

### SOUTH OMAHA NEWS NOTES

Little Christobell Marion, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Marion, S. 28 St., is ill. Saturday she will undergo a tonsillectomy.

Miss Viola Williams will go to the University hospital on Saturday to undergo a tonsillectomy.

Mr. Annie Graham is indisposed.

Mr. Dewey Morrow reports that he again was successful in bagging the limit of game. That is what comes of being a splendid marksman.

Mr. Fred Tolles, R St., continues to improve.

Mr. W. D. Day, 25 and Z Sts., is on the sick list.

Mrs. Mabel Booth, 2723 R St., who has been very ill, continues to improve.

#### EDDIE DODD BURIED

Mr. Eddie Dodd, 2808 R St., was buried Monday afternoon from the Myers Funeral Home. Mr. Dodd is the son of Mr. Jim Dodd.

Little Dennie King, 2914 W St., who had the misfortune to break his arm, continues to improve.

#### WOODSON CENTER

On Thursday, Nov. 5, from 7 to 10 p. m., will be Adult Fun Night. The City Recreational Fun Team will furnish the amusement. The Dramatic Group will put on a play at this time. There will be community singing and stunts by various groups.

Bethel Baptist Church has put on a financial drive, which will close the first Sunday in December. The pastor, Rev. P. J. Sears, has begun the work of reorganizing the church, and is meeting with much success.

Mr. Randall Blackston, S. 30 St., is ill.

#### REV. BILBREW TO PREACH

The group in the Financial Drive, of which Mrs. Mildred Roberts is captain, will have Rev. Bilbrew preach Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

#### Bethel Baptist Church To Have Bible School

Bethel Baptist Church will begin a Bible School, which will run from Monday to Friday evenings. This School will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. P. J. Sears.

#### CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

The church enjoyed good services the past Sunday. Mr. Chapman was in charge of the services in the absence of the pastor, Mr. Cage and Mr. Austin visited in the Willing Workers meeting.

#### UNION MEMORIAL M. E. CHURCH

Morning and evening services were conducted by the pastor. Attendance was good.

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#### MOUNT OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. J. P. Mosley, pastor

Morning service was conducted by the the pastor, Rev. Mosley. There was Communion at the evening service. Attendance was good. The B.P.P.U. gave an interesting program.

Rev. Mosley preached at Mt. Nebo Sunday afternoon. He was accompanied by the church.

#### CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

Elder G. E. Hayden, Pastor

Morning sermon was delivered by the pastor, Elder G. S. Hayden. Elder Ellis preached the night sermon. The revival meeting closed Sunday night.

#### BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. P. J. Sears, Pastor

The church had good service and attendance throughout Sunday. The pastor, Rev. P. J. Sears, preached both morning and night sermons.

#### Two Colored Men

Hired by Buamann

New York, Nov. 7 (C)—Ludwig Baumann, 500 Eighth avenue, one of the largest furniture houses in New York, last week hired Vernon Harris and David Parker as collectors, who work out from the main office. Ludwig Baumann has a store in 125th street in Harlem where there are many colored customers. Harris and Parker are working mainly in the Harlem section, but have many white accounts.

#### ITALIAN IMMIGRANTS TO SAIL FOR ETHIOPIA

Rome, Nov. 7 (C)—The greatest immigration movement of the 20th century is about to begin, with thousands of Italians eagerly awaiting the completion of the road from Asmara (Eritrea) to Addis Ababa. Then the vast plateaus and plains of Ethiopia will be populated with a new people. The crown lands in the fertile provinces will be the first settled. The most fertile country in regions most accessible will be opened first. In these the first choice of land will be given to soldiers who have expressed a desire to remain in Ethiopia. Of the regiments of Italians recruited abroad (outside Italy) 700 have decided to remain, while the percentage is equally high for the soldiers who came from Italy herself. Natives will not be deprived of their lands without due process of law, it is claimed.

Land can be obtained in two ways by those wishing to own it. The government will permit a man to settle on a piece of land—and the size to be determined by his financial ability to operate—and the settler will be required to pay a small yearly tax for a number of years, depending on the value of the land. When the period has expired the settler will receive full title to the land. Land also may be purchased directly from natives, but official approval must be obtained first. Speculation in land will be rigidly prohibited.

#### Chick Webb In Cobb's "Plantation" Program

New York, Nov. 7 (C)—Chick Webb, the famed "midget" bandmaster, was picked with his orchestra to go on the air at 9 p. m. on Wednesday, Armistice Day, Nov. 11th, in a coast to coast broadcast through WEAF with Irvin S. Cobb's "Plantation" show. The Cobb show, just out of Hollywood, has such headline features as the Hall Johnson choir and Clarence Muse, the movie star.

#### BOY RUNS AWAY WITHOUT CLOTHES

Hempstead, L. I., Nov. 7 (C)—Nassau County police sent out an all-state alarm at midnight Sunday for Henry Hill, 7, who, resenting the disciplinary measures of his aunt, ran away from her home at 57 South Franklin street with no clothing except his aunt's white crepe summer coat. Henry's father is in Philadelphia, and he has been staying here with his aunt, Mrs. Lether Hill. The boy is three feet two inches tall and weighs sixty pounds. Henry was locked in a room Sunday as punishment for impertinence.

#### Lincoln, Nebr Given Unusual WPA Grant

Lincoln, Nebr., Nov. 7 (ANP)—A WPA request, recently released by Mayor Bryan apparently is for the purpose of ascertaining the status of Negroes in this community. It was checked by Engineer Erickson. Since no funds are to be provided by the city it was not treated as a matter for council consideration. A total of \$7,830.60 is involved. The Urban League is listed for \$1,172.75 as sponsor's share with the government to contribute \$6,657.85.

The project involves a study of Negro conditions locally without involving actual work. Here are some of the matters mentioned in the request:

Nature of Negro community in Lincoln, Juvenile delinquency among Negroes, Pressure due to racial differences, Comparative study of disease cases among Negroes and whites, Problem of literacy and illiteracy, Employment status among local Negroes, Sources of income, Racial difficulties in way of employment and length of residence in state.

#### Dean Pickens Book Praised by Librarian

New York City, Nov. 7 (ANP)—Dean William Pickens, director of branches of the NAACP, and author of the book "Bursting Bonds," made a notable addition to his reading public last week, when he received a letter of commendation from Willie Buffington, prominent white resident of Greenville, S. C., and an official of the Faith Club Library. Mr. Buffington's letter said in part:

"The books arrived safely. And did I receive inspiration when I read 'Bursting Bonds.' I cannot say that I have had such a feeling since I read 'Up From Slavery' by Dr. Washington, when I was just a kid in the eighth grade. I read it through at one sitting. I might say that I really didn't have the time to spare as I had other things which were very urgent, but I just couldn't lay it down. I think your book and Dr. Washington's books should be in every white high school library in the south, and it should be that English teachers should require that they be read sometime during the high school course. It is my humble opinion that they would do much to break down some of the unresponsible prejudices. I also wish that we had a copy of this book for each of the seven libraries. Maybe you could interest some Woman's club in New York to supply these copies. Certainly it would be an opportunity to make a great contribution to the life of these poor boys and girls of the southern cotton fields."

#### MRS. BETHUNE MAKES FRONT PAGE OF TIMES

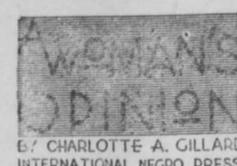
New York, Nov. 7 (7)—Dr. Mary McLeod Bethune, director of Negro activities of the NYA at Washington and president of Bethune-Cookman college at Daytona Beach, Fla., made the first page of the New York Times Tuesday morning when she was substituted on a radio program in place of Mayor LaGuardia of New York, but her race was not mentioned. The Times headline read: "LaGuardia Not On Hand For Radio Broadcast," and the story ran in part: "A radio program in which Mayor LaGuardia had been announced hookup under the auspices of a group seeking the re-election of President Roosevelt was changed last night by the substitution of Dr. Mary McLeod Bethune of Washington, for the Mayor. No reason was announced for the change. An announcer for the Columbia Broadcasting system, ever whose network the program was sent, merely said it had been informed a substitute would be provided for the Mayor."

#### BAPTISTS MEET

Little Rock, Ark., Oct. 31 (C)—The Union District Baptist Ass'n had 250 delegates at the opening of its 67th annual convention last Thursday. The meeting was held at Collins Street Baptist church, and Rev. N. Nichols, moderator, was re-elected.

#### Wilbecan In Buffalo

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 31 (C)—State Chairman George E. Wilbecan of the Republican drive conferred with committeemen of Erie county here Monday. Two mass meetings are planned here before Nov. 3rd.



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#### Pensions For The Aged

There was a time when gray hairs were considered honorable. Later they were found to be a handicap in the business world and the manufacturers of hair color restorers and hair dyes sold millions of dollars worth of their worthless concoctions annually. No matter how youthful the face or form, how great the knowledge and experience, gray hair indicated that the owner was ready for the human junk pile when it came to consideration for employment. We know of several instances of gray haired capable people being refused positions, which later they obtained after resorting to the use of dye.

All this is to be changed. It seems that gray hair will be restored to its time-honored position. If not exactly that, it will have a cash value in substantiating proof of eligibility for a old-age pension.

Recently under the new federal and state security aw, over 27,000 people in New York, received pension checks. In that state the City, State and Federal Governments have entered into a partnership to care for the dependent elderly people who need public assistance. This is a fine example of cooperative social security legislation and is not to be confused with the Townsend plan or any other plan that promises to pay out a sum in monthly pensions that would soon bankrupt the government.

Recently there has come out our desk a leaflet setting forth a plan to distribute 280 million dollars each month which recipients must spend within the month. This is nothing more no less than a cruel joke upon an unsuspecting public and is furthermore a menace to the whole cause of social security. It is absurd to expect a bottomless treasury that can go on supporting people forever and ever. Naturally someone makes money out of these imbecilic ideas a swab brought out in the investigation of Dr. Townsend States Senate. In some instances and his associates by the United those who investigate these unsound schemes are not deliberately vicious—merely sentimental and uninformed in the field of economics. They soon attract a group, however, that sees in the scheme, an opportunity to rob a gullible public. With the ranks of the aged growing rapidly, the field upon which such vultures may prey is practically unlimited. According to Dr. Robert E. Chadock, Professor of Statistics in Columbia University, the number of those over 65 years of age, now estimated at about 6,500,000 will be trebled in 50 years.

The social security act is not perfect. There are many glaring flaws in it which even the initiated can detect. But it is at least the beginning of an honest attempt to meet the problem of unemployment and the needy old-aged. Enacted in haste to meet emergency conditions it is subject to revision by amendments. These revisions must come through our lawmakers. Therefore let us secure sound information on the subject and let our representatives and senators, both state and federal, know our wishes, instead of becoming victims of the promoters of leagues and plans to give us old age pensions.

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Ans: Surely you will. However, you haven't been married long enough to consider child birth. I would suggest that you wait until you and your husband have a little something ACCUMULATED before taking on such a responsibility, taking on such a responsibility.

C. G.—I want to know if my husband will ever be all right? Please answer this in your column.

Ans: I am sorry to say, but I do not believe your husband will ever be as well as he was in his youth. But I do think that he is going to continue to improve by your careful nursing. Your old years together may not be active ones, but they will be quite cheerful.

L. E. P.—If I make a change will I be able to find a better job? I would like to do some different kind of work.

Ans: Make a change and a course in PRACTICAL NURSING will appeal to you more than anything I know of. Your experience in domestic work will make it quite easy for you to master this nursing course and you will be able to make more money for your services.

L. P. M.—Is this dear, fat man I am so attached to, interested enough in poor little me to do something for us to have a divine future together?

Ans: This fat man appears to be the most sincere man you have ever gone with. With a little encouragement on your PART and the question will be asked you before Xmas.

L. M.—I want to know if you will tell me where my husband's children are now?

Ans: Your husband carried his children to the State of VIRGINIA, and in the southern part. It is my impression that he is with your mother-in-law. She will see that the children are taken care of.

#### "Sweet River" Pleases Critics

New York, Nov. 7 (C)—"Sweet River," which is "Uncle Tom's Cabin," pleased critics as it appeared at the Fifty-first street theatre Wednesday night. John Mason Brown said in the Post: "The good features of the production are many. Mr. Abbot's direction is an exceptionally fine, sympathetic, imaginative and expert. Mr. Oenslager's setting for the slave quarters is authentic, full of atmosphere and dramatically effective. The fine choral work which Juanita Hall has arranged and directed is sung with great beauty, and contributes much to the evening. Walter Price is a dignified and touching Uncle Tom, and Charles Dingle a droll Phineas."

#### Thinks Italians Will Stay In Ethiopia

New York, Oct. 31 (C)—Dr. Thomas A. Lambie, secretary general of the Ethiopian Red Cross during the Italian invasion, said on his arrival here aboard the Ile de France last week that the Italians are there to stay.

#### RED FLARES IN HARLEM

New York, Nov. 7 (C)—Red flare returned to Harlem in street parades during the last few days of the political campaign.

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#### Supreme Court Again Gets Herndon Plea

Washington, Nov. 7 (ANP)—A second appeal was made to the U. S. supreme court Tuesday by Antonio Herndon, young Communist, who thereby hopes to escape serving an 18 to 20 year sentence on the Georgia chain gang imposed under a law questionable legality passed during reconstruction days.

This statute, under which Herndon was convicted four years ago in Atlanta, bars "any attempt to persuade or otherwise to induce others to join in any combined resistance to the lawful authority of the state." The law was invoked when the young Red led a march of the hungry jobless on the Fulton county commissioners to ask for adequate relief and was later found to have Marxist literature in his possession.

Herndon, now at liberty under \$7,000 bail provided by the International Labor Defense, says the Georgia statute violates the constitutional rights of free speech, free press and free assembly.

Judge Hugh M. Dorsey of the Fulton County Superior court released Herndon on a writ of Habeas corpus, holding that the statute was too vague to be enforced, but the state upheld by the Georgia Supreme court. That tribunal asserted the law violated neither the state nor federal constitution.

Once before the Herndon case came to the U. S. Supreme court, but the justices refused the appeal on the ground that the youth's counsel had not soon enough raised the question whether the law violated the federal constitution.

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