

FIRE DAMAGES ARGUS NEWS PLANT

POPULAR CINCINNATI COUPLE WED

CINCINNATI, Dec. 2—(ANP)—Climaxing a series of social entertainments which kept the young couple here for more than a fortnight, Parker Page and Miss Ruth Louise Chance were married Thanksgiving eve in a home wedding at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. Parker for many years has been a laboratory assistant at the Cincinnati Chemical Works, Inc. Miss Chance is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor F. Chance,

a graduate (1934) of Wilberforce University and a Delta Sigma Theta soror.

MRS. BETHUNE TO BE FOUNDER'S DAY SPEAKER

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 2—(ANP)—Dr. Mary McLeod Bethune, widely known woman leader and head of the Negro Division, NYA, will be the guest speaker on Dec. 10, at Phillis Wheatley YWCA, the occasion being marked by a founder's day banquet and program commemorating the 29th anniversary of the founding of the Flanner House, a social service

community center. Flanner House has various departments, including a day nursery, vocational training classes, music and industrial relations departments and four clinics—baby, dental, pre-natal and tuberculosis. The work is directed by 21 board members and an administrative staff of 18.

TULSANS HEAR ETTA MOTEN, "BROWN THUMB OF SONG"

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 2—(ANP)—Sponsored by Alpha Chi Omega chapter of Alpha Kappa Al-

St. Louis, Mo. Paper Gutted By Flames

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 2—(By F. J. Collins for ANP)—Twenty-three fire companies and four district chiefs in addition to fire chief Oboyle, battled a blaze that was estimated by the fire chief at \$26,000 to the building of the St. Louis Argus Publishing Co., publishers of the St. Louis Argus. The fire was discovered by J. O. Mitchell, an employe in the mechanical department of the newspaper, who detected smoke when he entered the rear of the building in search of the janitor. More than a score of firemen fighting the fire from the inside of the building narrowly escaped injury when the first and second floor partially collapsed. Traffic at Jefferson and Market was tied up more than two hours as firemen sought to extinguish the blaze, Market Street being one of the main arteries of east and west traffic in downtown St. Louis.

William Mitchell, business manager of the St. Louis Argus withheld an estimate of the damage, pending an investigation, but stated that both building and printing equipment were insured. Miss Etta Moten, stage, screen and radio star and featured performer in "Flying Down to Rio," was presented here last week in recital at Carver Junior High school before an audience that filled the auditorium to capacity. The program was one of a series sponsored by the sorors as contributions to the cultural side of Tulsa community life.

The second floor is occupied by Dr. J. M. Samuel, with offices and living quarters; Dr. W. A. Young; D. T. Lawson, attorney George Vaughn, attorney, these have offices in the front part of the second floor, the rear of the same floor is used as a meeting place by the Jerusalem Missionary Baptist church, Rev. J. S. Morris, pastor. The building was recently remodeled during the widening of Market Street. The part housing the newspaper offices on the first floor and the offices on the second floor being entirely new.

VARIOUS GROUPS URGE PASSAGE OF ANTI-LYNCHING BILL

NEW YORK CITY, Dec. 2—(ANP)—The Scottsboro Defense Committee this week urged all churches, unions, lodges, fraternal organizations and clubs to increase the mass campaign to secure the passage of the Wagner-Van Nuys Anti-Lynching

Bill which is scheduled to come up for debate and passage immediately after the Farm Bill has been passed by the Senate late this week.

The committee also released copies of some of the hundreds of telegrams that have been sent by various organizations, churches and clubs to Senator Wagner and other Senators supporting the passage of the bill. Among the wires sent in care of Senator Wagner, were those the Harlem Council Workers Alliance of America and the Brotherhood of

CHICAGO DEMOCRAT WINS HIGH POST

CHICAGO, Dec. 2—(ANP)—Announcement was made this week by County Treasurer Horace G. Lindheimer of the appointment of Kenneth E. Campbell as assistant to the chief clerk of the treasurer's office. A well known business man and particularly active in Democratic circles, Campbell is a former member of the Roberts-Campbell Motor Company, auto salesman and in 1936 was campaign manager for Cong. Arthur W. Mitchell of the First District. The new appointee resigned recently from warehouse section of the Illinois Commerce Commission. He formerly attended the School of Commerce and Administration at the University of Chicago.

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