

Nebraska: Fair, cooler along eastern boundary, not so cold in west portion. Friday fair and warmer. Not much precipitation end of week.

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NEWS

OF THE WEEK FROM COAST TO COAST

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HATTIE McDANIEL SCORES IN "GONE WITH THE WIND"

Atlanta, Ga.—Rave notices about Hattie McDaniel's performance in "Gone With the Wind" followed the premiere of the picture here this week. Miss Daniel, according to reports, succeeded in stealing the long-awaited adaptation of Margaret Mitchell's best selling novel.

CANADIAN NEGROES SUFFER DISCRIMINATION

Ottawa, Canada.—The Supreme Court of Canada decided that a Negro cannot compel a tavern owner in the Province of Quebec to serve him with a beer, thereby dismissing an appeal entered by Fred Christie, of Montreal, against a judgment of the Quebec courts in favor of the York corporation.

JAILED AND FINED FOR SHOWING "BIRTH OF A NATION"

Denver, Col.—Robert Allan, owner of a Denver motion picture theatre, was fined \$1,400 and sentenced to 120 days in jail for showing "A Birth of a Nation" after protests of leading Negro citizens.

TRUCK DRIVERS' UNION ACCEPTS COLORED MEMBERS

Washington, D. C.—Through efforts of the local NAACP, Negroes this week for the first time, were given permission to join the heretofore "lily-white Truck Drivers' union."

HEYWOOD BROWN, JOURNALIST'S FRIEND PASSES

New York.—Journalistic Harlem, mourned the passing of Heywood Brown, nationally famed columnist who, as father and president of the American Newspaper Guild, fought for inclusion of the phrase, "without regard to race, color or creed," in its constitution, thereby making it possible for Negro newspaper workers to join.

CHICAGO ALDERMAN FILES CIVIL RIGHTS SUIT

Springfield, Ill.—Earl B. Dickerson, Chicago alderman, filed a \$500 civil rights suit against the Abraham Lincoln hotel here for refusing him accommodation upon seeing that he was a Negro even though a friend of his had made advance reservations.

PAUL WILLIAMS PRAISED FOR DESIGNING MOVIE STAR'S HOME

Hollywood.—The entire movie colony was congratulating architect Paul Williams for the grand job he did in designing the new home of Zazu Pitts' popular movie comedienne.

AFRICAN BISHOP READS HIGH MASS IN LONDON

London, England.—For the first time in the history of the Roman Catholic church, an African Bishop, Joseph Kiwanuka, celebrated pontifical high mass at Westminster Cathedral here.

'CHICKEN SHACK' OWNER DIVORCED

Chicago.—Mrs. Pauline Henderson, pretty, young wife of Ernie Henderson, was granted a divorce from the well known proprietor of the "Chicken Shack, Inc."

CARVER SCHOOL BURNS TO THE GROUND

Mount Olive, N. C.—A fire razed the Carver High school here, totally destroying the \$45,000 structure.

YOUTHFUL PIANIST TRIUMPHS IN BROADCAST

New York.—Phillipa Schuyler,

Race To Benefit From Infantile-Paralysis Fund

eight year old daughter of George Schuyler, well known journalist, delighted audiences of "We the People" by displaying an extraordinary knowledge of music. The embryo pianist was interviewed by Deems Taylor, New York music critic, and played several of her own compositions.

REFUSE NEGROES BULLETS AFTER KLAN TERRORISM

Greenville, S. C.—As result of the stand taken by Negroes toward the terror campaign of the Ku Klux Klan here, the bullets or ammunition was banned.

BIRMINGHAM TURKEY GOES ON SPREE IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Dec. 28 (ANP)—Last week Beatrice Reynolds received a live Tom Turkey from relatives in Birmingham accompanied with a "Do Not Open Until Christmas,"

Living in an apartment, Miss Reynolds put the piece de resistance a Christmas dinner out on her back porch to stay until the big day.

Thoroughly enjoying its new found freedom, Sir Turkey decided to go for a little spree, flying first from his coop to the gable of the house next door. From then on it was gable to gable until at last he perched in a tree and haughtily scoffed at all.

In despair, Miss Reynolds called the police who had to telephone their station for more shells before they finally hit the lively turkey, causing him to fall "plunk" on the sidewalk.

HOMEMAKING TEACHERS IN ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Marshall, Tex., Dec. 28 (By E. M. Carroll for ANP)—Several hundred homemaking education teachers and instructors from the accredited high schools in Texas and colleges in the Southwest attended Bishop's second annual homemaking education conference here Friday. All sessions were held on the college campus. The theme for the conference was "The Functions of the House and Family Welfare," which on that occasion, Bishop's new ten room Home Management House served as the laboratory in matters of design furnishings, interior decoration, modern mechanical equipment and landscaping.

MOREHOUSE TAKES TO THE HARDWOODS FOR 1930-40 BASKETBALL SEASON

Atlanta, Ga. Dec. 28.—The Morehouse College quintet, dark horse of the 1939 SIAC basketball tournament, again will take to the hardwoods with the identical team that finished last year's meet as runner-up championship Xavier clan. The varsity team, of which George Coffee, of Atlanta, Ga., is captain, is composed of Daniel Earl Smith, of Lexington, Kentucky; George Cobb, of Chicago, Illinois; Sloan Blocker, of Atlanta, Georgia; and Leon Harris of New York City.

FRANK MORGAN AND DRIVER INJURED

Deming, New Mexico, Dec. 28 (ANP)—Frank Morgan, white, famous comedian of screen, and radio; Mrs. Gordon, their son, George and Willie Carr, their chauffeur, were injured here Thursday en route to Mexico when a tire blew out on their auto. The chauffeur, a Los Angeles bow was the most seriously injured receiving a frac-

MOREHOUSE COLLEGE TO ENCOUNTER LANE AND KENTUCK STATE IN 1940

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 28 (Special)—According to a recent announcement from the office of Head Men Franklin L. Forbes, director of athletics at Morehouse College, Lane College will replace Langston on the 1940 schedule and Kentucky State will supplant West Virginia State.

Guide Suffers Fire Loss

A fire broke out in the Omaha Guide's press room about 10:45 PM. Friday night, Dec. 22nd and quickly spread to the upstairs apartment of C. C. Galloway, Mgr., causing considerable damage to shop machinery and destroying practically all of Mr. Galloway's clothing and furnishings. Having finished mailing out papers he was preparing to retire for the night when James Seay, shop pressman informed him about the fire in the shop. After calling the fire department and finding the fire out of control Mr. Galloway started upstairs to get his overcoat and shoes but was driven back by the flames. Damage in the shop was caused mostly by heat and water.

The fire loss has not as yet been estimated. The Guide which has been in continuous publication since 1927 will continue on schedule. The management wishes to thank our kind friends who are helping and those who have offered their assistance in putting things back in working order. The management regrets the unfair, groundless and malicious rumors which were spread from certain quarters Saturday.

tured skull and broken neck. Morgan suffered scalp lacerations.

HUEY LONG STILL POPULAR IN LOUISIANA

New Orleans, Dec. 28 (ANP)—Word received here that the Gallup poll of public opinion in Louisiana revealed that the majority of voters still revered the late Governor Huey Long caused little surprise. While the poll taken under the auspices of the American Institute of Public Opinion, touched only white people because there are comparatively few Negro voters in the state of Louisiana, the result reflected the opinion of Negroes as well.

CHICAGO'S FOREMOST BANK BUILDING 10 YEARS AGO NOW MEN'S HOTEL

Chicago, Dec. 28 (ANP)—Ten years ago the nation's lone Negro national bank and the pride of Chicago's Southside, the Douglas National bank, is today the Palace hotel for me. It made its bow as a hotel last month with William C. Johns as general manager and Roy V. Huffine, his assistant, along with 10 other full time employees.

Organized in 1922, the Douglas made history in the race's financial circles. It was empowered to issue currency as a member of the federal reserve system and played a leading role in Southside business affairs. Then came the depression and in 1932, in common with many similar institutions of both races, it was forced to close its doors.

NOVEMBER 1930

Entertains Sister

A smart and fashionable group of guests gathered at the beautiful home of Mrs. L. S. Davis, 2530 Grant St., Monday evening honoring her sister, Mrs. Eliza Kilkey, of Topeka, Kansas, who has been a guest at the home of Mrs. Davis for about ten days, among those present besides the guest of honor were: Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lewis, Mrs. Susie Trent, Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Young, Mrs. C. C. Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Shobe, Mr. and Mrs. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Taylor and little son Wesley, little Bertha Smith, niece of Mrs. Davis, Mr. Lulu Lewis, Mrs. Lulu Wheeler, Mrs. Beulah Madison, Mrs. Josie Jefferson, Mrs. Lydia Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Giles, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Vann, Mr. Leroy Winston, Mr. A. J. Davis, Mrs. Stella Hayes, Mrs. Griffin and Mr. H. W. Black, Mr. Herman Harris, nephew of Mrs. Davis and Gilkey was chef and chief pan washer.

FILES DAMAGE SUIT FOR DISCRIMINATION IN LINCOLN'S HOME

Springfield, Ill. Dec. (ANP)—Although many state representatives and a few senators have come here to enact state laws, among them a civil rights statute, it remained for Ald. Earl B. Dickerson of Chicago to take the initiative in combating discrimination in the Illinois capital and former home of Abraham Lincoln by filing suit Wednesday in the circuit court for \$500 damages against the Abraham Lincoln Hotel Corp., and the Abraham Lincoln Hotel Operating Co., for denial of accommodations Monday evening.

It has been customary for colored legislators to ignore jim crow here in the city where Illinois laws are enacted and live with private families while the assembly is in session.

J. Adams, Jr. A Typical Example of Young Negro Leadership

CONFEDERATED COUNCIL OF CLUBS PROCLAIMS JOHN ADAMS, JR., A TYPICAL EXAMPLE OF YOUNG NEGRO LEADERSHIP

318 young men and women jammed the quarters of the Council at 24th and Parker as Mr. Herman Stevens, president openly expressed his elation upon seeing such a huge crowd, and stated he firmly believes every person present agrees with him in saying: "A club of this nature is very much needed here in our city. This is shown by its tremendous growth in four short weeks." He then scanned the purpose of the Council and added he wishes to outgrow present location in the near future.

Randolph Returns East From Pacific Coast

NEGRO BISHOP PONTIFICAL HIGH MASS IN LATIN AT WESTMINSTER CATHEDRAL IN LONDON

London, Dec. 28 (By Rudolph Dunbar for ANP)—Robed in the white vestments of his office and wearing a crimson skull cap, emblem of the White Fathers of Algeria, the first Negro bishop to be consecrated at Rome in five centuries recently intoned pontifical high mass in Latin at Westminster cathedral in London.

A majestic figure like a statue of black marble, with gracious manners and a kindly glow on his face, is the Negro bishop of the Roman Catholic church who has made history. His apostolic name is Kiwanuka which means "one who comes from on high," and his family name Nakabali, which means, "hill of the rock." Tradition says that his only predecessor was a Portuguese Negro bishop of the 15th century. Bishop Kiwanuka is the newly consecrated vicar apostolic of the new vicariate of Masaka in Uganda.

TEN BEST RECORDS OF 1939 LISTED

By Frank Marshall Davis for ANP

1. The Blues, by Meade "Lux" Lewis (Blute Note).
2. Pick-A-Rib, by Benny Goodman Quintet (Victor).
3. Summertime, by Sidney Bechet Quintet (Victor).
4. Subtle Lament, by Duke Ellington (Brunswick).
5. Smokey Mary, by Bob Crosby (Decca).
6. Miss Thing, by Count Basie (Vocalion).
7. Fine and Mellow, by Billie Holiday (Commodore).
8. Minor's Swing, by French Hot Club Quintet (Victor).
9. Woodchoppers Ball, by Woody Herman (Decca).
10. Someday Sweetheart, by Muggsy Spanier (Bluebird).

GIVEN LIFE

SCHWACZKIN KILLER GIVEN LIFE TERM

Jeff Lowe, convicted of first degree method in the death of Mrs. Abraham Schwaczkin, was sentenced to life imprisonment Tuesday afternoon by District Judge Sears.

When asked by the judge if he had anything to say before sentence was pronounced, Lowe replied, "Guilty." Told he had been found guilty, Lowe was again asked if he had anything to say, replied, "No sir."

Judge Sears commented Lowe was "rather lucky," added that the sentence had been prescribed by the jury.

Sheriff Dorrance asked that Lowe be sentenced. His appeal time has passed. Dorrance said Lowe is suffering from a head abscess, and unless removed to the penitentiary for treatment will have to be sent to the country hospital under guard.

Lowe is a native of Kamo, Miss., 45 years of age and married. He claimed in his defense that he committed the murder in self defense while being attacked with a knife by his employer with whom he had had a misunderstanding about \$3.00 in wages, being paid half in coal and half in cash.

Lowe who fled to Iowa after the crime stated several times that he was guilty and was willing to take his punishment.

TRIBUTE TO JOE LOUIS

A high tribute has been generously paid to Joe Louis in an editorial of the London Evening Standard. It reads thus: "Blockade is still a decisive weapon of war. Hitler despises it in much the same way as Tony Galento boasted he wasn't losing any sleep about Joe Louis' right hook until it finally put him to rest. And Tony, too, had a 'secret' punch of his own."

A few days later, a section from a column in the Evening Standard had the following: "The chief protection of the place is those innocent looking slopes of grass covering a depth of earth which could absorb endless artillery fire, just as a man could protect himself against the hardest punches of Joe Louis, by covering himself with pillows."

BOTH RACES HAIL BOJANGLES ON RETURN TO RICHMOND

Richmond, Va., Dec. 28 (ANP)—A crowd of nearly 1,000 persons of both races met Bill "Bojangles" Robinson Sunday morning when he came home with his "Hot Mikado" show, and all that day other hundreds of Negroes and whites visited this city's famous dancington.

HOLLYWOOD'S LATEST FIND

Hollywood, Calif.—Miss Gladys Snyder, who having played in pictures years ago as a juvenile, finds that the studio's are again in need of her services and have asked that she be on hand for several screen tests for a lead part in an all colored production. Atlas Photo Service.

A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL