Scorn.
Yes they laughed when we prayed from the cotton field to the grave.
Claimed our minds knew of nothing higher to do.
Yet these same folk now call your name Why? I know God so do you.
Tis God's war they say and He's with us the way in everything we do.
Now God I've never questioned Your word since the birth of my day—But isn't it true what I long, long ago once heard them say—
That only black folks like me find time

-By Billy (Ink Spots) Kenny

# **LOCAL NEWS**

Miss Chloe Ann Webb of St. Louis, Mo., was guest of honor at a luncheon for 12 given Wednesday at the

Evangelist O. Curtiss of St. Louis, gins and Dr. W. Jones. Mo. will conduct revival service at Macedonia Spiritual Church, 1201 No. 24th street, beginning Sunday, Aug. 26. Everyone is welcome.

Mr. Ralph Whitehall of Schuyler, Neb. is here visiting Mrs. Bryant of 958 N. 27th St.

Mr. R. Whitehall of Schuyler, Neb. is here visiting Mrs. Bryant of 58 N. 27th St. Mr. Whitehall reports he is the only colored person in this little town. Mr. Whitehall is a broom maker by trade, and when the reporter stopped by he looked at some of the brooms which were made by Mr. Whitehall and they sure were wonderful. Mr. Whitehall is quiet, a nice man to meet. He also grows his own broom corn.

Mrs. A. Louis of 2229 Ohio St. entertained her jolly 24 Church Club

St. is very ill at the present.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson of 1725 8th St. have made very nice improve- reports that he has worked at the ment on theier home and sure looks Armour Packing Plant for 4 years the city. She has been confined to given on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. East. The two daughters Miss fine. Mr. Henderson is still with the and is now working in the clean up her home for 6 years with rheuma- Charles Banks, 1524 Ave. A, August Charleszine Davis and Mrs. Elizabeth N. P. Has been for 4 years. Mrs. Hen- gang. Mr. Anderson hopes he can tism. She is expecting to make her 28. All young people are invited to Pitts the wife of Dr. Pitts will in the control of the contr derson says she is so large in size she stay for a long time because I am well home in Omaha in the future. almost is compelled to stay home. pleased.

Mrs. Tucker of 1721 8th Ave. Sometime this year I visited Mr. and Mrs. Tucker. At that time Mr. Tucker was in good health and weighed 272 lbs. She reports that she has lost some weight now. She weighs 270. She has redecorated her home and it looks a great deal better. Mrs. Tucker was complaining about the heat

Mrs. N. Hunt of 1230 27th has 42 boys. One of them goes to school, Mr. Hunt works at the Milwaukee Round House. Been working there 6 months. Mr. Hunt reports that he likes his job fine. He has just gotten out of the hospital. Had to undergo an opera-

Mrs. E. Redman of 2526 Seward St. recently went to Memphis, Tenn. to visit her mother-in-law. Mrs. A. have as guest this week their neice, Dillard who is 81 years of age. Mrs. Miss Chloe Ann Webb of St. Louis, Dillard accompanied Mrs. Redman back and they are trying to persuade he rto stay. She says she likes Omaha, but that there is no place like home. Mrs. Dillard hadn't seen her son in 32 years. Mrs. has been ill every day since she returned and hasn't been home of her aunt, Mrs. G. C. Walker. able to take her mother-in-law out. She is under the care of Dr. H. Wig-

#### FOUR "C's" CREDIT UNION

The officers of the Four "C's" Credit Union are concerned with the new state law compelling all automobile owners to carry liability insurance. The Credit Union is investigating reports that Negroes are being refused this type of insurance by the liability companies. The Union hopes to make available some type of liability insurance to its members. Requirements for membership in the Credit Union are membership in the Urban League and shareholder in the

### THE TOMORROW'S

WORLD CLUB Mt. Zion Baptist Church of Lincoln, Nebraska, was host to the To-Mrs. E. Douglas of Sherman, morrow's World Club on Sunday, Texas has been visiting her sister and August 20. Appearing on the probrother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. gram rendered by the club members Pankey Sr. of 2219 Miami St. for the were Jack West, Dorothy Eyre, Dorolast ten days. Many social courtesies thy Watson, Nolene Whiteside and have been extended since she has Robert Montgomery. Mrs. Leola been here. One being a dinner in- Jones and Mr. Arthur B. McCaw, and ice cream. The meeting adjourned backing. cluding 18 guests at the home of her sponsors of the club, spoke briefly. to meet Aug., 1945 at the home of nephew, Chas. Panky Jr., 3110 Corby The Rev. Charles Favors and his con- Miss Eloise Deuereaux. St., everyone had an enjoyable time. gregation were well pleased with the

and as her special guest her Aunt, in India has arrived in the city and The old man seems to be growing old Mrs. E. Douglas of Sherman, Texas. is no living ith his ife at 2433 Cald- and getting feeble, but he is good August 14. Mrs. E. A. Pankey of 2219 Miami He was very glad to return home

Mr. Anderson of 1214 N. 25th St.



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## Millinder Brings Home The Bacon · And His Name Is Trevor

Omaha, Nebraska, Saturday, August 25, 1945

Trevor Bacon has been through the financial peaks and valleys with Lucky Millinder, his friend and boss. It's more than seven years since Trevor, a shy youngster, joined Millinder's music crew. Today Millinder has really brought home the Bacon, both for himself and Trevor! Few vocalists have clicked with such a consistent list of recording hits. Trevor has to his credit such Decca recording classics as "Slide Mr. Trombone", "You Go To My Head", "Sweet Slumber", "Big Fat Mama", "When the Lights Go On Again All Over the World", "Shipyard Social Function" and dozens of others.



TREVOR BACON

In case the girls would like to know the exact more kids at his heels. Trevor will be wearing a energy in tripping the light fantastic.

He was born in Indianoplis almost twenty-eight years ago and the boys in the band affectionately call him "Red". Ella Fitzgerald considers him the greatest of the male vocalists because "that man puts his heart and soul into every song."

His guitar isn't the only thing he's always picking on. He's a critical cuss who's always picking on his boss, Lucky Millinder. He lends the correct conservative touch to Lucius' mad but brilliant ideas. Together they make a musical team difficult to match.

If you ever take a sight-seeing bus through because there's bound to be about a hundred or earned his success.

statistics, Trevor is single, an excellent dresser, semi-loud sport-jacket, grinning broadly, and goodlooking and suave. He's tall, slim, lazy and tossing nickles and pennies to his admiring juvenromantic, a fiend around a jukebox, and a terrific ile throng. That's Trevor's way of spending a dancer-if the girl can talk him into expending Sunday afternoon pleasantly. And maybe there's a lot in it!

Bacon comes of his guitaring ability naturally. His folks were musical prodigies during their own youth, but were a for classical music. When Trevor first p a love for the guitar they were amazed and attle ashamed. To the legitimate music lovers a guitar is a lowly instrument. But as used by the trained hands of Trevor, the guitar can produce chords as lovely, and intricate as any violin, cello or harp. Because he couldn't practice home, Terror tramped the backyards of the surrounding neighborhoods, and not only got his experience, he made a profitable week's pay. With the money he earned Trevor paid a pro-New York's teeming Harlem, the chances are fessional music teacher, studied religiously and excellent that you'll catch sight of Trevor- doubled at a vocal studio. Young Bacon has

The So. Side Civic Club met at lisher of Negro Story and Child Play. | were served. club. Installation of officers was held initial eeting at the swang Hotel The- Grant.

COUNCIL BLUFFS NEWS

gust 15. Miss Anna Trigg, chairman

refreshments. From 7 to 8, the lesson in story form will be dramatized.

of the Entertainment committee, pre-

&Mr. A. F. Allen of 2705 Hamilton Beverly Cruse, Reporter. Phone 9582. St. was very busy talking over the Sgt. Denison ho has been stationed phone when the reporter passed by. A. C. P. Youth Council met at the Taylor of Omaha.

Mr. Murrell of 2304 N. 29th St. sented plans for a Kiddies Lawn

members who celebrated their birth- president. days in May, June, and July. They pie, cake, ice cream, watermelon, beer winners are as follows. The water- Thursday evening, August 17. melon contest, Lawrence Jennings; party more enjoyable. Everyone that from 6 to 7 during which time all attended this affair had an enjoyable will participate in games, singing and POPULAR DENTISTS

Miss Marcia Southard of Chicago, Gerry of 2602 Patrick. Miss South-Aug. 22, 1945. She aws accompanied back by Miss Regina Sims of 2314 N. 25th St. Miss Sims will spend 10 days in Chicago with Miss Southard.

Not Paul Turner

Mr. Henry W. Evans, the proprietor of the Evans Radio and Electric force, Ohio. Repair Shop at 2702 Lake St. wishes to announce to the public that the owned exclusively by him and that he grandson, Norman Douglass. has no connections whatsoever with the Radio Shop that was formerly ran by Mr. Paul Turner. He further wishes to announce that he is now in a position to get electrical parts for leave Wednesday, August 22, all electrical appliances and that he guarantees all of his work.

Mickey Jean Harris of 2301 N. 22nd street has been very much indisposed for a few days. She is on at a luncheon at her home for Misses!

Pvt. Wesley Taylor is on a 15-day church August 19 through 24. furlough iwt hhis parents of 2859 Miami. He is stationed in Camp Lee. and the community were saddened by Providence Hospital ha sbeen com-He is en route to Camp Beal, Calif.

LIONEL HAMPTON PICKS

ALICE BROWNING TO EDIT SWING BOOK ice)—Lionel Hampton, one of the visit his uncle and aunt, Mr. and tended vacation on the west coast do better now. Congressmen have private industry offsets the living biggest draws in the music world toMrs. Trotter and attend Boys' Camp. for the fine work he did in getting had two boosts in salary since then. costs that are about a third higher, day has announced that he will pub- He will be gone for about 10 days. these men together and perfecting lish a swing book in the Fall. For his Mrs. Mary Bell Cruse entertained this hospital organization to serve the editor he has chosen Mrs. Alice C. the Sophisticates at their club meet- mid city citizens. Mr. Hiram Dee was

Woodson Center, 3009 R St. on the Mrs. Browning was recently chosen Mrs. Alice Linton returned from above date at 8:00 p. m. A social President of the Negro Magazine two week vacation in St. Paul, Minn. meeting had been planned by the Publishers Association which had its as the house guest of Mrs. Lucille

officer. Mrs. M. Smith gave a book represented. Therefore the trim, at- 20th Century Civic and Art Club are: review on the History of the Early tractive Chicago editor is quite capa- President, Mrs. Lulu Mae Douglass: Negro. Refreshments were served ble of handling the affairs involved vice president, Mrs. Helen Bowens; which consisted of sandwiches, pop in the new boo kwhich Hampton is secretary, Mrs. Irma Jones; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Manila Copeland; treasurer, Mrs. Ocie Cooper; parliamentarian, Mrs. Lillie Mills; chaplain, Mrs. Frances Lee; auditor, Mrs. Hazel Means. The offi-The Executive Board of the N. A. cers were installed by Mrs. Belle

home of Mrs. Mary Cruse Tuesday, All persons having news are requested to contact Miss Beverly! The N. A. A. C. P. Youth Council Cruse at 1220-7th Ave. Phone nummet at Bethel A. M. E. Church Auber 9582.

will leave the city Friday the 17th to Party, which were unanimously ac- two daughters left Monday for an exreturn his mother-in-law to home in cepted by the members. It will be tended vacation trip through the attend. Admission 15c, 25c per cou- their mother who has been on h vacation for about two weeks in Chi-The Elks Iroquois Lodge No. 92 The Tabernacle B. T. U. had an cago, Ill. Attorney Charles F. Davi held their Annual Birthday Party early morning breakfast at Fairmount will stop in Chicago for a day and Aug. 19, 1945 at Carter Lake for the Park on August 12. Mrs. Douglas is from there he goes East to Philadel phia, Penn., where he will attend the Everyone is invited to attend the Elks Annual Convention While. he is served chicken, rolls, boiled eggs, Sunday evening meeting at 6 o'clock. in the East he will visit Washington, Kidney, Bladder Gas, Constipation, The Bethel Pastor's Aid met at D. C., New York City, Brooklyn, Jer-Indigestion, Billiousness, Rundown and pop. The contents, racing and the the home of Mrs. Kathleen Mitchell sey City and many other seaport cit- Nerves, Cramps, Rheumatism, Loss ies. On his return route he will stop The Tabernacle B. T. U. will be off for a few days in Detroit, Mich. the Fat Race, Mr. Chin; Field Rac- guest of the First Baptist Young Peo- From there to Chicago where he will ing, Baby June Gray. The Drum and ples Union on Sunday, August 26 at join his family for a few days in the Bugle Corps parades which made the 6 p. m. There will be a social hour Windy City before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Dee gave Those from the Tabernacle B. T. U. dinner party last Friday, Aug. 16 at Ill. as visiting her aunt, Mrs. Mable participating in the dramatization are 6:00 p. m. at the Shalimar Country Beverly Cruse, Anna Trigg, and Nor- Club. The following guests were inard left for Chicago, Ill. Wednesday, man Cave. All are urged to attend. vited in honor of Dr. Craig Morris Verle and William (Billy) Reeves, and wife: Dr. Hebert Wiggins and sons of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reeves, wife, Dr. and Mrs. Northcross, Dr. are visiting in the city. Billy Reeves, and Mrs. Gooden, Dr. and Mrs. Ter-U. S. Navy, is on leave from Hamp- rell, Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Lennox and ton Institute, Hampton, Va. Verle daughter, Dr. G. G. Jones, Mr. and Reeves is on his summer vacation Mrs. M. Johnson, Dr. and Mrs. Wesfrom Wilberforce University, Wilber- ley Jones, Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Singleton, Attorney Charles F. Davis Mrs. Lula Hall returned to Cali- and two daughters, Dr. and Mrs. fornia after an extended visit with her Hawkins, Dr. and Mrs. Solomon, Mrs. said shop at the above address is daughter, Mrs. Ruben Douglass and Blackburn who supervised as hostess to the party and Mr. C. C. Galloway. Miss Thelma Gamble of Hiawatha, | Just before dinner refreshments were Kansas, has been the house guest of served. Following menu was served: Miss Barbara Linton, 1621-8th Ave., Relish, Green Olives, Celery, Honey for the past two weeks. She plans to Dew Melon, Lettuce Tomato salad, Half of Fried Spring Chicken, with Chief Petty Officer Elmer Spires French fried potatoes, tring Beans, of the U. S. N. is visiting his sister, Coffee, Iced Tea, Cream and Miss Minona Spires, and friends. Of- Cake. All guests that were ficer Spires arrived here from Cali- present reports having a very enjoyable evening. Attorney Charles F Mrs. Blanche Golden, Mrs. Agnes Davis reported at this meeting that the road to recovery. She entertained Gross, Mrs. Tillie Reese, Rev. H. St. the purchased ground at 30th and Clair, and Miss Mildred Frazier left Wirt Sts. from Mr. Hiram Dee for the Emma Jones of St. Louis, Mo. and Sunday, August 19 for Des Moines, Providence Hospital had been paid Norma Jean Johnson of Pine Bluff, Ia. to attend the Iowa, Nebr., South for in cash and completed by the Dakota, and Minn. Baptist Association Douglas County Medical Society

By George S. Benson convening at the Corinthian Baptist members and Mr. Hiram Dee. Attorney Davis also reported that the com-Members of Bethel A. M. E. church pletion of the cooperation of the the shocking news of the passing of pleted and that the cooperation pa-Mrs. Alice Davis, 2004-7th Ave. Au- pers ha dbeen signed by the coopera-Mr. Bobby Willis, son of Mr. and State according to law. This Dinner Mrs. Jack Willis, left Saturday, Au- Party was given in honor of Dr. Craig gust 18 for Des Moines, Iowa, to Morris upon his arrival from an ex-

# Free Ticket To The Ritz for Kiddies!

"I Like to Bake" would like to bake a cake, Also I will make. Some iceing t go on top, And with it I will drink some pop. Valaria Joan McCaw, Editor.

"The Three Little Bluejays" Once there were three bluejays fly. Now there was one little blue-

Foreign Insurance The life insurance companies of the United States have never shown any great inclination to write life insurance in foreign countries, adding that today there are few American companies operating outside the continental limits of the United States. Several Canadian companies, however, have a fairly large life insurance portfolio overseas. In this connection the countries chosen by the United States and Canadian companies operating in the foreign field are generally more stable and consequently there is less risk of disturbance to foreign corporations in such countries

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PROMINENT CITIZEN DIES Mr. William Bell who lived at 2631 Binney St. who has lived in Omaha for a number of years died at a local hospital Sunday after a few weeks of serious illness. Mr. Bell worked at the Omaha Smelting Co. for a number of years. He and his wife had at one time operated the Montgomery grocery store at 2531 Lake St. He is the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. S. Montgomery. He leaves to mourn his wife, Mrs. Wililam Bell, his mother and father-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. Montgomery. The funeral was held at Cleaves Temple C. M. E. church at 2:00 p. m. Thursday. Burial, Forest

Dr. and Mrs. Price Terrell left for Minnesota Lakes for a two weeks vacation on the Lakes of Minnesota. While there they will be guests of Dr. LEARN GOD'S PEACE and Mrs. Clarence Singleton.

ECONOMIC SECURITY

Any time a workman quits a job in private industry to serve the gover ment, he gets his wage-scale frozen first but the wage is pegged. Who- are the gentlemen who make the ever works at it a generation later will laws. They could vote themselves a probably earn no more. Postmen and raise in pay but there is always resenators have parallel problems; luctance to introduce such a bill. food and housing expenses change

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who were the children of father bluejay and mother bluejay. The family lived in a little nest at the top of an old maple tree. One day when mother and father were hunting for vorms, the three children climbed on a limb and were going to try to

ay who thought he knew everything,

ne stood up straight and quickly

nped from the limb. Little brother

as hurt badly. Soon mother and father bluejay me home. They found their son at ne bottom of the old maple tree They picked him up quickly and flew up to their nest. And then "The Three Little Bluejays" never tried to fly without their parents' permission.

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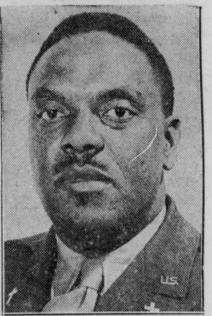
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wealthy Washington. It is wrong in

principle that government employees



24th's CHAPLAIN - Chaplain (Captain) Norman G. Long, Oberlin, Ohio, who is back in the States after 32 months' service with the 24th Infantry Regiment on Guadalcanal and the New Hebrides. A graduate of Atlanta University and Oberlin College, Chaplain Long entered the Regular Army in 1939. A special report recently rendered by the Inspector General of the Army commended the 24th Infantry Regiment for meritorious service on Saipan in the Marianas, pointing out that the unit had killed or captured an impressive number of the enemy, while maintaining excellent discipline and high morale. (II. S. Army photo from BPR.)

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