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"NO COMPROMISE!" - BOTH SIDES

6-Year Old Scottsboro Trials Under Way Again

200 Delegates at Young People's Congress at St. Paul A.M.E. Church Nine Boys Fight for Lives

NAACP Meet Hears Official Denounce Racial Prejudice

JIM CROW IN HEALTH CALLED "MURDEROUS"

Detroit, Mich., July 8—A fiery speech, bristling with facts and demands for no compromise in the fight on segregation and discrimination in the treatment of Negroes by public and private health agencies, was delivered by Dr. L. T. Wright, chairman of the national board of directors of the N. A. A. C. P., at the opening mass meeting of the twenty-eighth annual conference of the association here June 29th at Cass Technical high school.

Dr. Wright branded as "murder" and "lynching" the neglect of Negro health by the regular agencies and condemned in forthright language restrictions placed upon the training of Negro doctors and nurses.

"Workers Must Unite"

The workers of the country must unite on the basis of their class rather than on the basis of their separate occupation, without regard to race, creed or color, declared Homer Martin, international president of the United Automobile Workers, at the session of the conference on June 30th.

Mr. Martin told of the work of the C. I. O. and the absence of the color line. He said Negro workers were being given their seniority rights and all other privileges without discrimination.

Dr. Robert C. Weaver, adviser on Negro affairs to the U. S. department of commerce, cited the relief measures of the federal government which had benefited the Negro and pointed out particularly the work of the CCC, the PWA and the WPA.

Sharp Discussion

The issue of the Negro worker and his relation to the Committee for Industrial Organization overshadowed every other topic at the conference.

Antagonism to the CIO was expressed before the conference opened by several ministers in their churches June 27th. There was some feeling also because John P. Davis was listed to speak at a discussion group Wednesday morning, June 30th, on the

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Shepherd Is President of Midwestern Elks Ass'n

DES MOINES CHOSEN FOR 1938

By Everett Wadsworth, Staff Writer

Omaha, Nebraska—W. J. Shepherd of Des Moines, Iowa, past exalted ruler of the Hawkeye lodge, No. 160, was elected president of the midwestern convention of the I. B. O. E. of W. Tuesday, after a three days' session here. Fifteen hundred delegates attended the regional meet, which comprised six states. The Iroquois lodge, No. 92, the host, entertained the visitors in a round of holiday festivities.

After a vigorous fight from the floor, led by J. G. Browne, leader of the Des Moines delegation of 100, Des Moines was selected as the 1938 convention city. Pueblo, Colorado, was defeated after strong opposition.

In all phases of the meet, the Iowa Elks were outstanding and prominent. The convention received greetings from the mayor and governor and other officials.

Mr. Shepherd, the new lodge head, formerly served as grand deputy and second vice president. James Hudson was elected grand tyler and Mr. Browne was chosen as athletic di-

Louis' Win Causes Riot at Girls School

MRS. ROOSEVELT DOES NOT THINK FIGHT EXTRAORDINARY

WASHINGTON, July 8—(ANP)—What may be termed a "mild riot" occurred at the National Training School for Girls on Conduit road. It is believed that the free for all which took place was the direct result of an argument over the Braddock-Louis fight. The trouble assumed such gigantic proportions, according to several who were attracted by the loud noise, that a riot call was sent in and a score of policemen came on the scene. It is said that one policeman was quite roughly handled.

Twenty-four girls engaged in the melee, using their fists, flowerpots, dishes, and anything within their reach. Several were placed under arrest. Agnes Thomas, 17, who is alleged to have started the riot by mentioning the heavy-weight championship fight, was charged with drunkenness, others with disorderly conduct.

At her weekly press conference, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, when asked to comment on the "riot," stated that she does not think it "extraordinary" for a minor riot to grow out of an argument over the Braddock-Louis fight. Mrs. Roosevelt is of the opinion that you cannot expect children to show more control than grownups. She stated that older persons very often become greatly excited on such occasions.

80-Year Old Pupil

ADULT SCHOOL AT ROADSIDE SETTLEMENT

Hattie M. Seaton, 1060 14th street, is a WPA teacher of a class of 25 adults, five days a week in reading, spelling, arithmetic, English, American and Negro history, writing and Bible. The instruction and books are free. Carolyn E. Forgrave, is head of the school.

Among her active pupils is Mrs. Elizabeth Scales, 80, 333 S. E. Allen street who attends school regularly. She has been "going to school for over a year and a half."

Chas. Hall Is New Advisor of Affairs

JONES LEAVES COMMERCE DEPT.

Washington, July 8—(CNA)—Secretary Roper announced today that he had accepted the resignation of Eugene Kinckle Jones, adviser on Negro affairs in the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Commerce, effective June 30, 1937. Charles E. Hall, specialist, Negro statistics, Bureau of Census, has been designated to supervise the work which Jones has directed since October 1, 1933.

In his letter of resignation, Jones explained that he wished to give more time to his duties as executive secretary of the National Urban League.

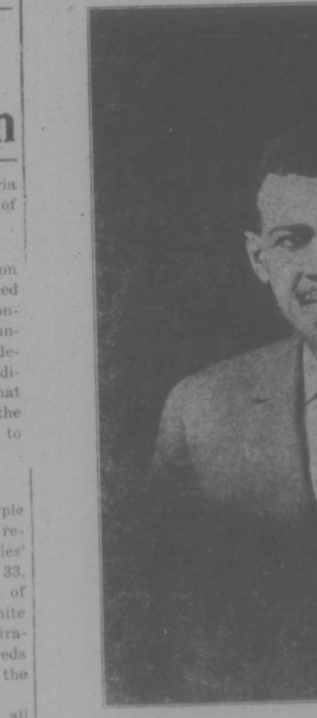
Man Unofficially Returned South

CUMMINGS ASKED TO PROBE EXTRADITION KIDNAPING

New York, July 8—Attorney General Homer S. Cummings has been asked to investigate the report that George Thurman, a colored man living in Akron, O., was technically kidnaped by officers of the state of Mississippi and returned to Mississippi from Ohio to face a charge of murder in connection with the death of a Cleveland, Miss., police officer nineteen years ago.

The N. A. A. C. P. was advised by its Akron branch that Thurman has lived in Akron nine years and says he has never been in Mississippi. A habeas corpus writ was filed, but was denied. Then an extraordinary hearing was requested, but before the request could be acted upon, officers of Mississippi spirited Thurman out of Akron and back south. The N. A. A. C. P. declared to Attorney General Cummings that there is precedent for action by his department.

Golden Jubilee Chairman



Past Grand Master W. W. Gross, of Keokuk, Iowa, General Chairman, Golden Jubilee

Divine Victor in Receivers' Battle

COAST AIDE GUILTY

New York, July 8—(CNA)—Father Divine's heave-ho this week withstood the assault of a fallen "angel" seeking to put the movement into receivership, but suffered a new shock in the conviction of a Divine aide on the west coast of violation of the Mann white slave act.

Declaring his reluctance to "disturb in any part or respect the spiritual work of a religious group," Supreme Court Justice McCook denied an application that would have put the heavens into temporary receivership. The application for the receivership was made by Mrs. Verinda Brown, a former member of the cult, who is seeking the recovery of \$4,476 which she said she turned over to Father Divine.

Pending the trial of Mrs. Brown's suit for recovery of her money, Justice McCook continued the stay for defendants from disposing of property held by them.

In Los Angeles, John Wuest Hunt, white playboy-cubist, who called himself "Jesus the Christ" and said he seduced a 17 year old white high school girl to "provide the world with a new redeemer," was sent to await sentence for a Mann act violation.

Packing Company Strike War Rages

CAMBRIDGE, Md., July 8—(C)—

Two colored pickets at the Phillips Packing company plant were shot down by armed guards Wednesday night, one, James Powell, being injured with a charge of buckshot in the side, and the other, James Field, being grazed, but required no medical attention.

Powell went to the hospital, but returned to the scene with investigating officers. The LaFollette Civil Liberties committee of the Senate began an investigation Thursday.

REPRESENT ST. PAUL AND DES MOINES DISTRICTS

Two hundred young men and young women representing the Sunday Schools, Allen Christian Endeavor and Junior Missionary societies of the A. M. E. churches of Iowa, Minnesota, North and South Dakota and Western Canada are holding a three day session at St. Paul church in joint celebration of the one hundred fiftieth anniversary of the founding of their denomination in Philadelphia by Richard Allen and of the forty-fifth anniversary of the actual beginning of the normal or teacher training department began at Burlington, Iowa, now a part of the Northwestern conference area.

In the absence of Bishop John A. Gregg, the presiding bishop of fourth episcopal district, Dr. Wm. W. Guy, of St. Paul, Minn., conference Supt. of Religious Education presided Tuesday. He was assisted by A. W. Drame, Dist. Supt. of the Des Moines district, and M. Boyd Patrick, district Supt. of the St. Paul district, also by the Rev. W. H. Ogleton, presiding elder, Des Moines Dist. and Rev. Dr. T. B. Stovall, presiding elder St. Paul district.

The principal speakers Tuesday were O. C. Hall, teacher training director of the St. Paul district, Mrs. Helen Beshears, juvenile officer of Des Moines, the Rev. A. J. Carey, Jr., of Chicago, and Atty. S. Joe Brown of Des Moines who gave a four epoch pageant of the history of teacher training in Iowa, presenting the Rev. D. A. Basfield, who, as district Supt. of Sunday Schools at Ottumwa in 1891, appointed the committee which a year later at Burlington organized the first teacher training institute in the A. M. E. connection. Also Mrs. Sophia Nichols still an active teacher in St. Paul Sunday School of this city who was a member of the first teacher training class

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Circulation Drive Now Under Way

JULY-AUGUST CAMPAIGNS

One of the contestants in the mammoth July-August circulation drive may approach you and say "I want to win the grand prize offered by the Iowa Bystander for the most subscriptions. The goal is 1000 new subscribers. Give me your subscription and help me win."

This mid-summer campaign closes August 31. Several participants are working for cash awards and prizes. Contestants names will be announced next week.

CLAIM RES. DESTA STILL ALIVE

LONDON, July 8—(ANP)—Res. Desta, one of Haile Selassie's foremost generals who was reported caught by the Italians and executed after the attempted assassination of Marshall Graziani at Addis Ababa in February, is still alive, according to articles appearing last week in London dailies.

Harvey Ingham Honored for 35 Years' Service As Editor

Iowa paid tribute to one of its most distinguished citizens Thursday evening when more than six hundred guests joined Gardner Cowles, publisher of the Register and Tribune at a banquet in honor of Harvey Ingham's thirty-fifth anniversary as editor of the two papers. The affair was given in the ballroom of Hotel Fort Des Moines and the guests included leading business and professional men from all over the state.

Hon. John Studebaker, commissioner of education of Washington, D. C., W. W. Waymack, editor of the Register and former Gov. Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, were the principal speakers. The former paid tribute to the service Mr. Ingham had rendered

Geo. Trivers Quits Naval Academy

NO REASON GIVEN FOR RESIGNATION

Washington, D. C., July 8—Congressman Arthur W. Mitchell of the First congressional district of Illinois announced this week that George Trivers of 3890 South Parkway, Chicago, recently appointed to the United States academy at Annapolis, Md., has resigned. The congressman said he was at a loss to know why the boy had quit the school without first consulting him.

Trivers was named to the Naval academy following the questionable resignation of Midshipman Lee Johnson, Sr., of Washington, D. C. The statement regarding Trivers' resignation was made by his mother.

Congressman Mitchell said he will immediately launch a probe into the situation to determine whether or not pressure was brought on the youth by naval authorities.

Amateur Operator MESSAGE RECEIVED BY NEGRO LAD SPURS HUNT FOR AMELIA

Rock Springs, Wyo., July 8—After hope for safety for Amelia Earhart Putnam and her flying companion, Capt. Fred Noonan, had sunk to a low ebb, a 12 year old youngster made a report to the Bureau of Air Commerce on Saturday night which sent ships racing to the rescue of the pair who were lost on an attempt to circle the globe by plane.

The lad, Charles Randolph, Jr., reported receiving the following message on 16,000 kilocycles: "Amelia Earhart calling—ship on reef south of equator."

Radio experts who checked the

Four Negroes Lynched First Six Months of Year

EQUAL TO FIGURES OF '35 AND '36

Tuskegee Institute, Alabama—According to the records compiled at Tuskegee Institute in the department of records and research in the first six months of 1937 there were four lynchings. This is the same number as for the first six months of 1935 and 1936, and two less than the number six for the first six months of 1934.

All of the persons lynched were Negroes. The offenses charged were:

murder, 3; rape 1. The states in which lynchings occurred and the number in each state are as follows: Alabama, 1; Georgia, 1; Mississippi, 2. The release was issued by F. D. Patterson, president.

Courageous Officer SHERIFF SAVES PRISONER WITHOUT ARMS

ATHENS, TEXAS, July 8—Sheriff Sweeten, unarmed, saved a sixteen-year-old boy from a mob of 100 Friday when he told them "Boys, I've taken an oath to protect my prisoners and I'm going to do it."

After the sheriff's stand, an armed guard was thrown around Henderson county jail to protect the boy, who is charged with attempting to attack a woman. "There is no need to come back," the sheriff told the mob, "you're not going to get him."

ITALIAN TREASURY DEPLETED BY EAST AFRICAN CONFLICT

Rome, July 9—Signor Theodor di Revel informed the Chamber of Deputies in Rome last week that the cost to Italy of conquering Abyssinia had totaled 12,111,000,000 lire—about 130,000,000 pounds at present rates—by June 30, 1936. Of this sum, 975,000,000 lire was spent in the financial year 1934-5, or before the war began.

REVIVE HOPE FOR ACQUITTAL

Decatur, Ala., July 8—(Special)—The famous "Scottsboro case" was reopened here Tuesday morning with eight youths once more making a desperate fight to escape death in the Alabama electric chair.

The arraignment in circuit court marked a new episode in the six year old legal drama based on the story of two-white girls, Ruby Bates and Victoria Price, that they were raped by nine Negro youths while aboard a freight car on March 25, 1931.

With their attorneys battling hard to save them from death at the hands of lynch mobs and an attempt by the state to electrocute them, the boys have remained in jail ever since they were first arrested. The ninth defendant, Heywood Patterson, is under a seventy year sentence, expected to be appealed to the United States supreme court, which has set aside two previous death verdicts in the case.

Now that Thomas Knight is dead, Ruby Bates and Victoria Price are expected to join the defense. Rumors to that effect have been prevalent, so much so that the state is reported to have sought a compromise.

Thousands of Dollars

Judge W. W. Callahan, trial judge, said he knew "nothing of any compromise," but it is generally known that the now famous case has cost Alabama thousands of dollars and furthermore the state is anxious to rid itself of this white elephant.

Atty. Samuel L. Leibowitz, widely known criminal lawyer and head of the Defense Boards of Strategy in the Scottsboro case over the many years it has been in court, said no compromise is to be accepted.

message stated that it was "plausible and not improbable," that the youth had picked up a message sent, out by the distressed pair.

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

Paster, 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 School 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. P.ayer meeting, Wednesday at 8 P. M. Choir rehearsal, Friday at 8 P. M.

ST. SIMON'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Thirteenth and School
Church School: 10; 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. W. at 6:30 P. M., George Parchman, 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, 8:30 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, 9:30 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.

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. Tuttle, 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. P. U. 6:15 P. M. Midweek prayer service, Wednesday.

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.

ZION CHURCH WEST SIDE A. M. E.
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.

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 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.

Dear Subscriber:—Will you do the Bystander the favor of paying your subscription when our collectors call, we write you a letter or phone you? Don't take advantage. Show you have an interest in the paper by paying for it WHEN IT IS DUE.

The Rev. Estella Broomfield will preach the morning sermon at Burns M. E. church Sunday, July 11th, during the absence of the pastor, Rev. C. K. Brown.

The Burns Epworth League has suspended further meetings until after school opens.

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.

Young People Congress

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organized by the late Rev. Dr. J. W. Laws first president of the institute and who was then pastor of the local church; and Mrs. S. Joe Brown one of the first graduates in June class of three in 1905, and finally Miss Loretta Blackwell of the local Sunday School who is the only candidate for graduation from the two year Teacher Training course this year. More than two hundred have completed their courses this year.

On Tuesday evening preceding the address of Dr. Carey on "Youth's Challenge in a Changing World," the Rev. Dr. R. H. Hackley, pastor of the local church, formally welcomed the visitors and was responded to by Bishop Gregg who with his wife Mrs. Celia Gregg had just arrived. After the brief program all the visitors were served light refreshments. Music was furnished by the St. Paul Junior Choir directed by Mrs. Gertrude Carl. A. C. E. League

Wednesday program was devoted largely to the work of the Allen Christian Endeavor League and in which the presiding officer was assisted by M. Boyd Patrick dist. supt. of the St. Paul dist. and Mrs. Margaret Bailey, Dist. President of the Des Moines district. The guest speakers were D. N. Crosswhite, noted mechanical engineer of Marshalltown and Dr. C. R. Bradford, physician, of Des Moines. During the afternoon the visitors were taken for a sightseeing tour of the city with R. T. Dacus, Des Moines veteran postman and his Troop 59 Boy Scouts of America, acting as guides.

The program was concluded by the production of a religious educational drama "The Word" under the direction of the Rev. Mrs. Estella Broomfield. It consisted of seventy-seven characters representing the sixty-six books of the Bible, one for each of the ten subdivisions and another for the Spirit of the Word. The music was furnished by the St. Paul Senior Choir.

The conference today is in charge of the Junior Missionary department of the church directed largely by Mrs. Lelia Ottman-Thornton district president of St. Paul district and Miss Doraelva Mackey, president of the Des Moines district, with Mrs. Gregg, the Rev. Louis McGee of Keokuk and Mrs. Sujette Fountain-Crank, daughter of Bishop W. A. Fountain, but now of Des Moines of this city, as the principal speakers.

Thursday afternoon the election of officers will be held and in the evening the oratorical contest will take place. Among the other visitors were the Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Alexander, formerly of St. Paul church this city but now of Evanston, Ill., and the Rev. and Mrs. B. H. Lucas, formerly of Bethel church, this city but now of Institutional church, Chicago.

Large Attendance At Laying of Cornerstone

Des Moines, Iowa, July 6, 1937.
Shiloh Baptist Church News.

We the Pastor and the members of the Shiloh Baptist Church wish to make an apology to the public for being a week late with the report of the laying of the cornerstone.

All who were present so far as we could learn, said that it was one of the best corner stone services they ever attended. We even received congratulations from Los Angeles, California, from one who reads the By-stander. Doctor Robinson actually delivered one of the best addresses that the people said he ever gave. The Past Grand Master Attorney S. Joe Brown was perfect in conducting the Masonic part of the ceremony. It was indeed warm, but the service was well attended. We realized \$31. from the service.

So we thank Dr. Robinson, Attorney Brown, and the Brother Masons, and also Rev. A. Ross Brent who acted as master of ceremonies.
Rev. J. L. Lucas, pastor.
Susie Bryant, church clerk.

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 55 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."

ON GIVING OF ALMS
In giving of thy alms, inquire not so much into the person, as his necessity. God looks not so much upon the merits of him that requires, as into the manner of him that relieves; if the man deserve not, thou has given it to humanity.

SENSE OF HUMOR
A sense of humor enables us not so much to laugh at the people who provoke us, as to laugh at ourselves for being so easily provoked.
—Robert Power.

PAY YOUR SUBSCRIPTION

IMPROVED SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By REV. KARLOL L. LUNDQUIST, Dean of the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. © Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for July 11

LESSON TEXT—Exodus 31:1-12. GOLDEN TEXT—Come now therefore, and I will send thee.—Exodus 3:10. PRIMARY TOPIC—How God Answered His People's Prayer. JUNIOR TOPIC—A Leader in the Making. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How to Get Ready to Work for God. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—How God Provides Leaders Today.

God calls men, commissions and uses them to carry out his plans and purposes in the earth. What a great truth that is and how it glorifies the destiny of man to know that it is divinely appointed. As Joseph Parker beautifully points out, the experience of Moses in Midian was a direct dealing with God, whereas we who may not be able to "see the fountain" must "be content to drink from the stream," but should always remember that the stream flows from that same fountain.

"Every man should put to himself the questions—What is my destiny? What does God mean to me and to do in the world? . . . It is a most pitiful thing that a man should read of Moses being divinely called to a "special work" and fail to realize "that God has a special work for every man to do." Let us have a care that we do not "so pervert and misinterpret circumstances as to press them into a justification of self-will," rather than recognize them as "destiny which is beckoning us to duty."

For our instruction and guidance we consider then the story of the call of this outstanding leader of Israel. It presents him as a true servant of God—one who was

I. Personally Equipped.
While it is a blessed truth that God will use any man who surrenders himself to his control and guidance no matter how limited that man's ability and training may be, it is also true that, other things being equal, the man with the best equipment will be the most useful servant.

God gave Moses a unique preparation. He was first of all a Hebrew, born among the people that he was to lead. He knew the luxury and all the cultural advantages of the Egyptian court (Acts 7:22), but the safeguard of training by his own mother and made a self-willed and impulsive effort to deal with the problem. The result was that he had a "postgraduate" course of instruction and discipline in the wilderness where he spent forty years in the school of experience.

The leaders of God in our day need training. Some best receive it in schools, in Christian colleges, seminaries, and Bible schools true to the faith. Others prepare in the home, the church, and in the "university of hard knocks"—as someone has called the school of experience. Perhaps the best preparation is a balanced combination of the two, school and experience. But the important thing is to be prepared for God's call.

II. Spiritually Qualified.
Moses was a man who knew God. Had he been a worldly man he would have been but curious of the phenomenon of the burning bush. But not how alert and reverent he was and how immediately responsive to the instructions and the call of God.

All the training and preparation in the world is worse than useless in God's service apart from that spiritual qualification that comes from true regeneration and dedication to him. There is no more pathetic sight than a spiritually powerless church worker "going through the motions" of service for Christ. If we are in that condition we may be sure that we deceive no one but ourselves. Let us seek God in confession and in glad acceptance of his provision for both our redemption and our sanctification.

III. Divinely Called.
Moses was called (v. 4), commissioned (vv. 6-10), and clad with divine authority (vv. 11-12) for his great task.

God calls his servants to different responsibilities and in different ways, but the important thing is that we should know that we are in his will and that we are answering his call.

No man or woman has any right to choose full-time Christian service simply as a desirable vocation, for it is a divine calling. Quite unscriptural is the attitude of the man who said that in a quiet woodland nook he had faced life's realities and had decided "to bet his life" on the preaching of the gospel.

ON GIVING OF ALMS
In giving of thy alms, inquire not so much into the person, as his necessity. God looks not so much upon the merits of him that requires, as into the manner of him that relieves; if the man deserve not, thou has given it to humanity.

SENSE OF HUMOR
A sense of humor enables us not so much to laugh at the people who provoke us, as to laugh at ourselves for being so easily provoked.
—Robert Power.

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IOWA TO WINS

RED OAK NEWS
By LaVerna Jones

Rev. Mosely and wife and son, James, visited in the church Sunday. Rev. Mosely preached the morning and evening services. Roscoe Mason, who has been a resident of California about six months, motored with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brooks of Shenandoah to Red Oak to visit with friends Friday. Visitors in the home of Mrs. Charles Moore this week were her daughter, Mrs. Laura Young, and husband, Lonnie, of Omaha, and Mrs. Clara Jones and Rev. Reeves of Council Bluffs. Mrs. Ed Stewart and son, Virgil, went to Maryville, Missouri, Tuesday to see their grandson and nephew, who were seriously ill. Richard Black of Lincoln, Nebraska, came Friday for an indefinite stay in the home of his aunt and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Everhart and Mary Frances and Claude. Miss Dorothy and Kenneth Fletcher of Nebraska City came to visit with their aunt, Mrs. Manuel Keene, also Mr. and Mrs. Jack Banks and children, Betty Jean and Jackie, of Hiawatha, Kansas, visited in the homes of Mrs. Keene and Mrs. Harold Keene. Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Brooks and Albert Kercheval of Shenandoah visited in the homes of relatives on Wednesday evening. Miss Thelma Major is still ill.

SAINT JAMES A. M. E. CHURCH SAINT PAUL, MINN.
By Robert Wilson, Reporter
Dr. William E. Guy and his delegation left Monday morning for Des Moines to attend the first session of the Young People's Congress of the Northwestern Conference. Dr. Guy, appointed by Bishop John A. Gregg, D. D., to the position of conference superintendent of Young People's Work, has worked very strenuously in the making of the program.

DAVENPORT NEWS
F. N. Bynum
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All churches celebrated the Fourth of July. Robert Freeman and Lucille Freeman are delegates to the Youth Congress held in Des Moines, Iowa. Rev. W. J. Collins and wife and others will also attend the congress. W. M. Bishop and family were visitors of F. N. Bynum on Sunday. Rev. B. H. Hunter is meeting with the Third Baptist church. The church of God in Christ are moving. The young people are sponsoring a program at Bethel church.

WASHINGTON NEWS
Paul Dabner was in Washington to meet his sister, Thelma Dabner, who came from Iowa City to spend the week-end at her home in Fairfield, Mrs. Clark and Miss Kimbrev of Oskaloosa, Mrs. Greenwood of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and Mrs. Carrie of New York stopped at the H. R. Crayton home Saturday and also at the Myrtle Rhodes home. Mrs. Carrie and Mrs. Greenwood motored on to Chicago and Mrs. A. G. Clark and Miss Kimbrev visited at the Rhodes home Saturday. Theodosia Turner visited in Iowa City at the Wher home two weeks ago. Jack Wher was in Washington visiting at the Turnes home Sunday, July 4th. Taylor Crayton and Leone Crayton were in Mt. Pleasant on Sunday. The three Pickett brothers sang at Keota, Iowa, Sunday evening and Rev. W. M. Berry made a short speech. Rev. W. M. Berry, Taylor Crayton, Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Ogleton, Mrs. Alice Thompson, Marilyn Lamb and Juanita Seay left Tuesday morning for Des Moines to attend the Young People's conference. Jack Wher and Luther Trent visited Theodosia Turner and Zora Rhodes on Monday evening.

VALLEY HIGHLIGHTS
By Irene Ross
Miss Onafate Honeycutt became the wife of Joe Hunt a few weeks ago. Mr. and Mrs. Haughton, Jr., D. T. Moseley and Mrs. Brew were visitors at Mt. Hebron church. atrick Currie is in the hospital as a result of a car accident, when he was run over by Paig. Love of Valley Junction. Buddy Paige gave a moonlight barbecue and picnic Monday, July 5th, to celebrate the Fourth. Miss Hattie Cohan also gave a weiner roast June 30th. Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose of Tenth street have a baby girl. Mrs. A. C. Caffie has returned from her trip to Texas. Mrs. Ewing Ross is recovering from an accident she suffered when she fell from her porch two weeks ago. The Rev. A. Ross Brent of Maple Street Baptist church visited the Mt. Hebron church with his choir last Thursday evening, July st. George Frazier gave a stag dinner party July 4th.

FORT DODGE NEWS
By Charles Banks
The Girls chorus rendered the music at Coppel Chapel Sunday. Rev. W. L. Johnson preached. Mrs. Leroy Patterson entertained Thursday in honor of the Book Lover's Club members. Mrs. Sudie Mc Cain was hostess to the Sewing Circle. A chicken supper will be sponsored Friday by the Book Lover's club at the home of the president, Mrs. Charles Rudd. Miss Helen Johnson of Chicago is visiting with relatives here for several weeks. Mrs. Leroy Patterson and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Banks Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Southern and Al Peters spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peters. Mrs. Mary Askew was also a guest at the Peters' residence over the holiday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fox, Mrs. Hattie Jameison, Mrs. Henry Jones and Mrs. Lulu Russell motored to Milwaukee, Wisconsin to visit with relatives. Mrs. Bernice Butcher of Mason City is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Davis. Mr. Davis has been quite ill. Among those visit-

ing at the Bourdeaux home over the Fourth were Mrs. Edwina Burton and children, Claudette and Danice. Rev. R. A. Broyles, acting minister, preached Sunday at Second Baptist church. He was dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hayes. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rudd, Henry Jones and Sonny Horn motored to Chicago over the Fourth. Several friends from Waterloo were guests at the Bourdeaux' residence over the holidays.

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WEST SIDE A. M. E.
The Rev. Cranshaw of the Chesterfield Sanctified Church of Christ will preach at 3 p. m. Sunday. The Rev. Clark will preach the evening sermon. Midweek prayer service Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Every one is welcome.

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.

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.

NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE

TO DANIEL GIBSON, BERTHA J. GIBSON, persons in possession of real estate described below.

TO W. M. RAMSELL, person in whose name the property described below is taxed. You are hereby notified that on the 7th day of May, 1937, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lot 15 Block 9 South Riverside 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 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1931, 1932, 1933, and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to 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.

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ERNEST S. OLMSTED,
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TO ROY McALLISTER, person in whose name the property described below is taxed.

You are hereby notified that on the 7th day of May, 1937, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lot 15 Valentine 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 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1931, 1932, 1933, and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to 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.

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TO A. H. FLAIG, person in whose name the property described below is taxed.

You are hereby notified that on the 7th day of May, 1937, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lot 1019 Four Mile, 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 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1931, 1932, 1933, and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to 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.

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TO MECCA LEONARD, person in possession of real estate described below.

TO J. D. ALLEN, person in whose name the property described below is taxed. You are hereby notified that on the 5th day of May, 1937, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lot 181 Four Mile, 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 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931,

SPORTS



BY ALLEN ASHBY

Track
The track boys had another inning at Milwaukee in the National A. A. U. championships. Negroes lost their running supremacy in the short dashes as Ben Johnson of Columbia finished second in the century and Mack Robinson of Pasadena pulled up second in the two-twenty. Mack also qualified for the hundred, but was shut out. Kermit King of Pittsburg, Kansas, Teachers kept the broad jumping supremacy and John Woodruff of Pittsburg grabbed off his specialty, the eight hundred meters. Jimmy Smith of Indiana ran second in the mile. The outstanding performance of the day was six Negroes scoring a grand slam in the high jump. Dave Albritton won, Mel Walker, both of Ohio, Cornelius Johnson of Compton, Gil Crutcher of Colorado, Al Threadgill of Temple and Ed Burke of Marquette took all the rest of the places. Mel Walker's brother, Charles Walker, won the junior broad jump and Fritz Pollard of South Dakota finished fourth in the high hurdles.

Tennis
A lot of us are in the city playground meet at this writing. But by the time you read this there won't be so many of us in. Everett Newcomb, Earl Newcomb, Chet Williamson, Bill Ashby and Maurice Patterson are in the men's singles. Four of those fellows are in one bracket and have to play each other to get to the finals. The lower bracket looks like the pairings for the city Negro meet. Earl Newcomb, who defaulted on Tuesday, Chet Williamson, who would have played Earl in his second round match and Bill Ashby plays Maurice Patterson all in this bracket. Chet and Bill will likely meet in the semi-finals. Everett Newcomb won his first round match Tuesday.

Melvin Madison and Kenneth Hill represented Good's park, but they went out Tuesday in the men's doubles. Art Bush and yours truly are also in the men's doubles and sipped fault.

Boxing
The air is full of Tommy Farr of England, who sidestepped his match with Schmeling to fight Joe Louis, world's heavyweight champ. Farr boxed rings around Max Baer and this earned him his shot. The promoters say they offered Schmeling the bout with Joe, but the German turned it down. Schmeling's manager says he accepted. Probably so, but probably wanted all the money. After all is boiled down, Der Max is only a challenger and isn't entitled to any more money than any other challenger.

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, landed 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 2,000 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.

Prince's Lock in Will
Among the Jacobite relics left to National Museum of Antiquities of Scotland, at Glasgow, in the will of Sir James Adair, Stewart Lockhart is a ring containing a lock of Bonnie Prince Charlie's hair. Another of the relics is the commission given by the Old Pretender, father of Prince Charlie, to Charles Stewart, fifth of Ardsheal.

CROCKER Y BOUTS

LET UNDERWAY
The Crocker Branch Y. M. C. A. held its first boxing matches of the season Wednesday evening. The card included the following, none of whom showed the old vim, vigor and vitality of last year:

Ben Cheaton, 75 pounds, decision over Johnny Williams, 77 pounds in three one-minute rounds. Slick Calister and L. Strothers in the 95 pound class received a draw; Amos Holt, 115 pounds, received a TKO over Ellis Adams, 120 pounds, when the latter didn't know what it was all about in the time of 1:20.

No decision was given on the bout between Marvin Cooley and Guy Smith. Ozzie Lewis, 145 pounds, received a TKO over Jumbo Crowder, 145 pounds, at the end of the second round when the latter refused to come back for more punishment from the dynamite laden gloves of Lewis. Chuck Brodus, veteran pugilist, and Kid Carnell, shoeman, gave an exhibition bout and Joe Green and Louis Taylor ended the card.

The fights are being sponsored to help enable worthy boys to attend the annual Y. M. C. A. camp at Boone, Iowa, in August. Allen Ashby and James Allen are in charge.

'PARADE OF STARS' TO BE FEATURE OF STATE FAIR

A double entertainment program for this year's State Fair, with a complete change of features between the first and second week, and nearly twice the number of attractions the exposition has previously presented, was announced here today by fair executives.

Horse races, rodeo and circus features will make up the afternoon programs the second week, with the "Parade of Stars" holding the spotlight at night, together with the circus, fireworks show and night horse shows. The fair will close September 5rd with a final afternoon of auto races.

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.

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. Contestants throughout the state will participate in the drive for large cash prizes. Prizes will be awarded for the larger number of subscribers over one hundred. All other prizes will be 25 per cent of the collections.

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. Age need be no barrier. Anyone may become a contestant.

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.

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est ideals of the Negro race and does everything in its power to obtain and maintain these ideals.

Bees Are Credited With Size, Beauty of Blooms

Bees have had a tremendous influence on the earth's flora and fauna. Flowers with their sweet scent, beautiful colors, and their honey pots are a combination which Nature designed to get a certain job done—to perpetuate varieties of plants that the earth will always be covered with vegetation without which man and beast could not endure. The scent and color attracts bees and the nectar bribes them to visit plants and crosspollinate them.

In the beginning, notes a writer in the Missouri Farmer, botanists tell us, there were no flowers nor bees. Pollen was simply produced in abundance to be carried by wind and there was such waste of it, so determined was Nature not to take chances, that huge deposits of coal have been formed with pollen. When flowers and bees came the world became more beautiful. Plants with the most beautiful and the sweetest flowers were favored, given an advantage, and hence we have plants as they are today. Nor has this evolution stopped—it is still going on and a case in point is the golden-rod; the bees have so crossed it as to have developed almost numberless varieties, while the flowers of other plants are said to be growing in size and beauty as a result of the visits of their mutual friends, the bees.

Definition of "Gentleman"

A few definitions of "gentleman" follow: "He is gentle that doth gentle deeds" (Chaucer); "The man of sense, of grace, of accomplishment, of social power" (Emerson); "His nature is kind and affable to every creature" (Barnfield); "One who never inflicts pain" (Newman); "One that should leave the world untainted with falsehood or conceit" (Mareus Aurelius); "Living blood and a passion for kindness does at last distinguish God's gentleman from Fashion's" (Emerson); "Finesse of nature, rendering the body capable of the most delicate sensations and the mind capable of the most delicate sympathies" (Ruskin); "One who understands and shows every mark of deference to the claims of self-love in others, and exacts it in return from them" (Hazlitt).

Does Not Lose Citizenship

A natural born citizen of the United States does not lose his citizenship by living abroad, no matter how long he stays there, unless he renounces it by becoming naturalized in the country of his choice. But if a naturalized citizen of the United States returns to the country of his birth, and remains there indefinitely without contact with the American government, it is assumed that he has forfeited his American citizenship, and it remains for him to prove that he has not. Yet, a naturalized citizen who has, for instance, business connections which take him to his native land and keep him there may stay for years without forfeiting his citizenship.

An Early Day Feminist

There have always been feminists, and there is the story of long ago of the widow of a German printer who strongly objected to the supremacy of husbands, and desired to revise the text of the passage in the Bible which speaks of the subjection of wives (Genesis 3:16). The original text is "He shall be thy lord." King James version: "And he shall rule over thee." For "Herr" (Lord in German), she substituted "Narz" (fool in German) and thus made the reading "He shall be thy fool."

New Hampshire Bowlder

Resembles Great Skull

Resembling the gigantic skull of some prehistoric monster, a great granite rock, the largest 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 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 and the porters had to flee.

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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Crocodiles and Alligators

A crocodile can't stick out its tongue. It can only move it up and down. People once thought crocs were just big, lazy lizards, but we know they are not even closely related to lizards. Except for alligators their nearest kin died out millions of years ago, says a writer in the Washington Post. The chief difference between a croc and alligator is that the latter's snout is shaped like a shovel while the former's resembles a trowel or arrow head. Most crocs, unlike alligators, are very vicious. Sea crocs are invariably man-eaters. So are African, or Nile crocs. There is but one animal able to conquer the African croc—the orang-utan. This Samson of the jungle is strong enough to hold a croc's jaws open while he tears out its tongue. Yet crocs do not hesitate to attack orang-utans.

Eagles Do Little Harm

The eagle is a bird of prey but bird lovers believe it does more good than harm. It is particularly fond of dead fish and keeps streams and watercourses clean, observes a writer in the Washington Post. The birds were formerly so numerous their depredations were serious. They carried off chickens, pigs, lambs and even dogs, so farmers and hunters started gunning for them. Their numbers are so reduced they do little or no harm. Favorite trick of the bald eagle is to rob a fish hawk of his catch. The crafty eagle plummets on the hawk with a blood-curdling scream. Startled, the hawk drops his catch and the eagle grabs it before it reaches the ground.

The "China Apple"

Originally called the "China apple," oranges came from the Orient. Spanish explorers took them to North America, and missionaries carried them to California and Florida. It is claimed the United States produces more oranges than any other country. An orange tree is about 30 feet high and sometimes lives and bears for centuries, although the usual age is about 80 years. The wood is highly esteemed by cabinet makers. It takes a high polish. Besides being used as food, oranges are manufactured from the orange peelings. In southern Italy, orange growers cultivate a variety exclusively for making Eau de Cologne.

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Jew's Harp Long in Use

Throughout All Europe

The Jew's harp is a small musical instrument, known for centuries all over Europe and sometimes called "Jew's trump." Attempts have been made to derive "Jew's" from "Jaws" or "Jeu" (game, amusement, or play), but, though there is no apparent reason for associating the instrument with the Jews, it is certain that "Jew's" is the original form, says a writer in the Indianapolis News.

The instrument consists of a slender tongue of steel riveted at one end of the base of a pear-shaped steel frame; the other end of the tongue being left free so that it can be set in vibration by the player, while firmly pressing the branches of the frame against his teeth.

At the beginning of the Nineteenth century Heinrich Scheibler, in Germany, achieved astonishing effects by employing a number of Jew's harps combined in one instrument which he called an aura. Another German virtuoso, Eulerstein, a native of Wurtemberg, created a sensation in London in 1827 by playing on no fewer than sixteen of the instruments. In 1828 Sir Charles Wheatstone published an essay on the acoustics of the Jew's harp in the Quarterly Journal of Science.

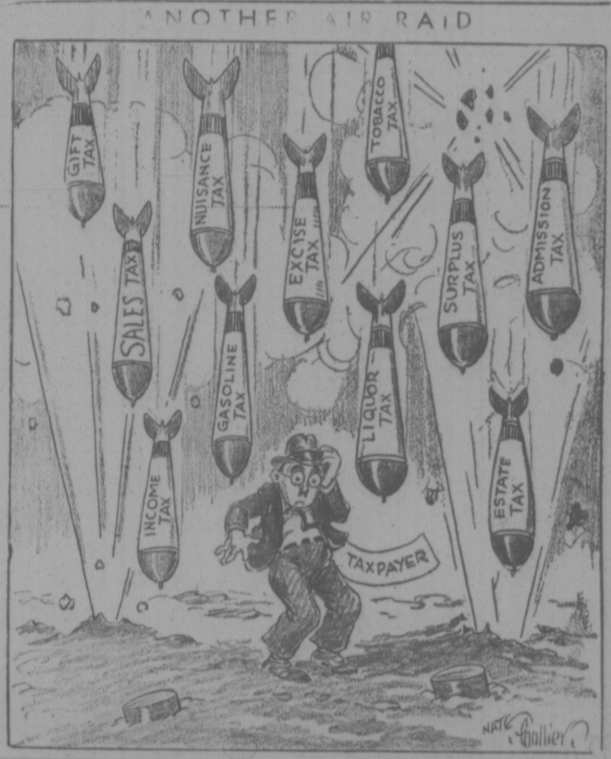
SAO ANTONIO, Texas, July 1—

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 occupied 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, 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.



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Mrs. Sarah Jett Heads Iowa Federated Clubs

Mrs. Sarah Jett, 1319 Ascension, was chosen president of the Iowa State Federation of Colored Women's clubs in their annual session held last week at Council Bluffs. Mrs. Jett is very active in club work in the city and is a member of Corinthian Baptist church.

Other officers elected were: Mrs. Agnes Matthews, Des Moines, second vice president; Mrs. William Mills, Council Bluffs, secretary; Mrs. Inez Willis, Council Bluffs, recording secretary; Miss Rose Bannan, Marshalltown, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Addie Howard, Marshalltown, treasurer; Mrs. Jessie Walker, Marshalltown, parliamentarian; Mrs. George Slater, Council Bluffs, statistician; and Mrs. Lulu May Hall, Council Bluffs, auditor. The 1938 convention will be held in Des Moines.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT TAKES STENOGRAPHER

Washington, July 8—Acting upon a protest received from the N. A. A. C. P., treasury department officials, including Henry A. Morgenthau, Jr., and Assistant Secretary Josephine Roche, rescinded the dismissal notice sent to Miss Natica Marshall and ordered her assigned to a permanent position as junior stenographer in the department.

So far as is known, this is the first time a colored person has been employed above the grade of messenger in the treasury department.

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.

PAGEANT, "ESTHER," PROM-ENADE, 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 12th 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 of 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 O. E. S. Pageant "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

Ceramic Factories Once Aided by Royal Patrons

In the early part of last century the arts were very much under the patronage of the rulers of the different countries in Europe. The ceramic factories in particular owed their success to the assistance given them by their royal patrons. This patronage sometimes meant real ownership, and distribution of the productions often went to favorites of the court at a severe loss to the factory. If in the end the cost was largely assumed by the taxpayers, they at least had a part in giving to posterity many of the lovely things which collectors possess today, according to a writer in the Los Angeles Times.

The art of making true porcelain such as was made in the Orient was not discovered in Europe until the beginning of the eighteenth century. Many chemists had made experiments trying to solve this elusive substance but were not successful.

The marks of Dresden or Meissen porcelain are best known as the "crossed swords." The mark is usually under the glaze in blue. This mark was not used regularly until 1725, but became the exclusive mark after 1740. Now and then we find very beautiful cups and saucers with a yellow or ruby ground with panels of Watteau figures and bearing the mark "AR" in monogram. Such pieces are supposed to be of the earliest Meissen period, and made under the ownership of Augustus of Saxony. A piece marked with a cut across the hilt of the swords means it was sold in the white and decorated outside the factory.

Mont St. Michel Tides Among World's Wonders

One of the fastest and strongest tides in the world ebbs and flows off Mont St. Michel in Brittany. With a deep moaning sound heard for miles, the tide flows, rushing back over the eight miles it has receded at ebb-tide, and within a few minutes transforms about 100 square miles of ocean bed from a stretch of sand into turbulent sea.

The highest tides of the year occur before the spring and autumn equinoxes, when the Mont is entirely surrounded by water. At other times throughout the year at the new and full moon the tide also runs high, though not reaching the equinoctial records.

The granite islet of Mont St. Michel rises 250 feet. The quaint houses of the one-street village and the Gothic abbey and castle are surrounded by a medieval wall and towers.

In addition to the scenic lure of the Mont, there is the attraction of omelettez Poulard, cooked by a special method in a long-handled, iron frying pan over an open fire, and Pre-Sale, which is the local variety of lamb, raised on the salt marshes. And besides these regional delicacies there is an abundance of sea food lobsters and fish.

Terms Used by Birdmen

Dog fanciers have nothing on bird students when it comes to strange sounding words of description. Most of the terms used by ornithologists are absolutely necessary in writing bird descriptions. For example, says a writer in the Washington Post, birdmen refer to the feathers covering the base of the quills on the wings and tail as coverts. The quill feathers of the wing are primaries. Thus, primary coverts are the conspicuous feathers at the base of the primaries. Secondaries are merely the flight feathers of the wing. Tertiaries are those secondary feathers closest to the body. Shoulder feathers are scapulars. The regions about the ears are auriculars. Dorsal refers to the back; frontal to the forehead, and crown to the top of the head. The bend of the wing is the carpal joint; the occiput, the back of the head; the nape, the back of the neck.

White Potato From America

The white potato was introduced into Ireland from this country. The Irish, however, were the first to recognize potatoes as a staple food. Sir John Hawkins, a slave-trader, carried some potatoes from Virginia to Ireland, about the year 1565, and Sir Walter Raleigh, who had estates in Ireland, in the county of Cork, began growing them on a large scale. He popularized them as food to such an extent that they became known as Irish potatoes.

Badger From the Georges

When the late King George was prince of Wales, it occurred to someone to honor him by getting all the prominent Georges of Britain to combine and present him with a badge on which all their names would be inscribed. Dukes and peers, lords and ministers, high churchmen and members of parliament, and among them all, the name of the jeweler's workman, also a George, who, laboring on the badge desired to have his name associated with it, asked, and was graciously given permission.

States and Religion

The first amendment to the federal Constitution states that Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof. Article 6 of the Constitution states that no religious test shall ever be required as a qualification to any office or public trust under the United States. As Bryce's "The American Commonwealth" points out, every state constitution also contains provisions similar to these, some specifically forbidding the creation of an established church.

will be attended by a large number of visitors from all over the state.

White-Headed Vultures Reach Age of 118 Years

Dr. A. D. Peacock, Professor of Natural History, Dundee university, in writing on the ages of animals and birds, says:

The potential longevity of the toad and frog may reach 36 and 12 to 16 years, respectively. A Japanese salamander has lived 40 years in the zoo.

Exact European records show 40 years for captive alligators. Experienced students believe that no great ages are attained in lizards and snakes.

For birds, the figures tabulated are not exact in all cases, nor are they not as they relate to actual observations a certain value attaches to them. The figures represent years.

White-headed vulture, 118 (in captivity); parakeet, 120 probably (in captivity); parrot, 120, probably (in captivity); golden eagle, 104 to 150; falcon, 100 to 182; elder duck, 100; crow, 100; swan, 70 to 100; raven, 69 to 100; eagle owl, 68; heron, 60; goose and duck, 50 to 80; 57 certain; for the goose; ostrich, 50; crane, 43; pelican, 41; gulls, dove and sparrow, 40; hawks, 30 to 40; cuckoo, 32; ryster-catcher, 30; rhea, 30; cassowary, 26; skylark, 18 to 30; canary and peacock, 24; crane and goldfinch, 23 (in confinement); linnnet, 23; magpie, 23; kiwi, 20; nightingale, 12 to 25; turkey, 16; pheasant and partridge, 15; pigeon, 10 to 20; hen, 10 to 30; robin, 12; thrush, 10; goatsucker and swift, 8 to 9; starling, 8 and wren, 2 to 3.

Siam's King Given Bath Before His Coronation

"May you reign for 120 years!" cries the chief priest at the coronation of a Shah of Persia. When the ceremony is over the Shah appears before his people seated on a marble throne brought from Shiraz. Surrounded by princes and ministers, he puts to his lips a pipe loaded with jewels instead of tobacco, then inquires as to the welfare of his people, and expresses his hopes for the future.

The date and time of the coronation of a king of Siam is fixed by his Brahmin astrologers. Before his coronation, writes a correspondent in London, Answers Magazine, he must endure a ceremonial bath seated on a dais, of which the four sides are square to the cardinal points of the compass. King and dais are enclosed by curtains, then the water is turned on. This is done no fewer than eight times, the king facing in a different direction each time, and getting a thorough soaking.

Then comes a blast of unearthly music from conch shells, during which the very wet king is dried, and invested with his royal robes. He then receives the nine-storied umbrella from the Chief Brahmin, together with the crown, sceptre, sword, and other regalia.

Rice plays a very important part in Japanese coronations.

George Washington, Farmer

Washington was a mighty farmer in his day, and some idea of the extent of his farming operations may be formed from the following facts: In 1732, he had 500 acres in grass, sowed 600 bushels of wheat, 600 acres with oats, and prepared as much with barley, corn, potatoes, beans and other crops. His stock consisted of 140 horses, 112 cows, 285 working oxen, heifers and steers and 500 sheep. He constantly employed 250 hands, and kept twenty-four plows going during the whole year, when earth and weather would permit.

Many Uses for Eggs

Besides their use as human food, eggs are in demand for dog feed, bird feed, fish feed, fox feed, hog feed and other commercial feeds, according to H. H. Alp, extension poultryman, college of agriculture, University of Illinois. Eggs are also used in the leather and fur trade, in lithographing, in photo-engraving, in cementing cork to jar and bottle caps, in pharmaceuticals, in textile printing, in paints, in photography, in gliding books, leather, cloth, fabric and in egg shampoo.

Baseball, English Game, Played as Early as 1744

Baseball was a popular children's game in England as early as 1744, 55 years before Abner Doubleday organized the first baseball team in America.

Robert W. Henderson, in the official bulletin of the New York public library, says of the game played in England nearly 200 years ago:

"It was not rounders, nor one-old-cat, nor even four-old-cat. We repeat: a children's game called baseball, in which a player after striking a ball, ran round the bases until he reached 'home.'"

The evidence is found in a book well known to book collectors. For many years it was regarded as the first book issued for children by the first publisher of children's books. The claim has in recent years been proved erroneous, but the book is still cherished regardless of the fact that it is no longer established as the first in history.

Not alone was baseball made known to the children of the United States through the pirated juvenile books, but English children coming to this country with their parents, brought the game with them, and baseball was played here long before Abner Doubleday gave the game his attention at Cooperstown, N. Y. He outlined a more systematic type of play, according to J. A. Kroul (Annals of American Sport), but he did not invent baseball; England did that.

Saint Sarah, Egyptian, Is Claimed by Gypsies

That Saint Sarah was a gypsy is the firm conviction of the nomad gypsy tribes of Europe. If Provencal legends are to be believed, says a correspondent in the New York Times, she landed at Saintes-Marie-de-la-Mer with the two holy women who gave their names to this village namely, Saint Mary Salome and Saint Mary Jacoby. Sarah was their servant, and all three are declared to have been personally acquainted with Jesus.

Since Sarah was an Egyptian, and since her skin was burnished, the gypsies adopted her as their own. She is their private saint. Further, their wanderings to Saintes-Marie have formed the subject-matter for poems, novels and folk songs.

Formerly, the gypsies "occupied" this Mediterranean village for four days; the first two for fasting and prayer, the last two for hilarity and amusement. Within the past century the number of days has been reduced to two, but the program remains unchanged.

During this two-day pilgrimage Saintes-Marie assumes unusual animation and color. Its population is magically increased and the historic hamlet becomes a chaos of dialects, melodies and costumes.

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 Six and Five 20 (6.5) feet South (S) and all the East Half (E 1/2) of Lot Twenty-seven (27) in W. W. Lyons Addition to Lyons 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 1932, 1933 and 1934, to 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 completed service of this notice.

Dated this 26th day of June, A. D. 1937.

FLORA B. CHAPMAN

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MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 1—The Sequi-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 A.M.E. 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 A.M.E. 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.

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 named an honorary member of Mark Twain society of New York.

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. George 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."

HARLEM HAS ANOTHER UNPLEASANT CASE

New York, July 1—(ANP)—Just as the ill effects of the Major Green case were dying down, Harlem suffered another setback in the Bronx, when William Ray, 26 year old Negro porter of the Franklin theater, 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 fistic 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.

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.

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You are hereby notified that on the 6th day of May, 1935, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: North 32 1/2 feet (East) West 2 1/2 feet West 4 1/2 Acres North one-half South-west one-fourth Section 31 Twp 30 R. 24 (24 1/2 A.)

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 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, to Polk County, Iowa, and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to Polk County, Iowa, pursuant to said sale, which certificate is now lawfully held and owned by Ernest S. Olmsted, and that the right of redemption will be made unless redemption from said sale is made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice.

Dated this 15th day of June, 1937.

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

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NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE TO WILLIAM F. J. DANIELS, ALICE BENEFIA DANIELS, persons in possession of real estate described below.

TO LETTIE SCOTT, person in whose name the property described below is taxed. You are hereby notified that on the 21st day of May, 1935, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lot 9 Hillsdale, 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 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, to Polk County, Iowa, and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to 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 be made unless redemption from said sale is made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice.

Dated this 25th day of June, 1937.

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

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SOCIETY and CLUBS

By Dorothy, Wheels

NOTICE

Did you entertain guests, serve a summer 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.

RICHARD A. DOBSON, SIOUX CITY, EXTENDED COURTESIES

Richard A. Dobson, Jr., of Sioux City, Iowa, was the honored guest at a picnic given by a number of young ladies Sunday evening at McKee park. Those sharing the courtesy were the Misses Maxine Blagburn, Eleanor Powell, Bessie Gilbert, Alcie Brown, Jean Morris, Thelma Shipp of Ames, Geneva Morrow, Marian Bartlett of Moberly, Missouri; Lois Mann of Alton, Illinois; Margaret Jackson of Chicago, Miss Tuggins of Golfport, Mississippi; Maurice Evans, George Edmunds, Wanda Wheels and the Messrs. LaMar Shipp of Ames, William White, Cyril Robertson, Thomas Avant, Edward Eaves, Edward Elliott of Iowa City, Harold Morrow, Braddie Morris, Fred Morrow, Marvin Cooley, Joe Gross of Iowa City, John Carruthers of Ames, Kenneth Hill, Chester Simms, Robert Hyde and Guy Smith.

Mr. Dobson was the week-end guest of Braddie Morris, 955 Seventeenth street.

Party

Miss Maxine Blagburn and Guy Smith entertained several friends at a dancing party Monday evening at the LaMargerita hotel. The guests were the Misses Geneva Morrow, Jean Morris, George Edmunds, Eleanor Powell, Alcie Brown, Marian Bartlett of Moberly, Missouri; Maurice Evans, Lois Mann of Alton, Illinois; Thelma Shipp of Ames, Ann Brown of East Chicago, Wanda Wheels and the Messrs. Richard Dobson of Sioux City, Edward Elliott of Iowa City, Edward Eaves, Braddie Morris, Marvin Cooley, Eugene Cooley, Harold Morrow, Thomas Avant, Chester Simms, Fred Morrow, Buddy Glass and Henry McKnight of Sioux City.

Clubs—And What They Are Doing

The La Parisienne club met Friday night at the home of Mrs. Maxine Smith, 918 W. Twelfth street. The following officers were elected: Reba Green, president; Jewell May, vice president; Maxine Smith, secretary; Eva Vaughn, assistant secretary; Veltricia Thompson, treasurer; Mae Davis, Vivian Henry and Mary Ruth Danforth, social committee; Ossie Miller, Dorothy Vaughn and Dorothy Danforth, sick committee; Nellie Turner and Dorothy Danforth, critics, and Eva Vaughn, reporter.

The camp committee members will meet with the cabin leaders and Girl Reserve advisors at the Blue Triangle branch Friday, July 9th, at 8 p. m. Dorothy Brown was hostess to the Bonne Amies club June 29th. The next meeting will be held July 6th at the home of Susie Redd, with Laura-McClain as hostess.

The La Parisienne club met last week with Maxine Smith of 918 Twelfth street. Prizes for bingo were won by Vivian Henry and Reba Green. The club's annual summer party has been postponed until cooler weather, because of no outside dance pavilion and the hot weather.

Mrs. Agnes Matthews was hostess to the T. O. B. club last Friday. The evening was spent playing bridge, with first prize won by the hostess.

The Mary B. Tolbert club will meet with Mrs. Mollie Beverly of 1320 East Nineteenth street Wednesday, July 14th.

The Grand Auction Bridge club met at the home of Herman Wallace. The next meeting will be at the home of Theodore Duncan, 1222 Center street, and will disband for the summer. Prizes were won by L. Brown and D. Lawson.

The Top Hatters had a called meeting Wednesday at the home of the president, George Manuel. The club is sponsoring a bank night July 16th at the Neighborhood House, 513 East Thirteenth street, with music by Kenneth Palmer, refreshments, floor show and cash prizes. The next meeting will be held July 11th.

The Former Adeline Wilson Wedded to Louisiana Man

ANNOUNCE SECRET MARRIAGE OF DAUGHTER IN DECEMBER

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wilson of 942 Sixteenth street announce the secret marriage of their daughter, Adeline N. Wilson, to Liminary A. Jordan of Monroe, Louisiana, which took place December 26, 1936, in the city of Monroe.

At the time of the marriage Miss Wilson was a student in home economics at the Arkansas State college at Pine Bluff and prominent in various school activities. In Des Moines she is the first vice president of the Alpha chapter of the Iota Phi Lambda sorority, member of the Order of Eastern Star, Princess Oziel chapter, No. 9, and an active member of Corinthian Baptist church.

Mr. Jordan, who was also a student of Arkansas State college, is a professor in education at the Caldwell parish in Kelly, Louisiana. He is an active member of the Zion Travelers Baptist church and a member of the Omega Psi Phi fraternity. At present Mr. Jordan is attending a special course for Jeunes supervisors and teachers offered by U. S. department of education being held at Southern university in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. The couple are residing at 611 Layton avenue, Monroe, Louisiana.

CLUB ENTERTAINS

DURING HOLIDAYS

The members of Sigma Chi Omega society held a Fourth of July picnic Sunday afternoon, July 4th, at Grand View park. Those present were the Misses Edythe Gray, Laura Hayes, Kathleen Hubbard, Geraldine Jewett, Maxine Payne, Mrs. Josephine Griffith, and the Messrs. Charles Danforth, John Henry Griffith, Melvin May, Buddy Madison, Willie Miller, Ambrose Morris, Albert Thomas and Arthur Wells.

A party held Monday evening, July 5th, at the home of Johnnie Williams climaxed the week-end for the members of the Sigma Chi Omega. Guests included the Misses Kathleen Hubbard, Geraldine Jewett, Laura Hayes, Mildred Eubanks, Maxine Payne, Mrs. Josephine Griffith and the Messrs. Charles Danforth, Buddy Madison, Melvin May, Willie Miller, Arthur Wells, Albert Thomas and John Henry Griffith. The evening was spent playing cards and games.

Visitors

Father and Mrs. J. H. Thompson and children, Joe and Ella Ruth, of Minneapolis, Minnesota, visited the latter's parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. K. Brown, and family over the week-end. Father Thompson and family were en route home, after an extended visit in the south.

Rev. C. K. Brown, pastor of Burns M. E. church, left Monday evening for a three weeks' vacation in Greensboro, North Carolina.

William Fields of 1538 Buchanan street has returned home from a visit with his cousin, Miss Helen Childs, of Omaha, Nebraska. Mrs. Wanda Wadsworth, of 824 Fourteenth street, and Mrs. Geraldine Smith of 815 Fourteenth street visited relatives in Omaha and Council Bluffs, over the week-end.

Mrs. Gertrude North has returned from Council Bluffs, where she attended the Iowa Federation of Women's Clubs. She was a delegate from the Mary Church Terrell club.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Alexander of 2501 Fifth avenue entertained Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth O'Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Prather and Mr. and Mrs. Price Alexander at breakfast at their home Monday morning.

Joe Gross of Iowa City and Miss Margaret Jackson of Chicago spent Sunday in Des Moines.

Mrs. D. Douglas of 3927 Ingersoll avenue and Mrs. Mack Griffith of 1214 Laurel motored to Minneapolis on Friday to spend a ten days' vacation at the home of a brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Posten.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth O'Neal of Chicago, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Prather Houser of Evanston, Illinois, motored to Des Moines on Saturday to spend the holidays with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Price Alexander of 3635 Cornell avenue. The group left Monday morning. En route home they stopped in Iowa City to visit the parents of Mrs. Houser. Mrs. O'Neal is the former Anna Mae Manuel of this city.

Camp Held At Roadside Center

A camp period for women and girls sponsored by Mrs. Morris and London was held at the Roadside Settlement camp June 29th. Sixty-six persons participated in the games, hikes and picnics at the camp, which is maintained by the Roadside Settlement and consists of forty acres of ground.

Old Settlers' Association Elect Officers

The Old Settlers' Association met Sunday afternoon at the Community Center and elected the following officers: Harry Hughes, president; Harrison Gould, vice president; Gertrude North, secretary; Branham Hyde, treasurer. Plans were made for the old settlers' picnic to be held the first Thursday in August at Community Park.

HAITI SHOWS BIGGEST EXPORT, GAIN

WASHINGTON, July 8—(AP)—Haiti, with an increase of 32.6 per cent, made the greatest gain in exports of all the American countries during 1936, according to a report released last week by the United States chamber of commerce. The United States, with 18.7 per cent, and Chile, 17.8 per cent, registered the biggest increases in imports.

Missourian Entertained

Mrs. E. R. Baldwin has returned to her home in Kansas City, Missouri, after a week's visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mason J. Hall, 1302 McKinley street. Mrs. Baldwin was entertained at many social functions, including an all day outing at Colfax on Monday, the guest of Mrs. P. D. Goodloe at the summer home of her uncle, Sam Dean, and her brother, Prof. and Mrs. Owen J. Redman, principal of the Quincy, Illinois, high school.

A buffet luncheon was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Strothers, Mrs. Viola Beasley, Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. Anderson and niece, Miss Willa Lewis, Sam Dean, Prof. and Mrs. Redman and son, Harold, Mrs. Hall and the honored guest. Mrs. Hall entertained a few friends Friday evening with an acquaintance party for her guest. The evening was spent in games. Those sharing the courtesy were: Mrs. Anna Mae Carter, Mrs. Sue Goodloe, Mrs. Celestial Jones, Mrs. Lena Wilson, Mrs. Mary Brooks Jones, Mrs. Marie Burris, Mrs. Pearl Jeffers, Mrs. Minnie Clay, Mrs. Helen Bogan, Miss Mary Morrison, Mrs. Gertrude Dysart and the honored guest. A theatre party Tuesday and a sightseeing trip through the city Wednesday ended a week of activities for Mrs. Baldwin.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS NOW OPEN FOR ELECTRICIANS
The U. S. Civil Service Commission announces an examination for senior cabinet makers, senior carpenters, senior electricians and senior painters. The salary on each one is \$1860 a year. The age limit is 48 years old. Applications may be obtained at the Civil Service window at the post office. They must be on file July 20.

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Members of the Book Lovers club of the branch Y. W. C. A. are meeting for a steak fry at McKee park on Sunday morning at 8:00 o'clock, July 11th. Each member is requested to bring his family.

The Twentieth Century club met with Mrs. Elsie Carter of 818 Ninth street and were served a Dutch luncheon by the hostess' mother, Mrs. Carter. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Mabel Walker of 112 Eighth street, Valley Junction. Lucille Winston, president, and Claudine Redman, reporter.

CCC Permanent

Washington, D. C.—Congress this week passed the necessary legislation authorizing the continuation of the Civilian Conservation Corps after July 1, 1937, for three more years. President Roosevelt's signature was immediately appended to the new CCC legislation and with this final executive action, the former emergency conservation work organization became officially the CCC.

The present number of approximately 30,000 colored junior and war veterans enrolled in the CCC will continue. The camp steward, three cooks and one leader in each camp will be exempt from age limits of other junior enrollees.

County relief officials are now accepting applications from young men who wish to enter the corps. The war department has notified all its corps area commanding officers to make arrangements to begin enrollment of new men promptly and to continue during July.

East D. M. Center

Has Ball Team

The East Des Moines Community Center's baseball team of girls will play the Jewish Community Center girls' team at Amos Hiatt junior high school July 13th.

The E. D. M. Community Center sponsors a softball baseball team, under the management of Alma Berry, recreation director. The team has won against Lenox & McGlothen, Newsen-Northland, Schneiderhans, East Mark and Blatny Union Gardens.

They will play the Raiders softball team at the Sunday school picnic and also the old settlers' picnic the first Thursday in August.

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Wanda Goes Round & Round

BY WALDO

Before the surprise—some of what's going on—Almost as many kids from elsewhere came to town as our kids went elsewhere over the weekend. The press car is doggin again this week—Youth Congress the cause. Sandy (Goon) H. what were you doing on University near 2nd Sunday. Yes O. Robinson, I'm still your friend, but oh my, the temptation. Buddy G. you're a rug cutter when it comes to your best friend's chick—just because you're on rubber (once in a while). Ann Payne, local Elks contestant, placed third in the district contest at Omaha. Happened to remember that the pool was dubbed Inkwell last year. It can't very well be called that this year. I'm told Delores Sutton who attended the convention was quite rare. Now I wonder who stood who up for dates with the convention girls Tuesday night—Course I wouldn't say a word. Mary Lewis of Minnesota receives an O. K. Boys who use the Y. M. phone for fifteen, twenty and eighty-seven minutes (a record was made) to call their g. f.'s should be made to pay the bill—after all it is a public phone. Boxing has started at the Y for the season. These bouts should be supported because they're for the real McCoy—to help worthy boys to attend camp in August. Wouldn't a variation in lines of five be appreciated every now and then. Caravan by Duke Ellington and If You Ever Should Leave Me with Ella Fitzgerald are my songs for the week. So Rare is rare also. Dave Colbert is a hound in his own back yard. oh well—enough.

Los Angeles, Calif.

Dear Dotsie: You now find me in a wondering mood—we'll say—of Mrs. Avant's oldest—little Steinback Tommie, cute little scallawag—is he playing—stog, shadow, or just trying his wariest to learn Nappy's ways with the weak ax—why when I read what he had asked

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—or forced—Runt Hyde to put in his dirt dishing to air—I wonder if he thought all the fair maidens would worry their sweet heads to who it was if he didn't get the girl he wanted—he was through with women—I wonder if the femins think the same of him? I wonder—they say a great deal of it is hard to hold—I wonder how lovely the lovely young maidens looked in their gowns of the wedding—the descriptions in the paper were swell—I wonder if someone commended the society editor on them—I wonder how Pops Wadsworth returned from the Windy City without a stiff neck and swelled head—you know how it goes—you can take—out of de country but you can't—oh well you know—and I know—you've got to hand it to Pops on those front page stories—I wonder why it is when one's love affair seems to be going perfectly—then all of a sudden everything goes dark and may even become parted—but—they say love will find a way—I wonder. I would love to wander among youse guys and gals again—also the most likeable elders there—for no matter where you wander—one always likes to wander back to the true friends one has made to hold the lasting friendships—I wonder what has happened to Verlene Reeves—I still see in the paper where she continues to be president of A. C. E. League. Also I wonder what's happened to the Prides of Highland Park—haven't heard a word of them—Wonder how many people will be left in Des Moines this summer—if all who have hoped and planned to leave—leave—I wonder.

Wonder what made me feel so good just now when I received a letter from D. M., Iowa—The love bug has got me—oooh boy!!!! I wonder how so-o-o-much tar got in Goods Pool—I wonder when A. Ashby and Mr. M. will get married—I wonder how George E. captivates the boys; Bessie C. shuns

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them; Jean M. finds them; Haley O'Z. J. goes for them; Alice S. holds them; Nadine R. disposes of them; Dot W. corresponds with them; Bessie S. is sincere with them; Marzetta G. keeps them guessing; Ellen S. keeps them waiting; and Geneva M. glances at them. Now all you fair young girls about to make your debut—here's a bit of advance—get a bit of 'info' from each—sum it up and practice on—Tommy Avant.

Well 'Dotsie' guess now I've taken up enough of your time—and space—so I'll close.

WALT JOHNSON.

POPS CONCERT IN

BOSTON HALL FEATURES NEGRO MUSICIANS

Boston, Mass., July 8—(CNA)—Afro-American symphony by a Negro composer was one of the highlights of a record-breaking "Afro-American" Pops concert, given at Symphony hall, under the auspices of the Eastern New England Congress for Equal Opportunities, affiliated to the National Negro Congress.

WOMAN, 110, STILL WORKS

LEONARDTOWN, Md., July 8—(ANP)—The oldest colored citizen of St. Marys county and probably the oldest in the state is Aunt Dolly Carter, of St. Inigoos, who is known to be 110 by relief records. She attributes her good health to hard work and works every day.

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HARVEY INGHAM'S CONTRIBUTION

In spite of the handicap suffered by Negroes in Iowa, still it is a pretty good place to live: it has no discriminatory laws on its statute book, Negroes do get an absolutely square deal in the courts, educational advantages are not restricted; most people display a friendly attitude even under some strained circumstances. And one of the big reasons for this wholehearted Hon. Harvey Ingham for thirty-five years has never lost the opportunity to champion the rights of minority groups. He has done so in his editorial columns and by association and actual work with those groups which have and are working for equal opportunity for minority groups, white and black.

It has not been popular at all times to do this. At times he has been the lone voice crying in the wilderness. But his philosophy that all men are entitled to a fair chance and given a fair chance individuals of all races and groups do and will win the races of life as he has borne fruit.

Speaking for the Negro group, The Bystander does appreciate the fine attitude Mr. Ingham has shown during his career knowing full well that this spirit of fair play has been so much a part of him that the institution of which he is a part radiates it.

If America had more Harvey Ingham's our theory of the land of the free would be manifest in actual deeds to a much larger degree than exists at this time.

IS IT RIGHT?

The public is hopeful that Amelia Earhart, famous American aviatrix, will be rescued.

Newspapers report that the search for her is costing the government a quarter of a million dollars per day. While little information is available as to why the government should spend this amount of the tax payers money for private glory, we wonder whether the figure is in addition to the regular cost of operation which would accrue anyway in case the equipment used was not on this expedition.

Ordinarily, there would be much complaint. Sympathy alters our reasoning materially.

APTLY PUT, DR. WRIGHT

Speaking before the twenty-eighth annual session of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in Detroit last week, Dr. Louis T. Wright of New York City, chairman of the board of the N. A. A. C. P., said that it was nothing less than murder to Jim Crow Negroes in health facilities.

The following paragraphs from his speech express the problems so fully and forcefully that we quote in part: "There is no us saving the Negro from being lynched, or educating him for sound citizenship if he is to die prematurely as a result of murderous neglect by American health agencies solely on account of his race or color. Fundamentally, the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People stands for Negroes receiving the identical health service which every other citizen of this nation enjoys.

"By that we mean the free, unrestricted and identical use of every health agency afforded by municipal,

state or Federal government. We demand for Negroes the identical health protection as regards sanitation, housing and sewerage disposal.

"We demand for Negroes the same complete health coverage afforded all other citizens by the elected or appointed public health officials of the city, county, state and national public health services."

Undoubtedly Dr. Wright had in mind not only such examples as that of Mrs. Handy of New York where a delay in adjusting a Jim Crow health program carried on by states, counties and cities which often leaves Negroes out or restrict their use of the health facilities so much that the comparison is shameful.

And he comes to the other side of the question which in addition to the economic angle, if left untouched prevents Negroes from knowing just what is offered and whether he actually gets it. He states:

"This health protection and health coverage cannot be achieved in a truly democratic American way except by the training, integration and utilization of competent Negro professional personnel in the common battle against disease and injury. Illness, injury, and germs draw no color line; and some day America will voluntarily learn or else be taught by bitter experience this basic law of nature, that disease does not select its victims on the basis of race, or creed or color."

Public health records are full of statistics showing the death rate among Negroes far above that of whites. They are correct. But these figures don't explain why. Dr. Wright does and in a manner which ought to be known by Negro leaders that they may tackle the problems of Negro health in their local communities in an intelligent manner.

What Others Say

Talladega College, Talladega, Alabama, June 30, 1937.

Dear Mr. Morris: Please find enclosed a check for \$1.75 to cover my subscription for another year. Your letter was the first notice I received.

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NAACP Conference

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work of the CIO among the Negro laborers.

592 Delegates Attend
Detroit, Mich., July 2.—A registration of 592 delegates from twenty-six states was announced by the committee. Slightly more than one-half of these were youth delegates discussing problems of Negro youth at parallel sessions of the adult conference.

Governor Presents Medal

In a festive atmosphere Friday, Governor Frank Murphy of Michigan presented the twenty-third Spingarn medal to Walter White, secretary of the N. A. A. C. P., for his many years of anti-lynching work. The medal is given annually by J. E. Spingarn, president of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, for the most distinguished achievement by an American Negro.

Proceeding the actual award, James Weldon Johnson, poet, author and educator, and former secretary of the N. A. A. C. P., himself a winner of the Spingarn medal in 1925, spoke on the newer leadership in Negro life.

Walter White, in responding, talked briefly of his work in investigating lynchings and his efforts in behalf of a federal anti-lynching bill. Present on the platform with him on the occasion were his mother of Atlanta, Ga., his wife and his daughter and son.

German Race Uses More Than Twenty Dialects

In describing Germany, Julius Caesar called that part of the country inhabited by the lowland tribes Germany Inferior, or Lower Germany, and the more elevated regions to the south and southeast, Germany Superior. In time the linguistic designations of Low German and High German were applied to the dialects used by the inhabitants of these two regions.

There are more than twenty distinguishable dialects in the speech of the common people of the Teutonic or German race. These dialects shade into one another, observes a writer in the Cleveland Plain Dealer, the difference increas-

Health Talks

By Dr. C. R. Bradford

TEETH

Although disease of the teeth and gums are essentially a dental problem, they have such an important bearing on many general medical conditions that it is important to consider some of their aspects. Destruction or decay of the teeth is particularly common in children, expectant mothers, and in certain chronic diseases in which the building up and tearing down processes of the body are faulty; this condition is best combated by an adequate amount of sunshine with sufficient Vitamin D, calcium and phosphorus in the diet.

The most frequent manifestation of dental sepsis is commonly called pyorrhea or an alveolar abscess. The abscess is frequently a result of an ascending infection passing through the dental pulp of a carious tooth which may have been improperly filled or capped. Pyorrhea usually starts as a gingivitis. The effect of these infections may be general as well as dental, that is they may be a contributing factor in some form of heart disease, rheumatism, Bright's disease, loss of weight and strength, anemia, and high blood pressure. Careful scrutiny of the teeth should be made during all physical examinations, but should never be indiscriminately extracted only after a careful examination by the dentist with an X-ray examination. All cases of pyorrhea should be treated as the dentist thinks best and not as the patient thinks. Many patients think that so long as the teeth do not pain, no harm can come from them.

All teeth that pain are bad so far as the patient is concerned but to the physician most frequently it is the tooth that does not pain that causes the most trouble. Good teeth are an asset to good health. Yearly examination of the teeth is just as essential as yearly physical examinations.

ing according to separation, traveling on a line from the highlands of southern and southeastern Germany toward and through the lowlands bordering the North Sea and the Lower Elba.

The Low German language comprehends several dialects of the north of Germany as well as the Frisian, Dutch and Flemish dialects, while the High German dialects are usually classified in two divisions as South German and Middle German. But since the time of Luther, whose translation of the Bible into what is known in literature as new High German, in distinction from the cruder literary language of the antecedent old High German, all these dialectic differences have been rapidly dying out, and are perpetuated only in the spoken language of the lower peasantry.

Of the Low German dialects, the old Frisian is practically extinct. Dutch is the national language of Holland, more correctly the Netherlands, and has a literature of its own, while Flemish has given way to the language of northern Belgium and by more than 200,000 people in the Nord department of France.

Goldfish Are Produced by Selective Breeding

Goldfish as we know them do not exist anywhere in the wild state. They are a product of long years of selective breeding. The wild fish from which goldfish were developed belong to the carp family and are numerous in the streams of China. They do not naturally have the golden hue, but are dark in color, much like ordinary carp, although the species tends toward albinism.

Centuries ago the Chinese fish culturists interbred light-colored specimens and produced many beautiful varieties. Fanciers further induced and strengthened the golden and silvery colors by regulating the quantity of mineral in the water.

When goldfish are restored to a natural environment, says a writer in the Indianapolis News, they often revert to the original dark color after a few generations. It is supposed that goldfish were introduced into England in 1691. Some of the first specimens sent to France were presented to Mme. de Pompadour, mistress of Louis XV. Goldfish are produced in large commercial aquariums.

Most Valuable Wood

Teak is the most valuable of all known timbers. For use in tropical countries it has no equal, and for certain purposes it is preferable to the natural lubricating glands under the skin are not working fast enough to keep up with the drying action of the sun. The skin dries

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IN THE SHADOW OF THE STARS

By Abbe' Wallace

BYRONIC MENTALIST ON THE AMERICAN SCENE



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O. D. H.—I like your column very much and read it weekly. Tell me if I will be successful if I were to take up the course I plan?

Ans.—Yes. Take up this course of study when you enter school this coming fall. It is very fortunate that you are able to determine the career you wish to follow while so young. You will do well and make a good living in this line.

M. B.—Is there anyone else in the life of my husband and will he return soon?

Ans.—He doesn't care for anyone but yourself. He wasn't able to do for you as he desired and thought it best to get away from everything. Yes, he is going to return, but not for several months. Get a job and go to work so that you two can pull together.

T. U.—Please answer my question in your column and tell me if I will ever get well?

Ans.—It will take quite some time before you are entirely over the condition you are suffering with, but I do think that a bone specialist could help you a lot.

A. N. P.—Please tell me if there is any danger for me by going with the woman I am now going with?

Ans.—There is danger of you falling in love with her. Watch your step or you will be marching to the altar before the end of the year. I might add that she will make you a very charming wife and will be a loyal mate.

O. H.—I am anxious to know if I will ever see my oldest brother again? I want a private reply soon.

Ans.—Sure you will. He is still wandering around from place to

not very hard, is easily worked, and takes a beautiful polish. The average weight of a perfectly-seasoned piece of teak wood is between 38 and 46 pounds per cubic foot. Once seasoned, it does not crack, shrink, split or alter its shape. Teak grows in India, Burma, Siam, the Philippine islands, and the Malay archipelago. The trees are about 100 feet to 150 feet high, and 2 feet thick when full-grown. They often produce leaves 2 feet long by 1 foot wide, which the natives use for thatching and wrapping bundles. The leaves contain a red dye once used in treating silk and cotton.

States and Shore Line

The United States coast and geodesic survey lists only seacoast and not the coast of the Great Lakes.

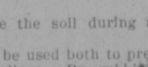
on the Atlantic and 798 miles on the Gulf of Mexico, a total of 1,197 miles of seacoast. California is listed second with 913 miles of seacoast. In tidal shore line (including islands) Florida has 2,276 miles of shore. Though according to the methods of the coast and geodesic survey Maine has only 223 miles of coast line (without islands). If all the indentations are measured that state would have about 3,000 miles of coastline on the Great Lakes, including 905 miles in the Upper peninsula and 810 miles in the Lower peninsula.

Father of Experiment Stations
Norman Jay Colman (1827-1911) is sometimes called the father of the experiment stations because he was the author of the Hatch bill which authorized their creation in the states and territories. As commissioner of agriculture and Presi-

BEAUTY AND ROMANCE

by Marie Downing

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The Larieuse Beauty Foundation was established by the Godefroy Manufacturing Company to study methods of preserving women's natural beauty, and to make the results of this research available to the public.

Old Sol is smarter than most of us. Although he gives fair warning with that fiery countenance of his, he can burn you to a crisp before you are aware. That is the danger of sunburn. Too often we let the dull, pleasant feeling beguile us into basking too long under his glare and, first thing we know, the damage has been done.

Sunburn is no laughing matter. Besides the discomfort it produces, it injures the skin and produces a poisonous condition like any other burn. A severe sunburn may make you ill—to the extent of fever, convulsions and rapid pulse. Certainly it is no friend of woman's beauty.

Olive Oil an Aid
The outdoors during the summer is an irresistible temptation to all of us. Motoring, sun bathing and the beaches have their special lure, and few are the persons who are careful enough to observe Old Sol. Then, too, there are those of us who are obliged to work in the sun—and we simply have to take it and like it.

If you must spend a great deal of time in the sun, cover the exposed parts of your body with an oily substance. This will give you some protection. Dry skin, have a tendency to sunburn easier and wrinkle faster than oily ones because the natural lubricating glands under the skin are not working fast enough to keep up with the drying action of the sun. The skin dries

and cracks like the soil during a drought. Olive oil can be used both to prevent and to relieve. By rubbing olive oil well into the skin before exposing yourself to the ultra-violet and other light rays of the sun, much of the damage and discomfort of too-long exposure can be avoided.

A Simple Routine
The theory that since a burn is "acid" and that vinegar can be used effectively to minimize its effect is substantiated upon one application of this common household substance. Many people follow the simple routine as follows to combat the effects of Mr. Sun:
Olive oil treatment before exposing yourself. If you are in the sun for a long period, apply more olive oil to replace that which has been evaporated or absorbed. As soon as you can, take a warm bath, dry carefully with a not-too-bleak rub, and apply vinegar liberally to the burned surfaces. After this has dried, apply more olive oil. Certainly you will have the laugh on your neighbor who failed to take these precautions.
Now, if continuous exposure to the sun has darkened the skin, as it is likely to do after a few more weeks of this summer weather, bleaching cream—or, if you prefer, bleach vinegar liberally to the bleached surfaces. If bleaches are used consistently, the skin will become noticeably lighter.

dent Cieveano ne succeeds in raising the bureau of agriculture to an executive department represented in the cabinet. He was the first secretary of agriculture and was editor of Colman's Rural World, a Missouri farm paper.

First Record of Vested Choir From S. Carolina

The first record of a vested choir in the United States comes from Charleston, South Carolina. In the accounts of St. Michael's church appears a bill dated 1798 for "washing the surplices of the clergy and children," relates a writer in Literary Digest.

The next mention of a vested choir does not appear until 1833, when Rev. Dr. Francis L. Hawkes vested the choir at St. Thomas Hall, Flushing, New York.

But it was not until 1886, when Trinity and St. James churches in New York City led the way, that vested choirs became fashionable.

For the following twenty years, vested boy choirs sprang up in nearly every diocese in the country.

In 1903, Pope Pius X issued a Motu Proprio making it clear that the only true liturgical choirs were composed of men and boys.

The same year the order was issued, Grace church founded its choir-school. And though Pius X was the last to state definitely that true liturgical music is sung only by males, the Convent of the Sacred Heart named its schools of liturgical music after him.

Music sung by choirs was the earliest in church history. The Ambrosian chants are supposedly of Hebrew origin, having been collected and codified by St. Andrew in the Fourth century. In the Sixth century, Pope Gregory the Great codified more chants, supplementing St. Ambrose's efforts. It was Gregory who instituted the present major scale. He codified it as the hypo-Lydian mode.

Song of the Angle Worm

Welcome Sound to Robin

To most people the angle worm suggests hooks, lines, sinkers and a certain number of deluded fish which have tried in vain to escape from their folly and particularly a few big ones which did escape. But to the forester, angle worms may suggest hardwood forests, according to forestry experts.

Angle worms also have been otherwise distinguished. It has been said that angle worms sing; that is how robins hear them or find out where they are, and the claim that these curious invertebrates are silviculturists and have something to do with the growing of trees is also a novel idea, at least to the layman.

This lowly denizen of the earth, notwithstanding all the skepticism about the claims of his versatility, is probably the most important individual of the many soil animals which exercise influence upon forest soils, especially soils in which hardwoods grow.

The most important of the earthworms from the forester's viewpoint are the big ones; scientists have

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Early Veterinarians

Ancient Egypt, Greece and Rome had veterinarians. But then they concerned themselves with horses, the only animals deemed valuable enough to merit medical care. Most important to the ancients were their armies, and horses composed a big part of their armies. The first college for veterinarians was established in France in 1761; in America almost a century later. Then came the machine age, and horses lost their value. Veterinarians became fewer and fewer. But the recent increase of valued pet dogs and cats saved the profession. Veterinarians have their own medical association, and must study three or four years in a recognized college to become members. Student "vets" study all domestic animals, but often specialize in one, or even one breed of dog.

'The Petticoat Candidate'

Gen. William Henry Harrison, first Ohio president, was called "the petticoat candidate" during his hard cider campaign of 1840, and here's how the nickname started: Before the battle of the Thames, several Indians, friends of the Americans, told Harrison that the British general, Proctor, had promised his Indian allies that he would turn Harrison over to them if the American general was captured. In turn, Harrison replied that if Proctor was captured, he would hand him over to the Indians on the American side so that they could dress him like a squaw. For this courageous response, a group of ladies presented Harrison with a petticoat that might be used as a starter if Proctor was captured, and later his opponents tried to make something out of this by labeling him "the petticoat candidate."

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