

## SEPARATION OF RACES IN ALL MANNERS URGED

Mrs. Deeds Speaks at First of Twelve Conferences Proposed.

### 'SITUATION IS SERIOUS'

Separation of the white and negro races of Indianapolis in every way, residential, social, political and educational, is being advocated by a number of Indianapolis women who are members of various clubs and civic welfare organizations and they have arranged a series of twelve conferences at which the matter will be discussed with women throughout the city.

The first of these conferences was held Thursday at the home of Mrs. G. J. Deeds, 238 West Maple road, and was addressed by Mrs. Deeds.

So serious has the situation become in Indianapolis that mothers are afraid to permit their daughters to run errands or visit friends unless escorted by an older person, Mrs. Deeds said. This situation she blames largely on the politician who has pampered and petted the negro to a point where the age-old rule of white supremacy, on which she says our civilization is based, is being set aside. She takes particular exception to the practice of negroes moving into white residential districts as destructive of property values in the neighborhood and a source of endless strife and antagonism.

**NOV UP TO WOMEN.**  
So careless or blind have the men of Indianapolis been to this rising negro tide in the past, Mrs. Deeds said, that it is now squarely up to the women of the city to solve the problem. If a solution is not found in the near future, "especially here in Indianapolis, we are going to be driven to the same salutary recourse as our Southern neighbor, she declared.

In part Mrs. Deeds said:  
"Conditions that never should be tolerated in the body politic now exist, and the men in whom the franchise has been vested appear powerless to right them, and on you is rapidly devolving the duty of making Indianapolis a safe place for your daughters to leave their homes unescorted."

"There was a time in Indianapolis when even the most careful of mothers permitted their little girls to run to the grocery, or visit their neighbors without a single fear that the great State of Indiana was unable to protect them from the hands of hands who recognize no virtue."

### POLITICIANS FORCE ASSOCIATION.

"And now we white folk of Indianapolis are having another battle to fight due to attempts of the white politician to foist an evil upon a thoughtless public by their practice of appointing negroes to official positions of authority over white people, thereby forcing the mothers, wives and daughters of other white men to associate with him; a most despicable practice resented by we white women of the North who propose to no longer suffer the indignities as a result of such misguided policy."

"The negro is not the equal of the white man, and he never will be, and we are not going to permit him to be thrust upon us as our equal, but propose on the other hand, to educate our white politicians up to a point of propriety where within five years from today you will not find a man in public life who is willing to acknowledge that he favors negro equality of any kind—social, political, economic or what not."

### NEGRO TAKING UNFAIR ADVANTAGE.

"Under the present civil rights law, the negro is taking unfair advantage of the privileges accorded him and is making himself obnoxious."

"A negro may have the legal right to buy property and live in your neighborhood, but he has not the moral right to do so, when by so doing he knowingly takes away half of your property value. Such actions as these of the negro moving in among the whites in white residential communities not only incite race prejudice more than anything else, but it damages the community as a whole, and the best interests of both whites and blacks demand that such action cease."

"The truth about the political situation of today, with reference to the negro, is that neither the Republican nor the Democratic party cares for anything except the negro's ballot on election day."

"So you see—it is an issue as old as man himself—this one phase, the eternal race question—it is the greatest issue that ever confronted the American people. It certainly is one of the greatest issues with which Indianapolis is going to have to deal, and the longer she postpones the day of reckoning the more violent will be the readjustment. There ought to be a law in every State in the Union prohibiting intermarriage between the two races; and the whites and negroes ought to be separated in all governmental activities, in the Army, in the Navy, in schools, on street cars, railroad trains, and other common carriers."

"There ought to be, and there must be before this question is settled, a segregation law in every State separating whites and negroes in the residential sections of cities, towns and municipalities—especially here in Indianapolis. If we are going to be driven to the same salutary recourse within the very near future as our Southern neighbor, and the sooner we make up and adopt it, the better it will be for all concerned."

**ROAD LIGHTHOUSES.**  
LONDON, April 28.—The ministry of transport has decided to adopt the American system of indicating dangerous curves to motorists at night with tall signposts which flash every two seconds.

Do you want a clear skin?

The Resinol treatment makes skins clearer, fresher, lovelier. Try it and see.

**RESINOL**  
Soothing and Healing

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INDIANA TAXI CO.  
Receipt Printing Meters

## RADIO AS BABY PACIFIER



BABY GEORGIA "LISTENING IN."

Another use for radio!

Keeping baby happy and contented. Mrs. A. L. Moses of Seattle, Wash., says it's the best substitute for mother's arms she has found.

All she does is to set little Georgia beside the radio receiving apparatus, attach the head phones, tune in a broadcast concert and then go about her own work.

Mrs. Moses says she's had no worry since she bought this "toy" for baby.

The only difficulty at first says Mrs. Moses, was in keeping Georgia from putting some of the pieces into her mouth.

But she soon learned the best way to prevent the baby from tasting everything was by keeping the whole radio set in fact.

## GRANT'S LIFE REVIEWED ON ANNIVERSARY

Dr. Fifer Delivers Chief Address at Memorial Services.

The career of Gen. Ulysses S. Grant was reviewed last night at a memorial meeting in the Cade Tabernacle in honor of Grant's 100th birthday anniversary. Thousands of persons attended the services. Governor McCray and State and city officials were on the speakers' platform.

Dr. W. L. Helskell, a veteran of the Civil War, presided over the meeting. The principal address was delivered by Dr. Orlan W. Fifer, pastor of the Central Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church. Others who made short speeches were Governor McCray, William P. Evans, prosecutor of Marion County and a veteran of the World War; Bishop Joseph M. Francis, Frank C. Huston and E. S. Shumaker.

Dr. Fifer said, "In this Nation's hall of fame, four only precede Ulysses S. Grant: Washington, Lincoln, Franklin and Webster are there before him."

Dr. Helskell read "Sherman's March," and Mahlon E. Butler, ex-adjutant general of the Grand Army of the Republic, sang. He was accompanied by a trio of men from the Ben Harrison Camp of the Sons of Veterans. The Newboys' Band gave a number of selections.

Generals' call was sounded preceding the addresses. The program was closed with the sounding of taps.

## Mrs. McWhirter Is Chairman of Day at Exhibit

Mrs. Felix T. McWhirter has been appointed chairman for Women's Club day at the Home Complete Exposition, Friday, May 12. The program in the Lecture Hall in the afternoon will be on home furnishing and decorating, with Carl A. Taylor in charge.

Mrs. McWhirter is sending out to all women's clubs in Indianapolis a letter urging them to avail themselves of Women's Club day at the exposition, and to attend in a body.

"From what I have heard of the plans and programs and exhibits of the exposition," Mrs. McWhirter said, "there is every reason why women should find the exposition of extraordinary value. I am most enthusiastic about it, and think that the exposition will do great good for the better home movement. Every one should seize this opportunity to secure the vast amount of information which the exposition will give to Indianapolis about better and more economical home building, furnishing and keeping."

Women's clubs throughout the city have shown interest in the coming exposition, and doubtless most of them will plan to attend.

## Former Assistant Is Made Service Officer

William H. Siscoe, former assistant State service officer of the American Legion, has been appointed State service officer, to succeed Bert S. Hawkins, resigned.

Mr. Hawkins resigned to become affiliated with the Hoosier Engineering Company.

## All Elements of Real Thriller

POLICE MIGHT HAVE CAUGHT PROWLER

## Report of Burglar and Everything

The police caught a burglar last night almost. They might have if there had been any burglar.

About 12:30 o'clock Mrs. A. F. Eaglesfield, 3307 North Delaware street, tele-

phoned police headquarters there was a burglar upstairs "right then" and to "please come quick."

Motor Policemen Easton and Ransford responded. They approached the front and rear of the house and closed in. Baston crept upstairs with the fascinated eyes of the Eaglesfield family upon him.

The policeman disappeared in the darkness of the upper floor. Those downstairs waited. Hours seemed to roll by. Maybe the policeman was strangled or frozen horrified in his tracks.

A peal of laughter! Great surprise for the family!

The "burglar" was Mr. Eaglesfield.

### 'N' FIGURE

CHICAGO, April 28.—"Let your conscience be your guide," was what the Rev. John Williamson, Chicago law enforcer, told girls desiring to display scanty bathing suits on Chicago beaches this year.

### NOW!

NEW YORK, April 28.—New attraction at Coney Island is a spite fence. George Robinson, theater owner, didn't like noises coming from a bungalow colony, so he put up an eight-foot brick wall.

who had been on a fishing trip and came home while the family was at a theater.

**PAYS TO FLOW.**  
LONDON, April 28.—By just taking his 25th prize in plowing contests, William Vaughan, a Brecon farmhand, has increased his cash winnings to \$11,000.

**SECRET OIL FIELD.**  
SANTIAGO, Chile, April 28.—Chilean business men are forming a big company to develop an oil field whose location has been kept secret from the public.

# L. S. AYRES & Co.

## Gingham FROCKS Advance Blithely on the Breezes of April's Going

Gingham expresses the spirit of May. It has the briskness of May (for May breezes are often kippy ones), and its bright colorings correspond to the colors in the flowers for which April showers are said to be responsible.

### A Beauty at \$6.95

In the Gown Room are hosts of new, bright, merry gingham dresses, made of lovely soft ginghams. One frock, made on straight lines, has a quaint little fullness set in at the hips, and a round flat collar, cuffs and pockets made of white linen, are dotted with French knots in black, and edged with fine plaiting of the gingham. This frock comes in canary and white and navy blue and white. At \$6.95.

Up a step in price, and one is introduced to a pretty thing in checks of red and white, lavender and white, or green and white, with collar, cuffs and vestee of crisp white organdie. Red and white pearl buttons give a tasteful little trimming down the front. At \$10.00.

Stealing taffeta's "stuff," as it were, and "getting away with it," is a check-ingham with rather tight bodice and full-gathered skirt. The bodice extends to tie in a bow at the back; the skirt is made up of alternating bias stripes of the gingham and white organdie. In canary or red with white. At \$10.00.

Other stunning little models, showing the newest ideas in wash frocks, and increasingly novel, are priced up to \$12.50.

—Ayres—Gown room, third floor.

## Some Tailored Blouses Desirable to Own and Wear

White batiste and dimity models are trimmed with bright checked gingham.

Hand-embroidered dots in red or navy blue embellish the collars, cuffs and front box plaits of other white batistes and dimities.

All-white styles are shown with Peter Pan or roll collars and with French or turn-back cuffs.

The price for any one of these is just \$2.95.

—Ayres—Blouses, third floor.

## Jewelry Novelties at \$1.00

Offer Many Suggestions for Economical Dress Adornment

Included at this single low price is an extensive and decidedly varied collection of necklaces, earrings, hair ornaments, cuff pins, soft collar pins, Florentine jewelry, barrettes set with colored stones, jet jewelry, bracelets and rhinestone bangles—all excellent values at \$1.00.

—Ayres—Jewelry, street floor.

### Every Growing Girl Needs

## A Dorothy Junior Corset

As little as the growing girl in her early teens would seem to require the corset, scientifically designed—that will give her figure a support and mold her figure in the ideal lines—is most important.

Just that are Dorothy Junior corsets—correctly fashioned and attractive in their materials of pink brocade and satin. They are back-lacing and have the medium low bust and the elastic tops. Priced from \$3.00 to \$4.00. In less expensive fabrics from \$1.50 to \$2.50.

Made of a charming pink novelty material, in short and medium lengths, and with elastic top and six garters. Other models, in sizes from 20 to 30, range in price from \$1.50 to \$2.50.

—Ayres—Corsets, third floor.

## Cotton Eponge Dresses For Misses From 14 to 18 Years

Next to no other, but right on top, does the frock of cotton eponge promise to disport itself among others of similar kinds this summer. Eponge is one of the ratine weaves of which there are several and which are extremely well favored.

The Petite Shop has just received a number of the cotton eponge, imported, and trimmed with hand drawnwork, and made in the simple, effective chemise style with broad sashes.

The colorings are orchid, rose, canna, rust, maize, cinnamon and brown.

The price, only \$17.50.

—Ayres—Petite shop, third floor.

5,000 Cakes Jap Rose Toilet Soap, 6 for 39c

5,000 Cakes Kirk's Cocoa Hardwater Soap, 6 for 39c

Otvia antiseptic dental cream, 50c.

Creme Le Mon, 49c.

D'Orsay face powder, 69c.

Mary Garden toilet water, \$1.50 bottle.

Revelation tooth powder, 35c.

Mavis perfume, \$1.00 ounce.

Incense powder, 25c.

Colorite, for hats, 19c.

Sylvan talcum, 12c.

Rubber-cushioned hair-brushes, \$1.00.

Bath brushes, 69c.

Ary's Hlas perfume, \$1.50 ounce.

Ary's Jasmine perfume, \$3.00 ounce.

—Ayres—Toilets, street floor.

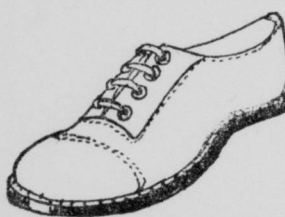
## Oxfords and Strap Pumps for Women and Girls —750 Pairs at \$2.95

Patent leather, satin and black and brown leather, white canvas, buck and combination leather sports oxfords and strap pumps are included in this selling. Every popular low shoe model, in fact, is represented in the assortment; and still there is a full range of sizes. The value is remarkable.

### Seasonable, at the Beginning of Outdoor Playtime

## Children's Play Oxfords and Sandals at 98c

These are shown in mahogany and tan calf, in a full range of children's sizes, from 5 to 2.



## Misses' and Children's Play Oxfords and Sandals \$1.19—\$1.69 \$1.95

Patent leather and mahogany calf, in all sizes from 6 to 2; in each price group.