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PRIEST LEADS FIGHT TO END NEGRO BAN IN BOWLING CONGRESS

Detroit, Mich.—The American Bowling Congress has voted down a request of the Brooklyn Catholic Youth Organization that the ABC constitution be amended to extend membership to all races without discrimination.

The request was presented to the national executive board of the ABC in Detroit last week by Fr. Charles T. Carow, Catholic priest of the Diocese of Brooklyn, who is an executive director of the New York Bowling Association. Others on the special committee with Father Carow, in presenting the request were Mayor Hubert H. Humphrey of Minneapolis, chairman of the National Committee for Fair Play in Bowling, and Walter Reuther, president of the CIO United Auto Workers.

Father Carow had sent a similar proposal last year to the ABC's annual meeting in Los Angeles, but then it was likewise voted down. This year's amendment was defeated by a vote after the Bowling Congress executive board recommended rejection to the delegates.

MINE HAZARDS GIVE NEGROES JOB, PAY EQUALITY

Chicago.—Negroes enjoy more equality in pay and work in coal mining than in any other industry, a June Ebony photo-story declares, "but only because the grueling, dirty and dangerous work is generally looked down on by the public in general and therefore attracts few white workers."

Even in prejudice-bound Dixie, the Ebony feature states "the Negro miner labors side by side with other races in the underground darkness and approaches white wage levels."

Mine wages are among the highest among industrial workers, \$65 weekly average. Of 400,000 men underground, 74 per cent are Negro. Fatalities in accidents for 1946 were 1,165.

DILETTANTE CLUB TO OBSERVE MUSIC WEEK SUNDAY AT TEA

The annual music week observance of the Dilettante club will be Sunday, May 16, from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. at Willkie House. Ernest (Speck) Redd will be the speaker on "Art of Listening to Modern Music." Tea will be served. The public is invited to attend.

THOMAS 'FATS' WALLER NATIONAL MEMORIAL WEEK OF MUSIC MAY 16-23

Radio City, N. Y.—3,019 disc jockeys representing all of the nation's 1,063 network affiliated and independent radio stations, have combined to pay tribute to the memory of the late 'Fats' Waller, America's brilliant pianist, composer, comedian, during the week of May 16 through 23 designated as Thomas 'Fats' Waller National Memorial Week of Music.

The record-spinning personalities, each will feature a special fifteen minute program of 'Fats' Waller recorded music, daily for eight consecutive days commencing May 16. An unprecedented total of 24,152 quarter hour broadcasts featuring Waller tunes and eulogistic comment will be heard by countless millions of radio listeners throughout the United States and Canada, exceeding by nearly 2,500 hours, a similar tribute.

ROYAL DUKES TAKE OUT NAACP MEMBERSHIPS 100 PERCENT



Among the many organizations in the city that are supporting the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People's annual membership drive this month is the Royal Duke club of men who took out 100 percent membership at a meeting of the club this week. The Des Moines branch, headed by Atty. Luther Glanton, Jr., is out to add 2,500 members to the NAACP.

rolls from the city. Chairman of the membership drive is F. O. Morrow, Sr. Report meetings are held every Monday night.

In the picture, Roosevelt (Buddy) Carter, one of the workers in the division of the drive which is headed by A. P. Trotter, is writing up memberships.

In the photo (left to right seated): Charles Holmes, president; Bert

Parker, treasurer; Joe Green, entertainment committee chairman; Harold Brown, Sergeant-at-arms; Thomas Avant, Jr., secretary; R. C. Carter. Standing—(left to right): L. Fowler, Jr., William Bailey, Luther Wells, Herbert Green, Harold Bryson, Murray Wolder, Alfred Rhodes, Edgar Cranshaw. Not in the picture are: Floyd Madison, Beth Dy-sart, Elton Cooper, Sam Bell, Harold Reynolds. (Bill Ashby Photo).

Young Artists in Concert Sunday at St. Paul Church

The Young Artists Ensemble will be presented in a concert Sunday night, May 16, at the St. Paul AME church, sponsored by the Monogram club of the church.

Solo and group numbers will be given by the following musicians: Mrs. Alberta Bates Williams, mezzo-soprano; Miss Mary Rose Westbrook, and Arthur Bryant, Drake University, music students; Miss Laurene Jones, contralto; and Edward Bayles, baritone.

The concert is free to the public. p.m. at Willkie House. Ernest (Speck) Redd will be the speaker on "Art of Listening to Modern Music." Tea will be served. The public is invited to attend.

JUDGE HERMAN E. MOORE NOMINATED FOR ANOTHER TERM

Washington, D. C., (NNPA)—The Senate last Wednesday confirmed the nomination of Judge Herman E. Moore, of Chicago, to be judge of the United States District Court for the Virgin Islands for another term of four years. Judge Moore has held the post since 1939.

Speaking in support of the nomination, Senator Scott W. Lucas, Democrat, of Illinois, said he was "happy to pay tribute to a judge whose strong convictions and belief in our American institutions and the orderly enforcement of the law make him a distinguished ornament to the Federal bench."

Cliff Mackay, Formerly of Iowa, Writes of Editors' Tour of Germany, Austria

By CLIFF MACKAY
Managing Editor, Afro-American Newspapers
(This is the second of seven articles by the editors and publishers who recently toured Germany and Austria at the invitation of the Secretary of the Army. Clifford Mackay is a former Des Moines resident).

Frankfurt, Germany.—The high command in Europe are agreed that the best way to teach democracy to the Germans is by the example set by our occupation forces, but fail to see that a segregated army is defeating the very thing they're trying to achieve.

That is the impression this writer got following a press conference Monday in the impressive EUCOM (European Command) Headquarters building with top military government and Army officials.

Lt. General Clarence H. Huebner, deputy commander-in-chief of the European Command, who appears to be sincerely interested in improving the lot of colored soldiers, indicates that he saw nothing contradictory in our teaching democracy to former Nazis while failing to practice it ourselves.

Although he did not state it in so many words, he did express his belief that the German people were gradually learning the democratic way of life under a program which with but few exceptions, calls for rigid racial segregation of the armed forces which are doing the teaching.

Press Conference

The press conference, which was followed by a dinner attended by Gen. Huebner and other officers, was held in the high ceilinged velvet drapery-lined conference room of the headquarters building.

How the sprawling building covering some 25 acres managed to escape bombing is one of the mysteries of World War II.

Some express the belief that it was spared while destruction was rained all around because it housed the gigantic I. G. Farben Chemical combine.

One of the world's largest monopolies, the Farben Co. held trade agreements with many large American and British corporations. Many American bankers also owned stock

75 Candidates Seek Bishops' Seats at AME Quadrennial

Kansas City, Kas.—The election of new bishops by the AME General conference, scheduled to begin May 11, was delayed for at least a day or more by the confusion and controversies which developed in the early days of the conference.

Seventy-five or more candidates for the bishopric are flooding the conference headquarters with literature bearing their pictures and qualifications.

Delegates voted Monday, May 19, to move all bishops from the Episcopal districts which they served during the last quadrennium, thus settling a controversy which has kept the conference in an uproar for several days.

Ingram Appeal Is Docketed on June Court Calendar

Atlanta, (NNPA)—An appeal in the case of Mrs. Rosa Lee Ingram, tenant farmer convicted with her two sons of murdering John E. Stratford in Schley County last November, was docketed by the Georgia Supreme Court last Monday for hearing on its calendar beginning June 14.

Meanwhile, members of the Georgia Wallace-for-President Committee held a committee meeting under the chairmanship of William E. Stafford to work out plans for the Ingrams' release.

Resigns From YMCA



ARNOLD C. BANNISTER

The resignation of Arnold C. Bannister, Jr., as executive secretary of the Crocker Street branch of the YMCA was announced May 7 by Robert W. Lindberg, executive secretary of the YMCA in Des Moines. The resignation will be effective June 1.

Bannister, who has held the position two years, is resigning because of health, Lindberg said.

VETS MAKING BUDDY POPPIES



Patients in the U. S. Veterans hospital at Tuskegee, Ala., are making Buddy Poppies for the annual national sale to be conducted by the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Saturday, May 22, prior to Memorial Day. The entire proceeds are used for welfare and relief work including an allotment to the VEW National Home for Widows and Orphans of Ex-Service men.

Blow to Segregation in Housing; Opens Up Fight Against Jimcrow Education

New York.—The role of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in establishing the unenforceability of racially restrictive real estate covenants was hailed last week by distinguished leaders throughout the nation, some of whom sent in contributions to the Association's legal defense and educational fund along with their words of congratulations.

The unanimous decision of the six participating justices of the Supreme Court handed down on May 3 by Chief Justice Fred M. Vinson held that agreements among property owners not to sell or rent to Negroes or members of other minorities were not enforceable by state or federal courts. This decision culminated a 31-year fight by the NAACP against restrictive legislation and court action designed to keep members of minority racial groups from owning property or living in certain districts.

Cooperation

Appraising this victory, Thurgood Marshall, NAACP special counsel, said: "We must bear in mind that presentation of these cases was made possible only through the cooperation of lawyers of all races throughout the country and specialists in the fields of sociology, economics and housing who cooperated to the fullest in freely giving their time and talent."

"Their cooperation was supplemented by the unprecedented intervention of the United States At-

torney General and Solicitor General who, together with private agencies, filed valuable briefs amicus curiae supporting our position and giving to the Court the broadest possible base for consideration of these cases. We had also the support of the Negro press; the church and other institutions.

Blow to Segregation

"This blow to racial segregation in the field of housing," the NAACP counsel continued, "opens up the pending fight against segregation in education which fight must be carried on with renewed vigor as well as the continuing drive to eliminate segregation from all phases of American life."

The General Board of the CME Church, in session in Dayton, Ohio, wired its congratulations and affirmed the readiness of the board and the church membership "to aid the NAACP in its battle for full, unfettered, first-class citizenship for Negroes," adding that the church "can be depended upon to do its full share."

In his wire of congratulations to Walter White, secretary, and Mr. Marshall, Ira F. Lewis, president of the Pittsburgh Courier warned: "Instead of celebrating such victories the fact should be brought home to us that there is much work yet to be done and we still need the teamwork for action supported by intelligent direction and our contribution. The future cooperation of all our

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CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY ANNOUNCES NON-DISCRIMINATION SCHOLARSHIPS

St. Louis, Mo.—Three fulltime scholarships to the St. Louis University School of Law, made possible by funds refused Washington University because of the latter institution's Jim-Crow policy, were announced last week by the Dean of the St. Louis U. Law School.

St. Louis University is conducted under Catholic auspices by the Jesuit Fathers. The announcement stated that awards would be made without discrimination in selection of students to be assisted nor in granting of assistance because of race, religion, color, place of origin, nationality or sex.

The scholarships were established by the Emil S. Strauss Fund of the Flora S. Frank estate and the Mary F. Culnana Scholarship Fund. Washington University could not accept the fund last year because of the non-discriminatory clause.

Methodists in Boston Vote To Include Negro Member On Important Council

Boston, (NNPA)—The quadrennial general conference of the Methodist Church last Tuesday voted unanimously for the first time in its history to make it mandatory to include a colored member on the church's important Judicial Council.

The conference vote came on a recommendation of the Committee on Judicial Administration, the chairman of which was the Rev. Dr. George W. Watter, pastor of the First Methodist Church, San Diego, California.

Before the vote was taken Chester A. Smith, of Peekskill, New York, told the delegates that although colored persons had often been nominated to the council they had never received enough votes for election.

"Now," he added, "to make our conference democratic and truly Christian, we must make it a requirement that a Negro be elected to such a high office."

The Judicial Council, consisting of five clergymen and four lay members, all lawyers, is compared by church leaders with the Supreme Court. Their work is the interpretation of church law.

J. Ernest Wilkins, an attorney, of Chicago, last Friday was elected as the new member of the council. He was elected on the first ballot, receiving 373 votes of 800 delegates.

MRS. E. T. SCALES TO KANSAS CITY

Mrs. E. T. Scales left the city Wednesday morning for Kansas City, Mo., called there by the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Booker Moore.

ON NEW SHOW OVER KSO DAILY

Dora Mackay, song stylist, sings and plays daily except Saturday and Sunday over radio station KSO, on a new fifteen-minute program, at 12.30 p.m. Glen Goodwin is her new announcer. Her former program which was made up of her songs and popular request recordings, was heard over KSO at 4.30 p.m. for six months. The recordings are absent in the new program. Well known in the entertainment circles of Des Moines, Miss Mackay who resides at 1022 13th street, is also a beauty shop operator.

MRS. MILLIE ESTELL, 98 HOME AFTER LEG AMPUTATION Mrs. Millie Estell, 98, one of the oldest persons to undergo a leg amputation at Broadlawn hospital and return home after it, is reported to be doing nicely. She is at home with her daughter, Mrs. Jessie Newsum at 1315 Laurel street.

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FT. DODGE, IOWA

GLORIA PATTERSON Reporter Fort Dodge, Ia.—Mrs. Sam Hayes, surprised the Seeds of Kindness club of the Second Baptist church on her birthday with a party April 29. The centerpiece was a white-frosted cake that was decorated with chicken designs. Mrs. Hayes received gifts. Acting as hostesses were Mrs. Annel Banks, Miss Gloria Patterson, Miss Leanna Howard and Miss Jeannette Patterson. The Mother's Day program was held May 9 at Coplin Chapel AME church. Miss Gloria Patterson presented the program which consisted of songs and recitations by the children. Treats were given to all the mothers present.

LEAGUE PRESENTS REDD, WEERTZ, AND SHULTZ ON MUSICAL PROGRAM

Speck (Ernest) Redd, Louie Weertz, and Robert Shultz of the Drake piano department, will present a variety musical program at 8 p.m., Sunday, May 16, at Plymouth Congregational church gymnasium. The program is sponsored by the Fellowship League. The fellowship league is an interracial and interreligious organization based on the principle of achieving greater understanding between different races and religious by working together in a common goal. Admission is free and everybody is invited.

Because St. Paul A.M.E. church is one of the many churches which has coordinated its young peoples group into the organization, the Ethical Cultural club will not meet Sunday, May 16, at 5 p.m., as usual, but all members are asked to attend the league meeting.

ORLABOR, IOWA Orlabor, Ia.—Mrs. Harry McQueen enjoyed Mother's Day dinner with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Moore, her adopted daughter, Mrs. Albert Bruce and Mr. Bruce and Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Mays, Rev. G. A. Kindred of Des Moines, and a number of friends. Many gifts were received.

No. 2 club of Mt. Zion had the cooperation of many at their social on May 4. Rev. L. G. Garrett, pastor of the First Baptist church, West Des Moines, will preach and his choir will sing for the No. 2 club on June 6 at 3 p.m. Rev. A. L. Crawford, pastor of St. John Baptist church, preached for the Mt. Zion Missionary circle last Sunday afternoon.

stock of any class or any security convertible into shares of any class rating prior to or on a parity with preferred stock in respect to dividends or upon dissolution or wind-up of the Corporation, or amend, alter or repeal any of the terms or provisions of the Articles of Incorporation as amended in each instance, as to effect adversely the rights of holders of the preferred stock, nor voluntarily dissolve, liquidate or wind up its affairs, or sell, lease, exchange or otherwise dispose of all or substantially all of its assets, or merge or consolidate with or into any other corporation or corporation.

Notice is further given that the president and secretary are authorized to execute the said Amendment and to file the same with the State of Iowa. Dated this 19th day of April, 1948. SCHROEDER'S HARDWARE AND DRY GOODS COMPANY, INC. By Hazel D. Schroeder, President Ven C. Schroeder, Secretary Printed and published in the Iowa Bystander April 22, 29, May 6 and 13, 1948.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION STALCO MANUFACTURING CORP. Notice is hereby given that a corporation has been formed under the provisions of Chapter 497 of the 1946 Code of Iowa, and the name of the business in Des Moines, Iowa, is STALCO MANUFACTURING CORP. The corporation commenced business on the 29th day of March 1948 and has a corporate life of twenty (20) years with right of renewal as provided by law. The corporation may be dissolved at any time upon an affirmative vote of the stockholders at that time issued and outstanding, at any regular or special meeting of the stockholders.

The general nature of the business is the manufacture, fabrication, assembly and sale of wholesale and retail of all kinds of metal products or materials and of other similar products and materials of every kind and character, and to act as a jobber or manufacturer representative of any and every business, firm, corporation and individual and everything necessary, suitable and proper to the accomplishment of the business and furtherance of any of the powers granted and to have and to exercise all the rights and powers granted to corporations for pecuniary purposes under the laws of the state of Iowa. The Corporation has the power to loan and invest monies upon security or upon real or personal property, to issue, purchase and sell debentures, notes, bonds or other securities, to acquire, lease, purchase, sell, lease, mortgage, pledge or otherwise acquire and dispose of all kinds of real and personal property, to issue, notes, bonds or other securities, to acquire, lease, purchase, sell, lease, mortgage, pledge or otherwise acquire and dispose of all kinds of real and personal property, to acquire, lease, purchase, sell, lease, mortgage, pledge or otherwise acquire and dispose of all kinds of real and personal property, to acquire, lease, purchase, sell, lease, mortgage, pledge or otherwise acquire and dispose of all kinds of real and personal property.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF WEDDING CONSTRUCTION CO., INC. Public notice is hereby given that Darrell E. Wedding has formed a body corporate under and by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 497 and Chapter 493 of the 1946 Code of Iowa and has adopted the Articles of Incorporation which are as follows: 1. The name of this corporation is Wedding Construction Co., Inc., and the principal place of business is in Des Moines, Iowa. 2. The object and purposes of the corporation are as follows: To do all and any kind of building and construction work in Des Moines, Iowa, and elsewhere, and to do all and any kind of business necessary or incidental to these purposes. 3. The object and purposes of the corporation are as follows: To do all and any kind of building and construction work in Des Moines, Iowa, and elsewhere, and to do all and any kind of business necessary or incidental to these purposes.

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DEMOCRACY IN JOBS IN DES MOINES

Seek Employment POSITIONS An opportunity to file applications for a Civil Service (career) appointment in the Federal Service was announced by the secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Corps of Engineers, 1709 Jackson Street, Omaha 2, Nebraska. Appointments will be made to the following positions: core drill superintendent, \$1,411 to 1,731 per hour; core drill operator, \$1,241 to 1,551 per hour; drill rig operator, \$1,091 to \$1,331 per hour; core drill operator, junior, \$0,931 to \$1,241 per hour; core drill operator, helper, \$0,861 to \$1,181 per hour. Applications will be received by the Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Corps of Engineers, 1709 Jackson Street, Omaha 2, Nebraska, until the close of business on May 17, 1948.

LABORERS The United States Civil Service Commission announced that applications for probational (career) appointment to the position of laborer will be accepted at the Office of the Director, Eighth U. S. Service Region, Post Office and Customhouse Building, Saint Paul 1, Minnesota, until further notice. Vacancies exist in various Federal agencies in and around Des Moines, Iowa. The salary for the position ranges from \$1,690 to \$1,822 per annum. Full information and application blanks may be obtained from the Civil Service Secretary, at any first or second-class post office, or from the Eighth U. S. Civil Service Regional Office, Post Office and Customhouse Building, Saint Paul 1, Minnesota.

MISS EVELYN MURRAY One of the January North High school graduates who is having a lot of fun working in a photographic studio is Miss Evelyn Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Murray of 1316 Maine street. Miss Murray is learning how to develop pictures, and likes best of all the days of pictures that have been printed because she gets to see the photos of so many people, she said. She began her work last month at the Wright Ken Studio located at 1305 Forty-sixth street. Miss Murray said her work is not

only interesting but her employers are "swell people." She attends the Maple Street Baptist church and is a member of the NAACP. About further education, Miss Murray is not certain. She received her job through a girl friend who is also employed at the studio.

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SOCIAL ART CLUB TO MEET MAY 20 WITH MRS. SARAH KENDRED The Social Art Club met May 4 at the home of Mrs. Virginia Smith, 1556 Maple street with the president, Mrs. Mary Haraway presiding, Mrs. Fannie Duford had as guest, Mrs. Virginia Miller of Keyesville, Mo., her sister. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Sarah Kendred, 1526 Walker street on May 20. A potluck will be served.

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MRS. CORA SHANKS HONORED AT MOTHER'S DAY DINNER



Mrs. Cora Shanks, 1309 DeWolf street, was guest of honor at a Mother's Day dinner given by her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Dysart at their home at 1305 DeWolf street, May 9.

Attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Hunley, and children, Gonzell; Hobart Jr., and Joana, all of Milwaukee, Wis., Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hunley and three children, Barbara, Virginia Wrae and James; Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Andrews and Mr. Thomas Rateigh who celebrated his 75th birthday anniversary May 10.

FIRST CME CHURCH NEWS OF WEEK

The Rev. L. L. Barnes, pastor of First CME church, will preach on the subject of "Witnessing of Christ," at 11 a.m. Sunday, May 16. The Sunday school will meet at 9:45 a.m. with Miss Juanita Murray as superintendent. The union services of the southeast side churches will be at First CME church Sunday night with the Rev. C. A. Record, pastor of Shiloh Baptist, preaching. The union choir will sing. Mrs. Lucille Barnes will preside at the

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES OF WEEK

Mother's day activities were carried out in the Sunday School. Mrs. Grace Taylor was a visitor. Miss Gloria Brown recited a poem, "What Mother Means to Me." The auditorium overflowed at 11 o'clock when Rev. George W. Robison, pastor, preached a Mother's Day sermon. Appropriate songs were sung by the choir and Rev. Albert Fox. Mrs. Lola Reeves presided at the program Sunday evening. Mr. Seymour Gaines delivered his first sermon at the Wednesday evening prayer service.

The Y.W.A. met at the home of Mrs. Mildred Otis, 1127 13th street. Refreshments were served. The club motored to Mrs. Rosa Woods home to present her with a token of love. Mrs. Woods is the organizer and mother of the Y.W.A. The Y.W.A. chorus will meet at the home of Mrs. Doris Davis, 1047 W. 12th street, 8 p.m. Thursday. Mrs. Mary

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FIRST C.M.E. CHURCH 5 E. 26th and Quincy streets, Rev. L. L. Barnes, pastor, address, 732 S.E. 26th street. Phone 62-0407. Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. Morning service at 11 a.m. Evening service at 7 p.m. Epworth League 6 p.m.

NINTH STREET CHRISTIAN CHURCH 1026 Ninth street, Rev. W. H. Brown, 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 10.1 East 17th and University, pastor, Elder F. T. Taylor, 1419 Buchanan street, telephone 6-7352. Sunday School 10:30. Morning Service 1:00. Y. P. W. 6:30 p.m. Bible Band Tuesday night 7:30. 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 Sunday at 8:00. Pastor—Elder F. T. Taylor, Asst. Pastor—Elder R. Bogie, Church Mother—Effie Bogie.

BETHEL AME CHURCH 15th and East University, Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning worship 10:45 o'clock. Youth Council 5:30 p.m. Evening worship 7 p.m. Rev. E. P. Williams is minister.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Ninth and Maple streets, West Des Moines, Rev. L. G. Garrett, pastor. Order of services: Sunday School, 9:45 A. M. of services: Sunday School, 9:45 A. M. Morning worship, 11 A. M. Baptist Training Union (B.T.U.), 6:30 P. M. Prayer Meeting Wednesday night.

BROWN CHAPEL AME ZION 1448 Walker Street, Rev. A. M. Mitchell, pastor. Order of Services: Sunday School, 9:45 A. M. Morning worship, 11 A. M. Evening worship, 7:30 P. M. Everyone is welcome.

conference in Kansas City, Kansas, until Saturday. Next Wednesday in Mason City Rev. Tunstall will be an instructor at the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Kansas City District.

ST. PAUL AME CHURCH NOTES In the absence of the pastor, who is visiting the general conference now in session in Kansas City, Kansas, Sunday service was in charge of Rev. Felix Dickerson, local deacon, who brought a message on "Mother's Day". The Junior choir sang splendid music including a new anthem, with the able accompaniment of Mrs. Doris Bennett Davis, who has herself become a mother since she last played for them. A good-sized audience was in attendance. Among the out-of-town visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Morris of Minneapolis, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hutton and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson and Mr. Chas. H. Coleman of Boone, Iowa.

Because of the absence from the city of Lawrence Howard, the president, the Ethical Cultural club held no meeting but at seven o'clock Mrs. Elmoda Ellis, evangelist, brought a message on "communing with God." The Junior chorus again furnished the music, this time accompanied by Miss Donna Lou Carr, a member of the soprano section and under the direction of Mrs. Gerald Hayes, adult advisor.

DE-LUX CLUB MEETS The De-Lux club met May 13 with Mrs. Delores Bailey. The next meeting will be May 20.

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

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH Ninth and School Streets, Rev. G. W. Robinson, pastor; Sunday school, 9:45 o'clock; Morning Service, 11:00. P. M.; Evening Service, 7:00. Mid-Week Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7:00 P. M.

KYLES AME CHURCH Southeast 15th and Shaw, B. F. Blanks, pastor, 701 Southeast 15th. Order of services: Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Morning worship, 11 o'clock; Ver-... C. E. Society, 7 p.m. Evening Worship, 7:45 o'clock. Mid-week prayer Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST Mrs. M. J. Cranshaw, pastor; 806 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.

THE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST Tenth and Crocker Streets, Rev. B. G. Carter, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:30; Morning Service, 12:00; Y.P.W. 6:30; Women's Bible Band, Tuesday Night 8:00. Bible Class Thursday Night 8:00.

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FIRST CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST CENTREVILLE, IOWA Elder George Ward, Pastor. Sunday School 1:00 p.m. Afternoon Service 2:00 p.m. Evening Service 8:00 p.m. All are welcome. 717 Wilson street.

COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST Mother's Day was observed at a program Sunday afternoon by the children. Two babies were blessed with their God Mothers. They were Jerry Fanzo Cooper, 16 months, son of Mrs. D. Cooper with Mrs. Dora Ramsey, God mother; and Marsha Lynn Davis, 4-week-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Davis with Mrs. Essie Swindell as God mother. Visitors were Mrs. Tessie Parks, Mrs. Bessie Guinri, Mr. V. C. Dobson, Mrs. Julia Smith, Mr. Arthur Bush, Blanche Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. I. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. John Frazier and Mr. and Mrs. Euclie Fountain.

BURNS METHODIST CHURCH NEWS Last Sunday in observance of Mother's Day the youth fellowship furnished the program. Mrs. J. E. Tunstall was the speaker. Mr. Arthur Owens sang and Miss Nancy Smith gave history of Mother's Day. Mrs. V. V. Cropp and Mrs. G. Nichols received plants for being mothers to the church. The Rev. H. H. Adams, former member of the Central West conference, and now an evangelist will give the sermon next Sunday morning.

Rev. J. E. Tunstall and the men's chorus furnished the program at Rev. Garrett's anniversary Wednesday night. Thursday, Rev. Tunstall and family left to attend the AME

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SAY VOWS IN PRETTY CHURCH WEDDING



MR. AND MRS. PREZEL FRAZIER

In a pretty May day afternoon ceremony at 2:30 o'clock Sunday, May 2, Miss Edna Frances Thomas, daughter of Mrs. Girtha E. Thomas of 1342 East Ovid, became the bride of Mr. Prezel Frazier, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Frazier of 1342 Sampson street.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. George Parish in the auditorium of the Maple Street Baptist church which was filled with friends and relatives. The altar was decorated with ferns, tulips, carnations, snap dragons and candelabra.

Nuptial music was played by Mr. Ernest (Speck) Redd whose piano solo was "Without a Song". At the organ Mrs. Izora Dudley played a wedding march.

On the arm of her brother, Mr. Paul Thomas, who gave her in marriage, the bride was a picture of

loveliness. Her white satin gown had a full skirt, a court train and elbow-length gloves matched. A finger-tip veil of illusion net was attached to a wreath of orange blossoms. A string of crystal beads adorned the bride's neck and she carried a bouquet of red roses, white pees and lillies of the valley. Her slippers were of silver.

Mrs. H. E. Lighon, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a gown of aqua organza with a matching bow in her hair. Her bouquet was of pink carnations. Bridesmaids were the Misses Helen Clark of Youngstown, Ohio and Harriet Walden. Both wore gowns of yellow with satin hair bows to match. They carried bouquets of jonquils and sweet peas.

Mrs. Seymour Gray was best man and Messrs. Curley Gaines, Wood-

row Lewis and Grant Thomas were ushers.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the dining hall of the church where Mesdames William Duncan, Curley Gaines, Adolph Johnson, Paul Thomas, Vernita Cardwell were hostesses.

The bride's table was decorated profusely with flowers. A three-tier wedding cake held the attraction. Attendants of the couple were entertained later at the home of the newlyweds, at 1255 East Twenty-first street. Miss Helen Clark, who was house guest of the couple, left the city this week for her home in Youngstown.

Among the nuptial affairs was a party for the bridesmaids and matron, given by Mrs. Isreal Smith, 920 Tenth street, aunt of the bride. (Photos by M. Ross).

A fair-sized audience, a large number of which was white spectators, assembled at Hoyt Sherman place on last Thursday night for the Shrine Minstrels.

Though the minstrels were staged for the first time by the fraternal organization, a number of the main participants, were well known to minstrel goers for their past-comical performances with the Monarch men's social club which sponsored minstrel shows until recently.

One of the Shrine officers in commenting upon spectators pointed out that the attendance by Negroes was smaller than expected. The high cost of living, the cab strike, the many civic campaigns and religious rallies that take money were mentioned as some of the reasons why "we" did not turn out in much larger numbers.

Another reason which was not mentioned could be added—for some persons who did not attend, expressed opinions of their disfavor of minstrel shows.

Most of the persons who attended said they had a "lot of fun"—laughed until their sides nearly split, enjoyed "best of all" the songs, the jokes on "Grandma, St. Peter, Heaven and the Pearly Gates."

Other spectators said they roared at the "typical" deacon and pastor barnyard thefts and the men garbed as women who put on a "shouting, good-church meeting" as the parson expounded and moaned over sins and then gulled out his gun and broke up the meeting shooting at the deacon who accused him of stealing the funds. There was much ro-l-augh at

YWCA

May 16 through 22

Monday, 5:30 p.m. Keep-fit class. 6:45 p.m. Basketball practice. 8 p.m. Calico club committee meeting. 8 p.m. Cosmopolitan club's discussion on presidential aspirants.

Tuesday, 6:45 p.m. Hostess Training club will leave Y for Veterans hospital. 7:30 p.m. Board meeting. 7:30 p.m. Tech Y-teens. 7:30 p.m. East High Y-teens. 7:45 p.m. Conversation group will meet at home of Mrs. Fred Hoskins. 8 p.m. Y's Wives social meeting at home of Mrs. Esther Wadsworth, 1410 East 18th street.

Wednesday, 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. Nursery for children between ages of two and six. 6:15 p.m. Tri-F dinner followed with speaker, Miss Katherine Lucchini. 7 p.m. Badminton practice. 8 p.m. Dance class. 8:30 p.m. Dance club.

Thursday, 8 a.m. Callanan Y-teens. 5 p.m. Tennis instruction. 6 p.m. Tennis instruction. 7 p.m. Basketball for student nurses. 7 p.m. Mexican dinner and dance. 8 p.m. Amicitia club election of officers. 8 p.m. Coed basketball.

Friday, 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. Nurse-Book Lovers club meeting. 8 to 11 p.m. Last Calico club dance.

Saturday, 8 to 10:30 p.m. City-wide Y-teen dance. Saturday, May 22nd Camp weekend for employed men and women.

MARY CHURCH TERRELL TO MEET MAY 17

The Mary Church Terrell club met at Willkie House Monday night with Miss Jessie Walker as hostess. Donald Smith, an Eagle scout and radio broadcaster gave a talk on the field of radio in which he is engaged.

The next meeting will be Monday, May 17, at Willkie House. Mrs. Jessye Bell Davis will be hostess.

ELEGANT EIGHT BRIDGE CLUB HAS WINNERS

The Elegant Eight Bridge club met May 5 at the home of Mrs. Marilyn Freeman, 1054 12th street. Mrs. Dorothy Madison and Mrs. Naomi Flynn were guests. Prizes were won by: Mrs. Felice Rhodes, first; Mrs. Gladys Childs, second; Mrs. Delores Bailey, third.

MRS. VIRGINIA MARTIN ENTERTAINS GUILD AT MAY BREAKFAST

Mrs. Virginia Martin, 1305 Ascension, entertained the St. Paul A.M.E. Sewing guild at a May breakfast on Thursday, May 6. Mrs. Sarah Ward is president of the guild; Mrs. Robert Dacus is secretary. The women spent the day in sewing.

His big dictionaries gave as the meaning of the much discussed word:

"Minstrel—a member of a troupe of Negroes, or of white men disguised as Negroes, who give public performances—consisting of typical Negro songs, the music of various appropriate instruments, and the reciting of comical stories and jokes. Such groups were first organized in the United States about 1830 with the intention of portraying the life of the Negroes on Southern plantations; usually called Negro minstrel."

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Ans: Not immediately. After his divorce becomes final, put him on probation, so to speak, for at least three months or more. If he can prove beyond all doubt that he loves you and wants to make a home for you and his children, you might consider him again. Right now he's keyed up emotionally and wants your love and sympathy.

B.D.T.—Mother wants to get a car and she thinks I'll wreck it because I'm left handed. I have driven a tractor but have never had the opportunity to learn to drive a car. What do you think about her getting one?

Ans: A car can afford you a lot of pleasure. You can learn to drive. The fact that you are left handed doesn't make a great deal of differ-

PARLIAMENARY AND CULTURE CLUB MEETS WITH ATTY. RUSH

The Parliamentary and Culture club will meet May 14 at the home of Atty. Gertrude Rush, 1160 13th street. Mrs. Sarah E. Jett will lead the discussion on the topic, "Committees."

VISITS IN ST. LOUIS

Mrs. Sarah E. Jett spent Mother's Day in St. Louis, Mo., the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Atrell Smith, and family.

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MR. AND MRS. R. B. THOMPSON SR. HOSTS AT MOTHER'S DAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Thompson, Sr., 1213 Laurel, entertained at a Mother's Day dinner Sunday. Sharing the courtesy were: Mr. and Mrs. John Danforth, Sr., Mrs. Mary Simmons, Mrs. Evelyn Anderson and daughter, Veronica, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Thompson, Jr., and Mr. C. Henry.

MISS JEAN MORRIS SPENDS WEEK END WITH PARENTS

Miss Jean Morris of Topeka, Kas., spent the week end here the guest of her parents, Aftv. and Mrs. James B. Morris. She also attended the spring party given by the University of Iowa chapter of the Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity in Iowa City Saturday night.

MR. AND MRS. A. L. JONES HONORED AT BIRTHDAY MOTHER'S DAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jones, 718 S. E. 27th street, were honored at a birthday and Mother's Day dinner at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Alice Veasley and Mrs. Lyle Graves of 1059 W. Ninth street. Later their children, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morris and children, Mrs. Vernice Edwards and children, Mr. James Wood, Mr. Robert Ewing gathered. Many gifts were received by all.

MISS SADIE JONES SPENDS WEEK END HERE

Miss Sadie Jones of Chicago, Ill., spent the week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Frazier of 1342 Sampson street.

MRS. E. L. MILLER OF MISSOURI VISITS HER SISTER HERE

Mrs. E. L. Miller of Keytesville, Mo., left the city last Thursday after spending a week here the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Danforth, Sr. She was extended many social courtesies by friends here.

R. L. DANIELS HONOR MOTHERS AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Daniels Jr., of 1620 Walker street honored their mothers, Mesdames Myrtle Terrell of Chicago and Laura Darby of the city at Mother's Day dinner Sunday. Sharing the courtesy were: Mrs. Maggie Roy, Mr. S. McCann, Mr. Alanzo Warden, Brenda and Robert Daniels, Jr. Many gifts were received by the mothers.

MINNESOTANS SPEND MOTHER'S DAY HERE

Home from Minneapolis, Minn., for Mother's Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cassell, 931 23rd street, were Mr. and Mrs. Wilver A. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Philip S. Blankwell and Mrs. Charles Ballard and children, Regina, Donald and Charlene.

MRS. VERLA LEWIS OF BURLINGTON HERE

Mrs. Verla Lewis of Burlington, Ia., spent the week end here the Mother's Day guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Franklin, 927 12th street.

MRS. ELODIA JONES VISITING SON AND FAMILY

Mrs. Elodia Jones of Gary, Ind., is in the city visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Haynes, 908 Laurel street. She arrived in time for the birth of a granddaughter on Mother's Day, May 9, at Still hospital.

MRS. PARKS OF MISSOURI HERE

Mrs. Fessie Parks of Sedalia, Mo., was week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Volney Swindell of 1630 Stewart.

DR. WHITEFIELD HERE

Dr. Lawrence A. Whitefield of Chicago, Ill., spent the week end here with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. Q. Evans.

CHARLENE COX HAS THIRD BIRTHDAY

Charlene Rosilen Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Cox of 2018 Maury, celebrated her third birthday May 7. Games were played. She received many gifts. Guests were Charlene, Jerry, Raymond Parrish, Genithia Emery, Carolyn Chilton, Darby Lee Jones, Patty and Marsha Collier, Janice and Helen and Rosie May Graves.

MRS. ETHEL JEFFERS HOSTESS TO T.O.B. CLUB

Mrs. Ethel Jeffers was hostess to the T.O.B. club last Friday. After a business meeting the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Agnes Matthews

PERSONAL TOUCH



By Marie Ross

Out visiting the sick one day this week was Mrs. Gertrude North who dropped by Mercy hospital to see some of her friends and to say a cheery word to acquaintances she met.

Mrs. North reported that Mrs. Walter Benning, who suffered a stroke last week, was some better and while at the hospital Mrs. North said she talked with Undertaker John M. Estes who seemingly liked the "peace and quiet" of the hospital where he has been recovering for several weeks. She said she saw Mrs. Clarence Lewis and Mrs. Mabel Watkins who were recovering.

Mrs. A. J. Esters has had a streak of sickness in her family. Her husband, who spent several weeks in Lutheran hospital with pneumonia, returned to the hospital this week. Her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Grayson, has been recovering at the home of Mrs. Esters' sister, Mrs. Walter Benning, from an illness that sent the aged woman to the hospital. Then Mrs. Benning became ill and had to go to the hospital last week.

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THE MUDDLED LABOR SITUATION GOES ON

The labor situation is a terrible condition in America today, threatening to disrupt the free production and flow of material. Packing house workers and Chrysler Auto workers are out while railroad and telegraph unions hover around the edge of strikes and nobody seems to be able to do much about them.

We here in America, in an effort to practice a maximum free life in all avenues of endeavor, have failed to realize that there is some limit to freedom even in labor relations; that the reckless disregard for the public, which by the purchases of goods and services that labor and capital produce, make jobs and profits, should not be allowed to go on.

If men settled their legal differences as we attempt to settle labor and capital differences, untold confusion would result and a constant uproar would go on and on. But we have rules made in advance to go by, courts to interpret the law and men to enforce them.

Our industrial system is too large, too complex, too interdependent, too fit flung to continue a system of labor-management relationships which keep the country in a turmoil and in the end produce no net gain for either party.

Take the packing house strike. The unions asked an increase of 29 cents per hour; the packers offered 9 cents. The strike has gone on for eight weeks. Neither side has budged from its position with the result that meat will become more scarce, most of the men will be set back in their financial affairs, which as one worker said "it will take me two years to get even barrin' mishaps."

It would have been far better when it became evident that the two sides could not agree, that the matter be submitted to arbitration, the workers continue on the job and each side be bound by the findings of a board.

There is another angle to these strikes that hit the public below the belt and which if not stopped will lead us into untold difficulties. Increased wages mean another round of increases in prices that are already entirely too high. Invariably these prices not only gobble up the increase in wages given the employees but also force the unorganized worker to bid his dollar against the inflated dollar of the union worker. And nobody seems to have the courage to call a halt.

Much of the trouble stems from an unwillingness upon the part of politicians to deal with these situations in advance in such a manner as to settle difficulties without interruption. Certainly somebody will not like it, but far better have a few leaders and handful of men disgruntled than the rank and file of labor and the public penalized.

There is a great similarity between handling of world and labor problems today. Both are in a serious state.

THEY NEVER QUIT

Some years ago, the state of Missouri sat up a law school for Negroes in St. Louis, in an effort to comply with the decision of the U. S. Supreme Court which held that states must provide equal educational facilities to all of its citizens without regard to race or admit Negroes to the state university.

Recently 400 thousand dollars was set aside to construct a building and equip the law school in St. Louis. Sensible people have objected. They say why spend this money for a separate law school for the accommodation of a few Negro students when that same money could be spent to improve the law school at the university and admit Negroes. This argument is sound and practical.

There is now pending before Congress a resolution—it has already passed the house—permitting several states to set up a regional school for Negroes where they may receive graduate training on the same basis as that given the state universities. This is a dangerous proposition, a nullification of United States Supreme Court decisions and a precedent whereby congress recognizes and places a stamp of approval on the practice of segregation.

South states spend far less money per capita on Negro students than whites, much of which is caused by this dual system of education which made the overall picture expensive.

VETERANS WHIRL

By JAMES L. HICKS
NNPA Staff Writer

This Looks Like It
The House Armed Service Committee recently approved by a 28-5 vote the bill of Representative Walter G. Andrews, Republican of New York, calling for the peacetime draft

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MP's to, police areas where many colored men are stationed and had replaced incompetent white with colored officers at the 24th Truck Transportation Co. in Frankfurt.

Of the old school and approaching senility, Gen. Huebner revealed how he felt on the race question by quoting Booker T. Washington to the effect that the colored man works best with his hands.

He insisted that he was following the Gilem policy to the letter, but added his opinion that the colored soldier would never equal the white until he was given more education.

Set Up School
That's why, he said, he set up the school to train new recruits and illiterates at Kitzingen. Asked if any comparable school had been set up for white Southern illiterates, he answered in the negative.

"Whites," he said, "are trained in the unit to which they are assigned." He could offer no explanation as to why colored and white illiterates could not be educated in integrated schools.

Specialist schools operated by the Army in Germany are integrated, he disclosed, saying that this was in line with the Gilem policy. Such schools as Ordnance, Cooks and Bakers and Band Schools in the European Zone were attended by colored and white.

All truck companies in Europe are colored as well as the area's only engineer outfit.

Gen. Huebner expressed concern about the VD rate among colored troops, but on the other hand said the unit with the lowest rate of all in the European Command was colored.

The white VD rate is 111 out of a thousand as compared to the colored 313.

Among headquarters staff officers attending was Lt. Col. Marcus H. Ray, adviser to the European Command.

(The third article in this series is written by Carter W. Wesley, publisher of the Houston Informer. It will appear in this newspaper next week.—The editor)

FIGHT MUST CONTINUE IRA F. LEWIS WARNS

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Shad Polier, David Patogorsky and Will Maslow wired: "Congratulations on the restrictive covenant decision. We pay tribute to the NAACP for leadership in this 31-year campaign against race discrimination in housing. We hope that you will continue to blaze the trail toward full equality in a free society."

WINS RADIO
Mr. George Jackson, 781 14th street, won the radio given by the Lamposis Pledge club on May 8 in connection with a fund-raising campaign.

ting of men between the ages of 19 and 25.
No matter how you stand on the question of peacetime training, this looks like the bill under which you will eventually operate. Let's see how it's going to effect you, if and when it becomes a law.

In the first place, if you are over 30 you can rest easily for awhile. If you are 18 and not past 30, you will be required to register just as the boys registered for the Big Argument a few years ago.

Although the bill requires all men, 18- to 30- to register for the draft, the inductees will be taken from the guys who are between 19 and 25. They will be stuck for a two-year hitch when they are inducted. (Remember how that one year lasted?)

Here is a part of the bill you might like because it takes a crack at the brass: Doctors, dentists, veterinarians, pharmacists, optometrists and osteopaths (they'll all be officers) will be specially liable for the draft. They will be built up to the age of 45 and the ages that were deferred in the last war to take care of the civvies or who went to school at Government expense when the fight started will be called first. (Watch 'em how!)

HEALTH FOR ALL

USE AND ABUSE OF THE EYES
Our eyes are expected to serve us faithfully during every wakeful moment throughout our lives. Yet, we abuse our eyes probably more than we do any of the other organs of the body.

Eighty per cent of all our knowledge comes to us through our eyes. We use about a quarter of our daily output of energy in seeing. While the exacting demands made upon our eyes can be expected to take a toll, much eyestrain and many defects of vision could be avoided with a little care and common sense.

More than three-quarter of the people in the United States have defective vision. In our schools alone, one-out-of-every-five students has imperfect eyesight. Most of these cases of defective eyesight can be helped considerably if caught in time and treated properly.

It would be bad enough if the neglect of our eyes harmed those organs alone. But when any part of the eye is suffering, other parts of the body often are affected and our entire physical well-being may be upset. Chronic headaches, nervous irritability and even indigestion may be the result of eye-strain.

Since modern living does demand such constant and exacting uses of the eyes, it is wise to have them checked at least once every two years. Your doctor is your best source of advice on eye care. He may send you to a specialist who can detect imperfections before they become too serious and advise corrective measures, whether they be better reading and studying habits, eye exercises or suitable eyeglasses.

Remember that the eye physician (sometimes called the oculist) is the one who knows best what treatment is needed for your particular sight imperfection. Do not confuse him with the optician whose job is to fit you with correct eyeglasses according to the eye doctor's prescription.

In addition to having your eyes examined regularly, and especially at the first sign of eye trouble, there are certain rules of eye care that everyone should follow. The greatest cause of eyestrain is read-

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That walks through life and knows no fear
And yet be not quite bold?
Who can build a character
That smiles through sun and rain
And not succumb to pain?
That laughs at sorrows, tears and smiles
And then return to the crowds of the world
Who can rise above the muck
Of noisy city streets
And love it just as well as when
The peace of forests he seeks?
Who can spend an hour alone
In a silent chamber with God
And then return to the crowds of the world
In communion with it to tread?
By Vera R. Douglass

ing or working in inadequate light or in glare. While reading, sewing or doing any close work, a person should sit with him main light slightly behind him. Working with a section of light thrown on the material while the rest of the room is in darkness strains and tires the eyes because they must constantly adjust from light to darkness. Sit up straight when you read, with the material no closer than about a foot from your eyes. Avoid close work in the direct sunshine or when the sun reflects on the working surface. Reading while stooping, lying down or on moving vehicles places a severe strain on the strongest eyes. Sufficient sleep and a well-balanced diet promote the health of the eyes. Taking care of the eye, in general, should never be left until old age, when we can expect our senses to be less than perfect. On the contrary, a child should be taken to the oculist before he enters school for the first time. Defects of vision are often discovered and corrected then, when they can be improved with the least amount of time, expense and trouble.

This column is sponsored in the interest of better health, by Polk County Tuberculosis Association.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank the Rev. J. E. Tunstall and the many friends for their cards, flowers and other courtesies extended me during my illness and hospitalization.
Mrs. Millie Estell
and family.

AMARANTH NO. 5 MEETS SUNDAY

Theodosia Court of Amaranth No. 5 will meet Sunday, May 16, 4 p.m. at the Masonic hall. All members are urged to attend. Helen Carter is royal matron; Agnes Eppright, secretary.

inson, Brooklyn Dodger second baseman, got four runs and three hits in eight times at bat in the double-header at Forbes Field, which the Dodgers and the Pittsburgh Pirates split last Sunday.

What Thompson is to baseball, Harold Carr is to softball. When nobody else had a team worthy of the name, Carr, the hustling squabbling promoter rather than player, who took his beatings with no alibis or arguments, came up with his Community Center softball team. He has that club so long that three Community Center or Willkie House is synonymous with Carr. Keeps playing and hustling each year, too.

Clarke Yeager got a good break in the daily paper this week. Nice to see those things happen. Our landmarks need to be uncovered.

While we are on the subject there is a little item that ought to be brought to light. Bill Ashby has won three doubles titles with three different partners that ought to establish the little mustache wearer is something of a doubles player and ought to settle all arguments as to who is the best doubles player in town.

Chet Williamson and Marie Ross have never lost a mixed doubles match. Hey Bill when does our tennis club meet?

Boxing
Al Trumbo and Al Brewer won titles in the Jewish Community Center boxing tournaments. They matched through their fields with the greatest of ease. The Graves boys, Larry and Jiggs, lost out in their semi-final and quarter-final rounds.

Jackie Parks made a lot of friends in his battle with Don Lee of Omaha last week. We are officially barred from Pinkie George's shows in our capacity as a bootleg sports writer.

You can be deferred if you are a member of the ROTC or the Navy's Holloway Plan; if you agree to go on active duty when you get your commission. Deferments will also be handed out to the usual crowd who throw the going away parties for the boys in any war or anti-draft time. These include state and Federal elective officials, "essential workers," the guys with the "whole world depends on me" complex, the physically and mentally unfits.

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

BUILD A CHARACTER
Who can build a character
That walks through life and knows no fear
And yet be not quite bold?
Who can build a character
That smiles through sun and rain
And not succumb to pain?
That laughs at sorrows, tears and smiles
And then return to the crowds of the world
Who can rise above the muck
Of noisy city streets
And love it just as well as when
The peace of forests he seeks?
Who can spend an hour alone
In a silent chamber with God
And then return to the crowds of the world
In communion with it to tread?
By Vera R. Douglass

MY RETREAT
Like a mighty rock based fortress
Quite beautiful, more neat
Is this little earthly heaven
Proudly titled, My Retreat.
Retreat from life's vicissitudes
A shelter from a man-made storm
Where the smiles are sincere and true
And the hearts beat warm.
Bitter malice stops at the door
Here only Love and Peace can reign
Within this God-blessed haven
Where even angels deign would sing.
Where magic dryads make entrance
Into your eyes they quickly peep
And as soon as one bats an eye
They are taken away to sleep.
The sun rays come down tender
Here they only gently touch
The resting—and rain to make all
Well, pours forth—not too much.
O mighty fortress, modern fortress
Never ever from your
This name would be injustice
I live to re-enter, My Retreat.
Norman Sims Ellington

MAKE SURVEY FOR CITIES OR LOCALITIES IN NEED OF DENTISTS
Washington, D. C.—Dr. William T. Grady, Washington, D. C., National Chairman, the Veterans' Affairs Committee of the National Dental Association is conducting a survey throughout the country for cities or localities in need of a dentist. This survey is in the interest of perhaps 15 or more dentists now enlisted in the United States army, but whose time of discharge is within the next six months to a year.

Dr. Grady says he believes that there are a number of cities that can well afford to guarantee a young dentist a first year's income of not less than \$200.00 per month. On the other hand, there are vacant offices in some places that could use the services of these Dental Officers about to be released from military service. A booklet containing ten cent store and purchase a booklet on Crocheted Accessories.

Lincoln University (Mo.) ART STUDENT RANKS
Jefferson City, Mo.—Booker Lemmie, senior, art student at Lincoln University (Mo.) was awarded first place in the college class in the "sketch contest" conducted by the Jefferson City Art club recently.

The forty-nine contestants drew in pencil, pen and ink, water colors or pastels any landmark of their choosing.
Mr. Lemmie entered a water color sketch of St. Peter's Catholic church, west of the State Capitol building.

DES MOINES BRANCH N.A.A.C.P. ACTIVITIES
The Des Moines branch of the NAACP held its second report meeting of the membership campaign Monday night, May 10, at the YMCA. Division leaders and leaders and workers in the drive have reported about 500 members to date. The quota is 2,500.

Winners of door prizes were A. P. Trotter, Mrs. L. M. Lewis and Ike Smalls. The next meeting of the workers will be Monday night, May 11, at the YMCA. Twenty-five memberships will be given to the division with the largest number of members.

Other members of the committee are Dr. Bruce H. Alleyne, Baltimore, Md.; Dr. M. R. Dean, Washington, D. C.; Dr. Frank J. Hawkins, Chicago, Ill.; Dr. Leon Reid, Jr., Richmond, Va.; Dr. Raymond E. Thomas, Jr., Washington, D. C.; Dr. M. L. Watts, Raleigh, N. C., and Dr. A. J. Young, New Orleans, La. Address communications to Dr. W. T. Grady, 2010 14th Street, N. W., Washington 9, D. C.

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