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**American Legion Presents Flags to J. E. Davidson, Recognizing Service**



J. E. DAVIDSON shows his new flags, presented to him by the American Legion, to Roy Page, Vice-President and General Manager of Nebraska Power Company.

In recognition of his service to the American Legion, American Legion Post No. 1 presented a set of silk desk-flags to J. E. Davidson, president of the Nebraska Power Company. National Commander Warren Atherton was the principal speaker at the April meeting, at which time the presentation was made.

The flag stand holds Old Glory and the American Legion flag, and it also carries the national emblem of the Legion. The back of this emblem has the following engraved inscription: "Presented to J. E. Davidson in recognition of his services to the American Legion."

In thanking Commander Vincent C. Hascall of Omaha Post No. 1 for this honor, Mr. Davidson said: "From the time Omaha Post No. 1 was organized, as an American citizen I have had a very high regard for its Legionnaires. I have cherished the opportunity to do what I could for the American Legion, in my endeavors to indicate in a small way my respect and admiration for you all."

In 1929, Mr. Davidson was selected by the Legion as Omaha's outstanding citizen of that year and was presented the American Legion Civic Service Citation.

**MISS EDITH ABBOTT KEYNOTE SPEAKER**

Miss Edith Abbott, former dean of the School of Social Administration of the University of Chicago, will be one of the keynote speakers at the Nebraska State Conference of Social Work to be held May 11th to 13th. Miss Abbott will address the luncheon session on Saturday, May 13th. Her speech will deal with the responsibility of the whole community for social welfare and will be of interest to the general public.

The Conference this year will conduct many sessions of vital work interest, stressing the needs of returning service men, the needs of youth, and the problems that will ultimately face the civilian war worker.

**N. W. Bell Telephone Co. To Receive National Security Award of U. S. Office of Civilian Defense**

Brigadier General Paul X. English, USA, Chief of Staff of the Seventh Service Command, will present the National Security Award of the United States Office of Civilian Defense to the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company at ceremonies to be held in the Central High School auditorium in Omaha starting at 7:45 pm. April 21. The ceremonies will be attended by telephone men and women, their families and escorts, representatives of O.C.D., the Army and the Navy and state, county and city officials. Admission will be by ticket.

Frank Fogarty, General Manager of the Omaha Chamber of Commerce will be the master of ceremonies.

R. J. Hopley, President of the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company, will accept the award on behalf of the Company.

Buttons symbolizing the award will be presented by Colonel Joe W. Leedom, Acting Regional Director of the Seventh Civilian Defense Region, to Fred R. Kappel, Vice President of the Company, on behalf of the men and women responsible for the management of the Company throughout its territory; Ray L. Rogers of Des Moines, Iowa, General President of the Northwestern Union of Telephone Workers, will accept the buttons on behalf of the Union's members; and Tom D. Berry, Chairman of the Omaha Inter-departmental Plant Protection Committee, will accept the buttons on behalf of the plant protection forces.

Other speakers on the program include Major General C. H. Danielson USA, Commanding General, Seventh Service Command; Brigadier General Guy N. Henninger, Adjutant General of Nebraska, and Dan B. Butler, Mayor of Omaha.

W. R. Johnson, Vice President and General Manager for the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company for Nebraska and South Dakota, will welcome the guests. The invocation will be offered by Chaplain (Col.) Earl D. Weed of the Seventh Service Command. A Color Guard of the Nebraska State Guard, in charge of Lieutenant Herman Zoesch, will present the colors.

A chorus of about 80 telephone men and women, conducted by Martin Watten, will sing four songs—"The Star Spangled Banner," "Eternal Father, Strong to Save," "Rise, Men Courageous," and "God Bless America."

The National Security Award will be presented to the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company in recognition of its superior standards of protection and security established for the safety of its personnel, service and plant facilities in the 633 cities and towns it serves as well as its network of long distance lines throughout Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska and North and South Dakota. The superior measures for which the award has been granted include protection against sabotage, air raids, fire, accidents, and other hazards.

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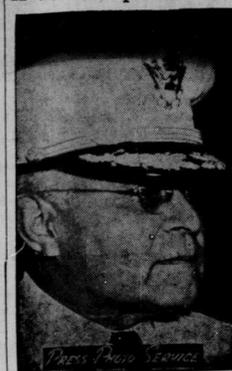
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**A General Speaks**



Los Angeles, Calif.—(By J. Robert Smith, for PPNS) As a result of his usual appeasement method in matters pertaining to the Army and the Negro, Brig Gen. Benjamin O. Davis turned out to be an unwelcome guest of his people in this city because the highest ranking Negro Army officer is quoted as saying, "He personally knows of no discrimination against Negroes in the Army." In an interview with members of the daily press Thursday, Gen. Davis, who is attached to the Inspector General's office in Washington, also told newsmen "that whenever charges of discrimination are called to the attention of the War Department, an immediate investigation is launched and remedial action taken, if necessary. In his press conference the General further said, "To the best of my knowledge, Negro troops are serving in all theaters of war, and are acquiring themselves in an exemplary fashion." The guest speaker before the local chapter of the American Legion, the same night, General Davis told his audience that the Negro is disgruntled for two reasons. One, because he is not being inducted speedily enough into the Army, and secondly, when inducted, he is not given the opportunity to do more fighting. The situation here has vividly brought back to the minds of local leaders the white-washing done by General Davis when he was assigned to England to investigate the alleged maltreatment of Negro soldiers there. The General, who is accompanied by Truman K. Gibson, civilian aide to the Secretary of War is enroute making a tour of local military facilities.

**NEGRO GUNNER OF FLYING Fortress RECEIVES AIR Medal, Cluster Post-HUMOUSLY**

A Negro flying sergeant, killed in action over Italy, was honored posthumously April 2, 1944, by the Army Air Forces at a ceremony held in the St. James Presbyterian Church at Greensboro, North Carolina, when Mrs. Louise Mears, mother of Technical Sergeant William G. Mears, received the Air Medal with the Oak Leaf Cluster, the War Department reported.

Sergeant Mears had completed five missions as an aerial gunner on a flying fortress and had an enemy Messerschmitt 110 to his credit before his plane was shot down in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations April 26, 1943. The 31 year old sergeant entered the service from DuFalo, New York, though his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Mears, live in Greensboro.

Captain George H. Fitch, representing Colonel Victor R. Woodruff, Commanding Officer of the AAF Technical Training Command's Basic Training Center No. 10, Greensboro, made the presentation to Mrs. Mears.

**PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT ENDORSES UNITED NEGRO COLLEGE FUND DRIVE LAUDING SCHOOLS FOR WAR EFFORT**

New York—President Franklin D. Roosevelt this week endorsed the \$1,500,000 drive of the United Negro College Fund by predicting that "men of good will everywhere" would support the campaign, and praising the schools for their contributions in the war effort.

In a letter to Walter Hoving, national chairman of the fund, at the office, 38 East 57th Street, the President expressed his familiarity with the work of many of the twenty-seven participating colleges and declared that these schools have contributed to the war effort, not only in the field of Negro leadership, but also in practical training of skilled and technical workers.

His complete statement follows: "Thank you for your letter telling me of the cooperative action undertaken by twenty-seven accredited private Negro colleges as a means of meeting the Negro's need for higher education and the nation's need for increased unity.

"I have long been familiar with the work of many of these Negro colleges and have made personal visits to a number of their campuses in recent years. Despite their limited resources, these schools have made manifold contributions to our war effort, not only in the field of Negro leadership, but also in the practical training of skilled and technical workers.

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**JUDGE TROYER VOTE HIGH**



Robert Troyer

An interesting sidelight on Tuesday's primary election was the large vote piled up by Judge Robert R. Troyer over his lone opponent.

On the basis of unofficial returns Judge Troyer has a lead of nearly 4 to 1. Old timers are discussing this remarkable showing by Judge Troyer in view of the fact that he has held office only a few weeks more than a year.

It is believed that in no other contested election in Douglas County has there been such an overwhelming vote of confidence as that given to Judge Troyer on April 11th.

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**NAACP CHAPTERS MARK NATIONAL NEGRO YOUTH WEEK APRIL 23-29**

New York—More than 9,000 members of 20 college chapters and 115 youth councils of the NAACP will observe National Negro Youth Week April 23-29. On Sunday, April 23, in church and chapel services, the contributions of youth to the war effort at home and abroad, will be discussed by youth members and church pastors. During the week school assemblies and classes will give attention to "Youth's Needs Now and in the Post War World."

On Friday, April 25, simultaneous mass meetings will be held to stress the program of the NAACP. At the same time they will give the "kick-off" to the Nation-wide Membership Campaign which begins on May 1.

Saturday, April 29, will be devoted to various types of entertainments, celebrating the 35th Anniversary of the NAACP and ending the week's activities.

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