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DAR Wont Remove Bar on Marian Anderson

Ignores Protest; Board Votes to Keep Singer Out

Washington, D. C., Feb. 6.—Despite the protest of famous persons the world of music, including stars of the Metropolitan opera, and a strong telegram from the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, the Daughters of the American Revolution voted to uphold its ban against the appearance of Marian Anderson in a concert, which was to have been held at Constitution Hall here April 9th.

Board Acts

The action of the D. A. R. was taken by its board of directors at a meeting here Thursday. It followed on the heels of strong protests from Lawrence Tibbett and Kirsten Flagstad, stars of the Metropolitan opera; Leopold Stokowski, former director of the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra, and Walter Damrosch, famous composer and musician, of New York.

In a telegram to the D. A. R., sent January 21, Walter White, secretary of the N. A. A. C. P., said:

"May we respectfully urge revocation of the ban on other than white artists appearing in Constitution Hall. Specifically, the refusal to permit Marian Anderson, distinguished Negro contralto, to sing there in April has shocked musicians, music lovers and fair-minded Americans generally. Barring a world-famed artist because of color from a building named by the Daughters of the American Revolution, 'Constitution Hall' violates the very spirit and purpose of the immortal document after which the hall is named."

N. A. A. C. P. attorneys are considering filing a petition to have the tax exempt ruling on the hall rescinded. The valuation on the ground is \$585,254 and on improvements, \$2,043,000.

ARMY JIM CROW HIT IN MAGAZINE ARTICLE

New York, Feb. 6.—Walter Wilson, a white newspaper man and magazine writer, scores the discrimination against Negro Americans in the army and navy in his article, "Old Jim Crow in Uniform," appearing in the February issue of The Crisis Magazine.

Mr. Wilson, who made exhaustive studies into world war records, shows how Negroes in the deep south were rounded up and forced into the army in much greater percentages than whites from the same neighborhoods.

Difficulty in Schools

The difficult struggle Negroes have in entering the military academy at West Point, N. Y., and the naval academy at Annapolis, Md., are recounted by the writer, who reviews also the war time training camp at Fort Des Moines, Iowa.

The most dramatic aspect of the article is the condensed account of the resentment of the 24th infantry, stationed at Camp Logan, at the treatment accorded colored people and members of the regiment by the Houston, Texas, police. This resentment flared into open battle with the result that thirteen soldiers were hanged and the leader of the revolt committed suicide rather than surrender.

The whole article raises the question of the probable treatment of Negroes in the ambitious national defense program now being projected by the Roosevelt administration.

CIVIL RIGHTS MEET TO DISCUSS NEGRO

New York, Feb. 6.—(CNA)—Violation of the civil rights of the Ne-

FREDERICK DOUGLASS' HOME MADE FITTING SHRINE BY WPA AND NYA WORKERS

Washington, D. C.—Valuable letters, papers and other documents shedding more light on the life and times of Frederick Douglass are being assembled, classified and filed for public use by a historical records survey project of the Works Progress Administration. Seven Negro research workers are employed on the project.

The work is being done at the Frederick Douglass Memorial Home at Cedar Hill, Anacostia, D. C., overlooking the nation's capital.

These documents, formerly stored in dust-laden boxes in the attic of the Frederick Douglass home, had been treasured for posterity through the years by Mrs. Julia W. Davis, now supervisor of the project.

Before President Roosevelt approved the allotment of funds for this project, there was a long effort to raise money to start the work in progress.

OUSTED FROM GUARD FOR TAKING NEGRO GIRL TO RECEPTION

New York, Feb. 6.—(CNA)—Rudolph Mendell, white, was asked to resign his captain's commission in the 224th coast artillery regiment, national guard, because he took a colored girl to a dinner and reception given by the regiment, it was revealed this week.

The revelation was made at a supreme court hearing on a separation suit. Mendell's wife, Minnie, who charged that he abandoned her for a Harlem beauty, whose name was given as "Sally" in the suit.

The regimental reception was held on last September 23rd and was in honor of Col. Malcolm W. Force. Among the guests was Brig. Gen. Mills Milner, retired. Shortly after the reception, Mendell was asked to submit his resignation.

In court Justice John E. McGehean threatened Mendell with loss of his job as a WPA director when Mendell admitted his wife's charges that he was living with the Negro girl as his common law wife and sharing a joint bank account with her.

gro people will be one of the topics for discussion at a conference here on March 4th to initiate a nationwide, year-long celebration of the 150th anniversary of the bill of

Celebrate Negro History Week With Pageant

"The Negro in History," a pageant depicting the highlights of the history of the Negro, will be presented under the direction of Mrs. S. Joe Brown at St. Paul church Tuesday night, February 14, at 8:00 o'clock.

The pageant is a part of the celebration of Interracial Week, which begins Sunday, February 12th, and will include all of the important events and people, both white and colored, having a definite influence upon Negro history from the discovery of America down to modern times.

Both Races Take Part

White participants on the program are Mrs. A. D. George, president of the Women's Interdenominational Missionary Council; Mrs.

Education Bill OK'd

NEW EDUCATION BILL TO AID STATES PROTECTS NEGRO SCHOOL CHILDREN

States With Separate Schools Must Pledge Equitable Distribution of Funds to Receive Federal Grants

Washington, D. C., Feb. 6.—Protection of the rights of Negro school children is provided for in the bill introduced by Congressman William H. Larrabee of Indiana on January 31, to provide federal funds for education in the several states.

The bill, H. R. 3517, provides for an initial sum of \$40,000,000 for the year ending June 30, 1940, with increased amounts for each subsequent year, until a maximum of \$140,000,000 annually is reached. The bill provides for the distribution of this money among the several states for the purpose of equalizing educational opportunities.

The Larrabee bill, with its companion bill to be introduced in the senate by Senators Pat Harrison and Elmer Thomas, contain the safeguards necessary for the protection of Negroes which have been urged upon congress by the N. A. A. C. P. since the introduction of the first federal education bill in 1937.

The new bill has been drafted so as to provide for an equitable distribution of funds to Negroes in states which have separate schools established by law. It provides that in order to qualify for receiving funds appropriated, a state must follow certain rules, one of which is that "states where separate schools are maintained for separate races (must) provide for a just and equitable apportionment of such funds for the benefit of schools and teacher preparation institutions maintained for separate races, without reduction of the proportion of state and local monies expended during the fiscal year ended in 1938 for schools or teacher preparation institutions for minority races, excepting monies expended for construction or equipment of school buildings."

The meeting has been arranged by the church relations committee of the commission, composed of the Revs. G. W. Robinson, chairman; Stoddard Lane and R. M. Shipman.

The February meeting of the Des Moines Interracial Commission will be held at North High school cafeteria Monday, February 14th, at 6:15 p. m.

Mrs. Horace S. Hollingsworth, chairman of the commission, announces that all members and other interested persons are invited to attend this meeting to hear Mrs. Lilian Edmunds, executive secretary of the Negro Community Center, give a report on a recent survey concerning the economic problems confronting young Negroes of the city. Committee assignments for the year will also be made by the chairman. Reservations for the dinner meeting may be made by calling North High school.

Interracial Program Set for Sunday

The Des Moines Interracial Commission will hold its fifteenth annual city-wide interracial program at Tifereth Israel synagogue, Polk and Kingman boulevards, Sunday at 3 p. m. This marks the first time that the services of the local group has been held in a Jewish synagogue and serves to emphasize the united action of all religious and racial bodies to protest the anti-semitic feeling abroad.

Rabbi Levens Will Speak

Rabbi Monroe S. Levens of Tifereth Israel synagogue will give the principal address. A vigorous and engaging speaker, Rabbi Levens has appeared frequently of recent months before Des Moines audiences. He was presented before the Interracial Commission several months ago, and delivered the annual address at the Des Moines Branch N. A. A. C. P. meeting at Corinthian Baptist church on New Year's Day.

The Tifereth Israel choir will provide music for the program. Dr. Stoddard Lane of the Plymouth Congregational church will pronounce the invocation and Rev. George W. Robinson, pastor of Corinthian Baptist church, will give the scripture reading.

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HIGH COURT TO GET OKLAHOMA VOTE CASE

Washington, D. C., Feb. 6.—Whether or not the registrar in Wagoner county, Oklahoma, has the right to bar Negro citizens from registering to vote, under a state statute now in force, will be determined by the U. S. supreme court here the week of February 6th.

The case of I. W. Lane, a citizen of Wagoner county, who was refused permission to register in Oklahoma in 1934, has been fought by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People through the federal courts and is now ready for disposition by the high court, attorneys for the association said this week.

The case marks the second time that the association has carried the question of denial of voting privileges from Oklahoma to the high court. The court declared Oklahoma's grandfather clause, adopted by the state in 1910, unconstitutional in a decision handed down in 1915.

N. C. SENATOR OUT TO FORM FASCIST ARMY

Washington, Feb. 6.—(CNA)—The latest attempt to organize an

New Beauty School Opens

NEW BUSINESS ADDITION BOOSTS DES MOINES

The first and only Negro beauty school in the state of Iowa, "The Crescent Beauty School," 1050 Thirtieth street, was opened by Mrs. Pauline Brown, expert beautician, Monday, January 23rd.

This school, which is fitted out with every modern convenience, offers a complete course in cosmetology. Instruction in hair cutting, waving, manicuring, facials, hair styling and other beauty work is given by competent teachers.

Classes are held daily from 8:00 a. m. until 9:00 p. m. The theory of cosmetology is taught during the first two hours of the morning and the remainder of the day is devoted to practical work.

Enrollment Grows

At present the following ten students are enrolled: Ava Cassell, Hazel Darling, Myrtle Johnson, Willa Munn, Nettie Bourland, Murrell Perkins, Ruth Moore, Elizabeth Settles, Doraelva Mackay and Harry Miller. There are no special requirements to be eligible for entry, and all those who finish the course will be assured of a position.

Mrs. Brown, the manager and organizer, has been a licensed beauty operator and the owner of Polly's Beauty Shop, 1544 Walker street, for the last six years. She received her training at Madame Walker's school and the E. Clarke School of Beauty Culture in Chicago and her teacher's training at the Fort Dodge Beauty Academy, Fort Dodge, Iowa.

Army for American fascism was launched here this week by Senator Robert Reynolds, anti-new deal North Carolina democrat and admirer of Hitler and his "Aryan supremacy" theories.

Reynolds will call his outfit the Vindicators. He outlined a rigorous code of hat feathers and lapel buttons for his prospective membership.

DEATH NOT ENOUGH FOR CONVICTED NEGRO, SAYS TEXAS GOVERNOR

Austin, Texas, Feb. 6.—(CNA)—Asserting that death was not sufficient punishment for Winsel Williams, convicted of killing his white employer, Governor Lee O'Daniel has postponed the execution of Williams for thirty days so that Williams would suffer the more.

Williams was to have been executed on February 3rd, but on the preceding day Governor O'Daniel ordered a thirty day reprieve.

Williams was convicted on a charge of killing his white employer, E. B. Atwood, 63, near Dallas last spring.

Harlem Dancer Jo Baker, Quits Second Husband

Paris, Feb. 6.—(CNA)—Josephine Baker, former Harlem dancer, who became the toast of Paris, was reported this week to be preparing to divorce her second white husband, 29 year old Roger Jean Lion.

Miss Baker, who married Lion in November, 1937, at the little town of Crevecoeur-le-Grand to the strains of the Mendelssohn "Wedding March," as rendered by the town's fire brigade band, and a rifle salute by the home guard, has been separated from her husband for several weeks, according to the newspaper Ce Soir.

Chaity Ball and Style Show Draw Crowd at Billiken

Over three hundred attended the second annual Charity Ball given by the Des Moines branch of the N. A. A. C. P. at the beautifully decorated Billiken ballroom Wednesday night, February 8th.

The highlight of the evening's entertainment was the style review, which consisted of models representing different clubs, wearing strictly formal gowns, wearing models participating were Clara Webb, modeling a black moire taffeta creation; Mrs. Adam B. Johnson, also wearing black trimmed with white grograin ribbon; Lena King, attired in a teal blue with du-

cornet accessories; Donna Graham, in peach net and gold metal cloth; Marguerite Greene, wearing old rose taffeta with aqua trimmings; Clara Fant, in yellow lace; Evelyn Carr, in aqua net and dubonnet accessories; Evelyn Brooks modeled a black and gold formal cut on the princess line; Edith Ann Gray, black taffeta with a soft tone of orange velvet trimmings and accessories; Ola McCraney, in an aqua chiffon redingote, and Annabelle Payne, in teal blue taffeta with a slight hoop effect, looked the part of sweet old fashion girls; Sylvia Ross wore a strictly formal peach taffeta dress set off by three rows of dubonnet ribbon and straps. Mrs. Helen Beshears was the essence of sophistication in black crepe with only touches of gold on the sleeves; representing the young high school graduates were Verona Garland in black crepe and June Bradshaw in a two-piece white and teal blue taffeta dresses. Azalia Gray Carr made a striking oriental picture in a black satin creation with skirt and only brassiere top set off by a sequin jacket; Margaret Tull, in powder blue chiffon set off by rhinestone accessories; Mrs. James McGuire, in all white accented by a multicolored girle and accessories, and Mrs. Guy E. Greene, in white satin with contrasting blue velvet, were quite outstanding figures.

The main feature of the style review was the bridal party. The bridesmaids, Nettie Bourland and Alwynette Miller, wore powder blue chiffon and peach chiffon or-gandy respectively; Miss Della Chapman, the bride's sister, modeled a pariwinkle chiffon formal, and the bride, Mrs. Rose Chapman Bell, who was married this past August, wore the traditional white gown, the material of which was embroidered silk organdy. The little flower girl, Dorothy Elaine Chapman, wore a child's formal of peach.

Dancing until 2:00 a. m. by the music of Jerry Hayes and his orchestra climaxed the evening's show. The proceeds of the affair will go to the N. A. A. C. P. for the benefit of the anti-lynching fund, Mrs. James B. Morris was director of the ball. The affair was promoted by the social committee of the Des Moines branch, headed by Mrs. Azalia Mitchell. Other members were Clara Webb, A. P. Trotter, Noble Gray and Mrs. Morris.

Out of town guests representing the Marshalltown branch were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Carl T. Brown, James Brown, John Brown and Spencer Brown.

The Columbia Broadcasting system will send the music of Duke Ellington over its network for half an hour on that night, in order that N. A. A. C. P. branches throughout the country, who are giving similar dances, may tune in.

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NAT TOWELS HERE FEBRUARY 23

Nat Towles and his fourteen southern gentlemen will play at the Billiken ballroom Thursday night, February 23rd. Towles is well known throughout the United States for his music and is rated among the first class orchestras in the country. For the last eight weeks this orchestra, which is composed entirely of college men, has been playing at the Savoy ballroom in Chicago, Illinois.

Mr. J. W. Mitchell and Speck Howard are sponsors of this affair. Tickets can be secured at the Community Pharmacy, Twelfth and Center.

The following schedule of the regular Friday night college-hi dances has been announced by Mrs. Azalia Mitchell, sponsor: February 10th, "Valentine Dance," another girls' tag dance, 17th, review of old song; 23th, boys' tag dance; March 3rd, ballroom shower; 10th, sample dances; March 17th, St. Patrick dance.

Mrs. Mitchell requests that all boys must wear coats and ties to all dances.

BILL ROBINSON HEADS ALL-STAR CAST AT N. A. A. C. P. BIRTHDAY BALL

New York, Feb. 6.—Bill Robinson, America's number 1 tap dancing star, has added his name to the growing list of stage, night club and radio stars who will appear at the 36th Army here February 14th at the Duke Ellington dance in honor of the thirtieth anniversary of the N. A. A. C. P. officials of the association announced here today.

Other famous stars in the world of stage and musical entertainment who are expected to appear include: Willie Bryant, who will be master of ceremonies along with Duke Ellington; Teddy Wilson, of the Benny Goodman aggregation; Fredi Washington, Mildred Bailey, Ivy Anderson, Victor Moore, Alberta Hunter, Henrietta Lovelace, Mercedes Gilbert, the Radio Rouses, Billy Banks, Louis Armstrong, W. C. Handy, Cab Calloway, Rosita Tharpe and many others.

Duke Ellington and his famous orchestra, who are donating their services for the affair will play throughout the dance, which is expected to attract more than 6,000 persons to make the dance one of the largest affairs of its kind ever held in Harlem.

On the Air

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The Churches Extend You A Hearty Welcome

American Womanhood



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Irish 'Land Problem' Is Traced to 1649 Invasion
The nature of the soil and crops and the character of the relationship between landlord and tenant were major factors in the Irish "land problem." After Cromwell's invasion in 1649, the seizure and distribution of land among English landlords reached its height and gave rise to the evils of absentee ownership. The great famine of 1840-50, and of 1846 in particular, caused unendurable privation, says a writer in the Philadelphia Inquirer.

Until 1870 the landlord class was generally favored in legislation. The encumbered estates act of 1849 did provide for the sale of those Irish estates whose rents were mortgaged but the resulting influx of speculators increased the tenant's burden. The Act of 1870 gave the tenant compensation and made it possible for him to become owner of the land. However, there was no restriction on

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East 17th and University Avenue
Sunday school at 10:30 A. M. R. C. French, Supt. Noonday services at 12:30 P. M. Y. P. U. W. W. at 6:30 P. M. Leslie Ward, President. Evening services at 8:00 P. M. Weekly services: Tuesday night, general services at 8:00 P. M. Friday night, general services at 8:00.
Elder Eugene Robinson, Pastor.

DES MOINES CHURCH WEST SIDE A.M.E. ZION CHURCH
1125 West Third St. S. S. INGRAM Pastor
Sunday school at 2 p. m.; Sunday worship 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Mid-week prayer service, Thursday, 7:30 worship 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.;

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. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30; Choir rehearsal, Thursday evening, 7:30. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

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

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

UNITY STUDY CLASSES
1068 Twelfth Street
Sunday school at 12 to 1 P. M. Sunday: Lessons in Truth, Thursday evening at 8 to 9 o'clock; Prosperity and Health Silence, every day except Saturday and Sunday, 12 P. M. to 1 P. M. "Our Daily Word," we take subscriptions. Private appointments. Mrs. Hazel Browne, leader, 1068 12th. All are welcome. Union denominational.

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809 S. E. 27th Street Phone 6-6983
Pastor, M. J. Cranshaw
Order of Service
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; preaching service at 11:00 a. m.; Y. O. at 7:00 p. m. Subject, "New Training For Service," four year course.

MAPLE ST. BAPTIST CHURCH
Corner East 16th and Maple Streets
A. Ross Brent, Pastor
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.

MT. HERON BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. L. G. Garrett, Pastor
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.

KYLES A. M. E. ZION CHURCH
709 S. E. Fifteenth Street
Phone 4-2715
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.

BURNS M. E. CHURCH
811 Crocker Street
Rev. John C. Bain, 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.

BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH
1530 E. University Avenue
Sunday School 9:30 A. M. Wm. Sumner, Supt. Morning Worship, 10:45; Evening Worship, 7:30 P. M. A. C. E. League, 6:30 P. M. Mrs. Goldie Fant, President. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday Evening, 7:30; Choir rehearsal Thursday evening, 7:30. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH
East Sixteenth and University Ave.
Rev. Jordan W. Tutt, Pastor
Morning worship at 11:00. Sunday school at 9:30. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Evening worship at 7:45. Mid-week prayer service at 7:45. Choir rehearsal Friday evening at 8:00. Dr. L. R. Willis, director.

FIRST C. M. E. CHURCH
S. E. 28th and Murray
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.

ST. PAUL A. M. E. CHURCH
12th and Crocker
Sunday school 9:30 A. M.; morning worship, 11:00 A. M.; Evening worship, 8:00 P. M.; A. C. E. League, 6:30 P. M.; Halie Oziel Johnson, president. Mrs. S. Joe Brown, superintendent of the church school. Midweek prayer service, Wednesday, 7:00 P. M. Choir rehearsal, Friday evening, 8:00 P. M.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH
S. E. 14th and Scott Sts.
Rev. J. L. Lucas, Pastor
506 Sheridan Ave. H. P. Ph. 4-3840
Order of services: Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning service at 11:00 o'clock. Evening service at 8:00 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

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Sabbath School (Saturday) 10:00 A. M.; Morning service, 11:30 A. M.; Evening service, one hour before sundown. Sunday evening service, 8:00 P. M.

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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.

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, sight singing chorus, 7:00-10:00 p. m.; nursing class, Tuesday p. m.; teachers' meeting, Friday, 8:00 p. m.

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Dingo Dog of Australia Is Puzzle to Biologists
The Australian dingo has proved something of a mystery to biologists, writes Frederic J. Haskin in the Washington Star. The dog is a stoutly built, somewhat shortlegged animal averaging 50 inches over all including 11 inches of tail. It is dun colored as a rule, although some have black spots which, it is claimed, have arisen from interbreeding with imported European dogs.
The stance is graceful, not unlike that of a greyhound and the foxlike, triangular ears and the pointed nose give an impression of keenness. The animal is fleet and a mighty hunter. It likes mankind, but is quite lacking, it would appear, in the undying faithfulness of most dogs. It is not at all unusual for a dingo to shift its allegiance. For example, a visitor may come to a camp to which a dingo has been attached for months, even years. The dog will decide it likes the visitor better than its master and follow him off.
The dingo, as a rule, does not hunt in packs but singly. The spinifex is its usual prey. However, since the introduction of sheep and the establishment of the great sheep stations the dingoes have preyed unmercifully upon the creatures. A sheep station in the United States would be called a sheep ranch. Australia has its own nomenclature. Thus where Americans refer to a flock of sheep Australians call it a mob of sheep. A single dingo has been known to pull down 100 sheep in a single night.

A Friendly Service
This story is told of the late Thomas A. Edison, who was showing a party of friends over his beautiful summer residence, equipped with many labor-saving devices. One exception, however, was a turnstile so stiff that it required considerable strength to force a passage. One by one, his guests pushed through. At length one of them ventured to say, "Mr. Edison, why do you have everything so perfect except this awful turnstile?" "Ah!" replied the host, his eyes twinkling. "Everybody who pushes the turnstile around, pumps eight gallons of water into the tank on my roof."

Cat's Whiskers Serve as Feelers; Perfect Organs
There is an old belief that a cat uses its whiskers to determine whether it can squeeze through a small hole or opening. According to this notion, the whiskers are exactly the same width as the animal's body and if they touch the sides of the hole the cat will not attempt to enter. Although not strictly true, there is a grain of truth in the belief, notes a writer in the Indianapolis News. The large facial hairs, known scientifically as "vibrissae," serve as feelers or organs of touch and contribute materially to the cat's ability to move about in the dark. These hairs themselves, of course, are not sensitive, but the roots are provided with sensitive nerve-endings. John Fluke, in "Through Nature to God," writes as follows of these remarkable tactile organs:
"The most perfect organs of touch are the vibrissae or whiskers of the cat, which act as long levers in communicating impulses to the nerve fibers that terminate in clusters about the dermal sacs in which they are inserted. These cat-whiskers are merely specialized forms of such hairs as those which cover the bodies of most mammals, and which remain upon the human skin imbedded in minute sacs."
Facial hairs of this type are particularly well developed, both in number and size, in those predatory species which hunt chiefly in jungles and other thick undergrowth. In the vegetable-eating bears the whiskers are few in number, small in size and apparently without any function.

There may be a relationship between the cat's whiskers and its sense of sight. A naturalist found that cats with their whiskers cut short were unable to judge distances accurately. In experiments cats without whiskers would repeatedly miss their prey when springing for it. The investigator concluded that the facial hairs aid the animal to fix its eyes on its prey and that it is undoubtedly injurious to remove the whiskers from a cat which must hunt for a living.

Beer Was Known to the Man of Stone Age Days
"It is amazing the lengths to which the human race will go to avoid drinking water," observes an official of the Bureau of American Ethnology. According to this authority beer has been found in late Stone Age men's huts, but distilling came later. The oldest record of it is Aristotle's reference to "burning water." All over the world these drinks have names that mean fire water, not because of the fiery sensation in the throat but because they can be set afire with a light. Speakeasies, where people secretly drank tea, coffee and chocolate were a social problem in Europe within recent centuries. These three drinks were introduced into Europe during the exploration era around 1500 A. D. All first were used as drugs and then as habit-forming drinks of supposedly wicked powers. Chocolate, considered the most vicious, was the subject of stringent prohibition laws. Beer gardens and bars flourished 2,000 years ago. A bar with all the familiar features except the foot rail, was unearthed in ruins of Ostia, seaport of Rome. The bar in Ostia has a marble top, shelves for the stock, a storage cellar for wines, two stone seats for casual customers and a garden at the back where people evidently tarried to drink, since there were bronze hooks on a marble slab for hanging wraps.

Meaning of Name Malcolm
Malcolm is a very old name of Celtic origin with the curious meaning "disciple of St. Columba." This Sixth century Irish saint (also called Colm) with his 12 disciples traveled about on missionary work and did great deals of good, writes Florence A. Cowles in the Cleveland Plain Dealer. Malcolm MacDonald was king of Scotland in the Tenth century. His grandson, Malcolm MacKenneth (Mac meaning "son of") became king in 1055 and Malcolm MacDuncan Canmore ascended the throne in 1054, on the death of Macbeth, who slew Canmore's father. Yet another Malcolm, called The Maiden, ruled Scotland in the Twelfth century. So the name, popular in Scotland, has a long and honorable lineage.

rental rates and the tenant whose payments were in arrears was unprotected.
After the famine of 1879, the Irish land league was formed and two years later the Irish farmer's "Magna Carta" recognized the three F's: fair rent, fixity of tenure and freedom of sale. Subsequent acts of 1885, 1887, and 1896 stimulated land purchase. The Wyndham act of 1903 offered a bonus to landlords who were willing to sell. The evicted tenants bill of 1907 compelled the sale of land needed for evicted tenants and the amended land purchase act of 1909 liberalized this provision. By 1921, two-thirds of Irish land was property of the tenants and shortly thereafter a compulsory law transferred the remainder.

'By Hook or by Crook,' Saying of Middle Ages
In the Middle ages the common people were forbidden to cut down trees for firewood. This was a privilege specially reserved for the Lords of the Manor. Naturally, a great deal of hardship resulted, and to avoid unrest a dispensation was given whereby they were allowed not only to gather deadwood but to be permitted to break off with a bill-hook any dead branch. The crook enabled them to pull such a branch within reach.
And so people spoke of getting firewood "by hook or crook." This phrase came to be used for other things as well and so we still say we'll get something "by hook or by crook" when we mean "by any method possible," says a writer in Pearson's London Weekly.
The phrase "to eat humble pie" originated in the Middle ages from deer hunting. The coarser parts of this animal were usually given to the inferior servants. These parts of the deer were called "umbles" or "Numbles" and in the course of time the word was corrupted into "Humble." So to eat humble pie meant to be one of the common folk, whereas today it means to accept an inferior position, or to "climb down."

Forecasting Christmas Weather
In some country districts of France a custom is observed which is supposed to enable people to forecast the weather on Christmas day and throughout the coming year, says The Daily Telegraph. Twelve women are selected to go to a certain spot on the night of Dec. 24 and there they are to observe the stars and planets and to forecast the weather for the coming year.

Epiphany the salt on any onion has melted, the month represented by that particular onion will be wet. If the salt on the twelfth onion is dry, then Christmas day also will be fine. At Baux, in Provence, shepherds hold a watch-night service at which they pray for good weather. Each arrives carrying a lighted taper and a lamb and prays before a crib, as the shepherds did 2,000 years ago.

Savings Plan Spurred By New York Fair Interest
In at least thirty-eight States banking institutions are now operating New York World's Fair 1939 Savings Clubs, organizations for depositors which induce them to save stipulated sums each week for a trip to the Fair next Spring.
This saving plan, announced just one year ago, has for its slogan, "Save Today to See the World of Tomorrow" and several banks have linked it to their Christmas and Vacation Clubs.

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SOCIAL - CLUBS - PERSONALS

Iota Phi Lambda Observe History Week

Members of the Alpha Delta Iota Phi Lambda sorority were hostesses to a large group of guests at their annual tea, held Sunday afternoon from 4:00 to 6:00 p. m. This event brought to a close the selling of chances for a beautiful fur neck-piece, which was won by Miss Willa Mae Munn, who held the lucky number. This tea was held also in observance of Negro History and Negro Business Week.

Included on the program were talks by prominent leaders in civic affairs, Attorney Charles Howard, "The Negro in Business"; Miss Ethel Jones, professor of history at Drake university, "Negro History"; Mrs. Adah Johnson, "The History of the Negro in America," and a reading by Tzelea Wright.

The service table was very beautifully decorated in white and green, the colors of the sorority. Miss Annabelle Payne poured tea.

This chapter is a young organization formed for Negro business women. Members of the sorority are: Mrs. Gertrude North, president; Mrs. Clara Johnson, vice president; Miss Susie Hart, recording secretary; Miss Evelyn Brooks, secretary, and Mrs. Dorothy Simms.

The next regular meeting will be held at the home of Miss Susie Hart, 1319 Ascension street, Thursday night.

The Junior Modernistic club will hold a closed valentine party at the home of Miss Ava Cassell, 921 W. Twenty-third street, Thursday evening, February 9th. Games will be played and valentines exchanged among the members. Miss Evelyn Chapman is president.

Miss Bernita Woody has been appointed editor-in-chief of the Community Center Echo, the newspaper published bi-monthly by the Community Center, Fifteenth and Crocker streets. Miss Woody succeeded Miss Sylvia Ross, whose resignation was accepted recently.

Mary McCloud Bethune club will meet Monday, February 13th, with Mrs. Ethel Brooks, 3011 Bowdoin, president, acting as hostess.

Members of the Social Art club will hold their regular meeting on Thursday, February 9th, at the home of Mrs. Mildred Barker, 1351 Fremont. The following persons were the invited guests to the club party held Thursday, February 2nd: Mesdames Molly Beverly, Grace Craddock, Matie Allen, Dorena Manuel, Eva Roper, Josephine Berry, Maude Boyer, Rachel Knight and Vera Perchman.

Mrs. Mildred Barker is president and Iva Ligon, reporter.

The La Voguettes, a newly organized girls' club, met Sunday, February 5th, at the home of Miss Dorothy Johnson, 755 Eleventh street. The members discussed needlecraft, one of the projects of the group, and the future social events of the club. After the meeting adjourned Miss Johnson was hostess at a luncheon.

Officers elected during the meeting are: Ola McCraney, president; Dorothy Johnson, vice president; Geraldine Bates, secretary, and Marguerite Williams, treasurer. Other members are Dorothy Page, Mabel Walker and Viola Barker. The next meeting will be held Wednesday, February 15th.

The Mary Church Terrill club met at the home of Mrs. L. R. Willis, 1184 Fourteenth street, Monday, February 6th. Mrs. Joburness Kelo was in charge of the program. Mrs. Gertrude North is president.

Miss Alice Kinney, student of East High school, has been chosen as a member of the acapella choir of East High school.

Miss Kinney sings soprano, and is a voice pupil of Miss Sarah Steele, music director at the East Des Moines Community Center.

Mrs. S. Joe Brown spoke Tuesday night, February 7th, before the white Ministerial association of Mason City and on Wednesday night before the Colored Women's club of Mason City. Mrs. Brown was invited by Mrs. J. C. McGinty, chairman of the Negro Women's Iowa club, as a part of the celebration of Negro History Week.

Miss Dona Graham of 803 Boyd street began work in the county clerk's office Wednesday, February 8th. Her duties consist mainly of clerical work.

Y. W. C. A. PLANS NEW WORK FOR THE YEAR

The committee of management of the Y. W. C. A. met February 2nd to begin its new program year. Miss Wilda Mullins reviewed the work of the Des Moines Association on the National Study, "Standard Study," and the executive secretary discussed the standing committees that are open for chairman appointments and reported on the progress made in the light of the program emphasis which were voted by the membership last fall.

Officers for 1939 were elected as follows: Mrs. Korrine Jackson re-elected chairman, Mrs. Judith Wilson re-elected vice chairman, Mrs. Frank Robinson, recording secretary, and Mrs. Floyd Bowman, corresponding secretary. Committee chairman will be appointed by the chairman at the next meeting March 2nd.

Girl Reserve Club

Girl Reserve clubs have met regularly at the Branch, and most interest is expressed in outdoor winter sports. Miss Winifred Brooks recently accepted the advisanship of the Royal Blue club.

Thorobreds

The cabinet of the Thorobreds club will meet at seven o'clock February 15th at the Branch.

The club is preparing with great anticipation for the visit of Mrs. Duvall of the national board of the Y. W. C. A. Mrs. Evelyn Duvall is executive secretary of the Chicago Association for Child Study and Parent Education and will address and discuss boy-girl relationship in a joint meeting of the Live Y'ers of Central and the Thorobreds.

Miss Waurine Sprott and Ellen Strothers met with a committee from the Live Y'ers at the central Y. W. C. A. Tuesday night, February 7th, to plan for the coming visit of Mrs. Evelyn Duvall of Chicago.

Mrs. Duvall is being brought here under the auspices of the Jewish Community Center, Public Forum, Drake university and the Y. W. C. A. She will speak to the Live Y'ers and the Thorobreds clubs on "Boy and Girl Relations" on Tuesday, February 14th. Miss Clara Fant will introduce the speaker.

Beginning Monday night, Mr. Rufus Webster, student at Drake university, will accompany the Y choruses, which meets every Monday night. Miss Roberta Maupin is director.

SPRING TERM OF FORUM BEGINS

The spring term of the Des Moines public forums will begin Monday, February 13th, and continue until April 15th. On Mondays the forum will be given at Roosevelt High school; Tuesdays, East High school; Wednesdays, Grandview; Thursdays, Drake university; Fridays, North High school; and Saturdays at 12:00 p. m. at Younkers Tea Room. All meetings except the one at Younkers will begin at 8:00 p. m.

During the week of February 13th Dale Yoder, professor of economics in the School of Business Administration at the University of Minnesota, will be the speaker. He was formerly the associate professor of economics at the University of Iowa, where he received his PH.D. degree, and is also the author of several books.

Night school classes for adults, held at the high schools in the city, have been announced for this semester. Registration started February 6th and ends April 12th.

WIFE OF ARMSTRONG SUFFERS ATTACK

Los Angeles, Calif., Feb. 10.—Mrs. Willa Mae Armstrong, wife of Henry Armstrong, world's lightweight and welterweight champion, returned from Louisville, Ky., ill, and accompanied by a trained nurse. She was put to bed immediately on her arrival and according to instructions issued by doctors, must remain quiet and indoors until the danger period is passed.

Mrs. Armstrong is suffering with an attack of acute pneumonia. Latest reports are to the effect that Mrs. Armstrong must have absolute rest and quiet until improved.

Mrs. Armstrong left Los Angeles on January 19th with her husband, en route to Louisville, Ky., where the champion was scheduled to

A City Farmer



NEW YORK—A cameraman recently snapped Grover A. Whalen, President of the New York World's Fair 1939, in overalls. He was inspecting a wheat field—the first to be planted in New York City in 65 years. It is part of a food exhibit.

Sap of Sapodilla Tree

If a blight should destroy the sapodilla tree millions of Americans would mourn—for it is the sap of the sapodilla tree that supplies chicle. And chicle is the basic ingredient of chewing gum, relates a writer in the Philadelphia Record.

The chicle is drained from the trees in Central America jungles in the rainy season by machete-bearing natives, called chicleeros. They climb the trees, cover them with cross-hatchings of cuts, connect these with central canals that drain the sap into canvas bags.

The liquid is then boiled, poured into molds, hardened into bricks, and thus shipped. On arrival in factories in the United States, the bricks are dried out for 30 hours, then melted, filtered, poured into mixers, stirred with pulverized sugar, corn syrup and flavoring, then cooled and rolled.

The rolled gum is fed into "breaking" machines which cut 22 sticks of gum with one click of the punch press, turning out 3,300 sticks a minute. Wrapping machines turn out 120 finished packs of five sticks each, per minute.

Belize, in British Honduras, is the headquarters of the chicle contractors, who hire native crews to extract the sap.

Camphor Tree an Evergreen

The camphor tree, an evergreen, looks like a linden, has a smooth, greenish bark, with white flowers and red berries. The chief obstacle to its cultivation is its slow growth, as a tree is 50 years old before it is available. The camphor is obtained by chopping the trunk and roots into small chips, and applying heat in a still. The camphor comes off as a vapor, and is condensed. As camphor fumes overstimulate the tear glands, the workers in the refineries weep, and weep, and weep. The Venetians were the first people in Europe to refine camphor. They probably learned the trick from the Chinese. Then the Dutch got a monopoly on refining, and it is only in recent times that the process has become generally known.

Inhabitants of Bolivia

Bolivia, the Switzerland of South America, has been ruled by a few families of pure Spanish ancestry for the past 120 years, but its population includes a great number of Indians. There are the Quechuas and Aymaras, over whom the Incas ruled; the indolent Chiquitanos of the eastern section who live in primitive palm hovel in the lowlands; the Chiriguano, a warlike race living in the foothills of the Andes, and the *Potosinos*, robust, thick-bodied, unimpaired.

IN THE SHADOW OF THE STARS

By Abbe Wallace
MOST MEMORABLE ON THE AMERICAN STAGE

NOTE—Your question will be answered FREE in this column ONLY when a clipping of this column enclosed with your question, your full name, birthdate, and correct address. For Private Reply send twenty-five cents in coin or money order and a self-addressed envelope for my New Astrology, Reading and receive by return mail my Free Advice on Three Questions. Do Not Send Stamps. Send all mail to Abbe Wallace care of the Iowa Bystander, 302 Chemical Building, Des Moines, Iowa.

G. M. W.—Have been a reader of your column for some time. Tell me why it is that ever since a certain party stopped singing with me, the majority of my programs have been failures?

Ans.—This other party's voice just had that "little touch" that seemed to make yours very outstanding. Don't worry about the matter so much—if possible ask this other party back, and if they don't see fit to return, make arrangements to get someone else to assist you.

L. A. C.—Is my husband still in love with me and if so, why does he always fight and curse me? I am thinking seriously of taking my two children and leaving.

Ans.—Both you and your husband are jealous and always suspecting the other of untrue things. The best thing in the world for you is to make up your mind not to fuss with him and he will not persist in cursing and fighting. Leaving your husband and taking your two children with you would be a serious step, as it isn't likely you could raise them

Put More Bathrooms in Paris' Luxurious Hotels

The words "ritz" or "ritzy" are synonymous for chic, elegant, ultra-smart, and mean the last word in luxury. But how many people know there was a person by the name of Ritz? asks a writer in the Kansas City Star. Cesar Ritz was very much of a person—the man who rose from humble Swiss parentage to make history in the hotel business. It seems almost incredible that:

"Until 1898, when the Ritz hotel was opened in Paris, the Hotel Bristol had been the last word in luxury and possessed but one bathroom to each floor," as Madame Marie Ritz declares (in "Cesar Ritz: Host to the World"—a biography of her famous husband).

Then she goes on to say: "The prince of Wales (later Edward VII.) when he stopped there, as he did for almost 40 years (until 1899) was compelled to have his bath sent in to him by the 'Bath-at-home service' which would bring, on carts, huge tanks of hot water, a tub, and all the necessities, and husky workmen would carry these things up the stairs and deposit them in the middle of the bedroom. And the situation in this respect was better, at that, than it was in private homes; even the homes of the great. The largest private houses at that time might have but one bathroom."

Madame Ritz recalls that Lord Lurgan told her that the late Lady Essex (an American by birth) was the first lady to smoke a cigarette in public in London. He placed this momentous event at the Carlton hotel in 1899, and added that before Lady Essex had finished that cigarette many people in the dining room were standing on chairs to watch the performance.

Helen's Tree Frog Noted

For its Odd Coloration
The frog, *Phyllomedusa helenae*, called for the lack of a better name Helen's tree frog, is grotesque. It has the exaggeratedly slender body and legs of most tropical tree frogs. The head is short and wide, the feet, with partly webbed toes, are huge. Each toe terminates in a dilated disk, the adhesive qualities of which permit the frog to climb vertical surfaces and to remain asleep for a whole day adhering to the glass sides of its aquarium tank.

The most striking feature of this frog is its coloration, states a writer in the New York Times. The head and body and the upper surfaces of the legs are usually a pea green, which may change at times to a green so dark as to appear black. The sides of the body and the undersurfaces of the legs are a Dresden china blue with fine cream-colored criss-cross markings on the body. Most striking are the eyes and feet. The former are a deep vermilion with a vertically elliptical pupil and the latter are an orange color. The contrast of orange-colored feet and green limbs gives the animal the appearance of wearing gloves.

Soaps Made From Tallow

Laundry soaps are made from tallow, with resin added to give the yellow color. The fatty material is melted and lye is added. Then saturated salt solution is added. The soap floats to the surface. Transparent soaps, containing alcohol and glycerin. Floating soaps are usually a mixture of tallow and coconut oil, potash and soda. It is air cut

without help. Try to adjust your home affairs.

L. A.—My brother got sick some time ago and his wife sent him to the hospital. The doctors sent him home in a few days, saying he had ulcers of the stomach. Now he is dead and I would like to know if it was ulcers or something else that caused his death.

Ans.—His death was the result of the stomach trouble he had been suffering with for quite some time. There wasn't any kind of unfair work or trickery done to cause his death. He, being sixty years of age, just couldn't seem to throw off the condition.

I. N.—Should I encourage my husband with his plans or am I really expecting too much?

Ans.—Certainly you should give your husband all of the support and encouragement that you can—this is what makes successful men in the world. You aren't expecting too much, for he is capable of carrying out these plans whereby you both will be benefited.

...ne soap that makes it float. Castile soap is made from olive oil and soda or mixed potash. Shaving soap is prepared chiefly from coconut and palm kernel oils, which impart its lathering qualities. Small amounts of gum or other substances are often added to shaving creams to make the lather dry more slowly. The most important of the animal oils used in making soap are tallow and grease; of the vegetable oils, cottonseed, coconut, palm, castor, olive, linseed and soy bean.

'Raining Cats and Dogs'

According to "Everyday Sayings," in northern mythology the cat is supposed to have great influence on the weather, and English sailors still say "the cat has a gale of wind in her sail" when the animal is unusually frisky. Witches that rode upon the storms were said to assume the form of cats. The dog is the symbol of wind, like the wolf. Both of these animals were attendants of Odin, the storm god. In old pictures, the wind was figured as the head of a dog or wolf, from which came the blasts. The cat may therefore be taken as the symbol of the downpouring rain, and the dog as the symbol of the strong gusts of wind accompanying a rainstorm.

Sloth Lives Upside Down

The sloth lives upside down. Hook-like claws on his feet keep him suspended in a tree, where he eats leaves and fruit. Often he never gets out of the tree on which he is born. If something forces him to quit his home, he merely slides to the end of a limb, stretches out a foot, and waits for the wind to blow him near enough another tree to hook onto it, observes a writer in the Washington Post. Sloths are the despair of those who try to domesticate them. One owner, tired of his almost motionless pet, held it under a tree to liberate it. It was more than an hour before the creature shifted its feet enough to grip the limb they leaned against.

History of Elevators

The elevator dates from a platform hoist made by Henry Waterman of New York in 1850, this being a very crude affair operating between two floors. At about the same time George H. Fox & Co. of Boston were building the same type of elevator. In 1852 Elisha Graves Otis began the manufacture of elevators in Yonkers, N. Y., and in 1854 invented the first safety device to keep the car platform from falling. The first platform elevator was installed by Otis in 1857 in New York. In 1878 Charles R. Otis invented the safety governor. The first passenger elevator in an office building was the steam-driven type and was installed in New York in 1869.

Squirrels Guided by Tails

Squirrels are guided in their leaps from branch to branch and tree to tree by their tails. The name squirrel comes from the animal's tail. It is derived from the Greek "Skiaourous," which, in turn is taken from "Skeio," meaning shade, and "Ouros," meaning a tail. Literally, therefore, says the American Wildlife Institute, the squirrel is an animal shaded by its tail. This refers, no doubt, to the animal's appearance when sitting up.

Marie Downing BEAUTY AND ROMANCE

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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.



New Year's is always a time for making good resolutions, and when you are drawing up your list, don't forget to include a few all-important beauty rules. The reason so many people regard beauty rites as a bore, or worse still, a chore, is because they have never gone about them systematically. Taking care of your body is really lots of fun. Shop around until you find the best possible preparations for your particular type of skin and stick to it. There are some luscious creams and lotions on the market today, and some of them have been created especially for us. This Santa Claus didn't bring you the set of cosmetics you want, go out and play Santa to yourself.

Select Cosmetics With Care

Buying cosmetics requires a certain amount of thought and a knowledge of the needs of your own skin. Even such simple necessities as cleansing cream in two kinds, liquidifying cream, which is especially recommended for oily skin, and the heavier cold cream type which is excellent for skin that has become dry and harsh. Select which ever of these is best suited to your needs and use it religiously, at least once a day. If your skin is inclined to be dry, the application of a night cream before retiring (after the face has been thoroughly cleansed) will help correct this condition and is a tremendous aid in preventing the formation of fine lines and wrinkles.

And while you are playing Santa Claus to yourself, you may as well do it up right and start the New Year with the knowledge that you are looking your best. Include in your shopping list a jar of foundation cream, which protects the skin against the elements, makes your make-up go on more smoothly and last much longer, and gives the whole a natural looking effect.

Make-Up Should Match Skin Tone

And now check up on your make-up. Is that shade of powder you are using exactly blended for your skin or did you choose it in a careless moment? The slight difference in a shade of face powder can add or subtract years from your face. Be sure that yours is just right. The same holds true for your rouge and lipstick. Just because your hair is one color, or your eyes are light or dark, it's fun to experiment with different shades and combinations. Keep it up until you find the ones that look best on you. You'll enjoy it while you are doing it and the results, I assure you, will be gratifying.

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Health Hints

OVERWEIGHT IN WOMEN
Overweight in women, as well as in men, is unfavorable to longevity. Overweight persons show high death rates from chronic degenerative diseases of the circulatory system and kidneys, from diabetes, liver and child bearing diseases. Except at the younger ages, the trend of mortality according to weight is definitely toward a progression from a low mortality among underweights to a high mortality among others. Overweight should be treated as a disease in that a patient trying to lose weight should be under the care of a physician, to guard against sudden losses of weight and a deficiency in vitamins and minerals which are highly necessary for the body at all times.
A diet for loss of weight should consist of all foods, but in small quantities, with a moderate amount of water. The amount of water consumed every twenty-four hours is of vital importance.

CONFERENCES HELD ON ANTI-LYNCHING BILL

Washington, Feb. 6—Although America's foreign relations held the spotlight here this week, three conferences with key senators and representatives were held on proposed federal anti-lynching legislation by Walter White, secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.
The Wagner-Van Nuys-Capper bill in the senate and the Gavagan bill in the house, along with several similar measures, were the subjects of the conferences. Both the house and senate bills are in the hands of the judiciary committees and it is expected that hearings will be ordered by the committees shortly.

BISHOP WRIGHT APPOINTS WHITE WOMAN MISSIONARY IN SOUTH AFRICA

Bulawayo, Southern Rhodesia, South Africa, Feb. 6—(C)—At the close of the annual session of the Zambesi conference of the A. M. E. church, Bishop R. R. Wright, Jr., stated that he was going to do an unusual thing, to appoint a white woman as annual conference evangelist for Northern Rhodesia. He appointed Miss Lila Coon, who came from the United States to Rhodesia in 1920 as a missionary.

DR. B. G. BRAWLEY, NOTED HISTORIAN AND HOWARD PROFESSOR, PASSES AWAY

Washington, D. C., Feb. 10—Dr. Benjamin G. Brawley, internationally known historian, and professor of English at Howard university, died in Washington.
The 57 year old scholar died at his home, 120 Howard street, N. W., here in the capital last Wednesday morning. It was a tragic coincidence that the eminent educator should die almost on the eve of the thirteenth anniversary celebration of the Negro History Week.

BUNGLING OUR BEER LAW

The Des Moines city council has passed an ordinance separating beer and dancing. The law does not go into operation until July. Agitation has been going on for several months for such a law growing out of abuses that have grown up under the present system.
As for the Bystander, we feel that the council has been egged on to do this, not by practical people, but by theorists who know nothing of the real situation and who overlook the real trouble.
Under the present system, places where dancing is permitted pay an annual license of fifty dollars and six dollars per week for supervision. Unfortunately the charge for supervision is paid by the operator of the business and instead of enforcing the law they have winked at abuses in order for the proprietor to make money and pay their salary.
There are abuses under any law; certainly in the liquor set-up. And the only reason we get some results there is because public officials are charged with enforcing the law and are paid out of the public treasury.
Several years ago Des Moines broke up its redlight district and today the inmates of these old homes are scattered all over the city; some in our best residential districts. The evil has not been cured at all; it has been scattered.
The same will be true of beer

A NEW BUSINESS

Des Moines has a new beauty school, the Crescent, and of course it offers a course which prepares students to take the examination for cosmetology before the Iowa board.
This institution fills a long felt need in Iowa, because Negro students have had a difficult time meeting requirements of the state board, because no facilities have been available for practical work.
This provides a splendid opportunity for young people to qualify and Des Moines is indebted to the sponsors for making it.

Foils Mob

Elmore county (Ala.) woman sheriff, Mrs. W. A. Austin, with the help of her deputies, had eluded a white mob in twenty-five or thirty cars and lodged three men charged with killing a white planter safely in jail in Montgomery.
Indignation ran high, she said, and the deputies took roundabout roads to reach Montgomery.
Charlie Herrin, 60, was fatally shot Saturday by a masked man who invaded his home near here.
Mrs. Herrin was quoted as saying she and her husband were in their living room when they heard a noise. Then a man pointed a shotgun through a door, and shouted: "This is a holdup."
Authorities said Herrin started to rise from his chair and the man fired. Mrs. Herrin tossed the assailant her purse, containing \$1.50, and he fled.
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Toad's Tongue Impales Insects

Toads are equipped with tongues of special design to aid them in snipping up insects without bothering to exert themselves greatly. Like many other forms of animal life, says the American Wildlife Institute, the toad has a tongue which it shoots out to impale insects. Unlike the other insect gathering tongues, the toad's is not attached to the throat, but to the front of the upper jaw. It lies with its free end pointing backward and is not darted out, but snapped forward like a rubber band.

How Cellophane Is Made

The first step in the manufacture of cellophane is steeping sheets of pure spruce wood pulp in a caustic soda solution. This converts the pulp sheets into alkali cellulose. The sheets are then dumped into hoppers leading to shredding machines. After shredding the cellulose is white and fluffy, and looks like bread crumbs. Carbon disulfide is then added, changing the cellulose crumbs into an orange color. This is dissolved in another caustic acid solution, and forms viscose, which ripens under carefully controlled conditions. Then it goes to a casting machine, where in an acid bath it is coagulated from a liquid into a solid film, and then it rolls along through one bath after another, becoming progressively purer, more transparent, tougher and more pliable. Then it goes through heavy squeeze rolls, which press out all the liquid. Then it is wound on a core as the finished product.

Camphor Trees Flourish On Malaria-Ridden Land

In medicine camphor is used externally as a counter-irritant in sprains, rheumatic affections, bronchitis and other inflammatory conditions. Internally it is used for its calming influence in hysteria, general nervousness and neuralgia. And it is also used as a heart stimulant, especially during low fevers and in pneumonia, having a stimulating effect on circulation.
Camphor trees can grow in any tropical or subtropical country, but flourish best on the malaria-ridden, snake-infested slopes of Formosa, where it rains 240 days a year, and where to this day Japan has to send troops to clear out the headhunters who kill the camphor workers, relates an authority in the Philadelphia Record. In the 1850s two American merchants made a deal with the officials of Formosa to take the entire output, which is more than 75 per cent of the world's supply.
They dredged the port, put up a lighthouse. The trade became so profitable that Townsend Harris, first U. S. ambassador to Japan, urged this government to buy Formosa. But the Civil war was in the offing, and the chance passed, and the English stepped in. In 1895 China ceded Formosa to Japan, which made the camphor industry a government monopoly. Japan sells camphor to the world through one firm, in London.

Strip Coal Mining Also Called Open Air Method

Strip or open cut coal mining is a comparatively recent development. Through this method coal is mined in the open air. Sunburn replaces the underground cave-in as one of the principal dangers in this branch of the industry.
This form of mining recovers coal too shallow or too thin for mining by shaft or drift methods, observes a writer in the Chicago Tribune. Under the strip or open cut method the overburden of earth is removed with huge power shovels—some of them the largest moving pieces of machinery in the world—and the coal is then taken from the top of the seam. Width of the excavations varies with the size of the machine and the overburden, but it is not unusual for the pits to measure 200 feet or more in width from the brim of the original ground to the top of the spoil banks.
Lands worked over by the strip method are usually left with substantially parallel ridges. When new, these ridges give the appearance of a sawtooth roof.
The final excavation results in a cut varying with the depth of the coal seam. This may be from 10 to 50 feet deep, from 75 to 200 feet wide, and from one-quarter to three miles long.

Route of Lincoln Highway

The Lincoln highway, which is 3,334 miles long, connecting New York and San Francisco, begins in the East at New York City, Newark, and Trenton, N. J.; Philadelphia, Lancaster, York, Chambersburg and Pittsburgh, Pa.; East Liverpool, Canton, Mansfield and Lima, Ohio; Fort Wayne, Elkhart, South Bend and Valparaiso, Ind.; Chicago Heights, Aurora, Geneva, Schelle and Dixon, Ill.; Clinton, Cedar Rapids, Marshalltown, Jefferson and Council Bluffs, Iowa; Omaha, Columbus, Grand Island, Kearney and North Platte, Neb.; Cheyenne, Laramie, Medicine Bow, Rawlins, Rock Springs and Evanston, Wyo.; Salt Lake City, Garfield, Tooele and Idaho Falls, Utah; Ely, Eureka, Carson City and Reno, Nev.; and Truckee, Placerville, Sacramento, Stockton and Oakland, Calif. The Lincoln highway is marked with red, white and blue markers bearing a blue letter "L" on a white field.

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In the District Court of Iowa, in and for Polk County, January Term, 1939.
RILEY EVANS, Plaintiff,
vs.
ROSEBUD EVANS, Defendant.
To Rosebud Evans, Defendant.
You are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Iowa, in and for Polk County, the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause, claiming of you an absolute divorce on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment.
For further particulars see petition now on file.
And unless you appear thereto and defend at the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Iowa, in and for Polk County, on or before noon of the 2nd day of the next term of this Court, being the March, 1939, term, which will be begun and held at the Polk County Court House in Des Moines, Iowa, on 6th day of March, 1939, default will be entered against you and judgment and decree rendered thereon as prayed.
JAMES B. MORRIS,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
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Deer Are Not Mutes

The deer is usually considered by the layman to be mute. Ranger-naturalists of General Grant National park, California, say that frequently a yearling or fawn, when separated from its kind, will wander about forlornly, making a continuous moaning sound. The tones are so light as to be practically inaudible at a distance of 100 yards. Young fawns, old enough to travel about, when thus separated from the does will make a much louder sound than the yearlings.

Panama Shaped Like Caterpillar

Panama is shaped like a crawling caterpillar, with its head touching Costa Rica on the north, and its tail reaching southward to the forested mountains of Colombia, being equal in area to Maine. Panama City is on the Pacific side of the canal. The bay there is a fisherman's paradise. "Panama," in the native Indian tongue, means "abundant fish." The old city of Panama is the oldest town on the mainland of the Americas.

How to Live

Live then, live to your utmost and your best. Do not be afraid of anything; neither the bitterest sorrow that the world holds, nor its most poignant joy, can bring you anything but good, so long as you embrace it willingly, passionately. But, shun a sorrow or a joy, and you are clipped, maimed, blinded.—Benson.

ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County, Iowa.
OTTO LOHSE, Plaintiff,
vs.
HAZEL LOHSE, Defendant.
To HAZEL LOHSE, the above named defendant:
You are hereby notified that on or before the 24th day of January, 1939, the petition of plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County, claiming of you an absolute divorce on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment such as to endanger his life and health; and that you have willfully deserted the plaintiff and absented yourself from him without a reasonable cause for the space of two years; further asking that he be granted the privilege to reentry at will and for such other and further relief as may be equitable in the premises.
For further particulars see petition, and unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of next term of said court, which will convene and be held at the Court House in Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on the 6th day of March, 1939, default will be entered against you and judgment and decree rendered thereon as prayed.
Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 23rd day of January, 1939.
EARL GRITTON,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
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ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County, Iowa.
CHARLOTTE A. HOFFER, Plaintiff,
vs.
ROLAND E. HOFFER, Defendant.
To ROLAND E. HOFFER, the above named defendant:
You are hereby notified that on or before the 5th day of January, 1939, the petition of plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County, claiming of you an absolute divorce on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment such as to endanger her life and health; and that you have willfully deserted the plaintiff and absented yourself from her without a reasonable cause for the space of two years; further asking that he be granted the privilege to reentry at will and for such other and further relief as may be equitable in the premises.
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To Rosebud Evans, Defendant.
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And unless you appear thereto and defend at the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Iowa, in and for Polk County, on or before noon of the 2nd day of the next term of this Court, being the March, 1939, term, which will be begun and held at the Polk County Court House in Des Moines, Iowa, on 6th day of March, 1939, default will be entered against you and judgment and decree rendered thereon as prayed.
JAMES B. MORRIS,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
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To John M. Ferrell, Bessie Ferrell Edmons Scarpio, Clara K. Scarpio, Albert Hoos, Genevieve Hoos, Henderson H. Coulter, Esther H. Coulter, Walter J. Grinnell, Eleanor J. Schlemmer, persons in possession of real estate described below:
To Minnie Hook, person in whose name the property described below is taxed.
You are hereby notified that on the 5th day of December, 1937, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:
6 feet North of and adjoining and all Lots 75 and North 27 feet Lot 74, Tricket's Addition,
now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, was sold by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, for the delinquent and unpaid taxes against the said real estate for the years 1934, 1935, 1936, to Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the said real estate will be made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice.
Dated this 12th day of January, 1939.
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ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Iowa, in and for Polk County, March Term, 1939.
CLARENCE ALLAN YARKS, Plaintiff,
vs.
RUBY PEARL PARKS, Defendant.
To Ruby Pearl Parks, Defendant:
You are hereby notified that the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause is now on file with the Clerk of the District Court of Iowa, in and for Polk County, claiming of you an absolute divorce on the ground that since the marriage of you and plaintiff that you have been guilty of such cruel and inhuman treatment toward the plaintiff so as to endanger the life and health of plaintiff.
For further particulars see petition now on file with the clerk of the above court in the above entitled cause.
Now unless you appear thereto and answer or defend on or before noon of the second day of the next March Term, 1939, of the above named court, and said March Term will commence at the Polk County Court House located in Des Moines, Iowa, on the 6th day of March, 1939, default will be entered and other equitable relief in accordance with the prayer of plaintiff's petition.
Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 16th day of January, 1939.
THEODORE F. MANTZ,
Attorney for the Plaintiff.
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To LeRoy L. Powers, Anna W. Powers, persons in possession of real estate described below:
To Anna E. Sloan, person in whose name the property described below is taxed.
You are hereby notified that on the 5th day of December, 1937, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:
Lot 5, Golfway Park,
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