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Feature A Negro History Week Program

RABBI GOLDSTEIN IN SPECIAL LECTURE AT ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

Negro History Week will be observed by many race loving Negroes on Sunday February 13 at 3:30 p. m. at Zion Baptist church, 22nd and Grant streets.

Rabbi David A. Goldstein, well known lecturer and recently returned from Palestine, will be the main speaker of the afternoon. His subject will be "Representative Americans."

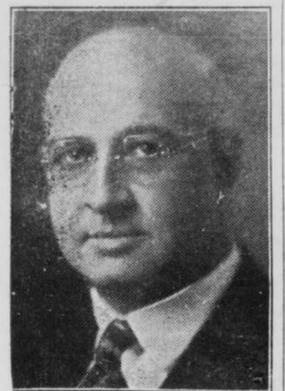
Mrs. Gladys A. Pullum, executive secretary of the YWCA will introduce the speaker. Race speakers will give three minute talks on "Negroes in the News Today," "The Los Cantores Chorus under the direction of Miss Ethel Jones, will sing.

This program is being sponsored by the 50th Anniversary Campaign Workers of Zion Baptist church.

National Association Honors Omaha Utility Company Manager

James E. Davidson, president of the Nebraska Power Company, was signally honored by leaders of the electrical industry last week at Boca Raton, Fla., when they elected him president of the Association of Edison Illuminating Companies.

The association, which held its fifty-third annual meeting in Boca



JAMES E. DAVIDSON

Raton is composed of more than sixty electric service companies licensed under the original Edison patents, and represents 75 per cent of the electrical output of the country. Its purpose is solely to develop the service to the public of electricity for light, heat and power. Election to the presidency of this association is regarded as a major honor of national importance in the electrical industry.

He began his career in this industry in the boiler room of the Port Huron, Mich. power plant as a machine oiler, coal heaver and meter reader. By the time he was 20 years old he was superintendent of this plant. He came to Omaha in 1917 as general manager and vice president of the Nebraska Power Company, from Portland, Ore., and became president of the company in 1928.

Taxpayers Protest Discrimination

To the Members of the Omaha Housing Authority:

Whereas the Logan Fontenelle Homes Project in North Omaha was conceived, designed, and developed in accordance with the Wagner-Steagall Housing Bill as enacted by the United States Congress, and

Whereas this act sets forth specific methods and requirements regarding the administration of such projects, and

Whereas these specific regulations definitely stated that there shall be no discrimination as to race, color, or creed and

Whereas it appears that such discriminations have been practiced in connection with the selection of the administrative and investigative staff of the local project, and

Whereas we desire to express a protest to the disregard of the specified regulations:—
Be it therefore resolved:
That, those persons responsible for these violations and discriminatory practices be informed of our dissatisfaction with the present selection of members of the administrative and investigative staff, and

That they be further informed that we have qualified persons capable of carrying on the duties necessitated in the efficient management of the local project so as to allow selection of a staff in a manner.
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PARTY LINES FALL IN 51 TO 37 VOTE ON FILLIBUSTER RULE

Washington, D. C., Feb. 3—In the first voting test on the anti-lynching bill here today, the Republicans in the Senate joined with southern Democrats from the worst lynching states and with some northern and western Democrats in defeating the motion for cloture which, if carried, would have shut off the filibuster and brought the Gavagan-Wagner-Van Nuys anti-lynching bill up for a vote in short order.

The vote was 51 against cloture and 37 for it.

When analyzed, this vote does not mean that the bill, if voted upon, would have been lost. Senator McNary, Republican minority leader, stated his party would vote for the bill, but not for cloture.

In addition, there are numerous Democrats and Independents who voted for cloture who will vote for the bill when and if it comes to a vote. The bill will pass with at least 65 votes for it, when brought up.

Senator Arthur Capper, of Kansas, was the only Republican who voted for cloture. He said he would stand by the bill through thick

LEADERS PLAN STATE WILDLIFE WEEK



GOVERNOR ROY L. COCHRAN, seated, accepts the chairmanship of the honorary Wildlife Week committee from Dr. M. C. Pedersen, state chairman of the Nebraska Wildlife Federation. Committee members present, reading from left to right, Ward Betzer, state president of the Izaak Walton League; Charles Hoff, president of the Nebraska Junior Chamber of Commerce; Frank B. O'Connell, chief conservation officer of the Nebraska Game and Fish Commission, and Ponda Brown, vice-chairman of the Nebraska Wildlife Federation. Frederick F. Jordan, (inset) is national director of Wildlife Week, with headquarters at 400 Madison Avenue, New York City.

4 ROCKETS OF RHYTHM TO OPEN AT HILL HOTEL SOON

The 4 Rockets of Rhythm expect to open an engagement at the Hill Hotel, according to Mr. Richard Turner, as soon as the Three Glads of Swing have completed their engagement.

They will also play in a Jam session to be held at the Urban League Wednesday evening. They will make a recording about March 1.

Simms Is Versatile

Once Leading Lightweight Is Now Emcee

By S. Edward Gilbert

Many of us visit the Blue Room located on the corner of 24th and Lake streets at least once a week. There we are entertained by that sterling emcee of personality, Thomas Simms. I listen to him sing with a soothing voice, then watch him manipulate upon the turntable and hear him introduce the celebrities of the hour in his own original way, but little did I know that he provided just as great an attraction in the prize ring where he was heralded by the leading sport scribbles as one of the most clever lightweights that ever scratched his feet in a pile of resin. His blinding speed labeled him, the demon of black lightning.

In his travel which took him from Puerto Rico to Maine and from the Pacific Coast to New York, where he blasted his way to fistic fame in the famous Madison Square Garden.

Among those whom our much liked emcee met were Jimmy Sacco, Hilario Martinez, Francisco Moreno, Pete Frances, Joey Caruso, Sam mandell, Eddie Crozier.

This spectacular lightweight so trounced the Greek Champion, Achilleas, that the referee stopped the fight. He finished his career with 105 victories against five defeats. A wonderful record for an emcee.

Captain and Mrs. Thomas Rucker, 4409 Burt street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss A. Rucker to Mr. Roland Greene, December 28, 1937 at Nashville, Tenn.

Not only did Republicans, vote (Continued on Page Three)

MRS. DAVIS IS MADE INVESTIGATOR FOR FEDERAL PROJECT

Expect Good Year For Refrigeration

Approximately 2,500,000 domestic electric refrigerators were sold during the past year in this country, according to Fay Smith, assistant general manager of the Nebraska Power Company. This was an increase of about 18 per cent over sales for 1936. Practically every state reported an increase for 1937 over the previous year.

"We expect our dealers in 1938 to show a larger increase in unit sales as the saturation point is nowhere in sight, despite the steady increase in sales each year," said Mr. Smith.

"There are three principal reasons for the optimistic outlook on increased refrigerator sales. First, the electric refrigerator is a necessity and with the new home building program the tendency is to equip these new homes with electric refrigerators. Second, newly married couples want to start off their housekeeping adventures with modern appliances. Third, more old homes and farm homes are wired for electricity each year. All in all, we expect 1938 to be our best refrigerator sales year."

Mrs. Robbie Turner Davis, 2514 Corby street, was appointed Field



MRS. ROBBIE TURNER DAVIS Investigator, Tuesday morning, by Mr. Oursin who is the supervisor for the selection of tenants for the new Logan Fontenelle Homes. Mrs. Davis took a course specializing in this kind of work.

The Cornhusker golf club will hold its first meeting of the year on Wednesday night, February 9, which will be a stag at the Ellis Hall, 24th and Lake.

The president, Mr. Boyd Galloway hopes to have all members present and bring new members with them. The club is contemplating on giving a spring formal the latter part of March.

Quick Methods Cook Vegetables Better

"New cooking methods have reduced cooking time to a marked degree," according to T. A. Leisen, general manager of the Metropolitan Utilities District. "These new methods result in a two way economy because the valuable minerals of vegetables are preserved and less fuel is required.

Each type of vegetable and the amount to be cooked on top of the gas range exacts a different degree of heat to cook it properly. Yet no matter what the method a recipe calls for, the job must be done by heat—a flexible dependable intense heat.

"When the housewife adopts short cut cookery she finds the instantaneous heat and quick simmer adjustment of the modern automatic gas range more than ever important because the flame may be adjusted to the point where a gentle boil is maintained to cook the vegetable without breaking down its fibers.

"Two methods for boiling vegetables in order to retain the highest percentage of vitamins and minerals so necessary to health, as well as that fresh color and flavor are suggested:

"Waterless method: use any saucepan provided it has a closely fitted cover. Add water to about a half inch in depth and when it boils, drop in the vegetable. Cover. Once steaming begins, reduce the flame to the simmer stage—or six tiny points of flame within the burner cup.

"Low water method: add vegetable to the saucepan, pouring over enough boiling water to almost cover; when boiling begins turn the cock of the burner to the simmer flame in order to maintain a gentle boil. Vegetables may be salted either at the beginning or end of cooking."

EIGHT NEBRASKA STATIONS UNITE FOR STATE PROGRAM

For the first time in history, eight Nebraska radio stations will combine by wireless hookup into a Nebraska network next Sunday afternoon. The first of a series of Nebraska "White Spot" musical variety programs will be presented simultaneously from these stations, Clark Standiford of Kearney, president of the Nebraska Broadcasters Association, announced today.

The half hour programs, to be presented each Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Central Standard Time, are the contribution of the Nebraska Broadcasters Association and the Junior Chambers of Commerce of the state to the national Nebraska advertising campaign. They will originate from Station WOW in Omaha and be picked up by seven others stations over special antennae erected for wireless reception.

Stations which will cooperate in this state-wide radio hookup are KGFW, Kearney; KGNF, North Platte; KGGY, Scottsbluff; KFOP, Lincoln; KMMJ, Clay Center; WAAW, Omaha; WJAG, Norfolk; and WOW, Omaha.

WOW's station orchestra, directed by Freddie Ebener, will be fea-

tured each Sunday. On the first program, a popular trio, "Three Maids and Their Mike," will sing with the orchestra.

"The Nebraska Broadcasters Association is offering this program as a means of informing the thousands of listeners throughout the middle west about the wonderful opportunities and advantages Nebraska offers to industry," Mr. Standiford said. "Our state has an interesting and valuable message for the world. We want the world to know about Nebraska's resources, its abundance of raw materials for manufacture, its unexcelled transportation facilities, its markets and adequate labor—in short, the opportunities this state offers new industries to thrive here.

"We want to tell the world, too, about our state's unique and wholesome financial situation," Standiford added. "Nebraska has an equally interesting story to tell the world in regard to its freedom from state debt which has made it unnecessary for us to resort to any of those new forms of taxation such as sales, income and luxury taxes.