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ADJOURNMENT DANGER GROWS

Strategy May Force Action on Anti-Lynch Bill

John Rhodes, Veteran City Detective, Dies After 3-Months' Illness

State Should Pay Boys For Years in Jail, Says Lawyer

New York, Aug. 5—(ANP)—Alabama's "illogic" in releasing four of the Scottsboro boys while imprisoning four others on attack charges...

Negro Contractor Named by Kraschel

A. A. ALEXANDER APPOINTED TO CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE Archie A. Alexander, engineer and contractor, has been appointed to the committee to arrange for Iowa's centennial celebration in 1938 by Governor N. G. Kraschel.



A. A. ALEXANDER

SCOTTSBORO MOTHER HAILS PARTIAL VICTORY

New York, Aug. 5—(CNA)—Elation over the freeing of four of the nine Scottsboro boys and a resurgent hope for the early release of her own son are expressed in a letter received here this week from Mrs. Janie Patterson, mother of Heywood, Scottsboro boy imprisoned under a seventy-five year sentence.

Since Roy Wright, Eugene Williams, Olen Montgomery and Willie Robertson were from 12 to 19 years old when they entered jail and remained there for six and a half years unjustly awaiting trial for their lives...

Negro Legionnaires In Colorful Parade

CEAR RAPIDS POST SENDS NEGRO DRUM-BUGLE CORPS By Everett Wadsworth Staff Writer

Reminiscent of the days of 17 when light, active feet of youth marched down the avenue preparing to make the world "safe for Democracy" older, middle aged men, some slightly gray, passed in review in the parade Tuesday afternoon...

Benny Carter, in his first red uniform with brass buttons, attracted the eyes of feminine onlookers as he stepped along with the three-time state championship Valley Junction bugle and drum corps.

National Musicians Meet at St. Louis

TO HONOR W. C. HANDY WITH PLAQUE St. Louis, Aug. 5—(ANP)—W. C. Handy, word famous composer of the "St. Louis Blues," and daddy of all the indigo chants, will be honored August 23rd during the eighteenth annual convention of the National Association of Negro Musicians...

Griennell Graduate Is Nat'l President

BODY CHANGES NAME AND PICKS PESKEGEE FOR 1938 MEET PHILADELPHIA, Pa., August 5—The American Teachers Association, formerly the National Association of Teachers in Colored Schools, concluded a most successful meet at its final business session, last Friday...

New Use for Fowl

CHICKEN DRUMSTICKS SAVES WOMAN'S \$400 CASH Washington, D. C., Aug. 5—(ANP)—Belaboring a colored footpad with a freshly fried chicken, whose big drumstick made a good substitute for a "billy," Mrs. Mae Telford last week routed the thief and saved her \$400 in cash.

Nation's Wealthiest Contractor Is Dead; Leaves Huge Fortune

BORY THOMAS CORNELIUS WINDHAM IN BIRMINGHAM Birmingham, Aug. 5—(ANP)—Funeral services were held Monday at Sixteenth Street Baptist church for Thomas Cornelius Windham, 65, reputedly the wealthiest Negro building contractor in the nation...

D.M. Exhibit Wins First at Conclave

MRS. ROBERT R. MOTON IS PRESIDENT OF NATIONAL ASSOCIATION Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 5—(ANP)—Mrs. Robert R. Moton, wife of the president-emeritus of Tuskegee Institute, was elected president of the National Association of Colored Women on Thursday at the twentieth biennial convention held here, succeeding Dr. Mary F. Waring of Chicago.

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WAS PAST MASTER OF MASONIC LODGE, OFFICER IN HAWKEYE KNIGHT TEMPLARS

By Everett Wadsworth Staff Writer Masonic honors were paid at funeral of John Rhodes, 51, 1115 Eleventh street—veteran policeman and city detective, who died Sunday at his home following a three-month illness of septic poisoning and pneumonia.

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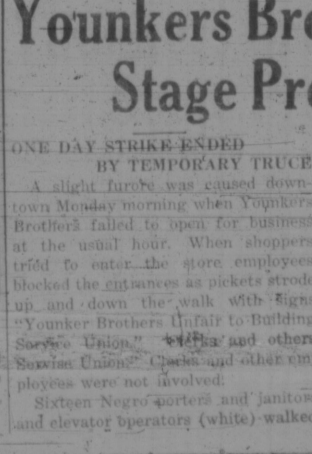
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African Republic Honors Founding

LIBERIA IS OBSERVED NINETIETH BIRTHDAY OF Monrovia, Liberia, Aug. 5—(ANP)—The Ninetieth anniversary of the founding of the Liberian republic was celebrated here July 26th, a feature of which was the reception given by President Edwin J. Barclay in honor of the diplomatic corps and which included U. S. Minister Lester A. Walton.

Report Financiers Scheme to Exploit

ETHIOPIA IS OPEN ONLY TO RICH Rome, Aug. 5—(ANP)—Despite claims of Mussolini that Ethiopia was needed to take care of Italy's surplus population, it was revealed last week by newspapers here that those areas of Abyssinia under Fascist control will be the happy hunting ground only of Italian financiers.

Locals Plan for 2-Day Excursion

TO ATTEND ALL IOWA AT MINNEAPOLIS AUG. 14-15 Approximately 100 delegates are expected to attend the Iowa Day celebration in Minneapolis, Minn., August 14 and 15, stated Henry U. Mease, member of the Iowa-Des Moines club recently.

WPA Nursery Schools Aid Many Children

Washington, Aug. 5—(CNA)—Nursery schools operated by the Works Progress Administration served more than 8,000 needy Negro children between the ages of 2 and 5 during the past school year, according to Dr. Grace Langdon, specialist in parent education and nursery schools for the WPA.

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ONE DAY STRIKE ENDED BY TEMPORARY TRUCE A slight furor was caused downtown Monday morning when Younkers Brothers failed to open for business at the usual hour. When shoppers tried to enter the store employees blocked the entrances as pickets strode up and down the walk with signs "Younkers Brothers Unfair to Building Service Union."

Gov. Hurley Saves Man from Chains

Boston, Aug. 5—(CNA)—Governor Charles F. Hurley this week refused a request by Georgia prison authorities for the extradition of James Cunningham, 37 year old fugitive from a Georgia chain gang. The Massachusetts governor said he had found "much evidence of brutality in connection with the punishment imposed" in Georgia.

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# CHURCH DIRECTORY

**PHILADELPHIA SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**  
1150 W. Thirteenth Street  
R. T. Hudson, Pastor

Order of service: Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 11:00 o'clock; Young People's Mission Volunteer society, 8:00 p. m. Sunday night, 7:30 o'clock, preaching; Wednesday night, 7:30 o'clock, prayer meeting; Bible Study League, eight singing choruses, 7:00-10:00 p. m.; nursing class, Tuesday p. m.; teachers' meeting, Friday, 8:00 p. m.

**SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH**  
S. E. 14th and Scott St.  
Rev. J. L. Lucas, Pastor

806 Sheridan Ave. H. P. Ph. 4-3844  
Sunday School, 9:45; Preaching, 11; B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 to 7:30; preaching at 8:00. Mid-week prayer service.

**CHESTERFIELD SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST**

809 S. E. 27th Street Phone 6-6883  
Pastor, M. J. Cranshaw  
Order of Service  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; preaching service at 11:00 a. m.; Y. O. at 7:00 p. m. Subject, "New Training For Service," four year courses. Preaching service at 8:00 p. m. Tuesday at 8:00 p. m., preaching service. Thursday at 8:00 p. m., Bible study. Friday at 8:00 p. m., Dorcas Sewing club. The church with a welcome.

**CHURCH OF GOD AND SAINTS OF CHRIST**  
928 West 12th Street  
ELDER J. C. FAIRFAX  
ORDER OF SERVICES

Sunday night at 7:30 P. M.; Wednesday night at 7:30 P. M.; Friday night at 7:30 P. M.; all other Sabbath, commonly called Saturday; all are welcome.

**CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH**

Ninth and School Streets  
Rev. G. W. Robinson, Pastor  
Sunday school at 10 A. M., F. C. Goggins, Supt. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Evening worship at 7:15 o'clock. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 P. M. P. Y. meeting, Wednesday at 8 P. M. Choir rehearsal, Friday at 8 P. M.

**ST. SIMON'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

Thirteenth and School  
Church School: 10; Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11  
Gamma Kappa Delta 6:30  
First and Fourth Sundays  
Holy Communion: 8 and 11 A. M.

**CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**

East 17th and University Avenue  
Sunday school at 10:30 A. M. Mrs. Vienna Williams, Supt. Noonday services at 12:30 P. M. Y. P. W. at 6:30 P. M. George Farahan, President. General services at 8:00 P. M. Weekly services: Tuesday night, general services at 8:30 P. M. Friday night, general services at 8:00.  
Elder Eugene Robinson, Pastor.

**ST. PAUL A. M. E. CHURCH**

12th and Crocker  
Rev. R. H. Hackley  
Sunday school 9:30 A. M.; morning worship, 11:00 A. M.; Evening worship, 8:00 P. M. A. C. E. League, 8:30 P. M. Verlene Reeves, president. Harrison Gould, superintendent of the church school. Midweek prayer service, Wednesday, 7:00 P. M. Choir rehearsal, Friday evening, 8:00 P. M.

**KYLES A. M. E. ZION CHURCH**

709 E. Fifteenth Street  
Phone 4-2715  
O. R. Kille, Pastor  
Worship Services  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal Tuesday and Wednesday nights. Class meeting Friday night.

**CHRIST'S SANCTIFIED HOLY CHURCH**

Elder A. B. Becker, Pastor  
1521 E. University Avenue  
Sunday morning prayer service, 9:00 A. M.; Sunday school, 12:30 P. M.; Preaching service, 8:00 P. M.; Y. P. U., 6:30 P. M.; Sunday evening service, 8:00 P. M.; Tuesday evening Bible study 8:00 o'clock; Friday night, preaching service, 8:00 o'clock. Everyone welcome.

**MAPLE ST. BAPTIST CHURCH**

A. Ross Brent, Pastor  
Corner East 16th and Maple Streets  
Order of service: Morning service, 11 A. M.; Sunday School, 1 P. M.; B. Y. P. U., 6:30; Evening service, 8 P. M.; Prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30; Choir rehearsal, Friday, 8 P. M.

**UNION BAPTIST CHURCH**

East Sixteenth and University Ave.  
Jordan W. Tutt, Pastor  
Sunday School at 9:45; Morning service, 11:00 A. M.; Evening service, 8 P. M.; B. Y. P. U., 6:30; Prayer service, Wednesday evening, 7:30 P. M.; Choir rehearsal, Friday, 8 P. M.; Dr. L. R. Willis, Director.

**VALLEY JUNCTION, IOWA**

ML. Hebron Baptist Church  
Rev. L. G. Garret, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.; morning worship 11:00 A. M.; Evening worship 7:30 P. M.; B. Y. U. P. 6:15 P. M. Midweek prayer service, Wednesday.

**MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**

S. E. Fourth Street at Allen  
Rev. C. B. Wheeler  
Order of Service: Sunday School, at 9:45 A. M.; Worship at 11:00 A. M.; B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M.; Evening services at 8 P. M.; Prayer meeting, Wednesday at 8 P. M.

**ZION CHURCH**

WEST SIDE A. M. E.  
S. S. Ingram Pastor  
Sunday school at 2 p. m.; Sunday worship 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Midweek prayer service, Thursday, 7:30.

**FIRST C. M. E. CHURCH**

S. E. 25th and Maury  
Rev. Wm. McCray, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.; Morning Worship, 11 A. M.; Epworth League, 6:30 P. M.; Evening Worship, 8:00 P. M.; Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 8:00 P. M.; Choir rehearsal, Friday at 8:00 P. M.

**BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH**

Rev. Ed. Mason, Pastor  
Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Service at 11:00 A. M.  
Mission Circle, Thursday Afternoon  
Prayer meeting, Wednesday night.

**FREE SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST**

1049 12th Street  
Sabbath school, 9:30 A. M. Preaching, 11:15 A. M.; Y. P. M. V., 8:00 P. M.; H. M. 8:00; Midweek service, Wednesday evening, 8:00; Berean Bible class, Sunday evening, 8:00 P. M.  
Elder A. C. Chatman, pastor.

**CHURCH OF GOD**

1151 West Third Street  
ORDER OF SERVICES  
Sunday evening at 8:00 P. M.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00 P. M. Sabbath (Saturday) Sabbath (Saturday) School at 10:00 School at 10:00 A. M.; Morning service 11:30 A. M.; Evening service one hour before sundown.  
ELDER W. O. DICKENS Pastor.

**BURNS M. E. CHURCH**

817 Crocker Street  
C. K. Brown, D.D., Pastor  
Order of service: Sunday school 9:45 A. M.; Morning service, 11 A. M.; Epworth League, 6:30 P. M.; Evening service, 8:00 P. M. Prayer and class meeting, Wednesday, 8:00 P. M. Choir rehearsal, Friday, 8 P. M. A cordial welcome awaits you at Burns.

**NEGROES ARE HEROES**

**IN LOYALIST ADVANCE**  
ON MADRID FRONT

Madrid, July 29—(CNA)—Negro and white American volunteers are leading the mixed shock battalions in the big offensive unleashed by the Spanish government against the fascist rebels on the Madrid front. The American youths have distinguished themselves in the heavy fighting that has been in progress since the early part of last week, but at least three have been killed and forty wounded.  
Oliver Law, Negro commander of a machine gun unit of the International Brigade, was killed in the fighting around Villanueva del Parilla. John Hunter and Walter Garland, two Negroes, are among the wounded. Garland and Hunter are both leaders of machine gun squadrons. Law, twice cited for bravery, was an expert machine gunner, trained in the United States.

**Rev. Tutt Pastorate**

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Frank Brent and Margaret Jewett; Friday, John William and Geo. Higgins.

Special features will be presented at 8:00 as follows: Monday, Guest speaker—Rev. A. G. Langerquist, Union choir. Paper, Rev. Tutt as a recognized pastor locally, state and national. Miss Katherine Jewett; Tuesday, Guest speaker—Rev. W. H. Thomson and choir. Paper, "Rev. Tutt's service to the church and community." Mrs. Lenora Frye; Wednesday evening, 8:00: Guest speaker—Rev. R. H. Hackley, Gosper choir. Address, "National Youth Administration, and what it means to the Negro youth." G. B. Tucker, director.

Thursday evening, 8:00. Guest speaker—Rev. R. J. Cornell, former principal Amos Hiatt Junior High School. Subject, "The value of religious education to the church." Rev. W. H. Thomson and choir. Paper, "First Baptist church (white) Centerville, Iowa; Friday evening, 8:00: Echoes from our national convention given under the auspices of the N. A. A. C. P. Union. Choir, A. P. Trotter, chairman.

Sunday's services will begin with a sunrise prayer meeting, Mrs. Lulu Buttrum, leader, at 6:00 A. M., at 11:00 o'clock the pastor's eighth annual message will be given. Music will be by Union Choir. An old-fashioned basket dinner, Mrs. Buttrum, chairman, will be served. In the afternoon at 3:00 P. M. the Anniversary sermon will be delivered by the Rev. J. L. Lucas and choir will sing. Paper, "The history of the church." Mrs. Clara Houston will read. The observance concludes Sunday evening at 8:00 with the Sermon title, "The church well founded."

Mrs. Maggie Bostick is chairman of finance and director of offerings. Mrs. Jennie Cooper is secretary of Special Committee. "Each member is requested to give 5 cents for each year."

**WEST SIDE A. M. E.**  
Zion Church  
Services will be held every Sunday at 3 p. m. V. C. E. society at 6:30 p. m. Let us be on time for each service. Midweek prayer service on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

**COLFAX IOWA**  
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Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Service at 11:00 A. M.  
Mission Circle, Thursday Afternoon  
Prayer meeting, Wednesday night.

**UNION BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Morning sermon title: "Pardon For All." Evening sermon title: "Tempted As We Are." Sunday school at 9:45. B. Y. P. U. meets at 6:30. Pastor's eighth anniversary beginning Monday evening and continuing through Sunday, August 15th. Public invited.

**PROBE POLICE PART IN**  
DOUBLE FLORIDA LYNCHING

Tallahassee, Fla., July 29—(ANP)—Possibility that police officers were the lynchers last week of Richard Hawkins and Ernest Pond, 18 years old colored boys, was being investigated by State's Attorney Orion C. Parker, Jr., who ordered a complete check of the caliber and serial numbers of all police pistols.

The two youths, charged with stabbing Patrolman V. K. Kelly last Sunday night, were kidnaped from the county jail near the state capital, taken to the country and shot to death.

Sheriff Frank Soutamire's inquest testimony also indicated police duplication when he said he picked up two 38 caliber bullets and two of 32 near the spot where the bodies were found. He added that he carried a 32 revolver and city policemen used 38's.

**PREACHER STAGES**  
SIT-DOWN STRIKE OVER

**CHURCH INDEBTEDNESS**  
Hot Springs, Ark., July 29—(ANP)—Disatisfied because his congregation had made no effort to take care of the church's indebtedness, the Rev. J. H. Ellis, pastor Haven Negro Methodist church, took a trip from industry and staged a sit-down strike Sunday.

Rev. Ellis opened church services Sunday morning, passed the plate and then pronounced the benediction as he announced there was no sermon and wouldn't be until \$1,000 was raised. He got good results almost immediately, \$710 being raised by last night.

Senators are ever planning to drop the wage and hours bill. Only by flooding senators with requests for action on the anti-lynching bill will supporters of this legislation get any consideration at this session. The date for adjournment has been set tentatively for August 15th; and some senators want to close August 16th.

**How to Keep Quiet**  
Character is revealed by small things; it is also hidden by small things. Speech often hides it, and again betrays it, for those who brag themselves by talking all the time about their character, but whose conversation has some times unsuspected depths within, but the surest revealer of character is silence—intelligent silence.

**Progress**  
No man who feels the worth and solemnity of what is at stake, is careless as to his progress.

## THE IOWA BYSTANDER

### IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By REV. HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, Dean of the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago, © Western Newspaper Union.

#### Lesson for August 8

##### GOD FEEDS A PEOPLE

**LESSON TEXT—Exodus 16:11-30; 17:1-6. GOLDEN TEXT—Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh from the Father, James 1:17.**  
**PRIMARY TOPIC—When God's People Were Hungry.**  
**JUNIOR TOPIC—God Feeding His People.**  
**INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How God Provides for Our Needs.**  
**YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—God's Supply Adequate for a Nation's Need.**

Israel, led by God, is on a journey to the promised land. But to reach their goal they must pass through the wilderness. Not only are there weary miles to travel, but there are privations to be endured. Life is like that.

"People may be strong and hopeful at the beginning of a project, and most effectively and devoutly thankful at its close, but the difficulty is to go manfully through the process. Israel was in the desert, and never were spoiled children more peevish, suspicious, and altogether ill-behaved. If they could have stepped out of Egypt into Canaan at once, probably they would have been as pious as most of us; but there was the weary interval, the inhospitable wilderness! So it is in our life. Accept it as a solemn and instructive fact that life is a process—more than a beginning and an ending" (Joseph Parker).

Note how elemental are man's needs in the final analysis—bread and water. The very things we take almost for granted as we concern ourselves with life's weighty interests and profound problems become, if lacking, the only things that have any real meaning. And who is it that can provide them? No one but God Himself.

#### I. Bread from Heaven. (Exod. 16:11-20).

Observe first of all that this was a divine provision. There are responsibilities in life which we may bear—and must bear, but in the ultimate meeting of our real needs we must look to God.

Secondly, we note that it was a daily provision. What forehanded folk many of us are, and no doubt rightly so, for God puts no premium on improvidence. But once again we must recognize, as did Israel in receiving the daily manna in the wilderness, that ours is indeed a moment by moment existence. We plan bravely for the next decade or the next generation, but as a matter of fact it can only come to pass "if the Lord will." Read James 6:13-17.

Finally, it was a limited provision—enough for the day and no more, except for a double portion on the sixth day, and none at all on the Sabbath. These provisions were made clear to Israel, and yet there were those who attempted to lay up for the morrow, and some even went out to seek manna on the Sabbath day.

We marvel at their stubborn obtuseness, but are we not often just like them. Some there are who are always expecting that the laws of both God and man should be set aside for them, but mark it well, they ultimately come to grief. The spiritual application is obvious, and most serious. God has provided a way of redemption, and has made clear how man should and must relate himself to it. Folly it is to ignore God's plan.

#### II. A Rock in the Wilderness. (Exod. 17:3-6).

And the people thirsted—for the daily manna was not enough—they must have water. Needy, yes, constantly needy are God's children. God always provides. There is a rock in the wilderness. But what pleasure does a murmuring people find in a rock when they famish for water? It is God's delightful custom to meet our needs in unexpected ways and by means which we do not understand. Even our physical necessities come from unthought of sources.

**III. The Bread and the Water of Life.**  
Let us make certain that we do not miss the spiritual truth of our lesson which is revealed by Scripture itself. Paul speaks in 1 Corinthians 10:1-4 of this very incident in the experience of Israel, and says that they "did all eat the same spiritual meat and did all drink the same spiritual drink; for they drank of that spiritual Rock that followed them: and that Rock was Christ. See also John 4:14.

Hungry and thirsty men, who are still unsatisfied after taking all that life apart from Christ has to offer, will you not, just now, take him who is the living bread, and come to the Rock which flows with living water?

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# IOWA TOWNS

**SIoux CITY, IOWA, NEWS**

James Cabbell, Reporter

St. Zion Baptist church news: The mission circle gave a supper at the church Monday for its association expense. The B. Y. P. U. gave a picnic at Riverside park Sunday. About forty persons attended and H. T. McKnight and Miss Wila Belle Alexander were picnic chairmen. Miss George Hayes has returned home from the hospital, where she has been confined for several weeks. Rev. H. Jackson preached at the mid-week prayer services. The Etire Nous club gave a picnic at the Utopia Inn, and it was attended by more than 200 persons. People from Des Moines, Omaha, Sioux Falls, Yankton and St. Paul, Minn., were there. It also drew a great number of the church people and societies of Sioux City. The centre Nous club also gave their weekly social at the home of Mrs. Josie Blasford. The Hopkins playground won second place at the lantern contest held at the Grand View park Friday. The Hopkins playground barber shop quartet had no competition in winning the contest that was held Tuesday at Lyons park. They will again sing at Grand View park Friday night. The members of the quartet are Edward Cardwell, Clayton Johnson, Cleave Madison and James Cabbell. Atty. H. T. McKnight was a recent dinner guest of Miss Ruth Stubbfield. J. A. Yarbrough will leave Sunday to spend a few weeks with relatives and friends.

**MASON CITY NEWS**

By Mrs. Maud M. Brewton  
Rev. J. C. McGinty preached Sunday morning and evening at Union Memorial M. E. church. Visitors at the services were A. Morrow of Marshalltown, Iowa, Miss Ithell Higgins of Chicago and Rev. D. A. Campbell, assistant pastor of Pilgrim Baptist church, Omaha, Nebraska. Rev. Campbell visited Rev. S. H. Johnson and family while in the city. Rev. Johnson wishes to thank all of the persons who helped to render musical program each morning during last week's broadcast over KGLO at the devotional hour. Miss H. Higgins of Chicago has moved to Mason City as a hairdresser. Mr. and Mrs. A. Harris of Manhattan, Kansas, Mrs. Eva Lindsay and Mrs. Amos Reed of Paola, Kansas, visited Rev. and Mrs. J. C. McGinty on Sunday. Cecil Brewton of Des Moines visited his mother, Mrs. M. M. Brewton, on Sunday, who is improving. Mrs. Emma Stratton and Mrs. E. Penny were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith on Sunday. Miss Higgins, beautician, press and wave shop, is located at Mrs. Harry Smith's home, 612 Third street, N. E. Phone 3164-W.

**MORAN NEWS**

By Mrs. Ernest Devan  
St. John Baptist church. The Rev. J. H. Ross, pastor. Deacon B. Allen, superintendent of Sunday school. 11 a. m. service, conducted by the pastor at St. John's Sunday, August 1st. Sunday afternoon Rev. Ross and others of St. John attended services at the A. M. E. church in Perry. At 7 p. m. communion was issued at St. John. The Rev. Mrs. C. Howell, pastor of Melick A. M. E. church in Perry, preached a mission sermon on Wednesday, July 28th, at 7 p. m., at St. John, at which time Mrs. Minnie Moore was installed into the office of president of the St. John Missionary society. The Melick A. M. E. Missionary society attended as the guests of St. John Missionary society. After this service refreshments were served on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. David Maupin. Russell Edmonds, who has been ill for some time, is in a serious condition. York Smith returned from Oakdale hospital, where Mrs. Smith is a patient. Her condition is improved. Mrs. Victoria Johnson of Dallas visited friends in Moran on Sunday and Monday.

**PERRY NEWS**

By J. S. Harrison  
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## ENROLLMENT SOARS TO NEW HIGH

With the present trend of registrations, predictions of a capacity camp for the Crocker "Y" period at the Des Moines "Y" Camp August 16th to 23rd, seem certain of fulfillment. The Crocker Y. M. C. A. has for the past nine years enjoyed the distinction of having the largest single Negro period in the country and is out to set a new record this year.

More than 80 boys and leaders had signed up by Wednesday afternoon, and the total was expected to be approximately one hundred or better by the end of the week. The usual number of out of town campers will augment the large number of Des Moines boys who usually look forward fifty-one weeks of the year for this vacation paradise.

The leaders' staff is nearly complete, twelve of the fourteen having been chosen. They are: Al Springs, George Robinson, Allen Ashby, Chester Williamson, Othal Pleasant, Mose Eloyd, Bobby Hyde, Buddy Glass, Herman Wadsworth, Albert Thomas, Harold Carr and Morton Graves. All of the above are veteran leaders, with the exception of Glass, Wadsworth, and Graves, all of whom are winners of many years experience.

The entire facilities of the Camp, comprising 250 acres of thickly wooded hills, deep winding canyons—on the banks of the Des Moines river, with thirty-six permanent buildings, consisting of the cabins in which the boys make their home for eight days, Chase Lodge, the dining hall, Director's cabin, nature-lure museum, craft studio, first aid cabin, three canyon cabins, and a large and well-appointed recreational and physical tract whereupon are found the handball, tennis, volleyball and basketball courts, two ball diamonds, a large swimming pool with shower and locker rooms, archery and rifle range, and provisions for numerous special games, making it one of the best equipped boys' camp in America.

On the weekly checkup with the leaders, it was found that many of the popular leaders have already filed their cabins with some of them reporting that as many as fifteen or sixteen boys attempting to secure places in their cabins. There will be a leaders' meeting this Friday evening, August 6th at the "Y". All leaders are urged to be present.

The annual Camp Roundup and Pow Wow will be held outdoors at the "Y"-tent Friday night, Aug. 13th, at which time motion pictures, games, songs, refreshments and last minute camp information will be given to the campers.

## BOOM IN COPPER CAUSES AFRICAN MINE TO OPEN

Windhoek, Southwest Africa, Aug. 5.—(ANP)—Rising copper prices, based on the increasing demand for the malleable metal, have resulted in reopening of the Sinclair mine, oldest in South Africa, whose chequered history dates back to 1880.

## ROCK ISLAND SETS RECORD IN '37 WHEAT MOVEMENT

Chicago, Aug. 2.—Survey on the Rock Island Lines of the 1937 wheat movement, now past the peak, reveals that this railroad to date has moved more than 20,000 cars from local stations to central grain markets, with indications that half that number of additional cars will be moved before the active season is closed.

## TRAILER CAMP AT FAIR THIS YEAR FOR 25,000

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thrown open to the public at this year's Iowa State Fair, August 27-September 3, officials announced here today.

In addition to a general camp of 120 acres, the exposition management also announced plans for a trailer camp, and preparations for a mid-west trailer reunion, which will be held during the 1937 state fair.

## CIO SCORES VICTORY AG YOUNGSTOWN SHEET

Indiana-Harbor, Ind., July 29.—(CNA)—The second victory of the steel strike, a tribute to the solidarity of Negro and white strikers, was won when Youngstown Sheet and Tube cracked under the strike pressure of almost seven weeks. Some 7,000 workers returned to their jobs after an agreement had been effected.

## FORT WORTH, TEXAS, July 29

(ANP)—Aid much enthusiasm and interest and with many of the nation's most prominent women in attendance, the 20th Biennial Convention of the National Association of Colored Women, held its first public meeting here last Sunday at the Municipal Auditorium on the grounds of the Frontier Fiesta.

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## NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE

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# SPORTS

## DEMONS AND CHICAGO WILL BATTLE AT PARK FRI.



BY ALLEN ASHBY

### TENNIS

Our tennis tournament played at Good's park, has been moved up to August 29. This will give the fellows more time to prepare for it and will enable us to devote our undivided attention to camp preparations.

For the first time in five years we have passed up the Missouri Valley meet at Kansas City. The meet is being held this week but neither Chet Williamson or yours truly could persuade our bosses to let us have the time off. It was chosen between that or camp, so we choose Y Camp.

### BOXING

Leroy Palmer got a boy his weight at Riverview last Monday and emerged the winner. Wild Bill Hendricks who stole several shows last winter didn't do so well with Jesse Ackerman of Valley Junction. While we are on the subject we have been asked about the chances for success for a young Negro boxer in Des Moines. Our answer is that there is no chance. A young Negro's chances to go places here as a boxer are about one to five hundred.

To begin with, the purses are too small. A local fighter can't make a living as a pug without working and working boxers can't train properly. Then there are no chances to learn anything. There are no places where a boxer can train the year around.

Negro boys win two or three amateur bouts and turn professional for two dollars then they are either matched against some one several pounds over their weight or several years over their experience. The idea is to add a win to the white boys record and fix it so he can't have much of a chance to lose. If that isn't what happens the Negroes are matched against each other on the theory that two Negroes really try to kill each other.

Our advice to young Negro boxers in Des Moines is this: If you want to fight for fun, do so. But if you expect to be a real professional go where boxing is legalized and watch and train with top notchers a while so you can learn something. Then, maybe you will make some money as a boxer.

Cairo, Egypt, July 29—After investing more than \$150,000 in a luxurious mausoleum in a Cairo cemetery for himself and five selected friends, to be named in his will, Zaki Effendi Okasha, wealthy Arab, is so pleased with his burial place he has it fitted up for living quarters—installs a telephone, two bathrooms, electric light plant, modern refrigerator—boys curtains costing \$2,000 a pair, assured his friends that though living in a tomb, he is far from being buried alive.

Friday and Saturday nights at the Western League ball park will bring together the Des Moines Demons and the Chicago American Giants clubs of the Negro American League in exhibition games.

The 1936 American Giants record shows 124 games played; won 98, lost 26. Managed by Jim Taylor, Wilson Radus, Ted Trout, Alex Radcliffe, Bill Foster, and Willie Cornelius, and other names familiar to fandom, will be here.

New faces to be seen in the Chicago lineup are: Zell Miles, right fielder; Ted Bond, shortstop; Carl Howard, and Cliff Blackman, pitchers.

The Kansas City Monarchs subdued the Demons Sunday 6-3, behind the hurrying of Hilton Smith, Henry McHenry, and John Markham, and again Monday night 8-6 3, with Virgil Barnes of Piney Woods school on the mound. Frank Piet, Tony Criscola and John Kosy of the Demons were the hitting stars.



WILSON REDUS  
Slugging Outfielder

### BYSTANDER WINS OPENER 11-4

Getting off to a flying start, the newly organized Bystander softball team won its initial game Friday evening at Roosevelt diamond by defeating Inland Milling Company 11 to 4. "Ozzie" Merrow fanned ten and allowed six hits.

The lineup included: Fred Morrow, short field; James Thompson, third base; Guy Smith, left field; Sandy Hughes, short stop; Everett Wadsworth, first base; Marvin Cooley, second base; Braddie Moreis, second base; Tommy Avant, right field; Kenneth Smith, catcher; Ozzie Morroxa pitcher.

Considerably bothered by the lights and unfamiliar to night ball, the Bystander team was drubbed 18-3, by the more experienced National Tea Company, at West High stadium Tuesday night.

### MASON CITY MEN WINS LEGION PRIZE

MASON CITY, IOWA (Special)—Tyler Stewart, sergeant-at-arms of Clausen Worden Post, No. 101, organizer of the new disbanded 326-cash prize in a pilgrimage contest sponsored by the American Legion monthly. It will appear in the July issue of the magazine.

His story tells of the hopes of attending the 1937 convention at Paris, France, after financial difficulties caused him to miss the 1927 conference. Stewart, now a shoe shiner, was a former semi-pro ball player but during his twenty-one and one-half months over seas as a sergeant in the quartermaster corps, he suffered a leg wound.

### KNIGHTS AND DAUGHTERS OF TABOR ELECT OFFICERS

At the Thirty-ninth Annual Grand Session of the Knights and Daughters of Tabor convention held at Burns M. E. church last week the following officers were elected: Sir E. N. Warren elected C. G. M.; Dtr. Thille Reese, Council Bluffs, G. H. P.; Sir J. R. Roberts, V. G. M.; Dtr. Maggie Bostick, V. G. P.; Sir Isom Harris, G. G. S.; Dtr. Bill Aikens, C. G. R.; Sir S. J. Caulder, C. G. J.; Dtr. Dorothy Bush, G. Q. M.; Sir Lee Garritt, C. G. O.; Sir R. D. Claybrooks, G. P. P.; Dtr. J. W. Martin, C. G. P. S.; Dtr. Leona Jordan, G. I. St.; Sir Cal Douglas, G. I. St.; Dtr. Willie Roberts, C. G. J.; Dtr. Pattie Caulder, C. G. J.; Dtr. Hattie Claybrook, C. G. J.

Decatur, Ala., July 29—(C)—The saga of "the nine Scottsboro boys" is ended. The final came with dramatic suddenness Saturday morning as the state of Alabama, through its prosecuting attorneys, headed by Thomas F. Lawson, assistant state attorney general, calmly moved that the indictments against Olin Montgomery, Willie Roberson, Eugene Williams and Roy Wright be not pressed (stricken from the record), because the state was "convinced the defendants are not guilty."

The boys, after six years behind

bars, in the shadow of the electric chair, having been twice convicted and sentenced to death, but having been saved both times by the U. S. supreme court, were beside themselves with joy, shrieking and screaming as they rushed from the court room under armed guard, to be escorted to the state line, on their way to New York with Samuel S. Leibowitz, their lawyer.

The fate of the other five boys is still hanging in the balance. Ozie Powell, freed of the rape charge, was sentenced to twenty years for assault with intent to kill, after he pleaded guilty to slashing a deputy in a prison van last year on the way from Decatur to the Birmingham jail. Heywood Patterson is under seventy-five years jail sentence. Andy Wright is under ninety-nine years sentence. Charlie Weems is under seventy-five years sentence and Clarence Morris is under death sentence (which is likely to be commuted by Governor Bibb Graves.)

Attorney Leibowitz announced that he will continue to fight for the liber-

ation of all of the boys, for it is the consensus of opinion that the boys are innocent of the charge of attacking Victoria Price.

### 200,000 COLORED WOMEN EM- PLOYED ON WPA PROJECTS

Washington, D. C., 200,000—A larger number of colored women were employed by the Works Progress Administration during the past fiscal year than by any other single agency, according to Mrs. Ellen S. Woodward, assistant WPA administrator in charge of women's and professional projects.

**ORIGINAL NOTICE**  
In the District Court of the State of Iowa In And For Polk County.  
NO. 5425 EQUITY  
E. J. CALLAHAN, Plaintiff  
CORBISSE REALTY COMPANY, LUCILIA J. CUNNINGHAM, POLK COUNTY, IOWA, ALLEN MUNS, TREASURER OF POLK COUNTY, IOWA, CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA, INTER-

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Drawn for this cover By Frank Leet

MAMMY SHOULD WEAR A JANA BIRD'S NEST

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**OCEAN REINSURANCE COMPANY, DES MOINES, WATERWORKS TRUSTEES, CORBISSE REALTY, INC. of St. Albans, Vermont, WELDON NATIONAL BANK of ST. ALBANS, VERMONT, DEFENDANTS.**

To the above named defendants and each of them:

You are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa in and for Polk County, Iowa, the petition of the plaintiff herein, asking that the title to the following described real-estate be quieted and established in the name as described, to-wit:

Lot 5 (1) and 5 (2), in Block Three (3), Highway, an addition, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

Plaintiff alleges in his petition that he obtained title to said property by virtue of one certain tax deed from Allan Mann, Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, on or about the 20th day of October, 1936, which deed was filed of record in Polk County, Iowa, on or about the 10th day of November, 1936.

Plaintiff also asks in his petition that all of the special assessments, penalties representing the same, and the liens of the impro-

ments under which said certificates were issued, as described in his petition, be cancelled and held for naught as constituting any lien against the above described property and that the same be removed from the tax books of Polk County, Iowa, as liens against said property; and that the claim for liens of each and all of the above named defendants be removed from said property, and the title to said property quieted in the plaintiff herein free and clear of all claims of any and all of the defendants herein.

For further particulars see the petition when on file.

And unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the next term of the above named court, being the September 1937 term of said court at our above, which will commence at the courthouse in the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on the 7th day of September, 1937, default will be entered against you and judgment and decree rendered thereon as prayed for in said petition.

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 4th day of August, 1937.

**MALEY, WITMER & TODD**  
MISSOURI, MALEY, WITMER & TODD  
Attorneys for Plaintiff

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# SOCIETY and CLUBS

By Dorothy Wheeler

## NOTICE

Did you entertain guests, serve a dinner party, have a club meeting, or a party, tea, or banquet. If so,



The Society, Editor

so that we may let your friends know that you are doing and plan to do.

### 1. Camp Shortly

Just one week and a few days more, then this town will look like Lost Community without the younger set, who will be enjoying a week's fun in the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. camps at Boone, Iowa. Midsummer marriages are taking place, visitors are still coming and going and a few of the faithful few clubs are still meeting. The younger set will be entertained at a midsummer affair at the Billiken on August 13th, which promises to be most rare.

### Clubs—And What They're Doing

The Bonne Aimees Club will elect officers Tuesday at the home of June Danforth, 821 Fourteenth street. The club entertained twenty-four guests at a picnic Sunday at Pioneer park.

The Top Hatters met Sunday at the home of Miss Clara Fant with the following election of officers: George Manuel, president; Herman Wadsworth, vice president; Clara Fant, secretary; Dorothy Mash, assistant secretary; Joe Lane, treasurer; Archie Lucas, sergeant-at-arms; Clarence Butts, business manager, and Leslie Henry, reporter. The next meeting will be Sunday, August 8th, at the home of Miss Leslie Henry of 1155 Fourteenth street.

The Three Purpose club held its semi-annual election of officers last week, as follows: Mrs. Edythe Manuel, president; Mrs. Helen Martin, vice president; Mrs. Grace Shelton, secretary; Mrs. Willa Cooley, assistant secretary; Mrs. Willa Munns, treasurer; Mrs. Gladys Carr, chairman and parliamentarian, and Mrs. Musette Perkins, reporter. The club celebrated its sixth anniversary with Fifteenth and Buchanan streets friends and children as guests on July 25th.

The newly organized D. B. Q. club will meet with Mrs. Myra Jackson of Brown were united in marriage Saturday. Mrs. Wacile Higgins, president; Mrs. Madonna Jackson, secretary and Mrs. Clementine Young, reporter. The Boy Scouts troop, No. 59, left Tuesday with their scoutmaster, Mr. Burris, for Camp Mitigwa.

The Mary Church Terrell club has disbanded meetings for the summer.

The Monarch club met at the Community Center on Monday evening.

The Regal Contract Bridge club held their annual breakfast Saturday morning at Hotel La Marguerita with the members and eight guests.

### Notice

The Dilettante club of the Negro Community Center has named the week of November 14th as its annual art exhibit to be held at the public library.

All members of the dancing class during the Home Camp at the Community Center are requested to meet at the Community Center at 11:00 Miss George Edmunds is the instructor.

### Personals—And More Personals

Miss Eujetta Jones left Sunday for a two weeks' vacation at Clear Lake, Iowa.

The Fant Brothers quartet sang several musical selections at Wesley Methodist church Sunday morning.

Miss Waurine Sprott, executive secretary of the Blue Triangle Branch Y. W. C. A. returned Sunday from a month's vacation. She attended the conference in Wilberforce, Ohio, and visited in Indianapolis, Indiana, and St. Louis, Missouri. The balance of her vacation was spent in Beaumont, Texas, visiting friends and relatives.

## American Legion Auxiliary Unit Entertain Convention Visitors

Lincoln unit of the American Legion post was hostess at a tea Monday, August 2nd, at the Community Center, complimenting the American Legion auxiliary department officers and visitors. The tea was in charge of the entertainment committee, with Mrs. Cora Chapman, chairman. Those assisting were the Mesdames Pearl Edgins and Sadie Peters; hostesses, the Mesdames Mabel Johnson, Georgine C. Morris, Azalia Mitchell and Clara Johnson.

Music for the afternoon was furnished by Miss George Edmunds, the Mesdames Korrine Jackson, and Luburnes Kelso and a quartet from Argonne unit. Beautiful gifts from Lincoln unit were presented to the department president, Mrs. Lainsan, and the department secretary, Mrs. Mabel, by the president, Mrs. Anna Mae Carter.

### Surprise Party

Mrs. E. P. Jackson was the honored guest at a surprise party given by members of her music appreciation class and their parents July 27th. Refreshments were served and a program was given. Those sharing the courtesy were: Mrs. Emory Jackson and children Bettie, Carol and Billie, Jr., Mrs. C. C. Johnson and children, Vega Zafonia, Thyra Verle and Haley O'Ziel, Mrs. Hattie Benjamin and Margaret, Mrs. Ed Wilson, Mrs. and Mrs. William Neal, Nadine Robinson, E. P. Jackson and Chiquita and Tyree Felder, niece and nephew of the guest of honor.

The Mesdames S. Joe Brown, Sarah Jett and Sophia Nichols and the Mrs. Joan Bullock and Miss Clara Ham and Doris Bailey returned this week from the National Association of Colored Women's Clubs, which convened at Ft. Worth, Texas.

Webb, Polk county emergency relief workers, left Saturday for Denver, Colorado, to return in three weeks.

### Health Examinations

Dr. E. T. Scales will give health examinations for Y. W. C. A. campers at the Blue Triangle branch Y. W. C. A. Wednesday afternoon, August 11th, between the hours of 4 to 6 o'clock. Campers are urged to be examined between these hours.

### Give Farewell Party

The Mesdames Marjory Claybrook, Huberta Gaiter and Anna Bell were hostesses to a farewell party given in honor of Jean Fitzpatrick at the Community Center on July 29th. Miss Fitzpatrick is leaving the city to make her home in Coffeyville, Kansas.

Miss Annabelle Payne left Thursday morning for Chicago, where she will make her home. Miss Payne, former circulation manager of The Bystander will be employed as secretary at Blount's News Agency.

### FAST CENTER HAS

**CRAFT EXHIBIT**  
The East Side Community Center sponsored an exhibit of all art and craft work made during the summer by the recreational project and the N. Y. A. project. Needlework, crocheting, knitting, puppetry, metal tapping and celluloid work was exhibited under the sponsorship of Miss Roberta Maupin, secretary of the Center; Mrs. Gertrude North and Atty. Melvin Carl, supervisors of recreational project, and G. B. Tucker, supervisor of N. Y. A.

The East Des Moines Community Center softball team tied with Blatz Union Garden team for first place for the season's city championship. The tie will have to be played off.

The ThiPu Men's club met at the East Community Center last week.

The Bud Billiken club of the East Des Moines is growing in membership.

### Camp Reunion

A 1937 camp reunion was held at the Blue Triangle branch Y. W. C. A. July 30th, with more than one hundred prospective campers attending. The reunion was in charge of Mrs. E. P. Jackson, chairman of the camp committee.

The evening was spent in singing, led by Miss Geneva Morrow, and stunts. Refreshments were served. The camp period is from August 16 to 23 at Boone, Iowa.

### Stein-Brown Nuptials

Mrs. Marie Stein and William Hebron Baptist church. Nearly 100 guests were present at the wedding, July 31st, at 1313 Park street, with the Rev. G. W. Garrett, pastor of the Mt. Hebron Baptist church, Valley Junction, Iowa, performing the ceremony. The bride is a member and officer of Burns M. E. church and the groom is a member and officer of Mt. Asnes George Edmunds, Adah Gra-two hundred guests were present.

### Dr. Bradford

**Examines Campers**  
Health examinations for the Y. W. C. A. campers will be given by Dr. C. R. Bradford at the Blue Triangle Branch Y. W. C. A. on Tuesday evening, August 10th, between the hours of 6 to 8 p. m. A fee of 25 cents per person will be charged. Campers are urged to be examined during these hours.

### Legion Parade

(Continued from page 1)  
The host organization, was observed in the navy blue service caps, trousers, blouses and gold neckties with the legion insignia.

Reunions, memorials for fallen comrades, speaking, teas, dances and parties made the visit of the 200 Negro veterans a memorable one. Vivian Jones was entertainment chairman, Spencer Elliston, activities chairman, Sam Rhoads is Lincoln Post bander.

Commander E. H. Harris, Samuel Collins, and Roy Allen, all of the Marshall Brown post No. 482, of Davenport, were visitors at the Bystander office Monday. They report a lively organization there of 22 members.

### Celebrate Emancipation Day

The WPA offices notified all foremen and timekeepers on Negro projects that all Negro employees were given a holiday August 4th to celebrate Emancipation Day at Riverview Park.

## CONVENTION REPORTS AUGUST 13TH AT UNION BAPTIST CHURCH

"Echoes" from recent national conventions will be given at Union Baptist church, East Sixteenth and University streets, August 13 at 8 p. m., under the auspices of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

Convention reports will be given by the following delegates: Mrs. Georgine C. Morris, N. A. A. C. P. convention, which met at Detroit, Michigan, in July; Mrs. S. Joe Brown, National Association of Colored Women's Clubs, at Ft. Worth, Texas, July 26 to 30; Miss George Edmunds, of the young women's department of N. A. C. W.; Miss Wilda Mullins, youth conference at Grinnell in June; and William Bell, National Youth Congress, in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemar Smith of Waco, Texas, are in the city visiting Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jett, 1319 Ascension street. Mrs. Smith is the former Atrell Jett of this city.

Father and Mrs. J. H. Thompson and family of Minneapolis, Minnesota are visiting the latter's parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. K. Brown, of 913 Crockers street.

The Misses Jean Morris and Molly-dell Davis, who attended the Girl Reserve conference at the Y. W. C. A. camp at Boone, Iowa, last week, returned home Sunday and Monday respectively.

### Visiting

Rev. C. K. Brown, pastor of Burns M. E. church, who has been visiting in the south and east, returned home Friday, accompanied by his son and daughter-in-law, Atty. and Mrs. C. K. Brown, Jr., of Washington, D. C. Mrs. Brown is a teacher in the public schools there.

Mrs. W. J. Shepherd left the city Saturday for Omaha, Georgia, to be at the bedside of her uncle. She will be gone four weeks.

Mrs. Hazel Oliver of 1047 Thirtieth street, who is visiting in Salt Lake City, Utah, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morris there. Mrs. Salema Morris, also of Des Moines, mother of Mr. Morris, and who is house guest there, is leaving August 15th for Madiera, California, and will attend the National Baptist convention in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jones were accompanied by their sons, Chauncey and John, to Girard, Kansas, where they visited Mr. Jones' brothers and families, Mr. and Mrs. Major Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Jones. Mr. Jones' niece, Melba Jones, accompanied them home.

Mrs. Lelia M. Walker of 1064 Fourteenth street spent five days in Chicago, visiting Mrs. Lottie Robinson, a classmate, and Dr. and Mrs. Mason Pryor, 503 Indiana avenue.

Miss Jean Morris of 955 Seventeenth street left Thursday morning for St. Paul, Minnesota, to be the guest of her friend, Miss Charlotte Crump.

## Wilda Goes Round & Round

BY WALDO

In Somebody Else's Style—(May be I'll get original some day.)—Shavings are falling thick and fast—My very good friend is the one among millions who can have their cake and eat it too—My former druggery mate departed our fair city yesterday morning for the Windy City. Just when I see Jean Fitzpatrick after many, many months I learn that she plans to make her home elsewhere. . . . The former Atrell Jett is in the city with her husband and baby—she looks very nice indeed.

Glancings—Noted in last year's "Y Herald" that Julia Nell Shipp was the crönigest kid at camp while George Robinson, Lee Wallace Hill and Richard McGuire were chosen by the girls as ideal Y. M. campers (Hint: R. McGuire likes girls who act babyish—my) Donna Graham wrote a very featured article about "Supporting" at Table 6 which told how the authors, Mrs. K. Jackson, Jean Morris, LaVerne Jefferson, Geneva Morrow, Verlene Reeves, Nadine Robinson, Bernice Wells and yers trulle got those correct scarifings—Noted Edyth Renfrow's of Grinnell picture in the September issue of the Crisis. . . . Very good reading, also very interesting. . . . Stanley Beverly and Jeap Frazier are back home after C. M. T. C. camp. . . . They have that Kansas tan and Bev. is now a lieutenant. . . . Fred Smith of Iowa U. is one of the two captains.

Amusements—The new Billiken Hi school and College dance club will swing out next Friday (Aug. 13) in cabaret style at the Billiken for all.

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hi-school and college students—It promises to be most rare—I mean viddy, viddy rare. Here and There—A one man band is in town from Los Angeles—Have not heard him—but from the mechanism he carries it should be O. K. He is now playing at the Wooden Shoe. Fats Waller is swinging out at Ottumwa this week-end—Oh so sorry that it couldn't have been in D. M.—Incidentally that ad in the Register Sunday was a hound in capital letters—Missed my Observer this week—wonder what happened. The Ice House crowd has its regular sessions every day with Chops Robinson being Kingfish. . . . Wonder how Carter and Mo Wilson are doing in the race at Trotter's—Which reminds me that Dorothy Boone is in town and looks very sharp—well enough of this. Aheh—forgot to say that Mrs. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Dupont, Mrs. Astor, Barbara Hutton, Duchess of Windsor, and Lois Mann were among the socialites attending Younkens style show Wednesday.

Entertained—Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Beeton entertained at a luncheon Friday, honoring Mrs. Samuel W. Cameron, Jr., guest of Mrs. Amos Adams.

Mrs. Cameron, who returned home with Paul, Tillman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Tillman, of Des Moines, and Samuel W. Cameron, Jr., who moved from Kansas City recently, was entertained at a farewell breakfast by Mrs. Anderson White of 815 Twenty-eighth street. Covers were laid for five.

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### NEGRO LEGIONNAIRES GAIN

More Negro Legionnaires attended the state convention in Des Moines this week than ever before and this in spite of the fact that there are less ex-service men.

There are good reasons of course. The Iowa department and local posts throughout the state have encouraged Negro ex-service men to come into the organization; every effort has been put forth to make Negroes feel at home, they have been treated as buddies; Negro ex-service men have come to appreciate the value of the organization and that they too ought help to work for as well as receive benefits obtained for the ex-service men.

The Legion is a mighty good organization and the Bystander is glad that it is being appreciated.

### DES MOINES LOSSES TWO GOOD CITIZENS

During the past two weeks Des Moines lost two of its very fine citizens in the death of John Walker, 97 year old Civil War veteran and John Rhodes, a city detective.

Mr. Walker was the last Negro Civil War veteran in Polk County. Rhodes maintained a very high standard as a detective, and was highly respected by his superiors for his ability and integrity. In fact nobody every questioned what Rhodes reported for the department had come to trust his judgment.

Younger generations must be thankful that such men as John Walker made it possible for them to get a chance in life; they must, like John Rhodes, make good by their chances. And of course Des Moines is a better community as a result of the life of these two men.

### THIS WON'T GO

Attorneys for John Montague have advanced a novel plea at the extradition hearing before Gov. Merriam of California. Some years ago, Montague is alleged to have been implicated in a holdup in New York state. In the meantime he went to California, changed his name and has become the idol of Hollywood because of his unusual ability as a golf player and all round good fellow. New York wants to take him to the scene of the crime for trial.

His friends say he has reformed, developed into a fine gentleman and it would serve no purpose to take him back to New York and disgrace what is already a changed man.

The Bystander does not believe this reasoning is sound for if that is the case then mere escape into another jurisdiction, becoming a better man and good fellow among acquaintances will be sufficient pay to society for the crime one may commit.

Montague should be sent back to New York and there make his plea in mitigation of punishment since he has already confessed the crime. The plea has no merit in his hearing before the California governor.

### IS THAT SO?

Jay Franklin, political writer who seems to speak for the New Deal, is saying some very uncomplimentary things about those senators who opposed President Roosevelt's proposal to pack the Supreme Court. In fact he spares no pains to call the southern members double crossers and reactionaries and accuses them of going along

with President Roosevelt fearing to oppose him will mean their defeat. He suggests that Northern Democrats who have refused to follow will be defeated for progressives upon whom Mr. Roosevelt can depend.

What Franklin is saying about the Southern wing of the Democratic party, Negroes have been saying all the time, and in spite of their antagonism toward the Democratic party thousands voted for it during the past few elections because they became convinced that the South was not in the saddle. He hints at a split between the New Deal and the Bourbon Democrats but it will never materialize as long as there are but two major parties—Republican and Democratic.

### DES MOINES NOT ONLY IN THE SOUTH

The editorial below is taken from the Richmond (Virginia) News Leader, a white daily. It applies to most northern communities and also fits Des Moines so well that we reprint it.

"Very little, singularly little, is being said about the most interesting aspect of the invasion of the South by CIO, namely, the enlistment of Negro workers in the same organizations with the whites. Southern industry has had from time to time a few trade unions composed of Negro members. In some localities, the Plasterers Union has had journeymen of both races. Most AFL leaders, however, have held that the Negro was unorganizable in the sense that he would not pay dues and thereby 'keep up his card.' Now we find Negroes readily included in some of the vertical CIO organizations. As a consequence, Negro workers may be prodded by white members to retain their union membership by paying their dues. In case of labor negotiations, the Negroes may have the support of the white workers even to the extent of strikes. The economic results of this may be tremendous. If CIO establishes itself permanently and adheres to its policy of admitting Negro members in the South, there is a possibility that the level of industrial wages for Negroes will be raised generally and that the old pay differential between the races will tend to diminish. Some of us deplore the methods that are being employed in CIO strikes, but we should welcome a change that cancels the old, unjust industrial doctrine that the wages of a Negro are to be low simply because he is a Negro."

A striking example of this is the Auto Mechanics union which is excluding Negroes in Des Moines and at the same time insisting on closed shops. We hear a lot about the selfishness of capitalists but those who complain have their share as well.

ASK 100,000 LETTERS TO SENATORS IMMEDIATELY  
New York, July 29—A plea for 100,000 telegrams, letters and postcards to be sent to senators asking them to act on the federal anti-lynching bill before adjourning congress was broadcast today by the N. A. A. C. P. As was predicted immediately after the death of Senator Joseph B. Robinson, the senate on July 22nd turned the bitterly debated supreme court bill by a vote of 70 to 20 and senate leaders immediately announced a drive to clean up one or two bills and adjourn.

In all the announcements which have come from Washington, no mention is made of the anti-lynching bill and some writers declare that the

### ORIGINAL NOTICE

September Term, 1937  
In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County, Iowa, the Petition of the Plaintiff, E. A. BROWN, Plaintiff.

VELMA BROWN, Defendant.  
To the above named Defendant, Velma Brown: You will please take notice that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County, Iowa, the Petition of the Plaintiff herein, charging you with a divorce on the ground of abandonment, and asking you to marry at will, all of which more fully appears in said Petition, to which reference is hereby made, and which more fully appears in the report of the court made on the 15th day of June, 1937, and which will be held at the Court House in the City of Des Moines, Polk County, State of Iowa, on the 15th day of August, 1937, and in and for Polk County, Iowa, and you are hereby notified that you will be entered against you and judgment and decree rendered thereon as prayed.

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