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Truman Disturbed Over Lynchings

News Briefs
From Far and Near'GROWING ENLIGHTENMENT'
OF N. Y. EMPLOYERS
RESPONSIBLE FOR JOBS

New York (NNPA)—The "growing enlightenment" of many employers in New York State is partly responsible for new job opportunities now open to colored youth, Melvin Levy, assistant to the executive vice president of Gimbel's Department Store, told the sixteenth annual graduation class of the Washington Business Institute here last Wednesday.

Fifty-eight graduates and their parents heard Mr. Levy state, at the Park Palace where the graduation exercises were held, that "people with foreign ideologies" attempt to gloss over the strides which have been made in the department stores of this city in the use of colored personnel.

"They want us to forget that fair employment practice laws are now in existence in seven states, including New York, and a half dozen cities in other states and that these laws are working," Levy said.

NAACP YOUTH COUNCIL
MEETS FRIDAY EVENING

The NAACP Youth Council will meet Friday at 7 p.m. at the Central Girls YWCA. The new membership is needed. Plans were made for an annual picnic.

Open Swimming and
Diving Championships
At Good Park July 24

Two outstanding attractions have been added to the program of the second annual Good Park Open Swimming and Diving Championships to be sponsored by the Olympian club, Sunday, July 24.

Wally Ris, one of America's premier freestyle swimmers and holder of the Olympic 100 meter record in addition to being the National Collegiate and National A.A.U. champion, will be presented in a special race against time.

The program will also feature the appearance of two top rated synchronized duet teams composed of Karilyn and Marilyn Adams and Joan Speer and Janet Bradley. Both of these teams have won national recognition for their perfectly executed routines.

Preliminaries in all events of this A.A.U. sanctioned meet will start at 1 p.m. with the finals taking place at 6 p.m. In addition to the local competitors entries are expected from Chicago, Ill., Columbia, Mo., Clinton, Boone and Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Entry blanks are still available at Birdland, Ashworth and Good Pools or may be obtained by writing to the Olympian club, P.O. Box 435. All entries must be in by midnight Thursday, July 21.

BURY MRS. LAURA
J. GRAHAM HERE

Minneapolis, Minn.—The body of Mrs. Laura J. (Cherokee) Graham, 132 State street, was shipped July 6 to Des Moines for funeral services and burial. Mrs. Graham died suddenly Monday, July 4.

PRES. TRUMAN SENDS MESSAGE
TO 40TH NAACP CONFERENCE

Los Angeles, July 12.—A message from President Harry S. Truman enlisting the aid of the NAACP in the fight for civil rights legislation was read tonight at the opening session of the 40th Annual Conference of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People by Roy Wilkins, acting secretary of the Association.

"Our greatest hope," wrote the President, "... lies in the strength and unity of our people behind the ideals which go to make our nation. One of these ideals is the elimination of discrimination based upon race, religion, or national origin, so that all Americans may enjoy equality of opportunity to achieve the best under our system."

Urged Support

Stressing the fact that the job of implementing a non-discrimination policy cannot be left to government officials alone, the Chief Executive stated that "In a responsible democratic government, officialdom moves only as rapidly as an intelligent and persistent citizenry demands."

The President urged "the support of the public and the active cooperation of such organizations as the NAACP" in the battle to make our democracy a reality for all citizens.

Disciple Comes
To the Defense of
Father Divine

Philadelphia (NNPA)—One of Father Divine's disciples came to the defense of the cult leader last week.

In a sworn affidavit, Mary B. Green denies a statement attributed to John Hunt (Prodigal Son), who was official photographer of the Divine "heaven" until he left to marry Coral Sweet, one of Divine's top rosebuds, that she gave \$200,000 to Father Divine.

She stated that Father Divine was never concerned about her financial status, that she had never given him any money, and that he never asked for any of her money.

Upon her own free will and volition, she said, she came to Father Divine because physicians were unable to heal her condition, although she paid thousands of dollars to Battle Creek Sanitarium, Christian Science practitioners and doctors. But Father Divine, she asserted, "healed me without one cent of money for consideration."

She also denied that she was "an invalid and a virtual prisoner in Father Divine's kingdom. All of Father Divine's followers, who one and all operate properties under the "Peace Mission Movement," she stated, "are willing and happy to have me live at any of their places if I so desire, and can enjoy the same privileges, freedom and comfort as Mother Divine."

American Legion
In Controversy
Over Ohio Girl

Cincinnati (NNPA)—The American Legion last Wednesday entered the controversy over whether to send a colored girl to Washington to represent Ohio in the so-called Girls' National meeting next August.

Carl W. Smith of Kenton, Ohio, state Legion commander, urged reconsideration of the Legion auxiliary's decision not to send the girl, Joan Rankin, 16 to protect her from racial discrimination as it is practiced in Washington.

Smith's request followed announcement by Joan's mother, Mrs. Vernon Jones of Cincinnati, that she will accept an invitation to be guests of the American Veterans Committee, rival veterans organization, in Washington August 21 to 27, the week of the meeting.

Mrs. Jones said, however, that she still hopes the Legion auxiliary will change its mind "so Joan can go in the established way."

The girl, a junior at Withrow High School here, won the right to represent Ohio at the meeting when she was elected governor of the Buckeye Girls' State meeting recently. That meeting and the Washington trip are sponsored by the state Legion auxiliary.

denly Monday, July 4.

She was the wife of Arthur Graham; daughter of Mrs. Alberta Thompson; sister of Clarence, Willis, Morris, Emmett and Mrs. Marie Scott of Des Moines.

DR. BUNCHE RECEIVING RUSSWURM AWARD



Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, center, acting UN mediator for Palestine and head of the trusteeship division of the United Nations, is shown as he receives the Russwurm award presented him by officials of the Negro Newspaper Publishers Association.

The presentation was made June 24 in Dr. Bunche's office at UN headquarters in Lake Success, N. Y., by Dowdal H. Davis, left, general manager of the Kansas City Call,

and newly-elected president of the NNPA, and Frank L. Stanley, right, publisher of the Louisville Defender and a former NNPA president. The award was to have been presented to Dr. Bunche at the annual convention of the publishers in Washington June 16-18 but when Dr. Bunche's plane landed in Washington it was forced to go to Raleigh, N. C. and miss the convention. The Russwurm

awards, given annually by the NNPA to persons for outstanding achievement, are named for John B. Russwurm, the publisher of the first Negro newspaper in America. The plaque contained this text: "To Dr. Ralph Bunche, in recognition of outstanding achievement in making possible a richer conception of democratic principles and in tribute for upholding these highest traditions considered as ideals of American life."

ELKS PLANNING SHRINE TO JOHN
BROWN, AMERICAN ABOLITIONIST

Harpers Ferry, W. Va. (NNPA)—Officials of the Improved Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the World are planning a shrine to John Brown, American abolitionist of Osawatomie, Kansas, who died on the gallows in an ill-fated insurrection against slavery.

J. Finely Wilson, grand exalted ruler of the Elks, and William C. Hueston, commissioner of education of the fraternal order, have acquired the farm here Brown spent several months preparing to seize the United States Arsenal at Harpers Ferry, which was then in Virginia.

They plan to pass the property on to the Elks for the erection of "Freedom's Tower" as a memorial to the man who went to the gallows predicting the emancipation of slaves in this country.

A two-day ceremony was held at the farm near here July 3 and 4 with prominent Elks in attendance.

"Whether we agree with John Brown or not," said Mr. Wilson who spoke twice during the celebration, "we know that he was God's angry man."

Mr. Wilson pointed out that it was Brown "who fired his pistol after training his soldiers on this farm, and from the crack of that pistol on the backbone of the Blue Ridge Mountains human blood flowed as a sacrifice all the way to Appomattox, where Grant took the sword from Lee and my people were made free."

Colonel Lee

In a recital of history, Mr. Wilson noted that it was Colonel Robert E. Lee, then an officer in the United States Army, who arrested John Brown and who in less than two years was leading the rebel forces in the Civil War.

"I believe," said Mr. Wilson that John Brown was the greatest man since Jesus Christ for my people because he was not urged by the lust of office but he went out to make a sacrifice and die and take along with him his six sons that all men might be free in America."

Education Association
Opposes Meeting in Cities
That Practice Racial Bias

Boston (NNPA)—The National Education Association overwhelmingly went on record here last Friday as being opposed to holding conferences in cities that practice racial discrimination.

A resolution, introduced by the Pennsylvania delegation, asked the board of directors to reconsider the selection of St. Louis as the 1950 convention site. It was adopted by voice vote.

The fight against the selection of St. Louis as the convention site arose after it had become known that the NEA board of directors has chosen the Missouri metropolis as the site for its 1950 assembly. Delegates charged that the selection of that city violated the principles of the NEA as colored teachers could not get adequate restaurant or hotel accommodations there.

Mrs. Johanna M. Lindlof, president of the New York City Kindergarten-6B Teachers Association, led the fight against the selection of St. Louis. She called upon the NEA officials to reconsider the choice of St. Louis and declared that unless this was done the NEA would be giving only lip-service to the ideals of democracy that it has endorsed.

Officials of the NEA explained that they had chosen St. Louis because no other city had made its facilities available. At this point a delegate from Pennsylvania arose and read a telegram she had received from Philadelphia, inviting the delegates to meet there next summer.

"We are strongly opposed to meeting in a city where any delegate would be subjected to discrimination of any sort," declared Dr. Robert

President Realizes That
Mob Violence Is Hurting
Country Says Walter White

Washington, D. C. (NNPA)—President Truman is very much disturbed about lynchings and realizes that acts of mob violence are being used against the United States and are hurting this country, Walter White declared last Monday.

The secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People who is on a year's leave of absence from his duties, saw Mr. Truman last Monday to discuss with him the Round-the-World Town Meetings, in which Mr. White will participate.

After his conference with the Chief Executive Mr. White told reporters at the White House that the President expressed himself as being tremendously encouraged at the progress this country is making against mob violence—in the public reaction against the Ku Klux Klan, for example, and against the bigots who are active in and out of Congress.

Mr. White did not name the bigots in Congress to whom his statement referred.

The NAACP secretary said he talked with Mr. Truman about some of the situations in the Middle East, Asia and Africa, the effect of Klan activities, filibusters and lynchings and their use by Russia to try to turn Asia and Africa against the United States.

Discussed Trip

Mr. White said he discussed with the President his trip generally and some of the things in India and China into which Mr. White hopes to look while on the Round-the-World Town Meeting tour.

Other participants in the Round-the-World Town Meetings, which will originate programs in thirteen world capitals, left June 25. Mr. White expects to join them in Vienna or Rome. He is flying over. He missed three programs, the ones which originated in London, Paris and Berlin.

Mr. White said he did not mind missing those three capitals because he spent two months in Paris last year as a consultant to the United Nations delegation from the United States, and during his stay in Paris he had visited Berlin. He added he also had spent considerable time in London during the war.

Asked about his leave of absence from the NAACP, Mr. White said he did not feel that he should "hold on to authority without being able to shoulder the responsibility."

'Bunged Up'

He said his physical condition had been aggravated by his going too long without a vacation and that

TEN NEGROES EMPLOYED IN
ST. PAUL FIRE DEPARTMENT

Minneapolis, Minn.—Reginald Harris, 959 Rondo avenue, was recently appointed as fireman in the St. Paul fire department. He is working at Fire Station 15, at Fairfield and Livingston avenue. His appointment brings the number of Negroes employed in the St. Paul fire department to ten.

Physician and Family Who
Posed as White 20 Years
Would Not Do It Again

New York (NNPA)—A colored physician, who posed as white with his family in a New England community for twenty years, declared last Thursday that he would not do it again if he had the chance to live his life over again.

Dr. Albert Johnson, of Keene, New Hampshire, whose life story is the subject of the motion picture, "Lost Boundaries," told the New York Press Club's weekly luncheon that if he could start all over again he would begin in the same community by revealing his racial identity.

Dr. Johnson, his wife, their four children, and Louis de Rochemont, producer of the film, were guests at the luncheon as were Beatrice Pearson and Richard Hylton, who are co-starred in the interracial drama. Lee Whipper, a member of the cast, was also present.

The newsmen asked Dr. Johnson how it felt to be a white man, then colorize, how he had come to reveal his racial identity, and whether he would do it all over again.

In reply, he presented his son, Albert, Jr., who willingly told how he felt when, after being "white" until his teen age, he learned from his father that he was colored.

'Upper Crusts'

The boy, an accomplished speaker and musician, said that while unknowingly "passing" as white he learned that white people really do not know colored people. He said, for instance, that they do not know that there is such a thing as "upper crust" among colored people.

Explaining that his family had received \$10,000 to permit its life story to be made into a movie, he praised his father and said the money had been turned over to him

Mrs. Walter White
Granted Divorce

New York (NNPA)—Mrs. Walter White, wife of the executive secretary of the NAACP, was granted an uncontested divorce from her husband at Juarez, Mexico, June 30, it was learned here last Thursday.

The divorce was granted Mrs. White on grounds of "incompatibility."

Andrew Weingerger, New York attorney for Mrs. White, said the divorce was an "amicable, friendly settlement" in which Mr. White made provision for the support of the couple's two children and agreed to a property settlement.

Mr. White's lawyers in the case was the law firm of Barron, Rice and Rockmore of New York.

Neither Mr. nor Mrs. White was available for comment last Thursday, but Weingerger said Mrs. White holds no "hard feelings" toward her former husband and still has the "utmost respect for him."

Mrs. White will continue to live with her children at 409 Edgecombe avenue in Harlem. The couple had been married for twenty-seven years.

Weingerger said no third party was mentioned in the divorce action and that both Mr. and Mrs. White had been present for the Mexican divorce.

Mrs. White denied that she had divorced her husband when queried on her trip to Mexico two weeks ago, but a strong rumor had persisted in Harlem that all was not well between the two.

Unconfirmed reports here are to the effect that should Mr. White remarry, his choice may be a top executive on one of the nation's leading women's magazines.

Wayne Clark of Philadelphia, a junior high school principal. "We have some very fine colored teachers in our delegation and we wouldn't want them embarrassed in any way."

AT ST. PAUL SUNDAY

The Pastor's Aid of St. Paul AME church will present Rev. Willa Jones, and the First CME church choir in services at St. Paul, Sunday afternoon, July 17, at 3 p.m. The meeting is open to the public.

O. L. Carter Heads
Lincoln Post

Ovel L. Carter, 1180 14th street, was elected commander of Lincoln Post No. 126, at the election held last week.

Other officers are: Floyd Bailey, senior vice commander; Commodore Hendricks, junior vice commander; Edward Eaves, adjutant; C. V. Chapman, finance officer; David Rowe, sergeant-at-arms; LeRoy P. Bird, chaplain.

Executive committee members are: Everett S. Newcomb, Irwin Turpin, LeRoy P. Bird. Most of the officers are World War I veterans.

Installation will be held on Tuesday, August 2 at the Post home. Refreshments will be served.

MIRACLE SINGING CHILDREN AT BETHEL JULY 17-19



ROY LEE

Ten-year-old Roy Lee, who has been preaching for one year in the western and middlewestern states, and has had 4,000 converts, will hold evangelistic services at Bethel AME church Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, July 17, 18 and 19, the Rev. J. I. Thomas, pastor announced this week.

He is son of Rev. and Mrs. L. R. Kinard, former residents of Des Moines.



THE MIRACLE SINGING CHILDREN, formerly of Des Moines, who will hold evangelistic services beginning Sunday, July 17, at Bethel AME church, East Fifteenth and University. In the group from left to right are: Marquita 8, Camilla 6 and Sallie 9, with Roy Lee behind them. They will be accompanied by their father, Rev. Mr. Kinard, former pastor of the Kyles AME Zion church here. The services will con-

tinued on the following pages.

1714 Maple street. Deacons board will meet Friday evening in the home of Mrs. Lewis Branch. Sick members are Mesdames Julia Campbell, Beulah Billingsly.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The East Side Union Missionary society will have services Sunday, July 17, at Mt. Olive Baptist church. Devotions begin at 2:30 p.m. The mission will also have a picnic Friday, July 22, at Union park at 2:30 p.m. Mrs. Mary Howard is president.

FIRST CME CHURCH

Last Sunday, Rev. and Mrs. Walker were taken in as new members. Sunday afternoon a tea was given by Mrs. L. L. Barnes on the beautiful lawn of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Monroe. Pastor Barnes who spent a vacation in Tennessee, is back. Mrs. Bernice Wright is reporter.

ST. PAUL A.M.E.

Sunday was Youth Day again at St. Paul. Atty. S. Joe Brown, normal superintendent, took charge of the Sunday School. After the regu-

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION

TO JACOB T. FREDREGILL, J. T. FREDREGILL, The person in whose name the real estate described herein is taxed. You are hereby notified that on December 4th, 1949, the following described real estate situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

Lot 14 and 15 (14) twenty-seven (27) and twenty-eight (28) Yorks Addition to Chesterfield now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines

was sold separately at a regular Tax Sale, by the Treasurer of said County to James Graham for the then delinquent and unpaid taxes of the years 1942 and 1943, thereon; that the undersigns James G. Graham is now the legal owner and holder of the certificates of purchase issued pursuant to the above mentioned sale, and that the right of redemption will expire on and after the said real estate will be made unless redemption is made from said sale within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

Dated June 25th, 1949. Book 62, Page 87. JAMES G. GRAHAM, by J. H. Olson, his agent.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

No. 53863 Docket No. L-100 State of Iowa, Polk County, ss. G. E. PEDERSON Plaintiff

MRS. E. STEVENS, Defendant. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of a general execution, to me directed by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, against the goods, chattels, lands, tenements, etc., of G. E. Pederson, Plaintiff in favor of Mrs. E. Stevens, defendant, I have levied on and will offer at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at 12th and Keokauqua Way in the city of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on the 13th day of August, 1949, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M., and 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, all of the right, title and interest of said plaintiff in and to the following described property, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

- Three Hoffman Presses
1 National Cash Register 452-XX
1 Electric Spotting Board
1 Compressor
1 Tumbler and Dryer
1 Washer
1 Glass show case—4 ft.
4 Baskets

All pipe rackets and hangers Sale to commence at the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M. of said day. Witness my hand, this 6th day of July 1949.

H. C. REPPERT, SR., Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa. By Lisle Armon, Deputy

By LISLE ARMON, Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa, on July 7th and 14th, 1949. Publisher's Fee \$.

ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of the State of Iowa in and for Polk County

SUSIE HALBURTON, Plaintiff vs. BENNIE HALBURTON, Defendant.

To BENNIE HALBURTON, Defendant: You are hereby notified that the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the above named court, claiming of you an absolute divorce from the bond of matrimony on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment.

For further particulars see petition. You are further notified to appear before the above named court in Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on or before the 4th day of August, 1949, and unless you so appear, your default will be entered, and judgment or decree rendered for the relief prayed for in plaintiff's petition.

GERTRUDE E. RUSH, Attorney for Plaintiff, 715 Mulberry St., Rms. 221-222 Des Moines, Iowa. Printed and published in the Iowa By-stander June 30, July 7 and 14, 1949.



TENA DIXON, the original E Bop Lee Bop girl, who has been entertaining at Club Morocco, will be held over another week. Miss Dixon and the other members of the group including Kenny Preston and Rita, have drawn a packed house each night and patrons acclaim them the best show which Des Moines has seen.

The management is making every effort to give its patrons top notch performances with prices in keeping with the high class entertainment offered the public. A better show for the price cannot be found anywhere.

speaker and the choir furnished the music at the Cleveland Ave. Church of God in Christ. At the evening hour St. Paul united with Burns and Corinthian congregations in the first union service of the year.

FOR SALE We buy, sell, and trade anything of value in used furniture. The Pat and Mac Auction Co., 1400 Keo Way, Phone 8-0944.—ADV.

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So these two clubs represent the best in the league. Baltimore finished on top in fielding and third in batting which is an indication of the strength of the easterners. This is the twelfth season in Negro organized baseball for the Elite Giants. The club is managed by Jesse (Hoss) Walker. Scouts representing the New York Yankees, Brooklyn Dodgers, Chicago Cubs, Boston Braves and the New York Giants have been watching the Monarchs perform and each one has his eye on a certain player. The latest ex-Monarch to go to the major leagues is Henry Thompson, now playing with the New York Giants. The 23-year-old infielder batted over .300 for Jersey City in the International league and was recalled by the parent Giants.

BASE BALL K. CITY MONARCHS vs. BALTO. ELITE GIANTS Pioneer Memorial Park Thursday Eve., July 21 AT 8:30 O'CLOCK Box Seats \$1.20 Grand Stand 90c

CLUB MOROCCO NINTH AND KEO WAY TENA DIXON The Original E Bop Lee Bop Girl Direct from Club De Lisa in Chicago KENNY PRESTON Vocalist formerly with Benny Carter's Orchestra RITA Shake Dancer from Beige Room in Chicago HELD OVER ANOTHER WEEK Orville Cox and his Band TWO SHOW NIGHTLY: 10:30 and 12:30

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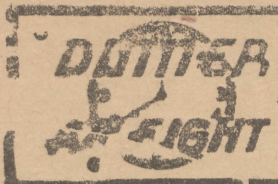
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SOCIETY



MESDAMES DAVIDSON AND BAILEY ARE BUFFET HOSTESSES

Mesdames Claude Davidson, 831 Tenth street, and Travis Bailey, 825 Tenth street, entertained at a buffet supper Wednesday evening, July 6, at the home of Mrs. Davidson in honor of Mr. and Mrs. L. Carlock and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ferguson, all of Detroit, Mich.

The Carlocks were visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Carlock, 829 Tenth street and the Fergusons are childhood friends of the younger Carlocks.

Sharing the courtesy were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Franklin, Mr. Claude Davidson and Mr. Travis Bailey.

MRS. ASHBY AND DAUGHTERS SPEND WEEK IN MINNESOTA

Mrs. Anna Mae Ashby and daughters, Gloria and Shirley, 1112 Tenth street, returned to the city Sunday after spending the week in Minneapolis, Minn., attending the seventh annual Lay Organization of the 4th Episcopal district.

Miss Gloria Brown was chosen as personal secretary to Mr. Wm. Entzinger, president of the organization.

While in Minneapolis, Mrs. Ashby and daughters visited her sisters, Mesdames Lucille McAdams and Olive E. Wilson.

Shirley Brown will remain in Minneapolis for the remainder of the summer.

MR. C. WHITE GUEST OF MRS. ANDERSON

Mr. C. White of Chicago, Ill., left the city Saturday night after having spent a week as house guest of Mrs. Elizabeth Anderson, 1024 Twelfth street. Mrs. Anderson plans to join him in September in Chicago, where they will be married.

MRS. KIRKWOOD AND DAUGHTER SPEND VACATION HERE

Mrs. Clara Kirkwood and daughter, June, of Chicago, Ill., left Wednesday after having spent a short vacation with their aunt, Mrs. Maud Pickett of 1004 16th street.

MISS BYRD OF NEW YORK CITY HERE

Miss Angelo Candace Byrd of New York City is visiting friends in Des Moines. She is a former member of the Women's Army Corps.

MRS. HARRIET HORTON OF DAYTON HERE

Mrs. Harriet Horton, of Dayton, Ohio, is in the city visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. LaMar T. Ellis, 1209 Day street.

MRS. HEADSPETH BACK FROM WISCONSIN

Mrs. Lillie Mae Headspeth of 1021 Eleventh street has returned home after visiting in Wisconsin with an uncle, Elder Wardell Chaney.

THE JIMMY JONESES OF K. C. VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jones of Kansas City, Mo., were house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Carr, 1047 11th street, over the recent holidays.

MR. JOSEPH WHITE OF CHICAGO HERE

Mr. Joseph White of Chicago was week end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore J. Bell, 1156 Eleventh street. Their daughter, Mrs. Anna Bell Russell who is visiting here, and Mr. White, have set their wedding date for September 4 in Chicago.

MRS. J. H. GREEN BREAKFAST HOSTESS

Mrs. J. H. Green entertained with a breakfast on July 1 the following guests: Mrs. Alfred Rhodes, Mrs. Flossie Thomas of El Reno, Okla., and Mrs. Anna Mae Lawson of Los Angeles, Calif.

CITY ASSOCIATION TO MEET FRIDAY

The City Association of Colored Women's clubs will meet Friday, July 15, at 6 p.m. at a potluck supper on the lawn of the Crescent School of Beauty Culture, 14th and Center streets. All federated club members are invited.

The principal speaker will be Mrs. Hallie Tutt who attended the 50th anniversary of Women's clubs in Chicago this summer. Mrs. Gertrude North is president. Mrs. Pauline Humphrey is secretary.

THREE COUPLES GO HORSEBACK RIDING

Out horseback riding early Sunday morning through the bridle paths of the Water Work parks were Mr. and Mrs. R. Hardaway, Mrs. and Mrs. E. W. Bayles and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bayles.

MISS MEADOR WINS 'TEEN-KEEN' CONTEST



Crocker Branch YMCA ended its Teen-Canteen Council on July 1 when the title "Teen-Keen" was chosen.

Winning first place with 343 votes was Jacqueline Meador, representing the Twenty Blazer Tri-Hi-Y club. At the coronation which followed, Miss Meador was crowned queen and Don Ritchie of the Crusader

MORE COURTESIES FOR THE C. E. HOGANS

In addition to the social courtesies shown Mr. and Mrs. Claude E. Hogan of Chicago last week, they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Greene, brother and sister-in-law of Mrs. Hogan; and Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Kaiser, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. M. Humphrey at the Crescent School of Beauty culture.

PERSONAL TOUCH



By Marie Ross

Summer wedding are going right along. Plans are being completed for an elaborate garden wedding on Sunday afternoon, July 17, at the Robert Tunley home, at 2808 Cleveland avenue, where Miss Willa Mae Tunley and Mr. General J. Harris of Chicago will be joined in matrimony.

The Jessé Frazier family at 1344 Jefferson street, will celebrate a silver wedding anniversary on Tuesday evening, July 26, at their home.

Learning of the marriage of the Rev. A. Ross Brent, former Maple Street Baptist church pastor, a trip was made to the home of Mrs. Minnie-Maupin who had received a clipping of the event in which her daughter, Roberta, served as a maid of honor, on Sunday, June 5. The article, printed in a Plainfield, New Jersey paper, read:

Miss Beulah Perry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Perry of 615 E. Third street, was married Sunday, June 5, in Shiloh Baptist church to the Rev. A. Ross Brent, pastor of Shiloh. The Rev. W. P. Hayes, pastor of Bethany Baptist church, Newark, officiated.

The bride wore a gown of pink satin with a short illusion veil. She carried white gardenias and pink carnation. The maid of honor was Miss Roberta Maupin of 1259 Columbia avenue, director of the E. Fifth Street Branch YWCA. Miss Maupin's gown was of aqua satin, and her bouquet was of yellow roses. The best man was the Rev. Joseph Dale of Plainfield.

Mrs. Marjorie Smith was organist, and Mrs. Antoinette Whitestone, soloist. Alfred Banks of Plainfield gave the bride in marriage.

The Rev. Mr. Brent has been pastor of Shiloh Baptist church since 1941.

From Minneapolis, Minn., by way of the July 8 edition of Spokesman newspaper, came the following article, regarding the marriage of a Des Moines couple. It revealed that: "Mr. and Mrs. Addison Brooks of Des Moines, Ia., were married Sunday afternoon, July 3, at 4 o'clock by the Rev. H. C. Boyd.

club crowned king with 284 votes for second place.

Miss Meador is the daughter of Mrs. Frances Meador and granddaughter of Mrs. Rosa Wilson of 844 Fifteenth street, who aided her in winning.

In the photo from left to right are: Paul Johnson, Donna Lou Carr,

Jacqueline Meador, Gloria Brown, Don Ritchie.

The affair was sponsored by the Crocker Branch Teen-Canteen Council. Others participating included Donna Lou Carr, third place; Gloria Brown, Paul Johnson, Charlotte Simmons, Maxine Boiden, respectively. (Bill Ashby Photo).

MR. RICHARD FORD A HOLIDAY VISITOR

Mr. Richard Ford of St. Louis, Mo., was July 4 week end guest at the Mack Carson home.

IOWANS SPEND HOLIDAY HERE

Mr. Mack Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Watkins and son and Mrs. Beulah Neff spent the holiday week end in Slater, Mo., at the Carson farm.

MR. HAYES A VISITOR

Mr. Sam Hayes of Ft. Dodge, Ia., was the week end guest of Elder and Mrs. W. H. Spive.

MISS KATHRYN SPIVIE VISITING IN FT. DODGE

Miss Kathryn Louise Spive, daughter of Elder and Mrs. W. H. Spive, left for Ft. Dodge, Ia., to spend a week's vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hayes.

"The couple was married at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. William Walker, 3616 Fourth Avenue, So.

"Mr. and Mrs. Brooks left for their home Monday, July 4." Mrs. Brooks is the former Mrs. Frances Hall of 1608 School street.

BURLINGTON, IOWA

By MRS. ED WILLIAMS Burlington, Ia.—A play, "A Little Bit of Heaven," presented at Union Baptist church by Maggie Lee Mission circle was well received. Mr. Archie Brown is still ill. Mrs. Howard Smith and Mrs. Jasper Reading, Jr., are patients in a local hospital.

Mrs. Ida Coles of Chicago is house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Rideout. Many visitors were in the city over the July 4th holiday.

Among them were Miss Cleota Proctor of Des Moines, guest of Miss Mary Morgan; and Mr. N. Majors of Chicago. Many residents went to Lake Storey beach in Galesburg, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Edwin White, Mrs. Charlotte Buckner, Mrs. Jewel Nelson attended the grand session of the Eastern Star. Mrs. Charlotte Buckner, Sunday School superintendent of St. John's AME church, and Mrs. Jewel Nelson attended the S. S. convention at Ottumwa. Mrs. Nelson then went to Des Moines on her vacation.

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UNION CHURCH CHOIR ENTERTAINS AT HOME OF MRS. D. WILLIAMS

The Union Church choir entertained Wednesday night, July 6, at the home of Mrs. Drew Williams, 1334 McCormick street, honoring Mrs. Hannah Brent of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. Blanche Brewer, who left the city Monday for Los Angeles, Calif.

Sharing the courtesies were: Mrs. Fannie Rice, Mrs. Florence Campbell, Mrs. Ethel Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bundy, Mrs. Mattie Maree, Mrs. E. A. Gaiters, Dr. Linford Willis, Mrs. Vivian Brent, Mrs. John Wade.

The guests of honor were showered with handkerchiefs.

Mrs. Brent served the Union Baptist choir for over 25 years. She is now making her home with a brother in Kansas City. Mrs. Brewer served the choir for three years.

ENTERTAIN AT GARDEN PARTY

Forty-five guests were entertained at a Japanese garden party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bayles on July 2. Hostesses were Mesdames Robert Webb, Jr., Reggar Webb and Bayles. Japanese lanterns, wind chimes and flowers were lawn decorations.

SOCIAL ART CLUB HAS MEETING

The Social Art club met at Mrs. Mary J. Tillman's home, 906 16th street, June 30. The club has disbanded until September.

ELEGANT EIGHT CLUB MEETS

The Elegant Eight club met July 6 at the home of Felice Rhodes. A social hour was held. The members met at the ball game for the July 13 meeting.

LA COPPERETTES ELECT OFFICERS

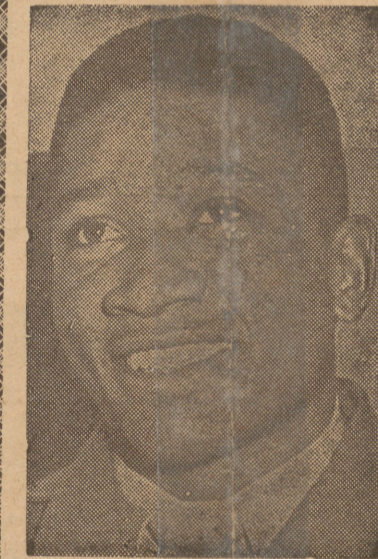
La Copperettes elected new officers recently at Mrs. Luberta Taylor's, 1553 Buchanan street.

They were Mrs. Mattie Belle Henry, president; Mrs. Sadye Taylor, vice president; Mrs. Doris Brown, secretary; Mrs. Ann Jefferson, assistant secretary; Miss Mary Rumeley, treasurer; Mrs. Erma Barber, social chairman and reporter.

The June 24 meeting was with Mrs. Sadye Taylor, 1079 17th street; and, on July 7 with Mrs. Erma Barber at 1323 School street.

MRS. E. W. BAYLES HOUSE GUEST OF SON

Mrs. E. W. Bayles of Hampton, Ia., is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bayles of 951 17th street. She was guest of another son, Mr. Edward Bayles, on Sunday at the Monarch club picnic.



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PLAN INSTALLATION OF REV. JEMISON AT CORINTHIAN

The week of July 18, Corinthian Baptist church will begin a week of services leading up to the installation of its new pastor, the Rev. E. Lloyd Jemison.

The program has been arranged as follows: July 18, Mt. Olive and St. John Baptist churches; July 19, Shiloh and Second Baptist of Ft. Dodge and Bethel AME church, East Des Moines; July 20, Maple Street Baptist church and St. Paul A.M.E. church; July 21, First Baptist church of West Des Moines and Kyles AME church; July 22, Union Baptist, Burns Methodist and Mt. Zion Baptist of Orlabor.

Sunday, July 24, installation day with the Rev. T. J. Jemison, pastor of Mt. Zion Baptist church of Baton Rouge, La., preaching at 11 a.m.; Dr. D. V. Jemison, president of National Baptist Convention, Inc., holding the installation sermon at 3 p.m.; Dr. J. C. Austin, pastor of Pilgrim Baptist church, Chicago, Ill., at 8 p.m.

Dinner will be served free to all out-of-town visitors who come to the services Sunday.

The general committee of the Trustee board is in the planning of the event.

Monday, July 25, the installation services will close with a reception in the dining room of the church. The public is invited.

KYLES AME ZION CHURCH NOTES

Mrs. Jessie Carey of Kansas City, Mo., formerly of Des Moines, will be guest speaker Sunday, July 17, at 3 p.m. Musical numbers and readings will be rendered on the program. Mrs. Hattie Tillman and Mrs. Anna White are sponsors.

INDIANAN VISITS MR. R. WISDOM

Mr. Robert Wisdom of 1413 Second street place, has recovered from a recent illness. A cousin, Charles Johnson, who is a grocer in Kokomo, Ind., came here to visit him. They had not seen each other in 35 years.

THE CLAYBROOKS VISIT IN ILLINOIS

Messrs. Gus and R. D. Claybrook spent several days in Illinois visiting relatives and friends. The Claybrooks received word of the death of a cousin, Rev. Eugene Thompson in Chicago.

TEN KEY CLUB HAS SUNDAY PICNIC

The Ten Key club had a picnic Sunday, July 2, at the State park. Mrs. Geraldine Stephenson of Chicago was a guest. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Inice Carter, 827 13th street. Hazel Howell is reporter.

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DR. ONEY TO SPEAK AT ST. PAUL CHURCH SUNDAY MORNING

Dr. Wm. Oney from Florida who is at present making an educational survey and taking special graduate work at Drake university will deliver a message to the friends and citizens of Des Moines at St. Paul A.M.E. church, 11 a.m., Sunday, July 17.

Dr. Oney, recognized as an energetic leader, an able speaker and writer, is working with the educational department of Florida, and for his meritorious service rendered, he has received the Doctor of Literature degree from Edward Waters college. He is a former resident of Des Moines. He plans to visit points in Iowa, Missouri, and Illinois before returning to Florida.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH WEST DES MOINES

Rev. L. A. Garrett preached last Sunday. The pastor and members motored to Pershing Sunday afternoon for an all-Baptist day. Mr. and Mrs. John Whittier of Milwaukee, Wis., worshipped with the congregation Sunday morning. The sextet will render a program at the church on July 22. The True Friend quartet is presenting the Soul Stirrers Gospel singers on July 31 at Hoyt Sherman place. Mrs. Lauretta Siegh is reporter.

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EDITORIALS - FEATURES - SPORTS

TOO MUCH EXCITEMENT ABOUT THE OBVIOUS

The un-American activities committee of the House of Representatives called Jackie Robinson and other leaders to testify that Paul Robeson told an untruth when he stated that Negroes would not fight Russia should that country go to war with America.

Entirely too much fuss is being made about this statement for everybody ought to know that Robeson was wrong there. Negroes have never been slackers. They have done their share in every war in which America has been engaged; and under favorable circumstances have acquitted themselves as well as any other segment of our population.

Of course, most of the criticisms Robeson has made about mistreatment of minorities is just a repetition of what the NAACP and leading Negroes and intelligent white people have said over the years and because they have said them, and followed their talk with action, conditions are getting better.

It often happens that crusaders like Robeson go too far in the espousal of the cause they are serving. Certainly, the statement that Negroes won't fight Russian and glowing remarks about that country as against America are instances.

But the Bystander is surprised that the un-American activities committee should get excited about what Robeson says. In spite of its name, this committee, whether controlled by Democrats or Republicans, has never raised its voice against or investigated any un-American activities against Negroes. So, instead of spending the tax payers' money trying to prove Paul Robeson lied, there is a fertile field of service where the committee can work in helping rectify some of the injustices heaped upon minority groups and which gave rise to the very program Robeson is conducting.

EVIDENCE OF QUALITY

Give us a chance and we'll make good has been the plea of Negro baseball players for years. That chance has been given and, of course, the boys have delivered the goods.

In the all-star game played July 12, four were included in the line-up and at one time three were in the game, which goes to show that they were rated among the top members of the squad.

Breaking into organized baseball and the success Negro players have achieved all go to show that progress is being made toward according minority groups a greater share of what America has to offer its citizens. Besides, it goes to show that given the opportunity, Negroes can measure up to the high standards set in the terrific pace that the world travels today.

BIG STRIKES SHOULD BE AVERTED

This country is jittery over the possibility of big strikes in key industries which threaten the already uncertainty existing today. Labor is demanding another round of wage increases and other benefits while industry insists that it is paying all the traffic can bear.

Legislation is pending in Congress today seeking to repeal the Taft-Hartley labor law. This measure provides means of dealing with strikes. And while, as some say, the law does not apply until a strike actually occurs labor leaders, many members Congress and the president don't wish to use the law to handle the situation.

Should labor strike, the country would be badly shaken. Certainly the purchasing power of the strikers, already strained to the limit, would be cut off.

Eventually honest thinking people are going to work out this problem so as to save the rank and file of labor and the public from the great sacrifice caused by forced layoffs. They don't help anyone in the long run.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN MUCH DISTURBED

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he had been "banged up a little" in the Pacific in a plane crash. Mr. White said he had a heart attack about three years ago and his physicians advised him that if he slowed down, he could live much longer but if he continued, as he was going, he could not expect to live more than two or three years.

After September 5, Mr. White disclosed, he will write some articles, do some traveling, and also will write a book on the collapse of the color line since World War II.

His book will deal with the revolt among colonial peoples against colonialism, and the impact of such things as the Marshall plan on Asia,

Africa and Latin America.

"I do not want to sell black people against whites revolt in the world," Mr. White said. "Two-thirds of the people of this earth are colored and they are pretty sick and tired of being kicked around," he said. "I think it is terribly important that we wake up to the fact that they are not going to submit to colonial exploitation."

Colonialism Dying

"Colonialism is dying fast and we have got to find some intelligent means of assuring peoples in other parts of the world that they are not going to be exploited simply because they are colored."

Mr. White said he will miss the fortieth annual convention of the NAACP which opened in Los Angeles July 12. He is sending the convention a message, he disclosed.

Mr. White also said the association, during his absence, is going to be in good hands "like Roy Wilkins and Thurgood Marshall and other members of the staff."

Arrangements were made last Monday through the Army for Mr. White to join other participants in the Round-the-World Town Meetings in Berlin. The tour will take the group from Berlin to Vienna, Rome, Ankara, Tel Aviv, Cairo, Karachi, New Delhi, Manila, Tokyo, Honolulu, San Francisco, and Washington. They are due in San Francisco on September 5.

PHYSICIAN POSED AS WHITE FOR 20 YEARS

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youtherner, for accepting the leading role and said he aims to see that the picture is shown in the South.

Rochemont said negotiations are currently under way with a big theater in Washington, D.C. which has "grown tired of the bias there," to show the film to unsegregated audience.

Miss Pearson said she was proud to play the role of the colored girl and explained, with de Rochemont, that she understood the efforts made on the part of the producer to find a colored woman suitable for the role. Mr. de Rochemont said efforts had been made to get a colored cast for the film, but that in competing with other racial films time had not permitted a thorough canvass of the country for persons with talent to play the leading roles.

The Johnston family looks "colored" and many wondered how they could have passed for white.

They brought with them from New Hampshire a white family and their daughter who had known the family all their lives. They also were accompanied by several white friends of the Johnston children.

OTTUMWA, IOWA

BY MRS. B. M. HAYES

Ottumwa, Ia.—Mr. and Robert White of Omaha, Neb., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Petrum Miller and son, Dale. Mr. and Mrs. Martin of Topeka, Kas., are newcomers and are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Thompson. T. L. LaMasters, Jr., who has been on an extended furlough on account of his father's illness, has returned to Tokyo, Japan.

The Missionary dinner at Mt. Zion AME church was well attended. Services were at Second Baptist church with Rev. Wm. Shaw in his pulpit. The mission circle will meet at the church. Mrs. Arletta Robinson is president.

Mrs. Beulah Downey and son, Allen, of Chicago, and Mrs. Elsie Simpson motored to Missouri for the week end. Mr. Charles Robinson has returned home from St. Joseph hospital. He is doing nicely. Born to Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Shaw, July 10, was a son. Mother and infant are doing nicely.

Mrs. William Patten and their nieces, Etta and Anna young, who visited friends in Des Moines, had an agreeable surprise awaiting them when they returned home. Mrs. Patten's brother and father of the girls came for a vacation from Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Pansy Lyles and daughter, Mrs. Ester Taylor, and son, Mr. Elmer Gross, were house guests of Mrs. Harry Parker Porter at Des Moines Sunday. The family went to the baptizing of Mrs. Lyles' daughter, Mrs. Coleman Lawrence, who was baptized in the Union Baptist church later. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Parker, all of Des Moines.

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HEALTH FOR ALL

RELAX AND REVIVE

"Relax and revive is good advice for these hot summer days," says the Iowa State Department of Health. Every summer excessive heat causes the death of several Iowans.

Stay out of the midday heat and sunshine as much as possible. Avoid heat exhaustion. Rest during the lunch hour and take advantage of the time off to build up strength for working in the heat of the afternoon. Remember to wear a hat, eat moderately, exercise moderately and wear cool clothing.

Long exposure to the intense rays of the sun is the cause of sunstroke. A similar condition may result from heat indoors. The victim of sunstroke becomes unconscious, the skin is dry and hot, the face flushed, the pulse fast and strong, and the breathing labored. The best treatment is cold applied in any way possible. The patient can be given a cold sponge bath, and as soon as consciousness returns he should be given cold drinks sipped in small quantities at a time. Bits of ice held in the mouth also help, but no stimulants should be given.

As heat exhaustion does not result in complete unconsciousness, it usually is not so difficult to treat as sunstroke. The face is pale, the pulse becomes feeble, the skin is cool, and the body is covered with a clammy sweat. The patient should be put to rest and given stimulants as in the treatment for shock. A scant teaspoonful of aromatic spirits of ammonia in a half glass of water is the most satisfactory stimulant for shock. Coffee and tea are also good stimulants. No cold should be applied externally, for this keeps the blood away from the surface of the body and will aggravate the symptoms.

SPORTS

By ALLEN ASHBY

Boxing

Now the heavyweight champ, Edward Charles has decided to lay his crown on the line with Gus Lesnivic on August 10. Have to hand it to the Charles setup. They don't pick their spots. Lesnivic, former lightweight champ, is about as good a challenger as one could find around loose now. He is a clever boxer, and packs a kayo wallop, as Billy Fox will testify. He could conceivably take the new champ, but he will have to beat, and we mean really beat a dead game brawler, who won't give up until the final decision is rendered against him. It is said that this is the shortest period of time that ever elapsed between winning the crown and the first defense of it.

It is also gratifying to note that the national group of sports writers have come to their senses and have begun to dig up some of the earlier fights that gave the lie to the oft repeated claim that the Charles-Walcott battle was the worst on record so far as the championship is concerned, and about the fact that the crowd was the smallest to ever attend a championship fight. The boys had to come to the facts sooner or later and we are glad that it was sooner.

With Walcott across the pond to take on logical challengers over in England, and Charles on this side, it is going to be pretty hard to get by at least one of these Negroes when they finally get around to recognizing champions without any strings. Jersey Joe, with his style of boxing and his neat footwork and effective counter punching might become a sensation in England, where they go for boxing as a science rather than legalized mayhem.

pean mind works along those lines. We read some place that one of the bitterest complaints made by the Germans against the American method of attacking with so many men that some of them had to get through was that this was not war. War they said was a game of skill and maneuvering to outgeneral each other, but the Americans made it a mad scuffle of seeing how many men they could pour through onto a cleverly held defense. In other words, they got there first with the most.

Baseball

Now the New York Giants have gone and done it by signing two Negroes. Henry Thompson, is playing regularly at second base, and as nearly as we could interpret from the records is handling himself like a big leaguer. Wonder when the White Sox will wake up. With a good Negro player in the lineup every day, the Chicago Pale Hose could set a season record for attendance, because the Negroes would flock in to the ball park. We saw that there were thirty-nine Negroes playing in organized baseball around the country. And those critics said that Negroes would never make it in any large numbers. That is worth a feature story some week.

When you read this, three Negroes will have become the first of their race to have played in the major league All-Star game. The game will have become history, but this fact that these Negroes did their part will never be forgotten by those who will have seen it.

Local Sports

Next week is the Good Park swimming meet, sponsored by the Olympian club. There have been some tremendous crowds to watch these meets in the past, and there will probably be some this week-end.

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Watched the host of kids between ten and fourteen years old playing on the Good Park courts, and wondered when we oldsters could get in some tennis. As Hardaway put it, "You guys have clinched yourselves out of tennis courts."

Just about everyone who can swing a racket is entered in the public parks meet which starts next week. This should give us a line on our own meet coming up pretty soon. There seems to be a dog fight brewing in the men's doubles. Any

one of a half dozen teams could have a hot streak and win the thing. This will prove to be about the most interesting division of the meet.

MR. CLARK YEAGER, SR., TO SPEND VACATION IN ILLINOIS, OHIO

Mr. Clark Yeager, Jr., 1010 Tenth street, will spend a two-week vacation in the East visiting relatives and friends. Mr. Yeager will leave the city Sunday morning, July 17, for Cleveland, Ohio, and on his return will spend a week in Chicago. While in Cleveland, Mr. Yeager will attend several major league games between Cleveland and New York, Boston and Washington, and on his return will witness Brooklyn and Chicago games in Chicago, July 26-27, and 28. Mr. Yeager will return on July 31.

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