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NAACP PRAISES NAVY

Non-Segregation Policy Effective

Lifer Seeks Equality in Matter of Commutations, Paroles at Ft. Madison

Fort Madison, Ia.—"At Present time, there is a posted list on our yard bulletin board, naming a list of life termers called for consideration for commutation. Again, we as Negroes were omitted from this list," revealed one of the Negro life-termers at the Iowa State Penitentiary, Fort Madison, in a recent letter to the press.

"But," a footnote on this bulletin gave us that same old warmed-over sop, by saying another list is to follow.

'Better Luck'

"This—'Better-luck-next-time' routine has grown just a bit shop-worn, as we are passed up time and again, as we, day by day, grow older, and older, and a bit more hopeless, being continually ignored when the powers that be decide to temper justice with little mercy.

"No wonder the state that symbolizes the figure of justice is always blind-folded," commented the inmate. "For I venture to say—even though the figure is only a symbol, it would get enough to puke if it could see what is being done in its name."

"We are not seeking, nor ask preferred or special treatment; we merely ask that we be accorded equality in the matter of paroles, commutations and treatment in general.

"If our former records as citizens, our prison records as inmates, time served and general conduct merit consideration, then we ask that our cases be gone into searchingly and looked over in a fair, reasonable and unbiased manner, so that as human beings with hearts, hopes and feelings, as other humans, will receive treatment which is just, right and

without prejudice because of race, creed or color.

Fully Aware

"We are fully aware that the Board of Parole has its own peculiar policy in the matter of recommending lifers for commutations, and in the recommending of, or granting conditional releases or paroles, but it is all too evident from their actions over the

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Charles Joiner, 83, Dies; Rites In Clarksville, Ark.

Services were held Wednesday at Estes & Sons Funeral home for Charley Joiner, 83, of 1402 Second Place. Burial was at Clarksville, Ark.

Mr. Joiner died Nov. 16 at Broadlawn General hospital after an illness of four months.

He was born at Clarksville, Ark., and had lived in Des Moines for 12 years. He was a member of St. Paul AME church.

Survivors include five daughters, Mrs. Mabel Newton and Mrs. Minnie Ezell, both of Des Moines, Mrs. Johnnie Urisley and Mrs. Oretta West, both of Osawatomie, Kas., and Mrs. Perle Saxton of Clarksville; a son, Lemoyen, of Clarksville, and a brother, Labe Joiner, Fayetteville, Ark.

Isaac Patterson Found Stabbed to Death; Police Arrest Couple After Fight

Services for Isaac W. Patterson, 38, of 1215 Park street, will be at Ben Franklin, Texas, Friday.

Patterson, a native of Paris, Texas, who had resided in Des Moines 8 months, died Saturday night, Nov. 14, of a stab wound in the chest. He was taken by ambulance from 1211 Park street about 10 p.m., and was dead on arrival at Broadlawn General hospital.

Besides a knife wound above the heart, he suffered cuts on both hands.

Arrested for questioning in connection with the case were Julius J. Hunting, Jr., 29, and a woman police identified as Hunting's wife, Carrie, 47, both of 1211 Park street. Both were charged with intoxication.

Mrs. Hunting, who suffered cuts on several fingers of her right hand, was

taken to Broadlawn for treatment.

Detective James McGuire said that while investigating a report of a fight behind 1211 Park street, he discovered Patterson lying near the house. A kitchen knife with a 1½ inch blade was found underneath him.

McGuire said he found the Hunting's in their second-floor apartment at that address.

Hunting pleaded innocent in municipal court Tuesday when arraigned on a murder charge.

Judge Howard Brooks ordered Hunting held in jail without bond pending action of the Polk County grand jury.

Patterson is survived by a sister and a brother, all living in Texas.

Union Thanksgiving Morning Services in Many Churches

Union Thanksgiving morning religious services will be held by churches in various sections of the city.

In the southeast section at Mt. Olive Baptist church, members of the following churches will unite for services which will begin at 10:45 a.m.: Shiloh and St. John Baptist, Community Sanctified and First CME churches. The Rev. D. L. King, pastor of First CME church, will be the

Hold Services For William Morton, 88

Services for William Morton, 88, who died Monday at his home, 1407 E. Union street, were held Thursday at Estes & Son Funeral home. Burial was in Glendale cemetery.

A native of Columbia, Mo., Mr. Morton had lived here 42 years. He is survived by his wife, Edith, speaker.

Membership in NAACP Running Ahead of 1952

Charlotte, N. C.—Membership in the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People "is running 15 per cent ahead of last year," Gloster B. Current, the Association's director of branches, said here Nov. 15 at a mass meeting of the Charlotte NAACP branch. The meeting was held in behalf of the Association's "Fighting Fund for Freedom."

This increase in membership, Mr. Current asserted, "clearly indicates renewed interest on the part of people throughout the county in the work of the Association. They recognize that there is greater need for the NAACP than ever before."

Referring to the impact of the public school segregation cases to be reargued before the United States Supreme Court on December 7, the NAACP official observed that Southern "state legislators and school boards are rapidly voting funds and building modern schools and other facilities for Negroes in an effort to

In Marine Band



PFC. CLETUS WILLIAMS
Private First Class Cletus Williams, a member of the U. S. Marine Band, stationed in San Diego, Calif., ended a recent visit here with his mother, Mrs. Anna Williams, 1519 Scott street.

Williams, a June graduate of East High school, entered the services last July. He has received an award for marksmanship.

stem the tide against segregation."

Louisiana U. Ousts First Negro Undergraduate Under Supreme Court Ruling

Baton Rouge, La.—Louisiana State University expelled its first Negro undergraduate student Wednesday night under a court ruling but as a P. Tureaud, Jr., 17, left the campus his father disclosed that the United States supreme court has been asked to review the case.

Young Tureaud had been admitted to the university this fall under an injunction granted by U. S. District Judge J. Skelly Wright. But the U. S. court of appeals here reversed Judge Wright on the grounds the injunction motion should have been heard by a 3-judge court.

In line with this ruling Judge Wright vacated his own order last Monday and the university, acting on the advice of its attorneys, Wednesday "cancelled the registration" of Tureaud.

The youth's entrance, the univer-

sity said in a statement, was "conditionally accepted and subject to future court action. Thus the order vacating the temporary injunction renders the registration of Tureaud void."

Tureaud went home to New Orleans where his father is an attorney.

Dodgers Deny Salary Cutting Plans

Brooklyn, N. Y.—(CNS)—President Walter O'Malley denied this week the rumors that the Dodgers were planning to cut salaries and institute a "payroll savings plan."

"The last place we would try to save money would be on players' salaries," declared O'Malley. "I've heard those payroll-plan rumors. But I can tell you positively the suggestions are entirely untrue."

A. A. Alexander To Go On Tour To Pearl Harbor

A. A. Alexander, Des Moines-Washington, D. C. contractor-engineer, is one of a group of 15 men who have been invited by Secretary Robert B. Anderson of the U. S. Navy to make an inspection tour of naval bases in Pearl Harbor and other parts of Hawaii.

Mr. Alexander, who was at home in Des Moines during the week end, will return home for Thanksgiving, after which he will leave for San Diego, Cal., where the group will sail on Dec. 1.

After six days of inspection and maneuvers, the group will return to the country by plane.

Mr. Alexander revealed that he met the Navy's Secretary Anderson last July, when they were guests of President Eisenhower at a White House dinner.

Hundreds of Children Offered Free Thanks Day Dinners Here

Irving Stone, who for the sixth year has sponsored free Thanksgiving dinners, will again furnish dinners next Thursday, beginning at noon for children and families.

Turkey with all its trimmings will be served at noon at Winkle House, Seventeenth and Crocker streets; Bethel AME church, East University and Fifteenth street; and Walker Memorial Community House, S. E. Second and Dunham avenue.

Rev. Patrick D'Ostilio of St. John Presbyterial church will manage the whole program. Tickets may be obtained at the above addresses or at 2121 S. E. Ninth street, Phone 3-8289.

Services Held For Mrs. Mae Hawkins

Services for Mrs. Mae Hawkins, 68, of 1544 Walker street were held last Saturday in Estes and Sons Funeral Home. Burial was in Glendale cemetery.

Mrs. Hawkins, a member of St. Paul AME church, died November 11, at University hospital, Iowa City, after a five-day illness.

She is survived by a son, Nolen Emery, Des Moines; a stepson, Frank Hawkins Anderson, Decatur, Ill., and a sister Mrs. Ervin Moore, Des Moines.

Peters Indicted By Grand Jury

Howard J. Peters, 25, of 1419 Buchanan street, was indicted by the Polk County grand jury Monday on a charge of violating the Iowa narcotic drug act.

A former East High School athlete, Peters was arrested at Tenth and Center streets on Sept. 15. Later, in a hearing before Municipal Judge Harry B. Grund, a Des Moines drug-gist testified that Peters got 20 tablets of an opium derivative on a prescription bearing the name of Dr. A. D. James.

Dr. James testified the name had been forged to the prescription.

Hold Services For George D. Redmon

Services were held Tuesday at St. Paul AME church for George D. Redmon, 83, of 944 Tenth street. Burial was at Glendale cemetery.

Mr. Redmon died at Broadlawn General hospital Nov. 14 after an illness of several months.

A resident of Des Moines 40 years, he worked at one time as a waiter at Hotels Savery and Kirkwood. He was a member and a trustee of St. Paul church.

Survivors include his wife, Olive, and one daughter, Mrs. Joburness Kelso, of Des Moines.

'Demonstrates What Can Be Done By Courageous, Decisive Action' -- White

New York.—The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People is "greatly pleased" by President Eisenhower's announcement that the Navy's non-segregation policy is now "completely effective," Walter White, NAACP executive secretary, said Nov. 12. "This is most commendable," he declared, "and demonstrates what can be done through courageous, decisive action."

In his announcement, the President said that Robert B. Anderson, secretary of the Navy, reported that of 60 Navy installations on federally-owned property in the South, only one, Charleston, S. C., retained partial segregation.

Conditions Remedied

At Newport News, there was segregation in lavatory facilities in non-federal property used by Navy personnel. Conditions at these two installations will be remedied either next month or early in January, Secretary Anderson reported.

In making the announcement, President Eisenhower congratulated the Navy Secretary "on a job very well done."

Mr. White expressed "regret at the unnecessary and possibly harmful delay in eliminating segregated washrooms at the Charleston Navy Yard and toilets in a building located on non-federal property but operated by the Navy at Newport News."

"It is difficult," he continued, "for us to understand why elimination of this segregation cannot be achieved immediately. It seems to us that all that needs to be done is to remove the Jim Crow signs which should be a matter of minutes."

"We fear that such gradualism may be interpreted by the proponents of segregation as weakness on the part of the Navy and an invitation to further delay. We hope that Secretary Anderson will act vigorously to eliminate these last vestiges of indefensible segregation."

'Uncle Tom's' Scored in Mississippi School Fight

Indianola, Miss.—"Uncle Tom's" leadership was scored sharply here last week at the annual state convention of NAACP branches by Rev. Amos O. Holmes of Afford, Miss., in a speech to the opening session.

Segregation in the public schools touched off the discussion which came on the heels of the recommendation of Gov. Hugh White to a special session of the Mississippi legislature that schools be equalized in order to maintain "cherished segregation traditions."

Issues Statement

Hardly had Gov. White's message been published before Rev. H. H. Humes of Greenville, Miss., president of the Mississippi Negro Baptist convention, issued a statement saying the majority of Negroes wanted separate and equal schools.

Urging support of the Governor's

program, he said the Negroes who were opposed to segregation in the schools did not represent what most of his people wanted.

Rev. Holmes, outgoing president of the state NAACP, said: "We will not accept the Negro Uncle Tom, recognized by white or Negro reactionaries, to lead our folk. We will work toward the goal of full freedom, full integration, and full democracy for every Mississippian, Negro and white, and see to it that the vicious system of segregation is challenged until it is removed."

The convention heard an address by Roy Wilkins, administrator of the NAACP, and launched a fund-raising campaign to finance legal action to secure admission of three Negro applicants to the University of Mississippi.

Mayor's Commission Seeks Public Cooperation to Help End Discrimination

A panel of three members of the mayor's commission on human rights told a West Des Moines Parent-Teachers Association meeting Tuesday night that racial discrimination in Des Moines has decreased, but should be decreased more.

Panel members asked public cooperation to help abolish discrimination. Members were Dr. Riley Pittman, Drake University professor; James B. Morris, Sr., attorney; and Harold Goldman, president of Thrifty Super Markets, Inc.

Jobs for Negroes

Morris said that when he came to Des Moines in 1916, he knew of three Negroes who had "respectable jobs."

"A lot of people have done a whole lot in helping to improve the situation," he said.

"The responsibility is up to you, the housewife, the factory worker, the businessman, the man on the street," he said.

Offers Help

Goldman told the 50 P.-T.A. members: "The mayor's commission was organized to fight all discrimination. I hope people know there is such a commission, and that they will come to us for help if they have discrimination problems."

"Discrimination must be eliminated from the child's earliest education if we are to eliminate it at all. What a child doesn't learn he doesn't know, and what he doesn't know he doesn't practice."

"We must realize the importance of what we teach our children, because we are going to live in the kind of community our children ultimately build for us."

Question Period

Dr. Pittman was moderator at a question period.

One question was: "Should the

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Dr. Harry Harper In Car Upset After Hunting Trip

Iowa City, Ia.—Dr. Harry Harper, prominent Fort Madison doctor, escaped injury Wednesday night, Nov. 11, when his car left Highway 218, three miles north of here, skidded 50 feet, turned over and crashed into a tree.

Dr. Harper climbed out of the wrecked car and continued home, with friends with whom he had been pheasant hunting.

Dr. Harper was alone in his car with his Labrador bird dog which suffered a broken leg.



"Most Tastefully-Dressed Guest" was title bestowed on lovely Doris Giddens, above, at eighth annual ball of Association of Negro Press Photographers, held recently in Harlem's famed Renaissance Ballroom, New York City. Miss Giddens, a telephone operator, is shown receiving top prize of assorted Park & Tilford potables from Harold B. Kaufman, the company's New York sales manager.

Mrs. Welch Praises Church Women Here



Mrs. Rosa Page Welch of Chicago, Ill., noted singer who returned recently from a world tour for the Disasters of Christ, praised the Des Moines Council of Church Women who observed World Community Day November 8, by collecting items and putting them in duffie bags to be shipped to Christian Centers overseas. Here with one of the duffie bags at Central Christian church where the ladies were collected are Mrs. Welch (right) and guest speaker and Mrs. W. W. Goussier.

president of the Des Moines Council of Church Women.

Most of the linen will go to Germany to be distributed to displaced persons who have escaped from behind the Iron Curtain into the American section of Germany.

Some of the bedding also will go to refugee camps where people now sleep in straw-filled burlap bags, orphanages and children's homes in Europe, Korea, Hong Kong, India and Pakistan. (Photo Courtesy of Des Moines Register.)

Evening of Fun As Males Model Women's Fashions

A full house of spectators had an evening of fun at Jewish Community Center, Monday night, as they witnessed the staging of "Future Fashion Modes," by male models of Corinthian Men's club, who dramatized clothing that women should wear in the home, on the street, for evening, sports and beach occasions.

Master of ceremonies for the show was Atty. Brad Morris, who was gownned to the floor in white chiffon. With a Mae West strut he kept the show going from the opening of the breakfast scene in which Police Officer James P. Thompson portrayed the part of a sleepy husband, who dreamed about creatures bringing him his breakfast.

Models appearing in lounging pajamas, robes, house coats, were: George Franklin, Delbert Jones, Frank Robinson, George Robinson, Jim Morrow and Alfred Edwards.

Following this act, a quartet of male baby-sitters in sweaters and skirts, Melvin Western, Teddy Hughes, Walden Miller and Arthur Black, based and tenored "Nadine" and "Study War No More."

Modeling golf attire were: Oscar Jones, and John Estes. Street clothing for the "well-dressed woman", were worn by A. P. Trotter, Paul Perkins and T. L. Howard.

"Beauty at the Bermuda Beach" was dramatized by Atty. Luther T. Glanton, carrying an umbrella over his swim suit.

Kicking out some chorus girl routines with a song were: Kaiser and Cooper in a novelty act.

Conducting golfing lesson for pupils John Estes and T. L. Howard, was Oscar Jones.

One of the highlights of the show was a pantomime of "Dragnet" in which were Lawrence Davis, Lowell Cooper and J. Kaiser, who demonstrated much talent in their comedy performances.

Paris Fashions in a Paris cafe, where an orchestra played, appeared male models, in many beautiful gowns. As "Sarah" was, was Christopher Moore, who sang "Without a Song," and "I Believe."

Evening gowns were modeled by Messrs. Estes, Howard, Franklin, Edwards, Delbert Jones, Bennie Dams, Glanton, Oscar Jones, Harry Stigers, and Larry Morrow.

Piano music for the show was played by Irene Miles.

Atty. Glanton, Jr., is president of Corinthian Men's club, which is holding a Men's Day Program Sunday afternoon at the church.

Fort Dodge, Iowa—Coppin Chapel AME church, 151 Central Ave., Rev. LeRoy Patterson, pastor; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Next topic, "Christian Compassion for All Mankind." Mrs. Lillian Lewis, superintendent. Services at 11:30 a.m.

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

To Iowa City Mrs. Edith Downing, 845 Ninth ave. S. W., went to Iowa City last Thursday to see a specialist. She was accompanied there by her daughter, Mrs. Ethelyn House.

Mrs. Cecelia Peaks, as of Sunday, Nov. 15, was reported not doing so well at University hospital, Iowa City.

Maybe, Next Year Some person misunderstood that it was positive that union Thanksgiving services would be held this Thanks-

DR. G. L. PRINCE RECEIVES TREASURY MINUTE MAN AWARD



Dr. G. L. Prince, President of the National Baptist convention of America, receives the Treasury Department Minute Man Award, "in recognition of outstanding achievement in U. S. Savings Bonds program", from Dewey M. Smith, State Director of the Savings Bonds Division for the State of Colorado. The presentation took place during the recent annual Baptist convention in Denver. Dr. Prince, as leader of 3 million communicants, has been a consistent supporter of the Savings Bonds program.

Does It Matter If We Talk Of Fears And Tantrums Before Little Children

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

Mrs. Jones and Betty, three years old, met Mrs. Brown on the street. "Oh, hello," said Mrs. Brown. "My, how sweet Betty looks today."

"You should have seen her an hour ago," snapped her mother. "She was dirty from head to foot and she acted terrible when I called her in for a bath. I knew I'd have to drag her

giving by Second Baptist and Coppin Chapel. But there are hopes that such services will happen by next Thanksgiving, 1954.

The Fort Dodge Interracial Commission met Sunday, Nov. 15, at the Salvation army.

Offering To Japan Union Thanksgiving services will be held Thanksgiving morning Nov. 26, at 9 a.m. at the First Christian church, 4th Ave., North and 14th St. Rev. Melvin Myer of Nazarene will deliver the sermon; Rev. LeRoy Patterson of Coppin Chapel AME church, scripture. The offering from the Thanksgiving services will be sent to the International Christian University, Tokyo, Japan.

in so I told her the Smith's dog was coming. She's afraid of that dog so she came in."

For several minutes Mrs. Jones continued to enlarge on Betty's terrible behavior. Betty listened to the exciting story. Her eyes were bright and she seemed not at all crestfallen. "Isn't she listening?" whispered Mrs. Brown.

"Oh, no. She's too little to understand," said her mother.

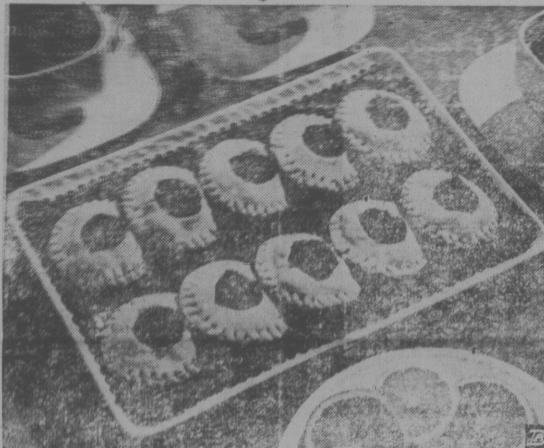
Strange, isn't it? Although we naturally believe our children are bright, we think they do not understand what we are saying. This, in spite of the fact that children younger than Betty can understand much of what they hear.

Why should Betty not scream when called in from play? Her mother tells wonderful stories about it to her friends.

How can she ever overcome her fear of Smith's dog? People talk about it every day. Smith's dog is always around the corner to reel her.

Does it matter if we talk of fears and tantrums in the presence of little children? The old adage says, "Little pitchers have big ears." The adage still makes sense.

Filled Apricot Cookies



A pretty tray of Filled Apricot Cookies adds a winning way to the holiday tea time.

Rich golden apricots add sunshine and flavor to these "something special" cookies for your November feasting.

As the weather gets colder, more home baking is done. The fragrant aroma of freshly baked cookies is pleasing to everyone. Mothers who keep the cookie jar filled have top rating with youngsters and oldsters alike. And these cookies are ideal when afternoon callers drop in unexpectedly.

These sweet Filled Apricot Cookies are easily made and quite attractive... any season of the year. Delicate brown cookies with sun-gold apricot filling and cups of hot tea establish a feeling of well-being among your guests.

The season is at hand when there will be many demands for cakes, pies, cookies and all kinds of tempting desserts. Add this recipe to your file of holiday season cookies.

When there's no time for baking, select hearty or tea-time cookies from the bake shop. The baker always has a variety of seasonal favorites, freshly baked every day.

FILLED APRICOT COOKIES

1 1/2 cups sifted enriched flour
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup shortening

Apricot Filling

Sift together flour and salt. Cream together shortening and sugar until light and fluffy. Add eggs and vanilla extract. Beat well. Add flour mixture to creamed mixture, mixing until well blended. Chill. Roll out 1/4 inch thick on floured board or pastry cloth.

Apricot Filling

1 cup chopped cooked dried apricots
1/2 cup sugar
Cook apricots, sugar and water together until thick. Remove from heat and add butter or margarine.

1 cup sugar
2 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Cut half of dough with biscuit cutter and other half with doughnut cutter. Put about 1 teaspoon filling on plain rounds. Cover with doughnut rounds, pressing edges together with fork. Bake on ungreased baking sheets in moderately hot oven (400° F.) 10 min.

Cool. Makes about 2 1/2 dozen 2-inch cookies.

Attend Negro Court Runner's Funeral

Washington, D. C.—(CNS)—Top members of the U. S. Supreme Court turned out for the funeral of 74-year-old Harry N. Parker, who was a court runner with 39 years of service. The justices of the Supreme Court included Chief Justice Earl Warren, who was just appointed, plus Justices Minton, Clark, Frankfurter, Burton, Jackson and their wives.

Teddy Davis Still Champ In Freak Fight

New York.—(CNS)—Teddy "Red Top" Davis maintained his New England lightweight championship in a freak fight in which opponent George Araujo just backed away from any fight at all.

Even Boxing Commission chairman, Robert Christenberry, registered disgust along with the 3,127 fans who saw few hard blows struck and not one clinch. Said Christenberry, "I don't like it." To which Harry Markson of IBC remarked: "I don't think Araujo will be back in the Garden again."

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REV. NORMAN R. OLPHIN, Minister
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Morning Worship: 11:00 A. M.
B. T. U.: 8:00 P. M.
Evening Service: 7:00 P. M.
Prayer Service Wednesday: 8:00 P. M.

St. Paul A. M. E. Church
12th and Crocker Streets
REV. JOHN E. HUNTER, Minister
Sabbath Prayer Service Sunday: 6:00 A. M.
Church School: Sunday 9:30 A. M.
Church Service: 11:00 A. M.
Evening Service: 7:00 P. M.
Prayer Service Wednesday: 7:30 P. M.
Youth Fellowship: 5:30 P. M.

Grace Healing Temple Church of God in Christ
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ELDER A. C. CARROLL, Pastor

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REV. L. G. GARRETT, Pastor
SERVICE
Sunday School: 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship: 11:00 A. M.
B. T. U.: 8:00 P. M.
Prayer Service Wednesday: 7:30 P. M.

East University Church of God in Christ
ORDER OF SERVICES
E. 17th St. and University
OVERSEER LOUIS H. FORD, Pastor
Sunday School: 9:00 A. M.
Morning Worship: 11:00 A. M.
Evening Service: 8:00 P. M.
Wednesday Evening: 8:00 P. M.
Broadcast each Sunday
Evening KWDM: 10:00-10:30 P. M.

MAPE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Albert Hansen of Wichita, Kas., is conducting a ten-day revival service. Mrs. M. Lincoln was presented a corsage and a token from the gospel choir for wonderful work she has done in buying a loud speaker for the church.

Sunday afternoon, Nov. 22, First Baptist church in West Des Moines and Maple Street will baptize. At 8 p.m. joint services will be held in West Des Moines.

Among the sick and shut-ins are: Mesdames Clara Houston, Juanita Andrews, Fannie Cox, Messrs. Pat Bettis, Henry Davis, Harvey Benning who was in a car wreck.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NOTES

The missionary society of St. Paul met Tuesday at the residence of Mrs. Fannie M. Danforth. The baby contest committee will meet Friday, Nov. 27, 7 p.m., at the home of the chairman, Mrs. Stanley Proctor. The steward board met Nov. 17 at the church. The Monogram club met Nov. 19 at the home of Mrs. Price Page.

The harvest rally which climaxed Nov. 15 was a success with \$962.90. The committee is hoping that the additional reports will bring the total to \$1,000.

A pre-Thanksgiving Singing will be held at the church Sunday evening, 7 o'clock. Songs will be led by Mrs. Sarah Tucker with Mrs. Lauretta Hughes at the piano. Members of the congregation may offer their favorite songs.

All members of the usher boards of St. Paul will meet at the church Sunday, 5:30 p.m. The young people's usher board will be reorganized at 4 p.m. Sunday at the parsonage, 1079 16th street.

St. Paul church along with other churches will sponsor NAACP Sunday, Nov. 29. Mrs. Jessie M. Jones and Mrs. Marsaline Estes received recognition for the highest rally reports. Mrs. Jones reported \$50; Mrs. Estes, \$43.

COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Ada Bush and Maude Logan, missionaries, were in charge of Sunday services, with morning message by Rev. A. Bush, and evening speakers, Missionary Logan and General Mother M. J. Cranshaw.

Wednesday evening prayer meeting and Bible study. Sunday, Nov. 22, is Men's Day.

The sick are: Corene Jackson in Broadlawn hospital and Mary Burton in University hospital, Iowa City.

BURNS METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

The Rev. H. W. James, pastor of Asbury Methodist church, St. Louis, Mo., conducted a series of evangelistic meetings which closed Friday at

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.

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.

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: 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.
Come One, Come All.

Union Baptist Church
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Morning Worship: 11:00 A. M.
Evening Service: 7:45 P. M.
Prayer Service Wednesday: 7:45 P. M.

BURNS church.

Rev. John E. Tunstall, pastor, and Mrs. Georgia Add, both of whom were ill, have returned to their homes from hospitals, and are both greatly improved in health.

An announcement has been made by Mr. Harbon Merrett, president of the Methodist Men, that annual dues should be paid this month. The committee is preparing for the distribution of Thanksgiving baskets.

The senior choir will conduct a hymn sing next Sunday at 7 p.m., at the vesper hour. Mrs. Blanch Bonham is president.

Rev. N. R. Olphin, pastor of Corinthian Baptist church, and S. S. Dudley were among the visitors at the series of evangelical meetings last week. The Methodist men will meet Thursday night. Harbon Merrett is president.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Sunday, Nov. 22, will be observed as Men's Day at Corinthian. The men are determined to bring in an amount to exceed that which was realized by the women on their day, Nov. 8.

Sunday afternoon, Nov. 22, at 3:30 p.m., male chorus from Zion Baptist church of Omaha, Nebr., will be guest on a program sponsored by the Corinthian Songfellows for Men's Day.

Among the sick and shut-ins are: Mrs. Orea Bulce, Mercy hospital; Dr. W. J. Ritchey, home; Mrs. Ella Mitchell, Mrs. Ella Jackson, Broadlawn hospital; Mrs. Roy Walker, 921 12th; Mrs. Cornelia Mease, 1017 13th; Mrs. Clara Bayles, 951 17th.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

James E. Tanner, blind tenor soloist of Waterloo, Ia., will be presented in recital Sunday, Nov. 22, 3:30 p.m., at Bethel A.M.E. church.

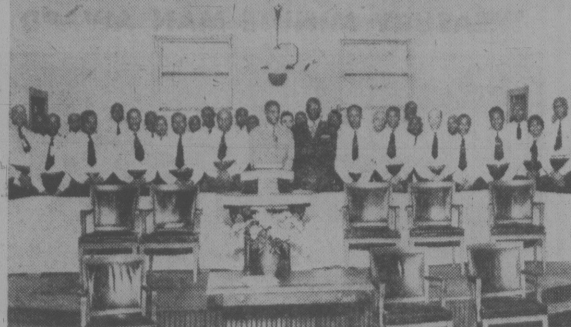
The annual Thanksgiving service of Maple Street, Pilgrim and Union Baptist churches, Bethel A.M.E. and Christ Sanctified Holy church will be held Thanksgiving morning, 10 o'clock, (Nov. 26) in Union Baptist church. The Rev. C. E. Duke will preach. The combined choirs of the churches participating will sing.

The young people and their parents of Union, Pilgrim, Maple, Street, Christ Sanctified Holy Church and Bethel are invited to a free Thanksgiving dinner which will be served in Bethel beginning at 12 o'clock noon, Thanksgiving Day.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. H. R. Fields spoke from the subject, "God's Business Miracles," last Sunday morning. Music was in charge of the senior choir. The memorial service of the American Legion at the church recently was well attended. The pastor was guest speaker at Maple Street Baptist last Friday night. The pastor and congregation have been invited to the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the Baptist church there. Rev. Sanders, founder of Mt. Olive Baptist

Omaha Male Chorus At Corinthian Sunday



The Men's Day program at Corinthian Baptist church, Sunday, Nov. 22, at 3 p.m., will feature a 35-voice male chorus, the Zion Baptist church brotherhood chorus of Omaha, Nebr. Reports of captains and workers in the Men's Day rally will be made. The chorus is making a goodwill

East Side Mission Society To Give Dinner For Aged

The East Side Mission Society is observing its twenty-fifth anniversary Sunday afternoon, Nov. 22, at 2:30 p.m., at the Mt. Olive Baptist church, S. E. Fourth and Allen streets.

A musical and literary program will be given. Mrs. Clara Houston, a charter member of the society, will be speaker.

Tuesday, Nov. 24, the group is sponsoring a Thanksgiving dinner for the aged and shut-ins at the Community Sanctified Church in Chesterfield.

Rev. I. L. Harris, pastor of the Shiloh Baptist church, will be the speaker at 11 a.m. Dinner will be served at 12:30 p.m. If you know an aged or shut-in person, regardless of race, creed or color, who would like to attend, please call 3-3579 or 6-3432. Transportation will be furnished.

Baptist church, is pastor of La Grange church. The service will be held Sunday, Nov. 22.

Mrs. M. Brown, church mother, who has been ill is improving. Mrs. M. Williams who has been indisposed is better. Sunday morning visitors were: Mrs. M. Carr, Mr. Wade, Mr. Buford, Mrs. A. Edwards, Mrs. B. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Williams.

The Thanksgiving services for the southeast side will be held at Mt. Olive Baptist church Thursday morning, Nov. 26, 11 a. m. Guest speaker will be Rev. D. L. King, pastor of First CME church.

NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

Rev. J. E. Hunter, pastor of St. Paul A.M.E. church, and congregation, will be at New Jerusalem Church of God in Christ, 1198 Fourteenth street, Nov. 25. Rev. N. R. Olphin, pastor of Corinthian Baptist, and congregation will be guests on Nov. 27, the Rev. W. M. Goodman, pastor of New Jerusalem announced.

Sunday morning the pastor, Eld. M. W. Goodman, spoke. Sunday evening Eld. P. Johnson preached. Services are being conducted nightly this week. The True Friend singers are rendering a program Friday at 8 p.m. Out-of-town visitors Sunday were: Mrs. Brown, two daughters and a niece of Mexico, Mo.

Iowa Buxton Club Hold Meetings

The Iowa Buxton club met at the home of the president, Mrs. Leona Jordan, 1029 Tenth street, Nov. 3; and, with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jackson, 1138 Enos, on Nov. 17.

NAACP To Meet Tuesday Night

The Des Moines branch of the NAACP will meet Tuesday, Nov. 24, at Crocker YMCA.

News Due Monday For Thanksgiving Issue

Church and club reporters are urged to send their news items to the office of the Bystander not later than Monday, Nov. 23.

The regular deadline is Tuesday noon each week, but for the issue of Thursday, Nov. 26, Thanksgiving Day, the deadline next week will be on Monday.

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Lincoln Alumni Recommends End To Grad Schools

Jefferson City, Mo.—The Alumni association of Lincoln university passed a resolution during the homecoming celebration here recently recommending the closing of the university's two graduate schools of law and journalism.

The action was taken at the annual meeting of the association of which N. A. Sweets of St. Louis is the president.

The reason given for demanding the discontinuation of the two schools was that the operation of them is "untenable, costly and damaging to all participants."

"These two Jim crow departments," said Sweets, "were created after the U. S. Supreme court rendered the Gaines decision against the University of Missouri in 1938. They were an attempt to offer "equal" facilities.

Kept Going

"But five years ago, the Supreme court handed down new decisions in the Texas and Oklahoma cases that clearly stamped these separate graduate schools as inferior and illegal. However, the two Lincoln U. schools were kept going at a cost to the taxpayers of over a million dollars."

The action of the alumni, Sweets said, "is a movement to redeem Lincoln U. and the state of Missouri from both the flaunting of the law and the waste of school funds."

Use of Money

The resolution states that money

To Attend Polk County Institute Of W.C.T.U. Friday

Members of the Frances Harper group of W.C.T.U. who will attend the Polk County institute of the W.C.T.U., Friday, Nov. 20 are: Mesdames I. A. Shelton, Elizabeth Williams, E. A. Galters and Sadie Jackson.

The meeting will be held at the Fort Des Moines Methodist church, S. W. Ninth and Leland. nist; Miss Eva Tindrell, Mrs. C. Terry and Mr. Y. S. Smith of the Church of God in Christ. Mrs. Opal Smith gave a talk.

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The E. Waterfords Honor Mrs. Smith Of N. J. At Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waterford, 917 Twelfth street, entertained at dinner Tuesday for Mrs. Louise Smith of Montclair, N. J., aunt of Mrs. Waterford.

Sharing the courtesy were: Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Southers and family; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Copeland and family; Mrs. Georgia Mitchell; Rev. B. U. Campbell and Rev. J. H. Reynolds, of Omaha, Neb.; Misses Rainey Austin and Dorothy Williams. Mrs. Smith left Friday for her home in New Jersey.

Mrs. Beverly Honors Omahans At Dinner

Rev. J. C. Wade of Omaha was guest in the home of Mrs. Mollie Beverly, 1441 E. 19th street, last week during the meeting of the Baptist institute at Maple Street church.

Mrs. Beverly was hostess at dinner Thursday. Sharing the courtesy were Rev. Wade, Mrs. Velma Russell and Mrs. Edna Watson, all of Omaha.

Rev. Mr. Wade is president of the New Era State Baptist convention.

Elegant Eight Club Has Winners

Mrs. Geraldine Stephenson was hostess to the Elegant Eight Bridge club Nov. 11. After business, prizes were won by Mrs. Felice Rhodes, first; Mrs. Inice Carter, second; Mrs. Obenetta Green, third. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Inice Carter.

Voguettes To Meet Nov. 20

The Voguettes met Nov. 6, with Mrs. Dorothy Sherman, 1176 14th street. The next meeting will be Friday, Nov. 20, with Mrs. Katherine Moore, 918 15th street. Mrs. Clara Wade is reporter.

La Carmelita Club Plans Xmas Party

La Carmelita social club met at the home of Mrs. Laura Scott, 1213 18th street, Nov. 12. Plans were made for the Christmas party to be held Dec. 19.

The president, Mrs. Helen Wyatt, welcomed two new members, Mrs. Hortense Long and Mrs. Henrietta Coates. A buffet luncheon was served by the hostess.

The club will meet at the home of Mrs. Vivian Brent, 684 Fourteenth place, Thursday night. All members have been urged to attend.

MR HUBBARD ILL

Herschell Hubbard, 1130 Eleventh street, is ill at Methodist hospital.

MRS. L. JOHNSON OF DETROIT VISITS HERE

Mrs. Lovell Johnson of Detroit, Mich., spent several days here last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris DeSleet, 3016 Bowdoin. The former Marguerite DeSleet of Des Moines, she was honored at a pre-Thanksgiving family dinner by her parents last Thursday; and, was guest at a luncheon given by Mrs. Agnes Matthews.

MRS. LEWIS AND GRANDDAUGHTER VISIT IN CHICAGO

Mrs. Oscar Lewis and granddaughter, Billy Jean Wilkerson, spent several days in Chicago, Ill., last week visiting their daughter and mother, Mrs. Nathalie Dixon.

MR. EARL BANKS OF NEW YORK HERE

Mr. Earl Banks of Rochester, N. Y., a former Des Moines resident, is here visiting relatives.

ATTY. B. J. CAMPBELL OF NASHVILLE HERE

Atty. B. J. Campbell of Nashville, Tenn., was recent house guest of Atty. and Mrs. Luther T. Glanton, Jr., who were hosts at a dinner honoring him. Sharing the courtesy was Atty. J. B. Morris.

Social Art Club To Meet Dec. 3

The Social Art club met Nov. 12 with Mrs. Julia Cannon, 1220 Laurel street. Guests were: Mrs. N. R. Olin, Mrs. Laura Smith, Mrs. Gladys Jenkins.

The next meeting will be Dec. 3, with Mrs. A. L. Cranshaw, 849 Sixteenth street.

The Bystander is Always Glad to Print Your News.

A.K.A. Sorority Has TV Rush Party For Drake Girls



Beta Gamma chapter of the Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority held a television rush party for girls at Drake university, Sunday morning, November 15, at the home of Mrs. Gwendolyn Fowler, 1023 Thirteenth street.

The party was announced in the form of a telecast over "Beta Gamma Station," with Kitty Wallingford as announcer and program director.



Personal Touch By MARIE ROSS

Many persons who heard Mrs. Rose Welch, noted singer from Chicago, Ill., who returned recently from an eight-month tour in 18 countries of the world, remarked that she was "such a beautiful speaker."

And, commented Mrs. Stanley Proctor, of 1111 Eleventh street, one of the column's regular readers, "I certainly liked your review of Mrs. Welch's trip"; and, she and some others will be looking for the rest of Mrs. Welch's travelogue which she gave on World Community Day program here for the Des Moines Council of Church Women.

So, before everyone gets involved in the business of the coming Thanksgiving holiday celebration next week; or, lost in the crowds who are rushing downtown to shop and see the Christmas street decorations, I had better go on with Mrs. Welch's trip.

When we ended the column last week, Mrs. Welch was in the islands of Hawaii, had spent a night in one of the homes which had been bombed during the early part of World War II, had sung in six churches in Manila.

And, speaking of Hawaii, where Japanese bombs were dropped on Pearl Harbor and the Philippines on December 7, 1941, when the United States and Great Britain declared war on Japan, an Iowan revealed here this week that he will be sailing Dec. 1 for Hawaii on an inspection tour of naval bases in Pearl Harbor and other parts of Hawaii. He is A. A. Alexander, prominent Des Moines and Washington, D. C. engineer-contractor, who spent the week end at his home here. (See Story Front Page).

But, back to Mrs. Welch.

"Due to technical difficulties," a favorite line over broadcasting stations, the rush party was interrupted for morning repast which carried out sorority colors of pink and green in the menu.

Heads appearing on the screen of the improved television front which was drawn by Charles Hayes are: (center) Irene Hayes of Sioux City;

"In Manila, I was soloist in six different churches during one morning. Missionaries would whisk me from one church to another—from the humblest to the largest.

"One church was made out of a quonset hut. The minister's wife told how the American soldiers got the hut up. Everywhere people were so grateful—all through Asia and in the grateful—all through Asia and in the Near East and Africa.

"I had a wonderful time eating all of the foods around the world—and I was not sick—only colds in India. In Siam, the governor had us to lunch," Mrs. Welch talked as she told of meeting many people who were non-Christians. Some of the outstanding officials came up through the missionary schools and have a great appreciation for missions, she said.

"We had a glorious time and we sang together. Then I went up to Chiangmai (Siam). I was there for three days. It is difficult for people to go to meetings because they don't have the kinds of roads we have—and they walk."

Mrs. Welch told of a Presbyterian meeting going on miles away from the place where she had come to sing in Chiangmai—and the people at that meeting were "so very sorry" that all of them could not come to hear her. At each of her meetings, they sent a group of their members to hear and welcome her—and then arranged an early morning meeting for her.

"Early one morning, people got in a mission truck and went for miles. The missionary would stop along the way and yell out something. Do you know what was happening? He was getting out the news and people stopped everything and came. In ten or fifteen minutes later the church

N. D. McCombs To Address Logan PTA Tuesday

N. D. McCombs, superintendent of the Des Moines schools, will be guest of the Logan School PTA, Tuesday, Nov. 24, at 1:30 p.m. His subject will be "Individual Needs of Children."

(clockwise) Imogene Proctor, Frances Cuie, Gwendolyn Fowler, Dorothy Chapman, Beverly Oliver. Seated in front of the TV set is Elaine Graham a Beta Gamma pledge; and a pet dog.

Mrs. Cuie, a member of the Ivy Leaf club. Others attending the party were: Harriet Bruce, acting basileus; Billie Jean Morrow, and Marian Morrison. (Bill Ashby Photo).

Early Deadline Next Week; News Due Monday

All news items and articles for the Thanksgiving Day issue, Nov. 26, must be in the office of the Bystander not later than Monday, Nov. 23.

Church and club reporters should mail or bring or phone in their news Friday and Saturday of this week.

was overflowing.

"You do a lot of weeping as you go around the world—tears of joy," the speaker paused. Then she told how the people rushed out to see her and how one remarked that "it hasn't been too long that I saw an American Negro—and thank God, I got to see you."

Mrs. Welch was never too busy or too tired to grant a request. She told of having finished an early morning concert in Northern Luzon when two old ladies finally arrived at the church. They had waded streams of water and climbed rugged hills to get to the church that morning to hear her—only to find that she had completed her concert.

"I gave them a private concert," Mrs. Welch said.

In India "In India, you take off your shoes and sit flat on the floor," the speaker continued as she told of the difficulty she had trying to "sit flat on the floor."

Then she thought—"If you blessed people can sit flat on the floor, I can, too."

"All through Asia you take off your shoes at the door. Every home has a number of toe slippers—and, you have never seen such beautiful floors."

She recalled that "in many sections of the world they do not wear shoes at all. They do not have them."

Mrs. Welch went to Africa where she stopped with an African teacher and family—and lived in a mud hut.

"We went to an ingathering," Mrs. Welch related, explaining that the ingathering was held for the new Christians who had completed a period of study.

"The new Christians know what it is all about when they are taken in—

Willkie House Music Series Program Friday

The Willkie House Music series will feature talented violinists and pianists at the musical program Friday night, Nov. 20, 8 o'clock, at Willkie House. The public is invited to attend.

Mrs. Korine Jackson is chairman of the music series committee.

Among the musicians to appear on the program will be: Mrs. Floyd Simantel, pianist; Mrs. Harold Wolfe, soprano; Miss Connie Cowan, flutist; Miss Jean Ann Cowan, violinist.

Delta Patronesses To Meet Nov. 22

The Delta Patronesses will meet Sunday, Nov. 22, 5 p.m., at Willkie House. All members are urged to attend.

Ten Keys Club To Meet Friday, Dec. 4

The Ten Keys met at the home of Mrs. Inice Carter. A new member was taken in. Bridge was played and prizes awarded as follows: Rose Brooks, first; Inice Carter, second; Mamie Dixon, third.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Dixon, 2805 Third street, Friday, Dec. 4.

after they have passed their exams," she emphasized.

"All of the village was there waiting for us. They unloaded our trucks and then I had my first opportunity to go into a mud hut.

"I saw—and I am not exaggerating when I say the spider I saw was this big," Mrs. Welch illustrated as she stretched her hands about a foot apart. She said the missionary informed her that the spider just wanted the insects and would not bother her—"but," Mrs. Welch confessed, "I was so glad we had to sleep with a mosquito net—and I made mine very secure."

"In another room I saw a lizard," but the missionary calmed, "Oh he won't bother you—he wants the insects."

"In Siam—I'm telling you the truth—I saw lizards that long and big around," Mrs. Welch pictured as she stretched her hands about two feet. "I was in a concert and an American woman was playing the piano."

Mrs. Welch said the pianist noticed her jump at the sight of the lizards and then whispered to her—"it's alright."

The lizards were fighting each other to get to the insects, at the concert, the speaker informed.

"When I got to Africa I saw pet monkeys. In India I saw schools of monkeys."

"The thing which amazed me and

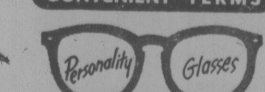
Deltas Hold Pyramid Induction Ceremony

Phi chapter of Delta Sigma Theta held its Pyramid induction ceremony, Sunday, November 16, at the home of Mrs. Haley Houston, 1004 10th street.

Seven Drake students repeated the "oaths," and signed the Declaration of the club.

They are: Juanita Asue, Wailuku Maui; Deonne Beasley, Louise Galbreth and Gloria Shaw of Chicago; Vivian Ray and Janolia Wells of St. Louis; and Imogene Proctor of Des Moines. Mrs. Mae Olin, graduate student was also received as an aspirant. The candlelight ceremony was followed by a social hour. Mrs. Claudette Neal is dean of pledges.

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T.O.B. Club Has Autumn Buffet Dinner

The T.O.B. club entertained the Mary Church Terrell club Jr. at a n autumn buffet dinner, at the residence at Mrs. Thelma Clark, 1114 10th street November 6.

The dining room table was adorned with a quaker lace tablecloth with a "Horn of Plenty," centerpiece. Candles and chrysanthemums added to the decorations and gave an autumn festive atmosphere.

Games were played with a prize being awarded to each of the following guests: Jesserean Dixon, Anna-belle Blaney, Gaynell Gray, Mary Jane Devan, Leola Hubbard, Mable Spencer, Mildred Graves, Bernice Sloan, Dorothy Hammitt, and Mildred Brown.

Kappas Pledge Club Elects

The following were recently elected officers in the pledge club of the Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity: president, Richard Bradley; vice president, Calvin Hicks; secretary, George Nolan; Treasurer, Herman Wallace; parliamentarian, Cornelius Toole; Sgt. at Arms, Herbert Wheeler.

the experiences which are unforgettable are the great expressions of fellowship of Christians. I heard preachers in Africa," she paused and remarked that "when the gospel of Jesus Christ is being preached it does not make any difference if you know the language or not because it is universal."

(Concluded Next Week)

A note arrived this week from Helen Dameron Wimberly, of Chicago, Ill., who wrote that she and her husband, Joseph, spent a recent visit in South Bend, Ind., with Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Ogletton, all former Des Moines residents.

"Last Friday was my birthday and we celebrated with them (the Oglettons). The weather was beautiful. We drove up in Michigan visiting Camp Baber, recently purchased by the 4th Episcopal District of our church. It is just out of Cassopolis, Mich., 56 acres of rolling hills, sloping gently down to the lake, with our

DeLuxe Club To Meet With Mrs. Tymony

The DeLuxe club met at the home of Mrs. Margaret Sorrell. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Mildred Tymony. All members are urged to attend.

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MRS. ROBERTA FRAZIER

The Parliamentary and Culture club elected officers Nov. 13 at the home of Atty. Gertrude Rush.

New officers installed by Attorney Rush are: Mrs. Roberta Frazier, president; Mrs. Dorothy Bush, vice president; Mrs. Minette Scott, secretary; Mrs. Ethel Volinier, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Georgia Jones, treasurer.

The visitors were: Mrs. Thelma Williams, Mrs. Bertha Record and Mrs. Lorraine Collins.

The hostess served refreshments.

L.T. Club Meets

The L.T. club met Nov. 19 with Mrs. Mary Mays, 1422 DeWolf street.

own beach and bath house.

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Regarding the recent newspaper articles of her father, Mr. J. L. Dameron of 1127 Eleventh street, Des Moines, Mrs. Wimberly wrote:

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STRIKING DOWN
ENEMIES OF DEMOCRACY

Fourteen ex-Klansmen (the prefix ex is doubtful) of North and South Carolina were indicted by a Federal grand jury this week charged with kidnaping and flogging a brother and sister two years ago.

FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover, who announced the arrests, said they were "a continuation of intensive FBI investigation of floggings in the two states which already has resulted in 29 convictions on similar charges in the past year and a half."

Most of the defendants are farmers or small business men living in back woods communities where they are laws unto themselves. They have certain foolish ideas about what should be done and anyone who goes contrary to these views is "handled" by them, to use their expression.

Small communities like these are hell holes in which to live. They are the places in the South where civilization has not penetrated; they are the places where few whites and no Negroes have any rights.

The late Booker T. Washington once said when dozens of Negroes were being lynched in the South "lynch Negroes today; tomorrow you will be lynching white people." These predictions come to pass even during his lifetime.

Fortunately, this type of conduct is fading out for some states, as well as the federal government, are taking a firm stand on the enforcement of the law and are getting cooperation from many local communities.

Citizens elect officials to enforce the law. They should be allowed to carry out their responsibility. And no citizen is safe in a community where mob law prevails and that is what occurs when people take the law in their own hands.

More power to the FBI and the states when they strike down this brand of "law enforcement" for it strikes at the very vitals of a democracy.

PHEASANT POPULATION
CONTINUES DOWNWARD

Most people who went pheasant hunting since the season began express great disappointment over the lack of birds in many areas. Prior to the opening of the season, the Conservation Commission announced that the supply was plentiful and thus hunters were led to believe them.

The areas in northwest Iowa which several years ago provided fine hunting, are far below what might be called good any more.

Undoubtedly, the main cause of the depletion in pheasant population is due to the lack of cover for birds to hide. Most low places are tiled leaving little high grass and weeds. Hedge rows have been done away with or the grass burned in an effort to destroy corn weevils. So the birds bunched in a few small roosting places at night and go far away during the day. Just where is not certain but most hunters see them when they come home to roost after hours only.

The Bystander recognized this situation several years ago and suggested to the commission that small plots be leased in several strategic spots where cover can be provided so that pheasants may find places to nest and hide. At the time, it was understood that such a program was being carried out but to date there is very little evidence of it.

More hunters buy license to hunt pheasants than any other game in Iowa but apparently little of this money is being spent to improve the pheasant population. The problem should be a matter of some serious thinking and action together by the Conservation Commission and those who like to hunt pheasants. And skipping seasons will not help the situation.

The Harry Dexter White case is causing considerable embarrassment to former President Truman and all who took part in retaining him in the government service. Instead of clearing his conduct of the matter, the mystery deepens. In fact Mr. Truman's explanation "does not hold water".

Christmas decorations are going up down town in Des Moines with the temperature registering 65 degrees and the sun shining as though this was the month of September.

Who Will Be Brooklyn's
New Manager?

Brooklyn, N. Y.—(CNS)—Citing that there's still "plenty of time," the Brooklyn brass has yet to decide on the new manager for the '54 Dodgers. However, this week, two prominent names entered the much crowded ring. They are Tommy Henrich, ex-Yankee, who is reported to be a leading contender even

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past fifteen years that discrimination against our people is obvious to all concerned.

"And, we believe that when such a situation reaches an intolerable state that the power of the press, should be utilized to inform the tax-paying public of civic and religious leaders; many of them are unaware of the situation.

Past 15 Years

"During the past fifteen years only two Negroes have been granted executive clemency. As of this date there are 149 men serving life sentences in Iowa State penitentiary. Twenty-nine of these, or almost twenty percent of the total are Negroes. Twelve have served more than 20 years each. One has served 40 years; one, 39 years; one 34; one, 31; one, 29; two 27; one, 26; one, 23; two, 22; and one, 21 years.

"Ten others have served anywhere from eleven to eighteen years each. It is a matter of record that 99 percent of these Negro lifers are first timers, with no prior criminal record, and yet, time and again we are by-passed when clemency is being considered or granted. Other inmates, many of them serving identical sentences, for same type of crimes, with previous criminal records and much less time served have been commuted and later paroled.

"Facts regarding our (lifers) Negro's plight will have to be made known to people who believe in and practice democracy and the rights of all human beings in it," the Negro lifer at Iowa State Penitentiary wrote.

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federal government enact free-and-equal-practice laws if the state and community fail to act?"

Morris replied: "Where the states fail, the federal government steps in. For example, the FBI doesn't step in unless the states can't handle a situation."

Goldman said: "I don't think we need the federal government in Washington to tell us how to live together in Des Moines. We on the local level are going to have to do our job locally."

Another question was: "Should employees advertise that they want only certain minority groups for jobs?"

Morris and Goldman agreed that the problem can not be met that way. They said employees should be hired according to qualifications.

In answer to a question whether colored people here are banned from certain eating establishments, the panel answered that in most cases they are not.

The panel said, however, that Negroes are not allowed to bowl or roller skate in Des Moines and that it felt the situation should be remedied.

Sugar Ray Will Stay
On The Stage; No
More Fighting

Washington, D. C.—(CNS)—Sugar Ray Robinson scotched all the rumors that he was considering on returning to the ring by declaring again this week, "I'll never fight again."

The rumors had originated from Robinson, himself, when he had stated that he'd been offered a "sizeable chunk" of money to fight Bobo Olson, middleweight titleholder. Even Robinson admitted that the "sizeable chunk" was \$300,000 before the Olson-Turpin fight and was upped \$50,000 more after Olson won the championship.

But Sugar said he wasn't interested in a "comeback" even for that kind of money. "I quit when I was ahead. I'm going to let it stay that way," he insists.

Joe Louis Gives False
Alarm—Not Married

Chicago, Ill.—(CNS)—Joe Louis, one of the nation's number one bachelors, is still on the loose. It seems Joe was trying to get front row seats for the Gavilan-Bratten fight. So he told Truman Gibson, secretary of the International Boxing Club, that he was married to Greta Starks, a Detroit girl. Gibson announced it to the press. Later, Joe denied it, saying he "only got third row seats anyway."

though he has yet to manage a team and Frank O'Doul.

Dodger President, Walter O'Malley, and Vice-President Fresno Thompson quit their vacationing in Vero Beach, Fla., in a few days and on returning to Brooklyn may come up with the long awaited announcement as to who will succeed Charlie Dressen.

THE DES MOINES
BRANCH

NAACP Says:

In order to finance the cost of the large number of cases being handled by the NAACP, various organizations have been called up to help. Among them is the Negro Newspaper Publishers' Association.

Following an appearance before this group last summer by Thurgood Marshall, the association agreed to run a series of sponsored ads, half the money going to the legal de-

fense fund and half to the newspaper.

Since September, the Bystander has been carrying one of these ads each week. Business establishments in Des Moines have responded favorably to the program. In fact, Thurgood Marshall says that the first money coming from this source was from the Bystander.

This is a worthy undertaking and deserves unstinted support.

HEALTH FOR ALL

Your Neighbors Health

Your neighbor's health is your business. Each year at this time you make it your business by buying the Christmas Seals of your tuberculosis association. In supporting efforts to fight tuberculosis throughout your community, you protect your own health and that of your family.

Of course, you do everything in your power to keep the members of your family in good general health. You try to see that they eat properly and get enough rest, fresh air, and exercise. That will help protect them against TB as well as against many other diseases. But it is not enough.

TB is a communicable disease caused by a germ which is passed on by people who have the disease. The germ doesn't care how old or how rich you are, where you live, or who

your ancestors were. It can attack anyone. If TB announced itself quickly with some kind of skin rash, you could avoid contact with it fairly well. But people can have TB in the early stages and look perfectly healthy. Often they do not even suspect that they are ill and are passing on germs to those around them.

For this reason, the control of tuberculosis requires the cooperation of all the people. You cannot build barriers around yourself alone which will prevent TB. You have to be concerned with your neighbor's health, with the health of everyone in your community.

Your tuberculosis association fights TB throughout the community. It is an organization devoted to protecting you and your neighbors from a disease which kills 30,000 Americans in one year. I work closely with local health authorities and other voluntary and official agencies in programs to teach people how to fight TB, to find the unknown cases of the disease, and to work for the day when the best techniques of modern medicine and rehabilitation are made available to all TB patients. The Christmas Seals you buy to support the association also pay for a national program of medical research to find even better ways of treating and preventing TB.

This is the program aimed toward the eradication of tuberculosis. This is what you pay for when you buy Christmas Seals.

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

Randy Turpin Gets
Marriage License

Wellington, England.—(CNS)—Randy Turpin, the British fighter who is a great favorite with her majesty, Queen Elizabeth, took out a marriage license this week to wed a Welsh farm girl.

Divorced from his first wife last June, the new Mrs. Turpin is 28 years old and her name—Gwyneth.

dapper little Chicagoan. But that is boxing.

Tennis

The Hilltop Tennis club is sponsoring a series of pictures at the Willkie House Sunday from 3 to 5 p. m. Movies will be shown and the history and purpose of the club will be outlined. This is a beginning series for new members and the public is invited.

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plant words and deeds in fertile sod; I'm planting for the love of God. No matter what your color . . . creed, make every action . . . every deed, a sign-post on the thrice-blessed way, to take you on to Him some day.

Glenn A. Gallagher.

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YMCA Membership
Campaign Extended
Until Friday, Nov. 27

James F. Dixon, executive secretary of the Crocker YMCA, an-

nounced that the annual membership enrollment campaign will be extended through Friday, Nov. 27.

At present, more than fifty percent of the 1954 goal of \$1,500 has been reached. All captains' and team workers are urged to be at the

meeting Friday, at 8 p.m. at the YMCA.

Dr. W. J. Ritchey is serving as general chairman of the membership drive.

Team captains include: A. P. Trotter, W. C. Buice, William Ashby, George Brewer, Jr.

The campaign goal for this year is \$1,500.00. At the first report meeting held Monday, November 9, the teams had reported memberships valued at \$431.00. Report meeting was held Friday, November 13, at 8 o'clock p.m., at the Crocker YMCA.

The Crocker Branch YMCA sponsored a checker tournament, Monday, November 16, at the Crocker "Y." Mr. Eddie Robinson, one of the outstanding checker players in the state, put on an exhibition and welcomed all challengers.

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