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SESSION NEARING ADJOURNMENT

Court Debate May Block Anti-Lynch Measure

NAACP Opens 28th Annual Conference, Final Massmeeting Sunday Long, Bitter Fight Ahead

Contestants Over State to Compete for Cash Awards

One of the most mammoth circulation drives ever staged will be sponsored by the Iowa Bystander during July and August in an effort to secure one thousand new subscribers.

Anyone having spare time and desiring to enter this contest may write or phone The Iowa Bystander, 302 Chemical Bldg., Des Moines, Iowa, Phone 3-2822, for further information.

Every family is urged to become a reader of the Iowa Bystander because it is Iowa's only Negro newspaper and is an institution of the colored people and for the colored people giving valuable experience and training to several boys and girls.

Millionaire Leaves Fortune to Family

BELLINGER HEIRS GET TRUST FUNDS, HOMES

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 1—The late Charles Bellinger provided handsomely for the members of his immediate family before his death several weeks ago it was learned from the San Antonio Trust Company to which the vast Bellinger holdings and fortune have been entrusted.

In addition to creating trust funds yielding from \$150 to \$75 per month, and individual homes for each member of the family, Mr. Bellinger requested the sale of the Bellinger mansion valued at \$30,000 which occupies an entire block on the city's southwest side.

The sale of the Bellinger mansion on New Braunfels avenue will rob the southwest of one of its most famous showplaces. Mr. Bellinger desired the disposition of the mansion because of its great upkeep costs which he feared might prove a strain on the family's resources.

Chicago Provides Thrills for Iowans

FATHER DIVINE'S MEALS "WONDERFUL"

In his sixth visit to the Windy City, Everett Wadsworth, Bystander staff writer, who covered the Braddock-Louis championship in Chicago last week, tells of his impressions:

SUNDAY—Stopped at the Washburn Y. M. C. A.—140 rooms, elegant hostelry—Attended St. Thomas Episcopal church—elaborate with reverent ceremony—went sightseeing at Grant park; Buckingham fountain, and navy pier—Ate dinner at Father Divine's Mission amid shouts of "Peace, peace, holy quietness, its wonderful"—Heard a red-hot jam session from Chick Webb's band swinging and Ella Fitzgerald's singing at the swanky Regal theatre, swellegant modern seating 3,000 and hot stage show—Among the nite spots visited "Iowa club," operated by Cicero Durden, former Des Moineser, saw lots of former Hawkeye residents.

MONDAY—Overslept (as usual), after a hearty salutation as: "Peace, sister, are we late for breakfast?" at the Divine mission, Thirty-fifth and Michigan, hastened over to Chicago Defender office to greet Al Monroe, sports editor—Then to Comiskey park and tried to "five" one of the guards to let us take a peek at the \$10,000 ring in the making, but no luck—Took a four hour ride along

Joe Louis Seeks Disabled Father

READY TO AID WHEN HE GETS PROOF

Detroit, July 1—(ANP)—Joe Louis, world's heavyweight boxing champion, who grew up thinking his father was dead, declared Friday he stands ready to give financial aid to an inmate of the Alabama state asylum who claims to be his "dad," if he gets the proof. The new champion made this statement while resting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Lily Brooks, after daily papers carried news articles Thursday stating that his father was incarcerated in an institution for the mentally deficient.

"I always thought he was dead," said the Brown Bomber. "I never saw him, and my mother also believed him dead. I'm sending someone down there now to check, and if he is my father, I'm certainly going to help him." The mother admitted the 65 year old patient "probably is Joe's father," and repeated Joe's words, that "we're going to do all we can for him. He's been missing all these years, and I was positive he was dead. I haven't heard from him in twenty-two years."

Strike Pictures Are Suppressed in U.S.

LONDON SEES FILM OF CHICAGO MASSACRE

London, July 1—London movie audiences this week saw with horror the news reels of the Memorial Day massacre before the Republic Steel plant in Chicago, where ten pickets, one a Negro, were slain by police.

The film, made by a Paramount News cameraman, was withheld from audiences in the United States.

ROCK ISLAND REPORTS EXPENDITURES FOR BROADWAY

Chicago, Ill.—(Special)—E. M. Durham, Jr., chief executive officer of the Rock Island Lines, announces that during May, 1937, that railroad expended \$1,250,000.00 on roadway and structures.

Elks Excursion to Omaha on Fourth

SPECIAL RATE FOR HOLIDAY FUN SEEKERS

Des Moines residents are preparing for the Hawkeye Elks lodge excursion via Rock Island to Omaha over the Fourth of July holiday week-end. The special leaves Des Moines at 4:40 a. m. Sunday and arrives in Omaha at 8:25 a. m. Another train leaves at 8:00 a. m., arriving at 12:45 p. m. Tickets are good for five days.

The Elks midwestern convention is the main attraction for local followers. John Williams is exalted ruler of the Des Moines lodge. W. J. Shepherd, district deputy, is chairman of the transportation and J. G. Browne is grand organizer. The baseball team will play a strong nine both Sunday and Monday.

Miss Annabelle Payne, city oratorical winner, will represent Des Moines in the Elks regional contest to be held Sunday night.

150 Years Progress Of AME Church Is Observed

MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 1—The Sesqui-Centennial of the African Methodist Episcopal church was brought to a successful close Sunday as thousands of the delegates who poured into Memphis last week left for their homes throughout the country.

World-wide Event

More than eight thousand delegates attended the sessions which were held at Booker T. Washington high school, Porter school and Ellis auditorium. Nearly all of the local AME churches were hosts to one or more of the visiting prelates.

Departmental meetings, Young Peoples meetings, the Bishops Council, a pageant portraying the history of the AME church, the meeting of the Connectional Ministerial Alliance and other features were part of the mammoth program which brought religious leaders and laymen from all over the world to Memphis to take part in the commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the African Methodist church.

Mrs. Flipper, Playwright

The pageant depicting the progress of the church was written by Mrs. J. S. Flipper, wife of Bishop J. S. Flipper, general chairman of the conference. An interesting feature of the conference was an exhibit of handicraft from West and South Africa.

King of Fistsians—Hated to leave the happiest group of Negroes on earth, but my work and duty to paper comes first—Messrs. Harold and Melvin Carr, Lloyd Shelton, Quentin Mease, great pals, remained for another day of festivities—Hopped the midnite rattler for good old Des Moines, accompanied as far as Iowa City by Nat Calloway, instructor of Fisk university at Nashville.

DELEGATES FROM TWENTY-THREE STATES

Detroit, Mich., July 1—The twenty-eighth annual conference of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People opened here Tuesday with a mass meeting at Cass Technical high school, at which the principal speaker was Dr. Louis T. Wright of New York City, chairman of the board of directors of the association.

Delegates from twenty-three states were present for the opening meeting, including scores of delegates from the youth councils and college chapters of the association. Mrs. Georgine C. Morris represents the Des Moines branch.

Among the speakers for the night mass meetings are: Dr. Robert C. Weaver, Washington, D. C.; Homer Martin, Detroit; J. E. Spingarn, New York; Governor Frank Murphy; Dr. James Weldon Johnson, Nashville; Walter White, New York, and Congressman Joseph A. Gavagan, New York.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT GREETES N. A. A. C. P. CONFERENCE

Detroit, Mich., July 1—In a message of greeting to the opening session of the twenty-eighth annual conference of the N. A. A. C. P. here tonight, President Roosevelt stressed the problems which "must be solved if we are to go forward with the progress which we, as citizens in a democracy, have a right to expect."

The president expressed the hope that the conference would help to build toward unity of purpose and "so contribute toward the achievement of our common ideals and aspirations."

Porter in Theatre Accused of Aitack

HARLEM HAS ANOTHER UNPLEASANT CASE

New York, July 1—(ANP)—Just as the ill effects of the Major Bronx case were dying down, Harlem suffered another setback in the Bronx, when William Ray, 26 year old Negro porter of the Franklin theatre, confessed an attack on a 10 year old Italian girl in the basement of the theatre.

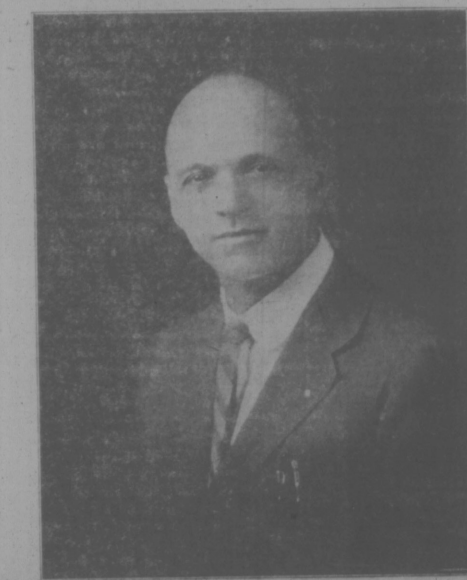
Ray promised the child pictures of her favorite movie star, and lured her to the basement, where he attempted an attack. Fearing that the child would cry out, Ray is alleged to have struck her several vicious blows with a brick wrapped in a towel and then tossed the body into a ventilator under the stage, which was later found by watchman.

Wires Protest

N. A. A. C. P. WARNS OF UNFAIRNESS IN WPA REDUCTIONS

New York, July 1—Warning that the reductions in the forces of the WPA now taking place will work unfair hardship on Negroes on the WPA was contained in a telegram sent to Harry L. Hopkins, WPA administrator, by the N. A. A. C. P. yesterday.

Most Worshipful Grand Master



P. S. JOHNSON OF KEOKUK

Iowa Masons to Celebrate Fiftieth Anniversary Here

PAGEANT, "ESTHER," PROMENADE, BANQUET FEATURED

Outstanding among the features of the golden jubilee celebration which will be held by the United Grand Lodge of Iowa A. F. & A. M. during their fiftieth grand communication in Des Moines July 12th to 15th will be a public program at St. Paul A. M. E. church, 12th and Crocker streets, the entire afternoon and evening of Tuesday, July 13th commencing with a grand lodge procession starting at the Billiken Hall, 12th and Center streets, where the business sessions will be held and ending at the church promptly at 2 o'clock P. M.

The members of the grand lodge will be greeted by a choir composed of members of the Eastern Star, their ladies auxiliary. They will be formally welcomed by Mayor J. H. Allen. The response will be given by Past Grand Master H. E. Williams of Ottumwa. After several other musical numbers Past Grand Master W. W. Gross of Keokuk, will outline the history of the grand lodge during the fifty years of its existence.

O. E. S. CHAPTER

After the program the O. E. S. Chapter members, their families and friends will attend the Golden Jubilee Banquet at the church given by the ladies of the three Eastern Star chapters of the city.

At eight o'clock, beginning with a musical numbers by the Eastern Star Choir in auditorium and several other musical numbers by members of the O. E. S. from Des Moines and Waterloo, Mrs. Mattie R. Gould, the Worthy Grand Matron of the O. E. S. will bring greeting to the grand lodge on behalf of the grand lodge; and Past Grand Master Jose H. Sherwood, of

the Minnesota Grand Lodge, will deliver the golden jubilee address; and Grand Master Fielding S. Johnson and the other Grand Officers will be presented.

Public Invited

The general public is cordially invited to attend all these exercises to which no admission fee will be charged; but every one attending will be presented a souvenir booklet, containing the History of the Grand Lodge and cuts and sketches of the Masonic careers of sixteen of the nineteen Grand Masters that have presided over the Grand Lodge during the fifty years of its history, also the synopsis and list of the entire cast and chorus members of the "Esther," which will be presented also in St. Paul auditorium on Wednesday, July 14th.

The final public affair will be the golden jubilee promenade at the Billiken Ball Room on Thursday, July 15 commencing at 8 o'clock and which will be attended by a large number of visitors from all over the state.

DR. CARVER HONORED BY NEW YORK SOCIETY

Tuskegee Institute, Ala., July 1—(ANP)—Dr. George Carver, famed creative research scientist and chemist of Tuskegee Institute, last week received notice that he has been made an honorary member of Mark Twain society of New York.

Bystander Ad Chief Now in California

SPENCER ELLISTON IS VISITING IN HOLLYWOOD

Spencer Elliston, Bystander advertising manager, who left Des Moines on a six week's vacation tour of the northwest and far western United States, is basking in the sunny climate of Hollywood, California, according to word received here this week. He plans to return about July 15.

Accompanied by his wife, Mr. Elliston visited in Utah, Colorado, Washington, Alaska, down the coast to San Francisco, San Diego, Catalina Island and other points of interest in California. He has visited several movie Studios and booking agencies in Los Angeles and vicinity in the interest of the Bystander Talent week.

Washington, July 1—Two days after the senate judiciary committee favorably reported on a federal anti-lynching bill by a vote of 12-3, Senator Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas, majority leader of the senate, announced that the bill for changes in the supreme court would be called up for debate probably about July 1.

Supporters of the anti-lynching bill were alarmed at this turn of events, because it is generally agreed that the debate on the court bill will be long and bitter and that other legislation will have little chance of crashing through. There is a possibility that the debate will run far into the hot days of July and that when a vote is finally taken, the senate will push the anti-lynching bill and other legislation aside in its rush to adjourn.

With the situation as it is in the senate, the N. A. A. C. P. stressed once more the necessity of all possible persuasion being brought to bear on the senators by the people back home to get them to take action on the anti-lynching bill. Senators Robert F. Wagner, of New York, and Frederick Van Nuys, of Indiana, have requested Senator Joseph T. Robinson, majority leader, to set an immediate date for debate and a vote on the anti-lynching bill.

Seeks Compromise Of Scottsboro Case

JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES CHANGES FRONT

Birmingham, Ala., July 1—(C)—John Temple Graves, noted editor, who once demanded that the Scottsboro boys be punished, has changed front and now wants to compromise, according to his own signed article in the Sunday New York Times. Graves says: "It is reasonable to believe now that a compromise of the Scottsboro case, which goes on trial July 6th, might be applauded by a great majority of the people of Alabama."

Grover C. Hall, editor of the Montgomery Advertiser, started the "compromise" with a leading editorial, "This Body of Death," which has been widely printed in Alabama white papers. Also, the apparent sincere opposition to lynch law of the present attorney general, A. A. Carmichael, who would be the new prosecutor, leads many to believe he would not be as vicious against the boys as was Thomas E. Knight.

Father Divine, May Be Called to Testify

U. S. TRACES "ANGEL'S" \$50,000 HONEYMOON

Los Angeles, July 1—(CNA)—The revelation that John Wuest Hunt, wealthy white Los Angeles playboy and Divine cultist, spent \$50,000 for his religious "bridal tour" with Delight Jewel, 17 year old white Denver high school girl, featured the opening days of the trial of Hunt and three others on charges of violating the Mann white slave act.

Hunt signed hotel registers as "Jesus the Christ" and shared his room with Delight, whom he called "Virgin Mary" during the honeymoon tour which, the government charges, followed the girl's weird "marriage" to Hunt last Christmas eve in the playboy cultist's Beverly Hills home. Hugh E. MacBeth, Hunt's attorney, said he "may find it necessary" to subpoena Father Divine if the government injects a religious angle into the case.

Independence Day

THE LAND WHERE HATE SHOULD DIE This is the land where strife should cease. No feuds of faith, no spleen of race, No darkly brooding fear should try Beneath our flag to find a place.

This is the land where hate should die— This is the land where strife should cease Where foul, suspicious fear should fly Before our flag of light and peace.

—D. A. McCarthy.

Girl Cyclist Drives Into Street Car

LORRAINE JOHNSON IS INJURED IN COLLISION

Lorraine (Bookie) Johnson, 18, of 933 Thirteenth street was critically injured when the bicycle she was riding collided with an E. Sixth and Ninth street car at Twelfth and School streets Tuesday afternoon.

She was taken to the Broadlawn General hospital. The injured girl suffered severe head lacerations.

# CHURCH DIRECTORY

**PHILADELPHIA SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**  
1150 W. Thirteenth Street  
R. T. Hudson, Pastor  
Order of service: Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 11:00 o'clock; Young People's Mission Volunteer society, 3:00 p. m. Sunday night, 7:30 o'clock, preaching; Wednesday night, 7:30 o'clock, prayer meeting; Bible Study League, eight singing chorus, 7:00-10:00 p. m.; nursing class, Tuesday p. m.; teachers' meeting, Friday, 8:00 p. m.

**SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH**  
S. E. 14th and Scott St.  
Rev. J. L. Lucas, Pastor  
806 Sheridan Ave. H. P. Ph. 4-3840  
Sunday School, 9:45; Preaching, 11; B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 to 7:30; preaching at 8:00. Mid-week prayer service.

**CHESTERFIELD SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
809 S. E. 27th Street Phone 6-6983  
Pastor, M. J. Cranshaw  
Order of Service  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; preaching service at 11:00 a. m.; Y. O. at 7:00 p. m. Subject, "New Training For Service," four year courses. Preaching service at 8:00 p. m. Tuesday at 8:00 p. m., preaching service, Thursday at 8:00 p. m., Bible study, Friday at 8:00 p. m., Dorcas Sewing club. The church with a welcome.

**CHURCH OF GOD AND SAINTS OF CHRIST**  
928 West 12th Street  
ELDER J. C. FAIRFAX, 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.

**CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Ninth and Robinson Streets  
Rev. G. W. Robinson, Pastor  
Sunday school at 10 A. M., F. C. Goggins, Supt. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Evening worship at 7:15 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.

**ST. SIMON'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Thirteenth and School  
Church School; 16; Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11  
Gamma Kappa Delta 6:30  
First and Fourth Sundays  
Holy Communion: 8 and 11 A. M.

**CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**  
East 17th and University Avenue  
Sunday school at 10:30 A. M. Mrs. Vienna Williams, Supt. Noonday services at 12:30 P. M. Y. P. W. at 6:30 P. M. George Parckman, President. General services at 8:00 P. M. Weekly services: Tuesday night, general services at 8:30 P. M. Friday night, general services at 8:00.  
Elder Eugene Robinson, Pastor.

**ST. PAUL A. M. E. CHURCH**  
12th and Crocker  
Rev. R. H. Hackley  
Sunday school 9:30 A. M.; morning worship, 11:00 A. M.; Evening worship, 8:00 P. M.; A. C. E. League, 5:30 P. M., Verlene Reeves, president. Harrison Gould, superintendent of the church school. Midweek prayer service, Wednesday, 7:00 P. M. Choir rehearsal, Friday evening, 8:00 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.

**CHRIST'S SANCTIFIED HOLY CHURCH**  
Elder A. B. Brewer, Pastor  
1521 E. University Avenue  
Sunday morning prayer service, 8:00 A. M.; Sunday school, 12:30 P. M.; Preaching service, 8:00 P. M.; Y. P. 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.

## A.M.E. Youth Congress To Be Held Next Week

**MAPLE ST. BAPTIST CHURCH**  
A. Ross Brent, 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.

**UNION BAPTIST CHURCH**  
East Sixteenth and University Ave.  
Jordan W. Lutz, 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.

**VALLEY JUNCTION, IOWA**  
Mt. Hebron Baptist Church  
Rev. L. G. Garret, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.; Morning worship 11:00 A. M.; Evening worship 7:30 P. M.; B. Y. U. P. 6:15 P. M. Midweek prayer service, Wednesday, at 8 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 at 8 P. M.

**EAST SECOND STREET MISSION OF CHRIST**  
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.; Midweek prayer service, Thursday, 7:30.

**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.

**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.

**FREE SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST**  
1049 12th Street  
Sabbath school, 9:30 A. M. Preaching, 11:15 A. M.; Y. P. M. V., 8:00 P. M.; H. M. 8:00; Midweek service, Wednesday evening, 8:00; Berean Bible class, Sunday evening, 8:00 P. M.  
Elder A. C. Chatman, pastor.

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
1151 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.

**BURNS M. E. CHURCH**  
811 Crocker Street  
C. K. Brown, D.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.

**WEST SIDE A. M. E. ZION CHURCH**  
The Rev. O. R. Ellis, pastor of Kyles A. M. E. Zion church, will preach at 3 p. m. The Rev. Jacob will preach the evening sermon. Let each one bring one to the house of the Lord. Everyone is welcome.

**ST. JAMES A. M. E. CHURCH**  
Rev. W. E. Guy, Pastor  
Friday night, June 4th, the third quarterly meeting was held at the church. The Rev. T. B. Stovall, presiding elder, was in charge.  
Sunday, June 6th, the quarterly meeting of St. James A. M. E. church was held. Rev. Guy was the speaker and his gospel choir sang. Sunday,

### YOUNG PEOPLE WILL REPRESENT FOUR STATES

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday the first conference wide assembly of the three young people's departments, Sunday School, Allen Endeavor and the Junior Missionary Societies of the A. M. E. Church. The celebration will be jointly in honor of the one hundred fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the church and of the forty-fifth anniversary of the beginning of the teacher training or formal department of the district, which claims to be the first in African Methodism will be held at St. Paul A. M. E. church at 12th and Crocker Sts. and will be entertained jointly by the congregation of St. Paul and Bethel A. M. E. church at E. 16th and University Ave.

The Congress will be presided over by Rt. Rev. John A. Gregg, the presiding Bishop of the 4th Episcopal district, and will be attended by young people from all over the states of Iowa, Minnesota, North and South Dakotas.

Among the other speakers to appear will be Drs. A. J. Carey, Jr., and Frank C. Lowery of Chicago; Drs. Carlyse Stewart and Wm. E. Guy of Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minnesota.

On Wednesday evening, the 7th, the Des Moines Religious Drama Association, under the direction of Rev. Mrs. Estella Broomfield, will present an educational pageant entitled "The Word" comprising more than seventy characters, and depicting each of the sixty-six books of the Bible with a brief message from each of the ten divisions. The general public is cordially invited to attend all these sessions. No admission fee will be charged.

June 6th, the Eastern Stars of the twin cities held their annual sermon at Camphor M. E. church. Rev. H. M. Marby, pastor, was the speaker. Invocation was by Mrs. E. Stovall, P. W. No. 9. Scripture reading, Rev. Marby. Welcome address was by Mrs. Eunice Goins, St. Paul chapter, No. 1. Remarks by Mrs. Rosa Moore, W. G. M.

By R. W. Wilson

### OBITUARY

James Clifford Williams was born January 10, 1874, in Georgetown, Kentucky and died June 22, 1937, at the Veterans Hospital at Des Moines, Ia. He was a member of the 9th and 10th Calvary of the U. S. Army and had been a resident of Des Moines for more than forty years. He was a member of the Church of God in Christ and was an ordained minister. His widow, three sons, one daughter, and other relatives survive. Funeral services were held Monday at the Church of God in Christ, No. 1 with Elder W. C. Strawthers officiating interment at Glendale Cemetery.

### CARD OF THANKS

We thank the friends for the kindness during the illness and the death of our loved one, James C. Williams; beautiful floral display, donation of cars; Elder W. C. Strawthers for his inspiring remarks; school board for their services and L. Fowler and Son Funeral Home for their efficient services.—Mrs. Drucilla Williams, widow; James Williams, New Jersey, son; Merrill Williams, Spokane, Washington, son; William Williams, son; and Zella Williams, daughter.

### SENATOR ROBINSON ASKED TO DOCKET ANTI-LYNCH BILL

Washington, June 24—With a favorable report on the federal anti-lynching bill all written by the senate judiciary committee and ready for formal release Monday, June 21, Senator Joseph T. Robinson, majority leader of the upper house, is being asked to place the bill on the senate calendar for debate and vote.

Formal request to Senator Robinson will be made by Senators Robert F. Wagner of New York and Frederick Van Nuys of Indiana immediately upon the filing of the judiciary committee's favorable report.

Latest tabulations indicate that there is a sure total of 62 votes for the bill in the senate, with a possibility that there may be 70. All possible pressure has to be brought to bear, however, to prevent the bill from being sidetracked until late in the mid-summer season, when it might be shuffled off with other legislation and abandoned.

## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By REV. HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, Dean of the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago  
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### Lesson for July 4

LESSON TEXT—Exodus 1:6-14: 2:23-25. GOLDEN TEXT—Before they call, I will answer, and while they are yet speaking, I will hear.—Isaiah 65:24.  
PRIMARY TOPIC—A Prayer for Help.  
JUNIOR TOPIC—In Need of Help.  
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—What Cries Rise to God Today?  
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—God Cares When a People Suffers.

Independence day—and we are to study about a people in bondage! How much that is like life. But, thanks be to God, no one need stay in bondage. The way to liberty is open and free. The Lord Jesus Christ opened it at Calvary's tree and anyone who is still the bond slave of Satan may make this a great and glorious Independence day by now declaring his faith in the deliverer of our souls!

We begin today a series of lessons in the book of Exodus which reveal the high and mighty hand of God working on behalf of his people. Many are the precious spiritual lessons and rich is the practical instruction for daily life to be received in the weeks just ahead. Let us not make the unfortunate mistake of many thoughtless folk who miss the blessing of Bible school attendance because it is a bit warmer than usual.

The family of Jacob—or, as the Bible calls them, "the children of Israel"—prospered in Egypt particularly as long as Joseph and the rulers who remembered him were alive. But they soon learned one of life's bitter lessons, namely, that—

**I. Prosperity Often Brings Opposition (1:6-11).**  
The Hebrews were a peaceful, law-abiding people. They were God's chosen people and as he blessed them they prospered, and thus innocently they brought upon themselves the hatred of the suspicious Egyptians.

Prosperity is never an unmixed blessing. We as a nation know that to be true. Not only does it lead to a certain softening of the sinews, but all too often it results in a weakening of the moral fiber, which makes man easy prey to the attack of the enemy of our souls.

The Egyptians made plans which appealed to their brilliant leaders as politic and wise, but they reckoned without God, and the burdens and afflictions they placed on the Israelites only served to bring further blessing.

**II. Adversity May Bring Blessing (vv. 12-14).**  
The people of Israel did not know it and undoubtedly did not appreciate the fact that the bitterness of their bondage was a blessing in disguise. Note that—

1. It kept them separate as a people. Affliction often serves to keep God's people separated from the world.  
2. It disciplined them and prepared them for the hardships of their wilderness journey. We too do well to remember that "whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth," and that if we are properly "exercised" thereby our sorrows may yield rich fruit in our lives.

3. It threw them back upon God. Many are the saints of God who have found that the fiery trial, the burden so hard to understand or some affliction of their body has caused them to bring their burden to the Lord. We have traveled far on the road of faith when we have reached the place where we learn that "Man's extremity is God's opportunity."

They had only one place to turn. They were hemmed in on every side but, as ever, they found that the way up no man can close. They called on their God.

**III. Prayer Always Brings God's Answer (2:23-25).**  
Does God really know when his people suffer? Does he really care? Yes, he does. "They cried and 'God heard' and 'remembered.'" That's all we need to know. The groanings of his people had already stirred God's gracious and tender heart. But he waited to hear their cry before he answered. Such is the law of prayer. May we not forget it. Far too often we turn to everyone and everything else, and finally, in desperation, to God. Why not turn to him first?

As we opened this lesson with an appeal for all who knew not Christ as Saviour to make this the day of their declaration of Independence.

So we close by appealing to all God's children to let him make their cry as sensitive as his to the cry of the oppressed, that this national holiday may find every Christian citizen tender in heart and liberal in deed toward the oppressed.

**Conduct Through Life**  
I will govern my life, and my thoughts, as if the whole world were to see the one, and to read the other; for what does it signify, to make anything a secret to my neighbor, when to God (who is the searcher of our hearts) all our privacies are open?

**Subsistive Will**  
The will can only be made subsistive by frequent self-denials, which must keep in subjection its sallies and inclinations.

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## IOWA TOWNS

### MORAN NEWS

Mrs. Ernest Devan

St. John Baptist church. The Rev. J. H. Ross, pastor. Rev. Ross preached at 11 A. M. at St. John Sunday, June 27, in the afternoon Rev. Ross preached at Dallas where there are several members of St. John in Moran. Mrs. Minnie Tate of Dallas united with the St. John church. Rev. and Mrs. Ross were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moore of Dallas Sunday. Mrs. Victoria Johnson formerly of Moran now living in Dallas is visiting friends in Moran. Lus Edmonds one of the few remaining pioneers of Moran died June 25th at the Adel hospital. Mr. Edmonds had been in ill health for several years. Funeral services were held at the new Bethel Baptist church in Perry June 29. Rev. J. H. Ross of Dallas officiated at the funeral assisted by the Rev. J. H. Gunter of Perry, the Rev. Mrs. Howard, pastor of Meick Methodist church of Perry. Elder J. Jacob formerly of Moran now living in Des Moines. Mr. Edmonds was a member of St. John Baptist church. He is survived, his widow, Mrs. Mary Edmonds; Mrs. Vilva Barnes, of Moran, his daughter; Clyde Edmonds, of Dallas, his son, Russell Edmonds, brother; of Moran, a nephew of Moran, a niece of Des Moines. Interment was in Perry. Cooper and Kelly undertakers of Woodward in charge. Louis Edmonds of Pershing, Iowa attended the funeral of his cousin Lus Edmonds. He will return to his home Thursday, June 30. Mrs. York Smith is ill. Mrs. Julia Welch of Des Moines was a visitor in the Ernest Devan home Tuesday accompanied by her son, Roy. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Devan were in Des Moines Saturday June 26.

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### PERRY NEWS

By J. S. Harrison

Bud Turner and wife of Rochester, Minnesota, are spending the week of July 4th visiting relatives in Perry. The funeral of Louis Edmonds of Moran who died at the County Hospital was held at Bethel Baptist church Tuesday with Rev. John Rose officiating. Sunday School at Bethel Baptist church at the usual hour Sunday. Louis Martin spent the weekend in Perry. Regular services were held at the A. M. E. Zion church Sunday with children days program in the afternoon. Elder Douglas Neal of Rock Island, Illinois, preached at the Church of God in Christ Sunday. Elder William Goodman and wife left for Omaha, Monday.

### BURLINGTON NEWS

Mrs. Beattie V. Johnson

Sunday, June 21st, the St. John's A. M. E. church held a rally and basket dinner. Mt. Pleasant, Ft. Madison and Galesburg churches were in attendance. The Rev. D. D. Bell of Union Baptist church and members were visitors in a fine program. Mrs. Goldie B. Irwin, Mrs. F. White and Mrs. James Bowles, committee. Miss Hazel B. Woods entertained the Missionary society of Union Baptist church this week. Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins, Anderson and Mrs. Lewis of Galesburg motored over to attend the rally and basket dinner the 21st. They were visitors at the Dr. Johnson home. Miss Sarah Garrett has returned to her home, after a visit with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Bowles. Miss Garrett was given a surprise party on Thursday evening. The evening was spent in cards and music. On Sunday, June 27th, Union Baptist church conducted their rally and basket dinner. The Rev. C. M. Webster, pastor of Calvary Baptist church, of Monmouth, preached at 3 p. m. Visitors were from Davenport, Mt. Pleasant, Galesburg, Monmouth, Ft. Madison and Keokuk. The Rev. Lund pastor of the St. John's A. M. E. church, and his members were visitors. In the evening at 8 p. m. the Rev. D. D. Bell preached the sermon for Summer Lodge of Masons on St. John's Day program. Mr. and Mrs. Cromm and Mr. and Mrs. Newman, former residents, motored from Davenport and attended the rally day services at Union Baptist church the 28th. Robert Cromm left last week for Cedar Rapids. Mrs. E. Fultz has returned from a visit in Davenport. Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Drew motored to Keokuk on Sunday. Miss Helen Burdette, who has been quite ill, is improved. Subscribe for the Bystander, our state paper.

### ST. PAUL, MINN., NEWS

By Robert Wilson

Mr. Stovall, with a band of fifteen members, are planning to go on the road. The band goes on the air soon. The Bystander is the only paper that Mr. Stovall and wife read. Sunday, June the 27th, the Twin Cities Masons met at St. James A. M. E. church and held their St. John day service. The Rev. W. E. Guy preached the sermon. Rev. Guy was called to Memphis this week for the A. M. E. sesquicentennial. He returned Sunday morning. "We are sure that he will come in wearing a white or lambskin apron, the badge of a Mason, thus being a member of the order," Mr. Wilson says.

### MASON CITY NEWS

Mrs. Maud M. Brewton

Mathew Ewing is ill. Dr. G. F. Tipton, district superintendent of the Kansas City district, held the first quarterly conference at Union Memorial church Monday. The Rev. S. H. Johnson is pastor. Mrs. C. N. Reeler entertained Dr. Tipton, Rev. Johnson and daughter, Lela, to dinner Monday. Mrs. Eunice Stewart, who has been waiting for several weeks in Chicago, returned Sunday. Her son accompanied her. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Warren entertained Dr. Tipton, Mrs. C. N. Reeler and Rev. Johnson and daughter for supper on Tuesday. Prayer services were held Wednesday at Union Memorial church. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith and daughter, Mrs. Marie Maddox, entertained Dr. Tipton, Rev. Johnson and daughter to breakfast Tuesday. Mrs. Stephens and Mr. Turner of Kansas City, en route to Wisconsin, were over night guests Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith. Mrs. Berline Martin entertained the Young Women's Home Missionary society Thursday evening at her home in the West Haven addition. Mr. and Mrs. Roy McAllister entertained William Wigenton and Mrs. Margaret Spencer on Thursday for supper. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith had as their dinner guests on Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. E. McNeal, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Thomas of Fort Riley, Kansas, arrived Friday for a ten days' visit with Mrs. Thomas' brother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson. Mrs. Leona Ewing gave a party Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. D. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson. Games and music were the diversion of the evening. Refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. William Wigenton, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McAllister and Mrs. Marguerite Spencer sponsored a party Saturday evening at the home of William Wigenton. The honored guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Thomas of Fort Riley, Kansas. Lunch was served. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Warren had as their dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Thomas on Saturday evening at their home. Little Richard Parker of Minneapolis, who has been visiting with his mother, Mrs. Virginia Parker, returned to the city Saturday for an indefinite stay with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Parker. Mrs. Edna Stratton arrived in the city Saturday morning for a few weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. C. N. Reeler. Mrs. Maud M. Brewton returned home Tuesday from Waterloo, where she attended the funeral of Mrs. Cora Coffey. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Caulder and Mrs. Maud M. Brewton motored to Cedar Rapids last Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Caulder attended the funeral services of Mrs. Cora Coffey. Mr. and Mrs. McGinty, Mrs. Marie Maddox and Mrs. Maud M. Brewton left the city Sunday evening for Council Bluffs to attend the Federation of Colored Women's Clubs. Mr. and Mrs. Luke Ragland of Hampton visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brewton. Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Stratton, Mrs. E. Perry and Mrs. Edna Stratton were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mrs. C. N. Reeler. Mrs. Ellen Casey attended the morning services at Union Memorial church.

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### VALLEY HIGHLIGHTS

Supremacy and 21

I'll erect my body and lift my head And with my God I'll be led And love for me has just begun I'm free, proud, brown and 21.

I'll conquer all, by land, by sea, And for our brown supremacy, By cunning brains, sword and gun I'm free, proud, brown, and 21.

I'll have a right in God's great land I'll teach and rule by all his hand And if I don't, there'll be no one I'm free, proud, brown, and 21.

I'll not let anyone stand in my way, I look to God for his great day, I'll clear my path 'neath moon and sun, 'Cause I'm free, proud, brown, and 21.

—Irene Ross.

### CEDAR RAPIDS NEWS

Rev. S. J. Caulder

Sunday was Missionary Day at Bethel A. M. E. church. The Rev. R. H. Hackley of St. Paul A. M. E. church of Des Moines delivered the message. He was accompanied by Miss Mary Bonwell and Robert Brooks. This was Rev. Hackley's first visit to Cedar Rapids in twenty-five years. Mt. Zion Baptist church is holding a ten days' series of meetings, conducted by Rev. C. F. Covington of Chattanooga, Tennessee. Tommie Ruth and Arlene Bennett were married at the home of John Shanley at 5 p. m. Sunday, June 20th. Elder G. M. Melvin, overseer of the Northern district of C. S. H., returned from a trip checking the work of the churches through Iowa, Missouri and Kansas. Elder R. L. Brown of Muskegon, Michigan, preached at the Church of God in Christ at 717 H street S. W. Rev. C. F. Covington of Chattanooga, Tennessee.

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# Court Victory Means Half Million Dollars More Yearly to Md. Instructors

FIRST SKIRMISH WON IN TEACHERS' SALARY CASE

Rockville, Md., July 1.—The first round in the court fight to equalize the salaries paid colored and white teachers in this state was won here June 21st when the circuit court for Montgomery county overruled the demurrer filed by attorneys for the county board of education in the case of William B. Gibbs, Jr., vs. Edwin W. Broome et al.

Gibbs, who is a teacher-principal in one of the colored schools in this county, filed his suit seeking to have the board of education pay him the same salary paid teacher-principals in white schools doing the same work and having the same experience.

At present Gibbs' salary is \$612 per year whereas white teachers doing the same work are paid \$1,125 per year. It is estimated that the state of Maryland pays all its colored teachers a lump sum of \$500,000 less than it pays white teachers. If the Gibbs case should be won, it will mean that a half million dollars more per year will go into the pay envelopes of Negro school teachers in this state.

Problems Confronting the Race to Be Aired June 29-July 4—Governor Murphy Speaker

New York, June 24.—With Governor Frank Murphy, James Weidon Johnson, Homer Martin, C. I. O. leader, and Congressman Joseph A. Gavanagh as headline speakers, the twenty-eighth annual conference of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People is scheduled to get under way in Detroit, Mich., June 29th, running through July 4th. Discussions of relief and social security, the Wagner labor relations act, the C. I. O. disfranchisement, civil rights, lynching, education and the plight of the sharecroppers will mark the five day program.

Homer Martin to Speak One of the important mass meetings of the conference will be held Wednesday night, June 30th, in the Ebenezer A. M. E. church, Willis and Brush streets, the conference headquarters, when Homer Martin, president of the United Automobile Workers, will speak on "Union Labor and the Negro Worker." Mr. Martin, who some weeks ago gave out a clear cut statement condemning the color line in union labor, is expected to provide fireworks in his address as he reviews the fight of the C. I. O. unions for recognition in the automobile and steel industries.

Those which were unredeemed were thereafter without value and no longer circulated.

## Much Heat Required to Raise Water Temperature

Water is the great heat reservoir of the earth. It takes more heat to raise the temperature of water by a given amount than is required for almost any other substance. In addition, it takes about 80 calories to melt a gram of ice and about 600 to evaporate an equal amount of water. The same quantities of heat are released when the reverse changes, the freezing of water and the condensation of water vapor, take place, according to Dr. Thomas M. Beck in the Chicago Tribune.

Water spontaneously evaporates, absorbing the necessary heat from its surroundings, until its vapor has reached a certain pressure above which it cannot go. When the water vapor has reached this pressure in air, evaporation stops and the air is said to be saturated. The vapor pressure of water is proportional to the amount of water held by saturated air and increases strongly with rising temperature. Thus the pressure of water vapor in saturated air is about 2 inch at 32 degrees and increases to 1.2 inches at 85 degrees.

Our atmosphere is very rarely saturated, however. Normally it holds about 70 per cent of the amount theoretically possible. This fraction of saturation is known as the degree of humidity. When it is high very little evaporation takes place, and when it is low the reverse is true.

## Short Freedom

In the year 1517 the Spanish king permitted a friend of his to import 4,000 negroes annually into the new Spanish colonies of the new world. In 1540 he revoked the permission and sent an envoy to America to convey this and set the slave free, which was dutifully done. But the minute the envoy took ship it embarked for home the slaves were all recaptured and set to work again as slaves.

## Famous Napoleon Born Under Flag of France

For centuries before Napoleon's birth Corsica was under the domination of Genoa. King Henry II of France had in the sixteenth century (1553 to 1556) attempted its conquest, but a few years later it was handed back to the Genoese republic. In May, 1769, after the Corsican patriots under Paoli had forced out the Genoese, only to be followed by a French invasion, the island became a French possession. A few months later Napoleon was born, a French citizen. His own father had been a follower and friend of Paoli, had declared against France and had fought for Corsican independence. The Story-Life of Napoleon says:

"Some 300 Corsicans, determined never to wear the yoke of the French, gathered around their general-in-chief and sailed away on an exile to England. Signora Buonaparte's husband was eager to go with them. But for the objections of the wife, who was to be a mother again in three months, London and not Ajaccio would have been the birthplace of Napoleon and he would have become perhaps a British soldier. Yielding to her counsel, the husband, took the lead in making peace with the French commander."

Napoleon himself wrote: "I was born while my country was dying," also "I will never forgive my father, who was Paoli's adjutant, for having concurred in the union of Corsica with France."—Detroit News.

## Posed for His Statue;

### Sure to Be Remembered

The life-size statue of a modern Elijah who had it placed beside his grave so future generations could see what he looked like is to be seen in a rural cemetery near Maple Rapids, Mich., correspondent in the Detroit Free Press.

The statue is that of Elijah Elsworth, who died in 1906 at the age of seventy-seven. He was the last of his family and, according to local legend, conceived the idea of the statue so that his friends and those who came after them would not forget his appearance.

The name of the sculptor has been forgotten but it is said that Elsworth either sold his forty-acre farm or willed it to the artist to pay for the monument.

Elsworth sat for the designing of the strange figure, which depicts him clothed in flowing robes like those which his Biblical namesake might have worn. His feet are bare and in his left hand he holds a palm branch, adding a final touch to the Biblical allusion.

## Emancipation Monument

The Emancipation monument in Boston has never received a full measure of approval from art critics, but it has had an interesting history. The statue is a copy of the Freedmen's memorial in Washington, which was paid for by subscription among former slaves of the South, a subscription reaching about \$18,000. Thomas Ball was the sculptor of the piece. He conceived the idea in Munich when he heard the news of Lincoln's assassination and turned to Florence where he maintained his studio. An odd incident in connection with the modeling is that the sculptor could not obtain models for the figures and therefore became his own model, kneeling in front of a mirror in order to carve the figure of the slaves. This statue was bought by the former slaves and erected in Washington with great ceremonies, including an oration by the negro orator, Frederick Douglass.—Boston Globe.

## Earth and Water

Not always have the same regions of the earth as are now covered by water been submerged. Nor has the land now seen always been above sea level. For there have been upthrusts from the sea to create new land just as there have been subsidences with the seas sweeping over vast areas. It is certain that in the crust of the earth now covered by tidewater there are enormously rich resources, held secure, perhaps, from man's exploitation. It is not doubted that there are metals, priceless gems, and various other valuable things lying there under the oceans. Oil, too, no doubt, locked perhaps, forever away from human acquisition.

## John Hancock

John Hancock was the first president of the Provincial Congress, and of the Continental Congress in Philadelphia, the first to sign the Declaration of Independence and the first governor of Massachusetts, an office which he held with the exception of two years, because of ill health, from 1780 until 1793. Hancock was the first major general of the militia in the colony of Massachusetts.

## Tombs Are Lighted

Incandescent lights are used in all the important tombs in the Valley of the Kings in Egypt. They bring into bold relief the wonderful hieroglyphs, symbolic figures and images upon the walls and ceilings of the long corridors and chambers, whose vivid colors have not faded in the past 3,000 years or more.

## Eloquent of Chief John Logan

In addition to Chief John Logan's famous speech that has been given a permanent place in our histories, he also once wrote a letter that, while it is far from the speech in eloquence, it has nevertheless been held up as one of the more eloquent things done by an Indian orator. Dated July 21, 1774, it was fastened to a war club and left in the cabin of a slain settler. It read: "What did you kill my people on Yellow Creek for? The white people killed my kin at Conestoga a great while ago, and I thought nothing of that. But you killed my kin again in prisoner. Then I thought I must kill, too, and I have been three times to war since, but the Indians are not angry, only myself."

## Growing Tree as Memorial

Luther Burbank was born March 7, 1849. A growing tree in Santa Rosa, Calif., marks his resting place. "The plant mind is subconscious, but it is there," said Burbank. It responds to environment. Plants can feel. A shudder runs through the forest with the flames. Some plants permit insects of only a certain type to take away their pollen. The mind of the hop vine inspires it to wind around the pole in but one direction. Expansion and contraction of cells in plants are heart beats—14 a minute. Plants are our distant relatives.

## Cheese Wizardry

Cheeses, every epicure recognizes, rely for their distinctive flavors on a fungus called penicillium. Its function is to create the mold without which most cheeses would be distastefully anemic. Included in its family group are innumerable sub-varieties, each with a singular characteristic. Those famous Roquefort cheeses in France, where millions of caves ripen annually, are infested with Penicillium Roqueforti, and its presence accounts for this local industry's world-wide reputation, according to London Tit-Bits Magazine.

## Coll of Snakes

The rattlesnake is typical of the snakes that coil before striking. As soon as it is alarmed, it throws its body into a coil, with head raised a little above the rest of the body. When ready to spring, the muscles of the upper part of the snake are suddenly contracted, so as to straighten the body abruptly and thrust the head forward in a direct line. As the upper part of the body only is employed, the snake never strikes at a greater distance than one-third to one-half its length.

## NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE

To person in possession of real estate described below:  
TO FANNIE A. INGERSOLL Person in whose name the property described below is taxed. You are hereby notified that on the 17th day of December, 1935, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: The S1/2 and E1/2 of 1/4 Sec. 16, T. 33 N., R. 20 W., was sold by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, for the delinquent and unpaid taxes against the said real estate for the years 1932, 1933 and 1934, to Polk County, and a certificate of purely and duly issued to Polk County by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, pursuant to said sale, which certificate is now lawfully held and owned by Flora B. Chapman, 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 completion of service of this notice.  
Dated this 26th day of June, A. D. 1935.  
FLORA B. CHAPMAN.  
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## "White Woman's Creek" Is Indian Name for a River

Mary Harris, a heroine of the Deerfield (Mass.) massacre in 1704, is responsible for the origin of the name of the Wauhatchie river which winds through a part of central Ohio before joining the Muskingum. When she was ten she was captured, carried into the valley of the Wauhatchie, and later was married to a French Mohawk. She is believed to have been the first white woman to live in this section so the Delaware Indians termed the stream Wauhatchie, which in their language, according to a writer in the Cleveland Plain Dealer, meant "White Woman's Creek."

There are three popular theories concerning the derivation of the name Cuyahoga. Some claim the name can be traced back to the Indian Cuyahogon-uk meaning "Lake River." Others insist it was derived from Carrihoga, or "News Carrier." A third group contends the name was taken from Cayahaga, signifying crooked. The latter is probably correct as anyone can see by looking down at its winding course. Some authorities consider it the most crooked navigable waterway in the state.

## Use for Artificial Fly

Macedonians' Discovery I am of the opinion that the artificial fly dates back to the era of the Macedonians, and was the invention of necessity, states a writer in the Detroit Free Press. Those who fished along the Astraeus river were unable to catch the fish abounding therein because the only fly which hovered over the river, and which proved to be unsuitable for bait when used by the fishermen. It lost its color and its wings shriveled up. It was then necessary for them to find a bait equally attractive and effective. They discovered that by winding a piece of crimson wool around a hook, and attaching thereto a few feathers from the neck of a cock they had an artificial fly which was a real competitor so far as the fish were concerned. You know the rest—states aside streams for fly fishing only. Each year finds its popularity increasing.

## Rumsey, the Great Inventor

James Rumsey, soldier and mechanic, who made steam propel a boat 150 years ago, was born on Bohemia Manor, near Warwick, Md., in March, 1743. A century and a half ago, on December 3, 1787, he publicly demonstrated a workable steamboat on the Potomac river at Shepherdstown, W. Va. Robert Fulton, who is credited with making the steamboat a commercial success, submitted his first plans a year after Rumsey's death on December 21, 1782. At that time, both Rumsey and Fulton were in London and apparently were intimate friends. Rumsey had gone to England to perfect his invention but died of apoplexy on the eve of the demonstration of his largest boat, the Columbian Maid.

## Common Form of Insanity

One of the most common forms of insanity is dementia praecox. Known also as schizophrenia, it frequently occurs late in adolescence or early in adult life.

## Many Ohio Counties Are Named for Prominent Men

Many Ohio counties were named after famous military commanders and prominent men that figured in early history. Meigs county, the site of some of the earliest settlements, was named in honor of Return Jonathan Meigs, Jr., the fourth governor.

Gallia county derived its name from the Latin for ancient France. It was the French who originally settled within its boundaries, their first town being Gallipolis (City of the French). A story is often told, states a writer in the Cleveland Plain Dealer, that the first French scalped taken from a member of this Gallipolis colony by a young Indian brave was so strongly scented with perfume "that the wind went love-sick" and the chief of the tribe to which the brave belonged continually sniffed at the trophy in utter amazement. The other Indians envied the proud warrior and immediately set out in quest of similar grisly relics. This gesture was quickly followed by a rapid increase in the number of bald-headed Frenchmen, dead and alive, in that section.

## Breeds of Horses From Abroad

The breeds of light horses, originating abroad and imported to this country, include the Arab, the English racehorse, or thoroughbred, the high-stepping hackney and the Cleveland Bay from England; the Shetland pony from the north of Scotland, the French coach horse and the German coach horse. In addition to these recognized breeds there are the Orloff trotter of Russia, and the dun pony of Norway, both of which are distinct breeds, though not often seen here. Three breeds originating in the United States are recognized by the Bureau of Animal Industry in Washington. Of these the Morgan is the oldest, the remarkable foundation sire to which all of the thousands of registered horses trace back, having been foaled in Springfield, Mass., in 1793. In the middle decades of the last century his progeny were more sought after than those of any other horse.

## Marks of Past Illness

### Shown by Hair and Nails

Signs of past illness often remain long after the illness has ended. These are to be found where the circulation is poorest, viz., in the hair and the nails, says a writer in Pearson's London Weekly.

After a severe illness, you will often find that a ridge appears running across the nail and growing with it, advancing towards the free end as the nail gets longer. This is due to the fact that the illness has absorbed a good deal of the patient's strength and the circulation, in consequence, has not been sufficient to nourish the nails properly.

When anyone gets run down in general health, the nails frequently suffer in other ways, especially if the condition is a chronic one. They may become brittle and crack easily, while sometimes they are pitted with small holes as though they had been worm-eaten.

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# SOCIETY and CLUBS

By Dorothy Wheeler

## NOTICE

Did you entertain guests, serve a dinner party, have a club meeting, or a party, tea or banquet. If so,



The Society Editor

so that we may let your friends know what you are doing and plan to do.

### Fourth of July

Well, another holiday has rolled around, giving us two days in which to have all the picnics, outings, etc. Many of our citizens are traveling over to Omaha to have one grand celebration. Whatever is done, let's make this one grand Fourth of July.

### Visitors

Mrs. Geraldine Johnson of Minneapolis, Minnesota, en route to Topeka, Kansas, to visit her sister, Mrs. Roy Slaughter, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs. M. E. Cassell.

The Rev. Gibson of Memphis, Tennessee, en route to St. Paul, visited at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. C. K. Brown, 913 Crocker street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Johnson and Fred K. Douglas of Kansas City, Missouri, are spending their vacation in Des Moines.

Mrs. Maud Thompkins left Saturday for Indianapolis, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Leona Pettit, for an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Buice of 1070 Seventeenth street spent the week-end in Chicago, visiting relatives and friends.

DePriest Wheeler, trombone player with Cab Calloway's orchestra, visited his sisters when the band was in the city last Friday. They are: Mrs. Heien Hubbard, Mrs. Georgia Dixon and Mrs. Gertrude Bibbs of 777 Thirtieth street.

### Returned Home

Mrs. Daisy Dimitry, formerly of Des Moines, but now a resident of Jacksonville, Florida, spent ten days as guest of Mrs. Louise Dyer of 1041 Sixteenth street. While in Iowa she visited with her father in Indiana and her son, Stanley Beverly, of Des Moines.

A bridge breakfast party was given by Mrs. Claude Carr and Mrs. Louise Dyer on Wednesday morning from 9 to 12, at which ten guests were present. Mrs. Daisy Dimitry left last Friday for Jacksonville, Florida, where she will resume her work as dramatics advisor on the works progress administration.

### Clubs—And What They Are Doing

The camp committee will meet with the Girl Reserve committee and cabin leaders at the Y. W. C. A. on July 9th.

The Top Hatters met Sunday at the home of Clarence Butts, 622 S. E. Twentieth street, with John Sanders as guest. The next meeting will be Sunday, July 4th, at the home of Miss Mary Brown, 805 S. E. Twenty-sixth street court.

Elmer Bonwell of 1436 Buchanan street won the cash prize of five dollars at the bank night. Another bank night will be held July 16th at the Neighborhood House, 513 E. Thirtieth street, George Mannel, president, and Lennie Henry, reporter.

The Young Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Paul church met at the home of Susie Williams. The next meeting will be with Flora May Carter, 1042 Fourth street place.

The Old Settlers association will meet Sunday, July 4th, at the Community Center, Fifteenth and Crocker streets, at 4 p. m.

Mrs. Mabel Mann was hostess to the T. O. B. club last Friday.

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### BABY CONTEST

#### CLOSES SUNDAY

The baby contest, in charge of Mrs. Izora Mackay, will close Sunday at 2 p. m. at St. Paul A. M. E. church. The prizes, which include a baby bed, perambulator, kiddie car, high chair, etc., will be on display Sunday morning at the church. Every baby will be presented with a prize.

Those entered are: Ruby Mae Anderson, Delores Long, Ernest James Clark, Sonny Turner, Phyllis Ellis, Francis Carl, Ronell Brown, Vincent Wilson, Jr., Vernon Whiteside, Donald Lee Cheatum, James William Carson, Colleen Kay Martin, Kathleen Miller, Donald Reed and Sheddick Turner.

### Honored At Party

Miss Loretta Warrick of 1320 E. Eighteenth street entertained several of her friends at a formal lawn party Thursday evening, June 24th. Lunch was served buffet style. Miss Warrick was presented with a dozen American Beauty roses by her mother, Mrs. F. B. Warrick, prior to the party.

### Sponsor Hobo Party

The Excelsior Literary club of Corinthian Baptist church is sponsoring a hobo party Thursday, July 8th, at 8 p. m. Get your tickets from any member of the club.

The Sunday School Council will meet Sunday, June 11th, at 3 p. m., at Burns M. E. church to make final arrangements for the annual Sunday school picnic to be held July 22. All schools are urged to have representatives present at the meeting.

The Merry Widows Industrial club will meet Sunday, July 4th, at the home of Mrs. Fannie Jackson, 1215 Laurel street. Nellie Parker is president and Zella Brown, reporter.

The Deluxe club met with Delores Bailey as hostess on June 24th and will meet with Blossom Brewton on Thursday, July 1st.

The Royal Senators will meet at the home of Mrs. B. J. Roach, 1207 Center street, with Roy Lee, Clarence Weston and Floyd Shade as hosts. A stag will be held Saturday night at 1055 Thirteenth street.

The Grand Auction Bridge club met at the home of Theodore Duncan, with D. Lawson as host. Prizes were won by Lucian Bailey and Theodore Martin. The next meeting will be at the home of Theodore Martin.

The Social Hour club met Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wilson of 440 S. E. Eighteenth street court, with Mr. Wilson as host. Prizes were won by Delores Hays, Marvin Hays and Emma Butts, first, second and third, respectively. Emmet Bates, Haywood Brewer and Catherine Powell are tied in the tournament of the month.

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### Honored At Breakfast

Mrs. Essie Holt of 1539 Buchanan street entertained Earl Beatty of Detroit and his niece, Dorothy Montgomery, of Booneville, Missouri, and Miss Sadie Jones at a breakfast recently.

### New Hampshire Bowlder

#### Resembles Great Skull

Resembling the gigantic skull of some prehistoric monster, a great granite rock, the largest free bowlder in the state of New Hampshire, perches on the apex of the highest mountain in Windham. Twenty feet high by 40 feet long, it rests on a very small base, an outcropping of a mica slate ledge, and is almost a "balancing" rock. Viewed at the right it looks something like the face of a gigantic gorilla. At the left, more dimly, there can be discerned the face of a dog.

On the ledge which supports the bowlder are distinct marks of the great ice sheet which ages ago in the glacial period overspread New England and of whose carrying force this bowlder is an exhibition. For it evidently came from many miles to the northwest; there are no similar stones anywhere in the region, states a Windham, N. H., correspondent in the Boston Globe.

And this one is upside down, as is proven by a basin in its underside as big as a bushel basket and into which you can thrust your head; your voice will sound as if you were speaking into a brass kettle. The sides of this cavity are perfectly smooth, showing that they must have been worn by the grinding action of stones and swiftly flowing water, and that the present position of the bowlder is the reverse of what it once was.

### Elephant Treasures Her Mate's Tusk as Heirloom

We human beings often keep treasured mementoes of loved ones who have died. It has been discovered that beasts of the jungle will do precisely the same thing and go to no end of trouble to carry home a relic from a dead mate, states a writer in Pearson's Weekly.

A game ranger at Nairobi (Kenya), had been out with his men chasing poachers and they recovered a quantity of ivory from them. While the porters were bringing in this ivory (consisting of elephants' tusks) a herd of elephants followed and the porters had to flee.

Annapolis, Md., June 24—(ANP)—Successfully passing the physical tests for admission to the United States naval academy here, George J. Trivers, appointee of Rep. Arthur J. Mitchell of Chicago, will be sworn in as a midshipman, it was announced Wednesday. He had previously met the mental requirements.

The new midshipman is registered as a resident of Chicago. He attended Miners' Teachers' college in Washington and had enough college credits to enter Annapolis. A few weeks ago James L. Minor, Jr., of Chicago, a student at Howard university, Washington, who was also appointed by Mitchell, failed to pass the scholastic exams.

The Illinois congressman is keeping his promise to keep on appointing colored youths to the naval academy made after James Lee Johnson, Jr., of Washington was railroaded out of the school from which no Negroes were graduated. After Johnson was forced to resign in February, Mitchell asked President Roosevelt for an investigation. Navy department officials then whitewashed Annapolis authorities.

Trivers is the second colored midshipman in more than fifty years. Johnson, who was sworn in a year ago Wednesday, was the first in a half century.

### WEDDING RECEPTION

#### AT BLUE TRIANGLE Y.

The reception of Miss Maxyne Anderson of Valley Junction was held at the Blue Triangle Y. W. C. A. on Saturday evening, after her marriage to William Houghton, Jr., of Waterloo, Iowa.

Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Houghton, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Penn and William Pew of Waterloo, Iowa. The bride received many presents. A shower was held at the home of Eola Thompson on Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Anderson.

Then a cow elephant seized a 40 pound tusk and carried it away. Native trackers followed her all day until they lost her in the darkness. But she never parted with the tusk.

Sometimes she stopped to feed and put the tusk down, but she always took it up again and continued her journey.

It has long been known that an elephant will go to the aid of a wounded companion, but this is the first known instance of an elephant cherishing a relic from its dead mate. A well-known elephant hunter in the district says he believes the cow elephant recognized the tusk by its smell as one which had belonged to her mate, and was taking it to her favorite feeding ground where she would probably bury it.

### First Atlantic Cable

On August 6, 1857, the eastern end of Cyrus W. Field's first Atlantic telegraph cable was pulled ashore at Valentia Bay, Ireland. Great crowds eagerly awaited the event. The moment the cable boats touched the shore, writes an eye witness, "a hundred hands seized the cable, and running up the elevated ground which fronts the bay, hauled it about fifty feet from the water mark." Sharply in contrast with this enthusiasm was the public dejection when, on August 11, the cable parted and was lost beyond recovery in 2,600 fathoms of water, after 334 nautical miles had been laid. Field, however, never lost faith in the enterprise and, after overcoming repeated difficulties, he laid, in 1866, a cable which proved permanently successful.

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#### WHO JIM CROWED STUDENTS

Cambridge, Mass., June 24—(ANP)—Following the recent action of Cambridge High School Principal James H. Lennard in "condoning" the "crowing" of four colored students and their girl companions at a school dance being held at Bradford hotel in Boston, citizens here, headed by Atty. Ray W. Guild, have appealed to the Cambridge school commission asking the dismissal of Principal Lennard.

### BLANCH CALLOWAY

#### JAILED IN YAZOO CITY

Yazoo City, Miss., June 24—(C)—Dynamic Blanche Calloway, America's most outstanding colored woman orchestra leader, sister of the celebrated Cab Calloway of Hi-De-Ho fame, was jailed here last week when she went into a rest room of a service which was not designated "white" or "colored." Miss Calloway, traveling in a de luxe coach with her band, was haled before the mayor and fined \$7.50 for disturbing the peace. Miss Calloway was forced to remain in jail for several hours. Norman Pinder, husband of the feminine maestro, failing to understand questions asked by officers, asked: "What did you say?" and was beat over the head with the butt of a pistol. Pinder was arrested with his wife and his wife's companion, Mrs. Earl Baker. The white Chamber of Commerce and several outstanding colored citizens attempted to intervene in behalf of the defendants, but to no avail.

Thanks  
Mrs. W. H. Hammitt of 24 Bell avenue thanks her friends for their visits and telephone calls during her stay in Mercy hospital, where she underwent a major operation. She also wishes to acknowledge flowers from the Corinthian choir, court, house, custodians and neighbors, telegrams and cards from Corinthian B. Y. P. U. and her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Goggins.

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## Walda Goes Round & Round

By Walda

Well, my boy Bobby Hyde had his day. And how the "Four Reds" had to pay. "Alice" of the Observer is doing it too. Boy how we do rate the news.

What started out to be a column in poetry will end up in the old original style—Anyhow here's

Giving the Gish on what's Going on. To finish Bob Hyde: (also if you want to hear something exceedingly funny) ask him to say "Hi" like he did Saturday night—Doris Mann, Maurice E.'s cousin, is being rushed by those rusers Fred Morrow, Prince Avant (who wears a Dunlap that really laps and who needed trailers license Sunday night) and Chops Robinson (who claims he should have credit for being able to get more than one girl)—Hortense Brown (she's Atty Howard's sec.) and Seymour Gray will "I Do" it about July 10th—Has anyone noticed the sophistication of present day brides, no blushes and bashfulness in a carload—the Raiders had two tough games Sunday, losing one 1-0 and winning the other the position this year that Corinthian and Gamma Kap held last year. It is rumored that—For another tumbler makes tears stream down his face—Clarence Weston got in a few belly flops from the high tower Sunday at the pool to the cheers of the spectators—Bubs P. can sure go in the water—A speedy recovery to Bookie Johnson, who was seriously injured the other day—Maxine Houghton, Jr. (Anderson) resides in Waterloo now that there's no lull in her life—

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Things I'd Like to See, Hear, Know, Etc.—Bobby Leroy Parker sing and dance at the Casa Loma—Ray Stewart in Nunn (Non) Bush's—The older Bruce boy and his wife in white (sharp)—Someone who can Lindy hop like Cabby Calloway—and someone else who can peck Suzy-Q etc.—Wonder how some cats can be so possessive with their kittens when no legal papers are involved—Season tickets for God's pool so us poor folks wouldn't have to spend so many 15c's next week—A swing dance by Jimmy Lunceford, Chick Webb or Andy Kirk at the Tromar ballroom—Surprise next week and may every one have a safe and a new Fourth.

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### AN IMPORTANT COG

Many words have been written about Joe Louis since he won the championship but none have been so eloquent as those by Paul Mickelson, sports writer, in his explanation of why Joe has become so popular with fight fans and why he has remained level headed in spite of his sudden rise to fame and accumulation of wealth.

It is easy to see how a young man, black or white, just out of poverty, with little experience and education would lose his head and become obnoxious. Mickelson says the steady influence has been the high class Negro managers who have had Joe's destiny in their hands; that these men in addition to developing a good fighter saw the necessity of making a popular fighter. They realized that the two things go hand in hand producing big gate receipts and offering a chance to make life just a little more pleasant as far as racial contacts are concerned.

And the public knows that they have done a pretty good job of it. And this theory that a Negro can get nowhere without a white manager is exploded; also the notion that Negroes cannot manage Negroes gets a big set back.

The regular army used the argument that Negroes cannot command other Negroes as the basis for their opposition to Negro commissioned officers in the World War. And because Secretary Baker did not agree and did commission them, regular army officers generally made life miserable for the Negro officers whenever possible. But by and large the Negro officers made a good job of their assignment.

Mr. Mickelson's article, while unnoticed by many, justly credits Joe's managers with much of his success and proves very conclusively that Negroes can manage as well as fight.

### THEY STILL FORGET

The city council acting as a board of review has undertaken the job of adjusting real property assessments because protests have been so voluminous that something of a general overhauling of the work must be done.

In the process of this overhauling, twenty-two typists have been put to work copying the rolls but as far as the Bystander has been able to determine, Negroes have been left out.

We cannot too often remind Mayor Allen and his head of the legal department that their administration is indebted to their Negro supporters for their election—and there is no question about that—but the Negro is not being dealt with at all in keeping with that support.

### GOV. DAVEY IS RIGHT

Gov. Davey of Ohio has surprised the Bystander. But the surprise is agreeable to be sure and we are wondering just how more people in authority can be inoculated with germs of his position or to the extent that they put into action what they know to be right and proper.

The Ohio governor says a man has a perfect right to strike or to work as he sees fit—RIGHT. He also says that the state owes every citizen the duty to give him protection in his right to strike or to work as long as he does not violate the law.

Now some people are calling the governor everything except a man,

calling him a strike-breaker. But after all is he not enforcing the law? Is he not carrying out his oath of office when he attempts to protect Ohio's citizens in their right to do a perfect legitimate thing?

Of course the trouble with those who abuse Gov. Davey is that they don't want him to enforce the law when they are in the wrong. And yet if all public officials had done as Gov. Davey is doing, less labor troubles would be plaguing us today.

### THE LAW MUST PREVAIL

Three little girls in California were lured to a lonely spot, criminally assaulted and murdered a few days ago. As one reads of this dastardly crime, he is put to his wits what twist of the mind could lead human beings to such butchery.

One father of the girls says lynch the criminals; the other father while equally overcome with grief says the law must be allowed to take its course. And the Bystander agrees fully for no matter how heinous the crime, mob rule is never justified.

### CHILDREN IN COURT

Judge Malcolm Hatfield  
June 25—With an ever increasing number of children being brought into court, juvenile authorities in many districts are becoming alarmed over what the future holds for such youngsters.

One of the principal reasons for a fifteen billion dollar a year crime bill is that many parents do not realize that they themselves are developing disobedience and dishonesty in their children. One of the most common methods whereby parents lay the foundation for a dishonest youth is by lying to others in his presence. Parents should always remember that a son or daughter will not remain honest if they themselves are untruthful.

July 1st—Now that schools are closed for the summer, it will be necessary for parents to exercise constant vigilance over their children if they want to keep them out of court. Too many mothers and fathers permit minors to idle away their summers in search of unsupervised amusement. Then, when a son or daughter finds recreation in questionable places and bring disgrace to the family, such parents usually blame every one except themselves. To avoid all possibilities of a disastrous vacation, the wise mother and father will remain constantly alert and not relax their watchfulness for a single hour.

### N. A. A. C. P. PROTESTS CHANGE IN COAST GUARD STATION

New York, July 1—Protest against the naming of a white man to take charge of the Pea Island coast guard station at Manteo, N. C., has been registered with the treasury department, under which the coast guard functions, by the N. A. A. C. P.

For fifty-eight years the Pea Island station has been an all-colored unit and it has had an excellent reputation for efficiency. A coast guard order to take effect June 10th retired Captain George F. Pruden, colored officer in charge at the station, and directed a white officer to take charge.

### Knights of the Garter an Order of Chivalry

"Honi soit qui mal y pense" is the motto (in French) of the Knights of the Garter, an order of chivalry instituted by Edward III in 1349. Its meaning is: "Evil be to him who evil thinks." It is the most ancient and important of British orders of knighthood. The story of its origin in the restoration of her garter to the Countess of Salisbury by the king, after it had dropped to the ground, is questioned and depends on popular tradition only. Edward had projected the revival of King Arthur's Knights of the Round Table and he invited "foreigners and subjects of quality and courage" to a tournament in 1344, a table being erected at Windsor Castle, 200 feet in diameter, at which the knights were to be entertained. This festival excited the jealousy of Philip of France, who forbade his subjects to attend and proclaimed one to be held by himself in Paris.

When Edward instituted the Order of the Garter, states a writer in the Detroit News, it is thought that this motto may have referred to the possible misrepresentation of it by King Philip. The garter may have been selected as its badge from the fact that Edward had given his own garter for the signal of a successful battle (probably the battle of Crecy). The original number of members was 25; later it was increased to 36, including the king.

## Health Talks

By Dr. C. R. Bradford

### HAY FEVER SEASON

There are two types of hay fever. The more common, or seasonal, type is that which begins every year when the particular pollen by which it is caused begins to be wind-borne, and persists until pollenation ceases. The pollens of the common trees, grasses and ragweeds are the most usual offenders, hence the title "spring," "summer" and "fall" hayfever. The symptoms are itching and congestion of the eyes, prosoxymos of sneezing, and a thin irritating discharge from the nose. The symptoms vary a great deal in severity during the day, usually worst in the morning.



The other type of hay fever is called perennial and is present throughout the year causing such symptoms as were described above. Animal danders, vegetable powders, house dust, foods and drugs are held to be responsible for this disease. At least 85 per cent of "hay fever" cases can be given substantial relief and made quite comfortable. Treatment should begin at least ten weeks before the season begins.

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Sir Christopher Wren  
Sir Christopher Wren, English architect, was born at East Knoyle, Wiltshire, in 1632. He was graduated at Oxford and became professor of astronomy in 1660. As a mathematician and scientist, he was engaged, in 1663 by the dean of St. Paul's to make a survey of the cathedral with a view to certain projected repairs. While thus employed he became deeply interested in architecture and began his study. In 1667 St. Paul's was totally destroyed in the great fire and Wren became the architect of the new cathedral, his masterpiece. He died in 1723.

Causes of Erosion  
Erosion is the process by which the surface of the land is attacked, eaten into and sculptured into valleys, hills and cliffs. The agencies of erosion are the rivers, which cut out canyons and gorges; the rain, which washes away the finer particles from the surface; the sun, which by heating the rocks loosens and detaches their particles; the frost, which expands the water in the crevices of the rocks and wedges them open; the sea, which constantly is undermining its cliffs; glaciers and many burrowing animals.

Presidents' Sons, Secretaries  
John Quincy Adams' son acted as his secretary. Andrew Jackson's adopted son and nephew, Andrew Jackson Donelson, had charge of White House appointments and entertainments. Abraham Van Buren was secretary to his father, President Martin Van Buren. Robert Tyler assisted President John Tyler and Millard Powers Fillmore took over the secretarial duties for President

## IN THE SHADOW OF THE STARS

By Abbe' Wallace  
LARGEST MENIALIST ON THE AMERICAN STAGE

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Ans.—He is just as unfaithful to you as you are to your husband. No, he doesn't love you, for he spends the majority of his time with another girl. Give this man up before your husband gets wise, for you don't really care for him.

D. J. P.—I am running a little store and I want to know if I continue on will I ever have a large store?  
Ans.—Indeed you will. Every penny that you make out of this little place, use it to expand your business and when you get of age you will have a good paying business of your own.

C. S. G.—My son left town about two months ago and I want to know if he will ever come back home?  
Ans.—Yes, he will. He wants to see the world and it will probably take him at least a year or eighteen months to do it, but he will return to your home to live. He will let you hear from him occasionally.

L. M. B.—Please tell me in the column what our mother did with the money she collected from the insurance company?  
Ans.—President Buchanan's secretary was a nephew to whom he had acted as a father. Ulysses S. Grant's son assisted his father for many years.

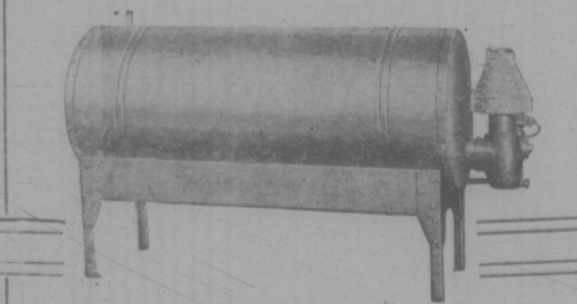
Wearing Hats in Congress  
In the early days of the federal government it was customary for representatives to wear their hats during the sessions of the house. When speaking the representative held his hat in his hand, placed it on a bench or let another member hold it. The custom of wearing hats in the house was borrowed from the British house of commons, and it was not until after the "loss of President Jackson's administration in 1837 that the practice was discontinued. Senators never copied the custom.

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### Balboa Was a Deckhand on His Trip to Dairen

Few persons think of Vasco Nunez de Balboa as a common seaman, but this is exactly what he was on the voyage which led to his discovery of the Pacific ocean. To get to Darien, on the Isthmus of Panama, he left Santo Domingo as a deckhand to do anything and everything so as to get to Panama. He labored so willingly and so well that he was soon the most popular man aboard the ship. Upon reaching Darien he was chosen as leader of the settlement. While on a short expedition of exploration he crossed the isthmus and discovered the Pacific ocean, claiming all the lands that touched upon it for the King of Spain. This was in 1513.

The narrowness of the isthmus between the Caribbean and the Pacific led to the laying out of a trail across it. It also led to the founding of the settlement of Panama six years later in 1519, the town originally being a fishing village, the name "Panama" signifying "fishermen."

The ruins of the old city are only five miles distant from the new. The trail of the early Sixteenth century is a fine roadway. Originally it was called "Camino de Oro," meaning "the Road of Gold." The wealth of Western Mexico and of Peru once poured over it. This all led Panama to become very wealthy. It was the starting place for the caravans of mules drawing loads of yellow metal to the Caribbean side, where ships waited to convey it to Spain. Pirates frequently staged successful holdups at Panama.

### Fuel Too Cold to Burn in Sections of Siberia

In a few sections of Siberia the temperature sometimes drops as low as 40 degrees below zero, and occasionally lower than that. While this is extremely cold in comparison to the general temperature of the country, says the Rocky Mountain Herald, it is not cold enough to cause the strange things to happen which occur when the mercury drops to 50 degrees or more below zero, Fahrenheit. In parts of Siberia, where the record temperature is 91 degrees below zero, many things happen which would seem very strange to us.

For example, the people who inhabit this region have some difficulty in finding means of furnishing light during the cold spells. A flashlight, if they had one, would be of little use, since at temperatures under 50 degrees below the battery will freeze up in a short time, rendering the flashlight useless. The candle is subject to similar difficulties. In this extreme cold the wax or fat used in making the candle becomes so hard that the heat from the small blaze is insufficient to melt it and so the flame is short-lived. Even the old standby, the lantern, behaves badly.

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trace of a tail occurs in the typical Schipperke. These dogs were first bred in Holland and Belgium and are related to the Pomeranians, which they resemble except for their short hair. They are small, usually black in color, compactly built and have a foxlike head with erect ears. Most short-tailed dogs, such as the terriers commonly seen with stubby tails an inch or two long, are made so by cropping their tails when they are puppies. Some English sheep dogs are referred to as bobtailed, and occasionally one is born without a tail, but as a rule they are born with tails and the tails are cut so short that the animals have the appearance of never having had tails at all.

### Compensations

The best brains and best abilities do not spring from the apple cheeks and steel-tempered spines, but from physical, mental and nervous disorders. Deaf persons make great writers owing to their powers of concentration. Myopes have a secret attraction for women because being near-sighted they listen to them more closely and flatter them thereby. Insomniacs, unable to sleep, have time for hobbies and self-thought which can make them famous. Vocal defectives can develop great personality power because, hesitant to express themselves hurriedly, they think twice, give life more consideration.

### High-Priced Fuel

Thomas Carlyle had completed, after three years' work, the first volume of his classic history of the French Revolution, he sent it to John Stuart Mill to read. Mill's housekeeper, looking for waste paper with which to start a winter fire, picked up the manuscript and used it to get her blaze going. Carlyle had no copy or notes, and had to do the entire job all over again.

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