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Birdland Manager Says Simms Was 'Ineligible'

Happenings and the People

Selassie's Birthday

London—Haile Selassie, tardily recognized by the British as Emperor of Ethiopia, celebrated his 49th birthday here Tuesday, July 23.
Exiled from his native Ethiopia in 1936 when the Italians invaded the tiny African country, Selassie was recognized as the head of his country by the British 122 days before his birthday. It was doubtlessly the birthday gift he most fervently desired.

Gets Great Ovation

Los Angeles—Prime candidate for the attendance record cup to be given the most popular performer at the end of the current Hollywood Bowl season emerges after last Tuesday night's concert—Paul Robeson.
The mighty Negro Baritone attracted 23,000 ardent music fans to the famed outdoor music festival, scoring for art and box office.

Sermon in 2 Languages

Los Angeles—Rev. Archie J. Williams preached in Spanish and English over KFVD Sunday morning. The Belvedere Baptist church choir, (Mexican of which Rev. Williams is the director, furnished the music.

Campers Go August 11

Nowadays, upon the hill at Twelfth and Crocker streets, the office is busy as Saturday night in a mining camp. Youngsters are swarming in to ay on their camp fee—for annual seven days' outing at the Des Moines Y. M. C. A. camp near Boone, August 12-19.

Last year the camp ran well over its quota of 150 members and another record breaker is predicted as camp applications are pouring in.

To avoid disappointment and to be placed in a cabin of his choice boys are being urged to sign up immediately before the "blitzkrieg" of last minute campers swoop down upon the officials.

In 1927, the Crocker Y. M. C. A. camp period was the largest in the United States—a record unequalled and unbroken.

A week from next Monday will find borrowed suitcases, or newly purchase bags or plain, beaten luggage loaded with three pairs of double blankets, pillows, underwear, towels, swim suit, pajamas soap ball-glove camera, sweaters, etc., all loaded up enroute to the hills of Boone. It looks like another big year for another trainload of happy lads.

Camp folders and literature are now available at the office by calling 3-5611 or writing Crocker Y. M. C. A. 12th and Crocker sts., Des Moines, Iowa. A list of campers is being prepared and will be posted this week at the 'Y.'

"SACHEL" PAIGE STORY

IN SATURDAY EVENING POST

Philadelphia, Pa., (C)—The life story of Leroy "Satchel" Paige, brilliant but nonchalant Negro pitcher is told in the July 27th issue of the Saturday Evening Post. The author, Ted Shane, calls Paige one of the greatest pitchers of all time.

APPOINTED



MISS RENETTA MARTIN (Mason City Globe-Gazette)

Mason City Girl Gets Job In K. C. School System

Mason City, Ia.—Miss Renetta Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Martin, 634 Van Buren avenue southwest, who was graduated from Iowa State college in June has accepted a position as instructor of Institutional cookery in the R. T. Coles junior high and vocational school, Kansas City, Mo.

Miss Martin was asked to make a special trip to Kansas City in March to interview Principal Thomas of the Coles' junior high school to visit the home economic department and observe the cafeteria in action.

She was summoned to Kansas City again July 2 to interview the board of education. She received official notice of her election July 20.

Miss Martin will instruct a class of men and women in the vocational school and in related subjects and direct them in their duties throughout the four lunch periods when over 500 students are served. She will be in charge of all buying of foods and planning of menus. She will have one assistant. Her duties begin Tuesday, Sept. 3.

Major was Foods
Miss Martin's major was in foods, nutrition and dietetics; she lacks but five credits of a major also in home economics education. She has a "3.00" or "B" average for all colleges, in spite of the fact that she worked for her board and room the five years she studied at Ames.

Miss Martin was graduated from Mason City high school in 1935 with an average of 92.78 per cent for the four years, placing her in the top 25.

According to Miss Elizabeth Graves,

who instructed Miss Martin in English in her junior and senior years in high school, Miss Martin is the "exemplification of the high school student who has succeeded in spite of race, lack of funds and serious illness."

In May, 1939, Miss Graves influenced Miss Martin to resign from her position so that she might be graduated in June, 1940. It was at the time that her only brother, William, a graduate of Mason City high school advanced her tuition as he had just received an appointment as mail clerk at the capitol building in Des Moines.

Praises Loan Fund
Miss Martin, in discussing her final year at college, spoke freely of the great good the Sheldon loan fund is to students. She, like many others, was able to borrow \$120 in her senior year by temporary transfer of her life insurance policy to college.

"Now, in just a few months, I'll be able to pay the loan in full," she said.
Miss Martin in her junior year at high school was elected as a charter member to the Fred D. Cram chapter of Quill and Scroll society after serving on the Cub Gazette staff one year.

Secretary Edward Neil of Northwestern university, in commenting on her news story on colored children enrolled in Mason City schools, said, "Miss Martin's story is the most outstanding of any of the applicants' because of its research problems; such a story is of varied interest to the citizens of a community."

JUDGE UPHOLDS RIGHT OF MAN-TO-CHOOSE JOB

Memphis, Tenn., (ANP)—A charge of vagrancy against a colored WPA worker was dismissed Tuesday by Judge Bateman in city court with the ruling that a man who refuses a job to which he is not suited is not a vagrant. The defendant, Albert George, 40, was hailed into court after refusing a WPA assignment of a "hoe handle, cotton chopping job".

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What Uncle Sam Will Ask His Male Nephews When He Starts Registering

(Washington, (ANP)—When your Uncle Sam starts his registering of his male nephews between the ages of 18 and 65, here is what he will want to know among the 19 questions first asked:

Name, age, permanent mail address, telephone number, employer's name, place of employment of business, place of birth and date of birth.

Of what country are you a citizen? Have you taken out naturalization papers? Name of person who will always know your address.

Relationship and address of that person.

Of course, there is the ever important question of RACE—height, build, color of eyes, color of hair, complexion.

The questions of whether he person has lost an arm, leg, hand, eye or if he has any other obvious physical characteristics that will aid in identification is a new one for the records.

The identification certificate would be issued on the date of registration, and would bear the registrant's full name,

address, signature and this inscription: "Be alert, keep in touch with your local board. Notify local board immediately of change of address."

On the reverse side would be carried the registrant's physical description, corresponding to the replies given to the inquiries on the registration card.

Another part of the proposed questionnaire contains 12 sections of detailed inquiries, relative to the amount of income earned, possibility of a criminal record and claims for exemptions for dependents, disability, occupation or religious conviction against war.

Conscientious objectors against war will receive special consideration in this conscription. There will be no such acts as in the last war when only Quakers and Mennonites, a religious sect in Pennsylvania, were excused.

In this instance, conscientious objectors to war will be permitted to claim exemptions and in all possibility they will be included in a deferred class, subject to call at a later date.

WRITES HIS LIFE



LANGSTON HUGHES

New York—For fourteen years, since the publication of "The Weary Blues," in 1926, Langston Hughes has been widely recognized as one of the most important young writers in America, white or Negro. For much of that time he has made his living exclusively by his pen—probably the only Negro author to do so before the great success of Richard Wright.

Now Mr. Hughes has written his own story—a story as full of color, incident, vitality, and good humor as the man who wrote it and the life it describes. Called "The Big Sea," it will be published by Alfred A. Knopf on August 26.

Since he is an American, Mr. Hughes grew up thinking of himself as a Negro. But he went to Africa on a freighter when he was twenty-one, and the people there told him he was not a Negro at all, but white. He has some Cherokee blood, and some French, and some English-American, and it shows in his appearance. When he lived in Paris a short time later, the people did not care about those things; he was, and is a delightful human being, and that was enough for them.

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Simms Says Color Question Caused Him to Back Out of Y.M.C.A. Mile Swim Event

By Marie Ross

What at first seemed to be a color prejudice, prior to the holding of the annual city water carnival at Birdland pool Monday night, July 29, under A. A. U. sanction took on a legal angle the week after the event, a Bystander representative learned this week.

Several weeks before the water carnival, Leo Simms, assistant swimming instructor and life guard at Good pool, entered the mile swim, one of the events of the program which was sponsored by the Central Y. M. C. A. He filled out an application blank which was turned over to the 'Y' committee and accepted by them.

Simms felt quite proud as well as equal to any of the competition he would meet in the swim. He had been preparing for several years to meet some stiff competition and may-

be, break some of the swimming records he had made at the Good pool swimming meets. This was the first year that Negro had attempted to enter the city water carnival at Birdland and even, Frank Robinson, manager and swimming instructor at Good pool, felt that Simms had a good chance of winning the Y. M. C. A. mile swim event.

When Simms' entry blank reached the Birdland committee in charge of the city carnival, headed by Don Gordon in charge of the Birdland,

the only Negro entrant blank was turned down.

Growing years principally in Kansas, Illinois, and Cleveland. His parents were separated—his father had gone to Mexico and engaged in various business enterprises, while his mother remained in the States, worked for a living, and subsequently married a second time. He stayed as a boy with his grandmother in Lawrence, Kansas, and went to school like other boys, and at twelve years old went to church and was "saved."

"Literature," he says, "is a big sea full of many fish. I let down my nets and pulled." "The Big Sea" is the story of the man who did that pulling, and it shows what manner of man he is and why he has been pulling successfully ever since.

Gurney W. Day, director of swimming at the Central Y. M. C. A., phoned Frank Robinson at Good pool early last week and informed him that Simms could not enter the mile swim.

Negro Question
According to Mr. Robinson, Day intimated in his phone call that Simms was not wanted in the meet because he was a Negro and that the committee at Birdland pool preferred not to have a Negro in the pool," Robinson relates.

Robinson appealed to Ralph Squire, Birdland pool supervisor, to see what could be done about the matter and about two days later Robinson said he received another phone call from Day stating that "everything would be alright for Simms to participate in the meet."

Simms, feeling that the 'Y. M. C. A. should have worked out' the situation before involving him, withdrew his entry and backed out of the meet.

Simms told the reporter he did not have the heart to go out to participate after all of the "who-struck-who." He said he entered the event purely "on his own" and he withdrew, thinking that it did not matter much if he decided not to force the issue.
Mr. Day, in a telephone interview with the reporter, said "it was not a matter that should have been asked decided by the Y. M. C. A. Asked about the Birdland committee rejecting Simms' entry because of the color question, Mr. Day suggested that the Bystander representative contact Don Gordon, one of the committee, at Birdland.

At Birdland
At Birdland pool, one of the city's largest swimming centers, Mr. Gordon was interviewed this week about the matter. He explained that it was not a "question of color" but one of eligibility. The city water carnival was sanctioned by the Iowa Association of the Amateur Athletic Union and that according to the rules and regulations of the A. A. U. "no swimming instructor, life guard, or any person of professional standing could compete in an A. A. U. event."

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McAlpin Asked to Resign Post After Jim Crow Order

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A good friend of the Bystander got peeved with our collector because he saw an article in the paper with which he disagreed. Well, we don't expect to please everybody and incidentally open our columns to those who wish to express their views even though they disagree with those we hold. It is just good newspaper practice and we shall continue to "give and take it" like a good sport.

STAND UP AND FIGHT

In spite of the guarantee contained in the Iowa Civil rights law and a resolution passed by the city council in 1923 declaring there shall be no discrimination in the bathing beaches in Des Moines, a guard at the Birdland pool forced the Y.M.C.A. to back down on one of its numbers in a swimming meet simply because one of the participants happened to be black.

Monday, the Birdland pool sponsored a program made up of numbers from many institutions. The Des Moines YMCA was scheduled to participate. One Leo Simms, a young Negro and an excellent swimmer was entered as a part of the "Y" team. When the race of this young man was discovered, he was notified that he would not be wanted and the young man had his entrance fee refunded. The Y. M. C. A. was contacted and they passed the buck to the pool committee. The matter was taken up by the NAACP, but when it was discovered that the young man did not care to be "embarrassed" by pressing the claim further, the association found itself with a case but without a client so the case was dropped.

The incident illustrates two very vital things that make it difficult to handle causes of this kind. First, the pool officials did not have a legal leg upon which to stand and the "Y" displayed rank cowardice by refusing to stand up for a member of its team. Second, in order to press a right the NAACP must have a client for which to fight and when the fellow runs out on the organization he leaves the association without an injured party for whom to wage a fight.

Undoubtedly, the latter act was the most reprehensible of the two for if young Negroes don't have the courage to stand up and fight for their rights, they have no just cause to complain when others do likewise. Again, a man who is unwilling to fight for his rights does not need any. And incidentally, very soon will have none.

The Bystander deplors such acts of cowardice and calls upon young Negroes everywhere to insist on the exercise of their rights as laid down in the law of the land.

And the Bystander cannot emphasize too strongly that acts of discrimination like this against Negroes are just the same treatment Hitler is handing out to minority groups in Europe. So why damn Hitler to hell when here in Des Moines some of our "loyal Americans" are keeping step with his practices.

WORTH KEEPING IN MIND

During the past few weeks, the Bystander has carried a series of Ads from some of the leading business institutions in Des Moines in which they call upon Negroes to trade with them because they hire Negroes. Some have carried the photo of some of their Negro employees along with announcements of their appointment as salesmen or that they have been salesmen for months past.

The Bystander certainly congratulates these firms; it goes further and makes it a practice to spend every dime possible with these firms and urges others to do likewise.

It has been our theory, and we know it to be correct reasoning, that any firm which advertises in a Negro paper wants Negro trade and is not afraid to say it in print; that any firm which hires a Negro not only feels that every man has the right to a job, but also that in order to buy, somebody must hire him.

It is a fair proposition and when Negroes start out to spend their dollars, this should greatly determine who shall get them. And in proportion that this practice is followed our economic status will improve just that much.

So when you get ready to spend your dollars, check the advertisers in the Bystander. It is worth your while.

WHO AM I?

(By H. N. Wilcox)

LECTURER—HISTORIAN

- 1.—Born 1816, in Lexington, Ky. reputed to be the son of George Heggins, a white slave holder. His mother unknown.
- 2.—At an early age I went to St. Louis, Mo., worked on a steamboat, and later in the printing shop of Elijah P. Lovejoy the editor of the St. Louis Times.
- 3.—1834 attempted to escape into Canada, failed and was harbored by Wells Brown, a Quaker, whose name I adopted.
- 4.—I soon began to champion the cause of my people, touring and lecturing for the Western New York Anti-Slave Society.
- 5.—I became interested in temperance, woman's suffrage, prison reform and there by met William Lloyd Garrison, Wendell Phillips and a number of other prominent abolitionists.
- 6.—1849 I was representative to the American Peace Society, at the peace congress in Paris. I met such men as Victor Hugo, James Houghton, George Thompson and Richard Cobden.
- 7.—My first work was published in 1847, "A Fugitive Slave"

Health Hints

By Dr. C. R. Bradford

SYCOSIS

Sycosis is a chronic inflammatory disease of the hair follicles, usually of the bearded region, characterized by papules, pustules and tubercles, perforated by hairs.

The disease commences by the formation of the discreet to pea-sized papules or pustules at the sight of the hair follicles. The pustules are flat and contain a yellowish fluid; they show no disposition to rupture but dry into crusts.

The surrounding skin is reddened, sometimes swollen and infiltrated and the seat of variable amount of itching, burning and soreness. A hair perforates the center of each lesion. In the beginning the hair is firmly attached, but later it becomes more easily extracted. The eruption comes out in crops, the disease lasting for months or even years.

The infection is confined to hairy regions, particularly the beard and mustache. Very few cases are incurable.

The disease, however, often resists to treatment and lasts months or years. Internal remedies are at times indicated by the general condition of the patient. External treatment is, however, far more important.

Y. M. C. A.

SCOTTY ROWLAND WINS 'Y'S BOXING MAIN EVENT

Heading a card of twelve bouts, Scotty Rowland's powerful lefts to the face and body prove too much for Richard Garland, 142, as the former decisively punched out a convincing victory to win the main event of the Crocker Y. M. C. A. outdoor boxing show Wednesday night. The veteran brawler punished his opponent severely that rocked Garland to the ropes several times; the bell saved him in the second round.

Displaying his skill of former Crocker 'Y' days that put him to the top in CCC Camp pugilistic honors, Amos Holt, 128, defeated William Davis, 126, of Jewish Community Center, in a fast semi-windup bout. Davis, who hit the canvas in the final, was groggy at the finish but was a game puncher.

Tom Mayberry, 134, of Crocker 'Y', kept his string of victories intact by trimming Paul Ewing, 139, of Boone, a tall opponent with a long reach advantage. Rowland Taylor, 149, of Crocker 'Y', outpointed Paul Basler, 145, of Jewish Community Center, with a thrilling last round rally.

Harold Greenlee, 120, of West Des Moines, proved the master of Jerry Jones, 120, of Crocker 'Y', in another sensational match. The surprise victory of John Estes, 90, over Charles Gater, 90, was the evening's upset.

The other results were:

- Elmer Tolson, 92, decisioned Curtis Jackson, 91.
- Lincoln Wells, 90, outpointed Donald Clayborn, 93.
- Robert Ewing, 73, defeated Alvin Myles, 80.
- Jack Copeland, 75, won over Harold Lewis, 75.
- Alfred Shepard, Jr., 48, decisioned Donald Spears, 48.

TIES FOR CROCKER LEAGUE LEAD

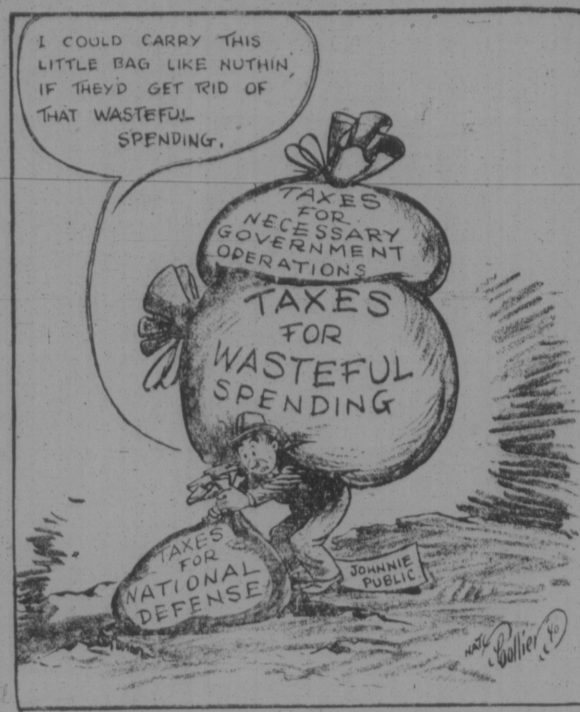
In a nip and tuck battle all the way, Community Luncheonette forged in to a tie for first place in the Crocker Y. League with a sensational 4 to 3 victory over Tucker's Paint and Body Company softball team at West High

The Black Man, His Antecedents, Genius. This work ran up to ten editions, and stand today as an outstanding historical pioneer work in the field of Negro literature.

WHO AM I?

The "Who Am I" in the issue of July 25 was Countee Cullen.

THE BURDEN



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Tucker's Body & Paint Company 3 3 500
St. Paul A.M.E. church..... 2 3 400
Corinthian Baptist 0 6 000

Schedule (Aug. 6, 8, and 9)
Tuesday—St. Paul A. M. vs. Tucker's Paint & Body Co. at West High stadium.
Thursday—Negro C. C. vs. Community Luncheonette at Amos Hillatt diamond.
Friday—St. Paul A. M. E. vs. Corinthian at West High Stadium.

JENSEN DUNN EMPLOYES FOUR NEGRO MEN

Jensen Dunn Company has in its employ four Negro workmen. Recently Mr. "Scamp" McQuerry has been placed in charge of the Used Car Sales Department. The other employees are: Harold Hubbard, Winfred Young, Arlee Cheaton. Mr. McQuerry has been with the company for ten years.

'SUGAR' SHELTON NOW USED CAR SALESMAN

The Chambers Motor Company appointed "Sugar" Shelton as used car salesman recently. The company has in its employment five Negro men: Maceo Crewse, Colen Scales, Irwin Turpin and Bill Good. Mr. Young has worked in the used car department for six years.

JUDGE HERMAN MOORE TO ADDRESS BAR MEET

Columbus, O., (ANP)—The 16th annual convention of the National Bar association which convenes here Aug. 1-3, will hear among its many speakers, Judge Herman Moore, of the United States District court for the Virgin Islands. Judge Moore has just completed a year's service as judge, having succeeded Judge William Hastic, present Dean of Howard University Law School.

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WHERE ARE OUR GOLFERS?

The most dismal thing about the city junior golf meet was the lack of Negro entries. Golf as a game has just about died out here. For awhile we had two clubs, and were rather proud of the manner in which they used to put on really big time meets with some of the best golfers in this part of the country here. Now, so far as we are able to learn aside from a few fellows who just go out and play the game for the fun of it, the golf club has died, and there haven't been any real golf meets around here for a couple of years. Most of the golf meets around here were always donated by Charles Howard. Charley worked as hard at golf as our three rascals have worked at tennis, and as a result was able to hold his own in fairly fast company, and was so far over most the local Negroes that even on his off days he was too good for them. Jack Howard has the best coaching at North High, his father liked the game and saw to it that Jack got every opportunity to play in the best company, so Jack used to give Charley a run for his dough and sometimes trimmed the bigger Howard when the letter didn't care to be trimmed. Other interests claimed Jack's attention away from golf, one of these softballs, so he couldn't stick in the fast company. When there seemed that there was no one around to dispute the reign of Charley Howard, local interest in the game died so far as tournaments were concerned. It was a clear case of one man killing a sport. The same thing could happen to our local tennis if it were not for a couple of the fellows who make Chet Williamson work to keep ahead of them, so that he never lacks for competition even if he does win all the time. We can't tell you what happened to the Howard boys, Charley and Jack, Marvin Cooley and Lawrence Carter all of whom have competed in the city junior meet at different time. Why don't the golfers get together and revive a fine sport? Your writer has never played golf, but he likes to see any sport where local Negroes are concerned there.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT PLANS UNDER WAY

Our little shot last week had surprising results. First, we were duly informed by the executive of the Y that we had got off on the wrong track. Quinten wound up and tossed his high hard ones in the form of verbal brickbats in the general direction of Chet Williamson, Bill Ashby and your writer. The gist of the verbal explosion by Mr. Mease was that, regardless of the committees that might be chosen, just a few of us would have to carry on the work, and we should expect that. So there was no reason why we shouldn't go ahead with our plans if we had any. Bill Ashby got stirred up and went over to the City Hall and met the entire head personnel of the parks department. Bill nearly shocked 'em right out of their seats when he asked for two or three courts to be set aside at Birdland for our tournament. Well, that was shooting for the moon, but the parks chieftans agreed to have a man to get our Good Park courts in shape and keep them in shape for a week, including Sunday, the day of the finals. With all this action going on around, your humble servant dragged out plans that he had made a long time ago calling for the meet the week of August ninth. In the meantime we will have had a meeting of all the committee members who can be present, and the thing that will be elaborated upon. Of course the original plans didn't call for the week of August ninth, but our plans for such events are always drawn up so they fit any date.

So all you tennis minded youngsters who have been pestering your writer about the tournament can start getting your shots polished up, and let us hear no alibis. Our plan, unless otherwise arranged by the group, calls for events in the men's and women's singles, Junior and boy's singles, and, we have some sort of plans for women's doubles, if there are a sufficient number of entries, and a beginner's division for girls and women who have just recently

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CEDAR RAPIDS IOWA, NEWS SECTION

Ottumwa, Iowa

Willa Mae Harston, Ottumwa, Correspondent
615 Grant Street

Ottumwa, Iowa.—Mr. John Crayton who attended the Democratic convention in Chicago, recently has returned to his home here.

Miss Alice Kinney, of Des Moines and Edith McDonald of Quincy, Ill., recently concluded a visit here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Winston and family. Mr. and Mrs. Carnett Alle have as their house guest; Mrs. Uvell Lowery and daughters, LaVerne and Hortense of Chicago. Mrs. Lowery and daughters are visiting with other friends while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Adams of San Diego, Calif., and Mr. Adam's sister, Mrs. L. H. Parker of St. Louis, stopped here Saturday for a visit in the homes of many of Mr. Adam's friends enroute to St. Louis from Bloomington, Ill. Mr. Adams is of the Navy and is on a motor trip during his leave of absence. He is the grandson of Rev. J. W. Wiley former pastor of the Mt. Zion A. M. E. Church.

Those ill and improving are Mrs. Sybil Robinson, Mrs. Elizabeth Vinson, and Mrs. L. Hawkins who was dismissed Friday, July 26 from the St. Joseph hospital.

Mrs. Helena Downey of Chicago is visiting in the home of her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Russell Downey. Herbert Robinson recently returned from Chicago, where he went to attend the funeral of his aunt.

NAACP SPONSORS DANCE AUG. 5

The local N. A. A. C. P. branch will sponsor a dance at the W. O. W. hall on Second street, Monday August 5. "Spec" Reid and his orchestra will play.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Miller and son, Dale, of 1252 W. Second street have recently returned from a two weeks vacation trip visiting Mrs. Pertumn Miller's daughter, Mrs. Orville Spotts and her grandson and wife Mr. and Mrs. James Pertumn, 6615 Vernon Avenue, Chicago. While there they attended the opening of the American Negro Exposition. Other points visited during their trip included Galesburg, Ill., and Des Moines, where Mr. and Mrs. Miller and son visited with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Winnie Thrice of Macon, Mo., was recently a house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McElroy. She was entertained in the home of Mrs. Bessie Pertumn Miller and also was her guest at the Judicial Republican convention at Burlington. There were 2,800 delegates present and Mrs. Thrice and Mrs. Miller were the only two race women members present. Both were entertained royally at the Burlington Hotel. William Bailey, Jr., served as Sergeant-at-arms at this convention.

Returns to Sioux Falls, S. D. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith and sons concluded a vacation here Sunday, July 28th, and returned to their home in Sioux Falls. While here they motored to Keokuk, spending several days there visiting in the home of Mr. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Smith. They were extended many social courtesies while there, house guests of Mrs. Smith's father, during their visit here they were Mr. Lon Hawkins, and sister, Mrs. Richard Milton and her husband, Mr. Milton, Monday, July 22, Mrs. Smith was the honored guest at the Missionary luncheon of the A. M. E. church held in the home of Mrs. James Black, 725 N. Cooper street. Mrs. Richard Milton entertained at ten o'clock breakfast, Tuesday morning July 23, honoring her sister, Mrs. Smith. Seven guests were present.

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Mrs. M. Malbrue, Cedar Rapids, Correspondent
1213 Avenue L S. W.

Cedar Rapids, Ia.—Mr. and Mrs. H. Thompson, Dr. and Mrs. D. Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. B. Taylor spent the week end in Chicago.

P. A. C.'s will have a meeting at the home of Mrs. Jerry Woems Tuesday, July 30.

Criterion club met at the home of Miss Charlotte Collins Wednesday, July 31.

A dance sponsored by George Turner and Ishmel Phillips will be given at Thornwood, August 6; Nat Laurels playing.

The Criterion club held a picnic supper and initiation Wednesday, July 17, at Ellis Park. A lovely evening was enjoyed. Those who were initiated are as follows: Esther Nance, Charlotte Collins and Mildred Malbrue.

Mr. Harry Wilson and Mr. Emery Greene of Des Moines, Ia., were overnight guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Greene.

DEATHS
Norma Mae Phillips, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ismhel Phillips, died at the home, 1226 Tenth street, S. S., 9:30 p. m. Thursday after a week's illness. She was born in Cedar Rapids April 3, 1940.

In addition to the parents, she is survived by two sisters, Gloria Ann and Mary Kathrine, and a brother, James. Funeral services were held Saturday, July 27, at the Rice's Funeral home.

Mr. Boston Clay passed away. A wife survives.

Mr. William Miller left Tuesday, July 30, to spend two weeks in Des Moines, with his daughter.

A weiner roast will be held August 9, by the Missionary society of the A. M. E. church. It will be given at the Riverside park.

Miss Celestia Nance was honored with a surprise party, Saturday, July 20, by the Criterion club of which she is an active and popular member. Miss Nance received a traveling bag from her club members, and a box of beautiful handkerchiefs from a friend. The party was given in the home of Mrs. Hazel Gibson's. Miss Nance left Monday, July 22, for Detroit, to visit friends and relatives.

Remodeling
Mr. and Mrs. Claud Guy of 211-10th avenue, S. W., are remodeling their recently purchased home. Mid-Way tavern has had new improvements.

The circus was here August 1. Miss Flo Miller left Friday, July 26, to visit her mother in Mississippi.

Scik list: Mrs. Flora Lavell, Miss Eleanor Lavell, Mrs. A. G. Culp, Miss Margaret Boone, Mr. C. F. Conway.

THREE GUSSES
Did you know that H. W. and A. C. tried pretty hard to make headlines for a Sunday morning paper—to lose those extra pounds and oh!—and it almost did it? R. M. has been looking pretty sharp lately. I wonder if it is J. C. that has her trying is she ever faithful? E. N. and N. N. say that there isn't anything as fine as married life. D. W. has made herself quite scarce since she has returned from Chicago. The mailman seems to be one and only and even he doesn't rate at times. I wonder why the C. A. baseball team can't learn the technique of winning a game especially one of those under lights? Could it be the lights that effect you boys? I. C. must have the wanderlust. She just can't stay here in C. R. since she made that trip to K. C. sometime ago. I wonder if the unknown P. J. is the real trouble.



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WHAT TO COOK

IT'S BERRY TIME AGAIN

(By Arden H. Duane for the ANP)

Are you always on the lookout for a quick and easy dessert for two-somes? And have you forgotten that all kinds of fresh luscious berries are in season? Well, as long as berries are in their prime let's do them justice. Here's how:

New England Blueberry Pudding: One fourth cup butter, one cup sugar, two eggs, one and one-half cups flour (four teaspoons baking powder, one cup milk, two cups blueberries.

Cream butter and sugar and add beaten eggs. Dredge the berries with part of the flour. Sift together the remainder of flour and baking powder and add to the first mixture alternately with the milk. Stir berries into the batter and pour into a well buttered baking dish. Bake in a moderate oven for about forty-five minutes. Serve with plain cream or hand sauce. Serves four.

Huckleberry Dumplings: Sift together two cups flour, two teaspoons baking powder and one half teaspoon salt. Work into this a tablespoon of lard. Add milk until of consistency to roll. Cut the dumplings half an inch thick. Boil a quart of huckleberries with a cup of water and half a cup of sugar for twenty minutes. Drop in dumplings, cover tightly and boil twenty minutes.

Blackberry Roly-Poly: Two cups flour, two teaspoons baking powder, one-half teaspoon salt, four table-spoons butter, two-thirds cup milk, two and one-half cups blackberries, one half cup sugar.

Sift flour, baking powder and salt together, work in shortening and mix to a light dough with milk. Turn onto a floured board, roll into an oblong sheet about one-third inch thick. Spread with the berries mixed with sugar, wet edges with milk, and bake in a moderate oven, 350 degrees to 375 degrees F., about thirty minutes. Serve with lemon or hard sauce or cream. Serves six.

Frozen Strawberry Nut Pudding:

Cedar Rapids Pastor Emphasizes Importance of 'Preaching'-Sermon

SERMONETTE

The sermonette this week, subject, "Preaching," was written by the Rev. J. W. Collins, pastor of the Bethel A. M. E. church, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

When a man is called of God to preach, he has received the highest calling that can come to any one. He immediately becomes God's ambassador bring-a message to man that has in it an offer of eternal life of happiness and peace.

The object of our preaching is not accomplished when we have sufficiently explained or proved the truth to our hearers, or even when we have gained approval of what we say; we must move them to act to yield to the truth by obeying its teaching; we must sway the will, and turn the affections; we must not only instruct, but incite; not only make a man see his duty, but lead him to do it; by presenting such motives as will stir their hearts, move their wills, and thus constrain them by force of inward emotions to actually change their affections and acts, and bring them into vital union with the true Christian life of our Great Example.

This is the most crucial task in

the art of preaching. We can usually convince men of the claims of the gospel, and conduct their faith whither we will, until we reach a certain point—the almost impassable gate of iron will be transition point from faith to action, where believing is to be changed for doing.

This point many will reach in an hour, but halt there for many years, perhaps life; and at this point the preacher must call into requisition the whole momentum of his strength, to move men off their bases of sinful repose.

This is the work of persuasion,—the most essential part of the sermon,—and should engage the earnest attention of every preacher in the study of the best methods that will accomplish the results desired.

Persuasion is best accomplished by the use of such motives as commend themselves to conscience,—the man's sense of duty and right. A motive is that which induces to free action; for usually, that which moves a man to do voluntarily the highest motives, such as:

HAPPINESS: Perhaps more men act from this motive than any other. Whether of a temporal or eternal nature, it is the secret which furnishes the key to the solution of

most of the problems of human choice. GOODNESS: Nature has implanted in every heart at least a desire to be good. Even the most wicked men are not insensible to its influence, and often covet the noble character they see in others; it is a powerful motive in persuading men to seek purity and holiness of life.

DUTY: This is, perhaps the highest motive, since it has its seat in the conscience, and appeals to the ethical nature. "We cannot help acknowledging the rightness of right, and the wrongness of wrong.

LOVE: Love is the most powerful in subduing the heart. The lower order of love between man and man has incited men to the most daring, heroic acts of self-sacrifice. But the divine love of God, as revealed through the Son, and concentrated upon the cross, is the greatest motive power in the world. It is the silent potent power by which Christ draws all men to him. The Gospel of universal love, faithfully preached, is an irresistible power, before which the most stubborn heart will yield; and if it will not conquer man's will, he is almost beyond the hope of recovery.

Four eggs, separated, one half cup sugar, one tablespoon flour, one-half teaspoon salt, four cups scalded milk, one cup stewed strawberries, one cup seeded raisins, finely chopped, one teaspoon vanilla, one cup broken walnut meats.

Beat egg yolks until light; add su-

gar, flour and salt combined. Gradually add scalded milk and cook in a double boiler until thick and smooth. Cool. Add the stewed strawberries, raisins, vanilla and walnut meats and fold in the stiffly beaten egg whites last. Pour into freezing compartment of your refrigerator and freeze.

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1 cup wild rice
2 tbsps salt
4 cups boiling water (or scalded milk)

Method I: Wash rice in cold water. Cover with boiling water and let stand twenty-minutes. Drain. Repeat this process four times, using fresh boiling water each time, and adding salt last time. Drain, season, serve.

Method II: Wash rice, cover with cold or boiling water and let stand ten to twenty-four hours. Drain. Cover boiling water and let stand twenty minutes. Drain. Repeat, adding salt last time. Drain, season to serve.

Note: Time forty minutes, besides soaking period. Rice expands about twice its bulk. Over-cooking darkens rice and decreases flavor. Keep cooked rice covered to avoid drying out of cellulose.

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Jefferson City, Mo.—The belief that an ambitious young fellow can get a college education "on his own hook" and participate in worthwhile extra-curricular activities while working, his way through college has been convincingly proved by Neil S. Williams, who will graduate from Lincoln University of Missouri in August.

Williams, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Nicie Williams of Gary, Ind., came to Lincoln University in 1936, two years after he was graduated from high school. After working for two years at lowly jobs in his home town, Williams was convinced that a college education was essential to a young Negro who "wanted to amount to something."

To Lincoln University he came with only enough cash to last him three months, but with intangible assets as courage, determination and ambition. He also brought with him a good measure of versatile talent which has brought fame to Williams and to Lincoln University.

Williams is an honor student; a member of the varsity football and track squads; holder of the Midwest conference pole vault record; member of the Kappa-Delta choir; member of the University band; the University orchestra; the Capella Choir; editor for 1938 of the Archives, a student annual; organizer and leading member of the Artists' Guild, an organization of students interested

Sorority's Health Aid 6 Years Old

Mound Bayou, Miss. (ANP)—Bringing health care to more poverty-stricken Mississippians this year than in the five years previous that the health clinic has been held. Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority recently began what appears to be its most successful health project, under the direction of Dr. Dorothy Boulding Ferebee, Supreme Basileus and Medical Director.

The Health Project Clinic offers mobile medical services, a regular physician's office installed on wheels from plantation to plantation in Bolivar County, giving direct medical and dental care to sharecropping families. The services include medical examinations of children, immunizations against diphtheria, vaccination for smallpox, Wasserman blood tests, dental care, health education, lectures, and this year a new feature, nutrition demonstrations and lectures.

R. Johnson Is Wounded

Roosevelt Johnson, 38, who said he lived at 2006 Lynn street, was taken to Broadlawn General hospital last Saturday night with gunshot wounds in his left arm and lung.

Police arrested Mary H. Moore, 52, of 1028 first street, in connection with the shooting.

Captain of Detectives Roy E. Clarkson said the woman admitted she fired at Johnson with a .38 caliber revolver during an argument at her home.

"He came at me with a knife as I lay in bed and I fired at him," she was quoted as saying. She was booked for investigation to the detective department.

An operation was performed to remove the bullet from Johnson's lung. Police said another went through his arm.

Mitchell Is Challenged To Debate

Washington, (ANP)—Challenging Congressman Arthur Mitchell to a debate on the merits of the New Deal as far as the Negro is concerned Perry W. Howard, Republican, National committeeman from Mississippi, takes issue with the congressman on several vital points.

Declaring that the New Deal has added more than 550,000 whites to the payrolls of the government and less than 2200 Negroes, Howard facetiously adds that the exception is the CCC which is in the woods and the Democrats "have kept the Negroes in the woods for the last 300 years."

Continuing, Mr. Howard points out, "During the last eight years, practically every Negro who has resigned or retired or who has been let out of the service customs under Mr. Roosevelt's regime.

"All of our assistant U. S. Attorneys of color have been displaced by whites, excepting two.

"We are unable to find more than five Negroes that have been appointed under the civil service in seven years of Democratic misrule.

"Even the little segregated groups of Negro employees such as the mail rooms in the department of justice have been wiped out.

"Segregation has been allowed to run rampant.

"The Negro contingent in the army has been emasculated and the Negro boy cannot even beg or fight his way into the army aviation corps."

Mr. Howard has given wide publicity to his challenge which was issued early this week. Mr. Mitchell hasn't as yet replied.

VISITS HERE

Mrs. Cecile B. Armstrong of Chicago arrived in the city Thursday, July 26, for a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. P. Webb, 1220 Maryland Avenue.

'HELLO HOLLYWOOD' AT JEWISH CENTER AUG. 6

"Hello Hollywood" the 1940 Home Camp show will be presented at the Jewish Community Center, 801-Forest ave. three nights beginning Tuesday, August 6, 7, & 8. The cast is composed of two hundred children all members of the 1940 Home Camp.

New costumes have been made by the sewing staff to depict the Spanish, Gypsy, and Hawaiian scenes. The continuity which was written by Sylvia Snook tells the story of a Motion Picture Director and his search in the U. S. A. and possessions for talent.

The dancing and singing, featuring an advanced group in a special number, "Georgia Revival Meeting" are elaborately produced by Maxine Van Lissel, dancing instructor, Bella Scheer and Sarah Steele, Voice Instructors, and Sylvia Snook, Director of Drama.

Accompanists are Louise Glover Balthis, and Nellie Bontrager.

STAGE VERSION OF 'NATIVE SON' PLANNED

Chapel Hill, N. C.—(CNA)—The best-selling "Native Son" is being worked into a play by its author, Richard B. Wright, and Paul Green, author of the Pulitzer winner, "In Abraham's Bosom," and other plays of Negro life.

The two authors have been doing some tentative work during their stay here looking toward a dramatization of "Native Son," but it is understood that nothing final has been settled so far.

John Houseman, New York sponsor of the Mercury Theatre with Orson Wells is interested in producing the play and he is expected to confer with the Messrs. Wright and Green in Chapel Hill at the end of the month.

Paul Robeson, Eddie Dowling, and Marc Connelly have been reported at various times as interested in obtaining the rights to the novel.

AT ST. PAUL

The Rev. Mr. Roman of Shiloh Baptist church will be guest speaker Sunday, August 4, at the St. Paul A. M. E. church, for the S. L. Birt club, at 3 o'clock.

BLAST HEAD OF POSTMASTERS ASSOCIATION FOR DISCRIMINATION

Washington, (ANP)—In a letter for publication, concerning the refusal of Postmaster Paul R. Younts, of Charlotte, N. C. president of the National Association of Postmasters, to appoint John T. Richmond, Negro, as a letter carrier on his force, despite high praise for the Negro, Dr. Linnett J. Scott, head of the public relations department of the Republican National committee for the Negro division, lashed out at Mr. Younts, and declared that "Surely this object lesson of hypocrisy and injustice will be brought to the attention of colored people in the North who vote, and have their votes counted. They will

Mayor Blocks N. A. A. C. P. Affair In Louisiana

(Graphic Press)

McDonoughville, La.—Stating that "the advancement of Negroes" was a radical movement, Mayor Gelbke and Chief of Police Beauregard Miller of Gretna, in Jefferson Parish across the river from New Orleans, refused to issue a permit for a newly-formed branch of the N. A. A. C. P. to celebrate their charter with a dance program. The affair was to be held at the Cook-Hancock Hall in Gretna.

According to Mrs. Nora Lee Cunningham, their program was to include speeches and discussions, on (1) Democratic Rights for Negro People, and (2) Passage of the Anti-Lynch Bill. This phase of the program was to have been followed by a dance and banquet.

Gretna Negroes recently secured a charter from the National office of the N. A. A. C. P., establishing a branch in Jefferson Parish.

A Mr. Rimesette, proprietor of a grocery store in Gretna, received intimidating threats because of his official connection with the new branch, and other Negroes of prominence were threatened and advised to cease activity in behalf of Negro Advancement.

Perry W. Howard, G. O. P. national committeeman from Mississippi, talking about the case, said that "the Republican party has plans for the Negro postal workers which will be a most effective demonstration if our group's intention to see that Negroes receive fair treatment in every instance."

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The beautiful St. John Baptist church is near completion and will be dedicated in the near future. The pastor, Rev. Eaves and congregation are to be commended for their heroic work.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Warren are making improvements on their lovely home in West Haven addition. Mr. Watson-Stratton, a successful stock raiser, sold a truck load of hogs that netted him a neat sum. Mr. J. E. Brooks is taking an active part in the N. A. A. C. P.

Mason City Business men were well pleased with their advertisements in the Bystander last week. The N. A. A. C. P. will hold its monthly meeting in Union Memorial church Sunday, August 4, at 3:30 p. m. An interesting program will be given. Principal speakers are: Prof. E. W. Babs of Hampton, Ia., Miss Renetta Martin of Mason City, a recent graduate of Ames, Ia., and Rev. Paul A. Peterson, white minister of the Wesley M. E. church here. P. L. Scott is president; M. Maddox is secretary.

Mrs. Marie Maddox who has been employed a number of years in Damm's department store will accompany Joliet, Ill., for a family reunion for a few weeks visit.

Mrs. Lucinda Brown, saleslady and interior decorator at Wolf's Furniture store for over 22 years plans her vacation in August, sightseeing in the Ozarks.

Mr. Virgil Cabel, soda fountain attendant in Michaels drug store, will spend his vacation in Minnesota. His wife, son and daughter, Phyllis, will accompany him.

Mrs. Paul L. Scott, president of the Ladies Aid Society organized the younger children of Union Memorial church into a junior Aid Society last Tuesday at her home. Esther Walls is president; Veda Jean Kipper, vice; Patricia Barnett, secretary; Frances McGinty, treasurer.

MERCREDI CLUB ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Ora Brown, 1419 Maryland Avenue, entertained the La Mercedi club at an outdoor breakfast, Wednesday morning, July 24, at her home.

GUESTS FROM OTTUMWA

Mr. Bernard Black of Ottumwa and Miss Adlyn Cassoon of Jamaica, British West Indies, were week end guests of Mr. William Bailey Jr. and Miss Ava Cassell. While here they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clay.



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To Whom it may concern:
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We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness during the recent death of our husband and father, Henry Jones, Sr. Rev. L. L. Johnson for his kind remarks; Mrs. Myrtle Cauffman for music; for floral donations and the Laufesweller Funeral home for their efficient services.
Miss Reva M. Diggs, daughter
Mrs. Nettie B. Jones, wife.

IN MEMORIAM
In loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Izora Mackay, who departed this life one year ago, August 5, 1939.
A silent thought
A silent tear
Keeps her memory
Always near.
Sadly missed by family

MARIAN ANDERSON DRAWS RECORD STADIUM CROWD
New York, (C)—When Marian Anderson sang under threatening skies at the Lewisohn Stadium, Saturday, July 20, she broke all previous records by attracting a crowd of 23,900 persons. This topped the record of 22,000 that famous Lily Pons and her husband, Edre Kostelapoff,

WHY LEO SIMMS DID NOT SWIM

(Continued from page 1)
About the question of color Gordon said "that had nothing to do with it."
"This is an open pool," Gordon commented referring to Birdland, and added, there are no restrictions."
"Then you did not mention to Mr. Day the question of color or that the Birdland committee did not want a Negro in the pool during the meet?"
"I think Guernsey did not explain the matter to him clearly," Gordon replied and added that Simms had to come under the ruling of the A. A. U. since the Y mile swim was a part of that meet.
"I know Leo is a good swimmer. I've known him since we went to North High and he has been in the pool out here," Gordon related.

City Ruling

Checking up on a resolution passed by the Des Moines City Council from the proceedings of July 12, 1923, a paragraph number 1919 is as follows:
"Moved by Garver that there be no discrimination as to race or color shown at the public bathing beaches or parks, in the City of Des Moines, Ia. Motion carried. Yeas: Mac Vicar, Mitchell, Morris, Rounds, Garver (5) Nays, none."

HUNDRED ATTEND UNION PICNIC

Hundreds of youths attended the annual Sunday School picnic held last Thursday at Union park, sponsored by the union Sunday schools of many of the churches here.
There were many features of entertainment—boys and girls softball games, slipper-kicking contest for women, fat women's race, baseball throwing contest and the main feature, the setting up of the food baskets.

Missionary Speaks

A returned missionary was the guest speaker on Thursday night at the Maple Street Baptist church. Pictures were shown.

Circle Breakfast

The Mission Circle of Shiloh Baptist church is sponsoring a breakfast at the Ledges Park Friday morning, August 2.

PICNIC

The annual Sunday School picnic of the Shiloh Baptist church will be held August 8 at Greenwood park. LAST RITES OF SISTER HELD IN LEXINGTON
Mrs. James B. Harvey, 708 Center street, and Mrs. James Franklin, 1063 17th street, were called to Lexington, Mo., Wednesday, July 31, on account of the death of their sister, Mrs. Alfred King. Mrs. King had been ill for a year and is survived by her husband, Mr. King one daughter and two sons. The funeral services were held in Lexington, Thursday afternoon, August 1.
Mrs. Harvey, and Mrs. Franklin will return Saturday August 3.

CLEVELAND AVENUE CHURCH HAS RECEPTION

The Cleveland Avenue Church of God in Christ enjoyed a visit from Elder F. W. McGee and family on Monday night, July 22. The church was filled to capacity after which a reception was held in the dining hall in honor of the elder and his family. Elder F. Jackson is pastor.

GRADUATE

Henry Bagby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Bagby, was one of the East High School summer school graduates. He is a member of Shiloh Baptist church.

ELDER TURNER AT A. M. E. ZION CHURCH

Elder A. T. Turner will be the speaker at the evening service of the West Side A. M. E. Zion church, 1125 Third street, Sunday. There will be services each night following with Elder Turner in charge.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale on Special Execution

District Court of Polk County, Iowa, State of Iowa, Polk County ss. C. E. Wicklund

Emil A. Wicklund sometimes known as E. A. Wicklund, William Wicklund, Mrs. William Wicklund, husband and wife, John Y. Wicklund, Dorothy Wicklund, husband and wife, Bonnie Wicklund Carter, Jack Y. Carter, wife and husband, Wilma Wicklund Burton, Alfred Burton, wife and husband, Dorothy Alice Wicklund, Leona Marie Wicklund, Mrs. Anna Benson, Dr. J. E. Kessel, Polk County, Iowa, John V. Wicklund, Administrator of the Estate of Andrew J. Wicklund, sometimes known as Kristina Wicklund, sometimes known as Christina Wicklund, deceased, and to all their unknown heirs, legatees devisees grantees and all persons laboring under legal and mental disability and all persons who may have or claim to have any interest or rights whatsoever in and to Lot Twelve (12) in Curistian Place, an Official Plat (except the part of said lot described as the West Two (2) acres of the south four and one-half (4 1/2) acres of the north eight and one-half (8 1/2) acres of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of Section thirty (30) Township Twenty-Nine (29), Range twenty-four (24), Polk County, Iowa, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

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BURY MRS. NELLIE ALLEN IN COLUMBIA, MO.

Mrs. Nellie Allen, 59, 825 Tenth street, died at the Broadlawn General hospital July 25, after a long illness. She had been a resident here in Des Moines for five years, having formerly lived in Auxvasse, Mo.
Mrs. Allen was a mother in the Church of God in Christ here. Surviving are: a daughter, Edna Lee Hall, of the home address; two brothers, Andrew Allen of Auxvasse, Mo., and Alfred Allen of Hatton, Mo.; grandson, William Otto Clark Jr., Des Moines; daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bertha Clark of Des Moines.
Her body was shipped last Saturday to Columbia, Mo., for funeral rites by the Estes Funeral directors.

Write the Bystander your view on current topics.

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SANDERS MOTORS APPOINTS USED CAR SALESMAN

Sanders Motor Company has appointed Mr. Paul Murphy as used car representative. This is an advancement and a reward to Mr. Murphy for five years' of efficient service as custodian.

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To guarantee, purchase or otherwise acquire, hold, sell, assign, transfer, mortgage, pledge or otherwise dispose of shares of the capital stocks, bonds, or other evidences of indebtedness created by other corporations and while the holder of such stock to exercise all the rights and privileges of ownership to the same extent as a natural person might or could do.

To purchase or otherwise acquire, hold, use, sell or in any manner dispose of, grant licenses or other rights therein and in any manner to exercise all the rights and privileges of ownership to the same extent as a natural person might or could do.

To do all acts and things which in the judgment of the Board of Directors may be necessary, convenient or incidental to the conduct of any part of its business.

To do any and all of the things herein set forth to the same extent as natural persons might or could do and in any part of the world, as principals, agents, contractors or otherwise, alone or in company with others.

All conveyances of real property made by the corporation shall be executed by the President and countersigned by the secretary in the presence of the corporate seal attached, if the corporation has a seal and all releases of mortgages, liens, judgments or other claims required by law to be made of record shall be executed by any officer of the corporation.

This corporation shall have and may exercise all the powers and privileges now or hereafter belonging to, or conferred upon corporations organized under the provisions of the laws of this state, authorizing the formation of such corporations; and the foregoing enumeration of specific powers and objects, contained in this article shall not be held to limit or restrict in any manner the powers of this corporation or be deemed a limitation either of the powers of the corporation or the kinds of business in which it may engage, provided only that the corporation shall not engage in any unlawful business prohibited to corporations organized under the provisions of the laws of Iowa, or engage in any business or do any act in violation of the laws of this state now in force or hereafter enacted.

The total number of shares authorized of this corporation's capital stock is one hundred (100), and such shares are without nominal or par value.

The shares of capital stock of this corporation may be issued by this corporation from time to time for such consideration as, from time to time, may be fixed by the board of directors of this corporation; and all issued shares of the capital stock of this corporation shall be deemed fully paid and non-assessable and the holders of such shares shall not be liable thereunder to this corporation or its creditors.

No stock shall be issued until the corporation has received payment in full therefor in cash or property.

The corporate period of this corporation shall begin on the date the Secretary of State issues a Certificate of Incorporation, and shall terminate at the expiration of twenty (20) years from the date of the right of renewal as provided by law, unless sooner dissolved by a majority vote of the stockholders' at any annual meeting, or at a special meeting called for that purpose, or by unanimous consent as provided by law.

The affairs of this corporation shall be managed by a board of not more than five (5) nor more than nine (9) directors, who shall elect a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary and a Treasurer, and such other officers, including an executive committee, as they may see fit or as may be provided by the bylaws of this corporation. A director need not be a stockholder in the corporation. One person may hold more than one office.

The annual election shall be held on the second Tuesday of January of each year. Until the first election, the following persons shall constitute the board of directors: John P. Evans, Hubert Griffith, Frank C. Aller, Col. Ernest S. Olmstead and Theodore E. Anderson, all of Des Moines, Iowa, and the following persons shall be officers: President, John P. Evans; Vice-President, Hubert Griffith and Secretary, Treasurer, Frank C. Aller.

All officers of this corporation shall hold office for the term of one (1) year, or until their successors are elected and have qualified. The board of directors may fill all vacancies occurring in its membership between annual elections by the appointment of qualified persons to hold office for the remainder of the term. Special meetings of the stockholders and such other meetings of the stockholders shall be called at any time upon request of stockholders representing a majority share of stock, and in case of his neglect or refusal to call a meeting, the stockholders owning in all the stock, or the amount of majority shares may join in a call of the stockholders, which meeting shall be held on the same day as though called by the President. At all meetings of the stockholders each stockholder shall be entitled to one (1) vote for each share of stock held by him which vote he may cast in person or by written proxy.

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