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BUS STATION APPEAL IN QUESTION HOPE DIM FOR JOE, MARVA TO KISS, MAKE-UP

Louis Denies All Charges; Claims Gifts Lavished

Chicago — Adolf Hitler and Joseph Stalin will probably kiss and make up before Joe and Marva Louis take such action, it appears today.

The heavyweight champion filed an answer Wednesday to her divorce suit, which he denied virtually all of his wife's allegations and introduced some of his own, among them the contention that she had not been a "true and virtuous wife." At the same time he told how he had lavished thousands of dollars upon her, and ended by asking that her plea be denied.

The Brown Bomber, who had been reported coming to town for a conference almost daily since Mrs. Louis started action, finally did arrive last Thursday and spent a few hours here prior to leaving for Minneapolis and a boxing exhibition Friday night. Joe spent most of the day playing golf, but he is understood to have called Marva on the telephone. However, what they said to each other is thus far a secret.

It was also learned from Atty. William Temple, the champion's counsel, that any talk of a \$250,000 out of court settlement for Mrs. Louis was a pipe dream. Thus far, he said, nothing along that line had been suggested.

Sources close to the titleholder are inclined to laugh at Marva's contention that Joe is worth \$400,000 in real estate and other \$400,000 in annuities, stocks and bonds and checking accounts. Although he has grossed around \$2,000,000 in his seven years of professional fighting,

he has had to pay his managers, Julian Black and John Roxborough, his trainer, Jack Blackburn as well as other training camp expenses. This in itself knocked a big hole in his earnings.

In addition, Uncle Sam has taken his cut through income taxes and this alone amounted to several hundred thousand dollars. It is estimated that a heavyweight champion ordinarily spends \$1,000 weekly for living expenses because of his prominence in the world of sports and his affiliation with the many who live in the sporting world of "easy come, easy go." Anything less brands a titleholder as a piker and many react unfavorably at the boxoffice in future fights.

The champion has also spent considerable sums caring for his mother and family, both in Detroit and Alabama. His interest in pedigreed horses, of which he owns several, also is expensive, and extensive. He is understood to have taken a loss on his softball team of a few years ago.

According to his answer Wednesday, he has spent more than \$125,000 on Marva in the nearly 6 years of their marriage. He has given her everything financially to make her happy, including an automobile or two each year, a allowance of \$100 weekly plus other gifts ranging from \$500 to \$5,000. But Mrs. Louis has been such an expensive item, the petition says, that he has been compelled to pay her other bills and obligations, amounting to another \$4,000 to \$6,000 annually.

Kyles Funeral Attended By Thousands Who Pay Last Respects To Deceased

Winston Salem — Funeral services for Bishop Lynwood Westinghouse Kyles were held from Goler Memorial Church here this week. The 67 year old senior bishop of the AME Zion Church died at his home Fourteenth Street Tuesday night, July 8, after a critical illness of only a few hours. He had been in declining health for a year, however.

Bishop Kyles, who was outstanding throughout the nation as an educational and religious leader, was born May 3, 1874, in Albemarle County, Va. He was graduated from the liberal arts department of Lincoln University in Pa. in 1901 and from the Theology Department in 1904. It was in 1896 that he entered the ministry in the AME Zion church and he was editor and general manager of the AME Zion church Review from 1908 until 1916 when he was elected Bishop.

The aged Bishop was president of the board of trustees of Walters Institute in Warren, Ark., a trustee of Livingstone College in

Salisbury, a national trustee of the World's Christian Endeavor Society, Chairman of the central committee and general director of the Tercentenary campaign for one million dollars. He was delegate to the fourth Ecumenical Conference in London in 1921. He was a member of several fraternal organizations. Kyles Temple Church in Durham was named in his honor.

Civil Service Examination

Washington — The United States Civil Service Commission announces open competitive examinations for the following positions: junior public health nurse, and assistant manager, the latter for appointment in Washington, only. Further information may be obtained from local post office.

Alumni President



Leslie A. Furlong was recently elected president of the Shaw University Alumni Association of the nation.

Charged With Slaying Lover

Durham — Miss Lucille Harris 20 year old young Mangum Town ship woman who is charged with the killing of James Allen, the young man whom she was to have married in the fall, was bound over to Superior Court after pleading not guilty in Recorder's Court. Judge Borland ordered her held without bond to wait the action of the grand jury Monday July 14.

Allen was stabbed to death at the home of his father Saturday, June 28, where he and Miss Harris lived. The defendant stated to Sheriff E. G. Belvin that she stabbed Allen to make him leave her alone, but contended that she did not mean to hurt him seriously.

Allen was panning to take a bath and tried to take some water that she was heating to scrub the kitchen, and when she attempted to stop him, a fight began, resulting in his death. They were to have been married in September.

Gets Appointment



Head of the department of roentgenology at Provident hospital, Chicago, who has been named a diplomate of the American Board of Radiology, highest earned honor obtainable in that specialty. Dr. Anthony's rating shows he is an expert in the use of the X-ray and in radium therapy.

Hold Legal Training Should Be Easy to All

The National Council of Law Students, the first national organization of law students dedicated to the problems of law students, was formed during the school year at Howard University. So great was the need for such a progressive organization that affiliation by local campus groups throughout the country has been tremendous.

The National Council of Law Students, as a part of its national program of "Opposition to discrimination because of nationality, creed, sex, color or marital status in our universities our profession and society at large," has created a committee on Equal Opportunities in Legal Training. This committee is now making a survey on discrimination against Negroes in admittance to law schools. Advisors and consultants on this project are: Thurgood Marshall, Special Counsel, N. A. A. C. P., Malcolm P. Sharpe, of the University of Chicago Law School, John P. P. Davis, of the National Negro Congress, and Osmond K.

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Missouri Court Upholds Bluford Jim Crow Case

Jefferson City, Mo. — The Missouri supreme court Tuesday upheld the decision of a lower court which denied Lucile Bluford, managing editor of the Kansas City Call, the right to enter the University of Missouri school of journalism. The court's decision was based on the contention that Miss Bluford was not entitled to enter the white university "because of the lack of previous demand on Lincoln university."

However, the court held that the University of Missouri must accept Miss Bluford "if upon proper demand and after a reasonable time the desired course is not available at Lincoln university." The decision pointed out that the state is making an attempt to establish a school of journalism at the Negro university.

In a unanimous opinion the court said it was the "duty of this court to maintain Missouri's policy of segregation so long as it does not come in conflict with the federal constitution."

According to Atty. Sidney Redmond, NAACP lawyer who with Atty. Charles Houston is representing Miss Bluford, a motion for rehearing has been filed. They contend that the state is not providing equal opportunities for Negroes if they must wait for facilities desired.

Tuesday the senate passed an appropriation bill that included \$65,000 for a Lincoln university school of journalism. The bill has yet to be approved by the house.

A. T. Spaulding Is Head Of National Insurance Group

Savannah, Ga. (By J. Collier for ANP) — A. T. Spaulding of the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance company, Durham, was elected president of the National Negro Insurance association for the term of the 1941-42 in the final session of the association Friday. He succeeded J. E. Smith president of the Domestic Life and Accident Insurance Company Louisville, who was elected chairman of the executive committee. The complete slate of Officers for 1941-42 is:

A. T. Spaulding, North Carolina, president; B. T. Bradshaw, Virginia Mutual, Richmond, first vice president; Charles Greene, Atlanta Life, second vice president; J. C. Atwater, Great Lakes Mutual, third vice president; T. W. Josey, Pilgrim Health and Life, medical director, C. L. Townes, Virginia Mutual, secretary; Mr. Christophe, New Orleans, assistant secretary, H. L. Street Mammoth Life and Accident, Louisville, treasurer, M. S. Stuart, Universal Life, Memphis historian, Miss Mamie Hickerson Supreme Liberty Life, Chicago, statistician, A. Maceo Walker, University Life, actuary, J. Robinson, American Woodman, chaplain, and J. Leonard Lewis, Afro-American Life, Jacksonville, general counsel.

The group went on record as supporting the \$100,000 lobby plan of the National Negro council which has as its member some of the most prominent men in the country. This "March of Dimes" program will be climaxed with a National Reconciliation day on July 6. Edgar Brown spoke during the convention to the body concerning a lobby to work in the direction of securing legislation from congress guaranteeing no discrimination in the million positions of the federal service, no denial of Negroes of admittance to labor unions and the opening of skilled and unskilled jobs to Negroes in national defense industry and federal training programs.

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Bar Association Publishes First Law Journal

St. Louis — Announcement of the publication of the first issue of the National Bar Journal was made this week by S. R. Redmond president of the National Bar association, the organization of American lawyers publishing the magazine. This is the first law journal published by the Negro bar. It is to be quarterly edited by Freeman L. Martin.

Special Assistant



Atty. George A. Blakey, brilliant young Chicago lawyer, who has been appointed assistant attorney of Illinois by Atty. Gen. George F. Barrett who took office in January. Mr. Blakey, long active in Republican politics, has also attracted wide attention for his numerous civil rights victories on behalf of the Chicago Branch NAACP.

New Magazine On "Africa" Is Started In New York

The African Publishing Corporation, a new organization incorporated under the laws of the State of New York has taken over and resume publication of THE AFRICAN, a magazine which had been on the market for over a year, and suspended publication.

The Corporation held its first meeting of the Board of Directors at 8 West 17th Street, its general office, on Sunday, July 13th. A reception was given in honor of the occasion by the officers and Board of Directors for the general staff and friends of the organization including Attorneys, Thomas B. Dyett, Emile Thomas, Horace L. Gordon, Mr. Edwin Isaacs, Mr. Winston Hibbert, Editor and others.

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President



It was announced this week by officials of N. C. College that Gayle Peters, noted baritone, will render a recital on July 26, in B. N. Duke auditorium. Admission is free to the general public.

Utilities Boss Says Time Extension In Jim Crow Case

Durham — Heated discussion is now in progress to determine whether or not it will be legal for the Durham Committee on Negro Affairs to appeal the recent decision of the Utilities Commission denying a Main Street entrance to the new bus station. The committee decided to make the appeal in their Tuesday meeting.

The committee was granted a hearing before the Commission, June 16, but the unfavorable decision was handed down. However, 10 days were given to file exceptions. The time expired, and R. O. Self, chief clerk of the Commission, granted an extension of 10 more days and this time the committee filed their complaint.

The Carolina Coach Company, which, according to George Johnson of Raleigh, traffic manager of the Coach Company, will fight the proposed changes in the plans, has protested through their attorney, Council for John Buchanan of Durham owner of the site, also lodged a protest, but both were overruled.

Chief Clerk Self indicated that the grant of an extension of time might be illegal. He said that some years ago in a case involving the Union Station at Kinston, the court ruled that the 10-day period given for the filing of exceptions to rulings was a matter of legal statute and could not be changed by the commission any more than the commission could change the statute in any other matter.

Self also said that, under the law, he understood that a "group of random parties" could not appeal from a Utilities Commission ruling. The appeal would have to come from one of the interested parties or from the municipality.

equality. Self said that the North Carolina Supreme Court made this decision just before the World War when the Merchants Association of Morganton appealed a decision on the location of a railroad station. As the matter now stands, the commission must rule on the exceptions. If the ruling is unfavorable, the Durham committee will have to appeal to the Wake County Superior Court.

New Hope Meeting Convenes At Shiloh

Morrisville — The sixty fourth annual session of the New Hope Auxiliary Sunday School and BTU Convention has been in session with the Shiloh Baptist Church near Morrisville beginning Wednesday, July 16. The final session is Friday afternoon.

The outstanding feature of the opening day of the convention was the election of officers for the coming year. The same officers were retained with the exception of the auditor and two members of the executive board. James A. Allen is president, Rev. I. R. Stanford, first vice president, Miss Hogan, second vice president; Rev. J. H. Jones, secretary, Mrs. J. H. Dunston, treasurer; Miss Pearl Melver, corresponding secretary, George Jacobs replaced Rev. James Stewart as auditor.

Members of the executive board are: J. A. Allen, Rev. F. A. Grady, Rev. James Stewart, Rev. M. K. Hill, Rev. J. R. Stafford, Rev. W. M. Fuller, Rev. J. H. Thomas and Mrs. J. H. Dunston. Outstanding on the program (Continued on page eight)

Biltmore Hotel Is Given "A" Rating By The Health Dept.

The Durham County Health department announced last week that the Biltmore Hotel, Durham Negro establishment had been given an "A" rating. The Biltmore is believed by many to be the only Negro hotel in the South to obtain such a high grade, and the management was receiving throughout the week congratulations from friends and patrons alike.

According to James Baylor, manager of the Durham hotel, the Biltmore was placed under a most rigid inspection throughout, as a part of the campaign of the Durham health

department to clean up rooming houses, eating establishments, markets, groceries and other places that serve the general public of the city. So rigid have been the inspections that many places have been forced to go out of business or renovate throughout.

The Biltmore hotel is housed in a three story modern brick building with steam heat, hot and cold running water in each room and other modern conveniences to be found in first class hostels. It has grown steadily in popularity and (Continued on page eight)