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Post Office Employees News By PERCY R. HINES

The election of a delegate to represent the Chicago Branch of the National Alliance of Postal Employees at the convention of the parent body in Jacksonville, Fla., August 20 to 24, will feature the monthly meeting of the local organization Sunday, June 2, at 3 p. m., at the YWCA, 4559 So. Parkway, Whitney Ewell, 659 E. 50th place and Alonzo Jernigan, 1751 Forestville ave., are avowed candidates for the honor, while it is reported that others will seek election. Vice president William A. Shepherd will preside in the absence of President Edgar D. Craig, who will be in Columbus, Ohio for the District convention of the territory comprising the states of Wisconsin, Illinois, Ohio, Michigan and Indiana. Norval Perkins and your scribe will also attend the convention.

Members of the Federal Women's club headed by Miss Lottie J. Gordon, will give their annual spring party, an invitational affair, Saturday evening, June 1, at the Arcade, 35th and State sts. Miss Ruth Ellen McConnell is chairman of the event. This group is one of those supporting the Chicago Council of Federal Organizations of which Orion N. Page is president.

Last Sunday afternoon, the Chicago Council of Federal Organizations met in regular monthly session at the C. N. D. A. clubhouse, 4941 South Parkway, and acted favorably on the proposition presented by its housing committee which is aimed at securing a club house for the many groups of federal employees. Eleven groups make up the council which is doing practical work along social, civic and economic lines. Organizations having three representatives each in the Council are as follows: Postoffice 400 Club, Twenty Club, Orions Club, Catona Club, Postoffice Dispatchers Club, Postal Dramatic League, Federal Woman's Club, Phalanx Club, Federal Athletic and Civic Association, Pioneer Duplicate Club and the Chicago Branch of the National Alliance of Postal Employees.

The officers are: Orion N. Page, president; Edgar F. Charles, vice president; Roger W. Margorum, recording secretary; Guida G. Hines, assistant recording secretary; Elizabeth Cain, corresponding secretary; Harris Tucker, assistant corresponding secretary; James G. Lee, treasurer and Barney B. Goldsmith, Parliamentarian.

Senior Patrick McCarran of Nevada will address an opening meeting of postal workers Sunday June 2, at 2:30 p. m., at the Palmer House, State and Monroe sts. The gathering is sponsored by the Chicago Postoffice Clerks Union and other groups affiliated with the organized labor movement. Senator McCarran is author of the measure recently passed by Congress restoring the basic salaries of government employees, following a reduction which lasted two years.

Wabash "Y" Activities

June 30, at 3 p. m., at the Wabash Avenue Y. M. C. A., 3763 South Wabash avenue, some of the leading music units of the city will give a musical program of glee clubs, quartets, and orchestras and bands, all being members of the industrial section of the Y. M. C. A. The concert will be an annual affair.

Taking part in this program will be Armour Jubilee singers and Armour quartet; International Harvester Glee club and quartet; Calumet shops band; Pullman quartet; Swift quartet and Wilson orchestra.

Rain played havoc with the opening week of the Industrial Baseball league, causing the postponement of the first three games. With the teams this year evenly matched, this will probably make the race tighter and let an outsider slip through for the championship honors.

Leaders in this year's race are Armour Stars, G Manning; Calumet Shops, B Lewis; Chicago Paper Container, F. Eichelberger; Fort Wayne, F. Eichelberger; International Harvester, E. Hill; I. H. Tractors, W. Giles; Libby, H. Neale and Libby, F. Balda; McCormick Giants, G. Peoples; Swift Premiums, P. Weightman; Wilson Certified, J. Wilson.

The schedule for next week: June 3, Chicago Paper Container vs. Armour Stars; June 4, Swift Premiums vs. Wilson Certified; June 5, I. H. C. Tractors vs. L. b. by, McNeil and Libby; June 6, International Harvester vs. Fort Wayne; June 7, McCormick Giants vs. Calumet shops.

APPOINTED TO MUSIC POST IN NEBRASKA SCHOOL

Lincoln, Neb., May 29—(AN P)—P. M. E. Hill has been appointed a teacher of public school music by the board of education of Lincoln. This is the first time that a colored instructor has been employed by the local board. Mr. Hill is well known in Nebraska musical circles, having received his training at the University of Nebraska. He is the brother of the late Zanyze H. Hill, Nebraska's first and only colored woman lawyer.

The last registration for the city-wide bridge tournament being conducted by the Metropolitan News is Tuesday, June 4, at 5 p. m. Register now.

BOY SCOUT NEWS By DR. WILLIAM H. BENSON DISTRICT EXECUTIVE DOUGLAS DIVISION Englewood 1374 943 Prairie Ave.

Douglas Division is being congratulated on the part it played in making the parade and annual sermon of the 8th Regiment the success that it was.

The division made an excellent showing having 215 boys in the line of march. Cubmaster A. L. Williams had about 25 cubs from pack 3539, and they made an excellent showing.

The drum and bugle corps from troop 541 (although late and undisciplined) made an excellent showing. Scoutmaster Wordie Murrell and Assistant Scoutmaster Lawrence Branch showed fine cooperative spirit by helping the drum and bugle corps to catch up with the parade and to get in its proper place at the head of the column. It is hoped that when next public appearance is made that these two splendid leaders will have this potentially fine outfit under better control.

Scoutmasters Robert DeJarnette, Sidney Poole, Leroy Peace, John Harris and Assistant Scoutmasters James Bodie, Fred Ross, David Allison, Edward Brown and Moses Brown were present and ably assisted in getting the outfit in proper formation at the start and keeping it so during the parade.

It is the feeling of most of the members of the division that we should appear more often in public as a division so that the necessary discipline and esprit de corps that distinguishes a fine organization from a mob can be developed. It is also hoped that when we are on parade again that we will have at least 400 of the 600 registered scouts of the division in line along with a much larger number of our fine Scout masters and Assistant Scoutmasters.

Attention of Scoutmasters is called to the fact that the parade

Sunday was an authorized Division activity and all units that participated are entitled to "activity credit" under the troop achievement index system of the Chicago Council Boy Scouts of America. The troop achievement index system of the Chicago Council Boy Scouts of America is a scientific rating system which grades Scout Troops on the quality of the program being put over by the troop. There are six major items of program that the troop is rated on; they are: A. Advancement, whether or not Scouts of the troop are appearing before the various examining boards and earning higher rank. B. Out-door activity, whether a troop is making it possible for its Scouts to go on week-end trips, educational hikes, etc. C. Growth, whether new 12 year old boys are being brought into the troop to give it new life. D. Training, whether the leaders are attending offered training courses or conducting training courses within the troop. E. Activity, whether or not the troop participates in authorized district and Council activity such as hikes, etc. F. Bonus, extra points given for prompt reorganization.

The history of Douglas Division shows that those troops that are closely affiliated with and sponsored by a permanent institution such as a well organized church or club and which have A, B, or C under the above rating system are the ones that live the longest and are able to do the most good for the largest number of boys.

Ask the Scoutmaster of the troop, sponsored by your church what his rating under R. A. I. is.

Hall Branch Library 48th St. & Michigan Ave.

The Chicago Public Library and its branches is again offering to its readers Vacation Loans of books for the vacation period from June 1 to September 30. Vacation loans must be made in one transaction but books may be returned in installments at any time within the period. For full particulars ask at the information desk of your branch library.

Some very interesting new books by and about the Negro have just been received by Hall Branch. Some of the following titles are recommended for special notice: "Ollie Miss" by George Henderson is a fine contribution to the literature of the Negro. It is written by a young colored man. The story is about a small group of share croppers—Negroes on a small southern farm in Alabama. Ollie is a big, capable, quiet girl, whom men desire, but who wants only love, a good for nothing fellow with many girls. Ollie has a personal dignity which lingers in the mind of the reader. The author writes simply and naturally about people he knows.

"The Black Consul" by Anatoli Vinogradov is a narrative of Haiti and the French Revolution. It opens with the arrival of a Negro delegation to Paris in 1789 to seek from the Revolutionary government freedom for Haiti. The protagonist is Toussaint L'Ouverture, a wise and benign leader. Much of the action takes place in Paris and through the pages the familiar figures of Robespierre, Marat, Lafayette, Christophe, Dessalines, Dr. Guillotine and Napoleon pass in review. The author is a Russian who has been a writer for the past

about Haiti are "Marshall, Story of Haiti," "Niles, Black Haiti," Davis, "Black Democracy," Vanderook, "Black Majesty," Waxman, "Black Napoleon." Paul Lewinson's, "Race, Class and Party" is a history of Negro suffrage and white politics in the South. The author takes an impartial attitude in his record of Negro suffrage south of the Mason-Dixon line and covers his subject from the beginning down to the present time. The occasional uniting of a fund-raising bi-partisan Negro party and the exploitation of the Negro vote are emphasized. The book is a contribution toward a better understanding of the race question. Race segregation and inter-racial co-operation in religious organizations and institutions in the United States are the subjects covered in Trevor Bowen's, "Divine White Right." From the slave era to the New Deal, the plight of the Negro in this country is investigated with great thoroughness and some startling results. The author's plea for a new, fair deal for Negroes is substantiated by constructive suggestions.

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Plan Course For Ministers At Tuskegee

Tuskegee Institute, May 30—(ANP)—The second annual short course session for ministers will be held at Tuskegee Institute the week of June 3-7, it was announced today. More than 200 ministers have already enrolled for the course. Additional registrations are expected during the week.

A distinguished group of lecturers, speakers and christian leaders will come to Tuskegee during the week and will participate in the activities of the short course. They will conduct lecture courses, speak at public meetings and in addition will be available at all times for conferences and consultations with individual ministers and groups of ministers with reference to their church and community problems and will assist in the arrangement of suggestive programs that will meet the needs of the one who will come to Tuskegee for the course.

Among those who will come to Tuskegee for the ministers' short course are Dr. V. D. Jemison, president, Alabama Baptist State Convention; Bishop B. G. Shaw, Dr. John E. Ford, Jacksonville, Fla.; Dr. S. S. Seay, presiding elder, A. M. E. Zion church; Rev. J. Raymond Henderson of Atlanta, Ga., and a large number of other distinguished leaders in the ministerial profession, including the staff of religious workers at Tuskegee Institute. The Institute is under the direction of the Rev. J. V. Richardson, chaplain at Tuskegee Institute.

Although the short course for ministers is only in its second year it has grown into enormous popularity. The aim is to raise the standard of the profession, to sustain and increase interest in and to make more effective religious education and to encourage research and study in respective fields. The Institute is proving to be one of the greatest agencies for the betterment of the ministry in this section of the country.

Aside from religious instruction the staff of workers in the recreational department have arranged a schedule of play for the ministers and the Institute has placed its entire recreational facilities at their disposal.

The short course will open Monday evening, June 3, at 8 p. m., with a public meeting in the Institute chapel. Bishop B. G. Shaw will preach the opening sermon.

ADDRESSES GRADUATES

New Orleans, La., May 30—(ANP)—Rev. Judson L. Cross, president-elect of Tougaloo college delivered the commencement address last Friday night at Straight college, marking the close of this historic institution, which merged with this fall with New Orleans university into the new Dillard university. Nineteen degrees were conferred at these final exercises.

The first building being erected by the U. S. government on land owned by the American Missionary association. It received its name from Hon. Seymour Straigh of Hudson, Ohio, its first president, in grateful acknowledgment of his many liberal gifts to the school.

to finances, membership and staff of the associations surveyed.

W. T. Waterford has this to say about it: "It is a very clear and illuminating statement as to methods of serving a great social group in our modern city. Mr. Arthur shows thorough acquaintance with social and religious conditions among Negro peoples and he brings to bear upon his theme a ripe scholarship, a dispassionate attitude and a balanced judgment which make his work reliable and constructive. No person interested in the problems of adjustment of disadvantaged groups can afford to miss this very helpful statement. In particular every secretary of a YMCA and every minister should read with care this very thoughtful work."

Do you contemplate making a trip out of town? It will be nice to let your friends know that you are away on a little visit. So send the facts to the Metropolitan News. It will be published free of charge.

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Views-The Collegian-Comments Edited by CHARLES P. BROWNING Department of Philosophy University of Chicago

Editor's Note: The Metropolitan News wishes to give credit where credit is due. In our Tuesday's edition in this column there appeared two articles "Pull Up Your Buckets, Young Booker Ts" and "Free, Black, and 21." These were from the facilen of Miss Alyce Cathryne Watson, a former student at Union university, and a graduate of Tennessee A. and L. College. We shall be glad to receive similar contributions from other young college folk, so that we can keep a finger on their pulse, and tell what they have contracted in the college atmosphere.

ON WAR By CHARLES P. BROWNING

A man cannot believe and know a thing at the same time. One well known eastern writer recently expressed the opinion that war was necessary and inevitable, and that therefore, he was not against the munitions manufacturers. This article reminded me somewhat of the story about the little boy on the train. It seems that the little fellow had left a window open, an act which irritated one gentleman to the point that he promptly bawled out the little boy. "Where do you think you are?" "In a barn?" The boy replied to a corner to cry. The man, concerned over his loss of temper, told the little fellow that he was sorry if he had hurt his feelings. The boy replied, "No, I am not angry, but sad. You see, I was born on a farm, and every time I hear a jackass bray, I get home sick."

There are men today that need classification such as this. The writer expresses his opinion, and it may give him some satisfaction. It however affords no knowledge that is useful for the men and women who make an effort to show all mothers, on the Memorial Day that the people who pretend to be intelligent are striving to erase the curse that war throws over all there is no more fitting classification than the one the old Arab

made long ago: "If a man knows not, and ignorant; teach him. If a man knows (and knows not that he knows he is asleep); wake him. If a man knows and knows that he knows, he is a leader; follow him.

In this day of chaos and confusion, we need leaders who know the truth and are willing to disseminate the permiss of knowledge to all humanity. However, this knowledge must be constructive in order to lead to the wisdom that will be the salvation of mankind. The price that we pay for peace is cheaper than war. The wisdom of the above statement does not... of the forces that were at work in this country prior to 1860, which would have accomplished the freedom of the Negro without the civil war. And if this war did purport to set the Negro free, it is my observation that this freedom has an unusual tinge of slavery. When the student and the educator attempt to outlaw war as an essential part of our so-called civilization, they are merely trying to put into practice the teachings of Christ, for they realize that this world looks to God, and His Son for perfection.

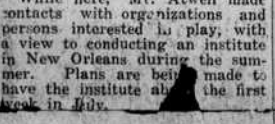
Perfection is not our final goal, but we are interested in the ever enduring process of perfecting, maturing, refining and living. Society when it resorts to war as a means of solving its problems, is in a state of deterioration which leads to gentility. It is similar to the tactics of our primitive fathers, whose practices we scorn and sneer at. Man often fights to keep from thinking. Hereafter, we intend to do the thinking BEFORE the war, instead of relegating that intricate process to our thinkers in peace conference. The foolish may BELIEVE that war is good, but we KNOW that war, and any other institution that defeats the process of living leads to a pathological social order. If men will stop talking about what CAN NOT be done, and will do what CAN be done, the problems of the world will soon be solved.

RECREATION INSTITUTE PLANNED FOR SUMMER

New Orleans, La., May 30—(ANP)—Ernest T. Aawell of the National Recreation association, passed through the city last week en route from Houston, Texas, where he had just completed a survey, to his New York office, with stops at certain points along the way.

While here, Mr. Atwell made contacts with organizations and persons interested in play, with a view to conducting an institute in New Orleans during the summer. Plans are being made to have the institute at the first week in July.

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