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THREE WINNERS:

Ballot All Night on A.M.E. Bishops

Receive Railway Firm's Two New Bus Fare Schedules

The Des Moines city council received and filed Monday the Des Moines Railway Co. proposed two new fare schedules—one to increase the adult cash fare to 18 cents, the other to raise it to 20 cents.

Mayor Allen W. Denny and Council Member Ray Miles both were out of the city and action was delayed until there is a full council.

The plan put forward by C. W. Gifford, president of the transit system, would:

Permit the company to adopt either the Kansas City or the Omaha rate structure, having higher fares including adult cash fare of 20 to 18 cents, respectively.

Pledge the company to restore peak-hour service, four hours each morning and evening, on all five of the lines abandoned Jan. 21.

Pledge the company to make installations "as soon as practicable" for the impending one-way streets system.

Provide that "the company will not abandon lines in the future without the consent of a majority of the members of the city council," the company to "arbitrate any differences of opinion."

The city to withdraw its ordinance Jan. 28, challenging the company's right to abandon lines or substantially curtail service without council consent.

Neither proposed fare structure would include zone fares or transfer charges, which would have been permitted by a joint company-city plan that the council rejected April 14 after first giving it preliminary approval.

The new plan however, would raise the present adult cash fare of 15 cents, which the other proposal would have retained as a base.

Ends Leave Here



ALLEN GILMORE

Allen Gilmore, hospitalman third class, in the navy, left Tuesday night after spending a week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gilmore, 844 Ninth street. Recently he was transferred to the Battleship New Jersey.

Memorial Service At St. Paul Sunday

Lincoln Post No. 126 and Lincoln unit will hold a memorial service Sunday, May 25, 7:30 p.m., at St. Paul AME church, 12th and Crocker streets.

Bans Superman For Speaking On Equality

Hamilton, Bermuda—(CNS)—"Superman," the children's favorite, was pulled off the air here because it dared to preach equality for citizens of the world. The British, who govern this tiny island, thought it best that the liberal ideas not be spread among the Bermudians. The native children haven't forgotten him and snatch up any pictures or comic books on Superman.

Among Drake Students To Get Degrees Monday



REV. L. L. BARNES

Drake university's commencement exercises will be held Monday, May 26, at 9:30 a.m., in the University Christian church auditorium, 25th and University.

Among the Negro students to receive degrees are the following:

Bachelor of Science
Bruce L. McCraney, 1321 Ascention



JAMES F. DIXON

Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy, Bachelor of Arts
Rev. Leonard L. Barnes, 723 S. E. 28th street; James F. Dixon, 945 Fifteenth street; Marcus E. Kanno, Uzaukoll, Nigeria, West Africa; Nathaniel D. McNeil, 1026 Fourteenth street; William J. Roberson, East CChicago, Ind.; Elaine Kingston, Minott, Jamaica, all Bachelor of Arts degree.



JOHN BRIGHT

Bachelor of Law
William G. Jenkins, Lansing, Mich. (1106 12th street); Oscar E. Jones, 552 Sills street, Bachelor of Laws. **Bachelor of Science in Education**
John D. Bright, Fort Wayne, Ind.; (1024 17th street); William B. Johnson, Marshalltown, Iowa; 1060 14th street., Bachelor of Science in Education.

None of 1952 Presidential Candidates Measure Up on Civil Rights Say Current

Asilomar, Calif.—"The presidential candidate who receives the bulk of the Negro vote will be the one who speaks up unequivocally for FEPC, elimination of the filibuster and other civil rights measures," Gloster B. Current, NAACP director of branches, told 400 delegates attending a northern California conference of local NAACP units.

On the issue of civil rights, Mr. Current said, none of the avowed candidates in either party measures up. He reviewed the records of General Dwight Eisenhower and Senators Robert A. Taft, Estes Kefauver and Richard Russell. He characterized the general as a "staid and silent sphinx" who "can only be judged by his testimony of 1948 supporting segregation in the Army which he has not since publicly repudiated."

Dixiecrats

Of the Ohio Republican, he said: "Senator Taft's record and statements would indicate that he is more interested in gaining support and approval of the Dixiecrats than of Negro voters, organized labor and liberals."

To Mr. Current, Senators Kefauver and Russell are "tweddle-dee and tweddle-dum who 'have taken the same position on several important congressional votes which affected the rights and opportunities of the colored minorities of America.'"

Other Speaker

The conference which also heard Robert L. Carter of the national office legal staff; Franklin H. Williams, West Coast regional director; Mrs. Tarea Pittman, West Coast field secretary; and others was attended by civil rights lawyers and delegates from branches, youth councils and college chapters in the far west.

Consultants at the youth sessions of the conference included Nathaniel Colley, president, Central Valley Area NAACP; Jack Palmer, Alameda County NAACP Youth Council; Miss Willa Mae Watts, Vallejo NAACP Youth Council; Evelio Grillo, University of California School of Social Work; Earl Raab, Jewish Community Survey; B'nai B'rith; Robert Pitts, Public Housing Authority; and Fred Ross, director, California Federation for Civic Unity.

Atkins' Parole Is Revoked; Gets 15 Years for Larceny And 7 on False Pretenses

Richard Lee Atkins appeared Wednesday morning before District Court Judge C. Edwin Moore, who held and immediate hearing and revoked the former East High School track star's parole. He was sentenced to serve 15 years for snatching a purse in September, 1948.

On the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses, Atkins, who had been sentenced to serve seven years, which will run concurrently.

Richard Lee Atkins, 23, of 2805 Third street, former East High school track star, and his common-law wife, Shirley Ann Turner, 21, were arraigned before Municipal Judge Don L. Tidrick Tuesday afternoon on charges growing out of burglaries here.

Atkins pleaded innocent to three charges of breaking and entering and Shirley Ann entered a similar plea to forgery. Their hearings were set for June 4. Atkins was held under \$3,000 bond. The woman was released on her own bond.

Police said the two admitted theft

of \$200 in cash, a \$150 check which they cashed, a diamond brooch valued at \$600, a sledge hammer, four watches and two clocks.

Trace Check

So far, police have recovered the brooch and three watches and have "leads" they hope will result in recovery of some of the cash and the clocks.

Detective Chief Robert E. O'Brien credited Detectives Tony Andreano and James McCarthy with "good work" in tracking down Atkins.

They received a tip that Atkins might have been involved in recent break-ins, then traced him through the cashing of the \$150 check at a drug store.

Police said Miss Turner was arrested after her handwriting was found

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Robeson Sings At U. S. Border

Douglas, British Columbia—Paul Robeson Sunday sang and danced to a crowd of some 4,500 persons.

After immigration authorities prevented Robeson from leaving this country, he stood on a platform at the border. Loudspeakers carried his voice to Canadians on the northern side.

President Urged to Free Gilbert

Richmond.—The Virginia State NAACP Conference has joined other NAACP units, civic and religious groups in requesting that President Truman act immediately to continue to commute the twenty-year sentence of Lt. Leon Gilbert to the time Lt. Gilbert has already served.

In a letter dated May 10 and signed by Dr. J. M. Tinsley, president, and W. Lester Banks, executive secretary of the Virginia State NAACP, President Truman was commended in acting in November, 1950, to commute the death sentence imposed upon Lt. Gilbert to a sentence of twenty years.

The President's reconsideration of the Gilbert Case is prompted by the fact that in recent months a number of combat officers have been court martialed for offenses similar to the one which Lt. Gilbert was charged and in not one instance has any of these sentences even approximated the severity of the sentence of twenty years imposed upon Lt. Gilbert.

Fort Dodge Boy Kicked By Horse; Unable To Talk

By C. L. House
Fort Dodge, Ia. (Special)—Robert Lockman, 15-year-old junior high school lad, who was kicked by a horse, Wednesday, May 14, at the Hayes Riding academy, now is unable to talk.

According to his sister, Mrs. Margaret Lytell, Robert and several other boys, including Jonnie Howard, Don Demery had free rides, given to them after dark by a man at the academy.

After returning the horses to the academy and dismounting, the boys were said to have begun playing with the horses.

"It was at this point," continued Mrs. Lytell, "that suddenly the horse that Robert was behind, kicked both back feet high, one foot hitting him flush on the jaw."

Continue Probe of Home Ripped by Fire and Explosion

Fire inspectors continued to probe this week the scene of an explosion and fire that ripped the four-room frame home in which Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Jones, at 2805 Cleveland avenue, early last Sunday morning.

The parents and ten children escaped serious injury but lost all their possessions.

Mrs. Jones said she awoke about 3:30 a.m. and discovered smoke in the place. She opened the front door, then turned toward the telephone to call firemen.

Place Blazed

But air from the open door seemed to "make the whole place blaze," she explained. An explosion followed.

Meanwhile her husband, a World War I veteran and employee of the Iowa Packing company, was awakened. He and his wife succeeded in getting their eight children and two grandchildren out of the place.

However, Mrs. Jones fell and became unconscious while rescuing her youngest child. Her husband suffered minor burns and singed hair when he returned for both of them. Mr. and Mrs. Jones both were treated at Broadlawn General hospital.

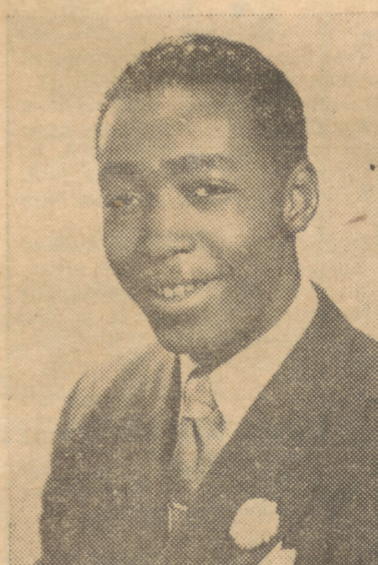
Windows P...

Jones quoted ... as sav...

house were blown out. The resulting fire destroyed all furniture, clothing and food. The interior of the home was severely damaged. Jones rents the place from Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tunley, 2808 Cleveland.

The parents and some of the children are staying with a relative at 936 10th street.

Back From Korea



CPL. LEVESTER FITZPATRICK

Cpl. Levester Fitzpatrick, who returned recently from Korea, where he spent two years, left last Saturday, for Chantrel Field, Ill. He was accompanied by his wife and baby.

While here visiting relatives, he was visited by his mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Warthen, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bogie, 1341 Buchanan, and Mrs. John Ward, 1527 Walker street.

Robert was rushed to a local hospital where it was discovered that he had sustained a deep cut, a broken tooth and one knocked out. Doctors there advised that the boy be sent to Iowa City.

He was taken to Iowa City hospital by another sister, Mrs. Mary Holliday, who was called home from Yankton, S. D., where she was visiting relatives.

At press time Robert was reported to be "resting easy" after having undergone an operation. His teeth had been wired to his jawbone and his face packed in ice. It was also reported that he will not be able to talk for sometime.

He is the son of Mr. Dan Lockman, 1020 6th street, southwest.

More Than 100 Clergymen Candidates Voted on Three Times Before Trio Elected

Chicago, Ill.—Three bishops were elected Tuesday at the AME church's general conference, at the close of a 20-hour session.

The new bishops are the Rev. H. Thomas Primm, New Orleans, La.; Rev. Frederick D. Jordan, Los Angeles, Cal., and the Rev. E. C. Hatcher, Nashville, Tenn.

Thousands of members of the church during the all-night session, balloted three times for more than 100 clergyman candidates before three received sufficient votes to be elected. The convention waited several hours each for results to be determined.

They were to be assigned to Episcopal districts Wednesday, at which time any of the 14 other bishops may be shifted by the Episcopal committee.

Judge Perry B. Jackson of Cleveland's Municipal Court was elected Monday to head the denomination's new and influential judicial committee, to which all appeals on church policy and action will be referred.

Mrs. Clyde Morris, 1046 ... st., returned Monday from Chicago, Ill., where she attended the general conference.

open session there ...

According to Mrs. Morris, attended many AME general conferences, this is the first year in their history, that the bishops had not been elected and consecrated on the second Sunday of the conference.

General officers were elected first, Mrs. Morris informed. While in Chicago for the week end, Mrs. Morris said she ran into many Iowans and six former pastors of St. Paul AME church of which she is a member.

New AME Bishop



BISHOP F. D. JORDAN

Chicago, Ill.—Frederick Douglas Jordan, pastor of the First AME church, Los Angeles, Cal., one of the newly elected bishops at the Tuesday session of the AME general conference is a former president of Western university in Keokuk, Iowa.

at the ... which convened ...

Other Des Moines Mrs. Morris at the ... Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Tucker, Miss Mary Holmes, Mrs. Elsie Morris, Mrs. Helen Beshears, Mrs. Fannie Danforth, Mrs. Alcenetta Miller, Mrs. Myrtle Butler, Mrs. Georgine Morris, and Mrs. Dorothy McDonald.

Willie Gets Month's Reprieve From Army

New York—(CNS)—Willie Mays, probably the Giants' key player, got another month's stay from the army all because of a few involved details in transferring his induction papers from his Fairfield, Ala. draft board to New York.

Willie was to have been inducted on May 17. He requested the transfer of his papers to New York so that

he could play until the last minute. The Giants were all set to say goodbye to Willie when it developed that the papers had not arrived in time in New York. Moreover the May quota of one here was already filled up.

So explained Ralph Berhardt, Chief Clerk of the Transfer Board: "If Mays' papers get here in time, he could be put on the June list. Just what day, I don't know. But you could guess about a month from now."

Illinois Central Ordered to Stop Jimcro on Trains

Chicago, Ill.—(CNS)—The Illinois Central R. R. was order to stop segregating against Negro passengers on its trains in the state of Illinois, in a ruling made by the Illinois Commerce Commission.

The railroad was also ordered to desist from its car-card system of assigning passengers as the system "is applied in a manner to segregate Negro passengers in cars toward the head of the train without respect to their destination or whether they are traveling to points within the state or beyond."

The Commission further found that the system, "makes it more difficult for Negro passengers to use certain facilities, such as the observation car and diner which are located at or near the rear of the train." The Commission held that the discrimination was in violation of the Public Utilities Act and the state Civil Rights Act.

Present at the hearing was Miss Vera Johnson, who told how she was discriminated against on the City of New Orleans in July 1950. She was assigned to a front car filled beyond seating capacity with Negroes and prevented from occupying an empty seat in a car set aside for the white passengers. Many other Negroes told of similar incidents.

SELASSIE HONORED ON NEW ETHIOPIAN STAMPS

New York—(CNS)—Ethiopia will soon issue a series of seven stamps to honor its Emperor, Haile Selassie. The stamp will commemorate his 60th birthday.

Elect Delegates To NAACP Conference

Delegates elected to attend the annual meeting of the Iowa conference of NAACP branches which convenes in Burlington, June 7-8, are: William L. Bell, Ike Smalls, J. B. Morris, Jr., Mrs. Guy Greene, Mrs. Charles L. Strange.

Alternates are Mrs. Clara Bayles, Mrs. Charles Taylor of Perry, Ia., who is affiliated with the Des Moines branch, Mr. Sylvester Strothers, Mrs. Leota M. Hunter and A. P. Trotter.

The total of memberships reported at the Tuesday night meeting was 574. The drive will continue until June 3.

Seeks Auditor's Post



T. HARRY VICKER

T. Harry Vicker, lifelong resident of Des Moines, has announced that he is a Republican candidate for Polk County auditor.

A veteran of World War I, and charter member of the Baldwin-Patterson post of the American Legion, Mr. Vicker, if elected pledges to the people of Polk County, "prompt, impartial and courteous service, efficiently administered by competent deputies and employees in the Polk County Auditor's office."

For sixteen years he was associated with the Motion Picture Industry, primarily in the production-distribution part of the business; for seven and a half years he served as chief deputy sheriff of Polk County under the late Sheriff C. F. Keeling.

He was appointed and served as commissioner of the Iowa State Motor Vehicle department, in charge of the Iowa State Highway patrol and driver's license department.

In 1940, he was elected to serve on the Des Moines City Council as finance commissioner, which office he

Earl Ryan Candidate For Reelection

Earl Ryan is a candidate for reelection to a second term of State Representative from Polk County.

Mr. Ryan's record as a Legislator has been excellent and that has been especially true for social welfare, schools, and veterans legislation.



MR. RYAN

Mr. Ryan served in the Navy in the United States and in the Coast Guard from Drake School in 1925.

Assistant county attorney for four years. He is a charter member of the Baldwin-Patterson Post and is a member of the "40 and 8," Masons, Shrine, Eastern Star, Elks, Moose and Eagles.

In 1930 he was appointed assistant secretary of state, in which capacity he served under Ed Smith and G. C. "Kelly" Greenwald.

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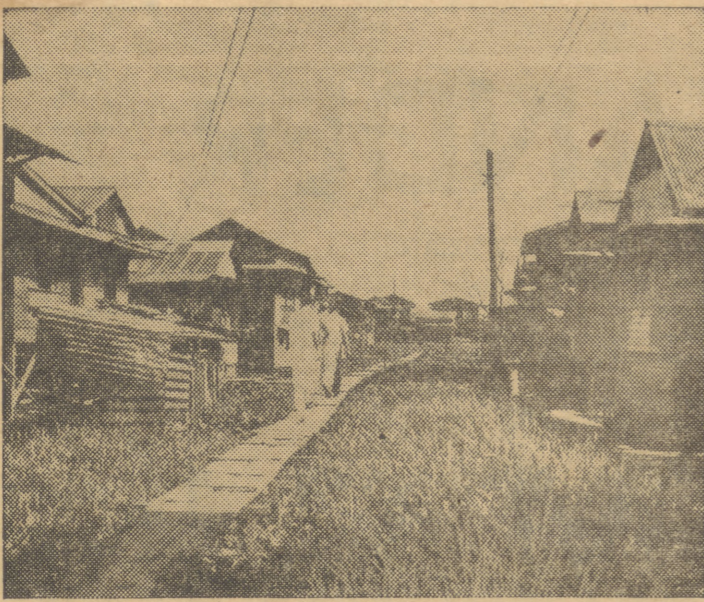
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Great Housing Effort Needed In Philippines



Main "avenue" of the slum district are planks resting on stilts sunk in a deep canal where water lilies grow in abandoned profusion. Notice make-shift homes with lean-to sheds where clothes are washed by residents.

Manila, Philippine Islands.—In the Philippine Islands today there is a severe housing shortage—so severe, in fact, that hundreds of thousands of families are living in makeshift huts constructed out of tin cans, packing crates, odd pieces of bamboo and assorted strips of decaying lumber.

One official of the Mutual Security Agency, which is seeking to assist this young and struggling Republic to achieve economic stability, estimated recently that some 55 percent of the families in Manila and its outskirts like in "shacks and shanties". Outside Manila, he said, "conditions are much the same except not so crowded".

The truth of this report is easily verified by the most casual observer. In the very heart of Manila, in the old walled city which suffered se-

vere bombing during the war, hundreds of families have established themselves in wretched shanties. The vast majority are without running water, toilets or electricity. They live 6, 8—and even 10 in one room, sleeping on the floor.

So-Called "Squatters"—persons made homeless by the last war or the current Huk fighting—are camping in bombed-out churches, and other buildings.

The mayor of Manila several times issued eviction notices in an effort to get rid of the "squatters," but they don't move. Most of them have no other place to go.

Said Mayor Arsenio Lacson, crusading ex-newsmen:

"The problem here is the appalling poverty of the masses." He estimated that half the population of Manila is living in "sub-human" dwellings, under conditions "ap-

proaching more the animal than the human."

The 39-year-old mayor, a veteran of the savage wartime fighting in and around Manila, described MSA aid as "a shining light" although he lamented that "it is still in the blueprint stage."

Starting July 1 of this year, however, more than \$1,000,000 in MSA funds will be available for housing purposes. Planners are already hard at work with Philippine Government officials — attempting to come up with suitable and practical projects.

One of the projects in an advanced stage would be aimed directly at "squatters" and the very lowest paid laborers, the group which generally comes last in most plans.

Largely, "experiment", the project would provide land, sanitary and water facilities in a nearby suburb. An estimated 400 families would be cared for, but they would have to build their own houses.

Probing Blows During Arrest

Oran E. Boley, 52, of 743 S. E. Thirteenth street, pleaded innocent in municipal court Thursday to charges of larceny and resisting arrest.

Municipal Judge Don L. Tidrick set preliminary hearing on the resisting arrest charge for May 27 and assigned the larceny charge to the jury calendar.

Boley was arrested Wednesday afternoon by Patrolman Robert Webb who said Boley had attempted to steal a 79 cent bag of nuts from Walgreen's drugstore, 324 Seventh street.

Webb said Boley struck him on the jaw while Webb was telephoning police headquarters from a corner callbox. The officer said he hit Boley several times to subdue him.

Youth's Determination Often Comes In Large Part From Parents

(Afton Smith, Assistant Professor, Child Welfare Research Station)

What makes a boy or girl want an education enough to overcome obstacles? Where does he get his strong incentive to succeed?

His determination often comes in large part from his parents who believe in education and in their child. Parents who know they never can

help him with money, can neither encourage or discourage him from childhood. The easiest way out is to say, "I'd like my child to go to college, but we will never be able to send him. So I'm not teaching him to count on it." It will take a determined and able youngster to fight his way through such defeatism, and

hand to pay this lien and it is necessary to sell the above described real estate in order to satisfy the lien of the State Board of Social Welfare.

The administrator alleges and avers that the residence of the unknown deceased person is the same, but is not available for further particulars. SEE PETITION NO. ON FILE, YOU ARE ALSO NOTIFIED TO appear in said Polk County Court at Des Moines, Iowa on the 18th day of June 1952, before the 18th day of June 1952, and to file any objections you may have, if any, to the sale of the above described Real Estate as set forth in the Administrator's petition. Dated at Des Moines, Iowa this 16th day of June 1952.

VIRGIL F. DIXON, Administrator 418 Sixth Ave. East, Des Moines, Iowa. Printed and published in the Iowa Bystander May 22, 29 and June 5, 1952.

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Hibokhibok Explosion Worst In History of Mountain

The mounting death toll in the eruption of Hibokhibok mountain on Camiguin island near Mindanao threatens to brand the 5,620-foot peak as the Philippine Islands' most destructive volcano.

Hibokhibok has caused death and devastation in the past, but its previous explosions did not approach the latest one for violence and loss of life. It went through a five-year period of activity from 1871 to 1876, when most of the island's residents were evacuated.

More than two-thirds of the 50,000 inhabitants were moved to Mindanao, only six miles away, to escape the spouting steam, gas, lava and volcanic ash. Five persons were killed in the 1948 eruption. Almost exactly two years later the mountain erupted again, bringing death to 84 persons.

The latest explosion recalls the 1,400 killed in the disastrous 1911 eruption of Mt. Taal, on an island in little Lake Taal, 39 miles south of Manila.

The Philippines' most famous volcano is Mt. Mayon in southeastern Luzon, a symmetric cone nearly 8,000 feet high that has been violent more than 30 times since 1800.

Although Hibokhibok enjoyed long periods of quiet, and was even thought to be extinct after 1876, its name indicates violence in the past. Hibokhibok, in Malay, means "unrest."

Camiguin island is a tiny oval of land measuring 13 1/2 by nine miles, with an area about four times that of Manhattan. Hibokhibok is the highest peak of the island's central mountain range.

ORIGINAL NOTICE

In The District Court of the State of Iowa In and For Polk County THOMAS E. KENT, Plaintiff,

vs. AUDREY M. KENT, Defendant.

To AUDREY M. KENT: You are hereby notified that the position 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 willful desertion, for a period of more than two years.

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 19th day of June, 1952, or default will be entered, and judgment of decree rendered for the relief prayed for in plaintiffs petition.

THOMAS E. RUSH, Plaintiff, Mulberry St., Des Moines, Iowa.

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NOTICE IN PROBATE

To Whom It May Concern: You are hereby notified to appear at the Court House in Polk County, Iowa, on the 2nd day of June A. D. 1952, at 9 o'clock A. M., to attend the probate of an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of Fred Slezak, deceased, late of Polk County, Iowa, at which time and place you will appear and show cause, if any, why said will should not be admitted to probate.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the District Court, at Des Moines, Iowa, this 5th day of May, A. D. 1952.

MICHAEL H. DOYLE, JR., Clerk District Court J. H. KINNEY, Deputy

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In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the District Court, at Des Moines, Iowa, this 6th day of May, A. D. 1952.

MICHAEL H. DOYLE, JR., Clerk District Court B. H. SMITH, Deputy

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SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Iowa) vs. HELZBERG, INC., Plaintiff, No. 36169 Docket No. Tr. 43

THOMAS MAYBERRY and MRS. HYLER MAYBERRY Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a Transcript execution, to me directed by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, against the goods, chattels, lands, tenements, etc., of Thomas Mayberry and Mrs. Hyler Mayberry defendants, in favor of Helzberg, Inc., Plaintiff, I have levied on and will offer at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at the East Front Door of the Polk County Court House in the city of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on the 4th day of June 1952, 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 defendants in and to the following described property, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

West 40 feet of East 127 feet of Lot 5 of the Official Plat of the S.W. 1/4 of the N.E. 1/4 of Section 4-78-24, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa.

Sale to commence at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day.

Witness my hand, this 23rd day of April, 1952.

TOM REILLY, Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa By L. E. CHENOWETH, Deputy

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D. M. Silhouettes Elect Officers; Adjourn 'Til Fall

The Des Moines Silhouettes met Friday, May 2, with Mrs. Napoleon Cropp as hostess.

On Friday, May 16, Mrs. A. A. Alexander was hostess to the club at the last meeting of the season.

Election of officers was held as follows: Mrs. Thompson, president; Mrs. Matt Johnson, vice president; Mrs. Robert Wright, secretary; Mrs. Floyd Dixon, assistant secretary; Mrs. Ada Johnson, Jr., treasurer; Mrs. Alexander, appointed parliamentarian; Mrs. W. J. Ritchey, appointed to install the new officers.

The club will resume its activities the first Friday in September at the home of Mrs. Clarence Adams.

FORT DODGE, IOWA

Fort Dodge, Ia.—Second Baptist church, Rev. Wm. Scott, pastor; Sunday School, 10:30 a. m. Irene Fox, supt. Morning worship, 11:30 a. m.; B.Y.P.U. 6:30 p. m.

Miss Memorie Wells and Miss Glynda Horn attended a formal dance in Des Moines last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Love, Mrs. Margaret Lytell and Mr. John Crooks drove to Waterloo last week. Miss Mabel Buckner and Mr. Price Clay also spent the day there.

Mr. Dan Lockman, Mrs. Margaret Lytell, Harry Lockman left early Sunday morning for Iowa City to see their son and brother, Robert, who is hospitalized there. Mr. B. Miller also went.

Coppin Chapel AME church, 151 Central Ave., Rev. LeRoy Patterson, pastor; Sunday School, 10 a. m., Mrs. Lillian Lewis, Supt.; topic for next week is "God's Estimate of Human Life." Other services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Miss Sovilla Howard, daughter of Mrs. Malisa Howard, graduated from Providence hospital in Chicago, Ill., where she studied nursing. Mrs. Howard was in Chicago for ten days, the guest of her daughter and son-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Chauncey Martin, and attended her daughter's graduation.

Leanna Howard, daughter of Mrs.

Parallels Often in News In Both War and Peace

Like the 38th parallel, currently famous because the Communists chose to try to convert its 200-mile length across the Korean Peninsula into an iron curtain, many another surveyed segment of latitude and longitude has had its day in court.

A few careful looks at maps of the continents, however, and it soon becomes apparent that such lines have but rarely formed boundaries in the Old World. It is in the United States, Canada, and Australia almost exclusively that straight-line borders, predominantly east-west or north-south, appear.

In contrast to Europe and Asia, where most countries and divisions within countries are defined by the crooked lines of natural boundaries, straight-line borders are common north of the Rio Grande all the way to Alaska. In fact, no state of the Union nor mainland province of Canada is outlined wholly by natural boundaries.

Outstanding is the 1,269-mile stretch of the 49th parallel from Lake of the Woods at the top of Minnesota west to the Strait of Georgia in British Columbia. For more than a century it has formed the western third of the ungarisoned United States-Canada border, model of international amity.

Point Roberts at its western end and Northwest Angle at its eastern end are tiny United States enclaves. The existence of each as such is an interesting story in itself.

In 1818 a boundary treaty with Great Britain established the 49th parallel as the international fence from Lake of the Woods to the summit of the Rockies in western Montana. A year later, Spain, conveying Florida to the United States, gave up western land claims north of parallel 42. Thus was determined what still survives as the southern line of Oregon and Idaho.

Mills Brothers on Bergen Show



The Mills Brothers, whose recent appearance on The Edgar Bergen-Charlie McCarthy radio show brought a flood of requests for a repeat, are being brought back for a return engagement on the popular comedy program Sunday night (May 25) on CBS. The famous "Four Boys And A Guitar" will be heard in several of their favorite arrangements.

Malisa Howard, who is with the W.A.F. in Michigan, was home on a ten-day furlough. She left last Saturday night for her military duties. Mrs. Howard's son, Edward, Jr., a member of the air force, was home, also, on a 15-day furlough. He left last Friday for California, with orders to be shipped to Korea.

O. E. S., conducted initiation Tuesday evening, May 20, at their hall at 825 Mobile street. Five new members were added to the chapter. Mrs. Helen Baker is worthy matron.

American Legion Auxiliary News

The American Legion Auxiliary No. 126 held executive board meeting at the home of Mrs. Clarence King, the auxiliary president, 1315 Park street, Tuesday, May 6. Plans were made for the Sixth District Polk County Spring conference. Delegates were elected to go to West Des Moines.

Tuesday, May 20, the American Legion Auxiliary held their regular meeting at the Post club room, 100 11th street. Sunday, May 25, at 7 p. m., Lincoln Post and Auxiliary will hold a Memorial Day service for the deceased veterans and Auxiliary members at St. Paul AME church. The public is welcome.

Funeral services for Mrs. Birdie Williams, 600 Cottage street, were held Saturday morning, May 17, at St. Peter Claver Catholic church. Burial was in Cavalry Cemetery. Persons from out of the city attending were: Mrs. Williams's sister, Mrs. Lulu Coleman, and brother, Mr. Fred Ferguson of Sedalia, Mo., Miss Iowa City, Ia.; and Mrs. E. T. Sciss of Des Moines.

On Wednesday evening, May 21, "Reflections from Convention," were presented at the regular May meeting for electors of the YWCA. A brief outline of plans for summer and fall program was also presented.

Mr. Gilbert Randle, assistant state chairman of the Republican State Central committee, Mr. Calvin Pruitt and Mrs. Gwendolyn Fowler were in the city May 17 and 18. While here they were able to meet with the Community council.

Atty. W. Lawrence Oliver of Des Moines, and father, J. R. Oliver of Salt Lake City, passed through the city Saturday enroute home to Des Moines from Chicago, where they attend a funeral of their brother and son.

Queen of Sheba chapter, No. 19,



HEAR Bill Plymat on Radio Station KWDM next Monday night at 8 p.m. and every Monday night until the Primary Election June 2d

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Many Youth Participate In Willkie House Talent Show

The following youth won prizes in the Willkie House talent show held last Thursday night at the center: Lois Wilcots and Florabel Gilmore tied for first place in the interpretative dance group; Arthur Black, piano, first; Michael Davis, voice, first; Lucy Shepherd and Mildred McKay, baton twirlers, first; Marva Massey and Betty Parsons, novelty song and dance act, first.

With James Rhodes officiating as master of ceremonies, the show opened with Lois Wilcots doing an interpretative dance; Mickey McKay followed with an acrobatic dance; Teddy Shade and Marva Massey gave their interpretation of be-bop.

In the piano group Arthur Black played "Romance" (Sibelius); Beverly Bruce, "Minuet Waltz" (Chopin). When Marva Massey and Betty Parsons teamed for a bit of harmony on "Won't You Play A Simple Melody," while they threw rags on the floor, then kicked off a few steps, the audience, composed mainly of youth, nearly raised the roof with applause.

Appearing in the vocal group were:

Write To Korea GI's and Help Relieve Boredom, Says Jordan

New York.—Thousands of American soldiers now in Korea would feel a little happier if they received an extra letter from home each week, is the opinion of Louis Jordan, leader of the famous Tympany Five now on a national tour of theaters and clubs.

Jordan says that Americans at home have a real responsibility to help the morale of the U. S. fighting forces abroad most of whom are lonely and homesick. He has suggested a letter writing campaign to "bring a little sunshine into the hearts of those boys stationed in a foreign land."

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Flora Bell Gilmore presented another interpretative dance in costume. A baton team got much applause for executing difficult twirls to the time of a popular melody.

Guest performer was Ben Bumery who appeared in a novelty song.

Appearing in the vocal division were: Michael Davis who caused "swooning" when he sang "September Song;" Anita Ward, "I'll Never Be Free;" Philip Holt, "I'm A Fool In Love;" Ira Hicks, "Because;" and the Four Knights, Tommy Wilcots, Tommy Wallace, Melvin Wilson and Ronny Carr, who sang "Tell Me Why". All gave encores.

Called for a number early during the program was Don Burrell who took shelter under some of the bleachers, rather than face the audience with his song. At the end of the program he got up enough nerve to sing, unaccompanied, "The Little White Cloud That Cried."

Following the program was dancing.

Just Plain Tired

ETHEL WATERS

New York.—(CNS)—A weary Ethel Waters moved into New York this week for the final performances of her famous Berenice in "Member of the Wedding." Ever since January 1951 she's been doing the role so steadily that now she's frankly and openly tired of it.

"I don't want to do this play any more," she said. "I'm ready to close shop... I'm working like a dog and I'm tired. It's taken so much. I'm so weary I don't know what to do."

It's the one-night stands, the drafts and the splinters on the stages' floors of the 12,000 mile tour that has really made her tired, for the paly itself won her a lot of friends. However, she added, "I want to laugh again. You know I'm not a young woman and I'm a lonely one. I'm just plain tired."

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Robert W. Dowling Elected President of National Urban League

New York.—Robert W. Dowling, president of the City Investing Company, 25 Broad street, and one of the nation's top business and civic leaders, became the sixth president of the National Urban League, when the board of trustees met Thursday, May 15th, at the Hotel Commodore.

Presiding at the unanimous election of Mr. Dowling, Lloyd K. Garrison, retiring president, lauded his successor's acceptance of the call to be of greater service to the nation's oldest interracial service agency which has sixty affiliates in thirty states and is principally concerned with achieving equal economic opportunity for Negroes in all fields of endeavor.

NAACP Branch To Meet June 3 At Crocker YMCA

The Des Moines branch of the NAACP will hold a regular meeting Tuesday, June 3, 7:30 p. m., at the Crocker branch YMCA. Election of delegates to the national conference which meets in Oklahoma City, June 24-29, will be held. The membership at large has been urged to attend the meetings.

Tuesday, May 20, delegates were elected to the state conference which will meet in Burlington, Ia., June 7-8. Atty. David Singer of Sioux City, Ia., is a state president.

Speakers are being assigned to the various churches this Sunday to appeal for 1952 memberships. All organizations, social clubs and interested groups are asked to support the campaign.

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Corinthian Baptist Church 9th and School Streets REV. NORMAN R. OLPHIN, Minister Sunday School: 9:45 A. M. Morning Worship: 11:00 A. M. B. T. U.: 6:00 P. M. Evening Service: 7:00 P. M. Prayer Service Wednesday: 8:00 P. M.	Pilgrim Missionary Baptist Church 1732 Walker Street REV. R. L. TURPIN, Pastor Sunday School: 9:45 A. M. Morning Service: 11:00 A. M. Prayer Meeting Wednesday: 7:30 P. M.
St. Paul A. M. E. Church 12th and Crocker Streets REV. JOHN E. HUNTER, Minister Sunrise Prayer Service Sunday: 6:00 A. M. Church School: Sunday 9:30 A. M. Church Service: 11:00 A. M. Evening Service: 7:00 P. M. Prayer Service Wednesday: 7:30 P. M. Youth Fellowships: 5:30 P. M.	Mt. Olive Baptist Church S. E. 4th and Scott Street REV. H. R. FIELDS, Pastor Sunday School: 9:45 A. M. Morning Service: 11:00 A. M. Evening Service: 7:45 P. M. Wednesday Prayer Service: 7:30 P. M. Friday: Pastor Missionary Aid Society 7:30 P. M.
Mt. Zion Baptist Church Oralabor, Ia. (2 miles south of Ankeny) REV. WAXLAND HEATH, Pastor Sunday School: 9:45 A. M. Morning Worship: 11:00 A. M. Midweek Prayer Service: Wednesday: 7:00 P. M. Choir Rehearsal Thursday: 7:00 P. M.	

FIRST ONE CHURCH PLANS ACTIVITIES

Rev. L. L. Barnes, pastor, was in his pulpit last Sunday morning. The usher board will have breakfast in the church basement May 24, 8:30 a. m.

Harold Burse of Lockburne Air Base of Columbus, Ohio, former superintendent of the Sunday school, is on a two-week furlough here with his mother, Mrs. Edna Burse and family.

The senior choir will present a program May 27 at 8 p. m. A parade of nursery rhymes will be held. Services will be given by the junior choir on May 25, 3 p. m. This is called the \$10,000 race.

Charles Burnett, Sr. was a speaker.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. N. R. Olphin selected "The Eternal Go," as topic of his sermon last Sunday. Special guests were the members of ZEID Temple No. 50, and the Daughters of Isis. Each group gave remarks and introduced their officers.

At evening services pastor Olphin was speaker for the Ministers Wives Union. His subject was "Love is of God."

This Sunday is Rally Day at Corinthian. All captains will report. The goal is \$3,000.00. In the afternoon St. Paul's Gospel Choir will present a program at the church for Mrs. Ruth Moore, one of the captains. Rev. J. E. Hunter will be the speaker. Rev. Olphin will be speaker Sunday evening after which final reports shall be turned in.

The regular church business meeting will be Monday May 26, 8 p. m.

The sick and shut-ins are: Mrs. Mary Baker, 1212 School street; Mr. Wm. Potts, Veterans hospital; Mr. C. C. Brown, Lutheran hospital; Mrs. Pearl Simmons, 1418 Maryland Ave.; Mr. George Artis, Broadlawn hospital; Mrs. Jesse Perry, 754 11th and Mrs. Elizabeth Adams, 1648 Walker street.

Church reporter is Kizzie Strothers.

EAST SIDE UNION MISSION PROGRAM SUNDAY AT MT. ZION

The East Side Union Mission society will hold Sunday services, May 25, 2:30 p. m. at Mt. Zion Baptist church in Oralabor, Ia. The Rev. A. C. Crawford will be the speaker.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NOTES

The Rev. John E. Hunter who attended the general conference in Chicago, will be in his pulpit Sunday, May 25. Monday night, at 8 o'clock, a church conference will follow the official board meeting at 7 p. m.

COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Those in charge of last Sunday services were Missionary Maude Logan and Mrs. Ada Bush.

Speakers for the day were Evangelist Bessie Higgins, Lucy Fountain and Rev. M. J. Cranshaw. Visitors were Mrs. Annie McBride of

Author Barred



DR. W. E. B. DU BOIS
Ottawa, Ontario, Can.—C. E. S. Smith, Canadian director of immigration, said Friday that Dr. W. E. B. Du Bois, U. S. Negro author and teacher, and his wife had been sent back to the U. S. from Toronto for refusing to undergo an examination.

Dr. and Mrs. Du Bois had arrived in Toronto Thursday night to attend the left wing Canadian Peace Congress. Facilities were not immediately available for examining them Smith said, and DuBois declined to undergo an examination later.

Du Bois, 84, has attended several of the Communist-sponsored peace congresses in Europe. He lives in Baltimore, Md., and has an office in New York.

Missionary Day At Davenport Church

Davenport, Ia.—The Esther Stovall Missionary Society of Bethel A. M. E. church will have their annual Missionary Day on Sunday, May 25.

Mr. Constant Oebe, a native of Liberia, will speak at the morning worship period. Mr. Oebe is in U. S. Council work and is in Davenport studying camera and motion picture procedures.

At 3 p. m. the Rev. A. B. Collins, pastor of the Second Baptist church of Rock Island will be the guest speaker. He will be accompanied by his choir.

A candle-lighting memorial service at 7:30 p. m. will climax the day.

er YMCA, to make plans for the annual event. Representatives desiring to attend may contact Mr. Rhodes, 6-8345 or 2-1683

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Denver, Colo.—"Negroes are not interested in Communism, or any other ism. We just want to see democracy work here at home."

H. Carl Moultrie of Washington, D. C., made this comment last Friday as he took part in the third annual 11th district meeting of the Omega Psi Phi fraternity which convened here at the Woodman hall, May 16-18.

Mr. Moultrie is national executive secretary of the fraternity. "America is spending millions of dollars to suppress Communism," he commented, "but in some instances they're playing our own democracy cheap."

Might Convert Red
"If I'm seen talking to a Communist, a bystander probably would say, 'I'm a Communist by association.' Why can't our democracy be strong enough that this' bystander

would assume I could convert the Communist?"

Mr. Moultrie said there are many changes for the better today in relations between the various minority and majority groups in America.

"Avenues are being created where there is better understanding," he said, "but we can't be complacent. If America is to maintain her leadership in the world, she must offer equal rights to all her citizens."

Fraternity Interracial
The fraternity, established 40 years ago, now is interracial. In 1949 the group deleted its constitutional clause referring to race, creed or color.

It now has 17,000 members in 227 chapters over the nation.

Mr. Moultrie joined about 30 brothers in a luncheon at the Rossonian Saturday. H. V. McDaniel is district representative in Denver.

Cards of Thanks-In Memorium

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my many friends the Rev. J. E. Tunstall and members of Burns Methodist church for their prayers, cards, flowers and other courtesies offered me during my hospitalization and convalescence now at home.

Mrs. Jessie L. Newsome, 1315 Laurel street

THANK YOU NOTE

I want to thank friends and relatives for cards, letters and gifts received during my illness. And, I especially want to thank the pastors

from different churches who visited me while in the hospital.

Mary Baker and daughter, Myrtle Bailey.

FAMILY OF WM. BREWER

We wish to thank the many friends for their kindnesses, courtesies, expressions of sympathies extended us at the death of William Brewer. Especially do we thank the Revs. J. E. Hunter, N. R. Olphin, Mrs. Bessie Green, Mrs. Edith Carey, Gospel Chorus, and Estes and Son Funeral home.

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The area comprises, Colorado, Nebraska and Iowa.

Mr. Moultrie said the fraternity has made contributions to the National Association for Advancement of Colored People in its "fight for integration and racial equality."

Essay Winners

A national essay contest sponsored by the fraternity twice has been won by entrants outside the Negro group, he said.

"I get all over the country," Mr. Moultrie added. "Negroes have not enjoyed the freedom that other Americans enjoy. Yet they will fight and die for its democracy."

The theme of the annual meeting was: "Democracy Now or Never."

District officers are: H. B. McDaniel, district representative; Geo. Butler, Omaha, assistant district representative; George L. Stone, Des Moines, keeper of records and finance; Alfred Edwards, Des Moines, director of publicity and public relations; William Pinkard, Denver, district historian.

The next meeting of the 11th district will be held at Omaha, June 15, 16, next year.

Omegas from Des Moines attending

the meeting were Messrs.: Lawrie Burke, George Stone, Alfred Edwards and Marsh Houston, bas

Aged and Shut-Ins Enjoy Service At Mt. Olive Church

Aged and shut-in persons, 1 of whom get to religious services only on rare occasions, were gathered Thursday morning, May 15, of East Side Union Mission Soc annual event at Mt. Olive Baptist church.

Many of these shut-in persons brought in cars from nursing homes in the city. After two hours of time singing of hymns and prayers, and a sermon by the year-old minister, Rev. W. Hum served and shut-ins had a chance visit with each other.

The Rev. Mr. Humbard brought a sermon from text found in John 14:18: "I will not leave you comfortless: I will come to you."

Other speakers were the N. R. Olphin, B. F. Blanks, Jenkins and C. A. Record. Travis Bailey presided.

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Scouts and of Boy Scouts: For work in building better understanding and interracial philosophy, Mrs. W. R. Fritze, president of the Des Moines Association of Girl Scouts, and C. W. Harvey, Boy Scout council commissioner.

Public Health Nursing: For preventive work in public health with special reference to maintaining the health of well babies, Sophie Fevold, director, Public Health Nursing association.

Willkie House: For character building, C. W. Harvey, president of the board.

League of Women Voters: For its excellent efforts in the cause of good government in Des Moines, from which the colored people also benefit, Mrs. J. J. Mallon, Des Moines league board member.

Des Moines Council of Church Women: For endeavors in Des Moines to create better racial relations, Mrs. Charles Houser.

MRS. CLARA BAYLES TO ATTEND SOCIAL WORKERS MEETING

Mrs. Clara Bayles, 951 17th street, will leave the city this week end to attend the National Convention of Social Workers which opens in Chicago, Ill., Sunday, for a week's session. She will stop at the Conrad Hilton hotel.

MRS. LILLIAN EDMUNDS TO CHICAGO FOR MEETINGS

Mrs. Lillian Edmunds, executive director of Willkie House, will leave Friday for Chicago, Ill., where she will attend the National Convention of Social Workers.

Mrs. Lewis James and Mrs. Joan Bullock will leave Saturday for the Convention.

Mission society's annual service for some of the aged and shut-in persons in the city.

Many of the persons who attended the service do not get to their own churches regularly. Unanimous was the opinion of the guests that they had enjoyed and been benefited by their having come together for praying, singing, and sermon and good fellowship.

Among those with whom I had an opportunity to chat, Mrs. Mary Finch, member of Mt. Olive, who said she was nearly blind; Mrs. Signora Calderon, who said she could not come to church often because of foot trouble.

Mrs. Mary Jones, member of Kyles AME Zion, said she goes to church every Sunday. She resides at a nursing home and likes to help others who cannot help themselves, she informed.

Mrs. Mary Greene resided at a nursing home during the winter, but was planning to return to her home. Mrs. America E. Yancy, member of Corinthian Baptist, was getting around with the aid of a crutch.

Mrs. Lucinda Flummer, who remembered the great scientist, the late George Washington Carver, asked help in finding her a room on

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men of the world," Mrs. Houser, told of the power of love that the women in the war-torn world were using to heal some of the ill-feeling between them and their neighbors.

Pointing out the importance of the royal family of Europe, the power of the king to warn, to advise and to encourage, Mrs. Houser said:

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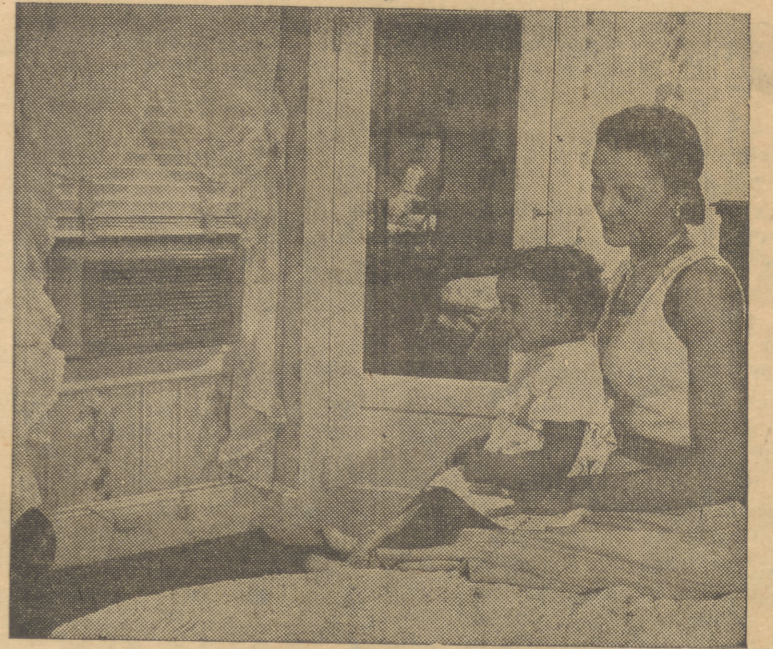


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LA FLEUR DE LIS CLUB TO MEET MAY 23

La Fleur De Lis club met May 16 with Nancy Jackson, 1425 Buchanan street. Plan for a holiday prelude were made.

Prizes were won by Thelma Headspeth, Reba Higgins and Dorothy Morris. The club will be entertained May 23 at Dorothy Vaughns, 834 9th street.

M.C.T. CLUB TO MEET MAY 25

Friday, May 25, Mrs. Leon Jones, 940 16th street, was hostess to M. C. T. No. 2, in a regular business

meeting.

The first floor, in some home. Mrs. Elizabeth Sampson, who used to operate a restaurant was among the guests: Mrs. Marguerite Gordon of Bethel AME church; Mrs. L. Hubbard of Kyles AME Zion; Mrs. Mallinard Thomas of Maple Street Baptist; Mrs. Lulu Anderson of the Holiness church, who thought the meeting was "small church."

The wonderful church was filled to capacity with honored guests and friends—and much praise was given to the society for sponsoring the program—and seeing that the aged and shut-ins were brought to and from the meeting.

Among those with whom I had an opportunity to chat, Mrs. Mary Finch, member of Mt. Olive, who said she was nearly blind; Mrs. Signora Calderon, who said she could not come to church often because of foot trouble.

Mrs. Mary Jones, member of Kyles AME Zion, said she goes to church every Sunday. She resides at a nursing home and likes to help others who cannot help themselves, she informed.

Mrs. Mary Greene resided at a nursing home during the winter, but was planning to return to her home. Mrs. America E. Yancy, member of Corinthian Baptist, was getting around with the aid of a crutch.

Mrs. Lucinda Flummer, who remembered the great scientist, the late George Washington Carver, asked help in finding her a room on

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FRANKLIN OF OKLAHOMA HERE

Vernita Franklin of Okmulke, Okla., arrived here Monday to reside with her uncle and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tunley, Cleveland.

BOLDEN TO LAS, TEXAS

Helen Bolden, owner of Eva-Beauty Salon, left Saturday for Dallas, Texas, to visit a

HER OF W. L. OLIVER HONORED

J. R. Oliver, of Salt Lake Utah, father of Atty. W. L. Oliver, was guest at the Oliver home week end. He met many friends open house on Monday.

TRAVIS BAILEYS, JR. HERE FROM NEAPOLIS, MINN.

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PERSONAL TOUCH



By MARIE ROSS

Now, in the merry month of May, same sun which rose before 5 a.m. and set at 7:31 p.m. on Monday, the day of the council meeting, is offering over 14 hours of brightness to the little shop people, the farmer, the house wife, the youth.

Compare that with the nine hours of daylight in the midwinter—and one will note that there are four more hours right now on the daylight.

All the little shop people have to do is to get up with the sun move up their working schedules, and automatically there is more sunshine to be enjoyed, without the confusion it causes by moving the clock up. More fishing, baseball games, golf and other activities can be had, too.

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Nine D. M. Groups Receive Awards At Delta Service

In recognition of their civic interracial work over the last few years, nine organizations in Des Moines received awards Sunday afternoon at Willkie House, from Delta Sigma Theta sorority.

Presentation of the awards was made by Luther T. Glanton, Jr., assistant Polk county attorney, before about 75 persons who attended the first recognition service.

Miss Marguerite DeSleet, chairman of the ceremony, who presided, praised the groups for their work in helping make Des Moines a better place for all citizens to live.

Guest speaker for the occasion was Mrs. Charles M. Houser, wife of the pastor of the Plymouth Congregation church, who with her husband spent last summer in England, where he was an exchange minister.

Speaking from the subject, "Work and know what happens," Mrs. Houser, told of the power of love that the women in the war-torn world were using to heal some of the ill-feeling between them and their neighbors.

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HEALTH FOR ALL

Vacation Joys and Jolts

It won't be long now before children all over the country will be hurrying home from their last day of school this season, many of them clutching the welcome notification of promotion to the next grade.

Much as they love their children, many mothers frankly dread the vacation season. In some families, the joys of summer vacation are interrupted by accidents and mishaps which seem to occur far less among the children during the school season.

Perhaps high on the list of a mother's fears is the increased possibility of traffic accidents to children who now have more time and opportunity to venture into the roadway. Children of school age, however, are old enough to take care of themselves and they should be taught to play in areas provided for the purpose and to observe traffic signals when crossing the street. A few minutes of such instruction can be good preventive medicine against the child's being run over by a car.

Some mothers are mystified by frequent "sick stomachs" or rebellion at mealtime during summer months. In many cases, they could get at the root of the trouble by discouraging a youngster's tendency to nibble throughout the day, now that pantry and ice box are within easy access at all hours. There can be no vacation from sound eating habits and a

child allowed to eat carelessly, inadequately during the summer months is flirting with malnutrition. Getting proper rest is also important to the child. An occasional night "up late" will certainly do serious harm, but a child who as much rest and sleep as he does during the school year—perhaps more because of the school day—harder.

Because he has more time and romp in vacation months, a child may get more cuts and bruises, and a first-aid kit, with bandages and antiseptic, should be standard equipment at all times, but doubly important in the summer. While minor wounds can be effectively "home treated" it is to remember that any serious abrasion demands the immediate attention of the doctor if the child is to have his best chance of avoiding infection.

Vacation months can and should be happy, healthful times for both parents and children. A few precautions against needless accidents and a little attention to the rules of good health will help the child get the most out of his summer vacation.

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

Mr. Moultrie said there are many changes for the better today in relations between the various minority and majority groups in America. "Advances are being created which there is better understanding," he said, "but we can't be complacent. If America is to maintain her leadership in the world, she must offer equal rights to all her citizens."

The fraternity, established 40 years ago, now is interracial. In 1949 the group deleted its constitutional clause referring to race, creed or color.

It now has 17,000 members in 227 chapters over the nation.

Mr. Moultrie joined about 30 brothers in a luncheon at the Roosevelt Hotel Saturday. H. V. McDaniel is the representative of the group.

Mr. Moultrie said that he is a real "barbarian".

Television fans in this area will recall seeing both of these clubs in action against the Chicago Bears and Cardinals last fall.

PRIMARY CANDIDATES DODGE ISSUES

Political campaigns make strange bedfellows and for that reason candidates often get support from individuals and groups to which they are not entitled.

Of course, there are reasons for strange bedfellows in politics—just like anything else. Candidates go after offices to make money and/or to serve their constituents. Some are extremely mercenary; some are altruistic and the same is true of their supporters: either they want a job, want to get something done or want their friends elected as a matter of pride.

Here in Iowa, the voters will soon nominate candidates for places on the Republican and Democratic tickets. These include officers from governor to township officials.

So far, little attention has been given to the question of civil rights or interracial cooperation on a statewide basis. In fact, only one candidate for governor has, so far, said a word on the question and he is Lieut. Gov. Nicholas, who is running for governor. He stated "there will be an interracial commission in Iowa if I am nominated and elected."

On the other hand, some candidates have continually dodged the issue, dodged appearing before Negro audiences and yet a lot of folks are running around telling what great fellows he is.

The Bystander takes the position that a man's politics is his own business, that the candidate he supports is his own business. But it does feel that supporters of a candidate ought to be frank enough to tell the truth and not attempt to lead unsuspecting people up a blind alley.

And this very thing is the cause of the low position to which some of our divisions of government have sunk.

LETS GET DOWN TO BUSINESS

The Des Moines Railway Company has proposed a new settlement of the longstanding controversy over fares and service on some of its lines. Like a great many other concerns, the cost of operating the system has increased to the point where something must be done to bring revenues more nearly in line with expenses.

The Bystander believes that much of the delay in settling the controversy has been due to many preconceived notions about the company which actually don't exist, and in spite of the fact that the company has been investigated by disinterested people.

The company proposes to raise fares to 18 1/2 or 20 cents and to restore lines which have been withdrawn from service. The city has made no counter-proposal. However, a basis of settlement has been proposed and intelligent folks ought to be able to work out a settlement which will reasonably suit both sides.

Mass urban transportation is a headache in most cities, much because both sides have not been realistic in arriving at a long range solution. Eventually, the city must make some concessions to these railways in order to keep them in business just as concessions were made to railroads in these parts in years gone by in order to put them in business.

A GOOD EXAMPLE

The Federal government is trying to set an example before industry by requiring that employees be hired without regard to race, creed or color.

The Farm Credit Administration offices in Houston, Texas and Berkeley, California refused to accept that policy, so Secretary of Agriculture Brannan has stripped these offices of their authority to hire their employees.

There is just one way of carrying out a policy—and that is to carry it out. Too many public officials ignore the enforcement of laws they are sworn to uphold simply because they are contrary to their personal views. Secretary Brannan has set a policy which a lot of other public officials may well follow.

Burglaries

SEE FRONT PAGE to match the forged endorsement on the back of the check.

Dash Champion
Atkins, who has been in trouble with police at various times since 1947, has been free on parole from a 15-year reformatory sentence for snatching a purse in September, 1948. County Attorney Clyde Herring said he would recommend revocation of the parole and seek to have Atkins sent to the state reformatory at Anamosa to serve the 15-year term. Herring said a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses against

Atkins had been scheduled to be tried during this term of court. Whether that trial will be held will depend upon whether the parole is revoked, Herring said.

As an East High school athlete, Atkins won the 100-yard dash in the 1946 state track meet and the 100 and 200-yard dashes in the 1947 meet. He also was a two-time winner of the 100-yard dash at the Darke Relays.

Police said that in her confession, Miss Turner said she accompanied Atkins in the burglaries of the Herman M. Brown Co., First street and Sheridan avenue, and Boyt Co., 303 New York Ave., last Friday night.

Police said she admitted taking the brooch from a desk at the Brown firm while Atkins was taking the \$150 check and \$15 in cash. Both said they failed to get anything at the Boyt firm.

Burglary List

Police said Atkins admitted the following burglaries:

Apr. 2—Noland Jewelry & Watch Repair, 200 Teacout building, took three watches; Christie Insurance Agency, 303 Teacout building, got nothing; Teacout Insurance agency, 300 Teacout building, nothing.

Apr. 27—Friedman Motors, Inc., 219 E. Grand ave., battered open safe and took \$150; also took two desk clocks.

Apr. 28—Mack Truck, Inc., 112 E. Grand, battered open safe and took \$20; also took \$15 from desk.

Apr. 29—Wood Diamond T. Sales Co., Inc., 530 S. W. Third st., opened filing cabinet safe, nothing.

May 4—Swanwood Coal Co., 121 E. Sixth st., took sledge hammer.

May 14—Connor Furniture Auction, 520 E. Walnut st., battered safe but failed to get it open.

May 17—Roto-Rooter Corp., 301 University ave., took watch.

May 17—Conditioned Air Corp., 200 New York ave., nothing.

White's Novel Dramatized For 43rd Convention

Oklahoma City.—A dramatization of "The Fire in the Flint," a novel of the Deep South by Walter White, NAACP executive secretary, will be presented on June 28 at the 43rd annual convention of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People which meets here, June 24-29.

Announcement of the performance was made this week by Dr. H. W. Williamson president of the Oklahoma State Conference of NAACP branches which is sponsoring the production. The dramatic version of the novel has been prepared by professor Melvin B. Tolson of Langston University. The play will be performed by the university's Dust Bowl Players under the direction of Professor Tolson.

"The Fire in the Flint," Mr. White's first book, is the story of a young Negro doctor in a small southern town who is lynched because of his refusal to abide by the "white supremacy" customs of that region.

Dr. John Holland Wesleyan Commencement Speaker June 2

Mt. Pleasant, Ia.—Dr. John Holland, Chicago, Ill., pastor of the Little Brown Church of the Air, WLS radio station and alumnus of Iowa Wesleyan college, will deliver the ninety-seventh annual commencement address at Iowa Wesleyan College, Mount Pleasant, on June 2.

K.S.C. Senior Receives A Graduate Assistantship at Iowa U.

Frankfort, Ky.—Clemmont E. Vontress, a senior from Bowling Green, Ky., has been granted a half-time graduate assistantship in the Department of Romance Languages at the State University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa. Mr. Vontress, who is a member of the Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society, will work toward his Master's Degree in the Department of French Language and Literature.

SPORTS

BY ALLEN ASHBY

For the second straight week a local lad has been chosen "prep of the week" by the Des Moines Register high school column. This time it is Sylvester Forrester who used to be called "baby." He'd be quite a baby now at 200 pounds.

He has a good chance to win at least two titles in the state track meet at Ames next Saturday and could win three: the shot put, discus throw and football throw.

This makes two of North's sophomore Negroes who are destined to become great athletes if they can keep from having bad luck and get to go to college.

Forrester showed the making of a fine athlete when at eleven or twelve he was holding his own at a table tennis with most of the older boys and was a good softball player. He just had natural coordination and a fine competitive spirit even then.

Ought to be quiet a shindig at Ames Saturday with the Graves family, Larry and Don, the Smiths, Ceaser and the gang from East High headed by Lucas.

Boxing

Couldn't help noticing that Jack Dempsey, former world's heavyweight boxing champion ridiculed the Robinson-Joey Maxim bout for the light heavy title. Well, we recall Dempsey hasn't had a kind word to say about boxing since Negroes took over the majority of titles. We

Egyptian Ambassador Visits K.S.C. Campus

Frankfort, Ky.—The Egyptian Ambassador, Mohamed Kamil Bey Abdul Rahim, was a surprise visitor to the campus of Kentucky State College last week. The Ambassador while on the campus checked the cases of Egyptian Specimen donated to the college by King Farouk of Egypt. He was accompanied by his wife.

SECOND SON TO JACKIE ROBINSON

New York.—A second son was born May 14 to Mrs. Jackie Robinson, wife of the famous Dodgers ball player at a New York City hospital.

BASS SEASON OPENS MAY 30 IN IOWA

The open season on largemouth, smallmouth, warmouth, rock bass, sunfish and bluegills begins May 30 and on that date all species will be open to fishing in Iowa with the exception of rock sturgeon and paddle fish on which there is a continuous closed season.

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SERVICES—This agency also offers hourly nursing to patients able to pay. Remember, this service is available to you when you need it. This Red Feather service maintains offices at 105 City Hall.

HELP WEEK—The pledges of Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity at Drake University pitched in and helped perform many chores at the South Side Community House, 1204 Indianola Road. They did such jobs as washing high windows and scrubbing basement walls. Through their efforts the Community House will be spick and span at the start of

Giant-Steeler Pro Game Set For Des Moines

Under the sponsorship of radio station KRNT, the New York Giants and Pittsburgh Steelers will meet in a National Football League exhibition game Friday night, August 22, at Drake Stadium in Des Moines.

Al Couppee, KRNT sports director, made the announcement Saturday. A former pro footballer himself with the Washington Redskins of the National league, Couppee said, "The Giant-Steeler rivalry is mighty bitter, as witness the fact that a loss in 1950 and a tie in 1951 with Pittsburgh cost the Giants the American conference championship. "Both clubs will have a game or

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Mr. Moultrie said the fraternity has made contributions to the National Association for Advancement of Colored People in its "fight for integration and racial equality."

Essay Winners

A national essay contest sponsored by the fraternity factor has been won by entrants outside the Negro group, he said.

"I get all over the country," Mr. Moultrie added, "Negroes have not enjoyed the freedom that other Americans enjoy. Yet they will fight and die for its democracy."

The theme of the annual meeting was "Democracy Now or Never."

District officers are: H. H. McDonald, district representative; Geo. Butler, Omaha, assistant district representative; George L. Stone, Des Moines, keeper of records and finances; Alfred Edwards, Des Moines, director of publicity and public relations; Wilson Pinkard, Denver, district historian.

The next meeting of the IHO district will be held at Omaha, June 15, 16, 17, 1952.

Omega chapter of our

are over and we are waiting for the summer activities to begin. As we look forward to a full active summer we should remember the children at the Convalescent Home who are convalescing from malnutrition, rheumatic fever, polio and other acute illnesses.

Volunteers are needed between 3:00 and 4:30 p.m., to help the children pass the long day by visiting and playing with them. No special training is required, just spend an afternoon or two at this Red Feather agency, call Mrs. Mary Woody, director of the Convalescent Home for Children, 4-8304.

TACTICS—4-year-old Molly who is very fond of her teacher at the Day Care Center, considers any new little girl a distinct threat. Hearing that a new girl named Mary Lee had been enrolled she immediately asked what kind of hair she had. The teacher informed Molly that Mary Lee had long black curly hair—with that, Molly grinned and said, "Good, that will be easy to pull."

SEEK SEGREGATION BAN IN CLEVELAND HOUSING

Cleveland, Ohio—(CNS)—A bill is being prepared for passage in the City Council which would prevent discrimination and segregation in housing projects constructed under the city's urban redevelopment program. Segregation would be called a misdemeanor and punishable by a fine of \$1,000, maximum. The proposal goes before the City Council when 17 councilmen agree to sponsor it and so far nine are already committed.

ADMITS LINCOLN U. CLARION

Jefferson City, Mo.—The Lincoln Clarion, campus weekly tabloid at Lincoln University, was unanimously accepted, May 9, as a member of

the meeting were Messrs. Lawrence Burke, George Stone, Alfred Edwards and Marsh Heaton, host.

Aged and Shut-ins Enjoy Service At Mt. Olive Church

Aged and shut-in persons, many of whom get to religious services only on rare occasions, were guests Thursday morning, May 15, of the East Side Union Baptist Society's annual event at Mt. Olive Baptist church.

Many of these shut-in persons were brought in cars from nursing homes in the city. After two hours of quiet time singing of hymns and praying, a social hour was held, refreshments served and shut-ins had a chance to visit with each other.

The Rev. Mr. Henshaw brought a sermon from text read in John 14:18, "I will not leave you comfortless. I will come to you."

Guest speakers were the Rev. N. R. Jones, Mt. Olive Baptist church, and

Missouri College Newspaper Association. After officers were elected, Dale Spencer of the faculty of the University of Missouri School of Journalism, which sponsors the college press association, announced that Lincoln U. had applied for membership.

TILLMAN HEADS LINCOLN U. CLARION STAFF

Jefferson City, Mo., May 18, 1952.

—A war veteran from Gainesville, Fla., is the new editor-in-chief of the Lincoln Clarion for the fall semester. The Lincoln University, (Mo.) School of Journalism faculty this week chose Nathaniel Tillman, a father in his third year of journalism at Lincoln, as the top man on the news side, succeeding Charles Sharpe.

Tillman will have four assistants. Ferman Patterson, Chicago, has the managing editor spot.


PRESENTS KAJ MUNK'S THE WORD AT WVSC

The West Virginia State College (Institute, W. Va.) on May 8, 9, and 10, presented "The Word" by Kaj Munk, bringing to the American Theatre for the first time, in English translation by R. P. Keigwin, this play, acclaimed as the greatest written by the eminent Danish clergyman-poet-playwright.

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