

### Social Briefs

By Dorothy Greene

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Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Tarp-ler, sr., were honored February 1st with a 30th wedding anniversary party given by their children Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Nance, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Tarp-ley and Mrs. Dorothy Dean. A buffet supper was served to the 30 persons who attended. Many lovely gifts were received by Mr. and Mrs. Tarp-ley.

The Rev. J. C. Wiggins of Minneapolis was the house guest of the McKinley Tarp-ley's on Wednesday, February 15th. Rev. Wiggins was a former pastor of the Church of God in Christ here.

Also recent visitors of the Tarp-ley's were Mrs. Tarp-ley's mother Mrs. Emma Beard and Mr. and Mrs. Everret Boston and Baby Bryon of Denver, Colo.

#### Wedding Bells

Miss Selvilla Finney, daughter of Mrs. Reba Finney became the bride of Dr. Price Terrell at 9 a. m. Saturday, February 25th in Council Bluffs, Iowa. Dr. Price is a successful Omaha dentist and Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Edwards had as their dinner guest Tuesday Mrs. Sarah Hunter of Lexington, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Colley and Mrs. Mary Shelby.

J. R. Lillard, counselor and replacement director of the Twin Cities Training school in Kansas City, Missouri, spent Wednesday in the city on business. While here he was guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Young.

Mrs. R. E. Handy of Omaha is spending some time with her mother in Bakersfield, Calif., Mrs. Handy is wife of Rev. R. E. Handy, former pastor of Quinn Chapel A. M. E. church.

Miss Clara Moody daughter of

Rev. and Mrs. Robert Moody has returned home after spending about 18 days in the Dr. Nichol's sanitorium in Savannah, Mo. She is reported doing very well.

Persons attended the Leadership Training School of Sunday School teachers and officers were Francis Lewis, Dorothy Greene, Betty Wilson and Charles Goolsby, all members of Quinn Chapel A. M. E. church. The Northside sessions were held from Sunday, February 26th thru Tuesday, February 28th.

Mrs. W. A. Leake, house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Coulter, left Monday for her home in Kansas City, Mo., after spending a most delightful visit. Among the many courtesies given for her were a dinner party by Mrs. Coulter, a 2 o'clock luncheon by Mrs. W. B. Davis, a dinner party by Mrs. William Beach, a picnic lunch, hostesses Mrs. John Robinson, Mrs. John Johnson and Mrs. Melvin Shakespears, and a party with co-hostesses, Mrs. Willie Page and Mrs. J. H. Dean.

Mrs. Leake who studied four years at the conservatory of music in Kansas City is a member of the Fellowship Interracial Choir.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson had as their dinner guest on Sunday, Mrs. Dovie Boyd.

**Happenings in the Churches**  
**CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**  
—A Weight Rally was given Sunday at 3 p. m. Mrs. McKinley Tarp-ley and Mrs. Charles Williams were in charge.

The Missionary had special services Sunday which was well attended. Mrs. Lenora Letcher spoke on "Why I Want to See Jesus."

**NEWMAN**—Many friends and members will be interested to know that the grand prize which was given by the pastor, February 12th, was won by Mrs. J. T. Bell, the mother of Mrs. Virginia Johnson.

**QUINN CHAPEL**—The Senior and Youth choirs are having a "Plantation Dinner" Friday March 3rd at the Urban League, beginning at 5 p. m. Get your tickets from any choir member.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Finley and daughters gave the church a beautiful set of Wearever cooking utensils.

### Teen Age Chatter

BY ELOISE FINLEY

Howdy!

Friday a bus journeyed to Omaha. The Streaks and Sharp-Sharks played basketball at Tech High School. Certain ones of the girls really stood behind the boys up there and if I must say myself they played a good game.

Sunday, Feb. 19th, the Klique Klub gave a tea at the home of Jeanne Malone. Each member invited a guest, they were: Martha Hammonds, Sand Della Follings, Loretta McWilliams, Hazel Wilson and Eloise Finley. They served tea, cookies, mints and peanuts. We had a wonderful time.

Everything was real quiet Monday. What is Hop-pon-ing?

Flash! We have a young lady here in Lincoln who will be our next basketball star. She is Betty Wilson. Keep it up, champ.

Feb. 22nd quite a few Teens were seen at the concert. The Stan Kenton concert of course. They said the music was real weird. Seen were Phyllis Holcomb, La Verne Farmer, Barbara Walter, John Foster, Robert Bates and Cleveland Marshall. That's great, gals and guys.

Thursday night the Sharp-Sharks finally decided to take some girls to the last game with them. They are as follows: Charles Campbell and Mary Lou Knowles; Jim Nance and Norma Dunn; Clifford Dunn and Lillian Daniels. They reported having a nice time.

See you next week,  
Eloise.

### Laymen's League Organized At Quinn Chapel

The Laymen's League, a lay sponsored and promoted movement of the A.M.E. church, was established at Quinn Chapel Thursday, Feb. 23. The organization has as its goal, expanding the church program.

Officers elected at the dinner meeting were Clayton P. Lewis, president; Mrs. Rubie W. Shakespeare, vice president; Mrs. Hazel Wilson, secretary, and Mrs. Camille Beach, treasurer. The group plans a dinner meeting and a business meet each month.

The new organization was authorized under the A.M.E. Discipline by J. J. Parks, Kansas City, Kas., conference president, and was temporarily chaired by Mrs. Shakespeare.

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Earliest New England houses were built of thick planks instead of logs as is generally believed.

honest FEPC with teeth in this Congress and the next.

The House passed McConnell bill as no enforcement powers for persons violating the fair employment practices act but rather provides for the creation of a FEP commission to make comprehensive studies of such discrimination. The five-man commission will then formulate comprehensive plans for the elimination of such discrimination, shall publish any information relating to such discrimination and ways and means for eliminating it.

### Jackie Robinson's Life Story Goes Into Production

Production of Jackie Robinson's life story was begun here last week. Ruby Dee of "Anna Lucasta" and "No Way Out" will play Mrs. Robinson. Louise Beavers will have an important role. Scores of atmosphere and bit people have parts.

On the side numerous professional baseball players, both colored and white, have been applying for jobs for teams to be shown.

One of the important jobs in casting this film is the selection of standins or double for the stars. William Washington, well built and about the same size as Jackie, will be his standin, and Doris Ake, attractive dancer, will double for Ruby Dee.

### Mo. Educator Serves As Consultant

DENVER, Colo. (ANP). D. F. Martinez, supervisor of public schools for Negro children in the Missouri State Department of Education, Jefferson City, served as resource consultant in leadership functions and techniques in school supervision for the fifth annual convention of the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development meeting here last week.

Over 1,200 of the nation's leading educators representing every state registered for the convention, the theme of which is "Mental Health for Better Living." Major work of the convention was carried on through a series of 35 discussion groups. Mr. Martinez served as consultant to one of these groups.

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the House voted for recommitment because (1) The McConnell FEPC is absolutely toothless; (2) It represents the victorious efforts of the Dixiecrats and Republicans to kill FEPC. (3) It takes the Republicans off the spot and will allow them to attempt to fool the people in their districts; (4) It sends to the Senate a bill which the most reactionary Republicans will be glad to vote for; (5) It will allow the Senate to invoke a phony cloture and thus test the Wherry rule; and (6) It is a fraud, a sham, and a hypocrisy. And finally they pledged themselves to continue to fight for an

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