

OCCUPATIONAL QUESTIONNAIRES TO BE SENT OUT

Occupational questionnaires to obtain information on civilian skills of registrants of the first and second registrations who have not been inducted or enlisted in the armed forces will be mailed by Selective Service local boards not later than May 27, National Headquarters, Selective Service System, announced today.

who registered on February 16 in the third registration.

Pointing out that the handling of the occupational questionnaires for men of the first and second registrations will be entirely separate from that of registrants of the third registration, National Headquarters said that the mailing would be from the Classification Record (Form 106 in each local board office and not from the List of Registrants (Form 3). This procedure is to be followed because many of the registrants

of the first and second registrations have already been inducted or have enlisted in the armed forces, it was said.

Furthermore, National Headquarters pointed out, the local boards will add to the questionnaires when they are returned by the registrants the current local board classification of each registrant and whatever information is available pertaining to his physical examination.

When the occupational questionnaires are returned to the local boards they will be checked for completeness and accuracy and divided into the various sections of which they are composed. One section will be sent to the Bureau of the Census, Washington, D. C., for the attention of the Population Division. Another section will be relayed to the proper United States Employment Office in the area in which the local board has jurisdiction.

A MESSAGE TO GALLOWAY

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The Mother's Day Breakfast, sponsored by the Junior Stewards Board, at the Bethel A. M. E. Church, 2428 Franklin Street, apparently, was quite a success.

America shall give to the colored people equality of opportunity in every relation of life.

If we do this and hold America to her duty here, dark peoples everywhere will take courage and join us in our fight against BRUTAL-TARIANISM, which dominates the policies of Germany and Japan.

To this idealism, to this cause, we call all men and women of every race and creed.

Remember, last week, C. C. I mentioned something about a ninety-seven year old person? Well, one of your readers hailed me during the week to tell me not only of another ninety-seven year old person but he also gave me a real human-interest story. The reader's name is Richard Turner, 3018 Burdette Street, and the story is that in his house lives four generations and each male member is named Richard Turner. The oldest is an ex-slave—the ninety seven year old member. His son, same name, is 53. His grandson, same name, is 25, and the great-grandson, same name, is 5 years old. Can you beat that for a human-interest family story?

Also, last week, I mentioned something about some man being on one job for thirty-five years. During the week I got acquainted with Mrs. Ruby E. Eldridge, of Maple Street (and more prominently known in connection with the Sgt. Graham case) and she voluntarily told me that her husband Wm. Eldridge, has been on one job with the Union Pacific Railway for thirty-five years. Is that the same man I spoke of last week, C. C.? At first I thought Mrs. Eldridge had the relationship wrong for she, herself, didn't look like she was thirty-five years old, and at first I thought she meant her father.

By the way, C. C. what was the outcome of the Sgt. Graham case? I heard "Judge" Pinkett saying something about the case but I didn't get the actual facts. If you learn them print them in another column, C. C.

I spoke of Miss Mandarin Jones, 3028 Burdette Street, last week. She stopped me Saturday to tell me that her father successfully underwent an operation that day.

Did you know that Mrs. Willa Gray, 2620 Decatur Street, who works at the Pullman Hotel, has been suffering from arthritis?

And Mrs. Julia A. Smith, 2410 Decatur Street, one of the colored women workers at the Cudahy Plant is now enjoying her two weeks vacation.

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they perish will depend upon the vigor with which we strike back at them and their savage hordes.

The dark peoples of the semi-free countries must work with all lovers of liberty; all professors of liberty, until all countries which would destroy the freedom of all are beaten and crushed, so that never again will they seek to destroy mankind.

In order to do this, we must remember it is our duty to serve here in our own country by insisting that

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To be sure, the Guide has made mistakes, as all agencies run by human beings must, but on the whole it seeks to build rather than destroy. If it must criticize this cause or that, it does so for the common good, hoping always that right shall triumph over wrong.

THANKS Thanks for the many compliments received on our editorial last week on the NAACP. Everything we said about this organization was true. And of it, we shall speak, and speak again.

When our new Circulation Manager calls to see you, please give him a hearing. He is trying to learn how the Omaha Guide may better serve you. And if you will tell him where we have failed, he will make the wrongs right and the Guide and you will both be pleased.

THE RAILROADS AGAIN

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Rudolph Jones, 2415 S. Street, South Omaha, came all the way to the office, C. C. to get a copy of the Guide. Haven't you an agent in South Omaha, C. C.? Better get one there. Do you know anyone who wants to be an agent there? Have them communicate with the office.

Captain Jewell Rose, Omaha's colored fire inspector, was one of the prominent citizens I met during the week. Likewise police officer "Baby" Jones, of 2871 Binney Street.

That church, next to your plant, C. C. the Mt. Calvary Community Church, Rev. R. W. Johnson, pastor, has been undergoing extensive improvements during the week.

Mrs. Beatrice Gray, 2210 N. 27th Avenue, mother of your likable office secretary, Bernice Gray, just told me that the Rev. R. P. Tyler, organizer of the Cleaves C. M. E. Temple, just passed away in Kansas City. A lot of Omaha readers will regret to learn of this.

Every time I pass by 26th and Decatur I see the Elder Gilbert D. Benson, of the Church of God in Christ, 1710 North 25th Street, working away in his garden.

And speaking of gardens reminds me that one day while on Binney Street, I got acquainted with Mrs. Alberta Norman, 2873 Binney, mother of petite Aletha Norman, and she showed me her Victory Garden, as she called it, and also offered me some of the greens she was then cooking, which she plucked from her own garden. You know, C. C. Mrs. Norman has been a widow for three years, and why, I am

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unable to understand. But speaking of widows how come that pretty Beatrice McRae, 2624 Decatur Street, has remained a widow ever since 1933?

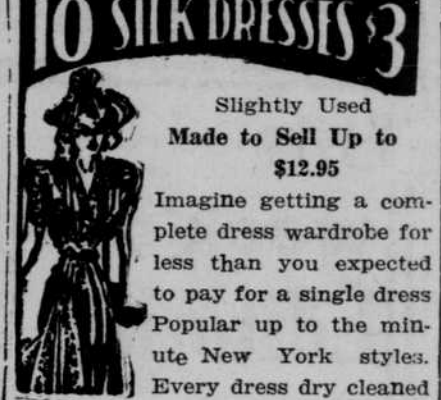
Another widow whom I met is the Evangelist Nancy Ann Thomas, 2881 Ohio Street, who, I understand, preaches on the streets and has been doing so for the past fifteen years.

Did you know, C. C. that Mrs. Florence Reeves, 2524 Patrick Avenue, was called to Moberly, Missouri, last week, because of the serious illness of her brother there?

I went to call on Mrs. Mae Crawford, 2230 Ohio Street, last week, and learned that she had died the

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