Monthly Newsletter April 2022 Loflin Center on IPS History

April 1922 events leading up to the creation of Attucks, Washington, and Cathedral HSs, and the move of Shortridge HS and Butler College*

Apr 2 Indy's noon luncheon clubs (city's business people) attempt new spirit in civic relations

Apr 2 Murat Temple initiates 212

Apr 2 Knights Templar plans parade

Apr 2 Methodist Episcopal churches show biggest gain in local protestant membership

Apr 6 IBEW union representative comments on Henry Ford's specialization of labor (assembly line): a curse on workers who have to do same thing over and over

Apr 8 Butler's Dr./Rev. Howard E. Jensen says Indy has a race problem. Whites, due to lack knowledge and appreciation of the races, want segregated neighborhoods which will create disastrous race problems.

Apr 11 Black delegation visits county commissioners: more room for black TB patients April 11 Letter from John B. Reynolds, general secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, tells the IPS board the Chamber would cooperate and provide any assistance it needed in school expansion

April 17 Butler Pres. Aley speaks to Masons/Knight Templar at Easter service

Apr 18 Dr. Jensen at Columbus, OH Disciples meeting says race war will end white rule. *The exploitation of White Supremacy and colonialism is a world peril. If white race is to survive, it must learn to cooperate for human progress and a more "ethical civilization"*

April 25 Federation of Civic Clubs now has 17 members. West side's Hawthorne Community Association joins: <u>https://vorcreatex.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/01/04.25.22-17-clubs-to-meet-at-Federation-of-Civic-Clubs.pdf</u>.

April 25 New west-side high school supported by Rev. C. C. Baker, on behalf of the Hawthorne PTA. He says 18 acres in the field available on Washington Street. IPS Board continue discussion of building program: <u>https://vorcreatex.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/04.26.22-</u> Federation-member-Rev.-Baker-Hawthorne-Community-Association-wants-westside-high-

<u>school.pdf</u>. Use of IPS school building for teaching Hebrew language denied.

Apr 28 *Indianapolis Times* Mrs. Otto J. (Daisy) Deeds holds meeting with other women's group to advocate full segregation of whites/Blacks in all areas <u>https://vorcreatex.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/01/04.28.22-Separation-of-races-in-all-manners-urged.pdf</u>

Apr 28 Indianapolis Times editorial, "The Negro Problem"

https://vorcreatex.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/01/04.28.22-The-Negro-Problem.pdf Apr 30 Republican primary candidate Albert Beverage says he's for anti-lynching law. Says Blacks should ask primary opponent Harry New why he is not.

*Highlighted dates/events affected the building of Attucks and Washington, expanding Manual, and relocating Shortridge, Cathedral, and Butler College.

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