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## Talent Show Monday Night at North Hi

### News Briefs From Far and Near

**APPOINTED CONFIDENTIAL ASSISTANT TO POSTMASTER**  
WASHINGTON, D. C.—(NNPA).—Postmaster General Robert E. Hannegan last Monday appointed Marsden W. Cabell, 34, of Charleston, West Virginia, as a confidential assistant to Jesse M. Donaldson, first assistant postmaster general.

Mr. Cabell was sworn in by Mr. Hannegan in ceremonies in the Postmaster General's office attended by Representative E. H. Hendrick, Democrat, of West Virginia, and ranking officials of the Post Office Department and other government agencies.

Mr. Donaldson said Mr. Cabell's experience with people "eminently qualified" him for the job. He said Cabell to work solely on problems dealing with colored people but would use him on any assignment that he might need him for. Postmaster General Hannegan said Mr. Cabell will be an excellent addition to the entire postal service. The job pays \$6,000 a year.

**DISMISSES STAFF IN LIBERIAN STAMP SCANDAL**  
MONROVIA, LIBERIA.—(NNPA).—James Phillips, Postmaster General of Liberia, and Walter F. Walker, Secretary of Public Works, have been dismissed from their positions by President W. V. S. Tubman following an investigation of a stamp scandal in Liberia, it was learned.

President Tubman ordered their dismissals to take effect October 1. He also ordered the dismissal of the entire Monrovia city Post Office staff.

**SCOTTSBORO CASE FIGURE PAROLED**  
MONTGOMERY, ALA.—Clarence Norris, one of nine Alabama boys involved in the famed "Scottsboro case" of 15 years ago, has been paroled from prison, the state pardon board announced Thursday.

Charged along with the others with raping two white women on a freight train, Norris received a life sentence in 1937.

L. B. Stephens, secretary of the board, said the parole left only one of the defendants in prison, Haywood Patterson.

Eight of the nine boys originally were sentenced to death, but in final proceedings four of them were freed outright, four were convicted of rape, and the other though absolved of the rape charge, was convicted of assaulting a deputy sheriff and sentenced to 20 years.

**NEGRO CONCERT PIANIST DIRECTS RED CROSS SPORTS**  
NUREMBERG, GERMANY.—In this city, famed for its Allied trials of Nazi criminals, Alma Bailey, daughter of Mrs. O. R. Bailey, 2018 Marion St., Columbia S. C., is directing an American Red Cross recreation program in one of the best-equipped sports centers in Germany.

As head of the Negro-staffed Lincoln Sports Center, located near the enormous Hitler-built Nazi stadium, Miss Bailey is attracting a minimum of 1,000 soldiers a day for her program of outdoor sports, as well as indoor amusements.

**PEACE CONFERENCE TAKES UP ITALY'S AFRICAN EMPIRE**  
PARIS.—(NNPA).—The Peace conference last Monday took up the controversial question of the disposition of Italy's African empire.

Ivanoe Bonomi, Italian representative, pleaded in the Italian Political Commission that Italy be allowed to keep her African colonies, saying that she had transformed three of the least favored regions in Africa into progressive countries.

Bonomi asked that Italy be allowed a trusteeship over Libya, Somaliland and Eritrea under the United Nations and appealed for continued military administration of the colonies for another year. He pointed out that 200,000 Italians were living in the African colonies.

### REUNION AT TUSKEGEE



During his recent African tour, T. M. Campbell, agricultural extension field agent, visited Lagos, Nigeria, where he met Alfred O. Ogedengbe, senior history master at the grammar school. Ogedengbe is now enrolled as a special student at Tuskegee institute where he is taking special courses in agriculture to "better prepare himself for service to his people."

His major interest is in dairying because his people have not learned the health values in milk. "Because of this ignorance, cows roam about freely and are not milked," says Mr. Ogedengbe. Of color prejudice in America he says he knew it existed here but was greatly disappointed to find it so pronounced. (ANP)

### FAMOUS NUMBERS



Football's most famous numerals are worn by three Los Angeles Rams' backfield stars. Number 13, carried by Kenny Washington, former UCLA great, to All-American and "pro" fame; "Old 98," worn by Tom Harmon, Michigan's collegiate scoring record holder, war hero and broadcaster of "Here Comes Harmon," new radio sports program; and Number 7, the number most feared last year when its wearer, former UCLA ace, Bob Waterfield, was nationally acclaimed "the most valuable player in professional football."

## Sues to Enjoin Enforcement Of Army Measure to Bar Enlistment of Negro Men

WASHINGTON, D. C.—(NNPA).—Charles H. Houston and Joseph C. Waddy, counsel for Robert B. Kelly, 19-year old Armstrong High school graduate, turned down a compromise proposal for settlement of Kelly's suit to enjoin the Army and selective service from refusing to enlist or induct colored men into the army.

The proposal called for rescission of all orders and regulations which bar induction of colored men into the Army through Selective Service but would have left in effect the War Department's suspension of voluntary enlistments of colored men.

Both Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson and General Lewis B. Hershey, director of the Selective Service System, were said to be willing to concede that orders barring the induction of colored men were illegal.

The Department of Justice was reported to be willing to defend the Army's cancellation of voluntary enlistments of colored men.

Want No Compromise  
Mr. Houston and Mr. Waddy were unwilling to accept a compromise which would leave standing the Army's cancellation of voluntary enlistments of colored men. If counsel for Kelly and Justice Department lawyers cannot reach an agreement on the last issue, Kelly's suit is expected to come up within the next few days on his motion to enjoin the enforcement of any orders or regulations which bar the enlistment or induction of colored men on any terms which are not applicable to white men.

The War Department, however, was said to be taking immediate steps (SEE EDITORIAL PAGE)

## Field Worker of Urban League Plans Negro Survey Here

J. Reginald Johnson of New York City, director of field services for the National Urban League, met with a group of citizens Tuesday in the office of the Council of Social Agencies to outline plans for the launching a survey among Negroes in Des Moines.

Miss Alice Whipple, executive secretary of the council which invited the Urban League representative to come to Des Moines, opened the meeting and presented A. A. Alexander, who was elected chairman of the new group.

Mr. Alexander who is also president of the Negro Community Center board which awaits the go-ahead signal on the construction of the new \$100,000 community center, the Wilkie House, Inc., revealed that information from the survey will be used in deciding whether or not an Urban League department will be a part of the new community center.

The Urban League, Mr. Johnson informed, not only built its program around Negro employment and housing but included problems and progress of the Negro in education, health, delinquency and race relations in communities.

Committees appointed to aid in securing information for the survey were as follows: historic background of Negro in Des Moines, Marie Ross and Atty. S. Joe Brown; crime and delinquency, Atty. W. Lawrence Oliver, chairman, Walter Thompson and Mrs. Clara Bayles; health committee to be appointed; housing, Oscar Fuller, chairman, and Freddie Hawkins; race relations, Cornell Hewson, chairman; business and professional, Atty. James B. Morris, chairman; publicity, John Coleman, chairman.

## Carroll Hall Given Life Imprisonment

Carroll "Skeeter" Hall, 28, was sentenced to life imprisonment Thursday, Sept. 26, for the packing house slaying last July 12 of Hubert J. Mackey, government meat inspector.

District Judge Tom K. Murrow gave him the sentence which is the maximum which can be imposed on a second degree murder charge.

Hall entered a plea of guilty Sept. 16 to an indictment which carried charges of first degree murder. After this guilty plea, the court

### TALENT SHOW EMCEE



T. L. (SPECK) HOWARD  
The congenial master of ceremonies who is beloved by all of the talent show kiddies is Toussaint (Speck) Howard who has been "emceeding" on the Bystander Talent shows since the beginning eleven years ago. Mr. Howard is ready for the 1946 amateur performance which will be at North High school auditorium on Monday night, Oct. 7, 8:15 o'clock.

### 9,913 STUDENTS SET RECORD AT IOWA U.

IOWA CITY—Preliminary figures on University of Iowa first semester enrollment show 9,913 students, a new record total which is about 46% over the previous mark set in 1940. President Virgil Hancher has reported. He said there are 7,299 men and 2,614 women and that the total is more than 800 over the previous estimates. Final figures will be available in a few weeks and will probably push the total over the 10,000 mark.

held a hearing to determine whether Hall should be held guilty of first or second degree murder. At these hearings 22 witnesses were heard.

Before pronouncing sentence Thursday, Judge Murrow said that the elements of premeditation and deliberation were "too scant" to uphold first degree murder, the penalty for which is life imprisonment or death.

The slaying occurred at the Iowa Packing Co. plant July 12. Hall said he stabbed Mackey four times with a skinner's knife after Mackey had called him a name and refused to take it back.

The minimum sentence which Hall could have received under the second degree charge is 10 years imprisonment.

### LIBRARIAN DINNER PARTICIPANTS CHAT



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Seen here are key participants in the recent Waldorf-Astoria dinner which observed the one-hundredth year of independence of the Republic of Liberia. Third from left is Harvey S. Firestone, Jr., president, Firestone Tire and Rubber Company, who, in the principal address of the evening, announced the creation of a \$250,000 fund, in memory of his late father, to be used in the promotion of a tropical medicine institute in Liberia. Other persons in the picture are (l. to r.), Dr. Frederick A. Price, Liberian Consul General to the United States; Hilyard R. Robinson, technical director, Liberian Centennial Commission; and at the extreme right, Moss H. Kendrick, public relations officer, Liberian Centennial Commission. Mr. Firestone reported that the \$250,000 medical institute is being made available to the Republic of Liberia as a part of its program for the Liberian Centennial and Victory Exposition to be held in Liberia 1947-49.

## Youth Ready with Songs, And Dances for Eleventh Annual Bystander Event

The 1946 crop of amateur performers will be on parade Monday night, at 8:15 o'clock, at the North High School auditorium where the Bystander will present its eleventh annual Talent Show.

At the mike to open the show, which will feature many youthful singers and dancers, will be Master of Ceremonies Toussaint (Speck) Howard.

In the orchestra pit—to play the rhythms and warm up the atmosphere when little singers get "cold feet"—will be the Sepia Supper Club orchestra.

In the judges seats to rate the participants according to their numbers and their presentations will be the following persons: John S. Coleman, C. W. (Dutch) Schmidt and a representative of radio station KSO.

**Prizes**  
To spur the interests of the youth in the annual talent show competitions, the NAACP branches, will give a twenty-five dollar bond, to the best all-around amateur performer.

Cash prizes will be given by the Bystander to first, second and third place winners in classical, popular, blues and religious songs' group, and dancing and specialty numbers and other talent performed.

In the dance group—doing some

fast tap and toe routines were six year-old Leonard Johnson, George Brewer Jr., Esther Saunders, Gladys and Nanna Alexander.

Jitterbug couples, led by former pint-size jitterbug king, Anthony Murray, are plentiful this season. They have many stunts in their 1946 versions of the "bug."

One of the specialty numbers will be a drum-piano team Fred King and Joe Wyatt.

Singers are single, double and triple. Featuring one of the late popular numbers, "To Each His Own," is soprano singer, a newcomer this year, Charlotte Jean Manuel, who is promising to give the song contestants some strong competition. Teaming with Billy Wilkerson they will sing a duet.

In the trio group will be Arla Mae Tolson, Blossom Taylor and Dora Mae Quinn singing "Sunday, Monday and Always," Jane Christopher, Dolores Lee and Betty Carson in "Hey Ba Ba Rebo" Thelma Woods, Mayvester Lee and Beverly Carson who will revive "Caldonia."

Freddie Harris is having a difficult time in trying to decide what to croon. He is teaming with Ebel Bogan in a dance number.

Special accompanists for the show are Miss Doris Bennett and Mrs. Dora Mackay.

## Warrant for Police Chief who Blinded Isaac Woodward

Columbia, S. C.—(NNPA)—Federal Judge George Bell Tinnerman last Friday signed an order for a bench warrant against Police Chief Lynwood L. Shull of Batesburg who had been charged by the Justice Department with blinding Isaac Woodward, a veteran.

Shull was expected to come here from Batesburg voluntarily and post a \$2,500 bond. Batesburg is only thirty-two miles from here.

Shull told reporters last Thursday that Woodward apparently had been drinking and that a blackjack was used when the ex-soldier became unruly. Shull said: "I hit him across the front of the head after he attempted to take away my blackjack. I grabbed it away from him and cracked him across the head."

Shull conceded that the blow may have landed on Woodward's eyes, because they were swollen the next

day when he was brought before Mayor H. E. Quarles in Recorder's court, where he paid a fine of \$50.

Woodward later was nauseated and complained about his stomach and eyes. Shull said. After a doctor suggested he should be taken to a hospital, Shull said he drove him to the veteran's hospital here.

"I was no harsher than was necessary to complete the arrest," Shull said.

Because Woodward was still in uniform at the time of his arrest, Shull said he reported the incident to an agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, adding that "after they investigated they told me to keep quiet about it."

FBI agents later questioned him about it, Shull said, but did not indicate any action would be taken.

Woodward was discharged from the veteran's hospital here April 13, permanently blinded.

## Threat of Violence Flares At Tennessee Riot Hearings

LAWRENCEBURG, TENN.—Like a dark cloud, the threat of violence hangs over the Lawrenceburg Courthouse, where 25 Negroes are on trial for "attempted murder" during the February "riots" in Columbia, Tenn.

As feelings rise and tempers erupt, the possibility of violence is assuming serious proportions. That the situation is fraught with explosive elements was evidenced last week when Attorney-General Paul Bumpus, furious after having been corrected by Dr. Leon Ransom, NAACP defense lawyer, before more than 200 arguing farmers, Klansmen and other town hangers-on, told Maurice Weaver, Dr. Ransom's associate, that "if that S. O. B. contradicts me again, I'm going to wrap a chair around his g-

outside of court." Weaver answered him firmly "The attorney general will not intimidate me inside or outside this court."

It is this atmosphere that the oddly selected jurors have been hearing the State's case for the past week—a week in which over a dozen States witnesses have been produced, not one of whom has so far identified a single defendant as firing the shots which wounded four police officers.

### May Find "Judus"

A highly informed source intimidated to correspondents, covering the trial that the state may be expected to introduce dramatically one or more "Judus" witnesses from among Columbia's Negroes.

"There is every indication," said this informant, "that Attorney-General Bumpus may have been successful in finding one or more Negroes in Columbia to put the finger on some of the defendants. The thirty pieces of silver they'd get off that job wouldn't be of much help to them if they intended staying in (SEE EDITORIAL PAGE)

### Violence

Later, on September 24, the trial was brought to a nearly violent climax, as Mr. Weaver charged that the statement from a Negro witness was secured by intimidation and terror, and Bumpus, shaking with rage, strode over to Mr. Weaver and shouted, "I dare him to repeat that

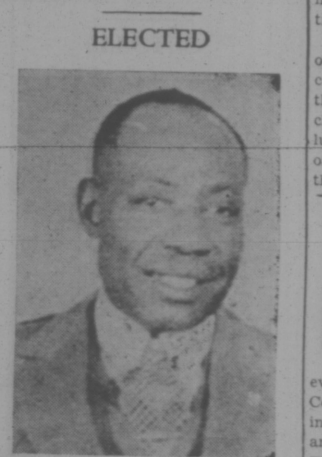
### Chest Drive Opens Oct. 14; Goal for Year is \$656,200

Des Moines Community Chest general chairman, Morey Sostrin today pointed out the big task ahead in this year's drive in raising \$656,200 this year's goal for the annual drive.

He emphasized that the amount is not just one plucked out of the air—but that it represents the minimum essential budgets of 30 agencies which benefit from Community Chest funds.

Sostrin said that to be taken in consideration this year in making contributions is that "your dollar has less value" and that costs of operating the worthy agencies have increased the same as operating costs of the home and private business.

### ELECTED



**JAMES D. NEWSOME**  
James D. Newsome, 54, of 1315 Laurel street, has received from the Supreme Chancellor of the Supreme Lodge, Knights of Pythias, an appointment commissioning him deputy supreme chancellor of the district of Nebraska for a term expiring August 1947.

Mr. Newsome has been very active in fraternal and public affairs. He is a member of Clausen-Worden American Legion No. 101, Mason City; National Association for the Advancement of Colored People; official

**ORIGINAL NOTICE**  
In the District Court in and for Polk County, Iowa  
**DORIS ROBER, Plaintiff**  
vs.  
**DOUGLAS ROBER, Defendant**  
TO **DOUGLAS ROBER**, Defendant: You are hereby notified that the Petition of the Plaintiff, claiming of you an absolute divorce on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment, is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa in and for Polk County, and asking of the court such other relief as deemed equitable in the premises.

**NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION**  
TO **FRANK E. STREEM** and **KATHRYN E. STREEM**: Persons in whose names the within described real estate is taxed, and persons in possession of the real estate described herein, are notified that on December 4th, A. D. 1945, the following described real estate situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:  
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In the District Court of the State of Iowa  
vs. **NORMAN STRAYER, Plaintiff**  
vs. **MARY BITA STRAYER, Defendant**  
TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT, **MARY BITA STRAYER**: You are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County, Iowa, the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause claiming of you an absolute divorce on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment of such kind and character as tended to and did invade the health of the plaintiff and endanger his life, and further praying that plaintiff be restored to the status of a single person and that the estate of said other party be further partitioned here such other relief as may be entitled to in equity, including the costs of this action.

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### O. E. S. CHAPTERS HONOR PAST PATRON

In compliance with a recent suggestion of the Worthy Grand Matron Mrs. Sarah E. Jett, Princess Zorah Chapter No. 10 of the Order Star was host on last Thursday to the members of Princess Ozell No. 9 and Olive Branch Chapter No. 32, which was the second such meeting this year. The first was held by the Ozell chapter last May at which time Past Grand Patron S. Joe Brown gave a lecture on the history of the United Grand Lodge of F. & A. M.

The meeting last Thursday was in the form of a memorial in honor of the late Past Patron Jas. E. Mitchell, a member of the Zorah chapter and who served as its Worthy Patron for a greater number of years than any other.

There was present at the meeting besides the Worthy grand matron, seventeen past matrons, and five past patrons including three past grand patrons and about seventy-five officers and members of the three subordinate chapters.

The principal address was by H. E. Jacobs, one of the oldest past patrons of the chapter of which Mr. Mitchell was a member, who was followed in brief addresses by Atty. S. Joe Brown, who had worked with Mr. Mitchell in five departments of Freemasonry and by Wm. Walker and Grand Matron Sarah E. Jett, both of whom in addition to their association with Mr. Mitchell in the fraternity, had also worked with him in Corinthian Baptist church of which he was financial secretary at the time of his death.

Mrs. Osceola Sims, worthy matron of Zorah Chapter, was mistress of ceremonies and at the conclusion of the program a portrait of Mr. Mitchell was unveiled and a two course luncheon was served by a committee of women from Zorah chapter, under the direction of James D. Newsome.



Bridge is played each Wednesday evening at the Negro Community Centr. Persons desiring to play are invited to bring their own partners and play their own system.

board, Burns M. E. church; Polk County Civic Association; Scottish Rite (W. E. Powell Consistory No. 46.) Noble of the Mystic Shrine, Crocker Y. M. C. A., I. B. P. O. E. (Elks), Imperial Lecturer of Knights of Omar, O. E. S. and Young Republican National Federation. He is also a Deputy Supreme Royal Potentate Jurisdiction of Iowa Dramatic Order Knight of Omar.

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Canned foods should be seasoned, flavored, or sweetened to suit the taste of one's family. If you like corn and beans, corn and tomatoes, tomatoes and okra, cooked together, can them together—but keep in mind that a mixture must be processed the time needed for the vegetable requiring the longest time.

**Own a Canning Book**  
"But," warns Gladys Kimbrough, Home Service Director for Ball Brothers Company, manufacturer of home canning jars, "whatever you do by way of seasoning, be sure to follow the rules when canning. Every homemaker should own a good canning and preserving book."

Buy whatever new jars, caps, lids, and rubbers needed. Use regular home canning jars and beware of any which haven't the name of a reliable manufacturer on them. Examine every jar, cap, and lid before it is used and use according to the manufacturer's instructions.

Be sure pressure cooker and water-bath canners are in perfect order. Use strictly fresh produce and use it the day it is mature enough to cook for immediate serving. Discard tough, withered, rusty, wormy vegetables. Wash all produce before breaking or cutting and wash only enough for one canner load at a time.

**Don't Lose Time**  
Waste no time between steps in gathering, sorting, washing, preparing, and canning. Cover prepared vegetables with boiling water and boil five minutes (some vegetables, for example beets and sweet potatoes, require longer). Pour hot vegetables into clean hot jars. Don't cram them

down. There must be room for water to circulate between the pieces and there should be from 1/2 to 1 inch space between the vegetables and the top of the jar.

Cover vegetables, after placing in jars, with water in which they were boiled or use fresh boiling water. Use clean salt, add it before or after the jars are filled; or leave it out. If air bubbles form, run a knife down between side of jar and food. Put the jars in a hot canner as soon as they are filled. Letting them stand around on the kitchen table invites spoilage.

Process all vegetables except tomatoes, which are really a fruit, in a steam pressure cooker for the time given in the recipe you are following. We recommend the use of a pressure cooker because, when in good working order and used according to instructions, it is by far the quickest and best way to can all low-acid vegetables such as beans, beets, peas, corn, etc. Boiling for a long time in a water-bath canner is the next best way and is the one commonly used in the North Central and Eastern states. Water-bath processed vegetables (does not mean tomatoes—they are acid and should be done in water bath) should never under any circumstances be tasted until after they have been boiled 15 minutes. The same is true of those processed in a steam pressure cooker when there is the slightest question as to whether the cooker was in good operating condition or was operated correctly. The purpose of boil-before-testing is to destroy any toxin which may have developed. The toxin won't be there to destroy if fresh produce has been carefully washed, prepared, packed, and properly processed.

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### DEMOCRACY IN JOBS IN DES MOINES

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Civil Service Exam Announced for Stenographer and Typist Positions

Miss Rena B. Smith, director, Eighth U. S. Civil Service Region, announced this week that applications for probational (career) appointments to Stenographer and Typist positions would be accepted until further notice.

Entrance salaries ranged from \$1756 to \$2469 a year. Appointments will be made to various Federal agencies in the states of Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota. A written test will be required.

The announcement contains further details regarding this examination. A copy of the announcement, sample questions and application forms may be obtained from first- or second-class post offices, or from the office of the Director, Eighth U. S. Civil Service Region, Post Office and Customhouse Building, Saint Paul 1, Minnesota.

**INTERRACIAL HOLY COMMUNION AT BETHEL SUNDAY**  
Religious Education Week, being observed in the Protestant churches this week, will be climaxed on Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock, at the Bethel AME church where an interfaith and interracial Holy communion, the Rev. W. F. Ogleton, pastor, announced.

Guest speakers will be Rev. Robert Dahl of the Union Park Methodist church and Rev. Thomas Fogelson of the Capitol Hill Christian church with some of their parishoners and Mr. Timothy Spillar of Altoona, Ia., representative of the Des Moines Christian Youth Federation.

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Methodist church, Mr. Allen is also affiliated with the Roosevelt club. He resides with his wife, Mrs. Estella Allen, in their home they built at 1162 Seventeenth street.



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**NINTH STREET CHRISTIAN CHURCH NEWS**  
The pastor, members and friends of Ninth St. Christian church expressed appreciation to the city of Des Moines for fine cooperation in helping to make Ninth St. church a future success. The chapel has been remodeled. Three state men came in and looked the newly decorated chapel over and guessed its cost (including labor and all) at \$650.00. The total cost was \$142.00. The entire work was done by the pastor and wife, members and friends, with the exception of the plastering. The choir room will be so as to make an invisible choir.

The C. Y. F. at 7:30 each Sunday evening is proving a success. Last Sunday evening Mr. C. A. Banister, secretary of Crocker Branch YMCA, was guest speaker. On October 6,

## IN RECITAL HERE OCTOBER 10



RUTH DAVIS WYATT

Ruth Davis-Wyatt, lyric soprano, returned to Des Moines, her native city October 2 to appear in recital at the Corinthian Baptist church, on Thursday evening, October 10.

This young singer, now on a concert tour, whose voice and personality is causing music critics throughout the country to acclaim her, a newly discovered star in her profession, has made a struggle to attain her ambition. Born in Des Moines, her remarkable talent was noted by some of her earliest teachers, who gave her help and encouragement. After finishing North High, she studied for a while under Dean Cowper at Drake. Later she studied in Chicago and while there won a junior college scholarship which enabled her to continue her education in Washington, D. C.

Financial difficulties caused her to return to Chicago where she studied under Marrisco Schaffie at Chicago conservatory. An attack of illness forced her to abandon her studies for two years and during this period she was married to Joseph Wyatt. Two years later following his death, she moved to Los Angeles and took up the study of art of language and voice, at Vickroff studio, Hollywood. She expects to go to Europe in the near future to further her education.

Miss Wyatt's present concert tour will include appearances in Omaha, Kansas City, the Tri-Cities, Chicago, Indianapolis and Evanston, Ind. Her local appearance is under the auspices of Excelsior Literary club of Corinthian church.

## O. E. S. COUNCIL ELECTS OFFICERS

The Electa Administrative Council, composed of past matrons and past patrons of the three local O. E. S. chapters, held its third annual election of officers last Sunday afternoon, resulting in the election of Mrs. Jeanne Morris, president; Mrs. Emma E. Evans, vice president; Miss Layther Mease, treasurer; Mrs. Jessie Bell Davis, secretary; Mrs. Julia Pearson, assistant secretary and Attorney S. Joe Brown, instructor; and the following as members of the Council degree team; S. Joe Brown, patron; Orea Buice, matron; Mattie Woods, associate matron; Mattie B. Scott, conductress; Leola Martin associate conductress; Mrs. Mary Green as Adah; Mrs. Dorothy Bush as Ruth; Mrs. Essie Davis as Esther; Mrs. Helen Carter as Martha; Mrs. Jesse Newsome as Electa; Branham N. Hyde as Warden and W. C. Buice as sentinel.

The Council also held a brief memorial service in memory of Mrs. Josephine Franklin, a member of the Council who was the first to have died since its organization.

## ANA to Admit Qualified Nurses

American Nurses' Association instructed its board of directors last Friday to devise a plan for admitting to membership those qualified colored nurses who are barred from their state organizations.

This step toward racial equality in the profession was not as impressive itself as the temperate tone of the debate from which it emerged. Leaders admitted that it would probably be two years before such a plan could be completed and reviewed by the membership, but they were firm in the belief that the democratic tenor of last Friday morning's meeting clearly marked a milestone.

Fewer opposing voices than ever before were raised when the House of Delegates passed the motion reaffirming the A. N. A. policy that every qualified registered nurse should be eligible for membership regardless of race, and asking the board to "take steps to implement this action."

Several delegates from states among the thirteen still denying colored nurses membership argued

## CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA

CEDAR RAPIDS, IA.—The Youth Council of the Cedar Rapids branch of the NAACP gave a program last Sunday afternoon in the Mt. Zion Baptist church. Dolores Blakey with Dorothy Jones, at the piano, led the singing of the "Lift Every Voice." Mrs. Viola Gibson, senior advisor of council, offered prayer. Cora Lee read quotations from the Proverbs. The Junior Methodist choir sang with Mrs. Edith Atkinson at the piano. Jim Black, president of the council, gave an outline of the objectives of the youth councils. Two saxophone numbers were played by James Backstrom; and clarinet solo by Louis Patterson. The Junior Baptist choir sang two selections with Miss Jones at the piano. Mr. Nathaniel Williams of Nashville, Tenn., who is a music major at Iowa university, played piano solos. The major feature of the program was a panel discussion by Negro and white youth on "Youth's Place in the Movement Toward Interracial Fellowship and International Peace." Miss Mildred Spencer of Marshalltown and her sister, Ruby, were present. Mildred is vice president of the Iowa State Youth councils of NAACP. Those on the panel were: Mildred Spencer, Bob Swaney, Juanita Gibson, Leroy Miller, Jeanne Walker, Bob Henderson, Harriett Oshman, Alice Bliss, Cora Lee, Goldie Armstrong, Russell Colton. A short business meeting followed giving a report on tag day sale held Sept. 21 with first prize going to Jo Ann Black for bringing in most money and second prize to Blakely and third prize to Norman Lewis. The next meeting of the council will be held in Jane Boyd Community house on Oct. 16.

## MORE CIVIL SERVICE APPOINTMENTS NAMED

An opportunity to file applications for a Civil Service (career) appointment in the Federal service was announced this week by the Secretary Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Veterans Administration, Des Moines, Iowa. Appointments will be made to positions of Electrician, \$2468.24 a year; and Electricians helper, \$2020.00 per year; for duty at the Veterans Hospitals at Des Moines and Knoxville, Iowa. Applicants must be citizens of or owe allegiance to the United States. The age limits are 18 to 62, except for veterans and persons in the Federal service who are war service indefinite employees.

Applications may be secured from the Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, at any first or second-class post office in the vicinity of Des Moines and Knoxville, Iowa, or from the Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Veterans Administration, Des Moines 10, of Knoxville, Iowa, or from the Director, Eighth U. S. Civil Service Region, P. O. & Customhouse, St. Paul, Minnesota. Applications must be received by the Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Veterans Administration, Des Moines 10, Iowa, not later than the close of business on October 9.

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By Mrs. Ed. Williams  
BURLINGTON, IA.—Mr. Cecil Rideout is back to work after being home a few days ill. Mrs. J. A. Rideout has returned home from a two-month visit in Victoria, Texas, and other points of interest. Mrs. J. S. Beverly recently entertained her sister form St. Louis, Mo., and also visited her sister in Des Moines. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Drew of Chicago drove here to visit parents brother and families for a day. Robert Lloyd attended a football game at Iowa City Saturday.

Mrs. Lolo Wilson, 1435 2nd place. The Deaconesses Board met Friday evening with Mrs. Clarence McCann.

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### Davenport Crowd Acclaims Myrtle Hardin in Recital

DAVENPORT, IA.—A large crowd acclaimed Myrtle Harper Hardin as an outstanding dramatic soprano during a recital Sept. 26, at the Third Baptist church here under sponsorship of the King's Daughters' club.



Possessing a voice of great beauty and unusual color, Miss MRS. HARDIN Hardin, who studied voice and music at Agustana college, Rock Island, Ill., and who is now under tutelage of Lurenia Burch of Burch studios, presented a repertoire of some of the world's greatest songs. She was accompanied by her instructor.

Mrs. Hardin plans to present recitals throught Iowa and the midwest in the near future. The proceeds of the Davenport recital are to be used by the King's Daughters' for welfare work.

Her program included such arias as "Elizabeth's Prayer" from the Opera Tannhauser and the folk song "Londonberry Air." Spirituals included "Oh, Didn't It Rain" and "Sometimes, I Feel Like a Motherless Child." The recital closed with her rendition of "The Lord's Prayer" by Malotte. Organ interludes between the vocal groups were prayed by Mrs. Clara Davis.

### Race Fracas Breaks Out in Philadelphia

PHILADELPHIA.—(NNPA)—A Man was killed and an undetermined number of persons injured late last Saturday night in a riot in North Philadelphia.

At a hearing last Sunday before Magistrate Benjamin W. Schwartz, Thomas Lockhart, 32, charged with homicide in the death of Harry Ulme 32, white, was held without bail for coroner's action.

At the same time nine other persons, including Martin Ulmer 20, a brother of the victim, were held in \$300 bail each as material witnesses. Ulmer's skull was crunched by a blow of a baseball bat.

Detective Thomas Powers, in his testimony, disclosed that the street fight in which Ulmer was killed was the second melee involving the Ulmers and a group of companions within an hour.

The early fracas, according to Powers, involved the Ulmers and two companions and was touched off when a resident of the 2200 block of North Hope street objected to the conduct of the men as they passed through the street. Outnumbered, the four fled, but returned a short time later with reinforcements, Powers said.

### CENTERVILLE, IOWA

Centerville, Ia.—Raymond James and Carey Bolden were Baptized Sunday morning. Services were well attended during the day. Rev. Earl Douglass of Coatsville, Mo., preached Baptism was administered by the pastor, Rev. A. W. Patton. The children's program of the junior chorus was a success. The deacons and trustees are having a supper Saturday evening, Oct. 5 at the Second Baptist church. The Second Baptist Centerville Mission circle will have a social at the home of Mrs. John Powell Thursday night. Miss Viola Edmondson is hostess. Miss Kathryn Smith of Des Moines was week end visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith. Miss Evelyn Wright of Mystic attended the Centennial here Friday. Miss Rachel Ann and Laura Bee Conley were breakfast guests of Miss Clara Mae Palmer Thursday. Mrs. Florence Riddings visited Mrs. Leona Estes Friday. She also helped with her canning. Mrs. James Wright and family of Mystic were visitors

### GETTING DETAILS OF COAST TO COAST BRAND PREFERENCE STUDY



Pictured above are representatives of the nation's major trade publications who assembled at a special luncheon given by Interstate United Newspapers, incorporated, at the Hotel Roosevelt in New York City, to hear from Mr. Edgar A. Steele of the Research Company of America, details of the Brand Preference Study which has just been launched, coast to coast. Reading left to right, in Picture No. 1 are Miss Clara Ligon, Secretary to Mr. Black of Interstate, Mr. David Kaplan of Drug Topics, Miss Barbara Way of Food Field Reporter, Mr. Edgar A. Steele of the Research Company of America, who is conducting the survey, Mr. William G. Black, Sales Manager of Interstate, Picture No. 2, Mr. James Singleton of Sales Management, Mr. Mel Reed of Sales Management, Mr. Chandler Grannis of Publisher's Weekly, Mr. Raymond Peck, Vice President of Interstate, Miss L. M. Levett, Business Manager of Interstate; Picture No. 3, Mr. Joseph Koehler of The Billboard, Mr. Nathan Kelne of Printers Ink, Mr. Donald Eastman of Printers Ink, Picture No. 4, Mr. Fine of the

Research Company of America, Mr. Ralph Head of Progressive Grocers Magazine, Mr. M. Raffal of Advertising & Selling, Mr. Chase of Tide Magazine, Mr. Stewart of The New York Times, and Mr. Koslow of the Herald Tribune. Also present at the luncheon were Mr. George Biderman of Advertising Age and Mr. Joseph L. Wootton of Interstate. This is the largest group of trade publications ever to assemble to secure data on any project of interest to the Negro.

Pictured below is part of the group of Negro workers who began the study in New York, Monday morning, August 19th. In the picture, Mr. Steele of the Research Company of America is giving instructions to the interrogators, who are college students from various colleges and universities in and around New York. Simultaneous studies are being made in other cities throughout the country. Findings of the survey will be made available as soon as tabulations can be made.

All pictures by BILLY ROWE



in Centerville Saturday. The Sue M. Brown club met at the Community Center Thursday evening. Plans were made to bring a speaker here Oct. 7. The home and foreign mission met at the center Thursday. Mesdames Grace Downing, Alice Hicks and Robert Jones attended a one o'clock luncheon at the youth center Monday. Plans were made for the fall campaign.

### National Urban League's Annual Conference Meets

ST. LOUIS.—(NNPA)—America cannot take leadership among nations until her own minority problems are solved, President Truman and Albert Einstein, world-famous scientist, pointed out in messages to the National Urban League's 1946 Annual Conference which opened last

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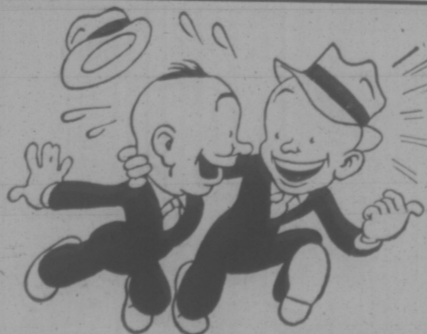
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### THE CANNONS AND JETTS VISIT RELATIVES IN KANSAS AND MISSOURI

Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Cannon and daughter, Ray, and two grandsons, David Ruffin and Carl Taylor Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jett, spent the week end in Kansas City, Mo., and Kansas, where the Cannons held a family reunion at the home of Mr. Cannon's mother. The Jetts visited Mr. Jett's niece, Mrs. Octavia Thompson, in Kansas City.

### BRIDAL SHOWER

Mrs. Dorothy Avant Taylor and Miss Ellaree Avant were hostesses at a bridal shower honoring Miss Evelyn Scott, Sept. 28, at 942 10th street. The following guests attended: the Mesdames Mildred Bayles, Erma Johnson, Clara Wade, Katherine Moore, Jean Domingus, Barbara Bettis; the Misses Helen Moore, Betty Johnson, Madeline Scott, Katherine Taylor, Effie Griffen, Lucille Avant, Doris Jackson, Barbara Madison, Carlena and Maxine Manuel.

### AARON PATRICK RITES

Funerary services were held Sept. 28, for Aaron Patrick, at the Community Sanctified Church of Christ. He died Sept. 26. Among his survivors are his wife, Mrs. Frances Patrick and two daughters, and other relatives from East Moline, Ill.

### MRS. BOLDRIDGE HERE

Mrs. William Boldridge of Irvington, Ia., spent the week end here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Australia Grace and Mr. Grace.

### MOVE TO MAINE

Mrs. Gladys Walton and children left the city recently to make their home in Portland, Maine.

### BACK FROM VACATION

Mrs. Allie Bowman, 644 Harwood drive, returned last Saturday from a three week's vacation with her son, Mr. E. W. Bowman and family and grand children in Minneapolis, Minn., and another son, Mr. Neil Bowman and family in Chicago, Ill., and a daughter and family in Albion, Ia. Mrs. Bowman also visited a sister, Mrs. William Gordon, and family in Albion and friends, Mrs. Lottie Brent in St. Paul, Minn., and Mrs. L. Flummer, and family and Mrs. Hazel Martin.

### RELATIVES FROM KANSAS HERE WITH THE GRAVES

Mrs. Mary Smith, Mrs. Jessie Jackson and Mr. Charles Logan of Kansas City, Kas., were here visiting their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Graves of 820 S. E. 26th street court, and their cousins, Mrs. Emma Collier, Miss Mary Graves and Mrs. Margaret Decker.

### HOME FROM VACATION TRIPS TO SOUTH

Rev. and Mrs. George W. Robinson who have been on a vacation trip in South Carolina, Texas, and Washington, D. C., visiting relatives, are expected home this week end. The Rev. Mr. Robinson attended the national Baptist convention in Atlanta. Mr. George W. Robinson Jr., is spending a week's vacation here from Chicago.

### SOCIAL WORKERS TO MEET OCTOBER 8

The Sophia Nichols Social Workers club will hold its first meeting, Oct. 8, at the home of Mrs. Nichols, 1062 Eleventh street. All members are urged to be present. Election of officers will be held.

### NEEDLE AND ARTCRAFT CLUB HAS PARTY

The Needle and Artcraft club held its annual birthday party last Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Alma Berry, 1513 Buchanan street. All members received gifts. The following persons were present: Mesdames J. P. Hamilton, A. E. Harris, I. L. White, J. R. Ward, H. E. Lighton, L. T. Johnson, A. E. Cooper, W. Kaiser, C. Williamson, Miss Edna Thomas reporter. The next meeting is Oct. 9 with Mrs. Cooper, 1322 E. 17th court.

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What do you do in your leisure time? Do you waste it twiddling your thumbs or burning up the wires gossiping with the next door neighbor? We have a very helpful suggestion to offer—that you spend your leisure time learning to make these simple articles exhibited by Miss Dorothy Harris, charming and

sedate Neil Scott model. The articles above are (1) an ornamental comb made of flowers; (2) a silk scarf finished with a blind overcasting stitch done by hand; and (3) a beautiful black crocheted bag, just the thing for those dark suits that you wear in the winter-time and roony enough to serve all

purposes. Either of these articles would cost you more than you should spend for them at your local department store. You can make them for a few pennies at home by sending a self-addressed envelope for instructions to 54 Clark Street, Newark, N. J.

## Soapless Soaps Ease Household Chores

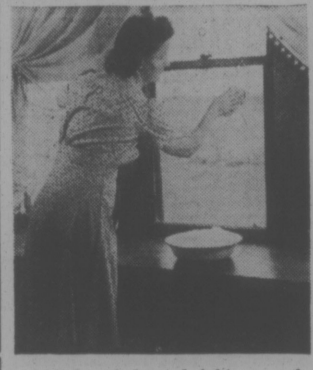
AN INCREASING number of farm women are using soapless soaps or wetting agents to help them in a variety of household tasks, an article in nationally-circulated Capper's Farmer points out. These wetting agents usually come in very granular form and are proving superior to ordinary soaps because they actually do double duty—soften water and cleanse—the magazine declares. Formulation of scum by soap in hard water is a characteristic common to all soaps, but not to wetting agents. The substance in these synthetic detergents combines minerals in hard water to make salts dissolve, instead of making the curd-like substance or scum which is an insoluble salt, the article explains.



Soapless soaps cut separator cleaning time.

Giving better contact between the washing solution and surface to be cleaned, these wetting agents get a material or surface wetter and do it quickly. Near neutral in reaction, instead of alkaline, the wetting agents are most effective for cleaning milk utensils and separators.

Among numerous uses in which these wetting agents are being employed, says the magazine read by 1,300,000 farm families, are: dish-washing, fabric-washing, including woollens, blankets and sweaters, window-washing, family car-washing, washing fabrics on furniture, washing milk buckets and separators.



Added window brightness obtained with wetting agents.

## Home Water Treatment

A phosphate compound, Micromet, and a feeder to add the compound in right amounts to water will prevent scale and control corrosion in a household water system, writes the Rural Home editor of nationally-circulated Capper's Farmer. It also helps prevent "rusty water" caused by iron. The feeder device is installed in a vertical position on cold water intake line of water heater. After the initial charge of one pound of Micromet, only one fourth pound needs to be poured into feeder each month, says the magazine read by 1,300,000 farm families.

## LA FLUER DE LES

Mrs. Nancy Jackson was hostess to the La Fluer De Les club Sept. 27. Pokera prizes were won by Naomi Flynn, first; Margaret Miller, second; Reba Green, third. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Miller, 1504 Lyons.



## PERSONAL TOUCH

By MARIE ROSS

In the office during the week end was Mrs. Hayes Bell who brought in a letter and a subscription for the Bystander from her brother-in-law, Atty. T. W. Bell, in Leavenworth, Kas. Lawyer Bell is the brother of Hayes and Theodore Bell, and Mrs. Jessye Bell Davis all of Des Moines. The late Josephine Franklin who operated an employment agency here, was another sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Bell spent a month in Leavenworth, Kas., where they decorated the seven-room home of Attorney Bell.

Smiling, with a glad-to-be-back home expression, was Miss Bernice Tomlin who dropped in the office this week after having spent three months doing secretarial work in Mansfield, Ohio, and visiting her sister, Dorothy, in Dayton. Bernice declared that there is nothing like being homesick.

Everybody and his brother—as the old saying goes—will be at the Bystander's annual talent show on this Monday night. If you haven't purchased your ticket—better get it now before the "SOR" sign is out.

## DILETTANTE CLUB

The Dilettante club will hold its regular meeting Tuesday, Oct. 8, 8 p. m., with its president, Mrs. Arthur Turner of 1424 E. 18th street.

## AMVETS AUXILIARY MEETS OCTOBER 10

The auxiliary of the AMVETS, post 200, will meet at the home of Mrs. Mary Doyle Martin, 1607 Buchanan, Oct. 10. Each member is asked to bring candy bars to the meeting.

## MOTHER'S COUNCIL

The Mother's Council met Oct. 1 at the YMCA and elected the following officers: Mrs. Thelma Reeves, president; Mrs. Grace Shelton, vice president; Mrs. Bernice Shepard, secretary; Mrs. Alberta Grace, assistant secretary; Mrs. Verda Spangler, treasurer; Mrs. Roxie Igou, chaplain; Mrs. Virgil Carr, reporter. The council meets the second and fourth Thursdays monthly at the YMCA.

## Praise Butler's Beauty Products

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## New Operator at Bernice's Salon

To accommodate the patrons of the Bernice's Beauty Salon at 911 Sixteenth street, Mrs. Bernice Lewis Carter, manager, announces the addition of another operator, Mrs. Dorothy Franklin, who returned to the city this week from Sioux City, where she has been connected with the Fannie Mae Beauty shop. Mrs. Franklin, a graduate of the Crescent School of Beauty Culture here, was formerly associated with the Polly Beauty shop, in East Des Moines. A native of Marshall, Mo., she is the wife of Mr. Cecil Franklin. They reside at 1436 Maryland.

Bernice's Salon is open daily from Monday through Saturday.

## ANNUAL BUSINESS WOMEN'S DINNER OCT. 8

The Ninth annual citywide business women's dinner will be held at the First Methodist church, Tenth and High streets, Oct. 8, 6:30 p. m. Mrs. Mary Ritchey is general chairman of the planning committee.



MISS BERNICE TOMLIN

Miss Bernice Tomlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Morrow, returned to the city this week after spending three months in Dayton and Mansfield, Ohio.

## SOCIAL ART CLUB MEETS OCT. 10

The Social Art club met Sept. 26 with Mrs. Mary Tillman 901 16th street. The next meeting will be with the president, Mrs. Zula Turner, 1424 E. 18th street, Oct. 10.

## NAMES OMITTED

The name of Mrs. James Thompson was omitted from the list of guests who attended the dinner party Sept. 14 given by Mrs. Melvin Ramsey. Mrs. Ramsey's name was left out of the guest list of the dinner given by Miss Orzealya Higgins on Sept. 21.

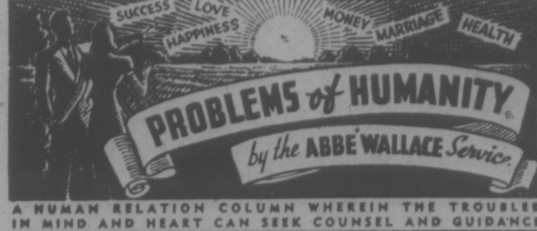
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P. F.—Sometime back I met a man who interested me very much. He went so far with me as to tell me how he would like for his wife to act, what he would like for her to do and what he expected of her in general and since that time I have fallen in love with him. But somehow, he doesn't act as interested in me as he did sometime back. I want to know if I should continue to hold the torch for him or let him alone? He has been married once and he says he isn't going to take a chance again until he knows what he is doing. I want a husband and a home and wish to know if this is the right one for me to try to get?

Ans: You've been jilted, Sister. When a girl plays her trump cards first, she generally loses. Next time you play love for keeps, save your ace until you get your man. Forget you ever met this fellow. Enter college this fall just as you plan. You will have no time to brood over this ex-lover keeping up with your studies.

## To Present Robert Ewing in Recital

The Negro Community Center will sponsor Robert Ewing, baritone soloist, in recital at Central YWCA on Sunday afternoon, November 3, at 4 o'clock.

Mr. Ewing, former army captain, studied music and earned his degree at the University of Indiana before being called into the military services five years ago. While in France he studied in the Marseilles conservatory and appeared in recitals before French audiences. Since his discharge last spring, he has sung before many audiences throughout the state under the management of local booking agencies. A member of the St. Paul AME church and the Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity, Mr. Ewing manages the E. and G. Texaco service station at 1209 Keo-Way.

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GOOD SIGNS OF RACIAL UNDERSTANDING

There are times when we feel discouraged over the progress being made in race adjustment and at others the pendulum swing just the other way. And when it does, the boost from the encouragement gives impetus to continue the effort for more advancement.

One very helpful and hopeful sign is the change in the attitudes toward Negro students at Iowa University in a full enjoyment of what the institution has to offer. This is true not only on the University campus, but in the down town establishments as well.

Negro students live in the dormitories and while this is confined to Iowans, it is a long step in the right direction. There are other places outside which hang up the welcome sign but heretofore they did not accommodate them. Public places in the city are open to Negro students and they use these facilities often.

Of course, Negroes have always fared well in football. This was never demonstrated more freely than Saturday when Dr. Anderson, the head coach, used three on the team at one time.

As the fine university band marched across the field, two Negro boys shared the spectacular stunts performed on the field.

There are two things which this participation in University activities emphasize and which ought to be pounded into the heads of Negro boys and girls who think they never have a chance: first, they should not hesitate to take an active part in everything offered them and prepare to do the job well; second, there are people who are willing to give them a chance and will stand by their convictions in their behalf.

THE ELEVENTH IOWA BYSTANDER TALENT SHOW

The Amateur Talent Show sponsored by the Iowa Bystander will show Des Moines for the eleventh time, Monday night, just what some of the youngsters can do as entertainers.

There is a lot of talent among people who never have an opportunity to let the public know about it. Here they have a chance to display it and that is the chief object of the show; it is one of the things which has made the show popular year after year.

The Bystander has offered these shows to the people of this community as a public service with the hope that some youngster may find himself and profit by his ability as an entertainer.

The cooperation of the public in the support of the project is appreciated by the promoters and participants.

LEADERSHIP NEEDED IN HOME PROBLEMS

Anyone who reads the newspapers is aware that there is considerable racial tension everywhere these days. It is an aftermath of the war which involves a lot of people who otherwise would never think of maintaining such an attitude.

Some people recognize the race problem as our No. 1 headache today. Thoughtful people agree. But altogether too many citizens fail to do anything about it until trouble arises. That is true of public officials in particular.

Recently, several committees have asked President Truman to do something tangible about lynching—about other injustices being heaped upon Negroes in the country. So far, he has done nothing, said little, and all

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TAKE ADVANTAGE

Des Moines does offer educational opportunity to the young and the old and at such times as most people may take advantage of it. Next week the adult education department of our public school system opens the fall term. In these classes, students may learn to do a lot of practical work for the home, office or trades; a general program designed to fit those who have had little opportunity to attend school and those who feel the need to pursue further a course they have started already prohibited.

The fee is nominal and the location of classes pretty well fits anyone. The splendid job which has been done preparing the work and conducting the classes commands the support of the public generally.

COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST

The Community Sanctified Church of Christ will hold Pastor's Day, Sunday, Oct. 6, at which time the Rev. Mrs. M. J. Cranshaw will preach. Sept. 29, the Rev. Roman of Mt. Olive Baptist church spoke during the afternoon. Mrs. Roman sang. The Dorcas sewing club will meet at the home of Mrs. N. A. Cooper, 1330 E. 17th court, Oct. 4.

Set Up State GOP Office at Kirkwood

The Republican State Central Committee has opened campaign headquarters in the Kirkwood Hotel. The Negro group, of which A. A. Alexander is in charge, is located in room 232.

Following the meeting on Labor Day, plans have been mapped for an active campaign throughout the state and Mr. Alexander has already begun arrangements for the speakers' bureau.

Mrs. Rose B. Johnson of Marshalltown is in charge of work among women and James B. Morris is secretary and publicity director. Miss Helen L. Warm of Marshalltown is stenographer.

VIOLENCE FLARES AT COLUMBIA TRIALS

(SEE FRONT PAGE) Columbia after the trial if this is true.

Under questioning, stories of Negro witnesses for the State have revealed that, following the shooting, they were packed in the jail like cattle, refused counsel, and subjected to beatings and other acts of intimidation on the part of state officers. Weaver asserted these acts of intimidation were aimed at causing the witnesses to testify to things they believed false.

After several attempts to introduce testimony of two earlier lynchings in Maury County, in which certain local officials played "a prominent part," according to defense attorney Z. A. Looby, he at last won permission to read the testimony regarding Cordie Cheek into the court record.

This testimony was introduced to show that the memory of the torture and lynching of Cheek motivated the Negroes in Columbia's Mink Slide, when they armed against what they feared would be another lynching—that of young James Stephenson, whose fight with a white radio repairman lighted the ever-smouldering flames of race friction in prejudice-heavy Tennessee.

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(SEE FRONT PAGE) to notify Selective Service to restore the September and October calls for colored registrants and to take all men according to their order number.

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Pfc. George P. Williams 'Couldn't Stay Out of Army' Reenlisted; Now in Pacific "Well, it seemed as if I couldn't stay away from the army," wrote Private First Class George P. Williams on September 23. "I am back trying to do another stretch. Of course, I find it not so hard. After all, I tried to stay in the States but they wouldn't let me have any peace so now I am here on a rock out in the middle of the Pacific ocean. Of course, they have built it up now and now it is called Adak.

"I am sure you will understand how it was with me in the States being pushed around from one camp to another. Some of my mail is yet trying to catch up with me. "I started in Fort Snelling, Minn., from there to Camp Lee, Va., Camp Stoneman, Calif.; then Fort Lawton, Wash. My, it was a terrible life but

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somehow I always come through. I find the Aleutian Islands to be very nice place. Our huts are really comfortable. We have oil heat for them; also to cook with. Our only regret is that you only find a girl behind every tree. So far I haven't been able to see a tree since I left the States.

"There are really some good changes to be made over here. They only pay \$500 per month—and we have quite a few being discharged here. Whiskey is rather cheap—only \$35 per fifth for souaters. How about a case once a month. We'll split the jackpot.

"I hope you are not too tired of reading this. I really did enjoy all of your mail when I was in France during the war. My fraulein in Germany took your photo for keeps—said you were much prettier than she so she kept it to look at all the time. I shall endeavor to write more often."—Pfc. George P. Williams, 37654852, 147 QM, Su. Pl., APO 980, 54PM, Seattle, Washington.

"School is going along o. k. Plenty of work and that's about all. Looks like the football team will be o. k.

Sergeant Roland, who serves as personnel sergeant major for his unit, became interested in the orphanage when he talked with Rev. P. S. Wilkinson, Pastor of the church in San Antonio, who recently came out to Kelly Field to address the colored troops on the subject of community life.

School Going Along Okay Writes J. B. Morris Jr. "Remember that card I promised? I never try to break a promise so here it is," wrote James B. Morris Jr., from Iowa university on a postal card of the Great Mormon tabernacle at Salt Lake City, Utah, where he visited this summer.

Soldiers At Kelly Field Contribute To Orphanage SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS—Because of the generosity of the men of the 4902nd AAF Base Unit, Kelly Field, nineteen little boys and girls of the Ella Austin Orphanage for Negro Children are a lot happier this week. Early in September the orphanage at 1912 Burnet Street, San Antonio, was presented \$125—voluntary contributions of the men of the unit.

Representing Lincoln unit was Mrs. Jessie Mae Phillips and Mrs. Guy E. Greene, vice president of Polk County, Oct. 23 the sixth district meeting will be held in Ft. Des Moines. The Ft. Des Moines post and unit will be hosts. It is an all-day meeting. Registration is at nine o'clock. Meeting opens at ten o'clock. Luncheon and dinner will be served. The evening meeting and dinner will be a joint meeting with the posts. Mrs. Greene will be responsible for the music at the morning session. Mrs. E. J. Fessler, president of the

PHYLIS WHEATLY GOP CLUB MEETS OCT. 21 The Phyllis Wheatly Republican club met at the home of Mrs. Essie Davis, 1115 Eleventh street, Sept. 23. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. J. G. Browne, Oct. 21, at 8 p. m. Refreshments will be served. The program chairman, Mrs. Katherine Shelton, will preside. All candidates have been invited. Mrs. Mabel Mason is president.

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JOLLY TWELVE CLUB The Jolly Twelve club met with Mrs. Helen Newman Thursday and again on Oct. 3 with Mrs. Geraldine Walker. The club will hold a social night Oct. 5.

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