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News Briefs
From Far and Near

ONE NEGRO WOMAN ON TOWN HALL'S TOUR OF EUROPEAN CAPITALS

New York (NNPA)—Mrs. Edith S. Sampson, Chicago attorney and chairman of the executive committee of the National Council of Negro Women left here June 25, aboard a Pan American Airways Stratocruiser on the first leg of a round-the-world flight with the World Town Hall Seminar to participate in Town Hall meetings in twelve foreign capitals.

Mrs. Sampson was the only colored person of a group of thirty one representing a cross section of American life who made the trip under the auspices of Town Hall, Inc., of New York. Walter White, executive secretary of the NAACP, was scheduled to have left with the group but it was announced at the airport that Mr. White would join the group later, possibly in Rome or Berlin.

Headed by George V. Denny, Jr., moderator of the Town Hall meeting, and president of Town Hall, Inc., the party will circle the globe with stops at London, Paris, Berlin, Vienna, Rome, Ankara, Tel Aviv, Alexandria, Karachi, New Delhi, Manila and Tokyo.

FIKSK U. PIANIST TO STUDY IN FRANCE

New York (AP)—Lola Towles, concert pianist and assistant professor of music at Fisk University, left here by plane last Wednesday morning enroute to Fontainebleau, France, where she will study music and fine arts under Robert Casadesus, famed French teacher.

Miss Towles is the pianist whom Arthur Rubenstein heard play at Fisk last year and then invited her to play for him for an hour and forty minutes. The famed pianist became so interested in Miss Towles' ability that he is taking a leading part in arranging for her debut at Carnegie Hall next winter.

A native of Texarkana, Arkansas, Miss Towles is a graduate of Wiley College and the Julliard School of Music and holds two master degrees from the University of Iowa. One of her master's degrees was given her in recognition of her proficiency in the fine arts.

JESSE OWENS NAMED GREATEST ATHLETE OF ALL-TIME

Chicago—A jury of 38 of the nation's sports editors, columnists and radio sports casters, voting in the August issue of Negro picture monthly, Ebony, select Jesse Owens as the greatest Negro athlete of all-time.

Voting to select the "Ten Greatest Negro Athletes Of All-Time," members of the Negro and white press and radio, cast their ballots in the following manner: Jesse Owens, 38; Joe Louis, 37; Jackie Robinson, 27; Satchel Paige, 24; Sam Langford, 23; Henry Armstrong, 22; Joe Gans, 21; Harrison Dillard, 21; Fritz Pollard, 18; Jack Johnson, 15.

Duke Slater missed being chosen among the top ten by the slim margin of one vote.

HOLD SERVICES FOR MRS. EVA OWENS, 90

Services were held Thursday afternoon at Corinthian Baptist church for Mrs. Eva Owens, 90, who died July 5 at her home, 1009 Laurel street, after a three-month illness. Burial was at Glendale cemetery.

Born in Naples, Ill., she had lived here 80 years.

Mrs. Owens was the oldest member of Corinthian Baptist church and a member of the Deaconess board. She was a past counselor of Rebecca Court and a past grand worthy counselor of the Iowa jurisdiction, O. E. S.

Mrs. Owens is survived by one nephew, Earl Williams, Des Moines.

CHURCHMEN OF FOURTH A ME DISTRICT HOLD 3 DAY MEETING

Minneapolis, Minn.—The seventh annual meeting of the Fourth Episcopal District Laymen's organization is in session at St. Peter's Church, 914 East 22nd St. July 7, 8 and 9. The Rt. Rev. George W. Baber, presiding Bishop, will preach the annual sermon for the league. A full and varied program is planned for the three days of the meeting.

The sessions opened at 10 a.m. Thursday morning, July 7, with William Entzinger, district president; Dr. W. E. Guy, P. E., St. Paul District Director; Curtis Davis, district director; D. D. Adams, district chaplain; Rev. Carl McKay; Rev. H. C. Boyd, host pastor; Rev. B. N. Moore, and Miss Arzell Covington on the program.

On Thursday afternoon John Shack, presiding; Naomi Phillips, Mrs. Pearl Collins and Mrs. Idell Henry, all of Michigan, and Milton T. Galloway of Chicago, gave the program.

The six conference president, Shelby Gibson of Indiana; H. B. Stone, Illinois; E. W. Robinson, Chicago, George Cotes, Ontario; Albert Williams of Michigan and Mrs. Mabel

Mason of the Northwest, made their annual reports.

On other afternoon and evening programs on Thursday were Mrs. Minnie Bailey of Indiana; Mrs. Anastasia E. Dudley; D. D. Adams, Cleveland L. Longmire, O. C. Hall, Rev. B. N. Moore, Cecil E. Newman, Rev. Boyd, Charles P. Howard, Rev. H. G. Riley, Judson Phillips and Herbert L. Dudley. Governor Luther W. Youngdahl will make the welcome address on the Thursday night session.

Friday, July 9 will be annual youth day of the conference. Beginning at 9 o'clock, led by Miss Joan Harpole, the youth will take over the program. Miss Constance Chivers will make the welcome address.

William Entzinger will preside over the Saturday morning session, which will begin at 9 o'clock. Drs. J. L. Leach of Flint, Michigan and L. L. Berry of Chicago will give health talks.

Committee reports, conference presidents and youth directors reports and a sight seeing trip will terminate the three day conference.

Baseball Talent Hunt Try-Outs in Iowa July 22-30

The second annual state-wide Baseball Try-Out Camp and Talent Hunt will be held July 22-30 in Des Moines at Pioneer Memorial park, it was announced by the sponsors, radio station KRNT and the Chicago Cubs.

A highly - successful week - long event last year, with an enrollment of nearly 1,400, the 1949 talent hunt will be expanded in scope and cover a nine-day period, opening Friday, July 22 and closing Saturday night, July 30.

Al Coupee, sports director of KRNT and former amateur and professional star athlete, will manage the free Try-Out Camp for young baseballers from 9 through 21 years of age, in cooperation with the Cubs and Des Moines Bruins Business Manager John Holland.

Application for enrollment can be

made by writing to Al Coupee, KRNT, Des Moines 4, Iowa. Registration forms will be mailed immediately to the applicant, along with instructions.

Enrollees will be placed into three age categories—16-21, inclusive, in one group; 13-15, another class, and 9-12 in the third.

First three days will be devoted to actual processing and enrollment assignment of identification numbers, instructions, and discussion periods.

Opening day Friday will be only for the 9-12 group. Saturday will be for the 13-15 aggregation only, and Sunday will be the day for the 16-21 age division to report.

Position try-outs and serious play will get underway Monday. No enrollment applications will be taken after Sunday. By Friday, 60 of the most outstanding candidates will have been chosen in each age group for berths on exhibition teams to compete in the finale—a KRNT-Cubs Exhibition Tournament Friday and Saturday. A championship twin bill will be staged Saturday night, which will be free to the public.

St. Louis to Make Human Relations Body Standing Part of City Organization

St. Louis (NNPA)—The St. Louis Council on Human Relations, recently appointed by Mayor Joseph M. Darst after racial outbreaks at Fairgrounds Park swimming pool, held its organizational meeting Monday, June 27.

Russell L. Dearmont, temporary chairman, named committees to plan a permanent organization and to obtain data on current problems in race relations. Mrs. Ethel Bowles, a colored member of the council, was appointed on the data committee.

James E. Cook, secretary of the Pine Street YMCA who was recently appointed to the committee, asked whether the group would take up the "recent happenings," meaning the swimming pool incidents. Mr. Dearmont replied that it would be better to build for the future. The city had reacted well to the disturbing occurrences, he said.

Oscar A. Ehrhardt, a member of the committee on organization, argued that the body should keep its problems in the "present tense." Henry E. Chadeayne, chairman of the data committee, said the Mayor had planned the appointment of the council prior to the swimming pool outbreak. Sam Elson, a member of the data committee, said that to take up the outbreak now "might wreck" the group.

Mayor Darst, in an opening ad-

dress to the group, said he planned to make the council a "permanent part of our municipal organization." (SEE EDITORIAL PAGE)

HEADS DENTISTRY



Dr. William M. Allen will assume duties as the new dean of Meharry's School of Dentistry on Aug. 1. He succeeds Dr. Clifton O. Dummett

Indian Ambassador To Present Medal



Mme. Vijaya Lakshmi Pandit, Indian ambassador to the United States, who will present the Spingarn Medal to Dr. Ralph J. Bunche at the closing session of the 40th Annual Conference of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People at the Hollywood Bowl, July 17. The award, made annually to a Negro American for outstanding achievement, will be presented to Dr. Bunche in recognition of his contribution to peace in the Middle East in his capacity as acting UN Mediator in Palestine.

N.Y. Women Disagree With Judge's Ruling on 'Erroneous Assumption'

New York (NNPA)—Prominent Harlem women unanimously disagreed with a New York City judge's decision handed down in Family Court, in which he ruled that a woman who is not a virgin commits a fraud on a man if she marries him without first telling him that she is unchaste.

Judge Montefiere Levy in Family Court last Monday ruled that a man is justified in leaving his wife and refusing to support her because she had been unchaste before marriage and had not told him so. The judge held that a woman suing her husband for non support in his court had committed fraud by her failure to tell her husband before marriage that she was not a virgin even though he did not ask her. The husband walked out on his wife when he learned after marrying her that she was not chaste.

Mrs. Aloncita Flood, director of the teen-age girls at the Harlem branch of the YWCA, said the decision was "ridiculous." In the first place, if the man was seeking an unchaste woman, he should have asked her if she was a virgin before they were married, she said.

Declaring that she had heard from some men that the matter of premarital virginity was not too important, Mrs. Flood said "I think if the question is raised both parties should be honest with each other. I don't agree with the double standard idea. It's just as fair for women to know as men."

Mrs. Ruby Hurley, director of Youth Groups for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, said "I think it's ridiculous for a man to assume in this day and age that a woman is chaste. In 1949, with the majority of women as independent as they are, it's ridiculous for a man to go around looking for a chaste woman."

Judge Levy himself was asked by a reporter whether he had acted according to the double standard of society in rendering his opinion. The judge answered, "yes, except that in this instance the law also agrees that husbands need not support wives they married in the erroneous assumption that they were virgins at the time."

CAFE OWNER PLEADS NOT GUILTY TO SMASHING PLATES, GLASSES

Detroit, Mich.—A restaurateur accused by Dr. Joseph J. Jones, prominent physician, of charging ten dollars for two steak dinners, threatening him with an icepick and expressing unadulterated contempt for his Negro customers by smashing the plates and glasses they used, pleaded not guilty of violation of the civil rights law last Wednesday.

Recorder's Judge W. McKay Skillman ordered Frank Maniaci, proprietor of St. Clair Grill, 10436 Mack, to appear for examination July 13 and post \$300 personal bond.

who has been granted an indefinite leave of absence from the college to accept a position with the Veterans Administration at Tuskegee institute. Dr. Allen, a graduate of Meharry, is a specialist in prosthetics. Prior to his recent appointment, he served as assistant dean of the dental school. (ANP)

Dr. Jones, an ear, eye, nose, throat specialist, told the Tribune that he entered the cafe and placed the order as a "test" after a friend complained that the owner was reluctant to serve him.

The friend, George Nelson Smith, stated that he went into the cafe about 8:30 p. m. Sunday for a steak dinner to take out. Maniaci, he said, told him it would be five dollars. Subsequent pricing of a pork chop sandwich then coffee revealed that each would cost him the same (SEE PAGE SIX)

Colored Person Cannot Maintain Any Semblance Of Dignity in U.S. Capital

Chicago (NNPA)—A colored person cannot maintain any semblance of dignity in Washington, the nation's capital, Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, director of the United Nations trusteeship division declared last Monday at a press conference in the office of the Chicago Council of Foreign Relations.

Dr. Bunche was here to address the evening meeting sponsored by the council in Orchestra hall, at which he discussed the situation in Palestine. He won international acclaim for his success in negotiating a truce between the Arabs and Jews in Palestine.

Recently he declined an offer from President Truman of appointment as an Assistant Secretary of State, explaining that segregation in the capital was a factor in his refusal.

Dr. Bunche conceded that many men "in high places" in Washington do not accept or condone discrimination in the capital, but he added: "The local population has no voice in the government. Giving the people the right to vote would make a difference. It made a difference here in Chicago. The situation in Washington is especially regrettable because it is not a traditional one. Fifty years ago there was no widespread segregation there. Since then there has been a retrogression."

Asked if anything was being done to bring about an improvement, Dr. Bunche pointed to the President's civil rights program and to the international declaration of human rights put forward by the United Nations. He agreed that it is impossible to legislate morality, but declared legislation provides "the warp and woof for efforts to educate people, to develop understanding."

Dr. Bunche said he felt the United Nations was getting stronger in the esteem of peoples throughout the world and there is more cynicism here about the league's future than in other countries.

He expressed confidence in the future of the new state of Israel.

LOS ANGELES READY FOR NAACP MEETING

Los Angeles—The delegates from 35 states who are scheduled to attend the 40th annual conference of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People will be welcomed to the city by Mayor Fletcher Bowron at the opening session, Tuesday night, July 12.

Completion of arrangements for the six-day conference was announced by Thomas L. Griffith, president of the Los Angeles branch of the NAACP. Branch committees, he said, have carefully prepared plans for taking care of the multiple activities of the conference.

The conference program has been planned with a view to developing improved ways and means of attaining civil rights for all American citizens. The government's responsibility in such a program will be discussed by Governor William H. Hastie of the Virgin Islands. Political and legal aspects of the program will be discussed by delegates and NAACP staff members.

The keynote address will be delivered by Roy Wilkins, acting NAACP secretary, at the opening meet-

ing. Also speaking on the same program will be Philip Wilkie, member of the Indiana State Legislature and son of the late Wendell Wilkie.

A huge mass meeting on Sunday afternoon in the Hollywood Bowl will close the conference. At this meeting the Spingarn Medal will be presented to Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, UN Mediator for Palestine, by Mme. V. L. Pandit, Indian Ambassador to Mrs. Ben Cooley returned to the city this week from Minneapolis, the United States.

President Truman Fails To Comment on Swimming Pools' Dispute in Washington

Washington, D. C. (NNPA)—President Truman last Thursday declined to comment on the controversy over nonsegregated use of six swimming pools in the District of Columbia, which are under the jurisdiction of the Interior Department and operated by Government Services, Inc., a quasi-government agency.

The question came up when a reporter asked Mr. Truman whether he had any comment to make on the disturbances at the Anacostia swimming pool.

Secretary of the Interior Julian A. Krug ordered the Anacostia pool closed last Thursday as the result of repeated clashes there, and it appeared that the segregation controversy might spread to five other nonsegregated pools here.

The disturbances last Wednesday, the second in two days, brought about thirty officers to Anacostia pool to quiet a mixed crowd of 400 people. Three persons were injured and five more arrested, two for passing handbills and three for disorderly conduct.

Bruised
Private Julius Campall, 32-year

old Park Policeman, was bruised on the right arm by a stone, and Charles Watson, 21-year old colored youth, cut his leg and foot climbing over the pool's wire fence.

At Eleventh Precinct Station later on, Donald Long, 20 and Joseph Jackson, 20, both white, forfeited \$5 collateral each on charges of distributing handbills.

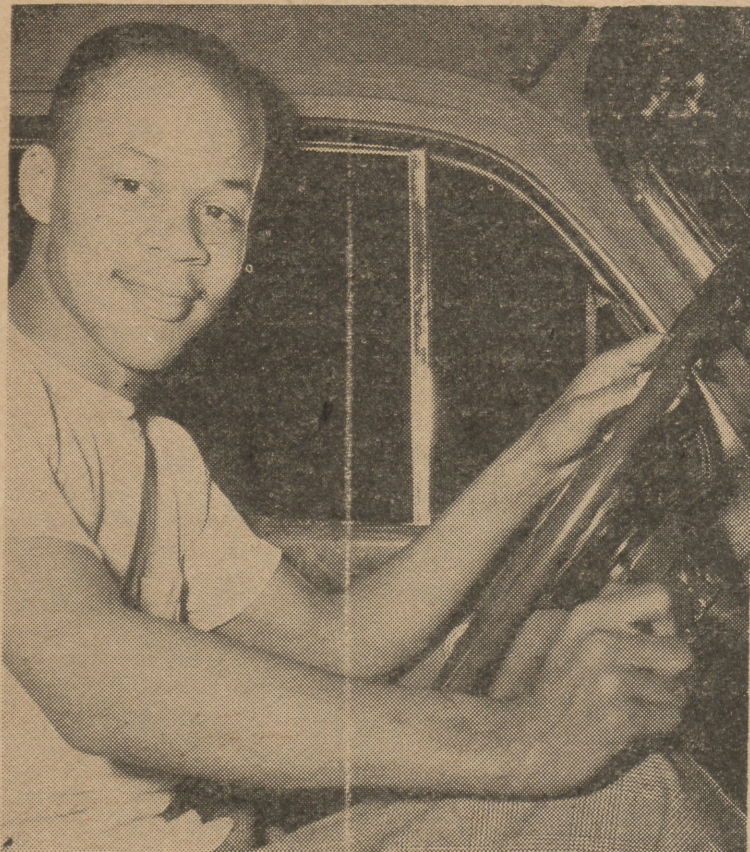
Some of the handbills passed out earlier by a group of white pickets were signed "Young Progressives of America, Washington, D. C."

Observers said a group of whites booed a white woman they said had bought tickets for a group of colored youths last Tuesday, yelling, "Go back to Russia, you dirty Red!" A colored policeman escorted the woman from the locker room to her car, carrying her young son in his arms.

Scuffling
Police said last Wednesday's scuffling apparently started outside the pool, but gave no specific incident that touched off the mass gathering and boeing.

A tentative agreement on a formula for ending differences between (SEE EDITORIAL PAGE)

RECOVERY IS A SERIES OF HURDLES FOR SMILING JOHNNY ESTES



During the Fourth of July week end at Good park Johnny Estes was a busy person, meeting friends, many of whom followed him about the park as he moved swiftly with the use of crutches.

Injured nearly a year ago in a freak playground accident at the park, Johnny is getting better each day.

The former North High and Iowa U. football star whose gridiron career at Iowa was cut short by the near-fatal spinal wound, now is able to drive an auto. Johnny does several exercises to help his strength co-ordination. For several weeks doctors feared he always would be nearly helpless.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NOTES

A fair-sized crowd was out last Sunday. At the Sunday School hour the Children's Day program that had been postponed from the second Sunday was given in charge of Mrs. Gertrude North and reports were made from Miss Laverne Smith and Miss Phyllis Carr, representatives to the District Religious Education Convention in Ottumwa last week. Miss Smith was elected district vice president of the A.C.E. league. At this session was a report of Miss Dorothy Chapman, one of the Sunday School's young women, who was given the unusual honor of having been elected "governor" of Hawkeye Girl's State at the assembly held last week at Grinnell college. She was the first Negro and the first Des Moines girl ever so honored. The report was made by Miss Janice Wallace, a member of the Young People's chorus, who was also a member of the assembly and who was herself elected to the distinguished office of auditor of the "Hawkeye Girls' State."

The pastor, Rev. A. J. Irvine gave a brief sermon and administered the Lord's Supper. In the service Sunday was Mrs. Mattie Warricks, chairman of the Deaconess Board, who had been absent for about two months on account of having a sprained ankle. Among the out-of-town visitors were Ray and Charlotte Green of Buffalo, N. Y., and two students from Ames college in the persons of E. C. Lyons and H. Hiner, whose homes are in Quitman and Pittsburgh, Texas, respectively. The pastor announced that the union services with Burns and Corinthian congregations, will start next Sunday evening, when the pastor of Corinthian church will be guest speaker in St. Paul church, with the music being furnished by the St. Paul Junior choir.

COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Last Sunday services were in charge of Evangelist Lucy Fountain, during the absence of the pastor, Rev. Arthur Bush preached. Visitors were Mrs. Tessie Parks and daughter, Norma Jean of Sedalia, Mo., Bertha Ellis and Harrison Bush, Bishop D. H. Cranshaw and Rev. Euric Fountain returned to the city Monday after attending services of the Sanctified Church of Christ in Wichita, Kas. Rev. Myrtle Cranshaw returned to the city Monday after attending a church dedication in Tebo, Mo.

Missionary meeting every Wednesday.

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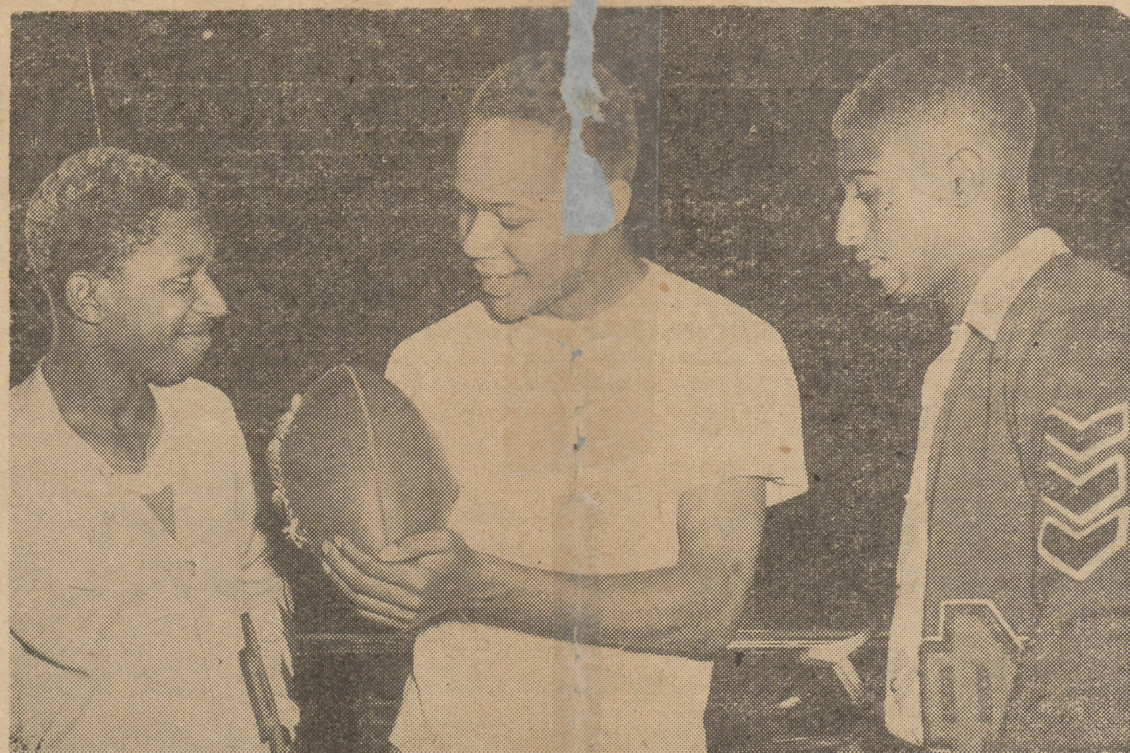
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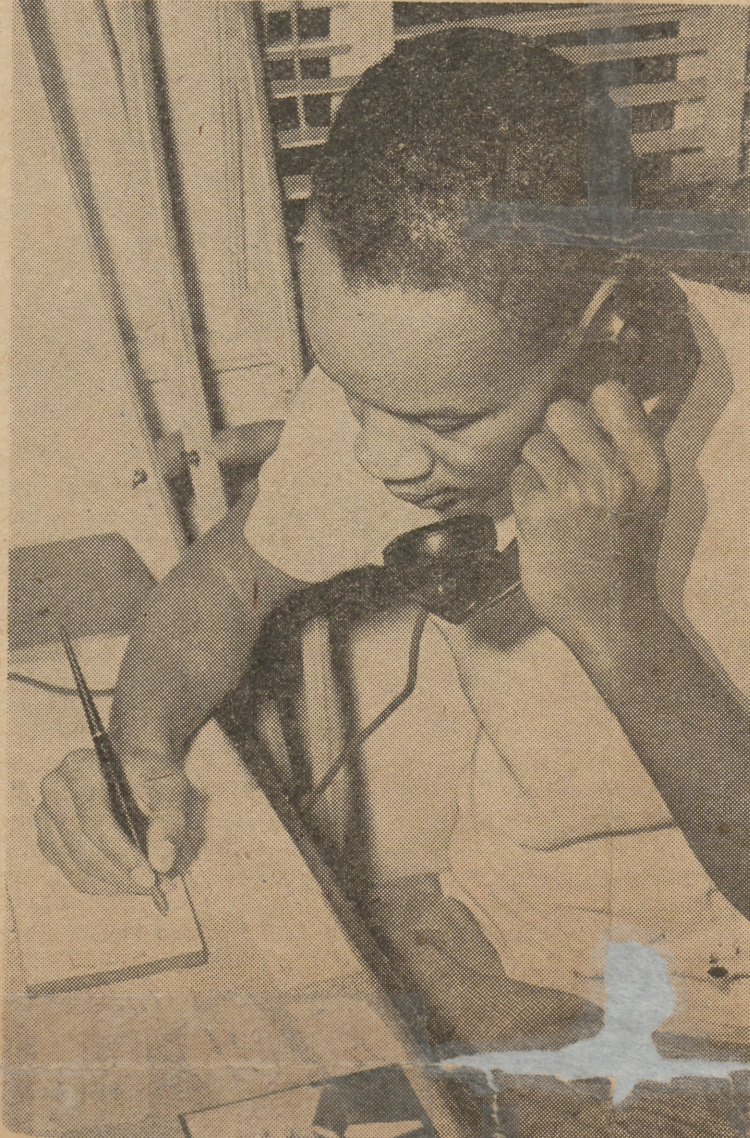
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Cottrell Wilcox (left) and Tony Robinson, who will be out for football next fall at North High, visited Johnny recently to check on his recovery and learn about the gridiron. Johnny was a good passer.



In his father's funeral home here, Estes handles telephone calls. Johnny's spirit and determination have resulted in his receiving two sportsmanship awards. (Bill Ashby photos—courtesy of Register-Tribune.)

Other ministers taking part in these services were: the Rev. Jordan Ray of the Union Memorial Methodist church of Mason City; Rev. R. F. Jacobs, pastor of the St. Paul Evangelical and Reform church of this city and Rev. E. M. Taylor of Waterloo. Other ministers present were Rev. J. A. Ashford and Rev. Griggs.

The evening service was conducted by the young Christians of different churches. An inspirational program was rendered, with Mrs. Doris Jones of St. Paul acting as mistress of ceremony. The young peoples' choir of the St. Paul's Evangelical and Reform church furnished the music.

This program consisted of five and ten minute talks, with choir, vocal, and instrumental music by the following: Mrs. Helen Jenkins and Mrs. Mable French of Lansing, Mich., Mrs. Lola Rhem, Miss Jeanette Tate and Miss Gwendolyn Moore of Manly, Mrs. Neva Douglass, Miss Cynthia Martin, Miss Mary Alice Burrell, Miss Lorraine Jeffries, Mrs. Eloise Bates and Mrs. Ruby Haddix of Mason City, Miss Vera Douglass of Des Moines, Miss Beatrice Douglass of Davenport, and Mrs. Flossie Douglass of Manly.

Other out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Green and Mr. James E. Green of Lansing, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. James Clardy, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Tate, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones, and Mrs. Jean Price of St. Paul, Minn., Mrs. J. M. Eaves of Des Moines, Mrs. Mildred Longus of Marshalltown, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles William of Hampton, and Mrs. Clark of Kansas City, Mo.

July the 4th New Bethel home coming picnic was had out on the Cecil Douglass farm four miles east of Manly. The picnic dinner was served in the Willow grove on the farm. The Men's Community club of Manly and Mason City donated the ice cream for the picnic. To climax the picnic was a game of softball played between two old time rival teams, the Manly Eagles and the Parker's Chocolate Dandies. The Dandies won 23 to 19.

Mrs. Mable Bailey and niece, Arzalia, Mrs. Ruby Macer and Mrs.

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a resident of Des Moines for 25 years. She was a member of the stewardess board of St. Paul church. Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Mildred Laurie, Milwaukee, Wis., and a son, Lawrence Nichols, Des Moines.

SERVICES FRIDAY FOR MRS. GRAHAM Services for Mrs. Laura Butts Graham, 46, of St. Paul, Minn., a

SHERIFF'S SALE No. 53863 Docket No. L-100 State of Iowa, Polk County, ss. G. E. PEDERSON Plaintiff

vs. MRS. E. STEVENS, Defendant. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of a general execution, to me directed by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, against the goods, chattels, lands, tenements, etc., of G. E. Pederson, Plaintiff in favor of Mrs. E. Stevens, defendant, I have levied on and will offer at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at 12th and Keosauqua Way in the city of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on the 13th day of August 1949, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, all of the right, title and interest of said plaintiff in and to the following described property, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

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Witness my hand, this 6th day of July 1949.

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vs. BENNIE HALIBURTON, Defendant. To BENNIE HALIBURTON, Defendant: You are hereby notified that the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the above named court, claiming of you an absolute divorce from the bond of matrimony on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment. For further particulars see petition. You are further notified to appear before the above named court in Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on or before the 4th day of August, 1949, and unless you so appear, your default will be entered, and judgment or decree rendered for the relief prayed for in plaintiff's petition. GERTRUDE E. RUSH, Attorney for Plaintiff, 515 Mulberry St., Rms. 221-222 Des Moines, Iowa. Printed and published in the Iowa Bystander June 30, July 7 and 14, 1949.

At Club Morocco for Week Beginning July 7



TENA DIXON

Lena Johnson of Mason City were guests at the picnic.

surgeon, to succeed George E. H. Hayes, an attorney, who served one three-year term.

APPOINTED TO D. C. BOARD OF EDUCATION

Washington, D. C. (NNPA)—Dr. Phillip T. Johnson, was sworn in last Friday for a three-year term as a member of the Board of Education of the District of Columbia. He is one of three members of the nine-member group.

Judges of the District Court appointed Dr. Johnson, an orthopedic

Chief Judge Bolitha J. Laws would give no reason for the court not reappointing Mr. Hayes. He said it is not customary to give reasons for appointments or failure to reappoint.

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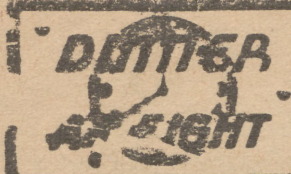
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SOCIETY



THE WM. JEFFERSONS ENTERTAIN GUESTS AT McCRAE PARK

Mr. and Mrs. William Jefferson entertained twenty-four guests at a picnic supper at McCrae park on Saturday evening, July 2.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson and daughters Yolanda and Carol Ann of Chicago, Ill., who are guests of Mrs. Thompson's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thomas, 937 Twenty-third street place; and Mr. Henry Williams of Chicago, who is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Laura Nichols of 1331 Center street.

THE CLAUDE HOGANS OF CHICAGO SPENT WEEK HERE VISITING

Mr. and Mrs. Claude E. Hogan of Chicago, Ill., spent the week in Des Moines visiting Mr. Hogan's relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Greene, Joe Greene, and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Smith. The visitors also were extended courtesies by friends.

REV. J. C. DIXON OF OTTUMWA TO SPEAK AT BETHEL SUNDAY

The Rev. J. C. Dixon, pastor of Mt. Zion A.M.E. church in Ottumwa, will be guest speaker Sunday, July 10, at 3 p.m. at the Men's Day program of Bethel A.M.E. church. Irwin White is chairman.

A. A. ALEXANDER HOME FOR HOLIDAY

A. A. Alexander was home from Washington, D. C., for the holiday week end.

MRS. I. M. SHAW VISITS MOTHER HERE

Mr. I. M. Shaw returned to San Francisco, Calif., after spending a two week's vacation with his mother, Mrs. Nellie Parker. They spent the week end in St. Paul, Minn., sightseeing and visiting. Here they were guests of the W. Laurence Olivers and the Hobert Brents.

FRANK KAISERS, JR., WEEK END IN CHICAGO

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Kaiser, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miles spent the week end of the Fourth with relatives and friends in Chicago, Ill.

MR. PATRICK OF ROCK ISLAND A VISITOR

Mr. Richard Patrick left Monday for his home in Rock Island, Ill., after having been the house guest of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patrick.

SEDALIANS SPEND HOLIDAY HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Parks and family of Sedalia, Mo., left for their home on Monday after having spent the holiday week end the guests of Mrs. Lyman's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Vorhees Swindell.

MISS TUNLEY SPENDS WEEK END HERE

Miss Willa Mae Tunley of Chicago, Ill., spent the week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tunley.

MISSOURIANS SPEND WEEK END HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hancock of Kansas City, Mo., and Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Mayhew and daughter of Calloo, Mo., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Young, 951 14th street place.

MRS. CARDWELL OF OKLAHOMA HERE

Mrs. Bernita Cardwell of Oklahoma City is in the city visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Claudia Beuford, 909 23rd street place and her daughter, Sheri Lou, who is ill at Broadlawn General hospital.

MRS. E. ANDERSON BACK FROM VACATION

Mrs. Elizabeth Anderson arrived home Friday from her summer vacation spent in Chicago, Ill., where she was guest of Mrs. Clara Thomas and Venetta Frazier; and in Grady, Ark., where she visited her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Jackson; and in Pine Bluff, Kas., the guest of her cousins, Mrs. Florence Davis and Mrs. James Pierson.

RETURN FROM VISIT IN OKLAHOMA

Miss Corinne Nichols and Mrs. Mary Fields have returned from Oklahoma where they visited for two weeks with relatives and friends.

THE DAN LEWISES OF BURLINGTON HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Lewis of Burlington, Ia., spent the Fourth of July week end here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Franklin.

MISS MARY E. WOOD TO YWCA INSTITUTE IN GENEVA, SWITZERLAND

Mary Elizabeth Wood, daughter of Mrs. Rose Wood of 1613 East Vine street, left by plane for England, July 4 on the first stop of a trip to Geneva, Switzerland.

Miss Wood has been selected as one of six delegates from the United States to the World YWCA Leadership Institute in Geneva July 9 to Sept. 5.

The delegates were named by the foreign division of the national board of the YWCA.

A graduate of Drake university in 1924, Miss Wood lives in Philadelphia, Pa., where she is executive director of the Southwest branch of the YWCA.

Following the conference Miss Wood will travel through Italy, France, Austria and Germany before returning home.

Mrs. Rose Wood and daughter, Rose McCraven of 1613 E. Vine street, left Tuesday morning to spend two weeks in Philadelphia, Pa., and New York.

In Philadelphia they visited their daughter and sister, Miss Mary E. Wood who has gone to Europe. Enroute home the Iowans will spend a few days in Chicago.

STUDENTS TAKE IOTA PHI LAMBDA EXAM

The following students took the Iota Phi Lambda scholarship on last Tuesday: Dolores Duncan, Joan Banister of North High; Gloria Devan, Barbara Brown, Patricia Johnson and Juanita Murray of East High school.

These girls were recommended by the high school girls' advisors. Mrs. Gertrude North conducted the examination.

OBSERVE FOUNDER'S DAY WITH DINNER

The Alpha Delta Chapter of Iota Phi Lambda sorority, observed Founder's Day with a closed dinner recently. The address, written and sent by the national president emeritus, Soror Lola M. Parker, was read. The national sorority will be entertained by Alpha Phi chapter in Los Angeles, Calif., in August. Mrs. Alice Allen of Birmingham, Ala., is national president.

PERSONAL TOUCH

By Marie Ross



All around town—residents are trying to figure out new ways of keeping cool during these hot summer days when the thermometers are hitting 100 degrees in the shade.

Of course, if you live way out in the country like the J. Blaine Thompsons who have a farm out in Runnells, then automatically you would be cool—no matter how hot it is. Mrs. Thompson said in a chat Wednesday that it was much cooler out in the country, too, and that when you get busy doing all of the things on the farm that have to be done this month—you don't even notice the heat.

Mrs. Thompson is busy with her garden and flowers and lawn while, Mr. Thompson, at the moment is putting up hay. They start their day before six o'clock each morning.

Mrs. Charles Carl out in Highland Park keeps cool—just by "moving around doing different things," she said in a chat. She keeps her home open collecting the cool air until about 11 o'clock, then she closes up, shuts out the hot sun and air and keeps fairly cool these warm days.

The Everet Clays on Seventeenth street let the cool morning air into their insulated home, then close up and shut out the hot sun rays. But, they find that a small electric fan keeps the cool air moving around and prevents that stuffy atmosphere.

When Mr. Clay gets busy at one of his many hobbies, the main one the making of hand-carved wooden pieces, then he goes to his workshop into his basement which is cooled by nature.

Recently from his workshop he finished making a barrel into a handy little container for cracked ice and cooling refreshments. The little barrel can be carried in one hand like a basket.

Mr. Clay who has been doing wood carving for many years, as a hobby, has accumulated many interesting pieces which would make a

WINS FIRST IN BABY CONTEST



INA LUCRETIA SMITH

Ina Lucretia Smith, five-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith of 912 15th street, won the first prize, a gold loving cup, in the baby contest which closed on June 30 at Willkie House.

Sponsoring the contest for the benefit of the National Baptist Missionary Training School and Home Mission Board were Mrs. Rosa Wilson, Iowa field representative of the school and Mrs. Ophelia Hill, state field worker of the mission board. Both are members of Corinthian Baptist church.

Other babies in the contest were: Johna Lou Duke, Donald Avant, Jr., Dennis Eugene Vaughn, Tomlin Marie Butler, Howard Deering, Patricia Ann Allen, James Edward Smith, Jr., Estella Justina Jones and Catherine Fowler.

Ina, who was born on Jan. 28, this year, was Christened at Corinthian church on Easter Sunday where her parents are members. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Burrell of Orlabor and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith of Des Moines.

Mrs. Wilson announced that plans were being made to make the baby contest an annual state-wide event.

W.S.C.S. OF BURNS TO MEET SUNDAY

The Women's Society of Christian Service of Berns Methodist church will meet Sunday, July 10, at the church from 5 to 7 p.m.

Mrs. Blanche Bonham and Mrs. Georgia Add, delegates to the annual meeting in St. Louis, will make their reports.

CALIFORNIANS VISITING HERE

Mrs. Hattie Henry and son, Donald, and Mrs. Arlene Lawson of Los Angeles, Calif., are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Thomas, 1324 Day street.

OTTUMWA, IOWA

By MRS. HAYES

Ottumwa, Ia.—Services were well attended at Mt. Zion A.M.E. church Sunday when the last quarterly meeting was held. Presiding Elders M. R. Dixon and W. H. Ogleton were present. Rev. J. T. Thomas, pastor of Bethel A.M.E. church of Des Moines and his choir were guests. He preached.

The District conference began Wednesday with delegates and visitors from Des Moines district. The first session was at Mt. Zion A.M.E. church with Rev. Thomas preaching. Communion was administered. Dinner was served in the church. Then the sessions went to Camp Arrowhead for the remainder of the week. Rev. H. J. Parker of Decatur, Ill., was a visitor. Friday evening open house was held at the church with a reception and program.

Mr. Paul Johnson is home from the hospital and doing nicely. Mr. and Mrs. David Smith of

Music Students At Corinthian Sunday

As a special feature of the B.T.U. hour at Corinthian Baptist church, Ninth and School streets, Sunday, July 10, at 6 p.m., Mrs. Elizabeth Anderson will present in recital, a group of students from her music classes.

Aside from the piano numbers, there will be vocal selections by Misses Sadye Harrie and Barbara Black, and a clarinet solo by Joseph Anderson.

Other students to appear on the program include: Lois Wilcoits, Lela Belle White, Annette White, Patricia Kaiser, Alfreda Moore, Patricia Johnson, Albert Dickens, Donald Pattan, Patricia Dixon, Eloise McElrey, Kathleen Lucas, Carolyn Gatewood.

Mr. Eugene Davis is president of the Corinthian Baptist Training Union; Miss Zola King, program director.

Battle Creek, Mich., who have been visiting at home, left with their daughter for home. Mrs. Smith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alec Betts.

MRS. ROBERT VINSON IS DINNER HOSTESS

Mrs. Robert Vinson, 760 Eleventh street, honored at a recent dinner her husband, Mr. Vinson, and her father, Mr. Isaac Dixon. Sharing the courtesy were: Mr. and Mrs. Claude Frye, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Clayborne, Mr. and Mrs. Stied Collier and Robert Dixon.

MRS. HALLIE M. TUTT VISITS IN CHICAGO

Mrs. Hallie M. Tutt, who visited her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Butler in Chicago, Ill., recently, conveyed greetings from the Iowa Association of Color-

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C.B.N.—Here are my troubles and I need your help. I have been going with a married man and his wife jumped on me and went to the police and they have asked me for the town. I have a baby for this man and he has been nice to me but now I don't know what to do. I want to live happily too.

Ans: The town isn't large enough for you both to continue on and live happily. And since you have no legal claim on the man whatsoever, it's your duty to leave. Your mother would welcome you and the baby to come and live with her. She could help you with the youngster an awful lot. In the future, don't waste time with married men.

A.M.—Can you help me like you help others? I am married, have a child two years old. Everything I do is wrong. I don't drink whiskey, I work every day except Sunday, I try to get my wife everything she wants but that doesn't work. We just fight, fuss and argue all the time. I am true to my wife but she accuses me of women all the time. My wife is a good girl but she can't see that I want to please

WOMEN'S DAY AT BURNS CHURCH SUNDAY

Sunday, July 10, will be observed as Women's Day in Burns Methodist church. The speaker for the morning service will be Mrs. W. H. Williams of Central Christian church. Soloists will be Mrs. Ethel Winston and Miss Laurene Jones. The public is invited.

WOMEN'S DAY SUNDAY AT UNION BAPTIST

Women's Day at Union Baptist church, on Sunday, July 10, will emphasize the theme, "Every wise woman buildeth her house—but the foolish plucketh it down with her hands," taken from Proverbs 14-1. Speakers will be Rev. Myrtle J. Cranshaw during the morning; Mrs. Genevieve Ashford, president of the Four States Women's Baptist Convention, will address the afternoon meeting at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Bessie Hackney is chairman. The Rev. E. A. Gaiters is pastor.

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EDITORIALS - FEATURES - SPORTS

WHERE ARE WE HEADED ANYWAY?

America is a wonderful, but just how long it can remain so with the program for the aid of other nations is problematical.

During the last two wars, America saved its allies from certain defeat. Following each of them money has been dumped into several countries either as outright gifts or loans which have never been repaid.

Now, a program is on foot to develop the backward nations of the world. In spite of the fact that millions of people are out of work here, displaced persons are being poured into this country. And don't be fooled that there are not many, many families that are having a pretty hard time making ends meet.

Much of this program has merit to it, much does not. America cannot support the world by the use of its own dollars and remain solvent; America cannot afford to add to the already growing list of unemployed without damage to its citizens that are already here.

In the current issue of the Crisis, official organ of the NAACP, a rather startling article appears concerning the many Negroes who went to the west coast shipyards during the war. Thousands of them were discharged abruptly at the close of hostilities and now find themselves stranded and in a very serious position. Some whites are stranded likewise. There are other sections similarly situated.

The government and many people have been so prosperous that they have forgotten there are unfortunates at home. They are displaced persons also and as citizens have a right to be looked after first by their government before those from other lands are brought in. They worked hard during the war days and while most of them earned high wages, the cost of getting located and living were extremely high and thus not too much was saved.

In fact, those who did save a little nest egg have spent it while looking for a job; most of them had not worked long enough to create sufficient unemployment benefits to see them through this long siege.

Charity begins at home. True, it should not stay there, but America must give more attention to its own situation for if we go down, other nations will have nobody upon whom to depend.

CARELESSNESS IN HIGH PLACES

Often it has been said that a fellow who steals a million gets about the same penalty as the one who steals ten dollars. Strictly, it is true that under our law the penalty for stealing a hundred thousand is the same as that for twenty dollars.

Judith Coplan, recently convicted of stealing secret documents from the government, felt it no crime to take them for the purpose of writing a book. The jury did not believe this, neither does the average citizen. It is rather amusing how careless some of our officials guard the secrets of the government and offer such ridiculous excuses for their conduct. The Automatic commission and even some members of Congress offered the unbelievable excuse that the valuable uranium missing recently was found in a waste basket where someone threw it out by mistake.

The Bystander recognizes that a lot of things we have tried to keep secret are simply science available to the fellow who has the brains to seek it out. But beyond this, those documents and discoveries which are secret should be kept so and the fellow responsible for their safe-keeping should be held strictly accountable for a faithful performance of his job.

HUMAN RELATIONS COUNCIL

(See FRONT Page) and outlined the following chief objectives:

1. To make it possible for each citizen, regardless of race, creed or color, to develop his talents and abilities without the limitations imposed by the destructive forces of discrimination.

2. "To permit the community to benefit from the fullest realization of its human resources."

To accomplish its primary objectives, the council should "advise with the Mayor and other officers of the city government on problems affecting human and inter-group relations and recommend such measures as are deemed necessary to carry out the objectives," Darst told the meeting.

In addition, the Mayor said, the Council should consult with, and obtain the cooperation of, all public and private agencies which function in the field of human relations; utilize the resources of individuals and groups toward improvement of inter-group relations and the elimination of discriminatory practices; enlist all potential community forces "in an effort to make more secure and to extend democratic rights, opportunities and practices;" make studies, surveys and investigations to provide accurate data for orderly and constructive community development.

Legislative and educational programs should be undertaken by the Council, the Mayor suggested, which would be designed "to combat those misconceptions, prejudices and untruths which tend to set group against group; eliminate discriminatory practices; remove inequalities of opportunity in employment, education, law enforcement, housing and recreation."

Darst said he would recommend an appropriation to enable the Council to have full-time secretarial assistance and funds for incidental expenses. He assigned quarters to the group in the Municipal Courts Building to the Council.

The meeting adjourned to Friday, July 8.

WASHINGTON SWIMMING POOL CONTROVERSY

See FRONT Page The Interior Department and the District of Columbia Recreation Board was reached last Friday. Under the proposed agreement Interior Department would turn over to the Recreation Board control of nine golf courses, about eighty tennis courts, six swimming pools and city-wide recreation facilities in East and West Potomac Park, the Ellipse, Anacostia and Rock Creek Parks.

In exchange for control of these facilities, under the agreement, the Recreation board would give the Interior Department assurances that it will work toward eventual elimination of segregation.

Cafe Owner

(SEE FRONT PAGE) price.

After telling Smith price of the coffee, Mancini declared openly, "we are closing, turn out the lights."

"I left but after seeing the lights come back on," Smith continued, "I entered again. After the owner saw me and repeated that he was closed, I called police.

"One patrolman attempted to advise me that the owner didn't have to serve me and asked why would I desire to come in a place that didn't want me.

"The other patrolman appeared doubtful and called a sergeant, who was abusive and emphatically stated that the proprietor did not have to serve me," Smith related.

Dr. Jones upon hearing his friend's story, decided to "test the owner's attitude towards Negro customers.

The specialist said he entered the cafe with Smith, ordered two steak dinners and drank a glass of water while waiting.

"We were served something the size of a bar-be-cue rib with a few potato chips," Dr. Jones explained. "Upon seeing that the bill was ten dollars, I complained that it was exhorbitant. It was then that Mancini threatened us with an icepick, smashed our plates and glasses and ordered us out of the cafe."

BURLINGTON, IOWA

By MRS. ED WILLIAMS Burlington, Ia.—Mr. and Mrs. James Bowles observed their 27th wedding anniversary June 17. Mr. Carl Buettner presented them with an anniversary cake. They received many other remembrances. Mrs. Bowles presented his wife with a new frigidaire. Mr. Buettner is manager of one of the leading furniture stores here where Mrs. Bowles is employed.

The Maggie Lee Missionary circle of Union Baptist church had surprise covered dish dinner honoring the birthdays of Rev. J. S. Beverly, Mr. Charles Robinson and in appreciation of Mr. Floyd Pleasant and Mr. John Kipper. All honored guests received gifts. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Thompson had week end guests from St. Louis, Mo.

Rev. and Mrs. Beverly returned home June 19 after attending the Sunday School convention at Sioux City.

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HEALTH FOR ALL

RESEARCH ON TUBERCULOSIS

Newspaper headlines announcing a new scientific discovery bring home to us the importance of research. The headlines, however, tell only part of the story, for back of each discovery are usually years of painstaking, patient study.

It is impossible to estimate the millions of lives saved as a result of research on diseases. To the campaign against tuberculosis alone, scientific and medical research have contributed powerful weapons toward the conquest of the disease through increased knowledge of its causes and treatment and how it can be prevented.

The most significant finding in the history of our fight against tuberculosis—the discovery of the germs which causes the disease—came as the result of painstaking research in a humble laboratory in Germany in 1882.

Thirteen years later, an obscure German physicist, in the midst of laboratory studies on radiation, discovered the X-ray and its powers to penetrate solid materials. With its aid, doctors could now "see" the damage which tuberculosis germs caused in the lung. The chest X-ray has provided a means of detecting the disease long before any outward symptoms appear and it has become our most effective single aid in the diagnosis of tuberculosis.

The discovery of streptomycin and its derivative, dihydrostreptomycin, the drugs which, although of limited value, thus far have shown the

greatest promise of any drugs in tuberculosis treatment, are again the result of persistent research. But because we still have no drug that we can point to as the real "cure" for tuberculosis, the search for something better continues in laboratories all over the nation. Drs. believe that such a drug will be found and that years of research will be rewarded.

Present-day research in the field of tuberculosis is aimed at helping us understand more and more about the disease and the germ which causes it. And the more we find out and apply that additional knowledge, the closer we are to our goal of removing tuberculosis from the list of serious public health problems in this country and in other nations of the world.

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

What Is It?

We are jumping the gun on this, but we feel the public ought to have this story. The Hilltop club was asked to handle the district meet, and was to be accepted into the U. S. Lawn Tennis Association. Well, someone threw a monkey wrench into the plan and instead, there are a bunch of embarrassed Des Moines and Iowa Tennis Association players, and a bunch of angry Hilltoppers. It all began when the club sent in their fees for membership in the Missouri Valley Tennis Association, since that is the way those things are handled, first through state and then the district, then the national body. Well, it seems that until the man who passes on applications discovered that the Hilltoppers were Negroes, he told them that it was the policy of the USLTA to refer all Negro club applications to the American Tennis Association and he was sure that we would be much happier in this all Negro body. This came after we had been assured that we were in and welcomed into the Valley Association by this same man. Of course our money was refunded, along with our fee for the sanction for the district meet. Then the Iowa Association was instructed to refund our dues in that body. They did so regretfully, but they did.

The Des Moines Association as well as the Iowa Association are behind us to the extent that some of the influential members are talking of pulling out of the national body and going it alone with us. That is a fine spirit, and a great gesture, one that won't be found in very many similar situations. We don't know what the final outcome will be but the Des Moines group has written to the national body and entered a protest.

One definite result will be that the Hilltop Club will very likely not handle the district, since they can't get it sanctioned. What else will happen, we don't know. It is our purely personal opinion that the Des Moines body ought to remain in the National Association, as well as should the state group. The chance of doing an injury to tennis in general in this vicinity is too great to pull out. It might mean that Iowa and Des Moines, in particular would get no more important meets, or clinics, and that could be bad. As it is, we, the Hilltoppers get in on whatever is brought to Des Moines, and we can enter the Des Moines group as individuals.

SPORTS

By ALLEN ASHBY

Local Sports

Ran into Walter Thompson, manager of the Black Barons the other day. He tells us that he has a bunch of youngsters some of them from local high schools, and he is agreeably surprised by their hustle. He says they make up in hustle and fight what they lack in experience. Says that Moore is developing into quite a hurler, and that, along with Bus Brown who still plays enough third base for everyone, he has a better team than he had last year. There should be more kids playing the game, but maybe we can't get them into baseball yet.

The Hawkeye Elks have won their league, and are just going through the formality of finishing out the season. They haven't lost a game yet in the league, and don't expect to drop any now. This is the fastest league sponsored by the playground commission. The Classic league is a sort of outlaw league, organized because some of the local teams wanted to play anybody they chose without regard to eligibility rules. They might have known that the playground bunch would never stand for that, but they had a good idea. Don't know what they will do when the tournaments roll around.

The Olympic club pulled a good one when they distributed printed post cards to vote for the Negro players in the all-star baseball poll, and put them ahead of all opposition, at least as far as Iowa is concerned. The club members stuck the cards around in gathering places such as pool halls and the like, and several people who otherwise would never have voted got their pencils sharpened and signed their names to cards that had the names of Jackie Robinson, Roy Campanella, and Lar-

ry Doby, and space for any others one wished to name. But most of the voters settled for Robinson, Campanella, and Doby. If Negroes all over the country had been as wide awake, Campanella might have been the starting catcher. This stunt was used in Chicago, and they tell us Detroit, but we don't know where else it was tried.

While we are on the subject of baseball, we feel that we ought to remind you that Robinson of Brooklyn has his name among the leaders in just about every department of the game. Leading in batting, second in runs scored, leading in runs batted in, leading in hits, leading in stolen bases, and we bet he is either leading or pushing the leader in fielding. And this is the guy Bob Feller said would never make the grade.

Tennis

Watched the increasing number of kids who are swinging rackets on the Good park courts, and it makes us feel good. The range campaign is going off. Some of the twelve year olds in his receiving net about as well as some of the veterans. Among the feminine club swingers there are a lot who show some pretty good chances of getting to be fair players, and one or two who may be tough when they get older. Finest prospect among the young girls is Donna Carr, who is just as fine a swimmer as you will see around the park. She is trying to divide her time between swimming and tennis, and doing a surprisingly good job of both. The kid has power on her forehead and backhand that is surprising when we watch her hit a ball. In addition, she knows what she wants to do with a ball and is constantly trying to do it. Kitty Allen is another smooth swinger who gets plenty on the ball. If she keep playing, she will be hard to handle when the tournament rolls around.

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When the final score is written, we really benefit from tennis, even though we are practically tossed out on our ears of the national body. If the thing doesn't get any worse, we can at least hold the ground we have gained in the last twenty years. Anything else would be a step backward.

Central States Golf Tourney in St. Louis July 25

By SAM SHEPARD St. Louis, Mo.—The Paramount Golf Club, St. Louis, Mo., has completed all arrangements for staging the 16th Annual Central States Golf Championship Tournament.

Paramount, acting as host club, has left nothing undone to make this 72-hole medal play tourney the most colorful event in its history. The tourney will be contested over the Jefferson Memorial Municipal course in Forest Park, July 25-28th.

Play will be divided into three divisions: men, senior men, and women. The men will play 72 holes, except the fourth and fifth flights. Fourth and fifth flights will play 54 holes. The senior men will also play 54 holes. The Women's Championship will be 18 holes to be played on Monday, July 25. All play is at medal play (low total score).

200 Entries Expected

From all reports from member clubs in the Central States Association over 200 competing golfers will be on hand seeking golfing honors. Plans call for a gala picnic and barbecue at Trailers Camp, in Forest Park, on Sunday, July 24. Festivities of the week also include free tickets to the visitors for the Tuesday night performance of "Irene" at

the Municipal Opera and a Trophy dance at the beautiful Club Riviera Thursday night, July 28. Trophies and prizes will be awarded at this affair. The annual meeting of the Association will be called by president Nat Jordan on Monday night, at the Pleasant Green Baptist church.

Word has been received that Joe Louis will be on hand for the tournament. Joe is a member of the Chicago Windy City Golf Club, which holds membership in the Central States Association.

Brotherhood, Inc., Reelects Officers

Brotherhood, Inc., Alpha Lodge No. 1, held election of officers on June 25, at the Masonic hall. Re-elected were: Gilbert Randle, noble chieftain; Wm. Humphrey, vice chieftain; Lester Benning, treasurer; J. M. Danforth, Sr., secretary; James Dameron, lecturer. Appointed were: L. A. Branch, first assistant secretary; Edward Williams, second assistant; Judy Lay, corresponding secretary for Drum and Bugle corps; look-out, Alfred Hayes; Psalmists, Godfrey Freeman and Thomas Lighon.

The Brotherhood, Inc., and Sisterhood which launched their building fund drive on May 22, will end the campaign on August 4.

The purpose of this drive is to obtain funds to build the first unit of a building program. The property is located on the north side of Center street between 13th and 14th, consisting of a quarter of a square block.

Complete information may be secured from Gilbert H. Randle, Sr., at 1155 14th street, Des Moines, 14, Iowa.

VISIT IN CHICAGO Miss Paula J. Smith and Maxine May spent the holidays in Chicago.

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