

# MINISTER FOUND DEAD IN BED

## Prominent Pastor is Ill For Only Three Weeks

Rev. Henderson Lambertson, 66, pastor of the Church of the Living God, 420 S. Morton Street, was found dead in the bed Wednesday morning. He had been suffering from appendicitis and complications of disease for some three weeks though he was in apparent fine spirits and fair state of health when he retired Tuesday evening. Most of the evening was spent in conversation with friends.

### Pastored Here Since 1933

Rev. Henderson came here from Memphis Tenn., in 1933, there he pastored the church of the Living God for 2 years. He was born in Sheffield Alabama. Since coming to Evansville, the church he pastored underwent many changes for the better and through his wonderful personality and forceful messages, he was able to win many friends.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Lucille Smith and one grand daughter, Miss Julia C. Fultz of So. Pittsburgh Tennessee.

### Services Conducted By Indianapolis Minister

Rev. O. V. Hall, of the Church of the Living God, Indianapolis Indiana, conducted the services which were held from the local Living God Church Friday afternoon. The Thompson Funeral Home was in charge and burial was in Oak Hill Cemetery.

## Amateur Contest Sun., Dec. 18th

### Big Midnight Show Tentatively Scheduled For Majestic Theatre.

A gala Amateur Contest which will include tumbling—dancing singing and other entertaining acts by home talent will be presented from the stage of the Majestic Theatre Sun. Dec. 18 at midnight. This affair is being co-sponsored by Clarence Goin and Julius W. Holder, editor of the Evansville Argus. The proceeds will go to provide clothing, fuel and food for indigent families.

### Notice to All Amateurs

If you can sing, dance, tumble or do any other kind of entertaining please contact either one of the two above named persons no later than Wednesday Dec. 7. Prizes will be offered the winners.

Please Give To the Xmas Cheer Fund

## NEWS TID-BITS

### Avenue Shoe Shop Has New Interior

The Lincoln Shoe Shop, 603 S. Elliott St. is holding open House the week of Dec. 3. The public is extended an invitation to come and inspect this newly decorated shoe shop, the only one in the city owned by race members. The interior of the shop has been completely renovated, new comfortable seats, counters and all equipment, to add to the convenience of the patrons. Every cent that represents the assets of the company has been reinvested in the shop to add to the convenience of the patrons. Trade at the Lincoln Shoe Shop—owned and operated and controlled by colored men. All work is guaranteed.

### Edythe Hall Victor In Contest

Edythe Ann Hall, the very cute little infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hall, 434 S. Evans Ave. won first prize of \$3.00 in the St. John's M.E. Church baby contest held this week.

### Spend Holidays In Chicago

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anglin, Misses Carmen and Pauline Bell spent the holidays in Chicago visiting friends. They returned home Monday and report quite a pleasant trip.

Notice—All persons holding statements calling for coal as award in Cooking School please carry same to Atlas Coal Co. Today. 120 S. Heidelberg.

## Argus Cooking School Proves Huge Success

Crowds Are Awarded Prizes  
The first annual Evansville Argus Cooking School and Home Economics Institute held in the Lincoln High School Gym. Tues. and Wed. Nov. 22 and 23 ended last Wednesday evening with the awarding of the main prizes consisting of a 52 dish set, ton of coal, table lamp, sofa pillow, utility cabinet, coffee drip maker and many other prizes including baskets of groceries. All firms cooperating reported huge success—All persons attending reported much gained from beautiful displays and marvelous lectures by Mrs. Helen Best, noted economist. Patronize The Merchants who made the Cooking School a success. They appreciate your business.

## 3rd Ave. PTA In Midst Of Drive

Hopes To Increase Membership By End Of Year.

Mrs. Beulah Edwards, president of the Third Avenue Parent Teachers Association, announces the next meeting of the organization Friday December 16, 1938 at 3 p.m. in the auditorium of the Third Avenue school. At this meeting the different committees will report on the progress made by these organizations in the recently launched membership drive.

### Members Of National And State Congress

The Third Avenue PTA is associated with the National and State Congress of Parents and Teachers as well as the City Council of Parents and Teachers, having been lauded on several occasions by the former association as mentioned above, for active work among the parents and teachers.

The work of the PTA is quite interesting and helpful and it is to the advantage of all to join this wide awake organization.

J. D. Cox, Ch'm; membership Comm.

## Elderly Mothers of Lincoln Gardens Are Honored

Guests At Turkey Day Feast In Social Room

The elderly mothers of Lincoln Gardens were delightfully entertained by the Lincoln Gardens Civic Club, Friday evening Nov. 25 at 6 in the Social Room. The Civic Club under the very capable leadership of Mrs. Sarah Dupe, one of Evansville's leading society matrons, presented a program featuring music by the WPA Band under the leadership of Bill Lewis—paper on "Thanksgiving," by Dr. Raymond King, housing gardens manager—Complimentary remarks by Mrs. C. E. Rochelle—paper on "Self Respect and The Place it Occupies in Our Life," By Mrs. Dupe, and vocal numbers by Gwendolyn Baylor and Mary Ann Bell.

### Turkey Is Served

After the program, a very delicious menu consisting of turkey and all the trimmings was served the elderly mothers. Among the guests enjoying the festivities of the evening were, Mothers Ford, Dixon, Anglin, Sheats, Osborne, Banks, Waddy, Williams, Barker, of Owensboro and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morgan.

## Ten-Year-Old Girl Wins Prize



GWENDOLYN BAYLOR

Is declared Winner over 15 Other Contestants

Cate "Lil" Gwendolyn Baylor, 10, the charming daughter of Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Baylor, Lincoln Ave., was awarded the first prize of \$25.00 in the Bentley Variety Show at the Coliseum Sunday evening, "Gweny" as she is so affectionately dubbed by her playmates, sang 4 songs, "Small Fry," "On the Sentimental Side," "Alexander's Rag Time Band," "Music Maestro, Please" the latter one was an encore. When interviewed in her father's drug store, where she oftentimes acts as clerk, she stated, "I had no idea that I would win the first prize, but I did want \$25.00 to use for Christmas shopping purposes, so I decided to do my best. I was the only

Colored on the program numbering 10 regular contestants and 6 jitterbugs in another contest. Oh yes, I almost forgot, I also won 2 tickets to the Carlton Theater as an award on the Jingle program two weeks ago.

"I do want to express my thanks first to Mr. Lasky, manager of Bentley's, Miss Flarity Roper, my accompanist, Mesdames John Dupe and Gilbert Bell and my little pal, Marion Bell, (they went with me to the Coliseum) and the many others who contributed to my success."

"Gweny" spent the summer in Atlanta, Ga., where she was the center of attraction at all entertainments—her mother, Mrs. Baylor is now attending Atlanta University.

## District Committee of State 'Meds' Meets at Radcliffe Hotel

Local Dentist Chosen Chairman Of First Indiana District

Dr. L. B. Merriwether of Indianapolis, president of the Indiana State Medical, Dental and Pharmaceutical Association, presided over a district committee meeting of this association Wednesday Nov. 16 in the guest room of the Radcliffe Hotel, 6th and Oak Sts. Accompanying Dr. Merriwether to the city were Drs. E. D. Moton—C. A. Lucas and S. D. Merriwether.

### Hospitalization And Medical Care Discussed

Many topics of interest to members of the medical profession were discussed with much of the discussion centering around the proper hospitalization and medical care of tubercular patients. Many remedies, which may prove effective, were introduced by various members.

The committee dwelt at length on a new phase programs involving the complication of papers read before the association so as to interest the physicians—dentists and pharmacists members of the association. The state president divided the state into districts and Dr. Wm. F. Dendy was chosen chairman of Evansville which embraces the first district.

### City Doctors Entertain

After the business of the meeting was completed a delicious menu of relish, fried rabbits, mashed potatoes, green peas, hot biscuits and coffee was served. Mints were also served as was

ice cream and assorted cakes. The entertaining doctors number 7—Wm. F. Dendy, A. H. Wilson, Jeremiah Jackson, Raymond King, E. M. Baylor, Albert Heard and G. W. Buckner.

## Poor To Be Fed This Christmas

Baskets of Food, Clothing, Fuel To Be Distributed Xmas

The public is asked to join in the mammoth Xmas Cheer Fund being sponsored by Mr. Clarence Goin and the Evansville Argus. All persons are requested to send cash donations in to the offices of the Evansville Argus, 667 S. Elliott Street or contact either Clarence Goin or Julius W. Holder. As a result of a survey recently made, many indigent families are in dire need of the bare necessities of life. Make your donations today. A list will be printed in next week's paper, which will include the names of all donors. All organizations, Clubs, etc., individuals are asked to please give to this fund. Just Call 3-2955.

### HOME BANK RAIDED

ST. LOUIS, MO., December—Forty-nine dollars belonging to Victoria Daley, 1355 Elliott avenue, was reported stolen from a chiffoniere in which she had secreted it.

## Fort Wayne Minister And Wife Here Sunday

Rev. Richard H. Dixon Bth., of Fort Wayne, Ind. will be guest speaker at the McFarland Baptist Church. Sunday morning and evening, also Monday and Tuesday nights, Dec. 4—5—6—th.

Dr. Dixon is one of the denomination's most successful pastors and financiers. He has traveled extensively in many sections of the world which has broadened his experience. He is a forceful preacher and singer, come and hear him.

He will be accompanied by his wife Mme. E. Lett Dixon. Subject: Sunday 11 a.m. A Positive Command From The Great Head Of The Church. Subject, Sunday 7:30 p.m. Stop Worrying.

Subject, Monday 8:00 p.m. This Thing Called Love  
Subject, Tuesday 8:00 p.m. The Game Of Life.

Dr. Dixon is pastor of the Mount Olive Baptist Church Fort Wayne, Ind. President Baptist Union of that City. Treasurer New Era Association; Sec'y-treas. Indiana All School Educational Commission.

Mme. E. Lett Dixon of Fort Wayne, Ind., will be guest speaker for the Sisterhood of McFarland Baptist Church Sunday 3:30 p.m.

Mme. Dixon is directress of the E. Lett Dixon School of Music Fort Wayne, Ind. Pianist for Old Time Religion Tabernacle heard daily over station WOWO, Indiana's most powerful broadcasting station. She is musical directress of the State Federation of Colored women clubs of Indiana. Member of the National Association of Negro Musicians, and district organizer of Northern Indiana Musicians.



Rev. R. H. DIXON



Mme. LETT DIXON

## Heavyweight Sensation

CHICAGO, Nov. (ANP)—Chicago's fight experts are beginning to sit up and take notice of a new poker faced brown destroyer, Henry Wacker, who scored the most important victory of his brief career when he knocked out Bob Tow, nationally ranked white heavyweight from Alexandria, Va., in six rounds before 2,098 at White City arena Friday night.

## New Lincoln Gardens, Pride of City; Now 100 Percent Occupied



Photo—Courtesy Evansville Courier

ABOVE—Dr. Raymond King, manager of the Lincoln Gardens apartments, dictates a letter to the U. S. Housing Authority at Washington, D. C. His secretary, Miss Ruth Johnson, Lincoln high graduate and two-year student at the Terre Haute teachers college, writes "Occupation is completed" in dots, dashes and curls.

BELOW—Mrs. John Dupe, president of the Lincoln Gardens Civic Club, busies herself preparing supper for her husband, who is an employee of the L. & N. railroad. The Dupe apartment is a model of the apartments in the Lincoln Gardens (Story on next page).

Rising as a monument to the relentless spirit and efforts of the public spirited citizens of Evansville, is Lincoln Gardens, a million-dollar slum clearance housing project that provides 191 modern sanitary homes for members of the low income group. "Baptistown", the name which was applied to an area dominated by filthy shacks without sanitary facilities, has been supplanted by "Lincoln Gardens". Today, Lincoln Gardens represent clean sanitary modern homes bounded by beautiful wide lawns, shrubbery, plenty of fresh air and ample supervised play. Lincoln Gardens was officially opened July 1st this year and on Nov. 23rd was 100 per cent occupied. Tenants were selected in reference to the need, character and priority of application, whose income did not exceed five times the rental charge.

### Plenty of Recreational Activities

There is provided a fully equipped social room adjacent to the management office for the use of the tenants and four recreational rooms which also will be used for class rooms and adolescent and adult education. There is definitely no regimentation, everyone of the 500 residents of Lincoln Gardens is expected to live a normal life—but one rule is strictly enforced, "each family is required to respect the rights of his neighbor."

## LOCAL LAD MAKING SPLENDID RECORD

Phillip Letcher, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Letcher, S. Governor St. is making a splendid record at South Carolina State College, Orangeburg, S. C. where he is playing in the college band and orchestra. He received a scholarship from the president of the school.

## Hurt in Car-Auto Crash

ST. LOUIS, MO., December—Mrs. Mable Lowery, 31, 3106 Vine Grove avenue, received shocks and bruises when a car driven by her husband Charles, 38, in which she was riding with him, was struck by a street car at Garrison avenue and Olive street Sunday about 2:15 p.m.

## Mary Poard Receives Sentence After Jury Deliberates 21 1/2 Hours

Mary Board, 44, of 5th Street, was found guilty of second degree murder by a jury of 12 men in Circuit Court Wednesday night after deliberating 21 1/2 hours. She was charged with having beat her husband Sam Board, 49, on the head with an electric iron and skull straightener, causing two skull fractures thus resulting in death.

### Persistent To Last

Mrs. Board denied the charge to the last, and was very persistent in her claims that her husband fell down a stairway four days before his death, causing two skull fractures. Circuit Judge John W. Spencer, sentenced her.

### Billikens Spread Turkey Day Cheer

Give Many Baskets To Unfortunates

The Bud Billiken Club under the sponsorship of Mrs. Childers gave many baskets of food to underprivileged families Thanksgiving quite a few families were very happy to receive these wonderful gifts. The Billikens were invited to attend the Grand Theatre last Friday and Saturday as guests of Mr. Oscar Fine, manager. The West Side Nut Club presented the Billikens with a donation as an indication of its appreciative spirit for the wonderful presentation on the Nut Club's program recently.

## NACW Meets Dec. 11 In Gardens

Mrs. Sallie Stewart Extends Invitation To All Women To Attend

The National Association of Colored Women will hold an organization meeting in Building No. 15 of the Lincoln Gardens Sunday Dec. 11, according to a statement made by Mrs. Sallie Stewart, organizer of the local branch. Any woman or organized group is invited to call Mrs. Stewart at 2-5130 or better still, be present at the meeting, providing there is an interest in cooperative welfare workings as advocated by the association.

### History And Purpose Of Ass'n

This association was organized in 1896 for the purpose of raising to the highest plane, the home life, moral standard and civic life of the race.

There are forty two state federations and individual clubs in every state in the Union, Canada and in Africa. The state associations are grouped into five regional associations.

### Different Departments

The major departments of the association are the mother, home and child, women in industry, National Association of Colored Girls and Phillis Wheatley. The minor departments are legislation, arts, education, crafts, music and peace. Specific efforts embracing the work of the departments are: to standardize the home, to institute the most suitable environment for the child, to train girls to be industrious, artistic, gracious and deserving, to raise the standard of service available among the women, to make the working conditions and wages what these women and girls deserve.

## Open Forum To Feature Race Speaker Sunday

The Open Forum which will be held at the Community Center, 7th and Cherry Streets, Sunday Dec. 4th from 3 to 4 p.m. will be led by Rev. M. R. Dixon Jr., who will discuss, "Problem of Crime." The Peerless Club is arranging the program and the public is invited.

### Club Meets Wednesday

The Peerless Club will hold its regular meeting Wednesday Dec. 7th at 3 p.m., at which time installation of new officers will take place. Each member is requested to bring one kind of food to be used as a service for a Pot Luck lunch.

## Dixon Re-Elected NAACP Leader

Youthful A.M.E. Minister Wins Nomination By Unanimous Vote

At the regular meeting Sunday Nov. 26, of the local branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, Rev. M. R. Dixon Jr., fiery and courageous leader, was reelected president. Rev. Dixon, along with Attorneys Tenola Grave, Michigan City Ind., and R. L. Bailey Indianapolis, Ind., gained nationwide fame when they fought to save James Swain from death in the electric chair. Robert Anglin, popular tailor was elected vice president, Miss Lucille Roberts was reelected secretary, Mrs. Harriett Dendy, ass't. treasurer and Rev. L. S. Smith, treasurer.

### Civic Improvements to Be Discussed

At the next meeting, improvements of a civic nature will be discussed and acted upon.

See next week's story about the Evansville man who was a former chum of Jack Johnson.

# Took Fight Against Jim Crow Car to U.S. Interstate Body

## I. C. C. Dismisses Charges That Rock Island Did Not Provide Equal Facilities

WASHINGTON.—A complaint by Congressman Arthur W. Mitchell, Democrat, of Chicago, that Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific

Railway, in forcing him to leave a Pullman car and ride in a "Jim Crow" coach, failed to provide for him and for other members of his race accommodations equal to those provided for white passengers, was dismissed Friday by the Interstate Commerce Commission with the finding that the railroad's treatment of Negro passengers was not unjust or unlawful. The commission refused to grant to Congressman Mitchell the relief he asked for—"removal and avoidance in the future of the alleged discrimination and prejudice in the furnishing of accommodations."

Two members of the commission, Joseph B. Eastman and William E. Lee, dissented, and Commissioner Carroll Miller dissented in part. Commissioners Eastman and Lee questioned whether equal accommodations were provided for the two races and Commissioner Miller averred that the coach to which Congressman Mitchell was removed was inferior to that in which white passengers were carried.

Congressman Mitchell, a lawyer, who obtained his education at Tuskegee Institute, where he was office boy for the late Booker T. Washington, and at Harvard and Columbia Universities complained that the alleged discrimination occurred while he was traveling from Chicago to Hot Springs on a first class ticket which he bought in Chicago on the evening of April 20, 1937.

### Compartment To Memphis

He had requested a bedroom on the Hot Springs sleeping car, he alleged, but none being available, he received a compartment as far as Memphis, Tenn., on a sleeper destined to New Orleans. Just before he reached Memphis, he said, he was transferred to the Hot Springs sleeper and a seat was assigned to him.

As the train was crossing the Mississippi River into Arkansas Congressman Mitchell said, the conductor took up the Memphis-Hot Springs portion of his ticket but refused payment for the Pullman seat from Memphis and compelled him under "threat of arrest" to move into a coach provided for Negro passengers. The railroad's defense was that it was complying with an Arkansas statute requiring segregation of Negro from white passengers.

Congressman Mitchell objected that the coach for Negro passengers, carried in the rear of the baggage car, was "filthy and foul smelling," lacked air conditioning and was without toilet facilities available on Pullman cars. The charge that the car was filthy and foul was denied by the railroad. Congressman Mitchell contended further that he was barred from the dining and observation cars.

Drawing Room Not Available  
The commission found that the assignment of a drawing room in the Pullman car would have been compliance with the segregation

# THE ROAD TO RECOVERY



Jefferson High school and other educational centers in Southern California.

### Suitcase Theatre Open

NEW YORK, (ANP)—The Harlem Suitcase theatre presented Miss Mercedes Gilbert, prominent actress and author of the new novel, "Aunt Sarah's Wood on God," in the opening program of a series of Sunday afternoon presentations at the theatre, 317 W. 125th street.

law, but accepted the railroad's testimony that the drawing rooms in the car in which Congressman Mitchell was riding were occupied by white passengers at the time. The commission ruled also that in view of the small demand for Pullman accommodations by Negroes, the railroad could not be expected to provide separate Pullman accommodations for them.

With this part of the ruling Commissioner Eastman dissented, arguing that it was "necessary to provide some Pullman space, small though it may be, which will be reserved for the occupancy of colored passengers and which white passengers will not be permitted to occupy, and to provide means by which meals from the dining car may be served in such space."

## Hold 48th Annual Meet

TUSKEGEE INSTITUTE, Ala.—(ANP)—A record attendance of leading Negro farmers and small landowners throughout the South is expected here on Dec. 14 to attend the 48th annual Farmers' conference which will feature a livestock show, exhibits and demonstrations and lectures by nationally known experts.

Director Otis stated that the conference committee, in cooperating with the Extension Service and Home Economics department, has mapped out one of the best programs in many years to disseminate first hand information and demonstrate improved practices in agriculture and home-making to visiting farm people.

The morning session will be devoted to a livestock show and a judging contest, as well as exhibits and demonstrations in mattress making, deworming pigs, vaccination for hog cholera, captioning, building a brooder, testing milk, erosion control, mixing fertilizers, treating sweet potatoes, pruning, insect control, beautification of home grounds, plant propagation, meat cutting and many other helpful phases of agriculture and homemaking.

"Balanced Farming for Greater Income and for Better Living" will be the conference theme, and visiting farmers will have an opportunity to see what their fellow workers, who have attended Farm and Home Week preceding the conference, have learned, as these farmers will take an active part in all exhibitions and demonstrations. They will also compete for honors in the livestock judging contest. Prizes will be awarded for this contest. The usual barbecue dinner will be served in the Alumni Bowl and music will be rendered by the Tuskegee Institute band.

### Denver Hotels Refuse To House L. Hughes

DENVER, (ANP)—Thirteen Denver hotels, the leading ones in the city, refused all requests of the Film and Book club's reception committee for accommodations for the noted writers, Langston Hughes and Arna Bon-temps, who visited Denver last week on their transcontinental lecture tour, en route to Los Angeles where they are to lecture at Hollywood High school,

### Man Who Said He Was Joe Louis' Father Dies

DETROIT, (ANP)—Monroe Barrow, reputed to be the father of Heavyweight Champion Joe Louis, died in Mobile, Alabama, Sunday, according to a message received here by Mrs. Lillie Barrow Brooks, the titleholder's mother. She said two of her older children would go there and try to identify the body.

3-4416 Phones 3-4417  
**J. A. Brucken Company**  
Store, Cafe and Fountain Equipment and Supplies Bought—Sold—Exchanged—TERMS  
First and Vine Streets Evansville, Ind.  
"We Appreciate Your Patronage"

## Most Sensational Give Away in Ages!!

A List of Household Articles At A Fraction Of Their Retail Value!



The Above Utensils are Chrome-Plated Outside and Stainless Steel On the Inside. "Just the Gifts for Xmas"  
Any of the Above Items May be Yours for Only One Carton Front From Any of the Mendenhall's Products and 99c in Cash

(One of Mendenhall's Products)  
See Our Premium Folder for Other Values Ranging From 10c to \$3.10  
GET ONE AT ANY DRUG STORE  
**Mendenhall Medicine Co.**  
EVANSVILLE, INDIANA

## Miss Bertha Black Is Forum Speaker In Louisville, Ky.

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—The Local Pan-Hellenic Council presented Pi Sigma Chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority assisted by Lambda Sigma Chapter of Frankfort, Ky., in its third Monthly Series of Forums at the Phyllis Wheatley Branch Y.W.C.A. on Sunday. Guest speaker was Bertha M. Black, grand basileus of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority of St. Louis, she was introduced by Soror Rosanna L. Davis. Soror Black spoke on the subject "Leadership that Leads". She discussed leadership that hinders as compared with that which helps. She used outstanding leaders of different races and those of her own to develop the subject. Miss Black clearly illustrated that her purpose was to prove that we have members of our own race who have possessed the necessary things to be real leaders and that we do have such leaders to-day. Soror Ethel Garner of Lambda Sigma sang a beautiful solo "My Desire."

Soror Black received flowers from Miss Maude Brown, president of the Louisville Branch of the College Women's Club; Iota Phi Lambda Sorority; local chapters of A.K.A., Zeta Phi Beta, and Pi Sigma Chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho.

A large reception followed the forum at the Y.W.C.A. Soror Black was the dinner guest of Soror Catherine Stiefel, basileus of Pi Sigma, and also Mr. and Mrs. W. H. O'Bannon, she was also guest at a party at the home of Professor and Mrs. C. Liggins, former classmate. She was presented a lovely gift at the affair. While in Louisville she was the house guest of Soror Mamie Morris.

### GERMANS BAN SWING AS UNFIT FOR NAZIS

BERLIN. — (ANP) — Swing music "may be fit for Negroes and Jews, but not for us Germans" declared Nazi leaders here Saturday in banning the torrid strains of jazz from Germany.

### The Perfect Gift For MOTHER IS AN ABC WASHER



\$54.95  
TERMS: \$1.95 Down and only 70c a Week  
**WILSON'S**  
15 N. Main, Call 2-7244

We Have A Complete Stock of Washer Parts and Repair All Makes of Washers

### MAKE JOAN'S YOUR XMAS GIFT HEADQUARTERS



Beautiful Gifts as Low as 50c up To \$7.95  
Every Pair Attractively GIFT WRAPPED at No Extra Cost!  
**JOAN'S HOSIERY SHOP**  
23 N.W. Fourth St.  
"Mail Orders Invited"

## Clarence Muse Introduces New Song

HOLLYWOOD, (ANP)—Clarence Muse, director of the Hall Johnson opus "Run Little Child," which is in its 18th sensational week and is booked to run until Dec. 31, introduced his latest song Saturday evening over the radio.

"Behind the Cabin Door" is the title of the new song which hit the air waves over KFI on the Claude Sweeten program, "Song Search". Muse is the composer of several songs including "Alley Way to My Dreams" and the hit song "Sleepy Time Down South" which was a collaboration of Le-on and Otis Rene and Muse.

## G. W. Horman, Officer of American Woodmen, Dies

AUSTIN, Tex., (By Kelly E. Bolden for ANP)—Funeral services were held here Sunday for G. W. Horman, supreme banker of the American Woodmen fraternal order and one of the founders of that organization.

## Howard Faculty Lauds Anti-Nazi Stand

WASHINGTON, D. C., (ANP)

—Member of the Howard University faculty, numbering more than 50, sent a telegram to President Roosevelt as a protest against the wave of anti-semitism now sweeping through the world.

Style Perfection FOR THE HOLIDAYS  
Holiday Charm With a Stylish Coiffure That is More Than Just "Up-swept"! Our Experts Mold Your Hair in Sculptured Beauty to Fit Right in With Holiday Gaiety and Charm  
NEW SWEEPSTAKE AND PAGE BOY COIFFURES  
**FIELD'S BEAUTY SHOPPE**  
462 S. ELLIOTT ST.  
Phone 2-9773 for Appointment Mrs. Beulah Fields

**SANTA SAYS:**  
See the Gigantic Gift Displays at **The CANAL Dept. Store**  
Corner Canal-Morton Phone: 2-9762  
All Kinds TOYS All Prices FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY  
SHOES All Styles \$1.98 All Types  
SHIRTS Genuine Fast 98c to \$1.49 Color Broadcloth  
DRESSES All The 98c to \$3.98 New Styles  
JACKETS \$1.59 to \$7.98  
SHOP HERE FIRST

MY GOODNESS IT COOKS EVERYTHING!  
BAKES  
BROILS • FRIES  
ROASTS • GRILLS • TOASTS  
SPECIAL White GIFT MODEL

The New Westinghouse AUTOMEAL ELECTRIC ROASTER  
Give extra hours of leisure—easier, more delicious meals—real cooking enjoyment the year around. This new cooking sensation is now offered for the first time in your choice of gleaming white, or the popular black and chrome model. It cooks everything to perfection—the clean, cool, timesaving, electrical way. Automatic—just set the dial. Here is truly the gift of gifts this year.  
Only \$29.90 COMPLETE with "Glesbake" Dish Set and Broiler-Grid  
Schears Dept. Store 4th & Locust  
Bawell Sales Co. 928 Main St.  
F. P. Straub & Co. 224 Main St.  
S.I.G. & E. Co. 2nd & Sycamore  
Montoux Auto & Machine Co. Wabash & Franklin  
Evansville Electric Service Co. 226 Main  
F. A. Heyden Howe 5th & Sycamore  
Fox Cut Rate Drug 322 Main St.  
SOLD ON EASY TEAMS!  
Westinghouse Electric Supply Company  
201 N.W. FIRD ST. WHOLESALE DISTRIBUTORS  
EVERY HOUSE NEEDS WESTINGHOUSE

Order Your Xmas Candies Early  
Don't wait! Give us your orders now—especially the mail orders... Choose from many assortments—and do it at once :: :: ::  
**Hermann's**  
Christmas Candies Chocolates, Novelties and Hard Candies

See The NEW 1939  
**ZENITH**  
LONG DISTANCE RADIO With AUTOMATIC TUNING  
Priced At Only \$19.95  
EASY TERMS  
**BRUCKEN RADIO CORP.**  
18 S. E. Sixth St. Ph. 3-3501

**Kraft's Pharmacy** LINCOLN AND GOVERNOR Phone 3-0016  
GET RID OF THAT COLD! USE THE LAXATIVE COLD TABLET For Head and Chest Colds (Guaranteed) Multiple Action  
1. Laxative - 2. Reduces Fever 2. Alkalinizing - 4. Relieves Pain 10c Dozen  
We Have A Complete Line of XMAS GREETINGS (Individually Styled) XMAS SEALS XMAS WRAPPINGS

WE ARE FEATURING Toys, Decorations and Gifts for Xmas  
Visit Our Store Today! — We Haul at Reasonable Prices!  
**ROBERTS FURNITURE CO.**  
251 LINCOLN AVENUE PHONE: 3-2955

S's SAVED ARE S's MADE, WHEN YOU TRADE AT **STECKLER'S MARKET** CANAL and LINCOLN Phone: 2-9243  
MEATS Emge's, 1 lb. Chili Roll, 21c Neck Bones, Fresh 2 lbs., 15c Tender Beef Roast, lb. 18c Young Beef Liver, lb. 20c Steamed Hog Maults, 2 lbs. 15c  
GROCERIES 24 lb. Flour 42c Fresh Roasted Coffee, lb. 10c Peanut Butter, 2 lb. Jar, 25c Clean Quick, 5 lbs. Chips 33c Jello, All Flavors 5c  
We Deliver SPECIAL Leather Palm Work Gloves, 43c pair Choice Selection of Xmas Candies, Fruits and Nuts

# Ky. Battles Fla. For National Grid Honors

## Fox Outpoints Al Gainer

NEW YORK—Crafty, durable, 38-year-old Tiger Jack Fox outpointed Al Gainer for the right to meet M. Bettina for the N. Y. State 175-pound crown Tuesday before 10,040 fans. He was wide open, but showed speed and enough left and right hooks to win clearly. He weighed 174-1/2 to Gainer's 171, and got seven rounds to Gainer's four in the fifteen round swat fest.

## Women Twins Celebrate Their 75th Birthday

LOS ANGELES, (ANP)—Wednesday marked the 75th milestone of two active lives when Mrs. Euphemia Patterson, 75, and her twin sister, Mrs. Edwina Smith, celebrated their birthday anniversary.

## COACH



T. M. Cheeks, head basketball coach at Lincoln High School since 1929. Mr. Cheeks has been successful in building good teams each year and his teams for the nine year period have won 91 games and lost 40. Percentage of 69.5. With the return of such stellar players as Turpin, Bronson, Culver, Woolridge, Coates, Kerby and Butler, Coach Cheeks hopes to have a strong team for the coming season. Cheeks is also assistant football coach.

## ARMSTRONG LOOKS FOR NEW WORLDS TO RULE

NEW YORK, (ANP)—Homicide Henry Armstrong before whom all men are equal, this week looked for new worlds to conquer after administering a 15 round beating in Madison Square garden Friday night to Ceferino Garcia so severe that the No. 1 welterweight challenger announced afterward that henceforth he would campaign only among middleweights.

The amazing little double champion is scheduled to meet Al Manfredo in Cleveland Monday night in a welter bout, and arrangements are being made to match Armstrong with Lou Ambers, from whom he won the lightweight title, next January. But nowhere on either the lightweight or welterweight horizon does there loom a man able to defeat the St. Louisian.

A crowd of 15,275 paid nearly \$80,000 to see Armstrong keep his unbroken string of victories. Armstrong, at 134, gave away 13 pounds in weight, two inches in height and a corresponding margin in reach. He was up against the heaviest hitter he had ever met, a fighter with the hardest punch of any 147 pounder in the game, but except in the sixth, 12th and 10th rounds, the smaller man was completely master of the situation. Even in those periods when Garcia hammered him with his Sunday punch, the champion never went down nor did he for more than a moment cease his tireless, almost superhuman pace.

It was Armstrong's unbelievable stamina, the ability to work every round at top speed and throw punches like a machine that retained the title. He never gave Garcia a moment's rest, rushing and boring in every moment, bobbing and weaving from side to side. The Filipino was puzzled. He had never before been thrown on his own with a thing like this, and doesn't intend to again since there is little chance of Henry gaining the middleweight crown.

## Raises \$40,125.25 in Cape Fear Conference

LAGRANGE, N. C., (ANP)—At the close of the 27th session of the Cape Fear A.M.E. Zion conference held at LaGrange, the report showed that Bishop John Wesley Wood had raised \$40,125.25, much to the delight of 2,000 persons who filled the church to hear the reading of the appointments. Rev. Richard A. G. Foster read the report of monies raised.

One reason why there are more good people than wicked may be because it is such a job to be consistently wicked.

## LINCOLN TRIPS CAIRO, 13-0

Coach Ned Niles' Lincoln Lions salvaged a triumph in their final game of the season by ripping Cairo, Ill., 13-0, yesterday morning on the Lincoln gridiron. Two passes accounted for the touchdowns.

Wimsatt set up the first scoring opportunity in the initial period, scampering 65 yards from his own five yard stripe. Banks cleared right end for 20 more yards when Bronson passed to Wimsatt for the marker.

A 50 yard scoring toss brought the second tally. Barret threw 20 yards to Bronson, who lugged the leather 30 more yards across the final line. Barret plunged for the extra point.

Lincoln out-downed its foe eight to three and completed four of seven passes. Cairo was able to connect but once in five tries.

Lineups and summary:

| LINCOLN (13)            | CAIRO (0) |
|-------------------------|-----------|
| Culver — LE — Dixon     |           |
| Jones — LT — Roberts    |           |
| Hargrove — LG — Winters |           |
| Keel — Center — Miller  |           |
| Alston — RG — Rogers    |           |
| Catlett — RT — Bell     |           |
| Fisher — RE — Hightower |           |
| Bronson — QB — Dunlop   |           |
| Tyler — LH — Clark      |           |
| Wimsatt — RH — Harris   |           |
| Banks — FB — Lewis      |           |

Score by quarters:  
LINCOLN 6 7 0 0—13  
CAIRO 0 0 0 0—0

Scoring: touchdowns — Wimsatt, Bronson; point after touchdown — Barret.

Officials: referee—Wilson; umpire—Meade; head linesman — Roberts; field judge — Cooke.

## WHAT EVERY GIRL SHOULD LEARN

- To sew.
- To cook.
- To mend.
- To be gentle.
- To value time.
- To dress neatly.
- To keep a secret.
- To avoid idleness.
- To be self-reliant.
- To darn stockings.
- To tend the baby.
- To respect old age.
- To make good bread.
- To control her temper.
- To keep a house tidy.
- To be above gossiping.
- To take plenty exercise.
- To make a home happy.
- To take care of the sick.
- To humor a cross old man.
- To marry a man for worth.
- To be a helpmate to a husband.
- To see a mouse without screaming.
- To read some books besides novels.
- To be light-hearted and fleet-footed.
- To wear shoes that will not cramp the feet.
- To be a womanly woman under all circumstances.

Kewpie Daisy Hollamon,  
1317 Blair Avenue,  
St. Louis, Mo.

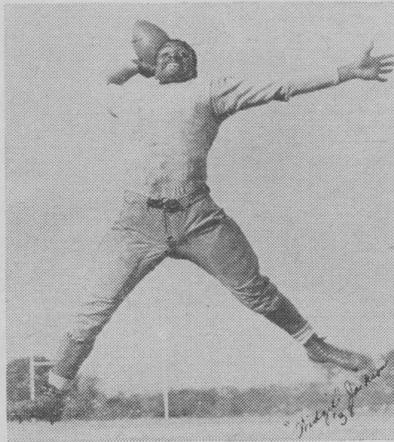
## Calvin's Newspaper Service TESTED RECIPE

By Frances Lee Barton  
ONE of the easiest guest suppers to serve, when you are trying to combine the roles of cook and hostess, is a single plate meal of cold cuts flanked by a salad. Your choice of a salad will make all the difference in the world to the appeal of your supper plate.

Here is a refreshing tangy salad—a perfect supper partner for cold meat. Flanked by a plate of hot biscuits and a dessert of cake and coffee, you'll have a meal your guests will enjoy, and one which can be prepared well ahead of their arrival.

**Cranberry and Orange Salad**  
1 package orange-flavored gelatin; 1 1/2 cups hot water; 1 medium orange, unpeeled and seeded; 2 cups raw cranberries; 3 tablespoons sugar.  
Dissolve gelatin in hot water. Chill until slightly thickened. Put orange and cranberries through food chopper; add sugar. Pour into slightly thickened gelatin. Turn into individual molds. Chill until firm. Unmold on crisp lettuce serve with mayonnaise. Serves 6.

## Draws Praise From Big Sport Writers



“WIDGIE” JACKSON, who has been playing a bang up game for the Big Blues of Tennessee State in Nashville, has drawn praise from some of our foremost sport writers for his stellar playing during the season. Tenn. State lost only one game, to Lincoln University at Jefferson City, Mo.

## E. ST. LOUIS DOINGS

### SOCIAL BREVITIES

Mrs. Elsie Haley Gordon, an Eighth Grade Teacher in the Garrison School, Fireworks Station, celebrated Thanksgiving with an annual party for fifty of her pupils and former pupils who are now in high school. After games and dancing, refreshments were served. Mrs. Gordon is a famous concert singer and is a member of the Treble Clef Club.

Charles B. Washington, poet, preacher and embalmer of Alton, Ill., is enlarging his activities. In addition to his funeral parlors at Alton, Ill., he has accepted the pastorate of the Gregg Mission A. M. E. Church at 1407 Wilford street in this city.

After enjoying the film “White Banners” starring Fay Bainter and Claude Rains, we heartily recommend it to the entire family as a wholesome, clean picture, and predict that it may win the Academy Award.

Gardenias to Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, wife of the President of these United States, Franklin D. Roosevelt, for the wonderful stand she is taking in behalf of the anti-lynching measure.

For distinctive Christmas cards, calendars, personal cards and stationery see Paula Lewis. She has what you want.

### AMONG OUR CONTEMPORARIES

In Henry W. Wheeler's column, “Missing Pages From History” appearing in a recent edition of the St. Louis Argus he gives a summary of the famous (?) Dred Scott decision which will be of interest to every student of American History, and the Pittsburg Courier columnist, P. L. Prattis, who writes “The Horizon” gives a brilliant summary of the conditions of Jews vs. Negroes under the caption “Let Us Rejoice and Keep Our Powder Dry” that will be interesting to all sepians.

Our desk is overflowing with letters from all over the country complaining of the incessant and unnecessary repetitions of the word “Negro” on the weekly “Wings Over Jordan” programs. Really, everyone knows it is a program by and for Negroes so broadcasters please take notice.

Earl Morris of Hollywood whose mailing address is 2510 South Center avenue, Los Angeles, Calif., says the Negro Writers Bureau, 2510 South Center avenue, Room 218, Los Angeles, Calif., will read, revise and advise concerning stories and plays for the stage, radio and screen for a small fee. This is a wonderful outlet for colored talent as this agency deals direct with movie producers and publishers who purchase suitable material.

On Sunday evening, November 27, William Garner, Henry Monroe, Earl Garson were invited to attend a grand social at the beautiful and spacious home of Martha and Josephine Collier of Fireworks Station. A delightful evening was spent.

A new discovery was made in the Lincoln High School auditorium Wednesday, November 23, as one Douglas Mosley, thrilled the audience with his golden voice, singing “Good Night Sweetheart.”

## Rattlers and Virginia Only Unbeaten Major '11s' of '38

### Trojans Can Claim Title if the Bellmen Are Defeated by the Thorobreds

By R. A. JACKSON (Secty. N.N.N.A.A.)  
“Good to the last drop,” to take the trade mark of a famous old breakfast brew to describe it. Such has been this “free for all” (but Florida) 1938 football season, which at the very brink of the regular season saw:  
Morgan's seven-year skyscraper of wins stopped at No. 54 with the Virginia State Trojans doing the varsity drag to a rousing 15-0 tune for the C.I.A.A. title and the inevitable turn in the lane for Coach Hurt's tenacious Bears;  
Langston bounced out of the so-select undefeated class by Xavier's explosive Gold Rush in the detonation of which the flying heels of big Paxton shot 19 yards to cross the Gaylemen's goal to seal doom to another hope.

Virginia Staters with their moleskins stowed away and safe out of the slippery going with only the scanty of a tie by Bluefield, can now sit back in a grand-stand seat and watch the fun. And should Florida lose they will be the only undefeated eleven; or if the Rattlers are tied they will claim equal rights to the mythical honors. Virginia is also in hopes of meeting Florida in the Peach Bowl classic in Atlanta.

In the Western Conference, the championship issue still remains to be settled this Saturday. Langston can win the diadem by the (mere?) feat of taking a victory out of the camp of the Arkansas Lions who are still growling over their second lickin' of the season at LeMoyné last Saturday. Southern will be battling against the shell shocked pigskin vets at Texas College to win and share honors if Langston loses or ties.

Xavier's Gold Rush claiming the title of the Notre Dame of Negro football, and living up to it will split its squad into two teams Saturday and send one to Florida to play the Edward Waters' Little Florida Conference Champs and keep the other at home to entertain Knoxville.—Strange people, those Rulers.

Many other interesting games marked the Thanksgiving regular season windup. Tennessee had to hustle mightily to whip Ox Clemmons' little Lane Giants, 2-0, on a safety; Texas reverted to form and beat Wiley, 7-2; J. C. Smith Bulls defeated Livingstone Blue Bears, 20-0 for the 12th straight year in this classic which was the first Negro College football game to be played in the United States many years ago; Alabama State completed the humiliation of the grand old man of football, Cleve Abbott and his once proud Tuskegee Tigers by handing them their fifth setback in eight games; Morris Brown kept its streak up since it's lone loss to Florida by trouncing Clark; Howard gave solace to its supporters in the recent threat to oust Bison football by a satisfying duking of its favorite enemy, Lincoln; Wilberforce and W. Virginia State continued their “goose-egg” series.

### LINCOLN PARK RECREATION

The Lincoln Park Recreation Center is putting over a program of interest and attendance is holding up in spite of the weather.  
The Girls Dramatic Club presented its play “Geraldine's Inspiration” with great success Wednesday night. Miss Clark is their instructor. On November 24 the Excelsiors and the Lincoln Park All-Star Football teams fought a very strenuous battle each trying to break through the line of the other, ending with a score of 0-0.

On Tuesday night, Nov. 29, John Tillman tried out two of the boxers from Lincoln Park Center, Lynn Nelson and Edward Holmes. The bouts were held at the Knights of Columbus Buildings.  
The girls Art and Craft class had an entertaining performance at their Thanksgiving party. A short play was enacted by the junior girls, Miss W. Ferguson is their instructor.  
A checker match was held to determine the ranking checker players of the Lincoln Park Checker Club. Felson Quarrels rated No. 1 player as a result of his history over Clem Ballard. Other players' ratings are: William Howard, 10; Otis Whorton, 7; Thomas Ward, 10; Frank King, 7; Lum Paxton, 10 and Thomas Neal, 3.

The Orchestras dancing class, art and craft class and the girl's Dramatic Club had a lovely time entertaining their friends at their pre-Thanksgiving party November 23.  
E. Cushman, Supt.; Bill Martin, Helen Faulkner and Mildred Davis, reporters.

### LINCOLN SCHOOL NEWS

William Garner, Reporter  
JAMES WELDON JOHNSON Literary Society: The Society held its regular meeting Nov. 23 and was opened by the president, Harrison Hudson. The roll was called by the secretary, Helen Wren. This society, under the leadership of Miss H. Taylor, is progressing very rapidly.  
MUSIC  
The A'Capella Choir is practicing for its appearance in Champlain, Ill. The program is to be broadcast over a national

FOR HOLIDAY VALUES ENTERTAINING

QUALITY LIQUORS AT POPULAR PRICES!  
Each Package of Liquor Wrapped in Individual Special Holiday Wrapper of Our Own Design  
**PAT'S LIQUOR STORE**  
At The Point Of Canal & Walnut Sts.

BY All Means The Place of Entertainment That is Tops  
EVERY EVENING Is One of Real Pleasure.  
ENJOYABLE Recreation For The Entire party.  
REALLY OUR Sandwiches, Chili And Plate Lunches Are The Town Talk.  
Liquors—Wines—Gin Rum—Cocktails

Lincoln Top Room  
“Buds”

LOOK YOUR BEST  
This Xmas  
We Specialize in Cleaning and Blocking Hats  
Best in Quality!  
Best in Service!

Superior Cleaning Puts New Life in Old Clothes  
Our Exclusive Methods Achieve Results That You Wouldn't Believe Possible!  
**SUPERIOR HAT WORKS**  
405 LINCOLN AVE.  
ROBERT ANGLIN, Mgr.

GOOD THE YEAR 'ROUND

Since 1853—a year 'round high quality good beer.

— Distributed By —  
**F. W. COOK CO.**  
EVANSVILLE, IND.

A RARE OPPORTUNITY  
To Acquire The Finest Of FURS At After-Christmas Prices  
Reductions Are Extreme in Every Instance

**FUR COATS \$39 AND UP**  
Convenient Terms If You Wish  
Weingarten's  
EXCLUSIVE FURRIERS 212 MAIN STREET

From Now 'Til Christmas—Be Wise  
SHOP AT  
**WEISS URMA MARKET**  
LINCOLN AVENUE  
Your Family Store That Has The Best at Prices and Values That Will Save You Money for Xmas

# Pre-Holiday Festivities

The town is all agog over the approaching festival season and the elites are turning en masse at the pre-holiday functions. Grace's bridge party last Tuesday is the talk of all Derbyville. Her home was attractively decorated with carnations and chrysanthemums which made everything look mighty "prettie"—her mother assisted her in making everyone comfortable—the ice

course was truly de berries—the color scheme of pink and pea green was predominant. Buena Vista Bell, Hallye Tidrington and Robt. Arnett's madam were the lucky prize winners. Among those seen making merry were: Margaret Talafero, Christine Meade, Eva M. Cash, Dick Bean's better half, Hallye Tidrington, Lena George, Bessie Walls, Mammie Hastie, Bessie King, Pauline Cheeks, Agnes Mann, Lillian Mitchell, Patience Tyler, Mabel Holley, Vera Morpin, Ethel Trigg, Blance Rickman, Fannie Snow, Margaret Sanford, Eva Hassell, Alouise Jaxon, Grayce Cox, and Luther Robert's bass. Grace spent the holidays in Chi visiting her bro.—Packey.

When I promised to cover the water front once out on life's rugged sea, I had no idea that I would have to cover so many entertainments, but I do like it a bit—"Doc", Dendy's madam proved to be quite a charming hostess at the Women's Club House Monday evening when she entertained at bridge. Helen Best—Sallye Stewart, P. J. Miller's better half, Blance Rickman, Hallye Tidrington, Alouise Jaxon, Christine Meade, Georgie Wms. "Dick" Cole and Luther Roberts, madams were also there and Bessie King and "Chris" Meade were the prize winners. "Clif" Mann stole the spotlight at the Monday Niteers fling at Robert Arnett's home, "Clif" won first prize at bridge. The University Men's Club met at Lincoln Wednesday noon, Rev. M. R. Dixon and members of the Sr. Choir report a very enjoyable Sunday spent in Owensboro, last week 23 persons made the trip. Mrs. Eliza Olgesby and mother, Mrs. Givens of Corydon, Ky., were entertained by the John Hoopers Sunday. Mrs. Hooper is also the daughter of Mrs. Givens. The Dr. Dendys entertained the Rev. Dixons Turkey Day with a dinner.

## Illinois Legislators Meet to Pool Strength

CHICAGO, (ANP)—Republican State Representatives-elect, winners at the November 8 election, met at Hotel LaSalle Monday to block a reported Democratic scheme to steal control of the House. The new solons, 22 in number, four of them colored, pledged themselves to go into the Republican caucus on Jan. 3 of next year and support the candidate for speaker and the other house officers chosen in that caucus. Colored Representatives elect and their districts are Charles J. Jenkins, 3rd; William P. Warfield, 5th; A. Andrew Torrence, 3rd, and Earnest A. Greene 1st.

A pint of Miller's Ice Cream makes a delicious dessert.

## Derbyville

I do believe that I am getting to be a jitterbug—here 'tis 10:45 p.m. Monday and my entire body is rocking in rhythm while I'm listening to the great Cab beating out his weekly jive—all I need is one of those new ten gallon door wide hats with the 2 ft. feather—10 in. bottom trousers half way up my legs, long sweeping 42 in. dress coat—and high white stiff collar—then I would be "hipped"—but I guess I'll have to say taboo to this as I know I would be a bit too uncomfortable in an attire like this what about you Din?

Was over to James Jordan's apartment Sunday at the Heart Club meeting—Ray Lambert, the 3 time winner was there along with Claude Warren, a newcomer to the Club—"Ben" Richard Rowe was trounced something awful—Cecil Anglin acts as host next Sunday.

Charming Martha Roney has returned after spending the holidays in Naptown with relatives. Wedding Bells at Xmas time or when?

Since L has been pasted to the Graveyard shift in the Coral Room L is seen around quite a bit now, do hope I'm not telling what I should keep.

Eleanor Porter, Theasa Marshall, Cille Roberts, "Rus" and "Cris" Roberts spent Turkey Day hunting in Pleasant Hill, Ky. They bagged only frost bitten toes, ears and hands, tho' 5 or more boxes of shells were used Oliver was in the city "promoting a private tea dance" at Castle Hall along with Sam and James.

Fairfield's "lil" bro. is in the limelight again, his seemingly smooth sailing romance with the very charming young Miss on E. Tenn. St.—has gone on the rocks. Is it permanent, Lorraine?

Rose Willingham's mother from Nashville, Tennessee, Mrs. Mollissa West, spent the holidays here, Mrs. West is a very pleasant person and gained quite a number of friends while here. Her other daughters are Luenda Franklin and Jimmie Snorton.

"Lil" Lord's big brother (in size) was in company with a very charming "fem" Sunday. Mentions she's Charley's ex-and native of Henderson.

"Cris" Roberts has returned home after spending the week end in Terre Haute, visiting his sister, Mrs. John L. Noble.

The 2 (La Fendrick) Helens on Walnut St., spent a few days in Madisonville visiting Helen Foster's mother, during the holidays. Helen Adams is up and able to be out after several week's illness.

"Bill" Brown, instructor in the public school system of Gary was in the City during the holidays visiting his dad and mother and friends. Saw the beautiful Jennie L. Bishop from Mt. Vernon here at the same time—we wonder if this was a coincidence?

Hazel and Alfred entertained the William Hendricks of Ontario and Chicago last week. Hazel and Mrs. Hendrickson were girl chums. The Hendricks were producers of the "Harlem Rhapsodies," First Class Musical revue that played the Majestic Theater last week. The show was strictly first rate—it is on its way to the coast of Sunny California.

The beautiful home of Musetta Bias on Gum St., was the scene of the meeting of the De-Luxe Girl's Bridge Club last week. Bridge was the diversion of the evening with guest prize going to Majorie Jackson and club prize to Rena Warfield after which a lovely luncheon was served. Guests included: Lucille David, Margaret Talafero, Agnes Mann, Thelma Rochelle and Marjorie Jackson.

Say "Chris" what happened to your "fil" Chinese doll? Don't see you so frequently together. Elmer what about that playger on your face? Who is the author?

Can't for the life of me understand why we persist in calling ourselves "Negroes"—does sound so ugly. At a recent political rally, a sepi speaker continued to say black men and women and Negroes yet on the same program, o-fays were saying Colored men and women. Yet, let one of us be dubbed N—er by an o-fay and we'll

## THOSE CHARMING GRAVIS OCTO MEMBERS



These charming young ladies representing Evansville's social center, have formed a social club, Gravis Octo, which is rapidly becoming the city's most popular organization far as social activities are concerned. The club meets every Friday evening at the various homes of the members where they enjoy bridge, pokeno and other games. The young ladies are planning a formal prom for the coming holidays.

Seated left to right:—Wilma Arnett, Bertie Gracey, Estelle Arnett, Vera L. Shane. Standing left to right:—Mary E. Banks, Virginia Higgins, May Della Gracey, Lydia Shane.

The club was entertained by Miss Mary E. Banks last Friday at her home on Canal Street.

**For The Most Timely Gift Suggestions At Prices To Suit Your Purse — Visit —**  
Bill's Toyland at Second and Main, Stanley Clothing Co., Main St., Clothes boys and men. Joan's Hosiery Shop, 4th St. For Lingerie, Hose Mendenhall Medicine Co. 1st. St. For cooking utensils Canal Dep't Store, Morton, Walnut, Canal, Garments for entire family Wilson's on Main. A.B.C. Washer for Mother's Xmas Weingarten's Fur Shop. For her fur coat, Evansville Luggage Shop Luggage, purses, umbrellas Pearl's and Pats, for liquors, wines, gin Feltman and Curme 5th and Main shoes hose and all other Argus advertisers.

Homer Drug Co. & Kraft's Pharmacy has a complete line of gifts for the entire family, including toilet articles, candy, etc.

For your Christmas Decorations go to the Roberts Furniture Co.

Enter the amateur contest today.  
Give to the Xmas Cheer Fund today.  
Visit the Lincoln Shoe Shop today.  
Visit the Royal Theater today.  
Do your Xmas Shopping today.  
Read your Evansville Argus today.

## Tuskegee Teachers Attend National English Teachers Conv.

Among the nearly two thousand teachers of English in high schools and colleges in attendance at the National Council of Teachers of English in session at Hotel Jefferson last week were Mrs. B. B. Walcott and H. P. Jenkins of Tuskegee Institute, Alabama. Both are instructors in the Department of English, Mr. Jenkins being

raise H—. Yet Negro and N—er are so close.

The beautiful home of the Russell Davids on E. Gum St., was the scene of pre-holiday activity this week when bridge was played and refreshments served. The Leland Grizzards are threeing it now a Holiday Stark did the job—7½ lb. boy.

"Lil" Tommy Gantt broke his leg while playing football some time ago, all of his playmates and friends—visit him on Belmeade.

Clara Parks of Terre Haute, was the house guest of Arthur Bias' madam on E. Gum during the holidays.

See You Next—  
Optic

head of that department in the college.

Tuskegee, under the leadership of Mrs. Walcott, who is also director of publicity at Tuskegee, is one among the colleges doing special work in English along the line of progressive education... that of English composition, which is scientific, despite its experimental stage... which seeks to improve the English of the students and enable them to write clearly and simply what they think and to express themselves accurately when writing or speaking.

Discussing the importance of the proper use of English she said in part:

"Many of our students are studying trades and agriculture and most of them are not particularly interested in English. But we are trying to teach them how essential it is to their progress.

"Some of them are going out to address meetings, hold conferences and write reports, but whether they be builders or agriculturists they will need English to properly carry on their work.

"The teaching of the proper use of English is more difficult in our schools than it is in the white schools because of the background of our children, many of whom come from 'Big Swamp' or 'Little Egypt'."

Both teachers were favorably impressed with the three day conference and returned to Tuskegee much benefited for having attended.

## Eject Negroes From G.O.P. Victory Ball

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 2. — (ANP)—Fourteen young Negro couples were unceremoniously ejected from the G.O.P. victory ball sponsored by the Young Republican Club of Polk County, Iowa, Inc., held at the Tromar ballroom in Des Moines last week.

The 14 couples included some of the outstanding young Negroes of the state, among them the son of the president of the N. A. A. C. P., Fred Morrow, Jr., and the state chairman of the Young Negro G. O. P. Club, Freddie Hawkins of Des Moines. These couples were specifically invited to the victory ball and given invitations by order of the county, district and state chairmen of the Young Republican Club of which all 14 were members.

While several of the couples were dancing, the matron, who is under the supervision of the police department, approached them and tapped the girls on the shoulder, telling them Negroes were not permitted to dance on the dance floor and for them to get off. When the dancers inquired the reason for this order, the matron replied that the order came from Mr. Tom Archer, Jewish owner of the Tromar, and she could do nothing about it.

Use The Evansville Argus for your Xmas Shopping Guide—Patronize the Advertisers and Mention the paper

**BIG BINGO PARTY ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL TUE, DEC. 6 MANY PRIZES**

The New Zenith Radio now being offered by Brucken Radio Corp. makes an ideal Xmas gift for the family—Easy terms.

## French Negro Colonials Demand Equal Rights

PARIS, (ANP)—Native leaders, representing the various colonies of the French Empire met here last Saturday with the intention of drawing up a petition to the French government asking equal treatment with whites and greater voice in administration of their respective governments. A native African presided at the opening session. Although delegates declare they are neither Communists nor extremists one of their demands is for amnesty for political leaders now in prison. Another is for a free native press and dull trade union rights. The leaders declare the time is ripe to press their demands and insist on being received either by the Colonial Minister or by the Premier in person to present their petition.

## A WORD TO THE "FEMS"

"Sonny" Wharton  
In order to become a perfect hostess, one must be familiar with the names and formulas of the most popular drink. There is no better way to do this than through the median of a regulation book of drink recipes, so get one today. With constant study of a book of this sort, one becomes competent, thereby saving embarrassment.

Here are several rules laid down by Geraldine York, eminent drinking authority and for your convenience I pass them on to you.  
Jot Them Down—They may prove useful.  
1. Understand exactly what you're drinking.  
2. Steer clear of wrong mixtures.  
3. Drink slowly.  
4. Fight shy of wrong drinking companions.  
5. Drink on a full "tummy".  
6. Practice saying, "Not another drop, thank you." (and meaning it).

Say these rules over each time that you hoist that dimpled elbow. If you consider this as being sound advice—clip it out and paste in your scrapbook for future reference.  
Until 15 days ere Xmas, I remain,  
Your Sonny

The Weingarten Fur Shop is having a pre-Xmas sale on fur coats. \$39.00 up.

**CHOICE WINES, LIQUORS, GINS**  
Done Up in Attractive Gift Wrapping at Reasonable Prices  
WHETHER FOR GIFTS OR PARTY, WE HAVE IT  
**Pearl's Liquor Store**  
209 JOHN'S STREET  
Courteous, Dependable, Satisfaction Guaranteed

**Holiday Entertaining Calls For Fine Liquor From Every Angle A Great Whiskey**  
**OLD LOG CABIN**  
STRAIGHT BOURBON WHISKEY  
2 YEARS OLD 90 PROOF  
Distilled and Bottled by National Distillers Products Corporation

**A "TIMELY" STANLEY SPECIAL**  
Over 1500 All Wool Fall and Winter SUITS  
What A Scoop! What Values! What A Break For You Men at . . .  
**\$10 \$15 \$18**  
EXTRA PANTS ONLY \$2.50 EXTRA PANTS ONLY \$3.50 EXTRA PANTS ONLY \$3.75  
Newest Styles . . . Single and Double Breasted . . . Plain and Sport Backs Season's Most Desirable Fabrics . . . All Sturdy Fine All Wool Fabrics!  
**SIZES 33 to 50**  
Use Our Lay Away Plan  
NECESSARY ALTERATIONS FREE  
**STANLEY QUALITY CLOTHES**

**DANCE**  
  
**Sun. Nite, Dec. 4**  
At The Beautiful **Rainbow Garden Clubhouse**  
**Princeton CCC Orch.**  
Sandwiches—10c—Drinks Dancing from 9:30 'til the Wee  
Hours — Notice: First 15 Couples FREE  
ADM.: COUPLES, 60c

**JOE'S LINCOLN GRILL**  
For An Evening of Lively Entertainment—IT'S JOE'S  
For Beers, Wines, Liquors, Rum, Gin, Cocktails—  
IT'S JOE'S  
Sandwiches, Chili, Plate Lunch

**ROYAL THEATRE** CANAL AND WALNUT  
10c To All Until 6 P.M. — Phone: 3-0093  
NEW SHOW TIME—Matinees Every Day—Show Starting 1 P. M. — Continuous Until 11 P. M. 10 CENTS TO ALL UNTIL 6 P.M. EVERY DAY EXCEPT SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS  
Pictures for the Week of December 3rd  
**SATURDAY Only — DECEMBER 3**  
**SUDDEN BILL DORN** with Buck JONES & Evelyn BRENT also MARCH OF TIME and Cartoon  
**SUNDAY-MONDAY — DECEMBER 4-5**  
**ONE WILD NIGHT** with June LANG, Dick BALDWIN, Lyle TALBOT also Selected Shorts and News Show Starts 1 p.m. — 10c to all till 6 p.m.  
**TUESDAY Only — DECEMBER 6**  
**THANKS FOR LISTENING** with PINKY TOMLIN and MARCH OF TIME and Fiction  
**WEDNESDAY-THURS. — DEC 7, 8**  
**WE'RE GOING TO BE RICH** with Gracie Fields, V. McLaglen, Brian Donlevy also Chapt. 6 "FLASH GORDON'S THRIP TO MARS", News  
**FRIDAY Only — DECEMBER 9**  
**FIGHTING TEXAN** with KERMIT MAYNARD also Chapter No. 1 New Serial "PAINTED STALLION" with Hoot Gibson and Ray Corrigan (Plenty of Good Western Action) also Cartoon

# ATTEND SOME CHURCH EACH SUNDAY!

ALL NEWS FOR THESE COLUMNS  
MUST BE IN OFFICE BY MONDAY

*"Unto thee will I cry, O Lord my rock; be not silent to me: lest if thou be silent to me, I become like them that go down into the pit." Psalms 28:1*

**TAYLOR CHAPEL**  
Rev. John Tate, pastor, announces the coming of Rev. Robert Hatchett, noted preacher, who will address the Willing Workers' Club Sunday, Dec. 4, 3 p.m. Mrs. Tate will have charge of the musical program. Revs. W. M. Harris and Rob't. Hatchett worshipped with us last Sunday.

**ST. JAMES CHURCH**  
Rev. W. M. Moore will occupy the pulpit at the morning services. Rev. Frank Edwards delivered a forceful sermon at the evening services. A business meeting was held Friday evening.

**LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
There will be an all church singing contest here Monday Dec. 5 with prizes offered to the winners. Choirs representing churches of the city will participate. The public is invited to this musical

feast and the admission price is 10c.

Mrs. Mary Jordan of 5th Street is confined to the Deaconess Hospital. She is much better at this writing.

**INDEPENDENCE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Mrs. Janet Mitchell, Miss Lula Jennings, and Mrs. Nora Derring are in charge of arrangements for the "Old Kentucky Sojourn"—which includes a long comfortable ride to Providence, Ky., in a large roomy private bus equipped with all conveniences for a pleasant trip. The bus will leave the church at 12:30 Sunday Dec. 11.

**GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Below is the slate offered by the nominating committee of the Men's Voters Assembly:—Elder: Dr. H. Smith Dulin, Wm. Marshall; Trustees: Alvin Adecock, Albert Cash, Jas. Davis, James Morris; Chrm.: Geo. Shaw, Robert Moody; Sec'y:—Elmer Marshall, F. L. Jackson. Building Fund Treas.—Geo. Warren, E. David. Recording Sec'y:—Leonard Tyler, Arthur Waddy. Auditing Comm.—Geo. Shaw, F. L. Jackson, Arthur Waddy, Elmer Marshall.

The election will take place Mon. Dec. 5, 8 p.m. Get your Christmas seals from Mrs. Orphan Woods and Mrs. Mayme Porter. Get your Christmas cards from Mrs. Edith Cash or one of the ladies.

Sunday December 11th will be Stewardship Sunday; Watch next Sunday's Bulletin for further particulars.

**BAPTIST MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE**  
This organization met Monday

## GIVES A STIRRING THANKSGIVING SERMON

### Gives Praise For The Blessing Of Group

NEW ORLEANS—(ANP)—In an interesting and informative sermon delivered here on Thanksgiving Day at Gilbert Academy, the Rev. Henderson H. Dunn, widely known clergyman, told of progress made the past year by Negroes in economic, social and educational lines. His text was as follows: "Praise ye the Lord. O, give

thanks unto the Lord for He is good: for His mercy endureth forever."

His sermon, in part, was as follows: "The 14,000,000 Negroes of America are deeply grateful on this Thanksgiving Day for the steady progress made during the year against adverse circumstances in economic, social and educational fields. . . . Despite the recession, the Negroes of this country have manifested that they possess the spirit of stability and progress. . . .

Nov. 28 at 301 E. Sycamore. All ministers present reported successful services on the Sunday previous. Rev. H. Robinson delivered a very forceful message, enjoyed by all and Rev. J. M. Caldwell had charge of the Sunday School lesson. Rev. N. T. Talley and Rev. G. W. Cole, Alt. will have charge of the meeting Dec. 5th.

Rev. G. E. Johnson, Mod.; Rev. D. C. Weaver, Sec'y.

**MT OLIVE GALILEE CHURCH**  
Our pastor, Rev. Ben. Jones, is conducting a revival which closes Sunday Dec. 4. Everyone is invited to be present at our final services Sunday evening, Mrs. Ora McNeal, reporter.

## Gives Views On Negro of Present Day

CHICAGO, (ANP)—Interviewed during his recent visit here to attend the 16th annual conference of presidents of Land-Grant colleges, held at Univ. of Chicago's International House, President F. D. Patterson of Tuskegee institute aired his views on a diversity of subjects affecting the moral, economic and political status of the Negro.

Basing his conclusions on his experience gained by personal contact with thousands of persons in all walks of life, the noted advocate of vocational training found much both to praise and to criticize.

He declared: "Our young men and women of today are receiving more education than their fathers and mothers, but it is doubtful if this education is practical in terms of preparation for useful living, as that received by their parents.

**Need Guidance**  
"I think they are a fine lot, sadly in need of proper guidance. All young people expect too much, but this is not confined to them. I do not think they are too impatient with restrictions imposed because of race. Failing to understand their heritage, it is but natural that these restrictions should seem unfair and nonsensical. In general, I believe that the reactions of youth are normal, but they will have to be guided and changed as they encounter reality.

"The communistic flare among Negro youth is as true of other youth and evidence of the reaction to economic and racial frustration. It is not a menace insofar as it evidences maladjustment. Normal expression will see its decline. As to indigent Negroes, it is my belief that the Negro will constitute a disproportionate share of the relief load for some time to come. It is felt and hoped, however, that we are moving in the direction of improvement in this regard."

Referring to farming as a career, Dr. Patterson said, "At Tuskegee we teach agriculture. A few graduates return to farming, and more would if the capital needed were available. We advise those who are able to return to the farms because we believe that an intelligent farmer can succeed.

"Again, some of our students are qualified tradesmen. Their opportunities in this field depend somewhat on the trade and much on the individual. I believe the tendency of some Negro students to disdain careers as artisans or dirt farmers is unfortunate in view of the appalling lack of opportunity today in other fields."

## Evangelist Journalist



Rev. D. C. WEAVER

Rev. D. C. Weaver, 706 Sycamore Street, noted evangelist and journalist, is the oldest race minister in the city, in point of service, now in his 45th year of actual participation of ecclesiastical work. He is corresponding secretary of the Mt. Olive Ohio Dist. Ass'n. and the Baptist Ministerial Alliance and church page editor for the Evansville Argus. Rev. Weaver expects to hold religious and educational services at 836 E. Sycamore St., in the very near future.

## Kentuckian Named Head Of Shaw House in Boston

BOSTON, Dec. (ANP)—Morris R. Taylor, well-known in settlement and social service circles throughout the country and a native of Louisville, has been named head worker at this city's famed Robert Gould Shaw house, it was announced this week by officials. He will assume his duties on Jan. 1, 1939.

Lack of money is also the root of all evil that isn't due to love of it.

## Ex-Slave, 105, Rates F.D.R. After Lincoln

NATCHEZ, Miss., (ANP)—"Uncle Jimmy Lucas, 105, an ex-slave who fought in the Union army under General Grant, says he thinks Abraham Lincoln is the greatest of presidents, and Franklin D. Roosevelt comes second.

## Teacher And Negro Mate, Get Suspended Sentences

NEW YORK, Dec. (ANP)—A white school teacher and her colored husband, who attempted a sit-down strike in the board of education building last Tuesday were given suspended sentences on disorderly conduct charges in night court Thursday night.

Mrs. Ruth Partin, 28, and her husband, James, 25, told the court they had entered the building to enter a complaint about lack of heat in classrooms when they were arrested. The building closed at 5 p.m. and they had refused to leave.

You never heard of the comedy stage or in vaudeville as good German-English brogue as Herman Bing's in the movies.

**C & B Coal Company**  
825 CANAL STREET PHONE 2-8553  
Our Delivery Service is Prompt, Whether You Order 10 or 100 Bushels. Buy Your Coal Now!

**ICE CREAM**  
FOR Your Sunday Dessert  
Climax Your Sunday Dinner With A Saucer Of Ice Cream  
SPECIAL: Ice Cream PIES ONLY \$1.00  
Millers Ice Cream, Inc.  
512 Locust St. — Phone: 2-1166

**BUY YOUR COAL NOW and Save!**

**COAL CALL 6184**

PRICES WILL BE HIGHER SO BUY NOW  
Ind. No. 5 BEST Grades CLEAN Coal

|                             |                 |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| 25 BU. 4 inch CLEAN LUMP    | \$3.50          |
| 25 BU. 4x2 CLEAN NUT        | 3.00            |
| 25 BU. Mine Run MOSTLY LUMP | 3.00            |
| 25 BU. GOOD Pea and Slack   | 1.75            |
| 10 BU. LUMP \$1.70          | 1.60            |
| 15 BU. LUMP 2.40            | 15 BU. Nut 2.25 |

**ECONOMY COAL CO.**  
CALL 6184 Fast Service 1105 COVERT AV.

**BURN DEEP VEIN COAL IT IS A PREMIUM COAL**  
(Union-Mined) — Mined and Sold by  
**DEEP VEIN COAL CO.**  
100 E. WALNUT ST. PHONE 3-0181

FOR SATISFACTORY SERVICE and HONEST WEIGHT, USE  
**KORFF'S KLEAN COAL**  
**KORFF COAL CO.**  
508 S.E. 8th Street Phone: 2-4011

**HERE IS SOME GOOD XMAS CHEER!**

**SHOP AT Bentley's**  
For Your Xmas Gifts  
No Money Down  
Use Our Xmas Lay Away Plan  
Gifts for Every Member in The Family  
Just Say "Charge It"  
Clothes for The Family  
Easy Credit Terms  
**BENTLEY'S**  
311 MAIN ST.

**It's CHRISTMAS in**

**Bill's TOYLAND**

16 M.M. MOVIE PROJECTOR \$1.29  
ELECTRIC AUTOS \$4.98 AND UP  
CHILD'S ROCKER \$1.98  
Ranger Cowboy Suits AS LOW AS 98¢  
GENUINE TAYLOR TOTS \$2.87  
KIDDIES' DOLL CABS \$1.98  
ERECTORS \$1.17  
DIAL TYPEWRITER \$1.17  
MOTOR TRANSPORT \$94¢  
Super De Luxe VELOCIPED \$8.98  
TABLE and CHAIR SETS \$5.98  
CHILD'S DESK and CHAIR \$10.98

**BUY YOUR BICYCLE AT BILL'S**  
You get extra value features in the new Peerless De Luxe Bicycles.  
• Morrow Coaster Brakes  
• Motorcycle Type Fenders  
• Big Balloon Tires  
• Troxel Saddle  
A Reg. \$30.00 Value  
**\$23.97**  
Bill's Bike Headquarters

**SIDEWALK BIKE**  
A swell sidewalk bike for the youngsters who are just learning to ride. Beautiful enamel finish with solid rubber tires. A very special value.  
Boys or Girls **\$8.98**

**ALL STEEL WAGON**  
Be sure to see this splendid wagon. Bright red finish.  
**\$1.98** Rubber Tires

**SCOOTERS**  
Rubber-Tired 98¢  
As Low As 98¢

**TOT BIKE**  
A snappy, streamlined bike for the little tot. Made of heavy gauge metal, built for safety.  
Bright Red and Cream Finish **99¢**

**BUY YOUR TOYS ON TERMS**  
**LAND OF TOYS**  
2nd & MAIN  
Free Parking for Bill's Customers—at Tatum's  
R. L. AMOS, Manager

The Evansville Argus

Published every Friday at 6678 ELLIOTT ST. EVANSVILLE, IND.—Phone 3-2955.

JULIUS W. HOLDER Owner and publisher

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

- T. M. Cheeks
W. E. Best
Raymond King
A. H. Wilson
Mrs. L. A. George

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

Table with subscription rates: ONE YEAR \$2.00, SIX MONTHS \$1.25, THREE MONTHS 65c, SINGLE COPY 5c.

Advertising Rates Will Be Furnished On Request. All News Matter for the Evansville Argus Must Be in Our Office By Tuesday Noon In Order To Appear in The Ensuing Edition.

- THE ARGUS PLATFORM FOR 1938
1. NEGRO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
2. MORE NEGRO BUSINESS ENTERPRISES
3. NEW COMMUNITY CENTER BUILDING
4. MAYOR FOR BERRYVILLE
5. ELIMINATION OF THE CLANNISH SPIRIT
6. A FAIR DEAL FOR ALL

THE ARGUS

The Argus is carried to every section of Evansville and its adjoining territory. We have several boys and girls who will be very happy to deliver the Argus to your homes every week.

The Argus will always serve as the voice for the people. Will always present true facts in a clean and wholesome manner. READ THE ARGUS. Tell your friends about it and patronize our advertisers.

HUMAN WELFARE CONFERENCE IN ALABAMA (REPRINT FROM THE ST. LOUIS ARGUS)

Being among those who sat on the sidelines and watched from a distance the maneuverings in the first Southern Conference on Human Welfare which was held in Birmingham, Alabama during the past week, we observed the proceedings with a deal of interest.

Highly interesting was the appearance on the program of what might be called the "big three" in governmental affairs: namely: Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, wife of the President; the Honorable Hugo L. Black, associate justice of the United States Supreme Court and Aubrey Williams, executive director of the National Youth Administration and assistant administrator of the WPA.

It so happened that just prior to Aubrey Williams' speech the conference had undergone a "shake up" in that the police of Birmingham enforcing a city ordinance had forced the segregation of white and colored delegates and visitors to the conference.

In receiving a medal as "an exemplar of Jeffersonian ideas" Justice Black said, "May I accept this as a symbol confided to me for the many Southerners who stand with Jefferson in the belief that good governments give first importance to promoting the welfare and happiness of human beings—all human beings—by assuring equal justice to all and special privileges to none."

Interesting as were the statements of Mrs. Roosevelt, Justice Black and Aubrey Williams one cannot overlook the importance of the speeches, coming, as it were, from the rank and file, which included factory workers and sharecroppers.

A resolution calling for the freedom of the remaining five Scottsboro boys was adopted and another resolution was passed deploring the mistreatment of Negro delegates to this conference as the result of an ordinance which compels the separation of white and colored at public gatherings.

MISSING PAGES FROM HISTORY

By HENRY WINFIELD WHEELER

The Specter of Market Street

"Is this Market street?" This question was asked one Sunday morning last July by a young woman as she emerged from the Union Station at the 18th street entrance.

A broad street wending its way westward from Twelfth boulevard has replaced a narrow street of cobblestones decorated with ramshackle buildings.

Long years ago the slave stood on the steps of the Old Court House on Market street and sighed as his body was sold to the highest bidder, but freemen have sold their souls on this old street whose ghost the writer is about to resurrect.

Thirty-five years ago the sun of vice, frolic and fun shone brightly upon Market street. Of course the radiance of its beams glowed in many other parts of St. Louis also. The Mound City colored folk were known far and wide for the nimbleness of their feet in dancing.

Grant's instructors were Jesse Johnson, Sonny Nelson, Maurice and Andrew Grant. The dancing was clean and beautiful. The Waltz Lancers with its grace, poise and rhythm was a thrill even to a spectator, and anyone who has seen Ed Ivory, Al Hall and Eugene White, tall and light of feet, do the New Parisian, the Military Lancers, the Spanish Cavotte and the St. Louis Two Step with their partners, remember the joy of just watching them dance.

The writer's article of June 10 entitled, "Sycopation" told of the rag-time piano players and coon shouters of that day, but there was a class of trained musicians who were members of the great orchestras of that day.

A. No—not unless the company agrees to it. Ordinarily the company will repossess the furniture, sell it, give you credit for the sale price, and hold you liable for the balance due it after it is sold.

Woman Gets Term In Triangle Slaying

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., (ANP)—Last week, following a trial of two days, a jury in Knox county Criminal court returned a verdict of guilty of second-degree murder in the case of Mrs. Dorothy Hester, comely 23-year-old mother of three children, charged with killing Melvin Swaggerty, railway mail clerk, on July 20.

Atty. Porter relied on a plea of temporary insanity, wherein he offered many witnesses to show that the brutal treatment to which she had been subjected by Swaggerty during the two years she had been his common-law wife, caused her to "crack up" and kill both him and his woman companion, Mrs. Ruth Tinsley.

LEGAL HINTS

ATTY. S. R. REDMOND

Q. I have been in Missouri three months and want to get a divorce because my husband has been away five years. Will I have to go to court?

A. A person must live in Missouri a year before he will be able to get a divorce in this state. Desertion for a year is a ground for divorce but you must wait until you have been here a year.

It is necessary for you to go to court and testify before a divorce will be granted.

Q. My furniture has not been paid for and the company wants me to let its driver get it. Will that cancel the unpaid balance I owe?

A. No—not unless the company agrees to it. Ordinarily the company will repossess the furniture, sell it, give you credit for the sale price, and hold you liable for the balance due it after it is sold.

Q. My wages were garnished and I was not given any previous notice of the claim. What can I do?

A. Before a garnishment can be run the person must have a judgment. If you will think the matter over carefully you will recall, perhaps, when you were sued, if you are the head of a family you can claim an exemption of all but 10 per cent of your wages.

Hitler Loans to Haiti San Domingo Worry U.S.

WASHINGTON, (ANP)—Franklin D. Roosevelt is deeply concerned at the unpublicized negotiation of loans by Herr Hitler to San Domingo and the Haitian republic. These dark peopled nations, lying under the protective wing of Uncle Sam, are supposed to refrain from financial entanglements with foreign powers.

The loans—\$1,500,000 to San Domingo and \$750,000 to Haiti—are not very large, yet the very thought of Nazi penetration has created considerable uneasiness in the nation's capitol.

Johnson and J. C. Lucky were fine dance masters and everything was "wide open" at Lucky's every night. Of course there were occasional raids by the police on Sunday nights for violation of the Sunday closing law, but it was merely gesture and soon the cry was "On with the dance!"

Bill Lee's or "Boots" dive on the levee was without equal for crime. It could be compared with Jim Canan's in Memphis. Loafers were forbidden by law to go to sleep at these saloons so Canan stretched a rope and men could pay a nickel to lean across it. As long as they patted their feet they were not supposed to be asleep.

Some of the old time saloons on Market street were Hall's, Tom Turpin's, Jerry Renfro's, Ollie Jackson's, the Modern Horseshoe Club, Stark's, who barred policemen from his place after an officer was killed there; Dick Kent's place and Jim Ray's saloon. Jim Ray was a two gun man who was feared by the underworld, and even the policemen on the beat hesitated to challenge him.

A brutal murder of those bygone pioneer days was the killing of Billy Lyons by Stackolee about a Stetson hat. Billy pleaded for his life, telling of his wife and three children, but Stackolee "shot him like a dog."

This, then, is the specter of Market street which might be refreshing to old timers and history to many. An unbiased comparison of yesterday and today gives youth a better rating.

SINGING CONTEST Under the Auspices of UNITED MISSIONARY BAPTIST BROTHERHOOD AT Liberty Baptist Church Monday Night, Dec. 5

LEGAL HINTS ATTY. S. R. REDMOND Q. I have been in Missouri three months and want to get a divorce because my husband has been away five years.

GIVE LUGGAGE THIS CHRISTMAS Here You Will Find the Most Complete Assortment of Both Men's and Ladies' Luggage at Prices That Will Fit Any Budget

TO OPEN HOUSE DECEMBER 3-10 AT THE LINCOLN SHOE SHOP 603 S.E. Elliott St.

Hitler Loans to Haiti San Domingo Worry U.S. WASHINGTON, (ANP)—Franklin D. Roosevelt is deeply concerned at the unpublicized negotiation of loans by Herr Hitler to San Domingo and the Haitian republic.

Just In For Christmas! GIFTS For Dad, Brother Boy Friend: Socks, House Slippers, Shoes

FELTMAN & CURME 500 MAIN ST. \$199 to \$300

30 SUCCESS STORIES TELL HOW COLORED CELEBRITIES CLIMBED TO THE TOP "Tops," New Magazine, Reveals Amazing Inside Stories

LOVEJOY, ILL. Rev. D. Jones, National Evangelist, preached at the Antioch Baptist Church at 8:00 p. m.

GET YOUR CAR READY FOR WINTER New and USED U.S. TIRES Geo. A. Theyson 14 N. Main St. PHONE: 5249

TO OPEN HOUSE DECEMBER 3-10 AT THE LINCOLN SHOE SHOP 603 S.E. Elliott St. ● Newly Decorated Interior ● Modern Comfortable Seats ● New Signs ● New Counters ● New Lighting Effects

The Savingest Gift you've ever made! Certified records from 102 Home Proving Kitchens show average food savings of \$9.10 a month; ice cubes frozen in 56 minutes; shopping trips cut in half; amazingly low-cost operation, average only 4/5 KWH daily... for 10 HOURS OUT OF 12 IT USES NO CURRENT AT ALL!

SOUTHERN WHITES DEMAND REMOVAL OF JIM CROW BIRMINGHAM, (ANP) A group of conscientious Southern whites made history last Tuesday when the Southern Conference for Human Welfare, in session here, condemned segregation of white and colored delegates.

SUNDAY MENU Celery, Vegetable Soup, Fried Chicken, Hot Rolls, Fresh Green Peas, Mashed Potatoes, Candied Sweetens, Greens, Hearts of Lettuce Salad, Apple Cobbler, Peach Cobbler, Jell-o, Coffee, Tea, Milk LOUISE'S TEA ROOM 234 Canal

Solve Your Christmas Problems With Home Furnishing Gifts Curtains Draperies Bed Spreads We Also Have A Complete Line of Bed Springs, Mattresses, Bakelite, Soft Rugs Call 2-2658 A. G. Duncan and Son

SANTA SAYS: HORNER DRUG COMPANY SIXTH AND OAK STREETS Is One of My Gift Headquarters — They Have A Complete Line of Drugs and Liquors at The Lowest Prices Free Delivery—Prescriptions Called for and Delivered 3-0101 — Phones — 3-0004