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## News Briefs From Far and Near

### U. S. TROOPS GUARD DETROIT UNTIL AUGUST—WAR DEPT.

Detroit, Mich.—U. S. troops will remain here until sometime in August according to assurances made to the NAACP by Adjutant General James A. Ulio.

In answer to the NAACP's urging that troops not be withdrawn immediately after the July fourth holiday, General Ulio wired the NAACP "your message is appreciated, and precautionary measures have been taken accordingly." The NAACP feels that it would be better to keep the troops indefinitely than to remove them one day too soon and has expressed the conviction that it would be well for the War Department to wait until cold weather sets in and the tendency of people to congregate in parks and on street corners has lessened, before it orders the removal of soldiers stationed here.

### CBS BROADCAST ON RACE HARMONY JULY 17

New York, N. Y.—In order to arrange a more impressive program, the coast-to-coast CBS broadcast scheduled for July 10 in the interest of racial unity has been postponed to July 17 it was learned this week.

Interested in the presentation of this program which will be heard from 8 o'clock p. m. are many of the best known names in the entertainment world including Laurence Tibbett, George Heller, Jane Cowl, Ralph Bellamy, Tallulah Bankhead, Max Gordon, Paul Robeson, Maxwell Anderson, Serge Koussevitzky and James Cagney. Walter White has been asked to speak and Paul Muni will appear in a skit to be produced by William Robson.

### MRS. DAVIS HAS NEW BOOK OF POEMS

"My Victory Book," a recent collection of poems written by Mrs. Alta Davis, is just off the press. Mrs. Davis who has been writing poems since she was eight years old, has published her twelfth volume of her compositions.

### FIVE MORE WACS GET COMMISSIONS

Five Negro members of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps were graduated from Officer Candidate School at First WAAC Training Center, Fort Des Moines, Ia., on July 7. They are: Third Officers (Second Lieutenants) Verdia May Hickambottom of Pasadena, Calif., Ann Greene Hall of Chicago, Ill.; Martha Ann Settle of Norristown, Pa.; Tenolia Tyvola Stoney of Hempstead, Texas, and Charity Emmogene White of El Paso, Texas.

The five new Third Officers have been assigned to duty as Company Officers for Negro WAAC Companies at Fort Des Moines.

Third Officers Hickambottom, Hall, Settle and Stoney formerly were school teachers, while Third Officer White formerly was a hospital mess attendant.

## Comments on New WAC Bill

Leaders of the Women's Army Corps at First WAC Training Center, Fort Des Moines, Ia., greeted with enthusiasm President Roosevelt's signature of the Women's Army Corps bill on July 2, which changed the Corps from a force working with the army to a regular branch of the army of the United States.

The bill, which dropped the word "auxiliary" from the Corps' name, grants WACs the same rights and benefits enjoyed by soldiers. These include the rights to make allotments, to purchase National Service Life Insurance and to use free postage and the benefits of hospitalization and pensions. WAC enrolled members are now known as "privates" instead of "auxiliaries" and non-commissioned and commissioned officers in the WAC now have the same grades and ranks as army officers.

"The need for WACs is greater than ever before," Col. Frank U. Coker, Commandant at First WAC Training Center said. "Remember that 150,000 women in the Corps is the equivalent to 10 divisions. If we

## AMES MINISTER IN RADIO ADDRESS

# Airs Threats to National Unity



Released by U. S. War Department. Shows a radio broadcast in ORAN, NORTH AFRICA. After one of her performances at the Municipal Theater in Oran, Miss Josephine Baker, popular singer, fulfills some of the many requests for her autograph.

## United Grand Lodge Holds Annual Communication

Mason City, Ia.—The United Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. (Prince Hall Affiliation) held its fifty-seventh annual communication here Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, July 12-14.

Notwithstanding the rationing of gas and food stuffs a large delegation was present and the hospitable ladies of the O. E. S. chapter of Mason City saw to it that not a man went hungry.

A public reception was held in the St. John's Baptist church on Monday evening and the Grand Lodge of Sorority in the Union Memorial Methodist church on Wednesday evening.

Among the most important pieces of legislation enacted by this session was the adoption of a complete revision of the Grand Lodge Relief Department recommended by Grand Master Mays under the provisions of which all members in the jurisdiction will contribute to the Grand Lodge Relief Fund quarterly and at the end of the fiscal year ninety percent of

these contributions will be divided equally among the relatives of those who have passed during the year, the other ten percent remaining in the emergency fund to take care of overhead expenses, etc.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are: Carl M. Mays, Des Moines Grand Master; Dr. E. C. Martin, Mason City, Deputy Grand Master; Howard Brown, Mason City, Senior Grand Warden; Joshua Roberts, Davenport, Junior Grand Warden; Dr. H. A. Martin, Dubuque, Grand Treasurer; C. T. Culbertson, Iowa City, Grand Secretary and Wm. A. Givens, Council Bluffs, Grand Custodian. These officers were installed by Atty. S. Joe Brown, the Senior Past Grand Master of the jurisdiction.

The meeting place for next year was left in the hands of the Grand Trustees, with the understanding that if no invitation is extended from any other city it will be in all probability in Des Moines.

had 150,000 WACs on duty we could have those divisions on active duty.

Capt. Mary Louise Milligan, WAC director at Fort Des Moines, said: "I feel extremely pleased that the WAC is now a part of the army. Our women have been working hard in order to release soldiers for active duty."

Capt. Sarah Emmert Jackson of Chicago, Ill., who is company commander of a company of more than 150 Negro students in the WAC Baker and Cooks School at Fort Des Moines, said: "Actually becoming a part of the army, rather than remaining in Auxiliary to it has made those of us who joined with the idea of helping the men in the armed forces, practically glow with the realization that our efforts may be bent toward, and our talents used in wider and ever wider fields of endeavor. I'm glad the WAC is now the WAC. Shortening the name seems to make the organization a more closely knit, cooperative unit."

Capt. Dovey M. Johnson of Charlotte, N. C., Regimental Recreation Officer for Negro WACs at Fort Des Moines, who recently returned from recruiting in the Fourth and Eighth Service Commands, said: "When the President signed the WAC bill, he voiced the faith this nation has in its womanhood—the WAC will not fail the sacred pledge of trust."

## Files Civil Rights Suit Against Katz

"I was just hungry—and wanted something to eat," Mrs. Marjri Johnson, 2413 Garfield avenue, commented this week after she had filed charges against Earl Vrooman, restaurant manager at the Katz Drug Co., Seventh and Locust streets.

Employed in the same building which houses the restaurant, Mrs. Johnson who is one of the secretaries in the office of Mrs. Alice Whipple of the Community Chest Agencies, alleged that she had been refused service in the store. A warrant was served upon Vrooman, and he was ordered to appear in court.

"Working downtown is a problem when it comes to eating and for one or two of the eating places should not have to feed all of the Negroes who eat downtown," she added in the interview.

Another case involving the right of Negroes to booth service in Des Moines eating places was heard in the municipal court Tuesday.

Municipal Judge Harry B. Grund dismissed a charge filed against J. W. Besse, manager of the fountain at the F. and W. Grand Co., 50 Walnut street, for allegedly failing to give booth service to Mrs. Charles P. Howard, 1136 Fourteenth street.

Judge Grund said the case was dismissed after agreement that the store would not refuse to serve Negroes in the booths.

The code section under which the charges were filed, 13251, reads: "All persons within this state shall be entitled to the full and equal enjoyment of the accommodations, advantages, facilities, and privileges of inns, restaurants, chopouses, eating houses, lunch counters, and all other places where refreshments are served, public conveyances, barber shops, bathhouses, theaters and all other places of amusement."

Violation of the civil rights section is a misdemeanor with a penalty of up to \$100 fine or 30 days in the county jail.

## Hold Woman In Shooting

Mrs. Mabel Virginia Watkins, 35, Negro, 1076 Sixteenth street Friday, was charged with assault with intent to kill in the shooting of Miss Benny Daniels, 24, Negro WAC of Gary, Ind., Thursday night.

Arraigned before Municipal Judge C. S. Cooter she pleaded not guilty and asked for a preliminary hearing which was set for 2 p. m. July 20. She was released after posting the \$5,000 bond fixed by Judge Cooter.

Miss Daniels received a thigh flesh wound when struck by one of five shots fired by Mrs. Watkins at a car in which the WAC was riding with Mrs. Watkins' husband, Owen, an employe of the city streets department.

Capt. Kathrine Stull, post relations officer, said that Miss Daniels' case would be investigated and necessary action taken.

## WAR DEPARTMENT TO TAKE ACTION AGAINST NEGROES' TREATMENT AT CAMP

Washington, D. C.—Secretary of War Henry Stimson this week assured the NAACP that it plans to act against the deplorable condition revealed in a recent memorandum to the War Department on the treatment of Negro soldiers stationed at Camp Stewart.

"We appreciate your sincere interest in the welfare," wrote Secretary Stimson "of the Negro officers and enlisted men, who are stationed at Camp Stewart, and assure you that the War Department is taking action to see that there will be no just cause for complaint as to the personnel and facilities under its jurisdiction."

Buy War Savings Stamps and Bonds.

## STATE HEAD



M. F. FIELDS  
Atty. M. F. Fields of Waterloo, Ia., is the new president of the Iowa State Branches of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, elected on July 4 at the fourth annual meeting which convened at Marshalltown. He succeeds Mrs. Georgine C. Morris, founder.

## NABBED



## STEPIN FETCHIT

Chicago, Ill.—Stepin Fetchit, slow-talking movie comedian and stage star, was nabbed by police with a 16-year-old girl in a Vincennes hotel room.

Fetchit, whose real name is Lincoln Perry, was charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor. He pleaded not guilty.

## FUNERAL RITES FOR GEORGE W. MORRISON

Funeral services were held Saturday, July 10, from the Estes Funeral home for George W. Morrison, 850 Fifteenth street.

Mr. Morrison, 76, died Wednesday at Broadlawn General hospital after a long illness. He had been a resident of Des Moines for two years, formerly living in Albia.

Surviving are: wife, Mrs. A. Morrison; two sons, Paul of Des Moines and George Morrison, Jr., of Moline, Ill.; sister, Mrs. Ella Robertson of Milwaukee, Wis., and four grandchildren. Burial was in Glendale cemetery.

## Name Ship for John Merrick

Wilmington, N. C.—The John Merrick, a Liberty freighter named for a North Carolina Negro business leader who was born in slavery, slid down the ways of the North Carolina Shipbuilding company here this week.

Merrick, who died in 1919, founded the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company of Durham, which claims to be the largest insurance company in the world run by and for members of his race.

Governor J. M. Broughton in an address called Merrick's career an example of opportunity in a democracy, and referred to amicable relations which he said had long existed in North Carolina between the white and Negro races.

## WOI Speaker Urges US To 'Take a Stand-Prove That Men Created Equal'

"In spite of the fact that the founding fathers of our country stated in the Declaration of Independence, 'All men are created equal,' our national unity is threatened by class and racial strife," spoke the Rev. Walter H. Moore, pastor of the Church of Christ, Ames, Iowa, over the Matins program on Station WOI, Thursday, July 8.

The white minister whose subject for the morning sermons of the week was "National Unity and Religion," spoke from the topic "National Unity on Intra-Racial Fronts," in this particular sermon.

He pointed out that "Over 30 people, mostly Negroes, lost their lives in a race riot in Detroit only a few days ago. Millions of dollars worth of property was destroyed. There has been rioting between our Negro and our white citizens in several other places. The immediate cause in more than one instance seems to have been resentment by white workers over the advancement of Negro workers in industry. White men could not stand to see Negroes treated as equals."

## Sad Fact

He commented upon the racial tension on the west coast as the result of the evacuation of several thousand American citizens of Japanese ancestry, their confinement without trial, and their much protested relocation in other areas of our country as a "sad fact"; the tension between people of Mexican origin and our native-born whites in some parts of the country.

"Racial injustice and discrimination in this country plays into the hands of the enemies of democracy," the minister continued.

"Negroes and other victims of intolerance in this country wonder why they should fight in the name of freedom which they have always been denied. Propagandists of the Japan-

## Must Prove

"Recently I have heard wise men saying that if we do not prove in America now that we believe that all men are created equal, if we do not renounce white superiority, if we do not give equal justice and opportunity to our colored peoples, and that if we do not take an unequivocal stand for freedom and equality for all the peoples of the world, a world war in which the colored peoples fight unitedly against the whites will begin before many decades."

"If such a war should take place," the Rev. Mr. Moore added, "the white peoples would be so badly outnumbered, and with the preponderance of the world's natural resources held by colored peoples, there could be little hope for a white victory. But Christian people should not have to be frightened into doing what is right."

"Well, what can religion do about it?" queried the minister then he answered his question stating that "Religion should give men inner conditions of heart that make external controls unnecessary."

He emphasized that "Religious people should firmly resolve that they will not do anything to incite interracial violence, and that they will do all in their power to prevent it."

"North, South, East and West—we need general private and public repentance for our ungodly egotism and racial pride. Detroit churches designated the Sunday after the riot, 'The Day of Humility.' This is a sign of spiritual health. Prevention is better than cure. Let us repent before our streets are stained with blood."

## Soldier Killed in East; Shootings in Mississippi

Shenango, Penn.—One Negro soldier, Pvt. Norman Taylor, 20, of Rosedale, Kan., was killed and six others were wounded in an encounter between white and Negro soldiers at Camp Shenango Sunday evening, the army press relations office announced.

A statement from the post said: "Friction between white and colored troops which developed at Shenango personnel replacement depot Sunday evening resulted in the death of one Negro soldier and the wounding of six others."

A board of inquiry has been appointed by Col. Zim-E. Lawton, post commander.

"A dispute arose between white and colored soldiers at a post exchange about 9:30 p. m. Sunday. The troops were addressed by the post commander, who pointed out the serious consequences that might arise in such a situation."

"The soldiers involved in the controversy proceeded to their respective areas. As a precautionary measure, military police were alerted to control traffic and prevent further outbreaks."

"Later, an undetermined number of colored soldiers forcibly entered a supply building in their battalion area and armed themselves with rifles and ammunition and began firing into an area occupied by white soldiers."

"A colored soldier was wounded and died at 10:47 p. m. in the station hospital. Six other colored soldiers were admitted to the post hospital

for treatment of gunshot wounds. Another soldier was treated for cuts and lacerations."

## ACCUSE SOLDIERS OF SHOOTING UP TOWN

Grenada, Miss.—Negro soldiers from Camp McCain, Miss., were involved in a Fourth-of-July incident in which the town of Duck Hill, Miss., was peppered by bullets for twelve minutes, Deputy Sheriff Clayton Carpenter said this week.

Sheriff Carpenter said he was aiding Army investigators of the shooting. He said that a group of Negro soldiers, using Army rifles and Army ammunition, started firing at the small town at 12:04 a. m. July 4. Several hundred shots were fired, he said, the Negroes apparently congregating 300 yards north of the village along the Illinois Central Railroad right of way.

The sheriff said several hundred empty shells were found near the railroad tracks. No one in the town was hit. A number of buildings, including the postoffice, were struck by bullets.

Army officials said they had no statement to make at this time concerning the incident.

## FATHER OF MRS. MORRIS DIES

Mrs. James B. Morris, 855 Seventh street, received news of the death of her father, Mr. Theophilus Crowe of Madison County, Va., on July 8.

WHERE TO ATTEND CHURCH IN DES MOINES

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH
Maple and East 16th Street, Rev. C. Lopez McAllister, D.D., pastor; parsonage, 1627 Walker street.
Sunday School 9:30 a. m.; morning worship 10:50 a. m.; Baptist Training Union 6:30 p. m. Evening worship at 7:45 p. m. Mid-week prayer services on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Missionary Society each Friday at 2 p. m. Choir rehearsal Friday at 8 p. m. You are invited to attend our services.

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.
All are welcome. Evangelist E. Williams in charge. Residence: 2413 Garfield.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. C. A. Record, pastor; 1213 Scott Street; Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 11:00 a. m. B. Y. P. U. 8:30 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.

GROWNS 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, 5:00 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.

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.

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 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. Y. U. evening service at 8 o'clock. Prayer services at 6:30 p. m. Harriet Curley president; 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 3-4073.

NEW PASTOR



REV. MITCHELL
Rev. A. M. Mitchell of East St. Louis, Ill., has been appointed to the pastorate of the Brown Chapel A. M. E. Zion church at 1448 Walker street. A new preacher in the A. M. E. Zion conference this year, he will fill the charge that was started by the Rev. C. E. Gore who left the city recently with her mother for Columbus, Ohio. The minister's wife, Mrs. Martha Mitchell is an evangelist.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

By OPAL JACO
Attend the round-table discussion next Sunday at 3 p. m. which is sponsored by the Red Circle Girls of the church. Mrs. Gertrude Brown is the sponsor.
The Junior Matrons met with the Tommie Samuels last Monday night. Refreshments were served.
The Willing and Ready Club held a mid-week service last week with Rev. Fox singing and preaching.
Miss Opie Wright of Chicago, the niece of Mrs. C. Lopez McAllister is visiting the McAllister family at the parsonage.
The Usher Board is enjoying a dinner at the church Friday, July 16. The Usher Board rendered splendid service Sunday. Those present were: Mrs. Opal Jaco, Mrs. Stella Barber, M. H. Bennings and Charles Barnes. "The Maple Street Four" a quartet of young women of Maple Street Baptist church rendered two selections Sunday night at the union service. The quartet consists of Mrs. Florence Wyatt, Mrs. Lucy Sandelin, Mrs. Orzola Dudley and Mrs. Opal Jaco. They will appear in concert on this Wednesday night for the Baptist church at Knoxville, Iowa.
Pastor McAllister is spending four days in Waterloo, Iowa, this week conducting a Bible conference at the Antioch Baptist church of which Rev. Samuel Davis is pastor. Churches pastored by Rev. Taylor and Rev. Gunther will participate.
Mrs. Cora Shaiks of DeWolf street remains quite ill.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL CLOSURES
The Daily Vacation Bible school of the Maple Street Baptist church closed its activities at the church last Friday, after a two-week session in charge of the school which had a fair enrollment were: Rev. C. L. McAllister, Mrs. Opal Jaco and Mrs. Fannie Cox.

War Time FEEDING TIPS
Lick Rationing With Back Yard Food Lot
Rabbits are economical meat producers and can be raised in suburban back yards and in the country with a small investment. It is one sure way of reducing the family meat bill.
So states Dr. I. N. Gabrielson, Director of Fish and Wild Life Service of the U. S. Dept. of Interior.
"There are scores of back yards in this community lying idle," when possible home owner of this city, "when with a little expenditure of time and money, and mighty little of either—they might be producing food for their owners and for Uncle Sam."

1. Check over jars and lids the day before the canning is done. If glass top seals or two-piece metal vacuum seals are to be used, examine the top edges of the jars—the slightest flaw may cause you to have to do work over. The same is true of the sealing surface of glass lids. If there is any doubt as to the tension of the wires on "lightning" jars, fill them with hot water, seal, let stand until cold, then hold upside down and examine for leaks, and don't forget to wash jars, caps and rubbers clean.
2. Use young, tender, freshly gathered vegetables—and they won't be fresh after being out of the garden all night.
3. Prepare no more than your canner will hold and not that many if the canner is large and the help small.

BURLINGTON, IOWA

By MRS. ED WILLIAMS
Burlington, Ia.—Mrs. Rosetta Shaw has returned from Burlington hospital where she was taking treatments for asthma.
Robert M. Lloyd, son of Mrs. La Monte Drew, returned from Scout Camp at Camp Eastman where he spent an enjoyable week and won two scout merit badges.
Mr. Harry O. King of St. Paul, Minn., spent a few days in the city visiting friends.
Mrs. Mollie Wright is on the sick list.

FUNERAL RITES FOR MRS. RILLA GILBERT
Mrs. Rilla Gilbert, 63, died Sunday at the Polk County farm. Mrs. Gilbert formerly made her home at 506 S.E. Fourth street.
Services were held Wednesday afternoon at the L. Fowler and Sons Funeral home. Burial was at Glendale cemetery. She is survived by a sister, Elizabeth Schaels, Des Moines.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends, neighbors and relatives for their many kind deeds, their beautiful flowers and cards—during the passing of our beloved son and brother, Lawrence J. Chapman. Especially do we thank the Rev. G. W. Robinson for consoling remarks and the Eckes Funeral home for attentive service.
Signed by Mr. and Mrs. John Chapman and Family.

CHOIR ON KSO
The First Baptist church choir sang over KSO last Saturday evening, at 5:30 o'clock. Mrs. Edna Griffin is president; Mrs. Evelyn Weston, secretary.

Busy Bees
About 179,000,000 pounds of honey and 3,380,000 pounds of beeswax were produced in the United States in 1942. This production of honey was 21 per cent smaller than the crop of 226,000,000 pounds produced in 1941. Although the number of hives on hand at the beginning of the main honey flow in 1942 was 10 per cent greater, frequent rains, and bloom was abundant, frequent rains, over most of the country kept the bees confined to their hives during much of the honey harvesting period, resulting in the smallest honey crop for many years.

Use Farrow Quarters
Using farrowing quarters successively for different groups of sows and their litters is one method of increasing pork production, the University of Illinois college of agriculture says. On some farms the same quarters are used for different lots of sows at intervals of about two months, so that when one lot of pigs is ready for weaning, the next sows to farrow are moved in. Two or three groups of sows, each having two litters a year, will produce from four to six lots of pigs of as many different ages on some of these farms.

Union S.S. Picnic On July 22

The Sunday School union picnic will be held Thursday, July 22, at Good park. Cool refreshments will be served, but all participants are asked to bring their food baskets. Games will be played.

Rationing Shows Need To Preserve Home Stocks

Now that it has been definitely determined that supplies of home-preserved products will not cause families to forfeit stamps in War Ration Book No. 2 soon to be issued, the well stocked pantry becomes even more valuable.
Before spring gardens come into production many families will need to fall back on their home-preserved foods to assure their families adequate diets, says Winifred Jones, specialist in food preservation for the Texas A. and M. college. For that reason they should take the best possible care of home canned, dried and brined foods they have on hand.
Miss Jones suggests that food canned in glass should be kept in a cool, dark place. The darkness helps prevent them from rusting. Rust can eat through metals and cause the food inside the can to spoil.

SELLING ON GRADE BENEFITS GOOD CREAM PRODUCER



Labels and pins are not being awarded to farmers, but producers of good cream nevertheless are receiving recognition and reward for their contribution to the war effort. The cream improvement programs of the various states approved by the War Production Board not only that cream should be purchased on grade but also that a higher price should be paid for cream grading No. 1 than for cream grading No. 2.
Here is how cream grading protects the quality producer. It prevents No. 1 cream from being mixed with No. 2 cream. This means that only No. 1 cream can go into the making of No. 1 butter and No. 2 cream into No. 2 butter and that, therefore, the producer of No. 1 cream can receive a price based on the price of No. 1 butter and the producer of No. 2 cream a lower price based on the price of lower grade butter. Where there is no grading, inferior cream is mixed with good cream, which of course results in a poorer quality of butter and a lower price. One can of poor cream can spoil a good many cans of top quality cream if they are all mixed together.
It is plain that if the producer of No. 1 cream and the producer of No. 2 cream both market their product at the same place and the price paid for each grade is the same, the former is really subsidizing his careless neighbor.
By the same token, should the producer of No. 1 cream find himself with a can on his hands that is off in quality, he should with all good grace expect to take a cut in price. When this happens, it means that he slipped up somewhere, either in the sanitary conditions under which he produced that cream, or in not cooling it properly, or perhaps in not marketing it with sufficient promptness. A check of the production methods and care of the cream will soon reveal the cause.

There is a special treatment needed by home-dried fruits and vegetables. These should be stored in tight, moisture-proof containers and kept in a cool, dark dry place. Miss Jones advises that homemakers check their dried products frequently to make certain they are kept dry and that they are not damaged by weevils or other pests.
Home processed quick-frozen foods need a place in the freezing compartment of a mechanical refrigerator, and they should be kept there until they are to be used. They must be kept frozen solidly, Miss Jones says, and unless refrigeration is constant they should not be kept too long. Once frozen foods have thawed, they spoil quickly, and they should not be refrozen.

Duramold Process Utilizes Plywood for Army Aircraft
The Duramold process of utilizing bonded plywood as a substitute for aluminum in plane construction, developed several years ago by the Fairchild Engine & Airplane corporation, has already resulted in saving tons of the strategic metal in the production of the firm's new AT-14 "Yankee Doodle" training plane.
Each skin section is produced complete and ready to fit to the fuselage—being in a couple of hours. Strips of thin wood veneer are laid on the inside surface of large steel dies. After laying up the first layer of strips, bonding glue on a base paper is placed on top of it

and covered by another layer of veneer strips placed at a 90-degree angle with the preceding layer. This process is repeated until the necessary layers for the particular skin have been laid out. The inside of the die is covered by a rubber composition blanket and subjected to a vacuum at either end, thus exhausting the air from between the alternate layers of veneer and glue.
The die is then rolled into a huge pressure chamber where it is subjected to high steam pressure and heat for several minutes. At the conclusion of this operation the shell or section of the skin is removed from the die, perfectly formed and fused together.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF WOLFE STUDIO, AN IOWA CORPORATION
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
It is known that at a special meeting of the stockholders of Wolfe Studio, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Iowa, held at the office of the Secretary of State at Des Moines, Iowa, on August 29, 1941, unanimous consent of the stockholders, and under the provisions of the Articles of Incorporation of Wolfe Studio, by which the corporation was organized and its corporate existence terminated at its corporate meeting held on August 29, 1941.
By R. H. Wolfe, President.
Printed and published in the Iowa By-Lawer July 8, 15, 22 and 29, 1943.

ORIGINAL NOTICE
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF IOWA IN AND FOR POLK COUNTY
LOUISE ANNA RIFFE, Plaintiff
LOUIS RIFFE, Defendant
To the Defendant Louis Riffe:
You are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, the record of an absolute divorce granted to the plaintiff against you on the 27th day of July, 1942, and that you are allowed to remarry at any time after the expiration of the pendency of this suit unless you appear thereon and defend the said action of divorce against you in which will be held in Polk County Court House on the 12th day of August, 1943, or before the expiration of the said pendency of this suit as provided in the petition or as by law provided, make due bond at Des Moines, Iowa, this 8th day of July, 1943.
W. LAWRENCE OLIVER, Attorney for Plaintiff
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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE AND CANCELLATION OF REAL ESTATE CONTRACT
TO HANNAH UNHLOOK
You are hereby notified that at the expiration of thirty (30) days from the date of the completion of this notice, the undersigned will demand a foreclosure and cancellation of the real estate contract made by H. R. Peck to Hannah Unhlook, dated February 7, 1927, for the sale by H. R. Peck to Hannah Unhlook of the following described real estate in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:
The East 2 1/2 feet of the West 81 1/2 feet of the South 153 feet of the East 1/2 section of Section 16, Township 36 North, Range 10 West, forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa.
The undersigned are the successors in interest of the vendor, H. R. Peck. Said foreclosure and cancellation will be made on account of your failure to make principal and interest payment amounting to Sixty-five (65.00) Dollars on the 1st day of June, 1942, and subsequent payments of Sixty-five (65.00) Dollars on the first day of each month thereafter; also your failure to pay taxes assessed against said real estate for the years 1942, upon you in accordance with and pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 52 of the Code of Iowa, 1939.
You are further notified that if the terms and conditions of said contract are not complied with by you within thirty (30) days after the completion of this notice upon you, including the reasonable cost for the service of this notice upon you, your rights therein to the property covered by this contract will cease and terminate.
Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 15th day of July, A. D. 1943.
SHEILMA H. FRIEDMAN and MAITHEA S. FRIEDMAN Successors in Interest to H. R. Peck
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# DINNER AT EIGHT

# SOCIETY



### FRIENDS GATHER AT HOME OF WHITES FOR PICNIC SUPPER

A group of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson white Sunday evening for a picnic supper on the beautiful lawn of the white home.

Among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. William Walker, Mr. and Mrs. E. Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Walter, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Warren, Mrs. Maude Woods, Mrs. Fannie Williams, Mrs. Laura Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. F. Bates and children, Mesdames Amos Adams, Hattie Jackson and Mrs. Cameron and children of Kansas City, Mo.

### MRS. JOHN SPENCER HERE FROM FT. SILL TO VISIT MOTHER

Mrs. John Spencer, the former Mabel Nelson, is in the city from Ft. Sill, Okla., for an indefinite visit with her mother, Mrs. Mimmie Nelson. While in the city she has been entertained by Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hawkins and friends.

In Oklahoma, Mrs. Spencer is a member of the Semper Fidelis club, composed of army wives and hostesses, which is affiliated with the Douglas USO club in Lawton, Okla. There Mrs. Spencer and others plan various programs and entertainments for the Ft. Sill soldiers.

Mrs. Spencer is expecting home soon her husband, Staff Sgt. John I. Spencer, leader of one of the popular bands at Ft. Sill, the 31st orchestra. Here Sgt. Spencer was formerly employed as a pharmacist at the Community Pharmacy. He is a graduate of Arnold's high school in Marshalltown, Ia., attended Iowa State and was graduated from Tennessee State college.

At Ft. Sill the couple resides in the Non-Commissioned officers homes at 14 Custer avenue. They will celebrate their second anniversary here.

### SPEND WEEK END IN NEBRASKA

Mrs. Bernita Capwell and daughter, Shari Lu, spent the week end in South Sioux City, Nebr., as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Cardwell.

### MRS. CAMERON AND CHILDREN HERE

Mrs. Isabel Cameron and children, Kenneth and Reatha, Cameron of Kansas City, Mo., have been guests this week in the home of their aunt, Mrs. Alfoss Adams.

Among the friends extending courtesies to them are: Mrs. Pauline Wilson; a luncheon; Mrs. G. W. Scott a theater party; Mrs. Anderson White a dinner and Mrs. Novonia Strothers, a dinner.

### MRS. JEFFERSON ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Ada Jefferson entertained at a dinner Tuesday at MacRae park. Guests were: Mrs. Panay Dodd, who will return to her home in St. Paul Wednesday after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Letitia Wright, and Mrs. Laura Nichols who left Wednesday for her home in Chicago. Others who shared the courtesy were: Rev. and Mrs. C. Lopez McAllister, Mr. William Jefferson and Letitia Wright.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Johnson gave a birthday party Sunday for the third birthday anniversary of their daughter, Jean, at the home of her grandmother, Evangelist E. Williams, 24 Garfield.

### MRS. EWING BACK HOME

Mrs. Robert L. Ewing is back in the city from Ft. Benning, Ga., to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Green. Her husband, Lt. Ewing, will join her later on his furlough.

### MRS. A. BRUCE CIRCLE HOSTESS

Mrs. Alfred Bruce entertained the Mission Circle of the First Baptist church, Friday, July 9. Among those present were: Mrs. Dora Keys, president; Mrs. Lena Wallace, secretary.

### MRS. TRUMBO ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Harold Trumbo of West Des Moines entertained on last Wednesday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Biggs, Mrs. Joe Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weston and Mildred Weston of Dallas.

### MRS. WHITESIDE A VISITOR

Mrs. Valina Strawn Whiteside of Omaha, Nebr., arrived in the city on Monday night for a visit with Rev. and Mrs. J. Q. Evans. She also visited her brother, Alex Strawn, 1159 Fourteenth street.

### MRS. GOLDIE FANT HEADS CITY GROUP OF CLUB WOMEN

At a recent meeting of the City Association the following officers were elected: Mrs. Goldie Fant, president; Mrs. Agnes Matthews, vice president; Mrs. Dorothy Hammit, secretary; Mrs. Helen Anderson, assistant secretary; Mrs. Margaret Patten, parliamentary; Mrs. Mattie Dameron, chaplain; Mrs. Cora Chapman, reporter.

### EAST SIDE RHYTHM CLUB HAS FOURTH ANNUAL PARTY

The East Side Rhythm Frolic club held their fourth annual party Sunday night, July 11, at Sampson's Annex, entertaining one hundred and ten persons at a buffet dinner. The six members of the club are: Mesdames Frances McClain, president; Caldeona Williams, secretary; Elizabeth Sampson, Juanita Meeks, Isabel Lewis, Marie Bryant.

### TEN KEYS CLUB TO MEET JULY 16

Mrs. Lillian Caldwell of 1700 Garfield was hostess to the Ten Key club July 9. The club adjourned to meet with Miss Inez Carter, 1029 Tenth street, July 16.

### AKA BREAKFAST AT UNION PARK

The Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority held a breakfast Sunday morning at Union Park. Auxiliaries Rose and Montgomery of the WAAC were guests. The patronesses present were: Mesdames E. T. Scales and Mrs. Olin Cooper. The sorors prepared breakfast, after which they took pictures.

### EAST CENTER MUSICAL PROGRAM JULY 20

The East Side Community Center is sponsoring a musical program Tuesday, July 20, at 8 p. m. The program will consist of songs of Dorothy Maynor. The public is invited. The admission is free.

### PERSONAL TOUCH

By MARIE ROSS

Just when one decides to go on a diet—drop all of the sweets, all of the extra fats, some of the bread and most of the starches—invitations to dinner to lunch to breakfast—just come pouring in—and one can't go about just turning them down, especially when anniversary celebrations are involved.

But—when Mrs. Mary Willis makes some of her favorite codfish cakes and invites you to eat them, when Mrs. Fannie Williams pulls out her fine green linen cloth, adds a rose to table and sits you down for a delicious lunch of fish, potato salad, fresh peas and carrots and tops it off with a bread pudding fit for a king—what can you do about a diet?

Then the phone rings and Mrs. Helen Beshears is back home for a moment and invites you to share some of her hot biscuits, a tuna salad, and a luscious dessert—all done up in the Philadelphia way—and Mrs. Betty Franklin who has been waiting for a year to get you at her table—features dishes from her victory garden—golden-browned homemade biscuits, golden-brown, homegrown fryers, peas fresh from the garden, garden potatoes, then tops it off with home-grown strawberry shortcake with a generous layer of whipped cream—what can you do?

Then when you have sorta started to look at your diet sheet again to see where you left off—Mrs. Gertrude North comes to get you out of bed on the morning you are sure you will drink black coffee and plain toast—and she has bacon, eggs, and coffee with cream waiting.

Forgetting about food you go to a NAACP meeting and run into sandwich makers like Mesdames Cecil Taylor and Constance Chapman—who have trays of delicious little odd-shaped sandwiches of cream, cheeses, plus cookies, candies, nuts, and a rich drink of ice cream and gingerale—and invariably some member—feeling that you are being slighted or overlooked comes along and escorts you to the serving table.

You shove the diet sheet for another month—because the matter seems hopeless—when you take a look at the calendar for the next week: birthday dinner Monday, birthday dinner Tuesday, birthday cake Wednesday, USO Club birthday party Saturday—an on into the week. The last words are always "I'm going on a diet!—but don't ask when."

### WOMEN'S MITE MISSIONARY SOCIETY HOLDS SESSION IN CEDAR RAPIDS

Cedar Rapids, Ia.—The Women's Mite Missionary Society of the Northwestern Conference of the A.M.E. church convened here July 7 and 8 at the Bethel A.M.E. church with the Rev. and Mrs. A. R. Parks as the hosts. Mrs. Mattie Boyd of Des Moines, president of the society, presided.

Guests were: Mrs. Christina S. Smith of Detroit, president of the Parent Mite Missionary Society of which this branch is a part and Mrs. Artisia Jordan of Los Angeles, Calif., editor of the Women's Recorder.

Evangelist Estella Coates of Des Moines had charge of the quiet hour. Rev. C. C. Allen of Davenport preached the annual sermon. The candle-light service was conducted by Mrs. Boyd.

The financial reports showed \$1,472.80 for missions.

Officers: At the election of officers Mrs. Boyd was re-elected president; Mrs. Goldie Fant of Des Moines, first vice president; Mrs. Cordelia Jackson of St. Paul, Minn., recording secretary; Mrs. Alice Thompson of Muscatine, recording secretary; Mrs. Loraine Johnson of Muscatine, assistant secretary.

### MRS. BESHEARS BACK HOME FOR SON'S 18TH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Helen Dameron Beshears who began duties in May as executive secretary of the Germantown Branch of the Y.W.C.A. in Philadelphia, returned to Des Moines last Saturday to be with her son, Hutch Beshears, Jr., who celebrated his eighteenth birthday on July 11.

At home this week until Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dameron, 1127 Eleventh street, Mrs. Beshears discussed high points of her work in Philadelphia for the past two months.

Among the prominent occasions at which she was a guest the former Polk County Probation officer for nine years told of a dinner at the Bellevue Stratford hotel on June 3 in honor of President Edwin Barclay and the Honorable M. V. S. Tubman of Liberia.

She left Thursday driving to Pennsylvania.

### IOWANS RETURN FROM MISSOURI

Mr. and Mrs. Alonza E. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Duncan, Mrs. L. T. Johnson and Mrs. Vienna Williams returned July 12 from Booneville, Mo., where they attended the funeral of their niece and cousin, Miss Barbara Jean Nelson.

### MISS DE SLEET RETURNS HOME

Miss Margaret Jane DeSleet returned to the city Monday from Marshalltown where she spent a week of the guest of Dorothy Lee Ragland and Helen Louise Warr.

### MRS. A. WHITE HAS LAWN PARTY

Mrs. Anderson White, 815 Twenty-eighth street, was hostess at a lawn party Tuesday morning honoring Kenneth and Retha Cameron of Kansas City, Mo., who are here with their mother the house guests of Mrs. Amos Adams.

Other guests were: John and Eva Strathers, Berthera Strathers, Tommy Smith, Wayne Anderson, Alpha, Hazel and Maxcella Dixon and Mesdames Cameron and Adams.

### MR. ART WILSON, JR. AND FAMILY HERE

Mr. Art Wilson, Jr. and four children, Ione, Delores, Doris and Vincent, spent several days in the city the guests of their father and grandfather, Mr. J. A. Wilson and Mrs. Wilson, at 1063 Eighteenth street. They left Tuesday to return to their home in Buffalo, N. Y.

### MRS. PARKER OF OKLAHOMA HERE

Mrs. Mollie Parker of Oklahoma City, Okla., arrived in the city last Thursday to spend a week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Nellie Parker, 1329 Center street.

### MISS ROPER VISITS HERE

Miss Janice Roper of Alpine, Calif., is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Roper, 1420 Buchanan street. Mr. and Mrs. R. Dausey are here also from Alpine.

### DILETANTE CLUB MAKES FALL PLANS

The Dilettante club met at the home of Mrs. Bert Harris, July 13. Plans were discussed for the annual art exhibit in the fall. Mrs. Ruth P. McGregor of the USO was speaker for the evening, discussing the use of art by the USO clubs.

### Keo-Way USO Activities

Captain D. M. Johnson of the First WAAC Training Center, Ft. Des Moines, and Mrs. Ruth P. McGregor, director of Keo-Way USO club led 50 WAACs on a planned tour of Des Moines through the courtesy of the Des Moines Chamber of Commerce, Sunday, July 11 from 2:00 p. m. until 4:00 p. m. Points of interest visited were the Historical building and the Des Moines Water Works. The tour ended at the Keo-Way USO where open house was held to afford the WAACs an opportunity to meet civilians of the community.

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Remember your July born, your Kiddie Birthday Party is being held Saturday, June 24th at 8:00 p. m. at the Keo-Way USO. Come and hair bows and bow ties will be given you at the door, see the Kiddie Parade and join the surprise fun events. Call 3-4815 if you plan to attend and let us know the number of guests you plan to bring. A prize will be given to the member of the armed services born in July who brings the greatest number of guests to the July birthday party.

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Ans.: This is quite an assignment you have undertaken. It will be good training for you and it will give you a certain satisfaction to complete your autobiography so go right on with your work. As for the fortune you hope to make from it—take it easy—you're letting your better judgment run away with your enthusiasm. Autobiographies hardly stand a chance as best sellers even when written by famous people.

M. E. P.—I am a girl 18 and a soldiers wife. My husband is stationed in S. C. He expects to be sent for duty across the sea soon and he wants me to stay in S. C. where I can be near him. I want to make myself useful while my husband is serving his country. I am intelligent but I stopped school in the eighth grade. Thanks for your advice.

Ans.: You do not live too far from S. C.—so why not make these last months of your husband's training happy ones by being near him. When he goes abroad you can then go to work and save some money—so you two can get off to a good start when the war is over. In you your husband has a fine little wife—go and stay with him so he'll feel he has something worth fighting for—and coming back to when it is all over.

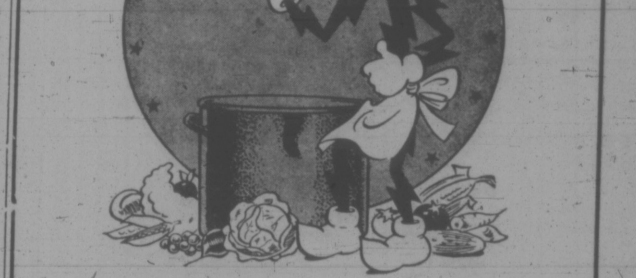
J. S.—I am married and have two children. We've been married 5 years and for the first two or three years we got along fine until one day we had an argument. So I got angry and packed my clothes and left and stayed away all summer. I came back that winter and for a month everything was all right then she started to change. She froze up. Wouldn't say nothing to do with me. Tried in every way she could to make me leave. She took advantage of my jealousy (I guess you know what I mean). I left again. Will I get back my wife and children?

Ans.: Brother, you brought all this trouble on yourself. Can't blame the wife for turning against you after the way you deserted her and the kids. You poisoned her love for you—now you'll have to "eat crow" a long time before she will take you back. If and when she does—you will be a sadder and wiser man, eh?

K. D.—I loved a boy very much and he was going with another girl when he started going with me. He liked her just about as much as he liked me it seems. He was called to the army. When he came home on his furlough he and this other girl were married. He said he didn't intend to marry her but she and his people worried him so to marry her that he just went on. Did they talk him into marrying her? Does he care for me?

Ans.: Absence makes the heart grow fonder. While the mutual object of your affections was in the army—your rival made the most of his stay away from home—by writing him endearing and loving letters. The letters edid the trick—not his people. They do approve of his choice however.

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During the recent race riots in Detroit, energetic newspaper photographers took many pictures showing activities of those engaged in the mobs.

One picture printed in many newspapers showed a Negro victim being escorted between two white policemen and a member of the mob striking him in the face while his arms were held by the officers.

The picture brought much criticism to the police officers for it was assumed that since the victim was held helpless, they should have kept the hoodlums at bay. However, we have no means of knowing exactly what happened immediately thereafter.

THE ROTTEN DEALS GO ON

Last spring, representatives of the Des Moines Branch of the NAACP and other organizations appeared before the city council and protested the appointment of a deputy bailiff of the Municipal Court.

Parents will want to know that sons planning to attend camp are physically able to enjoy camp life. You may have your family physician do the examining shortly before the camp period begins if you desire.

Food Rationing Points

Each camper should bring to camp 11 (eleven) points for processed foods (blue) R-S-T, 16 (sixteen) points for meats (red), R-S-T.

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SPORTS

By ALLEN ASHBY

Catching Up on Local News While we were doing a little plain and fancy day dreaming last week, a few things happened on the present front.

Some of his arguments were good. He didn't think he could get in shape with the scarcity of boxers and then he was at the age when he just didn't care about sacrificing and training.

Boxing We miss boxing at the Y more than we thought we would. The kids who boxed around last year are still around and they are willing.

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LINCOLN POST

W. T. BURNS

Lincoln Post met in election July 6. Thirty-one members were present. Commander Gutze and Adjutant Fenton of Pleasantville, Iowa, were guests of the post.

Officers The election result of July 6 was: Commander, W. T. Johnson; adjutant, William T. Burns; vice commander, Irvin Turpin and Don Parker; finance officer, Guy Greene; chaplain, William Rhone; service officer, Chester Jones; historian, Oval Carter; sergeant at arms, Cleveland Add.

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POST EXCHANGE

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

Cpl. Semple Just Misses Stork Eight hours after Corporal Hugh Semple had left his home here where he spent the week end from July 7 to 4 with his wife, the stork arrived. His wife, Mrs. Gwendolyn DeSleet Semple, gave birth to a seven and one-fourth pound daughter, on July 4 at Mercy hospital. The baby has been named Sharon Ann. The corporal is expected to return to the city the latter part of the month on a furlough. Mrs. Semple and baby are doing fine at home, the mother reported this week.

Injured in Service Sighman Second Class Jesse R. Andrews from Bremerton, Washington, where he has been in the hospital recovering from injuries received in one of the Pacific battle zones, was in the city Sunday visiting Auxiliary Vela Mae Anderson of Jefferson, Texas, who is stationed at Ft. Des Moines. He was enroute home to Galveston, Texas.

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Mildred Gets a Bit of Advice

Miss Mildred Randle, one of the office staff, receives scores of letters from soldiers in many of the camps in the country.

One of her favorite soldiers who writes often is T/Sgt. Isaac Payne now at Ft. Bliss, Texas. In a recent letter to his niece, he said: "All the boys in my barracks raved over your picture and they all wanted your address but I wouldn't give it to them. I told them I didn't want them writing you letters."

"Mildred," Uncle Isaac wrote, "don't take any boys seriously until you've had all the education you can get, and when you start looking for a husband look for a guy who is ambitious, and who wants to get somewhere in life. You have plenty of time."

The next day Mildred received a letter with a beautiful red silk hankie from Pvt. Curtis Ewing, who is stationed at Camp Ellis, Ill. He was in the city and at his home in Boone, Ia., visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ewing, during the week end.

Sgt. Holt and Wife Home Sergeant Henry Holt and his wife, the former Gloria Miller, are home visiting their parents, Mrs. Winifred Holt, 1018 W. 13th street, and Mrs. Gladys Miller of 1243 14th street. Sgt. Holt, who is on a 15-day furlough, will return to Ft. Clark, Texas, where he is stationed in the 15th Brigade, U.S.M. Mrs. Holt will join him in August.

Pvt. Floyd of Camp Lee Here Pvt. Moses Floyd of Camp Lee, Va., will leave the city this week end after a furlough here with relatives and friends. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Floyd, 1414 Walker avenue, he was house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Brown, 123 Eleventh street, West Des Moines. He also visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallace in West Des Moines.

At Camp Lee he plays the electric guitar and trumpet in the band. He has been in the army for a year and is scheduled to remain at Camp Lee for the duration.

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