

LOCAL NEWS

TOWNSEND CLUB No. 11

Our Townsend Club No. 11 met Monday, Sept. 25th at the Urban League center 2313 Lake Street. We were glad to have so many members out with us. We had a grand meeting and discussed a number of items for the near future, speaking to all who will listen, seeking help everywhere. Now that we have two more signers on our bill 1649, we have only six to go. The Townsend plan should be ours by Christmas. The Townsend Bill may be a law by election day, November 7th. We are a fortunate people for eleven years we have been in the vanguard of a great social movement bringing lasting prosperity and genuine security to our senior citizens. Eleven years is not so long measured in terms of Social movements. The prohibitionists to cite just one example, waited 50 years before they won the legislation they sought, and called themselves fortunate. We do not propose to wait that long of course, and yet we must be patient. Above all we must be fighting.

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ers. We must constantly tell our story to all who will listen.

We must teach them how the Townsend Plan will cause the fruits of the good earth to flow abundantly. So all may share their sweetness. Be sure to meet us at the mass meeting, which will be held in the morning Star Baptist Church on Sunday Oct. 22nd, 2608 Franklin St., at 3 o'clock pm.

L. W. McDonald, Pres.,
J. W. King, Vice Pres.,
Mrs. Edith Harrison, Secy.,
Mrs. B. B. Hawkins, Treas.

OPENING MEETING

The Jolly Matron Art Club held their opening meeting Friday evening Sept. 15th. Mrs. Harry Mason was hostess. We are glad to have our President back after a vacation of four weeks. She reports having had a wonderful time. She is back with the club at heart. Let us cooperate. She is asking that all members be present at the next meeting October 6th at which time Mrs. Helen Potts will be hostess. After a summer vacation it was good seeing all members at the close of the meeting. A lace cloth was laid and a lovely repast was enjoyed.

Mrs. Bertha Johnson, Pres.,
Mrs. Alferi Geary, Reporter.

TO TEXAS

Mrs. William Triplett, 2711 Wirt Street, left Monday night for Valley Mills, Texas, to visit her mother and brother. She expects to be gone about three weeks.

THE OMAHA A.M.E. MISSION

968 North 27th Street,
Sunday school 10:30 am.
Service 11:30 am.
October 8, 1944 special service.
Our guest preacher the Rev. O. A. Askenew and some of his people will come to us at 3 pm. October 8. You are invited as our special friends.
A. Davis is pastor.

RETURNS

We wish to announce that Rev. Frank Johnson of Chicago returned to our city Sept. 19th and has organized a Spiritual Church Sept. 22, 1944. Name of church Metropolitan Spiritual Church in Christ. Register in the Metropolitan Congress, Sept. 1944. Watch for special announcements service 26133 Burdette. WE. 3155.
Mother Woodie reporter.

HIS DITTY TOPS HARLEM

DUKE ELLINGTON (for PPNS) — Duke Ellington, his big Harlem band and who wopens Friday, Sept. 29, at the new downtown theatre in Chicago. The Master Maestro said that the Harlem big parade currently tops his popular little ditty, "My Little Brown Book." Mr. Ellington further said that during his stay in the Windy City, his troupe will play several war bond shows for the Treasury Department.

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"SHUFFLE ALONG MAY LIVE AGAIN"

Los Angeles, PPNS—Noble Sissle, one of the original writers, producers and stars in the magnificent, "Shuffle Along" musical comedy of a score of years back, announced from his Los Angeles home that the vehicle will live again. Mr. Sissle told a representative of this paper that the first stage production is underway and that by Xmas, he hopes to have the show premier. Flourney Miller, Eubie Blake, Sissle and the late Aubrey Lyles were the original stars of the "Shuffle Along" and the former three will star in the new production of the show.

I'VE BEEN AROUND New York
By TED YATES

Related exclusively by the INDEPENDENT PRESS SERVICE, 48 West 48th St., New York 19, N. Y.

"Strick" Is Strictly Groovy...

Few of the mixologists about Harlem are as popular as Johnny (On-the-Spot) Strickland. There's a reason for that, because no other bartender or nite club host has been as permanent a fixture as our friend Strickland. Strictly groovy with all who frequent Club 721, where he's manager, our friend "Strick" is a legend in Harlem.

We first met him in the early 20's at the popular frequented Moulin Rouge Restaurant. It was known as Mike's then—and, "Strick" was the first of the latest crop of hosts. Long may his tribe increase!

Just about the time that "Strick" was "going to school" (to borrow a phrase) a couple of pin-ups were beginning to get press notices. The lovely pair, Edna Mae Harris and Dolores Brown are today big names in show business. . . . Ralph Cooper was the matinee idol then. Today "Coop" is THE midnight owl, keeping the town alive with those zippy shows at the Elks Rendezvous.

The town hasn't changed much in those dozen or so years (Hello, Junior!) . . . Ella Fitzgerald, who was then the biggest star in the entertainment field, is now set to break box office records with the Ink Spots at the Cafe Zanzibar on Broadway where at present Sister Rosetta Tharpe, Peg-Leg Bates, the Clark Bros., and Cab Calloway's Orchestra are featured.

We've got to mention George Whitehead, the emcee at Small's Paradise, who, like other diversion seekers of yesterday, used to frequent Mike's, where "Strick" was formerly located.

The very next time you're making your round of the Harlem "hot" spots, look up these personalities . . . "Strick" at the Club 721 . . . George Whitehead at Small's Paradise . . . You are apt to meet up with the others whom I've mentioned at any of these niteries where it's good to be seen out now and then — it's good for you!

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Detroit, (PPNS)—Lena Horne, beautiful sepi star who has soared to unprecedented heights, shattered the house record of the Hughes

Downtown Theatre recently when she grossed \$54,000 for a week during the showing of her latest release, "Yellow Rose of Texas". This figure exceeded by \$7,100 the former record established by Tommy Dorsey

who played the opening date for the house. Miss Horne is the first colored attraction to be booked by the theatre. Her appearance here increased the race patronage by more than 25 percent.

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M. L. S.—I have one son and he is in service. He asked me about getting married and I told him he was entirely too young. He said he was marrying for me, because I didn't have no one to do for me if I should get sick while he was gone. He married anyway. The girl comes where I am all of the time but my husband will not talk to her. She seems to be a nice girl and I like her. He never did get along with my son. Am I doing right by letting the girl visit me? Advise me what to do.

Ans: The girl is your daughter in law and you must accept her as a member of the family. If her visits are causing friction in your home then you must not encourage her to visit you too often. Take it a point to invite her over at a time convenient for both you and your husband. This will eliminate her barging in too frequently. Since your husband is a little jealous, do not neglect him entirely when your daughter-in-law is around. Show him as much consideration as you would when you two are alone. Handle the matter tactfully and by so doing, you can bring about more congenial relations between your husband and daughter-in-law.

B. S. E.—Cy daughter wants to take a trip. Shall I let her go or not? I don't know the people that she wants to go with. My daughter just met the girl and she said she seems to be very nice. She is married and her husband and her are going away and wants my daughter to go along. Advise me what to do?

Ans: Pleasure traveling should not be encouraged at this time. Neither should you give your consent for your daughter to make a trip with a married couple whom you know nothing at all about. Encourage your daughter to save her money so that she can take a nice trip when the war is over. She wouldn't derive a great deal of pleasure from a trip under the present congested conditions and with a young married couple.

E. A.—I am in love with a man and I believe that he loves me. A few days ago he was made to marry another girl. But he said that won't make any change between he and I and so far as I can see it hasn't. He treats me just the same as he did before he married. But, I want to know must I go on with him. I am not married, I have two children and he is crazy about them but he isn't their father. Help me. Tell me what to do.

Ans: Give the man up now that he is married. If he had loved you as much as you are inclined to believe he wouldn't have become involved with another girl. For the benefit of your children, and yourself as well, choose your friends from the desirable single men as you really need a good husband. A married man can't offer you any future security. If you hang on to the married man you may lose what chances you might have for getting married.

M. M.—I have a wonderful husband overseas. I'm in love with a fellow of 32. He is married and has a child 7 years old. I know loving him is wrong and I am just being selfish, but I've tried to forget him and it is almost impossible. Please tell me what to do. I haven't seen him in 2 months now and I find myself thinking of him night and day. I'll do anything you suggest.

Ans: You admit that you have a

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