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## Deny Discrimination at World Alliance

### News Briefs From Far and Near

#### TO RESPOND TO TRUMAN'S WASTE LESS FOOD PROGRAM

Washington, D. C., (NNPA)—Colored people will respond to President Truman's "waste less" food program as generously as other segments of the American population, Lester B. Granger, executive secretary of the National Urban League and a member of the Citizens-Food Committee, declared in a statement made at the committee's meeting at the White House last Tuesday.

Mr. Granger was not present at the meeting and was represented by Julius A. Thomas, the league's director of industrial relations.

More than enthusiasm for needed in this present food crisis, for most Negroes, like other Americans, of low income, are already plagued with problems of making low wages meet high food costs.

#### JACKIE ROBINSON SIGNED FOR 'COURAGE'

Hollywood, (NNPA)—Jackie Robinson, star first baseman of the Brooklyn Dodgers, has been signed to a contract to appear in the film "Courage," to be made by Producers Releasing Corporation, it was announced last Monday.

Branch Rickey, president of the Dodgers, is reported to have sanctioned Robinson's signing the contract. His signature was obtained by Ben Stollhoff, executive producer of the corporation.

The picture will be under the direction of the producer, Jack Goldberg. Robinson is expected to arrive here shortly after he completes a personal appearance tour of theaters in the east.

#### TROUT SEASON EXTENDED TO NOVEMBER 30

The State Conservation Commission has, by administrative order, extended the trout season to November 30 because of heavy trout populations in north Iowa streams.

#### HOLD FUNERAL RITES FOR MRS. H. KAISER

Funeral services for Mrs. Harriett Kaiser, 52, of 1224 E. Seventeenth court, were held Monday afternoon at the Maple Street Baptist church. Burial was in Glendale cemetery.

Mrs. Kaiser, a Des Moines resident 29 years, died Oct. 9 at Mercy hospital following an illness of two weeks. Born at St. John, Ill., she was a member of Maple Street Baptist church and daughter Elks, Rose Temple.

Mrs. Kaiser is survived by her husband, Frank; two daughters, Harriet and Rosalie; six sons, Frank, Jr., Carl, LeRoy, Reginald and Raymond, all of Des Moines; and Frederick, stationed in the navy at San Diego, Calif.; seven sisters and four brothers.

#### HOLD FUNERAL RITES FOR MRS. D. WILLIAMS

Funeral rites were held Monday morning at the Shiloh Baptist church for Mrs. Dora Williams, 43, 1059 Ninth street. Burial was in Glendale cemetery.

Mrs. Williams died Oct. 9 at the University of Iowa hospital at Iowa City following a two-year illness. Born in Galatin, Mo., she had lived here eight years and was a member of Shiloh Baptist church.

Mrs. Williams is survived by her husband, Thomas; two sons, James and Eugene; a daughter, Dorothy Davis, all of Des Moines; three sisters and a brother.

#### CUNNINGHAM TO ADDRESS GOP WOMEN OCT. 18

The fifth district federation of Republican Women will meet at the Savary hotel Sat. Oct. 18, at which time Congressman Paul Cunningham of the fifth district, will be the speaker.

The executive body will meet at 10:30 a.m. and luncheon will follow at 12:15 p.m. All Republican women are invited. Mrs. Edna Gillispie is publicity chairman.

### Ten Midwest Republicans To Be Awarded Medals at Testimonial Banquet Nov. 11

Ten Midwest Gold Medal Service Awards will be presented to five outstanding white Republicans and five outstanding Negro Republicans at a testimonial banquet to be held at Hotel Kirkwood, here, November 11 at 6:00 p.m.

Fred D. Hawkins, conference chairman, announced the following as recipients of the awards for their fair play and help to the American Negro in their various fields of endeavor:

GOV. THOMAS E. DEWEY for his execution of equal opportunity for Negroes in the state of New York and for his help and influence in the passing of New York's FEPC law.

GOV. DWIGHT H. GREEN of Illinois for his integration of qualified Negroes into the various positions in the State Administration, particularly the appointment of Val Washington as a member of the Illinois State Commerce Commission.

GOV. LUTHER W. YOUNGDAHL of Minnesota for his new State Interracial Commission and the appointment of Attorney Clifford Rucker as his full-time representative on the commission.

GENERAL DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER for his fair play and equal treatment of Negro soldiers under his command throughout his Army career.

GARDNER COWLES, publisher of Look Magazine and the Des Moines

Register and Tribune, for the editorial policy of his paper and magazine and for the presentation of the new Willie House here in Des Moines.

Outstanding Negroes to be presented awards are:

HON. JUSTICE FRANCIS E. RIVERS, City Court Bench, New York City, for his unselfish service to the race.

VAL WASHINGTON, of Chicago, for his outstanding service to the race in the political field, along with his other full-time duties as a commissioner of the Illinois State Commerce Commission.

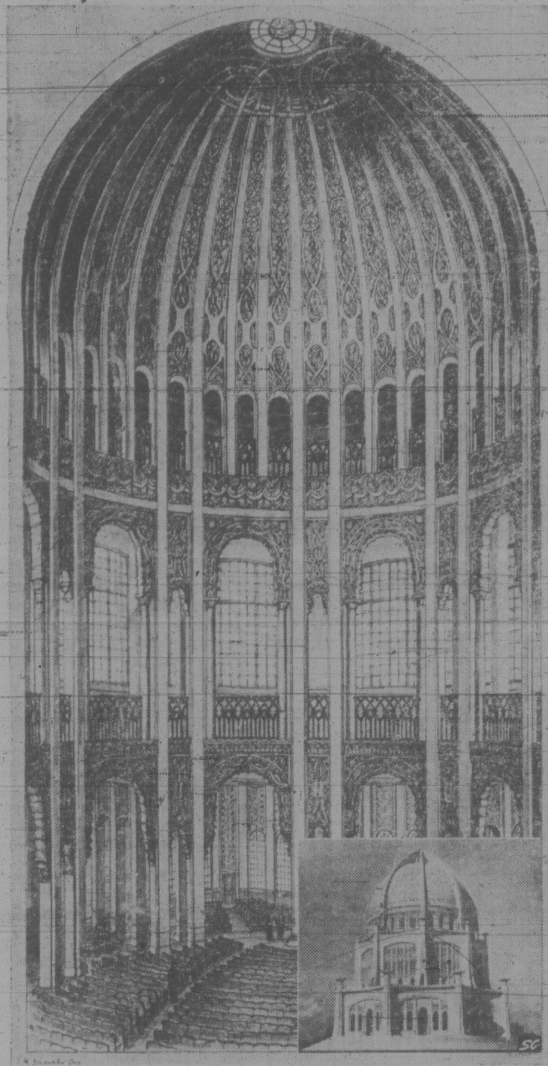
A. A. ALEXANDER, Des Moines contractor, for his achievements in the business world and his political activities.

J. B. MARTIN, of Chicago, for his service as a recently elected member of the board of trustees of the Sanitary District of Chicago, and for his achievements for the race in the world of sports, especially baseball.

MISS LUCILE BLUFORD, associate editor of the Kansas City Call, Kansas City, Missouri, for her outstanding work in the newspaper field.

Several Midwest senators, governors and state party chiefs have promised to attend, including Willis York, chairman Iowa State Central committee, and Harrison E. Spangler, former National Republican chairman and present Iowa National Committeeman.

### Plan Baha'i Temple Interior



WILMETTE, ILL.—A circular, domed auditorium surrounded by nine arched alcoves and providing a total seating capacity of 1,600 is one of the features of the design recently approved for the interior of the famous Baha'i Temple located here. The artist's sketch shown above visualizes the impressive height of the central hall and the elaborate pattern of ornamentation. Color will be used extensively, and the focal point of interest will be the specially illuminated symbol of the Glory of God encircled at the top of the dome. Work on the interior will begin within a few months. The gleaming white exterior (inset) was finished in 1943. Total cost of the completed building will be more than \$2,000,000. Purpose of the temple, built with contributions from members of the Baha'i World Faith in all parts of the world, is "not to enshrine the particular beliefs of one more denomination or sect but to glorify the divine truth underlying all revealed faiths."

### NAACP Meeting Sunday Afternoon At Bethel Church

The Des Moines branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People will hold a public meeting Sunday afternoon, Oct. 19, at 4 o'clock at the Bethel A.M.E. church.

Reports of the national convention will be given by Atty. Charles P. Howard, and Mrs. James B. Morris, delegates, and Ike Smalls, national board member.

Attorney Howard will speak on "Outstanding Personalities of the Convention" and "Happenings Behind the Scenes" and Mrs. Morris on "General Set-up of National and Our Fourth Region" and Ike Smalls on "Our National Board."

Three choruses of the city churches will sing with Mrs. Bernice Black Gaines, education chairman, in charge.

The Chamber of Commerce. The naming of Mr. Davis as a member of the "watch dog" committee was in line with a promise made months ago when the bond issue for civic improvements was first proposed.

Colored citizens had criticized the administration of a former bond issue in which projects in colored sections of the city had been voted upon but never materialized because of the diversion of funds elsewhere.

The board of trustees was appointed to see that the funds are spent for the projects voted upon in the amounts as approved by the voters. The bond issue will be voted upon at a special election to be held November 4.

A. P. Trotter, president of the branch, will preside. A presentation from the national headquarters will be made to Atty. S. Joe Brown by Mr. Smalls.

The regular meeting of the Branch will be Tuesday Oct. 28, at the Crocker YMCA, 1333 Keo-Way. The executive board will meet at 7:30 p.m. The membership meeting at large will open at 8:15 p.m., in the second-floor auditorium of the YMCA. Mrs. Bessie L. Greene is publicity chairman.

### NEW PERRY MINISTER



Rev. H. L. Lewis, Ordination services were held at the Bethel Baptist church, Sunday afternoon, Sept. 28, for Horace L. Lewis of this city, licensed minister. He was examined for ordination to the ministry by five Baptist churches represented in the council by Rev. G. W. Robinson, state moderator; Rev. J. M. Evans, vice moderator; Rev. Joe Reynolds,

### Report Baptist Delegates In Denmark Were 'Treated As Brothers' at Meeting

By JAMES L. HICKS  
Washington, D. C., (NNPA)—The Baptist World Alliance last Thursday denied that there was discrimination against colored delegates to the World Baptist Congress held in Copenhagen, Denmark, from July 29 to August 7.

The administrative committee of the Alliance made public a review of the entire situation, conducted by the Rev. Louis D. Newton of Atlanta, president of the Southern Baptist Convention, in which he found no discrimination "suggested or practiced" at Copenhagen on the part of hotels, public conveyances, boarding houses, private homes, or in the Congress.

Dr. Newton's report was in direct conflict with statements made by colored delegates to the Alliance in Copenhagen who threatened that colored Baptists of the United States would withdraw from the Alliance unless Alliance leadership apologized for the discriminatory treatment colored delegates received.

In his report Dr. Newton quoted from various newspapers which had carried the charges and made the counter charges that the newspaper reports were erroneous.

#### Deny Statements

Both the Rev. William H. Jernagin, president of the Fraternal Council of Negro Churches in America and the Rev. Marshall Shepard, Recorder of Deeds of the District of Columbia and pastor of Mount Olivet Baptist Church in Philadelphia, denied statements attributed to them by newspapers, according to Dr. Newton.

Dr. Jernagin admitted he had been interviewed on his return to the United States, Dr. Newton said, but stated that the published report of the interview was at variance with

the statements he made to the reporter. Statements attributed to him in newspaper reports were branded by Dr. Shepard as "absolutely untrue."

Dr. Newton also said his investigation disclosed that no apology had been made to Dr. Shepard in behalf of colored Baptists as had been reported in newspapers.

Attention was directed by Dr. Newton to published allegedly made by Dr. G. L. Prince, president of the National Baptist Convention, "unincorporated," that Dr. William Marshall, a white minister of Brownwood, Texas was the writer of one of the letters requesting segregation of colored delegates to the Alliance meeting.

To refute these statements Dr. Newton referred to a statement attributed to Dr. Prince during the convention of the unincorporated Baptists in Little Rock, Arkansas, recently, in which the latter was quoted as having said "There was no discrimination of Negro Baptists in Copenhagen. We were treated as brothers."

Findings of Dr. Newton were:

1. In the light of his report that insofar as was observed there was no discrimination on the part of hotels, conveyances, boarding houses, private homes, or in the Congress.

2. Three colored Baptists were elected to official posts in the Alliance.

Regret was expressed that the charges made in the press and over the radio were withheld until the Congress had adjourned and virtually every delegate had left Copenhagen.

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### Mrs. Gertrude Rush Had 'Grand' Experience on Trip To Alliance in Copenhagen

There was no segregation in the housing of the Negro delegates who attended the World Baptist Alliance in Copenhagen, Denmark," said Mrs. Gertrude E. Rush, Des Moines woman attorney, in an interview this week as she talked over the highlights of her trip to the Alliance and other parts of Europe this summer.

"Everybody at the Alliance was one," she added and revealed that of the many delegates of various races who stopped at the hotel where she was housed in Denmark for eleven days, 150 of them were Negroes.

"The mayor and other officials made it clear that there would be no segregation and that everybody would be treated alike and I saw no evidence of it," she said.

What impressed her most at the Alliance where 5,000 Baptists of the world came together, was the singing of the old familiar hymns, like "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," with the delegates of all races chanting in their own tongues; and the meetings of the Alliance which stressed that "we are all one in Christ Jesus."

#### Visited Courts

Prior to the opening of the Alliance and after the session closed, Mrs. Rush visited in eight other countries of Europe. She favored England and France and tried to

Catechizer; Rev. L. D. Garrett, president of Ministers and Deacons union; Rev. T. L. Ligon, secretary of Ministers and Deacons union; Rev. Albert Fox, moderator of Central District; Rev. George Parish.

Rev. Mr. Eaves preached the ordination sermon with prayer, by the Rev. J. H. Ross. The Rev. Mr. Lewis was charged by the Reverends Parish and Fox, both of Des Moines.

bring back a souvenir from each one—Sweden, Denmark, Holland, Netherlands, Belgium, Ireland and Newfoundland.

In England she found an opportunity to mingle and visit the courts of law where she met the only woman judge in England who invited the Iowa to the bench to sit during a session.

Mrs. Rush noticed that the witnesses in the cases if they are sworn in had to take the Holy Bible in their hands if they stood in the witness box to be sworn in to "tell the whole truth and nothing but the truth."

"If the witness was not sworn in with the Bible, then he could not be cross examined during the trial. That procedure is different in American courts."

#### French 'Didn't Work'

"The French I learned thirty years ago, I couldn't make work over there," commented Mrs. Rush as she told of visiting in France. There was always someone a guide who could speak all of the languages, she said and revealed that the guides were highly trained persons, with college degrees, who were required to know all the history of France before they were hired by the government.

In Paris she saw the historical places of the city and then toured the shops, stopping at La Pompadour to purchase her a dress; at the cuisine, and did not care much for the French bread which reminded her of cornbread sticks; fell in love with the beautiful avenues with their white pavings, green trees and grass that bordered the imposing buildings with their Gothic and Greek architecture.

One of the most beautiful places

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### SUPPORT THE COMMUNITY CHEST DRIVE



Give to your Community Chest drive that babies like this one may be cared for in the Iowa Children's Home or other of the Chest agencies dependent upon your support. The drive closes on October 24.

### Newspaperman Appointed To K. C. Bond Program

Kansas City, (NNPA)—Dowdell H. Davis, general manager of the Kansas City Call, has been appointed a member of the "watch dog" committee of the proposed 15-year bond program, calling for an expenditure of \$7 1/2 million dollars.

Announcement of his appointment along with other members of the 15-member board of trustees was made by Elmer C. Rhodes, general chairman of the Citizens' Bond Committee, in a speech recently before about 200 members and guests of

MINISTER AND FAMILY TO LEAVE IOWA



REV. J. J. HAWKINS

MRS. HAWKINS
The Rev. J. J. Hawkins, pastor of the Ninth Street Christian church here for five years, will give up his pastorate on October 29 when he and his family leave for Edwards, Miss., where the minister will be a member of the faculty of the Southern Christian Institute.

Church Makes Progress
In Des Moines five years, succeeding the Rev. Cyril Morris, who opening Christian Church mission and stayed with it three months, the Rev. Mr. Hawkins said his work has been "most pleasant." While attending Drake university and earning his Bachelor of Divinity Degree, his church—changed from West Side to the Ninth Street Christian church, when property was purchased at the present location, 1026 Ninth street.

Active in Community
Active with the Des Moines Branch NAACP, the Rev. Mr. Hawkins served as membership chairman for two years, and is now first vice president. He has served for four years as secretary of the Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance, vice president of the Disciples Min-

sters Alliance; member of the Des Moines Inerracial Commission; serving his second term as a worker in the Community Chest drive; teacher in Polk County Institute of Religious Education for the past six weeks; was a member of the faculty of the Leadership Training Institute sponsored by Iowa Interechurch Council at Penn College, Oskaloosa; secretary of the national Negro Disciples of Christ Ministers Alliance; and a member of the Mu Omicron Omega Psi Phi fraternity.

Of the active organizations in the church is the Christian Youth Fellowship composed of youth of the city who meet weekly to work with every phase of community life. An outgrowth of this group is a newly formed Youth League for Civil Rights which got started through the sixteen other youth groups of the Christian Churches in the city.

Statement of Ownership, Etc.
The Iowa By-stander published weekly at Des Moines, Iowa, for October 1947.

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WILLIAM TRENT

William Trent, 1141 School street, who has been in the employment of the Veterans Administration for eighteen months, was promoted recently to the position of claim examiner in the training facilities section of the rehabilitation division, located in the Valley Bank building.

MRS. MARY E. TOLER DIES AT NURSING HOME

Mrs. Mary E. Toler, 78, of 733 S. E. Twenty-seventh court, died Oct. 11 at Brown Nursing home after an illness of one year. She was a resident of Des Moines for 28 years. Born in Leesville, Va., she was a member of the Bethel AME church.

DET. STEPHEN A. BAKALYK, SECRETARY

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Notice of Expiration of Right of Redemption
For CARL A. LINDBERG
Person in whose name the within described real estate is now owned, and published in the Iowa By-stander, October 2, 9 and 16, 1947.

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Detroit Pastor Dies in Pulpit

Detroit, Mich.—The Rev. Lott Pigrum Powell, pastor of St. Paul AME Zion Church, died Sunday immediately after the completion of his sermon. Funeral services were held on Friday at 1 p.m. from his church.

Before assuming the pastorate of St. Paul's 6 years ago, Mr. Powell was presiding elder of the Detroit district of the Michigan conference of the AME Zion church.

Mr. Powell is survived by his wife, Princess, and by four brothers, two sisters, a son, daughter-in-law, and granddaughter.

Born in Nashville, Dec. 28, 1885, he was educated in the public schools of his native city. He attended Livingstone College and the theological seminary of Northwestern University.

A trustee of Livingstone, he was treasurer of the Michigan conference of the AME Zion connection and first vice-president of the 20th Century Mutual Insurance Co.

While making progress at the Veterans Administration he attends night classes at Drake University Community College, studying for a Master's Degree.

Mr. Trent resides at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Trent.

MRS. M. WILLIAMS DIES IN HOSPITAL

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Williams, 71, of 1755 Raccoon street, were held Saturday at Shiloh Baptist church, with burial in Laurel Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Williams died of a heart ailment Tuesday at Broadlawn General hospital. She had been a Des Moines resident for 30 years.

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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, EDWARD LOREY, EDWARD LOREY, FLOYD SAYLOR, FRANCIS SAYLOR, and all unknown persons claiming any right, title or interest in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot Twenty-nine (29) in Block Four (4), Farewell Place, a subdivision of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, and part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, and all the heirs, spouses, assigns, legatees, devisees and beneficiaries of each and all of the above named defendants.

TO THE ABOVE: Robert Lorey, Harry Lorey, Carl Lorey, Edward Lorey, Edward Lorey, Floyd Saylor, Francis Saylor, and all persons claiming any right, title or interest in and to the above described real estate, to-wit: Lot Twenty-nine (29) in Block Four (4), Farewell Place, a subdivision of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, and part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, and all the heirs, spouses, assigns, legatees, devisees and beneficiaries of each and all of the above named defendants.

You and each of you are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the above named Court the Petition of the plaintiff in the absolute and qualified real in fee simple of the above described real estate, to-wit: Lot Twenty-nine (29) in Block Four (4), Farewell Place, a subdivision of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, and part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, and all the heirs, spouses, assigns, legatees, devisees and beneficiaries of each and all of the above named defendants.

For further particulars, see petition now on file.

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**CHURCH DIRECTORY**  
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 1704 Cleveland, Rev. C. J. Scott, pastor. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Preaching at 12 o'clock; evening service, 8 o'clock. Regular services Tuesday and Friday night. P. W. W. services at 6:30 p. m.

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 615 F. E. 15th street, Elder V. H. Hawkins, pastor. Sunday school, 10:30 a. m. Morning service, 10:30 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, regular service, 7:30 p. m. Florida 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. H. Roman, pastor; Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning services at 11:00 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 a. m. Morning service, 11:00 a. m. P. M. Evening service, 7:00 p. m. Mid-Week Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7:00 P. M.

**KYLES A.M.E. ZION CHURCH**  
 Southeast 15th and Shaw, B. F. Blanks, pastor, 701 Southeast. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 o'clock; Kerkrick C. E. Society, 7 p. m. Evening worship, 7:45 o'clock. Mid-week prayer Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

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**ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NOTES**  
 Quite a large number of the members and friends of St. Paul were out Sunday morning, to hear the Rev. Felix Dickerson, local deacon, who filled the pulpit in the absence of the pastor.

At the conclusion of the regular service the Senior Usher Board made reports on the "King for a Day" contest which they had been staging between Mr. Sam Jordan who was sponsored by Mrs. B. J. Roach and Mr. Archie Martin, who was sponsored by Mrs. Fannie Tomlin which was won by Mr. Jordan, who reported over eighty dollars and was crowned by Mrs. Susie Hart Martin a former member, who is now the wife of Dr. H. A. Martin of Dubuque. She happened to be in the audience.

Other visitors from out of the city included the Rev. J. H. Bowles, of South Bend, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Ora Bates and son of Keokuk; Mrs. Carline Patterson of Topeka, Kan. and Mr. Jas. Lehman, a former member, now a resident of Battle Creek, Michigan.

At the evening service Atty. Gertrude E. Rush, brought a travelogue in which she gave a graphic description of her airplane trip to Europe and return and of the many interesting places that she visited which included Copenhagen, Denmark; London, England and Paris, France. Special music was furnished for both these services by the Junior Chorus under the direction of Robt. Ewing.

**COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
 Evangelist Maude Logan spoke last Sunday morning. Evangelist L. S. Sweeney preached at 3 p. m. Visiting ministers were Rev. Mark Cooper, Rev. M. L. Allen, Rev. C. E. Rigway, Rev. W. H. Spivie, and other visitors, Mrs. M. L. Allen, Mrs. William F. Suggs, Mrs. Bertha Ellis. Services were held Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Hattie Cooper who is sick. Friday night, Oct. 17, the Dorcas Sewing club will meet at the church with Mrs. Willean Patrick, hostess.

**MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 Sunday was men's day at the Maple Street Baptist church. Rev. George Parish, pastor, preached. Rev. J. P. Roman spoke at 3 p. m. and a musical program was given by Mr. William Fields. The Pastor's Aid met Monday evening in the parish house. The PHTN club met Monday in the home of Mrs. Graves. Sick members of the church are Mesdames Lucy Field, Alma Morris and Mr. Macy Patton. Sunday afternoon, Oct. 12, Rev. G. Scott will preach for the October club.

## REV. R. BROWN OF HANNIBAL TO PREACH AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. Raymond Walton, pastor of the Second Christian Church, Hannibal, Mo., will preach Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the Ninth Street Christian Church.

Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock will be the installation of officers, all Drake university students, elected last Sunday in the Christian Youth fellowship service, by the Rev. J. J. Hawkins, pastor. President is Alfred Edwards, of Muskegoe, Okla.; vice president, Norman Ellington, Fulton, Mo.; secretary-treasurer, Mary Rose Westbrook, Kansas City, Mo.; chaplain, Raymond Brown of Little Rock, Ark.; chairman of the program committee, Tom Kelley, Jr.; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Edna Griffin.

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**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. M. U. 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 4 p. m. Missionary meeting.

**FIRST C.M.E. CHURCH**  
 S. E. 25th and Maury streets; Rev. J. E. Johnson, pastor; address, 725 E. 25th street. Phone 62-0107. 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 9:30 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**  
 1517 and University, pastor, Elder F. T. Taylor, 1419 Buchanan street, telephone 6-7352. Sunday School 10:30. Morning service 11:00 a. m. W. 6:30 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. Dogie, Church Mother—Eddie Bogie.

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

**REV. PARISH TO PREACH USHERS SERMON SUNDAY**  
 Rev. George Parish, pastor of Maple Street Baptist church, will deliver the annual sermon for the Usher Board of Burns Methodist church on Sunday, Oct. 19, at 3 p. m. The Men's chorus of Maple Street will sing and an interesting program has been planned. Emmett Winston and Herschel Hubbard are present.

**REV. ROBERTSON OF KANSAS TO OPEN MEETINGS HERE OCT. 19**  
 Rev. H. L. Robertson of Leavenworth, Kas., will preach at a series of services that begin Sunday, Oct. 19, at the David Spiritual Church Temple Christ Church of All Nations, 1239 Stewart and continue nightly. Evangelist C. L. Branham is sponsoring the meetings. The Rev. A. V. Pierce is pastor.

**KYLES A.M.E. ZION CHURCH NEWS**  
 Mrs. Estella Coates preached Sunday morning for the pastor, Rev. B. Blanks. Monday night the young women missionary society will meet at Miss Bertha Strothers. The Busy Bee club will meet Thursday night, Sunday at 3 p. m. there will be preaching sponsored by the Busy Bee club.

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## Orlabor, Iowa

By Mrs. James E. Smith  
 Orlabor, Ia.—The Rev. H. R. Fields preached Sunday morning. He has been filling the pulpit in the absence of the pastor, Rev. G. A. Kendrick who was on a vacation. He returned Oct. 12. Two persons were added to the church while the pastor was away. Mrs. James Smith was elected as president of the Mission Circle. Mrs. Smith preceded Mrs. Effie Burrell as president, Mrs. Burrell was elected vice president. The Mission Circle women met last week at a quilting party at the home of Mrs. Prentiss Moore. They quilted a quilt. A four course dinner was served. Mrs. Lida Branford of Omaha, Neb., is here visiting with her sister, Mrs. Mamie Frith. Mrs. Cornelia Hunt spent two weeks in Des Moines with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Holland. Mr. James Smith, Jr., visited in

the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, Sr., with Mrs. Phyllis Witt and daughter, Bernadine. Miss Mary Smith was much upset when her little kitten was bitten by Bernadine. The kitten is improving. Miss Zola Mae King with the assistance of Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Vaughn sponsored a Sunday School rally day program Sunday afternoon. Miss Claudine Brown won the prize for bringing the largest number of adults out to the rally. Mrs. Jaunita Kendrick and Mr. Curtis Ross, Miss Thelma Craddock, Mr. Lazarus Goodwin, Mr. W. Martin Moore were visitors at the church Sunday. The Rev. and Mrs. Fields, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith were visitors in the home of Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Burrell Sunday. Mrs. Anne Guest and Mrs. Mildred Ottis were visitors in the home of Mrs. Ottis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Smith.

## BURLINGTON, IOWA

By MRS. ED WILLIAMS  
 Burlington, Ia.—Mrs. Mollie Wright died Oct. 10 at the age of 103. She was born Dec. 24, 1844 on a plantation in Tennessee. A slave girl, she could tell many interesting events of those days and later when she met Abraham Lincoln. Her mind kept bright and active and she was able to walk unaided by crutch or cane. She visited many homes and traveled also to Tennessee and back. About a month ago she began to fail. She was a member of the Union Baptist church. Her funeral will be held Friday afternoon from Prugh's chapel with Rev. J. S. Beverly, pastor, officiating.

bright lights made a beautiful picture. Refreshments were served. At the Union Baptist church Sunday service, Baptist was held for Miss Marie Newman and a large congregation was present. A few days ago, Mrs. Mable Franklin of Chicago and sister, Mrs. Gertrude Harris and daughter, Colleen, of Indianapolis; also Mrs. Carl Pleasant of St. Louis visited relatives here. Mrs. Goldie Irving, Mrs. Vina Cowden and Mrs. Ella Hughes entertained the visitors at a picnic in Perkins park. Mrs. Irvin also had a birthday dinner in honor of her husband, Harry Irvin and the above visitors were guests.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors for their kindness, courtesies, cards and flowers extended us during the illness and at the death of our beloved Alpha. Special thanks to Rev. J. H. Tunstall, Lincoln post 126 of American Legion and Estes Funeral Home. The Dixon family.

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 The Modernistic club held a breakfast at Union Park Sunday opening its fall program. Two former mem-

**CENTERVILLE, IA.**  
 By MABLE BROOKS  
 Centerville, Ia.—The Church of God in Christ, 717 E. Wilson street, Elder George Ward, pastor, will hold services Sunday-afternoon; Sunday School at 1 p. m., preaching at 2 p. m.; prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. and the beginning of a revival services Sunday night with Elder Westbrook of Ottumwa, guest speaker.

bers, Mesdames Merle DeSleet and Sarah Tucker were present. Mrs. Meredith Carl is president.

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 For the NNPA News Service  
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Mrs. Rose McCraven is president; Mrs. Murlan Taylor, vice president; Mrs. Geneva Davis, secretary; Mrs. Emma Williamson, financial secretary; Mrs. Dorothy Thompson, treasurer; and club reporter. The hostess served. The next meeting will be Oct. 21 at the home of Mrs. Emma Williamson.

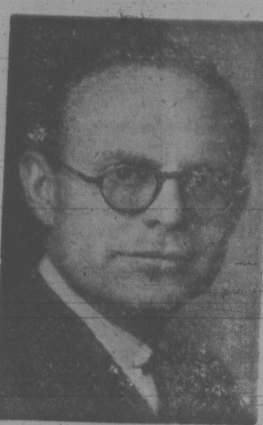
#### DUCK HUNTING AGREEMENT BETWEEN IOWA AND NEBRASKA

Representative of the Iowa State Conservation Commission and the game department of Nebraska have arrived at an agreement governing the taking of waterfowl in the Missouri River. The agreement, designed to define the hunting rights and privileges of hunters from both states is in effect from October 21, the opening day of the duck season, through November 24. The duck season for Iowa hunters, however, closes one hour before sunset, November 19.



VAL WASHINGTON

Gold Medal Service awards at a testimonial banquet at Hotel Kirkwood, Nov. 11, will be Gardner Cowles, publisher of Look Magazine and Des Moines Register and Tribune.



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and Valores Washington of Chicago, an Illinois State Commissioner; and A. A. Alexander, Des Moines contractor. A conference of Republicans will open here on Nov. 10. Fred D. Hawkins, chairman announced.

### WILLIE HOUSE NEWS

On Friday evening, October 17, the Community Garden club will have as its special guest, Jack Smith, the florist, who will present a program in floral arrangements.

The Rockets, teen-age boys' club, which was the outgrowth of a basketball team, celebrated their first anniversary on Friday, October 3. The anniversary celebration was a party at which 13 guests were present besides the membership which includes Donald Ritchie, Paul Johnson, Wilbur Carter, Cordell McGuire, Walter Lowe, Kirby McGuire, Cleo Morrison, and Toby Robinson. The president of the club is Paul Johnson, and the leader is George Robinson.

The first teen-age dance of the season sponsored by Willie House will be Wednesday, October 29, a Halloween affair. Beginning at this time and each Wednesday following dances for teen-agers will be held on Wednesdays.

New persons seen at Willie House these days include: Mrs. Marie Rees, Miss Harriett Curley, Miss Delma Douglas, Miss Laurine Jones, Mr. Robert Ewing, Mrs. Marian Morrison, Mrs. Jane Kelly, Mrs. Jacquelyn Spriggs, Mrs. J. B. Zavalacky, Mr. Harley Waller.

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### MISS DORIS RIFE IS BRIDE OF MR. W. DAVIS; LEAVE FOR K. C., MO.

Miss Doris Rife, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rife, and Mr. Winston Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Portie Hughes, were married in a double ring ceremony by the Rev. W. H. Wheeler, Saturday, Oct. 11, at the home of the bridegroom's aunt, Mrs. Frank Williams, at 780 13th street.

Attending the couple were Mrs. Rife and Mr. Hughes. Sixteen guests attended a reception which followed.

Both natives of Des Moines, Mrs. Davis attended school and graduated from the high school in Lincoln, Neb. Mr. Davis, a veteran of World War II, who served several years in Europe with the army, attended North and West Tech High schools here. He is a member of Christian Baptist church.

The couple left the city Wednesday for Kansas City, Mo., where Mr. Davis will attend an electronics school for veterans.

### MISS CAMPBELL WEDS MR. JACKSON



Miss Ada Isabelle Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell, 1248 East Twenty-first street, became the bride of Mr. Emory Jackson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Jackson, 342 1/2 Grand Avenue, in a marriage ceremony performed by the Rev. George Parish on September 21 at 4 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Dacus attended the couple as matron of honor and best man.

A reception was held later at the Crooked Street YMCA where friends and relatives gathered to congratulate the newlyweds.

The bride wore a lovely gown of pink-brocaded satin, an orchid corsage and a string of pearls.

Hostesses of the evening were Miss Edith Blakely, and Mesdames V. K. Ashford, Robert Patterson and Cleveland Campbell.

Born in Des Moines, Mrs. Jackson attended East High school and is a member of the Maple Street Baptist church. Mr. Jackson, also a native of Des Moines, is a graduate of North High school and a veteran of World War II. He served three and one-half years in the army, 27 months of which he was stationed in the South Pacific. He is a student at the Cummings School of Art here.

Following the reception a party was given in honor of the newlyweds by Mr. and Mrs. V. K. Ashford, 180 E. Sheridan avenue. The couple is now at 1179 Ninth street. (BILL ASHBY PHOTO.)

### Piano Student In Recital at Shiloh Oct. 17

Mae Merritt Hellberg will present her piano students in a recital Friday night, 8 o'clock at the Shiloh Baptist church, S.E. Thirteenth and Scott streets.

The following pupils will play: Pauline Robinson, "The Drummer"; "Question and Answer"; Darlene and Emmett Butts, duet; Rose Ann Clay, "The Frog Chorus"; "Lightly Row"; "Watching the Soldiers"; Noreen Mitchell, "The Anvil"; "The Busy Bee"; Mary E. Fowler and Lois Ann Willis, duet; Norma Jackson and Mrs. Hellberg, duets, "Comin' Round the Mountain" and "Home on the Range"; Emmett Butts, "Soldier's March"; "The Song of the Kitchen Clock"; Norman Jackson, "From a Wigwam";

Harriet Brown, "Andante"; "Petite Marche"; Ruth Stewart, "Maryland"; "Silent Night"; Adeline Jenkins, "March of the Goblins"; Darlene Butts, "The Cello"; "Tirumling and Humming"; Altra Keys, "Skipping Fingers"; "A. Sailors Dance"; Marva Keyes, vocal, "Cowboy"; with Altra Keys, at piano; Darlene Brown, "Ming Toy"; "Song of the Night"; Lois Ann Willis, "Barcarolle"; "Stone Island"; Mary E. Fowler, "To Spring"; "Litter Tarantelle"; Joan Brown and Mrs. Hellberg, duet, "Waltz"; Elaine Brown, "The Strolling Harp Player"; Donna Lou Carr, "Sounds from the Alps"; Kathleen Lucas and Mrs. Hellberg, duet; Silvester Forrester, "Happy Farmer"; Kathleen Lucas, "Gipsy Ronda"; Joan Brown, "H.M.S. Pinafore"; Christal Thomas, "Tam O' Shanter's Ride"; Adeline Jenkins, two soprano solos; Mrs. Hellberg, "got mixed up there and gave them 1,000 francs for 100 francs," while buying something.

### CHOIR HONORS PASTOR AT FAREWELL PARTY

Choir of Ninth Street Christian church honored the Rev. J. J. Hawkins at the farewell party Saturday night, Oct. 11, during rehearsal, at the home of Mrs. E. P. Jackson, director, 1155 Enoch. Mrs. Loretta Hughes is pianist.

During the party, games, testimonials, a pot luck dinner was served—honoring the Rev. and Mrs. Hawkins and favorite songs sung by the choir, which is planning a tour of Iowa this fall under the sponsorship of the Christian Churches of Iowa, in the interest of the building fund of the new Ninth Street church.

### SOCIAL WORKERS MEET

The S. N. S. Social Workers had ten members out to the meeting Tuesday. The members planned to help two national projects the Frederick Douglass Home drive and to aid the Phyllis Wheatley home in Cleveland, Ohio.

### MARY CHURCH TERRELL CLUB HEARS NEW YORKER

The Mary Church Terrell club met Monday evening at Willkie House with Mrs. Lillian Edmunds as hostess. The speaker was Mr. John McDowell of New York City, an executive director of the National Federation of Settlement Houses.

A quiz program was conducted with Mrs. Adah Johnson, the winner. Refreshments were served.

### MR. AND MRS. MORRIS ARE DINNER HOSTS

Mr. and Mrs. George William Morris, 1408 Center street, were hosts at a turkey dinner Sunday morning honoring Attorney H. T. McKnight and L. T. Glanton, Jr., at the home of Mrs. Laura B. Stewart, 847 Fifteenth street.

Sharing the courtesies were Mesdames Lillian Edmunds, Reba Dean and the Stewart family.

### SOCIAL ART CLUB MEETS OCT. 23

The Social Art club met Oct. 9 at the home of Mrs. Anna Ware, 1131 School street. The next meeting will be Oct. 23 with Mrs. Poca Ware, 1202 Arthur street, hostess.

"Kammenoi Astrow," and Gretchen Slaughter, piano solo.

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### JOLLY TWELVE CLUB

The Jolly 12 club met with Mrs. Lucy Williams, Oct. 9. Miss Darley Wilks became a member of the club.

### THE SAMUEL MILLERS VISIT RELATIVES ON VACATION IN OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Miller, 1140 Fourteenth street, and their four children, returned to the city, Oct. 5 from a week's vacation in Oklahoma, where they toured Mr. Miller's native state.

They stopped in Wewoka with Mrs. R. S. Davidson, mother of Mr. Miller, in Seminole with aunts and uncles; to the Miller farmhouse in Antlers, Okla., and then to Muskogee.

### VISIT IN MACON, GA.

Mr. and Mrs. James Maupin visited their aunt, Mrs. Fannie Louis, in Macon, Mo., during the week end.

### MESDAMES CARTER AND BUTLER BACK FROM VISIT IN CHICAGO

Mrs. Helen Carter and Mrs. Myrtle Butler have returned from Chicago, Ill., after visiting with their daughters, Mrs. Wanda Wadsworth and family, and Mrs. Hazel Coles and family, both formerly of Des Moines. Many courtesies were extended them while there.

### ATTY. T. W. BELL OF KANSAS HERE

Atty. Turner W. Bell of Leavenworth, Kas., is convalescing from a two-year illness at the home of his brother, Mr. Hayes Bell, 1414 Crocker street. The Kansan lived in Des Moines in his early days and on a farm in Dallas County.

### MRS. MORRIS SMITH CLUB DE LUXE HOSTESS

Mrs. Morris Smith of 1047 16th street was hostess to Club De Luxe on Oct. 9 when a business meeting was held. Plans were completed for a Halloween party Oct. 29 at the American Legion hall. A social hour followed the meeting. The club will meet Oct. 16 with Mrs. Margaret Sorrell.

### MRS. ESSIE DAVIS HOSTESS TO WOMEN

The Phyllis Wheatley Republican Women's club met Oct. 12 with Mrs. Essie Davis hostess. Mrs. Arthur Keyes from the Community Chest drive was the speaker. Tea was served. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Herschel Hubbard, 1120 11th street, Oct. 27th at 2 p. m. Mrs. Mabel M. Mason is president.

### MRS. GARRISON AND NIECES RETURN FROM CHICAGO

Mrs. Nora Garrison, 1012 Day street, accompanied by her niece, Verbona Sloan, spent the week end in Chicago, Ill., visiting their niece and aunt, Mrs. Lawrence Harris, the former Arnetta Sloan. Mrs. Harris accompanied them back to Des Moines where she is visiting relatives and friends.

### TO DENVER

Bert A. Harris left the city Oct. 15 with the Za-Ga-Zig Shrine which went to Denver, Colo., for a meeting until Oct. 21.

### MRS. MARTIN OF DUBUQUE HERE

Mrs. Susie Martin of Dubuque, Ia., was in the city for five days on business. The house guest of Mrs. Sam Walker, 1064 14th street, she returned home Tuesday-morning.

### VOGUETTE CLUB MEETS OCT. 22

The Voguelette club met Oct. 8 at the home Mrs. Dorothy Avant Taylor, 942 15th street. Mrs. Fred Wells from the speakers' bureau of the Community Chest spoke on the coming drive. The next meeting will be on Oct. 22 at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Bush Taylor, 1544 Buchanan St.

### PERSONAL TOUCH



By Marie Ross

Meatless Tuesdays and eggless and poultryless Thursdays have many housewives scratching their heads in search for something encouraging for the daily meals.

For the meatless Tuesday, many of the housewives will go back to their wartime recipe books—when meat in many of the households was absent on more days than Tuesdays.

Mrs. S. L. Evans, who has been in Omaha eight weeks caring for her daughter, ran into this recipe which she is sharing:

"One-half pound sausage, link, or bulk; three medium-sized apples, two medium-sized sweet potatoes, fresh or equivalent if canned; one-half teaspoon of salt, one tablespoon flour, one-half cup water, one tablespoon or more sausage drippings, METH-OD: Prepare sausage in small pieces. Fry until browned. Pare and slice potatoes and apples and arrange in baking dish with sausage and fat. Mix the salt and flour with water and add. Cover and bake in a moderately hot oven (375 degrees F) until the apples and potatoes are tender (about 45 minutes).

"This dish makes good use of drippings, the committee said to help housewives comply with the request to serve no meat on Tuesday—no poultry or eggs on Thursday." Thanks to Mrs. Evans. She is due home this week end and we will see how the dish turns out.

Already before the President set aside these special days, some few Des Moines residents were getting an early start on their shopping for the holiday season—by buying their poultry while the prices were reasonable. Turkeys and other poultry have been purchased for their coming Thanksgiving, Christmas Day and New Year's Day dinners—which will have to be eaten on the holidays fall on the Poultry-Less Thursday.

Just as busy as a bee with her hands is Mrs. Maures Frazier, 1344 Jefferson street, who hasn't been out of her bed at the Iowa Lutheran hospital for nine weeks. She was injured in an automobile accident during August when she suffered several fractures. During her stay

### Found Souveneirs

In Belgium, Mrs. Rush had to purchase some of the world famed lace—a centerpiece; in Denmark, candlesticks; a tray in Holland; hosiery in Sweden and other articles in London.

Gone from Iowa six weeks, Mrs. Ruth traveled by plane over the Atlantic—going and coming back; took a ship up the North Sea and went over the English Channel to the Strait of Dover. She saw the Cliffs of Dover and said the song—though beautiful—doesn't give an idea of what you see.

The attorney is making plans to go to the Holy Land in 1949. She revealed that seventeen years ago she got together an itinerary for her recent trip to Europe—and just ten months prior to her leaving—she decided definitely that she would go to Europe and to the Alliance. "I enjoyed every minute of it," Mrs. Rush said.

### Getting costumes ready for the first annual Mardi Gras ball of Mu Omicron Chapter of the Omega Psi Phi fraternity are the members and friends who will attend the affair on the night of Oct. 25.

"You need nothing expensive—anything or nothing," commented Luther H. Glanton, Jr., who said the fraternity was giving the ball to raise money to give a scholarship to some deserving student.

### Has Grand Trip



Atty. GERTRUDE RUSH—See FRONT Page—she visited was the Louvre, a great museum of works of art and antiquities, which is built on the site of a castle.

"In Paris, poor folk like me don't live there," Mrs. Rush told an audience at St. Paul AME church Sunday night. "I didn't see any of those houses like I live in. I had to go out of the city to find them."

Of her trip to Paris, she said "It is nice to visit but when your pocketbook begins to get low, you had better make it back across the Atlantic." She revealed that she

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## SELF HELP NEEDED FOR SUCCESS

Jackie Robinson has finished his first full season as a major league baseball player, including the world series. As a player he did an excellent job leading in the number of bases stolen and ranking high as a hitter and scorer of runs.

Thus, Branch Rickey, president of the Brooklyn Dodgers, proved that it could be done, and successfully too. Rickey deserves the praise of every fairminded person in America and particularly those people who are working in social fields and need examples of successful interracial cooperation to back up their work.

Of course, no Negro can ever make good unless he is accorded an opportunity. Yet, on the other hand, Negroes won't make good even with an opportunity accorded unless they play their part. After all, this is not always easy, for there are those who do everything possible to undermine attempts at success.

Jackie Robinson is one of many Negroes who knew that he was on the spot, that the future of Negroes in organized baseball depended upon him and that he must not fail. And he did not.

The Bystander believes that such men as Jackie Robinson and Joe Louis are examples for young people to watch, to use as a measuring stick as to what they can do if they play their parts well. Of course, every Negro boy and girl cannot be a Jackie Robinson, a Joe Louis, a Marian Anderson or some one of the many Negroes who have reached the top in their field, but all can do a good job even in a small way which will help to swell the number of Negroes who by their training, decorum and character are pushing the whole level of the Negro race higher and higher.

## WE SHOULD HELP THEM MUST HELP

The American people—even the mean ones—have always been willing to share their food and clothing with the less fortunate and this is why most citizens will cooperate within reason, and this is said advisedly, with the program to help feed the unfortunate in Europe.

Frankly, the Bystander has never been fully convinced that the situation in Europe is as bad as they claim and certainly two years after the cessation of hostilities, those people ought to be able to do more for themselves than wait for Uncle Sam to save them. As a matter of fact it appears quite likely that most of this help is given to show what democracy, against communism can do, or is an effort to accomplish with dollars what the armed forces and our diplomats have failed to do.

Plans to save food and grain including meatless days, closing distilleries and foregoing the use of grain in some products have been instituted. But England goes on making Scotch whiskey.

It appears that our program is not well thought out, is not coordinated with the facts as they exist in the countries which are to be helped. Yes, the average American wants to help, but he will do so grudgingly unless a better program is evolved and presented to him in an intelligent manner.

## UNDEMOCRATIC PROGRAM IN NATIONAL GUARD

A campaign is in progress throughout the nation to enlarge the national guard. Most units were pretty well depleted during the war. While each state has its own unit, the policy of the national guard is pretty well fixed by the war department. And because the war department is dominated by the type of men today who don't believe in giving Negroes a square deal in spite of the fact that General Eisenhower is Chief of Staff.

Negroes in most states have been trying to enlist in the national guard. In practically each instance, they have been denied admission or offered a segregated unit to which there is almost universal opposition.

In view of our so-called democratic way of life as preached to Russia, it seems ridiculous that the war department should have either no policy on the use of Negroes until an emergency arises, or a rigidly use when pushed for manpower. This was true at the beginning of both world wars; it is true today.

Undoubtedly, the states could do more to work out a decent program with reference to the enlistment of Negroes in the national guard. Like

the Iowa unit, a few strategically placed fossils have been able to block any decent effort in behalf of the Negro so well that we still have the old program with us.

America chides other nations for their mistreatment of some citizens, for pursuing undemocratic policies while at the same time we fail to practice that same principle at every turn.

## BAPTIST WORLD ALLIANCE

See FRONT Page and that the papers identified in the report were willing to publish such serious charges without now being able to produce the evidence upon which they were based.

Major Douglass Hall, an Army chaplain, who attended the Alliance meeting last Friday reiterated the charge that colored delegates to the convention were segregated and discriminated against, whether they knew it or not.

Dr. Newton said he had written Hall and asked him to produce the evidence which had led him to charge discrimination but he had received no reply to his letter.

Major Hall said he had not yet replied to Dr. Newton's letter because it had been sent to him in Germany and had only recently caught up with him here. He said, however, he would answer the letter.

Major Hall added that he could not understand why Dr. Newton had waited until he got to Atlanta, Ga., to investigate discrimination which occurred in Copenhagen.

Major Hall said he had seen the letters written by white delegates requesting segregation of colored delegates and that he had copies of the letters in his possession. He added that the man who handled all the billeting of delegates at the Congress had told him that colored delegates had been systematically segregated in the billeting. This was told him, he asserted, in the presence of Dr. Jernagin.

## SPORTS

### Why We Don't Like Homecomings

By Allen Ashby  
The Iowa Stadium was filled to Roosevelt to enter the final bracket to oppose her teammate, Babs Kennedy, an all North girls final.

The Kennedy girls' smooth-stroking and experience enabled her to top the title, 6-2, 6-3. Cleota was short on experience and strokes but long on guts and determination and who knows another year if Cleota keeps on working at the game—well you never can tell.

Janice Wallace, Janice Wolder and Don Ritchie played in the tournament also but they too need more practice and experience.

This will surprise you on the golf roster at North we found the name of Betty Jane Morrow and if reports are true, she is playing number four position on the team. Good luck Betty. Can't remember when we have had a Negro girl golfer on a high school team.

### In the City High Schools

By Bill Ashby  
Watched West Tech workout one night last week and while bemoaning the fact that no Negroes were on the team, I was pleasantly surprised to find trotting out on the field Marvin Jackson who is a first stringer and James Collier. They played good ball in the work out and after talking to the coach learned that he considers both boys quite an asset to the team.

Well, I think about how many other Negro athletes are on these various school teams that the public doesn't know about. So I traveled to Valley High. Gayle Adams is still important stuff in Valley line and Luther Witt back field and dropped out for an appendectomy, but should be in the lineup soon. Lincoln doesn't have any Negroes this year on any athletic team and neither does Roosevelt. East high once again has a whole flock of good material. Kenneth Terrell at Half, William Bell at guard, Dick Atkins at half and by the way, he is also one of the state's best sprinters. Bob Trumbo, fullback, W. Fields, and G. Sanders plus some others who according to the principal could raise their scholastic record and maybe help out a lot.

North High has a large squad of Negro boys out for football as usual, but the girls, not to be outdone, have also engaged in various sports. On

## HEALTH FOR ALL

### Controlling Asthma

Asthma is a disease of the bronchial tubes, marked by difficult breathing or shortness of breath. The average case is mild, but repeated attacks may damage lung tissues permanently and place great strain on the heart. Everyone with this illness should get medical advice early and follow it faithfully.

There are several illnesses which cause wheezy, difficult breathing, so it is important, first, to have an accurate diagnosis by a doctor. Second, the patient must give the doctor every chance to find out the true cause of the asthma. There are many possibilities. About 75 per cent of cases are due to some form of allergy. This is a special sensitivity to one or more substances that enter the body from the outside, or to conditions and substances inside the body. A doctor may have to make dozens of tests before he finds out what is causing the illness. He may need the help and cooperation of the patient as a "medical detective."

Most cases of asthma can be treated successfully once the cause has been determined. Avoiding the allergy-producing substance is the first and most effective treatment. Sometimes this may be fairly simple, as in the case of hypersensitivity to certain foods, feathers, fur, animal danders, face powder, etc.

Allergies related to bacterial infections, such as colds or sinusitis, may cause asthma. In such instances the asthma is only cured after removal or improvement of the infection. Occasionally asthma may be improved by a change of climate. However, it is by no means necessary—and it may be foolish—for all

I forgot this supposed to be about football. The squad consists of George Nichols, Carol Jackson, Conrad Jones, John Jones, Reggie Kaiser, Ronald Miller, Harold Lewis, Al Sheppard, Jr., Tom Wallace, Gilmore Allen, Bob Ewing, and Finnis Billingsley. Enough for a football team without any help.

I don't have to tell you, if you follow the daily papers you'll know they are all doing very well. Ok Allen Ashby, that was it, for now. Fulfilled my promise and how about those other sports.

Tennis held the spotlight for a few days as our girls and women singles champion, Cleota Proctor, now playing in the second position on North High team, battled in the city school tournament. Her first victim was a girl from Lincoln. Next she knocked off a girl from overflowing capacity (well almost) for the homecoming struggle with Indiana.

Tunnell grabbed the first of his three touchdown passes. Wild screams and people jumped up and slapped each other on the back. This was excusable for the guy made a swell catch.

Talferro got away on his long run. That brought a lot of comment that we don't care to repeat. The game wore on with Tunnell making history so far as we were concerned, being the first Iowa grizzer we ever saw to catch three touchdown passes in one game.

In our humble estimation, Iowa was up. The line was improved but

asthma patients to have a change of climate. Some allergies may necessitate a change of job.

Many allergies which cause asthma are due to things which cannot be avoided, such as dust and pollen in the air. In such cases, the doctor tries to hyposensitize the patient. Beginning with injection of a weak dilution of an extract of the substance to which the patient is allergic, the doctor gradually increases the strength of the dose until the patient is less sensitive, what is exposed to the substance and no longer reacts in an allergic manner. Doctors are still doing research with these so-called allergens and are learning more every day about them.

People who diagnose and treat themselves run great risks of unnecessary illness and possible permanent harm. Most people with asthma can lead comfortable, useful lives if they will rely upon the doctor. He can show the patient how to avoid most attacks and how to relieve the occasional one that might come on. Asthma is too serious to leave to the advice of friends and relatives or to home remedies or any medicine not prescribed by the doctor who knows the case.

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made some of the same mistakes they made against Illinois but the mistakes didn't cost because the Indiana line was not Illinois.

Estes was still Iowa's best defensive back. Tunnell played one of the greatest games of his career. Talferro was all critics said he was—big, fast and smart. His passing wasn't all that we looked for, but good enough. Mel Groomes who looks as if a good hard tackle would break him in two is a fine defensive back.

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### Mildred Ewing Writes About New Job and Beauty of Minneapolis

"I have started my new job," wrote Mildred Ewing recently from Minneapolis, Minn., where she moved with her husband, Curtis, who is attending school there.

"I like it much better than the first division I was in—Old Age Assistance. I am now in the Aid to Dependent Children. There is a difference in my classification now, we were eight girls besides Mildred hired only on an emergency basis as stenographers until the work was caught up. As there are five girls on the register awaiting permanent positions as stenographers, I will have to wait my turn. As yet they have no vacancies.

"At present I am working as a typist (\$5.00 difference in pay—wages are very high) but the workers have promised to give me some dictation, which they have done already. It is really to my advantage so I requested it. I don't want to get 'rusty,' so when a position is available, I will qualify.

Work Interesting  
The work is very interesting, working conditions good, sick leave, vacation leave, personal leave and leave for anything—if we have legitimate reason, I like the atmosphere in this division, also—if you know what I mean. There were several persons in OAA who more or less resented me. It bothered me a little, however, I have worked around them so much that I soon got over it. I know it wasn't my imagination because I have worked around them too long to be mistaken. I can smell the bad eggs' pronto! There are always a few.

"As yet, we haven't found a place to live, but I haven't given up. At the present, we have two prospective apartments in view. I am hoping and praying that one will come through by Oct. 15; I refuse to get too over-

joyed because I have been disappointed many times for one reason or another—rent unreasonable, bad environment, too many rooms (five or six usually unfurnished). We want a three or four-room kitchenette apartment, furnished or unfurnished preferably the latter.

### Beautiful City

"Minneapolis is a beautiful city—lakes, parks, all types of recreation, expensive and inexpensive. We certainly enjoyed swimming in the lakes this summer. There is always something to do. They also have a few night clubs; however, we don't go cabaretting very often. In fact we have been only once. However, we enjoy ourselves going to the paddle parlor (table tennis), picnics (too cold now), spend considerable time in the libraries, movies, my learning

to drive, riding in our car. We are going to start skating soon. We bought fishing licenses but have never been as yet; also, we visit friends and are learning to play bridge.

"It certainly is good to be receiving the Bystander—I should have subscribed a long time ago" (Mildred Ewing, 305 Lyndale, No. Minneapolis, Minn.)

### MRS. S. L. SHEETS ENJOYS READING PAPER

"I must say I really watch for my paper as I really enjoy reading about home and their activities," wrote Mrs. S. L. Sheets from Seattle, Wash., on Sept. 20. She is a former resident of Des Moines.

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