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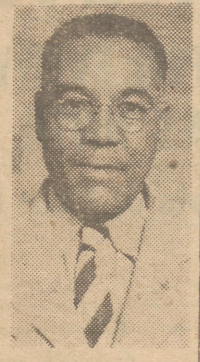
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SUPREME COURT RULES:

D. C.'s 'Lost' Law Made Valid

Services Held For William Gibson

Services for William Gibson, 69 of 1106 Fourteenth street, were held Tuesday at Corinthian Baptist church. Burial was at Glendale cemetery.



Mr. Gibson, a resident of Des Moines 35 years, died June 5 at Broadlawn's General hospital. He was a janitor in the Iowa-Des Moines National bank for 20 years before his retirement in 1943.

He was a member of Corinthian church, past president of the usher board, past treasurer of the church and a member of the Brotherhood lodge.

Surviving are his wife, Mary and a daughter, Mrs. Audrey Smart of Des Moines.

N. C. Bus Seat Fight Fatal To Conn. Rider

Coats, N. C.—A Stamford, Conn., man who objected to being shunted to the back of a Greyhound Bus, was shot three times by Constable C. E. Moore who was chasing him as he fled the scene.

Had is Frederick Simmons. A bullet in his chest killed him instantly.

Had Been Riding In Front

Seriously wounded before the fatal shooting was R. S. Blanton of Columbia, S. C., the white bus driver who had ordered Simmons to the rear of the vehicle. Stacey Byrd, white, who went to the bus driver's assistance, also was stabbed.

Reports are that Simmons stabbed Blanton in the face and neck when Blanton told him to go to the back of the southbound bus. Simmons had been riding at the front of the bus although most of the passengers were white.

As soon as he stabbed Blanton, Simmons ran and Byrd ran after him and grabbed him. In a struggle to get away, Simmons also stabbed Byrd several times in the chest.

The bus driver is in serious condition in the Dunn Hospital and the coroner is investigating the killing.

Mrs. Ella Johnson Dies At Hospital

Mrs. Ella D. Johnson, 72, of Goodwin's Nursing home, 512 S. E. First street, died June 8 at Broadlawn's General Hospital.

She had lived in Des Moines for 38 years. Survivors include a son, Clarence Kilbert, of New York, N.Y.

Rites Held For Ollie Allen, 63

Rites were held Thursday at Estes & Son chapel for Ollie Allen, 63, of 117 Ridge street who died Tuesday at Veterans hospital after an illness of three months. Burial was in Glendale cemetery.

Born in Howard county, Mo., Mr. Allen had lived in Des Moines for 20 years. He was a veteran of World War I.

Survivors include a son, Thomas; a brother, Mose E., and four grandchildren, all of Des Moines.

Hold Rites For Mrs. Helen Frazier, 34

Services were held Wednesday at Estes & Son chapel for Mrs. Helen Frazier, 34, of 928 Tenth street. Burial was at Glendale cemetery.

Mrs. Frazier died Monday at Broadlawn's hospital after a month's illness.

Born at Bear Creek, she later resided at Zook's Spur and was graduated from Madrid High school. She had been a Des Moines resident for 12 years. She was a member of the Baptist church at Zook's Spur.

Surviving are a son, George William, and her mother, Mrs. Ruby M. Gordon, both of Des Moines.

Hails 'Splendid Work' of Florida FBI; Asks That Moore Sayers Be Found

New York.—The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People June 4 congratulated Attorney-General Herbert Brownell, Jr., upon the work of the Department of Justice in securing indictments of six Klansmen allegedly involved in acts of terror in Florida between 1949 and 1952.

In a telegram to the Attorney-General, Walter White, NAACP executive secretary, offered congratulations "upon the splendid work of the FBI and the Department of Justice" in investigating crimes of violence in Florida and securing federal grand jury indictments. The six men were charged with perjury because they had denied to a grand jury that they were members of the Ku Klux Klan or had participated in bombings, beatings and other acts of violence.

Indicted For Lying

Four of the accused were indicted for lying when they testified that they had not participated in an attempt, in 1949, to abduct NAACP attorneys Franklin H. Williams and

Horace Hill, who were conducting the defense in the Groveland "rape" case, and reporters Romona Lowe of the Chicago Defender and Ted Poston of the New York Post, who were covering the trial at Tavares.

Noting that "a good beginning" has been made, Mr. White expressed the hope in his telegram that "the Department will continue its thorough work and particularly that it uncovers the dastardly slayers of Harry and Harriet Moore as well as other violators of the law in the State of Florida." The NAACP leader gave assurance that the Association will be glad to assist in any way possible.

Mr. Moore, NAACP coordinator for the State of Florida, and his wife were assassinated on Christmas night, 1951, when a hate bomb was exploded under their home in Mims. Although the grand jury investigated this case, no indictments were returned.

A seventh man, not accused of involvement in criminal violence, was also indicted on charges that he lied when he denied Klan membership when applying for a federal job.

Summer Term At Drake Opens June 16

Workshops, conferences and clinics will feature Drake university's summer session this year.

First term runs from June 16 to July 24 and the second term from July 27 to August 28.

Many of the attractions are keyed to the school teachers which comprise a large part of the summer enrollment but most regular campus activities will continue.

Workshops in kindergarten-primary education will be held June 22-26 and June 29-July 3. Olga Adams, specialist from the University of Chicago, will be in charge.

Dr. Harry R. Wilson, professor of music education at Columbia university, will conduct conferences on July 13. A band clinic will be July 8-10, directed by Clarence Sawhill of the University of California at Los Angeles.

The annual curriculum conference will be June 29-30 with Dr. George S. Counts, professor of education at Columbia university, as guest lecturer.

Other summer school features include the air-age workshop and creative dramatics workshop July 21-23 and an opera workshop.

New this summer is the combined

history course and Latin American tour. A Drake instructor will administer the course on campus as well as on the trip to Cuba, Panama and Peru. Arrangements for the Braniff airlines.

Mrs. Flossie Bourland Dies In California; Rites Held Here

Services for Mrs. Flossie Bourland, 46, who died May 30 at San Pedro, Cal., were held Monday afternoon at Estes & Son Funeral home. Burial was in Glendale cemetery.

Mrs. Bourland, a native of Buxton, Ia., who had resided in California for ten years, died there following an illness of several months.

She was a member of the Bethel A.M.E. church in Des Moines before going to California.

Surviving are: husband, George; mother, Mrs. Bell Buttran of Des Moines; three sons, Jack, George, Jr., and James; a daughter, June; sister, Mrs. Priscilla Williams, and a brother, Percy Graves, of Des Moines.

Mr. Bourland and children left Wednesday for their home in California after attending the rites here. They reside at 1540 Ecuador court in San Pedro.

Church Women Get Warm Welcome from Officials In Port Au Prince Visit

This is the second of a series of travel articles by Mrs. Luella Westbrook, Des Moines resident, who recently returned from post-convention trip to the Islands of Nassau, Haiti, Jamaica and Cuba. The trip climaxed the international meeting of the women's convention of the Church of God in Christ which met last month at Miami, Florida.

BY LUELLE WESTBROOK

A brief devotional period, Bishop Crouch held before each flight. With this practice it served as a reassurance to our cargo of Church of God in Christ, orthodox, delegates.

It seemed no time before we were in the clouds. The purser, an officer on the plane, gave a flight report. "Attention please," he called. "We are now flying 11,000 feet above sea level at 275 miles an hour and flying over one of the richest sugar cane farms in the world." And, really, we were so high, the cane looked like green grass.

As we neared Port Au Prince, it was reported that we would circle the city and as the plane descended, we got a general view of the Haitian Island. It seemed to be laid out in a

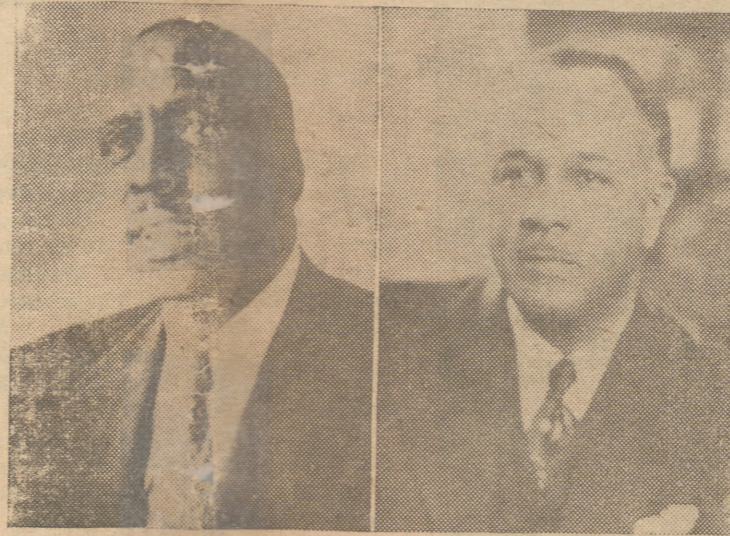
sort of triangle. The beauty of Haitian mountains has to be seen to be believed. The sunlight portrays the shade and light of the vivid greens, yellow, browns and blues, running in all directions of the planes and valleys, then slopes with hundreds of little farms, coffee plantations in the lowlands as well as coconut palms.

There are ranges of mountains, some of them wooded, others hundreds of feet of sloping limestone for which the tropics are noted. These mountains emerge far above the clouds and the great Caribbean sea.

Coconut Shaded Beaches

It was an inspiration to see the coconut-shaded beaches. As we landed—
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Graduates Hear Distinguished Men



REV. HOWARD THURMAN (Left) and DR. PERCY JULIAN (Right) addressed an overflow audience on successive days heard two of the world's great citizens—the Rev. Howard Thurman and Dr. Percy Julian—delivered stimulating and provocative messages to 224 candidates for degrees at the Florida A and M college.

An audience estimated at 1,800 was present on Sunday, May 31 for the baccalaureate sermon delivered by Dr. Thurman, minister of the famous Fellowship Church in San Francisco, from the subject—"What Shall I Do With My Life?"

And on Monday an audience of some 1,500 persons heard an equally discerning and penetrating message as Dr. Julian who is director of research for the vegetable oil and food divisions of the Glidden Company in Chicago urged the candi-

dates to cling steadfastly to the things that are everlastingly right—putting aside those things that are everlastingly wrong—never making any compromise for that which is right. The eminent scientist's subject was "The Road Ahead of Us."

Rev. Thurman who recently was cited by LIFE magazine as one of the 12 great ministers in America, spoke this spring in Des Moines, Ia., to thousands of listeners who attended the Holy Week services at the Paramount theater.

Maryland Beach Bias Is Banned by Federal Court

Baltimore.—The Maryland State Commission of Forests and Parks has been ordered by the United States District Court for the District of Maryland to cease its discriminatory practices against Negroes at the Sandy Point Beach and Park, a state recreation area on the outskirts of Baltimore.

The decision was rendered this week by Federal Judge W. Calvin Chesnut in a suit brought against the Maryland State Commission by the branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in behalf of eight Negroes who had been refused admission to well-equipped South Beach. They had been turned away from the well-kept beach and directed to nearby East Beach, a virtually unusable area reserved for the use of Negroes.

The suit was filed with the District Court in July, 1952, by Milton Lonesome, Marion J. Downs, Karlene Downs, Alvin Graham, Beatrice Martin, Bowen Jackson, Christine Jackson and Lilly Mae Jackson, all

Refused

They charged that they were refused admittance to South Beach solely because of their race, and that it was a violation of the U. S. Constitution to discriminate because of race or color in state operated facilities.

The State Commission argued that the two beaches were equal, but that whatever inequalities there were would be corrected.

In rendering the decision, Judge Chesnut directed the State Commission to cease discriminating against Negro bathers. However, he said that the Commission could either open the facilities to everybody or close them to everybody, but there must be no further discrimination.

NAACP lawyers who argued the case for the eight Negro bathers were Jack Greenberg, NAACP Legal Defense assistant counsel of New York, Linwood Koger and Tucker Dearing, both of Baltimore.

Children of D. M. Mother In Flood

Mrs. Vina Simmons, 1448 Walker street, reported that her two children, Tony and Johnny May, were in the flooded area and had to be moved to the CIO Relief headquarters. They live there with her former husband.

She added that the CIO in Des Moines was cooperating with the CIO in Sioux City to collect clothing for the flood victims. Persons who wish to contribute may take clothing Friday to Maple Street Baptist church, E. 16th and Maple streets.

Services Held For Mrs. Alice McCraney

Services for Mrs. Alice D. McCraney, 47, of 1321 Ascension street, were held Thursday at Burns Methodist church. Burial was at Glendale cemetery.

Mrs. McCraney, a Des Moines resident 23 years, died of cancer June 7 at her home.

Born in Prague, Okla., she was a graduate of East High school and Drake university, and formerly was a social welfare worker before oper-

ating a nursing home at her residence. She was a member of Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority and was active in the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

Surviving are her mother, Mrs. Julia Shackelford of Des Moines; a son, Bruce, of Los Angeles, Cal., and a daughter, Margaret, Des Moines; a brother, Mose Shackelford of Los Angeles.

Widow Charges Bias On Renting N.Y. Apt.

New York.—(CNS)—Mrs. Cornelia A. McClane, whose husband was rector of St. Bartholomew's Church in Cambridge, Mass., charged in Supreme Court this week that she was suddenly refused a lease on an apartment at 760 Riverside Drive after she and her son were asked: "Are you Negroes?"

Mrs. McClane claimed that she had agreed to rent the apartment and had paid \$89.75 for the June rent when she was asked the question. On denying the charge of discrimination, the landlord pointed out that a Negro family and two Japanese families were already living in the same building, which is overwhelming white.

Restaurants Required to Serve Negroes; School Cases Delayed Till Fall

Washington, D. C.—A Nineteenth century law banning segregation in the restaurants of the nation's capital was held valid in a supreme court ruling Monday—and the District of Columbia restaurants are required to serve Negro Americans.

The tribunal, in an 8 to 0 decision, upheld the validity of at least one "lost" anti-discrimination law, long since vanished from the district's legal code.

Two anti-discrimination statutes were resurrected in 1950 after Thompson's restaurant refused to serve three Negroes. The district government made a test case of the incident.

Justice William O. Douglas wrote the court's opinion. Justice Robert H. Jackson did not take part in the decision.

Survive

The statutes involved in the case were passed in 1872 and 1873 by a kind of legislative assembly set up by congress to govern the district at that time.

Douglas said they survived "the intervening changes in the government of the District of Columbia and are presently enforceable."

"We would speak more accurately if we said that 'the 1873 act survive', he said. "For there is a subsidiary

question, which we do not reach and which will be open on remand of the cause to the court of appeals, whether the 1872 act under which the first count of the information is laid was repealed by the 1873 act. On that we express no opinion."

Earlier Ruling

The restaurant case came before the supreme court after the U. S.
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Mrs. Morris' Team First Over the Top In NAACP Drive

The Des Moines branch of the NAACP reported a total of 490 members in the current drive. Team No. 1 of which Mrs. Georgine C. Morris is captain was the first to go over the top with 125 members.

Team No. 2, captained by Mrs. Bessie Greene, was second with 115 members.

The work will meet Tuesday night, June 16, for the next report meeting.

Mrs. Lorraine Collins is membership chairman.

departure.

Since Monday, flood waters have made thousands of Sioux Citizens homeless and the Little Sioux river had run wild at Spencer and Cherokee.

The flash-flooding Floyd river at Sioux City fell back Tuesday leaving the dead debris. The death toll rose to 11 in the flood area.

While the floods rolled on, the "tornado fever" hit Des Moines Tuesday night when the weather bureau warned of a possible tornado forming in this area. Thunderstorms Tuesday night flooded Indianola and Winterset.

Other Des Moines women attending the club women's convention included: Mrs. A. A. Alexander, Miss Jessie Walker, Mrs. Pauline Humphrey, Mrs. J. M. Danforth.

Club Women Safe At Flooded Sioux City Convention

Des Moines members of the Iowa Association of Colored Women who went to Sioux City Monday for the annual state convention, reported a safe journey to the flooded city, a relative here reported Wednesday.

Mr. Frank Jett, husband of Mrs. Sarah Jett, talked with his wife Monday evening after her arrival in Sioux City, just after the flash flood hit the city. At that time, "all was well and they were safe from the raging waters," Mr. Jett said his wife reported. The women feared the main trouble they would have would be leaving the city on Wednesday, at their scheduled time of

Powell Accuses Mrs. Hobby Of 'Sabotage' on Order to Halt Army Schools Jimcrow

Washington, D. C.—(CNS)—Rev. Adam Clayton Powell's wired charges to Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby, the new Secretary of Welfare, accusing her of "sabotage" on the President's order to halt segregation in Army post schools, were answered immediately by the Secretary but in a "personal" manner.

According to Mrs. Hobby's office, she would not give her answer to the press, but the Congressman could do so if he wished.

Of course Congressman Powell let it be known that he would make the answer public because he considers the charges to utmost importance. He accused Mrs. Hobby of undermining President Eisenhower's efforts to end segregation.

Recent Order

Said Powell, she asked Defense Secretary Charles Wilson not to carry out the President's recent order to integrate schools on U. S. military bases.

Thereupon Powell wired Mrs. Hobby, and demanded that she either affirm or deny the report. He wanted the memo she had sent to Secretary Wilson if she admitted writing it.

To this, Mrs. Hobby's office called the issue "complex and complicated." They say that Mrs. Hobby, who is



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a Texan, cited how some states won't pay teachers in integrated schools, and students might have trouble transferring, among other problems.

Policies

Powell also accused Navy Secretary Robert B. Anderson for "re-affirming segregation policies" at naval bases at Charleston, S. C. and Norfolk, Va.

"His own cabinet members go right on saying local customs should prevail in segregated areas," Powell bitterly complained. He himself thought Ike's anti-segregation order courageous but he was being ignored in the whole field of civil rights.

State NAACP Convention At Cedar Rapids

Cedar Rapids, Ia.—The annual state conference of NAACP branches will convene here June 12 and 13 at the 11 People's Unitarian church, presided over by Wilmer Johnson of Marshalltown, president.

One of the features will be a testimonial dinner Friday evening honoring Mrs. Georgine C. Morris, organizer and president-emerita of the Iowa Conference branches; and Ike Smalls, former state president and now a national NAACP vice president.

The general conference program will open Saturday morning with workshops, under the direction of Bernard Brown of New York City, district field secretary.

A mass meeting will be held Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Viola Gibson is president of the Cedar Rapids branch, host to the meeting.

Many delegates and members from Des Moines plan to attend the conference.

Speaker for the mass meeting Sunday afternoon will be Mr. Brown, assistant field secretary of the Mid West region of the NAACP. He will be introduced by Mr. Smalls.

Among the musical features will be soprano soloist, Mrs. Ivory Winston of Ottumwa, Ia.

Mr. Johnson of Marshalltown is president of the Iowa State Conference of NAACP branches.

Member of the panel on legislation will be Atty. James B. Morris, Sr., of Des Moines, an officer of the Des Moines branch.

Jake L. Nelson, Mason Head Inspects Fort Dodge Lodge

Fort Dodge, Ia.—Jake L. Nelson, grandmaster of Prince Hall lodge, F. & A.M. of the state of Iowa, arrived here June 5 in his annual visit and inspection of Solomon lodge no. 45 of which Harry C. Merriwether is worshipful master.

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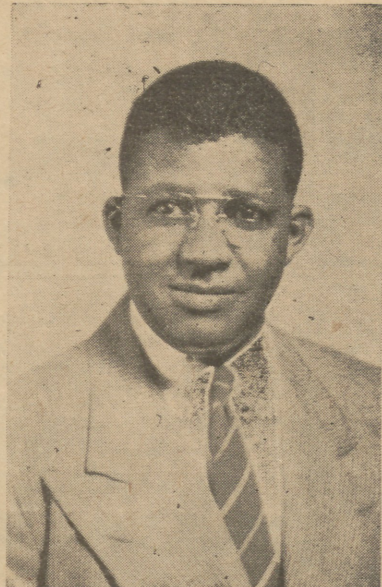
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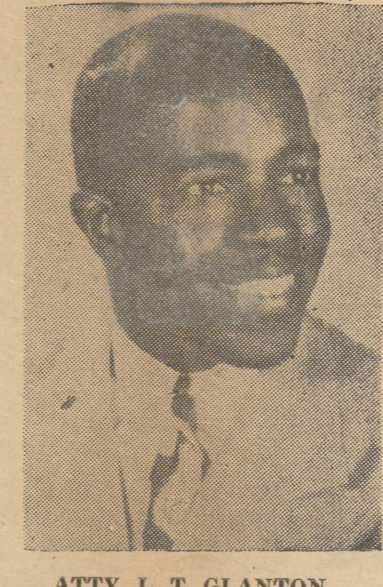
Some Of The Participants In The Annual Session of State NAACP Meeting At Cedar Rapids This Week End



WILMER JOHNSON
Mr. Johnson of Marshalltown is president of the Iowa State Conference of NAACP branches.



MRS. VIOLA GIBSON
President of the Cedar Rapids NAACP branch is Mrs. Viola Gibson.



ATTY. L. T. GLANTON
Member of the panel on memberships, fund raising and branch problems is Atty. Luther T. Glanton, Jr., of Des Moines, past president of the state NAACP conference.



J. B. MORRIS, SR.
Member of the panel on legislation will be Atty. James B. Morris, Sr., of Des Moines, an officer of the Des Moines branch.



IKE SMALLS
Mrs. Georgine C. Morris and Mr. Ike Smalls of Des Moines will be honored at a testimonial banquet Friday night. Mrs. Morris, president-emerita, is organizer and Mr. Smalls, a NAACP vice president, is past president of Iowa Conference of NAACP branches.

The official visit was held last Friday night at the Second Baptist church.

The Iowa grandmaster, who was unanimously elected last July, has held most every high office and received all of the degrees of Masonry, except the 33rd degree. He served outstandingly as grand ward, grand lecturer, grand secretary.

A Mason for the past 33 years, he also is grand king in the Royal Arch and grand generalissimo of the Knight Templars.

The Masonic leader came here from Des Moines where he held official visits with North Star No. 2, Buster Randall, worshipful master, and Doric No. 30, W. M. Charles, worshipful master.

He is a member of Frank Powell Consistory No. 46 and a nobel of the Shrine, Zied Temple, No. 90, of Des Moines.

The grandmaster reported, "as a whole, the various lodges in this jurisdiction are showing definite progress." He was highly pleased with his visit with Solomon lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Merriwether were his hosts.

NOTICE OF AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF WEDDING CONSTRUCTION CO., INC.
Public notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of Wedding Construction Co., Inc., held at Des Moines, Iowa, on the 11th day of March, 1953, the following amendment to the Articles of Incorporation was passed by unanimous vote:

AMENDMENT
RESOLVED, that the purposes for which the corporation is organized are enlarged to include the following and that Article II be amended accordingly, to-wit:
"To manufacture, sell and deal generally, either at retail, wholesale or both, in brick, stone, lumber, cement and any and all materials capable of use in construction of any kind of building and to generally carry on the business of dealers in new and second-hand building material; to manufacture, acquire and sell and deal generally in all types of appliances, electrical, and otherwise and to operate retail or wholesale stores in connection therewith and in general to carry on any other lawful business whatsoever in connection with the foregoing or which is calculated directly or indirectly to promote the interest of the corporation or to enhance the value of its properties."
The President of the corporation was duly authorized and directed to do any and all things necessary to carry into effect said amendment in accordance with the statutes of the State of Iowa.
Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 12th day of March, 1953.
WEDDING CONSTRUCTION CO., Inc.
By D. F. WEDDING, President
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LAST WEEK'S ANSWER

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1 Obsolete
2 Instrument (Mus.)
3 A firm hand grasp
4 Roman garments
5 Dip out, as liquid
6 Sing softly
7 Metal-bolt
8 Shelf
9 Archer
10 River (Latvia)
11 Not hard
12 Boss on a shield
13 European kites
14 Scorches
15 Appearing as if eaten
16 A commission
17 Bristle-like part
18 A rare, gaseous element
19 Neuter pronoun
20 Maxim
21 Century plant
22 Whiter
23 Lettuce (U.S.)
24 Jewish month
25 A gentleman's manservant
26 Blooming
27 Bored

DOWN
1 Long, narrow flag
2 A cowl
3 Eager
4 Diminishes, as the moon
5 Personal pronoun
6 Sparkles
7 Utter in frenzy
8 The same
9 Cherished animals
10 A single proviso
11 Firearm
12 King of Bashan (Bib.)
13 Obstacle
14 An orange grove
15 Female deer
16 To spend the summer
17 Placed in a chair
18 Scoff
19 Perform
20 Of the nose
21 Armadillo
22 Lower part of wall of a room
23 Expression of sorrow
24 Festive
25 Malt beverages
26 Verb (abbr.)

Fort Dodge, Iowa

BY C. L. HOUSE
Fort Dodge, Iowa.—Coppin Chapel AME church, 151 Central avenue, Rev. LeRoy Patterson pastor: Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Next topic "The Basis of Christian Liberty," Mrs. Lillian Lewis, supt. Services at 11:30 a.m.

Second Baptist church, Rev. Wm. Scott, pastor: Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.
Mr. and Mrs. Ellworth Brown, 1434 Walker street, Des Moines, were in the city last Sunday visiting her mother, Mrs. Lettie Thompson, a sister, Miss Adell Thompson, and her aunt, Miss Anzul Johnson, all of 618 12th avenue, S. W. Mr. and Mrs. Brown came here for their three small sons, Dart, Kevin and Don, who have had a vacation for over a month with their relatives. The children accompanied Miss Johnson when she visited in Des Moines enroute home from Denver.

Visitors
Mr. and Mrs. Charles West and

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON SPECIAL EXECUTION
District Court of Polk County, Iowa
STATE OF IOWA,)
Folk County,) ss.
THE MINNESOTA MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,)
Plaintiff,)
vs.)
WILLIAM C. SIX, JR., VIOLET A. SIX and FOLK COUNTY, IOWA,)
Defendants.)
BY VIRTUE OF A SPECIAL EXECUTION TO ME DIRECTED, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, in favor of The Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company, and against William C. Six, Jr., Violet A. Six, on a judgment rendered by said court on the 29th day of May A. D. 1953, wherein it was ordered, adjudged and decreed that the following described property be sold to satisfy said judgment, to-wit:
Lot One Hundred Two (102), in Ballard's Addition, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa.

NOW THEREFORE, public notice is hereby given that unless the said defendants appear at my office in Des Moines, Iowa, on or before the 18th day of July A. D. 1953, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at which time said above described property is hereby advertised to be sold, and pay all of the amount of said costs, with interest and costs, I will sell said property, or sufficient thereof to satisfy said Execution, for cash in hand to pay off said Execution.

TOM REILLY,
Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa
By REX DAVIS,
Deputy
Sheriff's Office, Des Moines, Iowa.
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ORIGINAL NOTICE

In The District Court of Iowa in and For Polk County
MARY E. SCHAFFER, Plaintiff
versus
GAYLORD SCHAEFFER, Defendant
Law No. 60906
TO: GAYLORD SCHAEFFER, Defendant:
You are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court in and for Polk County, the petition of the Plaintiff, claiming that the defendant has disappeared, that his whereabouts have been unknown since December 2, 1950, at which time he was serving with the First Marine Division in Korea; that he last resided with his parents in Des Moines, Iowa; that he is the owner of property in Polk County of unknown value which requires care and supervision to protect the interest of the defendant. As a result of said claims, the Plaintiff asks the Court to appoint a guardian of the property of the defendant.
You are further notified to appear before said Court at Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, within 20 days after the service of this Notice upon you, and that unless you so appear your default will be entered and the judgment, order and relief prayed in the Petition will be granted.
ROYAL & ROYAL, Attorneys for Plaintiff
By: L. A. ROYAL,
506 Fleming Building
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son of Perry, Ia., were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard La France. Rev. (Mrs.) Enlora Welch of Chicago, Ill., is visiting in the home of Mrs. Edna Arnett. Mrs. Lillian Brown of Milwaukee Wisc., was here visiting her mother, Mrs. Nannie Cobb. Mr. Bilbo Miller reports a big time vacation spent in Chicago.
Mrs. Gladys Bishop of Omaha, Neb., was the recent guest of her sisters, Mrs. Lillian Lewis and Mrs. Louise Robinson.
Miss Alma Jean Buckner has returned to Minneapolis, Minn., after visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Buckner.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarke L. House, and Mr. and Mrs. John Downing, 845 9th avenue, S. W., entertained at a dinner Tuesday evening for Miss Anzul Johnson of Denver, Colo. She is here on a two months vacation. A former

Fort Dodge beautician, she said "Denver is a wonderful city but she misses relatives in this part of the country."
Mrs. L. D. Douglas of Waterloo visited her sister, Mrs. Emma Jacobs for the past week. Another house guest of Mrs. Emma Jacobs was Mrs. Erie Scott of Gary, Ind., and Des Moines.
Mrs. Myrtle Allen is leaving for an extended vacation with relatives and friends in Kansas and Missouri.
Marshall Wells is home from college. Former Platoon Sgt. Vernon Horn, son of Mrs. Willie Mae Horn, was recently honorably discharged from the U. S. Military service at Fort Knox, Ky. After visiting other relatives and friends here he left for Los Angeles, Cal.
Mrs. Agnes Patterson reported on the success of the bake sale and chicken dinner at the Elks club by the Willing Workers.

Mr. Cecelia Peaks is sporting her custom built, good looking car.
Miss Delia Lockman is home from Detroit, Mich., visiting her sister. She attended Coppin Chapel, her home church Sunday.
Mrs. Cora Harper, 412 Fourth Ave., S., was in Iowa City hospitalized for two weeks, for an operation. She was released June 7.

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Prayer Service Wednesday: 8:00 P. M.

Pilgrim Missionary Baptist Church
1732 Walker Street
REV. H. A. SIMMONS, Pastor
Sunday School: 9:45 A. M.
Morning Service: 11:00 A. M.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday: 7:30 P. M.

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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.

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Evening Service: 7:30 P. M.
Prayer Service: Wed., 8 P. M.

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MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday morning, June 14, Rev. George Parish will preach from the subject, "Fellowship With God." At 8 p.m. the Ladies chorus will sing and there will be a guest speaker.

Last Monday evening a birthday party was given by the Pastor's Aid for Pastor Parish. He received many gifts. The Friendly club met Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Leona Ward, 1527 Walker street.

The Mission Circle will meet Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Wilson, 1433 Second street.

The Crawford Sisters of Kansas City will present a musical program Sunday, June 21, 3 p.m., and at 8 p.m. at the church.

Among the sick and shut-ins are Mesdames Leota Hunter, Fannie Cox, Messrs. H. Davis, T. Mosely, Cleveland Campbell.

FIRST CME CHURCH NOTES

Sunday, June 14, at 3 p.m. the Rev. Norman R. Olphin and the Corinthian Baptist chorus will be here. Get Acquainted Week programs are being held nightly through June 12.

The building board will hold a social at the church Saturday.

NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

The Glittering Stars Gospel Singers of Minneapolis, Minn., will give a program Sunday, June 14, 3 p.m., at the New Jerusalem Church of God in Christ. The admission is free. Rev. M. W. Goodman is pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. L. G. Garrett's twenty-ninth anniversary will be observed Sunday, June 14, 3 p.m. Musical quartets of the city will participate.

Mrs. Doretha Elliott and Misses Gloria Frith, Marcella Frith and Marivon Herdon were guests at the Bethel A.M.E. youth day last Sunday.

The mission society met at the home of Mrs. Robert Griffin Sr., June 2. The meeting June 9 was at the home of Mrs. C. Swink. Visitors at the church last Sunday were Mr. Grant Townsell and Miss Essie L. Wolder of Kansas City, Mo.

COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Pastor Arthur Bush was in charge of the services Sunday. Guest speakers were Deaconess C. B. Lewis of Wichita, Kas., Missionary Bessie Higgins of Denver, Rev. Martin C. Scoff of Des Moines; and Rev. and Mrs. R. S. Bell, Missionary Bessie Quinn and Bessie Pickens. Luella Scales united with the church.

Tuesday evening the Mothers board met at the home of Mrs. Ada Bush, 1218 E. 16th street, Wednesday evening prayer meeting and Bible

Drama Workshop To Present Three One-Act Plays

The Drama Workshop will present three one-act plays June 12, 13 and 14, 8 p.m. in the basement theater of the Unitarian church, Eleventh and High streets. Matinees will be held at 3:30 p.m. on Friday and Saturdays.

The plays are "Fumed Oak" (Noel Coward); "The Epidemic" (O. Mirbeau); "Wedding Night" (Frederick Witney).

Rev. Wayland Heath To Speak Sunday

The Mother's board will meet at the Sanctified Holy Church of Christ, 1247 McCormick street, with Elder A. B. Brewer, Sunday, June 14, 3 p.m. Rev. Wayland Heath will be the guest speaker. Devotions begin at 2 p.m.

O. E. S. Chapters Hold Esther Day In Oralabor, Iowa

Princess O'Zeil No. 9, Princess Zorah No. 10, and Olive Branch No. 32, O.E.S., held their annual Esther Day service Sunday, June 7, at the Mt. Zion Baptist church of Oralabor.

Mrs. Ethelda Robinson, worthy matron of Princess Zorah chapter, was mistress of ceremonies. Scripture was read by Mrs. Gladys Brown, Princess O'Zeil chapter, and the history of Esther was given by Mrs. Leola Hubbard of Olive Branch. Rev. Wayland Heath was guest speaker. Music was furnished by the Mt. Zion choir and trio.

Following the service, refreshments were served in the dining room by the Mothers' board of the church.

MR. ROBERT WEBB ILL WITH PNEUMONIA

Mr. Robert Webb, Jr., was confined to Mercy hospital last week with pneumonia. He is convalescing at the home of his brother, Mr. Regger Webb, 1022 Pleasant street.

Burlington, Iowa

BY MRS. ED WILLIAMS
Burlington, Ia.—St. John's A.M.E. church had a recital May 24 given by Miss Cobb of Quincy, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Weaver of Dubuque were in the city visiting his uncles and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Walkup and her sister and brother-in-law of Chicago were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson on S. Main street. Mr. and Mrs. Otis McGowan of Joliet, Ill., visited her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Donaldson.

Mrs. Nannie Whetherby of Chicago visited her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Chimm, R. R. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman King were here visiting relatives and friends. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams.

Mr. Richard White of Chicago was in the city visiting his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Frank White and relatives.

Mrs. Ed Williams, formerly employed at Iowa Liquor Store, is now on a pension.

Rev. R. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown motored to Hannibal, Mo.

Mrs. Ida Baker was hurt at I.O.P. plant where she fell. She is improving.

Oralabor, Iowa

Oralabor, Iowa.—Mrs. Harriet McQueen who is ill at home had visitors from Kansas City, Mo., Sunday. They were her niece, Mrs. Blanch Jackson and two children, her brother-in-law, Mr. Will Lewis and two sons, Mrs. McQueen's sister, Mrs. Mary Lewis was here three weeks with her. Other visitors were: Mr. and Mrs. Chester Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Carter of Des Moines, also Mr. and Mrs. Carl Terry and granddaughter of Perry.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH NOTES

The building fund rally culminated on May 31 with a total of \$600 and, contractors have begun to work on completing the building.

Sunday, June 14, the Rev. W. H. Ogleton, presiding elder, will preach at 11 a.m. At the Quarterly Communion service at 3 p.m., the Rev. O. Freeman, pastor of First CME church, will be the speaker.

Songfellows At Union Baptist

The Union Baptist Usher board will sponsor the Corinthian Songfellows in a program at the church, E. 16th and McCormick street, Sunday afternoon, June 14, 3 o'clock.

Bunche Knows Nothing of Charges Made by Powell

Baltimore, Md. — Representative Adam Clayton Powell (Dem., N. Y.) said here Saturday that the house un-American activities committee is going to investigate Dr. Ralph Bunche, winner of the Nobel peace prize and a member of the United Nations staff.

The disclosure came as a shock to an audience of some 300 persons attending graduation exercises at Coppin State Teachers college for Negroes where the Harlem Democrat delivered the commencement address.

Palestine Mediator

Dr. Bunche is now a member of a United Nations committee investigating race relations in South Africa. He gained international fame for mediating a truce between Palestine and Arab nations.

There was an audible gasp from the audience at Powell's disclosure. He did not elaborate, and left for New York City before reporters could contact him after the speech.

Reached at his New York home, Dr. Bunche said "I know nothing about it whatsoever. He (Congress-

man Powell) hasn't contacted me." Representative Kit Clardy (Rep., Mich.) said in Washington he knew of no plans for the un-American activities committee to investigate Dr. Bunche.

Insists Report Wrong

"I've never heard his name mentioned in connection with the work of the committee, and I can assure you nobody has even thought about investigating him," said Clardy, a member of the committee.

Powell made the remarks about Bunche after charging that Attorney General Herbert Brownell is "afraid" of Senator Joseph R. McCarthy (Rep., Wisc.).

He said he wrote the attorney general two letters, one concerning the Wisconsin Republican senator and the other concerning Julius and Ethel Rosenberg, convicted atom spies.

Powell said he received a "detailed analysis" of the Rosenberg case within two weeks, but that he never received a direct reply to the McCarthy "issue" even after a follow-up telegram to Brownell.

Blank Hospital Guild Drive Goes Over

Residents of Des Moines helped to make the recent membership drive of the Raymond Blank Hospital Guild succeed beyond anticipation, announced Mrs. William Fields and Mrs. Jesserean Dixon, chairman for this area.

The Raymond Blank Hospital Guild almost doubled its membership in the 1953 drive. Total memberships grew from 3,000 to 5,100, reported Mrs. Ralph Melone, chairman of the drive.

Funds raised during the annual drive and other Guild activities go toward free bed care for children at Blank hospital, assistance in cases of long hospitalization or rare and expensive illnesses, and other services to the children.

Memberships are still available by calling your area chairman, adds Mrs. Melone. They are for \$1, \$5, \$10, or \$100.

HAS SURGERY

Mrs. Virginia Williams, 1022 Thirteenth street, underwent an operation last week at Iowa Lutheran hospital.

Children's Day Sunday At Shiloh

The Shiloh Baptist Sunday School is sponsoring a Children's Day program Sunday, June 14, 3 p.m. The Rev. J. R. Roman will preach on the subject, "Remember Thy Creator in the Days of Thy Youth." Music will be by the Jubilaires of Corinthian Baptist church and the Shiloh Baptist junior choir. Other numbers will be on the program.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends, the Rev. W. Heath, Mrs. Joburnes Kelso, Estes & Son Funeral home for their many kindnesses, courtesies and expressions of sympathy extended at the death of Mrs. Flossie Bourland. —George Bourland and Family

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Lincoln Unit No. 126 Has Election
Lincoln Unit No. 126 held their election Tuesday night, June 2, at the Post club room 750 11th street. The following officers were elected: Leona Ward, president; Myrtle Bailey, first vice president; Myrtle Taylor, second vice president; Anna Mae Carter, recording secretary; Dorena Manuel, corresponding secretary; Jewell Robinson, treasurer; Elsie King, chaplain; Francis Hall, Historian; and Georgia Jones, Essie Davis and Sarah E. Jett, executive board members.
The regular meeting will be held Tuesday, June 16, 8 p.m. at the Post club room, 750 11th street.

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Iowa Council of Church Women's Assembly At Grandview June 16

The Iowa Council of Church Women will meet for their annual Assembly and leadership training at Grand View College, E. 13th & Grandview avenues, June 16-18.

Mrs. M. W. MacLeod, New York City, executive secretary for United Church Women, will speak at the public meeting in St. John's Lutheran church sanctuary at 7:45 p.m. Wednesday. Her subject is "What Must The Churches Do?"

The Corinthian Baptist Church Songfellows will provide music and Dr. F. J. Weertz will conduct the worship service.

The theme of the three-day assembly, "Make straight in the desert a highway for our God", will be carried out in demonstrations and special features.

Demonstrations

Wednesday afternoon and Thursday morning sessions will include demonstrations of Council work, including the observance of the three special days and the fields of missionary education, social action, leadership training, word service and public relations.

Councils presenting these demonstrations include Boone, Mason City, Davenport, Waterloo, Burlington and Des Moines. Iowa Council officers directing the demonstrations include Mesdames Herbert Arthur, Ames; Roscoe Jones, Atlantic; M. R. Warren, Cedar Rapids; N. W. McBeath, W. R. Hindal, R. B. Atwater and Miss Truth LaMont, Des Moines.

Study Themes

Preview of the missionary education study themes and methods are

included in the program. Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Edward Sears, Cedar Rapids, former missionary to India will present the global view of the church in the theme, "Life and Task of the Church Around the World".

Mrs. Harry M. Reed, Waterloo, member of the Board of National Missions of the Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A. and of the executive committee of the National Council of Presbyterian Women, will present "A Visit with Our Spanish-Speaking Neighbors" on Thursday morning.

Spiritual guidance will be given Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 by Rev. Howard Christensen, director of Religious Education, Grand View College and on Thursday morning at 8:45 by Mrs. Edward Dedrick, Des Moines.

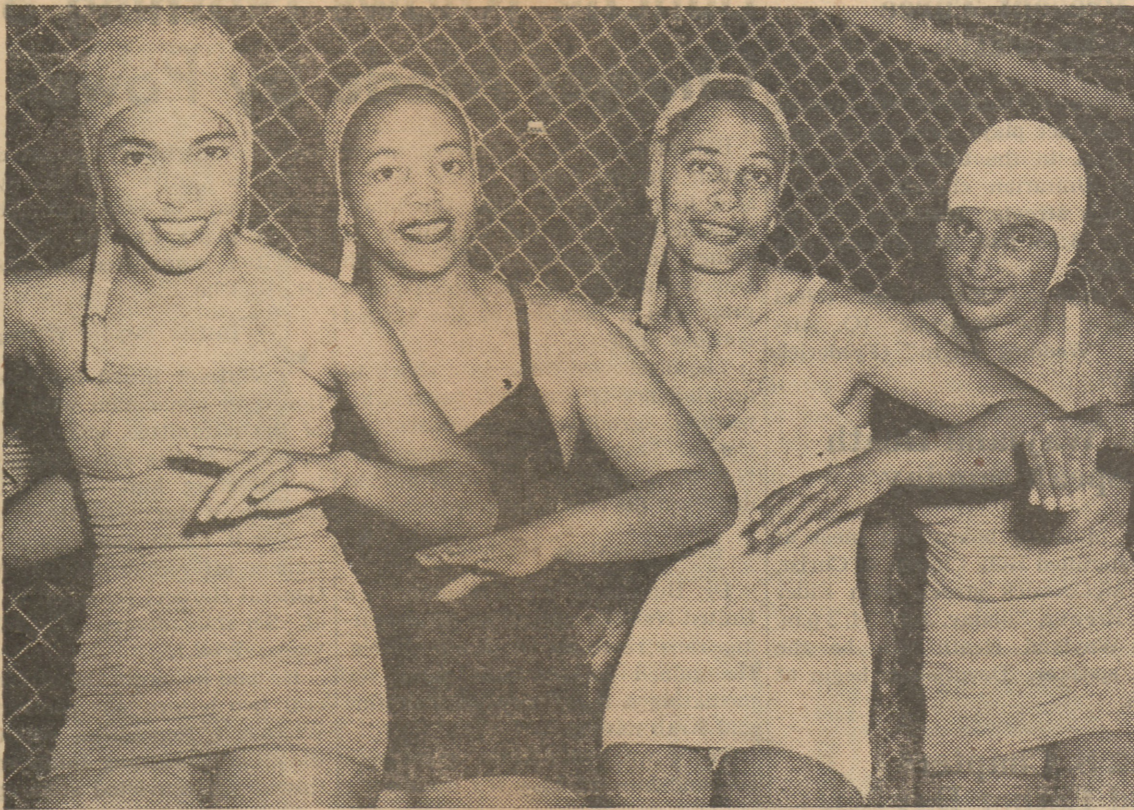
Mrs. Edwin B. Zeller, Cedar Rapids, president of the Iowa Council will preside over the business session at 8:45 a.m. Thursday and training sessions, including the pre-assembly meetings on Tuesday.

Presidents or representatives of denominational organizations for church women will meet with the officers of the Iowa Council at 4 p.m. on Tuesday. Beginning at 7:30 p.m. there will be a meeting of the general board which includes state officers and presidents of the nearly seventy local councils in the state.

An Interpretation

Misses Patricia Romano and Carmen Chapman, Des Moines, will give a rhythmic interpretation of the Lord's Prayer Thursday afternoon followed by a closing address, "Watch With Me" by Mrs. MacLeod.

Give Swim Exhibition At Dedication Of Pool



Tallahassee, Fla. — These four members of The Florida A and M college family gave a swimming exhibition before the more than 2,000 persons who attended the dedication of the Robinson-Trueblood swim-

ing pool here last Monday evening. They are (left to right) Mrs. Evadne Priestler Abrams, instructor in physical education; Mrs. Hansel Tookes, switchboard operations supervisor; Mrs. Carl Bush, special

student, and Evelyn Rush, medical records librarian. The pool which is the first for Negroes in Tallahassee, is named for the first Leon county Negroes killed in the Korean conflict—Pvt. Eddie Robinson, and Cpl. David Trueblood.—Democrat photo.

Mrs. Tom Fogelson is in charge of special entertainment at the Church Women luncheon on Thursday.

Mrs. Arthur E. Thomas, Des Moines, is in charge of registration from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Wednesday preceding the opening of the Assembly at 11 o'clock. During this period there will be opportunity to view film-strips of interest to church women's groups.

The Iowa Council is entertaining at a public relations breakfast at 7:45 Wednesday at Bishops' Cafeteria.

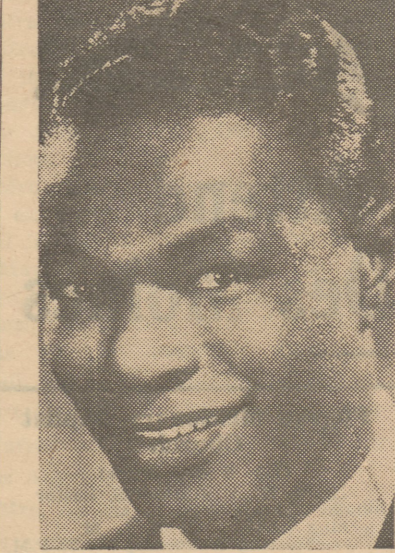
pay \$75.00 per month, which is approximate present cost per woman. Because the blind pensions do not equal cost of operation, additional money is used from the Community Chest, bequests, as well as gifts in supplementing the income.

The Home is non-sectarian and each member who desires is taken to the church of her choice on Sunday. A simple religious service is conducted by the matron each morning at the Home with the women participating.

Besides the many parties held both in the Home and at private homes, many members have outside interests, such as church activities, neighborhood clubs, etc. The Delta Gamma Sorority, Lion's Club, Elks, Shriners, State Blind Association and church groups are a few of the organizations that have been very kind in their interest shown the blind women. Some of the women spend their vacation at the Salvation Army Camp, at Madrid, the Adventist Camp, at Nevada, and the Homecoming activities at Vinton.

Drake's summer program leads to the regular bachelor degrees in education, music education, music, art, fine arts, business administration, pharmacy and law, in addition to graduate degrees in education, music education, music, arts, fine arts, religious education, Bible and law.

In Film At Strand



NAT "KING" COLE

Fans of Nat "King" Cole, one of the top singers of popular tunes, will have a chance to see their favorite when he introduces "Blue Gardenia," a haunting melody in the new drama which opens Friday, June 19 at the Strand Theater.

"The Blue Gardenia," a murder mystery which stars Anne Baxter, Richard Conte and Ann Southern, was produced by Alex Gottlieb for Warner Bros.

Cole started out with his trio, as essentially a pianist, and won con-

siderable success. Then, during a recording session, he began to sing along.

Immediately record sales indicated that the public liked him in his new role as vocalist. Since then, he has gone on to even greater fame with such classics as "Nature Boy," "Lost April," "Too Young," and "Mona Lisa."

Indians Trying To Slice Yankees' Lead

Cleveland, Ohio.—(CNS)—No one knows better than the Cleveland Indians that now—while at home—is the time to slice into that big Yankee lead. Said one Indian, who reflects the entire squad: "Those Yankees are getting too big an edge . . . If we mean business, we've got to stay close to 'em."

Feeling a whole lot better after whipping the Boston Red Sox 8 to 1, a game which featured a grand slam by Larry Doby, the Indians seem determined that now's the time they will gain some on the league leading Yankees. Result is Cleveland is playing .600 ball, in second place just 5½ games off the pace. So hopes are high. And as one Tribesman said to console the others: "There are still more than 100 games to play. Anything can happen."



The history and operation of the Iowa Home for Sightless Women is interesting . . . The following is taken from their recently published Annual Report.

In 1907 a group of Alumni of the Iowa School for the Blind at Vinton formed an organization that laid the groundwork for the Home, which was opened in 1915 with nine women admitted. In order to assist in this worthy project the Des Moines Community Chest accepted the Home as one of its member agencies in 1927 and has been of help both financially and in a supervisory capacity since that time.

In 1948 the Board of Directors purchased the present Home at 1420 Penn Avenue by using accumulated funds from bequests and gifts saved since the Home was founded. It is a beautiful old residence of brick structure situated in a lovely wooded area in East Des Moines, an approximate fifteen minute drive from downtown.

There is room for sixteen blind women in the home. Each woman has her own bedroom. The house is three stories, with a large living room, hall, dining room, office, kit-

chen, five bedrooms and two baths on the first floor. There is an upstairs living room and seven bedrooms and two baths on the second floor. There are six bedrooms and one bath on the third floor. On each of the three floors there is a sighted worker for general protection and assistance to the women.

The house has a screened-in porch for the women's enjoyment, as well as a guard rail extending from an open porch through the garden to an arbor, where many of the women enjoy walking during the summer months.

Mrs. Jennie Barrett, a licensed practical nurse is the well-qualified matron of the Home and has acted in that capacity for eight years.

Any woman who is mentally and physically well except for blindness or partial blindness, and a resident of the State of Iowa, between the ages of twenty-one and seventy may make application for residency in the Home.

Annual physical examinations and dental check-ups are required of all women. Such examinations may be obtained at the Health Center, without cost, or the women may go to their private physicians at their own expense. All of the Community Chest agencies, including the Hearing Society and the Family Service—Travelers Aid, cooperate in looking after the welfare of the women.

The Home is operated as a non-profit organization. Many members receive blind pensions while other



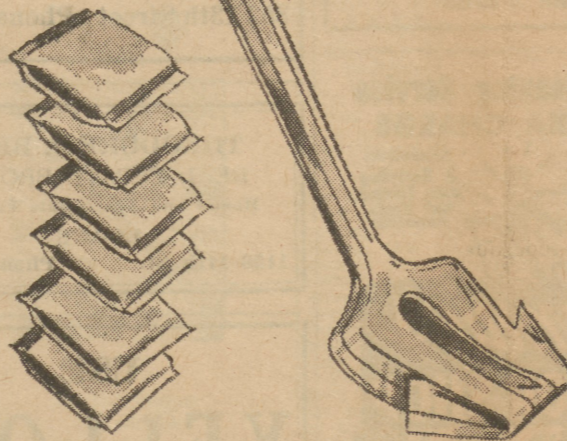
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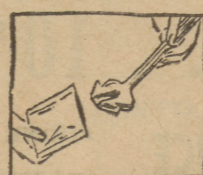
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DINNER AT EIGHT SOCIETY

Mrs. Lessie Manuel And Mr. A. Garrett Are Married Here

Mrs. Lessie Manuel and Mr. Albert Garrett were married here Saturday evening, June 6, at 7:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Helen T. Carter, 1012 Twelfth street.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. L. G. Garrett, uncle of the bridegroom.

A reception followed, attended by close friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett and children are at home to friends at 1219 Nineteenth street.

Mesdames Hardaway And Morrow Visit In Emporia, Kas.

Mrs. Mary Hardaway and Mrs. Viola Morrow were recent house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer T. Snow in Emporia, Kas.

The Iowans were guests of Mrs. Edith Ball at an annual spring party. Other courtesies shown them were: sight-seeing trip by Mr. Howard Miller; an after party by Mrs. Eva Slade; Mr. and Mrs. F. Crawford entertained, also; and Mrs. Snow was hostess at a Memorial Day tea.

Mrs. E. McGill Is Luncheon Hostess

Mrs. Elizabeth McGill was hostess at a luncheon given in her home, 1308 Stewart street Thursday afternoon. Garden flowers, including an imported English Iris, rare in this country, decorated the table and home.

Plans were discussed by the state Sunday School officials, Rev. L. C. Colbert of Cedar Rapids, Mrs. E. G. Thomas and others, on entertaining the state Sunday School convention of the Church of God in Christ which will be in Des Moines July 13-18. The state convention will bring many delegates to the city.

Mrs. A. B. Jones, assistant supervisor and Mrs. L. Westbrooks, were special luncheon guests.

MRS. MARY GREEN OF NEBRASKA HERE

Mrs. Mary Green of Lincoln, Neb., was a recent visitor of her uncle, Mr. Leonard Walker. She was house guest of Mrs. Floyd Bailey, 935 Fifteenth street.

VISITING IN ILLINOIS

Mrs. Nellie Marshall, 828 Tenth street, is spending a two-week's vacation in Rock Island and Chicago, Ill.

AU FAITE CLUB

The Au Faite club was host to several girls at a breakfast in Union park May 30. Games were played.

LEAVE FOR VACATION IN MEXICO CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Adam B. Johnson and granddaughter, have left on a six-week vacation trip to be spent in Mexico City, Mexico.

MISS FANNIE WEBSTER HOME FROM FT. KNOX

Miss Fannie M. Webster, a member of the Women's Army Corps, is here visiting relatives at 1180 Thirtieth street. She will leave Friday to return to Fort Knox, Ky., where she is stationed.

A graduate of North High school, she has been in the service since 1950.

SOCIAL ART CLUB TO MEET JUNE 18

The Social Art club will meet June 18 with Mrs. Anna Ware, 1137 School street. The last meeting was on June 4 with Mrs. Roberta Frazier, 328 Creston.

MRS. WADSWORTH ATTENDS FUNERAL

Mrs. Wanda Wadsworth of Chicago, Ill., was here to attend the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Viola Brown of 1012 12th street.

Electa Grand Chapter Of OES To Meet June 16-18

The Electa Grand chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, Prince Hall affiliation, state of Iowa and jurisdiction, will convene in its forty-fourth annual convention June 16, 17, 18, at the Des Moines Young Women's Christian Association, Ninth and High streets.

Chapters entertaining the convention will be Princess O'Zeil No. 9, Princess Zorah, No. 10, and Olive Branch No. 32.

Delegates will attend from all over the state. Mrs. Dorothy B. Bush, grand worthy matron, will preside.

Mrs. Gladys Walker And Mr. W. Blakey Wed In Omaha

Mrs. Gladys Walker and Mr. Walter Blakey of Rock Island, Ill., were married Wednesday, June 3, in Omaha, Nebr.

The couple returned to Des Moines Saturday, June 6, and held a reception at the bride's home, 906 Eighthteenth street, where they received many gifts.

Mrs. Blakey has been an employee of L. Ginsberg & Son Furniture store in Des Moines for several years. He is employed by the Farm-All Company of Rock Island.

The couple will reside in Des Moines until September when they will move to Rock Island.

Three Purpose Club To Meet June 17

The Three Purpose club met at the home of Mrs. Verda Spangler, May 20. Mrs. Verlene Propes, president, presided. The club held a business meeting on June 3 with Mrs. Margaret McCracken. The next meeting will be June 17 at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Wallace 1010 Seventeenth street.

Rev. M. J. Bell Gets Birthday Surprise Visit From Kin

Rev. and Mrs. R. S. Bell of Shelbyville, Mo., came to the city last Wednesday for a surprise birthday visit on their daughter, Rev. (Mrs.) M. J. Cranshaw.

It was then planned to have a family reunion which took place Saturday evening at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Bishop and Mrs. Cranshaw, 1301 E. 19th street.

Arriving here Saturday were the following daughters of Rev. and Mrs. Bell: Bessie Higgins of Denver, Colo., missionary; Cora B. Lewis of Wichita, Kas., deaconess; Mrs. Johnnie Tollison of Wichita, Kas., and Norman Florence of Shelbyville, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tollison.



★ Personal Touch By MARIE ROSS ★

Between the rainstorms this week it has been a very pleasant week, meeting so many parents of the graduates whose pictures will be one of the features of the fifty-ninth anniversary edition of the Bystander next week.

The household of the Stanley Proctors, 1111 Eleventh street was a busy one last week, getting daughter, Imogene, graduated from North High school—but activity has really doubled since daughter, Cleota arrived recently from New York City to complete plans for her church wedding to Mr. Harvey Earl Wilbekin here on Sunday, June 28.

Gifts from friends at Columbia university and New York showers already decorated tables in the Proctor home, for the bride-to-be's admiration. Graduation gifts, on another table, held the interest of Imogene; and sewing boxes with patterns, pins and materials, are taking all of Mrs. Proctor's time.

Mr. Proctor was in the middle of his two daughters, helping one with some graduation deed, and the other, with boxes of wedding invitations bound for the post office, where he is employed.

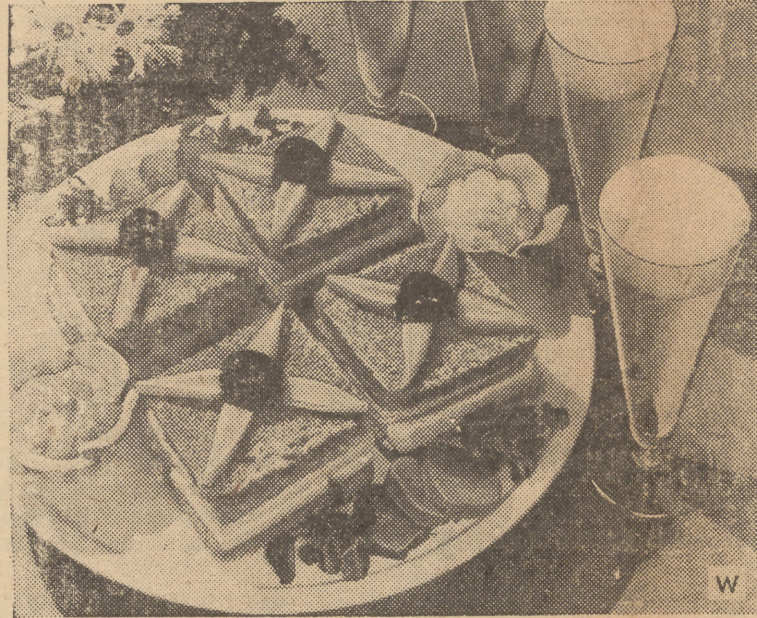
But, with all of her many interests, Mrs. Proctor did stop to chat a bit about her participation in school activities from the time her children went into kindergarten, until now, when the youngest finished high school.

At the home of Mrs. Helen Beckton, 1069 Twelfth street, she stopped to chat about the pride she felt in her son, "Rod", graduating. He has always been "such a bundle of energy," the mother revealed as she told how her son conquered a rheumatic heart condition and finished his school.

When "Rod" was very tiny, about 7 or 8 years old, he was selling Iowa Bystanders to regular customers. Later he got a daily paper route, and then a downtown job, while in high school, the mother related. She wants him to spend the summer in New York with an older sister.

When I reached the home of Mrs. Miller, 1140 Fourteenth street, Mrs.

Be a Lazy Susan Hostess



Turn a sandwich snack into party fare by serving triple deckers of ham and cheese from a revolving lazy susan tray in the company of cool, sparkling beer.

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Lazy Susan Sandwiches
(Makes 4 servings)

2 tablespoons butter or margarine
½ teaspoon prepared horseradish

8 slices whole wheat bread
4 slices white bread
4 slices ham or tongue
4 slices Swiss or American cheese
4 small carrots, scraped
4 ripe olives

Blend together butter (or margarine) and horseradish. Remove crusts from bread and spread each slice on one side with butter mixture. Form triple-decker sandwiches using two slices whole wheat bread, one slice of white bread and a slice of both ham and cheese for each sandwich. For top garnish, cut carrots lengthwise in quarters and arrange petal-fashion on top of each sandwich with a ripe olive in the center of each. Serve with mayonnaise and mustard.

Haitians Walk Mountain Paths to Market Mangos Bananas and Other Wares

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ed at 5 p.m. we sang "Isn't He Wonderful." Overseer Watty made his way out of the plane first so as to take pictures as we alighted. In a distance there stood the saints, our sisters and brothers, whom we never dreamed we would ever see. But, Thank God that Mother Coffey first loved them and she made it possible for us to meet them in this far away land.

Overseer Joseph St. Juste and his two minister sons, and Mother St. Juste and others were there in large numbers.

First, we had to clear customs before we were able to greet them.

Warm Welcome

As soon as that was done, the joy of expression, the warm welcome, we received. When our Haitian brothers and sisters saw Miss Webster, who has spent many years in missionary work there, they were jubilant. They placed their arms about her with love and devotion and she responded to them in their native language, French. God bless them.

The cars were waiting for us. From the airport Elder L. St. Juste, Jr., had arranged for the mayor, Dr. N. Camille of Port Au Prince to welcome us at the city hall. With a smile of kindness, he greeted us, then began his speech of welcome which was interpreted by Miss Webster, as he spoke in French.

Bishop Crouch made the response.

Miller was hurrying the dinner and reminding her Samuel that he had to dress early to be ready to go to Charmaine's graduation. And, the graduate was busy dressing for her big evening, graduation.

Mrs. Geraldine Draffen, 921 Sixteenth street, was home from her work at the state tax commission, when I caught her Saturday. She heated up the coffee and we chatted about her graduate, Dudley Black, and his burning desire to make a down payment on an automobile—as a graduation gift to himself.

He wanted his mother to get dressed and go to town with him to "look the car over—because it was a real buy and would be gone" if they didn't hurry.

"He just doesn't need a car," the mother protested and then she thought of her daughter, Barbara Ann, who was a last January graduate.

Barbara has won a number of prizes with her art work she entered in school and national exhibits. And, many of these drawings, block prints, sketches, water colors, pens and ink, advertising layouts, posters, made an interesting collection that Mrs. Draffen exhibited. Barbara has such a fine collection that she rates a special story in a later edition.

We know this was not a usual thing but something very unusual to be received with such courtesy, we felt. Then Miss Webster informed us that the President's wife, Mrs. Paul Eugene Magloire, would, on the day following, receive us at 11:30 a.m. at the White House.

This, you could see pleased us greatly, to think that we would meet our own people in full command—for Haiti is a nearly all-Negro republic—and you just knew you were welcome.

Riviera Hotel

From the city hall, we drove through the streets of Port Au Prince enroute to the Riviera hotel where reservations had already been made. We noted about the city, as far as a few government houses, a few outstanding mansions, a small percentage of residential sections, Port Au Prince seemed surprisingly poor.

The natives' pride seemed rooted, first, in the history of Haiti, which is fine and interesting; and, second, in the handicrafts of which they have a large variety—useful articles, chiefly from mahogany, sisal and straw and other materials.

Such Poverty

But, the poor—you never have seen such poverty. The population in Port Au Prince alone is estimated at 170,000. Its total area is about five square miles. This, you know, is a very small area for so many people. People everywhere—many of them live only in small huts ranging in size from five-foot square to probably about seven square feet. There are no floors, no windows. Most of them are made out of boards and unpainted. Sugar cane leaves lay lengthwise over the top in heaps for a roof.

Everywhere you look there are people clothed in rags. Most of these people are barefooted. Even if you stop a car for a few minutes the poor crowd around asking alms.

They are French-speaking people but somehow they know how to say: "Money lady—me want money. Me broke." Some of the small children will say: "My mudder dead; help me." Many of them are diseased.

Before every hut there is spread out on the ground small piles of sweet potatoes, about 1 dozen bananas, a basket of mangos—the mangos are small tropical fruit—and that would be about all. There, a peasant woman would be trying to sell her wares. If she makes a penny, its alright. She has made something.

Market Traffic

On the crowded streets where there are no sidewalks, almost everyone you meet—and you meet many—has a large basket upon his or her head—going or coming from the market. These, I was told, live in the moun-

Mrs. Rose Brooks Heads Ten Keys

The Ten Keys met with Mrs. Inice Carter last Friday. Mrs. Rose Brooks was elected president. Other officers are: Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, vice president; Mrs. Leona Jordan, secretary; Mrs. Mamie Dixon, assistant secretary; Mrs. Christine Martin, treasurer; Mrs. Carter, reporter.

Bridge prize winners were: Mrs. Martin, first; Mrs. Smith, second; Mrs. Carter, booby.

The next meeting will be June 12 with Mrs. Dixon as hostess at 1303 Crocker street.

tains where they arise early in the morning to gather the mangos and a few bananas.

Some of those baskets I closely looked in had only bottles, a few grapefruit and other tropical fruit. But, briefly, the natives walk in that beating sun, coming and going.

The streets are so crowded, every moment it seemed you would surely strike someone.

No Money For School

Many of the children do not go to school for there is no money to pay for schooling—not even for books; and, to see the schools, they are mostly private and are held in a space about the size of an average yard. Some, of course, have a type of shelter. Those poor people need dental work badly. They need to be taught hygiene. Some of them have their beds on their backs. Some are able to have a burro—a donkey. Even he is overloaded—two large baskets at each side of him and filled, and a peasant woman sitting in the middle of his back.

The men walk and beg as well as the women. They peddle handmade wares, beads made from the coffee bean, jewel boxes, ash trays, salad bowls, traveling cases, many other things made from mahogany, as well as shoes of all kinds, made from the sisal hemp and straw.

One of the drivers that served the delegation said his father had 48 children with four marriages. That gives you an idea what the Haitians call a large family.

The rich are very rich and the poor are very poor. As we rode along my heart was touched. I then realized how unthankful I had been living in a land of plenty. To murmur—"Oh God"—is a shame.

As we rode along I noticed the neighborhoods became better and better with fewer people. The Caribbean sea was to the right; beautiful palm trees; on the left was a spacious two-lane driveway. I began to see some of the beauty of the city.

The Hotel

Finally we came to a halt. There between the cliffs of the mountain and the sea, laid out in gardens of tropical flowers and palms, stood the Riviera hotel. It was modern in all respects. One could not believe this was the same city.

We were served a wonderful meal. We ate in groups usually. Then off to Elder St. Juste's church. I was anxious to see my sisters and brothers in service and many of us longed to thank God for our safe arrival.

As we moved in a group, our Miss Webster led us through the crowd into the church. This place of worship was large and full. People stood all around the open window. As we marched down the aisle they stood and clapped their hands for joy. After we were seated, Miss Webster called our names. We stood and bowed as we were introduced.

Bishop Crouch brought greetings with Miss Webster interpreting—and an offering was raised for the pastor, Elder St. Juste.

I wish that I could express to you

SON BORN TO THE JACK PARKERS

A son was born June 3 at Lutheran hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parker, 2805 Cleveland avenue. He has been named Robert N.

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U. S. SUPREME COURT MOVING ON SEGREGATION

The U. S. Supreme Court has ruled that restaurants in Washington must serve Negro customers, overruling the District of Columbia Court of Appeals which held that the law under which a restaurant owner was protected had been "lost" from the present statutes governing the District of Columbia.

Thus the court has struck down another attempt to follow the old theory that separate but equal accommodation does not violate the Fourteenth Amendment.

It is fully apparent that the Supreme Court has rendered decisions in recent years where racial discrimination is involved in accordance with present day enlightened thinking. Anyone who wants to be fair must admit that segregation presupposes a badge of inferiority. The constitution declares that all men are created equal and when any segment of the population is made second class citizens, as segregation surely does, then the law or regulation creating such condition is contrary to the constitution.

The mills of the gods grind slow but grind to powder; so does right over those forces which, over the years, have flouted the concepts of the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States.

The state of the country and the world as a whole has changed the thinking of lot of people on this matter of racial justice. Our state and diplomatic officials find that their job to create better world relations has been retarded because some nations, some races have not been able to reconcile our brand of democracy which from the nation's capital throughout the country has fostered all kinds of ill treatment upon a class of its citizens purely because of their color. They have argued that if this is what democracy means, we want no part of it.

But a lot of people in high and low places in America are waking up to the fact that it's democracy has been only half a democracy; that they belittle themselves by talking different theories out of each side of their mouths. They are making headway as is evidenced by stories appearing in almost every newspaper printed these days.

Yes, the Supreme Court is making the decisions based on an enlightened twentieth and not the reactionary nineteenth century.

The question of segregated schools is still before the court. Certainly recent decisions point toward one overruling the old separate but equal decision which will go far to raise the status of all people in the country more nearly to that contemplated in the fundamental laws of the land.

TRUCE STATUS STILL UNCERTAIN

It appears that every day the Korean situation gets worse. After months of conferences, negotiators have pretty well agreed upon some kind of cease fire order. This too has brought additional problems for the United States and this is said advisedly for while the United Nations is supposed to be on the other side of the conference table, our country has born the heavy load in men and material other than the South Koreans.

The South Koreans say they will refuse the truce while Switzerland announces that it will not act as a neutral to help carry out the terms of the truce if South Korea does not agree to it.

South Korea wants a mutual security pact if she goes along and the North Koreans say to do so would be a slap in their face as terms of the truce are being carried out.

U.N. members have concluded that the price of uniting Korea is too high; that no purpose can be served justifying the continuance of the struggle when chances are over the years the country may unite by mutual agreement.

We are learning that world leadership requires high sacrifice not anticipated and that we must decide just how our men and material will be employed to stop communism in other countries.

NEGROES MUST HELP SOLVE THEIR OWN PROBLEMS

Carrying out the policy of inviting business and labor representations to meetings of the Mayor's Committee in Human Rights, several labor leaders attended the June session last week. Like business, they were invited to discuss the policies of their respective organizations with reference to minority groups.

One of the refreshing things about most of them was their willingness to state freely just where their organization stood whether good or bad; they expressed a willingness to co-operate with forces working for fair employment practice to the end

that racial discrimination be eliminated.

It becomes apparent that Negroes themselves have a job to do in this program and frankly nobody is taking the responsibility. After all, the mayor's commission is not a job-finding organization. It points the way and creates openings. It's the job of Negroes to come forward and seek them.

One representative stated that too many Negroes went on the theory that they would not be hired and thus never made application for work in certain areas. That is true. Of course, it is a sad mistake and some way must be found to correct it.

Des Moines is well supplied with recreational and social activities. That is as it should be, but industrial guidance is woefully lacking. The Community Chest paid for a survey by the Urban League on the matter several years ago, but nothing ever came of it.

Probably, we cannot pay for this additional work out of Chest funds as now setup. But there is a real gap in economic development of Negroes which ought to be met somehow.

The labor leaders have pointed out a weakness which, while well known to many, needs attention as a part of the general program of fair employment.

First Aid Course Opens

An advanced course of the American Red Cross with Mrs. Jessie Mae Phillips Johnson, instructor, began Wednesday night, June 10, 7:30 o'clock, at the Red Cross office, 321 Flynn building. Anyone holding a valid standard first aid certificate is invited to join.

D. C. Restaurants

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court of appeals ruled invalid both the 1872 and 1873 laws.

The court of appeals said the legislative assembly which governed the District of Columbia at that time was not empowered to enact such laws and congress could not empower any local body to pass such general legislation.

Schools Issue

The supreme court Monday put off until next fall—at the earliest—any decision on the legality of racial segregation in public schools.

Unable to reach a decision in the five cases before it, the high tribunal called for reargument next Oct. 12 of whether to reaffirm or overturn the separate-but-equal doctrine it laid down 57 years ago.

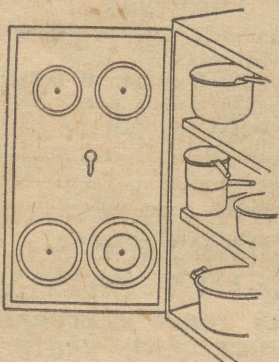
The five cases involve separate schools for white and Negro pupils in South Carolina, Virginia, Kansas, Delaware and the District of Columbia. Any general ruling would affect 13 other states requiring complete or partly separate school systems, plus three other states which permit segregation.



Lids on Cabinet Door

ROUND-KNOBBED lids of cooking utensils may be neatly stored inside a cabinet door where they will be both accessible and occupying otherwise waste space. Here are directions for making this handy storage unit:

Measure the door and obtain a piece of Masonite 3/4" Tempered Presdwood which covers the interi-



or excepting for one-half inch on all sides. If the door is paneled, there will be room between the cabinet door and the Presdwood for the knobs to fit into openings the shape of large keyholes. If the interior is one plane from one side to another, it will be necessary to install a strip of lumber about one inch thick as a perimeter.

Lay out the round-knobbed lids on the Presdwood so that their positions may be marked. With a bit and brace, bore holes about one-quarter inch larger than the knobs. Underneath each, with a keyhole saw, complete the oversized keyhole, forming a slot into which the neck of the knob will fit. The final step is to fasten the panel to the interior of the door with finishing nails. The panel may be left unfinished or painted.

THE DES MOINES NAACP Says: BRANCH

The Des Moines branch has reached the half way mark in the membership drive. Much work needs to be done if the quota of one thousand is to be reached.

At the meeting Tuesday night, plans were perfected to make a city-wide canvas for membership so as to reach every Negro family in the city. The plan calls for a solicitor on every street who on Saturday evening, June 20, between 6 and 9 p.m., will ring the door bells of each family on his street.

Solicitors are urgently needed to assist in this work. Anyone desiring to volunteer is asked to call Mrs. Bessye Green, membership secretary, at 4-8523 or the Bystander office 8-1904.

Remember, the responsibility for the success of the NAACP drive is upon the shoulders of every Negro citizen in Des Moines; that such outstanding victories as the Supreme Court decision on segregation in Washington, D. C. restaurants are the result of the work of the NAACP.

SPORTS

BY ALLEN ASHBY

The Kansas City Monarchs returned to the city last week and took the Memphis Red Sox in a game cut short by rain. They say that the crowd and both teams set some sort of a record for evacuating the ball park when the announcement came that there was a tornado on the way. The thing never did catch the people.

Negro League baseball has deteriorated considerably in caliber since organized baseball opened up to Negroes. Young ball players would rather play in some minor league of organized baseball with the majors as their goal than fool around in the Negro leagues.

When the leagues had things their own way, they wouldn't pay the players and now they can't pay much. So now the league which used to field teams that could have won major league pennants now plays about class A or B baseball.

The crowds don't go for Negro baseball either. They would rather watch the major league teams with Negroes than go out to a league game.

Looks like there won't be anymore men like Josh Gibson, Mike Settle, Steel Arm Davis, Mendez or Bullet Rogan for us to talk about. All these names are now legends and their deeds will grow mightier with each telling.

Local

We finally got around to a Willkie House boxing show last week. The rain cut down the crowd and the boxers, so that all the bouts were exhibitions. This was the final show. We looked over the ring that was built by the Athletic committee and thought that any group capable of building a ring like that one could really go to town on just about any program they wanted to. The setup is there for a great set of boxers. Now in our opinion, there is need for a national rivalry to make the boys want to get better and work. Get that and the Willkie House boxing teams will be feared.

Tennis

Jerry Simmons got to the finals of the meet held last week and was set down for the boys title by Jim Beckerman. Looks like Simmons and Beckerman are going to meet for a lot of boys' titles this year.

The Hilltop club will put on the Des Moines open or a four-day affair from July 27 to 31. The Langston Hardaway trophy in the men's singles has a chance to be retired this year. Jay Quinn has two legs on the big cup and could win the one that would put it on the mantelpiece forever.

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SUI To Graduate 1,065 At June Commencement Friday

Iowa City, Iowa.—The State University of Iowa will award degrees to an expected 1,065 June graduates at Commencement exercises Friday, June 12, at 9:30 a.m. in the university fieldhouse, according to Registrar Ted McCarrel, director of convocations.

Rabbi Hillel Silver of The Temple in Cleveland, Ohio, will deliver the Commencement address. The author of several books on religious topics, Rabbi Silver is considered to be one of the nation's leading clergymen. He was one of three clergymen to deliver prayers at the inauguration of President Eisenhower.

Graduates of the army and air force Reserve Officers Training corps at the university will be sworn into their respective branches of the service during the exercises, and awards to outstanding students also will be made.

Monte Back To Normal Shoe

New York.—(CNS)—For the first time this season, Monte Irvin discarded the high shoe he has been wearing to protect his damaged right ankle and went back to the orthodox baseball shoe.

The slugging outfielder of the New York Giants had promised that he would be able to take off his high shoe just as soon as the weather was hot and dry. Once Monte had tried

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The truth is like a pointed sword—that opens up for all to see—the beauty of His living word, and the life beyond, eternity . . . illuminate the shadowed mind—

remove the cloak of fear. The grace from His celestial place, you feel when He is near . . . When you become a lamb of God—you know the wondrous power, that brings the fruit up from the sod, and opens every flower . . .

Though you may age throughout the years—you know perpetual youth. There are no worries, sadness, tears, when you have learned the truth. . .
Glenn A. Gallagher
(First American Serial Rights Only)

HEALTH FOR ALL

Effects Of The Sun

Simple, common sense precautions can protect you from severe effects of the sun and keep you comfortable throughout the blistering summer months.

Too much sun or prolonged oppressive heat can cause sunstroke or heatstroke, and sometimes death.

Both sunstroke and heatstroke start with a splitting headache. The victim sees everything as red and loses consciousness. His temperature usually rises, sometimes to as high as 110 degrees.

If a person collapses in hot weather, a doctor should be called immediately. A temperature around 102 degrees or more means first aid should be applied while the doctor is on the way. Put a pillow under the victim's head, and try to cool him as quickly as possible with ice packs, cold wet clothing, and cold wet sheets. Fan him, and rub his arms

to discard the shoe during Spring training but he hurt his instep in the mud and had to go back to the high shoe.

The return to the normal shoe, though marked by much confidence that Monte would soon have his '51 batting form, did little to help Irvin that day. He went 0 for four.

Bible Thought

"Therefore thus saith the Lord God; I will even rend it with a stormy wind in my fury; and there shall be an overflowing shower in mine anger, and great hailstones in my fury to consume it."—Ezk. 13:13



Visiting around Iowa

by Joe Marsh

Iowans to the Rescue!

You can't keep a good man down . . . or a good Iowa town, either.

I suppose few Iowans know that the town of Pomeroy, Ia. was blown right off the map back in 1893. A terrific cyclone literally wiped it out.

But that just gave folks a chance to show what fine neighbors they were. Money, lumber, everything poured in to rebuild Pomeroy, aid its survivors.

Everyone helped. And everyone in Pomeroy received help, regardless of who he was.

That's the kind of neighborli-

ness which has made Iowa great. Right in our own neighborhood, we don't determine the quality of a man's citizenship by the size of his house, or whether he prefers coffee or a temperate glass of beer, or what lodge he belongs to. We judge him by his helpfulness to others, his tolerance for the rights of others . . . the way he follows the Golden Rule of "do unto others."

Isn't it wonderful to live in Iowa, where folks are like that?

Joe Marsh

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SHOW YOUR APPRECIATION FOR THE RECENT VICTORY Over Segregation

in our Nations capitol as announced by the U. S. Supreme Court Monday, June 8, by volunteering as a worker in the city wide solicitation of membership in the Des Moines branch.

EVERY HOME WILL BE SOLICITED SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 20, BETWEEN 6 AND 9 P.M.

Volunteers are needed to help do this all important job, and if you wish the victory over segregation and discrimination, the time spent on this job will pay handsome dividends.

Offer your services, call Mrs. Bessye Green, membership secretary, or 4-8523 or the Bystander office 8-1904.

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