

The Omaha Guidites

"The Door of Expression" - Edited by 'UNCLE GIL'

The Guidite Club Picnic To Be--Where?

Next Event Promises To Be Large Affair Vote for Park

The Guidite club picnic which is scheduled as the next big event promises to be an affair long to be remembered.

Already Good Samaritans are offering their bit to make this the first annual Guidite Club Picnic a success.

Now Uncle Gil, wishing to please the majority is going to give each Guidite the opportunity to vote as to where the picnic shall be held.

GUIDITE PICNIC VOTE
I prefer holding the Guidite Picnic at
Location of park
Name
Address



Mrs. Iola Willis was the queen representative from the Second Baptist church of Clarinda, Ia. and her attendant, Miss Betsy Jean Arnett at the Omaha Guidite club May Day Festival held at St. John A.M.E. church, Omaha, Sunday May 16th.

Who Knows?

- Last Week's Answers
1. A tonic cord is a chord founded on the 'root' or first note of the scale: a dominant chord is one founded on the dominant of fifth note of the scale; a sub dominant chord is one founded on the sub-dominant or fourth note.
2. John Phillip Sousa was a band master and composer born in Washington, D. C., in 1856.
3. A viola is a tenor violin, an instrument similar in tone and formation to the violin but much larger in size and having a compass a fifth lower.
4. A third is an interval measuring three diatonic degrees.
5. A rest is a character indicating silence.

This Week's Questions

- 1. Who was Johann Strauss?
2. What is a snare drum?
3. What are percussion instruments?
4. What is an overture?
5. What is a Psalm?

The Guidite World of Music

By Miss Ethel Jones

Interesting Facts about Songs We Know: Home 'Sweet Home'

'Home Sweet Home,' was written by a homeless man, John Howard Payne, born in New York in 1792; and he did not collect a cent for it, even though its popularity swept the world.

However, he was not poor, on the contrary he was rather successful as an actor, a producer and the author of sixty plays.
Some of his best works were written while he occupied a luxurious suite in the best part of Paris. Payne was a wanderer; but it was because he liked to wander, and he was homeless because he would not stay at home.

'Home Sweet Home' first appeared as a solo in Payne's opera 'Clari' or 'The Maid of Milan' which in itself was really an adaptation of a play which had already been presented. In this play, Clari, who had run away with a duke, hears a group of strolling players sing a song of the native land, which so strongly moves her that she returns home.

Jokes

Supply and Demand
Editor:—I have 20 inquiring reporters on my newspaper staff.
Banks:—Oh, you mean the ones that go around asking questions?
Editor:—Yes, they are always inquiring when they are going to get a raise.
Trophies
Henry:—My brother has a gold medal for running, a watch charm for swimming, a gold watch for boxing and a silver cup for golfing.
Martha:—Very athletic, I'd say.
Henry:—No, he runs a hock shop.

Questions

- 1. Who is Henry O. Tanner?
2. What big Negro Insurance company is located in Durham, North Carolina?
3. Who is the United States Recorder of Deeds?
4. What Negro educated in Ames Iowa, established a school in Mississippi?
5. What Negro ex-Register of Treasury now resides in Nashville, Tenn.

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LAYMER BROWN, 4, is only Negro member of the rhythm band and he's got swing in his heart, rhythm in his fast-moving hands.

The May Day Festival A Success

By L. L. McVay

One could not wish for any more interest than was manifested at the first annual May Day Festival, sponsored by the Omaha Guide than was shown at St. John A.M.E. church on Sunday, May 16, 1937.

In this mass of voices of three hundred young Negro boys and girls, one could see our future men and women. Too much praise cannot be given to Mr. S. E. Gilbert of the Omaha Guide, better known to Guidites as 'Uncle Gil,' and Miss Ethel Jones, an Omaha young woman of great musical ability, for their fine work in their first attempt to show just what the youth of Omaha can do.

We do not wish to forget the many sponsors and directors who showed such a fine spirit of cooperation in making this day a success. Perhaps the results of the work at Bethel Baptist church in South Omaha, whose queen was Miss Pricilla Gilden, was the best demonstration of what can be done with a little cooperation. Miss Gilden is the daughter of Mrs. Carrie Gilden and is a senior in South high school.

Miss Gilden, bringing the highest amount of money, \$120.64, was crowned May Day Queen for 1937.

Just as the Goodwill Spring Musical, organized and directed by L. L. McVay, will have to have a larger auditorium in which to present the program next year, so will the May Day Festival as between 900 and 1,000 people attended this year. Let us hope that every citizen of Omaha will give these two movements their 100 per cent support because they are worthwhile and uplifting. There have been good things started in Omaha, but killed in a short time, but the May Day Festival and the Goodwill Spring Musical are here to stay.

Fan Mail

Mr. S. E. Gilbert:

Dear Sir:
I too, wish to congratulate you on your successful sponsorship of the May Day Festival and ventures you are attempting in your effort to build up the Guide circulation.

I received my paper. This week's number is excellent. I am much pleased with the Festival write-ups and the paper in general. I am am glad the Guide appreciated the efforts put forth this year by all and hope that next year will be a financial as well as a cultural success for the paper too.

In conclusion I would like to say that I believe the methods you are using to build up the paper are fair and square and I shall be glad to help in any way that I can.

Respectively Yours
Ethel Jones

Omaha, Nebraska

To The Omaha Guide:
I want to compliment Mr. Gilbert for the May Festival and the wonderful program for our Negro children. The queens were beautiful and our youth's talent is so educational to us. It shows that the mothers of today are learning how wonderful it is to be able to have culture and education. I think everyone should patronize our colored paper, the Omaha Guide, for the sake of our girls and boys. Every year our youth are coming out of high school and what are the fathers and mothers going to do about

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Would Like to Have All Guidite to Write Him Letters

Laymer Brown, 4, although he is in the Hattie Monroe Home for Convalescing Children, located at 66th Ave. and Maple streets, recovering from Tuberculosis of the hip, is reported to be a jolly little fellow and is well on the road to recovery. The supervisor had this to say of Laymer, when interviewed by Uncle Gil, "Laymer is a fine little boy and indeed full of life."

Laymer, dear Guidites is also a Guidite, so let's do our bit to make him happy by writing him a letter at once, just address to Master Laymer Brown, in care of Hattie Monroe Home, 66th Avenue and Maple Street.

Laymer, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, 2524 1/2 Lake street, is a member of the Home's band and is said to have that swing and rhythm OH MY!

Riddles

- 1. Which is worth more, an old five dollar bill or a new one?
2. Why is your nose in the middle of your face?
3. Which cock never crows?
4. What is it that goes around the house and makes only one track?

work for them? We must support something that will give them a job, and why shouldn't every home make our Negro paper a success, thereby giving the Omaha Guide an opportunity to hire a boy or girl of our race and I think we can not give enough praise to the Guide, Miss Jones, Mr. McVay, the mistress of ceremonies, Miss O'Neal, Mrs. Makins, and Mr. Carter, for the nice way they conducted the program. I am highly pleased with our young generation. Anything I might do to help the advancement of my race, I am willing to do.

rs. Lottie Keys, 2217 No. 25th St. Reporter for Pleasant Green Baptist church

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Arithmetic

- Last Answers
1. There are 36 inches in a yard.
2. here are four quarts in one gallon.
3. A pint bottle will hold one pint of water or 16 ounces.
4. There are 144 apples in one gross.

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