



Jesse Owens Is Layman Speaker

For its observance of Layman's Sunday on November 6, Indianola Church will have as its guest speaker Mr. Jesse Owens, rated as the greatest track athlete of the Twentieth Century. The former Ohio State University star will speak at the morning worship service.

On the evening of November 6 Mr. Owens will address a youth rally for the Methodist youth of the Columbus District. The rally will begin at 7 p.m. in the Indianola Church and our Senior Youth Fellowship will serve as hosts. Members of the Youth Fellowship will conduct a brief devotional service. Following the service a reception and informal hour will be held in the church dining room at which time the young people will have an opportunity to meet and talk with Mr. Owens personally.

Jesse Owens, considered by many sports experts to be the greatest track and field star of the half century, has been on the staff of the Illinois Youth Commission since 1955, serving as sports specialist.

The former Olympic star is assigned to the special services unit of the Division of Community Services, which conducts the Youth Commission's delinquency prevention program. The commission also operates the state juvenile correctional institutions.

In addition to making public appearances before youth groups and civic meetings, Owens' duties include conducting athletic clinics and the annual Junior Sports Jamboree, a track and swimming meet sponsored jointly by the Youth Commission and the Illinois Junior Chamber of Commerce.

He is a resident of Chicago, where he devotes much of his time to underprivileged youth, as a board member and former director of the Chicago Boys'

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Mr. Gingery Heads New Fund Campaign

In November when the present 100 week pledges to our new building fund expire, it will be necessary for the church to undertake another financial campaign aimed at the liquidation of the indebtedness. It is anticipated that approximately \$80,000 will still be owed.

The Finance Commission, under the chairmanship of Newell S. Oder, has been considering plans for the retirement of the debt. It is able to announce that Stanley L. Gingery will serve as the chairman of the new campaign committee. A full committee will be named later.

Preaching Schedule

- Oct. 30 "Who Cooks the Food for Your Thought?"
- Nov. 6 LAYMAN'S SUNDAY:
Mr. Jesse Owens, speaker
- Nov. 13 "Written With a Pen of Iron"
- Nov. 20 THANKSGIVING:
"Better Than Good Pagans"

Girl Scouts Aid Voters

The Girl Scouts of Troop 682 are offering their services as babysitters (free of charge) for those desiring to vote on election day, November 8. The girls will be available after school only, beginning at 3:30 p.m.

Those desiring this service are invited to call the church office and leave word. The telephone number is AX 1-1443.

Only those residing within the area of the church can be served.

School Attendance

	1960	1959
Sept. 4	77	189
Sept. 11	299	250
Sept. 18	313	275
Sept. 25	336	378

(Vote Nov. 8)

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club, serving 1,500 youngsters.

In 1955, the U. S. State Department delegated Owens as America's "Ambassador of Sport" and sent him on a two month good will tour of the Far East. The following year he went to Australia as one of the personal representatives of President Eisenhower at the 16th Olympiad.

Prior to joining the staff of the Youth Commission, Owens was executive secretary to the Illinois Athletic Commission.

His athletic career began in 1928 at Cleveland, O., where he set new world records for junior high schools by jumping 6 feet even in height and 22 feet, 11¼ inches in the broad jump.

During his high school days in Cleveland, Owens won all the major track events, including the state championship for three consecutive years. At the National Intercollegiate School meet in Chicago during his senior year, he set a new world record for high schools by running the 100 in 9.4 seconds to tie the accepted world record, and he created a world record in the 220-yard event, running it in 20.7 seconds. A week earlier, he had set a new world record in the broad jump, by jumping 24 feet, 11¼ inches.

During his freshman year at Ohio State university, Owens set world record in the 60 meters, at 6.2 seconds, and created a new record of 6.1 seconds in the 60-yard dash.

As a sophomore, he had the distinction of being the only track and field athlete in history to set three world records and to tie the fourth in a single track meet. He ran the 100-yards at 9.4 seconds, to tie the world's record, and set world's records in the 220, at 20.2 seconds, the 220 low hurdles, at 22.6 seconds, and the broad jump, at 26 feet, 8¼ inches.

At the 1936 Olympic games, held at Berlin, Germany, Owens gained international distinction by winning individual titles in the 100-meters, 200-meters, and broad jump, and running on the victorious relay team.

The appearance of Mr. Owens on November 6, at both services, is made possible by a special grant from the Wolfley Fund.

Ministry of Music 1960-1961

Our 1960-61 choir year opened the last Sunday in September with the Senior Choir singing at the morning service. It is always a joy for the Organist Director to meet with the former members of the Choirs in the fall and also to greet new members who are interested in singing in the Choirs. The members singing in the Senior Choir are: Sopranos — Mildred John, Doris Alexander, Anne Duffy, Sue Meier, Bonnie Richardson and Dorothy Scott; Altos — Martha Bethel, Barbara Chafee, Marilyn Calborn, Donna Carpenter, Sylvia Newhouse, Bea Stettner and Mrs. Charles Bunnell; Tenors — Clayton Stettner, Terry Duffy, Charles Ludolph and Guy Newhouse; Basses — Randall Clark, Herman Brown, David Katonack, E. D. Ketch and Charles Bunnell.

We are still accepting members in the choir. Senior Choir rehearsal is each Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

The Junior Choir is rehearsing on Wednesday afternoons at 3:30 p.m. Girls and boys between the ages of 8 and 12 are invited to join this choir. Come to the rehearsal.

A new Junior High Ensemble is being organized for boys and girls in the seventh, eighth and ninth grades. All those wishing to sing in this group see me or come to the rehearsal on Sunday afternoon at 3:30 p.m.

— Gertrude Schneider
Minister of Music

In Memoriam

Florence Layton
September 8, 1960

Dr. Moorehead Preaches at "Home"

During the week of October 11-18 Dr. Moorehead was in the state of Illinois serving as a guest minister for a statewide program of Evangelism. Approximately 1000 guest ministers from all over the United States gathered in Bloomington, Illinois for instruction and preparation. Then on Friday, Oct. 14, they were taken to the various cities and towns where the campaign was being prosecuted in local churches.

Dr. Moorehead was invited as guest minister in the First Methodist Church, Decatur, Illinois, the church in his hometown which led him into the ministry. In this church of over 3300 members he preached twice on Sunday, October 16, besides speaking to the visitation workers and a youth gathering.

Miss Plank Writes From Malaya

Below are excerpts from a letter from Caroline Plank, a missionary librarian in Malaya. She asks for books or copies of *Ideals*. Donations may be left in Arden Tiley's office. They will be sent at international book rates.

"Beginning this year, all Christian worship programs were removed from the Malayan Broadcasting System and so now more than ever is the printed word of importance. This makes libraries as well as bulletin boards in our Christian schools of more importance as a means of spreading the Truth to all. Thank you for the stamps. These have not only helped the collectors, but have helped in every area of teaching and in many parts of library work. It has surely been an 'eye-opener' for me too, for I find that one can hardly pick up any stamp without its leading one into some reference or research, nor pick up a book without there being a story of some person or place for which there is a stamp.

"They literally read books to pieces. Recently we have put a series of books on the shelves called 'The Golden Rule Series' from the American Book Co. Since the day they were in circulation, they have not been in the library long enough to be placed back on the shelves."

In addition to her duties which fall under the term "organization and administration," Miss Plank is called upon to help or talk to other libraries, train others, talk at chapel, judge debates, mend books, etc.

Weddings

September 9, Gloria Mae Johnson and Henry Wulfi.
September 17, Billie Sue Laferty and Harry Brewster Thomas.
September 27, Ruby M. Moss and Charles R. Hunter.
(All are residents of Columbus)

Baptism

August 22—Susan Heather Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lee.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Upperco, 5729 Indianola, Worthington, daughter, Ann Katherine, September 23.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Yearling, 3031 Bellwood Court, Beverly Manor, Apt. 7, daughter, Beth Ann, September 20.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Belyin, 2015 Grasmere, daughter, Susan Jayne, September 30.
Mr. and Mrs. Glen Maxwell, 2656 Knox Rd., son, John David, October 4.

Next Summit
Deadline Nov. 6

Discipline

A subject that has been coming in for some discussion around the halls and rooms of the Church school is "Discipline". Not that our boys, girls, and youth have been tearing the paper from the walls, but what is the answer to ye age old problem.

Years ago it was Mom and Dad took the kids behind the wood shed when Junior acted up. But nowadays with educational psychology course 311 it just ain't proper. We have to be more subtle.

Recently there have been a number of articles written in magazines as well as books on the subject. With Juvenile Delinquency it seems that persons are getting concerned again about Discipline and with even a suggestion that we adults need to clamp down.

Time and time again in the Church School I have heard the remarks "if they were in public school I would know what to do with them!" Does this mean that we treat children and youth differently in the Church School. Too long we have separated our actions in the Church School from actions in the Public School. The public school has its rules but in the Church School all is sweetness and light. After all a teacher would not want to offend a parent. They just might take their membership to another church and then where would we be?

Might I suggest that discipline needs to take place in the Church school room. Might I suggest that the Church school teacher should frown upon un-Christian actions. Might I suggest rather that a Christian personality only comes about through discipline.

If there is any difference between the discipline goal of the Church School versus that of the public school (and I question that there is a difference) it would be this: the Church school places more emphasis on the inner discipline with the outer discipline as a means to this end. When the inner discipline is achieved there is no need for the outer discipline. Then we will have reached adulthood, and with God's continued help we can discipline ourselves.

P.S. Don't be surprised if your child speaks of disciplinary action in the classroom. We approve of it when done in a Christian tone of Love.

— Arden Tiley

Director Christian Education

New Address

The new address for Dr. Charles M. Laymon is 1921 Del Crest Place, Lakeland, Florida.

FROM THE MINISTER'S STUDY

In the first year I was Minister-to-Students of the old Indianola Student Center there was active in the program a young man whom I have never seen since. I have often wondered what became of him. Possessed of a very keen mind he was one of the most sophisticated students I have ever known. In today's hep lingo he was a mighty cool cat. He was somewhat older than the average student and I suppose that accounted for the shrewd and often incisive observations he was in the habit of coming up with.

About a year ago Darold Hackler, present Minister of the Wesley Foundation, called me on the phone to read a very strange letter which he had just received. It was indeed very funny. Darold did not know who the writer was, but I did. It was the quite individualistic student of whom I speak. See what you think of the letter:

Back in 1944 when I was a student at Ohio State I was also the treasurer of the Wesley Eating Co-op which enjoyed the hospitality of the Wesley Foundation there. Now one day while I was counting all my money it occurred to me that some of it should be mine, and therefore I appropriated five dollars. I believe that I had a good time with it — sodas, peanuts, popcorn, movies maybe; however I spent it, its net effect I feel was worthwhile. And yet somehow I have not since had an opportunity to repeat this experience and probably because I have never since had the same opportunity. My viewpoint in regards to this kind of conduct remains today the same as it was then. You can imagine that I have reflected many times upon this type of conduct.

Now the five dollars enclosed with this letter is another five bill altogether. I do not claim that this money could be divided and distributed to the members of the 1944 group at the Wesley Foundation. No one would really care anyhow,

and the original five bucks was never missed to begin with.

So, I would like this five dollar bill included with the money of the Wesley Eat Co-op, or the Wesley Foundation, in the hopes that if the treasurer ever feels as though he would like to swipe five bucks that he might elect to swipe this five bucks.

Very truly yours,

Beneath the slightly cynical and exceedingly clever veneer of this man there quite obviously flutters a conscience. I doubt that it is a conscience aching too badly, but it does show that even among the smart operators there is at least a small awareness of wrongdoing. Embezzlements, of course, are one of the nagging concerns of the banking business. Though I have no idea what the above letter-writer is presently doing, I do hope that he is far removed from the banking business.

One thing is strictly to the man's credit: he did not return the money anonymously. His address was fully written on the envelope. So now at least I know where he is. He was such an interesting person that I have always wished I could see him again. Come to think of it, I fancy that I shall send him a copy of this issue of THE SUMMIT.

The Wesley Foundation was glad for the returned five dollars. Still there is a real injustice in this return. The amount should have been \$9.80. At the going rate \$4.80 should have been returned as interest. Now if everyone who has ever taken anything ("stolen" sounds too harsh) from the church — such as hymnals, chairs, yes, even money — will consider returning . . .

Lee C. Moorehead

P.S.: I have just persuaded myself to turn in some money to the church treasurer for some cokes I have drunk without paying for them.

Committee Lauds New Entertainment

The Interfaith Committee for Better Entertainment (sponsored by Jews, Catholics, and Protestants) engages in a wide variety of activities designed to improve the quality of moving pictures, radio and television programs, etc. in the Columbus area.

The following experiment is of special interest to the Committee, and ought to be the concern of all parents and church-

es, especially those in the north end of the city:

The Fox Theater on Indianola Avenue, which for the past three years has made a practice of showing questionable, risqué movies, has announced a complete change in its policy. Beginning about October 1, the theater will show only films of high quality, six months or so after their release. It will operate as a "movie membership club," each member purchasing a \$2.00 ticket each month. This will en-

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