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NEGRO AIR FORCE MEN GO -

To Canada for Decent Treatment

Rites Here for Pvt. Butler Killed In Plane Crash

Rites for Pvt. Carl C. Butler, 25, one of two Iowans killed in an air-plane crash which took the lives of 19 soldiers, were held in Des Moines Wednesday at the Estes and Son Funeral chapel.

The Rev. J. E. Tunstall officiated. Burial was in Glendale cemetery.

The body of Private Butler was escorted here by Pvt. Clyde H. Phillips of McChord Air Force Base, Washington.

Private Butler and Cpl. Leamon E. Schultz, 20, of Zeigler, were among the 19 soldiers who were killed Tuesday night, Sept. 1, when the plane in which they were riding crashed in a wooded section 30 miles east of McChord Air Force Base, Wash.

The Regina airlines DC-3 was on a chartered flight to McChord air force base with enlisted men from Fort Ord, Cal. The men were being transferred for reassignment. Two civilian plane crewmen also were killed.

Butler was husband of Mrs. Margaret K. Butler, 1312 University, and son of Mrs. Jennie Peoples, of 1024 Thirteenth street. Other survivors are an adopted son, Carl, Jr.; sisters, Mrs. Edna Ruth Thomas and Miss Dorothy Butler.

Butler, a North High school graduate had been employed as a shipping clerk for Remington-Rand in Des Moines and by Hotel Fort Des Moines.

Store Salesman



THOMAS SPENCER

Thomas Spencer, 820 Fifteenth street, has been employed for the past three months as a salesman in the home appliance department of Davidson's store, Seventh and Walnut street. His duties are outside of the store.

A native of Marshalltown, son of Mr. John H. Spencer, Mr. Spencer was educated at the Marshalltown Junior High school and college. He studied piano at Sherwood Music Institute in Chicago, and one session of law at the University of Calif.

Mr. Spencer served two years in the U. S. Naval Air Force, serving as a flight chief at Alameda, Calif.

Before coming to Des Moines he was employed two and one-half years at the Younger Store in Marshalltown.

A Mason and a Presbyterian, he is also a member of Frank Glick Post No. 46 of American Legion.

Mr. Spencer is married and has a daughter.

Republicans to Present Mrs. R. C. Mueller of N. Y. At Willkie House Sept. 21

The Carver Republican club, the Phyllis Wheatley Women's club, and state and county GOP employees are presenting Mrs. Ruth C. Mueller of New York City in a meeting Monday, Sept. 21, at Willkie House, Seventeenth and Crocker streets.

Mrs. Mueller is an assistant to Miss Berta S. Adkins, assistant to the chairman and director of Women's activities for the Republican National Committee. Long prominent in Negro organizations and activities, Mrs. Mueller served in a similar capacity during the 1952 campaign.

Mrs. Mueller, who taught for six years in Mississippi schools and was a supervisor in Georgia schools for three, has been Y-teen director of the Philadelphia YWCA; director of Hope Day Nursery in New York City; director of interracial education at the Brooklyn YWCA and supervisor of youth board centers of the New York City Protestant Council.

She is now director of the Capitol Area Association for United Nations and a member of the National Association of College Women, the Negro Business and Professional Women's Club, the American Association of University Women, Delta Sigma Theta sorority and the National

Association of Negroes.

Presiding will be Mrs. Gwen Fowler, chairman of the program committee of this meeting.

Former U. S. Senator and Iowa Governor G. A. Wilson, Dies

George A. Wilson, 69, former U. S. senator and Iowa governor, died Tuesday night in Mercy hospital here, where he had been seriously ill since August 27.

His physicians said death was caused by a malignant tumor of the throat, a recurrence of a tumor for which he underwent operations in 1944.

Wilson led Iowa Republicans back into the statehouse in 1939 after six years of Democratic administration in Iowa which interrupted 40 years of Republican domination.

Jubilaires Of Corinthian At Kyles Sept. 13

The Jubilaires of Corinthian Baptist church, under the direction of Mrs. Margaret Anthony, will present a musical program, Sunday afternoon, Sept. 13, at 3 p.m. at Kyles AME Zion church sponsored by the Steward board. The public is invited. Everett Singleton is secretary.

National Foundation for Brotherhood Formed to Get Civil Rights for All

New York.—A new national organization has been established to further interracial goodwill and understanding, but primarily to ease the financial burden of those groups actively engaged in the campaign to bring civil rights to all Americans, it was announced Monday.

The National Foundation for Brotherhood, Inc., a non-profit corporation, will be headed by Edward R. Dudley, former U. S. Ambassador to the Republic of Liberia, as president. The executive director, Ernest E. Johnson, is a veteran newspaperman and former public relations counsel.

A panel of distinguished Negro and white citizens representing diverse fields of interest comprise the board of directors.

Temporary offices are located at 369 Lexington avenue, New York.

To Aid Civil Rights

According to Mr. Dudley, the

Foundation will aid civil rights organizations with funds derived from what he called a "unique method of underwriting programs for social and interracial advancement." The Foundation is qualified to receive gifts and bequests from private sources, he explained, but added that it will probably acquire most of its funds through the new method which he described in this way:

Suppose a manufacturer or merchandiser decides to enter the so-called \$15 billion Negro market with a line of goods and wants a competitive advantage. After achieving an understanding with the Foundation regarding standards, he would be permitted to use the symbol of the Foundation in his marketing campaign. The symbol is a pair of scales of justice below which are the initials "N. F. B." This symbol would signify to purchasers that a

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Chicago Cubs Purchase Two Negro Players

Chicago, Ill.—The Chicago Cubs Tuesday purchased shortstop Ernest Banks and pitcher Bill Dickey from the Kansas City Monarchs of the Negro American league.

A Cub spokesman said Banks is regarded as the "outstanding ball-player" in the Negro circuit. He is batting .388 and has 22 home runs to lead the league.

Dickey, a right-hander regarded as the league's best major league pitching prospect, has a record of eight victories and six losses.

Banks was signed to a 1953 Cub contract and will report at Wrigley Field next Monday after nishing the season with the Monarchs at Pittsburgh.

Banks, 22, probably will beat shortstop Gene Baker of the Los Angeles Angels (former Des Moines Bruin from Davenport) in a plane race to become the first Negro player in a Cub uniform.

Baker, recently purchased by the Cubs, will fly to Chicago when Los Angeles ends its Pacific Coast season.

They recently called up Gene Baker of Los Angeles.

Dickey was signed to a 1954 contract with the Cub farm teams at Cedar Rapids, Ia., and will report for spring training with that Three-I league club next season.

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KKK-Like Violence Breaks Out; Union Leader Flogged

Jacksonville, Fla.—A white union staff member who defied his Dixie Director's jim crow policy was brutally beaten this week in front of a CIO union hall.

Ku-Klux-Klan-like violence against the bold equal rights policy of the United Packinghouse Workers of America, CIO, broke out here just as thousands of delegates to the 54th National Elks convention in Atlanta voted unanimously to back up that union's anti-discrimination program.

Jack Teller, UPWA program coordinator who reported the ousting of Negro members from a union banquet by A. O. McKinney, director of UPWA's eight-state District 9, was flogged by four hoodlums led by an agent of the Director.

Beaten and warned to "leave town."

the savage attack upon the white representative who upheld the union's equal rights policy was led by Archie Brookins, a former UPWA field representative.

McKinney is officially charged with violating the union's dynamic equal right's policy and has opened a "secession" movement among local unions in the Southern District in an effort to avoid facing a trial which may lead to expulsion from UPWA.

A strong resolution passed by the recent Elks convention Civil Rights Committee and adopted by the entire convention noted the Dixie Director's attempt to "pull out" of the meat packing union and placed that powerful fraternal organization solidly in support of the civil rights fight conducted by UPWA.

Promoted To National Extension Leader



Washington.—John W. Mitchell, center, Extension Service field agent of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, who has been promoted to National Extension Leader, is being congratulated by Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, J. Earl Coke, right, and Director of Extension C. M. Ferguson, Mr. Mitchell, who has been in agriculture extension work for 36 years, is the first colored worker to be promoted to national leader. His office will be transferred from Hampton Institute, Hampton, Va., to the U. S. Department of Agriculture in Washington. — USDA Photo by Hunton.

Ask Michigan Governor to Probe Jimcrow of Airmen Denied in American Town

Detroit, Mich.—Gov. G. Mennen Williams told a reporter here Sept. 3 that he was studying charges that Negro Air Force men were being denied service in restaurants, barber shops and taverns in the northern border town of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

Gov. Williams, an outspoken advocate of civil rights without discrimination, said he had not known of the treatment reportedly given Negro airmen until he had a telegram from Roy Wilkins, administrator of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, asking that he refer the matter to the State Attorney General for action.

He said no complaints by an aggrieved party had been filed under the Michigan civil rights law with local law enforcement officials, but that he was looking into the matter anyway.

Across Border

Mr. Wilkins, in his wire of September 1, cited a special article in the New York Times of August 30 from Sault Ste. Marie which stated that Negro airmen had to go across the border into Canada to Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, to receive courteous treatment and service in restaurants, barber shops and other public places.

The Negro airmen are members of a mixed unit assigned here to a radar station and an interceptor squadron to guard the vital Soo canal against sabotage or enemy attack. The airmen say there is no discrimination or segregation on the

air base or in its facilities, but that when they leave the base their white fellow servicemen are welcome in the American town, whereas they have to go to Canada to get decent treatment.

Arthur Johnson, executive secretary of the Detroit branch of the NAACP, said he had received a request from the New York office to obtain further and first-hand information on conditions in Sault Ste. Marie.

Gov. Williams said his office had made some preliminary inquiries and that it appeared "that there is a real difficulty which apparently arises because there have been no affirmative local efforts to make the Negro servicemen feel at home in the community they are defending. That certainly ought to be corrected."

The first New York Times dispatch had asserted that while local leaders in the community "are concerned about the racial problem, they see no ready solution."

An all-Negro battalion of troops sent to Sault Ste. Marie during World War II to guard the canal and locks had a similar rough time with local townspeople; it was recalled here by Detroit residents.

Hold Services For Richard Johnson

Rites were held Saturday in Bethel AME church for Richard Johnson, 72, of 1408 E. Seventeenth st., who died here August 31. Burial was in Glendale cemetery.

'Deep Freeze' Woman Takes Iodine; Became Despondent

Chicago, Ill.—Mrs. Dorothy Mae Stevens, 25, who survived the lowest body temperature in medical history, swallowed iodine Monday.

She was taken to a hospital, treated and charged by police with disorderly conduct.

Policeman Morris O'Connor quoted her as saying, "I did it because I don't want to go on like this—to become a crippled beggar. I'm a human being."

Mrs. Stevens, who since has been called the "frozen woman," was found literally frozen stiff Feb. 8, 1951, in an alleyway on Chicago's south side. Her body temperature had dropped to 60.8 degrees, lowest in medical history for a person who

survived. During long hospital treatment, her right hand, the fingers of the left hand and both legs below the knees were amputated.

Mrs. Stevens says her only income now is a monthly state pension of \$75.

Investigation showed she had been drinking before she was found frozen in 1951. After leaving the hospital, she addressed religious organizations on the evils of drink.

She told police Monday that she started drinking again about two months ago, and took the iodine because she was despondent after not being able to find work.

Earl Dickerson To Fight Brownell's Charges that Guild is 'Red Dominated'

the people of America. It has never nor does it now, follow any party line. It is the mouthpiece for no party or doctrine except the American doctrine of freedom and civil liberties for all."

A number of attorneys, who said they would rather remain anonymous, thought it was plainly "ridiculous" for Brownell to charge the Guild as subversive. They cited that the white organization, American Bar Association, had completely discouraged Negro lawyers to belong to it and is almost entirely lily-white.

And this is the organization Brownell spoke before when making Chicago, Ill. (CNS)—Earl B. Dickerson, one of the race's outstanding attorneys and president of the National Lawyers Guild, says that Attorney General Brownell's

charges accusing the Guild as a "Communist dominated and controlled organization," were "without foundation."

According to Dickerson, the Guild will fight Brownell's intention to place it on his official list of subversive organizations. Moreover, he pointed out the "National Lawyers Guild has since its organization 17 years ago, endeavored to serve the best interests of the lawyers and his charges about the National Lawyers Guild, which, on the other hand, is interracial and simply airs out problems as civil liberties, etc. The Guild, of course, is not to be confused with the National Bar Association, which is headed by Dean Scofield Richardson of St. Louis, and is composed entirely of Negro lawyers.

Ft. Dodge Interracial Commission Outlines Fall-Winter Program

Fort Dodge, Ia.—The Ft. Dodge Interracial Commission under the leadership of Harry Meriwether will start its fall and winter activities Sunday, Sept. 13, 3:30 p.m. at the YWCA. A special program with music and talks on adult education and television in Fort Dodge, will be given. A surprise soloist will be a guest.

The commission has set the following dates for 3:30 p.m. meetings: Nov. 8, at Salvation Army hall; Jan. 10, at Evangelical Lutheran church; Feb. 14, at YMCA, a Brotherhood at Jewish Synagogue.

The commission is seeking the outstanding people of all races to appear on the program. If you are in or near Fort Dodge during any of the above dates, you are invited to drop in on one or all of the meetings.

Card of Thanks

ELMER DAVIS

We wish to thank the Rev. N. R. Olphin, Rev. B. F. Blanks, Mrs. Tony Anthony, Estes and Son Funeral home, and all of the many friends of Elmer Davis for kindnesses shown at his death.

WILLIAM BURRELL

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the many friends for their kindness, courtesies, flowers and cards extended at the death of William Burrell. Special thanks to Rev. N. R. Olphin, Mrs. Joburness Kelso and Estes and Son Funeral home.

—The Burrell Family

WILLIAM LEE (DAD) BENTON
Friends of William Lee (Dad) Benton wish to thank the many friends, the Rev. L. A. Garrett, Mrs. Tony Anthony and the Estes and Son Funeral home for their kindnesses, expressions of sympathy, and flowers extended at his death.

RICHARD JOHNSON

The family of Richard Johnson expresses its deep appreciation to all of the many friends, the Rev. DeWitt Yeager, Rev. A. C. Record, the Bethel church choir and the Estes & Son Funeral home for the many expressions of sympathy extended at the death of Mr. Johnson.

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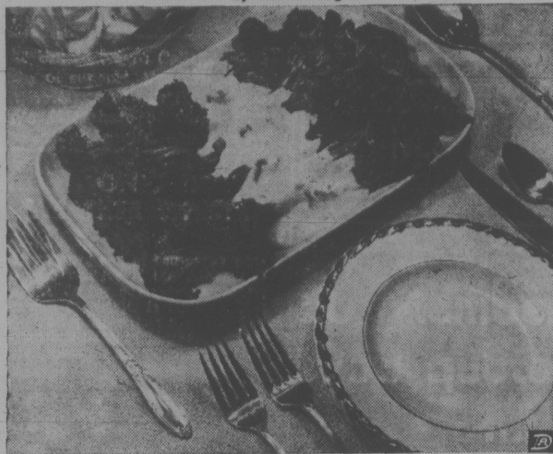
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Easy Hollandaise Sauce

by Martha Logan



Broccoli and all of summer's bounty of fresh green vegetables take on a new sparkle and goodness when served with a creamy, tangy Hollandaise sauce. Once homemakers considered this sauce difficult to make. This quick, never-fail recipe cooks in approximately 5 minutes, making it easy to serve vegetables and other tempting dishes, such as Eggs Benedict, which call for this famous sauce.

Hollandaise sauce once was thought to be expensive. Now that sale of yellow margarine is permitted in Iowa, however, homemakers can serve this sauce and other vegetable toppings frequently, secure in the knowledge that lavish use of quality margarine will not pinch the budget.

A handsome platter of broccoli and hollandaise sauce, a tempting meat platter and the rest of your menu is fittingly served with the gleaming serving pieces and place settings of the "Virginia" pattern shown. This is one of two richly engraved patterns of sterling silver which are available at half price on a premium plan with a quality margarine.

EASY HOLLANDAISE SAUCE

(Yield: About 1/4 cup)

3 egg yolks
1/2 cup (1/4 pound)
Allsweet margarine
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1/4 teaspoon salt
Paprika

Beat egg yolks into softened margarine. Add lemon juice and salt slowly. Cook in saucepan over low heat until thick. Do not overcook. Serve on hot asparagus, green beans, broccoli, cauliflower or greens. Or, add chopped pickle relish and serve on fried or baked fish or on cooked sweetbreads. Cooking time: 5 to 10 minutes.

SCHULER FAMILY BACK FROM MISSISSIPPI

Mason City, Ia.—Mrs. Robert Schuler of 728 South Van Buren, and three children, returned August 20 from their vacation spent in Mississippi where they visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Robinson.

They visited relatives in Edwards, Learned, Utica, Jackson, and Vicksburg, Miss. In Edwards, they attended two conventions at the

Cherrygrove and Morning Star Baptist churches, where Mrs. Schuler took part in the women's department of both meetings. She visited a revival and baptism at Belmont Baptist church.

Mrs. Schuler commented that she enjoyed seeing her old home town—where cotton and ribbon cane were growing. There the temperature was 110 degrees in the shade.

OLD FASHIONED PRESERVES



—Photo courtesy Ball Bros. Co.

A dish of your own home-made strawberry preserves is the surest way in the world to bring a gleam into the eyes of the lucky people who sit down to your table. The story is wonderful from beginning to end—the making of the preserves with the aroma of the bubbling sirup filling the kitchen; the sight of the rich red fruit and sirup in Ball Jars on your shelves; and, finally, the serving of the preserves, perhaps with hot, flaky biscuits.

The strawberry season will be upon you before you know it, so have your Ball Mason Jars and Ball Dome Caps ready to use the first day you see strawberries suitable for preserves in your garden or on the market. The

season is all too short and you might wake up to find you've waited until too late.

For preserving, strawberries should be of medium size and firm-ripe. Preserves should be cooked in small batches, not more than 2 or 3 quarts at a time. A recipe for Old Fashioned Strawberry Preserves from the Ball Blue Book calls for 2 quarts of hulled berries and 7 cups of sugar. Mix berries and sugar and let stand overnight in a cool place. Bring slowly to boiling, then boil rapidly until berries are clear and sirup thick. Skim and pour into hot Ball Jars. Seal while boiling hot with Ball Dome Caps.

OFFICIAL NOTICE

IOWA STATE COMMERCE COMMISSION
In petition filed August 11, 1953 by the Iowa Warehousemen's Association, the Commission is requested to increase the rates and charges published in its Household Goods Tariff No. 31 to apply to transportation of household goods by truck operators in "closed body, van type" equipment between all points in the state of Iowa for distances of 15 miles and over, to approximately the same level as the rates and charges published in Household Goods Carriers' Bureau Tariff No. 47-A for application to interstate traffic in this territory.

Notice is hereby given that the above described petition has been set for hearing on Wednesday, October 21, 1953, 10:00 A.M. at the office of the Iowa State Commerce Commission, Des Moines, Iowa.

IOWA STATE COMMERCE COMMISSION
David B. Lusk, Chairman
John M. Ropes, Commissioner
Carl W. Reed, Commissioner

ATTEST:
Geo. L. McCaughan, Secretary
Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, September 3, 1953.
Docket No. N-1202
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NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION
To HENRY K. MATHEIS, 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 12, Block 4 Eschbaugh and West's Addition
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, thereon; that the undersigned 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 a deed for the said real estate will be made from said sale within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

Dated August 31, 1953.
HOWARD NICHOLS, JR.
Owner and holder of certificate.
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RED FEATHER PEN

by C.W. SCHNEIDER

The many hundreds of women workers who solicit the residential

Perry, Iowa

BY LEON A. WARRELL

Perry, Ia.—Bethel Baptist Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Morning worship, 11:00 a.m. Rev. H. L. Lewis officiating, assisted by Rev. J. H. Ross. Communion was held.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lowery of Des Moines was present. Mr. Lowery, who is a trial Deacon, will be ordained Sunday, Oct. 11.

Mrs. Effie Griffith resumed her Sunday School class after a brief illness.

Mrs. White, Sunday School pianist, spent the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Sophie Johnson of Des Moines.

Miss Gladys Wesley, here on her vacation, will be leaving Sept. 14 for Kansas State Teachers college. Miss Wesley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wesley of Dallas, Iowa. She is a member of Bethel Baptist Church choir.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart are spending an extensive visit with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart



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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 797, Four Mile.
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To PAUL J. and DAISY L. GERBERING, 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 63 and 64, Elmwood Park
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To BETTIE MAE HOBELITY, 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
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art are from Kansas City.

The Young People's club will be having their program this coming Sunday.

area each year for the various Des Moines health and welfare drives, were extremely pleased to learn that this year the American Red Cross will participate in the United Campaign 100 percent.

There will be no Red Cross residential solicitation in the Greater Des Moines area next March. This October when the United Campaign solicitor knocks on your door remember to include your Red Cross Contribution along with your United Campaign pledge.

The United Campaign combines six major fund appeals into one, and represents 38 vital health and welfare services. Several hundred Des Moines citizens representing all walks of life spent many hours reviewing budgets of the 38 services before arriving at the \$1,295,835

Goal. The general drive dates will be October 16th through the 27th. The Women's Division however, will start soliciting in the residential area October 12th.

Hess T. Sears, general chairman, and W. J. Goodwin, Jr., vice-chairman of the United Campaign, announced the following division commanders and committee chairmen:

Education and Government: Clarke B. Bennet, personnel director, Veterans Administration; Industrial: Frank R. Burns, Jr., secretary, Blue Line Storage company; Mercantile: Fred G. Nesbit, president Fred Nesbit Distributing company; Public Service, Division A: James C. Enyart, investment counselor; Public Service Division B: A. Paul Thompson, vice-president and treasurer, Iowa Power and Light company.

Paul O. Grodt, or Raines and Grodt insurance agency was named West Des Moines chairman.

Committee chairmen are:

Advance Gifts: Lloyd R. Bock, chairman; James O. Bragg, John W. Dooley, Clifford L. Sampson and Roy L. Swarzman, co-chairman.

Auditing: Fred J. Peterson; Branch house, Morris O. Kahn; Labor participation, Richard B. Koss; public relations, Leonard W. McGuire.

Mrs. George P. Comfort, 4252 Foster Drive, chairman of the United Campaign Women's division, and Mrs. Joe Keefner, 4256 Woodlawn Drive, co-chairman, announced the following area chairmen:

South area, Mrs. Gordon R. Cobbs, of 3613 Wakonda Drive; North area, Mrs. Kermit D. Higgins, of 3315 Columbia street; East area, Mrs. Don C. Swanson, of 729 Arthur avenue; West area, Mrs. W. W. Warner, of 546 Waterbury Circle. Mrs. W. Z. Proctor, of 322 Forty-ninth street, has been named education chairman, and Mrs. W. J. Goodwin, Jr., of 818 Polk Boulevard, is publicity chairman.



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Visiting Away From Home Can Be Valuable Experience For Child

Afton Smith, Assistant Professor State University of Iowa Child Welfare Research Station

Can you remember how much fun it was to go visiting away from home all by yourself? (That is, unless you were desperately homesick).

Nobody thought much about whether the visiting experience was valuable to the child. It was fun and that was reason enough for going.

An interesting study has been made by Professor J. H. Bossard to find out what is the effect on children of visiting away from home. He interviewed 100 children under 15 years of age and kept a record of what they told him.

The placing of distance between themselves and their parents was a new experience which many of them enjoyed. "We may not realize how little time our child actually spends beyond the boundaries of dependence on us. It is a healthful experience for a youngster to get away. He takes a step in weaning from his parents; while relatives are near by to make it easy for him."

A number of the children in the study found a satisfying freedom from their parents' watchful eye. Perhaps this freedom is needed more often than we think. The child may experience the same sense of relief that we might feel if we had to act continuously under the watchful eye of authority. Incidentally, it often surprises parents to learn how well their children behave when freed for a short time from the watchful eye.

The devoted attention which the visiting children received from their relatives gave many of the children a new feeling of importance. They felt grown up and "special" when treated as guests. At home, a child is a child. He is not a guest.

Many other impressions also were revealed in the interviews. These few points, however, suggest that visiting away from home can be a valuable experience as well as a happy one for the child.

Community Playhouse To Open Fall Season Oct. 15

The Des Moines Community Playhouse, formerly Kendall Playhouse, now located at 831 Forty-second st., will open its fall season on October 15 with the production of "Happy Birthday," by Anita Loos.

The playhouse is under the direction of Ralph Senensky, who is beginning his first season here.

Mr. Senensky is a native of Mason City, Ia., having graduated from Pasadena (Calif.) Playhouse. He studied in Northwestern university, Evanston, Ill., directed the Mason City Community theater for two years, and did professional theater work in Chicago and Miami Beach, Fla.

One of the first steps here will be the addition of children's theater program schedule, he said.

Elks To Meet In Des Moines On '54 Midwestern

The Midwestern States Association of the Improved Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the World, will hold its 29th annual session in Des Moines the early part of July, 1954, with Hawkeye Lodge No. 160 and Rose Temple No. 33 as hosts.

The recent meeting in Wichita, Kansas, July 5 to 8, was rated as one of the most colorful ever held in this section. The association is made up of twenty lodges, located in Minnesota, Nebraska, Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, Colorado, Oklahoma, Wyoming and Canada.

The Antlered Guard, the military department, supervises all public functions, in cooperation with the police officers of the cities where Elks meet. This will be one of the most impressive displays ever put on in this region. All of the states and Canada will participate.

The seven departments, operated and financed by the Elks are: Education, health, Antlered Guards, economics, civil liberties, athletics, and public relations.

Education, Theme Of Iota Phi Lambda Sorority Convention

Philadelphia—"Education at the Crossroads" was the theme of a stirring address by Dr. Uwee Ross Mdoana, secretary of Christian World Relations for the United Church Women at the Educational Meeting sponsored by Iota Phi Lambda sorority during its annual convention here last week at the Bellevue Stratford Hotel.

Dr. Mdoana's remarks were hinged on three pointed questions: "Education for what? Where are people educated? What is an educated person?"

Miss C. Mitchell Retires From YWCA After 40 Years

Miss Caroline Mitchell, an employee of the YWCA for 40 years, completed her last day of work Monday. She retired Tuesday. A night receptionist, Miss Mitchell says she plans to stay in Des Moines for a while, then visit relatives in Seattle, Wash., where she may make her future home.

Fall Classes To Start At Art Center Free Exhibits Open

Fall classes at the Des Moines Art Center start the week of Sept. 22. For adults there will be classes in ceramics, enameling and weaving. For young people, Saturday morning classes will begin Sept. 26.

Exhibitions

Exhibitions open to the public without charge include "The Farm in Art," through Sept. 20, in the main gallery and lobby (a large exhibition of paintings and sculpture in a variety of styles and media based on subjects in rural life); "Karolik collection (early 19th Century paintings) in West gallery, through Sept. 27; "La Jolla California Artists," (an exhibition of watercolors and easels by four former Chicagoans who now live and work on the West Coast in the well known art colony of La Jolla) in print corridor through Sept. 20.

Special Events

The following special events for the general public (no admission charge) include: art forum clinic, Friday Sept. 11, 8 p.m., main gallery; photographic workshop, Tuesday, Sept. 15, 7:45 p.m. in south meeting room where Don Ultang, photographer-pilot for Des Moines Register and Tribune will give an illustrated lecture on "Coming Trends in News Photography," art forum reservation dinner, Friday, Sept. 25, 6:30 p.m. Call Art Center—7-4405 before noon Sept. 23.

MRS. LEWIS WEEK END GUEST

Mrs. Verla Lewis of Burlington, Ia., was holiday week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Franklin, 927 Twelfth street.

IOWANS MOTOR TO DENVER TO VISIT WITH RELATIVES

Mrs. Beatrice Brown, Mrs. Mildred Miller and Mrs. Martha Wheels, Miss Ruth Davis and Mr. Harold Farror motored to Denver, Colo., for a week's vacation. While there they will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Higgins, Mr. Lawrence Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams, brothers of Mrs. Wheels, and with Mrs. Shirley Whiteside, sister of Mrs. Brown. Mrs. Miller and Miss Davis.

Princess O'Zeil Chapter Meets; Three New Members

Princess O'Zeil Chapter No. 9 of the Order of Eastern Star met Thursday at the Masonic hall with Mrs. Gladys Brown, worthy matron, presiding. Fifty members were present. Mrs. Sarah E. Jett, past worthy matron, led the group in a degree. Initiation services were held with Marcus McCraven, past worthy pa-

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NEW FOUNDATION OFFICIALS



BROTHERHOOD OFFICERS—Affairs of the newly formed National Foundation for Brotherhood, Inc., a philanthropic organization, will be handled by Edward R. Dudley (L.) as president and Ernest E. Johnson (R.) as executive director. Mr. Dudley recently resigned his post as American Ambassador to the Republic of Liberia. Mr. Johnson's last position was as a writer for the Voice of America of the U. S. Department of State.

iron, in charge. Three candidates were: Mrs. Grace Roane, Mrs. Wilmetta Jones and Mrs. Luvenia Gordon.

Members of the entertainment committee, Mesdames Georgia Add and Georgia Rhone presided at a buffet luncheon.

Guests included Mrs. Rubenia Blakely of Ann Arbor, Mich., past worthy matron of this chapter.

The first of a series of instruction

classes will be held Tuesday at the Craftsmen's club with Mrs. Dorothy Burh, grand worthy matron, in charge.

Social Art Club To Meet Sept. 17

The Social Art club will meet Sept. 17 at 202 Arthur street, with Mrs. Poka Ware as hostess. An exchange of "Big Sister" gifts will be made.

Lunch Before Canasta



A nice (and easy) way to entertain your women friends, is to invite them to lunch before a game of canasta. The whole thing can be done on a bridge table on the front porch — or indoors, whichever seems coolest and most pleasant to you.

In planning the menu for such a party, it's well to remember that most women today, young or old, are wisely inclined to watch their figures. So you shouldn't give them a lot of rich, hearty pound-making food. On the other hand, if they ever indulge themselves, as everyone should a little, it's when they go out to a party. So why not compromise by serving a deliciously thinning first course and a slightly gooey, sweet dessert? They'll have room for it, for once, because of having eaten lightly first. Here's a suggested menu:

Menu

Honeydew Melon and Ham
Melba Toast
Hot, Stuffed Devil's Food
Cup Cakes
Coke

Honeydew Melon and Ham

This is one of the most delicious flavor combinations ever discovered, particularly if paper-thinly sliced Italian Prociutto is available, but good with any ham. Serve a slim wedge of melon to each person (with "seconds" in reserve, just in case) and a couple of slices of ham. Be sure there is a pepper-grinder on the table, as fresh-ground pepper on honeydew is a new taste thrill. The melon is cut into bite size pieces and eaten with a bit of ham.

Knife and fork are required to manage this.

We suggest that since you're serving a rich dessert, you offer no butter with the Melba toast. It's a form of temptation your friends will be glad to skip.

Hot, Stuffed Devil's Food

Cup Cakes

3 squares unsweetened chocolate
¼ cup butter
1 cup sugar
2 eggs, separated
½ teaspoon vanilla
1½ cups cake flour
½ teaspoon soda
1 teaspoon baking powder
¼ teaspoon salt
1 cup sour milk
½ pint cream, sweetened and whipped

Melt chocolate in top of double boiler. Cool. Cream butter and sugar. Beat egg yolks thoroughly and add. Add vanilla. Mix and sift flour, soda, baking powder and salt. Add alternately with sour milk to the first mixture, beating constantly. Mix in chocolate thoroughly. Beat egg whites stiff and fold into mixture. Pour into greased cup cake tins and bake at 375 degrees 20-25 minutes. Cool slightly.

Cut tops off cakes and hollow out bottoms. Fill with whipped cream. Replace tops and put more whipped cream over.

To Quaff With The Luncheon

Ice cold bottles of Coke will provide just the cooling and refreshing drink to accompany this luncheon. Have extras on hand to serve during the game which follows.

Iowa Beauticians From Cosmetiste Club Attend Convention In L. A.

Iowa Beauticians Cottie Lucas, Ruth Moore, Sadie Jones and Pauline Humphrey of Des Moines, Leola Martin of Waterloo and Fannie Alexander of Sioux City represented the Cosmetiste club, the state chapter of the National Beauty Culturists league, at the annual session held recently in Los Angeles, Cal.

The Iowans attended the institute which was held the week previous to the national convention. Mrs. Humphrey is a staff member of this group.

Mesdames Moore, Lucas, Martin Alexander and Miss Jones, all were initiated into the National Beauticians' sorority. Miss Jones is a representative on the planning committee.

Events

Some of the activities of the convention included: a mass meeting at 2nd Baptist church; tea at Henrietta School of Beauty Culture; a visit to the N.B.C. studios in Hollywood where some of the women were on the "Ladies Choice" program; a review of styles in the Florentine Gardens in Hollywood, where a number of Hollywood celebrities were models; a reception on the patio and in the garden of the palatial home of Mrs. Louise Davidson, president of the Los Angeles Beauticians; a breakfast and parade of clothes at the House of Charm of Mrs. Renfrows; sight-seeing tours.

Mrs. Humphrey was chairman of the Coronation Banquet pageant. California Night was held at the Independent church, where Judge Malcom Griffin, formerly of Des Moines, was one of the speakers. A get-acquainted party was given at the House of Charm.

Honors

The Cosmetiste chapter was second in its contribution to the Youth Council program. Miss Jones and Mrs. Martin represented the Iowans. Crescent Beauty School of Des Moines was given a therapeutic lamp for being first contributor to the school division.

Iowa beauticians holding national offices are: Pauline Humphrey, vice president of National Beauty Culturists League, staff member of the national institute, organizer for Iowa and Minnesota, corresponding secretary of the newly formed national Hair Stylists Guild; Cottie Lucas

MRS. V. WILLIAMSON AND GRANDDAUGHTER HERE FROM MILWAUKEE

Mrs. Vesta Williamson of Milwaukee, Wisc., accompanied her granddaughter, Vesta Clara Williamson back to Des Moines, after the child had spent her summer vacation there. Mrs. Williamson is at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Williamson, 1157 Fourteenth street place.

L. T. CLUB TO MEET SEPT. 16

The L. T. club will meet at the home of the president, Mrs. Mary Hardaway, 1128 Eleventh street, Sept. 16.

SWEA CITIANS RECENT VISITORS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. John Virbrugge, Jr., and three children of Swea City, Ia., were recent visitors at the Iowa Bystander office.

MRS. B. BONHAM BACK FROM DETROIT

Mrs. Blanch Bonham, 1024 Seventeenth street, returned Tuesday from Detroit, Mich., where she spent ten days as house guest of Mrs. Maude Simmons, who is a former Des Moines resident.

Mrs. Mildred Miller, dinner; Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Duke, dinner; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Turner, breakfast.

During the Rev. Mr. Perry's services here, the Stewardess boards, sponsors of the Founder's Week turned over \$217 to the building Fund of the church.

The Rev. and Mrs. Perry were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kindred; and Henry, Jr., was guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Turner.

The following pastors in the city cooperated with Bethel in its observance: Revs. J. E. Hunter, O. Freeman, A. C. Record, B. F. Blanks, and their members and musical groups; and Presiding Elder W. H. Ogletun.

As Schools Open Is Plea Of AAA

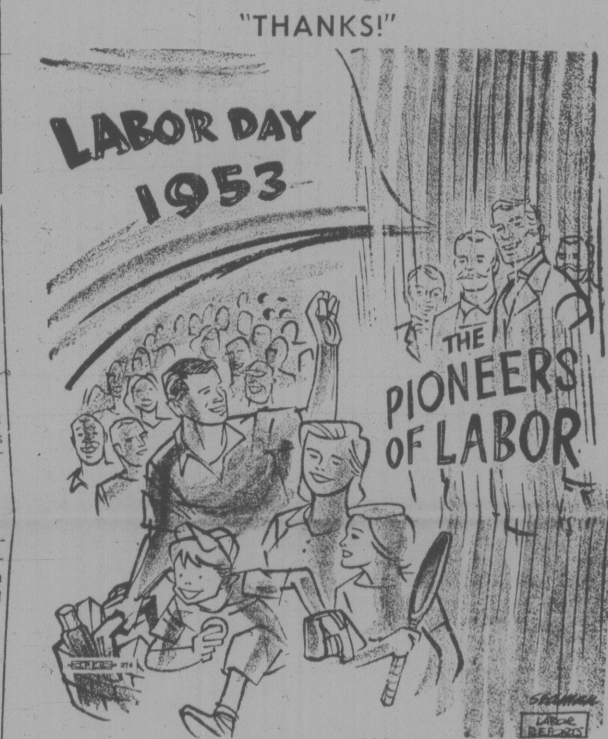
"Habits of extra-cautious driving in and around school areas are often forgotten by motorists during the summer months. For this reason, September will be one of the most dangerous of the year for school children," warned E. R. "Johnny" Lange, safety director for the AAA Motor Club of Iowa, in a plea to all Iowa drivers to drive carefully and be on the look out for school bound youngsters.

"Almost 30 million boys and girls in the public, private and parochial elementary schools in the United States are depending upon the operators of America's 50 million motor vehicles to drive with care, caution, courtesy and consideration," Lange added.

FRIENDS HONOR THE H. A. PERRY OF INDIANAPOLIS

Dr. H. A. Perry of Indianapolis, Ind., Founder's Week guest minister at the recent Bethel AME church observance, his wife and son, Henry, Jr., were extended social courtesies while here by many of his friends and former members.

Among them were: Mr. and Mrs. M. Kindred, who honored the family at dinner; Mrs. Eva Roper, luncheon at the YWCA; Mrs. Cordelia Brown and her brother, LeRoy Berry, dinner; Mr. and Mrs. Estell Ligon, dinner; Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hawkins, dinner; Mrs. Beatrice Brown and



United Negro College Funds Wants Names of Former Students of Participating Schools

Des Moines is being asked to conduct a drive in behalf of the United Negro College Fund for 1953. In order to determine the names and addresses of those who have attended any of the thirty-one participating schools, the Bystander prints the list with the hope that every former student will forward his name, address and telephone number to the Bystander office along with any others he may know, promptly.

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Bethune-Cookman College	Paine College
Daytona Beach, Fla.	Augusta, Ga.
Bishop College	Philander Smith College
Marshall, Texas	Little Rock, Ark.
Clark College	St. Augustine's College
Atlanta, Georgia	Raleigh, N. C.
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New Orleans, La.	Raleigh, N. C.
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Nashville, Tenn.	Atlanta, Ga.
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Atlanta, Ga.	Talladega, Ala.
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Hampton, Va.	Tyler, Texas
Huston-Tillotson College	Tougaloo College
Austin, Texas	Tougaloo, Miss.
Johnson C. Smith University	Tuskegee Institute
Charlotte, N. C.	Tuskegee Institute, Ala.
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Knoxville, Tenn.	Richmond, Va.
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Jackson, Tenn.	Marshall, Texas
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Memphis, Tenn.	New Orleans, La.
Lincoln University	Lincoln University, Pa.



Where to Attend Church in Des Moines

Corinthian Baptist Church 9th and School Streets REV. NORMAN R. OLPHIN, Minister Sunday School: 9:45 A. M. Morning Worship: 11:00 A. M. B. T. U.: 6:00 P. M. Evening Service: 7:00 P. M. Prayer Service Wednesday: 8:00 P. M.	Pilgrim Missionary Baptist Church 1732 Walker Street REV. H. A. SIMMONS, Pastor Sunday School: 9:45 A. M. Morning Service: 11:00 A. M. Prayer Meeting Wednesday: 7:30 P. M.
St. Paul A. M. E. Church 12th and Crocker Streets REV. JOHN E. HUNTER, Minister Sunday School: 9:30 A. M. Church Service: 11:00 A. M. Evening Service: 7:00 P. M. Prayer Service Wednesday: 7:30 P. M. Youth Fellowship: 5:30 P. M.	Mt. Olive Baptist Church S. E. 4th and Scott Street REV. H. R. FIELDS, Pastor Sunday School: 9:45 A. M. Morning Service: 11:00 A. M. Evening Service: 7:45 P. M. Wednesday Prayer Service: 7:30 P. M. Friday: Pastor Missionary Aid Society 7:30 P. M.
Grace Healing Temple Church of God in Christ 9th and Railroad West Des Moines ORDER OF SERVICE Morning Worship combined: 11 A. M. Evening Service: 8:00 P. M. Thursday Night Service: 8:00 P. M. You who are sick and are without call fare to come to church, call 62-0627 and you will be picked up and carried to and from service. ELDER A. C. CARROLL, Pastor	Maple Street Baptist Church E. 16th and Maple Street REV. GEO. PARISH, Minister, 6-8910 Sunday School: 9:45 A. M. Morning Worship: 11:00 A. M. Bible Class: 6:30 P. M. Evening Service: 7:30 P. M. Prayer Service: Wed., 8 P. M.
First Baptist Church 131 9th Street, West Des Moines, Iowa REV. L. G. GARRETT, Pastor SERVICE Sunday School: 9:45 A. M. Morning Worship: 11:00 A. M. B. T. U.: 6:30 P. M. Prayer Service Wednesday: 7:30 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.
East University Church of God in Christ ORDER OF SERVICES OVERSEER LOUIS H. FORD, Pastor Sunday School: 9:30 A. M. Morning Worship: 11:00 A. M. Evening Service: 8:00 P. M. Wednesday Evening: 8:00 P. M. Broadcast each Sunday: 10:00-10:30 P. M.	Union Baptist Church E. UNIVERSITY AT MCCORMICK REV. SEYMOUR GAINES, Pastor Sunday School: 10:00 A. M. Morning Worship: 11:00 A. M. Evening Service: 7:45 P. M. Prayer Service Wednesday: 7:45 P. M.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday morning, Sept. 13, the Rev. A. C. Crawford will preach from the subject, "There Isn't A Better Place Than Jordan." At 6:30 p.m. the Fellowship group will have a Bible quiz led by Miss Janice McQuerry.

The Friendly Workers club met Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Mattie Avant, 1182 Eleventh street. The senior ushers board will meet Friday, Sept. 11, at the church.

Among the visitors were: Mr. B. Carr of Cedar Rapids, Ia.; Mrs. Mamie Battles of St. Paul, Minn.; Among the sick and shut-ins are: Mesdames Lora Warden, Elizabeth Singleton, Mercy hospital; Lelia Ousley, Fannie Cox and Mr. Ralph Jackson in Veterans hospital.

E. 17th St. CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

Homecoming revival will begin Sunday, September 13, at 8 p. m. E. 17th Street and University Avenue Church of God in Christ, conducted by Elder H. R. Holmes of Columbus, Ohio. Music will be furnished by Rev. Samuel Patterson and other talent of the city. Rev. R. H. Ford is pastor.

COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Services last Sunday were in charge of Rev. Arthur Bush, Bishop D. H. and Mrs. Cranshaw returned Monday after attending a homecoming Sunday in Mt. Olive, Mo.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NOTES

The missionary society will meet Sept. 15, at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. George McCraven, Mrs. Mabel M. Mason, delegate to the missionary conference at Council Bluffs, will give a report of the 33rd Northwestern annual missionary conference.

The primary church school workers will meet Friday, 7:30 p.m. at the church for a planning meeting.

IOWANS ATTENDING BAPTIST CONVENTION IN MIAMI, FLA.

Mrs. G. W. McElroy of 1525 Stewart, and Mrs. Ethel Bowen of 1021 Eleventh street, members of Union Baptist church, are attending the National Baptist Convention in Miami, Fla. They plan to visit Cuba before returning to Des Moines.

THE C. A. RECORDS MOVE TO ROBINSON HOME

Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Record, formerly of 1213 Scott street, are residing at the home of Mrs. G. W. Robinson, 1009 Twelfth street.

The Rev. Mr. Record recently retired as pastor of the Shiloh Baptist church.

Church Honors Director And Pianist



MISS IONA ADAMS

Union Baptist church, East University and McCormick avenue, honors this week Miss Iona Adams, pianist for the Daughters of Harmony, a musical group; and, Mr. Thomas N. Gassberry, director of the Daughters of Harmony.

Miss Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Adams, a Missourian by birth, came to Des Moines in 1952 from Lincoln, Neb., where she spent two years at the University of Nebraska, in the school of Business Administration, majoring in accounting.

Her musical training began in Hannibal, Mo., while a student at Douglas High school, where she was a member of the school's band.

She is employed as a stenographer here for the State of Iowa, board of educational examiners.

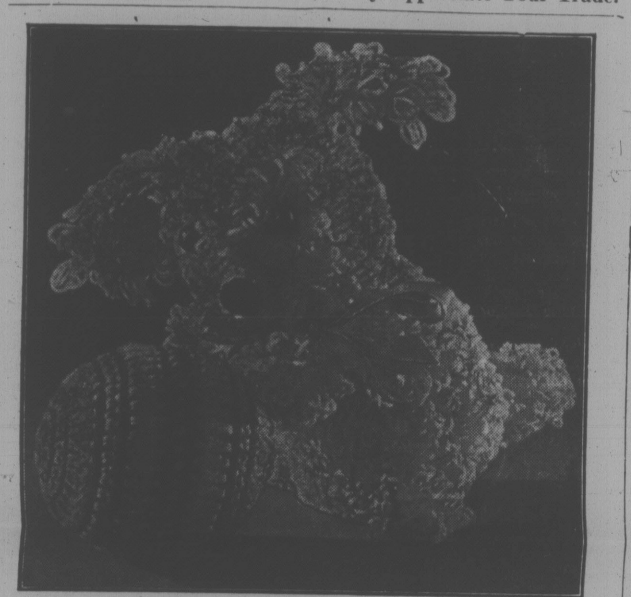
THOMAS N. GASSBERRY

Thomas N. Gassberry, who with his wife, resides at 753 Eleventh street, is director of the Daughters of Harmony of Union Baptist church. His musical training began in Hannibal, Mo., while a student at Douglas High school where he sang with the chorus, and also, his church's choir.

During his three-year military career, spent in the Philippine Islands, he sang with musical groups of his division. Upon leaving the services, he came to Des Moines and studied two years at Grandview college.

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arranged by the president, Mrs. Dora Rideout, who was presented with gifts in appreciation of her diligent work.

Miss A. Anderson of Chicago is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Amanda Ross. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ray returned from their vacation in Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams, Mrs. Elsie Drew have returned from a ten-day vacation trip to Chicago where they visited relatives and friends.

John Louis Brown, 74, 519 S. Third, died August 31 at St. Francis hospital. He was son of Charles and Charity Palmer Brown, born in Burlington, March 5, 1878. He was a member of St. John A.M.E. church.

Surviving are a sister, Genevieve of Burlington, and several cousins. Funeral services were held in Prugh Chapel Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Mr. George P. Jones officiated. Interment was in Aspen Grove cemetery.

The NAACP will sponsor a barbeque picnic celebration Emancipation Day, Sept. 14, at Perkins park. Mrs. Georgine Morris of Des Moines is to be guest speaker. Mrs. John Kipper still is sick.

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Bishop Reads Appointments At Council Bluffs Meeting

The Northwestern conference of the fourth Episcopal district of the A.M.E. church ended its thirty-third annual session Sunday at the Bethel church in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

The Rt. Rev. George Baber of Detroit, Mich., presiding bishop of the fourth district, read appointments at the close of the session.

Rev. W. H. Ogletton, presiding elder of the Des Moines district, was returned to the district for another year.

Other ministers assigned in this district were: J. E. Hunter, returned to St. Paul church, Des Moines; C. E. Duke, returned to Bethel church, Des Moines; J. L. Thomas, Davenport; E. C. Allen, Ottumwa; Keokuk to be supplied; Karl McKay, Burlington; Harry Stone, Clinton; Theo Hudson, Council Bluffs; W. A. Simpson, Muscatine; Marshall Smith, Oskaloosa; W. A. Brewer, Clarinda-Washington; J. M. Barr, Albia-Fort Madison and Fairfield and Mt. Pleasant; Christina R. McDonald, Iowa City; R. C. Campbell, supply, Newton.

Evangelists in the Des Moines district are: R. O. Hopkins, O. Robertson, Charles Penny, Ethel Penny.

St. Paul District

The Rev. Nelson Pryor was returned as presiding elder of the St. Paul (Minn.) district.

Other ministers in this district are: Rev. H. Jones, St. James in St.

Paul; M. L. Simmons, St. Peters, Minneapolis; George P. Jones, Waymon, Minneapolis; H. E. Reddick, St. James, Minneapolis; G. T. Stinson, Jr., Waterloo, Ia.; C. H. Copeland, Cedar Rapids; Sioux City to be supplied; LeRoy Patterson, Fort Dodge; T. J. Morris, Duluth, Minn.; George Boykins, Yankton and Huron, S. D.; Allen Chapel, Minneapolis to be supplied; Winnipeg-Manitou, Canada, to be supplied.

Transfers included: J. C. Dixon to Michigan conference; N. P. Patterson to Ohio conference; W. M. Johnson to the Illinois conference.

THE M. W. GOODMAN'S CALLED TO DAVENPORT

Rev. M. W. Goodman, pastor of New Jerusalem church of God in Christ in Des Moines and Davenport, and Mrs. Goodman, enroute to the youth congress meeting in Kansas City, Mo., were called back to Davenport last week by the death of one of the church's deacons, Thomas Parker.

PHYLLIS WHEATLEY GOP CLUB TO MEET MONDAY, SEPT. 14

The Phyllis Wheatley Republican club will meet at the home of Mrs. Essie Davis, 1115 Eleventh street, Monday, Sept. 14, 8 p.m. All members are urged to attend.

here with her grandmother, Mrs. Nannie Cobb.

Mrs. Liddy Walker and daughter, Mell Williams have returned to Youngstown, Ohio, after visiting their niece and cousin, Mrs. Malissa Howard.

Mrs. Gloria Hazelwood who has been making her home in St. Paul, Minn., has come home to stay for an indefinite time before going to visit her husband's relation. Lt. Hazelwood is an army officer stationed in Japan.

Miss Evelyn Patterson of St. Paul and Miss Beverly Patterson of Des Moines, sisters of Mrs. Hazelwood, were here, to see their only nephew, Walter Lynn Gates, Jr., a few weeks old.

Miss Alma Jean Buckner of Minneapolis, Minn., was home for the holiday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Buckner.

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The A. A. Alexanders Hosts At Labor Day Steak Fry

A. A. Alexander, Des Moines, Washington, D. C. contractor-engineer, left Thursday to return to his work in Washington, after a week's stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander were the hosts at a Labor Day steak fry, Monday afternoon, held on one of the terraces of their home, at 2200 Chautauqua parkway.

Sharing the courtesy were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McKinley Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mitchell, Atty. and Mrs. James B. Morris and their house guest, Mrs. E. Rolla Wilson of Philadelphia, Pa., Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Scales, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Trotter, Mesdames Lillian Edmunds, Gwen Fowler and Lulu Mae Harris, Miss Marie Ross, Dr. C. R. Crawford, and Atty. W. Lawrence Oliver.

House Guests of the Wm. C. Browns Feted

Mrs. William C. Brown, 1162 Thirtieth street, entertained at luncheon last Tuesday for Mrs. Geneva Anniston of Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Lydia Tate of Waterloo, Ia., and Mesdames E. P. Jackson, W. V. Cropp, George Nichols, Columbus Ware, S. R. Cason and Russell Bell.

Recent house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Brown were Mr. and Mrs. Brummell Perry and Mrs. Erma Johnson of Omaha, Neb., and Mrs. Cordelia Perry of Kansas City, Kas.

The Browns and the Wheeler Kemps entertained for them at a picnic last Sunday at Union Park. Others sharing the courtesy were Mr. and Mrs. John Munn, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Carson, Mr. and Mrs. George Forbush of Higginsville, Mo., Mrs. Festus Stone of Tuscon, Ariz., and Mrs. Cottie Lucas.

Mrs. Dora Chinn of Higginsville, Mo., were Labor Day week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Brown. She was entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. John Munn; luncheon by Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Allen.

Mrs. Chinn left Tuesday, accompanying the Forbushes, Mr. Forbush is a brother of Mrs. Wheeler Kemp of 1108 Seventeenth street.

THE T. L. HOWARDS SPEND VACATION IN DENVER, COLO.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Howard, 1015 Fifteenth street, return recently from a nine-day vacation spent in Denver, Colo.

While in the Mile-High City—"getting a rest and seeing the beautiful sights," the Howards were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Taylor, and were entertained also by Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sauls.

"The trip to the mountains was a wonderful one. We went over 11,000 feet up Mt. Evans—and it was really cold—snowing on top," Mrs. Howard said.

The Howards attended dog and horse races, went sight-seeing about the city parks and met many former Iowans now living in Denver.

Mr. Howard is the well known "Speck" Howard of the Save-U-Market in Des Moines.

MRS. FESTUS STONE OF ARIZONA HERE

Mrs. Festus Stone of Tuscon, Ariz., spent a short visit here with her mother, Mrs. Maxine Gray of 1156 Enos street.

Mrs. Stone was enroute to her home after having attended the recent funeral of her father, Noble Gray, in Philadelphia, Pa.

MR. AND MRS. BAYLES VISIT HAMPTON, CLEAR LAKE, IOWA

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford L. Bayles spent the Labor Day week end in Hampton, Clear Lake, Mason City and Manly, Ia., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams of Hampton, Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Martin of Mason City and Mr. and Mrs. T. Barnett of Manly, Iowa.

THE RALPH SIMMONSES OF DETROIT VISIT WITH MRS. O. WILLIAMS

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Simmons and nephew, Bernard Davis of Detroit, Mich., were house guests of Mrs. Olivia Williams, Mrs. Simmons is the former Irene Hayes of Des Moines.

Mrs. Williams motored to Indianapolis, Ind., with them, where they picked up Mrs. Kinney Hayes and Freddie. They are the wife and son of Mose Hayes. All went back to Detroit with the Simmonses.

Mrs. Yarborough Of New York Visits Here

Mrs. Lucy Ann Yarborough of New York City, commissioned imperial lecturer of the daughter of Isis, spent several days here the house guest of her nephew, Mr. Norman Blagburn of 1033 Tenth street.

Mrs. Yarborough, who had attended the national sessions of the Daughter Isis which convened in Denver, Colo., renewed friendships she made fifty years ago when she resided in Des Moines. She was one of the imperial council of the Daughters of Isis, when it was organized in 1907, she revealed.

In New York City, Mrs. Yarborough is a teacher and consultant of beauty culture, licensed by the state of New York. She formerly directed the Brooklyn School of Beauty Culture.

Mrs. Yarborough met some of the local Daughter of Isis members here this week.

MRS. J. B. MORRIS, JR. VISITING IN CHICAGO

Mrs. James B. Morris, Jr., 955 Seventeenth street, is spending a vacation in Chicago, Ill., with her mother and other relatives.

THE H. T. MCKNIGHTS RETURN FROM VACATION AT EXCELSIOR SPRINGS

Atty. and Mrs. Henry T. McKnight and son, Henry T. Jr., returned home last Thursday after a twelve-day vacation trip to the national health and pleasure resort, Excelsior Springs, Mo.

While there the McKnights resided at the Moore's Mineral Bath hotel. While Atty. McKnight had baths and a well-earned rest, Mrs. McKnight and son spent most of their mornings at the Siloam Health park, behind the Hall of Waters.

The hall houses seven different kinds of waters, all of which can be bought for the small sum of three and four cents per glass, Mrs. McKnight said.

The Iowans also visited around, sight-seeing the beautiful hills and foliage which was scorched by the severe heat and drought in Missouri and Kansas during the summer.

The McKnights were dinner guests of Mrs. Mary Cabbell and her sister, Mrs. Queen, and brother, Mr. N. Streets, who is owner of the Streets hotel in Kansas City, Mo. While in Excelsior, the Iowans visited in Kansas, Missouri City and Richmond, Mo.



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Des Moines was running over with visitors—here during the week end for the closing days of the annual Iowa State Fair with its many features; Shriners here for the Gala Day celebration; and, Buxtonites and their offspring here for the annual Iowa-Buxton club's homecoming celebration.

One of the very popular visitors at the homecoming picnic Sunday was Mrs. John Allen of Chicago, Ill., whose home-made ice cream in a freezer, all the way from the Windy City, drew a line-up of picnickers who even tried to buy some of smooth-as-velvet refreshment from her. She had to keep telling them that she was not selling the cream. It was a part of the S. Jordan and I. Carter picnic spread.

Loses Dishes
Mrs. Beatrice Crank, 1181 Eleventh street, had enjoyed the picnic with members to her family, had packed up her canvas bag with dishes, silverware, glasses, and even some of the remaining food to take back to her home.

While chatting, her bag with the food and dishes disappeared from by her table and Mrs. Crank said she would be very happy if the finder would return the dishes, silver and glassware. Her phone number is 4-4680. It may have been picked up by mistake—so many of the picnickers had boxes and bags about the table legs and benches.

Steaks sizzled on the outdoor barbecue grill at the A. A. Alexander home Labor Day afternoon where Dr. C. R. Bradford was chief cook, aided by Restauranter A. P. Trotter and Engineer-Contractor Alexander who was home enjoying the cool Iowa air on his first visit back since his recent illness in New York City.

Mrs. Annie Dysart Of California Here

Mrs. Annie Dysart and daughter, Barbara, of Los Angeles, Cal., are visiting her mother, Mrs. Edna Tate of 1235 E. Sixteenth street, and her two sisters, Mrs. Zeora Butler and Mrs. Electa Vaughn and a host of other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Dysart who is a concert pianist and music teacher, is anticipating doing some concerts in the Middle West. She opened the first Negro studio in San Bernardino and the first one in Fontana, and one in Los Angeles. She has been doing concerts, orchestra and solo work on the West coast for the past six years.

Mrs. Dysart was acclaimed poetess in 1947. She has work published in two anthologies, in 1947 and 1948. She was a student of Drake university.

Mrs. Mattie Payne, the sister of Dr. Daniel W. Phelps, who has a pharmacy office at Northern Air Base, San Bernardino, accompanied them on the vacation trip. They are being shown many courtesies here.

Miss Barbara Dysart is an accomplished musician. She has done radio work and has attended college.

WASHINGTONIANS VISIT THE ROY CONNERS HERE

Lawrence, Frederick and Connie Pernel returned to their home in Washington, D. C., after a month's visit with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Connor, 830 Fifteenth street.

While here they were escorted by old friends of the family, Mrs. Alfred Shepherd and son, Billy, on sight-seeing trips.

Mrs. Alexander served guests colorfully decorated tables, arranged about the flower gardens on one of the terraces. At sundown, the September air became so cool until the guests moved inside of the home for the remainder of the evening's activities.

The after holiday mail brought in more cards and notes from vacationers. Mrs. Joburness Kelsa was in Chicago, Ill., "just for a change." She was having a "grand time" and wished that I was there.

Mrs. Thelma Dixon wrote from Baton Rouge, La., where she went to visit her son, Sgt. Thomas W. Wallace, who invited her to come visit him at Camp Polk at Leesville, La. "The welcome committee was all white—and what a motored back to camp from the station. Their trailer is located among the tall pine trees. Oh, it's real lovely here. I am enjoying the odor of the pine," Mrs. Dixon wrote.

Sgt. Wallace is in charge of all records for overseas duty, the proud mother informed. She revealed that she had gained five pounds after eating the Southern food.

As soon as most of the vacation news has been published—and there has been much of it this summer—with Iowans going about the country or former Iowans coming back home—I can get back to more comments on my recent trip with the Iowa Military District's press-lift to Camp McCoy, Wis.

So many readers, whom I met at various week end celebrations and programs—made such congratulatory comments that I must wait until a bit more space is available. With the opening up of the public schools this week, some of the social activities have ceased until the next vacation season.

When Mrs. Bernice Gaines of 1173 Tenth street, settles down next month to a busy season in the public schools as a teacher and with her many music students, she will have some interesting experiences to tell them of her vacation trip this summer.

Wife of the Rev. Seymour Gaines, she and their two small sons, and Mrs. Frank Burke, Jr., moved to Michigan, New York and Canada. Along the way, Mrs. Gaines made a few mental notes of some of the things that "impressed us most on our trip." She recalled:

"In Canada—the beautiful pink climbing roses that were growing everywhere along the way. I inquired of several townspeople what kind they were and it was just my luck to pick those who spoke mostly in French. But, after polishing up

Logan School PTA To Meet Sept. 15

The Logan School PTA will open its fall season Tuesday, Sept. 15, at 2:45 p.m., at which time the new teachers will be introduced to the members of the organization. Mrs. Geneva Robinson is president.

Many Out-of-Town Guests Attend Iowa-Buxton Club's Celebration

The Iowa-Buxton club's annual homecoming celebration and picnic brought to Des Moines scores of out-of-town visitors who met with relatives and friends here Saturday and Sunday for the week end of feast and festivity.

Around long tables at the homecoming picnic Sunday afternoon were many of the visitors in Union park.

Pvt. Robert Wilson of Peoria, Ill., was guest of his mother, Mrs. Elsie Reeves of 1404 Center street. He is stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

From Lovilla, Ia., were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles King, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rumley and Shirley, Marilyn and Everett King, Jr. Proud father was Mr. Johnson whose birthday was being observed, also.

In another group were Mrs. Dorothy Caldwell, Mrs. Cora Hemphill, Mr. Phillip Burkett, Mr. Oliver Burkett, all of Waterloo; and Mr. and Mrs. General Rumley of Pershing, Iowa.

Mr. W. P. Lewis and son, Joe Lewis, of Centerville were with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Junkins of Bloomfield.

Mrs. Emma Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pope and two daughters, all of Milwaukee, Wis., and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carr and daughters and Miss Ernestine Smith, all of Cedar Rapids, were another party.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Williams of Waterloo, and Mr. John Lett of Omaha, Neb., were guests of Mrs. Elsie Morrison.

Omahans Here
Fordham of Omaha were guests of Mr. and Mrs. French Brown, Jr.

Mrs. Mary Reeves of Excelsior Springs, Mo., was in the crowd.

Mrs. Lydia Tate and Mr. Lazelle Forney, both of Waterloo, were guests of her daughter, Mrs. Helen Frazier, 1555 Walker street.

With Mr. and Mrs. Judge Lay of 1513 Second avenue, were her sister-in-law, Mrs. Elnora Robinson and her grandson, William Thaxton, both of Cartersville, Ga. Mrs. Robinson returned with Mrs. Lay from Georgia where the Iowan spent a three week visit.

In Des Moines to attend the on my rusty French, I decided they were a variety called "The Seven Sisters."

"We stopped in London, Ontario, for food. We made several purchases in a grocery store, and then asked for meat and cheese. We were informed we must buy meat in the meat market next door. When we asked for milk in the meat market, it was explained that milk was sold in the Dairy Bar which was across the street. Ice was a luxury. There just wasn't any. Those we asked would say: 'I have a little in my ice box—but the water (or pop) is cool.'"

"Gasoline was forty cents a gallon. Clothes were high. Canadians say they come over in the States to shop for clothes, but food was cheaper. "The motel we selected in Canada was at Thorold, the city of the seven locks. Here was located a canal, similar to the Panama canal, where one could almost touch the ships, American and foreign, as they passed through. Seeing the ships climb hills was also interesting. Thorold was about 17 miles from Niagara Falls, high on a hill.

Niagara Falls
"Niagara Falls was breath-taking. I just cannot describe it. One just has to see it for himself. I was quite surprised to note the height of the Falls which does not show up on

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Mrs. Irma Wilson of Philadelphia Here

Mrs. Irma Wilson, of Philadelphia, Pa., wife of E. Rolla Wilson, a Pittsburgh Courier sports writer, was week end and holiday guest of Atty. and Mrs. James B. Morris, 955 Seventeenth street.

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Mr. Jack Howard of Minneapolis, was looking on.

The Misses Leota Martin and Lorraine Jeffries of Mason City were guests of Miss Marian LaPlant, 1152 Ninth street.

Mrs. Marie Johnson of Omaha was guest of Ollie Craddock.

About the picnic seeing old Buxtonites were Paul Baker, of Milwaukee, Wis., with his boyhood pal, George Lee of 609 S. E. Fourth street. Friends were still calling "tall guy" Paul and "Shortie" SEE PAGE SIX

THE W. WASHINGTONS OF K. C. HONORED HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Wiflow Washington of Kansas City, Mo., were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lewis. Mr. and Mrs. Clark Kitchen entertained the guests at dinner. Sharing the courtesy were Mrs. Izella Lockett, Mr. Leonard Walker, Mrs. Maybelle Jefferson.

Mrs. Jefferson was hostess at a dinner for the couple. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. John M. Danforth, Mrs. Mollie Beverly and Mr. Leonard Walker.

The Washingtons are cousins of Mrs. Jefferson and Mr. Lewis.

MISS H. M. STATEN RETURNS FROM TRIP TO N.Y. AND CANADA

Miss H. M. Staten, 1112 Eleventh street, returned recently from a three-weeks vacation trip spent in Buffalo, N. Y., and Niagara Falls, Canada and Detroit, Mich.

pictures. They are high. They are best seen from the Canadian side (on which we had traveled). The colored lights on the Falls at night were gorgeous.

"The boys were most thrilled to be looking over into New York, and they were not satisfied until we had crossed the famous Rainbow bridge to the New York side. We had been treated most wonderful in Canada. The farther north we went, as far as a few miles out of Toronto, the nicer the people were. We felt free to go in any place desired along the way, but upon arriving in New York, we began to wonder about the restaurants and hesitated before venturing in.

"We are still wondering about two, where polite excuses were made about their places not being as nice as another recommended. However, we were relieved to find that 'Your Uncle's' really was a swank restaurant and not a joke on us.

Toll Bridge
"The two toll bridges over Lake Erie going into Buffalo, N. Y., almost made this driver turn in her license. Mrs. Burke did not know it, but I was really 'scared.' To add to the breath-taking heights of the bridges, and swirling waters underneath, they were steep hills to be climbed. "Buffalo, N. Y.'s high buildings, such as Hotel Statler, were about the most impressive things there, to us. We saw much water and bridges.

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Mrs. Otis James Returns From Month's Vacation In South

Mrs. Otis James, 1169 Fourteenth street, returned Sept. 4 after a month's vacation in Alabama, Missouri and Kansas.

Mrs. James left August 4 for Birmingham, Ala., to visit Mrs. Henry Borroughs who spent three weeks in Des Moines.

While there she was extended many social courtesies and visited many Negro business sections. Mrs. James is a native of Eutaw, Ala., suburb of Birmingham, where she visited relatives and friends.

She visited also at Tuskegee Institute, Ala., with Dr. and Mrs. T. S. Williams and family; and had a chance to go through the school of veterinary medicine. Other former Iowans Mrs. James saw were Mrs. Pearl Jefferson and William Potts, dean of agricultural department of Tuskegee Institute.

Enroute home Mrs. James spent nine days in Kansas City, Kas., guest of Mrs. Enola Hill. The Iowan attended some of the sessions of the national golf tournament. Mrs. Hill accompanied Mrs. James back to Des Moines to spend the Labor Day week end.

Of her travel experiences, Mrs. James told of having run into Jim Crow of the white and Negro passengers on the train which carried her from Memphis to Alabama.

In the group of Negro passengers forced to move from the mixed car to the jimcrow section of the train, was a wounded Negro Korean veteran, who was going back to his home in the south to see his parents, Mrs. James said.

She said she talked to the soldier and he said he would move—only to avoid trouble—because he was not planning to stay in the south long. He was returning to Japan where he had bought a home, Mrs. James said he told her.

She reported some racial progress being made in her state since her last visit there in 1934. The "white" and "Negro" signs are still up, but the clerks are friendlier in the stores and now Negroes may ride the elevators. She said she noted that in the five and dime stores there—"Negroes could not buy hot dogs—even to take out of the store to eat."

"Our most embarrassing experience was when one of the boys purchased an English flag, waved it at one of the many pictures of the Queen and said 'Hi Hitler!'"

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MRS. NANNIE NEFF OF SLATER, MO., SHOWN COURTESIES HEHE

Mrs. Nannie Neff of Slater, Mo., was recent house guest of her sister and sister-in-law, Mrs. America Yancey and Mrs. Celestial Jones of 1232 Dixon street.

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THERE MUST BE NO EXCEPTIONS

Sometimes it is better to act and make a mistake than to take no action at all. But this was not the case of the Commodity Credit Corp. which reversed itself when it withdrew the provisions in the agreement with banks and loan companies wherein the federal government guarantees loans made to farmers.

When President Eisenhower created his contract compliance commission, Vice-President Nixon who was made chairman, said this would be a working commission which means that it proposes to go after violators. No exceptions were made by President Eisenhower that some people should comply with the law; that some need not. But in this instance Secretary Benson, by striking out the fair employment provision in the case of bankers, has cut the dirt out from under what President Eisenhower proposes to do.

There are those who like Governor Byrnes, would rather the Communists take over America than give the Negro an even break. And they prove this by advocating one course of action when it comes to Negroes and a different one when others are dealt with.

It very often happens that nobody wants a showdown. Certainly this is true with respect to problems of minority groups. Every effort is made to appease the radicals opposed to fair treatment for all. But he is not worth the concessions for his conduct nullifies every good thing that decent people stand for.

Governor Byrnes is like a smart bad child who takes a little more liberty doing something he knows is wrong and at the same time watches his parents for their reaction.

Neither Mr. Eisenhower nor anyone else can go on preaching the doctrine of a free world and free men and at the same time let men like Byrnes set the standard of what a free man is.

The appointment of Governor Byrnes as a delegate to the U. N. was a mistake; to capitulate to his wishes in the Agriculture Department rules was another. Surely Mr. Eisenhower should learn soon that he cannot keep on making mistakes of this kind and at the same time make good on his promises to eliminate second class citizenship and elect a Republican Congress in 1954.

WE HAVE NOT BEEN HURT SO BAD

Judging from reports made by returned prisoners from Communists China, they have been just a little less brutal than Nazi Germany in World War II; on the other hand many men in high places have said that their treatment was not bad—especially General Dean.

Many prisoners were treated badly because they acted badly. Like the smart guy who finds himself in jail, and, even though at the complete mercy of the jailer, takes an arrogant stand and often gets his head cracked—and cracked hard do they often get.

This is not an argument for the mistreatment of any man who is in no position to protect himself but a simple statement of fact that most nations react about the same when captured prisoners are dealt with.

SUPPORT THE NEGRO COLLEGE FUND DRIVE

Things are being done differently and this is certainly true of the system of raising funds for Negro schools in the South. Since the Civil War dozens of representatives of these schools have traveled up and down the country collecting funds for their institutions, some good, some not so good.

A few years, thirty-one accredited schools decided to pool their solicitations and thus the United Negro College Fund.

The citizens of Des Moines raised a fund for this cause for the first time in 1952. They are being asked to repeat the campaign in 1953.

Fortunately, the campaign has been well organized and donations from the larger companies have come in very well. On the other hand, Negroes have not done a good job raising a fair share of the \$5,000 asked when the Negro group is the chief beneficiary.

All kinds of objections are advanced notably the "Fund prolongs segregation." Of course, this is not true. It merely provides a share of the operating costs of these schools until segregation is outlawed so that whites may go to Negro schools and vice versa. It provides an orderly business like method of raising funds as distinguished from haphazard methods used much of which are never accounted for.

Many Negroes in Des Moines attended some of these schools. Most of the very people who oppose the United Negro College Fund belong to Negro churches which are a part of the biggest segregated organization in America.

The United Negro College Fund is worthy of support. Des Moines must meet its quota of five thousand dollars, a fair share of which should be given by Negroes.

TRUTH ON A-BOMB WEATHER EFFECT

If you are one of the many people who wonder if the A-bomb is responsible for our queer weather, you can forget it. It isn't so. The nation's top scientists reveal in the September issue of *Mechanix Illustrated*, now on the newsstands, the answer is simply that we are riding on the tail end of a glacial age and our climate is shifting.

Telling the truth about the atom-bomb and the weather, *Mechanix Illustrated* reminds its readers that not too long ago, before electric refrigeration, most of our large cities depended upon ice for their ice-boxes. We don't miss the ice today because we have refrigerators, but we would if we had to depend on those very same lakes. They just don't ice-over any more.

Present-day New Yorkers who have never seen the Hudson river covered with ice find it hard to believe that once there was a regular ferry service over the ice to Staten Island. Many a five-year-old in "wintery" New England has yet to use a sled or throw a real snowball.

Our winters are milder and we are apt to overlook a comfortably warm season. Unpleasant weather leaves the greatest impression. Let winds and floods and storms increase and we immediately ask for a Congressional investigation to probe the possible effects of atomic radiation on the weather.

Usually, about two days after a bomb blast in Nevada, radioactive particles fall on the East Coast. This fact, along with the unusual weather, is what has started many people, including some meteorologists, into wondering about the effects of atomic blasts. This is not startling, however, for on May 2 New York had rainfall containing red dust from windstorms in Texas. In other words it is perfectly natural for dust (radiated or not) to be carried elsewhere and aid in the formation of rain. As the atomic scientists put it "there is no evidence that the explosion has been followed by anything but a passing local downpour." The bombs won't change our climate.

Mechanix Illustrated's September issue also includes strange tales of humans who are risking their lives to further the cause of good medicine together with useful tips for the farmer, fisherman, motorist, amateur photographer and homemaker.

Medical Schools Receive Grants

New York—Howard University College of Medicine, Washington, D. C., was granted \$21,000 and Meharry Medical College, Nashville, Tenn., was awarded \$20,435 of the initial grants for 1953 totaling \$1,944,151.64 awarded to the nations 79 medical schools by the National Fund for Medical Education, S. Sloan Colt, president, announced this week.

Each of the 73-four year schools received a lump sum of \$15,000 plus \$20 per undergraduate medical student while the six two-year basic medical sciences schools received \$7,500 each plus \$20 per student. Added to these grants were gifts of individual physicians for designated schools.

These grants bring to \$4,764,152.64 the amount awarded since 1951 when the National Fund made its first awards—awards aimed at strengthening the medical schools' teaching standards, which are basic to all medical progress.

Brotherhood Foundation

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royalty on the particular item bearing it is being paid to the Foundation for that privilege—and that these royalties are going exclusively into the fight for civil rights under the direction of a responsible board of directors.

Costly Task

The former envoy declared that the task of translating the American idea of democracy into a reality "is a costly proposition," and cited as evidence the aggregate 1953 budgets for six major private organizations fighting racial and religious discrimination which amount to nearly \$7,000,000. They are the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, National Urban League, American Jewish Congress, American Jewish Committee, Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith, and the National Conference of Christians and Jews.

Mr. Dudley disclosed that the Foundation already has agreed to the use of the symbol on a line of electronic devices and electrical appliances, and on another covering certain alcoholic beverages soon to be introduced in the New York area.

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HEALTH FOR ALL

READY FOR SCHOOL

The first day of school is a big event in a child's life. He may have spent years in nursery school or kindergarten, but he feels that first grade is "the real thing." He is eager, and at the same time a little worried. He may even be afraid.

Of course, parents see the necessity of taking Junior to the doctor to make sure there are no physical defects, such as poor eyesight or hearing, that will hold back his school progress. Many schools will give reading readiness tests to be sure he is mentally ready for first grade. But often his emotional preparation is forgotten. There may be fears and wrong attitudes which will interfere with his adjustment to school.

"Just wait till you get to school. They'll make you behave." Thoughtless parents may have used threats like this which make school a terrifying prospect. Older children may speak of teacher as a combination of ogre and policeman and exaggerate the difficulty of school work. If the damage has already been done, all members of the family will have

to work together to repair it.

An older child can take Junior around the school and make him feel familiar with the building. A shopping excursion for clothes and school supplies will help make pleasant associations with the prospect of school. The change to a rigid schedule can be made gradually as summer ends, and the time needed to get Junior up, dressed, fed, and off to school can be worked out so that there will be little tension and confusion when the great day comes.

Mother will be wise to hide her feelings and not tell the youngster how much she will miss him while preparation is forgotten. There may be fears and wrong attitudes which will interfere with his adjustment to school. It will only distress and perplex the child to be asked endless questions about what he learns or what he does in his first school days.

Parents are in an important position to make the first days of school a happy adventure that will lead to a good emotional adjustment to school life.

ever gets his hair mussed up. But they are terrible battlers. Wonder what would happen if a player suddenly kayoed another one. Better not choose Jackie Robinson or Larry Doby, for that is just about what would happen.

Hold Man for Sale of Beer to Four Teen-Agers

Two charges were filed August 30 against a Des Moines man accused of serving beer to four teen-agers in his home last Saturday afternoon.

Leon Williams, 49, of 831 Eleventh street, was arrested by vice squad officers at his home late Saturday night and charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor and making beer available to a minor.

Lt. George Shuck of the police vice squad said he entered Williams' home about 5 p.m. and found four youths sitting at a table. Each had a bottle of beer, he said.

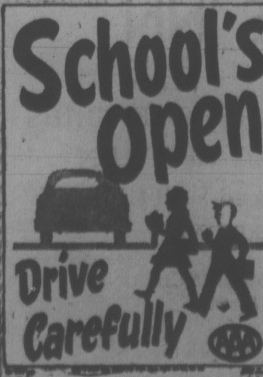


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all add their touch to dignity. The frost of time, of graceful age has etched the story of life's page; where all the world can plainly see—the serene face of dignity.
—Glenn A. Gallagher
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Iowa Buxton Club

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George, John M. Estes, chairman of the recreation for the celebration, ran down a photographer to have the two friends photographed:

Milwaukeeans Here

Mr. and Mrs. William Tolson, Mrs. Genevieve Spears, all of Milwaukee, Wis., Mrs. Pansy Robbins of St. Paul, Minn., were at a table with Mrs. Henrietta Tolson.

With Mrs. Gertrude Massey Nicola and family of 1016 Thirteenth street, were Mr. Toussaint Massey and son of Evanston, Ill., Mrs. Ona Hopkins and Mrs. Nadine Massey of Chicago, Ill. Mrs. Elaine Bagby of Kansas City, was guest of her mother, Mrs. Beatrice Crank and relatives.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Wilson, of 1764 Fourteenth street, were his sister, Mrs. Morna Morgan, and Mr. William Miller, both of Milwaukee, Mr. James A. Wilson and Mrs. Theoria Fields, both of Buffalo, N. Y.

According to Buxton club records, J. A. Wilson was the first baby born to parents who settled in Buxton. He is son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson of Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson of Cedar Rapids were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fraizer and family of 1344 Jefferson street.

Guests at the H. W. Walden

Shuck said that the youths covered the bottles with a newspaper when he entered and then fled out the front door. Shuck cornered the youths and had a citizen hold them while he went back into the house.

Signed Statements

The four boys, all 17 years old, were arrested and held for questioning by the vice bureau. Their car was impounded. Lt. William Purdy said the boys signed statements admitting that they bought the beer from Williams.

They told vice squad officers they paid 30 cents for each bottle of beer. One of the youths said he had been there "three or four times previously."

Later Saturday night Purdy, Vice Squad Officer Marvin Collins and Detective Robert Buckroyd and Forrest Speck returned to Williams' house and made the arrest.

The juveniles were released to their parents without charges.

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family table, of 3019 Amherst street, were Messrs. McKinley Carey and Donald Thomas, both of Detroit, Mrs. Lovey Mosely of Chicago, Mrs. Josephine Roberts Rhodes, wife of Mr. Ocie Rhodes, Willie Warrick of St. Paul, Minn., was with his father, W. H. Warrick of 1006 Thirteenth street.

At the table with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jordan, 1029 Tenth street, were Mr. and Mrs. John Allen of Chicago, Ill., who have a country home in Consol, Ia.; and Mrs. Theodore Monroe of Waterloo.

Strolling about meeting old friends was Mrs. Enola Thompson Hill of Kansas City, Kas., with Mrs. Otis James.

Others were Mr. George Bowman of Albia; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rumley and family of Pershing, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mitchell of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mills, and daughter of Omaha, Neb., were guests of Mrs. Martha Rivers, 1128 Second Place.

Chicago Cubs—

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Negro to A's
Philadelphia, Penn. — Robert Lee Trice, Negro right-handed pitcher for Ottawa of the International league, will join the Philadelphia Athletics here Friday and pitch his first American league game Sunday against the St. Louis Browns, the A's said Tuesday.

Trice, with a 20-10 mound record with the A's farm team in the Triple-A loop, is rated a top choice to win three International league honors—most valuable player, rookie of the year and all-star team choice. The 25-year-old onetime steelworker from Weirton, W. Va., will be the first Negro to play with a Philadelphia major league club.



Visiting around Iowa

by Joe Marsh

Iowans Play Safe

Iowa drivers have a right to be proud . . . that is, most of them do.

The news just came out that this is the 4th safest state in the nation.

How did we make that wonderful highway safety record? Most of all, I believe, by observing the rules of the road, respect for the rights of the other fellow.

And wouldn't it be a fine thing if we could carry a little more of that spirit into our every-day life. The driver who causes trouble is the fellow who goes ramming down the road, with no regard for the rest of us.

And the person who causes trouble in a neighborhood or town is the one who pounds away at his own ideas, and would like to dictate to his neighbors what they should think or do . . . regardless of their own likes, leanings, or tastes.

I say, let's guard against narrowness, intolerance in our communities, just as we guard against "one track minds" on our highways.

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