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News Briefs From Far and Near

FISK ALUMNI SECRETARY TO BECOME PROVIDENT HOSPITAL SUPERINTENDENT

Chicago (ANP)—Andrew J. Allison, alumni secretary and director of public relations at Fisk University, Nashville, has resigned to assume the duties of superintendent at Provident hospital starting Monday, June 7. It was announced this week by Dr. Homer V. Wilburn, medical director.

Mr. Allison, nationally known as an executive, will have charge of the business management, fund raising and public relations generally at Provident, working in conjunction with Dr. Wilburn, who is the institution's chief executive.

A graduate of Fisk in 1913, the new superintendent studied law at Yale and Harvard universities in 1920-22. He has been connected directly with Fisk since 1927 when he became alumni secretary. Prior to that he was assistant principal and principal of Albany (Ga.) Normal school, instructor of mathematics at Georgia State college, Savannah, industrial secretary of the New York Urban league, and executive secretary of the Central Council of Social Agencies, Hartford, Conn.

TO CARRY FIGHT FOR LEGION POST TO SUPREME COURT

Birmingham (ANP)—Denied the right to establish a separate post, Negro World War I veterans, looking forward to the day when thousands of their sons now serving abroad return, have carried their case to compel the Alabama division of the American Legion to grant them a post charter, to the state supreme action was filed by Atty. Horace C. Alford, who received a setback in lower court, but appealed. The complaint charges unlawful discrimination and contends that the American Legion is overstepping bounds drawn by congress which created the legion, when it refuses a charter to a group of Negro ex-service men meeting the full requirements of charter regulations.

The men are now organized into the George Ruffins Veterans club of Birmingham. A few weeks ago Mr. Alford before a sub-committee of the executives of the National American Legion in Indianapolis on behalf of the charter cause of Negro veterans. Several southern states including Georgia, Florida, Mississippi and South Carolina have refused charters to Negro posts of the American Legion.

WHITE MAN SAVES NEGRO IN BAKERY FIRE

Little Rock, Ark. (ANP)—Only the prompt action of O. O. Bule, white employe of a bakery here, saved the life of Ezell Acldin, employed in the bakery garage, when his clothing caught fire Thursday night.

METROPOLITAN LIFE TO BAR NEGROES FROM \$50,000,000 HOUSING PROJECT

By ROTH FRANCIS
Brooklyn (ANP)—The Hydra-headed dragon race prejudice, again is active in metropolitan area. This time through the agents of the powerful Metropolitan Life Insurance company Negroes will be barred, it is announced, from its proposed \$50,000,000 housing project to be erected on the lower east side of Manhattan, aided by special tax exemption and grants of city-owned land.

Frederick H. Ecker, chairman of the company, explained its policy thus: Negroes and whites don't mix. Perhaps they will be in 100 years but they don't now. If we brought them into this development it would be to the detriment of the city, too, because it would depress all the surrounding property." A similar all-white development owned by this company, known as the Parchester project, is located in the Bronx.

Councilman Stanley M. Isaacs and A. Clayton Powell, Jr., introduced in the city council an amendment to the administrative code to prevent the Metropolitan Life Insurance company from discriminating against tenants on racial grounds in this project.

Roosevelt Establishes New F.E.P.C.

PRESIDENT OF LIBERIA GREETED AT WHITE HOUSE



Washington, D. C.—(Press Photo Service, Inc.) His Excellency, Edwin Barclay, President of the Republic of Liberia and President-elect William V. S. Tubman, were accorded full honors on their arrival at the White House as guests of the United States government, on Wednesday, May 26, 1943. Shown left to right in the official reception room of the White

President of Liberia Is Heard in Senate House

Washington, D. C.—His Excellency Edwin Barclay, President of the Republic of Liberia, addressed both houses of the United States Congress Thursday, May 27, in brief but impressive ceremonies on Capitol Hill. Escorted into the Senate Chamber by a committee composed of Senators Lister Hill of Alabama, Charles McNary of Oregon, Robert F. Wagner of New York and Arthur Capper of Kansas, President Barclay was presented to the 59 legislators in attendance by Vice President Henry A. Wallace, who said:

"Members of the Senate, Ladies and Gentlemen, I introduce to you the President of Liberia."

The visiting dignitary responded briefly:

"Mr. President and Members of the Senate: I wish to express to you my high appreciation of the courtesy shown me in permitting me to observe for a few minutes the processes of law-making in the United States."

President Barclay remained in the Senate Chambers a few minutes before leaving for the House of Representatives with his party which included the Hon. W. V. S. Tubman, President-Elect of Liberia; Capt. Alford Russ, Military Aide to President Barclay; Brig. Gen. Benjamin O. Davis, U. S. A. Military Aide; Frederick Hibbard and M. Stanley Walker, State Department, and Walter F. Walker, Liberian Consul General in New York City.

Apparent Calm Restored At Mobile, Ala., Shipyard

By CLIFF MACKAY
Mobile, Ala. (ANP)—With approximately 600 soldiers from the Brooklyn Army Air base on guard, apparent calm has been restored in the yards of the Alabama Drydock and Shipbuilding company where on Tuesday colored workers, men and women alike, were victims of a vicious mob attack because the company, in compliance with Executive Order 8802, put colored welders to work Monday night.

According to shipyard officials, the trouble began about 9:30 o'clock on Tuesday morning when whites began to wantonly attack colored women as well as men workers evidently for the purpose of spreading terrorism among the colored employes because colored welders had been employed.

The fact that the colored welders had been segregated from the whites and were not working on the same shift with those whites who started the trouble clearly indicated the viciousness of the attitude of the trouble-makers.

There are unconfirmed reports of from two to eight deaths and it is definitely known that more than a score of workers, the majority of them Negroes, were injured.

Trouble Starts
D. E. McFadden, chief of police, said that the trouble started when

President Barclay was escorted into the House Chambers by a committee composed of Representatives John W. McCornack and Joseph W. Martin, Jr., of Massachusetts, Sol Bloom of New York and Charles Eaton of New Jersey. Speaker Sam Rayburn introduced the visitor as "the President of one of the few democracies existing outside the Western Hemisphere."

Responding, President Barclay declared:

"Mr. Speaker, Members of the House of Representatives: I consider it great honor to appear before your honorable body, and I am fully appreciative of the courtesy done me and my country by your permitting me to be present at your session, and to convey to you greetings from the only democracy in West Africa to the great democracy of the Western Hemisphere."

"It is fitting that I should convey this greeting because it is to American democracy that the people of Liberia owe the foundation of their state and the character of their political institution."

"With the world now fighting to maintain for all people the democratic ideals upon which the American Republic was founded, Liberia, as a matter of choice, is dedicated to cooperate with and to render all assistance within her power to those states that are now engaged in a terrific struggle to banish terrorism and authoritarianism from the world."

President Barclay was given a standing ovation in each chamber.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Bonds

J. C. Hesse at Gately's Store Thirty Years

John C. Hesse, vice president and local manager of Gately's, 807 Walnut street, this month celebrates his 30 years with the Gately organization one of Des Moines oldest mercantile establishments.

Hesse says at no time in their history have they been more busy than now caring for expanding war-time needs of the community.

In reviewing the steady growth and increasing popularity of the Des Moines Gately store, Hesse says that during the period he has been associated with his firm, the number of Des Moines patrons has increased from a few hundred to 25,000, practically all of whom he knows by their first names and considers friends as well as customers.

In addition to the pleasure he has had from seeing this vast number of people with apparel for the family on a jewelry on credit, Hesse further stated he is happy to have helped a great many of his customers establish a line of credit for their other requirements. An "O. K. from Mr. H." as he is affectionately known to thousands, is generally all that is required to get all the credit it is possible to grant under government regulations at Gately's or elsewhere.

FIND PORTER NOT GUILTY

W. C. Alexander of Chicago, Ill., porter on a Chicago and North Western railroad Pullman car, was found not guilty of assault and battery in Municipal court hearing last Thursday.

R. J. Cowley, white, who gave his address as Hotel Commodore, charged the porter hit him on the jaw while he was a Pullman passenger. Cowley, testifying he had given his berth to an army lieutenant, said the porter, objected and "when I interfered, the porter hit me." Alexander testified that Cowley was unruly and had been drinking. Judge Harry B. Grund said he believed the porter was telling the truth and found him not guilty.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MRS. MCCOY

Funeral services were held Tuesday, June 1 for Mrs. Lovie McCoy of 115 Ninth Street, West Des Moines, at the Church of God in Christ, S.E. Fourteenth Street court.

Mrs. McCoy, 40, died May 28 at the Clarinda State hospital after an illness of several months. She had been a resident of West Des Moines for four years and a member of the Church of God in Christ.

Surviving are: a husband, Ernest McCoy; a son, Leonard Looney of Cherryvale, Kas., and a father and four sisters. Burial was in Glendale cemetery with the Estes Funeral directors in charge of the body.

WILLIAM BELL FOUND GUILTY OF RAPE

After deliberating three hours May 27, a jury in District Judge C. Edwin Moore's court, convicted William Bell, Jr., 43, an apartment house janitor at 2711 Grand avenue, on a charge of rape.

Bell was accused of criminally attacking a 10-year-old white girl and was convicted of the rape charge only 27 days after the girl said the attack occurred. She said he attacked her on May 1 and on May 8 she told her mother of the offense. Bell was indicted May 14.

Testimony in the trial lasted only one and a half days. Bell told the jury he did not commit the crime and had no such intentions.

The girl testified she went to the apartment to help polish furniture for Bell, and said he previously had given her 11 cents.

Assistant County Attorney Edwin S. Thayer called witnesses who testified Bell had gonorrhea and that the girl had the disease, too, following the alleged attack.

TO DETROIT



MRS. GEORGINE MORRIS

Mrs. Georgine C. Morris, president of the Iowa State Branches of the NAACP, is attending the National War Emergency Congress of the NAACP in Detroit, Mich., this week end, as a delegate from the state.



REV. McALLISTER

Rev. C. Lopez McAllister, pastor of the Maple Street Baptist church here, left the city Wednesday morning as one of the delegates from the Des Moines branch NAACP, to attend the National War Emergency Conference of the NAACP which is in session until June 6 at Detroit, Mich.



MISS CLARA WEBB

Miss Clara Webb, state advisor of the Youth Councils of the NAACP, is attending the National War Emergency Conference of the NAACP, which opened Thursday in Detroit, Mich.

New Group to Eliminate Discriminatory Practices; Headed by Francis J. Haas

Washington, D. C., May 28—The White House issued a new executive order establishing a new committee on Fair Employment Practice, "to promote the fullest utilization of all available manpower, and to eliminate discriminatory practices."

At the same time, the White House confirmed the recent appointment of Monsignor Francis J. Haas as chairman of the new committee which is established as a separate agency within the Office of Emergency Management of the Executive Office of the President.

The new committee will be composed of a chairman and not more than six other members to be appointed by the President. Upon the appointment of the new committee, the old organization, established by Executive Order 8802 and operating within the War Manpower Commission, will cease to exist.

The President has not yet appointed the other members of the committee.

The new executive order says that "the successful prosecution of the war demands the maximum employment of all available workers regardless of race, creed color or national origin."

All Must Work

The President further states that "it is the policy of the United States to encourage full participation in the war effort by all persons in the United States, regardless of race, creed, color or national origin in the firm belief that the democratic way of life within the nation can be defended successfully only with the help and support of all groups within its borders."

The order declares it to be the duty of all employers, including the several federal departments and agencies and all labor organizations to eliminate discrimination in regards to hire tenure, terms or conditions of employment, or union membership because of race, creed color or national origin.

The new order covers 9 specific points, as follows:

1. All contracts and sub-contracts must contain a provision that there will be no discrimination in employment.
2. All departments and agencies of the government concerned with vocational and training programs for

war production shall take measures appropriate to assure that such programs are administered without discrimination.

3. A committee on Fair Employment Practice is established within the Office of Emergency Management. The chairman shall receive a salary fixed by the President not exceeding \$10,000 a year. The other members of the committee shall receive necessary traveling expenses and unless their compensation is otherwise prescribed by the President, a per diem allowance not exceeding \$25 a day and subsistence expenses when engaged in performance of duties.

May Hold Hearings

4. Duties of the committee: to formulate policies to achieve the purposes of this order and to make recommendations to the various federal departments and to the President. The committee shall also recommend to the chairman of the War Manpower Commission appropriate measures for bringing about the full utilization and training of manpower in and for war production without discrimination.
5. The committee shall receive and investigate complaints of discrimination forbidden by the order. It may also conduct hearings, make findings of fact and take appropriate steps to obtain elimination of such discrimination.

6. The old committee ceases to exist with the appointment of the new and all records and property of the old committee must be turned over to the new committee. The new committee assumes jurisdiction over all complaints and matters pending before the old committee and shall conduct such investigations and hearings as may be necessary.

To Hire Personnel

7. Within the limits of the funds which may be made available for that purpose, the chairman shall appoint and fix the compensation of such personnel and make provision for such supplies, facilities and services as may be necessary to carry out the order. The committee may utilize the facilities of other federal departments.

8. The committee has power to promulgate such rules and regulations as may be appropriate or necessary to carry out the order.
9. The new order supersedes any other executive order inconsistent with this order.

Delegates from 35 States at NAACP War Conference

Detroit, Mich.—Delegates from 35 states and the District of Columbia, have registered for the NAACP emergency war conference here June 3 thru 6.

The conference, which replaces the regular annual NAACP gathering this year will center around the theme, "The Status of the Negro in the War for Freedom."

It is expected that Walter White, NAACP executive secretary who will deliver the keynote address at the opening session, Thursday night, June 3, will urge the Negroes to keep their eyes focused on the contemporary scene but look forward to the end of the war, and see to it that at least one qualified Negro is named among the American delegates to the peace conference.

Headquarters for the Conference is Second Baptist church, 441 Monroe street.

The highlight of the conference will be the monster mass meeting in the huge Olympia Stadium, on Sunday, June 6. Here against a background of war time emergency, accented by the music of the Charles Young Post

American Legion Band and the drilling of the Junior Majorettes, Congressman Will Rogers, Jr., of California will present the Spingarn award to Judge William H. Hastie. Hastie receives the Spingarn medal for his refusal to temporize with racial bigotry in the War Department of the U. S. In protest against discrimination in the armed forces, particularly in the air force, he resigned last January as civilian aide to Secretary of War Stimson.

Thirty-seven local choirs and independent choruses will sing at the June 6 meeting. Dorothy Maynor, nationally famous soprano, will lead an anticipated crowd, of more than 20,000 in the singing of the national anthem. Philip Murray, CIO president, who will deliver one of the main addresses will be introduced by R. J. Thomas, U.A.W.-CIO.

Saturday afternoon, June 5, the delegates will adopt a statement to the nation based upon the conclusions in the discussion groups. And on Saturday evening conference delegates will attend a dance at Labor Temple.

WHERE TO ATTEND CHURCH IN DES MOINES

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH
Maple and East 10th Street, Rev. C. Lopez McAllister, D.D., pastor;...

CHURCH OF GOD AND SAINTS OF CHRIST, 928 W. Twelfth Street. Services are held on Friday and Sunday evenings at 7:30 p. m. and the Seventh Day, the Sabbath, from 10 a. m. until sundown.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. U. A. Record, pastor; 1213 Scott Street; Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 11:00 a. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Evening worship 7:30 p. m. Tuesday 7:30 p. m. Senior Choir rehearsal. Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Midweek Prayer service. Friday 7:30 p. m. Junior Choir rehearsal. You are welcome to our services.

ST. PAUL A. M. E. CHURCH
Rev. H. C. Boyd, Pastor
12th and Crocker
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Worship, 11 a. m. 7:45 p. m. A. C. E. League, 6:30 p. m. Official Board Monday 7:30 p. m. Midweek prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal, Friday evening, 8:00 p. m.

BROWNS CHAPEL A. M. E. ZION
Rev. C. E. Gore, Pastor
1448 Walker
Order of services: Sunday School 9:45 a. m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.; A. C. E. League, 6:30 p. m.; Evening worship, 8:00 p. m.; Midweek service and choir rehearsal, 8:00 p. m. Wednesday. Everybody is welcome.

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
Elder F. T. Taylor, Pastor
Sunday School at 10:30 a. m. Preaching at 12 o'clock (noon). Y. P. W. at 6:30 p. m. Regular services Tuesdays and Fridays night at 8 p. m. Elder Richard Bogie, assistant pastor. You are welcome to our services.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH
Ninth at School Street
Rev. George W. Robinson, pastor; telephone 3-4075

Order of services for week: Sunday School 9:45 a. m.; W. C. Buice, superintendent; morning worship at 11 o'clock. B. T. U. evening service at 8 o'clock. Prayer service at 6:30 p. m. Harriet Curley president; ice on Wednesday, 8 p. m. Junior Choir rehearsal, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.; Sunday-School teachers meet Friday, 7:30 p. m. and Senior Choir meets Friday at 8 p. m. The church phone is 3-4075.

BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH
1524 E. University Ave.
Rev. W. F. Ogleton, Pastor

Order of Services:
Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. A. C. E. League 6:30 p. m. Gloria White, president; Mrs. G. T. Fant, superintendent. Evening worship 7:45 p. m. Official Board, Monday evening, 7:30 p. m. Midweek Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Choir Rehearsal, Friday evening, 8 p. m.

DAVID SPIRITUAL TEMPLE OF Christ Church, Inc., U.S.A.
1734 Garfield

Evanglist Edith Cole, Pastor
Services: Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday at 8 p. m.

BURNS METHODIST CHURCH
REV. E. M. WHALEY
811 Crocker Street

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.

RITEs FOR MRS. DOROTHY CHANEY
Funeral services were held Saturday, May 29, from the Estes Funeral home for Mrs. Dorothy E. Chaney, 19, 1048 Tenth street, who died May 26 at the Broadlawn general hospital after an illness of several months.

CARD OF THANKS
The family of Dorothy E. Chaney wishes to thank their many friends for the kindness shown them during her illness and at her death. Especially do they thank the Revs. G. W. Robinson and L. G. Garrett for counseling remarks those who donated cars and floral offerings and the Estes Funeral home for efficient services.

Surviving are: husband, Theodore Chaney; parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McCoy and infant daughter. Burial will be in Glendale cemetery with the Estes Funeral directors in charge. Rev. G. W. Robinson officiator.

Mason City Honors Soldiers' Parents

Mason City, Ia.—Perseverance Lodge No. 14, Knights of Pythias rendered their second annual honor service for mothers and fathers who have sons in the armed services of the country. The mothers were from Hampton, Manly, and Mason City. The following mothers have in the service one son each, with the exception of Mrs. Vera Solofon who has two. They are Mrs. A. D. Tate, one son; Mrs. Elmore Brown, one son; Mrs. Mattie Dunn, one son; Mrs. T. H. Douglass, Mrs. Carrie Rehm, being mothers of Manly boys in the service.

In Mason City, the following mothers have one son in the service with the exception of Mrs. Laura Sturat, who has three sons in the armed services. Mrs. Anna Britton, Mrs. Lily Brown, Mrs. Leona Ewing, Mrs. Virgil Cabell, Mrs. Harlene Jeffries, Mrs. Anne Ricko, Mrs. W. M. Martin, Mrs. Lena Burris and Mrs. Adine Simmons.

The fathers are all from Mason City. They are the Rev. J. M. Eaves, Mr. Roy Bailey, Louis Kipper, Geo. Wilkerson, Rev. H. C. Moore, and Sterling Miller. All the fathers have one son each in the service.

The program was as follows: Opening song by the entire audience. America. Scripture reading by the Rev. J. M. Eaves. Invocation by the Rev. H. C. Moore. Introduction of honored mothers and fathers, by the master of ceremonies. Solo: Mrs. Virgil Stevick, introduction of K. of P. widows by the Honorable Virgil Warren, G. C. C. Talks were given by the following: Reed Allen G. C., Mrs. M. M. Brewton, P. G. W. C., Dr. E. C. Martin, and the Grand Chancellor, Sir Virgil Warren. A quartette number was rendered by the Masonic lodge, and a number of St. John's Trio. Miss Doris Bennett was the accompanist for the evening.

Services were men and the Masonic lodge were present in a group. The K. of P. widows were presented white roses by the G. C. Virgil Warren. The widows were as follows: Mrs. Harry Smith, Mrs. J. D. Reeler, and Mrs. M. L. Ewing. The program was concluded by the singing of the Negro National Anthem. After the conclusion of the program, twenty-three high school girls ushered the honored guests to the basement, where refreshments were served to 150 people. Sir B. F. Parker, G. E., served as master of ceremonies.

The St. John's Baptist Missionary Society presented a play in the basement of the church, May 27. The title of the play was "The Church Clinic." Mrs. Virgil Stevens was director of the play.

Mrs. Alice Franklin is convalescing.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

By OPAL JACO
Services last Sunday were well attended. The Willing and Ready Club sponsored a service in the afternoon. The American Legion celebrated Memorial Day at the evening hour of services.

In the absence of the pastor, June 6, a local minister will fill the pulpit instead of the usual covenant meeting at the morning hour of service. At the evening hour of service the Ladies Chorus will render a sacred program.

Rev. C. Lopez McAllister left for Detroit, Mich., Wednesday to attend the national meeting of the NAAACP. The Junior Matrons enjoyed a pleasant evening at the home of Mrs. Ella Samuels, 1602 Walker street, Monday evening, May 31. Mrs. Ruby Cooper was given the stuffed chicken.

Rev. McAllister was a visitor to Hannibal, Mo., last week. He was formerly pastor of the 8th and Center Streets Baptist church there.

The second Sunday in June will be observed as youth Sunday at this church. The theme of the services for the day will be "The Negro Church Meeting the Challenge of the Youth." Good speakers and music will feature the services of the day.

Mrs. Fay Hayes who has been confined to her home for several weeks attended services last Sunday. Deacon George Hayes wrote from Saginaw, Michigan, that he is enjoying his trip. He is visiting with his brother and sister.

The Rod Circle girls are at work preparing for conventional activities. They are increasing in numbers and interest each week. Mrs. Gertrude Brown is supervisor.

Three Iowans Get Wings at Tuskegee Army Air Field

Tuskegee Army Air Field—Three Iowa boys were in the recent graduation ceremonies at the Tuskegee Army Air Field, Alabama for the Aviation Cadet class of 43-E which were characterized by a breadth of precedent in the selection of a civilian for the principle address in the person of Dr. Eugene H. Dibble, Jr., medical officer in charge of the United States Veterans' Hospital, Tuskegee, Alabama.

Wings Medals
This class of graduating cadets is outstanding, not only because of its record numbers, but more, due to the high percentage of expert gunnery medals won by its members in their recent gunnery mission to Elgin Field, Florida. Ninety percent of the class qualified as expert gunners while the remaining ten percent were cited with sharpshooters awards.

Dr. Dibble, holder of a reserve commission of Lieutenant Colonel in the Reserve Medical Corps, served with distinction in the last war. This popular medic, recently awarded a medal by the John Andrew Hospital Medical Society for being an outstanding man in his field of endeavor, was very warmly presented by Lt. Col. Richard C. Cumming, Post Surgeon who expressed the gratitude of the post for the cheerful cooperation tendered the TAAF Station hospital by the facilities and staff of the U. S. Veterans' Hospital of Tuskegee.

The principle speaker, Dr. Dibble, sought with obvious sincerity to impress upon the graduates the serious nature of the undertaking to which they had become a part. As a guide for success in their chosen field, he urged that they inculcate into their philosophies of living, elements of self-control, tenacity of purpose, honesty, courage, common sense and spiritual development.

Present Wings
The keen and timely wit of Lt. Col. Noel F. Parrish, commanding officer of the Tuskegee Army Air Field, added a refreshing flavor to the presentation of commissions and to the presentation of "Wings" by Major Donald G. McPherson, Director of Training.

Second Lieutenant Thomas J. Collins, acting commandant of cadets presented cadet honors to the ranking men of the class of 43-E. These distinctive awards presented for all-around efficiency went to the three highest ranking members of the class in the following order: first award to Clemenceau McAdoo Givings of Richmond, Va.; second award to Felix Jackson Kirkpatrick, Jr. of Chicago, Ill.; and third award to Laurence Dunbar Wilkins of Los Angeles, Calif.

Among the other flying officers who received their wings and commissions were Second Lieutenants John F. Briggs, Jr., St. Louis, Mo.; Milton R. Brooks, Glassport, Pa.; Charles M. Bussey, Los Angeles, Calif.; Spurgeon N. Ellington, Winston-Salem, N. C.; Maurice V. Esters, Webster City Iowa; Joseph P. Gomer, Iowa Falls, Iowa; George E. Gray, Hemp Hill, West Virginia; Langdon E. Johnson, Rand W. Va.; Albert H. Manning, Jr., Hartsville, S. C.; Oliver O. Miller, Jr., Battle Creek, Mich.; Dempsey W. Morgan, Jr., Detroit, Mich.; Harry A. Sheppard, Jamaica, N. Y.; Luther H. Smith, Jr., Des Moines, Iowa; John J. Suggs, Terre Haute, Ind.; James A. Walker, Manning, S. C.; Dudley M. Watson, Frankfort, Ky.; and Craig H. Williams, Chicago, Ill.

Newspaper Publishers to Meet in Louisville June 11

Cleveland—Louisville, Kentucky will be the scene of the fourth annual conference of the Negro Newspaper Publishers Association, June 11 and 12, where in a three-day streamlined conference at the Brook building 9th and Magazine streets, publishers, editors, and department heads of America's most influential Negro newspapers will discuss problems growing out of the war.

The official program released this week through the office of the Association's President, William O. Walker, of the Cleveland Call and Post, embraced sessions throughout Friday and Saturday, June 11 and 12 at the Brook building, and a special tour by the delegates to Fort Knox, Kentucky on Sunday, June 13, under the auspices of the War department.

To Emphasize South
The decision of the executive committee of the Association to hold the convention in a southern city grew out of its desire to emphasize the importance of the Negro problem in the South in the scheme of the Negro Press' fight for full citizenship for American Negroes.

The Committee expressed a desire to attract as many of the Southern newspapers as possible to the convention. In issuing the call for the Fourth Annual meeting, President Walker declared: "With our nation deep in war, and the problems of the Negro soldiers resting squarely upon the shoulders of those of us who remain at home, plus the fact that government regulations and restrictions imperil the very existence of our business, it is more important that we meet this year than ever before."

In charge of local arrangements for the delegates at Louisville will be Frank L. Stanley, Editor of the Louisville Defender, 619 West Walnut street. The publishers are expected to bring to the meetings their editors, advertising managers, photo-engravers, circulation department heads and shop foreman for the important discussions to take place on problems affecting their various departments.

Highlights
Highlights include: The annual message of the president to be delivered at 12:30 p. m.; a public mass meeting where delegates will hear an address by Dr. J. E. Walker, of Memphis, Tenn., under the sponsorship of the Falls City Chamber of Commerce; and a special luncheon meeting at which the delegates will meet the guests of The Courier Journal and Times. Luncheon speaker will be Mark Etheridge, Editor of the Courier Journal, and former chairman of

the President's Committee on Fair Employment Practices. Officers are: President, William O. Walker, Cleveland Call and Post; Secretary-Treasurer, Howard H. Murphy, Afro, American Newspapers; Eastern Vice President, Mrs. Robert L. Vann, Pittsburgh Courier; Southern President, C. A. Scott, Atlanta Daily World; Central Vice President, Louis E. Martin, Michigan Chronicle; Western Vice President, C. C. Dejeu, Louisiana Weekly. Executive committee members are: John H. Sengstacke of the Chicago Defender; Frank L. Stanley of the Louisville Defender and Miss Olive Diggs of the Chicago Bee.

GATELY'S IN 40TH ANNIVERSARY SALE

Gately's department store is holding its 40th anniversary sale, featuring forty anniversary specials which include women and misses coats and suits, lovely dresses, many 100 per cent wool men's suits, coveralls for children.

According to J. C. Hease, Gately's manager, "because so many of you have shown an interest in the progress of this store, we thought that it would please you to know that each year for our past forty years in business, there has been an ever-increasing number of customers, both cash and charge, who have found Gately's a good place to trade."

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF CENTRAL HOMES, INCORPORATED
TA WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Take notice that at a special meeting of the stockholders of Central Homes, Inc., a corporation with its principal place of business at Des Moines, Iowa, held at the offices of said company at Des Moines, Iowa, on May 10, 1943, said corporation was by the unanimous vote of all stockholders dissolved, effective as of the date of this notice, to-wit: May 10, 1943.

ORIGINAL NOTICE
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF IOWA, IN AND FOR POLK COUNTY
ROBERT H. CULLISON, Plaintiff,
vs.
ALBERTA CULLISON, Defendant.
To the Above Named Defendant, Alberta Cullison:

You are hereby notified that on or before the 15th day of May, A. D. 1943, the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be on file in the office of the Clerk of the above named court, claiming of you an absolute divorce on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment of such kind and character as to endanger your life and the health of plaintiff and endanger his life.

ORIGINAL NOTICE
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JULY 1943 TERM
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MISS JULIA MAYS OF NEW YORK IS GUEST OF SISTERS

Miss Julia Vera Mays of New York City was the week end guest of her sisters, Mesdames Gentry Gross and Ewing Ross, Jr., 932 Fifteenth street. Leaving here she went to St. Joseph, Mo., to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mays and from there will go to Detroit, Mich., to attend the NAACP War Conference before returning to New York.

Miss Mays who took special courses in home economics and material fabrics at Columbia University, is an assistant buyer for The Phil Zahn Dress and Fabric Company in New York City.

PVT. BURRELL HOME ON 15-DAY FURLOUGH

Private (E. C.) Everett Burrell arrived home Wednesday for a 15 day furlough from Elgin Field, Fla., where he is stationed with the 24th Aviation Squadron. He is visiting his mother, Mrs. Besse Burrell at 765 Tenth street and his three sisters, Fannie, Mildred and Helen Burrell. He has been in the army six months.

KANSAS CITIANS SPEND MEMORIAL WEEK END VISITING RELATIVES

Mrs. Amanda Jackson of Kansas City, Mo., who visited her daughter-in-law and granddaughter, Mrs. Virginia Mackay Williams, and Sheila Marie, left the city Thursday evening. Accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Adair Hemerson, also of Kansas City, they arrived here on Saturday for the Memorial Day week end.

MR. AND MRS. LEO JONES HAVE GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jones, 1047 Eleventh street, entertained guests at dinner Sunday. Those sharing the courtesy were Auxiliaries Mary Dodd of Dallas, Texas, Pearl Earl of Mexico City, Sallie Brack of Illinois, and Mrs. Venita Cardwell and daughter, Shari Lu.

MRS. MARY GUNN OF PHILADELPHIA HERE

Mrs. Mary Gunn of Philadelphia, Pa., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cora Moore, 1212 Center street. Mrs. Gunn arrived Monday for a two-week stay.

MRS. HENDRICKS RECOVERING

Mrs. Victoria Hendricks, 1331 Center street, is recovering at her home from man injury she received at the Woods Brothers plant where she was employed in war work.

MUSICAL TEA BY MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Elizabeth Toliver Mite Missionary Society sponsored a musical tea Sunday, May 30, from 4 to 6 p. m. at the East Des Moines Community Center. The program included music by Mrs. Emma Harris and Mrs. Lydia Gross, Evangelist Williams of Omaha and Mrs. Alberta Warren. Mrs. Olea Williams presided at the tea table and Mrs. Drucilla Johnson at the piano. Table decorations were flowers of the season. Mrs. Ruth Doyle, chairman, was assisted by Mesdames Virginia Smith, Zula Turner, Iva Lighon and Donna Ogleton. Mrs. Goldie Cant is president.

THE EVANS HAVE DINNER-GUESTS

Mrs. J. Q. Evans, 1106 Seventeenth street, entertained at dinner Sunday, May 30, WAAC Auxiliaries Christine Dones of New York, Augusta T. Turner of Rochelle, N. Y., and Lenore McCleod of Miami, Fla., and Miss Mary Lou Strong of St. Joseph, Mo. Miss Strong was week end guest of Miss Maurine Evans. She is a public school teacher in Mexico, Mo.

DR. E. A. ADAMS VISITED DAUGHTER AND FRIENDS HERE

Dr. E. A. Adams, general officer of the A.M.E. church, who was guest speaker Sunday night at the St. Paul A.M.E. church, was house guest of Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Boyd. He visited his daughter, Captain Charity E. Adams of the WAAC training center. Monday night Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Mason were hosts honoring Dr. Adams, his daughter, Captain Adams and Lt. Alma Berry.

MARILYN MATTHEWS HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Eugene Rhodes honored her daughter, Marilyn Matthews, at a birthday party on May 30, celebrating her eleventh anniversary which was May 28. Those sharing the courtesy were Jackie Perkins, Willa Mae Kemp, Birdie Lee Cranshaw, Ruth Hutchinson, Bernadine Redd, Teddy Samuels, Russell Shepherd and Tony Black.

VISITING PARENTS



MISS ELEANOR POWELL. Miss Eleanor Powell arrived home Sunday morning, May 30, for a two week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morris, 1046 Seventeenth street. She is a clothing instructor at the Georgia Normal College, Albany, Ga., and a member of the Delta Sigma Theta sorority.

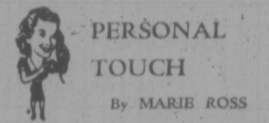
LOUISIANA WAAC GUESTS AT USO PARTY

Louisiana members of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps were the guests of honor at a party given by the Junior Hostess girls last Thursday night at the Koo-Way USO. Music, decorations and refreshments were typical of the state. Mrs. Mamie Davis, regional Y.W.C.A. director, was a visitor.

The next state group to be entertained is the New York WAACs.

BUSY BEE SEWING CIRCLE MEETS

The Busy-Bee Sewing Circle met May 27 at the sewing room of the St. Paul A.M.E. church with Mrs. Sarah Ward, vice president, presiding in the absence of the president, Mrs. Lelia Walker, who is serving on a jury in the district court. Mrs. Lula Mitchell entered the hospital at Iowa City Sunday. Mrs. Stella Hyde is secretary.



Under June's hot sun and frequent showers—victory gardens are sprouting and shooting up—all over town. Postman Branham H. Hyde on Thirtieth street, has taken the load off his back for a vacation and is busy tramping up and down the rows, sowing and hoeing his victory garden. Some of his residents will welcome his return. They claim they get more mail when he is on the route.

Victory Gardener Dr. T. S. Williams out Jefferson street way—on a two week's vacation—was out in his backyard plot—with a stick—helping the tiny plants to see the light of day. With the stick's point he would punch the soil gently where he thought a plant was just about ready to make an exit.

The Iowa Packing Company veterinarian who passed another birthday anniversary on June 2, spent a part of his vacation—sitting on the side of a garden row, nursing his bending tofiato plants, washing the beetles from the faces of his beans, petting his onion and measuring hourly the height of his mustard and lettuce. Now he is certain that his garden has had the proper attention and he can return to his work.

Speaking of victory gardens and victory efforts—one should just drop out to West Des Moines and see the garden plots, the squealing piglets, the crying chicks that grace backyards and lots.

Mr. Timothy Carter was doubtful about spraying his beans with the mixture of arsenate of lead and hydrated lime, as had been suggested by E. N. Hopkins, director of the garden nutrition center here, who advised spraying immediately with a solution of one tablespoon of arsenate of lead to one gallon of water and adding one tablespoon of hydrated lime. While Mr. Carter was betwixt his old "standby"—a tobacco solution, his wife was busy showing off her garden, her little chickens, and her little piglets.

Mrs. Moses Jones has many tiny chicks that she inspects hourly—the incubator ones she keeps a close eye on and often has to do a rescue act by carrying the chick in for a warming-up treatment. These with the setting hens, give her little worry, she said. Newcomers back to their home in

President Barclay to End Official Visit in New York June 4 or 5

Washington (ANP)—The state department released the following schedule covering the visit of President Edwin Barclay while the official guest of President Roosevelt:

Last Thursday he was to leave the White House for Blair House. An address before the senate and the house was made the same afternoon following which he held his first press conference at Blair house.

Thursday night he was the guest of honor at the dinner given for him by the state department at the Carlton hotel.

He visited Howard university Friday morning and inspected the campus in the company of President Mordcaai W. Johnson. Later he went to Fort Belvoir, lunched with the commanding officer and witnessed a military demonstration. He attended a concert of the Budapest Quartet at the Library of Congress that evening.

Saturday morning he visited Mt. Vernon, the home of George Washington and went on to Arlington where he laid a wreath on the tomb

of the unknown soldier. The Negro citizens of Washington were hosts to the visiting dignitary at a luncheon in his honor held at the Lucy Diggs Slowe home, dormitory for Negro women war workers.

Consul General Walter F. Walker presented a reception for President Barclay on Sunday at Blair house which was attended by government officials and other guests.

The Liberian president journeyed to Akron, O., on Monday where he inspected the plant of the Firestone Rubber company, and later had a dinner given in his honor by Harvey S. Firestone at the latter's residence.

The party then journeyed to Xenia, and visited Wilberforce university and later went to Columbus and Buffalo, where he arrived early Wednesday morning. He was to have inspected the war industry plants there and to continue on to Philadelphia to visit the shipyards and other points of interest.

President Barclay is scheduled to arrive in New York Friday or Saturday where he will conclude his official visit.

ELEGANT EIGHT GIVES PRIZES

The Elegant Eight club met last Wednesday with Obenetta Green, 932 Sixteenth street. Bridge prizes were won by Marilyn Freeman, Bernice Carter and Delores Bailey. Quarterly prizes were awarded to Delores Bailey, Anna Mae Lawson and Marilyn Freeman. Guests were Virginia Forester and Geraldine Carr. The next hostess is Anna Mae Lawson.

MRS. TRIPLETT A VISITOR

Mrs. Alma Triplett of Omaha, Neb., was house guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Mason while visiting her niece, Auxiliary Bivian L. Standifer at the WAAC training center.

MONOGRAM CLUB HEARS REVIEW

The Monogram club met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Estella Coates, 1315 Day street. Mrs. Cora Chapman gave a book review on "American Negroes" (Embree). The next meeting will be at the home of the president, Mrs. Fannie Danforth, on June 10.

MRS. GUY E. GREENE REPORTS SUCCESSFUL POPPY DAY DRIVE

Mrs. Guy E. Greene, Poppy chairman for Lincoln Unit 126, reported another successful year of proceeds from the Poppy Day drive by her group on Saturday, May 29. The proceeds were between \$267 and \$270, she announced. The chairman expressed appreciation to the friends of the auxiliary for their support and cooperation.

RATIONING

Coffee Coupon No. 24 becomes valid through Aug. 15. Sugar Coupon No. 13 for five pounds will be valid from June 1 through Aug. 15. Stamps No. 15 and 16 in War Ration Book One are valid for 5 pounds of sugar each, for use in home canning, beginning May 24th, and can be used until midnight October 31. Housewives may apply at local boards for supplementary sugar rations for home canning, if essential.

Red Stamps

(For meat products, canned fish, most edible oils and cheeses.) Red Stamp J remains valid through June. Red Stamp K becomes valid May 30.

Blue Stamps

(For canned, frozen and certain dehydrated foods.) Blue Stamps G, H, J remain valid through June 7. Blue Stamps K, L, M remain valid through July 7.

Shoe Coupon

Shoe coupon No. 17 in war ration book No. 1 expires June 15, and on June 16 coupon No. 18 will take its place. West Des Moines are Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jones who moved in April from 922 16th street. They have a garden well on the way to eating since they moved out where "they can breathe." Mrs. Jones commented Mrs. William F. Weekley was proud of the appearance of her garden until one day her two-week-old piglets broke out of their pen and had a picnic in her onion and green patches. She has many small chicks, too.

YWCA BLUE TRIANGLE BRANCH

The Public Affairs Committee of the Blue Triangle Branch Y.W.C.A., is sponsoring a program in order to stimulate interest among parents in the activities of the junior high school on Sunday, 4 p. m., June 6, with Miss McKee, the girls' advisor of Amos Hiatt as guest speaker. She will speak on the Responsibility of the Parent to the Junior High School Student in War Time.

Other members of the committee participating are: Geraldine Burke, program; Mrs. William Neal and Mrs. Cecil Taylor, refreshments; Mrs. Alcenetta Miller, publicity; Mrs. Evelyn Lewis to introduce the speaker; and Mrs. Julia Proctor, chairman. The Sky Y Nite Club will hold its regular evening of refreshment, dancing, floor show and recordings on Saturday night from 8 to 11:30 p. m.

Membership Tea. The annual and general membership meeting of the Y.W.C.A. will be held on the lawn of the Blue Triangle branch, Tuesday, June 6, from 5 to 9 p. m. All members are urged to come. Dinner will be served to members making reservations. Phone 4-5171.

CARPENTERS ALLOWED EXPENSES FOR FRUITLESS TRIP

Columbia, S. C. (ANP)—Twenty-four Negro carpenters, members of the Columbia Local 2260 AFL, were notified Friday that an expense and lodging bill placed with Local 696, Tampa, had been approved and that a total of \$1,309.60 would be forwarded Local 2260 this week.

The amount asked of the Florida local included \$57.90 for each of the 24 men who had lost time and expended personal sums to go to Tampa after having been requested by the Tampa local.

Upon reaching Tampa, the men were refused work and told it was not known that they were Negroes when the request was made. J. C. Artemus, business agent for Local 2260, submitted the bill to P. L. Carlisle, agent for the Florida local. The case has been placed before the War Labor Board and the Committee on Fair Employment Practices of the War Manpower commission.

S. JOE BROWN AND MRS. SARAH JETT TO REPRESENT NAACP

Atty. S. Joe Brown, national board member of the NAACP, will represent Des Moines branch NAACP, at the Department of Adult Education of Des Moines which will convene in a three-day conference June 8, 9, 10. Mrs. Sarah E. Jett will represent the local branch on the committee of arrangements of an exhibit of NAACP activities which will be one of the features of the conference and will be held at the public library during the conference.

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S. C. B.—For the past 15 years I have worked for a florist and know the business well from the cultivation angle. He's discontinuing his florist business nearly half and is starting to farm the biggest part of his land. Should I stay on here and work like my boss wants me to do or try to get with another florist or a defense job?

Ans.: Farming is just as much a part of the war effort as a defense job. You understand your boss and you are pleased with the salary you get—so why make a change—working with flowers is more fascinating than farming, but right now food is more essential than pretty posies. You are an experienced farmer, regardless of what you have been accustomed to cultivating and your knowledge is very important to the success of your boss.

L. S. C.—Reading your column seems to grow on me. My problem is simple perhaps, but is very important to me. I started working and my husband refuses to give me any money. He said if I would stop work he would take care of me as he has in the past but he won't do it if I work. I thought he would be drafted soon and that's why I started working. Should I quit or will he change his mind?

Ans.: Give in your resignation at once. Your husband makes a good salary and provides you with luxuries as well as the necessities of life and he does not like the idea of your working. He prefers to have you at home when he gets in from work and it is your place to humor him as long as he makes you happy. If he is called in service you can get a job and work if you like.

S. M. J.—I met a soldier a few months ago, and I like him very

much. The first two or three times we were out he acted swell. He likes to drink and when he does, he says hard things to me. Should I go on and try to help him overcome his habit or break off? He talks about getting married too. Must I?

Ans.: You haven't the power to change his habits and don't fool yourself into thinking it can be done if you agree to marry the boy. A goodly number of soldiers are in a highly emotional state and are nungry for feminine society—the marriage question arises and they think that's what they want, but it isn't. Don't think because your soldier friend asked you to marry that you must accept without giving the matter of love any thought. Only a deep, intense love can withstand the hardships that a war puts on marriage and you two young people do not feel this way. Be friendly but let it stop there.

G. R.—My sister and I want to go to California to visit our uncle this summer. We have written him several times but he doesn't answer. Should we go on out there and surprise him?

Ans.: No, indeed. He has no time and no way to have you two girls visit him. He's employed in a defense plant, and he can't take time off to entertain you kids. Stop pestering him with your letters begging to go out and visit—if you want to write him the news from home, that would be a very nice gesture on your part.

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