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COMPANION TO SPINGARN MEDAL:

## Grant of \$74,000 Given to NAACP

### Omega District Marshall



MARSH S. HOUSTON

Marsh S. Houston is district marshal for the fifth annual 11th-district meeting of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., which will be held in Des Moines May 29-31.

Guest speaker will be H. Carl Moultrie of Washington, D. C., national executive secretary of the fraternity.

Delegates to the 11th district will attend from Colorado, Nebraska, and Iowa, with guests from Missouri.

### Candidates Make Replies To Editor's Questionnaire: 'How Do You Stand?'

In response to a question, "Candidates, How Do You Stand?", asked in a recent editorial written by James B. Morris, editor of the Bystander, several candidates in the Iowa primary election campaign, have made replies.

The editorial posed the following questions to all candidates for governor:

1. Do you believe the state of Iowa should take the lead by providing machinery for a statewide interracial commission, fair employment practices or commission or human rights?
2. Should the legislature create such a commission or ask the governor to appoint a committee to study the question would you sign such a measure or appoint a committee in conformity with a resolution by the legislature?
3. Would you follow the lead of the national administration by appointing qualified Negroes to worthwhile positions in the state government?

And to the candidates for attorney general:

1. Will you insist upon the enforcement of the Iowa civil rights law by seeking the cooperation of the operators of public places; insist that county attorneys make an effort to enforce these laws?

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### Negro Students Asked To Stop "Self-Imposed Segregation"

Philadelphia.—Negro students at Temple University here were asked today to reverse a pattern of "self-imposed segregation" developing "rapidly" at this historic Pennsylvania institution of higher learning.

Herbert L. Wright, NAACP youth director, told the students that "the administration of this university has done its utmost to assure you free and equal access to all its facilities."

"It is, therefore, incumbent upon each of you to accept the responsibility of utilizing these facilities in like manner."

### Dr. James, Discharged From Navy, Will Open Dental Offices, May 17

Dr. Lewis A. James, discharged from the U. S. Navy, on May 4, after 28 months of service, will resume the practice of dentistry, here the week of May 17, with offices at 1146 Ninth street.

Dr. James was a member of the Navy's Dental Corps, stationed during his period of service at Great Lakes, Ill. He holds the rank of lieutenant.

As a navy dentist, he was one of the regular attached members on the base, who maintained the dental care of the recruits and ships' company. He also served as a member of special court martial boards, had a chance to participate in several clinics and deemed it an opportunity to work under some of the navy's outstanding men in the field of dentistry.

His week ends generally found him in Des Moines with his wife, Barbara; daughter, Stanley, 5, and six-month-old son, Lewis A. III.

A native of Keyport, N. J., he is a graduate of Keyport High school; Shaw University of Raleigh, N. C., where he received his Bachelor of Science degree; and the School of Dentistry at the University of Iowa from which he graduated in 1948. He began practice in Des Moines in May 1948 and entered the military service in January, 1952.

### Philip Murray Memorial Foundation Makes Award For Interracial Justice

New York.—The Philip Murray Memorial Foundation has made a grant of \$74,000 to the National Association's executive secretary, announced.

Formal presentation of the award was made here at 5 o'clock, Wednesday, May 12, at the International Center of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, United Nations Plaza at 46th Street. Walter P. Reuther, president of the Congress of Industrial Organizations, will make the presentation, which will be accepted by Arthur B. Spingarn, NAACP president.

Also participating in the ceremonies were Emil Rieve, chairman of the Murray Memorial Foundation Board and president of the Textile Workers Union of America, CIO; Joseph Curran, president, National Maritime Union, CIO; Arthur Goldberg, CIO general counsel, and director of the Foundation; and Mr. White.

**Consistent Supporter**  
The Foundation was established to commemorate the life and work of

the late president of the CIO who was also a member of the board of directors of the NAACP. As head of the CIO, Mr. Murray was a consistent supporter of civil rights measures to eliminate inequalities in American life.

The grant is being made for the purpose of aiding the NAACP in the development, through educational means, of a climate of opinion receptive to the eradication of racial discrimination and segregation. The \$75,000 will be set aside in a separate fund by the NAACP for financing such projects as films, literature and community action programs to improve race relations.

In addition to these projects, the fund will be used to establish an annual Philip Murray Award as a companion to the Spingarn Medal. The new award will be presented to an American for outstanding contributions to interracial justice. The Spingarn Medal is awarded annually to a Negro American for distinguished achievement.

### UPWA Names 4 Negroes To Executive Board At Sioux City, Ia., Meeting

Sioux City, Iowa.—The precedent-smashing election of George Thomas, Ft. Worth Negro, to high office as director of the Union's District 8, covering Oklahoma, Texas and Louisiana, featured the election of officers at May 5th sessions of the ninth constitutional convention of the United Packinghouse Workers of America-CIO. Thomas supplanted A. J. Pittman, director of the district since 1943.

Elected by delegates from the regional groupings, UPWA District directors are members of the union's International executive board by virtue of office.

#### Developments

Other significant election developments included the overturn of A. O. McKinney, Atlanta, director of the union's District 9 covering the southeastern states. The new director is Edmund Dumas, also of Atlanta.

A second Negro new-comer to the executive board is Charles Hayes of

Chicago to head the UPWA's powerful District 1, northern Illinois, southern Wisconsin and Lake County, Indiana. He succeeds Harold Nielsen, who endorsed Hayes' candidacy.

Among the incumbent officers re-elected to the top posts headed by UPWA President Ralph Helstein are two Negro officers of long standing, International Vice President Russell R. Lasley and District Director Arthur E. Morrison, head of the union's western states district with headquarters in Los Angeles.

Lasley, a former resident of Waterloo, Iowa, has been vice president of UPWA since 1948. Of the 14 International Executive Board members of the 150,000 member UPWA, four are Negroes.

Union observers declare that no other major union in the country can compare with UPWA in the extent to which it has fought against racial discrimination. The election of four Negroes to its Executive Board, including one supported by unionists in Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana, again places UPWA far in front of all other big unions in recognition of Negro leadership.

### Etta Moten Tells Women Of Physical, Spiritual Challenges in Life Today

"I was born in the parsonage of an AME church, and naturally, I was required to sit somewhere up front," revealed Etta Moten, internationally famous mezzo-contralto, speaker, traveler, radio, stage and screen star, last Sunday morning as she addressed Women's Day at the St. Paul AME church.

"But, to get all the way up here, Miss Moten said, referring to the pulpit of the church, "is quite a responsibility—quite a challenge, as the times are today—as being a woman is today."

Miss Moten, wife of Claude Barnett of Chicago, Ill., director of the Negro Associated Press, and mother of three children, chose as her subject, "Today's Woman"—Her Physical and Spiritual Challenge.

Stating that human beings are made up of body, mind and spirit, the speaker said they are mixed, as a "recipe" to get certain results.

#### Likeness

"We must have the likeness of God and spirit in this recipe, for, we are to produce the likeness of ourselves and our mates with this body. We must keep it in good health. We must keep it sound. We are sinning if we in any way indulge. We are sinning if we don't keep it from disease because, that body houses the very spirit of God.

"That is the physical challenge," Miss Moten said as she cited examples of the modern day training for the young mothers, the childcare clinics, the pre-natal care, and even classes in some cities for the fathers.

"Then your child is 'our' child and there is a 'we' feeling about this child. This is a challenge you should meet together—the man and the

#### Special Job

Miss Moten said that the Negro mother has a special job to keep the physical body of her children strong. "She has to prepare that child to keep a spiritual challenge, to keep fears away.

When prejudices and tensions come about and begin to have effect on our families, it is up to the mother to break down these fears and say—Remember your heritage. There is none greater than you. It is up to you to go out and meet the challenges that come—to meet the different tensions."

#### Well-Balanced Life

To gain a well-balanced life, Miss Moten said that "it is important to keep our mental faculties stimulated," after the children "have

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### 'Fats' Waller Memorial Week May 16 Thru 23



'FATS' WALLER

New York.—The nation will again pay tribute to the memory of the late great 'Fats' Waller, the 'harmful little armful' who contributed much to contemporary American music.

The 1954 'Fats' Waller National Memorial Week of Music will be inaugurated May 16 thru 23 with many major network radio and TV shows featuring special programs comprised of Waller's immortal music.

### Solly Drake Hurt In Tuesday's Game

Solly Drake, hard-hitting right fielder for the Bruins, was injured Tuesday night as the Bruins lost to Denver, 5-3. He suffered a dislocated, right collarbone in a tumbling catch in the sixth inning of the game at Pioneer stadium. He will be off the team for about six weeks.

Chicago, the news would quickly spread to his teammates. Reported Newk dutifully: He says that the chip they took out was about an inch big and the doctor was surprised it hadn't damaged a nerve. Campy says he's supposed to keep moving the wrist so it won't get stiff on him."

In fine shape, Campy also added he would be back with the team in 3 1/2 weeks at the most.

### Denied Vote, Four Sue Federal Court

Montgomery, Ala.—Four Negroes have charged in a federal court suit that an Alabama county refused to register them to vote because of their race, it was revealed Tuesday.

Allan Sellers, J. B. Sellers, Willie Dorsey and Lorna Morris, in a suit filed May 6, charged the Bullock county board of registrars "illegally failed" to register them and thus deprived them of voting rights, Alabama registrar boards have no authority to pass on the qualifications of prospective voters.

The four said they are able to read and write any section of the Constitution, are of good character and embrace the duties and obligations of good citizenship as required by law.

### Logan PTA Installs New Officers

The Logan school PTA held installation of officers Tuesday. Mrs. L. McGuire is president, succeeding Mrs. Geneva Robinson. Other officers are: Mrs. E. Hoff, first vice president; Mrs. C. M. May, second vice president; Mrs. B. Smith, secretary; Mrs. M. M. Skipper, treasurer; Mrs. Ruth Thompson, auditor; Mrs. M. Hawkins, historian.

### To Speak Sunday



REV. J. J. HAWKINS

The Rev. J. J. Hawkins will speak Sunday afternoon, May 16, 3 o'clock, at a Pilgrim Missionary Baptist church, 1732 Walker street. Music will be by a mixed quartet, Rev. H. I. Simmons is pastor.

### MRS. MAE W. POWELL AT BROADLAWNS

Mrs. Mae W. Powell is in Broadlawn hospital recovering from a stroke she suffered last Saturday.

### Urges Vote for Anti-Bias Proposed Amendments to Taft Hartley Labor Act

New York.—Senators of both parties have been urged by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People to vote for the proposed amendment to the Taft Hartley Labor Act which would make racial or religious discrimination in employment an unfair labor practice in plants covered by the Act.

The amendments, submitted by New York's two senators, Herbert H. Lehman and Irving M. Ives, were proposed by Clarence Mitchell, director, NAACP Washington Bureau, at hearings before the Senate Labor Committee on April 29. In his testimony, the NAACP spokesman cited endorsement of the proposed anti-discrimination clause by George Meany, president of the American Federation of Labor, and Walter Reuther, president of the Congress of Industrial Organizations.

The amendments, which are practically identical, would make it illegal for either employers or unions to discriminate in hiring or in union mem-

bership against any person because of race, creed, color, national origin, or ancestry.

The NAACP made public the content of telegrams sent on May 5 by Mr. White to Senate leaders urging their support of the amendments and terming "this proposal . . . a vital step toward securing equality of job opportunity."

Senators William S. Knowland, majority leader, Homer Ferguson, chairman of the Majority Policy Committee, Leverett Saltonstall, majority whip and H. Alexander Smith, chairman of the Labor Committee, were asked to "rally the support" of their party behind the measure to ensure passage of "this urgently needed legislation."

Meanwhile, the Association asked local and state leaders in key states to wire their senators and the Senate leaders urging them to vote for the anti-discrimination proposal and to prevent any attempt to bypass it or kill it by filibuster.

### Probe Cites Saddler Broke Army Rules For N.Y. Fight

Washington, D. C.—(CNS)—When featherweight champion Sandy Saddler fought Bill Bossio on January 15th, he should have been with the First Division in Germany. This was the charge made by Congressman William E. Hesse, a Republican of Ohio and chairman of the investigating Armed Services subcommittee investigating the alleged coddling of star athletes by the Army.

Sandy's army case history is supposed to be the second of 10 "horrible" examples of top athletes given special treatment by the Army and uncovered by the Hesse committee.

#### 30 Days Leave

According to Hesse: "Sandy was given 30 days leave by the First Division in Germany when he wasn't entitled to it. The regulation says a man overseas can't be given leave to go home unless he has six months service remaining to be served after the leave is over. Saddler was due to be discharged in April. He was granted leave early in December."

Not only this, the probe shows that Saddler signed to fight Bossio in New

York without the Army's knowledge and the date he did sign for—January 15th—was six days after his 30 days leave was to expire. Sandy then applied for a 15 day emergency extension on the grounds that his wife was sick with a virus. He offered doctor's certificate to prove it and the extension was granted.

#### Outwitted Officers

When Col. John Roosa was asked

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### Services Held For Paul Murphy

Services for Paul Murphy, 49, of 1302 Laurel street, who died of cancer May 5 at Polk County Home, were held Saturday afternoon at Estes & Son Funeral Home with burial in Glendale cemetery.

Mr. Murphy who had lived in Des Moines 25 years, had been a porter at Helzberg's jewelry store.

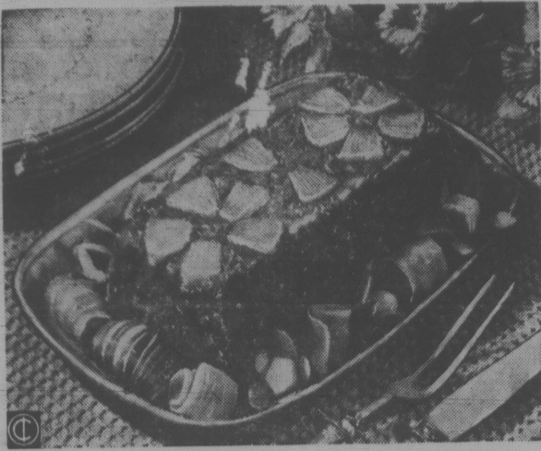
Surviving are his widow, Hazel; his mother, Mrs. Louise Miller; and a sister, Mrs. Elvira Willis, all of Des Moines.

### 50th ANNIVERSARY EDITION IN JUNE

The Bystander will publish its 50th Anniversary Edition in June. Every individual, business and organization should be represented by a greeting in the form of an ad as the issue will be worth preserving. Write or call the office about it now.



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Used together, cereal and milk offer 10 important nutrients—high-quality protein, carbohydrate, thiamine, riboflavin and niacin, iron, phosphorus, calcium, fat, Vitamin A. The calcium is especially important in view of recent studies which show that calcium deficiency in teen-age and adult diets is greater than any other nutritional deficiency. You never outgrow your need for cereal and milk.

Upside Down Ham Loaf is designed to use up leftover ham in a glamorous fashion, and it's as much fun to make as that kind of cake. Pretty isn't it? What you can't see is the cereal and milk goodness which makes it such Good Eating in more ways than one.

## Upside Down Ham Loaf

1 pound ground lean smoked ham or leftover cooked ham  
1 pound ground lean fresh pork  
1/2 cup chopped parsley  
2 1/2 cups wheat flakes  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/2 teaspoon pepper  
1 egg  
1/2 cup milk  
1/2 cup pineapple syrup  
1 cup diced canned pineapple  
2 tablespoons brown sugar

Combine ham, pork, parsley, slightly crushed wheat flakes, salt, and pepper with egg, milk, and pineapple syrup; mix well. Place pineapple in bottom of 9x5x3 inch loaf pan and sprinkle with brown sugar. Pack pork mixture on top. Bake in moderate oven (350°-375°F.) about one hour. Remove from pan, turning upside down onto platter to serve. Yield: 8 to 10 servings.

Homemakers of the nation can do a great service to the farmers by serving milk more often and in different ways. A bowl of cereal and milk for breakfast is not only a nutritional bonus but a way of solving the milk surplus problem.



Duke Ellington was a guest on the Lan-Lay program over KSAN recently during his engagement in San Francisco. Pictured above are John Sharp Williams, disc jockey, C. W. Stinnett, general manager of the Lan-Lay Oil Cosmetic Company and Duke Ellington.

Organic Act for Virgin Islands, would reduce the "partial autonomy" granted Virgin Islanders in 1936 by "transferring certain powers previously given an elected legislature to an appointed governor and the U. S. Secretary of the Interior."

The progress of Virgin Islanders since 1936 in "mastering the democratic process" shows their readiness for the election of a resident commissioner and a governor, rather than "being deprived of privileges they have exercised for the past 18 years," the telegrams declared.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank Rev. J. E. Tunnell, Miss Rose Marie Galters, the pall bearers, the many friends and Estes & Son Funeral Home for kindnesses, courtesies, flowers, cards and expressions of sympathy extended during the illness and at the death of Paul Murphy.

—Mrs. Hazel Murphy and Family.

## NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON SPECIAL EXECUTION

District Court of Polk County, Iowa  
STATE OF IOWA, ) ss.  
HOMESTEAD SECURITIES, INC.

DONALD D. REYNOLDS and SHIRLEY ANN REYNOLDS  
BY VIRTUE OF A SPECIAL EXECUTION TO ME DIRECTED, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, in favor of Homestead Securities, Inc., and against Donald D. Reynolds and Shirley Ann Reynolds, on a judgment rendered by said court on the 7th day of April, A. D. 1954, wherein it was ordered, adjudged and decreed that the following described property be sold to satisfy said judgment to-wit:

1948 Kaiser 4 door sedan, serial No. 80882; Motor No. 302222  
17 inch Tru-tone Television combination Radio Phonograph

NOW, THEREFORE, public notice is hereby given that unless said defendants appear at my office in Des Moines, on or before the 4th day of June, A. D. 1954, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at which time said above described property is hereby advertised to be sold, and pay of the amount of said execution, with interest and costs, I will sell said property, or sufficient thereof to satisfy said execution, with interest and costs, at public outcry, to the highest bidder, at 2126 E. University, in Des Moines, Iowa, for cash in hand to pay said Execution.

Sheriff's Office, Des Moines, Iowa  
By: N. E. HYLAND  
Deputy

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## NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR DECLARATORY JUDGMENT

In the District Court of Iowa in and For Polk County  
Probate No. 40329  
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARY HEARD, DECEASED.

WALTER MITCHEM, & WALTER MITCHEM, Administrators,  
vs.  
ALONZO HEARD, Defendant.

TO: ALONZO HEARD, and all persons claiming by, through or under the said Alonzo Heard.

You are hereby notified that the petition of Walter Mitchem, administrator of the Estate of Mary Heard, deceased, and Walter Mitchem as sole heir, is now on file in the Office of the Clerk of the above named Court, which petition prays for a Declaratory Judgment establishing the legal right to and status of the following described real estate, to-wit:

The West 1/2 of Lot 19 in Block 56, Stewart's Addition now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, and locally known as 1607 Maple Street, Des Moines, Iowa.

You are further notified that the Court has set a hearing on the plaintiff's petition for the 17th day of June, A. D. 1954, at 10:00 A. M.

You are further notified to appear before the District Court of Iowa in and For Polk County, in the Office of the Referee in Probate, Carl A. Burkman, Room 416 of said Court which is located in Des Moines, Iowa, at 10:00 A. M. on the 17th day of June, A. D. 1954, and offer such resistance that you may have to the petition and unless you so appear, your decree rendered against you as prayed for in the petition.

Dated and signed this 28th day of April, A. D. 1954.

HENRY T. McKNIGHT, Attorney for Administrator and Petitioner  
408 1/2 East Walnut Street  
Des Moines, Iowa

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TO: WILLIAM BRYANT and all persons known or unknown, claiming through, by or under the said William Bryant.

You and each of you are hereby notified that the petition of the above named plaintiff, in the above entitled cause of action, is now on file in the Office of the Clerk of the above named Court which petition prays that a Deed from the late Lucy Letimore to William Bryant and George E. Lockett, dated May 20, 1953, and recorded in Book 2544, Page 197 of the Records of the Recorder of Polk County, Iowa, covering the following described real estate:

Lot 15 in Block 18, Larson Place, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, be cancelled, set aside and held for naught.

FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS SEE PETITION NOW ON FILE.

You and each of you are further notified to appear before said court, at the Court House, Fifth (5th) and Mulberry Streets, Des Moines, Polk County Iowa on June 17, 1954, and answer or defend, and unless you so appear your default will be entered and judgment or decree rendered against you as prayed for in the petition.

Dated and signed this 10th day of May, A. D. 1954.

HENRY T. McKNIGHT, Attorney for Plaintiff  
408 1/2 East Walnut Street  
Des Moines, Iowa

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Ave., So. Rev. Wm. Scott, pastor: Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Mrs. Irene Fox, Supt. Morning worship at 11:30 o'clock. Home Mission meets the second Tuesday, monthly, 8 p.m. The Seeds of Kindness Auxiliary meets every Thursday, 8 p.m. Mrs. Malisa Howard is president.

## Ejects Officers

The Fort Dodge Interracial Commission held their last meeting Sunday, May 9, at Bethel Synagogue. Mrs. Annell Banks presided at this meeting. The following officers were elected: Mr. Harry Meriwether, retained as president; Mrs. Malisa Howard, vice president; Mrs. Lettie Thompson, reelected secretary; Mr. John R. Harris, treasurer.

Miss Ethel Shannon, program chairman, presided over an interesting program.

Mr. Buford Hazelwood of Cambridge, Ohio, is visiting in the home of Rev. and Mrs. LeRoy Patterson.

## Mother's Day Held

Mother's Day program was presented at the morning services with Mrs. Malisa Howard, presiding. The Rev. William Scott preached an appropriate sermon. Five children were taken into the church, two on Christian experience, three as candidates for baptism. Tokens of appreciation were given to the president of the Mother's board, Mrs. Hattie Smith; Mrs. Lula Russell, who has given the longest years of services to the church; Mrs. Beatrice Burleson, the youngest mother present; and, Mrs. Josephine Trotter, whose record showed most of her children attending church. Gifts were presented to these mothers on behalf of the church.

by Mrs. Annell Banks.

Miss Evelyn Patterson of St. Paul, Minn., was home for the recent holiday.

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## Says Support of Virgin Island Bill 'Backwards'

New York.—The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People May 6, publicly stated its opposition to a bill now before the Senate which the NAACP says would deprive citizens of the Virgin Islands of "privileges they have exercised for the past 18 years."

Walter White, NAACP executive secretary, asserted that the proposed legislation would constitute a "backward step" for the people of the

Virgin Islands and if passed would do irreparable harm to America's reputation and prestige.

Mr. White's views were contained in telegrams sent by him to Douglas McKay, Secretary of the Interior, and to three senators: Herbert H. Lehman and Irving M. Ives of New York, and Hugh Butler of Nebraska. The telegrams were dispatched on May 5.

The NAACP messages noted that the proposed bill, to amend the

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## Fort Dodge, Iowa

Fort Dodge, Iowa.—Coppin Chapel AME church, 151 Central Ave., Rev. LeRoy Patterson, pastor. Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Next topic, "Elijah Rebukes Ahab," with Mrs. Lillian Lewis, Supt. Morning services at 11:30 a.m. A nice crowd attended a Mother's Day program Sunday night at the church.

Second Baptist church, 1827 Fourth

ORIGINAL NOTICE  
In the District Court of the State of Iowa  
In and For Polk County  
Law No. 62706  
KATHERINE P. ZENOR,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
RAYMOND W. ZENOR,  
Defendant.

TO: RAYMOND W. ZENOR, Defendant. You are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court in and For Polk County, Iowa, the petition of Katherine P. Zenor, claiming that you have disappeared, that your whereabouts have been unknown since November 7, 1953, at which time you left the residence occupied by you and the said Katherine P. Zenor at 2422 East Walnut Street, Des Moines, Iowa; that you are the owner of property in Polk County of unknown value which requires care and supervision to protect your interests and those of your family and creditors. As a result of such claims, Katherine P. Zenor asks the court to appoint a guardian of your property.

You are further notified to appear before the said court at the courthouse in Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, within 20 days after the service of this notice upon you, and that unless you do so your default will be entered and the judgment, order and relief prayed in the petition will be granted.

KATHERINE P. ZENOR  
By: L. R. ROYAL,  
Her Attorney  
208 Savings & Loan Bldg.  
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ORIGINAL NOTICE  
In the District Court of the State of Iowa  
In and For Polk County  
Law No. 62706  
G. JOAN TAYLOR,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
EUGENE HOBART TAYLOR,  
Defendant.

TO: EUGENE HOBART TAYLOR, THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT. YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause of action wherein she prays that she be granted an absolute divorce from you on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment. In said petition the plaintiff further prays that she be granted the absolute care, custody and control of the minor child, Michael Eugene Taylor, and that you be ordered by the Court to pay a reasonable sum for child support, and plaintiff prays for such other and further relief as the Court may deem just and equitable in the premises.

FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS, see plaintiff's petition now on file.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED to appear before said Court in the Polk County Court House in the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on or before June 12, 1954, and that unless you so appear, your default will be entered and judgment or decree will be rendered against you for the relief demanded in the plaintiff's petition.

RICHARD A. STRICKLER  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
407 Savings & Loan Bldg.  
Des Moines, Iowa

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ORIGINAL NOTICE  
In the District Court of the State of Iowa  
In and For Polk County  
Law No. 62706  
HAROLD L. LEEPER,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
ALOHA LEEPER,  
Defendant.

TO: ALOHA LEEPER, THE ABOVE

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause of action, wherein she prays that she be granted an absolute divorce from you on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment. Plaintiff further prays in his petition that the Court award him title to the 1951 Plymouth automobile, and that the Court further quiet title in him to the real estate legally described as "Lot 12, Block A, Avon Gardens, Polk County, Iowa," together with the home located thereon and the household goods and furniture contained therein, and plaintiff prays for such other and further relief as the Court may deem just and equitable in the premises.

FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS, see plaintiff's petition now on file.

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RICHARD A. STRICKLER  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
407 Savings & Loan Bldg.  
Des Moines, Iowa

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ORIGINAL NOTICE  
In the District Court of the State of Iowa  
In and For Polk County  
Law No. 62706  
HAROLD L. LEEPER,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
ALOHA LEEPER,  
Defendant.

TO: ALOHA LEEPER, THE ABOVE

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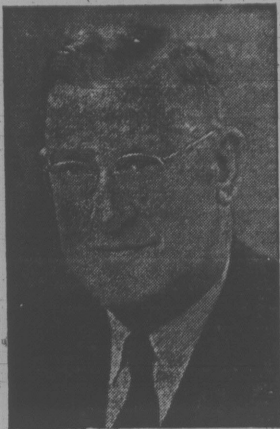
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# Mr. Candidate SEE FRONT PAGE



W. H. NICHOLAS

Mr. James B. Morris,  
Des Moines, Iowa.

Dear Jim:

I did not get home in time to answer your letter of April 26th, to have it in your hands before May 7th, as requested.

However, you know that I am all for the FEP measure. I think the state of Iowa should lead, and if I am Governor I shall insist upon getting the job done.

Most sincerely,

W. H. NICHOLAS

Candidate for Governor



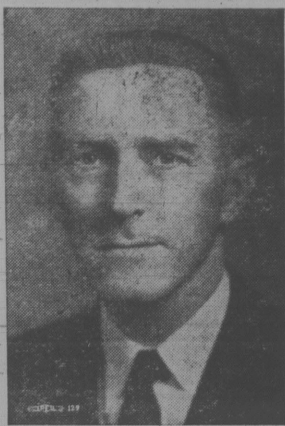
W. S. 'BILL' LYNES

Charlie Gebhard, campaign manager of the Bill Lynes Club—of Waverly, Ia., supporting W. S. 'Bill' Lynes for Republican nomination for Governor, wrote the following:

"I was greatly interested in your April 15th editorial titled, 'Candidates—How Do You Stand?'

"It would be easy for me in writing you to make a lot of extravagant promises. Everybody always loved the Negro at election time. I'm pretty sure, however, that the day has long gone when your people are misled by these campaign promises.

"Instead of mere words, or instead of enclosing a publicity release and asking you to run it with an ad, I'm going to have Mr. Lynes call on you



LEO A. HOEGH

Leo A. Hoegh, of Charlton, Ia., Republican candidate for Governor, made the following statement:

"Thank you for sending your questionnaire. I always welcome the opportunity to give my position on the various issues.

"1. The State should take the lead in making certain every citizen has equal opportunity.

"2. I will sign such a measure.

"3. Yes, I have stated many times that 'the matter of sex, race, age or creed will not be a question. Only qualifications will govern my appointments.'"



Ernest Palmer

Ernest Palmer, Jr., of Fort Madison, Ia., Republican candidate for Governor, wrote:

"Thank you for your letter and questionnaire.

"1 and 2. I would have to study the particular measures before committing myself. I would, of course, appoint a committee in conformity with a resolution by the legislature.

"2.—I feel strongly that qualified Negroes should be appointed to worthwhile position in the state government and I am already on record to this effect."

to discuss issues in which you are interested. I know he has been wanting to do so—and should make it a special point next time he gets to Des Moines. Then you can make up your mind about him."

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## Ten Win Honors In Olympian Club's Talent Parade in 'Varieties of '54'

Dance acts featured the Olympian club's "Varieties of '54" held Thursday night, May 6, at Hoyt Sherman Place.

Ten acts won prizes. The winners and the order in which they placed were: Mary Ann Buls, singer; Carole Elchorn, baton twirler; Marvel Boys (Danny Carroll, Rocky, David and Tommy Spratt and George Dellopoulos), dancers; Four Letters (Teddy Hughes, Melvin Weston, Arthur Black, Walden Miller), vocal quartet; Karen Ferguson, toe dancer; Janet Bell, dancer; Lowell Cooper and Sonny Davis, musical patomine;

Dancing Dolls (Irene Owens, Darlene DeCarlo, Karen Ferguson, Sharon Spraker, Charle Lynn Sheeler),

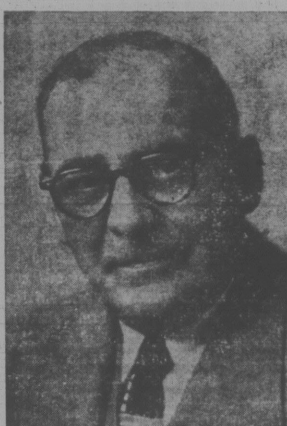
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A. B. CHAMBERS

A. B. Chambers, of Des Moines, Republican candidate for Governor of Iowa wrote:

"In reply to your letter of April 26, I will endeavor to answer your questions, but at the same time I believe that you are quite familiar with my position on these problems, due to the fact that we have had them before the City Council many times during the four years I was a member of that government.

"I believe that it is pretty well established that I have always been opposed to both racial and religious prejudices and have worked to that end both in the conduct of my own business and in my position with city affairs.

"I can see no reason why the state of Iowa should not take the same position that we have already taken in the City of Des Moines. If I were governor, I believe that I would accept the study made by the FEP Commission which has already made its report to the Des Moines City Council, which I am quite sure could be used without additional cost of a commission to make further studies.

"In reference to your third question regarding appointing qualified Negroes to worthwhile positions in the state government—certainly qualified individuals would receive the same attention from me, regardless of race, color or creed.

"I heartily approved the President's appointment of Archie Alexander to his present position. Certainly a man better qualified could not have been chosen and I would be very happy to follow the same policy."

dancing chorus; Darlene DeCarlo, tap dancer; Betty Jo Brown and Danny Carroll, tap dancers.

Other participants in the first part of the show which featured "Talent on Review," were: Larry Brown, Hillbilly singers; the Friendly Four; Philip Talenti, accordionist; Jeannie Gazzo, the Ashby sisters, vocal duet; the Linnenkamps, vocal trio; Judy Nichols, baton twirler; Barbara Ann Black, vocal solo; Cowan's Cadettes, baton twirling; Judy Weiss, interpretative ballet; Greenfield and White-side, musical pantomime.

Master of ceremonies of the review was East High school student, Terry Bell.

Judges of the talent show were: Korinne Jackson, Catherine Atkinson, Hattie Jones, Ernest (Spec) Redd, James Duncan, Jack Bartowski. The closing feature of the show was an "After Hours At the Blue Note" night club scene where Spec Redd presided at the piano with the International Swingsters, and guest entertainers appeared on the scene.

Guest artists were: Archie McNair at the electric organ; Harold Flax, harmonica virtuoso; Barbara Black, vocalist; Eddie Bayles, baritone; Mary Ann Buls, song stylist; Irvin White, dramatist; Curtis Jackson, walter; Esther Wadsworth, song stylist; Alberta Bates, Colen Scales, Lauretta Hughes, Christopher Moore, joined by the others in a chorus; and

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CLYDE HERRING

Clyde Herring of Des Moines, Democratic candidate for Governor, wrote:

"In reply to your editorial, may I state that as Governor I would take every necessary step in Iowa to further the equality of opportunity to all races. The Democratic Party for twenty years has contributed considerably to the abolition of racial differences, and I should expect to continue that program. I would, therefore, approve whatever action the legislature might take towards that end. Lastly, I feel that my record in my community here indicates my desire and willingness to appoint persons of competence, regardless of their race."



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DRAYTON COUNTRYMAN

Drayton Countryman of Nevada, Ia., Republican candidate for Attorney General said:

"As I stated in my letter to you on March 24, prior to your invitation for statements on civil rights by candidates for Attorney General, I am pleased to again state that I am nominated and elected Attorney General of Iowa I will insist upon the enforcement of the Iowa Civil Rights



HENRY W. WORMLEY

Henry W. Wormley, of Des Moines, Republican candidate for Attorney General said:

You have submitted to me the following inquiry?

Law, Chapter 735 of the Iowa Code for 1950, by seeking the cooperation of operators of public places; and that I will insist that County Attorneys make an effort to enforce these laws."

"Will you insist upon the enforcement of the Iowa civil rights law by seeking the cooperation of the operators of public places; insist that county attorneys make an effort to enforce these laws?"

"The answer is an emphatic 'Yes.' These laws of Iowa will be enforced by the Attorney General and the county attorneys. I believe in law enforcement and fair treatment to all, and I have no prejudice in my heart."

## East Side Union Mission Society To Fete Shut-Ins May 20

The East Side Union Mission Society will hold its board meeting Wednesday afternoon, May 19, 1:30 p.m., with the Mt. Zion Baptist church, Oralabor, Iowa.

The same group will hold its annual meeting for the aged and shut-ins Thursday morning, May 20, from 10 a.m. to 12 o'clock at the Community Sanctified church in Chesterfield.

Rev. J. R. Roman will deliver the sermon. Transportation will be furnished if you phone 3-3579 or 6-3432.

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Prayer Service Wednesday: 8:00 P. M.

### St. Paul A. M. E. Church

12th and Crocker Streets  
Rev. John E. Hunter, Minister  
Sunday School: 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Worship: 11:00 A. M.  
Evening Service: 7:00 P. M.  
Prayer Service Wednesday: 7:30 P. M.  
Youth Fellowship: 5:30 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.: 8:00 P. M.  
Prayer Service Wednesday: 7:30 P. M.

### East University Church of God in Christ

17th St. and University  
OVERSEER LOUIS H. FORD, Pastor  
Sunday School: 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Worship: 11:00 A. M.  
Evening Service: 8:00 P. M.  
Wednesday Evening: 8:00 P. M.  
Broadcast each Sunday  
Evening KWDW: 10:00-10:30 P. M.

### Greater Bethel A. M. E. Church

1524 E. University Avenue  
Rev. C. E. Duke, Minister  
Spiritual Services  
Sunday School: 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Worship: 11:00 A. M.  
Wednesday Prayer Service: 7:30 P. M.  
Thursday-Sunday School  
Teacher's Meeting: 7:00 P. M.  
Thursday Choir Rehearsal: 8:00 P. M.  
"Come thou with us and we will do thee good."

### MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, May 16, Rev. George Parish will preach from the subject, "Power of Holy Spirit." At the evening service the gospel choir will give a program and baptizing will be held. The Friendly club met Tuesday evening with Mrs. Eleanor Duffy. The mission circle will meet Friday afternoon with Mother Forman, 1300 E. 18th street. The George Parish club will meet Friday evening with Mrs. Lois Mitchell, 1607 Maple street. The Improvement club will meet Friday in the home of Mrs. Ethel Baxter. Among the Sick and shut-ins are: Mother Clara Houston, Mesdames Fannie Cox, Susie Yeager, Broadlawn hospital; Messrs. Harry Parker, Mercy hospital; Lawrence Williams, Goodwin Nursing home.

### GREATER BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH NOTES

Regarding the name "Greater Bethel," the pastor, Rev. C. E. Duke has informed that when he took over the leadership, "Bethel" was in \$1,000 debt, had no credit rating; its building was unenclosed. Under the present leadership, Bethel has received credit rating, has paid all bills with exception of the organ bill which has been reduced to \$300, enclosed its structure and put stained glass windows in the front of the building; finally, 28 new members have been added to Bethel. Hence, the name Greater Bethel. He added that "connectional obligations have been paid promptly during the incumbent's administration."

Sunday at 11 a. m. the pastor's subject will be "Eyes Unto the Hills." The rally captains will make their reports in the morning. The Elizabeth Tolliver Missionary society will be host to the St. Paul Missionary society Tuesday, May 17, 8 p. m. Mrs. W. R. Hindle, active in the Des Moines Council of Church Women, will be guest speaker.

### MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

"The Comforts of Mothers" was Rev. H. R. Fields' Mother's Day sermon subject. Music was by the junior choir. Rev. A. C. Crawford read the scripture. Rev. Mr. Fields will preach at Union Baptist church Sunday, May 16, 3 p. m. The junior choir will sing at Mt. Zion Baptist church in Oralabor, Iowa, Tuesday evening, May 18. The pastor preached at Shiloh Baptist church Wednesday night in the interest of the Central district. The Mother's Day services were well attended. Mrs. G. Rush was guest speaker for the Mission last Sunday afternoon. Brotherhood auxiliary met at the church Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lee Martin are the parents of a son born Tuesday, May 4. Mrs. Allen is the former Jonetta McDay. Mr. and Mrs. William Bruce were visitors last Sunday evening. Miss Ella Skipper, of Omaha, Nebr., spent Mother's Day here with her mother, Mrs. L. Skipper and her daughter, Miss Sue Smart.

### 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

14th 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.

### Community Church of the Nazarene

5th and High—Basement of Y.W.C.A.  
Rev. and Mrs. Henry Ellis, Pastors  
Sunday School: 10:30 A. M.  
Church Service: 11:00 A. M.  
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### Union Baptist Church

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

### St. John Baptist Church

2740 MAURY STREET  
Rev. J. R. Roman, Pastor  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Service: 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service: 7:30 p.m.  
Prayer Service, Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

### CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. N. R. Olphin will be guest at the Shiloh Baptist church Sunday, May 16, 3 p. m., for the Ever Loyal club. The Songfellowship will accompany him. Sunday evening at Corinthian, the Songfellowship will sponsor a musical program.

Two new members are: Tony Holmes, and Miss Gretchen Hayter. Among the sick and shut-ins are: Mrs. Elizabeth Carter, Mercy hospital; Mrs. Helen Bouvender, Methodist hospital; Mr. Alonzo Harris, 1158 18th; Rev. J. M. Eaves, 1120 17th; Mrs. Zella Chapman, 1416 E. 18th; Mrs. Roy Walker, 921 12th; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bell, 915 15th; Mrs. Genevieve Ashford, 1340 Jefferson; Mrs. Cornelia Mease, 1017 13th; Mr. Robert Brown, 138 Arthur.

### ST. PAUL A. M. E. CHURCH NOTES

Women's Day closed last Sunday at 5:30 o'clock with ten captains and general chairman making their reports which totaled \$1,263.52. Church attendance for the concert last Friday when the Wilberforce University choir, and the Sunday morning service when Etta Moten spoke, was about 700 persons. Miss Moten and the choir were well received. Both were in connection with Women's Day.

The Singleton's Children's choir entertained their mothers at a luncheon last Saturday afternoon at the church Rev. J. E. Hunter participated in the program.

Pastor Hunter dedicated last Sunday morning a Bible, given to the church by Mrs. Helen Dameron Wimberly, in memory of her late mother, Mrs. Mattie Dameron, a faithful member of St. Paul church. Mrs. Wimberly, here from Chicago, participated in the dedication.

The St. Paul Brotherhood has announced plans for annual Men's Day services to be held on Father's Day June 20. Leaders in charge will be Arthur Prope, chairman and Paul Danforth, co-chairman.

Presiding Elder W. H. Ogleton will deliver the sermon Sunday, May 16, at 11 a. m. Monday May 17, 8 p. m., the third quarterly conference will be held.

### SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

The Shiloh Baptist men's chorus will meet Monday 7:30 p. m., at the church; Wilber Hunt, President; Tuesday, 8 p. m., the senior choir will meet; Mrs. Pauline Cheyney, president. Prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., to 8 p. m. The Mt. Olive Baptist choir will sing and their pastor, Rev. H. R. Fields, moderator of Central District, will preach at Shiloh.

Thursday, youth choir will practice at 7:30 p. m., Mrs. Eva Johnson, president. Last Sunday visitors were: Mrs. Gertude Wyatt of Ames;

### Mrs. Cecil Lewis Attends Spring Convocation

Mrs. Cecil Lewis of 1548 Des Moines street, attended the spring convocation in Minneapolis, Minn., at St. Peters A. M. E. church, on May 5 and 6.

The Michigan, Northwest, Chicago, Indiana, Illinois, Conference Workers' presidents, met with Mrs. Alma Baber of Detroit, Mich., supervisor, to plan a program for year 1954-55. Presidents are: Mrs. Pearl Collins, Detroit; Mrs. Cecil Lewis, Northwest conference, Des Moines; Mrs. Minnie Lee, Chicago conference, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Lena Ramey, Indiana conference, Anderson, Ind.; Mrs. Lucille Johnson, Illinois conference, Litchfield, Ill.

### Baptist Ministers Wives Potluck May 18

The Baptist Ministers' wives will serve a potluck May 18, 7:30 p. m., at 947 Ninth street. Mrs. G. A. Kendrick is hostess. Mrs. J. A. Roman is president; Mrs. A. W. Patton, reporter.

### Bethel Sunday School Youth Day May 30

Bethel A. M. E. Sunday School will observe annual youth day, Sunday, May 30, when the youth will have charge of the morning services and a program during the afternoon.

### Friendly Workers Club to Hold Silver Tea Sunday, May 16

The Friendly Workers club of Maple Street Baptist church is holding its second annual silver tea Sunday, May 16, 4 to 6 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Paul Morrison, 1545 Maple street.

### Mrs. J. E. Tunstall, President-Elect of D. M. Church Women

New officers of the Des Moines Council of Church Women were installed Monday during the council's annual May Fellowship Day at church.

They were: Mrs. Don Cole, president; Mrs. John E. Tunstall, president-elect; Mrs. Warner Muir, first vice president; Mrs. Fred Reinacher, second vice president; Mrs. Alfred Maupin, recording secretary; Mrs. Arthur Anderson, corresponding secretary; Mrs. George Sullivan, treasurer; Miriam Graham, auditor; and Mrs. B. O. Gammon, historian.

The all-day program, attended by 250 women, included panel discussions, "Women in the Home."

### EVANGELIST DOYLE HONORED AT LUNCHEON

Evangelist M. B. Doyle spoke last Saturday evening in Marquisville, Ia., at Rev. R. Thompson's church. She was entertained later at a luncheon—the honored guest of Mrs. R. Rye.

Mrs. Anna Lucas, Mr. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hunt recently became the parents of a new baby daughter. Rev. and Mrs. I. H. Harris left Wednesday to be at the bedside of Mrs. Hargis' brother who is seriously ill in Columbia, Mo.

The Ever Loyal club is sponsoring a program Sunday, May 16, 3 p. m., when Rev. N. R. Olphin, pastor of Corinthian Baptist church, will be speaker. The Corinthian Songfellowship will sing. Mrs. Leola Withers is president; Mrs. Pearl Gibson is captain of north side.

### W. C. Handy On Galen Drake Show

New York, N. Y.—W. C. Handy, known to American music as "father of the blues," will be Galen Drake's guest on CBS Radio's Saturday morning variety program, the "Galen Drake Show," Saturday, May 15.

Mr. Handy, a pioneer in giving written form to the words and music of blues and other American folk music of Negro origin, will offer vignettes from his six decades of work as composer, performer, musicologist and publisher.

In addition to the St. Louis Blues," Mr. Handy has written dozens of other compositions including "Mem-

### Wilberforce Choir Receives Hearty Applause Here

An appreciative audience which filled the auditorium of St. Paul A. M. E. church and overflowed into the balcony, listened to the fine music, beautiful harmonies and choral work of the Wilberforce (Ohio) University choir in concert here last Friday night.

The student choir of 36 voices, under the direction of Leland Patterson, was ending a nine-day tour which included appearances in Chicago, Ill., Gary, Ind., Milwaukee, Wis., Minneapolis, Minn., and Des Moines.

From the opening number of the concert, "Listen to the Angels" (Miller), to the closing major selection, "Song of the Banner" (Schuman) from "A Free Song" which was an expression of allegiance and patriotism, the rich, clear voices of the choir filled the church and brought forth hearty applause from the listeners.

Featured in solos were Miss Marjorie Rice of Philadelphia, and Messrs. Raymond Andrews, Newark N. J., Melvin Campbell, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Cloyd Trough of Jamaica, B. W. I. Miss Christine Robinson, Shelbyville, Ohio, was accompanist.

Intermission speaker was the Rev. George W. Baber, Jr., pastor of the First A. M. E. church in Zenia, Ohio. A student at Payne Theological Seminary, he represented the school's president, Dr. Charles L. Hill, on the tour.

The concert here was sponsored by the St. Paul A. M. E. church, the Rev. John E. Hunter, pastor, in cooperation with Bethel A. M. E. church, the Rev. Cecil E. Duke, minister, as one of the features of the St. Paul church women's projects which culminated with Women's Day last Sunday when Etta Moten of Chicago was guest speaker.

### Burlington, Iowa

by Mrs. Ed Williams

Burlington, Ia.—St. Elmo chapter of OES had a covered dish supper and initiation April 27. George Gipson has been released from Hines Veteran hospital to spend the summer at home. Sunday, May 2, the Silver Leaf club gave a cocktail party at Memorial auditorium. A large number of out-of-town guests attended. Mr. and Mrs. Ted Duan and Collene Lloyd of Chicago were week end visitors. Mrs. Ahmed (Geraldine) Brown of Chicago also visited relatives over the week end here.

The St. John A. M. E. church members were guests of Rev. J. S. Beverly's church in Mt. Pleasant. Dinner was served. Mrs. Daisy Bassett's funeral rites were held Monday in Prugh's chapel. Burial was in Aspen Grove cemetery. Surviving are a brother, Gourd Cummings, Wilmington, Del. Mrs. Lola Williams has been sick but is out again.

Mrs. Dora Rideout was hostess assisted by youngest and oldest mothers present at a Mother's Day tea at Union Baptist church Sunday. Mrs. Thomas Lewis recently visited her sister in St. Paul, Minn., and was met by her husband in Des Moines where they spent Mother's Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Franklin. Mrs. A. J. Thompson visited her sister, Mrs. A. Bell in St. Louis, Mo., for Mother's Day. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams were dinner guests of Mrs. Elsie Drew on Mother's Day. Mrs. Earl Oldham is reported to be sales girl in the hosiery department at J. S. Schramm store.

phus Blues," "Beale Street Blues," "Joe Turner Blues" and "Blue Destiny," a symphonic composition based on four of his most popular songs.

Mr. Handy is also a member of the firm of Handy Brothers Music Co., which has published significant musical anthologies compiled by Mr. Handy, "A Treasury of the Blues," "Unsung Americans Sung" and other blues collections. His autobiography, "Father of the Blues," edited by Arna Bontemps, was published by the Macmillan Company.

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### Schuler Sisters In Program Sunday



The Schuler Sisters of Mason City will give a musical program Sunday afternoon, May 16, 3 o'clock, at the Maple Street Baptist church. The public is invited.

### Lack Of Something To Do May Cause Child To Have Tantrums

By Afton Smith, SUI Assistant Professor

When Timmy was two and one-half he loved the children's record player, but he couldn't make it work. Angry tears flowed. He finally started hammering at it with his fist. It was high time to do something about it.

His mother showed him how to operate the player. He learned quickly and now spends happy minutes playing the records. She says he takes good care of it, too. Skill has displaced anger.

Betty cried and pounded her doll on the floor because she could not fasten the tiny buttons. Then one large button hole and a button the size of a dime were placed on the dress. Satisfaction in accomplishment replaced Betty's tantrums.

Not only lack of skill but lack of something to do may cause tantrums. If a child is given plenty of play materials to keep him busy, he has less time for tantrums.

The play materials, of course, must be the kind he can use. Boxes which he can move about in the back yard in this summer weather are very satisfying. He can make believe they are ships, trains, air planes, trucks.

Betty can have a seat on the make-believe train or plane with doll nicely buttoned up. Or she can set up housekeeping in one of the boxes turned on the side. This sort of house will be more useful to her than the elaborate doll house which Santa brought last Christmas. The tiny furniture tried Betty's patience when she tried to arrange it in the small rooms.

The child lacks skill for managing

### Manly, Iowa—

Manly, Iowa.—Mrs. Aleatha Summers of Kansas City, Mo., is in the city visiting with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson. Mother's Day was observed at New Bethel last Sunday. All services were well attended. Out-of-town guests at the morning service were: Mrs. Henry Jones, Mrs. Elsie Radcliffe, of St. Paul, Minn., and Mrs. Minnie Betts of Toombsville, Miss. Mr. and Mrs. Jones and son, Mrs. Radcliffe, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Haddix and daughter were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Page. The afternoon Mother's Day program was in charge of the B.T.U., Mrs. Ruby Haddix presiding. Out-of-town visitors attending the program were some members of The Union Memorial Methodist church, and Mt. Zion Baptist both of Mason City. LeRoy and Delores Dunn and two of Delores' girl friends were also in the city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Profit Dunn, grandparents of Leroy and Delores.

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### Antlered Guard to Hold Public Civil Defense Meeting May 27

The Antlered Guard, a military division of Hawkeye Lodge No. 160, IBOEW, is sponsoring a civil defense meeting at Willkie House, Thursday, May 27, 7:30 p. m. The public is invited free of charge. Boy Scouts will distribute handbills next week advertising the program.

Major Wardell Coyle, civil defense director of the Antlered Guard, will introduce Ben Fowler, state civil defense director, who will be the main speaker.

Allen Coos, popular dance band of Des Moines, has volunteered to open the meeting with a half-hour program until 8 p. m. Lt. Heffener of the city police department, Patrolman Paul J. Thompson, first aid instructor for the Iowa Hawks Co. A will be present.

Frieda Garland, who recently has been promoted to lieutenant colonel, announced that the drill team of the Elks temple will exhibit a few drills on the program.

The Iowa Hawks Co. A will meet Friday night, 8 o'clock at the Elks clubrooms.

### D.M. Navy Mothers In Phone Campaign

Des Moines Navy Mother club No. 12 is sponsoring a telephone campaign of Liberty Products to raise funds for local welfare and club's activities. Mrs. Theresa Grimes is commander.

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## Honored at Surprise Birthday Party



**MRS. VIVIAN WILLIAMS**  
Mrs. Vivian Williams, 1152 Ninth street, on Mother's Day was honored at a surprise birthday party by her husband, Mr. Murray S. Williams. Refreshments were served.

Sharing the courtesy were Mesdames Marie Powell, Myrtle Johnson, Marcelene Estes, Marie Owens, Viola Johnson, Margaret Duncan, Cora Carter, Helen Bell, Ellaree Clinton and Grace Taylor.

Mrs. Williams is president of the Par-Tee Golf club.

## Mrs. Gracie D. Gaines of Oklahoma Visiting Sons and Families

Mrs. Gracie D. Gaines of Marietta, Okla., left Friday after spending several weeks here visiting her sons, Rev. Seymour Gaines, and Messrs. Joe and Curley Gaines and their families.

## The Joseph Wimberlys of Chicago Are Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wimberly of Chicago, Ill., were week end guests of her father, Mr. J. L. Dameron, 1127 Eleventh street, and her aunt, Mrs. Margaret Lowery.

## Mrs. Alfred Williams and Children Here

Mrs. Alfred Williams and two daughters of St. Paul, Minn., spent the Mother's Day week end here with their mother, grandmother, and great grandmother, Mrs. Lillian Edmunds and Mrs. Lola Hardwick.

## Iowans Week End Guests in Lincoln

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miles and Dr. and Mrs. Julien Mason drove to Lincoln, Neb., over the week end to be house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Johnson. Saturday night the Iowans were guests of Mr. George Collie at the Roseland cafeteria and night club.

## Valley Golf Club To Meet May 18

The Valley Golf club will meet Tuesday, May 18, at Wilkie House. All members have been asked to attend.

## Miss O. Harmon Of Detroit Visits Here

Miss Ophelia Harmon of Detroit, Mich., spent several days here house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Flipping, 1165 18th street. She left last Wednesday for Waterloo, Ia., to visit a brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Henry G. Harmon, before returning to Detroit.

## The C. Armstrongs of Oskaloosa Here

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Armstrong of Oskaloosa, Ia., were week end guests of Mrs. Mary Clay, 611 S. E. Fifth street. They were guests Sunday at the birthday dinner party of

## Week End Guests at M. E. Cassell Home

Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Lee and children, Cassandra and Steven, Mrs. Phillip Blackwell and children, Mark Phillip and Keyna, William C. Wood II and Stanley McArthur returned to their homes in Minneapolis, Monday after a week end visit with their parents, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cassell.

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## Progressive Dinner Club Holds Annual Mother-Daughter Dinner

The Progressive Dinner club held its annual mother-daughter dinner on Mother's Day at the home of Mrs. Rosa Wilson, 844 Fifteenth street. A delicious dinner was served and the daughters presented gifts to their mothers and guests mothers.

The mothers and their daughters for the occasion were: Mesdames Beatrice Crank and Ella Gibbon; Georgia Goggins and Sarah Jett; Minnie Thurston and Bertie Hayter; Lena Harvey and Stella Hyde; Rosie Wilson and Lucille Thomas and

## Bride-Elect Eleanor R. Powell to Be Married on May 30

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morris, 1046 Seventeenth street, have announced in invitations this week the marriage date of her daughter, Eleanor Rebecca Powell, to Jean N. Archer of Chicago, Ill., lieutenant in the U. S. Army.

The wedding will take place Sunday, May 30, 3 p. m., at Saint Ambrose Cathedral in Des Moines. A reception will follow immediately at the Y. W. C. A., Ninth and High Streets.

## Week End Guests at J. Q. Evans' Home

Mother's Day week end house guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. Q. Evans, 1106 Seventeenth street, were their children Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson and daughter, Pamela, of Omaha, Neb., and Dr. L. A. Whitfield of Chicago, Ill.



**Personal Touch**  
By MARIE ROSS

The Wilberforce (Ohio) University Choir which ended a nine-day Midwest concert tour in Des Moines last Friday night at the St. Paul A.M.E. church, brought to the city a wealth of talented students and personalities from many parts of the country.

Seventeen women students of the group of 36 singers, were under the supervision of Miss Isabel Askev, Wilberforce dean of women. The men were in charge of the choir's director, Mr. Relford Patterson.

I chatted with Mr. Patterson, learned that he got his musical training at Howard University, Washington, D. C., and later taught at Shaw University, Raleigh, N. C., before going to Wilberforce.

Then when I looked at Miss Askev, she smiled, and I began to wonder where I had seen her before. It was my intention to ask her all about the problems of traveling on concert tours, chaperoning a group of young college women. But we got to talking about how long she has been associated with Wilberforce, and I discovered that I had met her during one of the national tennis tournaments which was held at Wilberforce; and, that she knew some friends who had moved from Zenia, Ohio, to Kansas City, and—she never got back to the problems of traveling.

However, she did reveal that she had no trouble with the young college women; that on their trips they are permitted to go shopping, to shows, parties and affairs planned for them; that alcohol is not allowed and smoking must be in private; and that her main worry was to get the girls from the homes where they are being housed, in various parts of the cities, on time for the concerts.

On the trips, study period is held for all of the students, to meet the assignments teachers made, she revealed.

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Frances Cason; Myrtle Bailey; Bertha Dunn and Marie Kiser; Katie Jackson and Katie Moore; Lola Reeves and Lenna Reeves.

## Mrs. Lyla Graves Bride of Mr. Floyd Hubbard

Mrs. Lyla Graves and Mr. Floyd Hubbard were married Saturday morning, May 8. A reception was held later at the home of Mr. Hubbard's twin brother, Lloyd Hubbard, 830 Tenth street.

Among the guests were: Mesdames Fannie Jones, Bernice Edwards, Nellie Marshall, Alice Lomas, Leola Withers, Messrs. and Mesdames Herschel Hubbard, Leroy Hale, Albert Morris, Andrew Jones, William Heath, Richard Chaney, and Messrs. Robert Jones and Grady Jones.

## Iowana Mona D-S Beauticians to Sponsor Contest

The Iowana Mona D-S Beauticians No. 186 will sponsor a Teen Queen Contest ending May 22. The coronation will be at the Crocker YMCA. Each member is sponsoring a prospect. Mrs. Bernice Carter is president; Mr. Lewis Brown, secretary.

Mich., a senior at the university, plans to continue her music study for a concert career. She has been going to school on a music scholarship.

Miss Connie McClain of Pittsburgh, Pa., is a junior at the university, studying religious education and social work. She has a scholarship and after graduation, may teach school.

Miss Margorie Rice of Philadelphia, who has been studying on a scholarship at Wilberforce, will graduate in June. She plans to continue the study of music, while teaching in the first grade at Flint, Mich. She has won many awards with her voice, she said.

Raymond Andrews of Newark, N. J., a senior at the university, will graduate in June with a degree in psychology. He plans to go into clinic work. On the school's campus, he operated a book store and paid his way through school, he said.

Rose Hervey, a Chicagoan, is a sophomore at the university. When the choir gave its Chicago concert last week, she stayed at her home. She revealed that she was "very sleepy," because it was difficult to get much sleep while traveling; that the group had spent a "grand" two days in Minnesota where they attended a banquet in connection with the A.M.E. church's convocation.

James Jackson of East Orange, N. J., said he was a "third-quarter freshman" at the university where he is a pre-medical student. He has employment as a breakfast cook in the school's cafeteria. During the summer vacation, his job waiting. He will go to the state of Maine, work as a handy-man on a summer estate where he will get his room and board and be able to save some money to return to school next fall.

He revealed that his mother got the summer job for him.

Richard Allston, Newark N. J., is a freshman at the university. He is a music major and is going to school on a scholarship.

Carl Dixon of Trenton, N. J., junior at the university, is a pre-medical major. His family is sending him to school.

John Wilbur of Merriston, N. J., a junior at the university, is a business administration major. He is going to school on a scholarship and during the summertime, has a "very good" job doing construction work.

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## Miss Tywater To Be Wed On May 21



MISS ROSETTA VERLENE TYWATER

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. George Tywater, 2570 Maury street, for the approaching marriage of their daughter, Rosetta Verlene and Sylvester D. Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. Gilbert. The wedding, to be a prominent social affair this spring, will be May 21, 8 p. m. at the Shiloh Baptist church.

Miss Tywater is a graduate of East High school and is employed by the state Department of Social Welfare. Mr. Green, also a graduate of East High school, is employed by the Seigels Construction Co.

**Showers**  
Mrs. George Clinton entertained 30 guests at a personal shower Saturday evening at her home in a pre-nuptial

## Social Art Club To Meet May 20

The Social Art club will meet May 20 with Mrs. Iva Ligon, 2631 Des Moines street. All members are asked to bring big-sister gifts. The last meeting was with Mrs. Ethel Volin, 1625 Walker street. Mrs. Carrie Bryant.

## Book Lovers Hear Review of 'Second Tree'

The Book Lovers of the YWCA met Friday afternoon at the YWCA with the president, Mrs. J. Q. Evans presiding. Mrs. Adele McGuire reviewed the book, "Second Tree From the Corner," (E. B. White). Mrs. Esther Sparks is supervisor of the club.

## Over 100 Models Participate In 'Fashions Around The Clock' Given By Excelsior Club At Corinthian Church

Over 100 models participated in the "Fashions Around the Clock," presented May 4 by the Excelsior club at the Corinthian Baptist church. Morrow, with Mrs. Norman R. Olphin as mistress of ceremonies and music by Ernest (Spec) Reid.

The show opened featuring a morning scene with the following modeling robes and pajamas—Pamela Wallace, Velma Reeves, Bobby Patterson, Cecelia Thompson and Karen Thompson.

"School Time" was the next scene as models wore sports, playsuits, school dresses and wraps and then

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**Adult Models**  
Modeling morning scene attire was Mrs. Sophia Johnson.

Wearing clothing for sports, casual and afternoon events were: the Misses Myrtle Miller, Deborah C. Brown, Cecelia L. Carter, Rocelle Stewart, Deborah Henderson, Victory Henderson, Betty Henry, Bennie Sloan, Maxine Dixon, Anna Wilson, Myrtle Lanier Brenda Russell, Wanda Ashby and Mr. John M. Estes and group.

In formal and dinner dresses were: Miss Vicky Thompson, Mesdames Alease Mays and Barbara Williams.

**Soloists**  
Soloists during the offertory were: Rev. A. N. Fox, Mr. Christopher Moore and Miss Wanda Ashby.

## Children's Theater To Present 'Simple Simon' May 22-23

The Drake University Children's Theatre will present "Simple Simon" Saturday and Sunday, May 22 and 23 at 2:30 p. m. in the University Auditorium, Twenty-sixth street and Carpenter avenue.

Final production of the season, "Simple Simon" is under the direction Miss Portia Boynton, assistant professor of drama in Drake's college of fine arts.

## Triple A Club Meets

The Triple A club met April 28 with Mrs. Mary R. Simmons, hostess. Final plans for a cocktail sip Sunday were completed at the meeting held Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Thompson.

Candidates in the contest for "Miss Corinthian" title were: the Misses Anna Mae Wilson, who won; Miss Nancy Harris, second; and Miss Betty Burrell, third.

Queen's attendants were the Misses Frances Bates, Frances Seales, Norma Jean Bailey, Glendora Smith and Vicky Thompson.

The queen was crowned by the Rev. N. R. Olphin, pastor, with James Morris, Jr., as crown-bearer, and Joyce Morrow, train-bearer.

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## EDITORIALS

## FEATURES

## SPORTS

CLEAN UP CAMPAIGN  
SHOULD BE AGGRESSIVE

The Chamber of Commerce is conducting a clean-up, paint-out campaign which began May 7th and continues to May 15th. This has been an annual affair sponsored either by the senior or Junior Chamber designed to make the average citizen more conscious of the necessity of doing his part on his own property to help beautify the city.

Several weeks ago, John R. Fitzsimmons professor of landscaping at Ames, spoke at a Chamber of Commerce luncheon. Much to the surprise of many, instead of telling his audience how to grow beautiful flowers, he proceeded to call attention to the many unsightly lots and trees in Des Moines which helped to make spots in the city unsightly. Of course, he was telling the truth.

With that admonition in mind, it was thought that an aggressive campaign designed to awaken the people of their shortcomings would be conducted. However, about all that has been done is to place a few billboard signs as reminders. This has not been sufficient.

Unfortunately too many people have failed to remove the winter ashes and the accumulation of trash and cans around their homes, adjacent lots and alleys. In fact, there is just entirely too much of this even to the extent that the City Health Department would be justified in warning some that these conditions constitute a health hazard.

There is no excuse for allowing these conditions to exist. It cost little to rake up the trash and haul away rubbish, to apply a little paint, soap and water all of which help to beautify the home, the neighborhood, the city and thus make the fellow next door who does keep his place up say good morning and really mean it.

THE REAL HEART OF  
FAIR EMPLOYMENT

It's good business to hire minority groups, was the subject of a rather unusual address to the Chamber of Commerce last week, by Ivan L. Willis, vice president and personnel director of the International Harvester Company, certainly the most remarkable by one who could tell his audience what he himself has done in that field.

Quoting from his speech, Mr. Willis said:

"The income of Negroes in America is a billion dollars more than the total income of Canada.

That if minority groups were fully employed, it would raise the total income of America by from five to seven billion dollars.

That in 1940, ninety percent of the Negroes in the United States lived in the South; today seventy percent.

That the International Harvester Company has a policy of hiring people on the basis of merit only. Recently the company built plants in Evansville, Ind., Memphis, Tenn., and Louisville, Kentucky. At the time, the company announced that there would be no separate toilets, washrooms, drinking fountains, cloak rooms or lunch rooms all of which these communities accepted fully and no trouble has arisen in either plant because of that policy.

That minority groups dealt with on the same basis had been found just as efficient, just as reliable as other groups.

That it is cheaper not to allow segregation in home ownership and slums to be built than to have them; that it is cheaper to get rid of slums already existing than allow them to remain; that a man's financial responsibility and character should determine where he can buy and own a home and not his race.

An address of this character is, of course, common with social workers, ministers and those engaged in interracial movements, but seldom have men high up in large corporations who have practiced good race relations, spoken to a Chamber of Commerce on the subject. Certainly the Chamber is to be congratulated for securing Mr. Willis as a speaker where he was able to talk to people who ought to hear such a message but seldom do.

HOW SECRET ARE  
OUR SECRETS?

During the course of the McCarthy hearing, it has been revealed that an army intelligence officer transmitted secret material to the Senator McCarthy without the knowledge of officials in charge of these records.

This incident poses a dangerous situation as to just how secret our secrets are; whether our intelligence officers can be depended upon to keep secrets. If not, agents representing other countries are liable to know our secrets, which of course, places American security in bad shape.

## Armed Forces Day—May 15



"We have learned in Korea that our ability to resist totalitarian aggression will determine the future of the free world. Our Nation's armed might, coupled with its spiritual strength, must continue to be the symbol of mankind's hope for the preservation of peace and human dignity." —John E. Hull, General, U. S. Army, Commander-in-Chief, Far East Command.

## Sandy Saddler

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what he thought about Sandy outwitting his commanding officers: "Hindsight is better than foresight," signed the Colonel. "We didn't learn that he fought in New York until a week ago."

General Herbert B. Rowell of Army personnel said that granting Sandy a leave was a mistake and that the officer responsible had been punished.

## Etta Moten Speaks

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flowed the nest. To avoid "mother-in-law trouble," she advised mothers who are left with nothing to do, who have become frustrated, or feel neglected to "meet the challenge by remaining young, not by applying make-up, but by being youthful in mind, by getting into some form of human relations, community activities, social service work and by 'knowing what is going on.'"

**Spiritual Challenge** "Then there is the real spiritual side that secret something that you add to your recipe," Miss Moten said. To meet the spiritual challenge, one must have a deep religious conviction, must believe in God, and know how to revitalize that spirit, she added.

"That spiritual Vitamin G—God—that you can put into yourselves will help you to meet all the present day tensions that are pressing down on us.

"If it is there it will really show through," she said.

Miss Moten told the mothers that "too long have we been standing behind prejudice as an excuse not to get prepared. We had better tell our children to get prepared for everything—because the walls of prejudice are falling down."

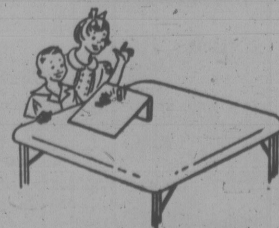
Miss Moten sang two numbers at the close of the service.



## Game for Young or Old

IT'S FUN for youngsters and grown-ups alike—the tumble-bug game. For the bugs, get some capsules from your druggist. Drop a ball bearing into each, close the capsule and mark it with a colored tape, so that each player will know his own bug.

The only other equipment needed for the game is a playing board. Cut a piece of Presdwood about one foot



square and nail it to a block of one-inch lumber four inches wide and as long as the playing board, to form a ramp. You'll need to plane the block of wood to the proper angle to make the Presdwood fit evenly.

Up to four players can participate with a board the size of the one described. Each player holds his capsule in an upright position at the top edge of the playing board. At the signal to "go," the bugs are released to tumble and over and down the ramp. The one reaching bottom first is the winner.

## HEALTH FOR ALL

## HOW TO LOSE WEIGHT

With the summer just a stone's throw away many Iowans are wondering how to get their figure back into bathing suit form. Take a tip from the Iowa State Department of Health. The only way to lose weight is to diet and the only way to diet effectively is to cut down on calories but not on vitamins and minerals. Your doctor can help you do that, and if you are planning to lose weight, it's a good idea to see him for a complete physical check-up before you start.

One of the ways not to lose weight is to follow a fad diet, one that promises a weight loss in just a few days if you cut out everything but just a few foods. The only reason fad diets do not injure the health of more people by cutting off their necessary supply of vitamins and minerals is that few people stick to them long enough to really harm themselves, says Mrs. Helen Lovell, state health department nutritionist.

Another fallacy of reducing is the use of pills, massage, baths, or exercise. You may need to exercise if you are losing a great deal of weight through diet in order to prevent flabby muscles, but faith in any of these alone without diet is useless.

The only reason people gain weight is that they consume more calories than their body can use, and store the extra calories in fatty tissue. Also, the only way to lose weight is to eat food that contains less calories so that the body can use its fat.

But remember to eat a balanced diet with plenty of citrus fruits, green and yellow vegetables, other fruits and vegetables, meat, eggs, milk, and some bread or cereal. Sweets and starches are a good thing to cut down on.

The most important factor in losing weight is will power. If you can get through the first week of a diet, your goal may soon be in sight. Here's an encouraging note, too. A balanced reducing diet is not a starvation diet. Learn from your doctor how to diet effectively and sensibly, and see how easy it is to lose weight, feel better, and stay healthy by eating the right foods.

district and state meets. **Baseball** About this time next month, we will know who is who in the majors. Brooklyn not doing bad without Robinson and Campanella. St. Louis Cardinals have Alton, a six-ten at first and he has started to hit. Vic Powers is still hitting and Trice of Philadelphia A's has won four games and lost one.

Out of the Living  
Past—'The Negro'

Africa, in some parts, is a metropolis and a cosmopolis. Yes, she is one of the most famous countries of the world and the greatest story teller of them all. There, one finds all customs familiar, civilization in all stages from the most primitive to the most advanced.

If a traveler were to ask her about her many Diets, Africa would pause a while, very proudly displaying much dignity, before mentioning Ammon Ra—the chief of them all—the Sun God, from whom the Pharaohs claimed descent. Some of the Africans imagined him

Well, when the Sugar Man got out of jail, his outfit was gone and he was suffering from a rough handling, so he went to a veteran hospital and expressed his opinion of the people who would let a U. S. soldier receive that sort of treatment. His language was such that the powers that be got him out of the army, saying he was mentally unfit. This story wasn't made public.

We guess that the editors' treatment of Negro G. I.'s in the south was something the army brass would like to forget.

This may not be the correct version, but it is the one we got back in 1945 and we hand it out for what it is worth.

You just can't sell East High short when track meets are brought up by sticking Sam Bradley around in the right places. East gathered in their 14 consecutive Big Six track title, overcoming the power-packed North Relay quintet of Ron Bradley, Jim Franklin, Jerry Spencer, Bob Sloan and Caesar Smith. Better watch the

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The choice is yours, don't act the fool, learn all you can, while you're in school. From artisan and ancient sage, Fields and hills and printed page, The choice is yours, you pick your plan, you train, prepare, and know you can;

as sailing across the heavens in a sacred-bark on a celestial river and at night returning to the East through subterranean water passage—an adventurous and dangerous beset-voyage.

And if one were to ask her about her early rulers, she might point a finger toward her great pyramids and here carved upon them—the very image of the ancient Egyptian—the Ethiopian. He is proud of his black skin, his thick lips and his broad features, because the gods boast of their first man.

And generations later, let us say about 1400 B.C., a Bible student might tell the story of Moses a little differently, but not Africa. After telling you the whole story about Moses she would call him the great Lawmaker and she would also tell you about the Ethiopian girl whom he married.

Then Africa would say: Zipporah and her six sisters met Moses at the well, where he was sitting, resting from his long trip to another part of the country he had fled.

The girls were watering their flock when a shepherd came and drove them away, but Moses came to their aid. Not only did he push the shepherd away, but he watered the flock also. When the girls returned home so soon from watering the flock, the father asked: "How is it that you girls are back so soon today?"

They answered, saying that an Egyptian by the name of Moses delivered us out of the hand of the shepherd, drew the water and water-

so, use your talents, muscles, voice, and win, because, it is your choice. The choice is yours, dead boy or girl, don't let life scare you, take a whirl. Just play the game, and play it square, a winner must be straight and fair. You should start with your sights set high. give everything a fair, square, try;

ed the flock for us. "Where is he? Call him that he might eat bread with us."

When the girls came to fetch Moses, he was pleased as he knew he was being asked to the home of an important man.

The father of the girls was Jethro, who was priest and prince of Midian, both offices being combined in one person.

Now Africa speaks again, here as in any other love story. When girl meets boy it does not matter a par-

if you bite off too much to chew, you'll soon know what, is best for you. THE CHOICE IS YOURS, so do your best, and put your limit in each test; so when you make your final move, you're sure you're right there in the groove.

—Glenn A. Gallagher  
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ticle, if the father gives the girl to the boy; the next thing is marriage and children.

After Zipporah, the black but beautiful Ethiopian girl married Moses, the most famous husband any girl could hope to have at any time or place, she gave him two fine boys. The oldest boy was called by the name of Gershom—and the youngest was named Eliezer.

Moses' wife was a good wife to her husband and a good mother to her children.



## Visiting around Iowa

by Joe Marsh

## Iowa's Bearded Governors

Know how many Iowa governors wore beards?

There were ten . . . their pictures are right there in the new Official Register. Also, four governors were semi-bald, seven wore mustaches.

Iowa has had some governors with unusual peculiarities, too, including one who refused to eat off a plate if it had a flower picture in the middle.

But, come to think of it, those differences run about the same for Iowa folks as a whole. It really wouldn't be very interesting, either, if all of us were alike! Differences in people make "personality", make folks more en-

joyable.

When neighbors drop in at our house, some like a cup of tea, some coffee, some a temperate glass of beer. Some talk crops, some world problems or politics. But each of us respects the other's right of choice.

That's what is important . . . realizing that folks aren't all alike, don't prefer the same things . . . and that the other fellow's preferences are just as important as our own.

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