

# THE IOWA BYSTANDER

FEATURES — NATIONAL NEWS — LEADER IN ADVERTISING — CIRCULATION — LOCAL NEWS — CLEAN AND PROGRESSIVE  
HELP US TO MAKE IOWA'S OLDEST WEEKLY NEWSPAPER THE MIDDLEWEST'S BEST

PRICE 5 CENTS

HOME  
EDITION

VO LXXVII, NUMBER 52

News Briefs  
From Far and Near

### MANY 372ND SOLDIERS AT TUSKEGEE

Washington (ANP)—A large number of members of the 372nd regiment formerly stationed in New York City, have been detailed to the air field at Tuskegee, where they are to become attached to the 99th and subsequent squadrons as air field defense men. Only the pick of the regiment were chosen for this important job. The men will form a permanent training cadre, it is believed, to train others who follow them.

### JOE LOUIS HONORED AT SPORT CARNIVAL

New York (ANP)—(By Hazel L. Griggs for ANP)—World heavyweight Champion Joe Louis was honored for the second time by the New York Boxing Writers' association Sunday, when, in recognition of his philanthropies on behalf of army and navy relief, he received the Writer's scroll.

Louis, who received the scroll just before his four-round boxing exhibition at the All Sports carnival at Polo grounds, previously was awarded the boxing writers' plaque for being the fighter who did most for the sport in 1941. Presentation of the scroll Sunday was made by former mayor James J. Walker.

### DUKE SEEKS MORE PAY FOR BAHAMAS

Washington (ANP)—Promises by the duke of Windsor that he would do his best to get them wage increases on a new trip to Washington were made natives of Nassau when the governor addressed a group following the recent outbreak last week which startled the world.

At the same time, it was announced that a free meal would be furnished the workers at midday, merely saving them money to support their families.

The duke told the islanders that the wage scale could not be changed without the consent of high Anglo-American authorities, and appealed to the people of the Bahamas to reject the rumors being spread by "certain agitators" that the labor riot of last week resulted from racial questions.

It had been reported that there is a wage differential according to color, although the majority of the workers on the project are Negroes who receive the lowest possible rate of pay, although it is higher than that paid the natives on other projects.

### TWO NEGROES WIN HONORS IN BRITAIN

London (ANP)—Ruolph Dunbar, London correspondent of the Associated Negro Press, was named to conduct the music festival at Bourne-mouth on June 11. The program included "Afro-American Symphony" composed in 1931 by William Grant Still.

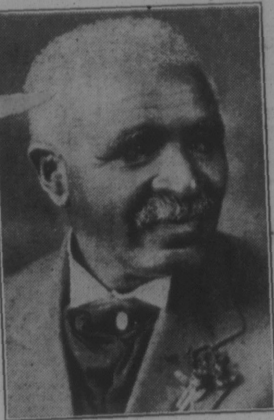
Dunbar was the first Negro to conduct the London Philharmonic orchestra. He received a remarkable ovation after his concert in Albert hall on April 26. Preceding the concert, he was guest on April 24 at a press reception given by the British council.

Another Negro to receive signal honor at the hands of Britons is J. Cameron Tudor, who has been elected president of the Oxford union. He is from Barbados and is the second full-blooded Negro chosen to head the union.

### HAROLD COOPER OUT OF HOSPITAL

Harold Cooper, 1330 E. Seventeenth street court, was released from Broadlawn General hospital Tuesday, where he was taken the latter part of May with injuries of the head. He was beaten with a baseball bat at a ball game at East high school stadium.

### GOES TO FORD



DR. GEORGE W. CARVER

Detroit, Mich. (ANP)—Dr. George Washington Carver, 78, internationally famed wizard of chemistry, will leave Tuskegee institute to work for the Ford Motor company within a few days, it was announced Thursday by Harry H. Bennett, Ford personnel manager.

Dr. Carver, a warm friend of Ford, has previously had several offers from the motor magnate as well as other industrialists but in the past had always turned them down. It is not known what his duties will be, but it is believed he will be occupied in the company's experimental laboratories to aid the war effort.

He will live in a Ford-owned home near the laboratory. The house is unique in that it contains a log of wood from every state in the nation.

For many years, Dr. Carver has been director of the department of agricultural research at Tuskegee.

### EDWIN PATTEN RETURNS TO CAMP CROWDER

Edwin Patten who was called to the city to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Wynonah Patten Anderson, left Thursday to return to Camp Crowder where he is stationed.

### Eastern Stars End Thirty-third Annual Grand Session Here

Delegates represented twenty chapters of the Electa grand chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, the ladies' department of the Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of the Prince Hall Affiliation, which convened here from Tuesday through Thursday in thirty-third annual grand session at the Corinthian Baptist church.

Presiding over the sessions were Mrs. Julia E. Reed of Cedar Rapids, worthy grand matron, and W. C. Buice of Des Moines, worthy grand patron.

A public program of welcome was held Tuesday night at which time Mayor John MacVicar spoke in behalf of the city, Mrs. Susie Goodloe on behalf of the entertaining chapters, Princess Ociel No. 9, Princess Zorah No. 10 and Olive Branch No. 32; William Martin in behalf of the Masonic lodges.

Responses were given by Mrs. Maude M. Brewton of Mason City, a past grand matron; Mrs. Mary Range of Ft. Madison, grand lecturer; G. W. Perkins of Cedar Rapids, associate grand patron and Mrs. Reed, presiding grand matron.

In memorial services a tribute was paid to the memory of the late Mrs. S. Joe Brown, who at the time of her death last November was a past international grand matron of the order and a local chapter member.

### Officers and Delegates

Other officers and delegates attending the grand session were the following: Mrs. Elizabeth Jones of Clarinda, associate worthy grand matron; George Perkins of Cedar Rapids, associate worthy grand patron; Mrs. Mary Green of Des Moines, grand conductress; Mrs. Angie Tate of Cedar Rapids, associate grand conductress; Miss Jessie E. Walker of Marshalltown, grand secretary; Mrs. Rosabelle Sample of Davenport, grand treasurer.

Appointive officers: Mrs. Sophia Nichols of Des Moines, grand marshal; Mrs. Mary Ranges of Ft. Madison, grand lecturer; Mrs. Sergenia Robinson of Muscatine, warden; Miss Lillian Martin of Dubuque, sentinel; Mrs. Odessa Roberts of Cedar Rapids, grand Adah; Mrs. Vicie Raligan of Marshalltown, Ruth; Mrs. Helen Ewing of Des Moines, Esther; Mrs. Lillie Brown of Mason City, Martha; Mrs. Alice Beckley of Burlington, Electa; Mrs. Mamie Hollins of Waterloo, grand chaplain; Mrs. Jessie Newsome of Des Moines, grand chairman of foreign correspondence; Miss Jessie E. Walker of Marshalltown, grand chairman of credentials; Mrs. Eva L. Abbey of Minneapolis, Minn., grand chairman of auditing; Mrs. Maude Brewton of Mason City, grand chairman of returns; Mr. S. Joe Brown, grand chairman of jurisprudence; Miss Evelyn Fultz of Burlington, grand registrar.

Other delegates were: Mrs. Erma Young of Davenport, Mrs. Goldie Lewis, Cedar Rapids, Mrs. Rose Johnson of Cedar Rapids, Mrs. Emma Heron of Clinton, Mrs. Martha Warn of Marshalltown, Mrs. Mary W. Lackey of Waterloo, Mrs. Iona Anderson of Ft. Madison, Mrs. Agnes Eppright of Des Moines.

Among the visitors were Miss Lucy Lawrence of Marshalltown, Mrs. Roxie Green Wheeler of Burlington and Rev. Wm. Berry of Clinton.

### Rev. C. B. Wheeler Elected Sunday School Head; Youth Win Honors

Talented youth won honors Tuesday night in the annual contests of the Iowa, South Dakota, Nebraska and Minnesota Baptist Sunday School convention which were held at the Maple Street Baptist church, as a special event of the sixty-first session which closed Wednesday after a two-day meet.

First-prize in the oratorical group went to Miss Sophia White, a high school graduate of Perry, Ia., who after competing for three years won the convention's silver trophy. Second place in this group went to Julian Winston of Ottumwa, holder of the last year's trophy.

Both contestants spoke from the subject, "The Negro in the Present Crisis."

Winning honors in the music group were: Ewing Ross of West Des Moines, who was awarded first place in the classical division of the voice; Marion Burrell, Ankeny, second vice; Julian Winston, Ottumwa, recording secretary; Jessye Bell-Davis, Des Moines, corresponding secretary; Mrs. I. H. Shelton, Des Moines, treasurer; Billie Walker, Sioux City, organist; Quanzajane McElroy of Des Moines, assistant organist; Odella Daniels, Des Moines, chorist.

In declamatory, Miss Willa Dell Johnson of Marshalltown took the honors with her interpretation of James Weldon Johnson's "Creation."

The contests which always draw an overflowing crowd, were conducted by Mrs. Jessye-Bell Davis. Other youth participating in the contests were Miss Deloris Fields of Des Moines, Miss Katherine Rem of Mason City, Miss Helen Rogers of Des Moines.

Special features of the evening were: selections by Sisters quartet from Moran, Miss Mildred Griffin of Des Moines, the Gospel Four quartet of Waterloo.

### Officers

The sixty-first session of the Iowa

South Dakota, Nebraska and Minnesota Baptist Sunday school convention opened Monday afternoon with the Rev. C. B. Wheeler of St. Paul, Minn., president in charge and the Rev. C. Lopez McAllister as entertaining pastor.

In his annual sermon on Tuesday morning to the convention he stressed the importance of the church concerning itself with "children who are the men and women of tomorrow." He pointed out that eighty-two percent of the church members of today come through the doors of the Sunday school and emphasized that it is the "first duty of the church to preserve its children."

The Rev. Mr. Wheeler was re-elected president of the Sunday School convention at the election of officers which followed his address. Others are: D. M. Mixon of Omaha, first vice; Marion Burrell, Ankeny, second vice; Julian Winston, Ottumwa, recording secretary; Jessye Bell-Davis, Des Moines, corresponding secretary; Mrs. I. H. Shelton, Des Moines, treasurer; Billie Walker, Sioux City, organist; Quanzajane McElroy of Des Moines, assistant organist; Odella Daniels, Des Moines, chorist.

At the close of the Sunday School sessions Wednesday noon the Baptist Training Union opened its thirty-second session at the Maple Street with Mrs. Willa Mae Williams of Ottumwa, president, in charge. Many of the delegates who registered for the Sunday School sessions remained for the BTU meeting and other delegates came.

Among those who registered as delegates for the Sunday School convention were the following:

Sioux City—Rep. and Mrs. B. H. Hunter, Mrs. B. F. Griffin, Billie Walker, Annie Hayes, Rev. E. D. Johnson, Ruth Harris, O. W. Mullin, Mrs. Miers.

Marshalltown—Rev. G. A. Kendrick, Elnora Wilder, Maggie Clark, Evon Longus, Juanita Kendrick, Ida Burton; Perry—Rev. Thomas Lighon Sedora Lewis; Davenport—Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Pollard, Otis Dickerson.

Ottumwa—Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Shaw, Mary Green, Laurence Dulin, Julian Winston, Rhea Winston, Anna Brown, Booker Winston; Orsabor—Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Kendrick, Kirzie King, Stefana Channey, Marion Burrell.

Red Oak—LaVerna Jones; Waterloo—Herman Robinson, P. Berdell, Marion Roberts, Margaret Roberts; Mason City—Rev. J. M. Eaves, Lola Cheatum, Beatrice Jeffries, Florence Little, Katherine Rem.

Cedar Rapids—Rev. and Mrs. D. O. Bell, Opal Davis, Deloris Gibson; Council Bluffs—Rev. and Mrs. Green, Rev. H. St. Clair, D. M. Mixon, Eva Little, George Johnson; Centerville—Janne Reid; Clinton—Mrs. Katie Wallace; Mt. Pleasant—Rev. G. E. Sanders.

Omaha, Nebr.—Rev. H. J. Reynolds, Mrs. J. V. Crawford, Helen Moore, Dorene Speese, Lillian Speese, Ella Burton, Mary Reynolds.

St. Paul, Minn.—Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Wheeler, Rev. Wm. Hicks, Mrs. E. Josephine Hagan, Geraldine Middlecoff, Viola Nash, Mrs. Pearl Combs.

From the local churches were: Maple Street—Rev. C. L. McAllister, Mrs. Opal Jacob, Deloris Fields, Lenore Brown, Eugene Carr; Shiloh—Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Record, Odella Daniels, Dorothy Davis; Union—Rev. Igo Rufus Parker, Q. McElroy; Corinthian—Jean Matthews, Mildred King; Mt. Hebron, West Des Moines—Rev. L. G. Gaffett, Ewing Ross, Evelyn Western.

### MAPLE ST. PASTOR



REV. McALLISTER

Rev. C. Lopez McAllister, pastor of the Maple Street Baptist church, which entertained the sixty-first session of the Iowa, South Dakota, Nebraska and Minnesota Baptist Sunday School convention and the thirty-second session of the B.T.U. convention which convened at his church this week.

### HERE 70 YEARS



R. A. WILBURN

Retired fireman for twelve years, R. A. Wilburn, 1715 Walker, came to Des Moines seventy years ago. He remembers the horse and buggy days here and when "you got to West Fifth street, downtown, you were out in the country." He is one of the pioneer residents who has been a subscriber to the Iowa Bystander since it came into existence, forty-eight years ago, this month.

### FUNERAL RITES FOR JOE GARRETT, MINER

Joe Garrett, 70, a retired coal miner, of 1432 Maryland avenue, died at Broadlawn General hospital Saturday following an illness of several months. He had lived in Des Moines for 42 years.

Services were held Wednesday at Mount Hebron Baptist church in West Des Moines of which he was a member, with burial in Glendale cemetery.

Mr. Garrett is survived by four sons, Corp. Lee Garrett, stationed at Jacksonville, Fla., and Albert, Joe, and Edward of Des Moines, and four brothers and three sisters.

### BITES FOR MRS. CHARLES HILL

Services for Mrs. Charles Hill, 65, 1127 Third street, who died Thursday, June 11, were held Monday afternoon from the L. Fowler and Son funeral home. Burial was at Glendale cemetery. Surviving are her husband, three brothers and two sisters.

## Nearly Half Century Ago Ten Negro Leaders Shared In Establishing Bystander

Here and there—throughout the city are pioneer residents—who remember when the Negro newspaper came into existence.

One little lady, still getting about to public affairs in the city is Mrs. Elvira Shephard, 1214 Laurel street, who remembers when—forty-eight years ago—her husband the late J. H. Shephard and nine other Negro leaders organized the Iowa Bystander, which is celebrating its birthday anniversary this week.

Mrs. Shephard was a girl in "those good old days" and Negroes venturing into the newspaper field was an experiment, that the leaders hoped would prove successful.

Mrs. J. H. McDowell, 1211 Center street, was teaching school in Mucklickon, Iowa, a mining town, when the Bystander was founded. But before its day, the late Mr. McDowell, one of the Negro leaders in the mining camp, was one of the correspondents to the Bystander's predecessor, the Avalanche, and continued his writing of the activities of the large populated Negro town, when the Bystander came into existence.

In an interview with Mrs. McDowell she recalled the good days when Negro teachers were teaching in the public schools—and to mixed classes.

About the early years of 1900 she and her family moved to Des Moines for better educational opportunities for their daughter, she said.

"There were about 10,000 Negroes in and around Des Moines," Mrs. McDowell recalled. Many of them left for other parts of the country when the mining camps closed and other work conditions got poor.

Another resident who came to Des Moines twenty-two years early than the founding of the Bystander is R. A. Wilburn, 1715 Walker avenue, who came to the city from Andrew County, Mo., seventy years ago.

"I was so busy working that I did not have time to keep up with the new businesses that were being established," Mr. Wilburn said and recalled that nearly fifty years ago he was working at the oil mills for twenty-five cents a day.

"I have had four jobs in the seventy years I have been here," he informed as he listed: eleven years in the oil mills, seven years in the barber shop, four and one-half years carrying mail and thirty-three years a fireman.

The retired fireman commented that for twelve years "I have been loafing," which he likes to do, he added.

## NAACP State Branches Hold Successful Confab

The state conference of NAACP branches held its third annual session in Waterloo last Saturday and Sunday with delegates in attendance from Des Moines, Marshalltown, Ottumwa, Ft. Dodge, Mason City and Waterloo. The 1943 conference will be held in Marshalltown, Iowa.

The business sessions were held in the elaborate Six Four Negro Republican Club, a spacious building owned by a group of Waterloo business men and located at 1303 East Fourth street in the down town section, equipped with a splendid cafeteria where meals were served during the day Saturday.

The outstanding feature of this session was the fact that all local arrangements were made by the active Waterloo Youth Council which had adopted for its emblem, the double "V" and had hand made badges for the delegates made in the form of a "V" in red and white on blue colors and hand made programs in the same colors bearing across the front the slogan "Remember Pearl Harbor and Remember Sikeston too."

The morning session was taken up with registration and appointment of committees by Mrs. Georgine C. Morris, state president, and the afternoon with the reports of the branches and committees and election of officers which resulted in the re-election of Mrs. Morris as president and of Rev. Paul Scott of Mason City as first vice; and in the election for the first time of Mrs. Lydia Page, president of the Waterloo branch as second vice, and Mrs. Rose Bannan Johnson of Marshalltown as secretary. Mrs. Bettie Morrow of Des Moines, assistant secretary, Miss Clara Webb of Des Moines and Mr. Ealy Morrow of Marshalltown as treasurer; and the re-election of City S. Joe Brown, Mr. Ike Smalls of Des Moines, and Atty. M. F. Field of Waterloo on the Executive Committee along with one new member in the person of Mr. John McGwinn of Ottumwa.

At the same time the senior conference was in session in the parlors of the club, the first state conference of Iowa Youth Councils held its session and election of officers in the dance hall.

The evening session was held in the dining hall of the spacious Central Y.W.C.A. building down town, where an elaborate banquet was served at tables set to form a double "V" before each place of which stood a miniature American flag in commemoration of the one hundred fifty-sixth anniversary of Flag Day.

The program consisted of a brief but appropriate welcome address by Jack Harris, president of the Waterloo Youth Council and short addresses by Mrs. Morris, senior state president.

Continued on Society Page

Continued on Society Page

Continued on Society Page

Continued on Society Page

## Father's Day Services at Burns Sunday

Beginning the observance of Father's Day at Burns Methodist church, 811 Crocker street Sunday, June 21st, Adjt. General Charles Grahl will address the men of draft age who will shortly be inducted into the armed forces of the nation. This will take place at the 11 o'clock service which is also Men's Day at the church. Another feature of the morning service will be the presentation of the Service flag with its two stars. The first star will be for Technical Sergeant Guy Walker Smith, son of Rev. and Mrs. Luther Henry Smith, who is now stationed at Washington, D. C. and Chaplain First Lt. John Chester Bain, who has been the pastor for nearly 17 years and a half. Chaplain Bain now stationed at a camp in Texas.

At the afternoon service, 3 o'clock, Judge Cooley of the Municipal Court will be the special speaker. Members of Lincoln Post No. 126 American Legion are invited as special guests, and Burns Men's Chorus will furnish special music at all services.

At the same time the senior conference was in session in the parlors of the club, the first state conference of Iowa Youth Councils held its session and election of officers in the dance hall.

Continued on Society Page

Continued on Society Page

Continued on Society Page

Continued on Society Page

WHERE TO ATTEND CHURCH IN DES MOINES

Bethel A. M. E. Church. Rev. W. F. Ogeiton, Pastor. 1324 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. F. Fant, superintendent.

BURNS METHODIST CHURCH. 311 Crocker Street. 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.

ST. PAUL A. M. E. CHURCH. Rev. H. C. Boyd, Pastor. 12th and Crocker. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m., A.C.E. League, 6:30 p.m. Official Board Monday 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 the Sabbath, from 10 a.m. until sundown. All are welcome. Evangelist E. Williams in charge.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH. Rev. T. K. Igo, Pastor. East Sixteenth and University Ave. Morning worship at 11:00 Sunday school at 9:30, B.Y.P.U. at 6:30 P. week prayer service at 7:45. Choir rehearsal Friday evening at 8:00, Dr. L. R. Willis, director.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH. Rev. C. A. Record, pastor; 1213 Scott street; Sunday school 9:45 a.m. Morning worship 11:00 a.m. B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p.m. Evening worship 7:30 p.m. Tuesday 7:30 p.m. Senior Choir rehearsal, Wednesday 7:30 p.m. Midweek Prayer service, Friday 7:30 p.m. Junior Choir rehearsal. You are welcome to our services.

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST CLEVELAND AVENUE. East Seventeenth and Cleveland, Elder C. J. Jackson, pastor. The order of services is as follows: Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Morning service at 12 o'clock (noon); Y.P.W.W. League at 6:30. Tuesday and Friday services at 8 p.m.

MARSHALLTOWN, IA. By Richard Clark 710 W. Madison

Marshalltown, Ia.—A Children's Day program was presented June 14 at the Second Baptist church with Miss Dorothy Lee Ragland acting as mistress of ceremonies. Mrs. Addie Howard, Miss Mamie Gardner, Mrs. Rose Johnson, Mrs. Arbella Taylor and son, Leonard, Miss Margaret Dobbin and James Spencer all went to Waterloo last week to attend the NAACP state conference. Mrs. W. H. Clark, Misses Yvonne Longus and Elnora Wilder all went to Des Moines as delegates to the Baptist District Sunday School convention. Miss Nettie Johnson went to Iowa City to enter the State hospital last week. Visitors from Cedar Rapids and Waterloo last Sunday were Jerome Tate, Raymond Washington, Frank Lee, Emmette Blakey, Arthur Moore, James (Brother) Allen and Hayes Tyson.

JACK'S PLACE. 418 E. Walnut. USED PLUMBING. TOOLS, STOVES, ICE BOXES. F. E. BROWN. WATCHMAKER and JEWELER. West Des Moines, Iowa. George E. Turner, M. D. EYEGLASSES. New Location—222 5th St. Phone 236—West Des Moines, Ia.

FT. DODGE, IOWA

FT. Dodge, Iowa.—Mrs. Helen Campbell is spending some time at home with her mother, Mrs. Helen Johnson, before leaving for Michigan to join her husband. Emma V. Kelley Temple No. 726 elected Daughter Ruler Mrs. Helen Johnson to attend the annual Elks convention in Kansas City. The Misses Evelyn Patterson and Pearl Howard attended the Youth Council Conference in Waterloo. Miss Hattie Lewis has returned home from junior college to spend the summer. Miss Violet Johnson attended the Baptist church convention in Des Moines. Miss Elsie Lockman has gone to Lake Okoboji to spend the summer months. Miss Darlene Blanks of Perry is visiting here. John Wilson and William Shelby have left the city to work in Omaha.

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST East Seventeenth and University. Elder F. T. Taylor, Pastor. Sunday School at 10:30 a.m. Preaching at 12 o'clock (noon). Y. P. W. W. at 6:30 p.m. Regular services Tuesdays and Friday nights at 8 p.m. Elder Richard Bogie, assistant pastor. You are welcome to our services.

CARD OF THANKS. We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors for their kindnesses, courtesies, beautiful floral offerings, donation of cars and sympathies extended to us at the death of our beloved one, Wynonah Patten Anderson. Signed by Robert and Margaret Patten and family, Atty. and Mrs. W. Lawrence Oliver, and William Estell Anderson and family.

MITE MISSIONARY MEETS AT CLINTON. Clinton, Iowa.—The Northwestern Conference Branch Women's Mite Missionary Society of the African Methodist Episcopal church will convene at Bethel A.M.E. church here June 24 and 25 with the Rt. Rev. John A. Gregg presiding. Mrs. Mattie Boyd is president; Rev. W. H. Ogleton, presiding elder; Rev. W. M. Berry, pastor.

JACK'S PLACE. 418 E. Walnut. USED PLUMBING. TOOLS, STOVES, ICE BOXES. F. E. BROWN. WATCHMAKER and JEWELER. West Des Moines, Iowa. George E. Turner, M. D. EYEGLASSES. New Location—222 5th St. Phone 236—West Des Moines, Ia.

THRIFT OIL COMPANY. Home owned. Sells nothing but highest quality products at lowest possible price. Always ready to serve the customers. Look for our signs. When in need of GASOLINE and OIL. Locations—27th and Grand. E. 17th and Grand. 20th and Hubbell. 1631 Murray St. 7th and Railroad, W. Des Moines.

Eye Colors Follow Rules. Heredity determines to a large extent the kind of eyes that a child will possess in starting its life. Strong eyes, like other physical characteristics, run in some families. Similarly, eye weaknesses—such as blindness, night blindness, near-sightedness or a predisposition towards cataracts—frequently are inherited from parents. Color of eyes follows fairly rigid rules. If one parent comes from a family all of whom have black eyes, it is almost certain that the child will have black eyes, regardless of the color of the other parent. In the case of two blue-eyed parents, the child in all probability will have blue eyes.

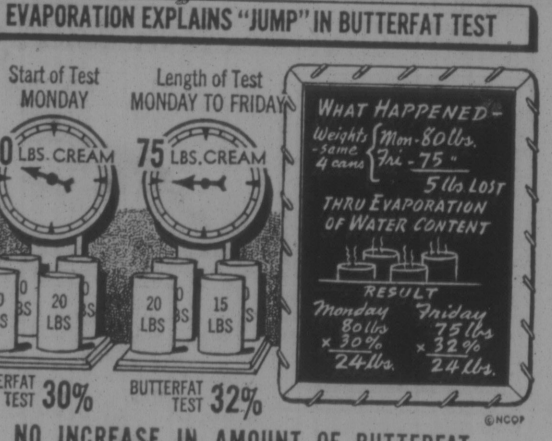
Found His Own Teeth. Not a day passes in Montreal but some forgetful passenger on a Canadian train leaves something in a sleeping car or diner. The "lost and found" department is the clearing house for inquiries. One morning a sleeping car porter turned in a set of false teeth which he said he found in the wash room. He was back in "lost and found" a few hours later, looking sheepish, to report the loss of his own set of store teeth. He was shown the ones he had turned in and promptly claimed them as his own. "It shows the honesty of us C.N.R. porters," he laughed, explaining he had forgotten he carried a spare set when on the road.

Library of Congress Serves Whole Nation. The Library of Congress, which was established in 1800 primarily for the service of congress, has become, in effect, the national library of the United States. Its main support is congressional appropriations, but it also has use of income from funds received from

Buy War Bonds Every Pay Day Let's Double Our Quota



Been in a DRAFT? gargle Listerine. Like wet feet and fatigue, drafts weaken body resistance so that germs associated with colds may get the upper hand. Help Nature to overcome such germs on throat surfaces by gargling with Listerine Antiseptic at the first symptom of an irritated throat or an incoming cold. This pleasant precaution, taken promptly and frequently, may spare you a long, unpleasant siege. Lambert Pharmaceutical Co., St. Louis, Mo. Kills germs associated with colds.



It's natural to want to believe it—the idea that as cream sours its butterfat content increases—but it just isn't so. Take the word of experts whose business it is to check up on such things. They will also tell that this erroneous idea costs farmers many thousands of dollars each year. Carefully controlled scientific investigations at the various agricultural colleges prove positively that souring does not increase the butterfat content of cream—it merely makes it look thicker and richer. What these tests do show is that the normal, natural evaporation of moisture from the cream in the process of souring causes an increase in the butterfat percentage, not in the actual content of the butterfat. This fact is illustrated in the chart above. Eighty pounds of cream testing 30 per cent butterfat represent a butterfat content of 24 pounds of fat. Four days later the same cans of cream weigh only 75 pounds but

foundations and private sources. The librarians, appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the senate, is vested with direction of the library and is authorized to make all rules and regulations for its operation and to apply all members of the staff. Its functions include all matters relating to procurement of material and making it useful to congress, the governmental establishment in general and the public at large. Use of the library for references is free to the public and its services are extended through an inter-library loan system, photoduplication of books, manuscripts, the sale of printed catalogue cards and the maintenance of a Union catalogue.

Hens Harm Hogs. It is very bad for pigs to let chickens stray into their pens, the U.S. department of agriculture warns. Not that the hogs are henpecked. But chickens are carriers of avian tuberculosis, to which swine are more susceptible than the fowls themselves.

Cranberries. Long ago and far before any white man stepped on our shores, the shrewd native Indian recognized cranberries as a wholesome "medicinal berry" and anticipated its health and vitamin values by several hundred years. It was the Indian squaw who taught the Pilgrim Mother how to cook this sour berry growing outside her door, and how to serve it with wild turkey, rabbit and game. Later, the New England sea captains took barrels of cranberries along with them on their sailings around the Horn, and observant ones noted that the crew seemed less subject to scurvy.

Cause of Peru's Infertility. The seacoast of Peru is a desert of rock and sand, because no rain clouds from the Atlantic can cross the high Andean summits, while the cold waters of the Humboldt current sweeping up from the Antarctic make the winter climate foggy and dismal—and winter in this latitude means the time from June to August. Yet Peru lies entirely within the tropics, and wherever there is water along the otherwise barren coast, the soil yields rich returns. Each river valley, every irrigated section, is green with fields of cotton, sugar-cane, corn, vineyards and fruits.

BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS STAMPS



MURINE FOR YOUR EYES. QUICKLY RELIEVES IRRITATED, REDDED EYES. RECOMMENDED FOR 40 YEARS.

themselves. This has been proved in experiments carried out by scientists of the Bureau of Animal Husbandry at the Beltsville, Md., Research center. Fifty chickens and 31 hogs, all reacting negatively to the standard tuberculin known to be tubercular. They were kept together for a year, when the tuberculin test was repeated. Positive reactions were obtained from 93.5 per cent of the hogs, whereas only 54 per cent of the previously nontubercular chickens reacted.

Long ago and far before any white man stepped on our shores, the shrewd native Indian recognized cranberries as a wholesome "medicinal berry" and anticipated its health and vitamin values by several hundred years. It was the Indian squaw who taught the Pilgrim Mother how to cook this sour berry growing outside her door, and how to serve it with wild turkey, rabbit and game. Later, the New England sea captains took barrels of cranberries along with them on their sailings around the Horn, and observant ones noted that the crew seemed less subject to scurvy.

The seacoast of Peru is a desert of rock and sand, because no rain clouds from the Atlantic can cross the high Andean summits, while the cold waters of the Humboldt current sweeping up from the Antarctic make the winter climate foggy and dismal—and winter in this latitude means the time from June to August. Yet Peru lies entirely within the tropics, and wherever there is water along the otherwise barren coast, the soil yields rich returns. Each river valley, every irrigated section, is green with fields of cotton, sugar-cane, corn, vineyards and fruits.

STATE OF IOWA, POLK COUNTY, ss. No. 28402. Docket No. 37 Transcript. A. Dean Flanders, Assignee. Plaintiff. Bos Freight Lines, Inc., a Corporation, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of a Transcript executed to me directed by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, against the goods, chattels, lands, tenements, etc., of Bos Freight Lines, Inc., a Corporation, defendant in favor of A. Dean Flanders, Assignee, Plaintiff, I have levied on and will offer at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at the East Front Door of the Polk County, Iowa, Court House in the city of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on the 17th day of July, 1942, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, all of the right, title and interest of said defendant in and to the following described property, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

ORIGINAL NOTICE IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF IOWA, IN AND FOR POLK COUNTY.

Peter George and David George, a co-partnership, doing business under the firm name of George Brothers, Carlton D. Beh Company, Ballard-Bassett Company, Iowa Des Moines National Bank & Trust Company, Trustee for Carlton D. Beh Company and Ballard-Bassett Company; The Hamilton Carhart Over-Company; C. Glenn Garman; Iowa Guarantee Mortgage Corporation; Brauner, Brody, Carlton & Parker, a co-partnership, United States of America; Board of Des Moines Waterworks Trust; City of Des Moines, Iowa; J. E. Ballie, County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa; L. O. Linstrom, County Auditor of Polk County, Iowa; Polk County, Iowa; and all unknown claimants, unknown heirs, legatees, devisees, spouses, minors, incompetents, guardians, administrators, executors, trustees, successors in interest, grantees, assignees, or any other person whatsoever claiming any right, title or interest in and to the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lots Four (4) and Five (5) in Block One (1) in Highlawn, an Official Plat, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa. Defendants.

IONE'S EAT SHOP. SPECIALIZING IN Uncle Harold's Barbecue. What Ione's Southern Fried Chicken. Featuring Ione's homemade Chili—Delicious hamburgers. Short Orders — Breakfast — Dinners. Hours from 6 a.m. to 2 a.m. 1008 Center Street.

Overtons Laundry Dry Cleaning. 10 percent off for cash and carry. Guaranteed work at a price you can afford to pay. 818 E. 14th St. Ph. 6-1910.

Dr. W. J. Ritchey DENTIST. HOURS: 9 to 1 — 2 to 6. PHONE 9-8411. Office over 517 Mulberry street.



APPLIANCE REPAIRS. If you have any "disabled" Electric Appliances at your house, have them repaired and put back to work to save you time and labor. Frayed cords, broken plugs and other minor repairs can be quickly and inexpensively made.

SEE YOUR DEALER OR Des Moines Electric Light Company. 312 Sixth Avenue. Phone 4-2131. "Electricity Is CHEAP In Des Moines"

Most WOMEN of "MIDDLE AGE" 38-52 yrs. old Suffer Distress At This Time— If this period in a woman's life makes you cranky, nervous, blue at times, suffer weakness, dizziness, hot flashes, distress of "irregularities". Try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—made especially for women—famous for helping relieve distress due to this functional disturbance. Taken regularly—Pinkham Compound helps build up resistance against annoying symptoms due to this cause. Thousands upon thousands of women report benefit! Follow label directions. Worth trying!

(1) in Highlawn, an Official Plat, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa. Defendants. To all of the above named defendants, You and each of you are hereby notified that the petition of the above named plaintiff in the above entitled cause is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, claiming and alleging that the plaintiff is the absolute owner in fee simple of the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

Lots Four (4) and Five (5) in Block One (1) in Highlawn, an Official Plat, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa. Defendants. You and each of you are hereby notified that the petition of the above named plaintiff in the above entitled cause is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, claiming and alleging that the plaintiff is the absolute owner in fee simple of the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

And unless you appear and defend therein to said Court on or before noon of the second day of the next term of said court being the July, 1942 Term thereof which will be begun and held at the Polk County District Court House at Des Moines, Iowa, on July 6, 1942 default will be entered against you and decree rendered as prayed for in plaintiff's petition except as herein provided. Dated this 28th day of May, 1942. SWITZER, JACKSON, CRAWFORD & CLAIRBORN, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Published in the Iowa Bystander June 1, 1942, and 18, 1942.

Refresh them with MURINE FOR YOUR EYES. Murine soothes, cleanses and refreshes irritated, reddened membranes caused by head colds, driving winds, movies, close work, late hours. Free dropper with each bottle. At all Drug Stores.

Biscuits-muffins-cakes are sure to be just what you want—light, delicious and of fine texture.

KC BAKING POWDER. Economical—Efficient. Use only one level teaspoonful to a cup of sifted flour for most recipes. MILLIONS OF POUNDS HAVE BEEN USED BY OUR GOVERNMENT.

# DINNER AKEIGHT SOCIETY



## MISS IDELLA REEVES AND PVT WILLARD CUSHING WED

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Reeves, 1029 Thirteenth street, wish to announce the marriage of their daughter, Idella to Pvt. Willard Cushingberry of Ft. Belvoir, Va. The marriage took place in Bethany, Mo., on June 10.

## FINIS BILLINGSLEY CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Finis Billingsley celebrated his tenth birthday Monday, June 8, at a birthday party given by his mother at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Russell Reeves, 1100 School street.

The guests had loads of fun with games. Little Miss Vonda Lee Carr thought of a guessing game that everyone played as they wished Finis the best of luck. Finis received many nice gifts.

## ALLENS AND DACUSES TO LEAVE SUNDAY FOR MINNESOTA

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dacus will leave the city Sunday for a week's vacation trip at Crosby, Minn.

## MRS. SCOTT HOSTESS TO BUSY BEE CIRCLE

Mrs. G. W. Scott was hostess on June 11 to the Busy Bee Sewing Circle at her home at 981 24th street. A large membership was present.

## MRS. HARPER AND CHILDREN VISIT MORGAN FAMILY

Mrs. W. C. Harper, wife of Dr. W. H. Harper, and children, Beatrice, Ida Mae and William Jr., of Keokuk, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Morrow and family this past week end.

## MISS BARTLETT HERE

Miss Marian Bartlett, public school teacher in Moberly, Mo., is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. Corinne Adams.

## MISS THOMPSON HERE FOR VACATION

Miss Enola Thompson, teacher in the public schools of Kansas City, Kas., is spending part of her summer vacation here with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Thompson, and family.

## MISS GENEVA MORROW HOME FOR SUMMER

Miss Geneva Morrow daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Morrow, instructor at Tennessee State college, has returned home for the summer vacation.

## MISS SANDERS IS A VISITOR HERE

Miss Virginia Sanders of Muncie, Ind., arrived here Sunday for an indefinite stay with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ward of 1131 Eleventh street.

## GO TO WATERLOO TO NAACP MEET

Accompanying Miss Clara Webb to the Iowa Conference of NAACP Branches which met in Waterloo during the week end were Mrs. Naomi Webb, Mrs. Mary Lee Williams, Mr. Luther Glanton, Charles Howard, Jr., and Charles Johnson. Mr. Howard is advisor of the local council and Mr. Johnson is president of the local group.

## MISS GRACE FERGUSON GOES TO NEW YORK FOR NURSE TRAINING

Miss Grace Ferguson of Pershing, Iowa, left the city Sunday night to enter a nurses training school at one of the hospitals in New York City. She will join her sister, Miss Gertrude Ferguson who is a registered nurse in New York. While working in Des Moines Miss Ferguson was week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dacus.

## TALBERT CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL DINNER

The Mary E. Talbert club held its annual dinner June 11 at the home of Mrs. Lucy Robinson at 1146 Enos. A two-course dinner was served. Guests were Mesdames Adelaide Brinker, Luther Brown, Alice Crowder, Henry Manuel, Bessie Camel, Irene Casson, Mary Jones Tillman, Helen Hillen, Loretta Hunter, Mrs. A. Brown of Oklahoma, Miss Nettie Bourland.

## MRS. BESHEARS ON EXECUTIVE BOARD

Mrs. Helen D. Beshears was elected to the executive board of the Des Moines Social Service club this week. Carl Parks, attorney for the Polk County Welfare Association, was elected president; Mrs. Harriett McGee of Polk County Welfare, vice president; Mrs. Erma Newman of St. Monica's Home, secretary-treasurer.

## COMMUNITY CENTERS ACTIVITIES

Colonel Don Faith will be the guest speaker Wednesday, June 24. He will speak on the WAAC. The Community Sing will be Friday, June 26. Everyone come out and sing with us. The Tuesday afternoon card-party will be this Tuesday, June 23. Benefit will be a War Bond for the Community Center. Enroll for your swimming classes now. Adult class to be at West high. Call the center for further information. Home Nursing classes start next week at West high. Enroll now for classes Thursday. First Aid classes start Thursday, June 25. Call center and enroll. Register Monday, June 22, for Home Camp starting Tuesday, the first outing will be Wednesday, June 24, each child is to bring his lunch and be at the Center at 9:00 Wednesday morning.

## D. M. BOYS ENROLL AT AMES COLLEGE

Tom Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Kelley, 1043 17th street, and Elwood Simmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Simmons, 1235 McCormick street, left the city last week to enroll in the Iowa State College at Ames, Iowa. Both boys are June graduates, Kelley of North and Simmons of East.

### PERSONAL TOUCH

By MARIE ROSS

The most popular subject of the week or even this month is "conventions." Many who rushed to Waterloo during the week end to attend the NAACP and Youth Councils state meetings were rising early Monday morning—tired and sleepy—to register for the Sunday School and B.Y.P.U. conventions which met at Maple street. Some of the delegates to the Sunday School met divided their time attending the public meetings and sessions of the Order of the Eastern Star which convened in the meantime at Corinthian church. While some were attending conventions others are getting ready to go to Kansas City next week for the Elks convention. Daughters are getting new uniforms ready for the big parade. Club women are buzzing getting their "federated" business ready for the Association which convenes next month.

## State Youth Councils Are Organized

(See front Page)

dent and Atty. S. Joe Brown, only national board member in the state of Iowa, interspersed by appropriately improvised pep songs led by Miss Ada Treadwell, with special musical numbers contributed by Mr. Tanner, a blind member of the Waterloo Youth Council and by a girls trio also from the Waterloo Youth Council.

At the conclusion of the banquet Atty. Brown, formally installed the first set of officers of the Iowa Youth Council in the persons of: Mary Jane Saunders, Waterloo, president; Tilton Dant, Ottumwa, first vice president; Pearl Howard, Ft. Dodge, second vice; Paul Martin, Waterloo, secretary; Margaret Dobbins, Marshalltown, assistant secretary; Irma Hill, Ft. Dodge, treasurer, after which the seniors departed, but the Youth remained for a dancing party also arranged by the Waterloo Youth Council. Miss Clara Webb was appointed state director of Youth Councils.

On Sunday the delegates to both the senior and junior conferences attended service at the St. John-A.M.E. church where the pastor the Rev. W. H. Thomassen delivered a sermon which was a challenge, especially to the youth to follow a course of veracity and integrity, using the characters of Ananias and Sapphira as glowing examples of the course they should avoid.

At one o'clock the delegates attended a complimentary luncheon in the dining hall of the Catholic church of St. Peter Claver, which was also served by a committee from the Waterloo Youth Council, under the guidance of Rev. Roman Foley, the pastor and Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Ferguson, prominent members of this church.

The concluding session was held at the St. John church where crowds overflowed for the mass meeting. Musical numbers were offered by the Hackett Sisters, Mr. Eugene Rogers, pianist; and a quartet of young women from the Waterloo Baptist church. Miss Sophia White, high school graduate of Perry, Ia., winner of many state oratorical contests, handled in a masterly way, an address from the subject, "The Negro in the Defense Program."

### Resolutions

In the resolutions adopted the conference "commended the various branches of the state for their splendid work done during the past year, and especially the Des Moines branch which has more than doubled its membership; and the Ottumwa branch for its prompt action in demanding and securing from the Board of Education of Ottumwa, a demand for apologies from the recent commencement day speaker who so far-

### 3 WAYS TO BUY at GATELY'S

1. For Cash 2. 30 Day Charge Acct 3. On Cheerful Credit SIX MONTHS TO PAY

## Don't Miss This!

# COATS and SUITS

Newest Styles \$12.98

Buy One of Each!

## GATELY'S

807 WALNUT

---

### S. B. GARTON

Specializing in Health BREADS

Pies - Cakes - Cookies

We appreciate your patronage

Phone 5-9523

## YOUTH DIRECTOR



MISS CLARA WEBB  
Miss Clara Webb of Des Moines, was appointed as state director of the Youth Councils at the meeting of the Iowa State Branches of the NAACP which met at Waterloo during the week end.

got himself as to use words of derision of our racial group in a high school commencement address. Another resolution recommended that the "branches petition the governor of the state of Iowa to integrate Negroes into the Home Guard and authorize the enlistment of Negro personnel."

## WEST DES MOINES, IA.

West Des Moines, Ia.—Mrs. Helen Ross has returned from a ten days visit with relatives in Kansas City, Mo. While there he visited the Little Church Around the Corner, better known as the Metropolitan Church of the Air.

Guests at Mt. Hebron church Sunday, June 14, were soldiers from Ft. Des Moines Army Camp.

## MRS. DURNTON ILL.

Mrs. Jennie Durnton, West Des Moines has been seriously ill at her home.

## Greetings to The Bystander on Your 48th Anniversary

DES MOINES BRANCH NAACP  
IKE SMALLS, President QUENTIN MEASE, Sec'y

## BOOKEY PACKING COMPANY

Packers of BEEF - VEAL - LAMB  
Offices and Plant  
East Eighteenth and Scott Streets  
DES MOINES, IOWA

## Berline Beauty Shoppe

Lustrous Curls Make Gorgeous Girls  
Murlean Wells, Dora Mackay, Helen Bolden, Operators  
1206 Center Phone 3-8009

## Gonna "Pitch Woo" tonight?

Okay! Before you start forth to turn on your charms, take care that you haven't got halitosis (bad breath). That's one thing a girl won't tolerate. So if you want to make a bit red as at your best, rinse the mouth with Listerine Antiseptic. It makes your breath cleaner, fresher, less likely to offend.

\*Although systemic conditions sometimes cause halitosis, fortunately the most common cause, say some authorities, is fermentation of food particles in the mouth. Listerine quickly halts such fermentation and overcomes its odors.

Lambert Pharmaceutical Co., St. Louis, Mo.

Before Any Date Use

## LISTERINE ANTISEPTIC

To Make Your Breath Sweeter

## Morganatic Marriage

A morganatic marriage, which sometimes is called a left-handed marriage because the left rather than the right hand often is given in the ceremony, is the form of marriage which male members of some of the royal families of Europe and certain nobility formerly belonging to reigning families may contract with a woman of inferior rank. The wife does not acquire and the children of the marriage do not inherit the rank of the husband or father and the children do not succeed either to the father's public position or to the property annexed to that position and belonging to him in virtue of his title. In some states, a morganatic wife or her children have no rights of succession in the private property of the husband, excepting under will or marriage settlement. The term also is applied when a woman of nobility marries a man who is her social inferior.

## Again—Life on Mars??

Recent calculations using new data on the transmissivity of the earth's atmosphere confirm estimates made 17 years ago that the average surface temperature of the darkest areas on the planet Mars during the long summer rises above freezing, indicating that plant and animal life could be sustained if it could be shown that ample oxygen and water are present.

## Brazil's Diamond Center

Diamantina, Minas Geras, is the center of the diamond industry in Brazil. In the two countries since the discovery, more than four tons of diamonds have been produced. The largest one is called the Regent of Portugal and would be worth more than one million dollars today. Another, the Star of the South, is owned by one of the wealthy rulers of India. While the diamond has always been considered the most precious stone, three-fourths of them are used for commercial purposes.

## War demands much from TRANSPORTATION

Please shop after 10—start home before 4  
DES MOINES RAILWAY CO.

## MAYS LUNCH

Meals 20 cents, 25 cents and 30 cents.  
Sandwiches 10 cents  
221 1/2 LOCUST  
EVERYBODY WELCOME

## QUINTUPLETS relieve misery of CHEST COLDS

this good old reliable way

At the first sign of the Dionne Quintuplets catching cold—their chests and throats are rubbed with Musterole—a product made especially to promptly relieve distress of colds and resulting bronchial and croupy coughs.

The Quints have always had expert care, so mothers—be assured of using just about the BEST product made when you use Musterole. It's more than an ordinary "salve"—Musterole helps break up local congestion!

IN 3 STRENGTHS: Children's Mild Musterole, Also Regular and Extra Strength for grown-ups who prefer a stronger product. All drugstores.

## MUSTEROLE

## ABBE WALLACE

NOTICE TO READERS. You may have your own human relation problem analyzed FREE in this column. Please include a clipping of this column with your letter.

For a PRIVATE REPLY send a quarter (25c) for ABBE'S ASTROLOGY READING covering your birthdate; you will receive free with your reading a confidential letter of frank and understanding advice analyzing three (3) questions presently.

Sign your full name, birthdate, and correct address to all letters. Include a self-addressed, STAMPED ENVELOPE for your reply and explain your case as fully as you feel necessary. Confine your problems within the scope of human reasoning.

Send your letter to: ABBE WALLACE SERVICE, P. O. BOX 11, ATLANTA, GEORGIA.

C. C. X.—My father is old and unable to work. My mother works and takes care of us but she really isn't able. Now I have looked for a job for six months and can't seem to find one. Do a poor girl a favor and tell her how to get money to live on.

Ans.: It's a waste of time to be searching for "easy money" as you can expect no more than what you work for. An able bodied woman of your age could find work... get out and begin a grand search right away. It is a shame to sit around at home month in and month out without even trying to find work. Your mother isn't able to make the living for you and your father. Decide right now that you are going to find work before the week is out and do not stop until you do.

M. G. R.—My first husband died in 36 and I married the second time. The second man was so disagreeable I am sorry to say that I ever saw him. I did everything to prove a true wife, but he went from bad to worse. He has been gone 10 months, I do not care to live with him again so tell me what to do.

Ans.: There would be no point in trying to live with this man again when you realize the marriage was a mistake. Get your divorce and go your way alone. Your second marriage was not based on love... it's impossible to get along when there is no love and understanding between you. The next time you get ready to marry... be sure you marry for something more than convenience and a meal ticket.

S. T.—Tell me if I will be able to scare up enough money to go to beauty school this year?

Ans.: Your parents won't be able to help you with your tuition... but they can give you a place to stay

and feed you until you finish the course. My suggestion is that you get a job and start saving money for this course and enter the fall classes.

P. L. P.—My mother-in-law refuses to live with any of her children except my husband. Will she always live with us? Home isn't very happy as you may guess. When I take my trip should I stay?

Ans. It is necessary that you maintain reserve in dealing with your mother-in-law. Any dislike that you may have for her would have a tendency to make your husband resentful and hateful towards you. Take the trip you have planned but return at the time you specify to your husband. When you return, it would be a very appropriate time to encourage your mother-in-law to visit her children. If you can get her away, she may find that she enjoys visiting more than she thinks she does.

Compliments on  
Your 48th Anniversary

North Star Lodge No. 2  
A. F. & A. M.  
William Martin, Jr., W.M.  
R. S. Sims, Secretary

### OVER THE TOP FOR VICTORY

with UNITED STATES WAR BONDS-STAMPS

## BIG DALLAS CHUNKS SAYS

You either get coal this summer or cold in December  
Place your order for

Big Dallas Chunks—Dallas Red-hot Egg Coal  
HYINK COAL COMPANY  
CROCKER AT KEO PHONE 3-3433

### ROOFING — SIDING — INSULATION

## GLOBE ROOFING PRODUCTS CO., Dist's

400 EAST LOCUST STREET  
Special Representative, W. B. WILSON  
Res. Phone 6-1833

## "MAN TROUBLE" might happen TO YOU!

Take no chances! If your hair is dull, faded, sprinkled with gray, Godefroy's Larieuse will make "him" admire it again!

"Man trouble" often results from a wife's neglect of her personal appearance. Don't let that happen to you! Remember, you won your man by making yourself attractive to him. Hold him by staying attractive. If faded, discolored, gray-streaked hair spoils your appearance, use Godefroy's Larieuse Hair Coloring.

Almost instantly your hair will take on new color... will sparkle with dancing highlights! Coloring won't rub off or wash out. Permits curling, marcel, permanent waves. Known and used for 45 years. Satisfaction guaranteed or your money back. Ask for Larieuse (LARRY-USE). Look for the red box. If your dealer doesn't have it, send \$1.25 direct to...

## GODEFROY'S Larieuse

HAIR Coloring

GODEFROY BROS. CO., 218 SOUTH 7th ST., DES MOINES, IOWA

# EDITORIALS - FEATURES - SPORTS

THIS NEWSPAPER, IOWA'S OLDEST NEGRO WEEKLY IS AN INSTITUTION DEVELOPED FOR AND BY THE PEOPLE OF IOWA AND THE MIDDLEWEST TO PRESENT THE NEWS OF THE DAY, FOSTER BETTER RACE RELATIONS, LEAD PUBLIC OPINION AND TO CONTEND FOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS OF ALL THE PEOPLE AT ALL TIMES.

## The Iowa Bystander

Established in 1894

Published in Des Moines, Iowa, Thursday of each week by the Bystander Publishing Company, Room 222 1-2 Locust street. Dial 3-2822

Entered at the post office in Des Moines as second class matter.

James B. Morris, Editor and Publisher  
221 1-2 Locust street.  
Dial 3-2822.

Subscription rates payable in advance.

One year.....\$1.75  
Six Months.....1.00

W. B. Ziff Co., Foreign Advertising Agency  
608 So. Dearborn St., Chicago.  
310 Walter Bldg., Atlanta, Ga.  
851 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y.

### OUR FORTY-EIGHTH BIRTHDAY

This week, The Bystander celebrates its forty-eighth anniversary. Because of the changes in management from time to time, some confusion has arisen as to the exact volume to be carried. However, the paper was established in 1894—so this fact given by some of its original founders added to the further fact that this date has been carried in the paper sets the matter definitely once and for all.

In this day when everything is directed at winning the war, citizens are inclined to miss many of the things we have emphasized in years gone by. But be that as it may, our established institutions must be maintained; the home front must be kept in tact; and it is for these reasons that we follow our custom of recent years by publishing an anniversary issue.

Don't many business institutions continue for forty-eight years. This is particularly true among those operated by Negroes. But the type of business has something to do with its life span. For most of these years, the Bystander has been the only Negro paper in the state. Others have come and gone. However, its publishers along with the public generally, have recognized the importance of a publication devoted to the interest of the Negro particularly and have put forth an unusual effort to see that the Bystander survived.

Few people unassociated with a weekly paper recognize the great difficulty that accompanies their existence. Most of us are inclined to take their publication as a matter in which they have no particular concern even though they read them regularly. But they should and that interest may be shown in many ways. And some of these we suggest:

1. Giving information to the paper that it may print the news.
2. Reading the paper regularly and paying for a subscription.
3. Making intelligent criticism to the paper.

4. Supporting its advertisers. No paper can satisfy everybody. But if the readers do their duty they can help the publishers print as large and as interesting a paper as their assistance permits. After all, the management can go no faster or further than the public helps it go.

The Bystander appreciates that many people have done these things already. It appreciates that knowing full well that otherwise it could not have weathered these forty-eight years without that help.

In the future we shall go forward knowing full well that we do have the goodwill and support of many people and business firms who want the paper to continue; who know the need for a paper which attempts to give the news about what the Negro is doing; which interprets the feeling and sentiment of the Negro in public matters of interest to them in particular and all the people generally.

The Bystander can but say to all the people that its policy will continue which has been characterized by fairness to the public, loyalty to the community and nation; reliable in the publication of the news; an interpretation of public questions to the best interest of the people.

### HEADED WRONG

Several days ago, the Sun Shipbuilding corporation of Pennsylvania announced that an all-Negro shipyard would be established at Chester, Pa., employing several thousand

people. The project would be managed by Negroes from top to bottom.

At first thought, to many, the project sounds fine. But the Bystander does not share that view. And it takes that position because we have felt it wrong to establish an institution excluding Negroes; it is equally wrong to exclude white people from working at any one place.

Then there arises the question of migration of workers. In all parts of the country are Negro ship workers. All these people are not migratory workers; they are interested in working where they have lived and established homes. And while Negroes should not be excluded from jobs in any shipyard, employers in these will be inclined to suggest that they go to the Sun Company for employment.

In the interest of the war effort, we hope the venture works, but however altruistic the project has its dangers that ought not be enlarged.

### BOOK REVIEW

By LOUISE GLASS

#### PEARL BUCK SPEAKS FOR DEMOCRACY

To Colored Americans—Common Council for American Unity, New York City.

Sometime ago we were interested in a letter written by Pearl Buck to the New York Times, in which she gave her fellow citizens of the United States a good going over because of their hypocritical so-called democracy.

In a brochure containing that same letter, another letter by this gifted author appeals to us the Negro citizens. She asks us to be too big to stoop to revenge. The entire letter—every single word—should be read. But here are some of the outstanding paragraphs or parts of paragraphs:

“The real issue in this war is a single one—it is a war between the democracies who admit the principle that men and women should think and speak and work in freedom, and the Axis rulers who deny freedom even as a principle.”

“You have a peculiar responsibility to that world, a responsibility to think in terms of the whole human race, to think of freedom in the largest possible sense and to consider the most likely means by which freedom may be established as a common human principle.”

“I am asking you to help this uncertain white American to understand you as a human being, to trust you as his equal so that he may be convinced that if you are given freedom equal to his, you will not think of revenge and liberty only for yourselves but still of ordered freedom and equality for humanity.”

“For if those who have suffered learn nothing from their suffering, then—the world is lost indeed. Who can fight so well for freedom as those who know what it is to be deprived of it?”

“You who know most bitterly what it is not to have freedom should therefore consecrate yourselves to the crusade for freedom and equality and you must enable the crusade by the way in which you carry it on. It is not only an American crusade, it is a human crusade and you are in the vanguard of it today and not the white people.” Can we fill Miss Buck's order?—Louise Glass, 1517 Second avenue, Des Moines Iowa.

### Y.M.C.A.

Softball League Opens Monday

The Crocker Y.M.C.A. softball league will open Monday evening at West High diamond at 6 o'clock. The Negro Community Center, defending champion, will clash with the Fox DeLuxe All-Stars.

Intense rivalry exists between these two clubs; the 1941 titleholders are now members of the All-Stars outfit and they believe that they can

### GREETINGS

Valley Golf Club

T. L. HOWARD, President  
NUMAN JOHNSON, Secretary



upset the 1942 edition of the N.C.C. aggregation.

The present N.C.C. club is leading the National city league with but a single loss while the All-Stars have suffered four reversals in the American loop.

Other teams already signed up in the Crocker league including East Des Moines Community Center, Fort Des Moines Negro detachment, Corinthian Baptist and Paul Davis' club.

### Evening "Pow-wow"

For Crocker Y Boys

An evening outing is being planned for the boys of the Crocker Y.M.C.A., Friday, June 26. The 1942 "Pow-wow" will begin about 8 p. m. and last far into the night with games, campfires, eats and news about the annual Y.M.C.A. camp period at Boone, August 19-26.

The site is to be selected this week. However, the picnic will be staged at an out-of-door location within easy hiking distance. Boys are asked to call 3-5611 for information; letters are being mailed this week to many prospective campers.

### Crocker Y Boxing Show Wednesday

Amateur fighters will battle on a newly painted red, white and blue ring at Twelfth and Crocker streets this year. The first boxing show of 1942 this Wednesday will inaugurate the eleventh season that the Crocker Y.M.C.A. has staged this weekly summer entertainment. This program will aid many worthy boys toward a trip to the annual Y camp at Boone.

Because of the daylight war time, the opening bout will get under way at 8:45 in the evening. As transportation permits, out of town teams will be booked for future shows, according to Matchmaker George Bourland. Bourland, well-known in fistic circles and lately of the Nu-life Athletic club, is a former East high athlete and was light heavyweight champion of Iowa during his high school days in the early '20s.

Several of the city's leading boxers have been carded for the bill next week including Roland Taylor, Golden Gloves welterweight novice champion in 1940; William Mason, Golden Gloves flyweight novice titlist the same year; Tommy Mayberry, promising young middleweight; George Jefferson and James Jefferson, hard hitting sluggers who have won most of their fights this year and many others.

### Nature With Patience

#### Saves Many Heart Victims

Nature, with proper patient and medical co-operation, saves many a heart victim by short-circuiting the blood flow between the surface arteries of the heart.

This was revealed at a Los Angeles Heart association meeting by Dr. Richard D. Evans reporting on new scientific advances in the diagnosis and care of coronary thrombosis, or the formation of clots in the coronary arteries which narrows the heart with blood.

The secret of nature's remedy, Dr. Evans said, has been discovered by the use of injection of an opaque solution in conjunction with the X-ray.

Normally, he reported, there is little connection between one artery and another, which is true of the two supplied by the aorta, or great heart artery, and which run over the surface of the heart on opposite sides, supplying the respective areas with blood.

If a clot plugs up one of these coronary arteries, that part of the heart formerly getting blood from it is cut off from its supply and becomes starved, he stated.

But, the speaker continued, the new method of investigation has demonstrated that in many instances the artery from the other side sends out new blood vessels across the heart which connect with the diseased muscle, or starved heart section, thus largely undoing the damage the clot has done.

So, he reported, many with this ailment—more than 50 per cent—will get well if they are aided over the critical period of some six weeks while nature is developing the new blood channel.

### YOUR OWN quota, is 10%!

★ ★ ★

Lend your country 10% of your pay or have the Axis and Japs take (not borrow) 10%!

That's what we and every one of us face today!

Victory or defeat!

Buying War Bonds or selling ourselves into slavery!

Getting tough with ourselves or getting taken by the Axis!

Your quota—and everybody's quota—is 10% of wages or income saved in WAR BONDS and STAMPS!

Join America's all-out offensive... increase your WAR BOND savings to at least 10% NOW!

Get the details from your employer, bank, post office or other WAR BOND sales agency... TODAY!

## SPORTS

By Allen Ashby

### FINAL FADEOUT FOR TRACK STARS

Wonder where Iowa's Lee Farmer and Ohio State's Ralph Hammond were in the Big Ten-Pacific Conference track meet Tuesday night. Bill Lewis of Illinois got second in the broad jump and that just about settled things for mid-west Negroes. It was a rough week end. Barney Ewell of Penn State pulled a tendon and had to forfeit his chance at three more titles the broad jump and both dashes in the W. C. A. A. meet at Lincoln. The jump went at a distance he might have beaten. Don Welcher of Drake found the company a bit fast and was shut out in the shot and discus. The last place in the shot put was above his best mark but he might have placed in the discus with a little luck. There will be big doings in the national A. A. U. meet at New York when all those big name sprinters come together.

### Tennis

Our own local tennis picture doesn't look so hot and we are just wondering what the rest of the nation has to offer. Will there be a Missouri Valley meet in Kansas City this summer? How about the national meet and how about our own meet? With a lot of the youngsters out of the national picture it is a fine spot for some old veterans to step in and reclaim his lost glory.

We were discussing the local situation last week with Cbet Williamson and Bill Ashby. Williamson brought up the observation that now that the veterans had been trimmed there wasn't any incentive for practicing hard anymore. If the old timers start to show up around a court the youngsters will start to playing again.

### Golf

The golf players are hard at it getting ready for their big Central States meet here July 4th and 5th. Numa Johnson has vowed and declared that he will win it. There has been so much golf played in Scott's Billiard parlor that Buck Scott doesn't dare close even one eye for fear of getting it hit by a stray shot. He threatens to install greens and rent clubs next week.

We have been attending the jujitsu classes under the direction of Frank Robinson and Elbert Webb at Goods park. The little wrestling that we picked up gives us a little leeway on the rest of the class and we are able sometimes to stick in a helpful thought here and there. Frank and Elbert have worked out a nice course and all who stick to it should have at least a good knowledge of the fundamentals of the art. Their advance from that is determined by the time they practice.

### LINCOLN POST

By Charles L. R. Gibson  
Tuesday, July 7, is election of Post officers and all members are requested to be at this meeting. All nominees for offices must be members in good standing.

The chairman of the housing committee, Floyd Bailey, has done a good job in redecorating the Post home. Every Saturday night is open to the public.

### Surveys Homes to Find Raid Problems

The first aid detachment of the Post has been praised by Col. Harry Polk, commander of the civilian defense corps, for the results obtained in a house-to-house survey of one area of the city as a part of the civilian preparedness program. The purpose of the survey was to determine what problems would arise in case of a bombing or some comparable catastrophe. Frank B. Robinson, detachment instructor, directed the project.

The area, largely populated by Negroes, covered in the report extends from University avenue to Chestnut street between Ninth and Seventeenth streets. The survey indicates the people in this area, at least, would be handicapped by the lack of adequate supplies of such items as sand, shovels, buckets, ladders and rubber hose.

The survey disclosed there are 727 homes in the area, occupied by 2,154 adults and 660 children. Only 238

of the homes are fireproof and only 95 persons were trained in first aid and nursing. There are 244 cars in the area.

These conclusions were drawn from the study:

"The residents of this area would be severely handicapped in their efforts by the lack of necessary materials. The danger of widespread destruction of homes through the use of incendiary bombs is evident.

"The shortage of persons that are trained in first aid or nursing shows that in case of a disaster of any magnitude proper care for the injured would be lacking. The scarcity of first aid kits would further retard attempts to assist the injured."

### ENTRIES FOR GOLF TOURNAMENT QUEEN DUE IN EARLY

Clubs of the city planning to enter candidates for the queen's contest of the Central State Golf Tournament which will be held in Des Moines July 4-5 at Woodsie Golf course are requested to send their entries in early. The clubs may send the name of the club's candidate or sponsor a girl. For further information phone Homer Lewis, 2-1274.

The Valley Golf Club of the city will give a prize to the girl selected as queen.

### Devoe & Reynolds Co. Inc

Paint — Wallpaper — Brushes  
913 Walnut Street  
Charles M. Brown, Manager  
Phone 4-5261

### Proves Wonderful For Itching Skin

To soothe itching, burning skin, apply wonderful, medicated ZEMO—a Doctor's formula backed by 30 years continuous success! For ringworm symptoms, eczema, athlete's foot or blemishes due to external cause, apply ZEMO night and morning; the discomfort should soon disappear. Clean and convenient to use... One trial convinces. **ZEMO**

Bernice's Beauty Salon  
911 W. 16th St.  
Superb Service Guaranteed at All Times  
Phone 4-6544  
BERNICE LEWIS CARTER  
Owner and Operator

BUY NEGRO WEEKLY PAPERS  
COURIER - CALL - DEFENDER - BYSTANDER - OBSERVER  
1524 E. University  
Phone 6-3676

Des Moines Packing Co.  
BEEF — VEAL  
LAMB — SAUSAGE  
Phone 6-5126 1700 Maury Street

LaMarguerita Hotel  
ROOMS — APARTMENTS  
1425 Center  
Everything modern and First Class  
Dial 3-5949 Nellie M. Esters,  
Manager

Careful, Sympathetic and Efficient Service. Thorough Attention to Detail  
ESTES FUNERAL HOME  
Complete Modern Rolling Stock  
John M. Estes  
Licensed Embalmers  
Funeral Directors  
811 14th st. Ph. 3-5944  
LADY ATTENDANT

Red Bird Hatchery  
Poultry Feeds and Supplies  
Open Year Around  
313 E. FIFTH PHONE 3-4038

### PETITE BEAUTY SALON

Service that will assure future results.

FACIAL MASSAGES,  
SPECIAL SCALP TREATMENTS  
MARCELLING, CROQUIGNOLES  
HAIR STYLING  
MANICURING

BLANCHE LEE, Proprietor  
1024 17th street Phone 3-5787



ADDINGTON'S POULTRY MARKET  
ALL Kinds of Poultry At All Times  
Your dollar goes farther with us.  
Dressed From  
—Courteous treatment to all—  
12th & Keo. Ph. 5-9181

Dr. C. R. Bradford  
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON  
Office hours: 11-12:30; 2-5:30  
Cor. E. Fifth and Locust sts.  
404 E. Fifth St. 4-3827

DIPPEL GROCERY  
A special low rate to Churches & Clubs  
Groceries and Meats  
Ph. 3-4023 1000 Ninth  
Across from Corinthian Baptist Church

GOODYEAR SERVICE STORE  
Buy Your Car Needs On Our EASY PAYMENT PLAN  
Tires, Home & Car Radios  
Bicycles, Auto Accessories  
12th & Locust Ph. 3-1154

Your Old Mattress REMADE  
Sanitary Mattress Co.  
1214 University Ave.  
DIAL 3-4013