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WASHINGTON'S TRANSIT CO.

Won't Hire Negro Streetcar Men

Reporter Finds Integration At Work in 103rd Reserve Division at Camp McCoy

BY MARIE ROSS

Camp McCoy, Wis.—When the Iowa Military District's "press-lift" landed at the Camp McCoy airport last Wednesday morning, meeting the plane with the white civilian post information officer, Roger Extil, was a Negro official photographer, Cpl. Claude E. Downs of Chicago, who immediately went into action to take pictures of the Iowans.

From the airport on into the headquarters of the 103rd Iowa-Minnesota army reserve division, and out onto the training grounds, where men were serving the last two weeks of the summer reserve training period, Negro men were integrated in many of the units.

Assigned to the airport as one of the flight mechanics was Sgt. Eugene Davis of Des Moines.

In the headquarters of the 103rd infantry division working as motor sergeant was Sgt. First Class R. J. Nichols of Des Moines.

Information officer in the military police office of the 103rd division was Second Lt. Robert A. Wright of Des Moines. Wright is a member of the Des Moines police department in civilian life. All three Iowans, until this year had been members of an all-Negro company, made up of Des Moines men.

Another Iowan was First Lt. Norman Lintz of Ottumwa, who was assigned to the airport as one of the flight mechanics was Sgt. Eugene Davis of Des Moines.

PFC McShan Back Home in West Des Moines

The first prisoner of war released in "big switch" to return to Iowa soil, Pfc. Lawrence H. McShan, 26, arrived by train in Des Moines, August 25, sixteen days after his release by the Chinese Communists in the prisoner exchange at Freedom Village Korea.



MC SHAN.

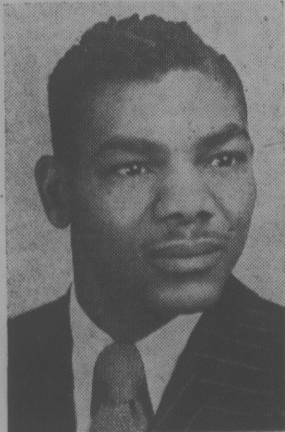
He returned to his wife, Della Mae, at 6 Lincoln avenue, West Des Moines, where they have a small apartment.

McShan was captured near the Chorwon reservoir Feb. 12, 1941, while his outfit—K company, 9th regiment, 2nd division—was overrun by Communists.

Mrs. McShan was notified that her husband was missing on March 6 of that year.

Before going into the army in the spring of 1950, he worked six years as a section hand and in a foundry in West Des Moines.

To Teach In Texas



WILLIAM MASON

William Mason, who served as a substitute teacher in the language departments of the Des Moines high schools last year, will leave Friday for Prairie View, Texas, where he has accepted a position at Prairie View college.

His first regular teaching post since he received his master's degree

camp for the summer training period were regular army men from Camp Atterbury, Ind. Driving one of the two two and one-ton trucks was a former Iowan, Pvt. Everett T. Snowden, now of Minneapolis, Minn. He entered the military services last February and is a member of the 87th Trucking Company at Camp Atterbury, Ind.

One of the jeep drivers assigned to headquarters was a Negro sergeant, Charles Chalmers of Chicago. He was sent from Camp Atterbury for the summer training period at Camp McCoy.

When a Wisconsin National Guard plane landed at the airport with injured veterans, one of the doctors on

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Shrine in Gala Day Festivities Here This Week

Shrines of the state will be in Des Moines Saturday, Sunday and Labor Day Monday for the Gala Day celebration. The program will start on Saturday at 5 p.m. with a parade at Willkie House, Seventeenth and Crocker streets.

Other features of Saturday will be Creation at Masonic hall, 11th and Center streets, 8 p.m.; and a dance at the Billiken hall, Twelfth

and Center streets, from 9 to 1 a.m. Featured band will be Moon Finney and his Harlem orchestra starring Smokey Smith, sensational trumpet player and vocalist.

Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. the Gala Day service will be held at Corinthian Baptist church, Ninth and School streets.

Sunday at 5 p.m. a matinee hour will be held at Billiken hall. Later that evening at 11 p.m. the dawn dance will begin and continue until 3 o'clock Labor Day morning. Playing for the dance will be Earl Bostic.

Labor Day Monday at 3 p.m. will be boxing at Willkie House, followed by a matinee at 5 p.m. at the Billiken hall.

On Iowa Military District's 'Press-Lift' to See Summer Training At Camp McCoy, Wisc.



The Iowa Military district's annual "press-lift" to visit the summer training of the 103rd Iowa-Minnesota army reserve division last Wednesday and Thursday, included the following (left to right in photo—front

row) Miss Marie Ross, Iowa By-stander's news editor and columnist; Wayne P. Davis, publisher of Seymour (Ia.) Herald; Frank Miles, well known army and American Legion man; Harlan Miller, Des

Moines Register's "Over the Coffee" columnist; (back row) Carl Turk, Register-Tribune news photographer; Robert H. Spiegel, Des Moines Tribune staff writer; Robert Goodwin, civilian aide to the army, and Cap-

tain E. C. Nielson, public information officer of the Iowa Military District. Training activities at Camp McCoy will close on Sept. 6 when the last summer training period ends. (U.S. Army Photo.)

Walter White Calls for Clean-up Fight on All Forms of Race Segregation

Atlanta, Ga.—A call for a clean-up fight on all forms of racial discrimination and segregation was made here, Friday, before the Elks convention by Walter White, secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

Paying tribute to the civil liberties campaign of the Elks over the years and to the progress of the order under the administration of Grand Exalted Ruler Robert Johnson, Mr. White said:

"All of us now should join in one great effort to clean up all remaining discrimination and segregation based upon race and color. The NAACP has announced a ten-year campaign, 1953-1963, to wipe out second-class citizenship so that the 100th anniversary of the Emancipation Proclamation will find no citizens who do not enjoy equality in our democracy. We have launched a 'Fighting Fund for Freedom' to help carry on the campaign and every person and every organization is invited to make a contribution."

White assailed Gov. Herman Tamm for the statement that "blood would flow in rivers" if the Supreme Court ruled public school segregation unconstitutional.

The NAACP secretary said the public school cases to be argued in Washington December 7 are of the "greatest importance" in the whole plan against inequality, and that "not one drop of blood, even from a fist fight has flowed" as a result of Negroes attending state universities with whites in the South, or of integration of public schools in certain states like southern New Jersey, southern Illinois, Indiana, and Arizona.

Survivors include his wife, Irene; two daughters, Miss Patricia Johnson and Mrs. Nadine Veasley, both of Des Moines; three sons, Marvin and Burrell, both of Des Moines, and Rudolph, Los Angeles, Cal.; three sisters, Mrs. Ada Bush, Des Moines, Mrs. Mabel James, Chicago, Ill., and Mrs. Ida Jimnick, Braidwood, Ill.; and one brother, Oscar, Venice, Cal.

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Oddly enough, the circumstances surrounding the cases of the brothers are almost identical. Cornelius was alleged by his wife to have threatened and beaten her and broken up the furniture during an argument.

Assistant County Attorney Luther T. Glanton, Jr., said the charge against Edwin was filed by a "girl friend," Georgia Baker, of 1111 Center street, who claimed "he beat and threatened me and broke up my furniture" early Friday during an argument at her apartment.

Richard Johnson Succumbs At 72

Richard Johnson, 72, of 1408 E. Seventeenth street, died at his home Monday after a long illness. He had been employed as a janitor in a downtown office building.

Mr. Johnson was born at Braidwood, Ill. He was a member of the Bethel AME church.

Survivors include his wife, Irene; two daughters, Miss Patricia Johnson and Mrs. Nadine Veasley, both of Des Moines; three sons, Marvin and Burrell, both of Des Moines, and Rudolph, Los Angeles, Cal.; three sisters, Mrs. Ada Bush, Des Moines, Mrs. Mabel James, Chicago, Ill., and Mrs. Ida Jimnick, Braidwood, Ill.; and one brother, Oscar, Venice, Cal.

Jail Brother Of Man Who Leaped

Edwin F. McKay, 48, of 847 Fifteenth street, brother of Cornelius McKay, 37, who leaped from a second-floor window Aug. 15, was sentenced to seven days in jail by Municipal Judge Harry B. Grund last Friday afternoon.

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Services Held For Nathaniel Burrell

Services were held Monday at the Estes & Son Funeral home for Nathaniel Burrell, 68, of 1026 Fourteenth street. Burial was in Glendale cemetery.

Mr. Burrell died August 28 at Bronck-laws General hospital after an illness of five days.

Born at Trenton, Mo., he had lived at Cedar Rapids before moving here three years ago. He was a retired porter.

Survivors include an aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Williams, and an uncle, T. C. Burrell, both of Des Moines.

Holiday Monday

Labor Day Holiday Monday. Phone your vacation items into the office Friday and Saturday of this week.

The office of the Iowa By-stander will be closed Monday. Get your church, club and vacation news items into the office as early as possible before Tuesday noon.

D.M. Interracial Commission To Hear Miss Burke

The Des Moines Interracial Commission will meet Tuesday, Sept. 8 in the Bishop's Cafeteria's private dining room.

Miss Mattie Burke, former member of the Des Moines Commission will tell her work for the past three years in the children's library of the Brownsville branch of the Brooklyn public library.

Members of the commission will share their vacation experiences.

The board will meet at 5:30 p.m. and the dinner meeting will begin at 6 p.m.

Cornelius jumped out the window while Baliff Herschel Hubbard was at a desk making notations of the arraignment on his arrest bulletin.

Company Refused to Hear Arguments on How Other Cities Ended Hiring Bias

Washington, D. C. (CNS) The Capital Transit Company said most emphatically last week that it will continue to maintain its anti-Negro policy in hiring bus drivers and street car motormen.

The company aired its decision at a District Public Utilities rate hearing at which time it was seeking an increase in its fare to 20 cents plus a higher token fare. It said it is refusing to hire Negroes because "a serious consequence among our white workers would result—including protests, mass resignations and possibly-organized strike."

According to Capital Transit's Personnel Director, J. Godfrey Butler, at least 200 of its 2,300 drivers would quit if Negroes were hired.

Would Benefit

Distinguished Negroes—mostly from Howard University—at the hearing, answered the company spokesmen with this argument: that if Negroes were hired, white drivers would not need to be paid so much in overtime and then the company wouldn't need a fare increase. Thus all Washington users of the transit system would benefit.

NAACP Branch Seeks 28 To Reach Quota

The Des Moines branch of the NAACP has obtained 972 members of its 1,000 quota. The president, William L. Bell, asks all persons to assist in soliciting the remaining 28 to reach the quota.

The branch will open the regular monthly fall and winter meetings September 22. Every fourth Tuesday of each month is meeting night.

Here the company stubbornly re-torted that hiring Negroes would increase rather than reduce its overtime payments because white drivers would quit and it would be short staffed. Moreover, the company refused to be moved by arguments on how other cities as Los Angeles, San Francisco, Chicago, Boston, Philadelphia, Syracuse, Cleveland, Toledo, Tulsa, Portland, Buffalo had ended their discrimination against hiring Negroes.

Howard University professor pointed out how discrimination was ended in the eating places of Washington and the National Theater without any mass protests which were supposed to have materialized.

The local transit workers' union sided with management on its anti-Negro policy. Said President Walter J. Bierwagen, the company seems to be operating at an "optimum" overtime rate now, so that if it hired more workers, it would have them idle part of the time and that would greatly increase its cost. Here Dr. Walker showed that this overtime argument was the same one used in Indianapolis and it was overturned by the Public Utilities Commission as "unsound."

Officers will be elected in November. The nominating committee is elected in October.

The branch is preparing now to have a radio hour program each week. Connie R. Ahern is chairman. Persons serving on the radio committee will be announced later.

Annual reports must be prepared for November and will be given at the November meeting.

If you have a membership, phone 4-8523. The assistant secretary will call for it. Activities for the state NAACP will begin in October. The meeting will be held in Des Moines.

Iowa-Buxton Club Planning For 3,000 Visitors Here To Homecoming Celebration

Out-of-town guests began arriving in Des Moines during the week end for the annual Iowa-Buxton Club's homecoming celebration and picnic to be held Saturday at Club 100 and Sunday at Union Park.

Directing this year's athletic program will be John M. Estes, mortician, who has planned ball games, checker contests, races and other features to which the public is invited.

This year's homecoming celebration committee is expecting 3,000 guests at the picnic on Sunday afternoon. Activities will begin at 2:15 o'clock at the park, where long rows of tables will be set for the pick-nickers.

Saturday night the club will give a homecoming dance for the guests and the public at Club 100.

General chairman of the celebration is Mrs. Rose Brooks.



JOHN M. ESTES

Chairman of the athletic program of the Iowa-Buxton club's annual homecoming picnic Sunday afternoon at Union park, is John M. Estes, 811 Fourteenth street, mortician.



MRS. ROSE BROOKS

General chairman of the Iowa-Buxton club's homecoming celebration and picnic is Mrs. Rose Brooks, 1303 Crocker street.

Among The Iowan In The 103rd Army Reserve Division At Camp McCoy's Summer Training



Last Wednesday and Thursday when the Iowa Military District's "press-lift" visited the summer army reserve training of the 103rd infantry division at Camp McCoy, Wisc., the Iowa Bystander's representative, Marie Ross, went out with camera to look for some of the integration that is taking place in military units.

Pictures show some Des Moines men, who until this year were members of an all-Negro army reserve unit; and, men from other parts of the country.

Top Row—(left to right) First Lt. Houston D. Snowden of the Medical

Service-Corps, one of the ambulance doctors to meet a hospital plane (shown as it landed in picture below with sick veterans). (Center) First Lt. Norman Lintz of Ottumwa, Ia., serving as an assistant mess officer for A-Division mess. He came out of the mess hall and posed beside a waiting jeep. His work is mostly inspection, he said. Lintz in civilian life is a government meat inspector at the Morrell Packing plant in Ottumwa. (Top right) In the Provost-Marshal's office was 2nd Lt. Robert A. Wright of Des Moines, who is serving as an infantry officer attached to the 103rd military police. During his two weeks training which ends Sept. 6, he has been handling traffic problems. Last Wednesday, he and another M.P. officer were busy cutting the lawn around the M.P. building, getting ready for 200 visitors to arrive at the camp on last Friday. The wives were week end guests of their husbands. In the jeep

is a white M.P. member of the staff. Wright is a member of the Des Moines police department.

Center Row—In front of air force plane which took the Iowans to Camp McCoy is Sgt. Eugene Davis of Des Moines, flight mechanic attached to the airport. The next group shows headquarters and barracks of the 103rd infantry division. Men in the pictures are (seated) an officer checking laundry finances; (standing) Capt. Bill Morgan of Des Moines Post Information officer in the headquarters who kept the press group on its tour of the camp. In civilian life he is a news announcer at Radio Station WHO. (Seated right) Sgt. First Class R. J. Nichols was busy at duties as a motor sergeant in the 103rd infantry division

headquarters. In the big army truck that carries supplies and men about the camp, is Pvt. Everett T. Snowden of Minneapolis, Minn., a regular army man, from Camp Atterbury, Indiana.

Bottom Row—Boarding the Post bus for the airport to return to Des Moines is Post Information Officer Morgan assisting the press people, followed by Wayne C. Davis, publisher of the Seymour (Ia.) Herald. Standing in front of an army plane at the airport, are Register and Tribune men Robert Spiegel and Carl Turk with Roger Ertel in straw hat. In the next group a couple of Iowans watch the take-off of the camp's helicopter.

Waiting to board the plane back to Des Moines is Marie Ross, who was photographed by Flight Mechanic Davis. (Story Page One)

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON SPECIAL EXECUTION

District Court of Polk County, Iowa

STATE OF IOWA,) ss.
Polk County

HOMESTEAD SECURITIES, INC.

VERSUS

JACK J. FORD, JR., LEONA C. FORD, RAY DEBOR and severally.

AND LEE PAGANO

BY VIRTUE OF A SPECIAL EXECUTION TO ME DIRECTED, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, in favor of Homestead Securities, Inc., and against Jack J. Ford and Leona C. Ford, on a judgment rendered by said court on the 29th day of July A. D. 1953, wherein it was ordered, adjudged and decreed that the following described property be sold to satisfy said judgment to-wit:

EXHIBIT

EQUIPMENT—EL RANCHO DRIVE IN

1 Jordan ranch in refrigerator 35 cu. ft.

1 Richardson (Kala) Root Beer Keg

24 Doz. 10 oz. Root Beer Steins

6 Doz. 3/4 oz. Root Beer Steins

1 No. 6109 Straw holder

1 Horseshoe corner, 20 ft.

6 Stools

1 Kitchen work table

1 Grease can with exhaust fan

1 Large sandwich knife

1 Knife, steel

6 6x8 SS refrigerator pans with lids

2 Grill spatulas

2 Meat forks

2 Porcelain spoons (steak table)

1 Doz. potato peelers

1 SS milk ladle

6 Sugar shakers

24 Salt and Pepper shakers

4 Dexter salad knives

1 LeCrosse sling (80)

1 No. 100 Marsten Steam table with bun warmer

1 16 oz. Presto cooker (National)

2 C-12H Electric coffee stoves (complete)

1 Bloomfield potato cutter

40 Traco curb service trays

2 No. 16 skillets

6 No. 2000 Enamel trays

6 12x20 Enamel trays

2 No. 16 skillets

1 Gross SS tea spoons

1 No. 35 Stock pot

3 No. 200 counter racks

3 SS Napkin holders

1 Doz. SS forks

2 Big Stinky fly traps

1 Doz. Blue Victor coffee cups

1 Straw broom

1 14" push broom

10" deck brush

6 KYS ITC serving trays

4 Doz. SS Sundae dish holders

1 SS Paper Cup dispenser

3 Malted milk cans

1 20 gal. garbage can

10 gal. garbage can

3 Tall waste paper cans (white)

1 Mop with two heads

1 No. 4 Mop press

1 Mop

1 Doz. SS ice tea spoons

1 No. 989 chicken fryers

4 No. 214 Drip cut cream pitchers

3 Solar self closing waste paper cans

1 Swing a way can opener

2 Malt powder dispensers

2 Doz. No. 715 plate chicken baskets

Misc. office equipment and supplies

Misc. pots, pans, and buckets

2 No. 101K3 Hotpoint Fryers

1 SS Steam table pot with lid

1 Used Remington cash register

NOW, THEREFORE, public notice is hereby given that unless the said defendants appear at my office in Des Moines, on or before the 30th day of September A. D. 1953, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, the said property described above shall be sold to satisfy the amount of said judgment, with interest and costs, I will sell said property, or sufficient thereof to satisfy said Execution, with interest and costs, at public outcry to the highest bidder, at 2742 Hubbell Ave., in Des Moines, Iowa, for cash in hand to pay off said Execution. Sheriff's Office, Des Moines, Iowa.

TOM REILLY
Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa
By REX L. DAVIS,
Deputy

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very kind. I enjoyed the spiritual uplift.

—Mrs. Mary Frances Ashley,
1227 Laurel street.

West Des Moines

Rev. L. G. Garrett had Rev. Frank Clark as guest speaker last Sunday morning. The pastor preached Sunday night. The Dixon Wonders and the True Lites gave a musical program.

Miss Rose LaMay of St. Paul, Minn., was a visitor.

The Rev. C. C. Harper of Waco, Texas, will start a revival series at First Baptist Oct. 19.

Among the sick of the church are Mother Gillie Reed, Mrs. Stella McCurran of the Harmonette Singers.

Wilbur Cherry who visited last year with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Love, 124 Ninth street, West Des Moines, is back with his parents in Chicago, Ill.

Perry, Iowa

By LEON A. WARRELL

Perry, Ia.—Bethel Baptist church school meets at 10 a.m. Services are in the pulpit. The Rev. Edward Brown of Humboldt, Kas., delivered the Woman's Day sermon. Mrs. Mazie Allen, program committee chairman, presided. The Bethel chorus sang, directed by Mrs. E. Johnson. Special numbers were sung by Leon Warrell, and visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Knight of Omaha. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stewart of Kansas City.

Mrs. Effie Griffith is sick. The Boys' club held its first meeting at Bethel Baptist church with Jack Johnson as supervisor.

Sunday afternoon Melick Temple AME Zion church held Women's Day program. Mrs. Horace Lewis gave readings. Mrs. Frealy Garrison was lay speaker. Mrs. Opal Smith read the scripture. Musical numbers were

by the Church of God in Christ's group, accompanied by Mrs. Lavan Davis. Mrs. Ella Moore presided.

Rev. Edward Brown left Monday for his home in Humboldt, Kas., after several visits in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Mose Barnes, and the Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Rose of Moran.

Choir rehearsal was Thursday evening The Young People's club met in Moran at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lowery. Fred Oscars is president.

IOWA'S 97 MINES
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Besides producing the nation's first billion-dollar corn crop in 1952, Iowa's rich, black soil also "grew" a crop of 1,410,259 tons of coal.

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To A. C. ALLEN, person in whose name property below described is taxed.

You are hereby notified that on December 2nd, A. D. 1952, the following described real estate situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

Lot 737, Four Mile.

was sold at an adjourned Tax Sale, by the Treasurer of said County to Howard Nichols, Jr., for the then delinquent and unpaid taxes of the years 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952 and 1953.

Howard Nichols, Jr., is now the legal owner and holder of the certificate of purchase issued pursuant to the above mentioned sale, and that the right of redemption will expire and that for the said real estate will be made from said sale within ninety days from the completed service herof.

Dated August 31, 1953.

HOWARD NICHOLS, JR.

Owner and holder of certificate.

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To PAUL J. and DAISY L. GERBERING, person in whose name property below described is taxed.

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Lot 4 and 64, Elmwood Park was sold at an adjourned Tax Sale, by the Treasurer of said County to Howard Nichols, Jr., for the then delinquent and unpaid taxes of the years 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952 and 1953.

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To BETTIE MAE GORRITY, person in whose name property below described is taxed.

You are hereby notified that on December 2nd, A. D. 1952, the following described real estate situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

Lots 4 and 8, Block 9 Central Place was sold at an adjourned Tax Sale, by the Treasurer of said County to Howard Nichols, Jr., for the then delinquent and unpaid taxes of the years 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952 and 1953.

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Visitors To YMCA Camp See Crocker Branch Boys In Many Activities



Cameraman Bill Ashby paid a visit to the YMCA camp at Boone, Ia., on the recent visitors day of the Crocker Branch period where one of the largest number of visitors came for the annual event.

In the top row the groups of pictures are (left to right) Chapel Point where boys were in Sunday morning worship at the outdoor chapel. Ninety boys and leaders from Crocker branch attended. Conducting services are Vernon Sims, James

Thomas and Roland Carter. The S. Joe Brown Memorial Cabin (center photo) is the first picture of the completed cabin since its dedication in July 1952. Leaders use the cabin for recreation and consultation. In the group is the family of Johnny Williams, secretary of the Hawkeye Eks lodge of Des Moines, who brought baskets and had a picnic on the lawn.

Drinking at the water fountain is Rev. J. Q. Evans of Des Moines, who

addressed the campers at the Sunday morning chapel, on the subject, "The Golden Age of Youth."

(Right) Some of the campers are shown in front of their cabin. In the group—first row—are: Daniel Cannon, Edward Carter, Carl Taylor; (second row) Irvin Miller, Charles Pettit, Howard Kennedy; (back row) Noah Nichols and James Clark.

Around the visitors table (top right photo) are Vernon Sims, Alfred Edwards, Rev. Luther Smith, and at

the head of the table, Ralph Carlson, assistant general YMCA secretary; Floyd Dixon, executive secretary of the Crocker Branch; Rev. Mr. Evans, and A. P. Trotter, chairman of the Crocker board of management.

at the right (center) photo is another group of campers—first row—Robert Wheels, Lawrence Jones, Larry Murray, Gerald Murray, Frederick Edwards; (back row) Johnny Jones, Leonard Sharp and Roger Massey.

Bottom—right—shows some of the visitors—Phyllis Carr, daughter of Harold Carr, one of the YMCA board members; Alfred Edwards, president of the Omega Phi Psi fraternity, on an inspection tour of the camp, after his recent two-weeks reserve training duty at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. (Photos by Bill Ashby).

Mesdames Browning And Harris of Coos Bay, Ore., Visit Here

Mrs. J. G. Browning and Mrs. Alice Harris of Coos Bay, Oregon, left Tuesday after a week-end visit with Mrs. Lucy Lawrence, 936 Tenth street. Mrs. Browning is cousin of Mrs. Lawrence.

The visitors and their hostess were honored at Monday morning breakfast by Mrs. Lillian Rollen.

MRS. THELMA CLARK BACK FROM DENVER

Mrs. Thelma Clark of 1114 Tenth street returned Friday from Denver, Colo., where she spent ten days

Shrine's Dawn Dance Sept. 6-7



EARL BOSTIC

Earl Bostic, acclaimed the Alto Sax King, and his orchestra, will be featured entertainers at the Dawn Dance given beginning Sunday night, Sept. 6, at 11 p.m. through Labor Day Monday, at 3 a.m.

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Bostic is a great instrumentalist, arranger and composer. His latest composition, "September," is one of the nation's top juke box favorites.

The dawn dance is one of the features of the Shrine's Gala Day celebration which will be held Sept. 5, 6 and 7.

MASON CITY, IOWA

Mason City, Ia.—St. John's Baptist Sunday school was well attended. Miss Janice Burrell presided. Rev. C. M. Williams shared his pulpit with James Austin of the Church of God in Christ. Visitors were Mrs. Walter Davis, Mrs. P. L. Scott, Rev. and Mrs. Jordan Ray of the Union Memorial church of the city; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Douglas, Mrs. Lula Douglas, Mrs. Anna Britton of the New Bethel Baptist church of Manly; and Frank Bailey, Jr., of Des Moines, Ia.

The Missionary society of the St. John's served a fellowship dinner to over 100 persons after morning worship.

For the afternoon service 50 Floridians from Crystal Lake, Ia., motored to Mason City to help bring the program at 3 p.m. The Florida Gospel Travelers featured Mr. Robert Franklin. A special number was from Miss Lorraine Jeffries of the city and a reading was from Mrs. Sylvia Smith of Crystal Lake. Rev. Ray read the scriptures; Rev. B. F. Parker gave the invocation and Rev. O. E. Blank's message was "What will you do with Christ?"

August 21 the order of the Eastern Stars No. 18 gave a surprise party honoring Mrs. Lena Johnson of the city.

Robert and Raymond Kimball visited the past 2 weeks at the McFarlin home. Frank Bailey, Jr., has visited the past 3 weeks at the home of his uncle, Rev. G. M. Williams. Gladys Williams is visiting her

grandparents in Des Moines, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cavil. Jerry Rhem is residing at the John T. Rhem home and is attending Grant school. Mr. Louis Kipper and son, Roger, and daughter, Veda Jean, visited in Minneapolis.

A baby girl was born Aug. 22 to Mr. and Mrs. Willie C. Turner. Ruth Burrell and Barbara Jackson will leave the city Sept. 5 for Sioux City and Cynthia Martin will leave for Des Moines also to begin their nurses training in the Mercy hospitals in the said cities.

Virginia Burrell and Wilma Lyghter attended the Iowa Baptist camp

at Lake Ahquabi.

School started Monday Aug. 31. New pupils to start in kindergarten at Grant school this term are: John Rhem, Jr., Clarence Turner, Joe Coty, Richard Braugh and Stanley Williams.

Mr. Olie Higbee died Saturday at the Rest Haven Nursing Home. Funeral service was Tuesday at the Patterson James parlor with Rev. G. M. Williams officiating. Mr. Higbee is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ella Higbee; his sons, Lydia Greenup at bee, of the city.

Mercy hospital; Mrs. B. Alford and Mrs. Corrine Reeves in the Good

Samaritan home; and Mrs. Maggie Golden at her residence.

Rev. and Mrs. Williams and family will leave the city for Des Moines Thursday where the children will visit with relatives. They will join Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Fields to motor to Miami, Fla., for the National Baptist convention.

Mrs. G. B. Ashford will leave Friday afternoon for Des Moines where she will join Mrs. A. McFee of Omaha, Neb., Mrs. Jessie Bell Davis, and Mrs. Roberta Frazier to journey to Miami, to the convention.

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ST. PAUL A. M. E. CHURCH NOTES

The Rev. John E. Hunter, pastor, and delegates from the church are attending annual A. M. E. conference in Council Bluffs, Ia., this week.
Rev. Samuel Patterson of Chicago, will be presented in a song and organ recital of gospel music at St. Paul A. M. E. church, Sunday afternoon, Sept. 13, at 3 o'clock.

Sept. 20, 3:30 p.m. the young people's choir of St. James A. M. E. church, St. Paul, Minn., will be presented in a concert at St. Paul church here. The young people's choir will be guests of the St. Paul youth choir.

Sunday morning, Sept. 6, Rev. Felix Dickinson will preach the 11 o'clock sermon.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

"Something Worth Knowing" was the subject of the Rev. G. E. Sanders' sermon. He was guest speaker last Sunday morning. The Rev. Mr. Sanders is the pastor of churches at Canton, Mo., and La Grange, Mo. Mt. Olive Junior choir sang. The pastor, Rev. H. R. Fields, preached Sunday night on the theme, "Christ Is the Door." Music was by the senior choir.

Rev. and Mrs. Fields left Thursday for Miami, Fla., to attend the National Baptist convention. They will visit in Jacksonville, Fla., with his brother before going to Miami. Rev. and Mrs. G. Williams of St. John Baptist church of Mason City, will accompany them.

Rev. A. C. Crawford will preach Sunday morning at Mt. Olive.

The following members returned recently from vacations: Miss Sue Smart, Mr. and Mrs. C. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. S. Watson, Mrs. E. Atkins and daughter, Miss Wilma Atkins, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bailey.

Last Sunday visitors were: Mr. F. Gibbons of Vanadilla, Mo., a nephew of Mrs. Edith Essex; Mr. Taylor, Mr. F. Small, Mrs. Mash and daughter, Mrs. T. Brown, Mrs. A. Jackson, Mrs. B. Neff, Mrs. E. Phillips and son of Ft. Bragg, N. C.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, Sept. 6, 11 a.m. service the Lord's Supper will be given. At 8 p.m. a guest minister will speak. The Improvement club will meet Friday evening at the church. Rev. and Mrs. George Parish will leave Sunday evening to attend the National Baptist convention in Miami, Florida.

Among the sick and shut-ins are: Mesdames Lora Warden, L. Ousley and Fannie Cox.

COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Services Sunday were in charge of Evangelist Lucy Fountain. Visitors included Missionary Bessie Guinn and Rev. Carl Saunders who spoke;

Pilgrim Missionary Baptist Church
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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.

Maple Street Baptist Church
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REV. C. E. FARISH, Minister, 6-8910
Sunday School: 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship: 11:00 A. M.
Bible Class: 8:30 P. M.
Evening Service: 7:30 P. M.
Prayer Service: Wed., 8 P. M.

Cleveland Avenue Nazarene Church
1738 Cleveland at Stewart Street
Rev. and Mrs. Henry Ellis, Pastors
Sunday School: 10:30 A. M.
Church Service: 11:00 A. M.
Evangelistic Service: 8:00 P. M.
Wednesday: Come One, Come All.

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REV. SEYMOUR GAINES, Pastor
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Morning Worship: 11:00 A. M.
Evening Service: 7:45 P. M.
Prayer Service Wednesday: 7:45 P. M.

and Mr. M. Smallwood. Afternoon services were held in Moran, Ia., by Rev. Elric Fountain. The Mother Board met at the home of Corene Jackson, 619 S. E. Maury street Tuesday. Wednesday evening is prayer meeting and Bible study. Sunday, Sept. 6, is Pastor's Day.

St. John Day At Willkie House

The Blue Lodge Masons will observe the third annual Prince Hall Day, Sunday, Sept. 13, 3 p.m., at Willkie House. Other Masonic branches will participate.

The Travis Bailey Families Visit In Minnesota, Wisconsin

Mr. and Mrs. Travis C. Bailey and children, Travette, Edward Vance and Jeanette of Minneapolis, Minn., spent last week in the city visiting relatives.

Mr. Bailey came to take his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bailey of 825 Tenth street, on a vacation and sight-seeing motor trip through Minnesota and Wisconsin.

In Minnesota the vacationers took boats at Taylor Falls; sailed on the Croix river which runs into the Mississippi; marvelled at some of the rock-carvings—"Devil's Chair," "Pulpit Rock"; enjoyed the cool breezes in the glaciers.

Mrs. Bailey recalled the story of "Hiawatha" from her school days, when she saw the Falls of Minnehaha, she said.

At the Bailey home here, while the family was away, Miss Kathryn Ann Bailey of Minneapolis, Minn., who spent a week of her vacation.

NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

Elder J. C. Thompson preached Sunday morning and Elder J. Pullen at the evening service. Elder Samuel Patterson of the East University Church is sponsoring a musical program Sunday at 3 p.m. Rev. M. W. Goodman is the pastor.

MRS. JESSYE BELL DAVIS TO FLORIDA

Mrs. Jessye Bell-Davis, state director of the Baptist Youth Department State convention, will leave Sept. 6, for Miami, Fla. She will attend the youth department of the National Baptist Convention. Accompanying her will be Mrs. Genevieve Ashford, president of the women's convention; Mrs. Estella McFee of Omaha, Neb., vice presi-

To Open Revival



EVANGELIST CROWLEY

Evangelist Alelia E. Crowley, well known evangelist, will conduct a revival meeting starting Sunday, Sept. 6, at the Gospel Temple Church of All Nations, 1712 E. Twenty-Third street.

Assisting her will be Rev. Maude Davidson and co-workers. The meetings will begin at 7:45 o'clock nightly.

HAND OF LOVE CLUB HAS ANNUAL LAWN PICNIC

The Hands of Love club held its annual lawn picnic last Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Cogswell, 2056 Lyon street.

Each member of the club invited her husband or a guest at the picnic.

MR. AND MRS. HAROLD LEWIS OF DETROIT EXTEND COURTESIES

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lewis of Detroit, Mich., spent the past week here visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Lewis was the house guest of Mrs. Agnes Matthews, 1125 Tenth street, while Mr. Lewis was guest in the home of Mr. L. H. Fowler, 1710 Walker street.

While here the couple were honored at a party celebrating their seventeenth wedding anniversary at the home of Mrs. Matthews. Other courtesies were extended them by Mrs. Archie Martin, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Green and Mrs. Catherine Atkinson. The Lewises left the city last Sunday, accompanied by Mrs. Matthews.

dent; and Mrs. Roberta Frazier, district president.

Called to Omaha
Mrs. Jessye Bell Davis was called to Omaha, Neb., Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Elsie Bell, who was assistant director of Baptist youth department of the Iowa State convention.

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33rd Annual A. M. E. Conference In Council Bluffs

The 33rd session of the annual A. M. E. conference of the Fourth Episcopal district opened Tuesday in Council Bluffs, Ia., with Bishop George W. Baber of Detroit, Mich., presiding. The session will close Sunday, Sept. 6.

The missionary meeting convened Tuesday and Wednesday. Mrs. Mabel M. Mason of St. Paul A. M. E. church, Des Moines, is a delegate.

Ministers from Des Moines attending are the Rev. J. E. Hunter, pastor of St. Paul A. M. E. church, and Rev. Cecil Duke, pastor of Bethel church, and the Rev. W. H. Ogletton, presiding elder of the Des Moines district.

Mrs. Guy E. Greene is a lay delegate to the conference, and Mrs. Samuel C. Miller, alternate, from St. Paul church.

The Rev. Theodore Hudson, pastor of Bethel A. M. E. church in Council Bluffs, is host.

Appointments will be made by Bishop Baber at the closing meeting Sunday.

BETHEL CHILDREN BACK FROM N. C.

The three Bethel children, Jennifer, Brenda and Carroll, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. James N. Bethel, 1119 Twelfth street, and grandchildren of Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Smith, have returned from Winston Salem, N. C., where they spent their vacation. They were accompanied by Mrs. Mamie Doggett of Winston Salem, an aunt of Mr. Bethel.

MR. AND MRS. GARLAND HAYNES OF CHICAGO VISIT KIN HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Haynes, of Chicago, Ill., were recent house guests of their son and daughter-in-law and family, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hayes, Jr., of 1430 Second St. place. This was the Chicagoans first visit with their third grandson, Craig Cooper Haynes, 16 months.

During their visit Mr. and Mrs. Haynes were guests at an outdoor breakfast at McRae park with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jefferson as hosts. The visitors renewed old acquaintances, Mr. Haynes, Sr., is a former resident of Des Moines.

Council To Meet At Kyles Sept. 6

The Mothers, Stewardesses and Deaconesses Council will meet Sunday, Sept. 6, 2:30 p.m. at Kyles A. M. E. church.

Rev. O. Freeman, pastor of the First C. M. E. church will be the speaker. His choir will sing.

Fort Dodge, Iowa

BY C. L. HOUSE

Fort Dodge, Iowa.—Coppin Chapel A. M. E. church, 151 Central Ave., Rev. LeRoy Patterson, pastor: Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Next topic, "The Christian's Use of Possessions." Mrs. Lillian Lewis is superintendent. Morning services at 11:30 o'clock.

Second Baptist church, Rev. Wm. Scott, pastor: Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Mrs. Irene Fox, superintendent. Morning worship at 11:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Lily Walker and daughter, Mrs. Mell Wiley of Youngstown, Ohio, spent two weeks here the house guests of Mrs. Malissa Howard. Mrs. Walker is Mrs. Howard's aunt and Mrs. Wiley, her cousin. Among the social courtesies shown the Ohioans was a dinner given in their honor by Mrs. Lillian Lewis.

Mrs. Reva Diggs of Des Moines spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Cecelia Peaks. Mrs. Peaks is on the sick list. Mrs. Willa Mae Horn is reported ill.

Mr. Claude Buckner has returned home from visiting in Waterloo, Ia.

Rev. LeRoy Patterson, pastor of Coppin Chapel A. M. E. church, is attending the annual conference at Council Bluffs, Iowa.

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Ronald is our Fort Dodge agent for the Bystander, and now that he is back, will be looking up all of his customers this week, he said. Tell your friends that Ronald, the Bystander agent, is back on the job again. He is now attending senior high school, his first year there.

Interracial Group
The Fort Dodge Interracial Commission met Sunday, August 30, at the "Y" to open the 1953-54 business and program sessions for the fall and winter. Harry C. Meiwether is the president of the local civic organization.

Avenue Gets New Look
The city has resurfaced and black-topped Central avenue and some of the adjacent side streets. Good credit to the city fathers.

See Ronald for your Bystander paper—10 cents.

Blessed Event
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gates, 1019 Third street, S. W., are the proud parents of a baby boy born August 23 at 11:16 p.m. at Lutheran hospital. The baby was named for his father, Walter Linn Gates, Jr. Mrs. Gates is the former Miss Jeanette Patterson, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. LeRoy Patterson. Mother and baby are doing fine.

Prince Hall Day Sept. 6
Solomon Lodge No. 45 F. & A. M. will hold its annual Masonic Matinee Sunday, Sept. 6, at the Elks rest in

observance of Prince Hall Day with the Golden Star Chapter playing host. This being one of the affairs where the ladies can wear that evening gown that has been hanging in closet so long. Your truly has been invited to participate in the program.

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The W. C. Buices
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Trip To Arkansas

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Buice, 1070 Seventeenth street, returned Tuesday from a 16-day motor trip to Conway, Little Rock and Hot Springs, Ark., and Texarkana, Texas. They also visited in Kansas City, Kas., with Mr. and Mrs. Owen Shumate.

In Hot Springs the Buices were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Stevenson, parents of Mrs. Luther Glanton of Des Moines. Attorney and Mrs. Glanton were visiting in Hot Springs at the time.

They attended a recognition service of Mr. Stevenson who had ended 21 years of work at the government bath house in Hot Springs. The service was held at the Roanoke Baptist church.

The Buices also visited his sister, Mrs. Hattie Loper who is ill, and Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones and daughter, Mrs. Jones, niece of Mr. Buice, was the first Negro graduate of the University of Arkansas. She is the former Edith Irby.

Mrs. Buice is returning to Hot Springs Friday to be with Mrs. Loper who is ill.

Birthday Dinner
To Honor Mrs.
Zeora Butler

An out-of-doors birthday dinner was given Wednesday, August 26, at 6:30 p.m., in honor of Mrs. Zeora Butler, 1235 East Sixteenth street, on the patio of her home.

Sharing the courtesy were her sister, Mrs. Amie Dysart and daughter, Barbara, of Los Angeles, Cal., Mrs. Mattie P. Payne of San Bernardino, Calif., and the family of Mrs. Butler, who received many gifts.

Mrs. Parker And
Miss Tyler Visit
In Mason City

Mrs. Rufus Parker and cousin, Miss Mamie O. Tyler, who is a teacher in the high school in Jonesboro, Ark., spent a short vacation visiting Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Warren in Mason City. While there they attended the Methodist Episcopal church of which Mrs. Parker was a former member over twenty years ago.

A sight-seeing trip for them included a visit to the Little Brown Church in the Vale at Nashua, Ia., Clear Lake and other points in Minnesota.

Miss Tyler received her degree at Drake university last Friday. She left Saturday to return to Arkansas to resume her teaching.

THE BEN STEELES AND
THE C. ADAMS VISIT
IN MOBERLY, MISSOURI

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Steele of 1622 Maple street, and granddaughter, Roxanne Jean Duke motored to Moberly, Mo., last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Adams, 1610 Walker street, to visit friends and relatives.

While there they were guests of Mrs. Olive White and Mrs. Grayce Kaiser and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Johnson. There they met other relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carr of Springfield, Ill.

THE H. P. JOHNSONS
OF CLEVELAND VISIT
RELATIVES HERE

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Johnson have returned to Cleveland, Ohio, after a ten-day vacation here with their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Scott, 981 Twenty-fourth street, and sister, Mrs. Hattie Perkins, 1078 Fourteenth street.

THE G. K. WASHINGTON
FAMILY OF GARY, IND.,
RECENT VISITORS HERE

Recent house guests of Atty. and Mrs. James B. Morris, and Atty. and Mrs. Brad Morris, Jr., of 955 Seventeenth street, were Dr. and Mrs. G. K. Washington, and son, G. K., Jr., and daughter, Mary Claire, who left Sunday for their home in Gary, Ind.

Mrs. Washington, the former Jean Mary Morris of Des Moines, and children, visited with parents and relatives here while Dr. Washington went on a fishing trip to Red Lake Ontario, Canada, with her brother, Brad, and a party of fishermen from Des Moines.

Labor Day Holiday

Labor Day Holiday Monday. Get your church, club and news items into the office Friday and Saturday of this week; or early Tuesday morning.

Miss Tywater's Engagement Announced



MISS ROSETTA VERLENE TYWATER

The engagement of Miss Rosetta Verlene Tywater and Mr. Sylvester David Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Gilbert, 1253 Stewart street, was announced to guests at a dinner party given August 28, by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Tywater, 2570 Maury street.

Miss Tywater is a graduate of East High school and is a member of the Shiloh Baptist church, the junior and senior choirs of the church. She is secretary of Shiloh's Sunday School and president of the church's Red Circle girls.

Miss Tywater is employed as a

stenographer by the department of Social Welfare at the State Office building.

Mr. Green, also a graduate of East High school, is a member of Bethel AME church. He is employed by the New Monarch Machine company.

several of the White Sox ball games.

Mr. Campbell is back on his job at the Meredith Publishing company.

MRS. M. McCracken
VISITS IN CANADA
AND MINNESOTA

Mrs. Margaret McCracken, 1050 Sixteenth street, has returned home after a two-week vacation at the Martin Camp in Minnask, Canada. She also visited and shopped in Kenora and Winnipeg, Canada; and, on her return trip spent several days in Minneapolis, Minn., as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crowder.

Indians living in homes on hillsides, Brad was relating this week. "Everyone was very nice and told us that we are in Canada now and there would be no racial discriminations," Brad said but noted that the Indians did not fare very well there.

"The scenery was beautiful, weather perfect, except too hot for fishing. We got Northerns weighing from five to seven pounds and Wall-eyes from 3 to five pounds, caught a lot of fish and shipped some home," the young attorney said.

Attorney Morris said they stopped to take color movies of an Indian squaw and with her papoose on her back. The Indian women threw up their hands, at first thinking that they were in danger, then after the men showed them that they had cameras and no guns, the Indians were very cooperative, Brad said.

Dr. Washington, brother-in-law of Brad, took color movies of the whole trip.

Well, all during the summer I have been just wishing for some kind of an exciting trip as I sweltered in the Iowa heat and as cards kept coming from all parts of the country where Iowans were cooling off.

Someone has said that if you keep wishing hard enough—your wish will come true—and sometimes even a miracle can happen—and one really happened to me.

I had been out about the city running down news last Monday afternoon when I returned to my news desk about 5 o'clock. One of the secretaries mentioned before departing for the day that "someone from Fort Des Moines had called to see if someone from the Bystander could fly to Camp McCoy, Wis., with a group of newspaper people." I all but fainted when I asked Secretary McElroy to repeat the message. She gave me the telephone slip and I tried to contact the Iowa Military district, but the offices had closed for the day.

But, deep within my heart, I just knew that the trip was for me—and though I had not contacted the captain in charge, I went home dreaming—and washing and ironing a few pieces—getting ready for the flight. Tuesday I contacted Captain E. C. Nielsen, public information officer of the Iowa Military District, and he welcomed me to make the trip—a press-lift given annually.

The day could not pass swift enough—but there were so many things to be done—getting all of the news copy in, headlines written, layouts made, that there was little time for pondering.

Wednesday morning when I reach-

Mesdames Reeves and Carl Hostesses
At Neighborhood Party For Atlantans

Mrs. Lola Reeves, 1029 Thirteenth street, and Mrs. Charles Carl, 3013 Amherst, were co-hostesses at a get-acquainted-with-your-neighbors party last Friday night at the Carl home, honoring Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson, of 807 Boyd street, newcomers in Highland Park neighborhood.

Honored with the Andersons were her mother and sister, Mrs. Mary Dixon, and Miss Juanita Dixon, both of Atlanta, Ga., who were house guests of the Andersons.

Sharing the courtesy were: Mr. and Mrs. V. K. Ashford, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morrow, Atty. and Mrs.

The Donald Thomas
And M. Carey Of
Detroit Visit Here

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thomas and Mr. McKinley Carey, all of Detroit, Mich., arrived recently to visit relatives and friends. Mrs. Thomas and Mr. Carey are sister and brother of Mrs. H. W. Walden of 3019 Amherst, and Mrs. Ontario Thompson, 1213 Laurel street.

Mrs. Thompson, high school teacher in the Detroit school system, left Monday to resume her school duties. During the summer, she toured Europe, while visiting her son, Lt. Donald Thomas, Jr., and family in Liverpool, England.

Last Friday night at the Walden home, Mrs. Thomas showed some of the color-slide pictures she took in Europe.

Mr. Thomas remained to attend the Iowa-Buxton club's annual homecoming celebration and picnic here Saturday and Sunday.

JOHN HENRY KING
OF K.C. HONORED

Mr. and Mrs. George Williams, 1544 E. University avenue, entertained their nephew, John Henry King of Kansas City, Mo., and friends last week.

MRS. L. B. YARBROUGH
OF NEW YORK CITY
VISITS RELATIVES

Mrs. Lucy Blagburn Yarbrough of New York City is here visiting her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Blagburn, 1133 Tenth street.

ed the National Guard hanger and reported to Captain Neilson, I looked about for some familiar face, thinking, surely, that I would run into one of the many Iowa press women. Everywhere I looked, standing about the building with luggage and cameras, were men. All men. I wiped the perspiration from my face and looked out at the waiting plane—and soon was aboard the army air force's C-47.

The pilot and co-pilot and plane's engineer took their places and we were off on an hour and 45-minute journey to Sparta, Wis., where Camp McCoy is located.

I'm sure we had reached Mason City before I began to look about the plane to eye the other passengers aboard the plane.

Typing furiously at a front table in the plane was Des Moines Register's "Over the Coffee" columnist, Harlan Miller. In other seats were: American Legionnaire Frank Miles, Civilian Aide to the Army Robert Goodwin, Publisher of Seymour (Ia.) Herald Wayne Davis, Register-Tribune News Photographer Carl Turk, and Tribune Staff Writer Robert H. Spiegel.

We landed at Camp McCoy's airport where a colored official photographer of the camp, Cpl. Claude E. Downs of Chicago, Ill., asked the group to pause for a picture. (See front page.)

We covered so much territory on the vast camp, 63,000 acres, and met so many fine men and gentle officers that I'm sure you would rather that I continue my visit in future columns. So until next week.

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MISS RUBY THOMAS

Miss Ruby Thomas of Chicago, Ill., former resident of Des Moines, spent two weeks vacation here the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Virginia Smith and daughter, of 1345 E. Eighteenth street; and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. George Williams, 1544 E. University avenue; Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Eppright of 723 S. E. Twenty-Eighth street.

Miss Thomas was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas, 1248 Thirteenth street, cousins, and a host of her schoolmates and friends.

Kansas Citians Guests
At Ruby Cooper Home

Mrs. Ruby Cooper, 1435 Second place, had as week end guests, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fields and daughters, Mary and Luella, of Kansas City, Mo. They are cousins of Mrs. Cooper who had not seen them in 20 years.

While here they were entertained at a dinner given by other cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gray, 1244 E. 17th court; and, by Mrs. Cooper's daughter, Mrs. Garland Haynes, who gave a waffle breakfast.

During their stay they attended the Iowa State Fair.

MRS. RUTH MOORE
HONORS KANSAN AT
THURSDAY BREAKFAST

Mrs. Ruth Moore was hostess at a breakfast Thursday at her home honoring Mrs. Fawn Wright of Iola, Kas., who is the guest of Mrs. Agnes Eppright.

Sharing the courtesy were: Mrs. Ada Jefferson and Mrs. Bernice Sloan. Mrs. Moore, who returned recently from her vacation on the West Coast, presented her guest with a gift from Tia Juana, Mexico.

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To Leave For Miami



MRS. DOROTHY MANUEL

Mrs. Dorothy Manuel, 1425 Maryland avenue, will leave Friday for Miami, Fla., to spend her vacation and attend the annual session of the National Baptist Convention, which convenes Sept. 8 to 13.

Mrs. Manuel will leave there for Cincinnati, Ohio, to visit her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Jerks, and daughter, Sharon. Mrs. Manuel is a member of Cothran Baptist church and the missionary chorus.

THE WARDELL COYLES
MOTOR TO K.C., MO.

Mr. and Mrs. Wardell Coyle, 779 Tenth street, motored to Kansas City, Mo., during the week end to visit. From there Mrs. Coyle went by train to Oklahoma City to visit a sister, Mrs. Almeda Gates.

Mrs. G. H. Kitchen
Of Columbus, Ga.,
Visits Parents Here

Mrs. G. H. Kitchen of Columbus, Ga., director of the Fifth Avenue Community Center, and wife of Mr. G. H. Kitchen, executive director of the Fifth Ave. USO and YMCA, spent a short visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hughes and brother, H. S. Hughes.

Mrs. Kitchen spent a week attending the Clear Lake Recreation School August 12 to 22.

Mrs. Kitchen who was house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carol DeVan of 720 Boyd street, left Sunday night for her home after receiving many courtesies from friends.

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GOV. BYRNES NEVER QUILTS BEEFING

It is quite apparent that Gov. Byrnes of South Carolina supported President Eisenhower last fall in the hope that the trend toward equality of opportunity for all would be halted. And it is evident that Mr. Eisenhower made no such promise for he has moved in the direction of a president for all people.

Gov. Byrnes' most recent outburst comes over the inclusion in agreements by the government to guarantee loans made by local institutions that there should be no discrimination in employment by the lending agencies.

Just how an American citizen should object to giving employment without discrimination when the funds being used to help pay for services are paid by him is difficult to fathom. And certainly an able man like Byrnes should not be placed in positions of leadership for many people feel that those who honor him approve the things they advocate.

In passing, it may well be remembered that Iowa bankers are called upon to agree to the same nondiscrimination clause, thus qualified Negroes should apply for jobs at some of their banks and loan companies. And while no experienced help in the higher brackets are available, yet stenographers, clerks and bookkeepers are used in their institutions.

SCHOOL BELLS RING FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

September brings the opening of schools—many going for the first time, many winding up their school career. As most people have become more prosperous, more youngsters are remaining in school to complete their courses; many remain because there are more opportunities to use their knowledge.

Youngsters and their parents must realize that the best opportunity comes to those who are trained; that what ever sacrifice is made to complete an education pays off in the long run.

There is little excuse for a fellow even without funds to fail to get an education. Tax-supported schools offer an education at no and/or at minimum costs; numerous foundations have money available to help worthy students.

American needs a better educated citizenry and in the sense, that the words imply. So as the youngsters move off to school let the parents vow to do their part of the job so that the task will not be so difficult for the teachers.

Recently an office in Des Moines where no Negro had worked called the Bystander to check the record of a young man who had passed a splendid examination. The officer in charge was impressed with the youngster and wished to hire him immediately.

The Bystander is no keeper of criminal records so he was referred to one of the law enforcement agencies which does. The lad's criminal record was bad, so no job.

This incident is cited to emphasize that in addition to good book learning, good character weighs heavily in application for jobs. Keep this in mind young folks.

BUXTON CLUB KEEPS TRADITION

The Iowa Buxton Club holds its annual homecoming picnic and celebration Sunday. The picnic brings together thousands of those and their descendants who came to this southern community at the turn of the century to dig coal.

Many of these workers came to Iowa to help break a strike. But instead of working as strike breakers they soon became loyal union men holding many posts of responsibility in their locals.

As the coal mines became depleted in this community they moved away, some to continue their trades in other Iowa communities; others sought other employment in cities outside of Iowa.

These picnics have drawn people from as far east as New York and West as far as California. Its an interesting gathering to attend where memories of what went on in old Mutchy and Buxton are hatched over.

Camp McCoy

SEE FRONT PAGE

The three ambulances that arrived at the field, was a Negro doctor, First Lt. Houston D. Snowden of Bolivar, West Va.

Negro men were scattered throughout—mess halls, rifle ranges, on fields learning combat training with new recruits, driving trucks and jeeps about the camp.

Encouraging One

The picture of gradual integration was an encouraging one—and the men, themselves, some of whom had been restricted in former all-Negro army reserve training units, praised the jobs they had—and the officers of the camp.

One Negro, regular army man, who had been sent down from Camp Atterbury, Ind., with a group of soldiers to help relieve the shortage of men in some of the jobs, was driving a truck. He said he "belonged" in the administrative offices, but because of the shortage of truck drivers, he came to Camp McCoy for the summer period.

One of the Negro jeep drivers attached to the headquarters, was anxiously awaiting the end of the summer training period at Camp McCoy, which takes place on Sept. 6. He desired to go back to Camp Atterbury where he would begin training for a hospital technician.

Somewhere on the spacious camp of 63,000 acres was an all-Negro outfit from Arkansas, one of the lowans said, but a crowded schedule in the general tour of the camp, did not permit the reporter time to find the men.

In Command

In command of the 103rd army reserve division is Major Gen. George Olmstead of Des Moines, with Col. Harold E. Pride of Ames, Ia., assistant division commander. In civilian life, he is director of the Memorial Student center at Iowa State college.

Maj. Gen. Olmstead greeted the Iowa press group and told of division's plans for the mobilization of more men in the army reserve and some of the problems of recruiting. A "new experiment" was being tried this year—the inviting of 200 wives to be guests of their husbands at the camp last week end.

The 103rd division was formerly commanded by Maj. Gen. Hanford Mac Nider of Mason City.

A get-acquainted talk to the press group was made by Colonel Pride and then the group took waiting jeeps for a tour of training grounds and special military projects and problems on the vast reservation.

Following the tour, over 1,800 troops stood at attention during retreat.

Maj. Gen. Olmstead was host, following retreat, at what might have been a stag for the men—but what he called a "few refreshments"—with the presence of one woman member of the press.

After a cool night's rest at one of the camp's guest houses, the Bystander representative joined the officers and visiting lowans at breakfast, then departed on a tour of the camp to run down lowans.

The "press-lift" left Camp McCoy at 10 a.m. Thursday and was back in Des Moines at 11:45 o'clock that morning.

Mr. Le Roy P. Bird Of Denver Here

Mr. Le Roy P. Bird of Denver, Colo., is in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Clark, 1114 Tenth street. He came to attend the Galar Day celebration of the Shrine this week end.

Mr. Bird is honorary noble of this order.

K. C. Monarchs-Black Barons Here Sept 4

Two teams who are studded with stars, the Kansas City Monarchs and the Birmingham Black Barons, will play at Pioneer Memorial stadium Sept. 4th.

Eddie Brooks, Hank Kimbro, Carl Long, an 18-year-old flycatcher, are the standouts for the Black Barons. Brooks is batting 330 and Kimbro, a 29-year-old veteran, is one of the best hitters in Negro baseball. Brooks and Ernie Johnson of the Monarchs are tied with triples in the Negro American league with thirteen apiece, but Johnson is the home run king with twelve to his credit.

Brooks is a second baseman and with Tommy Butts at short, they make one of best double play combination in the league.

The Monarchs, in addition to Johnson, who is batting 341, have one of best young shortstops in Negro baseball in Ernie Banks, who is one of leagues leading hitters with a 388 average.

Juan Armenteros, catcher, and Duke Henderson, outfielder, also are hitting well over 300. Armenteros is the best catcher developed in Negro baseball since Campanella went to Brooklyn.

THE DES MOINES NAACP Says:

The NAACP has always had a hard time keeping its budget balanced. And with the large amount of litigation going on, much before the U. S. Supreme Court, the job is doubly hard these days. The organization needs lots of money.

Recently, Negro newspaper publishers have undertaken a campaign to raise some funds for the organization. Each paper has been sent a series of ads for which sponsors are to be secured to pay the cost of the insertion. A part of the money from this source is to be sent to the legal department.

Sponsored ads are no new ideas with the Bystander among all groups

and this series will be no exception to the rule.

It's a splendid gesture and the branch hopes that the project will add to the legal defense fund.

In one of these ads individuals will be urged to co-sponsor so that all groups may have an opportunity to take part.

Any contribution made to the NAACP is worthy. Certainly one made to the legal defense funds helps everybody in America for the things they have accomplished have made this a stronger country.

Call or write the Bystander if you wish to co-sponsor one of these ads. nfkbyXcrAySJu

SPORTS

BY ALLEN ASHBY

The baseball season is staggering to its end and it looks more and more like the Yankees and Dodgers with this being the Dodgers' year. Everytime Campanella bats in another run he sets a new mark for catchers in that department.

The Cubs were backed into a corner on Gene Baker. This is the year they had to bring him up or let him go. So they brought him up. Our guess is a sale to possibly Pittsburgh who loses a short stop to the army.

Football

The local high schools have started their grid for the coming foot-

ball season. We are expecting East to be hard to handle again with at least a half-dozen Negroes on the team.

North High suffered a big loss with the graduation of George Brewer and the departure of Phil Dudley for the army. But the Polar Bears still have enough of a club and several Negro linemen to make it rough.

Tech won't have much. The Engineers lost too many men off last year's club and about all they will have back are a couple of flea-weight backs and one good lineman. Roosevelt could be awfully tough and might get even with North and East.

Pro-Football

Was talking to Leonard Spangler last week and he says that Paul DeVan is definitely on the roster of the

BASEBALL

Kansas City Monarchs

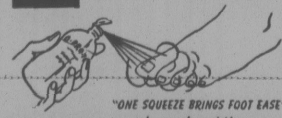
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when the reaper cuts his breath!

Slave or king in the final game—
are equal when they die.
The worthy earn some lasting fame,
and leave their marks on mountains high.
It matters not the path we wend,
nor color . . . race . . . or creed.
When death has marked the final end,

the strong are like a reed . . .
And like a reed, returns to dust,
and endless cycles throughout space.
Where even from the flakes of rust,
new metal grows, the old to replace.
The source of all new birth,
has come up from the dust . . .
and all thru-out the earth,
new life breaks thru the crust.
—Glenn A. Gallagher.

THE KEYS TO MEET SEPT. 11

The Ten Keys met August 28 at the home of Mrs. Agnes Eppright. Prize winners were: Mrs. Leona Jordan, first; Mrs. Inice Carter, second; Mrs. Eppright, third. The next meeting will be Sept. 11 at the home of Mrs. Leona Jordan. Mrs. Carter is reporter.

Los Angeles Rams, if he can keep from getting hurt. But, Paul's weakness is a desire to run over people. Now he can dodge, cut and run with the best of them, but the guy just has to turn billy-goat and run over someone during a game. Where guys begin at 195 and go up in weight you don't run over them and stay in one piece. Look out Paul!

Boxing

So there is to be a boxing hall of fame. Our nominees would include Tom Moleneaux, the first Negro to fight for the world's heavyweight crown. We think he was the first American to do that. Then we would put in Joe Gans, Kid Dixon, the old original Joe Wolcott, Peter Jackson. We Couldn't leave out Joe Louis, Henry Armstrong or Ray Robinson. Let's see how many of these guys make it.

Card Of Thanks

I wish to thank the many friends for their flowers, cards, and kindnesses extended me during my recent hospitalization. I am convalescing at home now.—Mrs. Bertha Lyghtner, 1116 Tenth.

The Bystander is Always Glad to Print Your News.

Willie Benton, 92, Dies At Hospital

Services were held Tuesday at Estes and Son Funeral home for Willie Benton, 92, of 750 Tenth street. Burial was at Glendale cemetery.

Mr. Benton died August 30 at Broadlawn hospital after a four-day illness. Born in Longview, Texas, he had lived in Des Moines 28 years.

Mr. Benton is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Laura Boome, San Francisco, Cal., and one son, L. D. Benton of Alaska.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to acknowledge with sincere appreciation the many expressions of sympathy received at the death of our beloved mother and grandmother, Julia Diggs.

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