Reporter's Beat

By YE OLDE SCRIBE

LEFT HIDE: Captain of Bellmen Spurgeon Mangum, at the Columbia hotel was chuckling something awful the other day. It seems that the "slick" boys out at the corner of Gervais and Sumter, just across from the post office, try on the unsuspecting victims who invariably fall for the old "pocketbook" gag. Spotting a suspicious looking party Mr. Mangum walked over and asked, "are you an all right person" whereupon the party grew angry and began sputtering off. Mr. Mangum then said, "oh that's all right. The FBI man back there just asked me how you were," which was falsehood, but Mr. Mangum never got any further. The man spun around two or three times as if to figure which was the straightest and clearest route, then took off as fast that Mr. Mangum says he left the side behind him.

STRANDED: Last week the membership of Bethel AME church, while proud that their pastor is one of two presidents of Wilberforce University, where at the same time is marked by the fact that until the Wilberforce row cooled off or prior word from Dr. Charles L. Hill, their pastor and one of the presidents, they would be without an assigned pastor.

DOUBLE FINE: John "J. B." Golden, veteran, says he's going just like with his obnoxious business, venoming the unsuspecting victims who invariably fall for the old "pocketbook" gag spotting a suspicious looking party Mr. Mangum walked over and asked, "are you an all right person" whereupon the party grew angry and began sputtering off. Mr. Mangum then said, "oh that's all right. The FBI man back there just asked me how you were," which was a falsehood, but Mr. Mangum never got any further. The man spun around two or three times as if to figure which was the straightest and clearest route, then took off as fast that Mr. Mangum says he left the side behind him.

BROKEN PROMISE: Mrs. Clem Williams (Blue Pantry) lady chamber of commerce or Mr. thurtown, which she calls "the best place on earth," related the other night how angry a preacher made her. The preacher she said, unless she stopping for right years and promised "I will pay annual contributions every three months." Refusing to change his statement after she had tried to point out his error. Then, spying a newshawk near by, she pointed a finger and said, "Now, please don't put that in the paper. Everytime I talk around me of your fellows I get written up." The newsman promised.

HAVE OUTING: Newsboys of the Lighthouse and Informer had, as of this last Wednesday, their supervisor, arranged the day for them at Dunbar Lake and the youngsters say had a whooping good time. They'll get their affairs as often as possible this summer, Mr. Butler said.

FACES AND FOLKS: Seldom seen these hot days and the following: C. Artemus, Wilbur H. Ford, Tom Martin (newly married man), Joe Lawder of the inner circle, Melvin Chase, Garrett, Nat Nesbitt and Leroy Parr, the latter arriving at Myrtle Beach Sunday afternoon. A. Elmore, driving for the first time in many weeks, Rev. T. H. Cobb, who returned the newspaper on the traffic court in Israel (name here), Rev. R. Spann, Roberts, Orangeburg, and Jow of Georgetown, defied the rain last week. Rev. J. J. Foster and McNeil, the photographer, both of Sumter, were in town a brief while during the week. Mrs. Lillian Benjamin, Jr. of Hemmingway was among many women here last week for the Order of Tents and J. J. Jedding and Jethro Horton, the latter house guest of Mr. and Mrs. James at Clinton.

JERRY BACK: Mr. and Mrs. W. (Jerry) Sells, the motorcycle, returned to Columbia last week following a few days of visiting in New Jersey and New York. Mr. Sells said

Vacation School At Zion Baptist

Registration for Vacation Bible School at Zion Baptist Church will be held Thursday, July 3 at 4:30 o'clock according to an announcement from the church office this week. Classes begin Monday morning, July 7 and the school will run for four weeks held daily from 8:00 to 12:15.

Rev. Robert H. Wilson, associate pastor, who will direct the school, announced the following Department Superintendents: Nursery, Miss Irene Weathers; Beginners, Mrs. J. P. Reeder; Primary, Mrs. Dorothy Walker; Junior Department, Mrs. Nellie Ford; Intermediate, Rev. Reuben Dicks.

Spartanburg News

ATLANTA, Ga. — The Spartanburg Club held its annual meeting Thursday, June 19 at the Recreation Center. Dr. Phillip was guest speaker. Round Table Discussion by the group followed. Dr. L. S. Holden is president of the club.

Miss Carmine Fludd is expected in Spartanburg within a few days to begin work as Home Demonstration Agent for this County. She succeeds Mrs. M. A. Blakemon, who resigned for further study.

Mr. W. M. Gilliam attended the graduation exercises of his son, Ralph in Cleveland, O. His daughter, Ruth accompanied him.

Dr. W. M. Porter, Mr. S. M. Melton and Mr. H. L. Barksdale motored to Pyron Sunday.

Mrs. D. Atcherson, Mrs. W. Atcherson, and Mrs. B. Rogers spent Sunday, with their sister, Mrs. P. Hammonds in Saluda, S. C.

Mrs. Louise Smith, Debit Manager for the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Co., here left Sunday for Detroit, Mich. to attend the National Negro Insurance Association as delegate from Spartanburg District. Mrs. V. A. Pryor accompanied her.

Women's Auxiliary To VFW Formed

The Women's Auxiliary to Gandy-Griffin Post 4262, Veterans of Foreign Wars, was installed here Monday, at the home of Mrs Helen Dreher.

Mrs. Sadie Barnett, District Organizer was in charge of the installation.

The following ladies received the oath and became charter members: Mesdames Helen Dreher, Henrietta Johnson, Ethel Finley, Alberta Morrison, Laurene Dakers, Mattie McIver, Geneva Brown, Angeline McClain, Lydia Weston, Emma Jenkins, Doris Jenkins, Levaner Brown, Lila Metz and Jessie White.

This organization has the distinction of being the first colored Auxiliary in the State.

Hemingway News

HEMINGWAY, S. C. — The Big Four Masonic and Eastern Star Lodge is having a St. John's Day program at the Walkers Chapel Baptist church Sunday at 3:30 p. m. Rev. W. T. Murray will be guest speaker.

Among those on the sick list are Mrs. L. W. Barkes, and Mr. Norman Washington. Also ill is Mrs. Mary Brooks. Her daughter, Mrs. O. Donley of New York City is visiting her during her illness.

The Walkers Chapel Branch of the NAACP is planning a big rally in the near future.

Miss Trimel Donlay and Mr. Ernest Wright were united in marriage this week.

Poro College Commencement Set For July 18

CHICAGO — (ANP) — Commencement exercises for Poro college began here Friday evening, according to Mrs. Annie M. Turnbo Malone, president and founder of the beauty school. A unique feature of the convocation this year was the presence of valedictorians of the last graduating class of the various branch schools throughout the country. This innovation is expected to stimulate a great deal of scholastic competition.

Surprise features planned for the guests included an essay contest for which prizes were given, a reception, music appreciation evening, sightseeing tour of Chicago, and luncheon in the loop.

Mrs. Malone served as general chairman of the commencement committees.

Estimated twenty tons of spoiled food reaches public daily.

War Department to send church group on tour of Europe

Medics Ask $30,000 Damages From R'road

NEW YORK — (ANP) — A suit was filed in Brooklyn Federal court here last week by two physicians asking $30,000 damages from the Atlantic Coast line and Pennsylvania railroads for an alledged jim crow and assault incident which occurred in 1942.

The physicians filing the affidavit were Dr. Arthur M. Lee and his wife, Dr. Eulalie M. Lee. The woman's complaint charged that she had been assaulted by railway employees near Philadelphia and Washington and had been thrown off the train onto the tracks outside her destination at Fayetteville, N. C. She said she was enroute to Fort Bragg to visit her husband who was at that time an army captain stationed in Fort Bragg. The couple's six-year old son was with her.

Her affidavit further stated that she had been molested for most of the trip because she insisted her tickets had been sold with the assurance she could keep the same seats all the way and refused to move to a jim crow car.

As a result of her being thrown on the tracks outside of Fayetteville the woman suffered injuries which reduced her capacity to practise her profession. She asks $25,000 damages.

In a companion suit, her husband asks $5,000 for loss of her services. The couple is represented by Attorney Harry H. Lipsig. Both railroads have entered affidavits denying knowledge of the incident.

SISTERS SWAP HOMES

Polk, Neb. — As a matter of convenience, two sisters, Mrs. Carl Steelquist, of Polk, and Mrs. Otis Anderson of Caldwell, Idaho, swapped houses so that each could have a vacation. Mrs. Anderson wanted to visit relatives in Polk and Mrs. Steelquist wanted a vacation, so they worked out the novel idea of just swapping houses.

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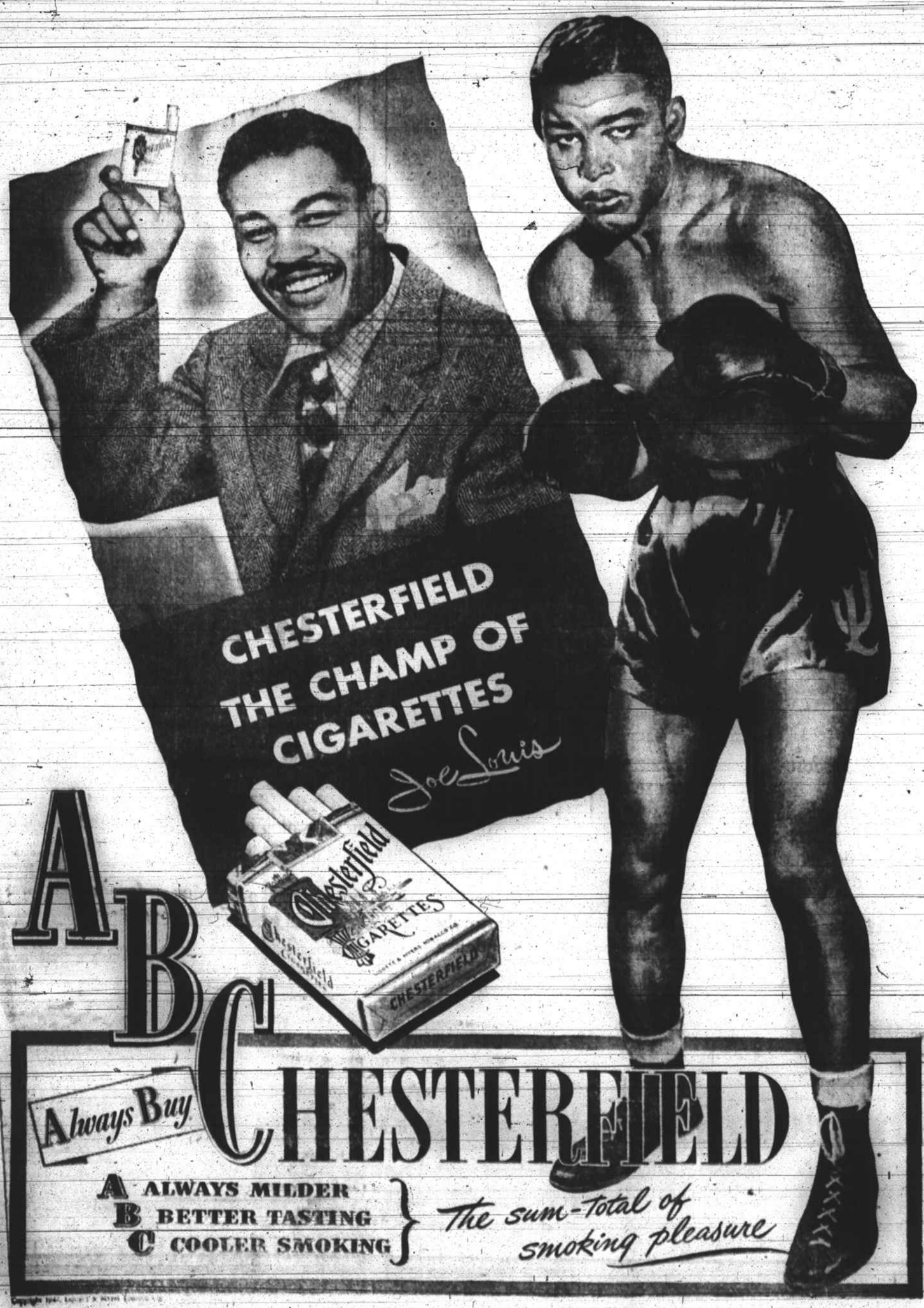
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