



Literary Column

It isn't far to Bethlehem town—
Just over the dusty roads adown,
Past Wise Men's well, still offer-
ing
Cool draughts from welcome
wayside spring;
Past shepherds with their flutes
of reed



**Veterans Edit
New Magazine**

NEW YORK— (ANP)—“Essence,” the fashion magazine for women, hit the stands here this week. The attractive publication has as its editor Bernard Knighten, former Dillard university graduate and ex-pilot of the 99th Fighter Squadron and associated with him are other veterans of merit.

This is the first sepia magazine to feature designs by and for ultra smart women including articles both humorous and clever.

Revisions will be made in the next issue in accord with the many contributions of merit from talented writers.

**Millikin is Puzzled
By Appointment**

Washington (AP)— A critic of fair employment practices legislation, Senator Millikin (Rep., Colo.), set to work Saturday to study the problem of racial and religious discrimination for the Republicans in the new Senate.

Associates reported Senator Millikin somewhat puzzled as to why the Republican Steering Committee handed him the assignment in view of his outspoken opposition to coercive FEPC legislation.

The most recent official Republican Party declaration on the subject was in the 1944 platform, which declared:

“We pledge the establishment by Federal legislation of a permanent Fair Employment Practice Commission.”

Senator Millikin plans to confine his work to a factual review of the whole legislative problem. It will be presented to the full Republican conference for study, along with the results of his research on the poll tax question.

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If you wish to be agreeable in society you must consent to be taught many things which you already know.

—Lavater

**Job Equality
Widely Backed**

Even in South, Majority
So Believes

By Dr. Henry C. Link

(NANA)—Eighty-four per cent of the Nation believes that giving Jews and Gentiles, Negroes and Whites, an equal chance at any job is good Americanism, according to a Psychological Barometer survey.

Men and women from coast to coast were asked:

“Jews and Gentiles, Negroes and Whites, all should have an equal chance at any job: Is that good Americanism or not?”

The answers were:

	Per Cent
Good Americanism	84
Bad Americanism	12
Don't know	4

Even by geographic area, the belief is much the same, although Southerners are not so strong in indorsing the idea of equal job opportunity. This is shown by the following:

	Per cent Per Cent	
	East	Midwest
Good Americanism	90	85
Bad Americanism	6	11
Don't know	4	4

	Per cent Per Cent	
	South	Far West
Good Americanism	69	88
Bad Americanism	24	9
Don't know	7	3

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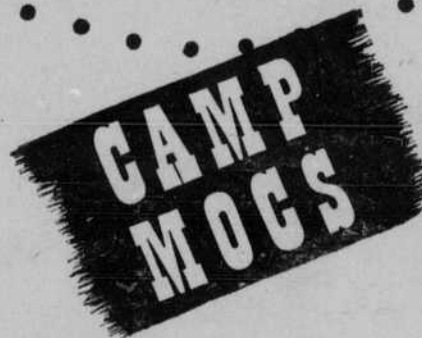
Juanita Hall, Creighton Thompson, Wilson Woodbeck and Helen Ferguson have been cast in the new musical version of Elmer Rice's “Street Scene.”

Leigh Whipper, cinema king and noted dramatic star, is dickering for another Broadway opus in a featured role.

Brilliant Percy Watkins sets for the Duke Ellington opera are on the ball and are executed with the same finesse as those done for other Broadway shows.

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