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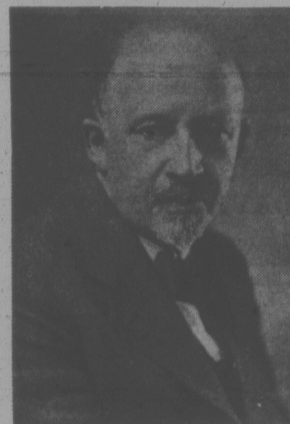
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Dr. Du Bois Reproves Walter White

Says 'Various Members' Of Association Carrying On Political Activity

By JAMES L. HICKS
New York (NNPA)—Long smoldering differences between Dr. W. E. B. DuBois, research director of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, and Walter White, its executive secretary, flared into the open Monday, September 6, when Dr. DuBois accused "various members" of the association of carrying on political activity in violation of the organization's announced policy of non-participation in partisan politics.



DR. DUBOIS

Dr. Du Bois told the board that acceptance of the consultanthip without a clear, public declaration of its position on foreign policy would tie the association to the foreign policy of the Truman Administration.

The board met later and approved Mr. White's going to Paris as a consultant. In his memorandum Dr. Du Bois disclosed that he has asked the NAACP for a definition of the term "political activity" but has never received a reply to his request.

Wallace Supporter

A supporter of Henry A. Wallace,

he pointed out that his own personal discussion of the international policy of the organization in public has been "met by five threats and warning from officials of the NAACP not to engage in political activity."

Charging that the political activity of "various members" of the association has been "widely known," Dr. Du Bois said he thoroughly agreed that "no official of this organization, salaried or unsalaried, should commit the organization as such to any one political party," but he denied the right of any official to See EDITORIAL Page

WALTER WHITE LEAVES FOR U N MEETING IN PARIS, FRANCE

New York—Walter White, executive secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, sailed today on the U.S.S. America for Paris, where he will act as a consultant to the meeting of the United Nations General Assembly. Mr. White was invited to represent the NAACP at the meeting by Chester S. Williams, public liaison officer of the United States mission to the United Nations.

White Supremacy Backers Claim Sweeping Victory; Georgia KKK Burn Crosses

Atlanta (NNPA)—Advocates of white supremacy last Thursday were acclaiming the sweeping victory of Herman Talmadge in last Wednesday's gubernatorial primary in which this one-party state nomination is equivalent to election. Mr. Talmadge, 35-year old son of the late Eugene Talmadge and, like his father, champion of white supremacy, campaigned on a platform opposing President Truman's Civil Rights program and pledged himself to "oppose to the fullest" any efforts to eliminate segregation within the state.

Meanwhile the Talmadge triumph reached landslide proportions in unofficial returns of the state's 159 counties. The incomplete tally gave him 310 county unit votes to ninety-eight for Acting Governor Melvin E. Thompson. In 1,399 of 1,763 precincts he held in popular vote, 287,776 to 253,104.

Cross Burnings

Cross burning also took place on the eve of the election in the colored residential sections of Perry. Two crosses were burned simultaneously, one near a colored church and the other near a colored store. Although colored persons were in the store at the time, they were reported not to have been unduly alarmed, and at the church services continued without interruption. See EDITORIAL Page

Admiring N.A.A.C.P. Youth Council Trophy



Miss Zola Mae King, treasurer of the Des Moines Youth Council of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, is holding and admiring the handsome Ike Smalls trophy which will be given to the winning Youth Council of the country for outstanding work during the year.

The trophy will be awarded in St. Louis at the tenth annual youth conference of the NAACP at the sessions which convene Nov. 10 to 13. More than 250 delegates, representing the 25,000 members of the youth councils and college chapters, are expected to attend.

Outstanding youth activities have been done by councils throughout the nation in the fields of housing, employment, education, civil rights, sports and recreation and veterans work.

VETERAN WHO LOST BOTH EYES, HANDS, PART OF HEARING GETS SCIENCE DEGREE AT BOSTON

Washington, D. C. (NNPA)—A 32-year old colored veteran, who lost both hands, his sight, and most of his hearing during the war, has received a master of science degree in education at Boston University, the Veterans Administration announced last Wednesday.

The veteran is Vasco D. Hale, of Brookfield, Connecticut, whose father, the Rev. Brotop Hale, is pastor of the Morning Star Baptist Church at Fairmont, West Virginia.

Hale entered Boston University in January, 1947, after being turned down by several other schools because of his disabilities, the VA said. He was awarded his degree nineteen months later on August 21 of this year. He attended school under the provisions of the Vocational Rehabilitation Act.

A former first lieutenant with the 93d Engineer Combat Regiment, Hale was injured at Camp Clipper, California, in December, 1943.

A hand grenade thrown by one of the men in his unit failed to detonate. Realizing the danger and being unwilling to order any of his men to risk their lives, Hale dashed over and picked up the grenade. It exploded in his hand, blinding him in both eyes, causing him to lose his right hand, all but the thumb of his left hand, and rendering him partially deaf.

During the two years that followed, he was a patient in the Army's 34th General Hospital in California, the Valley Forge Blind Center at Phoenixville, Pennsylvania, Walter Reed Hospital in Washington and Avon Old Farms, Avon, Connecticut.

After being discharged, he purchased a home in Bloomfield where he lives with his wife.

Before the war Hale taught Chemistry and biology in the Dunbar High School at Fairmont. His thesis at Boston deals with veterans and their adaptability to college life. He plans to enter the field of vocational guidance and counseling, the VA said.

Truman Here Saturday; Dewey Opens Speaking Campaign Monday Night



GOVERNOR DEWEY

Governor Thomas E. Dewey opens his speaking campaign as the Republican presidential nominee in Des Moines with an address at 8 p.m. Monday at Drake stadium. No other Iowa speeches are scheduled for Dewey's trip. His special train will arrive at the Rock Island station at 5 p.m.

He will meet Iowa editors and publishers at Hotel Fort Des Moines upon his arrival. He will speak in Drake stadium where Whitney Gilliland, Republican state chairman, will introduce him.

Gov. Earl Warren, Republican vice-presidential candidate, will be in Iowa October 9, for a night speech in Sioux City.

President Truman will be in Iowa Saturday to visit the national plowing contest at Dexter and to make his second major campaign address at noon.

On his 15-day campaign trip starting September 17 that will carry him to the west coast, President Truman will make five major speeches and at least 30 platform appearances during the first half of the trip.

Platform appearances in Iowa will be September 18, Davenport, 6:28 a.m.; Iowa City 7:35 a.m.; Des Moines for a 15-minute platform appearance at 10:15 a.m.

His special train will then carry him to Dexter where, at 11:15 a.m. he will leave the train for a mile and one-quarter drive to the National Plowing match. There he will make a 20-minute speech starting at 12:05 p.m.

President Truman will motor back to Des Moines where he will reboard his train for departure at 4 p.m. for Kansas City.

Other major speeches will be in Denver, Colo., Sept. 20; Salt Lake City, Utah, Sept. 21; San Francisco, Sept. 22 and Los Angeles, Sept. 23.

Bishop Baber Makes Few Changes at AME Annual Conference Appointments



BISHOP BABER

"Get Ready to Move" Bishop George W. Baber told the ministers at the reading of the appointments Sunday night when the twenty-eighth annual conference of the AME church closed in Minneapolis, Minn., the Rev. W. H. Ogleton informed. Presiding elder for nineteen years, the Rev. Mr. Ogleton said he will be moved next year from the Des Moines district in which he has been serving for fourteen years.

"We had a splendid conference—one of the best," the Rev. Mr. Ogleton said and added that throughout all of the business session the new bishop over the district, the Right Rev. George W. Baber, kept the atmosphere a spiritual one halting the sessions frequently for religious services.

Few Changes

Few changes in this district were made by the bishop this year. Among them was the transferring of the Rev. A. J. Irvine, from the St. Paul AME church here to the Chicago conference which is in session this week, at his request.

A pastor will be sent to fill the pulpit at the St. Paul church here from the Chicago conference, or from the Illinois or Indiana conferences which Bishop Baber has to hold, the presiding elder revealed.

St. Paul, formerly one of the largest AME churches in this district, has dropped to third place in membership from 546 to 400 members.

the presiding elder revealed. One hundred-fifty members were dropped from the rolls since the last conference.

The AME church in this district with the largest membership is in St. Paul, Minn., he added.

The St. James church, Minneapolis, of which the Rev. Edward R. Thomas, pastor-host was proud of his 68-member church, ad the manner in which they shouldered the responsibility of entertaining an annual conference.

St. Paul District, Rev. W. E. Gay, presiding elder; Waterloo, Rev. A. C. Collin, Wayman (Minneapolis) Rev. Carl McKay; Duluth, Rev. R. D. Reddy; Allen (Minneapolis) Rev. See EDITORIAL Page

Youth Writes Pres. Truman 'No Self-Respecting Negro Can Accept Yoke of Jim Crow'

Brooklyn (NNPA)—A 22-year old white youth, a former ensign in the United States Merchant Marine, has resigned his commission and informed President Truman that he will not register for military service under selective service because "as no self-respecting Negro can accept the yolk of Jim Crow oppression, no self-respecting white man can accept benefits from his oppression."

Richard White, a resident of a swank suburban area of Brooklyn, sat with his aged mother in his elaborately furnished home here last Monday and declared that he will not register because "I will not be segregated."

White is the same Brooklyn youth who on July 20 advised by A. Philip Randolph not to register for the draft. He said last Monday that the fact that Randolph has reversed his position has not changed the situation in his eyes one bit and that he will continue to resist the draft law.

He presented documents to prove that he once held the commission of ensign in the Merchant Marine and showed his honorable discharge from the service dated July 19 and also a letter from Telfair Knight of the United States Maritime commission, informing him that his services would be again acceptable in the Merchant Marine. See EDITORIAL Page

News Briefs From Far and Near

WSUI BROADCAST SCHEDULE BEGINS NEXT MONDAY

Iowa City, Iowa—The broadcast schedule for the State University of Iowa's new series of radio programs, "Listen and Learn," was announced by John P. Highlander, program director of WSUI and FM station KSTU. The programs, designed to supplement teaching in the elementary schools of Iowa, will begin Monday, Sept. 20.

Two 15-minute broadcasts will be carried five days a week—Monday through Friday—at 9:30 a.m. and 2:15 p.m. to serve as an audio aid to elementary teachers. All programs, embracing many fields of educational interest, will be presented by university students and staff members.

Three Iowans Fined For Racial Fight Near Merrill, Ia.

Le Mars, Iowa—Eugene Plueger, 18, Robert Plueger, 20 and Donald Plueger, 21, all of Le Mars, Monday were fined \$400 each in Mayor Frank Todd's court at Merrill.

They were charged with assault and battery as a result of a near "race riot" Saturday night during the Merrill Agricultural Days festival.

They also were sentenced to 30 days in the county jail, but the sentences were suspended.

Chased Negro

County Attorney Morse Hoornemann said three Negroes, who had been working on a road project near Merrill, were quietly playing pool at Morton Jessen's pool hall in Merrill when the Plueger boys attempted to force them to leave.

The proprietor said the Negroes were not bothering anyone, and that if the Pluegers didn't like it, they could leave.

The Pluegers left, according to Hoornemann, but returned shortly and started a fight.

Someone threw a beer bottle, landing Vincent Mur of Rensselaer. The Pluegers, according to Ed Marston, chief of Merrill police, started beating the Negroes, who did not fight back or defend themselves but kept running.

Try to Help

A group of white men ran after them and the Pluegers. The group wanted to help the Negroes, but the latter escaped.

Police chief Marienau said: "If 100 men in a potentially dangerous situation showed cool nerve, decency and gentlemanly conduct, those Negroes would be treated as human beings, not as a race."

LOGAN SCHOOL PTA TO MEET SEPT. 21

The Logan School PTA will meet Tuesday, Sept. 21. The topic, "Why the PTA Needs Your Membership What is Devoled From It," will be discussed. Teacher and board members will be introduced at 2 p.m. in the office of Mrs. Pritchard.

FATHER OF SIX SLAIN FOR VOTING IN GEORGIA ELECTION

Mt. Vernon, Ga. (NNPA)—J. A. Johnson, white, was charged with murder last Sunday in the death of a colored man, father of six children, who was shot and killed because he insisted on voting in Georgia's Democratic primary.

Sheriff R. M. McCrimmon disclosed that Johnson is being held in the Montgomery County jail following his arrest early last Sunday. His brother, Johnnie Johnson, 22-year old logger, who was arrested as an accessory to murder was freed on the pitifully low bond of \$500.

The murdered man was identified as Isaiah Nixon, 28, of Alston. He died in a hospital at Dublin, Georgia, from three gunshot wounds received on the night of the election, September 8.

The sheriff said he was told Nixon went to a polling place in Alston on election day and asked if he could vote.

Nixon was told, McCrimmon said, that he had the right to vote but was advised not to do so. He said Nixon insisted, however, and was allowed to cast his ballot.

McCrimmon said the two Johnson Brothers went to Nixon's home that night and that J. A. Johnson fired the fatal shots in front of the man's wife and children.

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Community College at Drake Opens on Monday

Ten new courses will be offered in the community college at Drake university this fall, Dean J. H. Hutchinson announced.

Both registration and classes in the community college begin Monday (Sept. 20). Students should register on the day of their first class, Hutchinson said. Registration will be from 3 to 7:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday.

Classes in the community college meet in the evening, usually beginning at 6:30.

New courses include Advertising Campaigns, designed for persons actively engaged in advertising; Use and Interpretation of Business and Social Data, especially useful for persons whose work requires presenting business and social facts.

Global Geography

Global Geography, Economics of Democracy and Totalitarianism and three journalism courses: Picture Editing, Introduction to Editorial Research and Editorial Content are other new courses.

Clinical Psychology, especially useful for nurses and welfare workers; Use of Books and Libraries; Marketing Research; The World of Social Welfare and two courses in Religion—Religion in One World and Psychology of Religion—complete the

program of new courses. Other classes will be taught in accounting, art, business organization, economics, education, English, foreign language, law, marketing, mathematics, music, political science, psychology, public speaking, secretarial science, social science and sociology.

The course in Interior Decoration this fall will be taught by Dr. F. Edward Del Desso, newly-appointed head of the Drake art department.

In addition to other Drake faculty members, the community college teaching staff will include Dan Carmichael, Claude McBroome, Joe Ratner and Garden Soule, all of Meredith Publishing Co.; Homer Freeman, Iowa Employment Security Commission; Charles Ransom, Registrar and Tribune; Carl Pace, Central Life Assurance Society; Hiram Hunn, attorney; and Odessa Farley, Lincoln high school teacher.

Raymond Jones, trust officer in the Central National Bank will teach a class in Wills, Trusts and Taxes, as Part C of the Chartered Life Underwriters Educational program. This class will meet in the library of the Central National Bank on Mondays at 7 p.m. and is especially designed for life underwriters preparing for the CLU examinations.

DAVENPORT, IOWA

Davenport, Ia.—Elder G. W. Goodman held baptisms for thirteen candidates last week in the Mississippi river, with Elder McRoberts assisting. Baptized were: Lucille Bryant, May Willie Perry, Alberta Pully, Juanita Perry, Mary Etta McDowell, Mrs. A. O'Neal, B. McDowell, L. Chambers, I. Richardson, P. Perry, S. Taggart, A. Aldridge, A. Coleman. The Lord's Supper was administered at the church.

Corporal Delbert Bryant of Buffalo, Iowa, has returned home on a two-week furlough. He is visiting with his uncle and aunt. He is stationed at Seattle, Washington and will return there on Sept. 21. Send all news to Heen Bryant, reporter.

DES MOINES S. S. WORKERS COUNCIL TO MEET OCTOBER 12

The Des Moines Sunday School Workers council met Tuesday at the First CME church with Mrs. Frank Bailey, superintendent of the church's Sunday school, directing the program. Mrs. Willa Jones led devotions. Mrs. Bernice Edwards led the discussion on "Recreation in the Church."

NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE

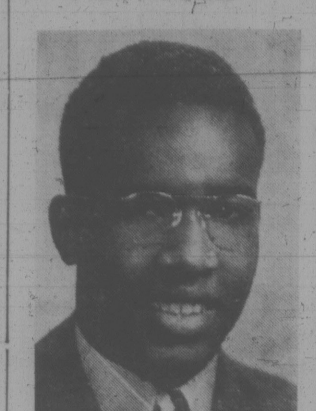
TO: George Robinson and Edna Mae Robinson; William Robinson; Robert Robinson; Margaret Robinson; Emma Robinson; Blanche Robinson; Elizabeth Robinson; Lewis Robinson; Edward Robinson; and Elvora Robinson; Charles Robinson; Margaret Robinson; Edna Robinson; Ballard Robinson; Bernard D. Ballard; William Joseph Robinson; and Martha Robinson, heirs at law of Enoch Robinson, deceased, and to all unknown heirs of Enoch Robinson or any other person or persons having or claiming to have an interest in the real estate described below.

South One Hundred (100) Feet of the North Two Hundred (200) Feet of Lot Sixteen (16), Tallmadge's Sub-division, now included in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, was sold by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, for the then delinquent and unpaid taxes against the said real estate for the years 1943, 1944, 1945 and 1946 to Theodore W. Rehnmann and 1946 to Theodore W. Rehnmann and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to Theodore W. Rehnmann by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, pursuant to said sale, which certificate was assigned by the said Theodore W. Rehnmann to the undersigned Robert Allen Robinson, Iowa, February 10, 1948, and is now being held and owned by the said Robert Allen Robinson.

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TO UCLA



EMMETT SCALES
Emmett Scales, son of Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Scales, has returned to Los Angeles, Calif., to resume his pre-law studies at UCLA (University of California at Los Angeles.)

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BURLINGTON, IOWA

Burlington, Iowa.—Mrs. Everett Gibson died Sunday, Sept. 5, after an extended illness at her home. She is survived by her husband, children, sister and little granddaughter. She was a member of Union Baptist church and her funeral was held from the church Thursday afternoon with Rev. J. S. Beverly officiating. Burial was in Aspen Grove cemetery.

Rev. T. S. Henderson was out of the city attending conference.

Sunday, Sept. 5, occurred the marriage of Mr. Paul Arbuckle and Miss Weldon with Rev. J. S. Beverly officiating.

Many folks attended a dance at Sunset Inn Monday night, Sept. 13. Mrs. Ed Williams who has been in the care of an eye specialist, is improving nicely.

HOLD FUNERAL SERVICES FOR ELIJAH J. MILLER

Funeral services for Elijah Jader Miller, 58, of 1362 East Nineteenth street, were held Wednesday at the Union Baptist church with burial at Pine Hill cemetery.

Mr. Miller, an employee of the Economy Coal company, died Saturday, September 11, at Broadlawn General Hospital after a lengthy illness. He was a Des Moines resident 28 years.

Surviving are his wife, Frances; two daughters, Mrs. Maryetta Ayers and Elbire; a son, Willie, and a sister, Mrs. Lena Hutchings, all of Des Moines; and two brothers, Lewis of Des Moines, and William of Cedar Rapids.

ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Iowa in and for Polk County.
JUDITH F. WILSON
Plaintiff
vs.
EUGENE WILSON
Defendant.
TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT OR DEFENDANTS:
You are hereby notified that a petition for divorce was filed in the above entitled action in the above named court and which petition prays that plaintiff be granted a divorce from you for the reason that you have been guilty of such cruel and inhuman treatment towards the plaintiff as to deprive her of her life and health. Plaintiff further prays that she be allowed alimony and attorney fees in such amount as the court may deem proper and that judgment be entered against you for the costs of this action.

NOTICE OF AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE CORPORATION

Notice is hereby given that at a special meeting of the stockholders of the Equipment Maintenance Corporation, held on September 2, 1948, the Articles of Incorporation were amended as follows: 1. By striking therefrom Article V and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

ARTICLE V.
Section 1. The authorized capital stock of this corporation is seven hundred fifty (750) shares, of which two hundred fifty (250) shares shall be paid up. The aggregate par value of the authorized capital stock shall be Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00). The authorized capital stock of this corporation shall be issued only when fully paid for in cash or property of equal value and in such amounts as the Board of Directors, from time to time, shall determine, provided that the amount of the authorized capital stock of this corporation may be increased or decreased and new classes of shares of stock may be created at any special meeting of the corporation on any day called for such purpose by the affirmative vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the stockholders holding the shares of the capital stock, when issued.

Section 2. The holders of the common stock shall be entitled to receive from the business of the corporation a fixed yearly dividend of six per cent (6%) of the par value of the stock, payable annually on the 15th day of June in cash or in kind, at the discretion of the corporation, until the amount due has been paid in full. If the dividend is not paid in full on the 15th day of June, the same shall be paid on or before the 15th day of September following. If the dividend is not paid in full on the 15th day of September, the same shall be paid on or before the 15th day of December following. If the dividend is not paid in full on the 15th day of December, the same shall be paid on or before the 15th day of March following. If the dividend is not paid in full on the 15th day of March, the same shall be paid on or before the 15th day of June following. If the dividend is not paid in full on the 15th day of June, the same shall be paid on or before the 15th day of September following. 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CHURCH DIRECTORY
CLEVELAND AVENUE TABERNACLE
 1700 Cleveland, Rev. F. W. McGee, pastor. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Evening service, 8 o'clock. Regular services Tuesday and Friday night. I. P. W. services at 6:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF GOD - BLUE HOLINESS
 437 E. 15th street, Elder F. H. Hawk, pastor. Sunday school, 10:30 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Tuesday regular service, 7:30 p. m. Thursday Bible Class, 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend. This church is open to all.

ST. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
 Southeast Fourth Street and Scott, Rev. J. R. Hagan, pastor. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Wednesday evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Sunday evening worship at 7:30 p. m. All are 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 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday prayer service, Wednesday, 7:00 p. m.

KYLES A.M.E. ZION CHURCH
 Southeast 15th and Shaw, B. F. Blanka, pastor. 701 Southeast 15th. Order of services: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 o'clock; Evening service, 7:30 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, 809 S. E. 27th street. Order of services: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11:00 a. m. Afternoon worship, 2 o'clock. Youth services, 7 p. m. Night service, 8 p. m. Mid-week prayer and Bible study, Wednesday at 8 p. m. Everyone is welcome.

THE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
 10th and Crocker Streets, Rev. E. G. Carter, pastor. Sunday school, 10:30 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Bible Class, Thursday night, 8:00 p. m.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH
 of Oskaloosa, Iowa.
 A. L. Springs, pastor, holds services every first and third Sunday afternoons beginning at 2:30 p. m. Everybody is welcome.

ST. ZION NATIONAL SPIRITUAL TEMPLE, INC.
 1700 Grand avenue, 6:15-8:15. Bishop E. Cole, general overseer. Rev. E. Cole, pastor. Services: Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Monday service, Tuesday at 8 p. m. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Spiritual Union, 7 p. m. Special healing Wednesday from 12 noon to 2 p. m. Messages at each service. Private consultation daily by appointment.

FIRST CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST CENTERVILLE, IOWA
 Elder George Ward, Pastor. Sunday School, 10:30 p. m. Afternoon Service, 2:30 p. m. Evening Service, 8:30 p. m. All are welcome. 717 Wilson street.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH ACTIVITIES
 The Rev. H. R. Fields preached last Sunday. Pastor Parish and senior choir were guests at St. John Baptist church Sunday afternoon. The P.H.T. need club met Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. J. L. Lucas. Mission Circle met Friday evening at the church. The Usher board's annual sermon was postponed to a later date. The fiftieth anniversary service for the church will begin Sept. 20 through Sept. 26. Six of the church, William Warren, Misses Beacons, Missdames Lillian Hayes, Gertrude Brown, Faye Hays and Alice Crutcher.

RALLY SUNDAY AT CHRIST SANCTIFIED HOLY CHURCH
 A rally will be held at the Christ Sanctified Holy church, 1521 University, on Sunday, Sept. 9 at 11 a. m. Services, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Guest speakers will be from Christ Sanctified Holy church of Cedar Rapids. The meeting is open to the public. Elder A. B. Brown is pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH WEST DES MOINES
 1000 Grand, Scott of Orababor. Sunday school, 10:30 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Visitors at the church on Sunday were: Mrs. Glen Hays of Orababor, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor, Mr. Arthur Green of Dallas, Miss Florence McCall of Little Rock, Ark. Elmer Hays of Little Rock, Ark. Mrs. Hays is reporter.

ST. PAUL A. M. E. CHURCH NOTES OF WEEK
 Because of the absence of the pastor and senior choir in attendance at the annual conference at Minneapolis last Sunday the music for the morning and evening services was furnished by the junior choir and Rev. E. N. Warren, "local" deacon, first speaker. Among the visitors at the Sunday school were Kenneth E. Brown, a former secretary and president of the Normal Department, who recently received his B.S. Degree from the University and

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH
 1217 Scott street, Rev. C. A. Record, pastor. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. B. Y. P. 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 2 p. m. Missionary meeting.

FIRST C.M.E. CHURCH
 S. E. 28th and Maury streets, Rev. L. L. Barnes, pastor. address, 732 S. E. 28th street. Phone 92-6001. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Epworth League 6 p. m.

NINTH STREET CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 1026 Ninth Street, Rev. W. H. Brown, pastor. Sunday school, 10:30 a. m. Morning 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
 East 17th and University, pastor, Elder E. T. Taylor, 1110 Buchanan street, telephone 6-7552. Sunday school 10:30 a. m. Morning service 11:00 a. m. Bible Band Tuesday night 7:00 p. m. Home Foreign Mission Wednesday afternoon 1:00 p. m. Sewing Circle Thursday night 8:00 p. m. Regular services Tuesday night, Friday and Sunday at 8:30 p. m. Everybody welcome to attend these services. Pastor - Elder F. Taylor, Asst. Pastor - Elder R. Hogie, Church Mother - Effie Hogie.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH
 14th 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 pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Ninth and Maple Streets, West Des Moines, Rev. L. G. Garrett, pastor. Order of services: Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship 11 a. m. Baptist Training Union 4:15 p. m. P. M. Prayer Meeting Wednesday night.

BROWN CHAPEL A.M.E. 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.

ST. JOHN BAPTIST CHURCH
 Located at 208 Maury street, Rev. A. G. Crawford, pastor. Order of services: Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship 11 a. m. B.T.U. 6:30 p. m. Evening Worship 7:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting Tuesday p. m. Rev. G. M. Williams, reporter.

Rev. Alphonso Springs, local preacher of Corinthian Church and at the morning service we had as a visitor Miss Imogene Chenault from Clarville, Ark.

On next Sunday morning the Normal department will start two new classes, Normal I, a course in Bible study and methods of Teaching under the leadership of Mrs. Zula Ewing assistant superintendent; and Normal II, a course in "The History of the Church" under the leadership of Mrs. S. Joe Brown, Normal superintendent. Any young person of high school grade may enter the Normal I class and any adult, who is interested may enter Normal II class.

At the official board meeting last Monday evening the acting pastor Rev. E. N. Warren presided and Mrs. Mabel M. Mason, official delegate, gave a report of the work of the annual conference, which closed last Sunday at Minneapolis, at which she stated that notwithstanding the fact that the church had the best report of any in the conference, Rev. A. J. Irvine, who has been pastor for the past four years was transferred to the Chicago conference, which is in session this week and from which Bishop Geo. W. Baber announced that he would send a new pastor. But in view of the fact that he will probably not arrive until after next Monday, the board unanimously voted to request Rev. Warren to continue as acting pastor until his arrival.

COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Services were in charge of the young people at the Community Sanctified Church of Christ. Miss Mabel M. Mason, official delegate to the annual conference, presided at the morning hour and Rev. M. J. Cranshaw for the evening. Visitors were Mrs. Rebecca Cranshaw of Gallatin, Mo., mother of Bishop D. H. Cranshaw. She is visiting in the Cranshaw home. Mr. and Mrs. A. Cox were at the evening hour after being absent several weeks. Next Sunday is Women's Day with Rev. A. Saunders, speaker at the morning hour and Rev. Williams at night. Three services will be held.

WOMEN'S DAY SUNDAY AT MELK TEMPLE IN PERRY, IOWA
 Perry, Iowa. Melk Temple A.M.E. Zion church will sponsor a women's day service at 3 p. m. Sunday, Sept. 19. Rev. E. N. Warren of Des Moines will bring the message. An old-fashioned basket dinner will be served. The public is invited. A bus will leave Kyles A.M.E. Zion church at 1 p. m. The Rev. E. N. Warren is pastor. Mrs. J. L. Lucas is chairman.



The Rev. M. W. Goodman (in black robe), pastor of the Church of God in Christ, here is shown administering the rite of baptism to Miss Juanita Perry. Miss Perry was one of the thirteen persons who received the sacrament by immersion, Sunday, September 12, in the waters of the Mississippi river, near Credit Island, just west of Davenport.

Fiftieth Anniversary At Maple Street Opens Monday For Week

The fiftieth anniversary celebration of the Maple Street Baptist church will begin on Monday, September 20 and continue each night during the week until Sunday, Sept. 26.

Special nights and speakers during the week will be as follows: Monday, auxiliaries, with Rev. W. H. Brown, Tuesday, Baptist, Rev. J. R. Roman, Wednesday, Methodist, Rev. B. F. Blanks, Thursday, Rev. Lewis Jacobsen with a men's chorus of forty voices; Friday, civic, Atty. Charles P. Howard; and Sunday morning, Sept. 26, Rev. George Paris, pastor of Maple Street, will preach.

N.W. WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY HOLDS SESSION IN MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

The twenty-eighth annual session of the Women's Missionary society of the Northwestern Conference branch of the A.M.E. church, convened in Minneapolis, Minn., at the St. James church with the Rev. E. R. Thomas, pastor.

Bishop George W. Baber, presiding bishop of the Fourth Episcopal district, Mrs. Alma Baber, the episcopal

supervisor, were in attendance with Mrs. Goldie Fant, president, presiding over the two-day meeting.

Delegates were from Iowa, Minnesota, South Dakota and Western Canada. At the close of the successful sessions, the following officers were elected: Mrs. Goldie Fant, president; Mrs. Verie Irvine, first vice president; Mrs. Mattie Foiden, second vice; Mrs. Winona Allen, recording secretary; Mrs. Mabel Dixon, assistant secretary; Mrs. Mary Ray, treasurer; Mrs. Margaret Ogletton, secretary-treasurer of Young People's Department; Mrs. Cora Moore, parliamentary; Mrs. Leona Downey, corresponding secretary.

Standing Committees: Tanner Turner, Mrs. Sophia Nichols, Handy Simmons, Mrs. Manilla Copeland; year book, Mrs. Mary Williams; promotion and missionary education, Mrs. Pauline McKay; Christian and social relations, Mrs. Ida Thompson; self-denial, Mrs. Ora Henry; music,

Roberts, Miss Perry, Rev. Goodman and Mr. Aubrey Cleman. The Rev. Mr. Goodman spoke on the "Significance of Baptism," before the ceremony. (Photo courtesy of Times).

Mrs. Nina Miller; art, Mrs. Bessie Powell.

Executive board, Mrs. Olive Redman, Mrs. Faustine Hightower, Mrs. Gertrude Dabner, Mrs. Alice Foreman, Mrs. Gladys White, Mrs. Mabel Mason, Mrs. Anna Berry.

1948 PHEASANT SEASON SET FROM NOV. 11 TO 30

The State Conservation Commission has set the pheasant season from noon November 11, through November 30. Shooting hours are from 12 noon to 4 p. m. each day. Bag limit is two cock birds per day with a possession limit of four after the first day.

The season is ten days longer than in 1947, and the possession limit has been increased from two to four birds. Four additional counties have been added to the open territory. The new counties are Mahaska, Keokuk, Washington, and Muscatine.

Over 15,000 Persons from All Over Nation Attend Baptist Meet in Houston

Houston, Tex., (NNPA)—A call upon President Truman to recall Myron C. Taylor from the Vatican, and a prediction that Jim Crowism is on the way out were made at the opening session of the sixty-eighth annual meeting of the National Baptist Convention U. S. A., Inc., at Sam Houston Coliseum last Wednesday morning.

The statement was made by Dr. J. M. Dawson, white, executive secretary of the joint conference committee on public relations for the Baptist of the United States, with headquarters in Washington, D. C.

Dr. Dawson spoke in support of the Baptist contention for separation of church and state, denouncing the application of public tax funds for sectarian or church schools. He especially denounced the presence of a United States ambassador to the Vatican as a special advantage to a single church.

As a member of the committee of seven appointed by the Baptist World Alliance to secure religious liberty throughout the world, Dr. Dawson insisted that religious persecution must cease everywhere.

He praised the advancement colored people have made.

"Coincident with this progress has been a remarkably growing comprehension and concern for true and just relations between the races on the part of the churches, both white and Negro. The real hope of the solution of this difficult and delicate problem is through such forces, not through the politicians who play with Jim Crowism, which is on the way out."

"The Southern Baptist Convention (white) has officially adopted a bill of rights which is more significant than any proposed by any political party, and unmistakably more Christian," he said.

Dr. Dawson, although no longer stationed in Texas, continues to serve on the board of trustees of Bishop College at Marshall. He is also a member of the Howard University, headed by Dr. Mordecai W. Johnson, a former Baptist minister.

The convention was very democratic in its proceedings, with membership of the audience rising to question speakers. This was particularly noticeable when nominations for various committee were made. Strong protests were lodged by a delegation from Maryland against the finance committee, and demanding recognition on the committee. Action was deferred.

The convention opened with prayer by the Rev. W. L. Brown of Tennessee, and with the Rev. E. W. Perry of Oklahoma City, vice president, and Theodore R. Frye of Chicago leading the singing.

Dr. Jemison Speaks

Dr. D. V. Jemison of Selma, Alabama, president, in his opening remarks said some people come to a convention just to sit, but he wanted all to work, not just sit. The speaker somewhat smilingly reminded convention delegates that one of their number had been robbed of \$120 Tuesday night by a pickpocket.

"I asked him where he carried his money," Dr. Jemison said, "and he replied in my back pocket. Folks don't carry your money in your backpocket, that's the worst place for it," he said.

Dr. W. L. Ransome of Virginia spoke on "The Church's Place in America's Future."

The convention lasted through Sunday.

Between 15,000 and 20,000 persons from all over the United States were in Houston for the opening of the five-day meeting.

The theme of the convention was the missionary program of the church. Scheduled to appear during the convention was a delegation from Africa as well as missionaries supported in fields all over the world.

The meeting was climaxed with a huge pageant on missions Sunday, in which some 5,000 women participated.

Among outstanding speakers on the program were Dr. Johnson, Dr. Fred D. Patterson, president of Tuskegee Institute; the Rev. Marshall L. Shepard, Recorder of Deeds of the District of Columbia and pastor of the Mt. Olivet Baptist Church, Philadelphia; and Dr. C. C. Adams, executive secretary of the foreign mission department, of Washington.

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TO IOWA UNIVERSITY NEXT WEEK



BETTY JOE ESTES

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MARGARET MCCRANEY

Misses Betty Joe Estes and Martha Jane Scales, roommates at Currier hall at Iowa City, will leave the city this week end to resume their studies at Iowa university.

Miss Margaret McCraney, graduate of Roosevelt high school, will enter Iowa university next week as a freshman in the school of fine arts.

Other freshmen will include North high school's crack sprinters, George Nichols, Jr., Connie Jones and Reggie Kaiser.

Jordan Choir Sings Here At Field House

Wings Over Jordan, the internationally famous Columbia Broadcasting System's choir, sang in Des Moines Thursday evening, Sept. 9, at Drake field house, for a crowd of several hundred music lovers.

Under the direction of Gilbert Allen, conductor, the choir sang a group of Negro religious melodies with featured soloists.

The opening group included: There Is Joy In That Land, Pray On, In the Kingdom of the Lord, I've Been Baked, Amen, Trying to Get Ready, Just A Closer Walk With Thee, Rock My Soul, He'll Understand and Room Enough.

Following an intermission a quartet featured You Can Run On For A Long Time and Moses Smote the Water. The entire chorus followed with: My Soul, I'm Going To Die With the Staff, Sweet Little Jesus Boy, I Want Two Wings.

The most enthusiastic applause came when the choir sang a special arrangement of Old Man River from Show Boat, featuring as soloist, Joseph Hutton, baritone from California.

Schubert's well known Ave Maria and the Hallelujah chorus, which was conducted by James Louis Elkins, associate conductor of the choir, closed the program.

Members of the choir who sang here were: Dwayne Griffin, Patti Jean Miller, Helen Hallums, Julia Kelley, contraltos; Gussie Southall, Charlotte Nelson, Amy Johnson, sopranos; Joe Hutton, Tony Davan, baritone; Joe Cabiness, Ernest Emdson, Clinton Levert, Leroy Hughes, tenors; and Jean Williams, Samuel Johnson, basses.

Members of the Daughter Elks in smart uniforms were usher.

The choir is on a westward tour.

Aged Persons Increasing, Population Figures Show

A high percentage of the U. S. population always has been in the younger age groups, but the proportion of older persons has been increasing steadily.

One useful measure of the age trend of a population is the median age at various periods. Using this measuring tool, the median age of the U. S. population has risen from 16 years in 1850 to nearly 23 in 1930 and to 30 years in 1947.

OTTUMWA, IOWA

Ottumwa, Ia.—Mr. David George Williams and Mr. Robert Williams are returning to Los Angeles to school. Mr. Orvel Spotts is at the home of his mother, Mrs. Bessie Petrum Miller, Mrs. Helen Downey is the house guest of her son and daughter, Mr. Russel Downey.

Among the sick are Mrs. Mary D. Jackson, Mrs. Rebecca Robinson, Mr. William Bailey.

Mrs. Ida Thompson, Mrs. Erma Harvey, Mrs. LeNora Downey, Mrs. Clara Bailey, Rev. and Mrs. Dixon attended the annual conference at Minneapolis, Minn.

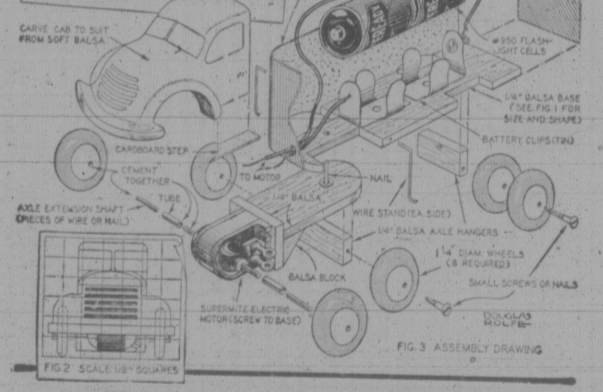
Mrs. Clara Bailey, Mr. Virgil Thompson attended the State Republican's Labor Day meeting at Des Moines. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson have returned from their vacation in Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Daunt of Des Moines were week end visitors.

MRS. MAUDE C. WYATT ATTENDS MISSIONARY SESSION IN MINNESOTA

Mrs. Maude C. Wyatt, 1042 Seventeenth street, returned to the city Monday after having spent a week in Minneapolis, Minn., attending the twenty-eighth session of the Northwestern Conference branch of the Women's Missionary Society of the AME church. She was a delegate from the St. Paul AME church.

BROTHER OF BERT HARRIS IS DEAD

Mr. Bert Harris left by plane for New Orleans, La., last Thursday to



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the bedside of his brother, Will Harris, who died Monday morning after an illness of a year.

Benjamin Franklin as "M. D."

By profession, Benjamin Franklin was a printer and publisher. Much is known of him as Franklin, the statesman, the inventor, the engineer, the agriculturalist, the oceanographer, the meteorologist, the botanist, the physicist and a host of other talents.

Mealybug, Fig Tree Pest

Chief enemy of the fig tree is the mealybug. Mealybugs become numerous on branches, leaves and fruit of the fig tree. They multiply very rapidly in the spring and early summer, and before long the tree might be defoliated or causing the tree to lose all of its leaves and shed its fruit.

Home Sewing, No. 1 Hobby

High prices of ready-to-wear clothes and the desire to be original in dress have prompted women and teen agers to make their own clothes. Some have acquired the knack of sewing easily while others have been and are being instructed at the many sewing centers and schools throughout the land.

Illinois Is Land of Slogans

From its southern tip to its northern boundary, Illinois is a land of slogans. Beginning at the southern edge of the state, in Alexander county, the tourist on a 1,500-mile circuit of Illinois will encounter almost as many slogans as there are counties and cities.

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Many navigators visualize Hawaii as one island, forgetting momentarily their Pacific geography. As a matter of fact, the Hawaiian archipelago is a cluster of islands. The entire chain extends 1,500 miles from the main island of Hawaii to the tiny Ocean Island on the northwest.

Get Talent Show Tickets

Enforcement of quarantine regulations along the U. S. Mexican border involves the employment of 50 men to keep livestock from being taken from straying across the border. Men have authority to seize any livestock near the border line.

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Mr. R. B. Thompson at 4213 La... rel wishes to thank his many friends for the many flowers and other tokens of appreciation shown to him while he was ill. Mr. Thompson is very much improved.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of my mother, Mrs. Weston, who departed this life September 17, 1937.

How oft she comes before me Her dear face so sweet and true Resting now in peace with God. Loving hearts still long to see Sady missed by May Wain and family.

Shoot on Sight

Enforcement of quarantine regulations along the U. S. Mexican border involves the employment of 50 men to keep livestock from being taken from straying across the border. Men have authority to seize any livestock near the border line.

Large advertisement for North High School Talent Show on October 18th. Includes text: 'MR. VETERAN! which were you?', 'A SURGICAL TECHNICIAN?', 'U. S. Army', 'U. S. ARMY AND U. S. AIR FORCE RECRUITING SERVICE', '109 FEDERAL OFFICE BLDG. DES MOINES, IOWA', 'IOWA COAL', 'HARRY'S GARAGE', 'CONN FURNITURE', 'STOVALL'S STORE', 'Frank's Standard Service Station', 'A & F Food Market', 'RAILROAD SALVAGE STORE', 'SAFE-WAY CLEANERS'.

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MRS. O. SOUTHERS BRIDE OF MR. ONEAL COOPER, RETURN FROM VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Oneal Cooper of 1416 Buchanan street returned Sunday from a vacation trip in Kansas and Missouri where they visited relatives and friends.

Mrs. Cooper until her marriage on September 4 was Mrs. Olivia Southern. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. P. Williams. The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller. They left the city immediately following the ceremony for a vacation.

Mrs. Cooper, a member of the Union Baptist church, the Order of the Eastern Star, is employed as a matron at the State Finance company. Mr. Cooper, a World War II veteran, is employed at the Iowa Packing company. The couple is at home at the above address.

THE WAITEFIELD EZEELI HONOR-OUT-OF-TOWN VISITORS AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Waitefield Ezeli, 1162 Second place, entertained at dinner on September 7 honoring Mr. and Mrs. Buster Jackson of Detroit, Mich., and granddaughter, Donna, and Miss Emagajan Chenault of Clarksville, Ark.

Guests sharing the courtesy were Mesdames Zelma Brown, Nellie Gajter, Alberta Hytower, Mabel Newton, Mary Young, Jessie Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Burrell, Mr. Ashery Vandiver, Charles Joiner and Buster Jackson, Jr.

THE HARLAN WATSONS OF ILLINOIS VISIT HERE

Detective and Mrs. Harlan Watson and son, Lawrence, of Springfield, Ill., were house guests recently of Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnson of 327 16th street. Mrs. Watson is a daughter of Mr. Raymond Johnson. While in the city they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Hubbard.

THE CROPPS ATTEND FAMILY REUNION IN OMAHA, NEBRASKA

Mr. and Mrs. Wason V. Cropp with Mr. Cropp's father, Mr. John Cropp of St. Louis, Mo., attended the family reunion of Mr. Cropp's cousin, the Preston Herionymous family in Omaha, Neb., during the Labor Day week end. The Cropps accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Luther Claybrook of 923 Seventeenth st. who motored to Omaha.

TO MISSISSIPPI

Mrs. Katie Chatman of 927 Twelfth street is visiting relatives in Mississippi.

THE FRED ALLENS RETURN FROM MOTOR TRIP NORTH

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen returned to the city Monday from a motor trip to Chicago, Detroit, and on into Canada where they visited friends. They will spend the remainder of their vacation here—fishing in the Iowa lakes and rivers.

MR. CAROL CURTLEY OF WASHINGTON HERE

Mr. Carol Curtley of Spokane, Wash., formerly of Des Moines, was dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thompson on Sept. 11.

MRS. BESSIE BROWN TO LIBERTY, MO.

Mrs. Bessie Brown left the city Saturday for Kansas City, Kas., to spend the week with her daughter, Mrs. E. L. Dunn, Jr., and family in Liberty, Mo. Mrs. Dunn is the former Miss Liberty L. White of Des Moines.

HERE FROM COAST

Miss John L. Anderson of Los Angeles, is visiting Mrs. George A. White and son, George, at 4745 Walnut street.

JAMES B. MORRIS JR. VISIT PARENTS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Morris, Jr., of Iowa City, were in the city visiting his parents, "Aunt" and Mrs. Morris at 953 Seventeenth street. Mr. Morris will resume his studies next week at Iowa university.

DR. CARTER OF DETROIT VISITS BROTHER HERE

Dr. L. A. Carter of Detroit, Mich., visited here recently with his brother, Mr. W. L. Carter, and family of 309 Sixteenth street.

MRS. BERT HARRIS LEAVES FOR VACATION IN LOS ANGELES

Mrs. Bert Harris, 1122 Eighth st., left the city Tuesday for a vacation in Los Angeles, Calif. She returned recently from Winniepe and Minaki, Canada where she spent ten weeks.

CARSON FAMILY HOLDS REUNION CELEBRATION



Forty-three relatives and friends attended the family celebration at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Carson, 964 Twenty-third street, held on Sunday, September 5, when most of them, relatives of Mr. Carson, made their first visits to Des Moines.

Sisters of Mr. Carson, who came from out of town, were Mrs. Anderson Brown with Mr. Brown of St. Louis, Mo., Mrs. Lillie Ball of St. Louis with her daughter, Mrs. Thelma Sutton and daughter, Barbara, and son, Clemmie; Mrs. Peggy Williams of St. Louis with her daughters, Dorothy and Peggy, and son, John Williams; Mrs. Foster Palmer with Mr. Palmer of Wright City, Mo. Other out-of-town relatives included Mrs. Marcia Smith, daughter-in-law of Mrs. Ball, and sons, Donald and James Smith of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Thomas of Slater, Mo., cousins of Mr. Carson; Mrs. Frances Henderson of Gilliam, Mo.

Mesdames Jesserean Dixon, Dorothy Hammit and Maxine Watkins, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Carson; Mesdames Stella Hyde, Gertrude North, Adah Johnson and Beulah Neff.

The visitors were also honored at a breakfast by Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Hyde, Mrs. Adah Johnson and Mrs. Gertrude North on Labor Day Monday. Sharing the courtesy were Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer, Mrs. Williams and daughter, Peggy; Mrs. Smith and sons, James and Donald; Mrs. Ball, Mrs. Sutton and son, Clemmie; and Mr. and Mrs. Carson.

Photographed in the picture are: (First Row) Hazel Dixon, Mrs. Carson holding a granddaughter, Jesserean Dixon, Mr. Carson holding another granddaughter, Annette Dixon, Mrs. Marcia Smith with Eleanor Dixon at her knee, Donald Smith with Alpha (Buzzy) Dixon seated in front of him, Clemmie Sutton with Mrs. Dorothy Hammit seated in front, Clifford Watkins behind, Miss Peggy Williams, James Smith and John Williams on the end.

Second Row—Mrs. Maxine Watkins, Elaine, Ronald, Maxella Dixon and Sharon Ann Hammit, Mrs. Lillie Brown, Mrs. Peggy Williams, Mrs. Eddie Neff, Mr. Neff, Mr. F. A. Black, Mr. Edgar Angel, Mrs. Jesserean Dixon with Mr. Clifford Watkins behind her.

Back Row (Standing)—Mr. Anderson Brown, Mr. Henry Hammit, Mr. Alfred Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Thomas, Mrs. Adah Johnson, Mrs. Frances Henderson, Mrs. Thelma Sutton, Mrs. Lillie Ball (top of head showing), Mr. Branham Hyde, Mr. Fred Johnson, Mrs. Foster Palmer and Mr. Palmer, Miss Dorothy Williams, Miss Barbara Sutton. (Howard Photo).

MR. AND MRS. G. JONES SPEND WEEK END HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Governor Jones of Chicago, Ill., visited over the recent holidays with Mrs. Jones' sister, Mrs. Eugenia E. Wolfskill of 833 Tenth street.

MR. WM. F. MACK OF KANSAS CITY HERE

Mr. William F. Mack of Kansas City, Mo., is spending his vacation with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Franklin, 927 Twelfth street.

MRS. MABEL NEWTON IS LUNCHEON HOSTESS

Mrs. Mabel Newton of 1402 Second place was hostess at a luncheon September 8 in honor of Mrs. Imogene Shepault of Clarksville, Ark., and Mrs. Phyllis Jackson of Detroit, Mich.

MRS. GREENUP RETURNS TO MASON CITY

Mrs. Lydia Greenup who has been visiting in Des Moines for the last four weeks, has returned to her home in Mason City, Ia.

RETURN FROM VISIT IN OHIO AND ILLINOIS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnson of 932 16th street returned to the city Sept. 10 after spending ten days visiting their brother, Willard Johnson, of Mansfield, Ohio, and cousin, Mrs. Harry Johnson of Cleveland, Ohio. They were house guests of Mr. Raymond Johnson's daughter, Mrs. Harlan Watson in Springfield, where they also saw Abe Lincoln's tomb and home.

REV. AND MRS. YEAGER ATTEND CONFERENCE

Rev. and Mrs. De Witt Yeager attended the A.M.E. annual conference last week in Minneapolis, Minn., where he was ordained a deacon. While there they visited with friends Mr. and Mrs. Will Crump.

THE WILLIAM CLARKS VISIT IN ATLANTIC CITY

Mr. and Mrs. William Clark of 1152 Second street place were guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Clark of Atlantic City, N. J.

MISS WILLA M. TUNLEY SPENDS WEEK HERE

Miss Willa Mae Tunley of Chicago, with in the city for a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tunley of 2808 Cleveland avenue. Miss Tunley is employed at the Veterans Administration in Chicago and plans to enter Chicago Institute of Art. She was formerly employed at the Veterans Administration in Des Moines from which she was transferred to the Illinois Regional office.

MISS MURIEL POINDEXTER, POPULAR NEW YORK MODEL, IS SHOWN HERE DEMONSTRATING ONE OF THE SEASON'S OUTSTANDING CROCHETED HATS.



By Marie Ross

MR. CHARLES JOINER VISITS RELATIVES IN ARKANSAS

Mr. Charles Joiner of 1402 Second place is visiting his son and daughters in Clarksville, Ark., and points in Kansas.

2407 GARFIELD AVENUE IS AT HOME ON VACATION WHICH SHE HAD NOT PLANNED TO START UNTIL THIS WEEK JUST TO GET A BREATHING SPELL BEFORE THE STORK REAUGHT UP WITH HER.

Busy at her home last Wednesday night—getting things ready to go to work the next morning at the Veterans Administration where she is a secretary in the office of the Mental hygiene unit, the stork sent a message. Marri was rushed to Mercy hospital and John Everett Johnson, the Second, was born shortly afterwards.

OTHER NEW STUDENTS THIS YEAR AT THE CARSON COLLEGE ARE DAUGHTER OF WICHITA, KANS., LEROY CARTER AND WILLIAM ROTHMANN OF COUNCIL BLUFFS, IA., AND WALTER BRYANT OF OMAHA. BRYANT IS THE BROTHER OF ARTHUR BRYANT WHO HAS RETURNED THIS YEAR TO DO GRADUATE WORK IN FINE ARTS.

Former residents of the cottages who have returned include Willard Moore of Muskogee, Okla., Edgar Angel of Jamaica and Alfred Edwards of Oklahoma.

Mrs. Alice Hutchinson of Earham, Ia., was in Des Moines shopping Saturday from her home "out in the country," she said, where she is residing with a sick brother.

Mrs. Hutchinson said she had lived in Des Moines twenty-five years ago with the late Mrs. Mae Pride who attended Drake university. Since then she has taught school in Oklahoma City until last year.

Mrs. John E. (Ma) Johnson of

SOCIAL ART CLUB TO MEET NEXT THURSDAY

The Social Art club will meet Sept. 23 at the home of Mrs. Zula Turner, 1424 East Eighteenth street. Each member is asked to bring a "Big Sister" gift. Mrs. Mary Hardaway is president and Mrs. Vera Williams, secretary.

DUCHESS DELUXE CLUB MEETS SEPTEMBER 17

The Duchess DeLuxe club met last week with Mrs. Lucy Williams, 1170 Eleventh street. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Jean Pinson, 1318 Day street, on September 17.

EXCELSIOR CLUB MEETS SEPT. 21

The Excelsior club will meet with Mrs. Thelma Crewe, 1416 Maryland, on Sept. 21. The president, Mrs. Ida Green, has urged all members to be present.

MARY B. TALBERT CLUB MEETS SEPT. 22

The Mary B. Talbert club will meet with a potluck at the home of Mrs. Olivia Williams, 1537 Maple street, on Wednesday, Sept. 22. All members are requested to bring a guest. A report will be made of the state meeting by delegates. Mrs. Fannie Danforth is president; Mrs. Maybelle Jefferson is treasurer.

HAT OF THE SEASON



Miss Muriel Poindexter, popular New York model, is shown here demonstrating one of the season's outstanding crocheted hats. You can receive complete instructions on how to make this charming hat free of charge by writing to the Home Sewing Department of this newspaper, enclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

MR. LEROY HAYES SPENDS WEEK END WITH THE GEORGE HAYES FAMILY

Mr. Leroy Hayes of St. Joseph, Mo., motored here recently to spend the week end with his parents and sister and nephews, Mr. and Mrs. George Hayes and Mrs. Evelyn Ritchie and family. Joining Mr. Hayes on the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Richard May, Jr.

The visitors were entertained at a dinner and a party by Mrs. Hayes. Sharing the courtesy were: Mr. and Mrs. William Hayes, Mrs. Mildred Timony, Mrs. Evelyn Ritchie and sons, Donald, Ronald, and Bobby Ritchie.

REV. AND MRS. YEAGER ATTEND CONFERENCE

Rev. and Mrs. De Witt Yeager attended the A.M.E. annual conference last week in Minneapolis, Minn., where he was ordained a deacon. While there they visited with friends Mr. and Mrs. Will Crump.

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Iowa Bystander, 221 1/2 Locust Street, Des Moines 9, Ia.

V. C.—I have been going with this friend for nearly a year. Last week he gave me a beautiful radio-phonograph console that cost three hundred dollars. I know that he cares for me but what I want to know is why won't he do the things that I want him to do always?

Ans.: You expect too much of your friend. He loves you and proves it. But—he's not the type to let any woman "hen-peck" him to the extent of dancing to their tune about every little thing. He's going to exercise his own judgment at times and you may as well appreciate this fact. You will admire him much more for doing so.

S. M.—I received a letter from a man in the north selling lots as low as \$75. I want to know if I should go ahead and buy one of these lots?

Ans.: Don't invest any money in property which you have not seen. You are not familiar with this part of the country and it is doubtful if you would ever care to live there. Before buying a lot anywhere—look it over and investigate the title and avoid costly complications. I shall be glad to go into your second problem if you will write me privately.

C. B.—I have been sick for the past year and the doctors here do not seem to know my trouble. My husband is urging me to make the trip to Baltimore and go to Johns Hopkins for a diagnosis. Do you think it would be a waste of money?

Ans.: Absolutely not. It is precisely what you should do since you have not been able to get relief from the treatment you have received. Your husband considers your health far more important than the money he has saved and is ready and willing to spend every cent of it if necessary in order for you to enjoy better health.

MARY CHURCH TERRELL OPENS FALL MEETING

The Mary Church Terrell club opens its fall season with a meeting with Mrs. A. C. Banister as hostess. The president, Mrs. Birdie Winn, presided and appointed chairmen of committees as follows: program, Mrs. Adah Johnson; finance, Mesdames Goleather Trotter and Lillian Edmunds; entertainment, Mrs. Nellie Esters; sick, Mrs. Gertrude North and investigating, Mrs. Joan Bullock.

THEODOSIA COURT OF AMARANTH TO MEET SEPTEMBER 19

Theodosia Court of Amaranth No. 5 will meet Sunday, Sept. 19, at 4 p. m. at the fraternal home, Eleventh and Center streets. Mrs. Helen Carter is royal matron.

THE HERSHELL McCOWANS RETURN FROM MINNESOTA

Mr. and Mrs. Hershell McCowan have returned from a motor trip and vacation in Minneapolis, Minn., with Mr. McCowan's aunt, Mrs. E. W. Walls, and Mr. Walls. While there they spent their time fishing.

CALLED OUT OF CITY

Mrs. Wilma Bolden and Mrs. Mary Young were called out-of-town by the death of their uncle, John Lewis of Oskaloosa, Ia.

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POOR EXAMPLES OF AMERICAN DEMOCRACY

There are times when signs of encouragement come out of the South indicating improvements in race relations. But when something like the murder of Irish Nixon in Alston, Georgia last week, comes along it appears that those signs mean little.

There Nixon was murdered in cold blood because he dared exercise his constitutional rights. Thus, the murderer thinks it no crime to kill a Negro because he dared "get out of his place."

Of course, men have died while securing and maintaining their rights since the world began. They will continue to do so as long as one man tries to subjugate another "as long as he attempts to subject free men to the position of second class citizens."

Negroes in America are getting closer and closer to the position of full citizenship in the practical sense of the word. And as they come closer to that position, opposition stiffens. In certain cases, even some of the so-called fair-minded people balk at arguing that we must not try to head the fast.

Here in Le Mars, Iowa, we had an incident of a most serious nature which if not handled properly, could have set off a lot of trouble. Three Negro men were beaten up by some hoodlums who objected because they resented their appearance in a pool hall.

While the men were fined one hundred dollars each, all the law assessed under which the charge filed, a thirty day jail sentence was suspended.

Their act was mob violence pure and simple sparked by racial hatred. People who do these things should be dealt with severely for their acts strike at the roots of our American theory of life.

It is not possible to predict what will happen to the Georgia murderers but if the citizens of that community are good people as Henry Wallace says, they will demonstrate to the world, by decisive action that they believe in law and order.

WALLACE BLIND TO SOUTHERN PATTERNS

Henry Wallace says that the northern cotton mill owners in North and South Carolina were responsible for the rotten egg showers he received while on a speaking tour throughout those states.

As proof of his contention, he cites the fact that he was not greeted with such treatment in the other southern states where he spoke.

Now, Mr. Wallace knows this is not true, for had he commended his tour in another section of the South, the same treatment would have greeted him as he received in North and South Carolina.

The real reason for the difference was that public opinion even among Mr. Wallace's political opponents, became so indignant that the law enforcing officials stiffened their backs and dared the hoodlums and some of the so-called good folks to mistreat their unwelcome visitor.

Mr. Wallace takes some very foolish positions. But, like the Russians, he has some good ideas and is entitled to credit for bringing them to a focus.

However, he is far off his base in this instance.

IOWA WELCOMES TRUMAN AND DEWEY

President Truman will speak in Iowa Saturday. Governor Dewey Monday. Thus, we of the "fall corn state" are a much sought after people by both major political parties.

Iowa is a great farming state, and since the cost of living question is much in the forefront, each, no doubt, wishes to make clear his position on farm questions and subsidies and at the same time not antagonize the people of the breadbasket of the nation. And even though we are partisan in our politics, both candidates will be given a courteous reception by all the people in the state.

This is as it should be and until this is the rule in all states, our nation falls short of one of the fundamental elements which we say constitutes democracy.

TALMADGE WINS

At Augusta, a delaying move was reported. It was charged that election officials there were allowing colored electors to vote only at the rate of about three an hour by asking ridiculous questions. A long line of colored voters at one polling place was reported not to have moved an inch in fifteen minutes.

One election official at Augusta was quoted as saying "I believe we can kill at least twenty minutes per Negro. That will allow only three to



WALTER WHITE See FRONT Page

He informed the board that he would not attend the meeting which acted on Mr. White's going to Europe and said in the future he will insist on being furnished a copy of the agenda of board meetings and of minutes of previous meetings. He also said he would insist that there be put before the board at its next meeting a proposal for steps leading to a declared foreign policy of the association.

Officials Decline

Officials of the NAACP declined to comment on Dr. Du Bois' charges last Thursday. Henry Lee Moon, public relations director, said Mr. White would issue no statement but the matter would be taken up by the board on Monday. Mr. Moon refused to comment on reports that the charges were the outgrowth of a long feud between Mr. White and Dr. Du Bois. It has been known for sometime, however, that there is a definite alignment within the NAACP of forces supporting Dr. Du Bois' views and those supporting Mr. White's.

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HEALTH FOR ALL

A HEALTHY START TO SCHOOL

This month thousands of little children all over the country are starting an entirely unfamiliar routine of daily life. They are entering school for the first time, faced with a number of adjustments to be made in this change in their day's schedule.

On the surface, most of them seem well-prepared for the adventure. They have new dresses and suits, pencil boxes and pads and even fruit and crackers for recess. But, unfortunately, many of them may not have the sound health so important to a good start in school.

Those children whose parents took them to a doctor for a thorough medical check-up before the opening of school and followed any suggestions the doctor might have made actually are the best prepared. Certainly every child should have a routine physical examination at least once a year but it is especially important as part of his preparation for school.

Many doctors believe that the time of life when the child is entering school is among the most neglected periods of his life. They point out that infants and small babies are as a rule well cared for with careful supervision of diet, protection from disease and accidents, and the periodic visits to the baby doctor or clinic. The older child, on the other hand, "speaks up" when he is not feeling up to par.

Usually, it is the child of the preschool and kindergarten age whose health is most apt to be neglected. He has advanced beyond the "baby stage," with its careful supervision, and yet is not old enough to help take care of himself.

A child's physical well-being should be of special concern to his parents at this time. First of all, many defects or imperfections that might otherwise handicap him in later life, or even shorten his life, can be de-

ected and taken care of at this early age. Secondly, the check-up might insure a happier school life for the child, cutting down on the time lost from school because of illness and enabling him to study and learn to full capacity with the minimum of trouble as far as his health is concerned.

For example, children should have certain protections against diseases before they enter school. Every child should be vaccinated before he enters school; most schools require it. Doctors advise, as a matter of fact, that measures be taken to protect every baby against diphtheria, whooping cough and smallpox before the end of his first year.

The "pre-school" check-up (ten means that impaired hearing or vision, diseased tonsils and adenoids, decayed teeth, malnutrition and spinal curvature are detected at a time when they are most easily corrected.)

Never wait until a child is seriously ill before you take him to a doctor. And don't send him off to his "big adventure" of school life with "three strikes" of imperfect health or correctible defects against him.

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

AME CONFERENCE APPOINTMENTS

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E. A. Coleman; St. Peters (Minneapolis); Rev. H. C. Boyd; Sioux City, E. A. Henry; Huron, South Dakota, Rev. W. H. Hightower; Yankton; S. D. H. K. Ellis; Ft. Dodge, Ia. W. L. Johnson; Cedar Rapids, H. C. Copeland; St. James (St. Paul); B. N. Moore; St. James (Minneapolis); C. R. Thomas.

Des Moines—W. H. Ogleton, presiding elder; Ottumwa, James Dixon; Oskaloosa-Fairfield, W. A. Simpson; Washington—M. Pleasant; E. A. London; Albia-Osceola, Rev. James Barr; Clinton, W. M. Berry; Iowa City, Evangelist Christina McDonald; Muscatine-Ft. Madison, R. O. Hopkins; Bethel (Des Moines); E. P. Williams; Davenport, E. A. Allen; Council Bluffs, W. F. Stone; Clarinda, Wm. Brewer; Newton, R. C. Campbell; Marshalltown, C. H. Caulder.

Transferred to Illinois conference, D. H. Foiden; to Chicago conference, A. J. Irvine and T. S. Henderson.

Evangelists—Elmeda Ellis; Mary Packerson of Minneapolis; Moricha Johnson of Waterloo; Ethel Russell of Minneapolis; Christina McDonald of Cedar Rapids; Mildred Brown of Minneapolis; Sallie Thomas, Minneapolis; Missouri Slater, Clinton; Estella Coates, Des Moines.

Deacons—ordained local deacons Dewey Yeager; Deaconess congregations, Mrs. Bertha James of St. Paul; Miss. Missionary papers—Goldie Farr; Mattie Boyd; Verlie Irvine; Mattie Foiden; Nina Miller; Winona Allen; Mrs. Anna Collins; Mrs. Jeanie Harris and Mary Hickey.

The next conference will meet at St. James on St. Paul, Minn., with Rev. B. N. Moore.

mediant and unpleasant tasks, because the policy of the government is to assign a disproportionate number of them to men whose skins are darker than mine. I am not deceived by gestures or tokens. As no self-respecting Negro can accept the yolk of Jim Crow oppression, no self-benefit from his oppression."

Only July 28, after Mr. Truman had issued his executive order, White wrote the "Editor" that "true equality consists of more than equivalent treatment or opportunity."

More Than a Committee. "It is not enough," he declares, "to guarantee that if white soldiers have ice cream on Sunday, Negro soldiers must have it too. Something more than a committee is needed to advise on this kind of equality."

The evil of Jim Crow Army and your assent to it is a violation of the equality of the brotherhood of man," he continued. True, all armies deny and violate this fact in acting as though the enemy were not their brothers. But this military establishment mental the United States does not assent to this. It denies even the equality of brotherhood of those within its ranks. I will not join

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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

WHY NOT YOU AND I???

The tall white birch
And the big brown oak
Grew side by side.
God made them both, with limbs and leaves
And they stayed that way
Until they died.
They spent the days stretching toward the sun
At night, they whispered prayers in to the wind to reach their only "One!"

The white birch tree, and,
The big brown oak,
Never knew man's greed, they never could know prejudice and pain.
All they knew,
They loved and grew
In weather bad,
In rain or shine they both stood there side by side.

—Dorothy Senechal (C.G.)

teams in the history were not speed kings. But they got blocking up front so they could get into the secondary. Lack of foot speed is tough, but not necessarily fatal as Iowa fans ought to realize.

The local high schools got under way before the schools began their studies. Again there is a host of Negroes, Cookie Ward at Tech, Carroll Jackson, Paul Johnson, John Jones, Finnis Billingsly and just too many others at North. East misses Dick Atkins, but will be plenty tough. Looks like a wild scramble for second place in the city series.

Glabe Trotters vs. Globe Trotters.

We are almost amused by the rant of Abe Saffersberg against Bobby Grund, local promoter, over the name, "Harlem Globe Trotters," of a Negro basketball club. Grund's statement that he considers his team to be the world's colored champions

is an insult to Negro basketball. Surely some of the Trotter teams we saw were not expected to be passed on to the public as the best in Negro basketball. The rest of the agreements of Grund's attorneys take up too much space to discuss. But we do recall seeing the original Harlem Globe Trotters featuring David Pullen of Wendell Phillips High of Chicago in 1929. Then about 1931, the "Famous Globe Trotters" showed up and were looked as a farm team of the Harlem team. The name of Famous Trotters stuck until recently.

We recall when we were in Rock Island the team of Bobby Grund was billed in Davenport as the "Harlem Trotters," and the Davenport paper printed the record of the Chicago team. Then the fans were disappointed at what they saw. That may not be misleading, but it wasn't too accurately advertised.

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—Norman Sims Ellington

reason for writing this is that we believe that at least the Negro public should be acquainted with facts when people talk about the best in Negro basketball or any other sport.

VETERANS WHIRL

By JAMES L. HICKS
NSPA Staff Writer

The Nutcracker Post office opens its doors this week with a tongue in its cheek toward Mr. Herman P. Osborn of the United Mutual Life Insurance Company.

In case you came late, Joe, the Nutcracker Post office was set up by this column a month ago in an attempt to either get some results for Veterans and their problems or to expose some of the persons in public office who are giving them the run around. You write us your problem, we channel it to a public official who is getting paid to advise you and we publish the results as to whether or not they acted in good faith or gave you the run around.

Mr. Osborn persuaded us to write a column on the need of his firm for qualified veterans interested in the insurance business. James A. Williams of Roanoke, Virginia, saw the column and wrote both the Nutcracker Post office and Mr. Osborn, stating his very excellent

red-over-to-George.

This week the case of Abraham Galloway of 914 Pine Street, Columbia, South Carolina, who has had difficulty getting a loan is being turned over to George Holland of the Veterans Administration for investigation. The case of a veteran in jail who wants to study and train under the GI Bill is also being turned over to George.

SCHOOL WORK BEGINS

School days return
The lessons begin,
As summer's green fades brown,
Soon leaves will turn
T'ay colors of fall,
And drop gently to the ground.
—Elmer Stryker

At this writing, Mr. Osborn has not seen fit to answer either the Nutcracker Post office letter or the letter from Mr. Williams. The office explained last Tuesday, however, that he is away on vacation so we are reserving comment on him until he gets back. But we are first assured Joe that we are going to ask Mr. Osborn when he gets back whether or not he was really interested in jobs for vets or whether he was just seeking publicity. You may look here for his answer.

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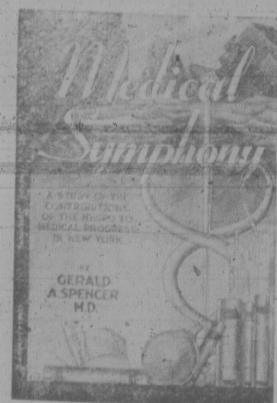
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