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DEMANDS ACTION ON ANTI-LYNCH BILL

President of Bacchanites Passes Away

Adrian Stamps, Well-known Local Civic and Club Leader, Died Sunday: Advocated Race Activities

It is with saddened hearts that we the remaining members of the Bacchanite club, come together to pay tribute to our beloved and highly esteemed President, Adrian Stamps. It was with deep regret that we received word of his passing, Sunday, August 1st, although we realized that his suffering must terminate sometime.

We, like a great many others continued to hope for the miracle of recovery that never came. In his death, we, the club, have lost a faithful, loyal and ambitious leader. He was always trying to devise ways to help not only the club but the Negro population of this community.

It was he, who inspired the movement for Omaha's first Negro Mayor, through ill health prevented him from being present at the inauguration of the Mayor, he sent

a telegram of greetings and good wishes from his bedside in the hospital. Many other things has he done for the good of others that cannot be forgotten.

"Sixty" as he was known to us and many others, will be greatly missed, and never replaced, but his loving memory will live on.

Our circle has been broken, and we feel our loss keenly, but we know that God is too wise to make a mistake, so we say, "not our will, Lord, but Thine, be done."

Had He asked us, well we know we would have said, "O spare the blow, yes with tear filled eyes would pray, Lord we love him, let him stay."

We wish to extend to the bereaved family our deepest sympathy, and ask for them the comfort that only God can give.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 p. m. at Cleaves Temple, 25th and Decatur streets.

Two Fla. Hospital Orderlies Held

Pensacola, Fla., Aug. 6 (By E. H. Smallwood for ANP)—Two men held here last week as robbers of the dead were Joe Singer and Ray Field Carter, both orderlies at the Pensacola hospital and both held to the grand jury for the alleged theft of watches from hospital patients who had died. Police say the men confessed, Singer admitting taking a time piece from a dead man's locker, while Carter says he stole his from a patient's bed. An investigation by police disclosed the thievery. The miscreants' bonds were set at \$500.

MANAGER



JOHN A. SIMMS

Formerly professor and at times acting president of Edward Waters college, Jacksonville, Fla., who has been appointed managing aide of the new Federal housing project, Dukeville. Mr. Simms is noted as one of the best printers in the South, and was once editor and manager of the Florida Sentinel.—(CS)

Omahan Prefers His Tavern To Guarding Denmark's King



Tells Incidents in His Career as Danish Soldier

German troops had advanced to the border of Denmark. The attack was set for the following morning. Troops of the small constitutional monarchy were massed to resist invasion. Then overnight the danger passed. When the sun rose, the German soldiers had vanished.

This interesting chapter of the world war was revealed here by Carl Olaf Rabes, a member of the king's guard in his native Denmark at the time of international conflict.

"Denmark was prepared for the attempt at invasion and seizure of her important set outlets which Germany coveted," the former protector of royalty assured as he talked earnestly across his new bar on Lake St. "The entire border of Denmark was honeycombed with mines, which would have been set off by the operation of a series of buttons at the moment the first German troops crossed the line. Mines also had been placed at frequent intervals along the coast. I feel confident the German invasion could have been repelled."

He said he later learned the German troops had suddenly been ordered to the western front.

PREFERS LIFE IN OMAHA

Mr. Rabes prefers life as a tavern proprietor in Omaha to that of guarding a king, although he found the latter a very pleasant occupation.

Although Denmark remained neutral throughout the war, the country gained restoration of North Schleswig, lost in a previous war with Prussia.

King Christian X, present ruler of Denmark, is thoroughly democratic and an ideal employer, the former royal guard declared, backing his statement with the following personal incident.

While on sentry duty one cold, disagreeable night, Guard Rabes took refuge for a moment in a sheltered spot. Garbed in a heavy warm coat and finding relaxation from the wintry wind, he was lulled into sleep.

KINDLY KING

How long he was napping he will never know. A light touch on his arm awakened him. As his eyes flashed open he was staring directly into the face of his monarch. The presence of the king always is a signal to call out the entire guard.

Contritely apologizing for napping on duty, Mr. Rabes received the smiling assurance:

"I know you to be good and faithful. You are only human. I forgive you and it will not be necessary to call out the guard. The other boys probably also are enjoying their sleep. Good-night."

Still smiling the king continued his midnight stroll.

SHARED ROYAL FOOD

That spirit of friendship and democracy runs through the entire family, according to Mr. Rabes. He told of frequently receiving sandwiches and delicacies which were handed to him through the kitchen window by Prince Knud, youngest son of the king, and of sharing army rations with Prince Harald, the king's brother, on a scouting expedition.

Coming to the United States about 20 years ago, Mr. Rabes has spent most of the time since in Omaha or vicinity. He tried both dairy and grain farming before settling up in business for himself. The new Lake St. tavern is the second one he has operated here.



KING CHRISTIAN X is a genial and democratic monarch, according to one of his former guards, who now is a resident of Omaha.

Beau Brummels Score Another Dance Hit

Members of the Beau Brummel club proved to be perfect hosts at their annual dancing party, given Monday night at the Dreamland Ballroom. Over 400 of Omaha's elite turned out and danced to the melodious strains of Turner's orchestra.

Guests were greeted by handsome debonaire gentlemen of the club, each with a smile, and upon entering the ballroom the sweet tempo of the band seemed to entrance one.

Attractively attired lovely ladies in beautiful pastel summer formals seemed to make a picturesque scene, as they were beautifully harmonized in the black and white Hollywood fashion as was worn by the dapper gentlemen.

Mrs. Frank Stewart, 3015 Manderson street, was called to her home, Des Moines, Ia because of the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Stewart left Friday morning July 30th.

Flash!

Guidite Picnic has been postponed to August 28th. Full particulars next week.

Wagner-Van Nuys Measure May Be Attached As Rider to Another In Rush Toward Adjournment

Washington, August 6—Utilizing every possible strategy to get action on a federal anti-lynching bill before the adjournment of Congress, supporters of this legislation are circulating a round-robin among senators to be signed and presented to Senator Alben W. Barkley, Majority leader.

The round-robin demands action on the anti-lynching bill before adjournment and in effect serves notice that the signers will oppose adjournment until a vote is had on the anti-lynching bill.

It is expected that fifty or sixty signers will be secured for this document.

In a hectic week of swift movement back and forth in the Senate on pending legislation, the anti-lynching bill jumped suddenly to the front when Senator Royal S. Copeland, of New York, moved to attach it as an amendment to the length-of-freight-train bill. It is believed that Senator Copeland had two motives for this entirely unexpected move. One was to try to defeat the freight-train bill, which he is opposing; and the other was to make a bid for the support of Negro voters in his contemplated race for Mayor of New York City. Senator Copeland long has favored the anti-lynching bill.

Senator Copeland's action, which was his own idea, was not a popular one since the freight-train bill was backed by the four railway brotherhoods.

The anti-lynching bill was injected into a White House press conference on Tuesday when a reporter asked the President whether the anti-lynching bill would be among the bills called up before adjournment. The President is said to have not made a direct answer, but to have stated merely that he favored an anti-lynching bill.

When a move to attach the anti-lynching bill as an amendment was voted down 41-34, Senator Copeland announced his intention to try to attach the anti-lynching bill to the wages and hours bill. This brought on a conference between Senators Wagner, Copeland and

Former Omahan In the Movies

Woodrow Theodore (Ted Koom's) Qualls, whom we will remember as a boy about Omaha, prior to 1934, the year when he went to Hollywood in search of fame. Upon reaching Hollywood and proving his ability as a dancer, he was featured in the picture entitled "Singing Kid." His ability as a dancer in this picture was hailed by the dance critics of Hollywood as par excellence.

Aside from his appearances in pictures, he has made a wonderful record on the professional stage and night clubs.

Mr. Qualls is now visiting in Omaha for a few days, and everyone might see him in his novelty act at Jim Bell's Harlem.

After completing engagement at the Harlem, he will return to the coast for his regular stage work.

Mrs. Ashby Simmons, 2228 Willis avenue, had as her house guest, Mrs. Evelyn Grayers, and Mrs. A. Slaughter of Denver, Colo., also Mrs. Grayers' little niece, Kitty Loraine Wade, of Dallas, Texas.

North High Senior Student Receives Appointment

Elizabeth (Betty) Davis, daughter of Attorney and Mrs. Chas. F. Davis, of 2724 Maple street, recently received an appointment as stenographer in the office of Frank McGrath, clerk of the District Court.



Elizabeth (Betty) Davis

Mr. McGrath in making his appointment said that his decision was based upon the qualifications, the industry and hard work that had been manifest by this young lady in her work at North high school, and that he was more than pleased to lend all encouragement possible to the young men and women of the city of Omaha, regardless of race, creed or color.

Miss Davis is a senior at North high school, where she has received numerous honors. She held with honor, an office on the school paper of which she was a former reporter and editor. She is an honor student a member of Quill and Scovill, honorary journalism society and several clubs. She has received three awards in shorthand, her favorite subject.

She is also active in "Y" work and the second Negro girl to hold an office at the Central YWCA, where she is treasurer of the Inter-Club Council.

Upon graduation, she plans to attend Creighton university to study law.

Old Folks Picnic A Huge Success

The Neighborhood department of the Omaha Urban League Community Center entertained 250 old people at their annual Old Folks Picnic, July 29th.

Because of the rain it was impossible to take the group to Elmwood park as was planned, but arrangements were made to entertain in the auditorium of the Urban League.

The Urban League wishes to thank the business men and friends of the city who gave them their splendid cooperation, also the committee whowor ked willingly to make the picnic a success.

Mrs. R. J. Reynolds was called to Council Bluffs, because of the illness of her daughter.

Tours Australia

London, Aug. 6 (INP)—Nina Mae McKinney, (remember her in films?) leaves London where she has been appearing with great success to tour Australia for six months.

The Harlem actress has been greeted with acclaim on the continent and in company with Walter Batie and Foster, singing and dancing comedians, sails to Australia to conquer new fields.

Mrs. Adora Bland visited friends in Council Bluffs, Ia., Thursday.

Don't Forget Bathing Beauty Contest
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