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## Walter White Has 'New Respect' for U.S.

### News Briefs From Far and Near

#### PAUL ROBESON IN LOS ANGELES FOR APPEARANCE FRIDAY

Los Angeles, Calif.—In a statement early last week, Vince Monroe Townsend, Jr., prominent Los Angeles Negro attorney, minister and Improved Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks' Grand Director of Civil Liberties for the western states, scored recent attacks on freedom of speech in the attempts to muzzle Paul Robeson by the use of violence against his audiences.

Mr. Robeson is scheduled to appear at Wrigley Field here on Sept. 30 in conjunction with the seventieth anniversary celebration of the California Eagle.

#### BULLDOGS FACE TEAM AT PEORIA SATURDAY

Coach Warren Gaer's Drake Bulldogs take to the road this weekend for their first trip of the 1949 football season.

Victor by 40-0 and 42-0 counts in their opening ventures at home, this week the Bulldogs face a strong Bradley U. team at Peoria, Ill., Saturday night.

It will be the first Missouri Valley conference game of the year for both teams.

Drake returns to local action Oct. 7 against South Dakota U. It will be a night affair with Dads of Drake students especially honored.

#### Leonard Alexander Dies in Chicago

Word was received here last Friday that Leonard Alexander, former Des Moines resident, died of a heart ailment at his home, 6536 St. Lawrence street, Chicago, Ill. He is a brother of A. A. Alexander of this city. Funeral rites were held Monday in Chicago.

Other survivors are his wife, Lillian, and son, John, both in Chicago; another brother, Harold, St. Louis; five sisters, Harriet Hawkins, Helen Alexander, Colleen Jones, all of Chicago, Edna Pinkard of New York City, and Doris Thomas of Philadelphia.

#### Lionel Hampton And Orchestra in Show Here Oct. 6

One of the nation's top swing bands will be presented in concert here, when Lionel Hampton, "The King of the Vibraharp," brings his troupe of 30 musicians and entertainers to Drake fieldhouse, Thursday evening, Oct. 6, at 8:15 o'clock.

The torrid Hampton aggregation, one of the few Negro owned and operated bands in America, is reputed to gross \$1,000,000 annually from dance and concert engagements.

Called by jazz fans "The Louisville Slugger of Swing" and playing a gold-plated vibraharp valued at \$3,500, "Hamp" is famous for his sterling showmanship and roof-raising musical antics. Hampton, recently named Grand Bandmaster of the World's Elks, employs a unique set-up for working out band arrangements. One man specializes in "sweet," one in "swing," one in "bebop" and one in the "new movement."

Manager of this hard working group is Gladys Hampton, wife of the "Master of the Drums," and she holds "the distinction of being the only woman business agent in the big league jazz circuit."

Featured with The Hampton Show, which is being sponsored by The Olympian club, will be the Hamptones, Frances Gaddison and Doug Duke.

Advance sale tickets are now on sale at the New Utica box office, University Record shop, Des Moines Music House and Bridgman Drug store.

#### Bury Mrs. R. Wood Charter Member of Corinthian Church

Funeral rites for Mrs. Rose Wood, 73, were held Monday afternoon at the Corinthian Baptist church with the Rev. E. L. Jemison officiating. The Revs. L. G. Garret and J. M. Eaves gave brief eulogies. Burial was in Laurel Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Wood died at her home at 1613 E. Vine street, Thursday, Sept. 22, after a month's illness.

Born at Georgetown, Ky., she had been a Des Moines resident 69 years. She was a charter member of the Corinthian church in which she was the first woman elected to the office of trustee, and active in other organizations there; a member of the Widows club and president of the Industrial club; past most noble governess of Household of Ruth, No. 339; a former member of the foreign mission board of the national Baptist convention; and an organizer of the Blue Triangle branch of the YWCA.

Surviving are four daughters, Mary, of Philadelphia, Pa., who returned from Europe on Sept. 9, Mrs. Virginia McQuerry, Mrs. Rose McCraven, and Mildred, all of Des Moines; and three sons, George, of DeSota, Mo., Robert and James, Des Moines.

Out-of-town persons attending the funeral were: Mr. Bland Wood, Mrs. Blanch Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stanley, all of Chicago; and Mrs. Madeline Pettis of Omaha, Nebr., all relatives; and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harris of Cleveland, Ohio.

#### 'Family Closeup' On KRNT Sunday

A university professor and wife who underwent a period of intense soul-searching over the question of whether to have a second child, will be the subject of the weekly candid search of American home life in the "Family Closeup" radio series over KRNT Sunday, Oct. 2, at 4 p.m.

The series is being presented by the public affairs department of the American Broadcasting Company, the Family Service Association of America and family service agencies across the country—including Family Society, Jewish Social Service, Catholic Charities, a Red Feather Service of your community chest.

The story of Professor and Mrs. Ralph White will serve to emphasize the deep emotions often brought to the surface when married couples face the decision of parenthood. Based on an actual case from the files of family service agencies, the drama is true to life, but names and situations have been altered to protect identity.

The program will be heard here and in more than 200 cities in the United States, Canada and Hawaii as an effort to create awareness of some of the factors contributing to family breakdown and to suggest where professional help is available when families are in trouble or in conflict.

### 2,700 New Jobs Open in Federal Housing Agencies To All Qualified Persons

Washington, D. C. (NNPA)—Qualified colored persons have been slow to apply for the 2,700 new jobs in the field and central offices of Federal Housing agencies and the several thousand more openings on local housing authorities and local planning and redevelopment bodies which are to be set up as soon as Congress appropriates funds to carry out the provisions of the 1949 Housing Act, it was learned Saturday.

Conservative estimates indicate that the Housing and Home Finance Agency and its constituent administrations will add about 2,000 em-

#### MEHARRY NURSES FOLLOW BUSY ROUTINE



The Meharry Medical college Nursing school administration in Nashville plans a more extensive program since Hubbard hospital will receive \$255,000 endowment from city and county sources. The above photos show the variety of skills each nurse is trained in.

Upper Left: Jeanne Smith of New York City and Jessie Hampton of Murfreesboro, Tenn., study bacteria through the microscope in Meharry's

microbiology laboratory. Upper Right: Nurses take to the air in Meharry's DC-3 plane, war surplus equipment which helps spread the plane's usefulness over a wider area. The jeep station wagon, used primarily for transporting premature infants, was donated by the Tennessee State Department of Health with funds from the Children's bureau. Pictured at the

airport are, left to right: Dr. Earnest Lamb, Palm Beach, Fla., Miss Jean Ballard, Chicago, and Dr. Daniel Thomas, Memphis.

Lower Left: Student nurses Jessie Hampton (center) cares for a baby while Mrs. Ozella Deen, the mother, and an older sister look on.

Lower Right: Nurse Ferdie Miller, Fort Worth, Tex., weighs a baby in the pediatrics clinic.

### Eleven Students from West Africa Land in New York to Begin Study at Lincoln U.

New York (Atlas)—Eleven students from Nigeria, British West Africa, landed at La Guardia field aboard a Pan American airliner last Saturday, completing the first long leg of a journey to Lincoln University, (Pa.). Arriving on the plane were Michael Obianagha, Anselm Ofidile, Nwakanma Owah, Ogbonnaya Okereke, Maxwell Mbaduwe, B. Uzoka, Charles Nnubia, Emanuel Okorafor, Okoha, E. Awa, N. Uka, Emanuel Ekunseitaw.

The students of high school and junior college, are under the sponsorship of the African Academy of Arts and Research and the Lincoln University Scholarship Committee. A total of \$12,960 has been raised in Africa to care for these students in America during the coming year. All plan to return to Africa upon the completion of their work for the A. B. degree.

These students are by no means the first to make the long trip from Africa to Lincoln. The 96-year old institution founded originally to provide leadership for Africans, has taught over 125 Africans, and the long line of African students at Lincoln has continued down through the years.

Many Early Africans  
Among the many early African students at Lincoln, several achieved distinction in Liberia. The present Ambassador from Liberia, C. D. B. King, was educated in a school founded in Africa by a Lincoln Alumnus, Charles Dunbar King, for whom he was named, came to the United States in 1890. He received the A. B. degree from Lincoln in 1895, and was later elected Attorney-General of Liberia. He was representative of that nation to the Peace Conference at Versailles in 1918.

In 1896-97 Edward Magaya and the Public Housing and Home Finance Agency, recently called upon all the field and central offices of Federal housing agencies to recruit and employ new personnel for expanded programs in accordance with merit, without regard to race, creed, color or national origin. Applications for these locally con-

themed Katiya from South Africa entered Lincoln. They were succeeded by several other South Africans—members of the Zulu, Basuto, Amo-Xosa people. All graduated, and even today these men are distinguished leaders of their people.

The arrival of the early Africans contrasted sharply with that of the eleven students that landed at the New York airport last week. In 1872 when the first eleven students from Liberia, they came by sailing vessel, and were over two months making the journey, and were attired in native garb, and had only the rudiments of an education.

The University was obliged to provide them with everything, in-  
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#### INVITE SINGERS TO TAKE PART IN DRAKE'S ANNUAL 'THE MESSIAH'

All persons in Des Moines and vicinity are invited to join the chorus practicing for Drake university's annual production of "The Messiah." Rehearsals are held each Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the Drake auditorium. Stanford Hulshizer is director.

Drake has presented "The Messiah" each Christmas season for more than 50 years. The performances have grown to be one of the most awaited events of the year. Singers interested in joining the chorus should report to Mr. Hulshizer at the Drake auditorium at 7 p.m. Tuesday.

Controlled jobs should be filed with the local housing authorities or other local agency in your own home town.

#### ST. LOUIS APPROVES CONSTRUCTION OF 5,800 LOW-RENT HOUSING UNITS

St. Louis, Mo.—First assurance of relief in the acute housing shortage in St. Louis came last week with the announcement of approval of 5,800 low-rent housing units to cost about \$52,000,000. The projects, which will be about five times the size of the Peabody and Carr Square Village low cost housing groups, will be built during 1950 and 1951.

Not only will the slum clearance project mean better living conditions for people in the low income bracket in the city, but it will mean many jobs. Hundreds of laborers and construction workers will be employed in the building program, while industrial concerns supplying the vast quantity of building material needed for the work will get heavy orders.

### Saw Fear and Poverty on Round-World Tour; Says Our Prestige 'Slipping'

New York (NNPA)—Walter White, who is on a year's leave as executive secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, last Thursday said "time alone" will provide the answer as to whether or not his marriage to a white woman has weakened his leadership among colored people.

His future status with the NAACP, he stated, depends on his physical condition and his wishes and those of the association.

Holding his first press conference since he returned from a two-month tour around the world following the divorce of his colored wife and his marriage to Mrs. Poppy Cannon, a white woman, Mr. White said American prestige throughout the world "is slipping dangerously because of flaws in our democracy."

#### Fear and Poverty

Mr. White said the fear and poverty he had seen in other countries gave him "A new respect for the United States, despite a number of flaws we have here."

"The first question asked us wherever we went, all over the world," Mr. White said, "was this: 'How can America call itself a democracy as long as lynchings, segregation and discrimination continue unchecked?' American ambassadors we met say

this is the \$64 question with which they are constantly faced."

Mr. White said "We admitted such grave American flaws as lynchings, filibusters, the Ku Klux Klan and discrimination. But we pointed out that in a free democratic society we can fight to correct these faults, that we are making some progress and that this is not possible in a Communist or totalitarian society."

After white reporters left the conference, colored newsmen remained behind to question Mr. White about issues which had arisen in connection with him while he was on the world tour.

Asked whether he had written the article which appeared in Look magazine under his name, concerning a chemical which can change skin color from black to white, and whether the article stated his views, Mr. White admitted writing the article and said he would accept "full responsibility" for it. He added, however, that he was amazed to learn of the furor it had caused and of the interpretation it had been given.

#### Important Discovery

Mr. White said he had no intentions of implying that colored people should attempt to change their color as a solution to the race problem. He said he simply had tried to do a factual job on an important discovery, but the article had been cut from 3,500 words to 1,200 words in such a manner that it gave a  
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#### PARENT THRASHES WRONG TEACHER, GETS 45 DAYS

Detroit, Mich.—An irated parent, who thrashed-the-teacher-who-thrashed-his-kid, was given 45 days in the House of Correction to cool-his-heels as well as his mind—for he beat the wrong instructor.

Recorder's Judge Paul E. Krause pronounced sentence Tuesday after William Sherman, 27, 3827 St. Antoine, pleaded guilty of assaulting the teacher, Cecil A. Bakely, 9330 Dexter Blvd.

Bakely told police that Sherman stormed into the Lincoln Playground last Monday, flayed him with his fists, cursed him and knocked him to the ground.

The mix-up began last Friday upon Mrs. Lena Sherman, mother of Anthony, 6, protesting to the principal, Mrs. Pauline Wicks, that her child had been slapped by Bakely. He denied the charge and disclaimed knowing the boy.

Bakely stated that the father came to the school at St. Antoine and Brady on Monday morning to investigate the "rough treatment" of his child. The father left after he was convinced that no harm had been done to the boy.

The struggle between the two men came as result of the mother again coming to the school, going into his classroom and accusing the instructor of shaking his finger in the child's face.

### Many Courses for Adults Begin Next Week in High Schools and Centers Here

Nearly 350 classes, most of them consisting of ten sessions, are being offered this fall by the Department of Adult Education of the Des Moines Public Schools. Most classes start the week of October 3. Half are held in the five senior high school buildings to take advantage of the shops, gyms, pool and specialized equipment there. The others are held in schools, churches, business houses, libraries, social agencies, and homes scattered all over the city.

There is something for every one: investments, small business management, arc welding, machine shop, bridge, dancing, typing, office machines, charm school, antiques, jiu jitsu, archery, figurine painting, keeping fit, home management, hat-making—and on and on. Complete schedules may be secured by calling 4-2106, the Department of Adult Education.

Most classes start at 7:15 in the evening and the enrollment fee is figured on the basis of 17½c per hour of instruction. To enroll in any class, simply attend the first meet-

ing of that class. Des Moines has one of the outstanding Adult Education programs in the United States. It's completely flexible. If you want any subject that is not offered, convert 15 of your friends and call 4-2106.

#### Annual Art Show November 14 to 20

The Dilettante club of Willkie House announces that the annual Negro Art exhibit will be held at the Des Moines Art Center, Greenwood park, November 14, to 20, inclusive.

Deadline for entries is November 10, at which time all entries must be at Willkie House. All material for exhibit should be mounted.

Divisions are as follows: adult, high school and junior high school. Classifications: 1. Water color, finger painting, tempera. 2. Drawing, pen-ink, pastel, pencil. 3. Crayon, prints, block prints, etchings. 4. Crafts, metal, leather, wood, textiles, stencils, silk screening, stitchery. 5. Sculpture.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Women's Day was observed last Sunday. The P. H. T. N. club met Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jefferson. Missionary A club met with Mrs. Clara Houston. The missionary circle will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Pearl Simmons. Deaconess board will meet Friday evening, Oct. 7, with Mrs. Igou. The Harmonette Singers of West Des Moines will give a musical program Sunday, Oct. 2, 8 p.m. Sick members are: Mesdames Alice Carey, Della Wilhite, Gertrude Brown, Beulah Billingsley and Mr. Robert Wilhite.

WEST DES MOINES FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. L. G. Garrett was in his pulpit last Sunday. The usher board will give an entertainment Oct. 4 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Rowe. The Harmonettes will give a program Oct. 16 at First Baptist. Mr. James Harris is home from the hospital. Rev. Mr. Eaves, pastor of Union Baptist church in Pershing, Ia., is ill at his home. Mr. Jim Fletcher, one of the oldest members of the church, is ill at the home of his daughter. Mrs. Maella Logan and son are recovering at home. Visitors Sunday were Mr. Thomas Scorie of Chicago, Miss Virginia Puttso and Miss Roselee Ellington of Missouri. Esther Sain is reporter.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NOTES

A crowd was present last Sunday to hear the new pastor, Dr. Geo. A. Singleton. Rev. Felix Dickerson, one of the assistant pastors, led the morning lesson. The junior choir of thirty voices under the direction of Mrs. Loretta Hughes rendered several spirituals and one anthem in Latin, featuring Misses Beverly Oliver and Donna Lou Carr as soloists. The pastor announced the appointment of I. C. Burrell as a steward and as class leaders: Mesdames Zora Ewing, Alcynteta Walden, Dorris D. Wilson, Ava Brewer, Haley O. Houston, Margaret Howe, Bessie Greene, R. S. Sims, Messrs. Curtis Ross, T. W. Reeves, Wm. Redrick, Jas T. Gray, and Rev. Felix Dickerson. Among the out-of-town visitors present at the morning service were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hayes of Ft. Dodge, Ia.

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NOTICE OF INCORPORATION Notice is hereby given of the incorporation of RAM, INCORPORATED, with its principal place of business in Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa. The general nature of the business to be conducted by the corporation will be to own, operate and conduct for profit the business of research, advertising, manufacturing and merchandising in connection with advertising and advertising aids. The authorized capital is \$10,000.00 divided into one thousand shares of common stock with par value of \$10.00 each, to be issued only upon receipt of full payment in cash or property as provided by law. The corporation came into existence on the 6th day of July, 1949, on which date the certificate of incorporation was issued by the Secretary of the State of Iowa, and its corporate existence will terminate at the expiration of twenty (20) years from said date, with the right of renewal as provided by law, unless sooner dissolved by vote of two-thirds of the stockholders. By the terms of its articles of incorporation the corporation was permitted to commence business whenever Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$750.00) in stock was issued and more than Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$750.00) in stock has been issued and the corporation has commenced doing business. The business of the corporation shall be conducted by a board of directors of not less than two (2) nor more than five (5) members, to be elected at the annual meeting of stockholders on the second Tuesday of January of each year. Officers shall be a president, a secretary and a treasurer and such other officers as may be required, to be elected by the board of directors. The private property of the stockholders shall be exempt from corporate debts. Dated this 17th day of September, 1949. RAM, INCORPORATED President By Melvin E. Seeger Secretary By Meredith R. Griffing, Secretary Printed and published in the Iowa By-stander Sept. 22, 29, and October 6 and 13, 1949.

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Dodge, Ia.; Mrs. Cecelia Clinton, Cincinnati, Ohio; Mrs. Margaret Hall, Los Angeles, Cal.; Wm. Reed, Waterloo, Ia.; Ray Thomas, Rock Island, Ill.; Scott Cassidy, Moline, Ill.; Curtis Brown, New York, N. Y.; C. D. Cropp, Casper, Wyo.; Miss E. M. Davis, Savannah, Ga.; Livingston Hall, Chicago; P. B. McQueen, Baltimore, Md. and Misses Barbara Green and Bernie Brent, Washington, D. C. On Monday evening was held another church conference at which time the budget committee consisting of Lester Benning, Ezra Ewing, John Danforth and Russell Reeves and Mrs. Thelma Reeves and Mrs. Mabel Mason recommended and the conference adopted a tentative budget for the year totaling approximately eight thousand dollars; and unanimously voted to adopt the Pastor's suggestion for a unique rally, in the form of a mock general conference, the details of which shall be announced at a later date.

COMMUNITY SANTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST Speakers last Sunday were Rev. Harry Gross, Rev. Arthur Bush and Rev. Eric Fountain. Visitors included Rev. and Mrs. Oscar Magnusson and daughters, Faith, Joy, Love and Hope, of the Full Gospel Church in Los Angeles; Mrs. Lydia Gross, Rev. Charles Ridgeway and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tolson. The missionary meeting has been changed from Wednesday to Thursday afternoons. Consecration service is held every Friday night.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP Public notice is hereby given by the undersigned that the partnership heretofore existing between Harold Rist and Robert J. Harris under the firm name, Beaverdale Heating and Equipment Company, at 3709 Beaver Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa, has this day been terminated and dissolved by mutual consent. Harold Rist has withdrawn from said firm and business and Robert J. Harris will continue said business at the same place under the same firm name. Dated this 26th day of September, 1949. HAROLD T. RIST ROBERT J. HARRIS Printed and published in the Iowa By-stander September 29 to October 6, 13, 20, 1949.

NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE TO WM. B. REEVE, PERSON IN WHOSE NAME THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED BELOW IS TAXED. You are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1948, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lot 17, Block 16, T. E. Brown's O.P. now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, was sold by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, for the taxes delinquent and unpaid taxes against the said real estate for the years of 1946, 1947 and 1948, to Howard M. Nichols, Jr.; and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to Howard M. Nichols, Jr., by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, pursuant to said sale, which certificate is now lawfully held and owned by Howard M. Nichols, Jr., and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the said real estate will be made unless redemption from said sale is made within 90 days from the completed service of this notice. Dated this 21st day of September, 1949. HOWARD M. NICHOLS, JR. By Howard M. Nichols, Agent Printed and published in the Iowa By-stander Sept. 15, 22, and 29, 1949.

NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE TO MILDRED A. COLEMAN, PERSON IN WHOSE NAME THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED BELOW IS TAXED. You are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1948, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lot 23, Courtland Heights, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, was sold by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, for the taxes delinquent and unpaid taxes against the said real estate for the years of 1946, 1947 and 1948, to Howard M. Nichols, Jr.; and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to Howard M. Nichols, Jr., by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, pursuant to said sale, which certificate is now lawfully held and owned by Howard M. Nichols, Jr., and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the said real estate will be made unless redemption from said sale is made within 90 days from the completed service of this notice. Dated this 12th day of September, 1949. HOWARD M. NICHOLS, JR. By Howard M. Nichols, Agent Printed and published in the Iowa By-stander Sept. 15, 22, and 29, 1949.

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NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE TO LAFE BIGGS, person in whose name the property described below is taxed. You are hereby notified that on the 2nd day of December, 1947, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit: Lots 15 and 16 Block 13 Larson Place now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, was sold by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, for the taxes delinquent and unpaid taxes against the said real estate for the years 1944, 1945, 1946, to Polk County, Iowa, and a certificate of purchase was duly issued to Howard M. Nichols, Jr., and a certificate of sale, which certificate is now lawfully held and owned by Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the said real estate will be made unless redemption from said sale is made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice. Dated this 18th day of July, 1949. POLK COUNTY, IOWA. H. E. ANDERSON, County Auditor of and for Polk County, Iowa. Printed and published in the Iowa By-stander September 22, 29 and October 6, 13, 1949.

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UNION BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. E. A. Gaiters, pastor, returns to his pulpit Sunday, Oct. 2, after a four-week vacation, two of which he spent in Los Angeles, Calif., at the National Baptist convention. He will preach two special sermons, 11 a.m., on the subject, "The Mouth," taken from Psalms 19:14; and at 7 p.m., "Noonday Turned Into Darkness." Josephine Griffith is reporter.

REV. E. H. GILBERT VISITING AUNT HERE Rev. E. H. Gilbert of Rockford, Ill., enroute home from the National Baptist Convention in Los Angeles, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth McKay, 909 Laurel. He also visited in Portland, Ore., and Alameda, Cal. Last Sunday he was a visitor at Union Baptist church here.

MINISTERS WIVES TO MEET OCT. 5 The Ministers Wives Alliance will meet Wednesday, Oct. 5, with Mrs. A. C. Crawford of 1054 W. 14th from 2 to 4 p.m. Halloween will be observed. Mrs. J. I. Thomas will give a book review. Mrs. B. J. Blanks is president. Mrs. G. M. Williams is reporter.

YOUNG AMERICA'S PROBLEMS GET ATTENTION ON KWDM A Teen and Twenty panel gathers in KWDM's radio studios on Saturday mornings at 9:30 to talk over problems of the teens and twenties.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON SPECIAL EXECUTION District Court of Polk County, Iowa STATE OF IOWA, Polk County, ss. LOUIS O. MARTIN vs. WILLIAM STEGER BY VIRTUE OF A SPECIAL EXECUTION TO ME DIRECTED, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa in favor of William Steger, and against Louis O. Martin, on a judgment rendered by said court on the 12th day of September, A. D. 1949, wherein it was ordered, adjudged and decreed that the following described property be sold to satisfy said judgment to-wit: One-third interest in and to Lots Fourteen (14), Fifteen (15) and Seventeen (17) Highland Acres, an official plat, now included in and forming a part of Polk County, Iowa.

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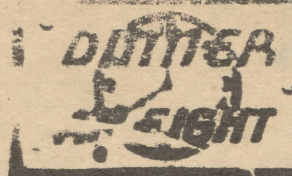
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## MRS. CLEO LIGON EXTENDED COURTESIES ON VISIT IN CHICAGO

Mrs. Cleo Ligon of 700 S. E. 23rd street court has returned to Des Moines from Chicago where she was the guest of Mrs. Leona Richardson and mother. A cocktail party and dinner were given in her honor at the Pershing Hotel lounge. A motor tour of the city, which included a visit to Chicago's famed loop, was followed by a visit to the Railroad Fair.

Mrs. Ligon was entertained in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lee, Mr. Eugene Melton and mother, Miss Ellen Benn and Mrs. Vivian Darius. Mrs. Ligon's visit was climaxed with a bon voyage party prior to her departure on the Rocket for Des Moines.

## MRS. M. E. CASSELL BACK FROM VACATION IN SEATTLE, WASH.

Mrs. M. E. Cassell, 931 Twenty-third street, returned home Monday from Seattle, Wash., where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Zella Brown, since June. Mrs. Cassell was guest of other relatives in Tacoma, Wash., and made a trip to Victoria, British Columbia. She shortened her vacation to return to attend the funeral of Mrs. Rose Wood, a friend of many years.

Mrs. Cassell said she had a "wonderful trip" and was extended many social courtesies.

## MRS. ALICE FREEMAN RETURNS TO D.C.

Mrs. Sam Walker of 1064 14th street had as house guest, Mrs. Alice K. Freeman of Washington, D. C., who left Sept. 22, by plane for her home. Mrs. Freeman is employed as a secretary in Washington.

## IOWANS MOTOR TO CHICAGO TO SEE BASEBALL GAME

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Sanders of 1755 Walker street, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Vandevier of 1007 Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wyatt of Ames, Ia., motored to Chicago, Ill., Sept. 17, to see the Dodger and Cubs baseball game. While there they were guests of Mrs. Wyatt's and Mr. Vandevier's sisters, Mrs. Opal Ball and Mrs. Elsie Robinson.

## MRS. LENNIE HARRIS OF CALIFORNIA HERE

Mrs. Everett Clay, 1055 17th street, was surprised on her birthday Sunday, Sept. 25, by her sister, Mrs. Lennie Harris, who arrived then from Los Angeles, Calif., to spend a month visiting here.

## GUESTS FROM DETROIT SHOWN COURTESIES HERE

Mrs. Phyllis Jackson and grand daughter of Detroit, Mich., concluded a two weeks visit in Des Moines with relatives and friends. Many courtesies were shown while here.

A surprise dinner party was given in her honor by her sisters, Mrs. John Hightower, Mrs. James Gater and her nephew, Mr. Louis Gaither, Jr. Guests attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Fields and niece, Mrs. Minnie Ezell, Mrs. Mabel Newton, Mrs. Mary Lou Williams, Mrs. Mary Young, Miss A. Johnston, Mrs. Wauzeal Boyd, Mr. Marian Vaughn, Mr. Jack Manuel, Mr. Lyod Moore, and Mr. Vaneruer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wakefield Ezell and Mrs. Mabel Newton entertained at a luncheon in her honor Monday and Mr. and Mrs. C. Washington entertained Sunday. Mrs. Mary Lou Williams gave a luncheon in her honor Wednesday. She spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Anna Malone at Orlabor.

Mrs. Arlene Eskridge and Mrs. Eleanor Joy of Kansas City, Kansas, were surprise visitors. They were entertained by Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. John Hightower and Mrs. James Gater.

## MRS. GAINES PLAYS CONCERT IN FT. DODGE

Mrs. Bernice Black Gaines pianist and music teacher, was presented in a concert last Sunday evening in the community room of the YMCA, at Ft. Dodge, Ia., sponsored by the Second Baptist church.

Mrs. Gaines played "Fantasie in C Minor" (Bach); Sonata, Opus 31, No. 2 (Beethoven); "Wedding Day at Troldhaugen" (Greig); "Scenes From An Imaginary Ballet" (Corderge-Taylor); "Juba Dance" (Dett) and "Ballade in G Minor" (Chopin). Chairman of the committee was Mrs. Annell Banks, assisted by Miss Cecelia Peek, and the Rev. Wm. Scott, pastor.

## MR. COOPER OF K. C. VISITING RELATIVES

Mr. Jesse Cooper of Kansas City, Mo., is spending a few days here visiting relatives.

## CANNING EXHIBIT DEADLINE OCT. 5

The Community Garden Club's annual canning exhibit will be Thursday, October 6, at 8:15 p.m. at Willkie House.

Mr. Carl Black, proprietor of the Carl Black Flower service will present the topic, "Flower Hints and Care." Canning highlights will be from the home economics department of the Board of Education. The Wee Folks chorus, directed by Mrs. E. P. Jackson, will render musical numbers.

The tea table will be arranged by the Three Purpose club. Hostesses and pourers will be from the Mary Church Terrell club No. 2.

A door prize will be awarded, followed by a social hour. Cash prizes will be given to winners in the canning exhibit.

Deadline for entries is October 5. The exhibit is open to the public.

## GUESTS AT HOME OF MRS. M. SCOTT

Mrs. Mattie B. Scott, 1623 Searle street, had as house guests last week, her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Arthur of Corapolis, Pa., who spent two weeks here with her. Mrs. Arthur is a sister of the late J. H. Jett.

Other visitors at the home of Mrs. Scott were her daughter, Mrs. Aurora Black, and Mrs. Adeline Thames, both of St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. Ruth B. Wheeler of Omaha, Nebr.

Mrs. Scott was hostess at dinner on Sunday, Sept. 18, entertaining Mesdames Black, Thames, Wheeler and Olivia Devan, Iolah Morris and Nellie Esters.

## ATELIER GUILD PLANS ART EXHIBIT SOON

The Atelier Guild met on Sept. 22 at the home of Mrs. Juanita Winters. The director of Willkie House, Mrs. Lillian Edmunds, and the vice president of the board, Dr. E. T. Scales, discussed with the club their citywide art exhibit of needle and craft which is to be held soon. It will be open to the public.

The next meeting will be Oct. 3 with Mrs. Dorris Wilson, 1164 14th street. Mrs. Venita Wells, 4-6614, is guild reporter.

## 19 GIRL SCOUTS GO ON OVERNIGHT TRIP

The Girl Scout Troop No. 17, sponsored by Willkie House, went on an overnight camp-out trip to near Six Mile Creek on Sept. 23. Mrs. Delores Rice, on whose grounds the girls camped, is nature consultant for the Girl Scout association.

Nineteen girls participated under the leadership of Mrs. E. P. Jackson, assisted by Mrs. Bernice Frazier.

The girls were taught—how to treat a kettle to prevent burning, to build log cabin fire, to cover it after use, to set up and take down pup tents and to have fun.

## PERSONAL TOUCH

By Marie Ross



Two summers ago when Attorney Gertrude Rush returned from Copenhagen, Denmark, where she attended the World Baptist Alliance, she told friends that she would make plans to go back to Europe in the fall of 1949, and some of her friends thought she was day-dreaming or doing a bit of wishful thinking.

But this week, Iowa's only Negro woman attorney, distinguished Mrs. Rush, is ready to leave Des Moines on Friday, (Sept. 30) eat dinner in Chicago, Ill., on Saturday; take a plane out of Chicago and eat evening dinner in Rome, Italy, on Sunday.

That will be fast traveling—but Mrs. Rush likes to travel by plane—and that is the only way to go to Europe, she is certain. She has planned a four-week trip that will give her five days in Rome; eleven days in Jerusalem—where she will stand on the Mount of Olives, go to Bethlehem where Jesus was born, to Nazareth, Galilee, the River Jordan and many of the revered places in the Holy Land. From there she will see Paris, France, again—much cheaper than she saw it before—because of the devaluation of the French money.

Since her last trip to Europe, Mrs. Rush says she has learned that one does not need a carload of luggage, stuffed with this, that and the other. Her eighteen-inch week end case will hold one suit, 1 heavy

## NORTH CAROLINAN VISITS RELATIVES



MR. AND MRS. Z. K. MANIGAN AND MRS. PEAY (Center)

Mrs. Viola Peay of Winston Salem, N. C., (center) left the city last Wednesday after spending a week's vacation here as house guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Z. K. Manigan, 1439 2nd St. Place, who were photographed with her.

It was Mrs. Peay's first visit to Des Moines where she was entertained on sight-seeing tours and fishing trips. Enroute to her home, she visited another uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Manigan in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Manigan who came to Des Moines 35 years ago from South Carolina are both active in civic and fraternal organizations. Mr. Manigan has operated a trucking business and engaged in real estate during that time. Both spend their leisure time in beautifying their home, raising flowers and tending shrubs. (Ashby Photo).

## JOLLY 12 CLUB TO MEET WITH MRS. COLLIER

The Jolly 12 club met September 22, at the home of Mrs. Clara Wade, 1036 17th street. After the meeting dinner was served. The club colors, blue and white, were decorations.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Rose Collier of 1334 Jefferson, with Mrs. Josephine Western, as hostess. Mrs. Western, Mrs. Wade and Mrs. Collier are the new members. Mrs. William Fowler, the sick member, is out of the hospital and doing well.

## MISS WALKER PRESIDES AT CHURCH TERRELL CLUB

The Mary Church Terrell club met with Mrs. Bernice Gaines Monday evening with the chairman, Miss Jessye Walker, presiding. The following committee chairmen were appointed: program, Mrs. Adah Johnson; entertainment, Mrs. Goletha Trotter; financial, Mrs. Ethel Bannister; investigating, Mrs. Gaines; sick, Mrs. Lillian Edmunds. Current events were followed by the serving of refreshments.

## L. T. CLUB TO MEET OCT. 5

The L. T. club will meet Wednesday, Oct. 5, 8 p.m. with Mrs. Helen Wyatt of 4244 Foster Drive.

## DAUGHTERS VISIT MRS. WATSON THOMPSON WHO HAS BEEN ILL

Mrs. Lucille McAdams and Mrs. Allie E. Wilson of Minneapolis, Minn., returned to their homes on Sun. Sept. 24 after spending ten days here at the bedside of their mother, Mrs. Watson Thompson, who was critically ill. They arrived by plane on Sept. 14.

Mrs. Arthur Winston of Champaign, Ill., came on Sept. 24 to spend the week end with her mother, Mrs. Thompson, who formerly resided at 1012 Laurel street, but is now with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ashby, 1112 10th street.

dress, 2 light-weight dresses, six blouses, lingerie, 1 pair of shoes, (the other she will wear), and toilet articles—which when weighed will be under the sixty-pound weight limit, she must observe. She will carry a fur coat and a shopping bag that will hold all of the souvenirs she will collect—because she planning to concentrate of the collection of tiny shells and stones in the Holy Land as her most precious souvenirs.

Before Mrs. Rush started taking trips across the Big Pond—she said she had thrown away money in three different cars. After her last car was stolen she has decided that it is cheaper and more valuable to her to travel around the world—and gain something that no one can steal.

Here's wishing Mrs. Rush a bon voyage!

## MANY GUESTS ATTEND OPEN HOUSE AT YWCA

Over 200 members and guests attended the annual open house at the Des Moines Young Women's Christian Association building, Monday evening, Sept. 26, when registration started for the many fall and winter activities, sponsored for teen-agers and adults.

An interracial group of hostesses was on duty to welcome the many visitors and escort them about the building to view the various exhibits.

Following the after-dinner coffee and refreshments, recreation directors had the guests to join hands and "follow the leader" to the second floor auditorium.

Mrs. Charles Henshaw, president of the Y.W.C.A. board, gave a word of welcome after which she introduced the new executive director, Miss Dorothy Rutherford, recently of Long Island, N. Y., and Miss Shirley Weltz, Y-Teen director, from Madison, Wis.

Climaxing the open house entertainment were community singing led by Tom Weatherwax; and, square dancing and games under the direction of Miss Mary Harless.

Among the new classes to be offered this fall at the Y.W.C.A. will be one in "The United Nations and You," beginning Thursday, Oct. 6, 8 p.m. with Howard Cox, social Studies instructor of Lincoln High school as coordinator and discussion leader.

Other classes beginning next week include: fitness, with volleyball and badminton, and ballroom dancing for adult and senior and junior high school students. Crafts, bridge, slip-covers and draperies are other classes for women.

The Hospitality sub-committee, chaired by Mrs. Guy Greene, met at the YWCA on September 20, at 2 p.m. to plan activities for this year. Coffee was served by Mrs. Guy Logue to all of the members present.

Committee members are: Mrs. John Winters, Mrs. H. P. Edwards, Mrs. Robert E. Jones, Mrs. Leroy Carter, Mrs. John Shaw, Mrs. Eugene Renwick, Mrs. O. K. Shager, Mrs. D. J. Fairgraves, Mrs. H. P. Wallace, Mrs. Fred Allen, and Mrs. Samuel C. Miller.

Mrs. Helen Beshears returned to the city from a recent visit to Terre Haute, Ind., where she was guest speaker at a joint citywide men's and women's day held at the Spruce Street AME church of which the Rev. W. F. Ogleton is pastor.

Mrs. Beshears addressed the morning and 5 o'clock vesper hour programs after which a reception was given for her at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Edwards.

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their foster daughter, Mrs. Freda DeKnight, from Glasgow, Scotland, stating that she was "busy and enjoying her trip very much."

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## Protestant Church Women To Meet Next Wednesday

Central Christian church, 9th and Pleasant, will be the meeting place Wednesday, Oct. 5, beginning at 10 a.m. for a gathering of Protestant church women from Des Moines and Central Iowa.

This meeting is one of those being held the same week in 37 key cities in every state west of the Mississippi under the sponsorship of the United Council of Church Women and the Iowa Council of which Mrs. N. W. McBeath of this city is president.

The local Council of Church women will attend this seminar in place of having the October meeting on the regular date.

Seventy-five women who are either staff members of the United Council or national board members from eastern states along with western state executives are forming the fifteen traveling seminar teams. In announcing these seminars, Mrs. Harper Sibley of Rochester, N. Y., national president stated "that they would give proof that we as women are working together for a world community shaped according to the Christian ideal." The seminars are inter-racial as well as interdenominational.

The meeting on Wednesday will open with a worship period conducted by Mrs. Crowding. In the afternoon she will talk on the special days which church women observe with interdenominational meetings, and will close the afternoon meeting with a commitment to worship, study and action.

The "Churchwoman Luncheon" at noon will be presided over by Mrs. Owens, 1408 47th street, who is taking reservations for it. The luncheon address "Creating Christian Public Opinion" will be given by Mrs. Zeller. Later she will discuss the responsibilities of church women toward legislative issues.

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## ATTEND FUNERAL OF MR. C. JEFFERSON

Mrs. Beatrice Chapman of Chicago, Ill., Messrs. Edward and Percy Gore of Ft. Madison, and Mrs. Birdie Barnham of Keytesville, Mo., attended the funeral of their relative, Mr. Charles Jefferson, on Sept. 14. Mrs. Chapman is a sister of Mrs. Jefferson; and Messrs. Gore are brothers of Mr. Jefferson.

## FELIX STEWARD TO SISTER'S FUNERAL

Mr. Felix Steward left Sept. 28 for Chicago to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Betty Willis, who died Sept. 24 in Yazoo City, Miss.

## HOLDS RALLY

The Pilgrim Missionary Baptist church, 1724 Garfield street, held a successful friendship rally sponsored by Mrs. R. L. Turpin recently.

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EDITORIALS - FEATURES - SPORTS

ADULT CLASSES AVAILABLE TO ALL

Many Des Moines citizens don't realize how fortunate they are in the field of adult education.

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In these days of specialized training, many people are handicapped because they did not have the opportunity to study the subjects of their choice.

IOWA UNIVERSITY COACHES HAVE NO ALIBI

Iowa University has not had a strong football team since 1939 during which time its coaches have complained that good material was lacking.

The game against UCLA Saturday demonstrated that this alibi no longer is available for it was well shown that the material is there but needs to be coached properly.

Of course, this was the first game of the season and in view of the fact that many of the first strong boys are sophomores, this was their first opportunity to perform under fire.

Dr. Anderson and his staff are on the spot this year. It is a team now or never for they have the material on hand.

THE EXPECTED HAS HAPPENED

President Truman's announcement that Russia had the secret of the atom bomb tossed a bombshell which has had its repercussions around the world.

Since the first explosion of an atom bomb at Hiroshima, set off by America, all kinds of efforts have been made to retain the know-how in this country exclusively.

While it makes one shudder when he thinks of war between two nations, this country has used its exclusive temporary knowledge to say some pretty rough things about the other fellow, feeling that its position was so strong that it mattered not what was said, it was alright.

Instruments of war have been developed to such an extent that another war is unthinkable. And yet our diplomats seem heedless in dealing with each other when they know they are treading on dangerous ground.

This discovery by Russia has sped up every war plan which has been in the making for the past months, but as yet no real offensive for peace is under way.

WALTER WHITE

See FRONT Page "person with an axe to grind" an opportunity to attack him.

Henry Lee Moon, public relations counsel for the organization, however, told reporters that Mr. White had another conference and that they could not see him in person further at that time.

The newsmen then submitted a list of questions to Mr. White, through Moon, and asked that he answer them.

Late Thursday afternoon Mr. White answered the questions in the form of a memorandum to each one of them. He requested that if any of the answers to the questions were published that all the questions and answers be published in full.

Q. Some sections of the Negro Press have stated that they feel it is improper for the head of the NAACP to be married to a white woman. Would you comment on this?

A. Throughout my entire life, I

DRAKE FOOTBALL AIRS OVER KWDM

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have lived by one principle—that there is but one race—the human race. I have fought and always will fight against any artificial barriers among the peoples of the world based on race, creed, color or caste.

Q. Do you feel that the press handled the report of your divorce and marriage fairly?

A. My wife and I are pleased, and we are grateful to the overwhelming majority of the press in America, as well as Europe and Asia, for their accurate, dignified even warmly sympathetic, treatment of the news of our marriage.

Q. Do you feel that your interracial marriage has weakened your leadership among Negroes?

A. Time alone will provide the answer.

Q. Any comment, otherwise on your marriage?

A. None.

Mr. White was questioned in the press conference concerning his future plans. He pointed out that he is on leave of absence from the NAACP until June, 1950, and when asked pointedly whether he planned coming back to the organization at that time he said it would depend on his health, his own wishes and those of the NAACP.

Mr. White pointed out that he had a breakdown several years ago, that he had recently been advised by his doctor to "slow up" or face death, that he had no intention of hastening his own death, and that he would soon have another heart examination which would determine his future activity to a great extent.

He said he and his wife will be busy in the immediate future working on a book, "Color Line Around the World." In the meantime, he said, if the NAACP called on him for duty he would respond. Otherwise, he emphasized, Roy Wilkins, acting secretary, was in complete charge.

OTTUMWA, IOWA

By MRS. B. M. HAYES Ottumwa, Ia.—Many friends of David George Williams motored to Iowa City Saturday to see him play in the U. C. L. A. football game. Ottumwa is David's home and at one time was a champion athlete of the state and city. He is the son of Mrs. Gladis M. Junkins.

The new pastor of Mt. Zion AME church, Rev. M. M. Poole from the Chicago conference, was in his pulpit last Sunday.

Mr. Eugene Bryson is better but still at St. Joseph hospital. Mr. Robert Williams of Los Angeles, Cal., is home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry (Hank) Williams of 726 Cooper. Mr. and Mrs. Rice Lintz moved into their new bungalow at 901 Elm street. Dickie Dixon, son of Rev. and Mrs. Dixon will stay in Ottumwa this fall semester before transferring to his new home in St. Paul, Minn. He is home with Mr. and Mrs. Russel Downey. Among the shut-ins are: Mrs. Ida Davis, Mr. C. T. Gooch, Mr. Bailey, Mrs. Maxine Brown who is at home while her husband remains at Ottumwa hospital.

NEOPHYTE GOLF CLUB MEETS

The Neophyte Golf club met Sept. 21 with Mrs. Helen Blanchard. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Marceline Estes, 813 14th street.

OBSERVE DEMOCRAT WOMEN'S DAY

The Jeffersonian Women's Democratic club observed National Democrat Women's Day at Willkie House at a 6 o'clock dinner meeting on Sept. 27 with the state chairman of the Iowa Roosevelt club, Henry U. Mease, as main speaker.

The national observance was planned by Mrs. India Edwards, who was heard over a national radio program Tuesday with President Truman.

SPORTS

By ALLEN ASHBY

It continues to be John Bright and Drake, or Drake and John Bright, depending on who says it. With the host of Negroes who have suddenly become Drake conscious, it is definitely Bright and Drake. Now they are working themselves into a frenzy over the prospects of his making the basketball team.

We hope everyone knows that young Mr. Bright had quite a day or night against Emporia Teachers. One writer has said that Drake's fortunes could rise or fall with the big chesty youngster, and who are we to dispute him.

He calls plays while he is in there and from what we can see, his choice of plays seem alright. We were teasing him about it and the guy says "one thing I know is football. I may not know anything else, but I learned that the hard way, so I think I know it." Maybe, he is right.

Big Ten Football

Must have been a rough week end for Big Ten coaches. The head men in the Ohio State-Missouri scuffle must have thought they were on a busy downtown intersection during rush hour as players whizzed by going both directions for touch-downs. For that matter there was pretty heavy traffic at Iowa City.

The Negroes, Bradley, Earl Banks, Don Commack and Mike Riley did alright. Maybe, there will be a gang of us at Iowa City to see what really happens during the season. Ought to be some collision at Purdue this week.

Michigan has a big tackle, Don Johnson, who will probably be heard from before the end of the season.

High Schools

For the second straight week, Negroes took over the prep play of the week spot in the Register sports page. This time it was Morris Bell of East High, whose terrific line backing and plunging stood out in East's losing battle with St. Ambrose of Davenport. Dick Turner was a standout at guard, and so was Al Gatewood at end. Looks like an East year.

Jim Campbell of Tech was taken care of against Roosevelt and never got a chance to show his wares. Naomish Ward scored once for Tech and played a nice game. Bob Harris at Dowling was one of the big guns as his team staged a comeback to beat Creighton preps. Probably have to make more room for Harris and Bell on the all-city team.

Boxing

Ran into Don Turner, two-time Golden Gloves heavyweight champion before the war. He has turned pro and scored a two-round kayo in his first start. Bobby Carew was on the same card and lost. Don says he wants to see how far he can go. If he can stay in shape, he might do pretty well at that.



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State officers are: Rev. Thomas Mayberry, pastor and overseer of Iowa and national chairman of counsels; Rev. Alfred Cook assistant pastor and Y.P.W.W. president; Evangelist Estella Coates, state mother and state evangelist, and national program director; Mrs. L. Davis of Perry, Ia., state pianist; Miss Eva Tindrel of Perry, state field worker; Rev. F. T. Tindrel, pastor of the temple in Perry. Mrs. Lucile Holt of Kansas City, Mo., general supervisor of women's work.

The church teaches sanctification and holiness and "does not preach, teach or practice the doctrine of spiritualism." Meetings are held on Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Sundays.

HAS OPERATION

Mrs. Kenether Ashby, 764 Tenth street, underwent an operation on Monday at Mercy hospital.

AFRICAN STUDENTS TO ENTER LINCOLN

See Front Page cluding food, lodging, clothing, and even soap. And since at that time, there was no colonial school system, they were educated at the hands of Lincoln graduates in Africa, who selected them from the bright boys "right out of the bush." They remained at Lincoln for periods from 8 to 13 years, going successively through a "lower preparatory school" to "preparatory school" to college, and through the theological seminary.

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Linger in her eye, Linger on her eyelash, Do not go away; Linger in the lovelight Linger there I pray, Whisper to her gently, Whisper soft and low;

Wistful as the willow, In the candle-glow, Weary little sweetheart, All alone and blue; Lonesome little teardrop, Would that I were you.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the many friends who were so kind to us during our recent bereavement; and, also to thank them for the hearty floral offerings.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors for their kindnesses, courtesies, expressions of sympathy, beautiful floral offerings and cards extended us at the death of our husband and relative, Charles Jefferson. Especially do we thank the Maple Street Baptist church and pastor, Rev. George Parish; Rev. J. R. Roman and L. Fowler and Son funeral home.

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