

Housing, Union Bias Against Negro Told

But Guiley Opposes Penalty Law; Blocked by Carpenters, Vet Says

By GEORGE RODGERSON
(State Journal Staff Writer)

Discrimination against Negroes in Madison is sometimes subtle, and other times open and brutal, the mayor's special committee on human rights heard Tuesday night.

The struggle is bitterest in the case of housing, the committee heard.

At the same time, the group was told by a World War II veteran how there were "never any openings" in the carpenter's union when he wanted to join after returning from service.



CARSON GULEY

150 Eat Rare Roast of Beef, Champ Variety

By JOHN R. PRINDLE
(Assistant State Editor)

SUN PRAIRIE — Most people never get to enjoy grand championship beef—most folks have to be content with the ordinary \$1 to \$1.20 a pound variety.

But Tuesday night about 150 persons in Sun Prairie ate beef that came from the steer that took the grand championship award Oct. 24 at the Junior Live Stock exposition in Madison. The 11-year-old who raised the animal was one of the diners.

And although it may have been with mixed emotions that Richard Renk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Renk, saw his prize Aberdeen Angus served up on a platter, he controlled his emotions well enough to eat his share, and a rousing share it was.

The animal, purchased in October by the Hanley Implement Co., was served to employees, suppliers, newspapermen, radio station operators, farm leaders, and friends Tuesday night at a banquet held in the Sun Prairie American Legion hall.

Those who braved the below-zero temperatures to drive here from distant places to the banquet to implement firm felt their trip was well worth while.

Roast beef supplied by Black Magic the name Richard gave his steer — was served in as large quantities as the diner desired. And there were second, third, and even fourths, if requested.

Then Hanley company bought the prize animal for \$1.52 a pound, or a total of \$1,551.92. The banquet was held for company employees and others in appreciation for a year of service, according to Arthur H. Hanley, president, and Erich Lenz, secretary-manager.

Richard not only took grand championship for his Aberdeen Angus in the Madison show, but won the reserve junior championship last month at the International Live Stock exposition in Chicago with his Hereford junior yearling.

Milwaukee Road, North Western Add Cars for Holiday

Both the Milwaukee and North Western roads are adding passenger cars for the holiday rush, it was announced Tuesday.

The Milwaukee road will add extra sections to the Hiawatha from Chicago on Friday, Saturday, Sunday and again the day after Christmas and on New Year's day.

New Lisbon will no longer be a place to change cars because of the new system inaugurated by the road. The Northwoods Hiawatha will operate from northern communities through to Milwaukee or Chicago without a stop at New Lisbon to change.

The Madison-Chicago run of the North Western road will have an extra train on Friday for holiday travelers, the Chicago passenger traffic office "through to Milwaukee or Chicago without a stop at New Lisbon to change."

Passenger will leave Chicago for Madison via Janesville at 1:15 p. m. arriving at Janesville at 3:15 p. m. and at Madison at 4 p. m.

The return trip will leave here at 5:20 p. m., stopping at both Evansville and Janesville and arrive at Chicago at 7:45 p. m.

Madison also will be a stop along a new sleeping car service route planned to begin on Jan. 15, the office announced.

The route between Chicago and Minneapolis will stop at Crystal Lake, Woodstock, Harvard, Beloit, Janesville, Madison, Baraboo, Reedsburg, and Lodi.

A new Pullman sleeping car with 12 sections and a drawing room will be added to the Duluth-Superior limited leaving Chicago at 6:30 p. m. and will be picked up by the road at Altoona to arrive at St. Paul at 7:40 a. m. and Minneapolis at 7:15 a. m.

HAIR GROWS EARLY
MEMPHIS, Tenn. — (U.P.) — R. W. Baker's son, Roger, got his first barber shop haircut at seven weeks old.

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City Lions Play Santa to DP Youngsters



Some of the young displaced persons (DP) who got their first taste of an American Christmas Tuesday at the Lions club are shown in the photo above, grouped around the club's Santa Claus.

The DP children mingled with Lion members' children and the spirit of the occasion removed all language barriers.

—State Journal Staff photos

Children Get First Taste of U. S. Yuletide

By WALLACE WIKOFF
(State Journal Staff Writer)

An experiment in combining the fantasy of Santa Claus with the reality of democracy paid off Tuesday when the Madison Lions club opened its children's Christmas party to displaced persons (DP) youngsters.

It was the first time in the city that a civic organization had attempted to round up the DP children from the various groups who have brought them here and treat them to an American Christmas.

Unqualified Success

And despite the language barriers of some of the children and the fact that their mothers or fathers weren't in the room with them, the experiment was an unqualified success.

For most of the DP children, ranging from 4 to 15, who were guests of the Lions, it was their first Christmas in the United States, and their wide eyes could scarcely take in the excitement of the large yule tree, the gay balloons, the jovial Santa Claus and the many gifts—hand picked by Lion members.

The idea grew out of a story last August in The Wisconsin State Journal about a Yugoslav widow and her three children who arrived in Madison after years of moving from one concentration camp to another, during which time the children's father died.

From a suggestion made by the Journal reporter, who wrote the story that maybe the Lions club could include this family in its annual Christmas party, the club members opened their party and hearts to all of the city's DPs who could be contacted.

Some of the children, dressed their best to impress their "adopted" fathers for the day, sat shoulder-to-shoulder with American boys and girls, the children of Lion members.

And a few less timid souls came to the microphone to sing Christmas songs from their native lands.

After the dinner and treats of candy and balloons, Dane County Traffic Lieut. A. C. Pope showed movie cartoons — the first many have ever seen.

Some of the youngsters were born in European concentration camps and had known only flight and hunger until coming to this country.

An accordion quartet from the Patli Music studio provided background music as Santa Claus and his helpers passed out the gifts.

'Most Heartwarming'

Elmer Nielsen, boys committee chairman of the Lions club, called the experiment "the most heartwarming thing we've done in years. I'm sure many of those



Helena Kavaleska, 10-year-old German refugee, shows her appreciation by singing a Christmas song in her native tongue while Santa (Ed Mercer) looks on.

Political Unknown Seeks McCarthy's Job

LAKE GENEVA — (U.P.) — Edmund Kerwer, 39-year-old Lake Geneva ceramic tile contractor, announced his candidacy for United States senator on the Republican ticket Tuesday.

The former Chicago carpenter, who is new in politics, said his campaign will not be conducted to condemn or sneer at any one, "least of all Senator McCarthy."

"I feel that the junior senator has made an awful lot of mistakes, but he's not the basis of my platform," Kerwer said. "A good, clean campaign is the only way to win."

"My only concern is a good clean government of, for and by the people. Maybe an ordinary American like me can help in that direction."

Kerwer is married. He has no children.

DP youngsters will feel more like Americans now.

Members of the youth and Christmas committee working with Nielsen were:

L. S. Bakken, Vincent Sweeney, Herman Heinicke, George Rodger, Ralph McCormick, Ben Trumbor, Arthur Schroeder, William Casey, Harland Kilpstein, Donald Hesse, and Mercer.



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Butcher Union, 'Big Four' Talk

City Local Hears of Negotiations

Negotiations of the national committee of the AFL Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen with the "big four" meat packing companies have begun in Chicago, Russell Dresser, president of Madison Local 538, reported Tuesday.

A telegram from Dresser, who is attending the meetings with Swift, Armour, Cudahy, and Wilson Packing Cos. as a national committee member, was read at the union meeting Tuesday night.

Negotiations with the "big four" usually set standards for wages and benefits in the meat packing industry throughout the country.

Nominate Candidates

The union nominated candidates for all offices except president at Tuesday night's meeting. Dresser's term has one more year to run.

Frank Davis, financial secretary, will be opposed by Woodrow Henning in the election, to be held Jan. 15.

Willard Elledge was nominated for corresponding secretary. Alvin Prochnow, the incumbent, declined nomination for another term.

Charles Minor, sergeant-at-arms, will be opposed by Joy Osmundson.

Harvey Blumerich and Rudolph Haak were nominated for the vacated trustee post. Gilbert Millette, incumbent, declined re-nomination.

Clement Holm, vice-president; Donald Call, recording secretary; Louis Knickmeier, guide; and Frank Knickmeier, guard, were unopposed.

Ray Wentz, St. Paul, international vice-president, conducted the nominations.

To Consider WFL Tie

A committee of three officers and three members to meet with the Wisconsin Federation of Labor to consider affiliation of the union with WFL was appointed.

Members are Dresser, Davis, Call, Francis Urschitz, Derra, and Nelson.

The union voted a \$25 donation to the Fun Fund sponsored by The State Journal's sports columnist Joseph "Roundy" Coughlin and \$10 for the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis Assn.

Mrs. Blisse Heads Retail Clerks Union

Mrs. Bonnie Blisse was elected president of the Retail Clerks union, Local 1401, Tuesday night in the Labor Temple.

Mrs. Blisse succeeds Orlando Buskager. Mrs. Norma Gudenschwager was chosen first vice-president, succeeding Thomas Fuller.

Elected second vice-president, Mrs. Hilda Ellefson succeeds Mrs. Gudenschwager.

Leo Clark was reelected secretary, treasurer, and business representative. Mrs. Ruby Walker was chosen guard to succeed Mrs. Blisse.

Corresse Frazer was elected guide. The post was held during the past year by Mrs. Lorraine Juza.

Mrs. Ida Mael was chosen trustee. She succeeds Mrs. Ellefson. Holdover trustees are Helen Vanderveen and Mrs. Emerentia Kohl.

3 from Pierce County Die in Chicago Crash

CHICAGO — (U.P.) — Two children and an elderly woman were killed and five other persons were injured seriously Tuesday in a collision between a truck-trailer and an automobile on Cicero ave. near suburban Oak Forest.

Illinois state police said the dead are Bernard Stogdill, 15, Hager City (Pierce county) Wis., his brother Harlan, 12, and their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Wood, 60, Bay City (Pierce county), Wis.

Madison News Items in Brief

DID YOU FIND \$36?
Friends of Anna Seep, 70, of 114 N. Webster st., who lost \$36 in cash from her purse sometime last week, are hoping that whoever found it will read this and return it.

"She's an elderly woman and the \$36 is all she had to live on for a long time," they told The State Journal.

Anyone finding or knowing of the money was asked to call 5-9189.

LUTHERAN PUPILS PROGRAM
The Madison Lutheran school pupils Christmas program will be held Sunday night starting at 5 p. m. in the Immanuel Lutheran church, 511 S. Ingersoll st., according to Elmer Behrens, principal of the school.

The program will be presented in two sessions, one at 5 p. m. and another at 7 p. m. Behrens said. Half the pupils of the school will take part in the first presentation and the remaining pupils will take part in the second.

Both programs will be the same, however.

CUB PACK 333
Cub Scouts of Lowell School Pack 333 will observe the holiday season with carol singing around the municipal Christmas tree in Elmside Park Friday night.

The carol singing will follow a short pack meeting at the school, after which the Cubs, their parents, and leaders will go to the park. Santa Claus will visit the group there to distribute candy.

Mrs. George Thacher, 506 Welch ave., will lead the carol singing.

STAMP CLUB PARTY
The annual Christmas party of the Madison Stamp club will be held Friday at 8 p. m. in the City YMCA, according to L. A. Wolf, program chairman. Marion Houghton and Mrs. Jane Fredericks will be in charge of entertainment and refreshments.

NEIGHBORHOOD YULE PARTY
Neighbors of the 400 and 500 blocks in Welch ave. and the 3100 and 3200 blocks in Center ave., will join in observing the holiday season on Dec. 26, when they meet at the intersection of the two streets for carol singing at 7 p. m.

After the carols they will attend open house at the George Thacher home, 506 Welch ave.

All the residents of the four blocks plan to have some kind of outdoor lighting this year.

Assisting in the lighting program are Joseph Noltner, 3110 Center; Dean Benzer, 3217 Center; and L. M. Hanson, 413 Welch ave.

FENDER SKIRT STOLEN
Richard Humphrey, 45 Craig ave., reported to police Tuesday that a \$15 fender skirt was stolen from his car while it was parked at the University of Wisconsin field house Monday night.

WASHINGTON SCHOOL
The Washington school Christmas program will be presented in afternoon and night sessions at the school auditorium today, according to Kathryn Jones, director of the program.

The kindergarten and the first and second grades will present their program starting at 2 p. m. and the program for grades 3 through 6 will be held at 7:15 p. m.

Elaine Koepf will play a violin solo to open the night program. PTA meetings will precede both the afternoon and the night programs.

MINISTERS TO SPEAK
Three out-of-town ministers will be among speakers at the annual Christmas party of the First Spiritual Science church, 1710 Wintebago st., to be held Sunday at 7:30 p. m.

The Rev. Agnes Wolf, Milwaukee; Grace Bracken, Grand Rapids, Mich.; and Maria Kriska, Kenosha will speak at services during the party. Also speaking will be H. C. Johnson, Freeport, Ill.

Santa Claus has promised to put in an appearance for the children of the Sunday school, and colored movies and refreshments are planned for the adults.

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