

News Briefs From Far and Near

FOR BEST NAACP BRANCH

New York—Located in the heart of the South's booming industrial area, Birmingham, Ala., offers a challenge to any Negro interested in the economic welfare of the race.

The Birmingham branch of the NAACP has been chosen as winner of the Thalheimer prize of \$50 for the branch whose program has been most militant and outstanding during the year.

LAST RITES FOR BISHOP E. J. HOWARD

Waco, Texas—The last rites for Bishop E. J. Howard, the fifty-eight year old bishop of the A. M. E. church, presiding bishop of the Twelfth Episcopal district (Arkansas and Oklahoma), A. M. E. church, were held here last Monday.

MINISTER OUSTED

St. Louis, (ANP)—The idea of performing marriage ceremonies in a janitor's locker room doesn't appeal to the Rev. William H. Fearson, 82, A. M. E. evangelist, who has done a steady business marrying couples at the city hall for the past 32 years.

His "office," a basement room where he has had desk space for 8 years, has been ordered closed by City Register Ray C. Schroeder, who said that the room contains valuable city records and should not be open to the public.

"It's humiliating," the minister said. "Is that any atmosphere in which to embark on a marriage career?" He has expressed his intentions to see the mayor about new accommodations.

RELEASE NORVELL TILLMAN OF CHARGE OF MURDER

Norvell E. Tillman, 37, 1310 Wayne street, who was being held on a charge of murder in connection with the fatal stabbing of Gilbert Quincy, was dismissed from the Municipal Court, Friday, June 20.

U. S. FOLLOWING 1917 TRAIL?

Washington, (ANP)—"Step by Step" said the editors of the Commodity Year Book in the 1941 edition out this week, "we appear to be following the trail blazed in 1917-1918. The priority system of today, the trend toward price fixing; the controls over foreign trade, the pleas that non-defense industries turn to plastics and other substitutes, all these bear the familiar ring of the World War years."

OPPOSES MARCH

New York—The momentum of the march on Washington to protest discrimination against Negroes in national defense industry, is sweeping the country like a prairie fire. These are the words of A. Phillip Randolph, militant national director of the march, which will take place on July first.

DEMOS HOLD ELECTION

The Negro State Roosevelt Democratic Club had an election of officers Saturday June 21 at the Negro Community Center, 907 15th street. The officers were Henry Mease, chairman; Mark Cassel, vice chairman; Mrs. M. Carl, secretary; Gertrude North, treasurer; Mrs. Mamie Rogers, 6th district, chairwoman; Mr. Lee Jones, 6th district chairman.

Ladies elected to head anniversary are: Mrs. George Williams, Mrs. Shackelford and Mrs. Albert Bates. The chairman league will meet June 30, at 1017 13th to fill vacancy of officers. The league voted thanks to the outgoing chairman Mr. Jones.

A. M. E. Youth Congress Here July 8



HONORED

MRS. G. D. BENSON

Mrs. G. D. Benson of Omaha, one of the great organizers and supervisors of women's work in the churches of God in Christ, is being honored this week here by a Week of Appreciation services at the Cleveland Avenue Church.

ROY L. FERGUSON PASSES STATE BAR EXAMINATION

Of the 123 successful students to pass the state bar examination and to receive certificates from the Iowa supreme court Tuesday, Roy L. Ferguson was the only Negro candidate. Mr. Ferguson received his Bachelor of Laws degree from Drake this year and his Bachelor of Science from Tennessee State A. & I.

Georgia Mob Takes Man from Jail; Returns Him

Eastman, Ga.—Eddie Lee Spivey, 25-year-old suspect in an attempted assault on a 65-year-old white woman, was taken away from the jail here Wednesday night by a mob of more than 100 men and was returned Thursday, Deputy Sheriff Gus Lewis said.

Shortly after midnight, leaders of the mob returned Spivey to the jail turned him over to officers and said they had been unable to find sufficient evidence to lynch him, Lewis said.

The officer said Spivey had been beaten lightly.

Women's Day at Burns Sunday

Women's Day will be observed at Burns Methodist church Sunday, June 29, with three special services.

At the 11 o'clock service Mrs. L. B. Wilkinson, former minister's wife who did survey work for the American Baptist Publishing Society, will be guest speaker.

A special choir for the day will be under the direction of Mrs. S. R. Cason. Among the numbers to be featured will be "He Will Remember Me."

The afternoon program will feature many musicians. Mrs. G. Dixon will conduct a fifteen minute hymn sing. Special soloists will be Miss Doraelva Mackay, Mrs. Marie Frazier, Mrs. J. R. Roman. Mrs. Maguerite Cothorn will give a fifteen-minute talk.

At the evening program the Rev. A. T. Keast, of Trinity Methodist church, will be the speaker. He will be accompanied by a quartet from his church.

Mrs. E. A. Allen is chairman of the Women's Day observance; the Rev. John C. Bain is pastor.

MR. BROWN VISITS IN DES MOINES

M. Joseph Brown of Chicago, Ill., was a visitor in the city last week at the homes of the Morrow family

Churches of God in Christ Hold Appreciation Week in Des Moines

A week of appreciation, honoring Mrs. G. D. Benson of Omaha, 71-year-old faithful supervisor of mown's work in the state, is being held at the Cleveland Avenue Church, East Seventeenth street and Cleveland avenue.

Services and program are being rendered by various churches. A banquet will be given Saturday night, Friday, beginning at 2 p. m. special women's services will be held with Mrs. A. French as chairman.

Overseers, pastors and congregations of the Churches of God in Christ of this city are participating. Some of the prominent women of the church attending thiam eeting are: Mrs. E. Taylor, Kansas City, Mo.,

Mrs. H. B. Crockett, Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. Benson a great organizer, was one of the first board members of the Old Folks home in Omaha. She is well known in Des Moines and other cities of he state, Nebraska, and of the church. She ras served in supervisors of the Women's work, Western Missouri, wher she has been this capacity for 19 years.

Special services will be held Sunday at 2 p. m. by the overseers, W. D. Smith. A basket dinner will be served. C. J. Jackson is pastor of the Cleveland church; Mrs. W. A. Harris of Council Bluffs, is sponsor.

Young Men to Answer Only Ten Questions on July 1

When young men register for possible military training under the Selective Service Act, July 1, they will be required to answer only ten simple questions, State Director Charles H. Grahl stated.

"The registration will involve no complex procedure," he added, "in that the inquiries on the registrant's card pertain only to his identity, his address, the person who will always know his address, and his employer. Registration should not take longer than five minutes for each individual though in some cases it may be extened to twenty minutes or more."

While it is essential that registration be conducted rapidly, the direct-

or said all registrars must allow ample time to each registrant so that every question may be answered properly.

No questionnaires will be answered by registrants when they register on July 1. Such documents are sent to registrants only after their order numbers have been determined by a lottery to be held in the near future. Neither will there be any physical examination at the time of registration. These examinations will be given only after local boards have considered the registrant's classification and determined that, subject to his physical test, he is eligible for military training.

PRESIDENT APPOINTS COMMITTEE TO STUDY DISCRIMINATION

Washington, D. C.—Appointment by President Roosevelt of a committee to make a study of discrimination practiced against Negroes in various phases of the national defense program and to offer to him recommendations for effectively handling them developed from a significant conference held in the cabinet room of the White House.

The conference was called at the request of the President and the secretaries of war and the navy in an effort to appease Randolph to whom appeals had been made to call off his projected march on Washington July 1, a mass demonstration against injustices which

Race members are suffering under the defense program.

One of the proposals the committee was to weigh at its first meeting scheduled for Monday, July 23, was one made by the President that a special board be set up to receive and act upon complaints of racial discrimination in the defense program.

Named as chairman of the committee was New York's mayor, Fiorello La Guardia, director of civilian defense.

The White House conference which marked a significant change in the attitude of the administration toward the oft-voiced complaints of the Race brought together a group of distinguished Races and governmental leaders.

State Club Women Elect New Head at Marshalltown

Marshalltown, Ia.—Mrs. Jessie E. Walker of Marshalltown, Ia., was elected president of the Iowa Association of Colored Women at the thirty-ninth annual session which closed here Wednesday evening, June 25.

She succeeds Mrs. A. A. McGinty of Masos City who is leaving the state for a new residence in Kansas. Mrs. Walker is a past president. Other officers are: Mrs. Jewett Walls of Mason City, first vice president; Miss Rose Bannon of Marshalltown, second vice president; Mrs. Vicie Ragland of Marshalltown, recording secretary; Mrs. Mabel Mason of Des Moines, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Olevia Hayes of Des Moines, treasurer; Mrs. Gibson, Cedar Rapids, auditor; Mrs. Katherine Shelton of Des Moines, organizer; Mrs. Margaret Patten, Des Moines, parliamentarian; Mrs. Ollie Redmond, Des Moines, statistician; Mrs. Cecil Taylor of Des Moines, chairman of girls.

New members of the trustee board of the Association home are: Mrs. Rose Lovelady, Des Moines; Mrs. G. Green of Council Bluffs. New members to the Scholarship committee

of the association are: Mrs. Odell Spencer, Mrs. Sarah Jett, Mrs. Sarah E. Johnson of Council Bluffs.

During the business session Tuesday Mrs. A. A. Alexander of Des Moines, treasurer, reported that of the \$3,000 raised for the home this year \$1,200 had been spent for repair work on the Association home.

Mrs. Sarah Jett of Des Moines, chairman of the scholarship loan fund gave her report which revealed that about \$300 had been pledged to support the fund. Mrs. Jett launched the scholarship drive to be supported by the members of the entire association this coming year.

The finance committee reported that the association raised \$500 at this session. The president, Mrs. McGinty, delivered her annual address Tuesday night. A reception was held later by the Phyllis Wheatley club of the Y W C A.

The Iowa Association of Colored Girls convened in its sixth session with Miss Carolynne Brown of Marshalltown presiding. She was reelected president.

TO WASHINGTON



BRIG. GEN. DAVIS

Ft. Riley, Kas.—Brig. Gen. Benjamin O. Davis, only Negro general in the United States Army, left Thursday for Washington, D. C., where he will be assigned to the inspector-general's department.

General Davis has been commander of the 4th Cavalry Brigade here since Jan. 13, 1941. The general is due for retirement. He will be 64 July 1.

Group to Omaha For Chamber of Commerce Meet

Members of the Des Moines Negro Chamber of Commerce will go to Omaha this week end for the two-day annual meeting of the Omaha Chamber of Commerce.

Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock the Nebraska group has planned a Trade Week parade at which time all business establishments will be represented.

The parade will be followed by a mass meeting at St. John A. M. E. church, Twenty-second and Willis avenue, at 3:15 p. m. at which time various speakers will make protests on "Discrimination in the National Defense."

Among the features will be golf matches early Sunday morning and a breakfast for the visitors.

The installation of officers for the year 1941-42 is scheduled for Saturday night, June 28, at St. John's Church, at which time a banquet will be the occasion. Atty. James Herbert, president of the Kansas City Chamber will be the principal speaker. S. E. Gilbert is president.

Among the visitors from the Des Moines Chamber will be A. P. Trotter, who is president of the local group; Atty. C. P. Howard, Atty. R. L. Ferguson, Misses Roberta Maupin and Clara Webb, Mr. Marnen James, Mesdames Marie Roberts and Helen Beshears.

OUTSTANDING COMMITTEEMEN APPOINTED TO PLAN NATIONAL MEDICAL ASSO. MEET IN CHI.

Chicago.—That the Cook County Physicians and the Ethical Pharmacists Association of Chicago will be hosts to the National Medical Association in its 47th annual meeting, in this city, August 18 to the 22, is to be a success, is best attested by the hard-working committee chairmen to make it possible. Some of the most outstanding men in the medical profession of Chicago are heading the committee.

Dr. Walter S. Grant, chairman of the publicity and radio committee and his associates, Drs. George Shropshire, C. J. Telfner, M. C. Boussfield, C. D. Giles, U. G. Dailey, and F. H. Lewis have conferred with chairmen of various committees and found that they are working diligently to prepare a program that will surpass any held during the 46 years of the meeting of the national body.

Coming Louis Armstrong to River-view Park—Dawn Dance.—Adv.

Golden Jubilee to Meet At Saint Paul Church; Bishop Gregg to Preside

Delegates from the various Young People's Departments of the A. M. E. Church of Iowa, Minnesota, North and South Dakota, will assemble in St. Paul A. M. E. church, Tuesday, July 8 to 10 for the joint celebration of the Youth Congress of the Northwestern Conference and the fiftieth anniversary of the institution of Teacher Training among African Methodists in Iowa.

This work was adopted by the Old Iowa District Sunday School Convention in session at Ottumwa, Iowa, in May, 1891. This Congress will be made up of representatives from the Sunday Schools, the Allen Christian Endeavor Leagues and the Junior Missionary Departments, which jointly comprise the Department of Christian Education of the A. M. E. Churches of the Northwestern Annual Conference and are under the supervision of the Rt. Rev. John A. Gregg, of Chicago, as presiding bishop and Mrs. S. Joe Brown of Des Moines as conference superintendent.

Noted Speakers on Program

In addition to the presiding bishop and conference superintendent among the speakers at the congress will be: Bishop W. A. Fountain of Atlanta, Ga., who is vice senior bishop of the A. M. E. connection and also chairman of the Connectional Board of Christian Education; Mrs. Fountain, president of the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society; Mrs. Mattie Boyd, president of the Conference Women's Mite Missionary So-

ciety; Rev. W. H. Ogleton, presiding elder of the Des Moines District which comprises the State of Iowa; the Rev. Thomas E. Stovall, presiding elder of the St. Paul District comprising Minnesota and the Dakotas, as well as several other prominent local ministers and laymen.

Institute Method Used

The conference theme will be "Allen Youth helping to build a better World" and the instructions will be in the form of lectures covering two general topics, "The Church's Program for Young People" in which will be discussed methods for the Sunday School, The Allen Christian Endeavor League and the Junior Missionary Society and History including the History of the American Negro and the History of the A. M. E. Church.

Recreation Also

Ample provision has also been made for the recreation of the young people, which will include a boy's base ball game, a girl's baseball game, a baseball game between the ministers and the young people and a daily dip in the Good Park pool, which is located about three blocks from the church.

Contests

On the closing evening, there will be a contest in Oratory, Voice and Piano, the winner in each will be awarded a total of \$10 in prizes. The Rev. Boyd Patrick of Minneapolis, Minnesota, is president of the Congress.

Speaker Says Nation Must Believe in 'All Men'

Houston, Tex.—Either America must believe in and fight for the free principle of "all men" to be free and participate in a democracy, or she must renounce her ideals and admit Hitler is right.

This was the declaration of Herbert Agar, editor of the Louisville, Ky., Courier Journal, in his address opening the 32nd annual conference of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People here tonight. Mr. Agar, who is also national chairman of Fight for Freedom, Inc., with headquarters in New York, was scheduled to speak on the franchise and the Negro, but broadened his speech to include the great creed of true Americanism, embracing all citizens.

The keynote address for the NAACP was delivered by Roscoe Dunjee, editor of the Oklahoma City Black Dispatch. Mr. Dunjee, also a member of the national board of directors of the association, re-asserted the challenge of the NAACP to American democracy and demanded full citizenship status for Negro citizens in all phases of American life. He recounted the successful work of the association in several fields and served notice that in these times of stress the cause of the Negro, which

he declared was identical with the cause of democracy, would be pressed unrelentingly by the NAACP.

Welcome addresses were given by Mrs. Ora Lee Terry for the City of Houston.

National Defense

With the Rev. O. Clay Maxwell of New York presiding the Wednesday evening meeting was highlighted by a talk by A. Phillip Randolph, international president of the Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters, who spoke on "Employment in Defense Industries," in which he mentioned President Roosevelt's recent statement requesting full integration of Negroes into the national defense program and its tie-up with the March on Washington for jobs, scheduled for July 1. W. Robert Ming, Jr., of Washington, D. C. in his speech on "The Negro in the Armed Forces," lashed at the treatment of the race in the Army and Navy.

The entire day Thursday was devoted to discussion of five phases of the national defense program, with emphasis on employment in industries having defense contracts, training for defense jobs, placement by employment agencies, and the role of unions in the struggle of Negroes to get jobs.

AWARDED PH. D. AT 22 YEARS

St. Louis, Mo.—David Blackwell of 918 S. Marion street, Centralia, Ill., received the highest award that the University of Illinois can confer upon an individual, Laura H. Collins writes in the St. Louis Argus.

Educators are amazed at this youth who has earned in six years his A. B., M. A. and now Ph. D., an achievement which usually takes from seven to nine years.

It will be an inspiration to students to know that young Blackwell at the age of 16 graduated from the Centralia Township High school with an "A" record. His general av-

erage from the elementary school was 97 percent.

David Blackwell is regarded by many educators as a genius since his accomplishments have cost him very little effort and study.

He possesses a charming personality and plans to do research work.

STATE RALLY AT BETHEL SUNDAY

A state rally will be held at Bethel A. M. E. church Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, with Atty. W. L. Oliver as guest speaker. Mrs. Goldie Fant is in charge of the program on which will be many musical numbers.

WHERE TO ATTEND CHURCH IN DES MOINES

Methel A. M. E. Church. Rev. W. F. Ogelton. Pastor. 1524 E. University Ave. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning worship 11:00 a.m. A. C. E. League 6:30 p.m. Gloria White president; Mrs. G. T. Fant, superintendent. Evening worship 7:45 p.m. Official Board, Monday evening, 7:30 p.m. Midweek Prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal, Friday evening, 8:00 p.m.

ST. PAUL A. M. E. CHURCH. Rev. H. C. Boyd, Pastor. 12th and Crocker. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 7:45 p.m. A. C. E. League, 6:30 p.m. Official Board Monday evening, 7:30 p.m. Midweek prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal, Friday evening, 8:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD AND SAINTS OF CHRIST, 928 W. Twelfth Street. Services are held on Friday and Sunday evenings at 7:30 p.m. and on Saturdays from 10 a.m. until sundown.

All are welcome. Evangelist E. Williams in charge.

NAACP GIVES MEDALS TO FOUR LIFE MEMBERS

New York—Four new names have been added to the large bronze plaque on which those who have become life members of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People are placed. They are the Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity, the International Longshoremen's Union, local 859; John Hammond of New York City, member of the Board of Directors and the national chapter of the Girl Friends. Alpha Phi Alpha, Mr. Hammond and the Girl Friends will receive their Life Membership medals at the closing meeting of the 32nd annual NAACP conference in Houston, Texas, Saturday, June 28. The Longshoremen's union was given its medal at the first annual states conference of Maryland branches which met in Baltimore last month. This brings the number of lifetime members of NAACP to 35.

MARSHALLTOWN, IA.

Marshalltown, Ia.—The Paul Lawrence Dunbar club entertained the graduates of 1941 with a tea Sunday, June 15, at Mrs. C. T. Brown's home. Miss Helen Hudson of Des Moines is visiting at the C. T. Brown home. Miss Sylvia Payne of Des Moines is visiting at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. Bob Taylor. The Wee Moderns Club gave an invitation party, Tuesday, June 24, at the Y. M. C. A. in honor of the Juniper Federation of Girls Clubs which met here. The big June dance was at the Let's Dance Club, Tuesday, June 24. The dance was semi-formal. Mrs. H. Nolan who returned from Omaha last week, has now gone to Oskaloosa, Ia., to visit her sister. Mrs. W. H. Clark, Mrs. R. Longus, Yvonne Longus, and Elvora Wilder have all returned from Des Moines where they went to attend the Baptist Sunday School Convention. Samuel Gilliam, Vernon Brown, Carl Ross, Robert Maxwell, Robert Lorraine, Margaret Maxwell, and Lorraine McDonald motored to Des Moines last Thursday to attend the Hite dance. "Jyformation Please"

Green's everybody and how you all? Robert Laverder and his girlfriend in Des Moines have felt out flatter than a pancake. All because of a minor incident which happened at the dance. By the way, do you know Robert's newest saying? Its, "He who dances must pay for the fiddler, and he that don't, must pay also." Silly ain't it. Ask Archie Mitchell and Jimmie Dawson how much gas they burn up a week going to and from Ames. Archie must be having his kicks. Yvonne Longus and Elvora Wilder went to the Convention last week and truly knocked themselves out, so I hear. And while I am on the subject of Yvonne, I might as well mention her necklace and bracelet which are made of real peanuts that can be eaten. So if you get hungry, get in touch with Yvonne. Quite a few cats and chicks motored to D. M. last week for the big dance down there and all report it came on one time. You should drop in sometime and hear Jimmie, Archie, Ralph and Nemo swing out up at the club. They sound good. Now I wonder who made Mamie Richardson's jitterbug skirt? It is about an inch too long. I hope that the boys and girls all get along on one accord after the Federation is over but I don't know. And now, congratulations to the City Federation of Women's Clubs and may you have a lot of success in your entertaining of the 40th Annual Convention of Women's Clubs. "Ol Man Jive"

Coming Louis Armstrong to River-view Park—Dawn Dancer—Ady.

BURNS METHODIST CHURCH. 811 Crocker Street. Rev. John C. Bain, 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 choir meeting, Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. Choir rehearsal, Friday, 8 p.m. A cordial welcome awaits you at Burns.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH. East Sixteenth and University Ave. Rev. Jordan W. Tutt, Pastor. Morning worship at 11:00 Sunday school at 9:30, B.Y.P.U. at 6:30 P. week prayer service at 7:45. Choirs, B. Lewis, Walter, Collins, and rehearsal Friday evening at 8:00, Dr. L. R. Willis, director.

KEOKUK, IOWA

BY THELMA V. SEALS. Keokuk, Ia.—The Keokuk High School and College Alumni Association gave its annual banquet in honor of the June graduates Thursday evening at the Masonic Hall, Twelfth and Johnson. The hall was beautifully decorated, the color scheme being purple and white. The tables were prettily arranged with flowers, candles and place cards, the latter being purple cones on white bases. The soft glow of the candle light falling upon the many flowers and the soft murmuring voices gave an air of dignity to the occasion. The graduates with their guest led the grand march and were seated at the center table. Mr. Reginald South presided at the piano for the grand march. Following the invocation by Rev. C. W. Carter, Miss Kathryn Waterfield addressed the class. Miss Consuela Bland presiding as mistress of ceremony announced the following program: "The Rosary" by Nevins; Miss Lena Shanninghouse; annual president's address, "What Education is Most Worthwhile," Miss Claudia Nazelma Bland. Miss Bland in her pleasing manner presented three important traits developed thru education—character, personality and imagination. The appreciative audience highly commended Miss Bland's address; talk, "My Debt to America" by Robert Lamb; vocal solo, "My Buddy" by Walter Donnellson—Miss Mildred Mills; Miscellaneous talk—Donald Carter; vocal solo, "Walking by the River" by Ina Claire—Miss Virginia Johnson; talk on athletics—Robert Buckney; reading, "Advice"—Miss Virginia Rozelle Johnson; instrumental solo, "Arabesque En Forme B' Etude by Leschetizky—Miss Alberta Bates; miscellaneous talk—Sonny Leon Bland; addresses by Rev. J. W. Collins and Rev. A. O. Birchenough. Introduction of the graduates' parents, alumni who are attending college and charter members by F. S. Johnson; closing number, "God Bless America" by audience. The decorating and program committees received much praise for their work. Mrs. Elizabeth South, chairman of the decorating was assisted by Mrs. Allan Burbridge, Mr. and Mrs. Faye Reed, Miss Dorothy Franklin, Lena and Henry Shanninghouse, Miss Marjorie Bland, John Sharkey and Leota Fields. Attending out-of-town guests: Mr. and Mrs. C. Abington, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Green, Miss Mary Leu Nearing, Mrs. Mable Dixon and Mrs. Mary Johnson. The evening was enjoyed by 91 persons. The Pilgrim Rest Mission Society served the banquet. Mrs. Mary Burbridge had as her house guests for last week, Mr. and Mrs. C. Abington of Quincy, Ill., Miss Mary Leu Nearing of Hannibal, Mo., Douglas Green of St. Paul, her daughter Irene of St. Paul. Douglas Green and Miss Irene Burbridge were united in marriage Thursday June 12, at Kahoka, Mo. They have returned to St. Paul. Mrs. Green is a student at the McPhail School of Music, the second largest in the world of its kind. She has studied voice for the past two years. The school extended her the privilege to give recitals which is a notable achievement.

Miss Clementine Anderson spent a few days in Burlington. Mrs. Russell Smith and daughter left Tuesday for Mobile, Ia., to attend a funeral and will remain over until the first of the week. Little Eddie South, Jr., underwent an operation for tonsillitis Monday. Mrs. Mable Dixon nee Lamb left for her home June 16 in St. Louis. Mrs. Mary Johnson of Shelbina, mother of Miss Virginia Rozelle Johnson, was in the city to attend the Alumni Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. E. Nearing motored from Hannibal, Mo., to visit their cousin, Mrs. Mary Burbridge, 1117 Fulton, Apt. A, and their daughter, Mary Leu who has been visiting in the city for sometime. Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Clarence Hueston and daughter, Juanita and Mrs. Earl Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith and sons, Donald Kane and Alonza William of Sioux Falls, South Dakota are visiting Mr. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Smith. Mr. Melvin Smith is in the employment of Robert Foster, assistant manager of the Morrell Packing House Co. at Sioux Falls. The Smiths are spending a week in Ottumwa also. Mrs. William Smith accompanied them to Ottumwa and will motor back to Sioux Falls with her son and his family for a visit with them. Tilton Dant, Norman Lense and Melvin Patton were Sunday visitors.

Church of St. Mary the Virgin, Fourteenth and High Streets, Rev. Allan O. Birchenough, Vicar; Mrs. B. H. Toomey, organist. Services for the second Sunday after Trinity; Church School, 9:30 a.m. Choral vesper 5:30 p.m. The members of Union Lodge of Free Masons will attend this service in a body. An address will be given by the Vicar on "Religion and Masonry."

Bethel A.M.E. church, Seventh and Morgan, Rev. J. W. Collins, pastor. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 11 o'clock. Rev. W. H. Ogleton who is closing elder of the Des Moines district will preach at the morning service. Communion service will be observed at 2:30 p.m. Rev. M. D. Washington of Quincy, Ill., will deliver the message and his choir will conduct the singing. At 7:45 Rev. Ogleton will deliver the closing message of the day. Pilgrim Rest Baptist, Fourteenth and Exchange, Rev. C. W. Carter, pastor. Morning and evening discourse delivered by the pastor. Sunday School 9:30, Mrs. Pearl Buckley, Superintendent. Echoes from the goodwill tour by Mrs. Birdie Williams Visitors: Tilton Dant, Norman Lense and Melvin Patton of Ottumwa, B. T. U. 6:30, Donald Carter assistant director. B.A.U. Study Class 7:30 Monday night and Friday at 4 p.m. Mission Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Kathryn Bradley Tuesday evening. Mrs. Hattie Carter, president, Mr. George Bundy is ill in the hospital.

Eleven to Two Hours Safest, Reveals Doctor. The extensive studies made by Dr. Emil Bogen, M. D., of Olive View sanatorium, Los Angeles; and presented before the recent California Medical association convention at Coronado, seem to indicate that, by the number of deaths occurring then, 7 p. m. is the most fatal hour of the 24 which mark our day. Assisted by Neil Gareas, assigned by the Works Progress administration, Dr. Bogen analyzed 16,411 death certificates recorded for 1935 in Los Angeles. While, with the caution of the scientist, he says his finding may not be "conclusively significant," they do show unmistakable trends—and they definitely upset the common belief that the "wee small hours of the morning," when all is still and lonely, are the hours when death is most likely to come on his sometimes terrifying, sometimes soothing and benign mission. For, says Dr. Bogen: "There are more deaths during the hours of the day than at night. "The daytime excess is most marked with apoplexy, heart disease, tuberculosis and pneumonia. "Death from diabetes and from poisoning occur more often at night, however. "When is that the fateful shadow hovers least? "The lowest death rates," Dr. Bogen's paper shows, "were seen during the two periods from 11 a. m. to 2 p. m., and from 11 p. m. to 2 a. m.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA

Cedar Rapids, Ia.—Mrs. Eva L. Abby of Minneapolis who is a member of the Iowa Jurisdiction, Past Grand Matron and present chairman of audition committee, present International Treasurer; also Mrs. Lena Bennett and Mrs. Page, Mrs. Lackey of Waterloo, Mrs. Henriette Page of Iowa City are spending the week with Rev. and Mrs. S. J. Caulder after the close of the Grand Session of Elector Grand Chapter OES Iowa Jurisdiction. They motored to Davenport, Iowa Sunday to attend St. John Day which was largely attended. Mrs. Julia Reed, present Grand Matron, was present. The chapter voted to meet in Des Moines next year.

KEOKUK, IOWA

BY THELMA V. SEALS. Goodwill Tour. Ten churches were contacted last week in the North Missouri District during the annual goodwill tour of the leaders and workers of the district. In the delegation were the following: the Moderator and wife, Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Carter; President of the Sunday School Convention, Mrs. Birdie Williams; President of the B.T.U. Convention, Rev. N. P. Wilson; Recording Secretary of the Association, Rev. W. R. Bryant; Corresponding Secretary, Rev. C. Lopez McAllister; Rev. St. Mark Jones; District Missionary; Rev. and Mrs. Hopewell, Rev. G. W. White, Mrs. Selby Johnson and Mrs. Jessie Orange. Places visited by the touring party: Clarence Monday afternoon, Shelbina Monday night, Shelbyville Tuesday afternoon, Hunnewell Tuesday night, Palmyra Wednesday afternoon, Carton Wednesday night, Monticello Thursday afternoon, LaBelle Thursday night, Edina Friday afternoon, Kirksville Friday night. One Sunday School was organized and the churches received much encouragement. The convention convenes Tuesday before the second Sunday in August at Hannibal, Mo. The Churches of Southeastern Ia. held their monthly meeting Sunday afternoon June 22 with the Second Baptist church at Burlington, Rev. Sanders pastor. The following from Keokuk attended: Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Carter, Miss Kathryn Waterfield and the Misses Clarissa Carter, Beatrice Lamb and Reta May Johnson.

The cafe offers 24-hour service to its patrons and a large variety of home cooked meats, vegetables, salads and pastries. Mrs. Kelly was lecturer and demonstrator at the Bystander's cooking school last March.

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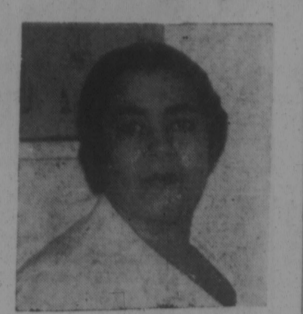
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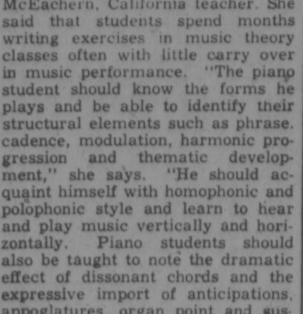
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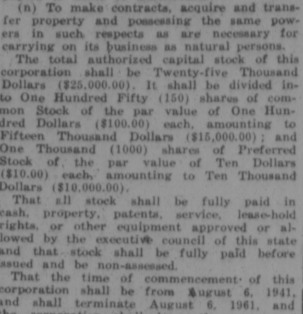
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For further particulars you are referred to the said petition, when on file. And unless you appear and defend thereto in said Court on or before noon of the second day of the next term of said Court being the July 1941 term thereof, which will be begun and held at the Polk County District Court House at Des Moines, Iowa, on July 7, A. D. 1941, default will be entered against you and decree rendered as prayed for in plaintiff's petition.

Dated this 4th day of June, A. D. 1941. HOWARD M. HALL, Attorney for Plaintiff. Printed and published in the Iowa Bystander June 5, 12, 19 and 26, 1941.

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**MRS. J. P. JONES  
HOSTESS AT DUTCH  
BIRTHDAY SUPPER**

Mrs. J. P. Jones, 1232 Dixon street entertained June 16 with a Dutch supper honoring the birthday of Jack Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Howard, and her own birthday, which occurred on the same date.

Covers were laid for twelve and the evening was spent in games. Refreshments were served. The hostess presented Mr. Howard with a birthday cake with 23 candles.

Others sharing the courtesy were: Mesdames B. Wellington, M. J. Hall, Fred Jeffers, William Curley, T. L. Howard, Homer Divan, R. Johnson, Lillard Sloan, Mrs. William Henderson of Bunceton, Mo.; Messrs. T. L. Howard and J. P. Jones.

**FANT-SMITH NUPTIALS**

Mrs. Goldie Fant, 1654 Maple st., announced this week the marriage of her daughter, Miss Clara Fant, and Sgt. Guy Smith, which took place at Omaha, Nebr., Thursday, June 12.

The couple is residing in Omaha at 1217 Lake street.

Mr. Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther H. Smith, 901 Twenty-third street.

**EDWARDS-THOMPSON**

The secret marriage of Miss Ella Irene Edwards, daughter of Mrs. Ella Edwards of Shreveport, La., to Atty J. Nelson Thompson of Des Moines, was revealed last week.

The couple was married Feb. 22 at Camanche, Iowa.

Mr. Thompson is the son of Mrs. J. N. Thompson, 1159 14th street.

The couple will live in Des Moines following their return August 1 from a trip to the south and west.

**THE MOORES HAVE VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Hunter of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. George Owens of Ames, Iowa, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Moore this week. Mr. Hunter is the brother and Mrs. Owens is the sister of Mrs. Moore.

**THE WILLIAMS OF K. C. HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams of Kansas City, Mo., are in the city visiting with her father, E. M. Mackay, and sister, Miss Dora Elva Mackay who returned from Missouri with them.

**DANCE GROUP ON PROGRAM**

Last Friday night at the Veterans Hospital Miss Chase who operates the Puppet Center on Walnut st., sponsored a puppet play given by children and some of her talent from the center. On the same program a dance group from the Blue Triangle appeared. In the group were Marguerite Ewing and Rowena Fields directed by Mrs. Gertrude North, W. P. A. leader and a musical number by Betty Ross.

**FASHIONETTE**

By Hazel G. Reed  
Associated Negro Press Fashion Editor

**TROPIC PRINTS NEW AND EXCITING**

Tropical flower prints are among summer's most interesting, new offerings, and the larger and more unusual the print, the smarter. Bright flower designs arranged artistically on cotton, wash silk, or jersey background enliven considerable the fashion horizon for casual and dress-up occasions, and the effect is charming and cool in appearance as well.

About the most unusual and attractive in the new group of prints are those of native African design, in which exotic birds, butterflies and tropical blossoms all make a play for attention. These prints are seen most often in cottons; cool thin muslins and other light weaves. They make up into attractive frocks and turbans, and lend a very different type accessory note in scarves and handkerchiefs.

A tropical flower popular in prints is the tiger lily, closest rival of the orchid. We find this blossom yellow and flame petaled, with its characteristic cinnamon-colored flecks, spaced attractively on white and other solid color grounds in deep-V necklined afternoon frocks. The hibiscus also is favored in this mode dress in a print of white, green and yellow mingling. Clusters of star-shaped pink asters in pale blue bring the flower picture more into the everyday garden realm that we know, but the combine is no less appealing. Bright green carnations, reminiscent of St. Patrick's day, sprayed on white are very dashing.

Dawn Dance—Coming Louis Armstrong—Riverview Park.—Adv.

**CLUBS**

**LE FLEUR DE LES**

The Le Fleur De Les club gave a four course dinner in honor of the four members bringing in the most money. They were Stella Greer, Luwillma Hunt, Marguerite Thomas, Dorothy Morris. After dinner, the evening was spent playing whist, prizes being won by Elsa Doyle and Dorothy Morris. Stella Greer was unable to attend because of illness. Mrs. Rachel Robinson was hostess to the club Friday, June 20. Mrs. Dearmour Ferrell will be next hostess.

President, Lucille Weston, reporter, Dorothy Morris.

**LA ROCCO CLUB**

The La Rocco Club was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas. The scores of the month were recorded and prizes awarded as follows: first, Mrs. Sam Vaughn; second, French Brown; booby, William Flynn. Pokena and potlurk was the diversion of the evening. Club meets Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Flynn. Marguerite Thomas is reporter.

**MOTHERS CLUB**

The Mother's club met at Frances Bonwell, June 17. Mira Jackson and Frances Bonwell planned a joint birthday party June 30. Bingo prizes were won by Mira Jackson and Zora Butler. The next hostess will be Reba Green.

**BUSY BEES**

The Busy Bee Sewing Circle held their regular meeting Thursday, June 19, with a large attendance out and a number of ladies present. Mrs. Carpenter of St. Joseph was a visitor. She is a house guest of her niece, Mrs. Gladys Carr. Mrs. Lulu V. Mitchell, publicity chairman.

**DRIBBLES**

**By the Drip**  
Hi folks—how are you? The ole Drip is back on the beat again. Sights in the park—Eloise M. and Mae Henry C. seeing who can sit the closest to Bub Parsons—"The fine life guard." Evalenya S. and Mary M. wearing out shoe leather trying to catch Frank K. eyes. J. C. Brookins making daily trips to see Juanita Hall. Wonder where Nisen Louise is while this is going on. The Su Mae's laughing at everyone else's jitterbugging but their own. "He who laughs last, laughs loudest." Hack Howard arriving to escort J. D. N. home.

Interesting to watch—Roselle Parsons taking a back seat for Clarice. Geneva Voliner's hobby is carnivals. Does Mr. Boston usually accompany Geneva? As one chic who walks Eleanor Thompson (Fort Dodge) sure covers a lot of ground "alone?"

While George W. strolls around the carnival alone Venita Q. is holding down the steps having a nice chat with Clinton M. Tootsie Thurston has returned to the city for a visit. Don't feel so bad folks because June and Frankie's have closed. It shall reopen under new management (Bob Ashby). Has Verona G. finally taken down the torch she has been carrying for George S? Speaking of Stewarts, Harry S's latest girl friend is Dorothy Beckton from Ames.

The T. Pinson—M. Walker affair is on the rocks. It is Mable W. and GALEY 11

John Spencer (drug store) now, Sh-sh-sh! It is a secret. Clem N. has been receiving telegrams—long distance calls and specials—don't breathe it to a soul but she is expecting a ring next month.

Marguerite G. is appearing at the park now, still as flighty as ever. Has Barbara Burton taken Jimmy B. away from Maxine Cooley for good?

Interesting things to see: Geneva with dark hair—Florence Colbert still being able to stay sweet as cute as she is—Jean McFarland's slimmness—the Green Girls with Harold and Ozzie Morrow—carry on this summer where they left off last year. Well, folks I guess I'll go.—The drip.

**JULY FOURTH SOCIAL**

The Democratic Club, will hold its annual big outdoor social on July 4 beginning at 1 p.m. at 1156 Second street. All are asked to bring full picnic baskets for dinner. There will be a program with speeches given by prominent people.

**Origin of Word Maverick For All Stray Yearlings**

Every ranchman in Montana knows that a maverick is a yearling calf without a brand, the property of the first handyman who affixes his brand to the animal, providing, always, that he is not caught at it. Time was when all one needed to make a start in the cattle business was a rope and a branding iron.

How many are there who know how the word "maverick" origi-

**Students Take Iota Examinations**

The following 1941 high school graduates took the national Iota Phi Lambda examination for \$125 scholarship, Sunday morning, June 20, at the Community Center.

They were: Winona Griffin, Valley High School, Evelyn Green, Lincoln high; Mary Hamilton, East high; Laurine Jones, Naomi Walden, Veneeta Quincy, Elizabeth Shackelford and Edna Craddock, North high.



**THE PERSONAL TOUCH**

(By Marie Ross)

When the summer heat has simmered the body nothing seems more refreshing than a cool glass of lemonade. Mrs. W. C. Buice, 1070 Seventeenth street, says it is her most favorite drink, though she has washed up many bottles to make some root beer.

Mrs. Ruby Cooper, 1435 Second street place, mixes oranges and lemons and then adds the juice to her ice tea for a cooling drink.

To cool off Mrs. Vesta Williamson, 1022 Woodland avenue, might feel for a drink of lemonade with a bit of mint, but if she has plenty of time to prepare something delicious she might try one of her two favorites—a frozen dessert which goes like this:

**Frozen Dessert**  
Take 20 marshmallows; 1/4 cup of pineapple; 1 bottle of red cherries; 1/4 cup nuts; 1 cup condensed milk. Put marshmallows and milk in a double boiler and melt. Cool; add 1 cup whipped cream, cherries, nuts and pineapple; freeze.

"If you are counting calories I would not advise this recipe," Mrs. Williams commented and added, "I don't count mine." Her other favorite is "Heavenly Hash."

"Heavenly Hash" is made the night before. Two cups of marshmallows; 1 cup pineapple, grated. Let stand overnight. Add nuts and cup of whipped cream.

Mrs. J. Q. Evans, 1106 Seventeenth street, is busy these days canning "everything I can get my hands on—greens, beans, etc." she informed. When she gets tired she sits down and listens to the war news as she cools off over a bowl of her delicious homemade ice cream—which is always on her daily menu.

One little housewife has found it "just too hot to think or talk" and here is how she handles the situation. She writes notes—plenty of them—and sticks them in the doorways about her home. To her husband—one note (at the front door) read: "Good evening Ducky—slice the bacon before you go back to town." Another to remind herself—"give baby milk at 3 o'clock—don't force him to drink" and to be sure that she does not forget—she sets the timer of her kitchen stove at 3 o'clock so that the whistle will blow.

nated. Capt. Dan W. Roberts, one of the organizers of the famous "Texas rangers, in his book, "Rangers and Sovereignty," explains the origin of the word as follows:

"In the early days of Texas, say from 1845 to 1860, the cattlemen worked together in perfect harmony and in each other's interest. Sam Maverick was probably the largest cattle owner in the state, at that time. So large was the area of his cattle range that his men could hardly get over it in one season to mark and brand his calves. Maverick was a wealthy and influential man and the small cattle owners looked after his interests, together with their own.

"When the cattlemen were working their ranges and came upon a yearling that was not marked or branded, they generally conceded that it belonged to Sam Maverick. So common was the expression 'maverick' that they applied it straight to the animal, and all unbranded yearlings were called mavericks. The term became general all over the state and spread into other states of the West, where there was any cattle raising."

**Savants Perfect Way For X-Raying Metals**

A new technique for X-ray analysis of metals, alloys, welds, or small metal parts, which may be of great value to the armament industry as well as for peace time work, was discussed recently at the twenty-second annual convention of the American Society of Metals.

Early developments of this method are now used in airplane manufacturing. The improved technique was presented by Dr. G. L. Clark, University of Illinois chemistry professor, and Dr. W. M. Shaffer, Iowa State Teachers college chemistry professor.

It involves X-raying a thin specimen of the metal on plates having

**TO NAACP MEET AT TEXAS**



IRENE SMALLS



MRS. GEORGINE MORRIS



FREDDIE HAWKINS

**GROUP TO NAACP CONVENTION AT HOUSTON, TEXAS**

Officers and members of the Des Moines branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, who are attending the National Convention in Houston, Texas, this week are: Atty. S. Joe Brown, one of the national officers who is making his visit to a national convention; Mrs. Georgine C. Morris, president of the local branch; Mrs. Freddie Hawkins, captain of one of the recent membership campaign; and Mr. Ike Smalls, member of the executive board.

**ABBE WALLACE**

P. B. Dear Sir: I am a farmer and work very hard and try to make a good living but my boss tries to beat me out of my crop. Tell me what I can do to make him want to do justice to me?

Ans: Your case is an unfortunate one but you can't give up and quit. Make the best of your present situation by seeing it thru this year or until after harvest and all settlement is made then look around and try to get located with someone else who will give you a fairer deal. There are other farmers right there in your district who will be glad to get a good man like yourself and next time try to come to a more thorough understanding as to what you are to receive for your efforts.

M. J.—I wonder if you can help me make up my mind what to do? I am going with three men and one of them is married. All three want to marry me and I like the married man best as he treats me best.

Ans: Young lady, I would suggest that you not think of any of them in the term of matrimony as none of the three could make you happy. To begin with, the single boys aren't working and couldn't support a wife and the married man has a wife already so you are better off single. Let the married man alone. I know his line is more interesting because he is more experienced but he isn't the man for you. A new romance is in the air for you, this summer too.

S. C. S.—I have been sick for a long time and I wonder if you will tell me if I will ever be well? Tell me how I can send for my private Reading?

Ans: Put your utmost confidence

special, extremely fine grain photographic emulsions, and then enlarging this negative 100 to 200 times. The original photograph is about the size of the end of a lead pencil.

The enlargement shows elements in the metal, whether they are spread evenly or bunched, and any flaws or cracks which are in the metal. These flaws may be originally present or result from working the metal. Flaws in welds are instantly noticeable. Entire small metal parts may be X-rayed.

The X-ray gives the metallurgist a three-dimensional view, enabling him actually to look into the specimen. Other methods of microscopic study show him only the surface, and involve troublesome techniques of etching or polishing.

**Pastor Developing Cloth Fresco**

A streamline version of an ancient art is being developed by the Reverend Omer J. Chevette of West Warren, Mass. He has been granted a patent on his process of painting fresco on cloth, a work that seemingly has aroused the interest of the art world. Under Reverend Chevette's process, a sketch is first outlined in pencil, the cloth is saturated with dyes, and when dry are covered with water color pigments. This process gives depth and richness of tone as well as a lasting picture. Under the ancient process, artists first outlined a sketch on fresh plaster, then laid in colors

in the doctor who is attending you and try not to worry about yourself, I am sure that a change for the better will take place in your case, but I am not qualified to help you along this line. If you desire your Astrology Reading, send 25c along with your full name, birthdate and address. You may send 3 questions and I will give you my free opinion on the same.

G. L. K.—The one I am loving is calling himself to be loving another girl I think. I want to know if he loves me or the other girl.

Ans: The other girl has him hooked and the best thing you can do is Galey Two

to get him off your mind. Last winter he did care for you to some extent but when this girl came into his life, he gave up all other friends and is devoting his entire time to her.

H. M. J.—I have been over to this town near us three or four different times to get a job and haven't got one yet. That's where I want to stay but it looks like I can't find anything to do. Must I move over there.

Ans: Not right now. Go each week end to this town and make personal calls to every place you feel you could get work. Continue to do this for a few more weeks and I am sure that you will run into something that will pay you enough so that you can make the change.

**Seal That Apes Judas**

War on marauding sea lions and their concubines is being waged on the lower Columbia river, near Portland, Ore. Commercial fishermen, last year, lost half of their late fall catch when the sea lions robbed the fishermen's gill-nets. A trained seal will act as a decoy to bring the sea lions within range of riflemen. The seal will go out among the herd of sea lions and attract them shoreward where armed fishermen will crack on all the lions but the one used as a decoy. The sea lions work along the stretch of a gill-net eating a fish here and there and often biting a chunk out of a fish, leaving telltale marks to the disgust of the fisherman.

**Fruit Juice Stains**

Stains of fruit juice, tea or coffee can usually be removed from white linen by pouring boiling water through the cloth. The material should be stretched taut and the water poured from some distance above it, so that the water strikes the fabric with some force. Stubborn stains may be covered with glycerine and the hot water poured through again. "stain" not re-

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ST. PAUL A. M. E. CHURCH. Rev. H. C. Boyd, Pastor. 12th and Crocker. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 7:45 p.m.; A. C. E. League, 6:30 p.m. Official Board Monday evening, 7:30 p.m. Midweek prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal, Friday evening, 8:00 p.m.

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All are welcome. Evangelist E. Williams in charge.

NAACP GIVES MEDALS TO FOUR LIFE MEMBERS

New York—Four new names have been added to the large bronze plaque on which those who have become life members of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People are placed. They are the Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity, the International Longshoremen's Union, local 859; John Hammond of New York City, member of the Board of Directors and the national chapter of the Girl Friends. Alpha Phi Alpha, Mr. Hammond and the Girl Friends will receive their Life Membership medals at the closing meeting of the 32nd annual NAACP conference in Houston, Texas, Saturday, June 28. The Longshoremen's union was given its medal at the first annual states conference of Maryland branches which met in Baltimore last month. This brings the number of lifetime members of NAACP to 35.

MARSHALLTOWN, IA.

Marshalltown, Ia.—The Paul Lawrence Dunbar club entertained the graduates of 1941 with a tea Sunday, June 15, at Mrs. C. T. Brown's home. Miss Helen Hudson of Des Moines is visiting at the C. T. Brown home. Miss Sylvia Payne of Des Moines is visiting at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. Bob Taylor. The Wee Moderns Club gave an invitational party, Tuesday, June 24, at the Y. M. C. A. in honor of the Junior Federation of Girls Clubs which met here. The big June dance was at the Let's Dance Club, Tuesday, June 24. The dance was semi-formal. Mrs. H. Nolan who returned from Omaha last week, has now gone to Oskaloosa, Ia., to visit her sister. Mrs. W. H. Clark, Mrs. R. Longus, Yvonne Longus, and Elnora Wilder have all returned from Des Moines where they went to attend the Baptist Sunday School Convention. Samuel Gilliam, Vernon Brown, Carl Ross, Robert Maxwell, Robert Lavender, Margaret Maxwell, and Lorraine McDonald motored to Des Moines last Thursday to attend the Les Hite dance.

"Jiveformation Please"

Greetin's everybody and how you all? Robert Lavender and his girlfriend in Des Moines have fell out flatter than a pancake. All because of a minor incident which happened at the dance. By the way, do you know Robert's newest saying? Its, "He who dances must pay for the fiddler, and he that don't, must pay also." Silly ain't it. Ask Archie Mitchell and Jimmie Dawson how much gas they burn up a week going to and from Ames. Archie must be havin' his kicks. Yvonne Longus and Elnora Wilder went to the Convention last week and truly knocked themselves out, so I hear. And while I am on the subject of Yvonne, I might as well mention her necklace and bracelet which are made of real peanuts that can be eaten. So if you get hungry, get in touch with Yvonne. Quite a few cats and chicks motored to D. M. last week for the big dance down there and all report it came on one time. You should drop in sometime and hear Jimmie, Archie, Ralph and Nemo swing out up at the club. They sound good. Now I wonder who made Mamie Richardson's jitterbug skirt? It is about an inch too long. I hope that the boys and girls all get along on one accord after the Federation is over, but I don't know. And now, congratulations to the City Federation of Women's Clubs and may you have a lot of success in your entertaining of the 40th Annual Convention of Women's Clubs.

"Ol Man Jive"

Coming Louis Armstrong to River-view Park—Dawn Dance.—Adv.

BURNS METHODIST CHURCH

811 Crocker Street. Rev. John C. Bain, 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.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH

East Sixteenth and University Ave. Rev. Jordan W. Tutt, Pastor. Morning worship at 11:00 Sunday school at 9:30, B.Y.P.U. at 6:30 P.M. week prayer service at 7:45. Choir rehearsal, Friday evening at 8:00, Dr. L. R. Willis, director.

KEOKUK, IOWA

BY THELMA V. SEALS

Keokuk, Ia.—The Keokuk High School and College Alumni Association gave its annual banquet in honor of the June graduates Thursday evening at the Masonic Hall, Twelfth and Johnson. The hall was beautifully decorated, the color scheme being purple and white. The tables were prettily arranged with flowers, candles and place cards, the latter being purple cones on white bases. The soft glow of the candle light falling upon the many flowers and the soft murmuring voices gave an air of dignity to the occasion. The graduates with their guest led the grand march and were seated at the center table. Mr. Reginald South presided at the piano for the grand march. Following the invocation by Rev. C. W. Carter, Miss Kathryn Waterfield addressed the class. Miss Consuela Bland presiding as mistress of ceremony announced the following program: "The Rosary" by Nevins—Miss Lena Shanninghouse; annual president's address, "What Education is Most Worthwhile," Miss Claudia Nazelma Bland; Miss Bland in her pleasing manner presented three important traits developed through education—character, personality and imagination. The appreciative audience highly commended Miss Bland's address; talk, "My Debt To America" by Robert Lamb; vocal solo, "My Buddy" by Walter Donnellson—Miss Mildred Mills; Miscellaneous talk—Donald Carter; vocal solo, "Walking by the River" by Ina Claire—Miss Virginia Johnson; talk on athletics—Robert Buckley; reading, "Advice"—Miss Virginia Rozelle Johnson; instrumental solo, "Arabesque En Forme B' Etude by Leschetzky—Miss Alberta Bates; miscellaneous talk—Sunny Leon Bland; addresses by Rev. J. W. Collins and Rev. A. O. Birchenough. Introduction of the graduates' parents, alumni who are attending college and charter members by F. S. Johnson; closing number, "God Bless America" by audience. The decorating and program committees received much praise for their work. Mrs. Elizabeth South, chairman of the decorating was assisted by Mrs. Allan Burbridge, Mr. and Mrs. Faye Reed, Miss Dorothy Franklin, Lena and Henry Shanninghouse, Miss Marjorie Bland, John Sharkey and Leola Fields. Attending out-of-town guests: Mr. and Mrs. C. Albington, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Green, Miss Mary Leu Nearing, Mrs. Mable Dixon and Mrs. Mary Johnson. The Pilgrim Rest Mission Society served the banquet. Mrs. Mary Burbridge had as her house guests for last week, Mr. and Mrs. C. Albington of Quincy, Ill., Miss Mary Leu Nearing of Hannibal, Mo., Douglas Green of St. Paul, her daughter Irene of St. Paul.

Eleven to Two Hours Safest, Reveals Doctor

The extensive studies made by Dr. Emil Bogen, M. D., of Olive View sanatorium, Los Angeles, and presented before the recent California Medical association convention at Coronado, seem to indicate that, by the number of deaths occurring then, 7 p. m. is the most fatal hour of the 24 which mark our day. Assisted by Neil Green, assigned by the Works Progress administration, Dr. Bogen analyzed 16,411 death certificates recorded for 1935 in Los Angeles. While, with the caution of the scientist, he says his finding may not be "conclusively significant," they do show unmistakable trends—and they definitely upset the common belief that the "wee small hours of the morning," when all is still and lonely, are the hours when death is most likely to come on his sometimes—terrifying, sometimes soothing and benign mission. For, says Dr. Bogen: "There are more deaths during the hours of the day than at night. "The daytime excess is most marked with apoplexy, heart disease, tuberculosis and pneumonia. "Death from diabetes and from poisoning occur more often at night, however. "When is it that the fateful shadow hovers least? "The lowest death rates," Dr. Bogen's paper shows, "were seen during the two periods from 11 a. m. to 2 p. m., and from 11 p. m. to 2 a. m.

Vermon Not Member of Union Until After War

Vermon is so solid and substantial in its qualities that most people are under the impression that it was one of the 13 original states. But it did not become a member of the Union until March 4, 1791, 150 years ago. The first permanent settlement by the English in what is now Vermont was made in 1733 at Brattleboro. Up until the Revolution this region was known as the New Hampshire Grants, and was claimed by New Hampshire, Massachusetts, and New York. The capture of Ticonderoga and Crown Point in 1775 by Ethan Allen and his Green Mountain Boys made it possible for General Washington to obtain enough artillery to force the British to evacuate Boston nearly a year later. In January, 1777, the settlers in the New Hampshire Grants held a convention at Westminster and proclaimed it a "free and independent state capable of regulating their own internal police in all and every respect whatsoever, and that it should thereafter be known by the name of New Connecticut." Four months later a second convention changed the name of the quasi-independent state to Vermont, derived from two French words meaning "green" and "mountain." The name Vermont had been suggested to the delegates by Dr. Thomas Young, an early associate of Ethan Allen. But the Continental Congress, not wishing to offend New York, Massachusetts and New Hampshire, refused to admit the new state of Vermont as an equal partner.

Cultivate Most Roses Here

People in the United States cultivate more roses than any other country in the world, but our own famous American Beauty rose is practically extinct today, according to Francis W. Ruzicka, president of the National Rose Growers of America. Its place has been taken by the Better Times rose, introduced six years ago. Today when you buy a so-called American Beauty, the chances are it is really a Better Times. Yellow roses are hardest to produce. Bees and bugs, greatest pollinating agents, always prefer pink roses; so when roses go pink, you know they have gone wild. New Jersey grows enough roses to strew the Transcontinent from way, end to end, from Trenton to Pasadena. White roses cost more in June and September and are almost unsalable through the rest of the year. The Red Rose inn, near West Grove, Pa., has paid its rent with roses instead of money for more than 200 years.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA

Cedar Rapids, Ia.—Mrs. Eva L. Abby of Minneapolis who is a member of the Iowa Jurisdiction, Past Grand Matron and present chairman or audition committee, present International Treasurer; also Mrs. Lena Bennett and Mrs. Page, Mrs. Lackey of Waterloo, Mrs. Henriette Page of Iowa City are spending the week with Rev. and Mrs. S. J. Caulder after the close of the Grand Session of Elector Grand Chapter OES Iowa Jurisdiction. They motored to Davenport, Iowa Sunday to attend St. John Day which was largely attended. Mrs. Julia Reed, present Grand Matron, was reelected. The chapter voted to meet in Des Moines next year.

KEOKUK, IOWA

BY THELMA V. SEALS

Ten churches were contacted last week in the North Missouri District during the annual goodwill tour of the leaders and workers of the district. In the delegation were the following: the Moderator and wife, Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Carter; President of the Sunday School Convention, Mrs. Birdie Williams; President of the B.T.U. Convention, Rev. N. P. Wilson; Recording Secretary of the Association, Rev. W. R. Bryant; Corresponding Secretary, Rev. C. Lopez McAllister; Rev. St. Mark Jones; District Missionary, Rev. and Mrs. Hopewell, Rev. G. W. White, Mrs. Selby Johnson and Mrs. Jessie Orange. Places visited by the touring party: Clarence Monday afternoon, Shelby Monday night, Shelbyville Tuesday afternoon, Hunnewell Tuesday night, Palmyra Wednesday afternoon, Carton Wednesday night, Monticello Thursday afternoon, LaBelle Thursday night, Edina Friday afternoon, Kirksville Friday night. One Sunday School was organized and the churches received much encouragement. The convention convenes Tuesday before the second Sunday in August at Hannibal, Mo. The Churches of Southeastern Ia. held their monthly meeting Sunday afternoon June 22 with the Second Baptist church at Burlington, Rev. Sanders pastor. The following from Keokuk attended: Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Carter, Miss Kathryn Waterfield and the Misses Clariara Carter, Beatrice Lamb and Reta May Johnson.

Church of St. Mary the Virgin, Fourteenth and High Streets, Rev. Allan O. Birchenough, Vicar; Mrs. B. H. Toomea, organist. Services for the second Sunday after Trinity; Church School, 9:30 a.m. Choral vespers 5:30 p.m. The members of Union Lodge of Free Masons will attend this service in a body. An address will be given by the Vicar on "Religion and Masonry."

Bethel A.M.E. church, Seventh and Morgan, Rev. J. W. Collins, pastor. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 11 o'clock, Rev. W. H. Ogleton who is presiding elder of the Des Moines district will preach at the morning service. Communion service will be observed at 2:30 p.m. Rev. M. D. Washington of Quincy, Ill., will deliver the message and his choir will conduct the singing. At 7:45 Rev. Ogleton will deliver the closing message of the day. Pilgrim Rest Baptist, Fourteenth and Exchange, Rev. C. W. Carter, pastor. Morning and evening discourse delivered by the pastor. Sunday School 9:30, Mrs. Pearl Buckley, Superintendent. Echoes from the goodwill tour by Mrs. Birdie Williams Visitors: Tilton Dant, Norman Lense and Melvin Patton of Ottumwa, B. T. U. 6:30. Donald Carter assistant director, B.A.U. Study Class 7:30 Monday night and Friday at 4 p.m. Mission Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Kathryn Bradley Tuesday evening Mrs. Hattie Carter, president, Mr. George Bundy is ill in the hospital.

The two periods, 5 to 8 a. m. and 5 to 8 p. m., WHEN THE DAILY ROUTINE IS BEING CHANGED, either to wake or to go to work, or to return from work and go to sleep, are accompanied by higher death rates than the times when already established rest or activity is being continued.

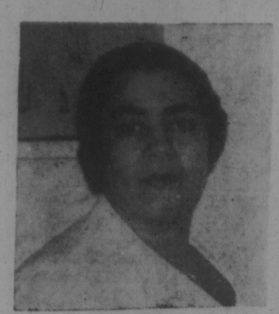
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RUNS CAFE



MRS. KELLY

Mrs. Leona Kelly, well known Des Moines cateress and foods demonstrator, is serving delicious meals daily at her cafe, known as Mrs. Kelly's Cafe, Eleventh and Center sts.

The cafe offers 24-hour service to its patrons and a large variety of home cooked meats, vegetables, salads and pastries. Mrs. Kelly is lecturer and demonstrator at the Bystander's cooking school last March.

WASHINGTON, IOWA

Washington, Ia.—Miss Mildred Howard was in Des Moines, Saturday. Loretta Thompson of Rock Island was in Washington visiting. Mrs. J. Burse of Beloit, Wis., returned to her home after spending the week with her daughter, and family. Taylor Crayton was in Mt. Pleasant Sunday. Mrs. Luba Crowder of Sioux Falls, S. D., brought her mother, Mrs. Eva Turner, back after visiting with her daughter. She also is here visiting relatives and friends. Donald Howard is attending a church convention in Oskaloosa for two weeks. Mrs. Walter Williams is still on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Howard visited in Oskaloosa Sunday. Luther Ballew and Esther Howard were in Oskaloosa last week. Mr. Taylor of Cedar Rapids visited at the Turner home over the weekend. Herman Crayton visited at the Turner home on Sunday. There were no church services here Sunday. The minister was absent. Miss Ruth Black Mitchell of Chicago is making an indefinite stay here and at the present is helping care for Mrs. Walter Williams.

Vermon Not Member of Union Until After War

Vermon is so solid and substantial in its qualities that most people are under the impression that it was one of the 13 original states. But it did not become a member of the Union until March 4, 1791, 150 years ago. The first permanent settlement by the English in what is now Vermont was made in 1733 at Brattleboro. Up until the Revolution this region was known as the New Hampshire Grants, and was claimed by New Hampshire, Massachusetts, and New York. The capture of Ticonderoga and Crown Point in 1775 by Ethan Allen and his Green Mountain Boys made it possible for General Washington to obtain enough artillery to force the British to evacuate Boston nearly a year later. In January, 1777, the settlers in the New Hampshire Grants held a convention at Westminster and proclaimed it a "free and independent state capable of regulating their own internal police in all and every respect whatsoever, and that it should thereafter be known by the name of New Connecticut." Four months later a second convention changed the name of the quasi-independent state to Vermont, derived from two French words meaning "green" and "mountain." The name Vermont had been suggested to the delegates by Dr. Thomas Young, an early associate of Ethan Allen. But the Continental Congress, not wishing to offend New York, Massachusetts and New Hampshire, refused to admit the new state of Vermont as an equal partner.

Cultivate Most Roses Here

People in the United States cultivate more roses than any other country in the world, but our own famous American Beauty rose is practically extinct today, according to Francis W. Ruzicka, president of the National Rose Growers of America. Its place has been taken by the Better Times rose, introduced six years ago. Today when you buy a so-called American Beauty, the chances are it is really a Better Times. Yellow roses are hardest to produce. Bees and bugs, greatest pollinating agents, always prefer pink roses; so when roses go pink, you know they have gone wild. New Jersey grows enough roses to strew the Transcontinent from way, end to end, from Trenton to Pasadena. White roses cost more in June and September and are almost unsalable through the rest of the year. The Red Rose inn, near West Grove, Pa., has paid its rent with roses instead of money for more than 200 years.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

LUXUREE CLEANERS, INC. OF LUXUREE CLEANERS, INC. Notice is hereby given that Luxuree Cleaners, Inc. has been incorporated under and by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 384 of the Code of Iowa (1939) and that the Articles of Incorporation of the said Luxuree Cleaners, Inc. provide substantially as follows: That the name of this corporation shall be "Luxuree Cleaners, Inc." and its principal office of business shall be at Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa; That the general nature of the business to be transacted shall be: (a) To engage in the general cleaning, dyeing, pressing and tailoring business and all things necessary and essential thereto including the cleaning, dyeing, pressing, tailoring, repairing and storing of clothing, men's, women's and children's clothing and wearing apparel, rags, draperies and tapestries, and to that end they may purchase, lease or otherwise acquire, sell, demise or otherwise dispose of all such real and personal property as may be profitable or used in connection with said business and it may do and perform such other acts and things necessary or essential to said business, corporations for pecuniary profit are empowered to do and perform by the laws of the State of Iowa. (b) To manufacture, sell, job and dispose of all merchandise, equipment and any and all other accessories necessary or in any way incidental to the operation of a cleaning and dyeing, pressing, tailoring plant and business. (c) To buy and sell at wholesale and also at retail, and also job all kinds of materials necessary and essential to the business carried on by said corporation. (d) To lease or purchase any and all kinds of machinery necessary and essential to the carrying out of the above described business. (e) To purchase, lease or otherwise acquire lands and buildings for the erection and establishment of the manufacturing or other business of the within business. (f) To apply for, acquire, buy, sell, assign, lease, pledge, mortgage or otherwise dispose of letters of patent of the United States or any foreign country and all or any rights, territorial or otherwise therein. (g) To apply for, acquire, hold, sell, assign, lease, mortgage or otherwise dispose of patent rights, licenses, privileges, copyrights, inventions, trade marks, trade names, and pending application therefore, relating to useful in connection with any business of this corporation. (h) To buy, apply for and sell patents and to obtain patents, and to act as jobber and distributor for the manufactured articles, and raw materials. (i) Generally to purchase, take or lease or in exchange, hire or otherwise acquire any real or personal property and any rights and privileges which the corporation may deem necessary or convenient for the purpose of its business, possessing the same powers in such respect a natural persons. (j) To borrow money for the use of its corporate business and to secure the same by pledges, mortgages or otherwise. (k) To manufacture patented or other devices or articles. (l) To buy, sell and deal at wholesale and at retail in goods, wares, and merchandise that the corporation may deem advisable, and in fact to deal in any business that the incorporation may choose, not inconsistent with the provisions of the Statutes and consistent with the business of corporations organized for pecuniary profits. (m) To buy and sell mortgages, notes,

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adverse claims of the defendants herein and all persons claiming by, through or under them have been and forever estopped from having, claiming or asserting any right, title, interest or lien thereon adverse to the plaintiff's title to said real estate and that the title to said real estate be quieted in the plaintiff and further praying against the said defendants and each of them, if any, who claim some right of possession in and to the above described real estate for a judgment for the immediate possession of the said above described real estate; said petition also prays for general equitable relief. No judgment for costs against any of the defendants herein is asked except as against those defendants who may appear and contest this action.

Further particulars you are referred to the said petition when on file.

And unless you appear and defend thereto in said Court on or before noon of the second day of the next term of said Court being the July 1941 term thereof which will be begun and held at the Polk County District Court House at Des Moines, Iowa, on July 7, A. D. 1941, default will be entered against you and decree rendered as prayed for in plaintiff's petition.

Dated this 4th day of June, A. D. 1941. HOWARD M. HALL, Attorney for Plaintiff

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

Notice is hereby given that each, all and the only stockholders of the Des Moines Plumbing and Heating Company, Inc., unannouncedly consented and agreed and did on the 4th day of June, 1941, dissolve the said Des Moines Plumbing and Heating Company, Inc., as of the 4th day of June, 1941. The vote is given in accordance with Section 5523 of the Iowa Code (1939).

Dated and done this 4th day of June, 1941. Des Moines Plbg. & Htz. Co., H. W. Landis, President Des Moines Plbg. & Htz. Co., H. W. Landis, Stockholder Des Moines Plbg. & Htz. Co., Inc., Loren E. McGaffee, Secy-Treas. Loren E. McGaffee, Stockholder.

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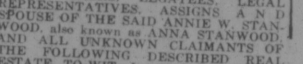
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**MRS. J. P. JONES  
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BIRTHDAY SUPPER**

Mrs. J. P. Jones, 1232 Dixon street entertained June 16 with a Dutch supper honoring the birthday of Jack Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Howard, and her own birthday, which occurred on the same date.

Covers were laid for twelve and the evening was spent in games. Refreshments were served. The hostess presented Mr. Howard with a birthday cake with 23 candles.

Others sharing the courtesy were: Mesdames B. Wellington, M. J. Hall, Fred Jeffers, William Curley, T. L. Howard, Homer Divan, R. Johnson, Lillard Sloan, Mrs. William Henderson of Bunceton, Mo.; Messrs. T. L. Howard and J. P. Jones.

**FANT-SMITH NUPTIALS**

Mrs. Goldie Fant, 1654 Maple st., announced this week the marriage of her daughter, Miss Clara Fant, and Sgt. Guy Smith, which took place at Omaha, Neb., Thursday, June 12.

The couple is residing in Omaha at 1217 Lake street.

Mr. Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther H. Smith, 901 Twenty-third street.

**EDWARDS-THOMPSON**

The secret marriage of Miss Ella Irene Edwards, daughter of Mrs. Ella Edwards of Shreveport, La., to Atty J. Nelson Thompson of Des Moines, was revealed last week.

The couple was married Feb. 22 at Camanche, Iowa.

Mr. Thompson is the son of Mrs. J. N. Thompson, 1159 14th street.

The couple will live in Des Moines following their return August 1 from a trip to the south and west.

**THE MOORES HAVE VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Hunter of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. George Owens of Ames, Iowa, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Moore this week. Mr. Hunter is the brother and Mrs. Owens is the sister of Mrs. Moore.

**THE WILLIAMS OF K. C. HERE**

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams of Kansas City, Mo., are in the city visiting with her father, E. M. Mackay, and sister, Miss Doralea Mackay who returned from Missouri with them.

**DANCE GROUP ON PROGRAM**

Last Friday night at the Veterans Hospital Miss Chase who operates the Puppet Center on Walnut st., sponsored a puppet play given by children and some of her talent from the center. On the same program a dance group from the Blue Triangle appeared. In the group were Marguerite Ewing and Rowena Fields directed by Mrs. Gertrude North, W. P. A leader and a musical number by Betty Ross.

**FASHIONETTE**

By Hazel G. Reed  
Associated Negro Press Fashion Editor

**TROPIC PRINTS NEW AND EXCITING**

Tropical flower prints are among summer's most interesting, new offerings, and the larger and more unusual the print, the smarter. Bright flower designs arranged artistically on cotton, wash silk, or jersey background enliven considerable the fashion horizon for casual and dress-up occasions, and the effect is charming and cool in appearance as well.

About the most unusual and attractive in the new group of prints are those of native African design, in which exotic birds, butterflies and tropical blossoms all make a play for attention. These prints are seen most often in cottons; cool thin muslins and other light weaves. They make up into attractive frocks and turbans, and lend a very different type accessory-note in scarves and handkerchiefs.

A tropical flower popular in prints is the tiger lily, closest rival of the orchid. We find this blossom yellow and flame petaled, with its characteristic cinnamon-colored flecks spaced attractively on white and other solid color grounds in deep-V necklined afternoon frocks. The hibiscus also is favored in this mode dress in a print of white, green and yellow mingling. Clusters of star-shaped pink asters in pale blue bring the flower picture more into the everyday garden realm that we know, but the combine is no less appealing. Bright green carnations, reminiscent of St. Patrick's day, sprayed on white are very dashing.

Dawn Dance—Coming Louis Armstrong—Riverview Park.—Adv.

**CLUBS**

**LE FLEUR DE LES**

The Le Fleur De Les club gave a four course dinner in honor of the four members bringing in the most money. They were Stella Greer, Lu-willma Hunt, Marguerite Thomas, Dorothy Morris. After dinner, the evening was spent playing whist, prizes being won by Elsa Doyle and Dorothy Morris. Stella Greer was unable to attend because of illness. Mrs. Rachel Robinson was hostess to the club Friday, June 20. Mrs. Dearnour Ferrell will be next hostess.

President, Lucille Weston, reporter, Dorothy Morris.

**LA ROCCO CLUB**

The La Rocco Club was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas. The scores of the month were recorded and prizes awarded as follows: first, Mrs. Sam Vaughn; second, French Brown; booby, William Flynn. Pokena and potlurk was the diversion of the evening. Club meets Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Flynn. Marguerite Thomas is reporter.

**MOTHERS CLUB**

The Mother's club met at Frances Bonwell, June 17. Mira Jackson and Frances Bonwell planned a joint birthday party June 30. Bingo prizes were won by Mira Jackson and Zora Butler. The next hostess will be Reba Green.

**BUSY BEES**

The Busy Bee Sewing Circle held their regular meeting Thursday, June 19, with a large attendance out and a number of ladies present. Mrs. Carpenter of St. Joseph was a visitor. She is a house guest of her niece, Mrs. Gladys Carr. Mrs. Lulu V. Mitchell, publicity chairman.

**DRIBBLES**

**By The Drip**  
Hi folks—how are you? The ole Drip is back on the beat again. Sighta in the park—Eloise M. and Mae Henry C. seeing who can sit the closest to Bub Parsons—"The line life guard." Evalenya S. and Mary M. wearing out shoe leather trying to catch Frank K. eyes. J. C. Brooks making daily trips to see Juanita Hall. Wonder where Nisen Lou-ise is while this is going on. The Su Mac's laughing at everyone else's jactberbugging but their own. "He who laughs last, laughs loudest." Hack Howard arriving to escort J. D. N. home.

Interesting to watch—Roselle Parsons taking a back seat for Clarice. Geneva Voliner's hobby is carnivals. Does Mr. Boston usually accompany Geneva? As one chic who walks Eleanor Thompson (Fort Dodge) sure covers a lot of ground "alone?"

While George W. strolls around the carnival alone Venita Q. is holding down the steps having a nice chat with Clinton M. Tootsie Thurston has returned to the city for a visit. Don't feel so bad folks because June and Frankie's have closed. It shall reopen under new management (Bob Ashby). Has Verona G. finally taken down the torch she has been carrying for George S? Speaking of Stewart's, Harry S's latest girl friend is Dorothy Beckton from Ames.

The T. Pinson—M. Walker affair is on the rocks. It is Mable W. and GALEY 11

John Spencer (drug store) now. Sh-sh-sh! It is a secret. Clem N. has been receiving telegrams—long distance calls and specials—don't breathe it to a soul but she is expecting a ring next month.

Marguerite G. is appearing at the park now, still as flighty as ever. Has Barbara Burton taken Jimmy B. away from Maxine Cooley for good?

Interesting things to see: Geneva with dark hair—Florence Colbert still being able to stay sweet as cute as she is—Jean McFarland's slimmness—the Green Girls with Harold and Ozzie Morrow—carry on this summer where they left off last year. Well, folks I guess I'll go.—The drip.

**JULY FOURTH SOCIAL**

The Democratic Club will hold its annual big outdoor social on July 4 beginning at 1 p.m. at 1156 Second street. All are asked to bring full picnic baskets for dinner. There will be a program with speeches given by prominent people.

**Origin of Word Maverick For All Stray Yearlings**

Every ranchman in Montana knows that a maverick is a yearling calf without a brand, the property of the first handyman who affixes his brand to the animal, providing, always, that he is not caught at it. Time was when all one needed to make a start in the cattle business was a rope and a branding iron.

How many are there who know how the word "maverick" origi-

**Students Take Iota Examinations**

The following 1941 high school graduates took the national Iota Phi Lambda examination for \$125 scholarship, Sunday morning, June 20, at the Community Center.

They were: Winona Griffin, Valley High School, Evelyn Green, Lincoln high; Mary Hamilton, East high; Laurine Jones, Naomi Walden, Veneeta Quincy, Elizabeth Shackelford and Edna Craddock, North high.



**THE PERSONAL TOUCH**

(By Marie Ross)

When the summer heat has simmered the body nothing seems more refreshing than a cool glass of lemonade. Mrs. W. C. Buice, 1070 Seventeenth street, says it is her most favorite drink, though she has washed up many bottles to make some root beer.

Mrs. Ruby Cooper, 1435 Second street place, mixes oranges and lemons and then adds the juice to her ice tea for a cooling drink.

To cool off Mrs. Vesta Williamson, 1022 Woodland avenue, might feel for a drink of lemonade with a bit of mint, but if she has plenty of time to prepare something delicious she might try one of her two favorites—a frozen dessert which goes like this:

**Frozen Dessert**  
Take 20 marshmallows; 1/4 cup of pineapple; 1 bottle of red cherries; 1/4 cup nuts; 1 cup condensed milk. Put marshmallows and milk in a double boiler and melt. Cool; add 1 cup whipped cream, cherries, nuts and pineapple; freeze.

"If you are counting calories I would not advise this recipe," Mrs. Williamsol commented and added, "I don't count mine." Her other favorite is "Heavenly Hash."

"Heavenly Hash" is made the night before. Two cups of marshmallows; 1 cup pineapple, grated. Let stand over night. Add nuts and cup of whipped cream.

Mrs. J. Q. Evans, 1106 Seventeenth street, is busy these days canning "everything I can get my hands on—greens, beans, etc." she informed. When she gets tired she sits down and listens to the war news as she cools off per a bowl of her delicious homemade ice cream—which is always on her daily menu.

One little housewife has found it "just too hot to think or talk" and here is how she handles the situation. She writes notes—plenty of them—and sticks them in the doorways about her home. To her husband—one note (at the front door) read: "Good evening Ducky—slice the bacon before you go back to town." Another—to remind herself—"give baby milk at 3 o'clock—don't force him to drink" and to be sure that she does not forget—she sets the timer of her kitchen stove at 3 o'clock so that the whistle will blow.

nated. Capt. Dan W. Roberts, one of the organizers of the famous Texas rangers, in his book, "Rangers and Sovereignty," explains the origin of the word as follows:

"In the early days of Texas, say from 1845 to 1860, the cattlemen worked together in perfect harmony and in each other's interest. Sam Maverick was probably the largest cattle owner in the state, at that time. So large was the area of his cattle range that his men could hardly get over it in one season to mark and brand his calves. Maverick was a wealthy and influential man and the small cattle owners looked after his interests, together with their own.

"When the cattlemen were working their ranges and came upon a yearling that was not marked or branded, they generally conceded that it belonged to Sam Maverick. So common was the expression 'maverick' that they applied it straight to the animal, and all unbranded yearlings were called mavericks. The term became general all over the state and spread into other states of the West, where there was any cattle raising."

**Savants Perfect Way For X-Raying Metals**

A new technique for X-ray analysis of metals, alloys, welds, or small metal parts, which may be of great value to the armament industry as well as for peace time work, was discussed recently at the twenty-second annual convention of the American Society of Metals.

Early developments of this method are now used in airplane manufacturing. The improved technique was presented by Dr. G. L. Clark, University of Illinois chemistry professor, and Dr. W. M. Shaffer, Iowa State Teachers college chemistry professor.

It involves X-raying a thin specimen of the metal on plates having

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**GROUP TO NAACP CONVENTION AT HOUSTON, TEXAS**

Officers and members of the Des Moines branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, who are attending the National Convention in Houston, Texas, this week are: Atty. S. Joe Brown, one of the national officers who is making his visit to a national convention; Mrs. Georgine C. Morris, president of the local branch; Mrs. Freddie Hawkins, captain of one of the two teams who competed in the recent membership campaign; and Mr. Ike Smalls, member of the executive board.

**ABBE WALLACE**

F. B. Dear Sir: I am a farmer and work very hard and try to make a good living but my boss tries to beat me out of my crop. Tell me what I can do to make him want to do justice to me?

Ans: Your case is an unfortunate one but you can't give up and quit. Make the best of your present situation by seeing it thru this year or until after harvest and all settlement is made then look around and try to get located with someone else who will give you a fairer deal. There are other farmers right there in your district who will be glad to get a good man like yourself and next time try to come to a more thorough understanding as to what you are to receive for your efforts.

M. J.—I wonder if you can help me make up my mind what to do? I am going with three men and one of them is married. All three want to marry me and I like the married man best as he treats me best.

Ans: Young lady, I would suggest that you not think of any of them in the term of matrimony as none of the three could make you happy. To begin with, the single boys aren't working and couldn't support a wife and the married man has a wife already so you are better off single. Let the married man alone. I know his line is more interesting because he is more experienced but he isn't the man for you. A new romance is in the air for you, this summer too.

S. C. S.—I have been sick for a long time and I wonder if you will tell me if I will ever be well? Tell me how I can send for my private Reading?

Ans: Put your utmost confidence

special, extremely fine grain photographic emulsions, and then enlarging this negative 100 to 200 times. The original photograph is about the size of the end of a lead pencil. The enlargement shows elements in the metal, whether they are spread evenly or bunched, and any flaws or cracks which are in the metal. These flaws may be originally present or result from working the metal. Flaws in welds are instantly noticeable. Entire small metal parts may be X-rayed.

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**Pastor Developing Cloth Fresco**  
A streamline version of an ancient art is being developed by the Reverend Omer J. Chevette of West Warren, Mass. He has been granted a patent on his process of painting fresco on cloth, a work that seemingly has aroused the interest of the art world. Under Reverend Chevette's process, a sketch is first outlined in pencil, the cloth is saturated with dyes, and when dry are covered with water color pigments. This process gives depth and richness of tone as well as a lasting picture. Under the ancient process, artists first outlined a sketch on fresh plasters—then laid in colors

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### FORTY-EIGHT YEARS OLD

#### Last Weeks Editorial

The Bystander is printing its forty-eighth anniversary edition. It is a long time that an institution should remain in operation particularly in view of the rather limited field in which it must circulate, and the limitation of that field is due not only to the fact that it is a publication of specific interest of a particular group, but also to the scarcity of the Negro group within its marketing area.

There are some outstanding reasons why the Bystander has survived in addition to the herculean task all of its owners have experienced. First, there has been a group of Negroes all along who know the necessity of the paper; a group of white people equally interested. Second, some business houses that recognize the Negro buys from them and his institution should share a part of the advertising appropriation of those firms.

It is with pride that we mention the people who have supported the Bystander. Without them the paper could not survive; without them it is impossible to maintain a medium of this type.

During the present management, we have tried to maintain an editorial policy which we thought if best interest to the American people as a whole; to the Negro in particular. We have, and always will, stand for full participation by the Negro in all the civil, political and social rights guaranteed by the constitution. It has opposed a policy of appeasement on the race question even though the fight does not look rosy at all times. Crime has not been our main source of news, and yet when criminal acts justified it we have published them as far as space permitted.

The policy we have followed heretofore will be continued. The paper will continue with the fine support our friends have given. For all of these things we thank our friends and neighbors.

**What You Say, Elks?**  
It is unfortunate for Hawkeye Elks lodge and the Elks Rest that one of its members lost his life under circumstances that appear mysterious.

Hawkeye Lodge cannot prosper nor command the respect of the public if it fails to keep its skirts clean and removes the conditions which brought about the death of this member. It can be done.

What do you say, Hawkeye Lodge?

### THE PRESIDENT SPEAKS

President Roosevelt has told industry in no uncertain terms that qualified men should not be barred from employment because of their race, religion or origin. He did so as a result of endless complaints from Negroes and their friends who had been told that Negroes were not being hired in most plants, even though the Negro was helping to pay the cost of maintaining these institutions.

The Bystander has said in many occasions that the president should take a hand in checking this wholesale discrimination against the Negro for not only did it work a hardship on the race but made his declarations upholding democracy a mockery to other nations. On this latter question he said:

"Even more important is it for us to strengthen our unity and morale by refuting at home the very theories which we are fighting abroad."

Unquestionably the president has done much for organized labor. And in doing so he has made the chances of Negro labor more difficult in that strength has been added to the very forces which kept him out of labor organizations.

As an appeal to labor itself the president says: "American workers

both organized and unorganized, must be prepared to welcome the general and much-needed employment of fellow workers of all racial and nationality origins in defense industries."

He does not overlook industry's part, for it he says: "Industry must take the initiative in opening the doors of employment to all loyal and qualified workers regardless of race, national origin, religion or color."

Unfortunately the Negro has been caught between the squeeze of labor and industry both blaming the other for keeping him off the jobs.

This whole matter has been checked over to the office of Production Management with the "full support of my office behind your statement" which was issued sometime ago in which it called upon industry to utilize Negro labor.

This statement will do much good. It is just what has been needed long ago. Our hope is that the matter will be followed up closely all over the country. It will be up to the Negroes themselves to a great extent to stay with the problem and keep the proper officials informed just what is being done.

## WHO AM I?

By Henry N. Wilcox

### AN INSTITUTION

On September 17, 1861, the American Missionary Association established at Fortress Monroe, Virginia, the first day-school among the freedmen. His school guided by the steady hands of a colored woman, laid the foundation of Hampton Institute, and Hampton, marked the beginning of the general education of the Negro in the South.

I think the name Tuskegee (Tas-kigi) the monument that now sits on the site that was once the headquarters of the Maskogi (Muskogee) Indian tribe, stands out as the "cultured Capital" of the old South.

The city of Tuskegee founded in about 1817, was one of those queer little villages that wanted no contact with the hustling and bustling of the outside world other than was absolutely necessary. So when the great railway of the forties and fifties were being laid out to connect New York City with Montgomery and New Orleans, this little village begged it might be left alone and in peace, out of sight and hearing of this mighty disturbing element called progress.

Tuskegee already had its fine schools for its white boys and girls surrounded by a community of well-meaning citizens with their little farms and beautiful gardens. The nature of my business had taken me to a number of cities throughout the state of Alabama, including Birmingham, there, where I observed the alertness and ability of the Negro in the steel mills and mines.

I had longed to see well-trained men of my race engaged in the various industrial fields of the country, and with the scene of Birmingham in mind, I brought my case to the attention of Mr. George W. Campbell, an aristocratic banker of the city. Together, we discussed the possibility of starting a school for Negroes.

In the following year the state legislature struck with both the achievement of Campbell and I on the one hand and the mental likelihood of the colored men in the mills and mines on the other, decided to grant an annual subsidy to the support of the school. Overjoyed by the state's action in our behalf, we applied immediately to General Samuel Armstrong, principal of Hampton, for a colored teacher to direct the little school which had been founded on the outskirts of the city.

The man sent to us was an ex-slave who was once valued at \$400.00 and, who had won the good-will and admiration of General Armstrong by his devout and masterful efforts as a scholar. That man was Booker T. Washington.

Among the early donors of Tuskegee, were personalities like: Mary E. Shaw, Andrew Carnegie, William H. Baldwin, Collis Huntington, Maurice Jessup and Albert Willcox.

### WHO AM I?

Answer: Mr. Lewis Adams, a tinsmith at Tuskegee, Ala.

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## HEALTH HINTS

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### DEFICIENCY DISEASES IN CHILDREN

Nutritional Deficiency Disease is due chiefly to an inadequate supply, absorption or utilization of any essential nutrient. There are many other elements besides vitamins, that are essential in a child's diet, in the absence of which symptoms develop. The term Deficiency Disease has come to include in its scope any nutrient deficiency whether it be protein, carbohydrates, fats, minerals, water or vitamins.

Children's diets are usually determined by the geographical location, the family's economic level, racial custom, and a variety of individual factors. Many conditions interfere with the proper provision of a daily diet for the child for example: poverty, ignorance, food fads, loss of appetite, psychic disturbances and any systemic disease. The injurious effects are not only dependent on insufficiency of some nutrient, but also, upon excesses of others; these decrease the relative intake of essential nutrients and interfere with proper balance in the diet. Unwise choice of food, results in undesirable diets and if continued over long periods of time produces deep-seated effects. If a child's condition calls for reduction of some nutrient, the diet must contain at least a minimum of all necessary nutrients, otherwise deficiency disease is inevitable.

## Activities at Good Park

Summer activities are now well under way at Goode Playground. Mr. Frazier of S. E. 18th street still lingers in the younger set.

There were many entries in Goode Park Playground Tennis Tournament which was held at the park last week. The finals of the City Playground Tournament will be held at Birdland Courts beginning June 30. There will be four entries from Goode Playground. Thyraeve Johnson, in the Girls' singles; Ruth Bailey in women's singles; Lonnie Howard in Junior Boys' singles; and Paul Williams in men's singles.

The Negro Community Center Library Club had a picnic in the park on Tuesday, June 24. Miss Mattie Burke and Naomi Gilmore are the advisors of the club. After their dinner the members enjoyed the playground and played many games under the direction of the playground directors. Some of the girls took advantage of the Good Park Pool and went swimming.

Croquet, volley ball, horseshoes, baseball, and tennis are being played regularly at the playground. A horseshoe tournament is scheduled for the playground for July 8, 9 and 10. Be sure and sign up now. Mr. Jimmy Bowman is in charge of the tournament.

**FOLK DANCING:** Miss Jean Morris held a very successful evening of Folk Dancing on Good playground last Saturday, June 21. It is hoped that there will be sufficient interest to have some creative dancing and interpretation of some of the Negro Folk Songs. It is to be remembered that the Negroes have contributed the only original folk songs of the American people and therefore it is

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## SPORTS

By Allen Ashby

**HARRIS-BREAKS WORLD RECORD**  
Archie Harris of Indiana, after fighting with the world's discus mark all spring finally kicked it over in the NDAA games. His heave of 174 feet 8 inches bettered the old mark by six inches. In the same meet Harris finished second in the shot and Barney Ewell of Penn state won both dashes while Eddie Culp of Xavier finished third in the mile run.

**COMMUNITY SING:** There will be a Community Sing at the Playground on Tuesday, July 1, from 7-8 p.m. The Negro Community Center Band will give a concert. There will be guest artist. Every one is invited. Mr. J. Lawrence Chapman is the director of the band, Miss Sarah Steele and Mrs. Joburness Kelso will assist with the singing. The three playground directors will be on hand to blend their voices with the audience.

**RUMORS:** It is rumored in the Park that John Danforth is seen quite regularly, and of course there is a girl friend with him—Clinton Marshall also takes his daily stroll with a certain young lady, and what are they saying about the director, Mr. Bowman? Leroy Mitchell is really a jittersbug—Harold Lewis can play a splendid game of croquet—there are three sets of brother sister teams that frequent the park daily, the Dixons, Alpha and Hazel; the Tolers, Buddy and Joan; and the Chapmans, Raymond and Janice. Mrs. Marie Frazier is a wonder. There is not a day that she does not play several sets of tennis. And believe me she is an excellent player. Melvin Marshall is about the best checker player in the city. We are confident that he can beat all comers. No restriction whatsoever.

**NATURE STUDY:** Mrs. M. Cothorn has charge of the Nature Study classes at the playground. She has been ably assisted by the Ciroftri Camp Fire Girls, of which group she is the Guardian. The class made a tour of Good Park and is identifying the trees and shrubbery. A small collection of leaves is being made for reference.

**SOCIAL EVENTS:** The Ciroftri Camp Fire Girls held a picnic supper in Good Park on Friday evening, June 20. After dinner they sang many camp fire songs and had a riddle contest. Mrs. Cothorn was in charge. The Negro Community Center Library Club had a picnic in the park on Tuesday, June 24. Miss Mattie Burke and Naomi Gilmore are the advisors of the club. After their dinner the members enjoyed the playground and played many games under the direction of the playground directors. Some of the girls took advantage of the Good Park Pool and went swimming.

Bruse McCraney, 100, the "jittersbug" boxer, provided lots of comedy for the spectators as he defeated Admiral Ross, 95, by a series of

Smith's belated final round rally was offset by the winner's terrific

lefts which jolted his victim to the canvas twice during the battle, having the Oskaloosa lad on the verge of a knockout.

Hank Ulrich, Oskaloosa, 112, defeated Joe Edmunds, 112, Nulife of Des Moines in the semi-final windup. The Oskaloosa team was adjudged winners over the local fighters capturing two out of three matches with the second victory going to Harold Robinson 110, who outpointed Charles Gater, 110, of Crocker Y in an exciting battle.

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blows preceded by a double scuffle dance step which puzzled his adversary and threw the crowd into a frenzy of laughter.

**Local Sports**  
The Joe Louis-Billy Conn fight was heard by the spectators from a public address system at the ringside. The results of the preliminaries are: Robert Ewing, 81, decisively Alvin Myles, 91.  
Maurice Collier, 70, defeated Marvin Jackson, 68.  
Beverly Rowland, 80, defeated Teddy Miller, 80.  
Laurens Jackson, outpointed Watson Turner, 69.

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