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News Briefs
From Far and Near

JACK JOHNSON IS "GOING TO DO MY FIGHTING FOR GOD FROM NOW ON"

Los Angeles (ANP)—Declaring that he is "going to do my fighting for God from now on," Jack Johnson, former heavyweight boxing champion, told 3,000 persons at Angelus temple that he plans to become a member of the church soon.

The ex-pugilist was called from the congregation by the Rev. Aimo S. McPherson, pastor of the temple.

ARMY RECRUITS NEGRO PILOTS

Columbia, S. C. (ANP)—Hailed as further progress of Negro Americans to fuller integration was the first call issued here by an army air corps that was at first reluctant to use Negroes as flyers, for Negro recruits interested in becoming aviation cadets.

It was believed to have been the first time that the army air corps had actually solicited the application of Negroes to become fighter and pursuit pilots.

The call announced that young men interested should apply to the aviation cadet board Fort Jackson, S. C. in announcing this more liberal policy toward accepting Negro air cadets, much praise was given by the board to members of the Negro air squadron that saw action in the victorious North African campaign.

It was pointed out that no special educational qualifications needed, but applicants must be able to pass a mental test. Physical requirements are that height must be between five feet, four inches and five feet, eight inches and weight must be under 160 pounds.

Applicants are interviewed by a board of army officers who judge acceptability from the standpoint of personality and character.

GETS FELLOWSHIP; TO STUDY AT UNIVERSITY OF HAVANA

New York (ANP)—For 23 years the Institute of International Education has been encouraging the study of American students abroad. Dr. Stephen Duggan, who has directed the institute from the beginning, announced this year 17 awards for research.

As the report reveals, the appointments were made by the institute on the recommendations of a distinguished group of United States educators interested in other American republics.

Among the persons granted maintenance fellowships is Miss Ellen Irene Diggs of the department of sociology in Atlanta university. Miss Diggs is a bachelor of arts from the University of Minnesota and the first person to win an Atlanta university grant a master of arts in sociology. Since coming to Atlanta, Miss Diggs has served three years as secretary to the president of Spelman college and seven years as executive and assistant to Dr. W. E. DuBois, head of the department of sociology in Atlanta university.

Miss Diggs has chosen the University of Havana, Cuba, and leaves Atlanta this week. She has already spent two summers in Cuba one of which was spent in study at the University of Havana and she proposes this year to pursue a course in anthropology. Miss Diggs has traveled also in France, England, Germany and the British West Indies. Two of her translations of interesting articles on the Negro in the Spanish theatre and the Negro in Uruguay have appeared in Phylon.

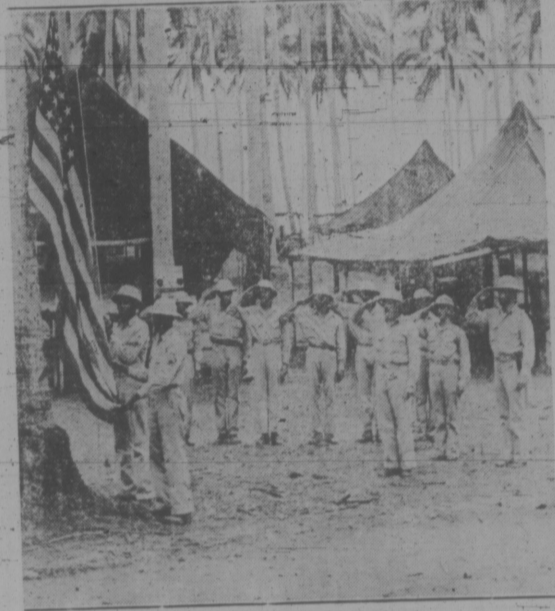
RUBY ELZY, FAME SINGER, DEAD

Detroit, Mich.—Ruby Elzy, 33, stage, screen and concert singer who played in more than 800 performances of "Porgy and Bess" died here Saturday. She had been a surgical patient since completing a coast-to-coast tour with the show which was written by the late George Gershwin, who selected her to sing the soprano role of the widow, "Serena."

SGT. DON TURNER LEAVES FOR CAMP

Sgt. Don Turner of Camp Butler, N. C., left the city last Friday after a visit with his mother, Mrs. Annetta Solomon, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. French Brown, 2808 Third.

NAACP State Meet Opens Saturday



SALUTING THE FLAG
The first retreat ceremony of an infantry battalion on Guadalcanal Island in the Pacific. The tents are doubly protected from tropical rains.

Urges Club Women Do More Defense-War Work

The Iowa Association of Colored Women which convened in its fortieth annual session at the Corinthian Baptist church ended its two-day meeting on Tuesday evening, June 29, voting to retain for another year the present officers and setting Cedar Rapids as the place of the 1944 session. Thirty-seven delegates from the state were in attendance.

Miss Jessie E. Walker of Marshalltown, who at present is engaged in defense work in Des Moines, was praised at the closing session for having served the organization thirty years ago as president.

At the opening session Monday night the president, Miss Walker, addressed the women on the subject, "Club women in the fight for a Double Victory."

"Two years ago," she said, "the IACW stood at the crossroads of a changing world—a world surcharged with turmoil and chaos—with conflicting and contradicting, moral and social standards."

It was then that America entered the struggle and the IACW, being loyal, chose the crossroad where they might be of greatest benefit to their country.

Adjusts Program
"We tried to adjust our program so as to include in our curriculum all forms of war and defense work."

The president commented on the country's fighting for the "Four Freedoms" and advised that "we take stock of affairs at home as well as abroad."

Miss Walker advised the women of the clubs of the state to get engaged in some form of war work, recommending defense work, the Red Cross, home nursing, the buying and selling of bonds, the WAACs, USO work for the duration.

The state association took a stand against lynching and race rioting, endorsed the work of the NAACP, recommended discrimination and segregation in the army, navy and all war and defense work.

In a welcome address to the state association, Mrs. Korinne Jackson, president of the City Association which entertained the state group, called attention to the era of rationing and urged the club women to "ration our time," in order to do the "big job before us."

Calling attention to the times when everybody is busy Mrs. Jackson emphasized that the women "hide not behind any skirt of interperational distress, with the well worn phrase, 'I'm too busy,' for it is the busy people who get things done."

Redefication
The Iowa Association home for girls at Iowa City was rededicated as Sue M. Brown hall, a perpetual memorial to the late Mrs. S. Joe Brown who as president of the association 26 years, served as chairman of the board of trustees.

Mrs. A. A. Alexander made the presentation of a silver plaque which will be placed at the entrance of the home and which bears the inscription: Sue M. Brown Hall. Mrs. Alexander for several years served with Mrs. Brown as treasurer of the trustee board.

A tea was given at the home of Mrs. Alexander of Monday at which time Mrs. Georgine C. Morris, state president on the NAACP conference branches, spoke.

Mrs. Rosa Cunningham of the Office of Civilian Defense, addressed the session Tuesday afternoon. Following reports the association voted to retain their present officers for another year. At the closing session Tuesday night committees made reports and delegates who attended the last meeting of the Central Association, Miss Walker, Mesdames Sarah Jett and Sophia Nichols, brought highlights.

The Paul Lawrence Dunbar club of Marshalltown was awarded the silver club trophy for having added the largest numbers of members to its club roll during the year.

Out-of-town delegates registering at the session were:

Marshalltown—Mesdames Arbellia Taylor, Rose B. Johnson, Viole Ragland, Helen Johnson, Mayme Gardner, Ida Burton Lucy Lawrence.

Cedar Rapids—Mesdames Mary Lee Parks, Emma Turner, Geneva Pullens.

Mason City—Mesdames Eunice Stewart, Jewette Walls, Mary Johnson.

Council Bluffs—Mesdames Inez Willis and Lula Douglas.

The local clubs of the association are: Mary Church Terrell Nos. 1 and 2, Mary McLeod Bethune, Mary B. Tolbert-Modernistic, Three Purpose, Women's Civic, W. C. T. U. Sophia Nichols Social Workers, La Parisienne.

Other officers are: Mrs. Jewett Walls of Mason City, first vice; Mrs. Rose B. Johnson, of Marshalltown, second vice; Mrs. Viole Ragland, of Marshalltown, recording secretary; Mrs. Mary Hardaway of Des Moines, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Olivia Hayes, Des Moines, treasurer; Mrs. Margaret M. Patten of Des Moines, parliamentarian; Mrs. Hazel Gibson

Discusses Racial Prejudice Here

A panel discussion on interracial problems in Des Moines reached a conclusion Sunday night at the Highland Park Church of Christ, that Des Moines residents did not have to point to Detroit, Los Angeles or the south, but have only to examine their own school, businesses and churches to find racial prejudice.

"Why aren't there any Negro teachers in the Des Moines public school system?" a high school girl in the audience asked Arthur S. Hill, head of the department of pupil adjustment, a panel member.

Her question came after S. Joe Brown, attorney another panel member, had charged the board of education with "putting him off without a direct answer" when he asked board members at a recent meeting if they would consider the application of a Negro teacher.

"I can't speak for the board—they hire me," Hill replied.

Other active panel members were Ike Smalls, president of NAACP, Stanley Dixon, news commentator of Iowa Broadcasting Co.; Saul Swanger, teacher at Warren Junior high school.

"You don't have to go outside of Des Moines to see racial discrimination," Smalls asserted. He said that though the efforts of his organization there now are fewer restaurants that refuse to serve Negro civilians, WAACs and soldiers.

Swanger said, "The appearance of riots in 24 cities in the country in the last month shows that you can't overemphasize the racial problem."

Atty. Brown said the "Ankeny" ordinance plant is hiring Negroes for other than panitor work, but "it took an executive order from the president to do it."

WAAC CAPTAIN



CAPT. EMMERT JACKSON

First Officer (Captain) Sarah Emmert Jackson, Chicago, Ill., became one of the youngest first officers in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps when she was promoted early this month.

First Officer Jackson, who is one of the youngest commissioned officers in the WAAC, came to First WAAC Training Center, Fort Des Moines, Ia., for officer training on July 20, 1942, shortly after her 21st birthday. She was one of the 36 Negro members of the First Officer Candidate Class which was graduated and commissioned at Fort Des Moines on August 29, 1942.

She was one of eight WAAC officers selected in October, 1942, to attend the Instructors' Training Course in Administration and Supply at the Army Quartermasters School at Camp Lee, Va. She was the first Negro woman to attend an Army service school.

In January, First Officer Jackson was sent to Fort Huachuca, Ariz., as Supply Officer for a Negro WAAC company. She returned to Fort Des Moines in March as Company Commander of a company of Negro WAACs in Basic Training. Since May, she has been Company Commander of a company of 193 Negro WAAC students in the Bakers and Cooks School at Ft. Des Moines, one of the largest WAAC Companies at the Training Center.

First Officer Jackson has a brother in the armed forces, Pvt. William Emmert, who was 20 years old on June 11, the date of his sister's promotion to First Officer. He is studying at an Army Specialist School in New Orleans, La.

A student at Chicago Teachers College before her enrollment in the WAAC, First Officer Jackson was graduated from the college with a Bachelor of Education degree in mathematics in June, 1942. While in college, she was practice teacher for one semester at the fifth grade at Betsy Ross Grammar school in Chicago.

First Officer Jackson is the wife of Frank L. Jackson of 6310 Drexel Ave., Chicago, Ill., and the daughter of Mrs. Julia Emmert of 6100 State St., Chicago.

Vesper Hour at Corinthian Sunday

Captain Charity Adams of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps of Ft. Des Moines, will be the main speaker at a Vesper Hour to be presented at Corinthian Baptist church, July 4, at 5 p. m. by Mrs. Ruth P. McGregor, Kgo-Way USO club director of Y.W.C.A. The public is cordially invited.

FUNERAL RITES FOR C. ROBINSON

Funeral rites were held last Wednesday at the Estes Funeral home, for Charles Robinson, 76, 1146 E. 9th avenue, who died at Bronckhaus General hospital Monday, June 21, following an illness of several hours.

Surviving are: son, Harry of Des Moines; a sister, Mrs. Maude E. Smith, Ottumwa, Ia. Mr. Robinson, formerly of Ottumwa, came to Des Moines a year ago.

Buy War Savings Stamps and Bonds.

Iowa Branches to Hold Fourth Session July 3-4 At Marshalltown Church

The annual Iowa State Conference of Branches of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People will open its fourth session Saturday morning, July 3, at 10 o'clock at the Cumberland Presbyterian church, 507 E. Boone Street, at Marshalltown, Ia.

During the two-day session, which will be presided over by Mrs. Georgine C. Morris, president, delegates from nine Iowa branches and youth from the state will attend their annual Youth Council, with Miss Clara Webb as state advisor, and Miss Mary Jane Saunders, of Waterloo, presiding.

Following the registration, assignments and appointment of committees the State Conference will go into its conference proper stressing as its theme: "Status of the Negro in Iowa."

During the Saturday afternoon session a welcome to the visitors to Marshalltown will be extended by Atty. J. W. Pattle with response by Atty. M. F. Fields. Reports of committees will be made, officers elected and the president's annual address given.

Saturday at 6:30 p. m. at the Y.W.C.A. the conference will be honored at a banquet at which city officials and representatives will appear on the program. Among them will be: welcome address by Mayor Willard B. Hull, welcome in behalf of the Youth Council by Miss Dorothy Ragland, welcome in behalf of the church by Miss Eleanor Wilder. Ike Smalls, president of the Des Moines Branch

Sunday Sessions

Delegates attending the state conference and the Youth Council will assemble and attend a special service Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the Second Baptist church. Dinner will follow the services at Stone's restaurant.

A citywide mass meeting will be held Sunday afternoon, July 4 at the Cumberland Presbyterian church with Captain Dovey M. Johnson, stationed at Ft. Des Moines, WAAC Training Center as guest speaker. Her subject will be "Things Worth Fighting For."

Other features will be: invocation, Rev. B. J. Trickey; report of resolutions committee; welcome addresses by Rev. S. A. Nelson and Miss Mary-Jane Saunders; response by Rev. R. A. Parks; awarding of Ike Smalls Trophy, by Atty. S. Joe Brown, member of National NAACP board; solo, Miss Harriet Maxwell; benediction, by Rev. G. A. Kendrick.

Youth Council

Features of the Youth Council Session will be: election of officers, panel discussion on "Negro Youth in the World of War," and president's annual address during the Saturday afternoon session.

Other officers of the state branches are: Rev. P. L. Scott, vice president; Mrs. Lydia Page, Waterloo, second vice president; Mrs. Rose Bannan-Johnson, Marshalltown, secretary; Mrs. F. O. Morrow, Jr., Des Moines, assistant secretary; Early Morrow, Marshalltown, treasurer.

Demand Investigation of Detroit Police Officials

Detroit, Mich.—A state or a joint Federal and state investigation of the Detroit Police Department and of the administration of Mayor Edward J. Jeffries was asked of Governor Harry S. Kelly by a representative group of Detroit citizens this week at a conference arranged by the NAACP.

There is overwhelming evidence that the riot could have been stopped at its inception Sunday night had the police wanted to stop it," the delegation declared. "So inefficient is the police force and so many of its members are from the deep South with all the anti-Negro prejudices of the Ku Klux Klan that the trouble may break out all over again as soon as the troops leave," was the blunt appraisal given the Governor.

Among the other immediate and long range issues discussed with the Governor were the waltz shooting by the State Policeman Ted Anders of Julian Witherspoon, 26-year-old medical student in the St. Antoine Y. M. C. A. June 22, the alleged looting of homes and apartments of Negroes by state policemen, the critical food situation in the Negro areas on the east and north side, the wholly disproportionate arrests and conviction of alleged Negro rioters in contrast with white rioters, and the failure to use Negro soldiers, state troopers and city police. Specific methods of attack on each of these problems were worked out by the conferees.

The NAACP has announced that the Detroit Branch legal staff and Thurgood Marshall will defend Negroes who were arrested during the riot who are without funds if their services are requested.

Judge Ira W. Payne, presiding justice of the Wayne County Circuit Court and NAACP vice president, had arranged a previous conference for himself and Walter White, NAACP executive secretary, with the Governor. At their suggestion, a representative group of Detroit Negroes

were invited to the conference held June 23. They were: Dr. James J. McClendon and Gloster Current, president and secretary respectively of the Detroit Branch of the NAACP; Rev. Charles Hill, chairman of the Citizens Committee; Mrs. Beulah Whitby of the Detroit OCD and national president of the AKA; Charles Mahoney, member of the State Labor Commission; Senator Charles Diggs, Louis E. Martin of the Michigan Chronicle; Mrs. J. E. McCall of the Detroit Tribune; and John R. Williams of the Pittsburgh Courier.

Mayor Does Nothing

Investigation by the Federal government of the "non-feasance, misfeasance, and mal-feasance" of the Detroit police and Mayor Jeffries was asked by the NAACP. "The riot could have been stopped Sunday night with the firm use of force including a few fire hoses had the police of Detroit wanted it stopped," the Association declared. "Instead there is photographic and other evidence which is irrefutable that the police not only did nothing to prevent white rioters running wild but actually held Negro victims while white hoodlums beat them. Mayor Jeffries has been implored by white and Negro groups for more than a year to do his duty and check the vicious forces which infest Detroit but he has done nothing. The Fifth Column in Detroit has its headquarters in City Hall and Police Headquarters because it is weakness and prejudice that which has cost thirty-one lives the destruction of property, tragic stoppage of the production of war supplies our fighting men overseas desperately need" the NAACP charged.

White and Marshall on the Scene
Walter White, arrived here by plane during the height of the rioting June 21 when asked by the Detroit Branch to assist in meeting the grave situation. Thurgood Marshall (EDITORIAL PAGE)

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KEEP A LEVEL HEAD

In these days of stress and uncertainties, people are prone to do a lot of things which under ordinary circumstances they would scoff at in normal times.

There are those who understand this situation and are able to control themselves under any circumstances. On the other hand, we have the irresponsible, the temperamental, the vicious type of people, who cannot or will not control themselves, and at the least provocation give vent to their emotions.

Generally speaking, the latter type of people make the most noise, give vent to whatever thoughts come into their minds, purposely antagonize people, and fight at the least provocation.

The substantial people of both races owe each community a duty to use their influence to discourage rowdiness, bad manners, discourtesies and other misconduct that often serve as matches that set fire to kegs of powder which, when exploded, injure a lot of people.

If we keep in mind that if the good people run a community, trouble can usually be avoided; if the ruffians run it, the good suffers along with them, many headaches can be avoided.

WHY THE PRESIDENT SHOULD SPEAK

The International Labor Defense has addressed a letter to President Roosevelt calling upon him to make a special fireside chat to the nation, calling for a cessation of growing intolerance and racial conflicts in America and in the armed forces.

Of course, as the letter states, the President knows all these things. On the other hand, the letter very intelligently cites the fact that no results have been obtained heretofore to call a halt to these dangerous conditions.

Eventually, enough pressure will be brought to bear, that Mr. Roosevelt has something to say on the subject. And there is no use letting matters float on, expecting improvement otherwise.

We are deeply convinced that effective steps to thwart the designs of enemy agencies to create racial strife in the United States must be taken by you personally. The actions of the Department of Justice in investigating all cases of lynching since the outbreak of the war at your direction, while commendable have not had the desired effect.

Demands Detroit Probe

(SEE FRONT PAGE) special counsel, reached here June 23 from Washington where he conferred Wednesday with Attorney-General Francis Biddle and other government officials regarding the riots in Detroit and other cities.

A pathetic and unending stream of riot victims have thronged the Detroit NAACP Branch office here, overjoying frequently into the hallway and onto the steps.

Throughout the week calls poured into the NAACP office here of attacks upon the persons and cars of Negroes in isolated white neighborhoods.

As it labored to insure justice to innocent victims of the worst race riot in the history of many years, the NAACP was at the same time unsparring in its condemnation of the vandalism of a lawless minority of Negroes who took advantage of the situation to loot and wreck stores owned by white merchants in the Negro sections.

"At least one and possibly one or two others of the anti-Negro, anti-labor, anti-Semitic outfits here were financed in part by Nazi Bund and Silver Shirt money," White declared.

Our softball injury brings to mind that we are playing with a team of white boys. Our Food Distribution Team (U. S. Dept. of Agriculture Office) is at this writing tied for first place in the Piedmont League with eight wins and one defeat.

Our softball game was with the East Des Moines Community Center. Behind the pitching of Chigger Williams those kids would have beaten us but for a few lucky breaks.

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SPORTS

By ALLEN ASHBY

FINIS TO A TRIO

We wandered around by the Good Park tennis courts last Sunday. Our first good look at the courts this season. You see, a knee that got twisted during a softball game, one could say night has kept us off the courts.

There was the time Chet and yours truly were almost beaten by Joe Howard and Everett Newcomb in a play-ground doubles match. We were within one point of defeat. Joe was being blasting his service in alright, but we got a crazy hunch and told Chet, "He's too close to a win, he'll serve doubles."

There was the time Bill Ashby got so mad he literally blew a match to Earl Newcomb. Bill had a crazy habit of losing at the most unexpected times. Chet had the Indian sign on Bill and was smart enough to keep his ace only for matches. In practice sets, Chet didn't particularly care how the balls bounced but in matches he knew Bill's Western grip was bad for low balls and kept the ball low, so Bill never won a match and never knew why until he sees this.

It seems that all the twenty years, our tennis career have been linked up with Bill and Chet. We played together, battled each other with the bitter kind of rivalry, and yet stood together in all tight spots.

Chet is gone now and the urge to play tennis seems to have gone with him. Bill hasn't played and doesn't want to go. The kids who used to wait for us to play are either tired of waiting and have turned to something else or are gone.

Yes, we will have to stage a terrific inward battle to go on the courts this year. Sherman was right. The sight of Paul Williams in his new soldier's uniform and Ozzie Morrow in his outfit was the final blow. We went home and took a good long look at our racket and the few trophies we have scattered around.

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They are the first Negro WAACs sent to Camp Breckinridge from Ft. Des Moines.

The WAACs sent to the Kentucky camp come from seven of the nine Service Commands in the United States. They are from the First, Second, Fourth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth and Ninth Service Commands.

They traveled to Camp Breckinridge under the direction of Junior Leader (Corporal) Tommy Ruth Berry of Kansas City, Mo.

The other WAACs in the group are: Auxiliaries Lillian Vear Jones of Corona, L. I., Diana Lopez Alexander of New York City, Arlene L. Noakes of Rochester, and Mary Elizabeth Brown of Tarrytown, N. Y.; Mattie Mae Moorehead of Los Angeles, Calif.; Eula M. Daniels of Albany, Ga.; Ethel Annette Morris of New Orleans, La.; Harriette R. Oxford of Boston, Mass.; Lucille Dolores Pace of Detroit, Mich.; Margie I. Amis of Rt. 3, Box 52A, Durham, N. C., and Helen M. Adams, of 350-Farmer St., Houston, Texas.

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OVER THE TOP FOR VICTORY with UNITED STATES WAR BONDS-STAMPS

POST EXCHANGE

Of men and women in the U. S. Army, Navy, Coast Guard, Marine and WAAC.

(By Marie Ross)

Seaman Eugene Brown Back from N. Africa

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Oran is a very interesting and educational place. We went into a little Spanish port and I was surprised how much I could pick up and also I understood a lot of their words. We left there and stopped at two more ports and also Spain. We could not go ashore because they are not at war.

The young seaman from Des Moines said he had signed up to leave on a freight ship which was scheduled to leave on June 23, and added that he hoped to come home after this trip to see his parents and all of his friends.

Remember all of us boys in service and in your prayers. We say ours each and every night and we also have church services every Sunday.

The letter was written to the veteran's attorney, S. Joe Brown, who was the seaman's Sunday School teacher before he went into the Merchant Marines.

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Registration for the Department Convention Aug. 8, 9, 10 is now open. The fee is \$2.00. Lincoln Post expects a heavy Post registration at this convention.

June 15 Department membership was 38,600, highest since 1923. Lincoln Post won second place in the 1943 District Drive. Post standing was 337 percent of assigned 1943 quota of 119.

July 6 is election night for Lincoln Post. Commander Johnson requests all to be present at 8 p. m. Reports will be made before the election of the District meeting, flag burning, Post finance for 1942 to 1944, membership committee for 1943-45, service committee, executive board activities, commander's annual report.

Attending the District meeting were: Commander Johnson, Comrades Bird, Burns, Leathe Turpin and Green; attending the Flag Burning ceremonies at Union Park were: Commander Johnson, Comrades Bird and Burns who were color-bearers. Comrades Elmore and H. Manuel and Mrs. Pearl Burns of the Unit. Membership for 1944 is eight. W. T. Burns, acting adjutant since Feb. 2.

Corn Borer Remedies

Now is the time for farmers to map their warfare against the European corn borer. Clean plowing is an important practice in the control program and is more satisfactory than burning, because this latter practice fails to kill all the borers and destroys valuable organic matter. All cornstalks and weeds should be removed or plowed under before May 10. If oats follow corn in rotation, the land should be plowed before oats seeding. Since it is necessary to plow corn stubble, it might be well to follow corn with soybeans and disc the soybean stubble the next year for oats seeding. Where legume seedings are to be made in oats following soybeans, thorough packing of the soils will aid in securing good stands of the legumes. In areas of heavy infestation, it is desirable to avoid early planting of corn on very fertile soils in order to escape as many of the first generation borers as possible. Because first generation borer moths prefer to lay eggs on tall, fast-growing corn, such plants will have the heaviest egg deposits.

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June 15 Department membership was 38,600, highest since 1923. Lincoln Post won second place in the 1943 District Drive. Post standing was 337 percent of assigned 1943 quota of 119.

July 6 is election night for Lincoln Post. Commander Johnson requests all to be present at 8 p. m. Reports will be made before the election of the District meeting, flag burning, Post finance for 1942 to 1944, membership committee for 1943-45, service committee, executive board activities, commander's annual report.

Attending the District meeting were: Commander Johnson, Comrades Bird, Burns, Leathe Turpin and Green; attending the Flag Burning ceremonies at Union Park were: Commander Johnson, Comrades Bird and Burns who were color-bearers. Comrades Elmore and H. Manuel and Mrs. Pearl Burns of the Unit. Membership for 1944 is eight. W. T. Burns, acting adjutant since Feb. 2.

Corn Borer Remedies

Now is the time for farmers to map their warfare against the European corn borer. Clean plowing is an important practice in the control program and is more satisfactory than burning, because this latter practice fails to kill all the borers and destroys valuable organic matter. All cornstalks and weeds should be removed or plowed under before May 10. If oats follow corn in rotation, the land should be plowed before oats seeding. Since it is necessary to plow corn stubble, it might be well to follow corn with soybeans and disc the soybean stubble the next year for oats seeding. Where legume seedings are to be made in oats following soybeans, thorough packing of the soils will aid in securing good stands of the legumes. In areas of heavy infestation, it is desirable to avoid early planting of corn on very fertile soils in order to escape as many of the first generation borers as possible. Because first generation borer moths prefer to lay eggs on tall, fast-growing corn, such plants will have the heaviest egg deposits.

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Jar Rubbers Are Different This Year

It is now thought that red rubber will be available for jar rings this year but there will be no cause for alarm if the rubbers you buy turn out to be black. It is the rubber, not the color, that counts. True, you may be a bit startled when you open your first package of the war models. "But what of it?" asks Gladys Kimbrough, Home Service Director of Ball Brothers Company. "Our grandmothers got along well enough with lipless rubbers and so can we."

Months ago, manufacturers began experiments to learn how to make jar rings that would conserve both rubber and food—the government set its scientists to the same task. One of the first things upon which all agreed was that lips are unnecessary for opening jars. The point of a thin knife can be run under the rubber to make a tiny space for air to "seep through and break the seal. It is then easy to remove cap or lid. It was also agreed that jar rings could be a small fraction of an inch narrower but the thickness must remain at the pre-war standard.

War-time rubbers will keep jars sealed air-tight, but they won't stand abuse. To get good results, break yourself to that never-good habit of stretching to test and follow these four simple rules:

1. Wash and rinse rubbers. Boil them to sterilize if you can fruit the old-fashioned open-kettle way. If processing is to be done, drop the rubbers in boiling water and set aside until needed.

2. Have rubbers wet when they are used—and be sure that each rubber lies flat on the sealing surface of the jar.

3. Partly seal all jars before processing.

4. Screw zinc caps and bands on glass top seal closures slowly when sealing, as quick or jerky turns cause rubbers to slip out of position.

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SOCIETY



MISS BURTON BECOMES BRIDE OF SGT. R. W. PARSONS AT FORT

Miss Anna Burton, 1029 Seventeenth street, became the bride of Sgt. Richard W. Parsons, son of Mrs. Lular Parsons, 935 Twelfth street, in a marriage ceremony performed Saturday afternoon, June 26, by Chaplain J. McWilliam at Ft. Des Moines Army Post.

Attending the couple were Lieut. Robert N. Hyde, Cpl. and Mrs. Jack Howard, boyhood pals of bridegroom. A native of Des Moines, Mrs. Parsons is a member of the La Parisienne club. She has been residing with her sister, Mrs. James Volinier at 1924 Seventeenth street.

Born and reared in Des Moines Sgt. Parsons, who has been in the army for nearly a year, was active here for a number of years in swimming activities at Good park pool. He is stationed at Greenville, South Carolina.

Prior to their marriage the couple was honored at a party by the La Parisienne club recently at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ruby Bradley, 1154 Thirteenth street; and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Finney at a dinner.

FAREWELL DINNER FOR JOHN H. GUNN

A farewell dinner honoring John H. Gunn, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Gunn, 1148 Second Place, was given at their home Sunday, June 27. Gunn was inducted into the army recently and is at Camp Dodge awaiting to leave to begin his basic training at another camp.

Among the relatives and friends who attended were: Mrs. John Gunn, Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene C. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rife, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Welch, Mrs. Leota Smith, Mrs. Martha Devers and son, Eugene, Mrs. Martha Gunn, Alonzo and Nellie Bell, James, Geraldine and Annabell Gunn, Joan Welch, Misses Charlotte Higgins and Lena Mason and Mr. Robert Greenfield, Jr.

MRS. WASHINGTON BACK FROM SOUTH

Mrs. Thelma Washington returned to the city recently from a trip to Tuskegee Institute, Ala., where she witnessed the graduation of her daughter, Miss Laverne Jefferson, from the Tuskegee high school. She also witnessed the graduation exercises of the aviation class in which Lieut. Luther Smith received his commission and wings, and visited with Mrs. Pearl Jefferson, former resident of Des Moines.

Leaving Tuskegee, Mrs. Washington went to Scotlandville, La., for a visit with a friend, Mr. Bessie Atah, a former graduate of Ames who was connected with the agriculture department at Southern University.

OMAHANS STOP HERE ENROUTE TO NEW YORK

Robert Green and Kenneth Starks of Omaha, Neb., spent the week end in Des Moines visiting the former's aunt, Mrs. Cuma Clayter, before leaving for Brooklyn, New York, to enter the U. S. Merchant Marines.

MRS. MANUEL ATTENDS WEDDING OF NIECE IN CHICAGO, ILL.

Mrs. H. A. Manuel, 1431 Fremont, left for Chicago, Ill., Saturday to attend the wedding of a niece, Miss Vivian Griffin. Mrs. Manuel's daughter, Mrs. Blanche A. Jackson, came from Greenville, S. C., where she had been visiting her husband, Pvt. Lawrence Jackson, to attend the wedding also. Mrs. Manuel will visit her brother, Mr. John White, there before returning home.

GUESTS AT PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bruce and Mrs. Leona Wallace were guests at a Blue Monday party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Brown.

GO FISHING

Mrs. Alfred Bruce, Mrs. Rose Lovelady and Mrs. Leona Wallace went on a fishing trip last Thursday.

LT. HOWE AND BRIDE TO BE VISIT HERE

Second Lieut. George S. Howe who is in the city visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ebert Howe, 906 Grove, was graduated this week of Class No. 8 of the Officer Candidate School at Grinnell, Iowa.

Miss Cora Holly of Denver, Colo., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar G. Holly, is also guest of the Howes. She and the lieutenant plan to be married Monday, July 5, at 5 p. m. at the St. John Evangelical Catholic church in Denver.

MRS. WILLIS IS DINNER HOSTESS

Rev. and Mrs. Louie Owens were entertained at dinner recently at the home of Mrs. Mary Willis, 1901 Washington. Other guests were Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Boyr and Miss Thelma Harris.

MARY B. TALBERT CLUB HAS ANNUAL DINNER

The Mary B. Talbert club observed their annual dinner June 23 at the Park View club, the home of Mrs. Cora Chapman.

The dinner table was beautifully decorated with two large bouquets of flowers as centerpiece. Yellow, green and pink candles adorned the table. Miniature bouquets were placed beside each plate.

Those sharing the courtesy of the evening were Mesdames G. W. Robinson, Sr., Mary Hardaway, Beatrice Lewis, Classic Rogers, Jessie Cary, of Kansas City, Mo., Martha Wheels, Zula Turner, Obe Gaines of New Orleans, Guy Greene.

Club members are Mesdames Anna Ware, Ruth Moore, Maybelle Jefferson, Helen Anderson, Mollie Beverly, Nera Williams, Willie B. Sloan, Fannie Danforth, Pearl Burns, Cora Chapman.

TEN KEY CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. BRODDUS

The Ten Keys club met at the home of Mrs. Gady Broddus, 1341 Crocker street, June 25, at which eight officers were installed. They are: Mrs. Rose C. Brooks, president; Mrs. Leona Jordan, vice president; Mrs. Ince Carter, secretary; Mrs. Annie Dixon, assistant secretary; Mrs. Christine Martin, treasurer. The club took in two new members, Mrs. Jessie Stewart, 830 Fourteenth street; Mrs. Anna Mae Lawson, 1114 Fourteenth. The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Rose Brooks, July 2.

BABY DEES HONOR MEMBERS' BIRTHDAYS

The Baby Dees club honored the June birthdays of club members: Mesdames Lena Baas, Iva Hayes, Mary Earl, Maude Howard, at the home of Mrs. Howard, 1136 Fourteenth street, Tuesday evening, June 29. Each honoree was the recipient of cards and gifts.

Members sharing the courtesy were: Mesdames M. Carson, M. Carl, F. Rice, P. Randle, D. Shepherd, S. Hyde, Mrs. Allen Lewis was a guest.

TREBLE LEAF CLUB ENTERTAINS

The Treble Leaf club entertained members and friends at their annual picnic dinner recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lillard Sloan.

UNITED SERVICE WOMEN MEET JULY 19

The United Service Women of America, unit 200, which was to hold a meeting July 4, will meet on Monday, July 19, at the Keo-Way USO club. Mrs. Margaret M. Patten, president.

SOCIAL WORKERS BUSY AGAIN

Mrs. Sophia Nichols reported that the Sophia Nichols Social Workers have resumed their knitting again. Members attended the state association this week. Delegates from the club were: Mrs. Mattie Woods and Mrs. Fannie Tomlin.

PERSONAL TOUCH

By MARIE ROSS

People are just never satisfied with the weather—last Saturday and Sunday when the thermometer hit 100 in some places of the city—residents were complaining that it is "just too hot"—and on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday—these same people were wrapped up in coats, searching for blankets and seeking a bit of heat to warm up the atmosphere, singing the tune that "it is just too chilly."

At the office, one of the staff was looking out of the window late Wednesday—waiting for snow flurries to fly.

Here and there about the city—everybody is busy—cold or hot weather. Homemakers are canning up and cleaning up. After attending the state association this week, the next day Mrs. Sophia Nichols went home and put up peas and cabbage.

She told of a successful method of cooking the cabbage down in some ham or bacon fat and then this winter—all you have to do is—take off the lid and your meal is ready. She also told of a mixture of radish and beet tops which made delicious greens for the winter.

Mr. O. Booker on the East side planted a victory garden but is having a time trying to find time to keep out the weeds.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Blitler on Walker have remodeled and redecorated their home, adding an archway here and there.

IOWA FLYER AND BRIDE



Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Butts, 1404 Buchanan street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Susie Butts, and Lieutenant Luther Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Smith, 901 Twenty-third street, which took place Saturday night, June 26, at the home of the bride's parents.

The single ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. M. Whaley. Miss Ada Butts, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Mr. Howard Smith, brother of the groom, was best man.

Other attendants were Lieut. Joseph Gomer of Iowa Falls, Ia., Lieut. Robert N. Hyde of Des Moines and Sgt. Richard W. Parsons also of Des Moines.

A reception followed at the Keo-Way USO where friends and relatives attended.

A native of Des Moines Mrs. Smith is a graduate of East high school and a member of the Bethel A.M.E. church.

Lieut. Smith, also born and reared in Des Moines, is a graduate of Roosevelt high school, attended the University of Iowa, was a member of Burns Methodist church and had been employed on the engineer's staff of the D. M. Waterworks.

When he entered the Tuskegee Aviation ten months ago he had earned a commercial pilot's license here.

At the wedding reception was another Iowan who received his commission as pilot in the army air forces at Tuskegee in the same class with Lieut. Smith. He was Lieut. Joseph P. Gomer of Iowa Falls.

Lieut. Smith left the city Tuesday for Ascoda air field in Michigan where he is to be stationed. His wife plans to join him in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Smith, parents, have three sons in the service. The other two are: Guy, who is a special officer of the army intelligence in overseas service; and Howard, who was inducted at Camp Dodge Monday.

In the picture are: left to right: Mrs. Luther Smith, Lieutenant Smith, Lieut. Joseph Gomer and Cadet Oscar Glass. (Courtesy of Register.)

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Cut the salt pork into cubes; render. Cook green peppers in the fat, then add flour and milk to make a white sauce. Season with paprika, pepper, and salt to taste. Combine sauce with well-beaten egg yolks and stir in beans and ketchup. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites and turn into greased baking dish. Set in pan of hot-water and bake in moderate oven for 30 minutes or until done.

THE GREENES HONOR CALIFORNIAN

Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Greene entertained Mr. George Gater of Los Angeles, Calif., at a dinner and a theater party last Friday.

SGT. YANCY A VISITOR

Sgt. Harry Yancy of Ft. Bragg, N. C., was a recent visitor of his wife, Auxiliary Marie A. Yancy who is stationed at the WAAC. He was house guest of Rev. and Mrs. J. Q. Evans.

Auxiliary Yancy is the niece of Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Muckelroy of Muskego, Okla.

REPORT-ON TAG DAY

Mrs. Rose Lovelady of West Des Moines who promoted a tag day in West Des Moines on June 19 for the Iowa Association Home for Girls reported \$48.44 proceeds for the day.

MRS. GUY SMITH VISITS HOME

Mrs. Guy W. Smith of Washington, D. C., arrived back home Sunday night for a brief visit with her mother, Mrs. Goldie Fant, 1654 Maple street.

She is employed in government work in Washington while her husband is serving his country.

MR. AND MRS. SMITH HONOR NEWLYWEDS

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Smith, Sr., entertained at dinner Tuesday evening at their home newlyweds Lieut. and Mrs. Luther Smith, Jr.

MRS. NEWSOME GIVES SURPRISE

Mrs. James Newsome entertained at a surprise birthday party June 24 honoring Lt. George Gorham of Iowa Falls, Ia.

Others who shared the courtesy were: William, Batley, Clifford Bayles, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Crumb, Mr. and Mrs. Winston, Mrs. Ross Baskett, Mr. L. Lewis of Centerville, Mrs. Leola Martin, Lieut. Gorham was the house guest of Cadet Oscar Glass who is in the city visiting his parents, Lieut. Gorham is a recent graduate of the Tuskegee Army Aviation School.

YWCA

Camp Work-Shop

The Camp Work-shop is going strong. The girls are stenciling tea towels and tea aprons. The girls have organized in two groups for more effective work. Patay Randle was elected leader of group one; Betty Joe Estes, leader of group 2. Dorothy Williams is senior leader. Miss Maurice Evans is director of the camp work shop.

Miss Evans returned from the state Girl Reserve conference which met at Boone, Ia., last week. She was the leader of the workshop programs for the conference.

Civic Groups Give Campships

Among the early contributors to the campaign fund of the Blue Triangle Branch Y.W.C.A. are: the Ministerial Alliance, \$10.00, the first civic organization to contribute, the Brotherhood and Sisterhood, Inc., \$9.50, one campship. Other organizations who donate campships are urged to get them in early.

RATIONING

Washington—The Office of Price Administration set the validity dates of four new series of War Ration Book Two, red stamps, which may be used for purchases of rationed meats, fats, oils and cheeses through July 31.

The dates and the stamps are as follows:
Red Stamp Validity date Exp. Date
P (16 points) June 27 July 31
Q (16 points) July 4 July 31
R (16 points) July 11 July 31
S (16 points) July 18 July 31

In validating each series of stamps on successive Sundays, and setting a common expiration date, the OPA is following the same procedure used in the past three months. Officials stated that the dates for series "T" will be announced in the near future.

Coffee

Coffee at the rate of one pound in three weeks for the six weeks' period between July 1 and August 11 will be made available to consumers in a further increase in the coffee ration announced today by the Office of Price Administration.

Coffee stamp number 21 in Ration Book One becomes valid for one pound of coffee on July 1 and will expire on July 21. Stamp number 22 will be valid from July 22 to August 11. Stamp 24, now in use, expires at the end of June.

HELP WANTED

Young woman or man to assist in advertising and subscription departments. Prefer woman who has some typing. Write Iowa By-stander, 221 1/2 Locust Street or phone 3-2822.

Chickens Pose Problems

"City farmers" who go in for raising chickens with their victory gardens—a new trend in some communities—are posing new problems for city councils, according to the American Municipal Association, South Pasadena, Calif., for example, has adopted a new ordinance limiting householders to a maximum of 12 hens and 50 chicks—but no roosters. Chickens must be penned at least 50 feet from the nearest neighbor's dwelling, and baby chicks must be disposed of when they become four months old.

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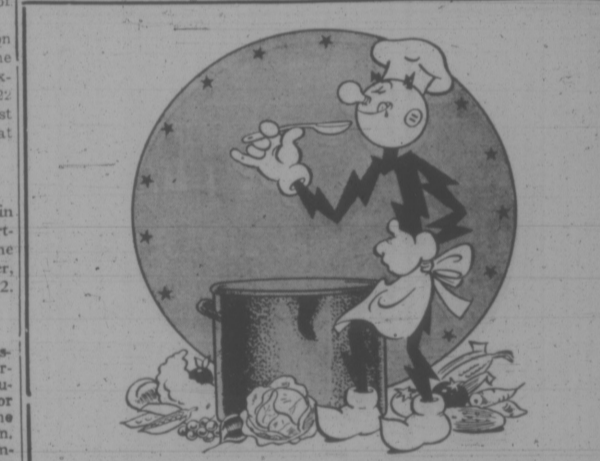
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S. L.—I am pretty worried right now. Tell me if I should try to stay here and keep my brother's house while he's in service or leave here altogether? I don't know how to write for a private answer—tell me, please.
Ans.: Your brother left you in charge of his home and he had hoped that you would remain there while he's fighting for his country. A change wouldn't help you. You can rent out a part of his home and get a job and fare much better than you would if you moved entirely away. Living quarters are very hard to find in sections where defense work is going on. You may write me privately. Send 25c for an Astrology Reading and explain your case fully.
P. T. A.—I have been married 6 months and when my husband comes in home from work I become angry with him and he don't do anything to me. We just fight all the time. Please give me a good answer.
Ans.: Apparently you don't even care whether you make a success of your marriage or not. If you continue to meet your husband every evening with a chip on your shoulder you may rest assured that he will start staying out in order to avoid your tantrums. You're acting like a child—not a married lady. Surely you have reasons enough to know that you must show your husband the same consideration that you expect from him. Stop this nonsense and try being a loving wife.
L. L.—I am all upset about my loving husband who is in jail. Should I go to this place this woman told me about to get him out? My mind told me to write to you.
Ans.: The only person who can help your husband is a good attorney. Go to see one and let him handle your husband's case. It isn't going to do any good to spend your money running to various folks for luck pieces.
A. P.—I'm a boy out of high school and registered for the army. I have two girl friends. The one I really love moved about 200 miles away, but we write regularly. The one here is jealous. When we go to parties, if I take up time with other girls, she gets angry. She says she loves me. Tell me if I should give up seeing her as I don't like this business. I really don't care much for her.
Ans.: Break away from the girl if you do not care for her—as she's taking you very seriously. She's trying to dictate to you, you already what you should or shouldn't do—you no doubt have a rough idea what life would be like if you were her steady bean. You feel sure of your love for the other girl and it is best that you do not become too deeply involved with a girl that you know you don't love.

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Rev. C. 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.

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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 service: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.; A. C. E. League, 6:30 p. m.; Midweek service and choir rehearsal, 8:00 p. m. Wednesday, everybody is welcome.

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

East Seventeenth and University—Elder F. T. Taylor, Pastor Sunday School at 10:30 a. m. Preaching at 12 o'clock (noon). Y. P. W. W. at 6:30 p. m. Regular services Tuesdays and Friday nights at 8 p. m. Elder Richard Bogie, assistant pastor. You are welcome to our services.

MASON CITY, IOWA

Mason City, Ia.—Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bennett are the proud parents of an eight pound baby, born Friday, June 24, at Mercy hospital. Mother and son are reported doing fine. The Rev. J. M. Hayes returned from Des Moines where he spent a few days visiting his daughter, Mrs. Ethel Jeffers who recently returned from Washington, D. C. The Perfect Ashler Lodge, Masonic held their annual St. Johns Day program at the Union Memorial Methodist church, Sunday, June 27. The program was as follows: Processional, prayer by Virgil Warren, song by the choir, welcome address on behalf of the church, Mrs. N. C. Reeler, response by Roy McAllister, solo, Miss Esther Walls, sermon by the Rev. H. C. Moore, song, by Lodge, remarks by Wm. L. Winton, Master of Perfect Ashler Lodge, benediction by the chaplain, Rev. H. C. Moore, master of ceremonies was Virgil A. Warren. After the service the audience was invited to the high 12 club room where they were served refreshments by the Masonic order. Mrs. Ida Martin, Mrs. Mary Johnson, Mrs. Jewett Walls and Mrs. Eunice Stewart left the city Monday for Des Moines where they attended the Iowa Association for Colored Women.

FORT MADISON, IA.

Ft. Madison, Ia.—Special services this week in New Hope Methodist church, 1629 33rd street, of which Rev. Jordan Ray is pastor. These services will continue a week longer. Gospel singer is Mrs. Mary Magdalene Rogers, national evangelist, singer and song writer. Services begin each evening at 8:15 p. m. This "Beehive" financial drive is preparatory for reports in the St. Louis District conference which will be held in Springfield, Ill., Aug. 18-19. All pastors and their congregations and all other friends in and out of the community are invited to attend these meetings. Women's Day program will be held at New Hope Sunday afternoon, July 4, at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Mary Range of Ft. Madison will be the guest speaker. The Community Club choir will sing. Mrs. Marjorie Lewis is president of the choir.

CHAPLAIN REDDICK TALKS TO SCHOOL

Chaplain K. D. Reddick of Washington, D. C., who was guest of Rev. C. Lopez McAllister, Tuesday, addressed the Maple Street Baptist Bible School. They were school mates at Morehouse college a number of years ago. The new chaplain is stationed at Ft. Des Moines W.A.A.C. training center.

CHURCH HONORS REV. WHALEY

Officers and members of the Burns Methodist church honored their pastor, Rev. E. M. Whaley, at a reception Friday night, June 25, at the Blue Triangle Branch Y.W.C.A.

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.

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST CLEVELAND AVENUE

East Seventeenth and Cleveland, Overseers W. D. Smith, pastor. The order of services is as follows: Sunday School; 10:30 a. m.; Morning service at 12 o'clock (noon); Y. P. W. W. League at 6:30. Tuesday and Friday services at 8 p. m. Everyone is welcome.

WEST SIDE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

(Disciples of Christ) 14th and Keo-Way J. J. Hawkins, pastor Sunday Services—Bible School 9:45 a. m.; Worship service 11 a. m.; Children's Story Hour 4 to 5 p. m. Weekly meetings—Monday Council at 8 p. m.; Wednesday, Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, 8 p. m. Come and be with us.

DAVID SPIRITUAL TEMPLE OF CHRIST Church, Inc., U.S.A.

1734 Garfield Evangelist 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.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH

Ninth and School Street Rev. George W. Robinson, pastor; telephone 3-4075 Order of services for week: Sunday School 9:45 A. M., W. C. Buice, sup.; 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; 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 3-4073.

MISSIONARIES HOLD 47th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY FOR W. H. OGLETONS

Climaxing the Northwestern Branch Mite Missionary conference of the A. M. E. church, St. Paul A.M.E. church auditorium church was transformed into a colorful setting Thursday afternoon, June 24, for the forty-seventh wedding anniversary celebration of Presiding Elder and Mrs. W. F. Ogleton.

Rev. Mr. Ogleton, who has been in the ministry for 30 years, has been presiding elder for 14 years. He and his wife were married in Columbia, Tennessee. An audience composed of delegates, visitors and friends many of whom had attended the sessions of the District Conference, the Mite Missionary of the Ministers, and the A. C. E. League filled the auditorium of the church.

Women of the Mite Missionary Societies of the district gowned in attractive evening dresses were the hostesses of the occasion, headed by Mrs. Goldie Fant, president of the Mite Missionaries and chairman of the anniversary celebration.

Musical selections were sung by Mrs. Val Gruner of Rock Island, Ill., who offered, "When You and I Were Young Maggie" and Miss Lorraine

CHURCH ACTIVITIES AT MAPLE STREET

Daily Vocational Bible School opened Monday at the Maple Street Baptist church with an enrollment of fifty-one. The teachers are: Rev. C. Lopez McAllister, Mrs. Opal Jacob, Mrs. Fannie Cox and Mrs. Holt. The enrollment is expected to increase during the week. Hours are from 9 to 11 a. m.

Covenant meeting and the Lord's supper will be administered Sunday at the 11 o'clock services.

A lawn-fete will be given at the church Monday night, July 5, by the Junior Matrons club. The July club will be ready to keep you cool Sunday.

and other activities available at the park. Next week the 4th, 5th and 6th Service Command will be entertained at Good Park.

WAACs Sew

No one ever guessed that so many WAACs liked to sew, but when it was learned at USO that there were WAACs who needed bathing suits and either couldn't purchase the kind they wanted here or couldn't get them from their homes quickly enough for a picnic June 27, USO decided to pitch in and come to the rescue of the WAACs. Material for 75 bathing suits was purchased with all the trimmings included, zippers, buttons, needles, thread and etc. Lieutenants at the Chamberlain hotel arranged for WAACs who knew how to sew and who wanted to volunteer, to cut out and make up the suits to come to the club. At the end of the week nearly a dozen and a half suits were ready for WAACs who wanted to go swimming. To tide over the period of sewing at the club, WAACs were served luncheon prepared by the efficient Mrs. Maxine Banning, NOCS Secretary at Keo-Way USO club.

Go Horseback Riding

If you're interested in seeing pretty sights you ought to see the WAACs starting out from Crawford's Stable on Saturday or Wednesday evenings of the week. Last Saturday, June 26, there were so many who wanted to ride that it was necessary to arrange two groups of 14 each to accommodate everyone. Despite the fact that when some of the girls came in from rides walking lap-legged like seasoned Texas cowboys, they wanted to ride again. Many sign up for horseback rides a whole week ahead of schedule. Some of the girls have sent home for riding habits. One WAAC was so anxious to get her riding habit from home to participate in the Saturday event that she called long distance to have her mother send it to her. Reservations for horse back riding must be made.

Some of the WAACs who have been frequently seen on these horse back riding trips are: Auxiliaries Willean Fly, Danville, Illinois, Benny Evans and Beverly Love of Chicago, Louise Proctor, Mississippi, Carroll Pertlow, New York, Wilma Hardy, Kalamazoo, Michigan, Thelma Fleming, South Dakota and Flossie Compton, Westminster, Maryland. Reservations for horse back riding must be made at the Keo-Way, USO club, 3-4815.

Company Party

The Junior Service Girls at the Keo-Way, USO Club were hostesses to the WAACs of the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Service Command at Fort Des Moines on Thursday, July 24. The event held was a hayride and picnic. The WAACs were transported in trucks laden with hay from the Fort to Good Park, where they were able to participate in tennis, swimming

POOR SEPARATION CAUSE OF HUGE BUTTER LOSS

Amounts of butter lost in 6,000 pounds of skim milk (the approximate production of one cow in a year) when separated by these three methods:

Symbol ☐ = 2 lbs.

CENTRIFUGAL SEPARATOR—LOSS 1.2 lbs.

SHALLOW PAN—LOSS 26.2 lbs.

WATER DILUTION METHOD—LOSS 40.5 lbs.

"A separator is a separator," say some farm folks. But based on performance, some hand-skimming separators might better be called cream wasters. "In fact," says a government publication, "farmers milking as few as two or three cows could usually pay for a small mechanical separator within a year from the extra amount of cream and better quality obtained."

The above chart summarizes the results of a series of tests at the Indiana State Experiment Station to ascertain butterfat losses in skim milk from three common methods of separation. Identical amounts of skim milk were tested, and the results computed in terms of actual butter lost. The water dilution method was found to be the greatest waster of fat—with a loss of 40.5 pounds of butter. The shallow pan method was next with a loss of 26.2 pounds, while the loss from mechanical separation was a bare 1.2 pounds.

Not only are the farmers using the first two methods heavy financial losers but the nation, too, is losing a lot of butterfat badly needed for the war effort.

Experts hold that with a good mechanical separator any butterfat loss in skim milk above two hundredths of one per cent is preventable. "This is a good standard for the farmer to go by in checking on the efficiency of his own separator. A monthly checkup is highly desirable. Due to the war it is no longer practical to call in the separator service man to make such a test, but this does not mean that you have to resort to the very inefficient method of setting aside a glass of skim milk to await the rising of the cream to the top. The state agricultural college and your vocational high school will no doubt be glad to make a test for you.

Johnson of Muscatine rendered "I Love You Truly."

Procession Starts —As Mrs. Joburnese Kelso played the strains of a wedding march the minister the Rev. W. F. Ogleton, son of honored couple, took his place at the altar. The bride of forty-seven years ago, came in on the arm of Rev. C. H. Copeland, of Council Bluffs. The bridegroom of nearly a half century was attended by the Rev. A. R. Parks of Cedar Rapids.

Mrs. Margaret Chambliss, took the place of the matron of honor at celebration for her parents. Other attendants of the bride were Mesdames A. R. Parks of Cedar Rapids, Beatrice Parker of Ottumwa, Manilla Copeland, Donna Ogleton who is the daughter-in-law of the bride.

Serving as flower girls were two granddaughters of the couple, little Carol Ogleton and Donna Ruth Chambliss. The ringbearer was a grandson, Truman Chambliss.

Ushers were Mesdames Mabel Mason, Jeannie Morris, Iva Lighon, Ruth Doyle all of Des Moines.

Following a re-reading of the ceremony the bridal party and attendants were honored at a reception in the dining hall of the church. The bridal table was centered with a large wedding anniversary cake of four tiers. Flowers of the season added to the beauty of the table.

Serving at the table were Mesdames Zula Turner, Virginia Smith, Emma Evans and Julia Proctor. Others members of anniversary committee who assisted with refreshments were: Mesdames Fannie Danforth and Oley Williams.

An abundance of gifts from delegates and friends all over the district sent and brought gifts to the couple. Presentations were made by Mrs. Estella Coates with the assistance of Mesdames Sophia Nichols and Clara Bailey of Ottumwa. Mesdames Mattie Boyd and Coates were in charge of decorations for the event.

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GLASS JARS FOR VICTORY CANNING

Plan to can every extra vegetable from your Victory garden and don't worry if your dealer hasn't jars with the kinds of caps you have been accustomed to using. Gladys Kimbrough, Home Service Director of Ball Brothers Company, tells us that very few of the all-time favorite zinc caps are left on the home front because zinc is needed on the battle front, but all Mason jars (any brand) with smooth, even top edges can be sealed with glass top seal on two-piece metal vacuum seal closures.

Glass top seals consist of glass lid, rubber ring, and metal screw band. The rubber is placed around the projection on the bottom of the lid, then the lid with rubber is placed so that the rubber rests on top of the jar. The bands are screwed down tight, then loosened slightly before the jars are put into a canner for processing and screwed tight immediately after the jars are removed from the canner.

After the jars have stood twelve or fifteen hours, the bands are removed and used to seal more jars with glass lids and rubbers, thus making a little metal go a long way.

That's one reason Government officials smile upon home canners who use glass top seals.

Another good top seal for Mason jars is the two-piece metal cap, called vacuum seal. The lid is slightly dome shaped, lined with white enamel and has a rubber sealing compound around the outer edge to take the place of a regular jar ring—(don't let anybody fool you— all sealing compounds contain rubber). If one is using old-fashioned open kettle (never use this method for canning vegetables), the lids are boiled a few minutes to sterilize, but need only to be dropped into boiling water and kept hot if the jars of food are to be placed in a canner for processing. After the lid is placed on the jar, the metal band is screwed tight once for all. Retightening the band after the jars are taken out of the canner is likely to prevent sealing. The bands are removed from the jars twelve or fifteen hours after the canning is done and used to seal more lids on other jars. Jars sealed with two-piece metal caps are suitable for all types of canning, except oven—a tightly

sealed jar is likely to break when subjected to the dry heat of an oven. Bands for glass top seal and vacuum seal caps are not interchangeable because a deeper band is needed for the glass lids, but the two have one thing in common. Neither is rust-proof. That's because of the zinc shortage, but a quick wiping after each use with a cloth moistened with paraffin will prevent serious rusting. It will save time and trouble to have a cloth prepared ahead of time and kept in one of those glass jars that can't be used for home-canning. Then when the cloth is needed, set the jar in a pan of warm water until the paraffin softens.

The "lightning" jar (also called because it is quickest to seal) requires very little metal and not too much rubber for sealing. Several manufacturers make this type jar. It seals with a glass lid and rubber held in place with wire-balls. The wires used on one nationally known brand are of heat-treated, high-tension, stretch-proof, spring steel. This is the ideal jar for home canning any year because it is so easy to seal. The rubber is placed on the sealing surface or shoulder, the lid comes next, then the upper ball wire is pushed up until it rests in the groove in the top of the lid. Pay no attention to the lower wire, it takes care of itself until after the jars are removed from the canner—then it is pushed down against the side of the jar and that's all there is to sealing it.

When buying jars, choose pints for peas, corn, and shelled beans—and quarts for all other vegetables. Half-pint sizes aren't being made, and half-gallons are unsuitable for canning vegetables because it takes too long for heat to reach the center of the jar.

THE ASS THAT STARVES WITH HIS MASTER

Both are hungry. For both there is not much promise of food. Why? Because they live in Greece.

Because in Greece the Axis took every scrap of food and every source of food—and deliberately left the people, the dogs, and a few useless burros to starve and to die.

Remember the farmer of Greece as you eat your Friday evening supper. Remember him the next day, as you market your produce. Remember—and buy now—from your bank, post office, or rural mail carrier.

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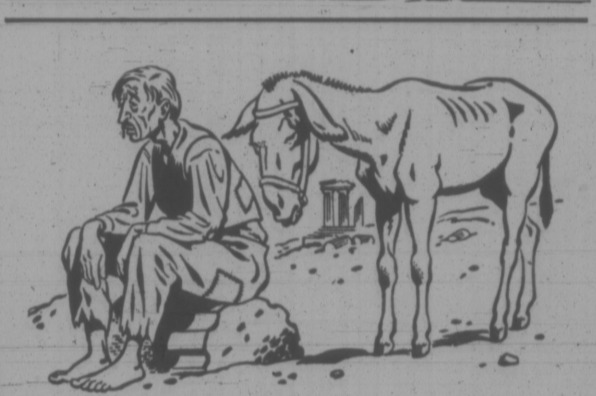


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