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# The Northwest Enterprise

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## HONOR GUARD STRUTS ITS STUFF AT DEDICATION CEREMONY



—Photo by Al Smith

## 47 NEGROES KILLED IN RAILROAD WRECK IN GEORGIA

STOCKTON, Ga. — A west-bound Atlantic Coast passenger train crashed into the locomotive of a by-passed freight on a siding near here, killing 47 persons, mostly railway laborers going home for the week-end to Alabama.

C. G. Sibley, general manager of the railroad, said that 47 persons, all Negro laborers, were killed and 32 injured in the crash.

H. L. Tomlinson, station agent for the railroad, said the dead were members of a work gang which had been at Doctortown, Ga. Tomlinson said more bodies were in the wreckage, but he could not estimate the number.

Turner Rockwell, managing editor of the Valdosta Times, who reached the scene shortly after the crash, said two passenger cars were demolished and two others damaged.

as he could learn only about five or six remained in hospitals.

Tomlinson said that one Negro who was cut from the wreckage, walked to the highway a few feet away, asked for a cigarette, lit it, and dropped dead.

A hospital car carrying wounded soldiers to Finney General Hospital, Thomasville, Ga., was attached to the rear of the passenger train and was derailed. It did not overturn and the soldiers, none of whom were seriously injured in the wreck, were taken to Moody Field.

## SEATTLE NAACP

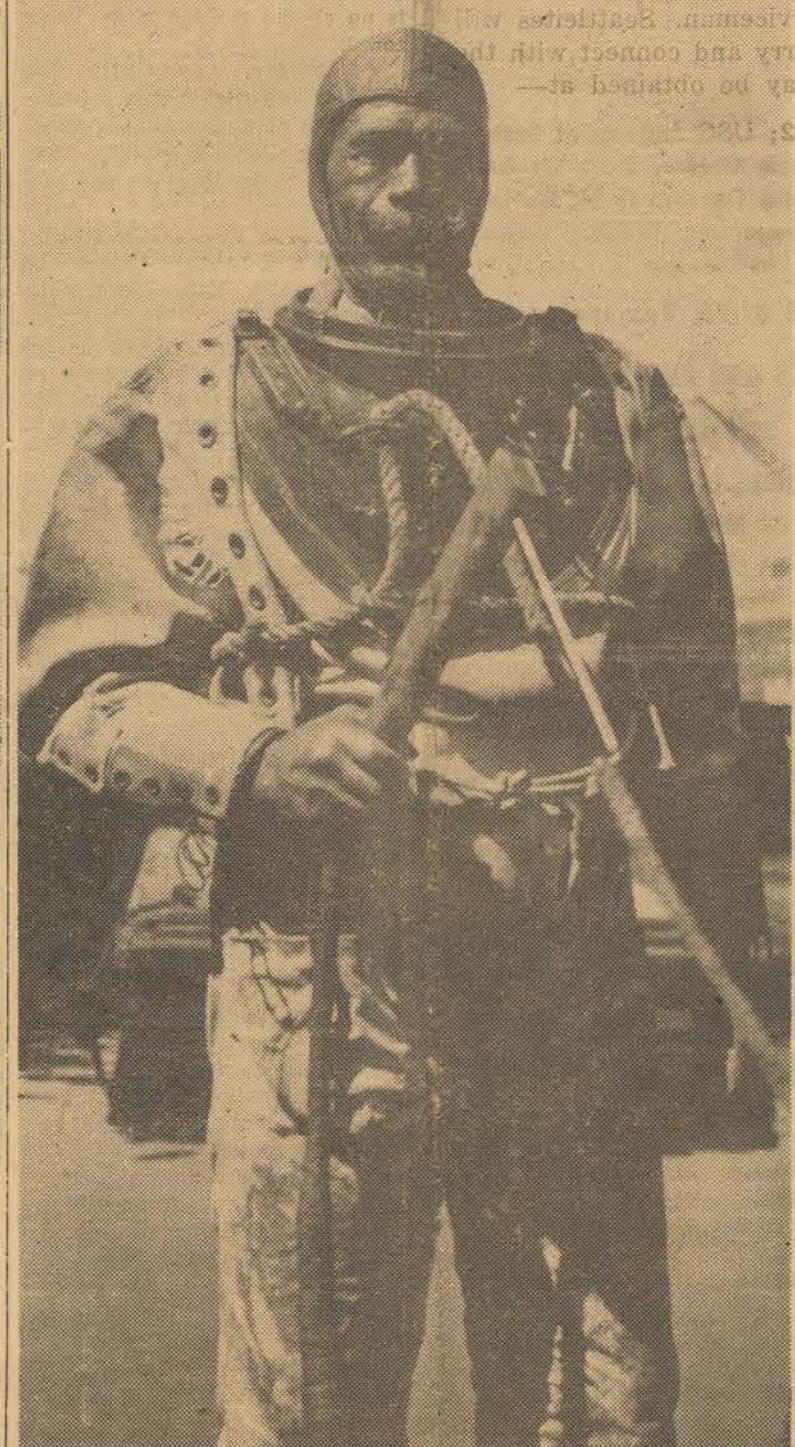
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## The Wartime Conference Of the NAACP

CHICAGO JULY 11-16  
REPORT OF SEATTLE BRANCH DELEGATE FRED W. SHORTER

The Chicago conference will be recorded as one of the most important the NAACP has held. It was marked by intelligence, and dedication to a united program of action. The large Metropolitan Community Church was packed to capacity most of the

## Chief Gunner's Mate Dick Turpin Honor Guest



## WHIDBY NAVAL AIR STATION HONORS LOCAL HERO

By JAMES T. WALKER  
Chief Dick Turpin, veteran of Bremerton and famed naval figure, received another star in his historical crown Sunday, July 23. With a modesty that only he can display, Mr. Turpin delivered a very impressive address to the huge throng that gathered to witness the formal dedication of Turpin's Center.

Chief Gunner's Mate Dick Turpin USN (Ret.) came to this country at the age of 8 as a stow-away from Tangiers, Morocco. At the age of 13 he entered the U. S. Navy to begin a long worthy career in which he was twice awarded the highest award our country bestows, the Congressional Medal of Honor. He won fame as the man who saved the captain of the U. S. S. Maine.

Officials representing the Commander of Whidbey were: Lt. W. M. Wilson, executive officer; Lt. G. W. Heberling, personnel officer; Lt. (j.g.) J. J. Logan, barracks officer; 1st Lt. F. Menzies; Lt. (j.g.) Kress, Chaplain. Chief G. E. Sherry was conductor of the brass band in the ceremonies.

Honorary guests were Lt. L. L. Melegari, C. O., Naval Barracks, Naval Ammunition Depot; Ensign Ivy, Puget Sound Receiving Station; Chester L. Dixon, chief torpedoman, and Mrs. Dixon, Keyport; Mrs. Dick Turpin, Mr. J. R. Lillard, USO director Ind. Serv. No. 2, Bremerton; Mrs. Jas. T. Walker, Secy Bremerton Br. NAACP; Al Smith, photographer, Seattle, and Jas. T. Walker, the Bremerton manager, The Northwest Enterprise.

RM 2-c Livingston gave an impressive presentation of his guard's efficiency in the ceremonies. Immaculately clean and punctual in command, the boys demanded admiration from everyone.

A special group of junior hostesses were present from Colman Center, Seattle for the social hour where everyone enjoyed the tantalizing tunes of the Hi-Flyers orchestra, under direction of Chief Sherry.

The Center is very luxuriously equipped for the naval personnel. It consists of a fine bowling alley, a spacious pool room, a barber shop and many other fine concessions. All in all it is a fine recreation building.

We are extremely proud to be a part of a community that can

## NAVAL OFFICIALS ATTEND DEDICATION OF TURPIN CENTER



—Photo by Al Smith

## Have You Got a Chip on Your Shoulder?

### From Mayor Devin

E. I. Robinson, Editor  
The Northwest Enterprise  
Dear Mr. Robinson:

Permit me to express my approval of the editorial on the front page of the August 2 issue of The Northwest Enterprise entitled "Have You Got a Chip on Your Shoulder?" taken from the Pittsburgh Courier.

In these days many of our people, both colored and white, carry chips on their shoulders. It is the duty of each of us in our several fields of influence to do all we can to prevent this belligerent attitude. The task of molding the attitudes of our fellow men is indeed a great one but the results to be obtained are worth almost any price we must pay.

Men must either learn to live peacefully together or suffer mutual extinction. In principle there is little difference between a private war on a bus or in a neighborhood and a global war—they differ only in size and degree.

I am most anxious that the citizens of our city live peacefully, prosperously and happily together. This is easier of at-

tainment than most people realize. It simply means taking the chips off our shoulders and substituting a little more love in our hearts.

You are, I am sure, aware of the problems which face us in this respect and will do all that you can to destroy hatred and ill will and plant whenever and wherever possible seeds of good will.

WM. F. DEVIN  
Mayor.

## Letter to the Editor

Mr. E. I. Robinson, Editor  
The Northwest Enterprise

As chairman of the mayor's Committee on Civic Unity, may I express my appreciation of the publication in your August 2 issue of the article from the Pittsburgh Courier. This is a difficult and delicate subject but it is treated in the article with discretion and courage. Since all of us need such reminders from time to time and can benefit by them, it is hoped the article will find wide reading and appreciation.

Very truly yours,  
G. H. GREENWOOD, Chm.  
Civic Unity Committee

## NORMAN A. WEST PURCHASES HONEST GROCERY, 1235 JACKSON ST.

By E. I. R.

Mr. Norman A. West, formerly of Galveston, Texas, announced the purchase of the Honest Grocery, 1235 Jackson St., carrying with it a long lease. Mr. Gus West, vendor, retains his real estate holdings, including the property occupied by the grocery store.

Gus West acquired Honest Grocery from evacuated Japanese. He immediately remodeled and stocked it with the largest and finest line of groceries of every variety obtainable. It has been a going concern since then. Other business interests requiring his attention is the immediate reason for the sale.

Norman A. West, the purchaser received his training under his father, who operated a grocery store in Galveston. He is a graduate of Wiley College, Marshall, Texas, entering the business world as manager of Gold Bond

Life Insurance Company. Later he was a teacher at Lincoln High School, Port Arthur, Tex.

Answering the call for defense workers, he came to Bremerton, Wash., 13 months ago. Shortly thereafter he purchased a beef tavern and restaurant, which he still owns. He is precinct committeeman, Sinclair Heights precinct 41. West is married and has two children.

"How do you like the Northwest?" we asked.

"The fact that I made a business investment shortly after my arrival is answer enough. Though importuned to locate in the South, I bypassed California. Horace Greeley's saying 'Young man go west,' will be reenacted immediately following the war. I came not for the duration, but to remain. I hope Seattleites will grow as fond of me as I am of them. We certainly will be pleased to meet them."

## Davidites Win Two from Globetrotters; Return Game Next Friday

By J. A. (Jack) JOHNSON

The House of David baseball team won both games of a double header from the Harlem Globetrotters Sunday at Sick's Stadium while 4000 fans sat on the edges of their seats expecting almost anything almost any time. The games were well



Hatter, Catcher, Globetrotters pitched and well played and both ended by the narrow margin of 2 to 1 in favor of the Davidites.

Features of the game, in addition to the excellent pitching, were: a mighty home run over the left field fence by Chip McAllister of the Globetrotters, the third base play of Petway of the Davidites, and Buddy Treharne of the Trotters, whose play

## Charles M. Stokes Active Republican

By R. JAMES MALONE

At our recent state Republican convention in Tacoma I had the pleasure of talking to a man who made a lasting and positive impression upon me. His unusual grasp of present day politics and staunch adherence to Republican principles impels me to write a few lines about C. M. Stokes.

Mr. Stokes is a graduate of Kansas University Law School, at Lawrence, Kas. Upon his graduation he entered the office of W. T. Bell, noted authority on habeas corpus, in Leavenworth, Kas., and two years later opened his own law office there.

In June, 1938, Mr. Stokes was elected vice-chairman of the Young Republican National Federation, the first colored person to be so chosen. A signal honor. In



1940 he headed up the campaign for Presidential candidate Willie, among colored young Republicans, having headquarters in Chicago. He had already traveled 3,000 miles within the state of Kansas for Alf Landon in 1936 and was on the National Speaking Bureau of the Republican party in 1940. Active in Kansas politics for the past 12 years Mr. Stokes was appointed assistant attorney in commission of revenue and taxation in 1939 by the then Governor Payne Ratner, and was retained by the present governor, Andrew Schoepel until last year when he resigned to come to the State of Washington. Admitted to practice by the Supreme Court of Washington State in March of this year Mr. Stokes opened law offices in the Peoples Bank Bldg., Seattle. Son Pratt, Kas., he is married and has no children.

at first base has never been surpassed on a Seattle diamond.

The teams are so evenly matched that a return engagement will without question be welcomed by the fans of Seattle. They will play again Friday evening at Sick's Stadium.

## Gerald Smith Favors Sending Negroes Abroad

DETROIT—Gerald L. K. Smith nominated for president by the Michigan convention of his America First Party, said today he would advocate establishment of a "homeland" in Africa for the American Negro.

Smith, in a statement to the press, stated: "We should compel the French and British to turn over to us for this purpose a million square miles of Africa—to apply on their war debt to us."

The land, Smith said, would be made available to the American Negro absolutely free. He proposed that this government give \$5,000 and free transportation to every Negro willing to migrate. He said this was a means "to solve the Negro problem honestly and realistically."

Smith said he would make the proposal to the national convention of the America First Party here August 29 and 30.

## MISS RITA REESE NEW OWNER AND OPERATOR OF SWAN BEAUTY SALON

Miss Rita Reese, a native of Meridian, Miss., comes to Seattle from New York City, where she was employed by the War Department as stenographer for two years. There she also practiced being an expert in her own right in beauty culture.

Shortly after coming to Seattle, she was employed by the Treasury Department of the Seattle region, located on 5th Avenue, being the only Negro sten-

ographer in this department. Miss Reese, being an experienced beautician, recently purchased the Swan Beauty Salon, 674 Jackson St., making her initial bow to milady of Seattle.

With the addition of several



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**BREMERTON NOTES**

Official Representative Northwest Enterprise  
JAS. T. WALKER, 3801 6th Phone 2778-W  
Important: Social Clubs, Organizations. News Must Be in by Sunday P. M. Please Cooperate

**BREMERTON CHURCHES**

Sinclair Community Church,  
Rev. J. R. Lewis, pastor. Sunday  
school 9:45; services 11:30 and  
8 p. m.

Ebenezer A.M.E. Church, Rev.  
Chester W. Cooper, pastor. Sun-  
day school, 9:45; preaching 11  
and 8 p. m.

**LOCAL WEEKLY CALENDAR**  
Choral Rehearsal Mondays at  
7:30 p. m., 221 Washington St.  
Industrial Girls' Sewing Club,  
Tuesdays at 8 p. m., 221 Wash-  
ington St.

Home Maker's Club, Wednes-  
days 8 p. m., Sinclair Community  
Center.

Mens' Industrial Club, Thurs-  
days 8 p. m., 221 Washington.

Movies for young and old, Sin-  
clair Community Center, Satur-  
days, 2:30 p. m.

Bremerton schools will again  
open their doors Wednesday,  
September 6, states Supt. Stanley  
E. Wynstra. The school year will  
end next June 6. Christmas vaca-  
tion will run from Dec. 23 to  
Jan. 2, inclusive and Easter vaca-  
tion will be from March 26 to

March 30 inclusive.

Do you like to swim? Join  
the classes each Saturday morn-  
ing 10 to 11:15, YMCA, 1st at  
Washington St.

Bremerton will have two state  
liquor stores. Opening of the sec-  
ond store at 627 Callow Ave. N.,  
was set for the first week in  
August. Hours from noon to 10  
p. m., same as the downtown  
Burwell St. store on Fridays and  
Saturdays. Under the new reg-  
ulation which became effective  
August 1, naval personnel in the  
district are permitted to purchase  
package liquor at any time the  
stores or authorized agencies are  
open. Such purchases in the past  
were limited to both Army and  
Navy personnel between 5 and 8  
o'clock in the evening.

Regular meeting Bremerton  
Branch NAACP beginning Aug.  
20 to be held each month there-  
after. Meeting place the 20th  
at Salvation Army Hall 238 Bur-  
well St., 3:45 p. m. Executive  
meeting one hour before the reg-  
ular meeting. Annual meeting to  
be held November 19th.

**SPORTS**

The Harlem Globetrotters base-  
ball team yielded to Bremerton  
Navy Yard Rec. club Friday night  
in the last half of the ninth in-  
ning, after a nip and tuck tuss-  
le, giving in to a 4-3 trimming.

**East Port Orchard**  
Rev. C. W. Williams preached  
a soul stirring sermon at the

## DON'T MISS THIS EXCURSION GALA BOAT CRUISE AND PICNIC SUNDAY - AUGUST 13TH

Sponsored by USO Industrial Service No. 2 and  
Port Orchard USO  
**THE PUBLIC IS INVITED**

Bring extra lunch for a serviceman. Seattleites will  
leave on 7:00 Bremerton ferry and connect with the  
excursion boat. Tickets may be obtained at—

USO Industrial Services No. 2; USO Industrial Services  
No. 1, Navy Yard Recreation Office, Port Orchard  
USO, Dick Fulton, West End Dormitory B, Barber  
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**Perry Washington**

**Adult Games Committee—Mr. Napier, Dwight Smith,**

**Joseph Powe**

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Tickets purchased in Seattle will be honored by ferry  
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**Excursion ferry departs from Bremerton at 9:15**

morning service and also at the  
evening session. We are happy  
to have a vacation Bible school  
for our youngsters, because we  
felt it is both morale building  
as well as interesting.

Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Taylor are  
proud parents of a fine baby boy.  
Mother and baby are doing fine.

We are sorry Mr. Adams is  
back in the hospital with pneu-  
monia after having been out such  
a short time with the same ail-  
ment.

Mrs. Walter Williams is back  
from Galveston, Tex. after a visit  
with her mother.

Masters Alfred Jenkins and  
Charles Weaver are the carriers  
for this paper. Please have your  
nickle ready when they bring it.

Sunday school 9:45. Morning  
worship, 11; evening worship at  
7:45.

Mrs. Myrtle Fulton of Bur-  
lington, Ia., is visiting her son  
and daughter-in-law, Mr. and  
Mrs. Dick Fulton.

Mr. Leonard Johnson, from  
Hefling, Ala., rendered a beau-  
tiful selection Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Welch enter-  
tained a group of friends in their  
home last Wednesday evening.  
Refreshments were served and  
games were played.

**WOMEN'S DAY PROGRAM**

People's Institutional Baptist  
Church, 120 21st Ave.

Sunday, August 13 will mark  
annual Woman's Day at Insti-  
tutional Baptist Church.

Guest speaker for the 11 a. m.  
service will be Mrs. Mary B. Par-  
quaharson, former state senator,  
who will bring a message on the  
theme "Woman's Part in the Fu-  
ture Life of the Nation." Mrs.  
M. B. Purnell will read a paper  
embracing the same subject. Spe-  
cial music by the choir, under  
direction of Miss Rita Rees, will  
be rendered at each service dur-  
ing the day.

**ALL CHURCHES INVITED**

Mrs. F. Benjamin Davis of Mt.  
Zion Baptist Church will speak  
at the 3 o'clock hour and rep-  
resentatives from the sister  
churches of the city will appear  
on the program.

**COMMUNITY SONG**

The evening service will take  
the form of a Community Sing,  
in which everyone will be invited  
to join. Groups and individuals  
will render inspiring selections.  
Your favorite selection will be  
rendered on request.

**DINNER**

A home cooked dinner will be  
served, making it possible for  
members and friends to spend the  
day at the church. The public  
is invited to come and bring a  
friend. The observance, which  
is an annual affair is sponsored  
by the Women's Auxiliary of the  
church. The pastor, Dr. F. W.  
Penick and the secretary, Mrs.  
Pearl Kaiser, will be on hand to  
extend the hand of welcome to  
all who come.

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## EAST MADISON BRANCH Y. M. C. A.

We have a group of boys who  
are learning to swim at Central  
YMCA on Tuesday and Wednes-  
day at 11 a. m. We are anxious  
for more boys to attend. Those  
who have gone are James Wayne,  
Gerald Tymony, Merle Prim, Le-  
on White, Billy Chatters, Dickie  
and Andrew Ratcliffe, and Ches-  
ter and Charlie Johnson. There  
is no charge for the boys. Bring  
towel.

On Friday, August 4th, the  
Torch-Y and Girl Reserves had  
a bike ride at Green Lake. About  
30 young people attended. They  
brought their lunches and ate  
them under the stars. Adult  
leaders were Mrs. Louise Phelps,  
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gayton and  
Miss Juanita Valley and John  
Copeland.

The boys and girls will visit  
the Imperial Candy Company on  
Thursday, August 10. They will  
meet at the YMCA at 12:30  
p. m.

Leon White, Edward Kemp,  
Henry and Chester Johnson and  
Merle Prim are going to Camp  
Lion this week.

The Torch-Y and GR's are  
planning a scavenger hunt for  
Friday, August 11.

**SERVICE MEN'S CLUB**

**FLASH! EXTRA!** We will have  
the Whidby Island orchestra Sat-  
special attraction for J.V.H. and  
urday, August 12. This is our  
we hope that we will have our  
usual response.

Our dates for next week are—  
Fort Lewis Sunday, August 13.  
The busses will leave at 4:30 p.  
m. The trip to Sand Point will  
be made Friday August 18. The  
busses will leave at 8 p. m.

expects to take a new pastorate  
in the near future.

His resignation is effective im-  
mediately, but he will conduct  
Sunday morning services for the  
next few weeks until the church  
work is reorganized, he said.

The congregation will appoint  
a pulpit committee to work with  
the synodical office to obtain a  
successor.

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### Interracial Meeting

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Equality and Fellowship of Re-  
conciliation will be held jointly  
at the First Swedish Baptist  
Church, corner of Ninth and Pine  
Streets, Tuesday evening, August  
15, at 7:30 o'clock. Featured at  
this meeting will be addresses  
by Rev. Robert B. Shaw on "The  
Christian Basis for Racial Equal-  
ity" and by Samuel Holcenberg  
of the B'nai Brith on "The Place  
of Minorities in our American  
Scene."

### SEATTLE CHURCHES

First A. M. E. Church  
Between Pike and Pine, 14th Ave.  
Dr. L. R. Hayes, Pastor  
Sunday school, 9:45. Preaching  
11 and 8; Christian Endeavor, 7  
p. m.; Midweek prayer service,  
Wednesday, 8 o'clock.

Mount Zion Baptist  
1634 19th Avenue  
P. Roster 0444  
Rev. Benj. Davis, Pastor  
Sunday school, 9:45. Preaching  
11 and 8; Christian Endeavor, 7  
p. m.; Midweek prayer service,  
Wednesday, 8 o'clock.

Grace Presbyterian Church  
Rev. John R. Harris, Pastor  
Sunday School is held at 9:45  
a. m.; 11 a. m. Morning Worship;  
6 p. m. Young People; 7:30 p. m.  
Evening Worship.  
Full Gospel Pentecostal Temple  
16th & E. Fir  
Bishop E. F. Morris, Pastor  
Sunday School 10 a. m. Morn-  
ing worship 11 a. m. Bible Class 7 p.  
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EAST 5364, 1474-21st.presented with a substantial  
present.While in Chicago, Chief Helen  
will attend the sessions of the  
Daughter Elks, IBPOE of W of  
which she is a member.Quartermaster A. R. Baker and  
Chief of Staff Helen visited Ta-  
coma Sunday in the interest of  
the V. F. W. Also they visiteda cousin, Mrs. S. Simpson, Com-  
mander and Mrs. Geo. Burke and  
Sgt. and Mrs. Latimore at So-  
lismash, where many service men  
stationed at McChord Field live  
with their families.Post-war planning of veterans  
and auxiliaries is being extended  
to aid soldiers and families of  
World War II.Chief Shonzer of Detroit urges  
all veterans to send at least one  
delegate to the national encamp-  
ment to promote aid to those of  
War II.

## A MASS MEETING

The Policies and Standards of  
USO will be discussed by the re-  
gional supervisors, members of  
the staff of the new Madison  
USO and the citizens of Seattle.The time and place, Friday,  
August 11 at 7:30 p. m. at the  
Mt. Zion Baptist Church, 15th  
and Madison Sts.We urge the citizens of Seattle  
to be present.All persons interested in serv-  
ing as volunteers at the Madison  
USO Club please register at the  
door before leaving the meeting.

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Washington-Auritt  
NuptialsMiss Elizabeth Catheline Wa-  
shington and Mr. Odes Edison  
Auritt were united in holy ma-  
trimony Monday evening, July  
31 at the home of the bride's  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson,  
2118 S. E. Ivon. Rev. Browning  
C. Allen, pastor of Bethel A. M. E.  
Church read the impressive mar-  
riage lines in the presence of  
relatives and a few close friends.Before an improvised altar of  
white glads and other blossoms,  
Mr. Johnson gave his daughter  
in marriage. She wore a simple  
white crepe de chine gown with  
a fingertip veil and carried an  
arm bouquet of white glads. Mrs.  
Anderson D. Dubois, maid of  
honor, wore pink net over satin  
and carried a bouquet of sweet  
peas. Miss Kimba Lee Auritt,  
sister of the bridegroom, was  
gowned in pink dotted swiss and  
carried a bouquet of roses. Mr.  
Anderson D. Dubois was best  
man.Assisting with the reception  
which followed were Mrs. Sonora  
Bell Johnson, sister of the bride,  
Mrs. Susan Auritt Griffin, sister  
of the bridegroom, Mrs. J. F.  
Ford, aunt of the bride, Mrs.  
Charles Redd and Mrs. K. C.  
Virgil.An array of beautiful gifts was  
showered upon the happy couple.Portland Officer  
Wins PromotionThe promotion to captain of  
Charles R. "Dick" Stanton, 24-  
year-old son of Mr. and Mrs.  
Charles H. Stanton, 5265 N. E.  
8th Ave., has been announced by  
the War Department at Fort  
Knox, Ky. AAF Base. Captain  
Stanton's wife, Geraldine, is with  
him and has accompanied him  
during his course of training at  
the various fields.Stanton graduated in 1938  
from Jefferson High School,  
where he was outstanding as an  
all-city football star, and attend-  
ed the University of Oregon, ma-  
joring in journalism. His con-  
tact with eastern publishers af-  
forded him much encouragement  
for the future of his short sto-  
ries. He was employed on the  
Eugene Daily to aid his journal-  
istic training before entering the  
Army Air Forces.Captain Stanton won his wings  
and commission at Tuskegee A  
F in January, 1943, then a  
member of the now famous 99th  
Fighter Squadron. He received  
his 1st lieutenant bars in Oc-  
tober, 1943, and was then trans-  
ferred to Mather Field, Calif.,  
for training as a bomber pilot.  
We believe Captain Stanton to  
be Portland's first and only Ne-  
gro captain and bomber pilot. He  
is an Alpha Phi Alpha.The Northwest Enterprise ex-  
tends congratulations to Capt. and  
Mrs. Stanton and to his parents,  
wishing for him "happy land-  
ings."Many Visitors to Portland  
To Become ResidentsPortland has been deluged this  
season with many fine folk who  
are either making brief visits or  
indefinite stays. Worthy of men-  
tion are: Sgt. Foster T. Scott,  
and Major Gross, Portland Air  
Base; L. C. Banks, Ponca City,  
Okla., visiting the J. P. Patter-  
sons; Mrs. C. H. Jones, Warren,  
Ark., and Miss Bonnie Jeana girl attending, or who plans to  
attend an accredited college or  
university this fall. The girls  
must be of good character and  
her grades sufficiently high to  
insure her satisfactory college  
work. Application blanks may  
be secured from Mrs. Arline Pal-  
ya at the NAACP office, 504 Peo-  
ples Bank Bldg., 2nd Avenue and  
Pike Street. Mrs. Theresa Hal-  
ley is Basileus and Mrs. Melvina  
Squires is grammateus. This is  
to be the sorority's third annual  
award.

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derwood, Vancouver, Wn.; Mrs.  
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la Combs, Denver, Colo.; Mr. and  
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aldine Baker, Baton Rouge, La.;  
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Mrs. Bessie Mae Coleman, Alex-  
andria, La.; Mrs. Tillie Brown,  
Tacoma; Robert Evans, Kansas  
City, Mo.; Irvin Emanuel Hon-  
ston, Tex.; Mrs. Bertha Johnson  
of Dallas, Tex., who is visiting  
indefinitely with her daughter,  
Mrs. Richard E. McAfee in N.  
Halsey; Miss Julia M. Hall, Ches-  
terbrook, Va., guest of Mrs. Do-  
lores H. Dorsey; Mrs. Essie D.  
Stewart, DeKalb, Tex., house-  
guest of Mrs. Helen Norton; Mrs.  
C. M. Roberts, Texarkana, Ark.;  
visiting Mrs. Letha Graves in  
Clakamas St.; Mrs. Ernestine  
Simms, domiciled in the home  
of Mrs. George Scott in SE Tib-  
betts; Mrs. Dolores Burdine Wat-  
son, visiting her sister, Mrs. Otto  
Rutherford and family in NE  
Shaver; Messrs. Sonnie People  
and Tillman Smith, down to the  
City of Roses from Seattle; Mrs.  
Anna Divers, St. Louis, Mo., en-  
joying Portland hospitality. It  
is very interesting to meet Rob-  
ert Baker, of Yakima, Wash., who  
spent 24 years in France and  
other European countries. Mr.  
Baker, a World War I vet, tells  
a horrifying story of his two  
years in an internment camp.  
Two other interesting people hav-  
ing visited recently are Mrs. W.  
E. Cranshaw and daughter, Er-  
leita. Miss Cranshaw is a gifted  
singer.California Masons  
Continue OffersOne of the largest delegations  
ever to attend the Masonic Grand  
Lodge of California and Juris-  
diction, assembled in Oakland on  
July 16 to 19 with a voting  
strength of 233, enthusiastically  
elected L. R. Blackburn, delegate  
from Excelsior Lodge, Portland,  
and Mrs. Blackburn, beaming  
with fraternal pride, a delegate  
from Mt. Hood Chapter, of which  
she is worthy matron. To a  
news reporter Mr. Blackburn con-  
fided that, of special interest was  
the reelection of all grand of-  
ficers, especially proud is the ju-  
risdiction of its Grand Master An-  
thony George and its Grand Ma-  
ster, Mrs. Vivian Osborn Marsh,  
both Berkeleyans.Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn were  
honored with a delightful dinner  
given by their hosts, Mr. and Mrs.  
Oscar Baldwin in Oakland. Other  
hosts and hostesses for their  
pleasure between and after ses-  
sions, were the Leon Marshes,  
the Nathan Hardys and Mrs. De  
Silvee.Social Club Gives Informal  
Dance at Women's ClubThe Mesdames Lenora Gaskin,  
Ethel Williams, Bernice Taylor  
and Mildred Minor, a foursome  
of young matrons forming the Mi-  
gnon Social Club, made their de-  
but last Monday evening with an  
informal dancing party at the  
Portland Women's Club in NW  
Taylor. By a close count the  
200 guests donned sports attire  
in varied colors and styles, add-  
ing a midsummer touch as they  
danced to the scintillating tunes  
of Joe Crane's Rhythm Kings,  
featuring "Babe" Williams, hus-  
band of one of the charming hos-  
tesses. Mr. Williams actually  
wowed 'em with numerous popu-  
lar hits enlivening all with a

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do it.Had there been (of course  
there weren't) anyone not feeling  
up to par for this grand party,  
the sparkling zestful punch was  
a real starter, so admitted the  
guests as they frequented the re-  
freshment table in the downstairs  
foyer. Among the out of towners  
were Bennie D. Brown, USO su-  
pervisor, Tacoma, joining his  
wife and daughters, guests of the  
E. E. Cardens; the glamorous  
Mrs. Cadence Hines, Chicago,  
guest of her brother and wife,  
Mr. and Mrs. Willis A. Williams;  
the genial Mr. Owen, Omaha,  
Nebr., escorting the popular Mrs.  
Janice Lewis; Robert E. Colbert,  
Washington, D. C., and Miss Flo-  
rence Hildbrand; Mrs. Dolores  
Burdine Watson, Yakima, Wash.,  
accompanied by her sister and  
brother in law, Mr. and Mrs.  
Otto Rutherford; that air minded  
duo, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Flowers,  
not out a great deal since their  
hop via United Air Lines to Key-  
port, Wash., and the Irvin Flow-  
ers; the Richard Bogles, their  
guests, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson; oh,  
yes, the Charles "Chuck" Wil-  
liams; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie J.  
May; Mrs. Irene Duke Mayberry,  
discussing the induction of the  
last of her three sons into the  
armed service; Mrs. Cleo Cooper;  
the Roosevelt Moores; Mr. and  
Mrs. English Johns; the D. N.  
Unthanks, popular medico and  
the Missus; Mrs. Barbara Sulli-  
van; the Isa Brooks; the Joseph  
Reeds, flaunting an eastern air  
from their recent jaunt; the Ste-  
ven Wrights; Earl Winslows and  
sons, first class seamen Arthur  
and Richard; Mr. and Mrs. Mel-  
ven Dawson; Mrs. Clifford Wal-  
ker; Prof. E. S. Hill; the Chif-  
ford Jacksons and all the rest  
that time and space will not per-  
mit mentioning.The Portland office of The  
Northwest Enterprise received a  
few days ago, greetings from F.  
2c Frederick A. Perry, now sta-  
tioned at the Naval Training  
School, Hampton Institute, Hamp-  
ton, Va., in which he said "we  
often reminisce of our pleasant  
stay in Portland. The City of  
roses will see us again in the  
peaceful future."During Mr. and Mrs. Perry's  
sojourn here from N. Y. they  
contributed much to Portland's  
community life. Artists by pro-  
fession, Mr. Perry assisted Mrs.  
Perry in supervising a work shop  
in the Albina recreational center  
and participated in an exhibi-  
tion of Negro art at the YWCA,  
and the Portland Art Museum.  
Portland needs folks like the  
Perrys.Mrs. Oliver Smith in SW First  
St., is recuperating nicely at her  
home after her confinement in  
Emanuel Hospital. Friends are  
in great sympathy with the  
Smiths in the loss of their baby,  
a son, born dead. This was the  
second loss to the Smiths in two  
years. The first, a girl.Bethel A. M. E.  
N. McMillan and Larabee  
Rev. Browning C. Allen, Pastor  
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Morning worship and sermon, 11  
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Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.  
Evening worship, 8:00 p. m.Mt. Olive Baptist  
Rev. James J. Clow, Pastor  
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m. B. Y.  
P. F. evening worship, 8:00 a. m.

House of Prayer

S. E. 10th  
Elder Robt. Searce  
Pastor in Charge  
Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching 11:00 a. m. Fellow-  
ship, 8:00 p. m.Friends are concerned over the  
illness of "Mother" Avery, whose  
health has been failing for some  
time and has had a decided  
change for the worse. Mrs. Avery  
is the mother of Mrs. Clara Pic-  
kett in N. Williams Ave.Rev. and Mrs. Boswell are vis-  
iting Mrs. Boswell's parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. Roy Gragg in NE 29th  
St., and other relatives.Mrs. James Williams, in NE  
6th St., has as house guests her  
daughter, Mrs. Cadence Hines,  
and her mother, Mrs. Hines Sr.,  
of Chicago.

## NOTICE

The annual Puget Sound Con-  
ference of the 5th Episcopal dis-  
trict will convene at Bethel A. M. E.  
Church, Portland, Dr. Browning  
C. Allen, pastor, host. Bethel is  
the church beautiful, with its new  
exterior decorations and other im-  
provements. Everything is being  
put in readiness for the large  
delegation which will be headed  
by his honor Rt. Rev. Noah W.  
Williams, presiding bishop of the  
Fifth Episcopal District.Other high ranking churchmen  
in attendance will be Fred A.  
Hughes, editor of the Western  
Recorder, and Dr. Frederick  
Jourdon, pastor of 8th and Towne  
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By ARTHUR HAYES

Major Roy F. Morse, stationed  
at McChord Field, near here, is  
receiving congratulations upon  
his recent advance from captain  
by the War Department of July  
19 at Washington, D. C., and con-  
firmed here July 24, at which  
time he was sworn in at McChord  
Field. This comes as one of the  
big news items of the Great  
Northwest as we believe that the  
rank of major has not only fallen  
upon one of the finest officers of  
our group in this section, but is  
the highest.Major Morse is a product of  
New York City and has come  
through a long line of achieve-  
ments in the athletic field syno-  
nymous with the Salem Cres-  
cent Athletic Club of New York City,  
of which Major Morse was one  
of the prime movers in its or-  
ganization back in the days dur-  
ing the pastorate of the famous  
minister of Salem Methodist  
Church there, The Crescent has  
a long list of men of our race  
both on the track and in the  
ring, whose names have made  
history and among them Major  
Morse, who has many records to  
his credit.Tacoma feels proud of the hon-  
or to announce this great ad-  
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ing effect, and the news will be  
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Crescent Athletic Club, which has  
produced among others, Ray "Su-  
gar" Robinson, heralded as the  
next welterweight champion.He is Major Roy F. Morse, for-  
mer director of the ground school  
and secretary of the Tuskegee  
Air Corps advanced flying school.He was athletic director of the  
renowned 369 regiment before go-  
ing to Tuskegee. Major Morse, a  
New Yorker by birth, became in-  
terested in athletics while at-  
tending the New York Public  
schools, where he and a group of  
other boys organized the Cres-  
cent Club. Their local minister,  
the Rev. J. Cullen, pastor of  
Salem M. E. Church, became  
deeply interested in their pro-  
gram and allowed them to hold  
meetings in his church. Being  
thankful for this privilege, the  
boys renamed the club the Salem  
Crescent Athletic Club.While in public school in 1910,  
Major Morse won the 50 and 100  
yard sprint championships. In  
1911 he left New York public  
schools and went to Buffalo, where  
he still excelled in athletics, al-  
though he found it necessary to  
work after school selling papers  
and shining shoes to help defray  
school expenses.In 1914 at the 65th Regiment  
armory in Buffalo he made world  
records in the 75 yad dash in 7  
and 3-5 seconds and the 100 in  
9 and 3-5 seconds. In 1915 he  
went to Boston to thoutyts for  
the American Championship team  
and on Sept. 11, 1915 he made  
two world records during the  
meet of the team in California,  
the junior 100 yard dash in 9.4  
seconds and the Senior 220 yard  
dash in 22 1-5 seconds. In 1916  
he enlisted in the Army and it  
wasn't long before he was a ser-  
geant, and within two years he  
was commissioned 2nd lieutenant.  
He continued his running for an-  
other year and retired as world  
sprint champion in 1919.Among the many members of  
the Salem Crescent Athletic Club  
are Peter J. White, Howard P.  
Drew, who ran the 100 yard dash  
in 9.4 seconds; Leclias La Bete,  
hop and jump champion; Herbert  
Thompson, present national sprint  
champion, Bennie Ponto, Canada  
Lee, along with hundreds of oth-  
ers. Major Morse has also  
trained many ranking fighters,  
both in civilian life and in the  
New York 369th Regiment.Major Morse's main civilian  
occupation is Deputy Collector in  
the 3rd District New York City,  
of Internal Revenue, United  
States Treasury Department, be-  
fore being called to active duty  
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## HOLE IN ONE?

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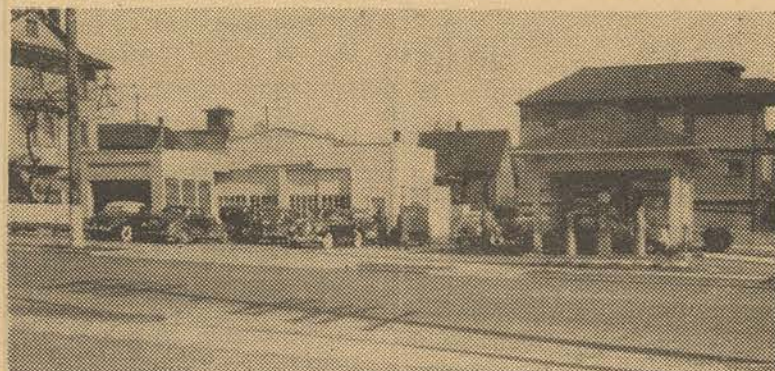
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## MORE — SHORTER

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experience in presiding at forums  
your delegate was impressed by  
the intelligence, the ability to  
ask pertinent questions and the  
wealth of information shown by  
the delegates. One felt that the  
NAACP will not rest until full  
justice is accorded the Negro in  
the armed forces of his country.  
2. EDUCATION—This area is  
perhaps the most important, cer-  
tainly on a long time basis if  
not immediately. The confer-  
ence demanded not only the elimi-  
nation of segregation, but also the  
equality in training and opportu-  
nity for advancement in admini-  
strative fields. There must be  
equal salaries for Negroes as  
for whites for the same type of  
work. Text books and other cur-  
ricula material must reflect the  
true American philosophy of de-  
mocracy. The conference recog-  
nized that this is a long, difficult  
task, especially in the South, and  
will demand the devotion and  
persistence of true Americans for  
a good many years. There must  
be no letup, in season and out of  
season.

3. HOUSING.—Your delegate  
was appointed on the sub-com-  
mittee for housing, and was able  
to make a contribution to this  
problem regarding the reconver-  
sion of private housing. This  
aspect must be specially watched.  
The conference demanded that  
public housing agencies make  
commitments to local groups that  
restrict occupancy on the basis  
of race and that additional land  
areas be made available for oc-  
cupancy by Negroes. Areas with  
restrictive covenants shall be  
declared non-transferable as land  
acquired under urban re-devel-  
opment laws. This latter is very  
important in view of post-war  
urban planning.

4. LABOR AND EMPLOY-  
MENT — Among the demands  
made in this area were the en-  
actment of federal legislation to  
make the Fair Employment Prac-  
tice Committee permanent. It  
was suggested that the NAACP  
work with other liberal organi-  
zations, such as liberal labor  
unions, for full employment in  
post-war America. It was rec-  
ognized that the struggle of the  
Negroes is bound up with the  
struggle of all workers for full  
employment. Increased facilities  
for the training of workers, in-  
cluding Negroes, was urged. A  
program of upgrading and ad-  
justing of Negroes in industry,  
and of education in labor rela-  
tions was advocated. Outlawing  
of labor unions that refuse mem-  
bership was advocated and would  
be possible by state legislation  
denying status by unions that  
discriminated on the basis of race.

5. AGRICULTURE—It was felt  
that the NAACP needs to estab-

lish closer relations with Negro  
farmers, tenant farmers and  
sharecroppers. County branches  
of the NAACP should be estab-  
lished in farm areas. There  
should be a continuation and de-  
velopment of Farm Security As-  
sociation.

6. POLITICAL ACTIVITY: —  
1944 ELECTIONS—This caused  
the greatest and most heated dis-  
cussion. Many delegates had  
come to the conference feeling  
that the executive secretary, Wal-  
ter White, had shown partiality  
to President Roosevelt, if not to  
the Democratic party. A few  
were afraid that he would try  
to swing the NAACP to support  
the President for a fourth term.  
Others hoped that he would. Your  
delegate noticed that the pro-  
gram was loaded in that direc-  
tion. For example, James B.  
Carey of the CIO made a thinly  
veiled plea for support for Mr.  
Roosevelt. Captain Grant Rey-  
nolds aroused resentment in his  
speech along the same line. The  
delegates were determined not  
to depart from the historic non-  
partisan philosophy of the Asso-  
ciation. The resolution, which  
was, if I recall correctly, unani-  
mously adopted, expressed that  
idea.

Walter White, himself, put at  
rest all doubts along that line  
when, in a great speech before  
25,000 in Washington Park, he  
denounced the Republicans for a  
weasel-worded platform and then  
warned the Democrats that un-  
less they did better they could  
"kiss the votes of the Negroes  
goodbye." As we know, the De-  
mocratic platform is even worse  
than the Republican. The NAA-  
CP certainly must engage in po-  
litical action but it must be ab-  
solutely non-partisan. One obvi-  
ous thing the Association must do  
is to educate its membership as  
to their political rights and to  
exercise those rights.

7. FEDERAL AND STATE  
LEGISLATION — Enactment of  
federal anti-lynching laws and of  
Wagner-Murray-Dingell social se-  
curity bill. Enactment of fed-  
eral legislation banning all types  
of segregation and discrimination  
against Negroes and other minor-  
ity groups. It was suggested that  
the legal staff of the NAACP  
draft a suitable bill for enactment  
by state legislatures. This latter  
is something we of the State of  
Washington must get before our  
legislature. Our regional office  
is preparing to do this.

Other resolutions referred to  
the need for training of youth,  
for peace based on equality of  
races and on NAACP organiza-  
tion. Regarding the latter it was  
the unanimous opinion that help  
should be given by the National  
office for the employment of paid  
workers in the branches. This  
will be worked out by the com-  
mittee.

The most exciting meeting was  
the great mass meeting held in  
Washington Park on the closing  
Sunday when, in the presence of  
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ter White delivered one of the  
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## MORE — FRAZIER

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community after careful and in-  
telligent consideration, should be  
able to tell very readily on whom  
they can depend for wise and  
courageous leadership, a leader-  
ship that is militant and that  
will maintain a high moral stand-  
ard.

The time also is ripe for the  
training of our youth for vocal  
as well as active participation in  
the great world of tomorrow. The  
disgraceful riots in Chicago, De-  
troit, and now in Philadelphia,  
forces us to consider the need  
for a closer knit organization  
among Negroes so that he may  
more effectively defend his rights  
in the economic and political  
world. If the Negro fails now,  
under these conditions, he has  
little to look forward to in the  
post-war world.

At a time like this we ought to  
be able to look for some of this  
leadership from our churches and  
from our ministers. The minis-  
ter of today, if he is to measure  
up to today's requirements for  
true Christian leadership, should  
be more devout, stronger intel-  
lectually and spiritually, and be  
actively interested in every phase  
of life that affects his parishion-  
ers. The Church used to play

a vital part in the affairs of  
state, and rightly so. We need  
the Church now, especially at  
this time, to point out the way  
to a better world, a world that  
recognizes the brotherhood of  
man, as well as the Fatherhood  
of God. The Church should help  
us to select the administrators,  
the right ones for public ser-  
vice. Any Church leader or min-  
ister who feels he is too sacred  
or too good to participate in the  
political life that affects his peo-  
ple, in my opinion, is not a true  
and tried leader. A true and  
tried leader is concerned about  
everything that may help or hin-  
der his followers in their living  
a Christian life. People have  
faith in ministers and in Churches  
because they have been so taught  
and because of the great power  
they wield. I hope the Church  
leadership will wake up and  
practice what it preaches. A  
true and tried leader is filled  
with the spirit of the ministry  
and will use himself unselfishly  
in the service of his people. And  
such a leader never suffers for  
lack of advantages for himself.

Now let us get together during  
this political campaign for the  
selection of our community man-  
agers, our state managers, and  
our national managers. We need  
managers who will administer for  
the good of the people that they  
might gain what has been pre-  
pared for and rightfully due  
them. Our greatest need today is  
for a militant, courageous, true  
and tried leadership.

Next week I shall speak about  
county and precinct organizations.

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