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## Blame Warden in Georgia Massacre

### News Briefs From Far and Near

#### COURSE TO TEACH RACIAL UNDERSTANDING

Philadelphia.—(NNPA).—A college course in teaching varied races and creeds to understand one another the first offered here, opened last Monday at Drexel Institute of Technology, Thirty-second and Chestnut streets.

Known as the Workshop for Development of Intergroup Understanding, the three week course will include a visit to the United Nations Commission on Human Relations at Lake Success, New York.

In the class are individual students and agents of mixed culture groups, professions, social service agencies, churches, the YMCA and the Red Cross. They will earn college credits for their studies.

Mrs. Rache Davis DuBois, director of New York's pioneering Workshop for Cultural Democracy and lecturer at Columbia and New York Universities, is director of the Drexel course also.

#### RESCUE FIVE WHEN FLAMES GUT CHURCH

St. Louis.—Without heed to dense smoke and flames which swept through their two story church and dwelling building at 4243 West Belle place about 7:30 a.m. Thursday, July 3, Mother Mary Walker, pastor, and her husband, Roosevelt, rescued five persons. The building, which housed the Mt. Bethel Holiness Church was gutted and all but a small quantity of furniture that could be hastily dragged out was burned up.

#### DR. LEON CROGMAN KILLED IN ACCIDENT

Lorain, Ohio.—Dr. Leon Crogman, a dentist here for 25 years, died Sunday afternoon, July 13, as a result of injuries received in an automobile accident, Wednesday night, July 9.

Dr. Crogman, son of the late W. H. Crogman, for many years president of Clark university in Atlanta, was driving his car to his office when it was struck by another car which failed to stop at a stop sign at an intersection.

#### SOLDIERS CONTRIBUTE TO NEGRO COLLEGE FUND

New York.—Contributions totaling \$1,815.63 were received by the United Negro College Fund during the past few weeks from American Negro soldiers stationed abroad and in this country, Frank M. Totten, national campaign chairman, announced this week.

"For the fourth consecutive year, support from Negro soldiers both at home and overseas has been a source of great inspiration," Mr. Totten declared. "These men have written that they are anxious to help strengthen these colleges so that they may better serve the nation."

#### DR. T. Z. KOO TO SPEAK SUNDAY AT CHILDREN'S PARLEY

Dr. T. Z. Koo of the World's Student Christian Federation, Geneva, Switzerland, noted Chinese Christian leader, will address the opening session of the International Children's Work Conference at St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church Sunday, July 20, at 8 p.m., according to the Rev. H. H. Kalas, executive secretary, Iowa Inter-Church Council.

#### MR. OSCAR GLASS— RECOVERING

Mrs. Oscar Glass, 1517 Second street, is recovering nicely at Mercy hospital where he underwent an operation last week.

Mr. Oscar (Buddy) Glass Jr., of New York City is in the city spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glass. He is employed by the U.N.O. in New York.

#### CROWLEY PLAYGROUND OPENS ON EAST SIDE



During these hot summer days, many of the east side youth are finding some relief from the heat at the newly opened Rodney Crowley memorial playground, which opened for the first time on Wednesday, July 9, at Garfield and Dixon streets. This group was on hand last week when the wading pool was being filled. Many activities are being planned for the 375 children in the neighborhood who have registered at

the playground since the opening. Mrs. Elizabeth Adams and Mr. Robert Simmons, directors, revealed this week.

At the playground, already erected, is a shelter house which has showers, toilets, and handcraft rooms for boys and girls. A baseball diamond has been completed. Regular playground activities under the sponsorship of the Des Moines park and playground commission are also underway on the grounds of Logan

school which is across the street from the new playground. Hours at the playground are from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. daily except Sunday. On Mondays the playground is open from 2 to 8 p.m.

Built with a \$12,000 fund left by Mrs. Lillian Hall Crowley, who died in 1932, the playground is a memorial to her son, Rodney Crowley, who died en route to France during the first world war. (Photo courtesy of Des Moines Tribune).

#### JUDGE ORDERS SENTENCE FOR SITTING WITH NEGRO

Chapel Hill, S. C.—A local judge tried to give a white man who does not believe in prevailing prejudices six times the maximum sentence for sitting with a Negro on an interstate bus.

Judge Henry Whitfield sentenced Joe Felmet, southern secretary of the Workers Defense League, to six months "on the road," until the prosecutor reminded him that the maximum sentence under the state law is 30 days.

"I can't keep all these things in my little head," the judge remarked, as he changed the sentence to one month.

At the same time he reduced the sentence of the Negro with whom Felmet sat from \$50 and costs to \$25 and costs. He had previously told a lawyer that he had much more contempt for a white man than for a Negro in such a situation.

These two cases, and two similar ones tried earlier, are being appealed by the Workers Defense League.

## Dr. Moredcai Johnson to Address International SS Convention Here Thursday

Five major Negro denominations will hold special meetings for their Sunday school workers here next week in connection with the 21st International Sunday School Convention which will run from Wednesday evening, July 23, through Sunday, July 27.

The convention will bring together thousands of Sunday school teachers and superintendents of the 40 denominations which constitute the International Council of Religious Education, sponsor of the Convention. Inspirational addresses, forum hour discussions, Bible messages, and fellowship are main features of the Convention program.

Meetings  
The denominational meetings will be held next Thursday, Friday, and Saturday afternoons from 3 to 5 p.m. National church leaders will come here to present their programs and materials to their own local church workers.

Negro denominations meeting here and their places of meeting are: African Methodist Episcopal Church, St. Paul's A.M.E. Church, Twelfth and Crocker, African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church, Capitol Hill Christian Church, East Twelfth and Des Moines.

Colored Methodist Episcopal Church, University Christian Church chapel, Twenty-fifth and University; National Baptist Convention of America, First Methodist Church chapel, Tenth and Pleasant; and National Baptist Convention, U.S.A., Corinthian Baptist Church, Ninth and School streets.

Dr. Johnson Speaks  
Dr. Moredcai W. Johnson, president of Howard University, Washington, D. C., will address an evening mass meeting Thursday at 8:50 p.m. His topic will be "Matched with the Impossible."

Included in the convention program is a Bible hour Thursday, Friday and Saturday mornings from 9:30 to 10:29 a.m. at the Coliseum, during which prominent Bible speakers will discuss the Bible and its role in Christian teaching and living today.

On the same mornings a forum hour from 10:30 until noon will bring short discussions from Sunday school lay leaders of the successful projects they have carried out in their local churches, longer addresses by noted church educators, and open discussion periods. C. A. Lee, Negro Sunday School superintendent from Cleveland, Ohio, will tell "How Our Churches United To Improve Church School Leaders" at the Friday morning session.

Opens Wednesday  
The Convention will open Wednesday night with the first of five mass meetings. Prominent political and church leaders will address the thousands of Sunday school workers in (See Page Two)

#### To World Conference



MRS. GERTRUDE RUSH

Mrs. Gertrude Rush, attorney-at-law here, will leave Des Moines Friday night for Copenhagen, Denmark, where she will attend the World Baptist Alliance which convenes there from July 29 to August 6.

A representative of the Women's convention of the National Baptist Convention, Mrs. Rush will be a delegate from Corinthian Baptist church. Accompanying her on the trip will be Mrs. A. H. Officer of East St. Louis, Ill., president of the Illinois General Women's Baptist convention and Mrs. Hattie Wells of Champaign, Ill., president of the Illinois District Women's Convention.

Members of Corinthian Baptist church and friends have expressed their "best wishes for good luck and safe journey" in tokens and gifts of appreciation to Mrs. Rush who is an attorney for the women's convention of the National Baptist convention and chairman of the citizenship department of the same.

Mrs. Rush will travel by train from Des Moines to Chicago and New York where she will join the members of her party. Aboard the Pan American Clipper they will make a fifteen-hour flight from New York to London. From New York to Boston, the plane will stop afterwards in Gander, New Foundland; Shannon, Ireland and then London.

Mrs. Rush and her party will spend two days in London, travel by boat up the English Channel to the North Sea and on northeast to Copenhagen.

After the conference convenes, the party will travel by train to Amsterdam, Holland, from there to Brussels, Belgium; The Hague and on to

#### First Inspection of Clean-up Drive Sunday, July 20th

The first inspection in the annual Clean-up and Beautify campaign sponsored by the Willkie House, Des Moines Branch of the NAACP, and the Iowa Bystander will be made by the contest committee on Sunday, July 20.

Final inspection will be made on Sunday, July 27. Prizes will be awarded at the Crocker YMCA on Monday evening, July 28, at which time a program will feature home beautiful and garden picture movies, musical numbers and tea.

Get your entry blanks in this week end if you have made improvements on your home and lawns.

#### HOUSING FOR MARRIED COUPLES

Iowa City, Ia.—The University of Iowa will have living units available for nearly 1,000 married couples by the opening of the first semester in September. The last 160 of the barrack-apartments will be finished by late August. In the housing setup therefore will be space for 632 couples in barrack-apartments, 250 in trailers, and 50 each in cooperative houses and in Quonset apartments. Under the temporary housing program, no more quarters for married students will be erected. The office of student housing now has applications for all available space and no new applications will be accepted.

#### Shotgun Attack on S. C. Scout Camp

Charleston, S. C.—Three white youths confessed Monday they shot up a Negro Boy Scout camp near here in a Sunday "prank" that left three terrified campers wounded from volley after volley of shotgun fire.

Charleston police announced the arrest of Hollis K. Chandler, 20; John Murray, 19; and George Matthew Pierce, 20.

The Scouts were sleeping in a tent at Camp Pinckney when the white youths swooped down on the camp yelling and shooting, police were told.

Boy Scout executives condemned the incident and called a meeting to discuss it.

#### Royal Dukes End Beauty Contest On Monday Night

The grand closing of the Royal Dukes Bathing Beauty contest will be held Monday night, July 21, at the Billiken Hall where contestants will be awarded prizes.

Entrants in the contest are: DeLores Wyatt, Helen Louise Warn, Agnes Deering, Jane George, Inez McQuerry, Bernice Edwards, Ada Campbell and Gloria Williams.

Prizes will be: first, \$100-diamond ring; second, mantle radio; third, six pairs of nylon hose. Other entrants will receive gifts.

Murray Wolder is president of the Royal Dukes club. Bert Parker is chairman of the social committee and manager of the bathing beauty contest.

Music will be played by the Gray Brothers orchestra.

Paris, August 12 for a three-day stay after which they will return to London.

Mrs. Rush who planned her own itinerary will visit the Shakespearean country and Stratford on the Avon, Buckingham palace, Napoleon's tomb and Parliament.

The 27-day trip will near an end on August 18 when the party will board a plane and arrive the next day in New York City.

#### AMARANTH COURT

The Amaranth Court will meet Sunday, July 20, at the fraternal hall at 5 o'clock.

## Seven Chaingang Prisoners At County Camp Killed; Six Others Wounded by Guard

Brunswick, Ga.—(NNPA).—a coroner's jury, which investigated the massacre of seven chaingang prisoners at the Glynn County prison camp at Angulla, Georgia, twelve miles from here, adjourned last Saturday without returning a verdict.

As the verdict of the coroner's jury was withheld, Judge Gordon Knox of Glynn Superior Court called the grand jury to convene Wednesday to investigate the shooting. The verdict of the coroner's jury will be withheld until after the grand jury investigation.

The coroner's investigation was conducted at the prison camp by Coroner J. D. Baldwin, 80, and was attended by five members of the Brunswick branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

Seven prisoners were killed and six others wounded by a fusillade from the guns of prison guards at the Glynn County prison camp last Saturday. Five were killed instantly, two others died later in a hospital. Three of the convicts were killed as they scrambled under a house adjoining the stockade. Another was hit as he scrambled over the wire enclosure around the stockade and fell dead on the other side. Another was dropped in his tracks. Six were wounded.

NAACP On Job  
In New York, Walter White, secretary of the NAACP, said he sent the following telegram to Attorney General Tom Clark in connection with the shooting:

"May we respectfully urge investigation shooting thirteen and killing five Negro prisoners by camp guards near Brunswick, Ga. Preliminary reports from our investigators indicate no justification for shooting. Since guards are State employees, it would appear there is authority for Federal action."

C. G. Cogdell, Brunswick attorney employed by the NAACP, requested an investigation of the shooting by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Georgia Bureau of Investigation and the Glynn County grand jury.

As the inquest got under way, Austin T. Walden, an attorney and Georgia director of the NAACP, charged in Atlanta that the shooting looked "like a deliberate massacre."

#### Half-Drunk Warden

A half drunk warden fired the shot that set off the mass massacre of the prisoners doing time on a Georgia chaingang, a prisoner told the coroner's jury here last Saturday.

The jury heard two versions of incidents leading up to the killing. One was that the prisoners tried to escape after Warden H. G. Worthing had shot in the leg Willie (Pee Wee) Bell, a ringleader in an alleged revolt, who had lunged at him.

Testifying at the inquest, Bell denied Worthing's charge that he had lunged at the warden when the latter entered the stockade at Angulla to quell trouble.

Bell said the warden refused to (SEE EDITORIAL PAGE)

## Final Rites for Luncford, Band Leader, in New York

Seaside, Ore.—(NNPA).—Funeral services for Emil (Jimmy) Luncford 45, band leader, will be held in New York City, it was stated here last Sunday.

Mr. Luncford, whose band was here for a one-night stand on a West Coast tour, died last Saturday night after he had collapsed in a music record shop. His band proceeded with the night's program at the Bungalow, a seaside dance resort.

Ed Rosenburg, the band's traveling manager, said Mr. Luncford suffered a conclusive attack in the record shop where he was to have made a personal appearance and died a few minutes later in an ambulance on his way to a hospital.

The orchestra leader, had complained during the day of not feeling well, Mr. Rosenburg said, but was planning to lead his band Saturday night at the Bungalow dance hall. Mr. Rosenburg said the band

would disband permanently. Mr. Luncford's home was at 162 South Road, White Plains, New York. He was variously known as a purveyor of "solid jazz," "Sweet Swing" or "hot music." He was one of the foremost Negro musicians. His eighteen-piece band was noted for its arrangements of many popular songs, including "Cement Mixer," "Four or Five Times," "For Dancers Only" and "Blues in the Night."

A former athlete, Mr. Luncford was an indefatigable worker, always striving for distinctive arrangement. Although he could play every instrument in his orchestra, he seldom played one with his band.

Born in Fulton, Mississippi, his family moved to Denver when he was a boy, and he received his early education there. He got his first musical education under Wilberforce J. Whiteman, Paul Whiteman's father, who was superintendent of music (SEE PAGE SIX)

## Potential Voters in South Carolina Get Instructions On Voting Qualifications

Columbia, S. C., (NNPA)—Potential colored voters in South Carolina, gathered in churches throughout the State last Sunday, received instructions on qualifications for voting in primary elections in this State. J. M. Hinton, president of the State branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, disclosed.

The move was made in conjunction with other preparations by colored people in South Carolina to take advantage of the decision of Federal Judge J. Waties Waring, holding that colored electors cannot be legally barred from voting in Democratic primaries.

Charlestown, S. C.—The right to vote in Democratic primaries in South Carolina was won by Negroes here Saturday, July 12, in a court decision handed down by U. S. District Judge J. Waties Waring.

#### Hits "Private Club"

Judge Waring hit the "private club" argument which Democratic (SEE PAGE SIX)

# Culbertson Elected Head of United Grand Lodge of Iowa

The United Grand Lodge of Iowa F. & A. M. (Prince Hall affiliation) held a successful grand session at Sioux City July 7 to 9th and celebrated its sixtieth anniversary by placing on sale the "Clark History of Prince Hall Freemasonry from 1775 to 1945" compiled to 1930 by the late Past Grand Master A. G. Clark and continued from that date by Atty. S. Joe Brown, the senior past grand master, who was a close friend and associate of Past Grand Master Clark.

The book comprising 140 pages is neatly bound in brown cloth and stamped in gold letters and copyrighted by the Grand Lodge, is being sold at \$3.00 per copy although the printing of it actually cost the Grand Lodge \$3.25 per copy.

The Grand Lodge ordered a copy placed in the Masonic Library at Cedar Rapids; and also as a token of appreciation to Past Grand Master Clark, an autographed copy presented to his widow, Mrs. Addie Clark, who still lives at Okalooka where he passed away in 1939.

The grand session just closed was also remarkable in that it was represented every one of the seventeen lodges of the jurisdiction, including one new lodge recently instituted by the retiring Grand Master Paul D. Goodloe at Fort Dodge, which was given the name of Solomon Lodge and numbered forty-five. It is the first new lodge instituted since 1923.

### Increase

The reports showed an increase of about two hundred members since last grand session and near three thousand dollars remaining in the grand treasury after the payment of all the expenses of the grand session including the payment of \$100 each to the dependent relatives of ten members including one past grand master, W. Percy Parker, of Mason City, who had passed since the last grand session.

Of the nine remaining past grand masters, seven of them were present, only Past Grand Master H. E. Wil-

**ORIGINAL NOTICE**  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF IOWA IN AND FOR POLK COUNTY  
ROSE TOBIAS, Plaintiff  
vs.  
C. R. LOREY, ROBERT LOREY, HARRY LOREY, CARL LOREY, EARL LOREY, EDWARD LOREY, FLORENCE LOREY, FRANCES SAYLOR, and all unknown claimants, and all persons unknown claiming any right, title or interest in the above described real estate, to-wit: Lot Twenty-nine (29) in Block Four (4), Farwell Place, a subdivision now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa; and all the heirs, spouses, assigns, grantees, legatees, devisees and beneficiaries of each and all of the above named defendants, Defendants.

**TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS:** C. R. Lorey, Robert Lorey, Harry Lorey, Carl Lorey, Earl Lorey, Edward Lorey, Florence Lorey, Frances Saylor, and all persons unknown claiming any right, title or interest in and to the above described real estate, to-wit: Lot Twenty-nine (29) in Block Four (4), Farwell Place, a subdivision now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa; and all the heirs, spouses, assigns, grantees, legatees, devisees and beneficiaries of each and all of the above named defendants, Defendants.

**ORIGINAL NOTICE**  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF IOWA IN AND FOR POLK COUNTY  
GEORGE SIMS, Plaintiff  
vs.  
ORA BELLE SIMS, Defendant  
You are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the clerk of the District Court of Iowa in and for Polk County the petition of the plaintiff claiming of you an absolute divorce on the ground of desertion in that you have deserted yourself from him or a period of more than two years.

**NOTICE OF RENEWAL OF CORPORATION**  
Notice is hereby given of the renewal of the Articles of Incorporation and the company of American Mutual Life Insurance Company of Iowa, Iowa, to exist perpetually.

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liams of Ottumwa and Geo. L. Suter of Marshalltown, being unable to attend. All the sessions were held in the beautiful auditorium of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, where splendid meals were also served, making it very convenient for the brethren.

At the concluding session Wednesday afternoon, the following were elected and appointed officers for the ensuing year:

Grand Master, C. T. Culbertson, Iowa City; deputy Grand master, Thos. Lignon, Des Moines; grand treasurer, Dr. H. A. Martin, Dubuque; senior warden, Beverly Taylor, Cedar Rapids; junior warden, E. Pitts, Davenport; grand secretary, Jake L. Nelson, Burlington; grand custodian, J. W. Thompson, Des Moines; chaplain, Rev. D. O. Bell, Cedar Rapids; senior deacon, F. Parker, Mason City; junior deacon, C. Downey, Centerville; senior steward, E. Weaver, Dubuque; junior steward, H. Merriweather; Fort Dodge; standard bearer, L. Raglin, Marshalltown; master of ceremonies, R. Thompson, Clinton; Tyler, L. H. Hawkins, Council Bluffs; and the following committee chairmen: jurisprudence, Atty. S. Joe Brown, Des Moines; on officers' addresses, F. S. Johnson, Keokuk; on foreign correspondence, Branham N. Hyde, Des Moines; and on Auditing, H. Brown, Mason City.

The next grand session will be held in Council Bluffs, in July, 1948.

## MINNEAPOLIS WINS OVER K. C. FOR MID-WEST ELKS MEETING

Minneapolis, Minn.—Ames Lodge No. 106, I.R.B.P.O.W. of Minneapolis led by its treasurer Reuben Warren and its drum and bugle corps went to the Mid-West Elks convention at Denver, Colo., June 29, and brought back the next year's meeting of the ten state body.

The Minneapolis contingent armed with official invitations from Mayor Hubert H. Humphrey, the Civic and Commerce Ass'n convention bureau and the Junior Association of Commerce won the convention over Kansas City. The convention is expected to bring an estimated 1000 visiting Elks and their friends to the Twin Cities in late June or early July of 1948.

### ORIGINAL NOTICE

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF IOWA IN AND FOR POLK COUNTY**

LENA L. ANDERSON, Plaintiff  
vs.  
WALTER ANDERSON, Defendant  
You are hereby notified that the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause is now on file in the office of the clerk of the above named court, claiming of you an absolute divorce from the defendant on the ground of cruel and inhuman treatment.

**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON SPECIAL EXECUTION**  
STATE OF IOWA  
DISTRICT COURT OF POLK COUNTY, Polk County, ss.  
FRANK M. DUNHAM, Plaintiff  
vs.  
MAURICE E. CONN and BETTY J. CONN, Defendants  
By virtue of a special execution to me directed, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, in favor of Frank M. Dunham, and against Maurice E. Conn and Betty J. Conn, on a judgment rendered by said court on the 28th day of June 1947, A. D., wherein it was ordered, adjudged and decreed that the following described property be sold to satisfy said judgment to-wit:

Lot eighteen (18) and Nineteen (19) in Wesley Place, an Official Plat, according to the recorded plat thereof, of, now included in and forming a part of Polk County, Iowa.

**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON SPECIAL EXECUTION**  
STATE OF IOWA  
DISTRICT COURT OF POLK COUNTY, Polk County, ss.  
H. C. RIPPET, Plaintiff  
vs.  
SHERIFF OF POLK COUNTY, Iowa, Defendant  
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## CARVER PEANUT RESEARCH MAY BE EXPANDED BY USDA

Washington.—Some of the peanut research studies begun by the late Dr. George Washington Carver may be furthered by the U.S. Department of Agriculture under the Research and Marketing Act of 1946, if the recommendations of the Peanut Advisory Committee are carried out.

In its recent report to E. A. Meyer, administrator of the Research and Marketing Act, the committee recommended that four types of peanut research be conducted. Among these it proposed that a high priority be given research on consumption of peanuts for edible purposes and on the development of new ways of incorporating peanuts into other foods such as soups, meat substitutes, infant foods, and other specialty products.

Dr. Carver did considerable research on this problem. In 1916, he published a bulletin entitled "How to Grow the Peanut and 105 Ways of Preparing It for Human Consumption." In this publication he has prepared recipes for such items as peanut ice cream, peanut sausage, baked peanuts with rice, peanut pudding, and peanut soup.

Other peanut research projects recommended by the committee are: Seed improvement and maintenance of seed stocks; mechanization of growing, harvesting, and curing the crop; insect and disease control; fertilizer and other soil management practices. Research on grading and inspection and on the development of new industrial uses for peanuts also are included in the recommendations.

# DEMOCRACY IN JOBS IN DES MOINES

**Seek Employment**  
LABORER  
An opportunity to file applications for a Civil Service (career) appointment in the Federal service was announced by the Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Veterans Administration, Des Moines, Iowa. Appointments will be made to the position of Laborer, \$1690 per annum, for duty at the Veterans Administration Facilities, Des Moines, Iowa.



**MISS EVELYN GREEN**  
Holding a position of receptionist in the office of the Polk County Welfare office, is Miss Evelyn Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Green of 337 E. Broad street.

Miss Green greets the many clients who come to the office, located at 701 Fifth street, and sends them to the many departments of the welfare division.  
The native of Des Moines who is a graduate of Lincoln high school here began her employment with Polk County nearly a year ago, as a typist. She qualified for the job by passing a Merit System examination. Since her graduation in 1941, Miss Green has held employment as an office secretary at the Iowa Bystander and at the Banker's life building. She is a member of the St. Paul AME church; served during the war as one of the junior hostesses of the Keo-Way USO club; and is affiliated with the Hill Top Tennis club of Des Moines.

**NOTICE OF AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF PNEUMATIC CONTROLS CORPORATION**  
Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the action of the Directors, Officers and Stockholders of the Pneumatic Controls Corporation, Article V of the Articles of Incorporation of the Pneumatic Controls Corporation was amended on the 30th day of June, 1947 by the following Resolution: "RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of the Pneumatic Controls Corporation, a Corporation of the State of Iowa, do hereby amend and hereby declare it to be advisable and hereby declares it to be advisable that Section 1 of Article V of the Articles of Incorporation be amended, changed and altered to read as follows:

**ARTICLE V.**  
Section 1. The authorized capital stock of this corporation shall be Sixty Thousand (\$60,000.00) Dollars, and shall be all common stock, of which there shall be six thousand (6,000) shares at the par value of Ten (\$10.00) Dollars.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the foregoing matter, including such proposed change and alteration in the Certificate of Incorporation of the Corporation shall be submitted for action thereon by the stockholders of the Company at a special meeting thereof to be held on the 1st day of June, 1947, and that notice of the time, place and purposes of this meeting

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## MEET THESE DES MOINES YOUNGSTERS



More Des Moines youngsters this week are: (top row) left to right: Leonard 2, and Gary Madison 6 months, 830 14th place; Bernadette 1, and Estella M. Barber, 2 1/2, 935 16th street.

**CONVENTION**  
(See Front Page)  
The Coliseum, Attorney General Clark and former Governor Harold Stassen being among the speakers. The Convention will close Sunday, July 27, with two big services. In the afternoon the meeting in the Coliseum will bring a Methodist bishop from India, a church leader from Hungary, and a school teacher from the Philippines as speakers in a service held jointly with the World's Sunday School Association. The evening meeting in Drake University Stadium will feature a thousand voice choir in a dramatic pageant with Des Moines churches participating.

National Sunday school conventions such as this one go back to 1832. The great conventions of the nineteenth century led to the organization of the I.C.R.E. This is the first convention since 1938.

**NATIONAL SPIRITUAL ASSEMBLY TO MEET IN MILWAUKEE, WIS.**  
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 515 7 E. 12th street, Elder F. M. Hawkins, pastor. Sunday school, 10:30 a. m. Noonday services 1 p. m.; evening service 7:30 p. m. Tuesday regular service 7:30 p. m. Thursday Bible Class, 7:30 p. m. You are cordially invited to attend this church.

**MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 Southeast Fourth Street and Scott; Rev. J. E. Roman, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning services at 11 a. m. Prayer meeting is Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Sunday evening worship at 7:45 p. m. Missionary Society Friday, 7:30 p. m. Everybody is welcome to attend these services.

**CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 Ninth and School Streets, Rev. G. W. Robinson, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 o'clock; Morning Service, 11:00; B. T. U., P. M., Evening Service, 7:00; Mid-Week Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7:00 P. M.

**KYLES A.M.E. ZION CHURCH**  
 Southeast 10th and Shaw, B. F. Blanks, pastor, 701 Southeast 10th. Order of services: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 o'clock; Verick C. E. Society, 7 p. m. Evening worship, 7:45 o'clock. Mid-week prayer Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

**THE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**  
 Tenth and Crocker Streets, Rev. E. G. Carter, pastor. Sunday School, 10:30; Morning Service, 12:00; Y.P.W.W. 7:00; Women's Bible Band, Tuesday Night 8:00; Bible Class Thursday Night 8:00.

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**SUNDAY EVENING UNION SERVICES AT ST. PAUL**  
 Sunday evening union church services of Burns Methodist, Corinthian Baptist and St. Paul A.M.E. churches will be held at the St. Paul church, Twelfth and Crocker streets, at 7

**UNION SERVICES AT KYLES SUNDAY**  
 The Sunday evening union church services will be held by the Southeast side congregations at the Kyles A.M.E. Zion church. Sunday afternoon the members and pastor of Kyles will go to Shiloh Baptist church for services.

**ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NOTES**  
 Last Sunday was Golden Age Day in the Go-to-Church Campaign. Guests at the morning service, a number of those who had passed the Golden Age including three of the Cora Moore Nursing Home persons, Messrs. Mark Legin, John Yeager and Daniel King. Pastor A. J. Irvine greeted them with a sermon on old age. Among the other visitors from out of the city were Miss Ione Coleman, sister of the late Mrs. S. Joe Brown, who is a member of the faculty of the Lincoln High School in Kansas City, Mo.

Following the morning service the stewards and stewardesses served a basket dinner in the lecture room where food of all kinds was spread upon the tables and everyone invited to help themselves, in the old-fashioned way.

At the three o'clock hour the stewards held an old-fashioned praise service led by Mrs. Anna Ringo, president of Board No. 2 after which the Rev. R. L. Turpin of the Union Baptist Church preached. Music was furnished by his choir. In the evening at 7 o'clock the church joined with Burns and Corinthian in a union service at Corinthian where the message was brought by the Rev. J. E. Tunstall of Burns church. Next Sunday being "Music Day", special musical programs will be rendered at each service, to which the general public is invited Sunday evening at 7 o'clock St. Paul will be host to the union service of St. Paul, Burns and Corinthian churches at which St. Paul choirs will furnish the music.

**CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH ACTIVITIES**  
 The musical groups of Corinthian are keeping activities going forward during July. Out-of-town visitors last Sunday included: Mr. J. Louis Erving, St. Paul, Minn.; Mr. P. E. Harston, St. Louis, Mo.; Mr. John Anderson, Independence, Kas.

**CHURCH OF LIGHT AND TRUTH**  
 Spiritual Temple of Truth, Mrs. Hazel Brown, Pastor, 1229 Buchanan, phone 3-8450. Spiritual classes held Wednesday evening 8 p. m. Sunday evening services held 8 p. m. with personal messages. Everyone welcome.

**SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 1213 Scott street, Rev. C. A. Record, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. at 6:30 p. m. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Senior choir rehearsal Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday 7:30 p. m. midweek prayer service. Friday at 2 p. m. Missionary meeting.

**FIRST C.M.E. CHURCH**  
 S. E. 25th and Maury streets; Rev. J. T. Johnson, pastor; address, 732 S.E. 28th street. Phone 62-6107. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Evening service at 7 p. m.

**NINTH STREET CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
 1026 Ninth street, Rev. J. J. Hawkins, pastor. Order of Services: Sunday school at 9:50 a. m. Worship service 11:00 a. m. Christian Youth Fellowship 1:30 p. m. The public is invited to attend these services.

**THE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST IO. 1**  
 East 17th and University. Pastor, Elder F. T. Taylor, 1419 Buchanan street, telephone 6-7522. Sunday School 10:30. Morning Service 1:00, Y. P. W. W. 4:30 p. m. Bible Band Tuesday night 7:00. Home Foreign Mission Wednesday afternoon 1:00. Sewing Circle Thursday night 8:00. Regular services Tuesday night, Friday and Sunday at 8:00. Everybody welcome to attend these services. Pastor—Elder F. T. Taylor, Asst. Pastor—Elder R. Bogie, Church Mother—Effie Bogie.

**COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
 Mrs. M. J. Cranshaw, pastor; 509 S. E. 27th street. Order of services—Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m. Afternoon worship, 3 o'clock. Youth organization 7 p. m. Night service, 8 p. m. Mid-week prayer and Bible study, Wednesdays at 8 p. m. Everyone is welcome.

**MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH ACTIVITIES**  
 Pastor George Parish preached Sunday. Baptizing was held. The pastor and ladies chorus were guests at Shiloh Baptist church Tuesday evening. The P. H. T. N. club met Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Mattie Brown. The president of the pipe organ club is sponsoring a program Sunday afternoon, July 20, at 3 p. m. Sick of the church are: Messdames Bessie Cunningham, Alice Crutcher, Mr. Robert Wilhite.

**EVANGELISTIC GROUP IN REVIVAL HERE**  
 An evangelistic group from St. Louis, Mo., is conducting a revival for the Church of God in Christ at 851 Tenth street. Elder A. E. Johnson and his wife, Mrs. Emma Johnson, known also as "Song Bird of West," with Evangelist H. B. Colbert

## SPENDING VACATION HERE



MISS ROBERTA MAUPIN

One of the regional directors of the national Young Women's Christian Association, Miss Roberta Maupin who directs activities for the business and professional girls in the regions of New York and Chicago, is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. Minnie Maupin of 1209 East Sixteenth street. She will be here on a month's vacation until the early part of August.

## PULLMAN PORTERS CITED FOR HONESTY, BRAVERY, IN BOOK

Chicago.—Routine honesty and bravery of pullman porters are dramatized in Stewart Holbrook's August, Negro Digest article relating the recovery of \$75,000 in jewelry, capture of a FBI-wanted murderer, and rescue of an entire community surrounded by a blazing forest fire.

"Pullman porters are tight-lipped of all men," Holbrook, author of "Lost Men of American History" and six other books states. "And the traveling public knows little of their lives and work.

"Being a pullman porter is like getting a ten-second flash of every movie ever filmed," his Negro Digest story continues.

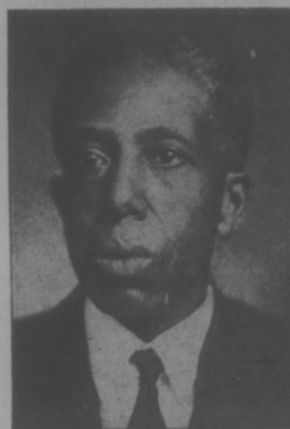
His research for a book on railroads due this fall unearthed for Holbrook many unpublished acts which porters have come to take as everyday duties. Returning \$75,000 in lost jewelry and aiding FBI agents in the capture of a murderer whose suitcase contained \$50,000 are part of these duties.

### Devotion

Devotion to duty even costs the lives of some porters, Holbrook adds, telling of Arthur Daniels who was scalded to death saving the lives of passengers aboard his derailed car, the Siroco.

Peak act by any porter, however, is that of John Blair who helped rescue the citizens of a small Minnesota town surrounded by a forest fire. Hustling scores of women and children aboard his chair car, he sprayed them with water while his blazing car was raced through the burning hell of trees. He calmed children with talk while covering them with wet blankets. By the time the train reached the nearest lake, Blair's clothes were afire, but

## TO BE HONORED



S. JOE BROWN

Samuel Joe Brown, Des Moines veteran attorney-at-law, will be honored for his contribution to Christian education at the 21st International Sunday School convention being held next week, July 23-27, at Des Moines, according to James L. Kraft, Chicago, chairman of the Committee of One Hundred assisting the International Council of Religious Education in preparations for the convention.

Mr. Brown, who has been practicing law since 1901, will receive an inscribed, Morocco-bound copy of the Revised Standard Version of the New Testament, Mr. Kraft stated. He was selected by national officials of the African Methodist Episcopal Church to represent his denomination.

He still helped the women and children off the train before crawling into the water himself. Blair received a medal and a watch for his heroism.

## Corn Relish—Recipe for a Popular Hostess

Corn relish is one of those appetizing dishes we rarely enjoy unless we know someone who does home canning and invites us over for a meal. Popular hostesses find that it pays to include corn relish in their home canning plans. The Ball Blue Book recipe for this taste treat is as follows:

- 2 quarts corn
- 1 quart chopped cabbage
- 1 cup green sweet pepper
- 1 cup sweet red pepper
- 2 large onions
- 1 cup sugar
- 2 tablespoons ground mustard
- 1 tablespoon mustard seed
- 1 tablespoon salt
- 1 tablespoon celery seed
- 1 quart vinegar
- 1 cup water

Boil corn five minutes. Cold 1922. Cut from cob. Measure. Chop a little measure cabbage and peppers. Chop onions. Combine ingredients and simmer 20 minutes. (More salt and sugar may be added if aged.) Pack into hot jars. Seal at once.

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**SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST NEWS**  
 The Sanctified Church of Christ held Sunday school at 10 a.m. with Mrs. Mary Williams in charge. July 13 was Young Folks Day with Miss Velma Jane Avery in charge. Mr. Anthony Bush was present. E. B. Williams of Boston, Mass., bureau of evangelism of AME Zion church spoke at 3 p.m. Mr. Charlie King and family, Mrs. Julia Angela and Miss C. Marshall were visitors.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 The family of Mrs. Susie Brown wishes to extend thanks to all friends and neighbors for their visits during her sickness; also for telegrams, cards and floral offerings after she passed away. We also wish to thank Rev. G. W. Robinson who officiated at the funeral; Evangelist Estella Coates for her remarks and the Corinthian choir, the Mother board, the staff at the Broadlawn hospital; and the Estes Funeral Home for kind and efficient service rendered.

Signed by Mrs. and Mrs. T. E. Harston, Sister and Brother-in-Law. and her daughter, Miss Charlene Colbert, pianist, are offering the music. The Johnson children will give a program each evening.

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6. The promotion of local programs to fight all types of inequalities and to promote social justice.

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# Crowds Jam Corridors of California Federal Court To Witness Miss D. Jones Case

San Diego, Cal. — The Ingalls "slave" case, which has been on trial for three weeks, was expected to go to the jury by Wednesday, July 16. Courtroom spectators, having heard the testimony of scores of witnesses in the strange case, are betting two to one that Mr. and Mrs. Alfred W. Ingalls will be convicted on the charges of enslaving their maid, Dora Jones, over 30 years.

The case which defense attorneys are building up for the Ingalls is weak—decidedly weak. Mrs. Mira Elizabeth Ingalls did not help herself much when she took the witness stand Friday, July 11, in her own behalf.

### Dora 'Loved To Do'

She denied emphatically that Dora had ever been anything but a member of the family. She insisted that Dora Jones did not want a salary. She was not interested in money—she loved to do things for me" was the way Mrs. Ingalls put it.

The witness described numerous instances when Dora Jones had attacked her, but stated that she had NEVER attacked Dora. She explained that the only time she ever called Dora names was when Dora reminded her of the Harmon incident.

Miss Jones completed four and a half days on the witness stand before she stepped down. Assistant United States Attorney Earnest A. Tolin introduced three photographs of her after she had been removed by the FBI from the Ingalls' home at nearby Coronado last winter. They showed her to be shabbily dressed, and she looked careworn and tired.

Sketching in her life after Mrs. Ingalls remarried, Miss Jones said she went once to a movie, but when she returned, "Mrs. Ingalls said movies were not very good for me . . .

anyone like me shouldn't be in a movie. People would smell me and not want to sit beside me."

### Looked Better

This and other statements contained evidence that one of the techniques the white woman used to bind the Negro to her was to make her feel inferior because of her race. Miss Jones said she wore her hair short because "Mrs. Ingalls said colored people looked better with short hair."

Asked if, after the family moved to Boston in 1940, she ever had any money for herself or any days off, she replied in the negative. In matter-of-fact tones she told of getting up at four a.m. and working until 9 or 10 p.m.

"Sometimes I'd say, 'If you paid me, maybe things would go better.' She said, 'after the things you've done, I don't owe you anything.'"

Blandly Clifford Fitzgerald, attorney for the Ingalls, described Mrs. Ingalls as a "missionary intent on the advancement of the colored race." Denying the prosecution's charge that the Ingalls transported Dora Jones for purposes of enslaving her, he argues that the Negro woman went to Coronado from Berkeley as a "free voluntary act"; that "Dora pleaded with Mrs. Ingalls to take her from her Athens, Ala. home to Washington"; that Dora was happy with the Ingalls and didn't want to go to hotels, but preferred to sleep in the family car because she resented the insulting remarks of hotel clerks."

### Crowds High

Crowds running as high as 300 persons have jammed the corridors of the federal district court, trying to get a seat at the sensational trial. Only 100 can be admitted to the courtroom, however.

### RECIPE OF THE WEEK

By HELEN BROWN JENKINS

#### ROAST BEEF SALAD

- 1 cup diced cooked beef
- 2 hard-cooked eggs, sliced
- 2 tomatoes, quartered
- 1 small head lettuce
- French dressing or mayonnaise

Toss first 3 ingredients together. Serve on lettuce with French dressing or mayonnaise. Serves 6. Use diced cooked ham, tongue, or corned beef instead of beef.

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waterlogging of the fruit.

"When several pounds of berries are washed, stemmed or capped, you are ready to mix them with sugar or cover them with sirup—depending on your preference and whether or not you want to use frozen berries for dessert sauces.

"In filling containers for the freezer, allow 3/4 inch space at the top of each one for expansion during freezing. Follow the manufacturer's instructions for closing or sealing various types of containers. "Berries or any fruit covered with sirup tend to rise to the top. To keep them in the sirup, crush a piece of wax paper and place it between the fruit and the lid of the freezing container.

### Tomato Chutney for Taste Delight

Home-canned tomato chutney is a year-round taste delight which many housewives put up in quantity, often by request. It's delicious with meats, does wonders for meats served cold. This recipe, from the universally used Ball Blue Book on home canning, will please your family:

- 12 ripe tomatoes
- 3 onions
- 3 sweet peppers
- 6 tart apples
- 1 pod hot peppers

- 1 clove garlic
- 1 cup seeded raisins
- 3 cups brown sugar
- 1/2 tablespoon ginger
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 3 cups vinegar

Skin tomatoes and onions, seed peppers, pare and core apples, wash raisins, then run all through food chopper. Combine with other ingredients and cook until thick. Pour into hot jars and seal according to manufacturer's instructions.

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# SOCIETY



## MISS ADA GRAHAM VISITS PARENTS BEFORE LEAVING FOR POSITION IN HAWAII

Miss Ada Graham who has been employed for the past year at the YWCA in Denver, Colo., spent the past week as guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Graham, 803 Boyd Ave., who entertained her at a family dinner, July 8.

Miss Della Chapman, Mrs. Archie Greenlee and Mrs. Paris Skanes entertained Miss Ada Graham at a farewell party on July 10 at the home of Mrs. Skanes.

Guests who helped Miss Graham enjoy the evening were: Miss Roberta Maupin of New York, Mrs. Adele Moore Wallace of New York, Misses Cecil Madison, Mary Jane Asbury, Marguerite Newcomb, Mary Holmes, Mesdames James Rhodes, Helen Graham Kelly, E. T. Scales, Arthur Propes, Everett Newcomb, Helen Shackelford, William Bell, Chester Simms, Robert Williams, Fred Stone, J. C. Williams, Robert Ewing, Horace Brown and Guy Morris.

Miss Graham left Sunday, July 13, via United Air Lines for Honolulu, Hawaii, where she has accepted a position as a welfare worker in charge of the service club for Negro men which is being opened at Hickam field. Miss Graham is the niece of Mrs. Skanes.

Other social courtesies were extended her by: Mrs. Arthur Propes, luncheon; Mrs. Guy Morris, luncheon; Mrs. E. T. Scales, brunch; Mrs. J. C. Williams, Miss Mary Holmes and Mrs. Horace Brown, potluck.

## MR. AND MRS. F. S. THOMAS BACK FROM VISIT IN DENVER

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Thomas, 1332 Jefferson street, returned to the city Tuesday morning from a ten day trip to Denver, Colo., where they were house guests of Mr. Thomas' relatives. They made trips to the mountains, visited Pike's Peak and the Garden of the Gods in Colorado Springs.

## MRS. E. WALLACE IS DINNER HOSTESS

Mrs. Ethel Wallace of 1452 Dixon street entertained at dinner last Sunday her brothers, Messrs Ora and Clark Yeager, Sr., and friends. Sharing the courtesies were: Mesdames Ora Yeager, Clark Yeager Sr., Miss Pauline Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Dobson.

## TO GEORGIA

Dr. W. J. Reese, Jr., of 940 16th street left the city July 10 for a two week vacation with relatives and friends at his hometown, Albany, Georgia.

## MRS. BACON AND MISS BROOKS VISITING HERE

Mrs. Thelma Bacon and her daughter, Miss Mary Brooks, of Chicago, Ill., are in the city visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Olivia Devan, and Mrs. Mattie B. Scott.

## MRS. CARTER ON VACATION

Mrs. Inice Carter is vacationing in Cleveland, Ohio, and Chicago, Ill.

## MISS ELLA PAYNE VISITS SISTER

Mrs. Ella Payne, 918 14th street had as her guest for two weeks, her sister, Miss Sylvia Reed of Cleveland, Ohio, formerly of Des Moines. She is a registered nurse in Cleveland.

## SOCIAL ART CLUB MEETS JULY 24

The Social Art club will meet July 24 at the home of Eva Roper, 1420 Buchanan street. Business will be transacted. All members are urged to be present.

## VISITORS AT HOME OF CLIFFORD BAYLES

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Webb of New York City arrived in Des Moines Wednesday to spend two weeks vacation with M. Webb's sister, Mrs. Clifford Bayles of 951 17th street. While here they will visit other relatives and friends.

Helen Louise and Reggar Webb, Jr., of Chicago, Ill., niece and nephew of Mrs. Clifford Bayles are spending the summer with her at home.

## WILBERT MCGREGORYS OF ALABAMA HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert McGregory and son, Donald Lee, of Westfield Ala., spent several days in the city visiting Mr. McGregory's mother and family, 1032 15th street. While here they were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Owens of 945 17th street.

Mail news items early.

## IOWANS ATTEND CHURCH CONGRESS IN NEW YORK



Mrs. Neal Howard, 3419 Wakonda, and Mrs. Gertha Thomas, 1341 East Ovid, delegates to the National Youth Congress of the Churches of God in Christ, which convened June 27 to July 2 in Brooklyn, New York, have returned to the city. They were guests in the home of Mrs. Thomas, nephew, Mr. Harry Wilson and Mrs. Wilson of Rockford, New Jersey. Mrs. Howard and Mrs. Thomas

who is field worker of the Sunday School, visited in the home of Elder and Mrs. F. W. McGee in Anthony, N. Y., where the group above was photographed. Elder McGee who is overseer for the church in Iowa, was recently called back to pastor the Des Moines church which is the Cleveland Avenue Church of God in Christ. In Des Moines during the week end, he will return to the

church here to conduct a meeting next month.

Iowans in the picture are: Mrs. Thomas, (fifth from the left) seated in the divan; Mrs. Neal Howard (seventh around the room) also seated on the divan; Elder McGee at the right of the picture (seated in overstuffed chair) with Mrs. McGee at his left.

## MRS. E. CALDWELL HONORS GUESTS AT LAWN LUNCHEON

Mrs. Elizabeth Caldwell, 1305 De Wolf street, entertained at a one o'clock luncheon on her lawn Monday afternoon honoring Mrs. Lillian Caldwell Anderson of Omaha, Neb., and Mrs. Thelma Devan Bacon of Chicago who is now visiting her mother, Mrs. Homer Devan.

Other guests were: Mrs. Virginia Hundley, Mrs. Buster L. Randle, Mrs. Frank Murray, Mrs. Clara Guinn and Miss Juanita Rhodes.

## MR. AND MRS. HAMMITT ENTERTAIN ATLANTANS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Hammit of 840 Fifteenth street had as their house guests last week, Mr. and Mrs. Roswell O. Sutton of Atlanta, Ga. Mr. Sutton and Mr. Hammit served together in the 447th and 365th port battalion of the army in the European and Pacific theaters of war. Mr. Sutton is now connected with the Peoples Saving bank of Atlanta.

On Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Hammit entertained at a party in honor of the Suttons. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Winston, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gray, Mrs. Irene Stone of Houston, Texas, Miss Mary Jane Asbury, Mr. Carol Devan and Atty. W. Lawrence Oliver.

"It was his first trip away from home and out of his expense money of fifteen dollars, he managed to bring back one buck.

Colen said he liked best the visit to the zoo at Belle Isle; he liked, too, the youth choirs of Detroit and the oratorical contest.

"Best of all" for him was the trip on the bus. "We did tricks, too. Tricks like putting lip-stick and talcum powder on the sleeping boys," he revealed.

Mrs. Iva Hayes, one of the supervisors of the youth on the trip, commented that she has never had such a fine and well-behaved group of youth in her care. She revealed that the youth had nice homes in Detroit families - and she and eleven girls housed at the Lillian Coffey Home, and old mansion for retired missionaries, in Arden Park. "It was a grand place," she commented. The members of the youth choir were entertained at a breakfast Saturday morning at Ellis park of Belle Isles.

Though their stay was short in Chicago Sunday where the youth choir sang at the Woodlawn AME church, when the bus arrived in the big city Sunday morning, the youth were taken to the Persian hotel, where they had rooms until time for services; breakfast followed at the church and after the Sunday morning services, the youth saw part of the city. Before leaving Mrs. Genevieve Russell, sister of Mrs. Hayes, prepared a mammoth lunch for all of the forty passengers on the bus to take back on their way home. "We had food left when we got here after midnight Sunday," Mrs. Hayes said.

A note received last week from Dr. and Mrs. Theodore S. Williams of Tuskegee Institute, Ala., announced the birth of their second child, another son, named Lloyd Clyde, born Sunday, July 6. The Williams are former residents of Des Moines.

Thanks to Mrs. J. P. Jones for the lovely sweet peas from her garden, of many flowers at 1232 Dixon.

Mrs. H. W. Hughes who returned to the city recently from a visit in Georgia, was delighted in meeting Colonel Queen who is now stationed at Ft. Benning, Ga. Trained at the 17th Provisional training camp at Fort Des Moines in 1917, he sent his regards to his many friends here.

## VISITS IN GEORGIA

Miss Victoria Nan Kitchen accompanied by her granddaughter, Mrs. H. W. Hughes, Mr. Wood Woolery Jr., and Mr. Harold Hughes have returned from a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon H. Kitchen of Columbus, Ga. Enroute home, the party with the exception of Mr. Hughes, was the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Woolery Sr., of Fulton, Mo.

## MRS. ROBERT DACUS BACK FROM MINNESOTA

Mrs. Robert Dacus has returned home after spending the Fourth of July at their summer cottage in Avey, Minn. She had as guests while there, Exalted Ruler of the Elks, Mr. James Hudson and Mrs. Hudson of Minneapolis, Minn.

## TEN KEYS MEET

The Ten Keys club held its July Fourth dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jordan. Guests were the husbands and friends of members. The birthdays of Mrs. Inice Carter, club president, and Mr. Jordan were celebrated. The next meeting is with Mrs. Helen Ewing, 1054 18th street.

## VISITING HERE

Mrs. Barbara Burton Robinson of Detroit, Mich., is visiting relatives in the city.

## ROBERT POWELLS OF NEW JERSEY HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Powell of Newark, N. J., were the week end guests of Mrs. Rose Wood, 1613 E. Vine street. They were enroute to California and Canada. Mrs. Powell is a teacher in one of the city schools. Mr. Powell is a 20-year clerk in the Newark post office.

## DOUBLE ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT



Misses DOROTHY AND BERNICE TOMLIN  
Mr. and Mrs. John A. Morrow, 1304 Laurel, announce the engagements of two of their daughters, Misses Bernice and Dorothy Tomlin. Miss Bernice Tomlin is engaged to Mr. Harold Spangler, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Spangler of 1172 Fourteenth street, Des Moines. Miss Dorothy Tomlin who holds a position at Wright Field, Air Base, Dayton, Ohio, and who is majoring in a business course at Parker Vocational School at Dayton, is engaged to Mr. Anderson C. Lumpkin, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Lumpkin, 7355 W. Fifth street, Dayton. The couple left the city Sunday after a ten-day visit here with Miss Tomlin's parents, to return to Dayton.  
The Tomlin sisters, both natives of Des Moines, are graduates of North High school here. Miss Bernice Tomlin completed a war training course for stenographers and typists at the American Institute of Business (AIB) prior to going to Dayton.

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Ans: Your husband lived according to strict rules and regulations in the service and grew to like it. Now he wants to operate his own home efficiently. Let him take over the helm for awhile and give him your best cooperation. You will accomplish more if you do. The change to Chicago will prove a profitable one.

W. C.—The last advice you gave me helped so much and that is why I'm writing today. My boy friend and I really loved each other and I want to know if what I think is the reason he lost all his love for me so suddenly?

Ans: Your fussy disposition annoyed him all right, but it was his son's visit that influenced him to take the final step. Send for Lesson No. 2 - HOW TO HOLD YOUR MATE, price 25c. It will interest you.

M. G.—We try to treat everyone nice but we don't ever have any company. People say they will come but never do. Please tell us what to do?

Ans: If you like company you must take the initiative and invite your friends to see you. Plan a little party or buffet supper and invite them in on these special occasions. They will come. People don't visit if they once did without a special invitation.

M. C. G.—My husband and I never did have any kind of trouble. He gave me a vacation and sent me to St. Louis. While there, he sent word that we could never get along and wanted a divorce. I called and asked him about it and he told me he did not say any such thing. Now I don't know what I should do. He doesn't know that we are going to become parents.

Ans: Catch the next train home. You have been away long enough. Your husband will welcome you with open arms and the good news you bring.

## TO LITTLE ROCK

Mr. C. E. Joiner is visiting his son and daughter in Little Rock, Ark., and will stop enroute at Kansas to visit other relatives and friends.

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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.

CAN WE WIN WITH DOLLARS?

This country has embarked upon a program to bring weak hungry foreign nations around to its way of thinking via the American dollar. That policy is now known as the Marshall plan or economic recovery for Europe. Undoubtedly, other parts of the world will be invited to participate once the European set-up gains some semblance of success.

Naturally Russia opposes it. They would be expected to oppose the spread of any doctrine foreign to their thinking and any attempt to bring her neighbors in line with the thing they oppose is certainly objectionable to them.

There are so many conflicting moves in our foreign and national policy that it is hard for the average fellow to harmonize them. We helped set up the United Nations and now find its machinery inadequate through which to negotiate with other nations; we dish out billions in relief and war surplus to other nations with little chance to recover even the interest on the investment; we insist that no tax reduction should be made at this time because money is plentiful and high rates should continue.

Of course this bold move is simply a show of might to impress Russia that Communism must not be permitted to spread and Russia is equally determined that democracy as we know it must give way to Communism.

Surely, somebody must back up or a fight is inevitable. Two fighters just don't continue to stand up and call each other names without some blows being struck. And that is just where we stand.

Certainly, it is a magnificent gesture to help starving people. But if that help is to be in the form of war supplies, as Turkey is getting from us under our aid to them, then just so many more war camps are being outfitted with American money.

HOPEFUL SIGN IN GEORGIA TRAGEDY

Last week, officers in a Georgia prison camp killed five prisoners. The warden said one made a lunge for him and he gave orders to "give it to them." All of the prisoners were Negroes. It was a regrettable affair and yet if the situation justified the action; taking in consideration all angles, then the officers should not be punished.

The leader of the uprising says the warden had been drinking. His story was corroborated by other prisoners. But out of this unfortunate affair comes a hopeful sign. Most people in the North don't realize that Negroes in most Southern communities do stand up for their rights even though the cards are stacked against them. The Brunswick Georgia branch of the NAACP has demanded a thorough airing of the affair, because so many rumors have been floating around which don't spell fair play by the officials. And judging from press reports this request is being heard and action is being had.

The Brunswick, Georgia branch makes it plain—and that is the policy of the NAACP everywhere—that it does not propose to uphold criminals in wrongdoing. On the other hand, it seeks full protection under the law of the rights of every person to be dealt with by law and as the law fixes the rule and that mob violence big or little shall not be substitute for honest constituted authority.

ANOTHER VICTORY FOR DECENCY

In South Carolina, Negro voters won a clear-cut decision in the United States District Court when the court held that Negroes could not be excluded from the Democratic primaries and enjoining election officials from enforcing such a law.

Following a decision by the United States Supreme court holding a state law unconstitutional which barred Negroes from Democratic primary elections, South Carolina repealed all of its primary laws turning over the nomination of candidates for office to the Democratic State Central committee which immediately declared themselves a club, excluded Negroes from membership and made membership in the club a requirement to vote.

The fight to enter Democratic primaries in the South grows out of a system whereby nomination in the primaries is tantamount to election.

The presiding judge, the Hon. J.

Waters Waring, said in his opinion: "Racial distinctions cannot exist in the machinery that selects the officers and lawmakers of the United States; and all citizens of this State and Country are entitled to cast a free and untrammelled ballot in our elections, and if the only material and realistic elections are clothed with the name 'primary,' they are equally entitled to vote there."

And this is another feather in the cap of the proponents of justice and democracy.

GEORGIA KILLINGS

(SEE FRONT PAGE) let the prisoners enter the barracks after they had returned from working on a road. The prisoner, who is serving a life sentence for murder, admitted he refused to step away from a group of prisoners, lined up in the stockade, when ordered by Worthy "because I knew he wanted to kill me."

Another prisoner, Charles Veal, of Atlanta, also testified before the coroner's jury that the warden "was drinking."

Head Warden

He said he heard the warden say to Bell, "Come out, Pee Wee, I want to kill you." He added that "Pee Wee" then backed into the crowd and asked the warden to let him take off his shoes before he died.

Howard Adams, an Atlanta convict, said the warden started shooting with his pistol, and yelled to the other guards: "Let 'em have it."

The men killed outright at the camp and their records were listed by the warden as: Jonah Smith, sentenced to 26 years in 1938 for burglary. Five previous escapes. Henry Manson, sentenced to 20 years in 1936 for breaking and entering. Three previous escapes. Willie Wright, sentenced to 12 to 15 years in 1944 for burglary and grand larceny. One previous escape. James Smith, sentenced to three to seven years in 1942, charge unlisted.

The fatally wounded convict Edward Neal, serving a one to two year term for robbery and a five to ten year assault sentence.

JIMMY LUNCEFORD

(CONTINUED FROM FRONT) for Denver public schools.

Attended Fisk University

He played end on the football team, forward on the basketball team and pitched for the baseball team. During his college years he was a professional saxophonist, playing summers with small orchestras.

After graduation from Fisk in 1927, he taught music and was athletic instructor at Manassa High School, Memphis, where he organized a nine-piece orchestra which later became the nucleus of his larger organization. He also played saxophone with Fletcher Henderson's band and Sweetman's Jazz Syncopators. In 1932 he quit his teaching job, and began his career as a full-fledged band leader.

In 1933 Harold F. Oxley became manager of the band. From then on the orchestra advanced steadily toward success, winning its first popularity poll as a leading band in 1935. Mr. Lunceford recorded for Decca.

His first big success came after his orchestra succeeded Cab Calloway's at the Cotton Club, Forty-eighth street between Broadway and Seventh avenue, New York City. (1935); "Count Me Out" and "Honey Keep Your Mind On Me" (1936); "Time's A' Wastin'" (1937); "Lunceford Special" (1938); "Uptown Blues" (1939); "Cement Mixer" (1946); "Call the Police" and "Water Faucet" (1947).

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Crystal Tull Lunceford; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Lunceford, and two brothers, Cornelius and Junior Lunceford.

ORLABOR, IOWA

By Mrs. James Smith Orlabor, Ia.—Miss Zola Mae King made a report from the Sunday School convention recently. She was a delegate from this church. Mr. James Anderson of Des Moines was a visitor at the Sunday School and church Sunday. Rev. G. A. Kendrick preached Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Sheeley of Moran were visitors at the church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Commodore Hendricks of Des Moines were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smith Sunday evening. The Mt. Zion Mission society will hold a program Sunday,

HEALTH FOR ALL

Avoiding Vacation Accidents

Summertime makes us think of swimming, hiking, fishing and camping—all adventures which take us into the outdoors and away from the well-established patterns of life at home. A vacation should be a happy, care-free time that "recreates" us for the winter months ahead.

Because of the possibility that amateur woodsmen will cut themselves with knives or axes, no vacation luggage is complete unless it contains a first aid kit. Cuts should be washed with soap and clean water painted with a safe antiseptic and bandaged with a clean cloth. A freshly ironed handkerchief makes a good bandage.

Snake-bites need immediate attention. There are good and inexpensive snake-bite kits on sale by the leading drug companies with directions for using them. Usually there is a sterile or clean sharp instrument in the kit with which to make a criss-cross cut over the bite and deep enough to draw blood, after a tourniquet has been applied above the bite. Then the little suction cup is applied and the snake poison is suctioned off with some blood. The tourniquet is removed and free bleeding allowed before applying an antiseptic and bandage. Don't give a stimulant. This does more harm than good, as it increases circulation. Get the victim to a doctor as soon as possible.

If sufficient care is taken, accidents can be avoided. If they do occur, a sure knowledge of what first-aid measures should be taken should prevent tragedy from marring your vacation.

SPORTS

PROPOSE TITLE FIGHT WITH JOE LOUIS

New York.—(NNPA).—A heavy-weight title fight with Joe Louis defending his championship against the winner of the Ezzard Charles-Violent Ray fight to be held here July 25 was in the making last Monday as Sol Strauss, acting director of the Twentieth Century Sporting Club, announced his organization has decided to pass up both Olle Tandberg the Swede, and Joe Baksi as challengers for Louis' title.

Tandberg surprised sports followers by defeating Baksi in Stockholm. Baksi had been picked for a shot at the title.

Strauss will propose that the winner of the Charles-Ray fight as a challenger for a September 19 defense of his own crown in the Garden.

It is not known what attitude Louis will take toward such a bout but it is doubtful if the champion will accept any challenger whom he believes will not draw a large gate. When Joe learned that Baksi had been defeated by Tandberg, he was quoted as saying that it might be another year before he defended his crown again—due to a lack of competition.

BURLINGTON, IOWA

By Mrs. Ed Williams

Burlington, Ia.—Sunday, July 13, Misses Sarah Drew and sister Mercedes, gave a shower on Miss Jaunita Thompson whose marriage to Mrs. George Newman will take place at their home on July 21. Many gifts were received.

Mr. Harold Ashby, Jr., and Mr. Milton Graham were visitors over the Fourth week end. Mrs. Alice Clark is still confined to her home with a foot injury.

Thursday evening the Mission Circle of Union Baptist church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams. Refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. William Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams, Mr. and Mrs. La Monte Drew and family spent the Fourth in Galesburg, Ill., at the beach and visiting old friends.

It is reported that quarterly meeting will be held at St. John's A.M.E. church next Sunday and dinner will be served. The Galesburg pastor and choir will take part in the program.

CENTERVILLE, IOWA

By Clara Mae Palmer

Centerville, Ia.—Miss Mary Joyce Elwood of St. Louis, Mo. is visiting at the Rev. A. W. Patton home. Mr. Keith Ewing visited relatives in Ottumwa, Ia., Sunday. Mrs. Hollingsworth of Albion, Ia., visited at the Robert Smith home Tuesday. Mr. Charles Bandy left Tuesday to serve two years in the army. Miss Diana Davis was taken to St. Joseph hospital Sunday.

Church of God in Christ, 717 E. Wilson street; Sunday school 1 p.m. preaching 2 p.m. Wednesday night

July 20, at 3 p.m. Mr. Abraham Crockett of California visited Mr. J. B. Johnson here last week. He motored here from the Coast.

FOURTH QUARTERLY CONFERENCE AT FIRST C.M.E. CHURCH SUNDAY

The fourth quarterly conference will be held at First C.M.E. church Sunday, July 20. The 11 o'clock service will be conducted by the Rev. J. T. Johnson, pastor, with Dr. B. Julian Smith, general secretary of Board of Religious Education, and Presiding Elder R. A. Simpson, assisting.

Bishop J. A. Hamlett, presiding Bishop of the Second Episcopal District of the Colored Methodist Episcopal church and one of the outstanding Negro Bishops in the country, will deliver the sermon at this service.

Quarterly meeting service will be held at 3 p.m. Rev. J. E. Tunstall, Pastor of Burns Methodist Episcopal church will be the guest speaker and his choir will serve.

The 7:00 o'clock union service conducted by Rev. B. F. Blanks will be held at Kyles A.M.E. Zion church. Rev. J. T. Johnson will speak and the Union choir will serve.

A number of members of the Board of Religious Education of the C.M.E. church representing several Episcopal Districts will be present during the Sunday services. There will be a program sponsored by the Board of Religious Education one evening July 21 or 22 at the First C.M.E. church.

A new Usher Board has been organized at the First C.M.E. church, by Mrs. Buelah Henry. The members are as follows: Mesdames Buelah Henry, Carl Burse, Misses Modena Jeffers, Jaunita Murray, Beverly Brown, Sandra Bailey and Mr. Larry Murray.

Miss Shirley Jeffers is the new Sunday School teacher for the Junior class.

prayer meeting at 8 p.m. Special services will be held Sunday, July 27, beginning at 12 o'clock. A chartered bus from Des Moines will be here. The sick will be prayed for by Elder George Ward is pastor.

FOUND GUILTY

Chauncey Bailey, 24, a Rock Island red cap, Monday was found guilty by Municipal Judge C. S. Cooter of assault and battery and given a suspended sentence of 16 days or a fine of \$50. Bailey's wife Bridgette, testified he hit her several times in their car on May 26.

COUPLE FINE; LEFT CHILDREN ALONE

In the municipal court Monday to answer charges that they left their young children unattended were Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Fant who pleaded guilty of contributing to the delinquency of two minor children, 4-year-old twin boys.

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"It is a great thing for a man to stand up in crisis and say: 'I am tired of waiting for somebody else to improve things. I am going to do it myself.' It is magnificent to say with Isaiah: 'Here am I, send me,' writes the Rev. A. W. Patton, pastor of the Second Baptist church in Centerville, Ia.

"Things are not too good in the United States just now, but a few earnest people can change this situation. Do you remember how a few men turned the world upside down once? Ten thousand ministers could change a life of America if every one of us determine by the help of God to assume personal responsibility for the present situation.

Sincere People "Situations are not suddenly changed by the action of a great number of people. It is done by a few tremendously sincere people. Germany went Nazi through the efforts of a few people. Russia went Communist in similar fashion. It is always that way. But these few people must be wholeheartedly determined in behalf

of their cause. The only way that conditions will ever be improved in community, state or America is for the people, of individuals, of God-filled people with a sense of conviction, of brotherhood and Christ likeness and personal responsibility. "One of the basic needs in saving the community and state is to have Christian homes in which children are reared in the presence of godly examples and where they are given deep personal faith.

From Altar to Bar "To preserve a Christian democracy we must keep our children Christian. In too many homes the family altar of by-gone generations has yielded to the family bar of today. A rotting morality rots national foundations. You and I can do something about preserving the greatest source of freedom this world ever knew—that form of Christianity known as Protestantism. "Protestant freedom created our democracy. If a vital Protestantism is not maintained to nourish the

spiritual roots of freedom, totalitarianism can flourish only if its churches meet the deepest needs of its people. And the people of today are hungry for faith, a faith practically realistic enough to overcome their doubts and fears. But you can't give something you haven't got. Without faith it is impossible to conquer and please God. To give faith men have first got to have it themselves.

"Faith in only a social gospel is no substitute for faith in God. Creative faith in God's power to change individuals as well as society is vital if our leadership is to be sound. We must restore God at the center of our religion if religion is to meet the needs of our time. And that is your job much so as mine. It is the objective of every spiritual leader, to restore faith by keeping faith with God. If we do not we will not enjoy a peaceful world. Working with God we can help change the problem of life. Here, Lord, am I - send me." (Rev. A. W. Patton, 814 S. Nineteenth street, Centerville, Ia.)

SOUTH CAROLINA PRIMARIES

(CONTINUED FROM FRONT) primary officials have used to bar Negroes from the polls. Attorneys for the Democratic executive committee of Richland county, S. C., argued that in 1944 South Carolina had repealed all statutes pertaining to primaries. This was an attempt on the part of the state to circumvent the U. S. Supreme Court decision in the Texas white primary case.

With the statutes repealed, the attorneys argued, the Democratic party had become a private organization with full authority to stipulate who was entitled to membership and not subject to court regulation.

On this point, Judge Waring said, "To say there is any material difference in the governance of the Demo-

cratic party in this state prior to, and subsequent to, 1944, is pure sophistry."

J. M. Hinton of Columbia, president of the state conference of NAACP branches, issued a demand following Judge Waring's decision that the Democrats immediately make provisions to include all qualified Negro voters on the party's rolls.

No comment was made by the Democratic party.

AU FAIT CLUB

The Au Fait club met Tuesday night. Birthdays of the club members will be celebrated at the next meeting on July 29 at the home of Dorothy Little.

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