

Out of Town News

ALLIANCE

By Bea Motley.

Mrs. Ester Conrad and daughter, Shirley, of Broken Bow, Neb., were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Shores. Mrs. Conrad was enroute to Broken Bow after visiting her daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. James King of Denver, Colo.

James Motley has returned home from a recent trip to New York with a Chicago boxing team. James was the guest of his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Motley of Lincoln.

Miss Frances Jackson is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Kenneth Hampton of Denver, Colo., who is suffering from a broken ankle.

Mr. and Mrs. Benson of Crawford, Neb., were recent visitors in the city. They accompanied Mr. Jesse Ewing on a fishing trip.

Mrs. Hayes Chandler, Jr., sponsored an Easter program at the St. James A.M.E. Church. The program was very successful and well attended.

Sacha Gorodnitzki an internationally famous pianist of the New York Philharmonic-Symphony Orchestra, presented a concert sponsored by the Community Concert Association Saturday, March 27th.

Mills Lear and his alto saxophone, played with the Chadron Band that entertained for the Easter affair given by the V.F.W.'s at an Alliance Aviation hangar at the Alliance Air base. The music was very enjoyable.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nelson spent Easter visiting in Denver, Colo.

LOS ANGELES

By Mrs. Esther White Green

I went to join in the Easter parade with my new look. Central Ave., was full of bright and gay colors. And I'm sure all the churches were filled to standing room only.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Day last week. The baby has been named Edward the second. Mrs. Day, the former Mrs. Claudia White, has two other sons by her first marriage, Rickey and Ronney White.

The Business and Professional Girls Club is one of the swanky organizations here on the coast. Mrs. Charlotte Loving Wilson is a member. Just to join the fee is somewhere in the neighborhood of fifty dollars.

Mrs. Vernon L. Barnett, manager of Mecca apartment, entertained her bridge club last week.

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SMITH-TRUEHILL

In the home of Miss Edna E. Franklin, 1815 E. 109th Place, an aunt of Mrs. Truehill, Miss Rosalyn Beatrice Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Smith, formerly of Lincoln, Neb., recently became the bride of Mr. William S. Truehill of Oakland, Calif.

The bride wore a lovely drape dress of blue crepe trimmed in blue and red sequins, and carried a prayer book. She was given in marriage by her father.

Mrs. Esther W. Green served as her only attendant. Mr. Bernard S. Devezin of New Orleans, cousin of the bridegroom, acted as best man.

The marriage vows were read by Elder Hazel Whitfield of New York, who is visiting Mrs. Franklin.

Mr. Truehill is here studying to be a mortician. He served with the army in France during the war.

Mrs. Truehill is employed at the Hollywood Professional Building as an elevator operator. She is a graduate of Thomas Jefferson High School.

Roy Wilkins of NAACP Speaks to Representatives

Roy Wilkins, Assistant Secretary of the NAACP and editor of the Crisis magazine, addressed representatives of branches from various cities in Iowa, Nebraska and South Dakota. The meeting was a special one which was held at Central Y.W.C.A. in Des Moines, Iowa.

The following is a gist of his address to these officers:

Mr. Wilkins addressed a mass meeting of citizens at the Corinthian Baptist Church. His emphasis was upon civil rights. He said that the NAACP is concentrating upon the report of the President's committee on civil rights. The fight is against lynching, the white primary and for a national FEPC. To illustrate the beneficent effects of an FEPC he said that the New York state FEPC has caused Metropolitan Life Insurance Company to begin to hire Negro stenographers, agents and other professional help. Whereas before, they never even hired one Negro as a maid or janitor. They changed their policy before the law passed but it was obvious that they could foresee its passage.

REV. ROBERT L. MOODY, President of the Lincoln Branch of NAACP.

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HAROLD W. ALEXANDER.

Awarded Degree

Harold W. Alexander was awarded the master of arts degree by Iowa university on Jan. 1 and has passed the qualifying examinations for further studies leading to the degree of doctor of philosophy. Mrs. Alexander was graduated from Fort Valley State college June, 1942. He served as acting registrar of Fort Valley from Jan. 1, 1946 to Jan. 1, 1947.

Celebration for O. J. Burckhardt

Rev. O. J. Burckhardt of Omaha, will celebrate his 80th birthday here in Lincoln at Christ Temple Church of Christ, 2149 "U" Street, Sunday, April 11th, at 2:30 p. m.

The service is under the auspices of the Interracial Interdenominational Christian Alliance of which Rev. Burckhardt, Rev. T. T. McWilliams, Sr., and Mr. Riley Bell are the founders and organizers.

Rev. Trago McWilliams will deliver the message.

Rev. William Jurgensen, associate minister of the Christ Temple Church is chairman of the program.

All friends, co-workers and the public are invited to attend this service.

Kent U. Hires Negro Teacher

AKRON, Ohio. (ANP). Kent State university appointed its first full time Negro instructor last week when Oscar W. Ritchie of Massillon was chosen to serve in the sociology department of the school.

Ritchie earned his bachelor's degree in 1946 and masters in 1947 from Kent State college. He had previously done some practice teaching at Kent. He is married and has one son.

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Teen Age Chatter

By Dorothy Green

Greeting Gates:
So here we are again with another week of chatter I hope you like it.

Saturday, April 3rd was a night of gay festivity when the Omaha basketball team came down to play basketball with our own Urban League boys. The game was real good with the Omaha team winning 52-48, but the most interesting thing was the get together after the game. There were so many people there I could not count them all but I'm sure everyone had a nice time.

Say gang don't forget Joy Night to be presented at the Lincoln High school, April 15, 16 and 17. There are going to be some good acts in it.

A steady couple was at the basketball game they were none other than Betty Wilson and Richard Holcomb.

Miss Jackie Molden of Weeping Water, Nebraska was also at the game, we are glad to see her in Lincoln again.

We are sorry to hear that Ruby Harper will have to leave us in a week or two, but I know she will have a fine time in Independence, Mo., which is right out of Kansas City.

A double-foursome consisting of Lois Hatcher, Victory McWilliams, Phillis Holcomb, George Alexandra, Nellie Wilson, Johnnie Duncan, Betty Bowman, and Vern Wilson, took in a double show—the Stuart and the Varsity. "Hey Now."

Also taking in the Stuart were Betty and Nellie Wilson and Loretta McWilliams.

The Theater was the center of interest Sunday at the Varsity were Delores Bowen and Fletcher Bell—Jean Burns, Nolen Davis, Poochie Burns and Geraldine Nettles.

Susie White Hall and Bobbie Hutchenson were in the Varsity Sunday, also. There you go.

May—Is Madge still looking for her ideal man?

Kay—Good heavens, no! She's far too busy looking for a husband. (Now laugh).

We are glad to see Eddie Baugh in Lincoln again, as most of you know he is from Omaha.

Say what is going on between Froggy and Margo Knowles nowadays? From where I see it, it looks pretty good.

I see Marilyn Bowen has picked up a boy friend. What about that Marilyn, who is he?

Father: "Daughter, isn't that young man rather fast?"

Daughter: "Yes, but I don't think he will get away." (Joke son).

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