

The Greater West Side

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Memorial Day Program Held At Tennyson

Memorial Day Program was held at the Alfred Tennyson School Tuesday forenoon. The Star-Spangled Banner was sung by the Assembly. A memorial Day speech by Edith Northington, a Salute to the Flag in Flanders Field by both boys and girls of Room 103 were features. The speaker of the day was introduced by Harry W. Wood, the Principal. There was an Ode to Memorial and Taps and an unfolding of the Flag by John Simon and David Lane. The program concluded with Keller's American Hymn by the Assembly.

In the kindergarten class the children sang, "There is no Flag in my hand like our own Red, White and Blue." In another room the children were being shown slide pictures in connection with their Geography class work. Some children had arranged their own Memorial Day program and composed their own poems. It was rather interesting to see smaller children being taught the whole story and the words were being taught by means of flash cards.

The childrens creative art is being employed in these activity programs. Certain habits and attitudes are established. Skill and technique are being developed.

The trend of thought seems to be that children should have a chance to choose, discuss, create and think independently. In this way a school environment provides growth and development.

The teachers are Helen McGregor, assistant principal; Irene Ambrosius, Roberta Anderson, Phoebe C. Arrington, Susan L. Markle, Milton J. Bauman, Carmen Covington, Alfred Dollinger, Goldina Effron, Eunice C. Goodwin, Gordon R. Gots, Bertha M. Grisham, Duncan McGregor, Margaret B. Olson, Jean L. Smith and Frances V. Moynihan.

Rev. Samuel D. McMann, from St. Louis, Mo., preached a soul-stirring sermon at the Thompson Chapel, Western avenue and Walnut street, last Tuesday night. The birth, baptism and resurrection of Jesus Christ was ably handled by Rev. McMann. He said: "The spirit of God blows down hail and rain." He knelt at the altar and walked to and fro urging his listeners to master his message on an occasion was a union meeting, the pastor said.

The chorus singers, under the direction of Sam Jones, with Miss Cora Hartfield at the piano, sang spirituals. Some of the songs were "In That City, Bright and Fair," "I Know the Lord Will Answer Prayer." Those in the chorus are Annie Preston, Selena Wright, Gladys Reynolds, Bessie Marshall, Cora Sneed, Lawrence Sneed, Lewis Burks, Mr. and Mrs. Art Tyler and Mr. Lee.

Mrs. Jennie Owens, accompanied by Louie Overalls, sang three Negro spirituals: "I've Done My Work," "I Want Jesus to Walk With Me," and "If You See the Saviour Tell Him I'm Coming Home Some Day." The Friendship Harmony Four, Sam Amos, Harry Dozier, James Ayers and John Rice, sang "Goin' To 'ra." Rev. S. D. McNeess is the pastor.

The Young People's Democratic club met last Monday night and about 250 were present. There was an open discussion on Booker T. Washington. While there was a division of thought relative to the wisdom of Washington's method of instruction, for the most part, they agreed that Booker T. Washington was a great man.

President Charles Guy and Mr. Hereford entered into quite a discussion whereby Mr. Guy brought out the point that Mr. Washington built a nation when he built Tuskegee Institute. Vernon Wilbourn brought out some good points relative to endowment funds regarding various colleges of learning. Mrs. Bernice Hereford gave a detailed explanation relative to the origin of Booker T. Washington's name. Thomas McRae and Vernon Wilbourn will engage in a debate

In and About Evanston

By Fred Johnson, 1810 Church St.

Evanston, Ill., May 30—Samuel Jenkins, 2003 Foster St., took sick while at work at 2507 Eastwood Ave. He was taken to the Community Hospital for treatment and then home.

Margie Lee Logan, age 11, 1925 Darrow Ave., was attended at the Evanston hospital for cuts and bruises which he received in a fall from a swing at Foster School playground.

William Terry, 2308 Foster St., received first and second degree burns on arm, back and face while at work at Helen Restaurant, 832 Foster St. Terry was treated at Community Hospital. Dean Perrin, age 4, 2116 Darrow Ave., was injured on the head and legs when he was knocked to the pavement by a truck driven by Henry Wanzenberg (white)

Grade Pupils Show Work at The Emmerson

The Emmerson Grammar school at Paulina and Walnut, was created fifty-one years ago, and was named after the great poet, Ralph Waldo Emerson. Mrs. Mildred E. Stark is the principal and Mrs. Sophia P. Shelby, assistant principal. Mrs. Shelby is teacher of mathematics. At the Emmerson school the children are engaged in various forms of activity.

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In the music room the children were found explaining the origin of various songs in preparation of their Memorial Day program. One pupil, Charles Johnson, gave a clear explanation of their post-office system which is similar to that used at the Chicago post-office. Children were seen building houses showing the progress made since the stone-age days.

The pupils are experiencing concrete realities of life's problems, customs and institutions. Here their curriculum is divided into bit of human experience. There are periods of discussion and planning of both group and individual tasks. All of this has been carefully worked out.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Burt are giving a graduation shower in honor of their daughters, Georgia Mae and Delphia Burt, Tuesday, June 4, at 8 o'clock p. m., at 143 North Oakley boulevard.

The usher board of Greater Union Baptist church, Damen and Washington, will sponsor a musical program, with artists from various usher boards of other churches, Sunday, June 2. A delicious dinner will be served.

Howard B. Weston, manager of the West Side Inter-school center, at 207 1/2 N. Damen avenue, has added 125 members to his new recreational club. All new equipment has been added. A large punching bag, sand bag, electric riding machines, two bucks, wrestling mats and a 14x14 foot ring for training boxers.

Four nationalities participate in the activities here. Games are played, such as checkers, chess and bridge.

This immediate need of the Greater West Side is an addition that the community has long awaited in the line of sports. Mr. Weston conducted Wendell Phillips settlements for 8 years; was supervisor of junior boys department at Northwestern university settlement under Harriet E. Vittum, who is the head resident. Mr. Weston is also a Howard and Hampton man, and was born in Germantown, Pa. This recreational center was started about January 3, 1935.

The West Chicago and Music Festival will be given at Union Park, corner of Randolph street and Ogden avenue, Monday evening, June 3, at 8 p. m.

All West side artists are urged to make this an outstanding affair. Artists from everywhere will take part on the program.

The Umbrian Glee club will sing; The Eureka Jubilee Singers, several choirs and solo artists of great fame will appear.

Mrs. Anna L. Walker is the music director, and Messrs. D. Hunter and N. Bluettt are co-directors.

BUSINESS WOMEN HOLD BAZAAR

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Souvenir Night At Tony's Tavern



It was Tuesday night, Ladies Night Night, at Tony's Tavern, the family place where everybody goes. It was a souvenir night, when the ladies are always given tokens. Mrs. Brown, fourth from left, she is busily handing out are delicate atomizers and bottles of perfume. Some of the best known persons in the city gather at Tony's Tavern, and it is the mecca for all celebrities who come here. It is not considered that you have been to Chicago unless you have visited Tony's Place.

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Younger Social Group to Dance at Three J's Sport Spot-Light Ball

The Jolly Jigloes and Gigarettes Social Club, composed of members of the younger social ste, has issued invitations to come on down, down to Warwick Hall, 543 E. 47th st., Sing Saturday night, May 31st, 1935. Tony Fambro and his 8 lads will swing away. Yeah, I heard somebody say. It's the J's SPORT SPOT LIGHT BALL. The bids are carried out in the club's colors, navy blue and white, since it is the initial affair of this group, the invitations explain that the club's motto is: "If everybody in this club was just like me, What kind of a club would this club be?" That the motto is: "Nothing beats a trial but a failure; that the flower is the American Rose, and the song is "Boulevard of Broken Dreams."

New York Entertains GoldenGloves

New York, May 29—(ANP)—The "Colored section" of New York's Terrible Tigers, the team given the lads of the GoldenGloves squad which represent New York, were guests of honor Saturday night at the Lido Ballroom when the Globe Club, Inc. entertained at its annual sports party carnival. This is the first time that the group has been honored and included in the sports which was present were Sedgwick Farvy, Ray Olivio, Howard Taylor, James Howa, d, James Lambert, all youngsters who have won their spurs in actual competition. Accompanying them was champion, Bill Miller, one of the greatest Colored trainers. The group was presented by Al White of the ANP.

Bill Robinson Tells About Elephants

Hollywood, Calif., May 30—If you have any intention of going into water lotting for elephants in a career, take the word of Bill Robinson, world's champion tap dancer, there's no future in it. "You should at least make sure that the circus owning the elephants is in town," he says. "I never been able to make the third of one in twenty-four hours of digging buckets. I know for a fact that water four of them for an entire season one, and they were just as thirsty when I quit as when I started. My confidential opinion is that an elephant is just an overgrown sponge." Robinson is now appearing with Will Rogers in a new Fox Film, a modernization of "In Old Kentucky."

Notice To West Side Residents: Watch for Important Notice in the Westside section of the Metropolitan News, issue of Tuesday, June 4.

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.

Name Housing Project After Noted Actor

Newark, N. J., May 29—(ANP)—The Prudential Insurance company of America, is just bringing to completion the second block of its great low-cost housing project for persons of color in Newark, N. J. In the center of the block is a very large city-owned park and playground to be equipped and developed. The buildings had been named in honor of the late Richard Berry Harrison, "de Lawd" of "The Green Pastures." The rentals per room per month in the Harrison apartments are reported to range from \$8.50 to \$10.50.

To Entertain Star Athletes

Lincoln, Neb., May 29—(ANP)—Plans are being perfected by the Lincoln Urban League for the entertainment of athletes who will appear here in the A. A. U. Track and Field meet July 2 and 4. Among the outstanding athletes who will appear here are: Alex Owens, Ohio State; Willis War of Michigan, Ben Johnson of Columbia, Fulace Peacock and Al Threadgill of Temple university. Ralph Metcalfe, former Marquette star, and Vernon Briggs of Iowa, Jimmy LaVelle and Cornelius Johnson from the west coast.

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Ohio Company Builds Buses for Haiti

By CLEVELAND G. ALLEN
New York, May 30—The Utilities D'Haiti company with offices at 2143 Seventh Avenue, and which has secured a franchise to operate a bus line in Haiti, announced last week that the buses which will be used in Haiti in the first step in the development of a modern transportation system in the black republic are nearing completion. The buses are being built by the Greenfield Bus Body Company of Greenfield Bus Body company, of Greenfield, Ohio, a Negro corporation.

It is the plan of the Utilities D'Haiti company to have the bus line started in Haiti early in June. The corporation was the first American Negro company to be granted a franchise in Haiti and the effort marked the first effort of bringing the West Indians, American Negroes and Haitians together.

The launching of a modern transportation system in Haiti represents one of the most progressive enterprises ever undertaken by the race and will be the means of doing much for the commercial development of Haiti. Following a visit to Haiti by Leon Desportes, general manager of the corporation who, with Hon. Henri Rosmond, made a survey of the roads of Haiti, recommended to President Stenio Vincent, the establishment of a modern transportation system which would aid in bringing various cities and towns of Haiti closer together.

President Vincent approved of the recommendation and in August, 1934, granted the corporation a franchise to run a bus line in Haiti. The board of aldermen of Port Au Prince ratified the resolution and commended the movement in the highest terms. Haitian newspapers in editorial, praised the movement as one of the most advanced steps in the life of the republic. Prominent Haitians have endorsed the plans for the Utilities D'Haiti company as a forward step in the commercial progress and development of the Haitian republic. Prominent Haitians visiting America have been tendered receptions by the Utilities D'Haiti company where representative American and West Indian Negroes have discussed how to bring about better social and commercial relation between Haiti and the Negroes of America.

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