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Homes Win Prizes In Clean-Up Drive



Real Estate Board Head Says Residents Can Have 'Clean, Well-Kept Homes'

Winners

- First place—\$15—Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Carter, 911 16th street.
- Second—\$10—Mr. and Mrs. Hopple Ward, 1608 Buchanan street.
- Third—\$5—Mrs. Nellie Green, 1441 E. 19th street.
- Fourth—\$5—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jongs, 111 Eleventh street, West Des Moines.
- Fifth—\$2.50—Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hale, 1408 Maine street.
- Sixth—\$2.50—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ware of 1018 E. 16th street.
- Seventh—\$2.50—Mr and Mrs. Z. K. Manigan, 1439 Second street place.
- Eighth—\$2.50—Mr and Mrs. Shannon Jenkins, 1545 Maple street.
- Ninth—\$2.50—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murray, 1404 Dixon.
- Tenth—\$2.50—Mrs. Marie Kaiser, 1106 School street.

"Take what you have and be proud of it."

To increase the fifty-dollar prize money that is put up annually by the sponsors, the Des Moines branch NAACP, Community Garden club, and the Iowa Bystander, Mr. Powell informed he would give fifty dollars more to the fund from the Des Moines Real Estate Board.

Another gift for the 1948 campaign was twenty-five dollars offered by Z. K. Manigan, 1439 Second street place, who for the past two years, has entered his home and won prizes in the clean-up and beautify campaign.

"Let this good work continue. I think it is one of the greatest things ever started here," Mr. Manigan who operates a trucking and transfer business commented with his gift. The 1948 clean-up and beautify campaign will have already a fund of \$125 for prizes to winners.

Prepare Now

Residents were urged to begin now to prepare for the next year's campaign. Atty. James B. Morris, editor of the Bystander, who presided, urged his listeners and prospective entrants in the next year's campaign to plan their fall landscaping and planting of shrubs now.

"Encourage your neighbor to get into the campaign and thereby beautify and improve the entire neighborhood."

Mrs. Leroy Carter, first prize winner, whose home and garden won first prize, revealed that she and her husband began two years ago

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First prize went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Carter, 911 16th street, for the improvements made at their residence (top left picture). The picture shows their seven-room two-story home with beauty shop, which Mrs. Carter operates. During the past two years Mr. and Mrs. Carter enclosed the front porch, built a back porch and back bed-

room, enlarged basement, covered the structure with beige and red brick siding; laid sidewalks in back and front; arranged flower gardens; planted grass and then erected a steel fence around their place. Top right picture shows the six-room bungalow of Mr. and Mrs. Hopple Ward, 1608 Buchanan street, which won second prize. The couple

bought this place in 1939 and each year have added features to beautify it. Mr. Ward is employed by the city street department. Judges were impressed with the beautification program revealed at the home of Mrs. Nellie Green at 1441 East Nineteenth street (bottom left). The gate with the wheel designs makes a quaint and attractive

addition to the shingle-covered home. This home won third prize. Out to West Des Moines Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jones moved several years ago—so that they could "stretch out", raise their gardens, chickens and hogs. Their four-room home (bottom right) won fourth prize in the contest. It is white stucco with blue doors and windows, blue roof and awnings. Shrubs, velvet-like

grass set off the front lawn. In the rear, flower gardens hide clean chicken yard and pig pens. The Jones' daughters, Mesdames Musette Brown and Eugene Rhodes, live in homes to the left of their parents. Their homes are undergoing improvements—getting ready for future contests. Their gardens and lawns were unwatered during the recent floods. (PHOTOS BY BILL ASHBY).

News Briefs From Far and Near

\$10 FOR DRINK BRINGS CIVIL RIGHTS CHARGE

Minneapolis, Minn.—July 21—Arrested for violating the State civil rights law, Joseph Jacob, Minneapolis bartender was placed under \$500 bond here July 18 to appear in court to answer the charge.

Jacobs was accused of charging \$10 for a drink of whiskey from James T. Wardlow, head of the local Urban League, although others were purchasing it for 60 cents. John Williams, editor of the Milwaukee Globe, and Wardlow said the action constituted "denial of equality in a public place."

FIRST NEGROES NAMED TO GRAND JURY

Minneapolis, N.Y.—(WLD)—The fly-white policy of selecting grand jurors in Nassau county ended when Judge Henry J. A. Collins swore in Ralph C. Bryant and Selden H. Duhn, both Negroes, as members of the July-August grand jury.

William Worthy, Jr., Workers Defense League field secretary, protested the systematic exclusion of Negroes from the county's grand juries several months ago when William J. Deasaure, a Negro, was being tried on charges of assaulting two cops. Nassau county, located on Long Island, is one of the richest counties in the U. S.

EXPECT OVER 10,000 STUDENTS AT IOWA U.

Iowa City—More than 10,000 students probably will crowd the University of Iowa campus in September, breaking the present record of 9,783 for the first semester, it is forecast by Registrar Pal Blommers.

The university probably will be

able to accept all qualified single men who are Iowa residents, but it is likely that single women and married couples will have trouble in obtaining housing and therefore be unable to enter. Applications from out-of-state students now are being rejected.

RALPH'S TO HIRE NEGRO CLERKS

An 8-month-old picket line of Negroes and whites which has walked a beat in front of the Ralph's Market at 35th and Vermont, was withdrawn this week on a promise that Negro clerks will be hired.

The promise, Miss Helen North, of the United Committee for Fair Employment said, was obtained from Albert Ralph, Jr., who said a Negro would be hired if the picket line were removed.

Socialite Fined \$2,500 For Enslaving Maid; To Pay \$6,000 for 30 Years

San Diego, Cal.—Mrs. Alfred Wesley Ingalls, 62, convicted of slavery Tuesday was fined \$2,500, and placed on five years' probation.

She was ordered to pay Negro maid Dora Jones, 58, \$6,000 for 30 years of service.

Federal Judge Jacob Weinberger suspended a three-year prison term because of the age and physical condition of the convicted woman.

who wept from the time she entered the court until sentence was pronounced.

Fine Paid

The fine was paid, and Mrs. Ingalls, former Lynn and Boston, Mass. women's club leader, was free to leave jail.

The \$6,000 figure for Dora and the amount of the fine, Judge Weinberger said, were based on a probation officer's report of the ingalls' financial condition. Details of the report were not disclosed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingalls were accused of reducing Miss Jones now living with a brother in St. Louis, Mo., to slavery by drudgery and threats of jail because of an affair of nearly 40 years ago with Mrs. Ingalls' first husband.

She Agrees

The court was advised that Miss Jones had agreed to the \$6,000 as a "fair" settlement.

A decision as to whether Ingalls, 64-year old attorney and former Massachusetts lawmaker, will be tried on similar slavery charges will be left to the U. S. attorney general in Washington.

The jury which convicted Mrs. Ingalls failed to agree in her husband's case. He is at liberty on \$2,500 bail.

OLD SETTLERS' PICNIC AUG. 15

The Old Settlers picnic will be held August 15 at Union park. Games, speaking and marching by the Drum and Bugle corps will be special features.

Roy Wilkins to Address Waterloo Celebration Aug. 4

Waterloo, a.—The annual Emancipation Celebration of the Waterloo Branch of the NAACP will be held on Monday, August 4, at the Electric Park.

Special features of the event which will be held all-day will be an address by Roy Wilkins, editor of the Crisis and assistant secretary of the national association. He will speak at a dinner at 6 p. m. at the Tavern on the Green at the park.

Athletic contests will be entertainment for the picnickers. Merchants of Waterloo have contributed prizes.

Nat. Towles and his orchestra will furnish music in the ballroom beginning at 9 p. m. Atty. M. F. Fields is chairman of the celebration.

Dr. Mordecai Johnson Urges 'Our Leaders to Go Back to Russia-Talk with Stalin'

There is no way to go now—but forward to brotherhood or backward to hell," Dr. Mordecai Johnson, president of Howard university, Washington, D. C., told an audience of eight thousand persons, last Friday, night at the coliseum.

Dr. Johnson addressed a meeting of the 21st International Sunday School convention, attended by 4,200 delegates, on the subject of "Matched With the Impossible."

"I am going to think out loud in your presence—without fear or caution," the speaker began his message. "We are at this hour matched with the impossible. We have come to a time when the whole world is a neighbor," he said as he estimated that "we in this room are only 60 hours away from any living human being in the world."

Won't Have Time

"If we don't get together as brothers—then the next war will be a

complete and devastating hell." Calling to mind the weapons of destruction that man has made, Dr. Johnson said "we will be rushing up, and down to heaven and hell so fast that we won't have time to ring for an up or down elevator."

The stupendous work of a world organization, made up of peoples of all colors, of many dialects, of all denominations—a world organization that would work together, was a thought "that staggered to the imagination," he said.

"I wouldn't be surprised if some of us are discouraged—if some of us want to quit. Some think that the present situation means war—and we ought to begin now to prepare for it."

"We are matched with the impossible. We are disturbed over the possibility that Communism may get a foothold in our country and act as a fifth column," he asserted and asked "what can we Christians say—not as Americans—but as Christians? What shall we say to our leaders?"

Will Not Support

"Christians will not support the leadership of this nation in the belief that war is inevitable and that we must militarize in preparation for it."

"The Christian church doesn't want the leaders of this nation to have any part in the rebuilding of Western European imperialism," the speaker said and added that the cause of Christianity has been "betrayed" by the British in South Africa and India, and by the Dutch in Indonesia.

The European nations have spent so much effort "beating down the natives, and sweating slave labor from them that they've lost their energies and can no longer direct the course of history, he declared.

"If the western white people don't stop it, God will give us something See EDITORIAL Page

Arrange Special Ceremony To Award N. C. Vet \$3,200

Ahoakie, N. C.—(NNPA)—On a small farm at the end of a winding, muddy, and gutted road near here, human decency at long last prevailed early Thursday afternoon when a grim and unsmiling delegation of Kiwanians presented a check to Harvey Jones for \$3,200, as a make-good gesture to the youth who won and then "lost" the Cadillac sedan offered as a prize in a contest by the Ahoakie Kiwanis Club.

The check was presented in a brief and hastily-arranged ceremony for the purpose and was attended by a score of club members and a half-dozen newspapermen. Members of youthful Mr. Jones' family were on hand.

In only one stage of the event did any of the Kiwanians show any cordiality toward the winner. When Dr. Charles W. Armstrong of Salisbury, N. C., president of the Kiwanis International, was introduced to Mr. Jones, he shook hands with the former Navy steward's mate.

Following the ceremonies and during the picture-taking by newspapermen this writer suggested that the Kiwanians, for the purpose of a picture, converge on the winner and enter a scene of congratulating him. The request was at first refused and then at the urging of the Kiwanians international publicity man, here for the occasion, the crowd grudgingly arranged itself around Mr. Jones. (SEE EDITORIAL PAGE)

HOME OWNERS AWARDED PRIZES

Prizes were awarded to the winners in the annual Clean-Up and Beautify campaign which closed Sunday July 27. Receiving their awards on Monday night at the Crocker YMCA from one of the judges, O. G. (Bill) Powell, president of the...

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Iowa, Polk County, vs. W. LAWRENCE OLIVER, Plaintiff, vs. VIRGIL W. BELL, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of a writ of execution, to be directed by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, against the goods, chattels, real and personal, of VIRGIL W. BELL, defendant, in favor of W. Lawrence Oliver, plaintiff, I have levied on and will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, at East Front door of the Courthouse in the city of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on the 25th day of August, 1947, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., all of the right, title and interest of said defendant in and to the following described property, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

The south quarter (8-1/4) of the West half (W-1/2) of the Northwest quarter (NW-1/4) of section twenty-three (23) township seventy-eight (78) Range Twenty-four (24), now included in and forming a part of Polk County, Iowa.

Sale to commence at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day.

Witness my hand, this 24th day of July, 1947.

H. C. REPPERT, Sr., Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa.

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NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF DES MOINES BAG CO.

Notice is hereby given of the incorporation of Des Moines Bag Co.

The general nature of the business to be conducted is to buy, sell, lease, rent and operate farms in the State of Iowa or any other place in the United States where the corporation may desire to do business.

The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors of not less than two nor more than seven and not more than five shall be directors.

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DEMOCRACY IN JOBS IN DES MOINES

Seek Employment

SOCIAL WORKER

Examinations were announced by the U. S. Civil Service Commission for filling social worker and geologist positions in the Federal service.

Persons appointed to Social Worker positions, at salaries ranging from \$3,397 to \$8,179 a year, will give social work assistance to veterans in hospitals, out-patient clinics and other Veterans Administration installations located in Washington, D. C., and throughout the United States.

Further information and application forms may be obtained from the Commission's Local Branch Office not later than August 12, 1947.

Applications for the Social Worker examination must be filed with the Board of Examiners at the appropriate Veterans Administration Branch Office not later than August 12, 1947.

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THEODORE (SANDY) HUGHES

Employed as a clerk in the office of the Herman and Brown Construction company located at First and Sheridan streets is Theodore (Sandy) Hughes of 902 Sixteenth street.

A veteran of World War II, Mr. Hughes holds the position of a parts clerk for the company which handles industrial equipment. The only Negro employe on the office staff of six persons, he takes orders for parts on the phone and in the office. He has learned all of the numbers which corresponds to the parts of the varied equipment and runs the orders through catalogues.

It is very pleasant work he enjoys it, too, and he is doing his best on the job which he started ten months ago after having applied for it from a want ad which appeared in the daily paper. Mr. Hughes informed.

Already he has had a week's vacation with pay—and his hours from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily and a half day on Saturdays—give him plenty of time for his study of aviation in evening classes.

In the army three years, Mr. Hughes served two years in the South Pacific. He accepted a position with the Veterans' Administration after his discharge. Realizing that sooner or later certain VA positions

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would probably be terminated—Mr. Hughes sought for more permanent work.

A member of the AMVETS, Mr. Hughes resides with his wife, Mrs. Lauretta Hughes at the above address. Among his hobbies are tennis and swimming.

Seek Applicants For Fellowships

Washington, D. C.—(NNPA)—The Julius Rosenwald Fund last week intensified its search for qualified persons eligible for awards in the last group of Fellowships to be awarded by the Fund before it closes its work next June.

Edwin R. Embree, director of the Fund, pointed out in a letter that the Fund is interested not only in scholars but also in persons who may exert leadership in various phases of American life, such as labor, religion, writing and public service, and whose talents may enrich the nation.

The Fellowships, which approximate \$2,000 are open to all colored persons and any white persons in the South who wish to work on some problem distinctive to the South and who expects to make their careers in the South.

Mr. Embree said applicants for the Fellowships are not restricted to any special subject or activity and that, in addition to scholars and scientists persons in creative writing, journalism, education, agriculture, and business fields are invited to apply.

Applicants for the Fellowships must not be under 24 years old nor past the age of 35 and should have

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF MIDWEST LOGGAGE, INC.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that on July 3, 1947, the State of Iowa, Secretary of State, State of Iowa, Office of Incorporation, and that such office has filed with the Secretary of State, State of Iowa, Office of Incorporation, the articles of incorporation with the name MIDWEST LOGGAGE, INC., which corporation has its principal place of business in Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

The purpose of the corporation is to engage in the manufacture and sale of leather goods, luggage, novelties, leather goods specialties, and allied products, including the case and carrying articles, photographic and camera supplies and baby carriers.

The corporation shall have the power to sue, to be sued and sell real estate, buy and sell personal property, and do all things authorized to bodies corporate under the laws of Iowa, and to invest in other companies and to own and hold shares of stock in any other corporation.

The capital stock of the corporation is \$25,000.00, divided into shares of \$100.00 each. Such capital stock to be issued from time to time as determined by the Board of Directors, no capital stock to be issued until fully paid for in cash or property.

The corporation shall have a period of existence of twenty years, unless sooner dissolved by two-thirds of the capital stock outstanding.

The affairs of this corporation shall be managed by a board of not less than three and more than five directors, elected annually by the stockholders, holding of one share for one year. Until the first annual meeting of stockholders the directors shall be: A. V. Horn, J. Roy Shesley and Helen K. Horn, all of Des Moines, Iowa.

The Board of Directors shall elect the officers and hold their annual meeting immediately following the election of such officers. Until the first annual meeting the officers shall be: A. V. Horn, President and Treasurer; J. Roy Shesley, Vice President; Helen K. Horn, Secretary, each and all of Des Moines, Iowa.

Vacancies in the Board of Directors shall be filled by such Board.

All conveyances to real estate shall be executed by the President and Secretary, and all releases of mortgages, liens, judgments or other claims by the President, Vice-President or Secretary.

Each share of stock shall be entitled to one vote at all meetings of the stockholders. The annual meetings of stockholders shall be held the second Tuesday of January, 1948.

The directors shall adopt by-laws, which may be amended at any annual meeting of stockholders or special meeting called for that purpose.

A. V. HORN, J. R. SHESLEY, HELEN K. HORN, Incorporators

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completed a general college course or "give evidence of maturity and preparation which may be regarded as the equivalent of a general education of at least collegiate standard."

Terms of the Fellowships are one year, and application for them must be received not later than January 1, next, at the office of Mrs. Hilde Reitzer, for the Commission on Fellowships at 4901 Ellis street, Chicago.

WOMEN'S DAY AT ST. PAUL AUG. 10

Women's Day at St. Paul A. M. E. church will be held Sunday, August 10, Mrs. Paul Panforth, chairman announced this week.

Classified Ads

ROOM FOR RENT Light housekeeping room to rent to a couple. Phone 3-1894; 1159 14th street.—ADV.

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chanan; and Z. K. Manigan of 1439 Second place. The two men behind are: Mr. Leroy Hale, 1304, Maine street and Mr. Shannon Jenkins, 1545 Maple street. (See story by winners on front page, Bill Ashby Photo.)

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 Tenth and Crocker Streets, Rev. E. G. Carter, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:20; Morning Service, 12:00; P. W. W. 7:00; Women's Bible Band, Tuesday Night 8:00; Bible Class Thursday Night 8:00.

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MANY VISITORS AT ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH

St. Paul was highly honored during the past week for in addition to having one of its members selected as one African Methodist of the entire connection to receive a special citation from the International Association of Religious Education, it was the seat of the daily sectional conference of all the African Methodist Delegates in attendance at the International Sunday School convention, which was conducted by Dr. S. S. Morris, the General Secretary of Christian Education of the denomination and Dr. C. W. Abington, editor of the literature of the Department of Christian Education and by Miss Minnie Tillman, editor of the lesson pictures, the beginners stories and the primary quarterly used in the Sunday Schools. Prominent African Methodist religious leaders from the second, fourth, fifth, sixth and twelfth Episcopal districts, including the pastor and superintendent and three young people from the 1st A.M.E. church of Kansas City, Kansas in which the presiding Bishop, the Rt. Rev. A. J. Gregg, holds membership.

On Sunday morning a number of these prominent church leaders visited the Sunday School and J. H. Ford, director of religious education of the church in Ft. Wayne, Indiana led the worship service.

At the regular service hour, Dr. S. S. Morris preached at the conclusion of which he presented diplomas to the members of the forty second graduating class from St. Paul's own normal department, which consisted of Miss Velma Brooks, Miss Christine Brooks and Miss Catherine Hardiman. So impressed was past grand master G. L. Glover, superintendent of the A.M.E. Sunday School in Milwaukee, Wis., that he requested an outline of the two year normal course with a view to introducing it to his own Sunday School.

On last Monday evening was held monthly birthday party, given by the members having birthdays in July under the chairmanship of Mrs. Mattie E. Scott and since July is the birthday month of the Nation patriotic program was given, consisting of the Singing of America by the entire congregation, invocation by G. D. Redmon, the oldest member born in July and the reading of the "Declaration of Independence" by Mrs. Mildred Owens and remarks by the pastor Rev. A. J. Rvire, also he was not born in this month. Two musical numbers were also contributed by the junior chorus under the direction of Robt. Ewing and after all had been served from a table decorated in the national colors and a birthday cake with the American flag in the center, Mrs. Sarah Steele Tucker closed the program by the singing of the National Anthem as a solo.

CHURCH OF LIGHT AND TRUTH
 Spiritual Temple of Truth, Mrs. Hazel Brown, Pastor. 1429 Buchanan, phone 3-9100. Spiritual classes held Wednesday evening 8 p. m. Sunday evening services held 8 p. m. with personal messages. Everybody welcome.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH
 1213 Scott street, Rev. C. A. Record, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. P. W. U. at 8:30 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 4 p. m. Missionary meeting.

FIRST C.M.E. CHURCH
 S. E. 28th and Marry streets; Rev. J. E. Johnson, pastor; address, 732 S.E. 2nd street. Phone 62-9407. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Evening service at 7 p. m.

NINTH STREET CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 1023 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. Public is invited to attend these services.

THE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST 10. 1
 East 17th and University, Pastor, Elder P. T. Taylor, 1419 Buchanan street, telephone 6-1302. Sunday School 10:30. Morning Service 1:00. P. W. W. 7:00. Home 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 P. T. Taylor, Asst. Pastor, Elder R. Bogie, Church Mother, Effie Bogie.

COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Mrs. M. J. Cranshaw, pastor; 909 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.

HOLD RITES FOR MRS. VERL WATSON

Services for Mrs. Verl Watson, 62, of 825 Thirteenth street, were held Tuesday afternoon in Corinthian Baptist church, with burial in Glencaire cemetery.

Mrs. Watson, a resident of Des Moines 35 years, died Saturday, July 26, at Broadlawn General hospital after an illness of several years. She was a member of Corinthian Baptist church.

Surviving are her husband, Fred, an aunt, Mrs. Lee Early, and an uncle, Frank Pickett, all of Des Moines.

Article Asks 'What's Wrong With Ministers'

Chicago—The Negro church in early America was the rallying ground of Race freedom, says Sept. ember Ebony editorial. "What's Wrong With The Ministers", but today too many colored preachers are "Jack-jags" who make Negro churches into freak-shows for white visitors.

"Since 1773 when the first Negro Baptist church in America was organized near Augusta, Georgia," the Ebony indictment declares, "Negro churches have been the key stone of the Bible's message to 'let the people go free.' (Isiah 58:6). Negro preacher Nat Turner even led one of the historic slave revolts of the 19th Century.

"Today, however," the article continues, "the Negro church is lagging far behind a militant, aroused people."

Quoting a Southern Negro minister who was asked for advice on registering to vote, the Ebony editorial claims he said: "All we preachers are supposed to do is preach the Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ and him crucified, and that's all."

Negroes will not accept such religious philosophy today, the article says, and education is needed to lead the ministry from its present status in the community. Yet regrettably few college students are going into the ministry although a study of 1200 Negro preachers found 70 per cent without college degrees.

Some preachers still make of their churches genuine community centers for guidance to all in all phases of life, but they are in the definite minority. Considering that Catholicism made 43 Negro converts a day during 1946, the Ebony article insists that Methodists and Baptists must hand the reins of leadership to young educated ministers who will bring new blood and new life into the church.

Lincoln Post Emancipation Day Dance, August 4, at Riverview Park, ADV.

TO GIVE 500TH BROADCAST



New York—The Wings Over Jordan Choir will celebrate its 500th broadcast over the CBS Network on Sunday morning, August 10. This celebrated Negro choral ensemble has been a regular feature of the coast-to-coast Columbia Broadcasting System radio network since January 1938, except for ten months during 1945-46 when it went overseas to bring its message of faith and interracial goodwill to millions of American and Allied soldiers in the European Theatre of Operations.

This remarkable record of achievement is a credit to the Negroes' gift of original spiritual music to America. CBS officials estimate the weekly listening audience at 10,000,000 persons who have developed the habit of tuning in on the Wings Over Jordan radio program each Sunday morning at 11:05, Eastern Daylight Savings Time. In 1940, the national Association of Broadcasters named Wings Over Jordan as an important reason why CBS was given the George Foster Peabody Award for "outstanding meritorious public service" in radio.

Toured Over 400 Cities—Since the Wings Over Jordan Choir returned from overseas, it has been busily engaged on a coast-to-coast personal appearance tour, having performed in more than 400 different cities since April 1946. This tour is now taking them to California for a return visit and, on this trip, one of the major Hollywood studios has engaged Wings Over Jordan for a picture. This trip has taken them to 46 states and is still continuing, under the management of International Artists Corporation, 420 Madison Avenue, New York 17, New York. Their largest audience was 75,000 in Cleveland's outdoor stadium.

Reverend Glynn T. Settle, prominent Negro clergyman, is the director and founder of the Wings Over Jordan Choir; and his is the voice that is familiar to millions of listeners each Sunday morning. The choir is conducted by James Lewis Elkins, with Charles E. King as co-conductor.

YOUNGSTERS



These Des Moines youngsters are (top picture) Brian 3, Keith 2, and Terry Alexander, 6 months, children of Mr. and Mrs. E. Alexander, 517 Raccoon street; bottom picture—Morton 9, Phillip 8, and Leonard Graves 4, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Morton Graves of 1023 15th street.

LEAVE GEORGIA LYCHING OF FOUR UNSOLVED

Washington, D. C.—(NNPA)—One year after the mass lynching of four persons—two men and their wives—in Walton County, Georgia, the Federal Bureau of Investigation disclosed that it has suspended its investigation of the crime, leaving unsolved a mystery to which nearly every white person in the county knows the answer.

The victims were Roger Malcolm, 27; his wife, Dorothy, 20; George Dorsey, 35; and his wife, May, 30. They were lined up along a secluded roadside and shot to death July 25, 1946, by an unmasked band of twenty white men who held their employer J.LOY Harrison, a white farmer, at gunpoint during the lynching.

Harrison had just obtained Malcolm's release from jail at Monroe where he was being held for stabbing his employer, Barney Hester, 22. Harrison had posted \$600 bond for Malcolm's release and was on his way back to his own farm where the quartet were to have worked for

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REV. BAIN GETS APPOINTMENT IN LOS ANGELES, CALIF.

Los Angeles, Calif.—A former overseas army chaplain who grew up in Los Angeles has been named pastor of Bowen Methodist church to succeed the Rev. Hamilton Boswell, appointed to a northern charge.

He is the Rev. John C. Bain, son of Mrs. Sarah Bain, of 1206 E. 50th pl. Brought here by his parents from Emporia, Kans., as a child, Bowen's new pastor credits attendance at Wesley Methodist church with inspiring him to become a minister.

After graduation from Los Angeles high school, young Bain went to A. and I. state college at Nashville, Tenn., where he took his bachelors' degree in education and went on to Gammon Theological Seminary for the bachelor of sacred theology degree.

Assigned to the Tennessee conference of the Methodist church, he was transferred later to the Central west conference and with his wife, the daughter of an Atlanta Methodist minister, entered Drake university to study his master's degree.

Sent overseas in 1944, he was discharged from the Army in 1946 and assigned to a charge at Springfield, Mo., from which he received the Bowen assignment.

The minister and his wife have one son, John Jr., who will enter college this fall. They are temporarily living with the Rev. Bain's mother at the 50th place address.

EXCELSIOR CLUB TO MEET NEXT TUESDAY

The Excelsior club met at the home of Mrs. Georgia Jordan, 919 School street. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 5, at the Corinthian Baptist church with Mrs. William Neal as hostess. The baby contest will end and reports will be made by all members.

DES MOINES COAL TERMINAL IN NEW PLANT ON S. E. 6TH

The Des Moines Coal Terminal, located for nine years at 607 Holcomb, where it established a sound business, will maintain its same policy of selling high grade coals to its many customers, in its new location at 149-15 E. Sixth street. At the new address which takes up a square block, the plant has all ultra modern equipment to give better service. All residents are invited to visit the new plant.

A Federal grand jury at Athens, Georgia, reported last December 19, after investigating the mass killings that it had been unable to fix the identity of any members of the mob.

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Five Receive Recognition At 21st International SS Convention; Sessions End

By S. Joe Brown
 At the 21st session of the International Sunday School convention, held in Des Moines July 23-27, one of the outstanding features was the awarding of deluxe copies of the Revised Standard Version of the New Testament to thirty outstanding lay leaders in the field of Religious Education, one each to the representatives of each of thirty denominations represented in the convention, among them were the following Negroes:

Atty. S. Joe Brown of Des Moines, representing the African Methodist Church; Victor Hugo Hodge of Tulsa, Oklahoma, representing the Colored Methodist Episcopal Church; Jackson Malone, Chicago, representing the National Baptist Convention of America; James Stephen Stanback of Chester, South Carolina, representing the A. M. E. Zion church and Mrs. Esther Tyree of Columbus, Ohio, representing the National Baptist Convention of the U.S.A.

Several hundred of the near five thousand delegates were Negro members. Dr. Mordecai W. Johnson, president of Howard University, was the principal speaker before the convention on Friday evening, July 25, when eight thousand persons from every state in the union, Canada and several foreign countries were held spell bound for forty-five minutes in address upon the subject "Matched with the Impossible."

Other Negro members on the program were Dr. S. S. Morris, secretary of Christian Education of the A. M. E. church C. A. Lee, president of Northern Ohio, Baptist S. S. convention, Dr. Henry Allen Boyd, secretary of the Publishing Board of the National Baptist Convention of the U.S.A. and Bishop Wm. Martin of the A.M.E. Zion church and at the Friday evening session at which Dr. Mordecai Johnson spoke the entire force of ushers were Negro men and women from the St. Paul A.M.E. and Corinthian Baptist churches, and

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CENTERVILLE, IOWA

By Clara Mae Palmer
 Centerville, Ia.—Miss Louise Bolden is visiting at the Robert Scott home in Cherryvale, Kas. Mrs. Clara Wright and daughter, Mary Luc, of Mystic, Ia., visited at the Lewis Conley home Thursday. Mrs. Minnie Barnes of Lovilla, Ia., spent the week end visiting friends and relatives here.

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Whether your canned fruit desserts are just or unjust depends upon the quality and flavor of the fruit. Canning preserves quality and flavor but it cannot create it. That's Mother Nature's job but you may be surprised at the amount of help you can give her.

All fruits (except pears) should be left on the tree, vine, or bush until full-ripe and then canned as promptly as possible.

Most varieties of pears should be taken from the tree when they have finished growing and kept in a cool place until they are ripe enough to serve raw. At this stage they are tender and juicy but not mellow.

It pays to take time to sort fruit so that pieces of about the same size and color can be kept together. Then the pie or fruit-cup pieces won't be mixed with those intended for fancy looking desserts. Every piece of fruit should be washed carefully and drained well before the skin is broken. Skins should be removed from peaches, pears and apricots. Yes, the skin can be left on but it is impossible to have both skins and top quality. Stones may be left in peaches and ripe apricots, but that we understand why anybody would want them, but woe is more than likely to be the lot of the home canner who leaves stones in apricots which have been taken from the tree before fully ripe. Such apricots have a poor flavor at best and the green stones make it even poorer.

But we are going too fast! Let's remember that flavor is lost with every minute lost between the time the fruit is washed and the time it is put into the canner for processing. Therefore, all jars, caps, lids, and rubbers should be checked, washed, rinsed, covered with water and put over heat to sterilize; water should also be put to heat in whatever is used as a water bath canner, and all utensils and materials collected before work is started on preparing the fruit.

Corn Sirup for Sweetening
The sweetening story is still a little on the sour side. It can be no

news to you that it may not be possible to buy all the granulated sugar you would like to have, but shortage of the cane and beet sugars need not halt your fruit canning program because corn sirup can take over where these granulated sugars leave off, and a lot of people think the fruit better when corn sirup helps out. Gladys Kimbrough, Home Service Director for Ball Brothers Company and editor of the famous Ball Blue Book of Home Canning and Preserving Recipes, gives a basic sirup recipe which may be adjusted to meet your requirements. The sirup is made by combining two cups sugar, one cup standard grade corn sirup, one cup water or fruit juice, and boiling about two minutes or until the sugar dissolves. Either light or dark corn sirup may be used. The dark sirup is especially good with dark fruits. Its flavor blends nicely with light fruits too, but it tends to add color where color may not be wanted.

Miss Kimbrough recommends that, when possible, some sugar be used when putting up fruit because the flavor of sweetened fruit is more acceptable to most persons but she also makes it quite clear that fruit will keep without sugar. When no sugar is used, the fruit should be heated in a little water or in its own juice before it is put into the jars. Whether canned with or without sugar, fruit should be covered with liquid in the jar, otherwise it is likely to discolor.

Miss Kimbrough advises home canners to sweeten and flavor sirups to suit themselves. If you would like more flavor in your peaches or

pears, you might try adding a half teaspoon vanilla or orange, or nutmeg, or rum, or a few drops of almond extract to each quart of fruit. In other words, you are free to make the things you put up at home taste like you want them to taste and that is something nobody else will or can do for you.

Up-to-date canners heat fruit enough to shrink it before it is placed in the jars for processing by boiling in a hot water bath canner. This is called hot packing. The fruit may be heated in its own juice or in sirup. One excellent way is to measure the prepared fruit, add the sugar to it, and heat gently until the juice runs free and the sugar is dissolved. Two cups sugar and one cup corn sirup will sweeten a gallon of prepared peaches enough to suit the average taste. If the peaches are juicy, no water need be added. Pears can usually get along with a little less sugar than peaches call for but they nearly always need some water to start them cooking.

Processing time varies according to the size, variety, and firmness of fruit—but the average time for peaches, pears, and apricots, which have been thoroughly heated before packing, is fifteen minutes at boiling. Even if fruits keep, they will discolor if for any reason they have not been heated boiling hot all the way through.

If you will begin with good home-canned fruits, you can end with wonderful desserts which are just no bother at all to make. For example, Peaches and Cream Cake is a fitting finish for any meal. All you do is make or buy a plain angel food or sponge cake, frost it thick with sweetened whipped cream and surround it with halves of tree-ripened free-stone peaches right out of your own jars. This cake should be served at the table because it is far too handsome to be cut in the kitchen.

BURLINGTON, IOWA

By Mrs. Ed. Williams
Burlington, Ia.—At the Union Baptist church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock occurred the wedding of Miss Jaunita Thompson and Mr. George A. Newman with Rev. J. S. Beverly reading the marriage ceremony. Miss Mary Morgan, student at Crescent School of Beauty in Des Moines, was bridesmaid and Mr. Reed Collins served as best man. The wedding was a simple but pretty affair with a reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Thompson on North street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ashby of Chicago are the proud parents of a daughter born here at St. Francis hospital also Mr. and Mrs. Roach

are the proud parents of a new daughter born here at St. Francis hospital.

Mrs. Patay Ashby Chapman is here visiting her relatives. Her cousin, Mrs. Ada Crummed Gibbons of Galesburg, Ill., is visiting here, too. Rev. J. S. Beverly has returned home from the International Sunday School convention at Des Moines. Mrs. Elfore of Des Moines is visiting the Beverly family.

Madison Circle of Union Baptist church met last week with Mr. and Mrs. Robinson on Brooks street.

St. John's A.M.E. church trustee board held service Sunday, July 20, at the church. The pastor and choir from Galesburg, Ill., participated in the program.

RECIPE OF THE WEEK

By HELEN BROWN JENKINS

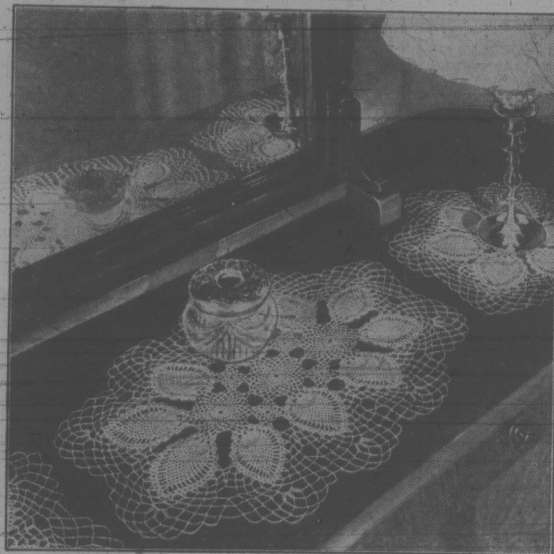
Pork and Apple Salad

- 1 cup chopped celery
- 1 1/2 cups diced apples
- 1 green pepper, shredded
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 cup chopped pecans
- 2 1/2 cups diced cooked lean pork
- 4 tablespoons mayonnaise

Combine all ingredients and chill until very cold. Serve in crisp lettuce cups. Serves 6 to 8.

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'Wish You Wouldn't's' Apply to Parents, Too

SINCE turn about is fair play, any list of "Wish you Wouldn't's" for teen agers should be accompanied by a few "Don't's" for parents, too, Holly Miller points out in nationally-circulated Capper's Farmer. Discussing the teen agers' viewpoint, she writes:

"Seems as if I wish you wouldn't be the preface to a good many statements by the older generation. The way you dress, eat, walk, talk—gadzoos—nothing seems

before you get too huffy and at their admonitions to the breeze, go into a huddle with yourself. Down deep you may find the grace to admit that a lot of so-called characteristic adolescent behaviors are not calculated to make the populace love you. And that just because everybody acts a cer-

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Della Green's Summer Evening Gown



Nothing is so charming and enchanting as a beautiful immaculately dressed woman. Modeling for this paper this week is Miss Ruby Hill, the Della Green of the recent Broadway hit "St. Louis Woman". Miss Hill is credited with possessing the most enchanting and refreshing beauty of the current theatre season. Many of those in the know, credit her with being the most beautiful Negro woman to tread the

Broadway footlights in a decade. Even as sensational as Miss Hill's beauty and art is the cool summer evening gown she is wearing comes darn near matching its glamour. The gown is made of red dotted swiss and white organdy. Don't you admire that full breezy skirt, the dainty little bow and half-puffed sleeves. This is just the thing for that crowded summer formal where the heat nearly stifles you

cause simply ain't no reason for anybody as special as you to follow suit."

Among the "Don't's" which Miss Miller says teen-agers might suggest to parents are:

"Don't laugh at us. We're self-conscious enough. Tho our plans may seem a little fantastic and some of our actions silly, it's probably part of being young. Don't you remember?"

"Don't treat us like kids. You can help us grow up by treating us like grownups. Trust us a little more."

"Never, never say, 'I told you so.' It's too-urdling. And we have to learn the hard way to make it stick."

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ROY WILKINS, Assistant Secretary of N.A.A.C.P. and Editor of "The Crisis", will speak at a six o'clock dinner at the Park Tavern. MRS. ROSE JOHNSON, President of the State Conference of Branches will present the cup.

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Washday for Lamp Shades Makes Rooms Brighter

ROOMS will look brighter when you establish a washday for the lamp shades and light bulbs, the Rural Home editor of nationally-circulated Capper's Farmer advises housewives.

"In the days of kerosene lamps it was part of the weekly housecleaning to wash lamp chimneys," she points out in the farm magazine read by 1,300,000 farm families. "But not everyone realizes that electric lighting calls for a regular cleaning program."

"Your lamp shades will give better service and look much better if they are kept clean."

Here are her directions for giving lamp shades a real soap and water treatment:

Remove a parchment or paper shade from lamp; go over it with a cloth rung quite dry from rich suds. Then go over the shade with a cloth wrung out of clear water. Finish by wiping it with a dry cloth. Examine the shade to see if bindings are glued or sewed on and if there are ornaments that might not be washed.



ORLABOR, IA.

By Mrs. James E. Smith
Orlabor, Ia.—Rev. Kendrick presided Sunday morning. Mrs. Edith Williams of Cedar Rapids was a



able. These should be cut off before washing.

Make up a tub of good rich, lukewarm suds. Plunge the shade up and down in the suds. Rub obstinate spots gently with two well-soaped fingers. After the shade is bright and fresh looking, give it several rinses of the same even lukewarm temperature.

Stand the shade to dry on a bath towel, away from sunlight or direct heat. You can hasten drying by blotting the shade between the palms of your hands with another bath towel. When the shade is partially dry, reverse its position.

Don't forget, too, that electric bulbs should be cleaned regularly. Do not try to wash the electric bulbs in their sockets. The best way is to remove the bulb from the socket and wipe with a soft cloth wrung out of soapy water. Hold the bulb by the metal end while wiping the glass with the soapy cloth. This minimizes the risk of wetting the metal part. If the metal part of the bulb does get wet, be sure not to screw it back into its socket until it is completely dry.

visitor in the home of Mrs. Mary Vaughn last week. The Mission circle of Mt. Zion church will meet at the home of Mrs. Rufus King, July 30. Mrs. Prentiss Moore is visiting in Dayton, Ohio.

Ice Box Raids Sure With Fruit Punch Handy

You can be sure that the refrigerator and cookie jar will get raided often if you keep frosty fruit punch and crunchy cookies on tap, according to the Country Cooking editor of nationally-circulated Capper's Farmer.



Here is her recipe for a tangy, thirst-quenching fruit punch:

- MINTED ADE**
- 1/2 c. light corn sirup
 - 1/2 c. fruit
 - 4 stalks fresh mint
 - 3 tbsp. lemon juice
 - 1/2 c. grapefruit juice
 - 2 c. ginger ale

Boil corn sirup and water together for three minutes. Remove tips from mint stalks and crush the stalks in the hot sirup. Add tips and let stand for 30 minutes. Add

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CONVENTION VISITORS GUESTS IN HOMES AND HOTELS HERE

Among the many visitors here attending the International Sunday School Convention last week were the following who were entertained as guests in many of the homes here:

W. C. Browns Hosts
House guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Brown, 1162 Thirteenth street, were Mrs. J. L. Thomas and Mr. Lawrence E. King of Bryan, Texas; Mr. John Operham of Birmingham, Ala., and the Misses LaClaire Jones and Janice L. Lewis, both of Kansas City, Kas. The visitors were honored at dinner Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Brown.

Honored at Dinner
Mrs. Adelaide Brown and her daughter, Clementine, of Washington, D. C., were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Mary Jones Tillman, 902 Sixteenth street.

Guests at the Morrors
Mrs. Susie Walker Conway of Omaha, Nebr., and Mrs. Adelaide Brown and her daughter, Clementine, of Washington, D. C., were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morrow, Sr., 1060 Twelfth street.

Visitors at the Kemps
Mrs. Lillian Kendrick and Mrs. Elsie Mae Kelley of Philadelphia, Pa., were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Kemp, 1108 17th street.

At Marguerita Hotel
Stopping at the La Marguerita hotel, 1423 Center street, were: J. S. Murray of Detroit; Rev. and Mrs. Daniel Hughlett of Louisville, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Stephens, Jr., Ypsilanti, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. H. Banks of Mason City; Mrs. J. H. Hueston of Albion, Mich.

At Dormitory
Miss Elizabeth Pointer of Nashville, Tenn., and her sister, Miss Vivian Pointer, student at Fisk university, were guests at the Crescent Beauty School dormitory at 1407 Center street.

Coopers Have Guests
Misses Ludina Miles, Charmaine King, Susie Bell Thompson and Mrs. Minnie Cooper, all of Kansas City, Kas., were guests of Mrs. Cooper's relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Cooper, of 1112 Eleventh street.

Mrs. Marion Brooks of Kirkwood, Mo., was guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Frazier, 328 E. Creston.

Chester A. Kirkendoll of Chicago, Ill., director of the leadership education of the general board of religious education of the CME church, stopped at the Savory hotel.

Rev. Edward A. Freeman of Kansas City, Kas., former army chaplain, was guest in the home of Sheriff H. C. Reppert.

Rev. J. H. Humphrey, pastor of the Jamison Temple CME church, Kansas City, Kas., was guest at the Kirkwood hotel.

Dr. Moses Newsome of Charleston, W. Va., was guest at the Oxford hotel.

Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Banks, Jr., of Detroit, Mich., where he is pastor of the Second Baptist church, were guests at the home of Mrs. Gwendolyn Fowler, 1014 17th street.

Rev. Robert E. Redd, pastor of Bowers Memorial CME church in Kansas City, was guest at one of the dormitories at Drake university.

Dr. Joseph A. Johnson, president of Phillips school of Theology, Jackson, Tenn., was guest of his brother Rev. J. T. Johnson and Mrs. Johnson, 732 S. E. 28th street.

MRS. I. M. COGGS OF MILWAUKEE HERE

Mrs. I. M. Cogg of Milwaukee, Wis., was guest in the Crowder home 1211 Day during the International Sunday School convention. Mrs. Cogg is president of the women's work and officer of the National Baptist convention.

MISS STOUT OF INDIANA HERE

Miss Anna B. Stout of Indianapolis, Ind., was house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Owens, 945 17th street, while attending the International Sunday School convention here.

VISIT IN FT. MADISON

Mrs. Ora Buice visited in Ft. Madison last week with Mrs. Mary M. Range, grand worthy matron of Elceta grand chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star.

W. C. BUICE SPEND WEEK END IN CHICAGO

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Buice spent the week end as guests of the J. R. Rathers of Chicago, Ill. While there they attended the East-West game.

HOLD BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

Aaron Carter, Jr., and Evangelist Estella Coates held a joint birthday celebration on his seventh anniversary Thursday evening, July 24, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Carter. Cards and presents were exchanged. Other guests were the Carter children, Barber, Elmer, Carolyn, Leslie and Gloria Carter and Sonny Burfell.

DR. AND MRS. SCALES ATTEND REUNION IN CHICAGO ILL.

Dr. and Mrs. E. Thomas Scales, 721 Boyd street, spent the week end in Chicago, Ill., where they attended a family reunion held at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Battle. Mr. James Scales, of Detroit, Mich., brother of the Iowan, was also honored at a birthday party. Mrs. Irene Hunter of Detroit, another sister of Dr. Scales, also attended the reunion.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR TALVA DEANNE HAYES

A birthday celebration was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hayes, 1216 Laurel street, Sunday, July 27, for their daughter Talva Deanne who was four years old.

Fifty-four young friends attended the birthday party which started at three p.m. and ended at 6 p.m. Games and introductions took up most of the earlier part of the evening. Refreshments were served. Climaxing the party a birthday cake was presented and little Miss Hayes had the honor of blowing out the candles while the children sang "Happy Birthday."

Many gifts were received amid many smiles of delight and with the closing of the party, cups filled with candy were distributed as the youngsters left for home.

MRS. MARY MILES RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Mary Miles, 940 16th street, returned home Monday from Minneapolis, Minn., where she spent a two month vacation with her sister, Mrs. James L. Lewis, who visited in Des Moines before she returned to Minnesota with Mrs. Miles.

MR AND MRS. LEWIS GAITHER ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gaither entertained July 24 for Mrs. Emma Johnson, Normal Johnson, Della Mae Harris, all of St. Joseph, Mo., and Mrs. Alice J. Jackson, Mrs. Myrodyen Rhone and Evangelist Estella Coates. During the serving of refreshments, the hostess surprised Mrs. Coates with a beautiful birthday cake.

MR. AND MRS. J. D. JONES SUPPER HOSTS

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones of 1232 Dixon, entertained at supper, July 18, honoring Mr. William Gooch, the former Cleora Denne of Des Moines, who is a bride of two weeks. She will leave August 1 for Sharon Springs, Kas., to join her husband and to make her home. She formerly resided here at 1431 Maryland.

Mrs. Jones honored at a waffle breakfast, Tuesday, July 23, Mr. Joseph White and daughter, June, of Pittsburgh, Pa., who were here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Irwin White, of 1228 Dixon. Six guests shared the courtesies.

MRS. R. L. CROWDER AND SON RETURN

Mrs. Ralph L. Crowder and son, Ralph, Jr., will return home today from Fayette, Ia., where they have been visiting three weeks with Mrs. Crowder's family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis.

MESDAMES TURNER AND BLACK ENTERTAIN

Mesdames Velma Turner and Arthur Black entertained the following delegates from St. Louis, Mo., at dinner at the home of Mrs. Black, 931 Tenth street, on July 27: Mesdames J. Outlay, R. Smith, Jessie Cook and Miss Frank Weaver, former classmates of Mrs. Turner.

MRS. DREW WILLIAMS IS DINNER HOSTESS

Mrs. Drew Williams of 1834 McCormick street entertained last Saturday at dinner for her house guest, Mrs. James Crumlin of Louisville, Ky., and other guests, Rev. A. M. Spaulding of Providence, R. I., Rev. W. O. Ardrey of Tarrytown, N. Y., Miss Christabel Downs and Miss Phyllis Ellis of Louisville, Ky. They left Sunday to visit a few days with Mrs. Williams' daughter, Mrs. Zoe Mitchell.

NEGRO DELEGATES WOULD BE SERVED

Negro delegates would be served. Negro delegates were turned away from some of the smaller hotels. Dr. Moses Newsome of West Virginia, who stopped at the Oxford hotel, was surprised when he didn't see more Negroes there. "He was very fair in complexion—and was disappointed with Des Moines. 'Don't you go to schools here together?' he asked. 'Doesn't the state have civil rights laws?' When local residents answered in the affirmative, he shook his head saying, 'I can't figure it out.'"

MARRY IN BEAUTIFUL CHURCH CEREMONY



MR AND MRS. PHILIP S. BLACKWELL

The marriage of Miss Ava Cassell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark E. Cassell, 931 23rd street, and Mr. Philip S. Blackwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Blackwell of Minneapolis, took place June 29 at the Church of St. Leonard of Port Maurice in Minneapolis.

The Rev. Leonard Heiman officiated at the candlelight service before an altar decorated with palms and flowers. Mrs. Rosamond Johnson provided the nuptial music.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her gown of white slipper satin with full court train, was made by hand by her sister, Mrs. W. A. Lee. Her fingertip veil fell from a beaded coronet. The heart-shaped locket which she wore was a gift of the groom. She carried a shower bouquet of white-sweet peas, roses and gardenias, with an inset of an orchid corsage.

Mrs. W. A. Lee, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, and Miss Emma Mae Blackwell, sister of the groom, was maid of honor. Little Nancy Slaughter and Regina King, nieces of the bride, were flower girls. Kenneth Mason was best man and Forrest Hill was usher.

The bride's mother wore a gown of navy blue silk crepe with a corsage of roses and gardenias. Mrs. Blackwell wore a gown of black and white lace and a corsage of gardenias and roses.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilver A. Lee where the bride made her home while living in Minneapolis.

The couple is at home at 3817 4th avenue South in Minneapolis, after a wedding trip to Lake Adney in northern Minnesota.

VISITING IN ILLINOIS

Mrs. Evelyn Ritchie left the city to spend a few days visiting friends and relatives in Chicago and Rock Island, Ill.

MRS. WOLDER HEADS THREE PURPOSE LUB

The Three Purpose club met at the home of Margret McCracken on July 14. Election of officers for the next six months was held as follows:

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PROBLEMS OF HUMANITY

by Abbe Wallace
YOUR FRIENDLY ADVISOR

S. W. R.—Should I go on carrying the torch for this man with the little boy's brain or should I drop him? He isn't his actions proven that he doesn't love me? During our last vacation together, he wasn't very affectionate. He never attempted to kiss me. I did all the kissing. When we are out with other couples who were affectionate, I had to listen to his report on the army and politics. When we left college this June he was still cold. But since then, I have received several short, unaffectionate letters from him stating that he wanted to hear from me. How must I take him?

Ans: He's aroused and is in earnest but he intends to restrain his emotions. An education is foremost in his mind and he is going to complete his college training before getting seriously involved in a love affair. You're putting on too much pressure. Be content to keep this relationship on a friendly basis.

S. E. D.—Will my sister change her ways or get crankier? My wife and I rent from her. We have a little house back of hers. She doesn't want us to have company to come and see us. Now we don't want to sit around feeling lonesome. If she doesn't change what should we do?

Ans: Look around for another place to live. Sister is not going to change her set ways and if you and your wife have any social life at all, you must find a new location.

M. O. M.—I received a letter two days ago threatening to tell my husband about me and another man. Will this person tell my husband or just trying to scare me?

Ans: In this case—You had better scare easily. The individual is dead serious about squealing and I don't think it would set so well with your husband.

N. O. L.—I am married to an ex-GI. We separated for 3 months and are back together again. I do not want him neither do I love him. I am no angel. I have faults, but I do think that I did my part. I never worked a day in my life until I married him and I have worked every day thereafter. I got the bad

end of it. Recently I met a man and love him with all my heart. He is the only man I have ever loved. I don't neglect my home though. So Mr. Abbe this is the score—add it up and try to start me on the right road.

Ans: A love triangle equals disaster when it involves married people. You can't love another man and be on the square with your husband too—that is definitely neglecting your home. Give your whole heart to your husband. Otherwise, face the facts and have an understanding about your future. Do not let your apparent love for the other man influence you to get your freedom.

L. M. T.—My little step-son wets the bed at night. Is he weak bladdered, lazy or crazy?

Ans: Weak bladdered.

ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF STUDENT COUNCIL TO NORWAY ON TOUR

Washington, D. C.—Miss E. Patricia Shaw, who graduated with Cum Laude honors from Howard University in June, has been elected Chairman of the Student Council representing a group of over 200 students from American Colleges and Universities who are studying in Norway this summer as part of an international goodwill program.

Miss Shaw, the daughter of Mrs. Esther Popel Shaw, Washington writer and school teacher, is one of seven Howard University students selected to make the trip.

Lincoln Post Emancipation Day Dance, August 4, at Riverview Park.—ADV.

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WE CAN'T BLOCK COMMUNISM WITH THIS

No more striking example of the insincerity of democracy as practiced in this country could possibly have been expressed than the reason given by Copenhagen hotel keepers as their reason for the exclusion of Negro delegates to the World Baptist Alliance. The hotel association denied there was any discrimination against Negroes. The director of one big hotel said, however, that "most large hotels preferred not to house Negroes because they feared they would offend other American guests."

These delegates are supposed to represent the leaders of Christianity in America. Surely, it was known in advance that many of them are Negroes and that they, like all others, would be seeking accommodations in the hotels.

It is rather striking that this sham on the word democracy should occur in a country close to Russia and at a time when in vociferous language we are trying to block the spread of Communism.

During the International Sunday School convention here in Des Moines last week, some delegates met rebuffs which could not embarrass the leaders of Christianity.

Had there been two conventions of hoboes or thugs, it is doubtful if such a thing would have occurred in either instance. And yet we look down on these people as the lower herd.

These so-called Christian movements should do something tangible about the treatment of fellow-Christians of the darker hue. Passing beautiful resolutions and uttering high-sounding speeches about the brotherhood of man made in the air as against these practices which negate every word they say. It is no wonder that the church loses vigorous growth in the minds of a lot of youngsters, white and black, who, young as they are, unchristian conduct flare up instead of kneeling before the altar they feel like using sticks, stones and what not to drive the pretenders from the temple.

A MOVEMENT WORTH PERPETUATING

For three years, three organizations have conducted a clean-up and beauty campaign among the Negroes of Des Moines. The cost of the project has been paid by a group of public spirited citizens and these organizations who see in such a movement an incentive for the improvement of homes in this community.

The success of the movement has been grand in that citizens in all parts of Des Moines and West Des Moines have participated with the result that a fine spirit of rivalry has grown up.

The movement should be broadened. More people ought to participate. Blocks and communities improvement ought to be emphasized as well as individual homes.

Those who have sponsored the program believe it can be organized to meet the full needs of the people of this community. To join in is a badge of good citizenship and a sign of self respect for individuals as well as that of their neighbors. The movement must be perpetuated and the Bystander will do its share to that end.

WHEN DO PRICES QUIT RISING?

When John L. Lewis won his great victory for a substantial increase in wages for the coal miners, he blocked the possibility of a coal strike but at the same time added so much to the cost of most things we use that we may well expect a round of increases in the cost of everything the public must buy.

Just how some people expected prices of steel to remain the same with the added cost of coal is difficult to understand. Evidently, they do not grasp the simple rules of cost of production or attempt to lull the public into believing in a false premise.

Unquestionably, these high prices of goods cannot continue to rise and at the same time maintain a balance between the earnings of a lot of unorganized people and the prices they must pay for everything they use. The situation gets worse every day and the little fellow is caught in the squeeze.

Of course, the whole thing is bound up in selfishness of the fellow who can put on the squeeze. He gets in and to heck with the other fellow. But eventually, we shall be forced to face this unstable position and a lot of people—even those who

are putting on the pressure—are going to be hit—and hard at that.

Representative Ben Jensen of Iowa voted against the anti-poll tax bill passed by the house just before Congress adjourned. He was the only Iowa representative who did this. It is not surprising, since all of his sympathies have been with those who would deny Negroes a fair deal.

RECEIVE PRIZES

(SEE FRONT PAGE)
To improve their two-story home and lawn, Owner of Bernice's Beauty Salon which adjoins her home, Mrs. Carter commented that "there is little reason to live if one cannot do something a bit better each year."
Leroy Hale, 1304 Maine street, whose home won fifth place, said that he had been working on his home for six years. He tore down an old house, dug a basement and rebuilt a five-room modern bungalow—practically out of nothing. He is in the trucking business.

Mrs. Fred Ware of 1008 E. 18th street, revealed that her husband had received much inspiration from the Meredith publishing company, publishers of Better Homes and Gardens, where he is employed. They have worked two and one-half years on their five-room bungalow, sodded the lawn and planted flower gardens to make it rank sixth in this year's contest.

Shannon Jenkins, retired army man, has been working for two years on his bungalow at 1545 Maple street. He and a neighbor have a "battle" in keeping up their homes. After having spent 23 years in his home town from Leavenworth, Kas., and is enjoying working in and out of his five-room bungalow, planting shrubs and flowers, he said. It is his daily work and play.

DR. JOHNSON SPEAKS

(CONTINUED FROM FRONT)
worse than war," he declared.

Advising the Christians, Dr. Johnson said "we should tell our leaders to turn their attention to the main issue of the world. Go back and come to an understanding with Russia."

"Tell our leaders to go back to Russia and sit down and talk with Joe, Ask Russia what it fears in us."

Referring to the struggle for the abolishing of slavery, Dr. Johnson said "what we did domestically—we can do on a world scale. We can keep on talking to Stalin. We can come to some kind of compromise."

ARRANGE SPECIAL CEREMONY TO AWARD \$3,200 TO N. C. VET

(CONTINUED FROM FRONT)

"Now shake hands with Jones, the Guide representative suggested. "We had better leave that out," objected N. S. Garrett, of Ashoskie, and that was that. There were no shakes.

The Columbia Broadcasting System invited Mr. Jones to go to New York City, presumably at its expense, to appear on a radio program last Thursday night.

Through the assistance of the NNPA representative plane reservations were made for the winner from Norfolk, and for getting him from here to the Norfolk airport.

This is the statement made by Dr. Armstrong at the presentation ceremony:

"Both personally and as president of Kiwanis International, I am happy indeed that this regrettable affair is at last about to be cleared up."

"The Ashoskie club has shown the proper spirit in agreeing to make this check which they are today presenting to Harvey (sic), for the full amount of \$3,200. He thereby finds himself in a better position now than he had been given the original car."

"I purchased a ticket for the automobile and I would buy a raffle ticket again under the same circumstances."

Among relatives on hand were youthful Adrien Jones, a nephew; Mrs. Carrie E. Jones, sister-in-law; Starkay Jones, father; Mrs. Jones, wife; and their infant baby.

The group of Kiwanis were obviously very much relieved when the ceremony was completed and lost no time in departing the premises. The attitude seemed to have "I

HEALTH FOR ALL

Defense Against Disease

Good general health is one of the most valuable assets anyone could have and yet it amazing how many people pay little or no attention to their health. Of course, a person who has always enjoyed good health can afford to think very little about it, because it is obvious that he already practices the basic health habits. But a person who does not feel "up to par" owes it to himself to get a thorough physical examination, including a chest X-ray, and to examine his way of life and discover what he is doing to undermine his health.

In good health a person can survive many shocks and disappointments and always have that extra reserve which permits him to "pick himself up" and start all over again. A person in good health also has a far better chance of resisting the various communicable diseases to which he is bound to be exposed at one time or another.

Those who neglect their health and allow themselves to become over-tired and run-down are the most apt to "catch" a disease like Tuberculosis. The healthier a person is, the better able he is to resist the destructive work of the tuberculosis germ when he has been exposed to them.

Of course, it is true even a strong person will get the disease if enough of the germs enter his body over a long enough period and his resistance to them breaks down. That is why it is so important to the health of everyone in a community that all active cases of tuberculosis be discovered and brought under medical care as soon as possible. The earlier the discovery of the case, the better the chance of recovering and returning to a useful life.

The way to maintain good health is to eat a well-balanced diet and get plenty of sleep and rest and exercise in the fresh air. Frequent medical check-ups, including chest X-rays, are essential, too, for if anything is wrong it will be discovered early. Keeping well is the best defense against disease.

This article is presented by the Polk County Tuberculosis Association in the interest of better health.

SPORTS VETERANS WHIRL

By James L. Hicks
NNPA Staff Writer

Tennis Tournament

The annual tennis tournament in Good park will be held on August 17 to 24, Bill Ashby, president of the Till Top tennis club announced this week. Trophies will be given in the following divisions: Men's and women's singles; junior girls' and boys' singles and mixed doubles.

About the Tennis Courts
Paul L. Sandahl, superintendent of the Des Moines Park Board, replied July 28 in a letter to M. Ross about the condition of the Good Park tennis courts.

"The condition of the tennis courts at Good Park had previously been brought to my attention and I talked with Mr. Jerome whose duties include the maintenance of them. My understanding was that they were to be immediately put into proper condition. I am now going into the matter and assure you it will be cared for in a day or so."

To date the courts are in bad condition. I have seen my duty and I done it." But to an observer they seemed none too happy to fulfill the obligations.

This is a statement made at the ceremony by Ruppert Massey, president of the Ashoskie Kiwanis Club: "As president of the Kiwanis Club of Ashoskie, N. C., I have been authorized by the board of directors to present to you this check in the amount of \$3,200."

Agreed To Give Money
"The board of the club of Ashoskie decided to give you \$3,200 in view of your expressed wish of last week that you be given the money rather than an automobile."

"As you know, the Kiwanis Club of Ashoskie reasons that it was not conducting a lottery Thursday evening, July 19, in giving the Cadillac automobile as a door prize for its festival. The decision that evening was not based on your race. The 22-year record of the club shows that it has endeavored to render a service to the community and its citizens regardless of race, color, or creed."

"Upon the recommendation of Kiwanis International and as a gesture of good-will to all people, I therefore on behalf of the Kiwanis Club of Ashoskie, present to you this check or \$3,200."

Mr. Jones said in reply: "I intend to use the money to build a home."

SMUGGLE APPEAL FROM DEATH CAMP

(CONTINUED FROM FRONT)
N.A.A.C.P.A. think you ever so much."

Notifies Governor
Roy Wilkins, NAACP assistant secretary, immediately notified Georgia Governor M. E. Thompson of receipt of the smuggled letter, stating nearby. I am now negotiating the purchase of a lot."

Questions on the point by white newsmen drew an indignant statement from Mr. Jones that he did not gamble in any form.

"I purchased a ticket for the automobile and I would buy a raffle ticket again under the same circumstances."

Among relatives on hand were youthful Adrien Jones, a nephew; Mrs. Carrie E. Jones, sister-in-law; Starkay Jones, father; Mrs. Jones, wife; and their infant baby.

The group of Kiwanis were obviously very much relieved when the ceremony was completed and lost no time in departing the premises. The attitude seemed to have "I

"The letter asserts that the men have been threatened with death on the slightest provocation."

"This Association assumes that the State of Georgia is conducting an investigation into the slaughter of eight convicts upon the order of Warden Worthy. We wish to urge that Warden Worthy be placed on inactive duty pending the outcome of this investigation and not be permitted to supervise and threaten men in a camp where eight prisoners have just been shot dead."

POST EXCHANGE

Letters from Our Readers
A bit of prose... a line or two of poetry... a letter now and then to express thoughts in the minds of our many readers.
Send Yours Today



Praise Mr. Benton and Lake Shore Tire Co. for Fair Deal to Negroes

"I am enclosing a very interesting letter I received just several days ago from Vincent (Sonny) Wilson, whom I believe you know," wrote Quentin R. Mease on July 27 from Chicago, Ill.

"In it, Vincent describes the working conditions and what is more important, the progressive attitude of the management of the Lake Shore Tire and Rubber Company."

"Because of the fact that I wrote several articles about Sonny and his band sometime before the war—that appeared in the Courier and Defender, he asked me to whip together a story portraying the favorable employment situation there at Lake Shore, stressing the opportunities available for qualified Negroes for jobs other than of the most menial nature. He also relates some of the conversation he had with a Mr. Benton, personnel director at the plant, in which the latter displays a very enlightened view on the matter of racial employment."

Mr. Wilson's Letter
In a letter to Mr. Mease concerning the working conditions at Lake Shore company, Mr. Wilson wrote:

Mr. Benton, the world's greatest Negro choir, to preserve and perpetuate the sacred Negro spiritual, eight scholarships have been awarded to worthy young students since January of this year. The awards are based on the writing of an essay on the subject, "Why the Negro Spiritual should be Preserved." The only eligibility requirement is that the contestants be between the age of 12 and 20 and have no affiliation with the Wings Over Jordan organization.

To date, contest winners have been selected in Cleveland, Ohio; Charleston, S. C.; St. Petersburg, Fla.; Washington, D. C.; Pittsburgh, Pa.; Akron, Ohio; Grand Rapids, Mich.; and Kansas City, Mo.

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FEATURED ON RED CROSS PEP PARTY

Osaka, Japan. (NNPA).—Cpl. Richard W. Watkins, 1407 E. Hempfield street, Crockett, Texas, was a featured guest at the American Red Cross "Pep Party" honoring the Twenty-fifth Division "Stags," currently in top standing in the All-Japan Baseball League.

The Texan, a former Texas Inter-City Leaguer and regular army man since 1938, now star pitcher and no-hit-game winner, entered the Bambino Room of Club 25 in this Chicago of Japan-bombed-out city as the division band played "Take Me Out to the Ball Game." The main auditorium had been transformed into a ball park, with dugouts, Red Cross girls dressed as umpires, hot-dog and popcorn vendors, and a miniature diamond with lifesize cardboard players in position.

The evening's high point was a nine-tiered victory cake, topped by an edible baseball with candy stitchings and the inscription, "You Did It Last Year; You'll Do It This Year."

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