

WANTS NO NEGROES IN CONGRESS

WOULD REPEAL FIFTEENTH AMENDMENT

Iowa Talent Impresses Star

Iowa, the state of corn, hogs and cattle, also produces future theatrical talent. Clarence Muse, noted movie star who appeared in Des Moines New Year's Eve with his "Hot Chocolate Revue" has returned to Hollywood favorably impressed with Iowa and Des Moines talent. Mr. Muse has also expressed his interest in the an-



Clarence Muse

nual Bystander talent shows which have produced many winners. A number of competitors and winners of the '37 show performed for the star while in the city.

Letter

The following letter was received by Mr. Ellison from Mr. Muse recently:

My dear Spencer Ellison:

Your excellent copy of the Bystander of January 6th just received and it is GREAT. I shall put it in my most recent scrap book and will always look upon Des Moines as one of my IOWA homes. Thank you for the many kindnesses and I am sorry you did not get to see the wife. She came to us at WATERLOO and we had a great time. Lots of fun thereafter in OMAHA and of course a great trip across the country home. All in all a thrilling trip and the fond thoughts of those youngsters giving their all will never go blank in my mind and soul.

Sincerely yours,
Clarence Muse
January 17, 1938.

Youth Mass Meetings Against Lynching Feb. 11

New York, Jan. 21.—Youth councils and college chapters of the N. A. A. C. P. in cooperation with their senior branches and other interested youth and adult organizations will hold their Second National Youth Demonstration Against Lynching on Friday, February 11.

This year, through the local and nationwide radio broadcasts, mass meetings, rallies, forums, conferences, and parades, there will be emphasized the basic relationship between the fight against lynching and the struggle for the ballot, for equal job opportunities, and for equality of educational opportunities.

Reppert's Will Increase Firm

Reppert Insulation Company, 310 Eleventh street, will increase its sales force soon, C. M. Reppert, president, announced. The firm now located at its new headquarters has doubled its former space. Fire destroyed the former location at 1019 Walnut street, January 7.

Missouri Has 1,401 Negro Teachers

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., Jan. 27, (ANP)—Missouri, one of the border states which maintains separate schools announced this week through state superintendent Lloyd W. King that the public school system for the Negroes of the state, through the secondary level, includes 1,401 teachers engaged in the task of instructing 46,012 pupils housed in 453 units and buildings.

Of the total number of teachers in the state, 925 are engaged in elementary work, 155 in rural and 321 in the instruction of pupils at the secondary level. The number of women teachers (1,043) exceeds the number of men (385). The 453 public school units and buildings in the state are divided as follows: rural schools, 14; elementary schools, 237; high schools, 68; junior colleges, 1; a total of 453. Roland L. Wiggins is supervisor of Negro education.

Union Protests Party Ban On Negroes

MOBILE, ALA., Jan. 27, (By E. M. Goode for ANP)—Claiming that one of its Negro members was barred from voting in the January 4th senatorial primary, the Mobile unit of the International Union of Marine and Shipbuilders of America has lodged a protest with the Mobile County Democratic Executive Committee.

Chairman Leo H. Pou told committee members, at a meeting Friday night, he would inform officials of the union that Democratic primaries in Alabama, under regulations of the state committee, are open to white voters only. Pou said the county committee does not have authority to sidestep regulations laid down by the state organization. The union protested the ban against Negro voters as a "violation of civil rights."

Farm Bill Seeks To Aid Small Farmer

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 27, (ANP)—One reason for delay in bringing the new Farm Bill out of conference has been discussion of the Bollean Amendment, which in effect would have prohibited the use of acres taken out of cotton and other cash crops to grow food and feed crops. The fact that conferees found a way around the Bollean Amendment should prove of particular benefit to small farmers, tenants and sharecroppers in encouraging them to produce more milk, eggs, fruits and vegetables for home consumption.

In its final form the bill probably will contain other provisions of special interest to the family-size farmers and tenants. Among these may be mentioned a possible increase of ten percent in the payments to small growers and a corresponding decrease in large benefit payments.

There is strong sentiment in Congress and among certain members of the joint committees for some form of processing tax to increase the payments to cotton farmers.

Negro History Week February 6-13

Mrs. Alberta McGinty of Mason City, chairman of the department of education of the Iowa Federation of Colored Women's Clubs urges all clubs to observe Negro History week beginning February 6th.

ANOTHER SIT-DOWN



Rockefeller Interracial Bank Passes Four-Million Mark

New York.—The Dunbar Bank established by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., in New York, 1928, on a principle of fair play and friendliness, recently passed the \$4,000,000 asset mark. The bank which started in the Dunbar apartments now maintains a main and branch office.

Dr. R. R. Moton

Dr. R. R. Moton, president emeritus of Tuskegee Institute, is a member of the board of directors while Robert P. Braddicks, who advanced from "new business man" and assistant vice president, is manager of the branch bank. The complete personnel of the branch bank is colored with efficient clerks at the main office who have the opportunity of attending banking classes under the supervision of the American Institute of Banking. The public shows no discriminatory reaction toward this interracial enterprise.

Des Moines' Loan Firm Moves

The Des Moines Building Loan and Savings Association, 210 5th street will be established at their new offices 411 Sixth street, after February 1. The staff welcomes all visitors and will be pleased to help you with your personal problems.

WORKERS' ALLIANCE ELECTS

The Workers' Alliance elected the following officers at their semi-annual election last Monday: Chairman, Harry E. Snyder; Mrs. Ida Gladson and H. H. Burris, secretary-treasurer and publicity chairman, respectively. Mrs. A. Newsbaum, recording secretary and John Hodges vice chairman.

Chairman of the action, grievance and labor relations committee are V. Banks, John White and Charles Gay.

A committee headed by Mr. Banks, was selected to present the \$75.00 minimum family work relief wage and direct relief allowance to the Board of Supervisors. This is the amount recently O.K'd by City Council.

U. S. Civil Service Exams.

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an open competitive examination for the position of elevator conductor. The entrance salary is \$1,080 a year, less a retirement deduction 3 1/2 percent.

Applicants must have had, within the past 10 years, at least 3 months' experience in operating elevators. They must have reached their eighteenth but must not have passed their fiftieth birthday.

Full information may be obtained from Thos. B. Currey, Secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board of Examiners, at the post office or custom-house in this city.

FRED MORROW SPEAKS AT MARSHALLTOWN



F. O. MORROW

MARSHALLTOWN—F. O. Morrow, president of the D. M. branch N.A.A.C.P., addressed the Marshalltown branch at the opening of their annual membership drive Sunday, January 23. Mr. Morrow explained the machinery of the organization both nationally and locally. George Edmunds who accompanied Mr. Morrow told of the association's accomplishments. Miss Rose Bannan is chairman of the membership drive.

Others appearing on program were Atty. John L. Mowry, "Achievements of the Negro from 1866 to 1922"; Mrs. Willa Brown, I. L. Brown, Miss Jessie E. Walker and Miss Lorraine McDonald.

Mrs. Thomas Mayo, Guest Speaker At Annual Meeting

The 18th annual meeting of the Blue Triangle Branch Y. W. C. A. was held January 20 with Mrs. Adelaide Bowman, vice chairman, presiding. Approximately ninety persons attended the meeting. Y. W. C. A. songs were led by Mrs. Korrine Jackson with Mrs. Beatrice Robinson accompanying.

Miss Waurine Spratt, secretary, gave an interpretation of the Y. W. C. A.'s philosophy and reported on program of the Branch for 1937.

Mrs. Thomas Mayo, speaker and member of the South-Parkway Branch of the Y. W. C. A. in Chicago introduced by Wilda Mullins spoke on "This Generation." Mrs. Mayo is also a member of the Y. W. C. A. board of directors of Chicago, and is chairman of the Residence Committee of the South Parkway Branch.

Miss Dorothy Sharon, Mrs. John McGill, president of the Des Moines Y. W. C. A., Rev. Robert H. Hackley, Miss Roberta Maupin, Mrs. Helen Beshars and the branch mixed chorus were on the program.

The election was as follows: Committee of Management, Mesdames Mary Ritchey, Wilda Mullins, Adelaide Bowman, Florence White and Lillian Scales; nominating committee, Mesdames Mattie Scott, Bernice Angles, Goldie Fant, Hazel Dixon and John M. Estes.

Joe Wilson Jury Picked

The trial of Joe Wilson, 24, charged with the fatal stabbing of Frank Crowder, opened Monday in Judge Franklin's court with Charles P. Howard, the defending attorney. Howard appealed for a postponement on the ground that he was to try a case out of town Wednesday. Judge Franklin refused this, but a compromise was reached whereby the jury was selected Monday and Tuesday, and the case recessed until Monday, January 30. Two people who have declared themselves against capital punishment are on the jury.

RELEASE BROTHER ON BOND

ST. PAUL MINN., Jan. 27 (ANP)—William Squire Neal, head of the Neal funeral parlors with branches in both of the Twin-Cities, was released by federal authorities late Tuesday after he posted \$15,000 bond in connection with the disappearance of \$110,000 from the Sill Line railroad, allegedly embezzled by his brother, John L. Neal.

The released brother is charged with concealing funds from a national bank. Department of Justice agents obtained \$5,903 from a golf bag in his Minneapolis home while investigating disappearance of the funds. John L. Neal is still in custody and will face charges of embezzling the money over a seven year period. He was employed as special car cook, clerk and messenger in the Soo Line treasurer's Office for 32 years, since he was 16.

\$1000 SCHOLARSHIP AT COLLEGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 27, (C)—Following a speech by George Abbott, an alumnus of Manhattan college (Catholic), the senior class voted to give a \$1,000 scholarship for a colored Catholic student, and will raise the money through social activities. The idea originated with the students, and the faculty commended them.

Ike Smalls Award Winner

...dedicated to the purpose that all men were created equal," thus does the preceding quotation from Lincoln's famous Gettysburg address ex-



IKE SMALLS

emplify Ike Smalls, 1937 Des Moines Tribune Community award winner. The award is presented annually by the Tribune to some person who has made outstanding effort toward the betterment of the city.

Mr. Smalls, receiving nearly 2,000 more votes than his closest competitor, was born in Russia 41 years ago and operates a grocery store at 1500 Second Avenue. He has been a resident of Des Moines at various times since he was 16. He is married and has one daughter, Gertrude, 11.

Donates Supplies

Although of modest means Mr. Smalls has made contributions of appliances to hospitals, financed blood transfusions, and purchased medical supplies for needy persons. He advocates a policy of help regardless of race, color or creed. Bystander readers will remember Mr. Smalls as being very active in the case of Miss Huberta Gaiter, who was seriously ill with a streptococcal infection of the heart last month. Miss Gaiter is greatly improved. When called Tuesday Mr. Smalls had just received a request from the Public Nurse Health Association for a rubber air cushion for a patient afflicted with cancer.

Four Singing Prisoners Saw Way Out Of Jail

DOTHAN, Ala., Jan. 27 (ANP)—The Dothan City Jail Quartet, musical prisoners of this city's Bastille, last Monday went into a huddle, sang lustily, the "Jail House Blues," "The Birmingham Jail," and "You'll Be Sorry When I'm Gone," seemed somehow to put special emphasis and greater feeling in the last-named selection. The wardens, as the harmony floated through the corridors, felt pleased that their charges were so happy.

But suddenly the singing ceased, and a silence of ominous portent, increased with the passing moments. The colored janitor, his curiosity aroused, investigated, then rushed to the warden's office, shouting that the harmony quartet—Arthur Hoffman, James Cummings, Otis Dixon and Woodrow Sutton—had escaped!

The officials soon discovered that the talented four had been sawing as they sang, had bored their way through one of the four iron bars of their cell, twisted the others until they could squeeze through.

Ellender Of La. In Six Day Speech

Filibuster Stirs Ire Of Northern Senators

Washington, Jan. 21.—When Senator Allen J. Ellender, of Louisiana, concluded his six-day speech against the federal anti-lynching bill, a notable change had taken place in the attitude of some of the supporters of the bill.

"I'd vote today to repeal the Fifteenth Amendment (giving Negroes the right to vote)," he continued. "I don't want to see any Negro Senators sitting in this Senate. I don't want to see any Negro Governors."

That his slanders of the race seemed to have had effect on Senate reactionaries of both parties appeared when Senator Gillette of Iowa announced that several Western Senators had indicated their willingness to report the measure back to committee.

Many northern and western senators and many southern ones, also, did not hear the Ellender bloody shirt arguments on intermarriage because they absented themselves from the Senate chamber; but several times during the week it was evident that the breast-beating and the obviously absurd statements of Ellender were arousing the ire of northern and western senators so that many who heretofore had intended only to vote for the bill are now actively working for it and probably will make speeches for it next week.

Senator Theodore (That Man) Bilbo, of Mississippi, began speaking against the bill and his speech is expected to be along the same line as Ellender's—on intermarriage, Negro domination, white civilization, etc. Senators Wagner, Van Nuys and others, made plans for the strategy of the proponents of the bill next week and indications are that a determined effort will be made to crack the filibuster.

Republicans Refuse Cloture

There is talk of invoking the cloture rule, but the Republican members of the Senate, with the exception of Senator Capper of Kansas, are hanging back. Capital observers point out that failure of the Republicans to join in the cloture rule to break the filibuster will be interpreted inevitably by the voters as opposition to the bill.

Among those who have been lobbying for the bill are Robert L. Vann, editor of the Pittsburgh Courier; Carl Murphy, editor of the Afro-American; and Mrs. Vivian Osborne-Marsch, of Berkeley, California, grand president of the Delta Sigma Theta sorority.

Senator Clyde Herring, Democrat, declared himself in favor of shelving the anti-lynch bill earlier this week.

Keo Fruit Store

The best quality of fruits and vegetables will be found at the Keo Fruit Store, 1429 Keo. W. C. Wood, proprietor, announces that the store is equipped to give you efficient and capable service at all times.

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LELAND W. GREEN

SENATOR HERRING BACKING UP

A great many people voted for Senator Herring not because they felt that he would make an able senator...

The daily press said this week that Senator Herring had concluded that the provisions of the anti-lynching bill are unfair to the south...

Senator Herring is right. The bill does penalize the south because the south insists upon keeping themselves in a position to be penalized...

The great trouble with the weak kneed senators now is that they do not have the courage to stand up and fight for principle when the battle gets hot...

BEGIN NOW

State, county and city politics are beginning to boil. Candidates for nomination on republican and democratic tickets are appearing daily...

Now is the time for Negroes to get busy and plan with candidates for a more equitable share of what the state, county and city have to offer...

Since Negro democrats have made some headway in the state, republicans have a bigger job on their hands to secure the vote of this group...

NATIONAL URBAN LEAGUE ANNOUNCES FELLOWSHIP EXAMS

The National Urban League announces its annual competitive Examination for fellowships in social work for colored students...

Some of the schools to which Urban League Fellows have been assigned are the New York School of Social Work, the Atlanta School of Social Work...

SPORTS

Health Talks

By Dr. C. R. Bradford



BY ALLEN ASHBY

NEGRO COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Howard U. took St. Paul into camp 59 to 26 and then kicked over the A. & T. colleges champion team 61 to 34...

Golden Glove Meet Mismanaged

According to the boys entered in the Golden-Gloves boxing tournament at the Central Y, the thing didn't turn out so well...

Crocker Y's Notes

The "Y" Stars muffed a chance to go into the senior league lead by dropping a 33 to 25 game to Daniels Comets last Tuesday...

Wednesday night at West the Stars came back and checked the East Dribblers 27 to 13. Playing without Bobby Parker, the boys put Chet Simms in the hole...

Basketball Schedules

- Tuesday, February 1—East High Panthers vs. Flying Aces. H. I. B. vs. All Stars. Hawkeyes vs. Comets. Outside Game. Wednesday, February 2—West High Hawkeye Juniors vs. Panthers. Monarchs vs. Tigers. Daniel Bros. Comets vs. Buffaloes. Outside Game. Friday, February 4—West High H. I. B. Juniors vs. Tigers. Corinthian Baptist vs. Rockets. Top Hatters vs. Raiders. Daniel Bros. Comets vs. St. Paul A. M. E.

Table with columns: Senior, Intermediate, Junior. Rows: Daniel Bros. Comets, HasBrouck 'Y' Stars, Corinthian Baptist, St. Paul A. M. E., Raiders, Rockets, Top Hatters, All Stars, Daniel Brothers, Hawkeyes, H. I. B., Monarchs, Tigers, Buffaloes, Comets, Junior Hawkeyes, Tigers, H. I. B. Juniors, Junior 'Y' Stars, Panthers, Flying Aces.

Denies Divorce-Retirement Rumors

As for the Brown Bomber himself, he telegraphed Co-Manager Julian Black last week that not only are he and wife getting along better than ever before...



Joe Louis

Mrs. Louis told the Associated Negro Press Friday. CHICAGO, Jan. 27, (ANP)—Not only are Joe and Marva Louis completely happy with no thoughts of a divorce...

OF RACE SHINE AS BENNY GOODMAN INVADES 'CAR-NEGIE HALL

NEW YORK, Jan. 27, (C)—"Swing" music hit a new high Sunday night as 3,500 people crowded into Carnegie Hall, 113 W. 57th street...

Musical Program

The St. Paul A. M. E. choir will hold a musical program at the church Sunday, January 30, 8:00 p. m.

Frostbite results from the exposure of the part to severe degrees of cold, and when there is high humidity, it is more common than in dry cold...

Prevention of frostbite is of much greater value than cure. When the frostbite is first detected the part should be rubbed in snow, or friction applied with a rough cloth soaked in ice water...

NOTICE TO REDEM FROM TAX SALE

To: HELEN E. ROBB. You are hereby notified that on the 6th day of May, 1935, the following described real estate situated in Polk County, Iowa...

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Questions and Answers City Manager Plan

about the

NEW BOOKLET EXPLAINS CITY MANAGER ADVANTAGES

Many interesting things are revealed in a booklet put out by the City Manager Committee and now being distributed throughout Des Moines...

The book is well titled—"Things Couldn't Be Worse". The title was used, we are told, because almost every person asked recently about voting for the plan has said they were going to vote for it because "Things Couldn't Be Worse."

Seven major reasons are presented against the present form of city government. These are in a big box, easily read, headed "WE CAN'T STAND THIS ANY LONGER!"

The first point reveals that under the present plan city councils keep increasing city taxes every year. Number two points out that our council does not live within its income, and that each year for the past five Des Moines has gone further in the red with a total of the period of \$750,000.

The most striking point in the book is one which states that "Our city council lets labor hold the sack—creates new armies of white collar workers."

"Manager Cities have True Civil Service, and offer labor benefits of real merit systems, plus better working conditions, free from worry about loss of jobs."

"It took Grand Jury action to straighten out our registration lists. City Council compelled to purge list of 35,000 illegal names."

"DES MOINES REGISTRATION BOOKS HAVE BEEN IN A TERRIBLE MESS!"

"One-third of the \$12,000,000 in city bonds issued since the Commission Plan was adopted in Des Moines have gone to pay debts due to poor business management on part of the city council."

"Manager Cities Pay As They Go." Political Adv.

LAST CALL FOR REGISTRATIONS

Register before February 2, if you are going to vote on the City Manager Plan. We understand many legal voters have had their names taken off the registration books...

If you have no way to get to the City Hall to check your registration, or if you are not registered, call this number, and arrangements will be made to take you to the City Hall.

Mrs. George Williams, 16th and University, sponsored a city manager plan meeting

Wednesday night at which Loretta Vrooman, an attorney, spoke.

Ernest Thompson and H. Dudley sponsored a city manager meeting at McCre Hall, East 16th and University, last week.

James B. Morris spoke to the Mary Church Terrell club last Monday evening on the City Manager plan. He explained the difference between it and the commission plan of government...

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SOCIETY and CLUBS

By Dorothy Wheels

The Modernistic club met at the home of Mrs. Hardaway

at which time the following officers were elected: Mrs. Mary Ritchey, president; Mrs. Agnes Matthews, secretary; Mrs. Mabel Watkins, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Gladys Carter, treasurer; Mrs. Beatrice Rhodes, parliamentary and Mrs. Meredith Carl, chaplain.

The Calvary Singers of Corinthian Baptist church entertained their former president, Mrs. Sadie Hammit, who served for 14 years, at the home of Mrs. Brown recently.

The Deltas observed their national founders week with a Mexican Fiesta, Friday night at the Blue Triangle Y. W. C. A. The Mexican idea was carried out in the decorations, menu and costumes.

DELTA SORORITY

At a recent meeting of the Delta Sigma Theta sorority, the following officers were elected, Ada Johnson, president; Waurine Sprout, vice president; Lucile Bennings, secretary; Helen Beshears, treasurer; and Joan Bullock, journalist.

ROCKETS AT PLA-LAN

Harlan Leonard and his Kansas City Rockets will be featured at the Pla-Lan ballroom, 7th and Grand, by the DeLux club, February 7, Leonard, an original member of Benny Moten's orchestra, with his aggregation opened Chicago's exclusive Cotton Club recently.

See a club DeLux member for advance tickets to dance. Save 20c.

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With the New Year, a new deal. No cost for any social news. Let others know about your guests, trips, dinners, parties, etc. So

DOROTHY WHEELS, THE SOCIETY EDITOR.

The East Side Campfire girls elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Margaret Preston, president; Wandae Mae Humbard, vice president; Delores Rattou, secretary; Jeanette Marshall, assistant secretary; Pauline Dyser, treasurer; and Delores Fields, reporter.

The E. M. S. W. sewing club will meet at the home of Mrs. A. D. Green, 936 15th street, Wednesday, January 26.

The L. T. club held election of officers January 19, as follows: Leona Jordan, president; Mary Hardaway, vice president; Gladys Carter, secretary; Georgia Howard, assistant secretary; Mrs. Ada Jane Watkins, reporter. The next meeting will be with Myrtle Johnson, 1112 14th street, February 2. They will give a chattering dinner February 5, at the home of Mrs. Leona Jordan, 1029 10th St.

SURPRISE PARTY

The chairman of the committee of the Brotherhood and Sisterhood in cooperation gave a surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Wolf-scale in honor of Noble Gray, noble chieftain. Other guests present were Mrs. H. Arnold, vice chieftain of the Sisterhood; Mrs. Umphrey, Miss Katherine Brown, Miss F. L. O. S. E. Thomas, Mrs. Adah Jefferson, and Everett Wolfscale. The evening was spent in playing games. Luncheon was served by the committee. Mrs. E. Wolfscale and Lewis Jackson, chairman.

The Social Hour Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hayes, 1719 Walker street. Those winning prizes for the evening were Marvin Hayes, first; Emmett Butts, second and Ben Wilson booby, Bert Bailey was voted in the club. Reporter Delores Hayes.

Club DeLux dance at Pla-Lan, Monday, February 7th

The Top Hatters club met at the home of Miss Beatrice Yeager, 827 13th street, January 23. Their next meeting will be at the home of Mr. Willard Wilson, January 30.

The Mary Church Terrell club met Monday night with Mrs. Goletha Trotter. Atty. J. B. Morris spoke on the City Manager plan of government. The next meeting will be January 31 with Mrs. Ella Willis.

The La Merced club met last Wednesday with Mrs. Adah Johnson. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Gertrude North.

Swing with the Club DeLux and Rockets at the Pla-Lan.

The Jolly 12 club had election of officers January 20, at the home of Mrs. Della Robinson, 926 24th street. Officers elected were Mrs. G. W. Scott, president; Mrs. Agnes Fry, vice president; Mrs. Emanuel Davis, secretary; Mrs. Joburness Kelso, assistant secretary; Mrs. R. T. Dacus, treasurer; Mrs. Maude Jones, sick committee; Mrs. Della Robinson, birthday committee. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Agnes Fry.

The Junior Federation will meet at the East-Des Moines Community Center Tuesday, February 1.

The La Parisienne club met Thursday, January 20, with Mrs. Maxine Smith as hostess. New members taken in were Mrs. Arlene Graves, Miss Mayme Childs, and Mrs. Elizabeth Settles. The new officers for the year are Mary Danforth, president; Maxine Smith, secretary and Anna Mae Moore, treasurer. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Ruth Danforth with Elizabeth Settles as hostess.

The Treble Leaf Art club will meet with Mrs. Geneva Moore, 1652 Buchanan, Thursday 27. Guests at the meeting last week was Mrs. Orea Buice, and Mrs. Sadie Hammit, who was taken into the club. The next meeting will be Thursday, February 8, with Mrs. Esther Nichols, 915 W. 2nd St.

Harlan Leonard and his Kansas City Rockets, Pla-Lan, February 7th.

The Charmante club had its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Mary Toler, 1008 16th street. The following officers were elected for the year: Oradella McCarroll, president; Geneva Sloan, vice president; Harriet Martin, secretary; Felix Strassner, assistant secretary; Mrs. Toler, treasurer; Leona Palmer, parliamentary; Arnetta Sloan, reporter; and Geraldine Black, critic. The club will meet next week with Mrs. Martin, 1067 19th street. Mrs. Martin was also hostess to the club January 27.

Let's meet at the Pla-Lan, Feb. 7th. Mrs. Dolly... the Iwanha club... meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Maette Brewer.

PERSONALS

Mrs. D. Mae Lee... day, January 14, from... where she and Thomas Thompson were guests at a waffle breakfast at the home of Mrs. Hazel Green and dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Powell. Mrs. Fire was the house guest of Mrs. Mary Walker. She left Tuesday, January 18, for California to resume her concert work and will return home in May. A birthday surprise party was given in honor of Mrs. Wolfscale by her daughter, Mrs. Flossie Palmer. The birthday cake was presented to her by her step-son, Everett Wolfscale. She received twenty gifts.

