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Rosenwald Fellowships to 50 Persons

News Briefs From Far and Near

LOUIS IS 32 YEARS OLD; CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY
Pompton Lakes (CNS)—Joe Louis celebrated his thirty-second birthday training to defend his title, June 19th. Before a large crowd at his training camp Joe did four fast rounds. Lanky Al Hoosman getting one of the Champion's heavy punches was bearly hanging on at the end of three minutes. Jimmy Bill, Park Daniels and George Fitch all went a round with the Brown Bomber.

MRS. GLADYS HAMPTON HEADS RECORDS' FIRM
New York (NNPA)—Marking the first time that colored persons have launched a record company equipped to offer competition to any of the major wax firms, Mrs. Gladys Hampton announced last Friday that Hampton Records is now a going concern.

Mrs. Hampton, wife of the dynamic band leader Lionel Hampton, who is rated the biggest box office attraction in the swing world, heads the new label and stated the disc firm has a three-fold purpose.

"I feel," she said, "no great effort has been put forth by the major firms to give proper attention to colored performers, today. Records, have been the making of the majority of our new bands and singers. We intend to give many more an outlet to prove themselves.

"Not only will we specialize in hot jazz and swing but also in the classical and varied forms of folk music. Hampton in time will offer employment to young men and women interested in the technical and distributing side of the game."

AUXILIARY TO ELECT JUNE 3

Lincoln Unit Auxiliary of the American Legion will hold election of officers and initiation on June 3 at the Post clubrooms, 750 Eleventh street, at 8 p. m.

'NEGRO IN MUSIC' PROGRAM AT CORINTHIAN CHURCH SUNDAY EVENING, 7:45

The Excelsior Literary club of the Corinthian Baptist church is sponsoring a gaudy entertainment program on Sunday evening, May 26, at 7:45 o'clock, entitled "The Negro in Music."

The program will feature Negro spirituals with the background of the story given by the Rev. J. J. Hawkins; excerpts from "Porgy and Bess" with the story by Mrs. Eloise Walker; music by Miss Mary Rose Westbrook; piano selections by Mrs. Marian Morrison "Juba Dance" (Dett); and readings of original poetry. Mrs. Ruth Forrester is chairman. Mr. Norman Ellington is master of ceremonies.

Discrimination Causes Change of Farm Conference

By W. T. McKEE
Davenport, Ia.—In a prepared statement issued by the Quad-City headquarters of United Farm Equipment workers, CIO, State Rep. Donald C. Tiegland, head of the local CIO council, said race discrimination has caused abandonment of plans for the UFE and MWA convention here this year. The convention will be held in Milwaukee.

Tiegland said, "Many thousands of members of this union and their families reside and work in the quad-city area, spends millions of dollars annually in its stores and establishments, and cast their ballots for sound American municipal government.

"Their desires to have their union's in their area were frustrated by un-American, eighteenth century, 'Jim Crow' local regulations, which forbid accommodating or feeding Negro delegates—even despite the tremendous contribution of Negroes to the cause of democracy in the war," Tiegland claimed.

RED CROSS WORKER BACK FROM INDIA



MISS MAXINE ANDERSON

Back from the "enchanted" land of India is Miss Maxine Anderson, a home town girl who returned to the States recently from having served eight months as a Red Cross club assistant in Calcutta.

One of the ten Negro Red Cross women who maintained the Cosmo club in downtown Calcutta, Miss Anderson is rich with many colorful experiences.

India, noted for its many beautiful buildings, its wealthy rajahs, its palaces, will be remembered by her as a place where millions of people starved, lived in the streets, and died from want of food or medical attention.

Daily Business—Begging

The daily business of many of the natives—men, women and children—was profession of begging.

"Buckshes Memshabib" is the cry heard through the streets as throngs wandered through, some carrying the dead, the blind, the sick, the crippled—seeking alms, their daily existence from American military personnel and visitors to the country.

Streets Crowded

"Never is there a time in India when the streets are not crowded with natives," Miss Anderson informed as she told of the sights of the homeless natives who roam all night, fall down on the streets wherever they may get sleepy, and sleep until another day.

Along with the natives were the herds of animals, cows, horses, dogs that were a part of the street crowds. Driving along the streets was one of the hardest feats to accomplish because of the mass of people and the animals. The main precaution of the driver would be to see that he or she did not hit one of India's sacred cows—for that was a crime that might cause anything from murder to a riot.

Mentioning riots, Miss Anderson recalled experiencing several during which time all of the American Red

Cross workers were restricted to their quarters, for several days. In which time all of the American Red

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Gov. Hastie Is Cheered by Natives on Inaugural Day

By LOUIS MARTIN
For the NNPA News Service
Charlotte Amalia, Virgin Islands—Governor William H. Hastie, the first colored person to become governor of a United States territory took the oath of office at public ceremony in Emancipation Park here shortly after noon Friday, before ranking United States and island officials and 5,000 cheering natives.

The oath was administered by Judge Herman E. Moore of the United States District Court for the Virgin Islands after Governor Hastie had been lauded by Acting Governor Morris De Castro, who introduced him to the audience.

Departing from his prepared inaugural address, Governor Hastie read a message from President Truman in which the latter said:

"It is with much pleasure that I send you my hearty congratulations and good wishes for a long and successful administration as governor of the Virgin Islands. Your activities and the progress of the Islands under your able and understanding guidance will be watched with interest all over the world. Great responsibility has been entrusted to you and I am entirely confident of your ability to shoulder it. The loyalty and cooperation pledged to you by the people of the Virgin Islands should do much to lighten your task.

"I should like you to tell the people of the Virgin Islands that I share their hopes for and determination to see achieved a great advance in the status of the Islands' economically, socially and politically. I shall do all in my power to have extended to the islands an ever increasing degree of self-government as the people demonstrate their capacity to govern themselves. Please extend my greetings to my fellow citizens of the Virgin Islands and express to them my regret that I cannot be with them today."

By LOUIS MARTIN
For the NNPA News Service
San Juan, Puerto Rico.—The inaugural party on their way to install William H. Hastie as governor of the Virgin Islands stopped over here and was feted by the Puerto Rican government Thursday.

Flying with the new governor were his wife, Mrs. Beryl Lockhart Hastie, a native of the Virgin Islands; their 16-month old daughter, Karen, and Secretary of the Interior J. A. Krug. The Hastie party, flying in an Army Transport Command four-motored plane, landed at the San Juan airfield before dawn Thursday after a smooth nine hour flight from Washington. The plane was met by Governor Rex Tugwell of Puerto Rico and a host of island officials.

One Week Left To Sign Up for Clean-Up Campaign

One more week remains before the deadline for entries in the annual Clean-Up and Beautify campaign which is being sponsored by the Community Garden Club, NAACP and the Iowa Bystander.

Clip the blank which is found in this issue of the paper and mail or bring it to the office. The final date for entering the contest is May 30.

More blanks may be obtained at the office of the Bystander, 221 1/2 Locust street.

Individuals or groups may enter their homes, buildings and gardens which will be classified accordingly, in the contest for cash prizes.

A separate prize will be given to the business place that makes the most improvements. The contest will continue through July 12.

LE MERCREDI CLUB

Le Mercredi club met last week with Mrs. Ora Brown and on Wednesday with Mrs. A. P. Trotter.

GETS FELLOWSHIP



ALICE ELIZABETH CATLETT
Chicago, Ill.—One of the fifty winners of the Julius Rosenwald Fund fellowships which total \$100,000 is Alice Elizabeth Catlett of New York, (reappointed) for completion of a series of paintings, lithographs and sculptures on the role of Negro women in America.

Miss Catlett received her Master of Fine Arts degree at the University of Iowa in June, 1940.

Hold Soldier in Germany For Slaying of White GIs

Nuremberg (NNPA)—The United States Army provost marshal's office announced Friday that a colored soldier had confessed slaying two American soldiers on the night of May 10, while they were riding in a jeep.

Five other colored soldiers, who shared the billets near the scene of the shooting, were also being detained. These other soldiers reportedly were being held as witnesses. All were taken to Erlange for safekeeping.

The suspect was arrested after ballistic tests were conducted on all Army carbines in the area. The rifle used has been found and has been identified by means of the tests, it was reported. Authorities have established no motive for the crime.

Guards on Duty
Guards were augmented in the Erlangen area to prevent possible violence.

The two soldiers killed were Staff Sergeant William R. Timmons, of West Haven, Connecticut, and Technician Fourth Grade Paul R. Skelton, of McKinney, Texas, both attached to the fiscal office of "Stars and Stripes" Army newspaper.

After a few hours' sleep at the governor's palace, La Fortaleza, the Hastie party was taken on an airplane tour of Puerto Rico. Twenty Puerto Rican officers and newspapermen joined in the tour which was made in three ATC planes brought up from Panama for the trip.

Timmons and Skelton were shot while riding in a jeep through a Nuremberg residential street. With them were another American soldier and three young women—one Irish, one British, and Miss Rose I. Korb, of Gary, Indiana. Three shots were fired at the jeep, and one went wild.

The soldier was identified as Pfc. James C. Devone, 28, of North Carolina. He came overseas to serve in the 3757th Quartermaster Truck Company in the Nuremberg area.

In an alleged signed confession Devone said he fired three shots "at a civilian going up the road," which resulted in the deaths of two American sergeants.

Officials said Devone asserted that the jeep in which the sergeants were riding "got in the way of the last bullet he fired."

The bare outline of the statement released at headquarters of the theater provost marshal did not identify the civilian or explain why Devone fired at him.

Devone probably will be sent to the Nuremberg prison stockade from Erlange, where he was taken for final questioning by former agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. He was said not to have implicated anyone else, asserting that he was alone at the time of the shooting.

Authorities said Devone confessed after ballistics tests showed the fatal shots were fired from an Army carbine which had been traced to him.

'How's Mitt You?'



THOSE gloved fists of Champion Joe Louis pack plenty of wallop. That's the verdict of gambler Joe Laurie, Jr., of "Can You Top This?" fame (NBC, Saturday, 9:30 p.m. EDT) as he gingerly feels the Brown Bomber's mighty mitts during a recent visit to his training camp at Pompton Lakes, N. J. Louis, who fights Billy Conn in the Yankee Stadium, June 19, boxed a few rounds while Laurie served as the second. Said Laurie, "On second thought, I'm so small, you'd better call me a split second!"

Awards for Work in Field Of Race Relations; 31 of Recipients Are Negroes

Chicago (NNPA)—The award of fifty Julius Rosenwald Fund fellowships totaling \$100,000 was announced last Thursday by Edwin R. Embree, president of the fund.

The fellowships are for work in the field of race relations. The recipients included thirty-one colored persons. In the list also were sixteen southerners and three northerners, including a Japanese-American.

Among the white northerners was Wendell Culver of New Haven, Connecticut, who received an award for a study at Yale University of the historical and contemporary treatment of the colored membership of the Methodist church.

St. Clair Drake of Chicago, co-author of "Black Metropolis," was one of the thirty-one colored persons to receive grants. He will study the impact of American troops and civilian personnel on the British Isles during the second World War and also the colored communities of Cardiff and Liverpool. His grant was the first involving European travel since 1939.

Another member of this group, Robert Bruce Kenyon, a carpenter of Berkeley, California, will make a study of the economic development of Ethiopia at the University of London and in Ethiopia.

Among the white southerners to receive fellowships was Elizabeth Head Vaughan of Chapel Hill, North Carolina, who will use her grant to write a book based on her three-year experience in a racially and culturally mixed group imprisoned in the Philippines by the Japanese.

Nathan Green Caldwell, editorial and political writer for The Nashville Tennessean, will make a series of journalistic studies of the social and

economic problems arising from the mass migration of colored people from the South as a result of the mechanical cotton pickers.

The appointment to a fellowship of four white Southern ministers and the establishment of a special scholarship program for young Southern trade unionists, Mr. Embree said, reflected the fund's interest in the church and labor as important social instruments for the betterment of race relations.

Dave Masato Okada, Sacramento, California, will study at the University of Chicago the growth of racial attitudes in Chicago's new Nisei colony, especially as those attitudes relate to the Negro.

Thirty-one Negroes Named
Among the thirty-one colored persons to receive fellowships were:

Joseph Alfred Borome, reference librarian, Columbia College Library, New York, to write a biography of Justin Winsor.

Evelyn Body, Washington, for advanced studies in mathematics and mathematical physics at Yale university.

James Sylvester Braxton, Jersey City, for studies in regional planning at Harvard university and with the Ministry of Town and County Planning, London.

Alice Elizabeth Catlett, New York, to complete a series of paintings, lithographs and sculptures on the role of Negro women in America (reappointment).

Richard W. Dempsey, Washington, to do a series of paintings and charcoal drawings depicting Negro life.

Dean Dixon, New York, for work with the American Youth Orchestra (reappointment).

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Wealthy Policy King, E. P. Jones, Released Unharmless; \$100,000 Ransom Stated

Chicago (NNPA)—Edward P. Jones, 48, wealthy policy king, was released unharmed by kidnapers for a reported \$100,000 ransom last Friday as far as told police to mind their own business about it.

Jones, the son of a Mississippi preacher, who rose from dining car waiter to overlord of Chicago's lucrative policy game, was abducted on May 11 and held six days.

He was dragged from his automobile in the presence of his wife and chauffeur May 11 by four masked white men. They seized him in front of 4328 Prairie avenue, home of Mrs. Frances Myles, a cashier in Jones' Forty-seventh street department store and carried him away in an automobile from which the abductors fired on pursuing police with a machine gun.

To forty-four questions asked by police, all his replies were negative or evasive except four, which revealed that:

(1) He was blindfolded all the time he was in the hands of the kidnapers; they did not talk to him, did not heat him, and did feed him.

(2) He did not know who they are.

(3) He did not know anything about the policy racket.

(4) He derives his income—which has enabled him to live in a mansion, purchase mink coats for his wife and \$200 suits for himself, and keep a couple of estates and three liveried chauffeurs—from a modest South Side variety store.

He did not know, he said, whether a ransom was paid. If ransom was paid, he said, he doesn't know who paid it. His story indicated he would prefer police to forget the kidnaping.

Estimate Ransom
Unconfirmed reports said "a

brother, George, who flew here this week from his Mexico estate, paid a ransom. Estimates on the sum ranged from \$50,000 to \$500,000, but informed sources tagged it at \$100,000.

Despite his release, circumstances of his kidnaping remained a mystery. It was the third time he had been abducted, but the two previous kidnapings never had been reported.

His neat blue pin-stripe suit and clean white shirt bore evidence that his stay with his captors had not been uncomfortable.

First report of his release came from Chief of Detectives Walter Storms shortly after midnight last Friday. Storms received a telephone call, announced Jones' release, jammed on his hat and left on a mysterious errand.

Three hours later he reported at headquarters with Jones.

The ransom, placed by some at a figure as high as \$500,000, was believed to have been paid by his mother, who flew here with his brother from their home in Mexico on learning of the abduction.

WCTU TO HEAR RED CROSS WORKER MAY 28

The Frances Ellen Watkins Harper WCTU will meet at the home of Mrs. G. H. Mason, 1183 14th street, on Tuesday afternoon, May 28, at 2 o'clock.

Guest speaker for the occasion will be Miss Maxine Anderson, Red Cross club assistant, who returned recently from India.

Mrs. Emma Evans will lead devotions. Mrs. Maude Thompson is program chairman.

DISCHARGED



CPL. HENRY REEVES
It's great to be back in Iowa, commented Henry Reeves, at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Reeves, 3013 Third St. He was discharged on April 17 at Camp McCoy, Wis., after having served two years in the European theater of operations and three years in the army.

17th street. Meetings are being held every Saturday night at 8 o'clock except Saturday. Bishop Short will be here until May 27.

ORIGINAL NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF IOWA IN AND FOR POLK COUNTY
VIVIAN CRUZE, Plaintiff
vs.
JOHN HARVEY CRUZE, Defendant

To the Above Named Defendant: 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 petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause, claiming of you an absolute divorce on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment. For further particulars see the petition now on file.

And unless you appear thereto and defend before said court at Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on or before the 27th day of June, 1946, your default will be entered and judgment or decree will be rendered against you for the relief demanded in the petition or as provided by law. Take due notice and govern yourself accordingly.

Dated this 22nd day of May, 1946. W. LAWRENCE OLIVER, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF QUALITY DRUGS SERVICE, INC. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have formed a body corporate under the provisions of Chapters 284 and 285 of the Iowa Code of Iowa and have adopted Articles of Incorporation that provide as follows:

1. The name of this corporation is and shall be Quality Drugs Service, Inc. in Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

2. The object of this corporation and general nature and purpose for which the corporation is formed is to carry on a wholesale and retail business dealing with drugs, sundries, notions, knickknacks, medicines, and merchandise that can be legally sold by the corporation under the laws of the State of Iowa.

3. The authorized capital stock of this corporation is 100 shares, all of which shall be without nominal or par value and such non-par value stock shall be issued only in the manner and for the consideration expressed in the Articles of Incorporation or by any amendment thereto, or for such consideration as may be fixed by resolution passed by the stockholders of this corporation at any annual meeting thereof or at any special meeting thereof duly called for that purpose, or by the board of directors acting under the authority of such stockholders given in like manner.

4. The time of the commencement of the capital stock authorized by these Articles of Incorporation may be increased by a vote of two-thirds of the interest of all stockholders voting in favor thereof and by an amendment to the Articles of Incorporation. When the amount of the capital stock has been increased as herein provided, the additional shares shall be offered to the then existing stockholders proportionately to their respective holdings in the same manner and under the same terms and conditions as provided herein for the issuing of the original capital stock.

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The affairs of this corporation shall be managed by a board of one or more directors which shall choose a president, a vice president, secretary and a treasurer and such other officers as they may deem essential and necessary to take care of the business of said corporation, or such other officers as may be provided for by the by-laws of this corporation.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this corporation shall be held on the last Wednesday of December of each year and until the first annual meeting of the stockholders Ralph T. Anderson and Keith A. Markussen, both of Des Moines, Iowa, shall be directors of the corporation and Ralph T. Anderson of Des Moines, Iowa, shall be president, Avis S. Markussen of Des Moines, Iowa, vice-president, Eric B. Anderson of Des Moines, Iowa, secretary, and Keith A. Markussen of Des Moines, Iowa, treasurer of said corporation.

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During rest periods and lunch time—better seek the company of a good book or write a letter than to sit in on some "gab" session—that is dissecting another employee. Time is wasted, enemies are made and before you know it—the spotlight will turn on you.



WILLIAM JOE BUMPUS

"The quick brown fox jumped over the lazy dog's back" may sound like just a line from some of the Mother Goose stories—but to Willie Joe Bumpus of 1001 Raccoon street, it is the famous sentence that he uses in checking all of the letters that make up the keyboard of a typewriter.

Typewriter mechanic for over nineteen years, Mr. Bumpus has been employed for the past three years at the State Department of Social Welfare, located in the Iowa building downtown, where he services, repairs, rebuilds hundreds of typewriters, adding machines, cash registers and check writers.

Nice Salary He likes his work and the "nice salary" it pays Mr. Bumpus revealed as he told of the progress he made from his boyhood days when he took a job as a delivery boy at the Garr Typewriter company. As a young fellow then between his errands for

the company, he liked to beat around on the machines, and "monkey" with them. He had to help with the cleaning of the machines and it was during that time that he got interested in the rebuilding of typewriters. With the assistance of the shop's mechanic, Mr. Bumpus said he took three months to rebuild his first typewriter from parts he found around the shop. The foreman of the shop took the machine to the sales room and within two hours it was sold.

"From then on the boss took me off of the delivery car and put me in the shop as a mechanic. My salary was increased and I continued to work for the shop until it went out of business during the last depression period," Mr. Bumpus informed. Now he can rebuild a machine in one day, he said.

During the period of the depression he worked on WPA about a year and a half before he got a call to come to the State Department of Social Welfare. After an interview, and references from companies like the Royal Union Life Insurance firm whose 250 typewriters and machines he serviced and repaired, the Globe Loan company and other institutions throughout the city and state for whom he had worked, he got the job. His work has not only been highly praised, but he has received several raises in salary.

A native of Pulaski, Tenn., he started out on a boyhood "tour of the world." Working his way he got to Colorado and there heard that Iowa was a "nice place," so he came here to see. He has been here since.

Eagle, Mr. Bumpus is a member of the NAACP. He likes photography as a hobby. His advice to young men and veterans who might be interested in this particular field of endeavor is to go to school and get training or take any kind of a job in typewriter company and learn the work.

Bits and Spurs Memorial Day Party, Billiken.

BISHOP D. W. SHORT HERE ON TOUR
Bishop David Wm. Short, D.D., founder of the David Spiritual Temple of Christ Church of All Nations, and vice president of the national and international Inter-Fraternal church Federation of Orthodox Christian Churches, is making his annual bishop's tour here this week. While in the city he will be house guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Branham, deacon and evangelist respectively, of 1243 E.

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Polly Middleton Wins Elks State Oratorical Honor

Miss Polly Middleton, high school at Waterloo, Ia., won the first place in the state-wide Elks Oratorical contest which was held last Friday night at the Maple Street Baptist church.

She spoke on "The Constitution." Miss Middleton will take part in the regional contest which will be held in July at St. Paul, Minn.

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MARSHALLTOWN, IA.

Marshalltown, Ia.— Services were well attended at Morrow Chapel Sunday. Rev. W. A. Hunter spoke. Movie-talkies were presented at the Young Peoples hour. A program was given Sunday afternoon. Rev. A. N. Fox spoke on "Observations and Impressions of Mother" at Second Baptist. Wallace Davis was elected delegate to the Sunday School convention at Council Bluffs.

Rev. S. A. Nelson returned to the city Sunday morning from Oklahoma to fill his pulpit at the Presbyterian church. Elder M. W. Goodman preached his farewell sermon at the Church of God in Christ Sunday afternoon to a large audience. Rev. Fox sang.

Rites for Mrs. Mallory Funeral services for Mrs. Robert Lee Mallory who died in Keokuk Sunday were held Thursday at the Morrow's Chapel with the Rev. M. W. Goodman of Davenport in charge, assisted by D. Neal, W. McRoberts, E. Ward, I. N. Conale. Relatives attending were: Mrs. W. A. Bailey of Des Moines; Mrs. Lillie Bell Darling of St. Louis; Mrs. Clifton Collier, Youngstown, Ohio; June Wilkerson Topeka, Kas., Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Morrow, Omaha, Mrs. Flana of Davenport. Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Hunter left Wednesday for three days in Davenport presenting movie pictures. Miss Helen Louise Warn spent the week end in Iowa City where she was guest of Alpha Phi Alpha sorority's spring formal. Tom Johnson spent the week end visiting friends in Sioux City.

Mr. Wilkey Lawrence who suffered a heart attack Friday was taken to the Deaconess hospital and is improving. Mrs. Mabel Gandy and Mrs. Betty Brown are sick. Mrs. Wilmer Johnson, Mrs. Bessie Spencer and Mrs. Maggie Clark attended the third district meeting of the Council of Republican women at the Hotel Talcoorn Friday. Miss Barbara Johnson of Davenport visited last week end at the home of her brother, Wilmer Johnson.

T.O.B. CLUB The T.O.B. club met May 17 at the home of Mrs. Benjamin Wellington. Guest of honor was Mrs. Warnell Rhodes of Minneapolis, Minn. John E. Bibbs in Navy at Seattle, Wash. John E. Bibbs, son of Mrs. Gertrude Bibbs of 1026 Eighteenth street, was home for Mother's Day. He is in the navy stationed at Seattle, Wash.

MRS. JESSIE PHILLIPS RETURNS FROM CHICAGO Mrs. Jessie Mae Phillips returned to the city this week from Chicago, Ill., where she went to visit her brother, William Rogers, who is ill at Hines hospital.

While there she was house guest of Mrs. William Spears, luncheon guest of Mrs. Ruth Ann West, dinner guest of Mrs. Portia Robinson and guest of Mesdames Mary Smith and Mary Williams.

Bits and Spurs Memorial Day Party, Billiken. Bring your news articles, columns and items for the issue of May 30, into the office of the Bystander beginning Friday, May 24—deadline for the Memorial Day issue of May 30, is Tuesday noon, May 28.

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Seeburger Seeks County Attorney Post

Vernon R. Seeburger is a candidate for the Republican nomination for Polk County Attorney.

*Known to the voters of Polk County for his work while serving in that post several years ago, he is the present County Attorney by appointment of the Board of Supervisors; a former county attorney of Polk County; a veteran of World War I; a trial lawyer of long experience; former city solicitor of the City of Des Moines; and stands for clean government and impartiality in law enforcement.

Before going, the pastor was presented a gift from the usher board of the church. The Rev. Luther H. Smith, Sr., will have charge of the services Sunday.

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A lawyer, representative in the legislature and judge of the district court in Lee County, Mr. Rankin made a fine record, and during the past few years has given Iowa the benefit of that experience as chief law enforcement officer of the state.

He is well known to the readers of the Bystander and is held in high esteem by his fellow townsmen in Keokuk, many of whom are Negro voters.

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Hallagan In Race For Legislature

FRANK B. HALLAGAN Former Judge, Frank B. Hallagan has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for State Representative from Polk County, subject to the June primaries. Colonel Hallagan has been a resident of Des Moines for 30 years. He served in World Wars I and II, served as Judge of the Municipal Court in the city of Des Moines for more than 25 years, and prior to entering military service in 1940, he was chairman of the official board of the College Avenue Church of Christ. He is a senior member of the law firm of Hallagan and Cless, having their office in the Valley Bank building. He has been active in Masonic and Eastern Star affairs for many years and served as grand patron of the Order of the Eastern Star in the State of Iowa. He was a member of the Iowa Legislature before entering military service in 1940.

We have need for men of the highest integrity in our law making body. The laws of this state are placed upon the statute books by our Legislature and, therefore, it is essential that we elect men to this office who have had experience and mature judgment in the affairs of the government. Good laws and good government can only be brought about through the conscientious efforts of good men. When we have a man who possesses both the qualifications of Mr. Hallagan, who is able to assume responsibilities we should give him our active support.

Iowa will do well to continue his services as Attorney General.

REPUBLICAN WOMEN TO MEET MAY 27

The Republican women's club will hold its monthly meeting Monday, May 27, 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Mary Hardaway, 1128 Eleventh street. Mrs. Katherine Shelton is program chairman. All candidates have been invited. Mrs. Mabel Mason has asked members of the club and the public to attend.

Overturf Seeks Another Term as Sheriff

Vane B. Overturf, known to thousands of people as "Pip" is a candidate for the republican nomination for Sheriff—a position he has held for the past few years.

That office is the largest one in Polk County, requiring the use of a big force of deputies and the expenditure of a lot of money for its activities, require daily contact all over the county.

Overturf has gathered around him a splendid group of assistants who know their job, treat the public with courtesy and at the same time carry on the affairs of the county with dispatch and efficiency.

Sheriff Overturf grew up in East Des Moines, where he engaged in athletics as a youngster, served in World War I and was in business prior to his election to public office. He has never forgotten these contacts which gave him a fine acquaintance with Negroes and he has gone further than most public officials to share with Negroes what he has had to give in the matter of employment. One of his department heads Lucius Ashby, is in charge of the Identification Bureau. Pip has stuck by his employees and they stick by him.

He should be renominated by the voters as the Republican candidate for Sheriff.

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UNITARIAN SOCIETY RELIGIOUS NEWS
"If Ye Break the Faith" is the topic of the Memorial Day sermon to be preached by the Rev. Alvin N. Cannon at the regular Sunday morning service of the Unitarian Society May 26, at the Crocker Y.M.C.A. All are invited to attend. The services begin promptly at eleven o'clock.

NINTH STREET CHRISTIAN CHURCH NEWS
Services of the Ninth Street Christian church will be held again at the Crocker Branch Y.M.C.A. Sunday, May 26. The Bible school at 9:45 and morning worship at 11 a. m. The C.Y.F. group will meet with the youth at Corinthian Baptist church at 6:30 and present a program at 7:45 containing some of the Negro's contributions to America.

Bits and Spurs Memorial Day Party, Billiken.
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turing music by the Youth Chorus, and talks by Fred McCracken and Mildred Griffen.

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Miss Anderson in India Liked Red Cross Club Work

(See Front Page)
one of the riots she named an American soldier from Evanston, Ill., who was taken by a mob and killed; his ambulance riddled and burned.
"On the whole, the American Negro soldier seemed to get along well in India, and from the point of view of appearance, many of the Negroes were mistaken for natives."
Working as a club assistant and recreational director, Miss Anderson, along with the other ten workers in the club, was almost a 24-hour job planning and carrying out entertainment. Hours of labor were spent in decorating the large hall for the evening affair, then the workers—if they had planned a floor show, play or any activity which involved them as members of the cast, would have to get their stage productions or bits of drama rehearsed. By that time, hundreds of soldiers in the area would be showing up at the club for daily recreation. Then when the main feature of the evening was produced—the show was over—these same Red Cross workers would spend the remainder of the evening dancing with the G.I.'s.

"No Picnic"
"It was no picnic," Miss Anderson commented as she recalled many a night when she and the others were "dead tired."
All of that—Miss Anderson would not give anything for her experiences in India and her life as a Red Cross club worker. She plans to rest up a bit and if the opportunity comes—go to Japan for a bit of Oriental experiences as a Red Cross worker.
Asked if she ran into any Iowans while in India, Miss Anderson revealed that "the whole Red Cross club thought we were crazy when I recognized Johnny Burrell in the club. Why we gave one big yell—just think of seeing an Iowan you hadn't seen for years—way over in India. Another Iowan she adopted as "little brother" in India was Cpl. Burse who arrived in the city last week from the "land of enchantment."
Born and reared in West Des Moines, the daughter of the late Robert J. Anderson who died in 1937, Miss Anderson is a graduate of Roosevelt high school. She married, left the city, then went to Chicago, to study beauty culture.

Worked in California
"Later she went to California where she did all kinds of work she said, naming Hattie McDaniels, movie actress, Andy Kirk, band leader, war

INSTALLS RED CROSS UNIT



HEMPSTEAD, TEXAS, May, 1946.—The third American Red Cross College Unit in a Negro institution has been installed at Prairie View University where Professor R. W. Hillard, director of student personnel, is shown receiving the charter from Miss Lamont Bright-Davies, campus unit chairman. The unit will be an extension of membership, under student leadership, of the Waller County Red Cross chapter. It is one of nearly 200 units on college campuses throughout the United States. Professor T. R. Solomon, faculty advisor, is on extreme left. Others are student members.

industries as some of her employers. While there she attended the Los Angeles City College where she studied radio and did a bit of broadcasting at some of the L. A. studios. An opportunity came to get in Red Cross work. She qualified and soon was on her way to India. She has been with the Red Cross for eleven months.
While here she is making her heaven with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Griffin, 116 Ninth street, childhood day friends in West Des Moines. She is niece of Mrs. Maude Thompson, and the late John L. Thompson, former editor of the Bystander.

BURLINGTON, IA.
By MRS. ED WILLIAMS
Burlington, Ia. — The B. T. U. of the Union Baptist church sponsored a silver tea on Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Blanche Scott, 620 S. Sixth street. Mrs. John Rideout entertained her Mission Circle of Union Baptist church of which she is president at her home last Thursday week. Some of the soldier boys, recently discharged and home again are: El-

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HOLD FUNERAL RITES FOR ALEC COPELAND

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at St. Paul A.M.E. church for Alexander (Alec) Copeland, 62, who died here Saturday at his home, 917 Twelfth street, after a short illness.
He had been employed by the Des Moines Clay Products Co., the last ten years. A member of the St. Paul A.M.E. church, he served as an usher at the church, was a member of the North Star Masonic lodge and the Monarch club.
Mr. Copeland is survived by his wife; two sons, Jack, stationed in the army at Camp Lee, Va.; and Lewis, Los Angeles, Calif.

EVANGELIST COLE RETURNS TO CITY

Evangelist E. Cole returned to the city last week from a series of meetings in Kansas and Missouri. She is entertaining at her home this week Evangelists Florine Jenkins and H. S. Garrison of Denver, Colo., who are attending a meeting here.

MEMORIAL DAY PICNIC BY YOUTH COUNCIL

A Memorial Day picnic will be given by the Youth Council of the NAACP on May 30, at 6:30 p. m. at the Greenwood Park. Members of the Council are to receive assigned dishes from Miss Rose Lovelady at the meeting on Friday night.
The lieutenants for the membership drive were selected. They are: F. M. McGregory, Rose Lovelady, Martha Scales, Margaret McCraney, Paula Smith, Victoria Kitchen. They are to solicit memberships under the leadership of these captains: Arthur Bryant, and Maffie Burke. The next meeting will be Friday, May 31, at the Branch Y.W.C.A. Reports will be given on the membership drive. Any new member will be accepted.

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Here Are Questions which ought to be answered in this paper by the Sheriff before June 3rd.
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SOCIETY



YOUNG WOMEN'S AUXILIARY ENTERTAINS MOTHERS AT TEA BY CANDLELIGHT

The Young Women's Auxiliary of the Corinthian Baptist church honored their mothers and guests at a Mother's Day tea held on Sunday afternoon, May 12, at the home of Mrs. Leona Scott.

At a beautifully decorated table with cut flowers, forty mothers and daughters were served by candlelight by Mesdames William Ashby and William M. Scott who poured tea. Mrs. Rosie Woods, advisor of the club and one of the church mothers, read a paper. Piano solos were played by Miss Doris Bennett, Jeanette Wilson and Rose M. Gaiter. Mrs. Gaines played during the serving of tea.

Each member presented her mother a gift and dedicated a poem in her honor. Words of appreciation were expressed by the mothers.

Out-of-town guests included Mesdames Lucille McAdams, Allie Wilson, Flossie Harris and Beatrice Simmons, all of Minneapolis, Minn.

HONOR MRS. RITCHIE AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. George Hayes gave a surprise birthday party on their daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Ritchie, at their home, 1215 Park street, Monday, May 20. She received many gifts and courtesies.

Those present were Mrs. Mildred Tynony, Marcella and Virginia Dant, Mrs. Orzola Dudley, Mrs. Ada Jefferson, Mrs. Ollie Holmes, Mrs. Missouri Gates, Mrs. Geraldine Gomez, Messrs. George Wells and Charles Pennell, Ronald, Donald and Bobby Ritchie.

ODD FELLOWS HOLD THANKSGIVING SERVICE

The Grand United Order of Odd Fellows, Charity Lodge No. 2192 and Silver Leaf No. 9075 and Household of Ruth, Rebecca No. 339, Beautiful Light No. 4837 held their Thanksgiving service on Mother's Day, May 12, at the Corinthian Baptist church.

Rev. G. W. Robinson delivered the Mother's Day sermon. After the service the Brother Odd Fellows and Sister Ruths gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Hubbard for a potluck. This is the third year of the get-together at the home of the Hubbards.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Dameron, Mesdames Rosie Johnson, Cora Branham, Kittle Earley, Ella Gibbons, Rose Wood, Elsie Hoskin, Viola Turner, Jessie B. Perry, Olive B. Redmond, S. B. Boyers, Nabel Mason, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Hartman, Miss Beatrice Barefield, Messrs. James Roberts, George E. Lockett, J. Will Johnson, George H. Mason, Charley Barefield.

CRESCENT BEAUTY STUDENTS HAVE ANNUAL PICNIC

The Crescent Beauty School held its annual picnic Sunday, May 19, at the Woody park of Grandview. Each student had a guest. All sorts of games were played and eats were plentiful. Mrs. Pauline Humphrey, instructor, joined in the fun of the afternoon.

HONOR MRS. RHODES AT POKENO PARTY

Mesdames Adelaide Bowman, Ethel Jeffers, Beatrice Robinson and Miss Octavia Roane were hostesses to a pokeno party and buffet supper Tuesday, May 14, honoring Mrs. Warnell Rhodes of Minneapolis, Minn., who is a former member of the T.O.B. club.

MRS. ARZOLA DUDLEY GIVEN SURPRISE PARTY

The usher board of the Maple Street Baptist church surprised its president, Mrs. Arzola Dudley with a party at her home on Tuesday evening and presented her with a pin and earring set.

The ushers will hold their regular meeting on Friday night with Mrs. Katherine Robinson, 1627 E. University street.

SPORTSMEN'S AUXILIARY

The Sportsman's Auxiliary club met May 19 in the club room, 1735 E. University avenue. They will entertain their husbands at the club room Sunday evening, May 26.

MRS. MASH OUT OF CALIFORNIA HOSPITAL

Mrs. Fleeta Fuller of 320 Twentieth street, informed this week that she had received word that Mrs. Maude Mash of Los Angeles, Calif., has returned to her home from the hospital and is recovering from a recent illness.

Pinwheel Biscuits Will Brighten Table

Homemakers looking for something new to brighten the breakfast table will find biscuits in pinwheels just the thing, writes Marjorie Griffin, Rural Home editor of nationally circulated Capper's Farmer.

Flavorsome topping combines raisins, corn sirup and cloves, she points out in the magazine read by 1,250,000 farm families. Just divide dough into eight pieces and shape into strips. Rolling and cutting aren't necessary.



RAISIN PINWHEELS

3 C. flour, 1/2 tsp. baking powder, 1/4 tsp. salt, 1/2 C. shortening, 1/2 C. raisins, 1/2 C. milk, 1/2 C. corn sirup, 1/2 tsp. cloves. Sift together flour, baking powder and salt; cut in shortening. Add enough of the milk to make a soft dough. Divide dough into 7 or 8 pieces; shape each piece into a strip. Roll strips into pinwheels and place them in a greased pan. Mix together raisins, corn sirup and cloves. Sprinkle mixture on biscuits, pressing raisins into dough. Bake biscuits in hot oven (425° F.) 15 to 20 minutes. Makes 7 or 8 large biscuits.

BITS AND SPURS CLUB TO MEET MAY 26

The Bits and Spurs Riding club met at the home of Mrs. Bernice Carter last Sunday. A cocktail party will be given at the Billiken club on Memorial Day afternoon from 4:30 to 9 p. m. Two new members are: Leonard Doyle and Paul Ewing, both veterans of the World War II. Lucille Brooks, Margaret Whitley and Wardell Coyle were appointed to the social committee. The club has chosen 5-year-old Myrtle Lanier to be the mascot. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Carter.

The hosts were Lucille Brooks, Ruby Vandever, Paul Ewing and Obie Brooks. After refreshments, dancing and cards were the diversions of the afternoon. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Helen Bell, 1555 Walker street, on May 26, at 4:30 p. m.

MISS KATHLEEN FRAZIER BACK FROM VISIT IN EAST

Miss Kathleen Frazier, 1344 Jefferson, returned to the city last Thursday from the East where she spent six months visiting relatives and friends in New York City and New Jersey.

PERSONAL TOUCH
By MARIE ROSS

It was an exciting moment—during the storm last Saturday night which disrupted electric light service and darkened some sections of the city. Hospital nurse's aide, Miss Ora Brown, who is employed at Mercy hospital, found herself holding one of the many candles that had been lighted while a new-born baby was being washed.

"It was really exciting," Ora commented and declares that she will never forget the occasion. A Chicagoan, she is a Drake university student.

Remember that the paper goes to press one day earlier next week—for the Memorial Day holiday. The deadline for all news matter is Tuesday noon. All columns are due in Monday.

High school students who will graduate in June may contact the Picture Editor—for information regarding the graduates picture page. Phone 3-2822.

A couple of dozen or more breadliners were awfully "briny" on Monday afternoon after standing in line through a downpour of rain—waiting to get into a loop bakery. By the time they were good and wet—the bakery had sold out of the afternoon's supply of bread. In the line were even some familiar faces who are supposed to be good cooks.

ANNOUNCE DATE OF DILETTANTES 20TH ANNUAL ART SHOW

The Dilettante club has set the date for its twentieth annual Negro Art exhibit which will be held during the week of November 17 to 24 at the Des Moines Art Center, Mrs. Philip McGuire, publicity chairman announced this week.

The date is being announced early so that art students in the schools may save their work for the fall exhibit, or other persons planning to participate may get started on their work for the show early.

The divisions will be: adult, college, high school, and elementary. Classifications are: oil, water color, drawing, prints, crafts, sculpture and photography.

At a later date the amounts of the cash awards will be announced, Mrs. McGuire informed. Mrs. Nellie Esters will be chairman of the exhibit next fall.

MESDAMES FIELDS AND PHILLIPS ARE GUESTS

Mrs. Orzealya Thomas entertained at a luncheon in her home on May 11 honoring Mrs. Lilly Fields and Mrs. Jessie Mae Phillips, who was leaving for a visit in Chicago.

Others sharing the courtesies were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Campbell, and Miss Mamie Norman.

MRS. RHODES HONORED AT BREAKFAST

Mrs. Warnell Rhodes of Minneapolis, Minn., was breakfast guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Albert Rhodes on last Tuesday morning. Mrs. William Johnson shared the courtesies.

HAWKINS BABY WINS TERRELL CLUB'S ANNUAL CONTEST

Victoria Hawkins, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Hawkins, was winner of the Mary Church Terrell club's annual baby contest which closed here this week.

Johnene P. Danforth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Danforth, Jr., was runner up, sponsored by Mrs. Birdie Winn.

The Hawkins' baby was entered by Mesdames A. A. Alexander and A. P. Trotter. The club reported \$98.65, the amount cleared from the contest.

THREE PURPOSE CLUB HAS FORMAL PARTY

The Three Purpose club held its first spring formal party since the war on last Friday night at the Billiken hall, entertaining 200 guests. Eddie Barber orchestra furnished the music. Mrs. Margaret Witt of Denver, Colo., was out-of-town guest.

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MUSICAL PRODIGY DEFENDS 'DIET'



PHILIPPA SCHUYLER
New York — In the heated discussion that has arisen in the past few days, since "Evangelists of the Fleshless Diet" has appeared on newstands in the June Magazine Digest, a youthful defender has risen against protests that a meatless, sugarless, breadless diet is unhealthy. She even believes that this program could be adopted for national food conservation to help starving nations.

"When Magazine Digest states — some people refuse to eat anything they can pat—they are thinking of me," says the 14-year old musical prodigy, Philippa Schuyler, whose diet consists mainly of fruits, nuts and juices. While sugar and bread — luxuries, right now—are items she has never tasted or even desired. "Undernourished? Hardly. She is 130 pounds of muscular strength, boasts no cavities in her teeth, and has never had a sick day in her life. Maybe Magazine Digest has got something there."

BEAUTIFUL LIGHT

The Beautiful Light Household of Ruth will give away a basket of groceries on June 11 at the Masonic hall 1018 Center street.

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Listening Hour

An excellent program was given on the Listening Hour Sunday at 5 p. m. The following numbers were given: solo by Mrs. Barbara Williams, reading, Miss Lyola Lyons, student at Drake university; vocal solo, Miss Dorothy Davis and piano numbers by Mrs. Stanley Hulschizer both of the Mother Singers chorus. Mrs. Bernice Black Gaines who was in charge of the program also gave a piano selection.

The next program will be on Father's Day, Sunday, June 16. At this time male participants will be featured.

Clubs

The Hands of Love, a newly organized club of home women, have elected the following officers: president, Mrs. Lella Walker; vice president, Mrs. Henderson Green; secretary, Mrs. J. H. Sims; assistant secretary, Mrs. R. M. Cogwell and treasurer, Mrs. B. N. Hyde. The club meets Thursdays at 1 p. m.

Committees

The Camp committee met Thursday, May 16, for luncheon. Miss Jean Morris, formerly Younger Girls director of the Denver Branch Y.W.C.A. was the guest speaker. She gave an account of the interracial camp which she directed at Denver last year. Members of the committee who were present, Mrs. A. P. Trotter, chairman; Mrs. Guy Logue, camp director; Mrs. Arthur J. Edmunds, secretary; Mrs. Benj. Wellington, Mrs. Robert Wright, Mrs. Ada Watkins and Mrs. Adah Johnson. Mrs. J. W. Mitchell is in charge of the counsellors. There will be a training course for counsellors June 16-17-18 at the Y.W. camp. Girls get your registrations in early. There will be campships to assist worthy girls who cannot pay all of their camp fee. Call 3-4012 for further information.

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F. L.—I am deeply in love with a fellow and believe that he loves me. He's a very nice boy as far as I know. My mother doesn't like him and doesn't want me with him, but naturally I am with him everytime I get a chance. But the thing that we are tired of is meeting at different places and he is insisting that he come to my home. I am afraid of mother. Do you think I should tell her about us

Ans.: If you are old enough to be going with the boys you surely can discuss this topic with your mother without fearing the consequences. She should have the privilege of meeting your associates and although she hasn't fully approved of your going with this particular lad, you should see that they become acquainted and when she knows him better, she may change her present attitude. If you must slip around to be with the boy, then do not continue with the friendship. The fact that he disapproves of this arrangement is proof that he is a nice boy and has the right attitude about the whole matter. If you talk with mother in the right way, she will understand.

J. M. M.—I have been married once

but my husband is dead. I am going around with a fellow now who claims he loves me but I don't know whether he does or not. Sometimes I think it is the money that the government pays me. I don't think I really love him but I just don't know. I want to settle down like other married girls and boys my age. I am 26 and this running around at night is just about to get me down. Please put this in the paper right away.

Ans.: You are much too uncertain about this fellow to be taking him so seriously. As long as you are in doubt about him, why not make the trip home that you have been planning for the past few months as this change will enable you to better make up your mind as to what you want to do. As you are not engaged, make other friends and enjoy their company during your visit. It will only be a matter of a few weeks until you know precisely what you want to do.

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MEMORIAL DAY, 1946

Next Thursday we celebrate Memorial Day honoring those men who, in the wars we have fought, made the supreme sacrifice that freedom and democracy might prevail not only in America but throughout the world.

We have never had so many recent dead to honor and thus fresh in our minds is the memory of thousands of youth who marched off as the bands were playing and flags waving and who were imbued with the thought that should they make the supreme sacrifice, the world would be made better.

As we come to Memorial Day and think of the apparent inability of nations, ostensibly at peace, to settle their differences without force or threats of force, it is difficult to justify the sacrifices those men made.

Of course, wars have seldom settled anything. The North whipped the South but most Southerners have the same ideas now about the position they took in the sixties. Germany lost the fight in 1918 but came

back more vicious and desperate than ever in 1939. A change of heart and mind is essential to peace among nations.

In spite of disappointment over peaceful adjustment of problems among nations, we cannot lose hope, for as long as the representatives of nations are willing to discuss peace, there is hope that a formula acceptable to all, can be agreed upon.

There is no definite assurance of what may happen, but the advent of the atom bomb certainly has a deterring influence which will make nations hesitate many times before making any rash decisions.

But we cannot let these boys down. Individually each of us can do our share by taking the part of a good citizen, by refusing to align ourselves with movements inimical to the government, by practicing the brotherhood of man. In short, if the people within a nation do the things that are right, the representatives of the people cannot help but reflect the will of their people.

A USELESS EXPENDITURE OF MONEY

Recently, the House of Representatives appropriated 75 thousand dollars to continue the activities of its un-American Committee headed by Representative Rankin of Mississippi.

The name of this committee sounds fine and the original idea had some real merit. But as far as we have been able to learn, about the only accomplishment to which anyone can point has been the scurrilous attempt to brand this or that individual or group as Communists. On the other hand, it refuses to make an honest investigation of the Ku Klux Klan and similar fascist organizations which are doing a lot to undermine

the government.

Keeping this in mind, and the men who have headed it, the first being Dies of Texas, it is easy to understand the sentiment of the committee for there is little doubt other than they approve the program of these organizations.

Frankly, we are not surprised at anything Congress does these days. Certainly, the members know from experience that the committee has accomplished nothing with the money they have had in the past so there is little reason to believe other than that the same performance will be repeated with these new funds.

STRIKES, CONTINUED HEADACHES

New days bring new headaches for the public caught in the middle of the squeeze play between capital and labor. It has been the auto and steel workers; now it is the coal miners and the two railroad brotherhoods, who, with their work stoppages, have caused a lot of inconvenience to the public and the loss of millions of dollars. Undoubtedly, some type of settlement will be worked out to patch up a temporary truce.

Much labor legislation has been passed during the past few years setting up machinery to carry out the law. But as yet we seem not to have

worked out a program which has been found to be fair to capital, labor, and the public. We have come to the place where we expect trouble and trouble it has been.

And trouble will continue until men have the courage to legislate for the good of all the people rather than for the few. There are those who are afraid of stepping on labor's toes; there are those who fear to offend capital. And yet it is inevitable that if any system is going to work peacefully there must be a little give and take on each side. Once we have public officials with courage to act, strikes will diminish.

NO FEPC LEGISLATION THIS TERM

Within a few weeks, Congress will recess for the summer and in order that those seeking re-election may have a chance to make a campaign among their constituents.

Among several important measures which have been tossed about during most of the session is FEPC legislation. More than one such bill is pending in both houses.

Last week, an effort was made to call the bill up for consideration in the house. It was blocked because each body has rules whereby one congressman can prevent consideration of measures he dislikes. So, in Congress we have rule by a minority rather than a majority.

The Russian representative on the UNO Council has been accused of bad faith—and rightly so—for refusing to sit in on meetings when matters distasteful to his country have been up for consideration. But he is doing in an international body just what some of our congressmen are doing

in a national body.

The Bystander sees no hope for FEPC legislation at this session of Congress. There are too many members who play politics with this, an essential piece of legislation, simply because it is aimed to help minority groups, when as a matter of fact, it helps all groups.

ROSENWALD FELLOWSHIPS TO FIFTY PERSONS

(See Front Page) Max Dakland Fax, Rochester, New York, for the competition of original music or orchestra and voice.

Charles Manuel Holland, New York, for studies in preparation for the concert stage and European opera.

Enola Estelle Laws, Springfield, Massachusetts, for studies in languages and voice at the Juilliard School of Music and Columbia university.

Walter Samuel McAfee, Belmar, New Jersey, for advanced studies and research in nuclear physics at Cornell university.

Charles Harold Nichols, Jr., Brooklyn, to edit an anthology of slave narratives and to prepare at Brown University a critical and historical study of their total background (re-appointment).

Rose Theodora Piper, New York, to do a series of paintings based on Negro work songs and blues.

Rachel Thomas Weddington, Atlantic City, New Jersey, for studies in human development at the University of Chicago.

The fund of about \$20,000,000 was established in 17 "for the benefit of mankind" by Julius Rosenwald, who died in 1932. He had directed that it be spent by 1957.

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PRESENT HELP CLUB

The Present Help club met with Miss Virginia Forrester on Tuesday night.

Bits and Spurs Memorial Day Party, Billiken.

SPORTS

By ALLEN ASHBY

If your illustrious scribbler had a hat, he would have to take it off to Dick Atkins of East high. Still smoking from a few choice remarks that he read in this column a couple of weeks ago, the Lee township flyer was determined to prove that he could take the measure of George Nicholas of North in a two twenty.

We haven't talked to George because he is the sort of fellow who doesn't make excuses when he gets trimmed, but that is just what happened to him. There is no way of telling but maybe young Atkins was so mad that he just ran his head off in a fit to prove to us that we were wrong. The East high galloper grabbed off the Big Seven sprint crowns in both the hundred and two twenty. He failed to qualify for the broad jump, but then maybe he really didn't care.

Nicholas came up second in both races. John Estes continued his march in the football throw, and as usual, Bill Bell of East came in second. Bob Peters and Ed Morton found a little competition in their hurdle races, but Ed managed to win the Iowa, while Peters came in second in the highs. The two schools, East and North had it out in the relay races, with nobody else counting if they could beat each other.

While we are on the subject, another Kaiser has come to East. This latest edition of that family of runners is also a quarter miler, and we have heard other track fellows talking about how smooth he runs, much after the manner of Frank, the first of the Kaisers to make history at East. Looks as if we shall be on hand at the State meet and tell you what happened.

Baseball

Walter Thompson has reorganized the Black Barons, and is trying hard to build a young team around a few of the old timers. He has a couple of young pitchers, Sonny Greer, and a kid named Holland. When school is out, he would like to get the services of Johnny Estes and maybe one or two of the kids who are now playing softball or out for track. Thompson lets it be known that he is no friend of softball. He says that a fellow who is a baseball player at heart will turn away from softball the minute he sees a baseball. Those are the kind of players he wants on his team. We can't recall just all the players he has, but they are in the city twilight league and have won two games. As soon as track season is cleared up, we shall give you a complete story of the doings of the Barons.

YMCA

Schedule for week of May 28 to June 1: Sunday, May 26, Church services 11 a. m. (Ninth St. Christian Brotherhood 4 p. m.; Monday, May 27, Tydy Club meeting; Tuesday, May 28, Crocker Y Midgents meeting.

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Valley Golf Club special meeting; Wednesday, May 29, Boy's club meetings Blackhawk, Ambassadors; Thursday, May 30, Memorial Day; Friday, May 31, Dance; Saturday, June 1, Track meet at East high stadium.

It looks as if the track meet will be a miniature city high school meet. Most of the city high school track stars have entered various club names. This is because of the rule that a boy must be in some sort of organization in order to compete. The North high kids have called themselves the Northside express.

A couple of the boys have spent a few days in the city on furloughs. Kenneth Smith and Alvin Miles, who used to spend quite a bit of time around the Y are now in the army and we are glad to see them come around as much as they have since they have been home. Another visitor was James Ward, who was high point man in the intermediate basketball league last winter. James is also in the army and has done quite a bit of boxing.

We finally secured a juke box for the dances. The extra expenses will cut into the take of the kids giving the dances, but we believe it will result in more satisfied customers, if that is what they can be called. With each club taking turns handling the dances, the boys and girls have become acquainted with the problems of running one, and the result is much better cooperation among them in order to help each other.

The first application for Y camp was received the other day. It is from a boy named Frank Bell. We will have our big card out on the bulletin board within the week, and expect to see the boys get an early start at registering.

American Legion's Spring Frolic May 27, at Riverview Park.—Adv.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT

POST EXCHANGE

LETTERS FROM MEN AND WOMEN IN THE SERVICES You Keep Writing

By MARIE ROSS



Australians, Next to Tea, Love Sports Best; Have Year-Round Participation

"Those five months in Australia and New Zealand afforded us an excellent opportunity to observe the peoples and features of these progressive countries," continued Capt. Quentin R. Mease in his "Thirty Months in the South Pacific."

"One cannot help but like and admire these countries and their inhabitants. Predominantly British in origin, speech, characteristics and habits, yet Australia and New Zealand have absorbed much of the American influence and adopted many of its more desirable attributes while rejecting other less desirable practices.

"These Anzacs are rugged, hard-working, fun-loving individuals who rank with the best fighters in the world." Often we have seen them set out early in the morning in northern Guinea on patrols to ferret out hidden baps in the hills, all the while laughing and singing "Waltzing with Matilda" as some of them go to certain death. They are just as hard competitors in sports and only after staying in Australia can one appreciate how such a small nation, numerically, stand so high in international competition.

Love Sports

"Next to their 'tay' (tea) they love sports best and their daily existence is centered around this love. Living in a subtropical climate, the temperature is ideal most of the year-round

for participation in their favorite pastime and they make the most of it. Stores, shops, offices and practically everything except theaters close up at four o'clock in the afternoon and at noon and Wednesday and Saturdays. On the latter two days everybody, seemingly, heads for their favorite race track, cricket or soccer field, or beach. Of course, such individual games as tennis, golf, and shooting have their adherents and get full play. Then nobody returns to work until noon Monday. Not a bad way to spend a weekend, what do you think?

"The same is true of their theaters, which incidentally, compare most favorably with our largest movie palaces. There is no use going to a theater in Australia after 7 o'clock in the evening because you can't even get standing room. Most of the movies are Hollywood productions and sitting in one of these cinema houses one feels almost at home.

Religious Folk

"But the Aussies don't spend all of their time looking at movies or betting on the races, they are devoutly religious folk and close down everything, including the theaters, in a uniform observance of the Sabbath. In the metropolitan areas such as Sydney and Melbourne, you will find symphonies and other instrumental and vocal ensembles that enjoy wide patronage. And then there is more than an average interest and participation in art, scientific and literary

Have Sounder Philosophy

"To sum it all up, it is our firm belief that these people 'Down Under' have a sounder philosophy or way of life than is to be found anywhere else in the world. They have evolved a pattern of living that has achieved for them, the Australian and New Zealander, the highest standard of living in the world. Naturally, they are jealous of this fortunate status and have gone to great extremes at times, to preserve it. I refer specifically to the 'White Australia Policy' adopted many years ago and still in effect. You of course, know that this measure was taken to protect their economic and wage standard against orientals who were migrating to this young country in large numbers, and bringing with them considerably lower living conditions and a correspondingly cheaper wages. It was therefore necessary, the Australians claim, to effect this exclusion policy as an economic safeguard and not on the narrow lines of racial discrimination."

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