

SUCCESSFUL COOKING SCHOOL ENDS

Noted Pianist to Appear in Recital Here May 15

Miss Josephine Harreld, well-known pianist of Atlanta, Ga., will be featured in a musical concert sponsored by St. Simon's Episcopal Church, Monday evening, May 15th.



MISS JOSEPHINE HARRELD

At the Jewish Community Center. Miss Harreld, a young woman of rare musical ability, is known throughout the country for her clarity and beauty of tone, her authori-

father, Kemper Harreld, enjoys a national reputation as a violinist and teacher and is the head of the music department of Morehouse and Spelman Colleges.

MRS. BROWN AND SIMS GO TO ELECTORAL COLLEGE

At the conference of the members of St. Paul A. M. E. Church, last Wednesday evening Mrs. S. Joe Brown, a steward and superintendent of the Sunday School, was elected a delegate and R. S. Sims another steward and clerk of the church was elected alternate to the quadrennial electoral college of the Northwestern Annual Conference, which will convene in Cedar Rapids on Tuesday May 9th.

At this electoral college will assemble delegates from all the A. M. E. Churches in Iowa, Minnesota, North and South Dakota and from their number will be elected two delegates to the General Conference of the church which will convene in Detroit, Mich. a year later, in which general conference will be elected all the general officers of the church for the next quadrennial period and also bishops to fill the three vacancies and any others that might occur before that time.

FOUR NEGRO BOYS HELP RUN D. C. FOR DAY

Washington, April 18 (ANP) — For one day the city government is in the hands of the future generation, during that day, students from various schools are placed in positions of responsibility and trust to see just how the government of the city functions.

This year, four colored lads were participants in the administration of capitol affairs. Eugene Branham, of Browne Junior high, represented Howard Hale Long as assistant superintendent of schools, divisions 10-18; John Franklin of the Terrell Junior high, represented Dr. William J. Thompkins, recorder of deeds, and one of the most important city officers; Joseph Bently of Randall Junior high represented Armond W. Scott, judge of the municipal court; Juan Munderay of Francis Junior

high, represented A. Kigel Savoy, assistant superintendent of schools.

Negro Chamber to Publish Directory Next Month

A directory of Des Moines Negro business concerns will be published by the Business Bureau of the Negro Chamber of Commerce, it was announced at a dinner meeting Monday at the Blue Triangle YWCA.

Workers under the supervision of Mrs. Helen D. Beshears are listing all Negro business enterprises in Polk County and compiling other information and data of interest to local consumers and visitors to the city.

Dr. E. Thomas Scales, A. P. Trotter and R. E. Patten have completed the preliminary details of the directory and are being assisted in the promotion of the project by Mesdames Azalia Mitchell, Gertrude North, Cora Moore and Rev. A. Ross Brent, Chas. P. Howard, F. B. Warwick and Manson L. James.

The directories, will be available for distribution within 30 days.

Pinkard Is Pride of Race

Maceo Pinkard, writer of many song hits known the world over, can well be ranked as one of the world's famous composers. He has written such popular numbers as "Mamy O' Mine," "Don't Cry Little Girl, Don't Cry," "Who'll Love You While I'm Gone," "Sugar," "Sweet Georgia Brown," "Don't Be Like That," "Congratulations," and also the complete score for the musical comedy "Liza" which ran nine months on Broadway in 1922-23.

He was greatly responsible for the success of many Broadway stars, some of which are Florence Mills, Nina Mae McKinney, Duke Ellington, and others. He wrote many special songs for numerous big stage stars who are ranked as "tops" today, and he has also written for the most noted music firms, such as Harms and Co., Feist, Irv-

Crocker Y Will Observe Twentieth Anniversary

Rev. G. W. Robinson, Speaker at Anniversary Banquet. T. M. Kelly, chairman of the arrangements committee for the 20th Anniversary banquet of the Crocker Street Branch YMCA, announced the acceptance of Rev. G. W. Robinson, pastor of Corinthian Baptist Church, as one of the guest speakers.

Rev. Robinson, dean of Des Moines ministers, is one of the founders of the branch and a brother of the first executive secretary, Ernest C. Robinson, now of Flint, Michigan.

With the limit set at two hundred, more than half that number of reservations has already been made for the dinner program. The committee has set May 9 as the final date on which reservations may be obtained. The affair is being held in commemoration of the twentieth year of YMCA work in Des Moines among Negroes and will be at St. Paul A. M. E. Church Friday evening, May 12 at 7 p. m.

Former Chinese "Y" Executive in City. Dr. Hubert Liang of Canton, China, professor of social sciences, was in the city Monday for a speaking engagement before the University Club at Younkers Tea Room at a

Lucas, treasurer; the Misses Lillian Carr, Louise Carr, Lucille Chandler, Minnette and Lorraine Frazier, Pearl Nolan, Marjorie Flanagan, Theresa Lucas, Bernadine and Minnie Robinson, Boracic Jones and Messrs. Elmer Evans, Robert Green, Clarence Lucas, Robert Crow, Edward Maupin, Charles Flanagan, Donald Tolson, and Leonard Sharp.

MRS. WILDA LOWERY DIES. Cedar Rapids, Iowa April 22—Mrs. Wilda Lowery, widow of Luther D. Lowery, a former mail carrier, died at her home Friday, April 21 after a lingering illness. Surviving are a daughter, Jane Louise, her mother, Mrs. Sarah Suter Warn; two brothers, Walter S. and Mark H.; a

WELL KNOWN BEAUTICIAN TO BE IN CITY FOR OPENING OF BEAUTY SCHOOL

Miss Marjorie Stewart Joyner, National Supervisor of the Madame Walker College of Beauty Culture, will arrive in the city Sunday morning for the formal opening of the Crescent Beauty School.

While in the city her program includes a brief talk on Sunday afternoon at the Open House Tea, sponsored by the Iowa Beauticians League. Sunday night at 8:00 p. m. at the Corinthian Baptist church she will be the principal speaker.

Besides being national supervisor, Mrs. Joyner is also national president of the National Beauty Culture League in America, a member of the Zeta Phi Beta Sorority and chairman of Business Women of the Federated Womens' club of Chicago.

She will be the guest of Mrs. Pauline Brown and will remain in the city until Monday night. Mrs. Joyner is the brother-in-law of A. A. Alexander, civil engineer and business man of this city.

V. President Slips a Cog

GARNER ABSENCE FROM ANDERSON CONCERT MAY COST HIM PRESIDENCY

Washington, D. C. April 21—In their syndicated column "Washington Merry-Go-Round" Drew Pearson and Robert S. Allen assert, "the fact that Vice President Garner failed to attend the Marian Anderson concert before the Lincoln Memorial, or even to acknowledge the invitation, may ruin his chances for the Presidency."

The section of the column dealing with this topic is entitled "Garner and Negroes". It stated that it was the failure of Charles Hughes to shake hands with Hiram Johnson that lost him the election to Woodrow Wilson and today the fact that the Vice President Garner did not attend the concert of Marian Anderson or acknowledge the invitation may have ruined his chances.

Colored Vote Can Swing Election. He also brought out that the colored vote could swing the election in either direction in certain key states.

The article also stated that Garner has told Senate Colleagues that he didn't receive an invitation, that Secretary Ickes did not send him one "on this latter point, Garner is correct, but only by a technicality. The invitation was sent not by Ickes, but by Oscar Chapman in cooperation with Caroline O'Day, Congresswoman from New York, Western Un-

Mrs. Helen Beshears Gets Grand Prize; 40 Others Win

This year's presentation of the By-stander Cooking School and Home Maker's Institute proved to be a great success, judging from the large crowds that attended all three sessions. Over 500 interested persons listened and watched attentively as Mrs. Clara Johnson, demonstrator and instructor made Devils Food Cake, Rainbow Sandwich Loaf, Frozen Cheese Salad and Codfish Balls during the Friday night's session.

The following tempting dishes were shown to the audience. Cup Cakes, Sunshine Cake, Chocolate cake, Sandwich Loaf, Codfish Balls, Bohemian Onion soup, Frozen Salad, Ham stuffed with Spinach and Butter Balls.

After the cooking demonstration a short fashion parade was presented by Clara Fant, assisted by Mrs. Georgine Morris, modiste. Models were Emma Ratton, Gertrude Green, Marguerite Green, Ava Cassell, Ruby Vanderveer, Viola Barker, Joyce Nickens, Clementine Nickens, Mildred Randle and Anna Morris and Carrielle Johnson. Hair Style Models were Marlyne Perkins, Ava Cassell and Mildred Williams. The Pop and Pepper Steppers of the East Community Center presented a short song and dance act. Delores

Brown sang a popular solo "If I Didn't Care," and the Oliver twins, Beverly and Barbara sang "I Cried For You."

Prizes Awarded. Many prizes were awarded during the evening. Baskets of food were won by Mrs. Helen Martin, Myrtle Oscars, Clementine Nickens, Mrs. Meredith Carl, Ava Cassell, Lulu Mae Turner, Mrs. Jesseran Dixon, Mrs. Maud Howard, Flora Mae Carter and Mrs. Julia Campbell. Winners of bottles of Clorox were Leona Palmer, Emery Wade, Freddy Oscars, and Jake Colbert, extra large size bottle. A beautiful cut glass perfume bottle from Helzberg Jewelry company was given to Martha McGee, 1020 Crocker Street and Charlotte Williams 1320 Laurel Street won the Sunshine Cake made by Mrs. Johnson.

Grand Prize. Mrs. Helen Dameron Beshears, 1327 11th Street, held the lucky number for the grand prize, a lovely silver steak platter donated by Joseph's Jewelry Company.

Prize-winners of the ten baskets Thursday night were Dr. L. R. Willis, Gordon, Miller, Mrs. Anna Ware, Miss Ellen Burrell, Mrs. Lessie Manuel, Roy Connor, Mrs. James Wade, Mrs. Emma E. Evans, Miss Wilhelmnia Lewis, and Mrs. L. H. Duke. The special prize, a powder and compact set from Armand Company was won by Robert Craddock. Recipes used during the night were Cherry Sponge Torte, Cup Cakes, Boiled Ham in Cider and Crab Gumbo.

Crescent Beauty School to Have Formal Opening

Sunday will mark the formal opening date of the Crescent Beauty School, 1050 13th street. This institution, was started by Mrs. Pauline Brown, veteran beautician and owner of Polly's Beauty Shop, 16th & Walker street began business January 31. Ten students are enrolled in the school.

Miss Mildred Guinn from Sioux Falls, South Dakota, is the assistant instructor. Mrs. Marjorie Stewart Joyner, National Supervisor of Madame C. J. Walker College of Beauty Culture, will formerly dedicate the school Sunday night at a special program at Corinthian Baptist church. On this program the students of the school will be presented. Mrs. S. Joe Brown will act as mistress of ceremonies.



MRS. MARJORIE STEWART JOYNER

National supervisor of Beauty Culture, who will give in the city Sunday to dedicate the Crescent Beauty School.

Ask Gov. to Veto Bill for Mo. School

MISSOURI GOVERNOR ASKED TO VETO BILL WHICH FLOUTS SUPREME COURT

Jefferson City, Mo. April 25—A bill which "double crosses" Negro citizens of this state and ignores the opinion of the United States Supreme court in the famous Lloyd Gaines case has been passed by both houses of the Missouri legislature, but Governor Lloyd C. Stark has been urged to veto the measure.

The telegram, urging Governor Stark to act has been sent here by Walter White, secretary of the National Association of Colored People and hinted plainly that further legal action would be taken if the bill became a law.

Aroused More Resentment

The bill known as No. 195, sponsored and pushed by Representative Taylor has aroused more resentment and united opposition among colored citizens of this state than any bill in the last 15 years. When the bill was before the House committee, 25 automobiles of citizens journeyed to this city to testify before the committee and register protests. Later when the bill came before the Senate committee for a hearing, more than 300 citizens came in caravans from Kansas City and St. Louis and in-between-points to register their disapproval with the Senate.

PINEY WOODS SINGERS TO BROADCAST

The Piney Woods School singers from Piney Woods, Mississippi will broadcast over NBC Saturday morning, April 29th at 11:00 a. m. from Washington, D. C.

EDITORIALS

The Iowa Bystander

Established in 1894
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In spite of all the labor organizations and laws we have adopted during the past few years, the deadlocks between coal operators and miners occur when their work contracts expire just the same...

NOT IN THIS

Ordinarily, the Bystander has no opposition to humanitarian consideration of any worthy cause. But it does find itself opposed to the proposal to admit refugee children into this country from Germany or any other country.

Undoubtedly, thousands of children are suffering in Germany, China and other countries. But is it not true that hundreds of thousands of children in this country are suffering for lack of food, clothing, shelter, education, medical care and every conceivable want one can describe?

Discussing the question with a juvenile court official, he told the editor of the Bystander that if these people who advocate this program saw what he does among unfortunate children almost daily, they would commence their charity at home rather than abroad.

And too, the advocates of this program are those in high places who never come in contact with the urchins in the slums or back woods of some of our rural communities who will never have a chance to grow up other than in dirt, ignorance and poverty.

YES, WE KNOW IT

The Sunday Register carried a splendid story of a Des Moines couple, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen, who are building a new home here. It told of their desire for many years to build and own a home of their own and the difficulties they encountered in order that their wishes might be attained.

For instance, they stated that it was difficult for Negroes to build a new home in Des Moines citing the fact that financing the construction was almost impossible—generally the homes are built in what is known as Negro neighborhoods. The loan companies steer clear of these locations and the poor white ones too for that matter.

Further, they said government loans could not be arranged even though their credit risk would be satisfactory.

Health Hints

(By Dr. C. R. Bradford)
SOME FACTS ABOUT CANCER THAT EVERYONE SHOULD KNOW

Cancer is the second largest cause of death in the United States. It is curable when adequately treated in its early stages. If left untreated it is always fatal.

Cancer can only be treated successfully by one or more of the following: Surgery, radium and x-ray.

Of Interest

By Clara Fant

Our column this week consists of the daily activities that make up the busy and progressive life of the Roadside Settlement, located at S. E. 7th and Scott Streets, J. Melton Moore is executive director assisted by Miss Mabel Hopkinson. This is a community house for both Negroes and white residents of the south east side.

Every morning the Settlement is opened at 8:00 a. m. for the preschool children. There are about fourteen enrolled and half of them are colored. The school is equipped with indoor sliding boards, dolls, doll carriages, games of all kinds and blocks.

Because of the small seating capacity of the auditorium it is impossible to have a combined community movies, so Wednesday evening of every week is turned over to the colored directors for movies, for their group and Thursday evening is for the white. Two dances are sponsored each month, one for each group.

The building is a large brick structure of three stories with approximately eight rooms on each floor. There are two buildings in the rear one for the Adult Education project and the other for gymnastics. There is an attendance of about 175 Negroes and 500 whites each week. For the month the attendance usually runs between twelve and thirteen thousand.

When the government went into this housing field, it set out to help the small fellow who could not secure accommodations from loan companies already in existence. But the rule has not worked out.

Local real estate men, by placing themselves in key places, have gained control of these agencies and they have become as difficult to deal with as local companies. And the government housing administration is helping the rich rather than the poor as originally intended.

These things the Bystander has said editorially. It speaks of them again simply because in the news columns of the Register, this unfair system has been given wide publicity.

TWO SISTERS IN LOVE

By Theresa M. Brown
Pearl and Lorraine were the only Barton left except an old aunt who helped them share their large expensive mansion. Pearl and Lorraine were left six million dollars by

their mother and father who were killed instantly in an accident. Their allowance came in every month and they no sooner got it than it was gone. They were always buying new gowns and throwing big parties.

Lorraine was sixteen, with black curly hair, mischievous dark brown eyes, and a "hello everybody smile." They all called her Denver for no good reason at all. Pearl was eighteen with snappy black eyes, black curly hair and you liked her whether you wanted to or not.

It was two o'clock and Lorraine was putting her weary self to bed after a Saturday night spree. Pearl was kissing Theodore Nelson good-night and Lorraine heard him say: "You were gorgeous tonight darling."

It was three o'clock when Lorraine woke up the next day. Pearl was sunning on the beach. She phoned Lorraine that they would have dinner together at eight.

Going at top speed with her thoughts ahead Denver plunged into another car crash! Bang and a shiny nickelplate lay amongst a pile of broken glass and wrecked car bodies.

Denver crawled from under a mass of junk and stuck her head through what used to be the door of her car. She could hear the crackling sound of dirt under his feet as he walked around to see who had been hurt.

Denver shook her black curls in place and smiled, then like a child playing hide and seek she said, "Boo!"

He whirled about and snapped his fingers. "There you are. You had me scared. I thought you were a goner. Are you hurt?" Denver looked at him and laughed.

"What's so funny?" "Nothing I'm just excited." "You sure know how to take it and such an infant too!" "I'm not an infant! I'm sixteen!"

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"I was right—just a baby."
(Is to Be Continued Next Week)

Gossamer, Filmy Cobweb, Is Produced by Spiders
Gossamers are filmy cobwebs floating in the air or clinging to plants and other objects. Spiders eject them like other webs, in the form of viscid fluid. Sometimes several threads are produced simultaneously.

It is supposed that the gossamers are spun when the spider is on an elevated point and that some of the webs are wafted by the wind as they are ejected. Not infrequently the spider itself is carried away with a tangle of webs. Often the single strands of the web are so fine that they can not be seen readily except when the sun is shining on them.

Far-fetched as the theory may seem, the fact that "summer-goose" is a localism in England for "gossamer" is pointed out in confirmation. Gossamers are in fact seen chiefly during warm weather in the fall and this has led some naturalists to the conclusion that these cobwebs are produced only by young spiders.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON SPECIAL EXECUTION DISTRICT COURT OF POLK COUNTY, IOWA

Polk County Mark L. Johnson, Plaintiff

Alice Gertrude Griffin, Arthur W. Griffin, and Alice Gertrude Griffin, Administratrix of the Estate of George C. Chapman, Deceased, Defendants.

Public notice is hereby given that, BY VIRTUE OF A SPECIAL EXECUTION TO ME DIRECTED, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, in favor of Mark L. Johnson, and against Alice Gertrude Griffin, Arthur W. Griffin, Alice Gertrude Griffin, Adm's of Est. of George C. Chapman, Deceased, in Rem on a judgment rendered by said court on the 19th day of March A. D. 1939, wherein it was ordered, adjudged and decreed that the following described property be sold to satisfy said judgment to-wit:

Commencing at a point 6.12 chains East of the Northwest Corner of Section 21, Township 19, Range 23 West of the 4th P. M. Iowa, thence East along the North line of said Section 6.32 chains, thence South 16.85 chains, thence West 6.32 chains, thence North 16.85 chains to the place of beginning, containing 10.17 acres, more or less, according to government survey; all in Polk County, Iowa.

NOW, THEREFORE, public notice is hereby given that unless the said defendants appear at my office in Des Moines, on or before the 26th day of May A. D. 1939, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at which time said above described property is hereby advertised to be sold, and pay off the amount of said execution, with interest and costs, I will sell said property, or sufficient there-of to satisfy said execution, with interest and costs, at public outcry, to the highest bidder at the east front door of the Court House in Des Moines, Iowa, for cash in hand to pay off said execution.

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SPORTS



By Allen Ashby

NEGRO ATHLETES GATHER FOR RELAYS

The Thirtieth Drake Relay carnival finds us scratching our heads and wondering where our outstanding Negro athletes are coming from, for the Penn Relays have stolen Mozelle Ellerbee, the big Tuskegee sprinter who won the hundred last year, Bill Watson, captain of Michigan's track team and Paul Walker, brother of Mel Walker of Ohio State high jumping fame.

So from this viewpoint it looks as if we will be forced to see our events, the short dash and the broad jump, go by the boards. But the thing that will bring out the Negro enthusiasts is the ever present possibility of uncovering another Ellerbee who astonished all the critics, including Yours' Truly, last year.

Negro Schools Represented

Another angle is that for the first time more than one Negro school is being represented by a full team. Prairie View of Texas, boasting some of the finest athletes in the country, will send a team and out of this group may come some surprises, for Prairie View doesn't send her boys out to look bad. Xavier of New Orleans, coached by Ralph Metcalf, three-time century winner here, will be represented and Xavier also does not sign out champs. Western University of Kansas City will be here, again with a much better squad than they had last year. They have Bob Koffman of Ft. Dodge, who has burned up more than his share of sinders on the Drake track as a high school athlete. Bob has an outside chance to win the hundred.

Then Lincoln U. of Jefferson City will be back and with experience gained from last year, will be much tougher.

When you see Prairie View, Xavier and Lincoln you will be seeing three of the finest Negro schools in the Southwest and every Negro spectator present should feel a surge of pride as he sees these schools in action, for this is indeed a far cry from the days when there were one or maybe two Negro athletes in the

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Our High Schools
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SOCIAL - CLUBS - PERSONALS

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

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Runners To Your Mark! Get Set! Two Seconds To Go! Boom! And they're off... You Said it—it's at the RELAYS. And oh these sharp athletes from Xavier and Prairie View and elsewhere with the fine, broad, clean, physique... and the party at the Hapac Grotto! Cocktail parties! Reception etc! It's all much to much! I'm exhausted just thinking of it all.

So much ADO over the "Hold Tight" song—especially the phrase "nacky-wacky-sacky-want some SEA FOOD mama" Tish-Tish.

HERE AND THERE: Young Hardaway created, designed and sewed that blue "robin hood hat" with the tall green feather which he is wearing... who could be the important person whom Archie D. was buying ice cream for at 1:00 in the morning. Ola Mc. and B. Woody had their daggers out for each other as they exchanged dirty cracks in Surveys Grill last week. By the way... the Jitterbugs did miss the Grill last Sun nite... Bill Ashby has "pulled in his horns" and is not what he used to be... Saw two persons married to other persons (I'll live one hundred years and won't breathe the names) were seen together holding hands at last weeks Bank Nite at the D. M. Theatre.

It is dark in the Theatre, but persons soon become accustomed to it and can easily see things so DO BE CAREFUL. A new game a South Side Mellow Bachelor has invented is "Lovers Lane Tease"—ever try it? Warm weather brings ALL and I do mean ALL "Zigs" out like swarms of bees to jive, chit-chat, gossip and blow each other up on the avenue.

NOTES: G. Overton, all excited cause she wasn't home when that long distance phone call came from the Romeo in Davenport—by the way he makes them every Monday. Zeke E. at glimpsing the Royalty-Queen of Denmark last wk. sighed, "If I could spend one nite with that gorgeous creature I expect I'd have to be put under an oxygen tent suffering from a mental clasp" (Now how should one take this remark)... K. Burris is in Missouri visiting L. Day—been gone a month... forgot to come home.

LOST: One eligible bachelor, Ace, Lucky, Sharp, Snooth, L. T. Johnson, this week via the marriage route to Mildred W... I hear that many a lady fair will weep... If I live to tell the story after the RELAY EXCITEMENT, I'll see you next week.

Party of Six Spends Sunday in Omaha

A party of six Des Moines spent Sunday in Omaha where the "Golden Spike Days" celebration is now in progress. This four-day celebration of the seventieth anniversary of the construction of the first trans-continental railroad, Union Pacific, began officially Wednesday. But for many days before that celebrations have been in progress. Mrs. Helen Beshears, member of the group reported that all of Omaha business houses and people were decorated and dressed to appear as those in 1874.

Prince Roberts, Mrs. Alice McCraney, Miss Ola McCraney, Mose Shaekeford, Miss Roberta Maupin and Mrs. Beshears composed the party.

Mrs. Helen Beshears, juvenile court officer, will speak tonight on the program of the first annual banquet of the B. Y. P. U. of Mount Olive church held at the Roadside Settlement instead of last Thursday night as stated in last week's issue.

A basketball game and dance sponsored by the Twentieth Century club were given at the Neighborhood House, E. 13th & Grand Avenue last night. The Des Moines All-Stars was one of the basketball teams.

Mrs. S. D. Warden, Butler, Missouri, formerly Mrs. S. Bryant, has been in the city visiting for ten days. While here she was the house guest of her daughter, Mrs. Garnet Cannon, 1226 Center Street. She returned to her home Sunday evening. A surprise party was given in her honor, April 18 at the home of her daughter.

Jam Session

Musicians club will hold a jam session Sunday night, April 30th at the Billiken Ballroom, beginning at 8:30 p. m.

Orchestra Vocalist Leaves City

Lucille Walker Lee, known as "Babe Lee," vocalist in Don Clifton's Rhythm Aces who appeared at the Billiken Ballroom April 10th left Sunday morning for Blythville, Arkansas, to visit her mother, Mrs. Queenie Walker. She will remain there until her divorce from Sylvester Lee is granted.

Mrs. Lee will wed Mr. Oscar Thomas Barlow of Ripley, Tennessee, immediately after securing her divorce.

Mesdames John Wilson, Edna Woodward, Gertrude Stark and J. H. Woods, accompanied William T. Johnson to Marshalltown, April 23 to hear a Christian Science Lecture.

George Woods of Omaha stopped in Des Moines for several days this week to visit his brother, J. H. Woods, 1420 Maryland Avenue. He was enroute from Chicago.

J. H. Woods, 1420 Maryland Avenue, received word of the sudden death of his sister, Mrs. Ollie Hobson of Chicago last week. Mr. Woods was unable to attend the funeral because of illness. She is survived by two brothers, George Woods of Omaha and J. H. Woods; also one daughter, Mrs. Mae Penn of Chicago.

The Past Time club met at the home of Mrs. Grace Smith with Allen Roland as hostess. The evening was spent playing bridge. Prizes were won by Mrs. Mary Williams and Mrs. Allen Roland, respectively. The next meeting will be at the home of Helen Gaines.

Mrs. Estella Broomfield, 1131 11th street spent the week end visiting Marieha Parker and Mrs. Isabelle Tubbs of Marshalltown. She was the house guest of Mrs. Parker, who is an evangelist. Other guests in the Parker home were the Rev. Broiles and Mr. and Mrs. C. Means of Waterloo. White in Marshalltown, Mrs. Broomfield preached Sunday, April 23 at the morning service of the First M. E. church. At the evening service she preached for the First Presbyterian church.

Club Will Celebrate Music Week

Dilettante club will hold its National Music Week program May 9th at the Hotel La Marguerite. Mrs. Grace Clark DeGraff, well-known musician, will be the principal speaker and will also sing a few selections. Several instrumental and vocal numbers will be included.

Y Stars Hold Dance Tomorrow Night

Y Star club is sponsoring an informal dance Friday night from 9:30 p. m. to 1:00 a. m. at the Billiken Ballroom.

On Thursday night the club members were entertained by Mrs. Lillian Edmunds. The entertainment consisted of a visit to A. Esters' studio. Mr. Esters gave a talk and demonstrated his hobby, sculpturing. The group then returned to the center where refreshments were served.

Camera club was organized Monday night. Mr. Glen Woods is the instructor. The next meeting will be held next Monday night.

Civic club will meet next Thursday at the West Community Center. Mrs. Mabel M. Mason is president.

Garden club of West Community Center will meet Friday night, May 5th at the Center. Two speakers will address the club on annuals and perennials.

Mrs. Goetha Trotter, 934 14th Street Place will act as hostess to the Mary Church Terrell club Monday night.

ANNOUNCE JUNIOR PROM DANCE DATES

The following schedule of dances for the regular College and High School Junior Proms during the month of May has been announced by Mrs. Azalia Mitchell, sponsor.

Friday, May 5—There will be no dance.

Friday, May 12—"Sport Dance"—Don Clifton's college thirteen piece band will furnish the music.

Friday, May 19—"Kiddie Dance"—Lloyd Hunters 13 piece band will play.

These dances are strictly College-High School and admission is by membership card only. Chaperones are Wilda Mullins, Nathalie Wilkerson, Adah Graham, and Azalia Mitchell.

ENTERTAIN YWCA DELEGATES

The delegates to the regional Y. W. C. A. conference held in Milwaukee, Wisconsin in April were entertained Sunday afternoon at a tea at the Blue Triangle Branch Y. W. C. A.

Delegates representing the branch Y were Mrs. Hazel Dixon and Korine Jackson.

Chamber of Commerce held their regular dinner meeting Monday evening at the Y. W. C. A.

The AEA Nun club meeting scheduled for Sunday has been postponed until next Sunday afternoon at 4:00 p. m. at the Y. W. C. A.

DRAKE KEYS PLAN BIG TIME FOR VISITING ATHLETES AND VISITORS

Preparations for a gala week end for visitors and home folk have been completed by the Drake Keys. Arrangements have been made to entertain over 150 guests.

Tomorrow night the club will honor the relay boys and other guests at a reception at the Y. W. C. A. The members of the club will be dressed in formal attire and on hand to greet the guests at 7:00 p. m. The reception will continue until 9:00 p. m.

The annual relay semi-formal dance is expected to draw a crowd of over 200 persons Saturday to the Hapac Grotto Hall, 417 1/2 6th avenue. Dancing to the music of the Harlem Hot Shots will begin at 9:00 p. m. A large key signifying the club's name and the letters D-R-A-K-E will be the only decorations.

All out of town guests are cordially invited to attend all of the social affairs.

WEST COMMUNITY CENTER

The coming week will be registration week for the last five week course in sewing. This course is for mothers only and it is held every Wednesday and Thursday nights from 7:30 to 9:30 at the Center. Mrs. Georgine Morris is the instructor.

IN THE SHADOW OF THE STARS

By Abbe Wallace

YOUNGEST MENIALIST 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.

M. C. D.—I have been benefited much since corresponding with you. Would it be wise for me to see a specialist or continue with my same doctor and is what he has told me the truth?

Ans: The doctor you have is perfectly capable of handling your case, provided of course you give him your best cooperation. Under the present circumstances it might be well to discontinue your friendship with the party in mind for what your doctor told appears to be true.

R. B. M.—This man I have been with for two years is mean and I want to get rid of him. I don't care for him at all and he will not leave me. Tell me what to do?

Ans: In order to free yourself from this person, it is going to be necessary for you to make another change of cities. But this time, do not let him know where you are going for he will surely follow you.

J. L.—Will you please tell me what

to do to get small, I weigh about 195 lbs. and I can't wear any of my dresses and I am so worried I don't know what to do. Help me please?

Ans: Reducing is a serious problem and it should be done under the care of a physician. It will take a number of months to get back down to normal and you may begin by leaving off your starchy foods as well as sweets and eat moderately. See your doctor.

M. E. V.—I have been good to the people here in this community. The family that lives on the place with me had sickness and I waited on them all through it and now they won't have anything to do with me. Why do they high-hat me?

Ans: The whole family felt that you are entirely too interested in the son that was ill... this is the reason they have acted cool here of late. Be exceptionally nice to them and pay less attention to the young man and they will take up more time with you.

EAST COMMUNITY CENTER

The M. Y. M. club entertained with a dancing party at the East Des Moines Community Center Saturday evening, April 22.

Mrs. Gertrude North entertained the Pep and Pepper Steppers with a party at the Center Tuesday afternoon, April 25.

The Commodore Athletic club gave a party Thursday evening April 27.

THANKS

I wish to use this means of thanking my many friends for their tokens of flowers, cards of sympathy, fruit and many kindnesses during my recent serious illness. Mrs. Mattie B. Scott, 1425 Center Street.

CORRECTION

The Bystander stated last week on Page 2 that the "Chicken House" opened at 15th & Walker Streets

would be operated with Corrine Adams, manager and Gladys Carter, co-manager. This is an error and should be Corrine Adams and Gladys Carter, partners.

MARRIAGES

Joy Danforth, D. M. 25

Ray Lee, D. M. 26

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF IOWA

AND FOR POLK COUNTY

July 1939 Term

PLEASE JACKSON, Plaintiff, vs. SANDY JACKSON, Defendant.

To Sandy Jackson, Defendant:

You are hereby notified that on or about the 26th day of April 1939, the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled case will be filed in the office of the clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the next term, being the July 1939 term of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, which will convene in the Court House at Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on the 2nd day of July 1939, your default will be entered and judgment or decree rendered against you therein as provided by law.

Filed at Des Moines, Iowa, this 24th day of April 1939.

W. LAWRENCE OLIVER

Attorney for Plaintiff

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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.

There is no single article in a lady's make-up kit which gives her such a lift as lipstick. It brightens her inside and out. You have all had the experience of the mirror and thinking, "My, how drab I look!" and feeling drab as a result. Then, automatically, you reach for your lipstick and you look like a new woman and feel better too. That dash of red across your face colors your spirit as well as your mouth.

But don't take the word "dash" too literally. Unfortunately, too many of you do. You slap a line of lipstick across your face while mentally planning the grocery list, wondering if you will wear today, or wondering if you will be late for work. And as a consequence you look more like a clown in a tearing circus than a well-groomed lady of fashion.

Size of Mouth Important

The application of lipstick, and of all other cosmetics for that matter, requires time and attention. Study your lips carefully before you put on your lipstick. Figure out for yourself whether they are too small or too large and act accordingly. Fortunately for most of us, the size of the rosebud mouth is gone. No one wants a mouth that looks like a china doll. But neither do we want a mouth that dwarfs the rest of the face by comparison. If your mouth is too small, start your lipstick well out towards the edges of the mouth

and put it on as heavily at the outer edges as you do in the center. Be sure to put it on with your mouth open so that there will be no unattractive uncolored line when you speak. If your mouth is too large, however, the reverse rules are true. Bear down more heavily with your lipstick in the center of your mouth, gradually tapering off towards the edges. A large mouth needs less lipstick than a small one if you want to make the size less conspicuous.

Lipstick Should Blend With Color Scheme

And when buying lipstick, please exercise a little care in the selection of the proper shade. Your lipstick should blend with your complexion as well as harmonize with the color scheme of your outfit. It is wise to have several lipsticks so that you can vary it according to your wardrobe. Some shades are more becoming at night, others give you the proper lift by day. Show around and study all the shades until you find at least one that does things for you inside and out.

What are your beauty problems? Write Marie Downing, Larieuse Beauty Foundation, Room 521—319 North Fourth St., St. Louis, Mo., and she will be glad to answer them. Be sure to enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope.

DEATHS

Funeral services for Mrs. Louise Thompson, 1014 11th Street, were held yesterday afternoon at 2:00 at the Estes Funeral Home. Elder Eugene Robinson officiated.

Funeral services for Patricia Parsons, 6, will be held today at 2:00 p. m.

Mrs. Menzie Allen the former Mrs. Menzie Johnson, 22, died Wednesday morning at the Broadlawn Tubercular Hospital. Funeral services were held Friday.

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Official Routes to The New York World's Fair



NEW YORK—Approved recently by Mayor F. H. La Guardia of New York City and Grover A. Whalen, President of the New York World's Fair, this map is designed to be of special use to those entering the exposition. A comprehensive system of handling Fair traffic has been developed. Information booths will be found at bridge and tunnel approaches to New York. According to Mr. Whalen, out-of-town motorists will be able to thread their way through the city to the Fair grounds "as easily as they now go from home down to Main Street."

