

## YMCA Note

Des Moines Iowa Hill Top measured a tennis team Sunday from the Omaha Near Northside Branch Y. M. C. A. 3-1 at Dewey Park. There were 33 games played during the match. Duward Crooms scored the only Omaha win. He erased Allen Ashby 7-9, 6-2, 6-3. Results Chet Williams, Des Moines, defeated James Lee 6-1, 6-1; Bill Ashby, Des Moines, defeated Roscoe Mitchell 6-1, 6-0; Williamson, Bill Ashby, Des Moines, defeated Ralph Adams Lee 6-2, 6-1.

Six matches were played in the Near Northside YMCA Tennis Tournament. All resulted in straight-set wins. Results:

H. H. Schauland defeated Elwood Fletcher 6-2, 6-4; Nathaniel Fitz defeated Wesley Ross 6-3, 7-5; James Lee defeated Lawrence Wilkerson, 6-2, 6-1; Elwood Fletcher defeated Eddie Gilmer, 1-2, 8-6; Roscoe Mitchell Earl Graves defeated Frank Wilkerson, 1-2 8-6. Survivors and Matches in Singles: Duward Crooms, vs Harry Rutledge; H. H. Schauland vs James Lee; Roscoe Mitchell vs Nathaniel Fitz; Doubles: Lawrence Wilkerson and Nathaniel Fitz vs Roscoe Mitchell-Earl Graves.

## COMMUNITY NIGHT PROGRAMS ENJOYED BY LARGE CROWD

Approximately 300 persons were in attendance at the first Community Night Program at Corby Playground on Friday night Aug. 1. The Community Band under the direction of George Bryant entertained the crowd with some stirring marching numbers, then followed movies, composed of cartoons, and sports shorts, and community singing. The community singing was led by Adelle Foxall Hinton assisted by the Senemore Choral Group which is directed by Mrs. Hinton. The program this week will start at 7:30 p. m. with Juke Box selections, movies and community singing. Programs have been arranged for the entire family.

## CAMP

Only 20 more days remain before many happy youngsters will leave for the Omaha Period at Camp Strader, Crete, Nebraska. It is expected that over 50 boys will be in attendance at this period.

## This Week

BY H. W. SMITH

The hot weather has been in power for a week in Nebraska.

The sensational slay in California of human slave ended. Miss Jones received 6 thousand dollars and Judge Weinberger suspended the 3 year prison sentence of Mrs. Ingalls. In view of it being a Federal charge, it is not known if the U. S. Government will act.

A nine year old boy was injured when he got off a street car at 16th and Clark st., from the rear and ran into an auto on Sunday, August 3.

The Denver and Rio Grand R. R. Bridge over the Royal Groge at Cannon City, Colorado was damaged by fire on Sunday, Aug. 3. All rail traffic was blocked over the bridge. It was believed to have started from a picnic at the west end of the bridge.

Omaha police arrested two boys aged 16 and 22 years of age for robbery and high-jacking at Union, Nebr. The arrest was made on August 3.

A South Omaha burglar broke in a cafe through a rear window Saturday night, Aug. 2, drank two chocolate milks, and rang up 20 cents on the cash register.

Two men were injured when a Chicago and Northwestern engine hit an auto in Council Bluffs, August 3.

A man and wife and family of five from Butte Montana were robbed of 2 hundred dollars in Chicago on Sunday, August 3. Strangers befriended them and presented them with 2 hundred dollars.

San Francisco, Calif. had a double celebration on Sunday, Aug. 3; they observed twin occasions—Arbor Day and Army Day with a show and regatta and open house celebration.

This writer sketched over the 11 years stowaway letters by Robert T. Lincoln, son of former President Lincoln. As usual, they were very interesting, being published by the Chicago-Herald American. There were quite a number of items of President Lincoln's activities and home life, as he was at all times very considerate.

**High Fire Toll**  
For many years deaths in the United States due to fire have been averaging around 10,000 a year.



The above group photo shows part of the N. A. A. C. P. Solicitors at the Est-West Annual Baseball Classic played last Sunday at Comiskey Park. This is the second year Dr. J. B. Martin and the officials of the Negro American and National Baseball Leagues have given the Chicago Branch NAACP the privilege of making such solicitations to aid in its continued fight for civil rights for all Negroes.

Mrs. Beatrice Hughes Steele, Secretary, Chicago Branch NAACP and Mrs. Cora Patton were in charge with the help of the following:

Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson, Mrs. Carrie Roberson, Mrs. Leonora Coleman, Mrs. Josie V. Dowell,

Mrs. Pearl Cartman, Mrs. Laura Webster, Mrs. Clara Robinson, Mrs. Marietta Morgan, Mrs. Mary Ann Parker, Miss Pauline Wallace, Mrs. Anna Bowman, Miss Mattie Kelly, Mrs. Lucille Harris, Mrs. Mildred Allen Givens, Mrs. Arnetta Cogwell, Mrs. Mae Scott Goodwin, Mrs. Georgia Allen, Mrs. Katy Days, Miss Sarah Tillman, Mrs. Artimere Hain, Mrs. Agnes Jackson, Mrs. Maude Craig, Miss Iola Grandison, Mrs. Dorth, Bessie Hughes Brydie.

The above mentioned Supervisors were ably assisted by: Julianne Gunther, Clara Johnson, Cammie McGray, Annette Clavier, Bernice Williams, Hazel Ramsey, Fannie Williams, Annette Foster, Marie Ramsey, Freddie Gamble,

Blanche Cecil, Corine Summers, Pepper Taylor, Inez Weston, Aueline Armant, Marceline Davis, Vernon Oliver, Ethel McCann, Juanita McEwing, Amerilus Allen, Levenia Haynes, Geraldine Haynes, Sarah Bearden Ora Lee Wilbert, Victoria Clarke, Pearl Allen Clark, Hazel Langemon, Dixon, Carolyn Combs Iris Gunther, CharMayme Smith, Ella Cooke, Gwendolyn Sellers Alice Michell, Katherine Kent, Louise Taylor, Naomi Roland, Pauline Frederick, Blanche Edwards, Mary Abernathy Picola Smith, LaDonna Barry, Emily Jackson, Edna McCoy, Kathryn Marie McLean, Margaret Brandon, Luvenia Beaver Mary H. Pharr, Lela Shelby, Marie Baker, Alma Ellis Lelia Terry, Sallie Baker, Alta Rucker Dorothy Tramel, Bernice Miller, Marie Catholic, Alma Jeter, Ruth Hurley, Willie Kennedy, Ivy Price Patricia Skes, Fannie Lawrence, Cornelia York, Ora Lee Allen, Gloria Cartman

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and by a man who believes in a square deal to all, see Mr. Ted Metcalf, the old reliable. He has made many friends by his methods of fair dealing and honesty to all. He is formerly Lt. Gov. of Nebr., admired by all. Give him a call. Always ready to serve you. Thanks.

Don't forget the Short Radio, 2007 Ames ave. The same young man is there that I called your attention to sometime ago. He's better prepared to repair your radio and to give you the very best of service. If you don't feel like driving to his place, call him and he will pick your radio up and repair it and return same to you. Call KEN 0961 anytime. Thanks.

Miss Marie Todd, daughter of Rev. A. M. Todd of Sedalia, Mo., is visiting in the home of Mrs. H. C. Smith, 1920 North 25th st.

Mrs. Lovely Jackson, of Youngstown, Ohio, has spent five weeks visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anderson, 2612 Patrick ave. She returned home Saturday morning. She thanks the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson who helped to make her visit a pleasant one.

## McDONALD REPORTING

Shainholtz Drug Co., 20 and Missouri ave., prescription specialist, has been in the same location many years, serving the public with the very best Honesty and fair dealing has always been his motto. He has always tried to sell his goods at a living price. He also carries a line of ice cream, cigars and candy—anything found in a first-class drug store. Stop in and see him any time. Call MA 0309.

Mr. Y. H. Clark, 918 Farnam st., well prepared to take care of your house troubles such as siding, insulation and roll roofing. All work guaranteed. Call him anytime. AT 5060.

F. Kopecky Bakery, 2401 Q st., everyone knows where it is, because if you stop in there and buy some of those nice bakery goods you will sure look for her place when you are hungry. Nice courteous service to all and the very best bakery goods of all kinds. Call and be convinced and you will be sure to call again. Thanks for your past patronage. Call again.

Geist Market, 1917 Missouri av. a real nice grocery everything is spic and span and when you enter you meet a nice courteous gentlemen ready to serve you with a smile. See him first.

Mr. Lewis McVea, 3852 Cass st., born and reared in Omaha and has been an employee of the Omaha National Bank since he was 13. He is now Asst. Cashier and has served in many other positions since he began with the bank. There is not a man in the state of Nebraska or the city of Omaha that is really liked and admired as much as Mr. McVea. He is absolutely honest and true to his trust, a credit to the city and the institution in which he is now employed.

Some years ago, Mr. McVea's father moved to California. On reaching California he became sick, stayed there a few days, and then attempting to come back to Omaha. He overtaken by death in Council Bluffs, his son, Lewis, remained with the bank. Mrs. McVea passed about 15 months ago. This left two sons, Lewis and Cliff, who is now in California. Two nice young men, well-prepared to face this world of many obstacles and trials. We wish we had more McVeas in the city of Omaha.

Mr. Leonard Dilla, 929 Douglas st., asks his friends and the public to see him when in need of oil or car repairs. His business is located on the corner and you can't help but see it. When in trouble with your car, see him. Thanks.

Mr. Walter Kiehn, 6315 R. ave., has been in the same location many years. You would be surprised to see such a store in Al-bright, a full store that carries everything one could wish—a nice sanitary place to behold. Mr. Kiehn is a fine man to deal with and to talk with. Fair deal to all, regardless. Thanks for your past patronage. Call again.

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## DEATHS

Mrs. Jennie Gibson age 70 years died July 30, residence 2045 N. 19 st. Mrs. Gibson has been residence of Omaha thirty years, and a member of Zion Baptist Church. She is survived by two daughters Mrs. Lula Reid, San Diego, Calif. Mrs. Elizabeth Gorham, Omaha, Nebr., grand son Mr. Charles Bowden, six great grand children and other relatives. Funeral services were held two o'clock Monday afternoon from Zion Baptist Church, with Rev. F. C. Williams officiating assisted by Rev. F. J. Bryant. Pallbearers were Messrs H. T. Swain, Robert C. Davis, Lovely Littlejohn, A. Ousley, Seth Anderson, Penny Clark. Burial at Prospect Hill Cemetery.

Mr. Lewis V. Gray, 66 years 2524 Patrick ave., died Saturday August 2, at a local hospital. Mr. Gray had been employed at Swift Packing Company for a number of years and retired in 1946. In 1923 he united with the former Grove Methodist Church which is now Clair Methodist Church. At the time of his demise he was a member of Clair Methodist Church, president of the choir, treasurer of the Trustee Board, general Church treasure unit leader and custodian of the Church member Methodist Men's club and other civic organizations. He is survived by his wife Mrs. Tenola Gray, Omaha, daughter Mrs. Lucil Clay, Gary, Ind. six sisters Mrs. Mayne Hedge, Miss Ella Gray, Keokuk, Iowa, Mrs. Eva Rakin Flint, Michigan, Mrs. Mary Walls, Carlsbad, Tex. Mrs. Myra Hickman, Chicago, Ill. Mrs. Debora Smith, Clarksville, Texas, Four brothers Mr. Arch Boham, Texas, Mr. Henry Gray, Bagwell, Texas, Mr. Walter Gray, Oakland, Calif. Mr. Finis Gray, Omaha Nebr., two grand daughters son in law Rev. Fredrick E. Clay, Gary, Ind. and other relatives. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon from Clair Chapel Methodist Church. Rev. C. C. Reynolds Officiating assisted by Rev. J. E. Wade, Rev. Marion Jones and local pastors. Burial was in the family plot Forest Lawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Elizabeth Stone age 57 years, 2735 Seward st., died Friday August 1, at a local hospital after an extended illness. Mrs. Stone had been a residence of Omaha, thirty years and was a member of Pilgrim Baptist Church. She was survived by an Aunt Mrs. Fannie McDowell, Omaha sister in law and other relatives. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon from Pilgrim Baptist Church with Rev. Charles Favors officiating assisted by Rev. F. S. Goodlet, Rev. J. H. Reynolds, Rev. J. W. Rodgers, Pallbearers Messrs John L. Bledsaw, Tom Jones, Brown, Celo McDonald Macfee, Joe Allen.

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**GIRL CARPENTERS**  
AT THEIR OWN REQUEST A GROUP OF GIRLS AT CITY MISSION WAS GIVEN PERMISSION TO SHARE IN SUPERVISED WOODWORKING CLASSES.

**POPULAR**  
AT LEAST THREE STORES HAVE STOCKED MORE HEAVILY WITH HOBBY CRAFT SUPPLIES USED IN RED FEATHER YOUTH PROGRAMS.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**  
James E. Pounds, 2202 N. 21 30 Violet L. Curtis, 2202 N. 21, 19

Daughter Beula L. McKay, im-Jurisdiction, made her official visit to the Zoha Court No. 52, perial Commandress of the Imperial Court Daughters of Isis of North and South America and Daughters of Isis of Omaha. Thursday night, July 31, 1947. She was welcome with a dinner at the home of Noble and Daughter Richard Turner. Following the business meeting, she was presented with a lovely gift from the Daughters by Daughter Cloma Scott, and then the Daughters said goodbye to her with a tea at the home of Noble and Daughter Edward Bulford.

## PRE-CONVENTION PROGRAM

Phe-convention program of the New Era State Convention, August 11, 1947—7:30 p. m.—Pilgrim Baptist Church, 25 and Hamilton Prelude—Piano and Organ; Negro National Anthem; Prayer by Rev. N. L. St. Clair; Chaut—Lord's Prayer by Parks Choirs and congregation; Solo—Lord's Prayer—Malotte—by Mr. Paul Briggs; Choir—Morning Star; Mrs.

Bernice Davis; Choir—Bethel Baptist; Trio—Mrs. Andrews, Silent, Washington; Choir—Mt. Moriah; Address by Rev. John Favors; Choir—Salem; Offering; Choir—Mt. Nebo; Solo by Mr. Mallory; Choir—Pilgrim; Solo by Mrs. M. C. Williams; Choir—Zion, Rev. M. C. Williams, Pres. of State Convention Mrs. Cora Haynes, Pres. of Weinous Dept. Program committee Mrs. M. L. Dixon

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