B. Morris of this city were members of the National Negro Planning board that met at the LaSalle hotel in Chicago last week and drew up the statement to the Negro voters of the country, urging their support of Landon and Knox in the approaching national campaign.
Mrs. Morris and Mrs. Willie Bell James accompanied Mr. Morris to Chicago.
Miss Mary McCracken of 918 Laurel street has returned from her summer's visit with her sister, Mrs. Valeneth Humphrey, of Los Angeles. She had as her house guest Miss Fannie Mae Cannon of Detroit, who returned with her, and who will visit friends in Chicago before returning to Detroit. Miss Cannon is a radio singer and also sings in the night clubs of Detroit and Flint, Michigan.
Miss Dorothy Conley of Webster City, Iowa, visited the week-end and Labor Day as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Hyde.

Y. W. C. A. LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE TO BE HELD SEPTEMBER 17

The Blue Triangle branch Y. W. C. A. announces Sept. 17 as its date for an Leadership Conference. Misses Helen Smith and Jean Morris will report on the Central Girl Reserve Conference which was held at Grinnell, Iowa. There will be interesting discussion on leadership; Y. W. C. A. What is it For? Present trends in religion; and emphases for 1930 and 1931 will be decided upon by the members of the Association.
The hours for this meeting are 2 to 6 P. M. All members and friends of the Y. W. C. A. are cordially invited to attend this meeting. Tea will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lee and sons, Alton and Edward, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. L. Wade and son, William, Mrs. Geradine Johnson and Miss Zeida Cassel of Minneapolis, Minnesota, were Sunday and Labor Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cassel of 331 Twenty-third street.
Mrs. Gertrude North entertained Labor Day morning Miss Dorothy Conley of Webster City, Willie Belle Alexander of Sioux City and Miss Doris Bailey of Des Moines.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Thompson, Mrs. Gertrude North, Miss Dorothy Conley of Webster City and Earl Newcomb picked at Pioneer park Labor Day.
Mrs. Josephine Morris of 1369 Nineteenth street entertained Mrs. Jessie Carey and daughter, Odessa Roberts, of Kansas City, Missouri, at a dinner Friday night.
Miss Ruth Miller of Minneapolis, Minnesota visited her aunt and cousin, Mrs. Newcomb and Marguerite Newcomb, for one week, returning home Monday.
Miss Ethel Neeley and Wendell Normandy of Evanston, Illinois, spent the week-end in Des Moines visiting Marguerite Newcomb, returning home Sunday.
Mrs. Celeste Jones entertained a number of friends this summer. Among them were Mrs. William Dyer and son, Wardell, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis, Mrs. Melinda Burk, all of Perry, Iowa; Mrs. O. N. Chinn of Higginsville, Missouri; Mrs. Farline Glette, Kansas City, Missouri; Mrs. Henderson Pratt, daughter, Betty Mae, and son, Henderson, Jr., of Los Angeles, California. Mrs. Jones left Sunday for Jacksonville, Florida, where she will attend the National Baptist Convention. From there she will go to Nashville, Tennessee, to be the house guest of Mrs. O. G. Hilliard, and will also be the house guest of Mrs. Myrtle Holt of Chicago, Illinois.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Huston of Santa Rosa, California, are visiting the parents of Mr. Histon, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Estelle. A family dinner was given in their honor Sunday at the home of the parents.
Emerson Hamilton was entertained Sunday afternoon at a three o'clock dinner at the home of Miss Mary Topson, 1313 Fremont street. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. L. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. N. Neely and son and Mrs. Lizzie Topson.

Esther and Mrs. J. H. Thompson of Minneapolis were in the city last week, visiting their parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. K. Brown.
Mrs. William Boldridge of Algona, Iowa, accompanied by her daughters, Alberta, Eleanor, and son, William, were the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson White of 815 Twenty-eighth street during fair week, returning home Labor Day. They were entertained at an old fashioned party Saturday evening. Those present were: Braddie and Jean Morris, Fred and June Danforth, Charles Broddus, Lauretta Blackwell, Walter McQuerry and Mr. Warren.
Mrs. D. Mae Lee Fine returned Monday from Waterloo, where she attended the Northwestern conference of the A. M. E. church. She was accompanied home by her nephew, William Lee, Jr.
Thomas H. Thompson of Cedar Rapids visited Mrs. D. Mae Lee Fine in the city Monday.
Mrs. C. A. Adams and Mrs. Martha Brown of Georgia State college and Tennessee State college, respectively, house guests of Mrs. Fannie Wilson and daughter for the past ten days, left Tuesday for Nashville, Tenn., and Shreveport, La., respectively, before returning to their schools. They received many courtesies from Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. John Beverly, Atty. and Mrs. S. Joe Brown, Mr. and Mrs. George Edmunds, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jett and Dr. and Mrs. Joe Ritchey.
The Rev. A. Ross Brent, pastor of Maple Street Baptist church, left Sunday night for Jacksonville, Florida, to attend the National Baptist Convention. On his return he will visit his mother, Mrs. Lottie Brent, in Chicago, Illinois.
Mrs. J. W. Tutt left recently for Jacksonville, Florida, where she will represent the Iowa, Nebraska and South Dakota Baptist Women's Convention. Mrs. Tutt will teach a class in "Materials and Methods" in the missionary department.

Students Tour Western U. S.

The Misses Lauraine Jackson and Zella Cravens, with twelve other young people of the city, are on an automobile tour which includes Kansas, Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico, under the direction of J. H. Hufford, president of the Polk County Intermediate Christian Endeavor Union. These young people were chosen to represent their various unions after competing in an essay contest on the subject, "What Christian Endeavor Means To Me." They left September 3rd and will return home September 16th.
Miss Willie Belle Alexander of Sioux City is spending ten days visiting Miss Doris Bailey of this city. Miss Alexander is a junior at Morningside college.
Mrs. Georgia Dixon is visiting relatives in Chicago for three weeks. She will return home Wednesday.
The Social Hour club will meet Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Butt, 1830 Racoon street.
Alvin Ward of Des Moines returned home to visit his father and brother, H. Ward and Robert, of 952 Fourteenth street, from the CCC camp at Poplar Bluff, Missouri.
Robert Ward returned home today from Detroit, where he was visiting his grandmother and aunt, Mrs. Willie Turner.

"Slim and Blue" On Who Frolic

Slim Davis and Blue Paine will be featured starting October 3rd on the WHO Barn Dance Frolic at the Shrine auditorium.

The Capital City Progressive League announces its first fall meeting for Thursday evening at the Negro Community Center at 8 o'clock.

The Top Hatters club will meet Sunday at the home of George Manuel, president, of 1531 Maple street.

Walda Goes Round & Round

Walda Goes Round & Round

By Walda

Observations of the latest dirt—And if this isn't dirt, it will have to go until the real thing comes along—Fred Morrow, who met his g. f. in Chicago, reports that the day minus the Labor was solid—This includes all other days spent there and its nearabouts—Pops Wadsworth came thru at last—And carried The Bystander with him—He shook hands with your very good friend, Alf Landon, recently and gave him the first copy of the press of this publication—What a man—And number of chicks are donning their hats for the newest catch in town—You know what I mean—Just too many of the gang are going educational on us—Most of the crowd is going to look for that higher education this fall and the incoming year—The boxing matches at the "Y" are terrific—Six Williams met his Waterloo and stole a march on the crowd again—This time he went down for the count of 1-0 as he engaged in a pugilistic game with only one card being dealt—And not by him—Evidently school means a great deal to him since he was strutting up by East last week—and before school began—No, I'm not going to tell you he was

Brown Addresses Buxton's Reunion

Atty. S. Joe Brown, as a representative of the National Negro Republican Planning board, delivered one of the principal addresses at the reunion at old Buxton last Sunday.
A large number of former residents attended the annual reunion from Des Moines and nearby towns. Speaking and entertainment featured the picnic.
Comedy, "Walking On Air," and modern drama, "Straight From the Shoulder," constitute the first opening program at the renewed opening.
Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers, plus six melodies from Jerome Kern, is in the musical romance, "Swing Time," now playing through next Wednesday at the Des Moines and Roosevelt theatres.
Tuesday at the Strand, Loretta Young and Franchot Tone are co-starring in "The Unguarded Hour," with Frances Langford's singing comedy, "Palm Springs." "San Francisco" opens a week from Friday at the Strand. At the Garden theatre, Robert Taylor and Janet Gaynor are starring in "Small Town Girl" over the week-end, with Jane Withers' "Gentle Julia" on the same program. Tuesday at the Garden, Myrna Loy and Bob Montgomery can be seen in "Petiteco Fever," with the dramatic western, "Take the Stand"

MOVIES

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NOT THE EMERGENCY; A LONG TIME PROGRAM

Politicians and newspaper correspondents are much worried over the Negro vote in November. They realize that the election will be close and that a block of votes cast either way will change electoral results in many cases.

President Roosevelt is running as a Democrat, but the fact remains that it is he and not the party that thousands of non-Democrats feel inclined to support in this election. However it is not possible to separate the two as long as we have a party system of government in this country.

As long as President and the party is one and the same thing it is inescapable that he takes the party with all liabilities as well as assets attached to it.

The Bystander is well aware that thousands of Negro voters are for President Roosevelt and yet if they were asked whether they adopt the policy of the Democratic party toward Negroes aside from the so-called emergency measures most of them would be bound to answer "No".

IT'S NOT STRANGE HAPPENINGS: That which is going on in South Carolina about the Negro registration increasing as much as six and seven hundred per cent, and Negroes stating their intention of doing so to vote for the Re-election of Roosevelt is true all over the Nation.

The little insignificant affair about "Cotton Ed" Smith is not going to effect the Negro's voting one iota. One fire eating Reconstruction Democrat in any state does not reflect the attitude of the Democratic Party. A clear example of this was at the National Convention. The very next night after "Cotton Ed" Smith walked out, the Program Committee put on Congressman Mitchell, a Negro from Illinois.

IT CAN BE DONE: Misery likes company. It matters little who that company is when the miserable feeling is prevalent in the same persons.

WHERE WE STAND: A letter from a subscriber recently charged The Bystander with hostility toward John L. Lewis' effort to organize the steel industry.

favored any labor union which opened the doors to workers without regard to race and protected their rights once they became members.

Further, The Bystander has said repeatedly that as far as it has been able to determine, the United Mine Workers of America and the Garment Workers were the only unions to which any appreciable number of Negroes belonged and which made any effort to protect them in the exercise of their rights under the rules of the union.

The Lewis group proposes to organize all steel workers. It has indicated that Negroes will receive fair treatment in these unions by hiring Negroes to help organize them. They should be in the same unions for separated there is too much of a tendency to give the black workers the worst end of the deal.

What Others Say

Is the University of Iowa Practicing Hitlerism?

Editor of Bystander:

In this afternoon's mail I read a bulletin from the N. A. A. C. P., in which the Jewish World War veterans condemn Hitler for snubbing our colored athletes at Berlin. This made my blood boil, so I opened a circular football letter from my alma mater, saying to myself as I did so, "Now I will cool off."

What's more, Negroes are not barred from Democratic Primaries all over Texas. In fact, in the Larger Cities, more Negroes vote proportionately in Texas primaries than in Iowa Primaries.

I never thought that I would live to see the day that Iowa athletic publications would come under the control of such narrow minded, prejudiced, conceited, Hitler tactics.

W. F. Reden, S. U. I. '08, Sioux Falls, S. D.

DR. J. G. ROBINSON ADDRESSES "OPEN LETTER" TO BISHOP R. C. RANSOM

Philadelphia, Pa.—In one of the strongest "Open Letters" of recent political campaign the noted Dr. J. G. Robinson, editor of the A. M. E. Review, leading magazine of the American colored people, appeals to Bishop R. C. Ransom, whom he succeeded as editor upon Ransom's elevation to the bench, to turn from the error of his way and join the Republican cause in the name of "mothers and fathers" who died in the hope that their children would never desert the unprotected millions of the race who live under tyranny of the Democratic party in the south.

Sensational: Dr. Robinson's sensational appeal in part reads: "I still look upon you as being a fearless champion of the things you advocate. Your elevation to the bishopric in the A. M. E.

Health Talks

By Dr. C. R. Bradford

SCABIES

Scabies is an infectious disease of the skin caused by an animal parasite the female of which incites the itching by burrowing into the skin to lay eggs. This condition is most often seen in children and is usually transmitted from one child to another and often to the mother who has the role of dressing the child.



The mite produces a small, vesicle, or pustule where it enters which later becomes infected and produces a small amount of pus. The itching is very intense and worse after the child goes to bed and gets warm. The disease develops rapidly and in untreated cases lasts for months.

Treatment: The object of treatment is twofold to kill the parasite and to subdue the dermatitis. Sulphur ointment and the use of hot baths, fumigation of the clothes has proven to be the most successful method.

Ans.—Your husband is a good man and there is but one fault that you can find with him—that is drinking occasionally. Stay with him, for he is trying his best to overcome this weakness and if you leave he will indulge stronger than ever. None are perfect.

Ans.—He loves you, but I am afraid that both of you were just a little too young to realize the responsibility of marriage. He will change.

Ans.—Not any time in the near future. It seems to me that you will have to put this work off for a few months until you are in a better physical condition.

Ans.—Does my husband really love me and our marriage an unfortunate mistake?

Ans.—He is fond of your baby, but he cares even more for you. I predict a very happy summer for you and I don't think that you will be lonesome many more nights in the future.

Ans.—Try it again this next year. If you do not feel that she is taking enough interest in her studies, then make other plans for her next summer. She will get over this period that she is going through and it appears to be in the near future.

Ans.—Should I continue on with my husband or make a change right away? I only know him a short time before I married him and didn't have a chance to find out his faults.

Ans.—Yes, there will be several changes. Your son will find work within the next seven or eight weeks

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"And to me, how any man who has race love and respect for his own people can join in with those in the sections where all men can vote and help keep those southern states in power is a tragedy. The south is in the saddle in the Roosevelt administration. A. U. S. senator from Arkansas and one from Mississippi dominate congress. And, Mr. Roosevelt bows to every whim of these men.

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"Bishop Ransom, I, as a general officer in the A. M. E. church, and as an immediate successor to you in office, after consulting hundreds of our people in every walk of life, I call upon you to leave the Democratic party and come to the help of millions of our brothers and sisters, and help to elect Governor Alfred M. Landon president and once more put the Republicans in command of the government of the United States"



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R. A. S.—I like your column very much. Please tell me if I will be able to get the place that I have in mind?

Ans.—It is very doubtful whether you can arrange to rent the place, but I do think that it could be bought. Get in touch with the party that owns this place and try to do business with him if possible.

M. E. J.—Do you think that I should send my oldest daughter back to college this fall?

Ans.—Try it again this next year. If you do not feel that she is taking enough interest in her studies, then make other plans for her next summer. She will get over this period that she is going through and it appears to be in the near future.

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M. S. W.—I am very discouraged and I want to know if things in general will change for me any time soon? I enjoy your column.

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TO DENTIN E. DAWKINS, person in whose name the property described below is taxed. You are hereby notified that on the 8th day of May, 1935, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lot 7, Block 18, Highland Park, City of Des Moines, Iowa, was sold by the

and it seems to me that you will go to work yourself. I do not think that you will return on the same job, so scout around and look for work.

R. T.—I met a man and he has taken quite an interest in my baby. He takes the baby around places with him and seems to be crazy about my baby. Will this man ever mean anything in my life?

Ans.—He is fond of your baby, but he cares even more for you. I predict a very happy summer for you and I don't think that you will be lonesome many more nights in the future.

O. T. D.—Will I be able to finish the course that I have started?

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NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE TO WILLIAM H. LONGWORTH, CARRIE LONGWORTH, persons in possession of real estate described below.

TO MARY WARNER, person in whose name the property described below is taxed. You are hereby notified that on the 8th day of May, 1935, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lot 77, College Park,

now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, was sold by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, for the then delinquent and unpaid taxes against the said real estate for the years 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, to Polk County, Iowa; and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to Polk County, Iowa, by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the said real estate will be made unless redemption from said sale is made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice.

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TO ALICE TYNER, person in whose name the property described below is taxed. You are hereby notified that on the 8th day of May, 1935, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lot 1, Block 6, Montmartre's Addition, First Plat,

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NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE TO EARL A. NELSON, FANNY L. NELSON, HAROLD E. NELSON, persons in possession of real estate described below.

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Dated this 20th day of August, 1935. POLK COUNTY, IOWA ERNEST S. OLMSTED, County Auditor of and for Polk County, Iowa.

from said sale is made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice. Dated this 10th day of August, 1935. POLK COUNTY, IOWA ERNEST S. OLMSTED, County Auditor of and for Polk County, Iowa.

NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE TO RAYMOND H. SPENCER, FLORENCE E. SPENCER, persons in possession of real estate described below.

TO S. J. MISTELLE, person in whose name the property described below is taxed. You are hereby notified that on the 8th day of May, 1935, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lot 20, Block 20, C. J. Vorse's Addition, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, was sold by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, for the then delinquent and unpaid taxes against the said real estate for the years 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, to Polk County, Iowa; and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to Polk County, Iowa, by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the said real estate will be made unless redemption from said sale is made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice.

Dated this 17th day of August, 1935. POLK COUNTY, IOWA ERNEST S. OLMSTED, County Auditor of and for Polk County, Iowa.

NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE TO WILLIAM H. LONGWORTH, CARRIE LONGWORTH, persons in possession of real estate described below.

TO MARY WARNER, person in whose name the property described below is taxed. You are hereby notified that on the 8th day of May, 1935, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lot 76, College Park,