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3 o'clock Service

Rev. J. W. Goodwin, of Omaha, will preach at 3 P.M. Sunday, October 5, at Christ Temple, Church of Christ (Holiness).

Everybody is invited to be present.

Entertains

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Todd, 2267 Y, entertained at dinner Monday, Sept. 29. The following out of town guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Gardenshire of Salina, Kans., Mr. Gardenshire of Alma, Kans., Mrs. H. Jarrett of Topeka, Kans., Mrs. S. Wingo of San Antonio, Texas, and Mrs. Parks. Other guests shared honors.

Mother of Mrs. William Beach Taken by Death

Mrs. Camilla Simpson, 74, died Monday morning, September 29, at Clarinda, Ia., after an illness which lasted 40 years.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Wm. Beach of Lincoln, and husband, Mr. Wm. Simpson, who also lives here.

Funeral was held at Umbergers, Wednesday at 1 o'clock with burial in Wyuka.

Newman Methodist Church was the scene of a rather unique program Sunday evening, Sept. 28, with the Rev. G. W. Harper, pastor, in charge. The program consisted of a male chorus and several women voices that were acclaimed especially outstanding. The singers came in cars from Omaha in an effort to lend inspiration to the church. A near capacity audience attended.

COMING EVENTS

Hobby Show at the Lincoln Urban League, October 24 & 25

You'll want to display your antiques. Your treasured possessions will be **carefully guarded**. An individual booth will be prepared for you upon request. Call Mrs. Sarah Walker at the Urban League.

Nebraska City

Mr. Alonzo Adams, veteran of World War I, is reported gravely ill at his home in Nebraska City. He suffered a heart attack several weeks ago while working at Ashland.

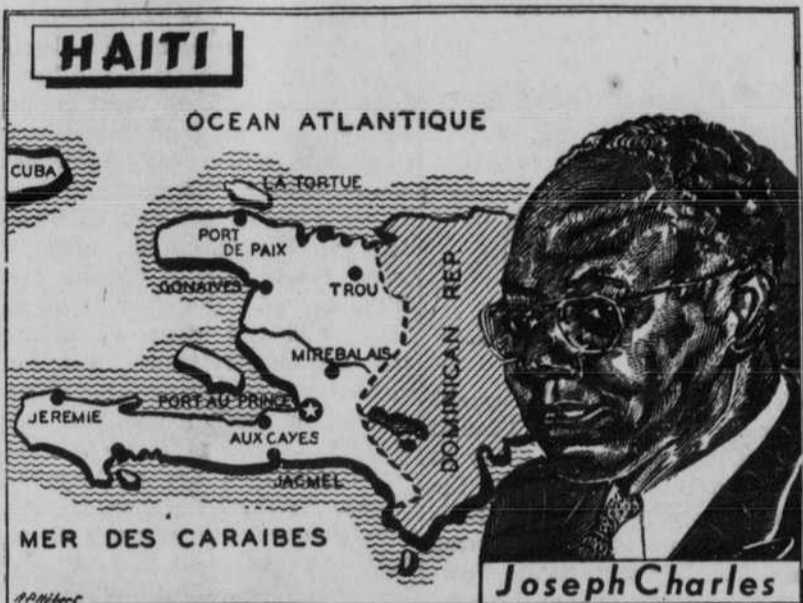
Joins Voice Staff

Mrs. Roberta Burch Molden has joined the staff of The Voice as Associate Editor.

Mrs. Molden attended the University of Nebraska and took a special course in business administration, was employed as secretary at the Lincoln Urban League having charge of the Urban League Bulletin for 5 years. She is active in religious, civic and social affairs of the community which also serves to qualify her for this position.

Mrs. Molden will also serve in the capacity as special reporter. You may call her for your news items. Phone 2-1407 or call at 1966 U Street. She will be glad to help you with any news problem.

U.N. Facts and Faces HAITI



Haiti, visited by Columbus on his first voyage of discovery in 1492, shares the Caribbean Island of Hispaniola with the Dominican Republic. In her early history a French colony, Haiti still retains the French language in a largely Spanish-speaking area. Her principal industries are agricultural and many important products are taken from her semi-tropical forests. Haiti's chief seaport is her capital, Port-au-Prince, on a west coast harbor. The Republic's permanent representative to the United Nations is her ambassador to the United States, Joseph D. Charles. Her flag has blue and red horizontal stripes, with the country's crest set against a white background in the center of the banner.

Courtesy of the Lincoln Farm and Home News—

Negroes Hard Hit In Delta Hurricane

New Orleans (ANP)—Estimates of the total death toll and destruction of property on the Atlantic coast and Mississippi from the hurricane area were far from complete over the weekend, but Louisiana crops sustained more than \$10,000,000 in damage while the shrimp canning plants at Bay St. Louis, Miss., town which was practically wiped from the face of the earth, suffered a \$6,000,000 damage. In these same sections hardest hit by the hurricane hundreds of residents were either dead, missing or injured including scores of Negroes.

The identified dead at Bay Minette, Ala., on Saturday included two Negroes, Mrs. Beatrice White, 40, and her six-year-old stepson, both of Bay St. Louis, Miss.

Waveland, Miss., a popular vacation village half way between New Orleans and Biloxi, was leveled to the ground during one of the worst wind storms ever witnessed in that section for years. Eyewitnesses to the vast destruction say the place is gone for 50 years. It will take six months, officials predict, before the shrimp plant can operate again at Bay St. Louis.

The fury of tropical storms and their deadly destructive power were vividly made convincing by the shambles left at Biloxi in the wake of the hurricane. The atomic bomb, though terribly destructive, is no match for nature in her fury and wild rampage such as struck last week.

Harlem Remembers LaGuardia As Friepd

New York (ANP)—The death of former Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia demonstrated, among other things, that Harlemites know their friends from their enemies.

LaGuardia had lived in Harlem for 11 years during the 3

Justice Hubert T. Delany, Paterns he served as mayor. role Commissioner Samuel J. Battle, Justice Jane Bolin and Special Sessions Judge Myles Paige were among the Harlemites appointed to top positions during the LaGuardia regime.

Hope R. Stevens, first Negro to meet LaGuardia when thousands of Harlemites rioted over the shooting of a soldier in the summer of 1940, called the former chief executive's death a tragedy of great magnitude.

"In the passing of LaGuardia, the militant young lawyer said, "America loses one of its most enlightened and courageous of statesmen; New York its most valuable present-day citizen. The Negro people have great reason to regret the untimely death of a champion of democracy who divorced his actions from considerations of race, creed, or color."

An estimated 15,000 Negroes viewed LaGuardia's body at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, including the former mayor's colored housekeeper and her assistant.

Jackie Makes Debut

The Dodgers' Jackie Robinson will make his radio debut on the "Big Break" program October 6, which will be right after the World Series. He was denied permission to make any public appearances away from the ball park during the regular season.

Alliance Boy Makes Good

Back from Alliance with several members of his Omaha Athletic Club boxing team, Coach Jess Baker had praise for Heavyw't Eugene Brown, who was stopped in the first round by James Motley . . . "Brown, despite his lack of experience, had Motley all but on the ropes in the first minute," Baker explained. "But he didn't get out of the way of Motley's body blows, and lost the bout. They should make a great rematch in the Golden Gloves this winter."

Spends Vacation in California

Mr. Joseph Burden, 840 No. 25, has recently returned from a ten days vacation in California, visiting his sisters, Mrs. Mary Burden Davis and Mrs. Alfred Pic-



kens. Mr. Burden reports a delightful trip and he is thrilled with the hospitality of the Californians. He told of numerous parties and social courtesies in which he was honored. He also brought greetings from former Lincolnites, Mrs. Flossie Patrick, Mrs. Mabel Galbreth, Mrs. Anna Ray and Mr. Lloyd Carter all well known former residents. Mr. Burden is especially attracted to the California climate, and has decided to make frequent visits.

Mr. Burden is a native Nebraskan and one of the oldest home-steaders in Saline County.

He is employed as a skilled mechanic with the Nebraska Public Power District in Lincoln, a position which he has held for over 30 years.

General Conference Seat Changed

The General Conference of the A. M. E. Church which was to have met at Los Angeles, Calif., has been changed to Kansas City, Kansas, to meet in May 1948, it was announced by Bishop Noah W. Williams.

