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SALARY \$25,000, TAX FREE:

Creates New Post for Dr. Bunche

Chemistry Professor Gets Grant



Tallahassee, Fla.—Dr. Irvin W. Elliott, professor of and head of the department of chemistry at Florida A and M University, recently received a one year grant of \$1,780 from the Research Corporation of

New York for support of a research project. Dr. Elliott joined the A and M faculty as a professor of chemistry in 1952 and became head of the department in 1953. A and M photo by H. Jones, Jr.

Mrs. Thelma Fowler Dies Following Throat Operation

Rites were held Wednesday afternoon at Corinthian Baptist church for Mrs. Thelma Fowler, 47, of 820 Ninth street. Burial was in Glendale cemetery.

Mrs. Fowler died Friday night, August 20, at the State University of Iowa Hospitals following a throat operation. Mrs. Fowler was born at Eldorado, Ark., and came to Des Moines 30 years ago. She was a member of the Corinthian Baptist church and Rose Temple No. 33 and Purple Cross of the Elks Lodge.

She is survived by three brothers, Will E. Reeves and James Brown of Des Moines, and Leon Brown of Los Angeles, Cal., and two sisters, Mrs. Jessie Mae Page and Mrs. Ida Ruth Parker, both of Des Moines.

Twin Girls and Boy Born to Mother 3 Weeks Apart

Detroit, Mich.—(CNS)—Because of a double uterus, a Negro woman—Mrs. Boyd Braxton—gave birth to triplets three weeks apart. According to Medical Director Paul Salchow of Herman Kiefer Hospital here: "The incidence of triplets in double wombs is unheard of, so far as we have been able to determine."

Twin girls were born first to the 28 year old mother. They were named Betty Jean and Barbara Joy. Mrs. Braxton returned home from the hospital with the twins to await the third child. A boy, he came exactly three weeks later, weighing six pounds, ten ounces.

The children are to be considered triplets, which in itself occurs only once in 10,000 births. Medical authorities are trying to find out if triplets have ever been born in this manner.

Mrs. Braxton is wife of an auto worker. Her husband is 29 years old. They have six other children and this includes a set of twins.

Mrs. Moss Says She Is Not Communist, Never Has Been One, and 'Has No Leanings'

Washington, D. C.—Mrs. Annie Lee Moss Monday emphatically denied any Communist party involvement, and asked the army to produce her accusers at a hearing before a security screening board.

Mrs. Moss was suspended for a second time Aug. 4 from her job with the army signal corps. The army said it acted "on the basis of information which was not previously available."

In a notarized answer to the latest charges against her, she said:

Not Communist

"I am not a Communist, have never been a Communist and have no Communistic leanings or sympathies."

Senator Joseph McCarthy (Rep., Wis.) first brought up Mrs. Moss' name during an investigation of what he called Communist-coddling in the army.

A woman who worked as an undercover informant for the FBI in the Communist party here testified she knew an Annie Lee Moss as a Communist, but failed to identify the signal corps worker by sight.

Takes Oath

Appearing under oath, Mrs. Moss denied before McCarthy's investigations subcommittee that she was the person involved.

During the army-McCarthy hearings, Senator Stuart Symington (Dem. Mo.) said Mrs. Moss was a victim of mistaken identity, and offered to get her a job if the army did not take her back.

The army reinstated her in her \$3,335 a year job Mar. 29, pending a review of her case, and suspended her again on Aug. 4.

Monday she denied a charge that she was "reported to have been given Communist party book No. 37269 for 1943."

Tells World Council That Racial Segregation in the Church 'Greatest Scandal'

Evanson, Ill.—A world team of Christian leaders went to work Saturday to frame methods for cleansing churches of what was called their "great scandal"—racial segregation.

But there were differing shades of view on how it should be accomplished.

With a critical finger pointed particularly at practices in churches of the United States and South Africa, speakers laid the problem before the second assembly of the World Council of Churches.

Scar the Soul

Dr. Benjamin Mays, of Atlanta, Ga., said it was up to churches to recognize "the urgency of the situation" and find means to end racial barriers that "scar the soul" and violate the "law of God."

Shutting the door of the church to anyone because of race, said Dr. Mays, is like saying: "You made a mistake, God, when you made people of different races and colors."

Dr. Mays, Negro president of Baptist

Morehouse College and a delegate of National Baptist Convention, Inc., said.

"To proclaim one thing and act another is sheer hypocrisy. It weakens the influence of the church, not SEE PAGE FOUR

Rites Held for Mrs. Susie Yeager

Rites were held Tuesday morning at Estes and Son Funeral Home for Mrs. Susie B. Yeager, 52, 1070 Sixteenth street. Burial was at Laurel Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Yeager died August 21 at Broadlawn General Hospital. She had been ill six months.

Born in Alabama, she had lived in Des Moines for the past 18 years and had been employed in the laboratory department at Iowa Methodist hospital. She was a member of the Maple Street Baptist church.

Surviving are an aunt, Mrs. Anna Wilkes, and two cousins, Mrs. Louise Simmons and Mrs. Lilly Taylor, all of Des Moines.

James B. Morris Is Named Chairman of Des Moines Human Rights Commission

James B. Morris, editor of the Iowa Bystander, was named chairman of the Des Moines Commission on Human Rights Monday at a meeting Monday in the city council chamber.

Harold Goldman was elected vice-chairman of the nine-member commission created by an ordinance adopted in July.

The commission is successor to the Mayor's Commission on Human Rights and Fair Employment Practices established on council resolution Jan. 8, 1951.

First Commission

That first commission of several members last fall asked the council to provide for a new one by ordinance which would more exactly define its duties and provide for specific terms for members. Appointments to the first commission were of indefinite length.

The enabling ordinance authorized the nine-member commission to make recommendations to the mayor council and city manager for "ways and means of discouraging and combating prejudice, intolerance, and bigotry in all groups and in their relations with

JAMES B. MORRIS

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Iowa Buxton Club's Homecoming Picnic At Union Park, Sept. 5

The Iowa Buxton club will hold its seventh annual homecoming celebration at Union Park Sunday, Sept. 5.

Hundreds of Iowans and former Iowans will be guests in the city next week end for the homecoming festivities. The public is invited to bring their baskets and join the crowds who will be renewing former acquaintances and meeting new friends.

New York Stunned By Young Thrill Killers Deeds

New York—(CNS)—Four young thrill-killers have literally stunned New York, which is so used to anything happening, for their senseless and remorseless killing of two men, their attacking of many others and their horsewhipping of two young girls.

One of their victims was a Negro father, 31, on whose bare feet, they ground cigarettes, beat him up, walked him to the East River, where they threw him in as he pleaded for mercy.

The youths—all white and from good homes—range from the ages of 15 to 18. Taking their escapades as a joke and laughing as they named the number of innocent persons they had tortured and killed, they were brought rudely to reality when they faced the body of the Negro they tortured.

Thrill Killers

He was Willard Menter, father of two young children—Shirley, 11 and Willard Jr., 6. As the four thrill killers stepped up to view the body of Menter, the smirks were wiped from their faces.

Said the "brains" of the group, Jack Koslow, 18, "Please take me away from here. I think I'm going to faint." Melvin Mittman, 17, and a 220-pound high school senior who had punched most of the team's victims, "to see how hard he could hit," just stood over the body of Menter and wept. A third—Jerome Lieberman had tears in his eyes and trembled.

Menter worked at the New York Paper Bag Co. He was separated from his wife. So far he is the only positive victim of the team identified. They themselves have admitted one man, a steeplejack, beaten to death; two girls horsewhipped; four men beaten savagely; one man tortured, drenched with gasoline and set a fire. And Willard Menter.

With the finding of Menter, police say the case will immediately go to Kings County Grand Jury and first degree murder indictments will be asked against the four.

Drake's Summer Commencement Friday Evening

Degrees and certificates will be granted to 233 persons at Drake University's summer commencement Friday, Aug. 27.

The ceremonies will be at 8 p.m. in the University Christian church.

Included in the class are representatives of 93 Iowa cities and towns, 10 states, Hawaii and England.

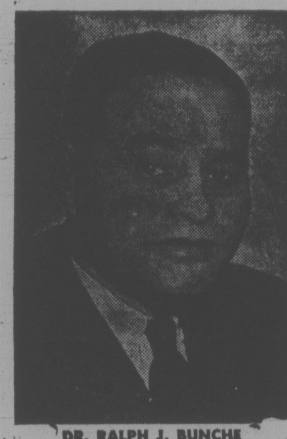
The class also includes the largest group ever to receive master's degrees—80. The largest previous class of candidates for graduate degrees was 72 in 1948.

Fifty-nine will receive master of science in education degrees; 12, master of music education degrees; seven, master of arts, and one each, master of fine arts and master of music.

President To Speak

President Henry Harmon will speak on his recent trip to the Middle East and Europe, made in June SEE PAGE SIX

Highest Ranking American In United Nations, Deputy Secretary-General Job



DR. RALPH J. BUNCHE

United Nations, N. Y.—In the recent reshuffling of the United Nations personnel, by an efficiency expert in the post of Secretary-General, Dag Hjalmar Agne Hammarstrom, Swedish mountain climber and administrator, a new post has been created for Dr. Ralph J. Bunche. Dr. Bunche, Nobel Prize winner, is now one of the deputy secretaries-general of the United States. The former head of the Trusteeship

Division, he now is the highest ranking American in the United Nations.

A Trouble Shooter

In the new post, Dr. Bunche, who negotiated the Palestine truce, is expected to be thrust into the limelight as a trouble shooter on delicate international disputes.

Last June the former Howard University professor was cleared by a United States Loyalty Commission of alleged Communist ties.

His salary will be \$25,000 yearly, tax free.

Effective in January

Dr. Bunche's new position, effective Jan. 1, 1954, will require that he promote goodwill in the United States and abroad. His appointment was made last week.

The principal outlines of the reshuffle were clear as much as six months ago, but action was delayed until after Dr. Bunche had been cleared of loyalty charges by an American review board.

The fact that any doubt whatsoever could have been cast on such an outstanding American astonished overseas personnel; but it was not the first time they had been astonished by American loyalty proceedings.

Elmer Carter Member of Ike's National Citizens Congressional Committee

Washington, D. C.—Announcement was made by James L. Murphy, Chairman, in Washington August 23 of the fact that Elmer A. Carter has become a member of the National Citizens for Eisenhower Congressional Committee.

In making the announcement, Mr. Murphy stated, "The Committee is fortunate that a man of Mr. Carter's stature and patriotic dedication to the best interests of America has joined the effort to back the Eisenhower Crusade."

Commissioner Carter, of the New York Commission Against Discrimination (sometimes called the New York FEPC) has been prominent in civic and educational activities over a period of years. A graduate of Harvard, class of 1912, he was a member of the faculty of the Texas State Normal College for Negroes, Perryville, Texas.

For more than fourteen years, he was editor of OPPORTUNITY—The Journal of Negro Life, at that time, the official organ of the National Urban League. He enlisted in the United States Army during World War I and was a member of the 325th Field Signal Battalion, 92nd Division, AEF. During World War II he was appointed to the New York War Council.

Carter is a member of the Board of Trustees of the Town Hall, Inc., the Executive Board of the Greater New York Councils of the Boy Scouts of America (which organization presented him with the Silver Beaver Award "for outstanding service to youth"), the Board of Directors of the Common Council for American Unity, and the Theodore Roosevelt, Jr. Post of the American Legion. He is an honorary member of the John Boyle O'Reilly Committee for Interracial Justice.

Pennsylvania Citizens Group Gets \$5,000 Grant For Race Relations Project

Harrisburg, Pa.—The Pennsylvania Citizens' Committee on Migrant Agricultural Labor Aug. 19 was awarded first prize in a national competition on better race relations conducted by an inter-faith group and at the same time received a cash grant of \$5,000 from the Nechchi Foundation of New York to help underwrite its work during the coming year.

Both presentations were made by Governor John S. Fine at a luncheon in the Penn-Harris hotel here, attended by more than 100 officials of the federal and state governments and of labor, church and fraternal organizations.

Formed in 1952

The Citizens' Committee was organized in 1952 by the national office and Pennsylvania State Conference of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

Tot Uninjured In 2-Story Fall

Detroit, Mich.—A four-year-old boy, Leon—Jengins, suffered only minor bruises and lacerations when he fell from a second-story bedroom around midnight Saturday. His mother, Mrs. Lydia Jenkins, told police that her son must have been sleep-walking.

Cardinal League Softball Trophy to St. Paul AME Girls' Team



The St. Paul AME Girls' Softball Team won first place and a trophy playing in the Girls' Cardinal League of the Des Moines Recreation Commission. They won with a six won, two loss record, playing such teams from Equitable Life, Farm Bureau, Mill Owners' Mutual, and the Cardinals.

The team includes the players: Joan Blakely, Phyllis Carr, Frances Caswell, Barbara Hogan, Kathryn McGuire, Evanette Mays, Dorothea Poe, Justice Poe, Marjinnell Powell, Jeannette Smith, Rhoda Smith, Marion Solomon, Patty Solomon,

Chloe Weathers, Priscilla Weston, and Patty White; Miss Cathryn Green, supervisor and Everett Mays, coach.

A lawn party was given in honor of the champions at the home of Everett Mays. The St. Paul AME Boy's Softball team and Senior Sunday School class also were invited.

The team was photographed in the trophy room of Willkie House where some of the girls borrowed trophies which are being held by several of the winners.

The softball trophy is the large one in the center of the picture.

Left to right in photo—(sitting) are: Chloe Weathers, Jeanette Smith; (next row) Dorothea Poe, Priscilla Weston, Marginnell Powell, Joan Blakely, Evanette Mays; (back row) Frances Caswell, Justice Poe, Kathryn McGuire, Everett Mays, coach.

Members not in picture are: Patty White, Marian and Patty Solomon, Miss Katherine Green, supervisor.

United Campaign In Action

BY BILL HECKMAN

An Unforgettable Movie Scene for me is one of an insane old codger (he still believes the Civil War is on) rumbling down the stairs yelling, "Charge!!!" This all comes back to me often these days. Someone is always charging someone else. Verbal swords are unsheathed, words hit the brain with rapidity of horses' hoofs, smoke screens go up all over the place! God must plug his ears—Charge!!!

The latest is that the Girl Scouts are being mentally tanned a pinko shade (Charge!!!) while the sun warms them from tip to toe at their summer camps.

Handbook

"The 1953 Girl Scout Handbook gives UN and One World Citizenship precedence over American citizenship," howls CHARGE!!! Number 1. "Girl Scout publications have reviewed works by communist authors," bellows CHARGE!!! Number 2. The voices are those of the Illinois American Legion.

Notice we didn't say the American Legion. For the majority of Legionnaires know the Civil War is over and Girl Scouts deserve our support. Nevertheless, those who attended the Illinois convention voted to withdraw the support.

We Can't Answer the charges as well as Mrs. Ray F. Layton, national president of Girl Scouts. So the rest of the words in this column are hers—almost. Don't push the next girl scout you see into the gutter until you've read what follows. And if you still aren't convinced call us up at United Campaign. We believe the Girl Scouts will be better Americans tomorrow for having been members today. We're not going to yell.

"Charge!!!" But we should let Mrs. Layton talk:

"The Girl Scouts... reject the unwarranted and unfair charges... We have every reason to be proud of our record of 42 years of devoted service in training girls to be reverent to God and to be loyal, Patriotic citizens..."

"The opening words of the Girl Scout promise (On my honor I will Scout promise (On my honor I will try to do my duty to God and my country) is the best evidence of the devotion.

"Some weeks ago, we revised the 1953 Girl Scout Handbook in which the choice of certain words apparently led to a misinterpretation of our program.

"We have never to the best of our knowledge reviewed a book by a

Communist... nor do we intend to do so. Our intention is clearly indicated in the stated policy of our National Board of Directors, which reads 'Each book shall be judged on the merit of its content, with the provision that if the author is a person known to us to stand for a philosophy or ideology inconsistent with the Constitution of the United States, or in contravention of congressional enactment, we will not review the book, film, or play in any of our publications.

"We believe the citizens of our country are entitled to these facts concerning the charges made against us and we are confident that on the basis of these facts they will continue to find us worthy of their trust and support."

Power of Dollar in Peso Devaluation Ups Mexico; Tourists will Benefit

The recent devaluation of the Mexican peso has brought about the lowest tourist prices in Mexico since

the end of World War II when vacation travel was resumed on a large scale, it was reported today by Miss Lydia Kuehl, World-Wide travel manager of the AAA Motor Club of Iowa.

Miss Kuehl said that the dollar, exchangeable for 8.60 pesos before the devaluation on April 18, will now be 12.50 pesos. This means that the American dollar is worth as much as \$1.45 as compared to the pre-devaluation rate.

Prices for hotel accommodations in Mexico will probably rise somewhat to offset the drop in the value of the peso. However, the new rates will still be considerably lower than before the currency adjustment.

Other price advantages that have accrued to the tourist are the drop in air fare from \$51.79 to only \$35.88 for the trip to Mexico City from the Texas border town of Laredo, and the cost of the tourist entry permit from \$3.00 to 2.10.

Low gasoline rates are always a pleasant surprise to the motor tourist. Cost per gallon is 12 cents for "regular" and 16 cents for super-Mexolina.

Miss Kuehl reported that AAA travel managers across the nation are in general agreement the Mexico in 1954 will offer the tourist one of the best vacation values to be found anywhere.

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One of Biggest Waterfowl Exhibits to Be Seen At Iowa State Fair Next Week

Iowa duck hunters can whet their pre-season appetites at the State Fair next week, where the Conservation Commission exhibit building will hold one of the biggest waterfowl exhibits in recent years.

Gamie officials say that the exhibit will include Canada geese, Huthins geese, blue geese, snow geese, mallards, wood ducks, green winged and blue winged teal, spoon-bills, rangnecks, redheads, coot, egret, pelicans and herons. Nearly all kinds of Iowa animals and snakes will also be shown.

Fisheries men report that there will be 8,000 fish of all kinds, about 15,000 minnows, 600 frogs and salamanders, 40 turtles, and several bushels of clams and crayfish thrown in for good measure. The highlight of the fisheries exhibit will be a new lake sturgeon that replaced the famous Old Oscar, the giant sturgeon will be held during the fair.

For MVP—It Could Be Doby or Mino

Chicago, Ill. (CNC)—With the pennant race in its final stretch, fans are starting to think who will cop the Most Valuable Player Award. The dopesters are saying Cleveland's Larry Doby and Chicago's Minnie Mino are in the lead with Yankees' Yogi Berra not far behind.

If Cleveland wins it all, then Larry Doby's chances are even furthered. Still he's had such an unusually good year, that he's strong contender regardless. Doby's spirit and spark have been of the greatest importance to the tribe. He's only batting .270 according to the figures, but he's leading the league in RBIs and homers and has hit most of his home runs in the clutch, where it

counts.

Once called the "choker" when Cleveland would fold up in mid-year and often blamed for his team running second, Larry has shown this year that he is a great competitor and has played his best ball under pressure. Witness his sparkling play all during the Yankee series.

Top Drawer

As for Minnie Mino, his Sox may not make it any further than third place, but it's certainly Minnie who has kept them this far. A top drawer player, Minnie has been among the top three in all departments—batt-

ing average, runs scored and RBIs. To Chicago fans Minnie runs a "one man gang."

Yogi Berra has been the one reason the Yankees have been able to make such a run for the pennant. Now called the best catcher in baseball since Campanella's hand injury has kept him from being his best. Berra has copped one MVP and could make it two. But it figures that Mino and Doby will give him much competition. Moreover, this just doesn't look like the Yankees' year.

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B. T. U. 6:00 P.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

Pilgrim Missionary Baptist Church
1731 Walker Street
REV. H. A. SIMMONS, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

St. Paul A. M. E. Church
12th and Crocker Streets
REV. JOHN E. HUNTER, Minister
Sunday Prayer Service Sunday 8:00 A.M.
Church School Sunday 9:30 A.M.
Church Service 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.
Youth Fellowship 5:30 P.M.

Mt. Olive Baptist Church
1731 Walker 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.

First Baptist Church
12th and School Streets
REV. J. J. HARRIS, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

Maple Street Baptist Church
12th and Maple Street
REV. G. D. FARRIS, Minister, 6-8930
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:45 P.M.
Bible Class 8:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

East University Church of God in Christ
12th and University
OVERSEER LOUIS E. FORD, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Wednesday Service 8:00 P.M.
Youth Service 8:00 P.M.
Brotherhood, meet Sunday 10:00-11:30 P.M.

Community Church of the Nazarene
9th and High—N.W.C.A.
Rev. and Mrs. Henry Ellis, Pastors
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Church Service 11:00 A.M.
Evangelistic Service 7:00 P.M.
Wednesday Come One, Come All 8:00 P.M.

Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion Church
12th and School Streets
REV. J. J. HARRIS, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

Union Baptist Church
E. UNIVERSITY AT MCCORMICK
REV. SEYMOUR GAINES, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:45 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 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 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service, Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Missionary emphasis will be given at morning services this Sunday, Rev. N. R. Olphin will speak on the subject, "His Kingdom Shall Stand Forever."

The last of the union services will be held at St. Paul A.M.E. Church. Rev. N. R. Olphin will deliver the message. There will be a social in the reception room downstairs at the close of service.

The following were visitors Sunday: Mrs. Leslie Brooks of Chicago, sister of Mrs. A. Brinker, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Reasby of St. Paul, Minn., Mrs. Zolite Brazy and Mrs. Silas Hogan of East Orange New Jersey, Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Fisher of Mexico, Mo., parents of Mrs. Morris Smith also Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Miller of Macon, Mo., sister and brother-in-law of Mrs. Smith and Deacon James Harris of Kansas City, Kansas.

Among the sick: Mrs. Pearl Simmons, Mrs. Alice Bell, Mrs. Bertha Watkins, Mrs. Mary Louise Gilbert, Rev. J. M. Eaves, Mrs. Zella Chapman, Mrs. Roy Walker, and Rozenting Hardaway, Jr.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

Sunday evening at 7 p.m. at St. Paul A.M.E. church, the union services will close for this summer with a Fellowship Hour. Rev. Norman R. Olphin will deliver the sermon. St. Paul, Corinthian, Kyles and Burns Methodist will participate. St. Paul has a softball team and a trophy was presented to them for first place from the City Recreation Department. Mr. Everett Mays made the presentation to Miss Margie Powell. Miss Katherine Green is the supervisor.

Under the supervision of the Iowa State Council of Churches, Sunday School will be August 29 and September 5 at the Iowa State Fair. Mrs. Jeanne Morris will be in charge of the junior department of the Sunday School there and will be assistant teacher will be Miss Carmen Chapman. Mrs. Johanna Kelo organist of St. Paul is in Mercy Hospital. Mrs. Maud Proctor, member of class 6 has been confined to Mercy Hospital for three weeks.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The Shiloh Men's Chorus will sing Thursday night, August 26th at the Mt. Olive Baptist church. The Mission Society of the Shiloh Baptist church will meet Friday, 8 p.m. at the church. The society will have a program Sunday at 2:30 p.m. Mrs. Odella Daniels and her four singers will participate and the speaker will be Mrs. Roberta Frazier, president of the Central District. Mrs. Eva Johnson is president of the society and Mrs. M. Scott, program chairman.

Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. Rev. I. H. Harris, pastor. The Ever Loyal club will meet Thursday 8 p.m., September 2, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Bagby, 2713 Cleveland avenue. Mrs. Leola Withers is president.

Elected President



MRS. E. A. GALTERS
Mrs. E. A. Galters, wife of Rev. E. A. Galters of 1135 W. 10th street was elected vice-president of the Polk County Women's Christian Temperance Union.

She is president of the Interdenominational Ministers' Wives Alliance and an active member of Corinthian Baptist church.

Ministers Wives Alliance Meets

The Interdenominational Ministers' Wives Alliance will meet September 1 with Mrs. Geneva Ryles as hostess. Mrs. E. A. Galters is president and Mrs. A. C. Crawford is reporter.

Golden Echoes At Mt. Hebron

The Golden Echo Singers will be in a musical program at Mt. Hebron Baptist Church in West Des Moines Sunday, September 12, at 8 p.m. Some of the musical talent in Des Moines will be present.

Dixon Wonders To Sing Aug. 29

The Dixon Wonders will appear in a musical program Sunday, August 29, at 3 p.m., at the Church of God in Christ, at S. E. 28th Street. The public is invited. Elder G. Ward is pastor.

Rev. John Hunter To Speak at Bethel

The Steward Board of Bethel A.M.E. church is sponsoring a program Sunday, August 29 at 3:30 p.m. Rev. John E. Hunter will be guest speaker. The public is invited.

COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH NEWS

Sunday services were in charge of Bishop D. H. Cranshaw and Rev. Arthur Bush. The morning message was brought by Rev. Henry Moore and the evening by Rev. Carl Saunders. Other visitors were Rev. John Chantry, Rev. Edith Cole and Deacon William Headspeth.

Mothers board met Tuesday at the church. Wednesday evening prayer meeting and Bible study or instruction. Mary Benton remains on the sick at Broadways General Hospital.

NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH NEWS

The "Spiritual Inspirators" better known as Elder and Sister J. C. Lewis of Waterloo, Iowa, will be featured singers in the big musical program at the New Jerusalem Church of God in Christ, 14th and University. Rev. M. W. Goodman is pastor. The concert will begin at 3 p.m.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Rev. George Parish, Rose Galters, Estes and Son Funeral Home and friends for cards of expressions of sympathy, flowers, cars and other courtesies extended at the death of Mrs. Louise Mabel Short.

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K. C. District A.M.E. Zion Convention At Kyles Aug. 31

The Kansas City District Convention of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church will convene at Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion Church 907 W. 15th street, August 31, through September 3. Bishop W. X. Brown will preside. Rev. James F. Gray is presiding elder.

The Rev. H. R. Fields will be the guest speaker August 31 at 8 p.m. and his choir will sing. Rev. Seymour Gaines and his choir will be guests Sunday August 29 at 3 p.m., sponsored by the Young Women's Missionary Society. Mrs. Everett Singleton is the president. Rev. J. R. Reese is pastor.

Manly Ia.

Manly, Iowa.—Sunday School 9:45 a.m., Supt., Leon Barnett in charge. Morning Worship at 11 a.m. Rev. E. F. Parker delivering the sermon. Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Parker were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Tate. Little Jeanette Tate, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Tate of St. Paul, Minn., is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Tate while her mother is in the hospital with a baby boy, Randy Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. John Page and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Haddix and Ruth Ann returned from their vacation touring Milwaukee, Wisc., Chicago, Ill., parts of Oklahoma and Texas.

Mrs. Robert C. Brown and children returned from an extended visit with her mother in Pine River, Minn.

Mason City, Ia.

Mason City, Ia.—The Mason City Minister's Wives Council held their regular meeting with Mrs. Carrie Reeler and daughter, Mrs. Edna Hillard. The worship period was led by the chaplain and closed with prayer by Mrs. Reeler. A short business session followed.

Mrs. C. L. Scott brought the talk for the evening and her subject was "Breathe and Grow." The history of the council was given by the secretary, Mrs. Jordan Ray. Expressions of appreciation were given by Mrs. Reeler and Mrs. Hillard. Refreshments were served by Mrs. A. M. Douglas at the close of the meeting. The Council plans to hold some of its later meetings with others who are sick or shut-in.

World Council Sets Goal To End Segregation

SEE FRONT PAGE
only in its own fellowship but throughout the world—it is not Communism, not Fascism, not the struggle between East and West, but the Gospel itself which demands interracial justice and an unsegregated church."

S. African View

A delegate of a church that practices segregation, Dr. Ben Marais, a Dutch Reformed Church leader from South Africa stressed complexities of the problem, and said churches might sometimes have to accept segregation temporarily.

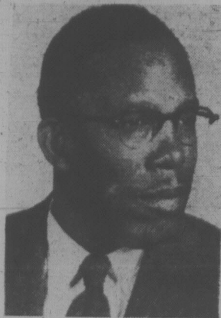
But he added this could be "justified only on the ground" that excessive haste might wreck efforts to achieve "the ideal of a church in which all men who believe in Christ shall be at home."

"The goal itself must never get lost sight of," he said.

The Dutch Reformed Church in South Africa, newly admitted to the council, has generally espoused the government "apartheid"—segregation—policy. There, Dr. Marais made clear, he opposed it.

He and Dr. Mays presented re-

Mason Citian in Revival Here



REV. R. C. COTTMAN

The Rev. R. C. Cottman, who recently was appointed pastor of Church of God in Christ, 711 S. E. 14th street, is conducting a series of meetings through Sept. 5. He is a student of the Philadelphia Bible Institution and pastor of the Church of God in Christ at Mason City, Ia., and vice president of the Interdenominational Ministers' Council. He also heads the superannuated fund for the state and is chairman of the ordination board.

ports from a commission on "Inter-group Relations—the Church Amid Racial and Ethnic Tensions," one of six major subthemes of assembly.

A special section now goes to work on the subject with its recommendations to be brought before the world body next week.

Wait for Guidance

Dr. Mays told 1,500 church representatives from 48 countries and 163 denominations that local congregations are waiting for a word of guidance on "how to deal" with a condition that defies Gospel teachings.

The gospel on race has been proclaimed for 19 centuries," he said. "One world conference after another has condemned racial separation in the church. Yet segregation remains the greatest scandal in the church, especially in the United States and South Africa."

Dr. Mays said: a sad commentary on our life and time if future historians can write that the last bulwark of segregation based on race and color in the United States and South Africa was God's church.

Modern Thinking
Dr. Mays and Dr. Marais said both the Gospel and modern science repudiated segregation.

In the ancient and medieval churches, they said, no distinctions were drawn because of color and race. But membership was based on "faith in Jesus Christ, our Lord."

"It seems clear that the color bar in the church is a modern thing," Dr. Mays said.

His report drew prolonged applause from the delegates.

Dr. Marais said changing the present pattern "cannot be brought about immediately," but it could be done "step by step."

Novelist Alen Paton, of Natal,

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Rev. George Parish, members of Maple Street Baptist Church, Rose Galters, Estes and Son Funeral Home, Pall bearers and friends for cards of expressions of sympathy, flowers, cars and other courtesies extended at the death of Mrs. Susie B. Yeager.

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Tuskegee Institute Hospital Dietetic Internship Receives ADA Approval

Tuskegee, Ala.—President L. H. Foster announced the approval of the Tuskegee Institute Hospital Dietetic Internship program as of July 24, 1954 by the American Dietetic Association. This program was begun at Tuskegee in September, 1953.

Mrs. Barbara B. Robinson, who heads this newly added program at the Institute, with Mrs. Fannie J. McEnge and Miss Delores Daugherty assisting, has received the timely guidance of Dr. I. A. Derbigny, vice president, in setting up plans and procedures to meet the rigid standards of ADA.

Mrs. Robinson stated that the affiliation with the Dietary Department of the United States Veterans Administration Hospital at Tuskegee and the active concern of Dr. T. T. Tildon, manager, Mrs. Curtis Horne Franklin and Mrs. Noel C. Mitchell, figured largely in achieving ADA rating.

Five Internes

The five interns receiving graduate certificates on Friday evening, August 13, at Tuskegee Institute's regular Summer Commencement Exercises became certified members of

South African, said "important groups" in the Dutch Reformed Churches there believe in "absolute territorial separation" of races.

"There can be no spiritual unity until there is physical unity," he said in an afternoon panel discussion.

Hospitals Short

Hospitals, one of the ten largest industries in the country, are deplorably short of dietitians. This fact coupled with the growing number of hospitals in the South sponsored by Federal, State and local funds increases the demand for certified dietitians. As has been true during the training period, instruction is an important part of the work of the dietitian. She teaches those within her sphere, whether they be student nurses, patients, employees or dietetic interns.

The Tuskegee Institute programs as presently set up can admit six interns for each twelve-month period. The training for a career in hospital dietetics begins with graduation from an accredited college or university, including prescribed courses in Foods and Nutrition, chemistry and the related sciences.

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The James A. Morr, Sr., Entertain for Mrs. Frank Brown of Kansas

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Morr, Sr., of 1701 Carpenter avenue, entertained Mrs. Frank Brown, Elwood, Kas., as guest at a house party last week end.

Mrs. Brown, aunt of Mrs. Morr, was honored at breakfast last Friday by Mrs. Lincoln Wells, her sister-in-law. Sharing the courtesies were: Mesdames Joburns Kelso, Theodore Bell, William Potts, William Neal, John Winters, James Morrow and Joyce and James Morrow, Jr.

Birthday Party

Mrs. Morr honored Mrs. Brown at a party celebrating the aunt's 74th birthday last Friday evening.

Guests were: Mesdames William Ritchey, Verda Spangler, C. C. Johnson, John Winters, David Davies, A. P. Trotter, Lincoln Wells, James Morrow, and Henderson Green.

Return from Kansas

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Morr, Sr., and children motored to Elwood, Kas., recently with Mrs. Frank Brown, who returned home.

Vacationers and Guests at Home of Mrs. Cornelia Mease

Mr. and Mrs. Quentin R. Mease of Texas, were house guests here last week of Mr. Mease's mother, Mrs. Cornelia Mease, 1017 Thirteenth street, and other relatives.

The Meases were enroute to Texas after a vacation spent in the eastern section of the country.

Also guests at the Mease home are Mr. and Mrs. James Harris and son, who arrived recently from Langston University, Okla., where he had been teaching.

Mrs. Harris is the former Jacqueline Mease, granddaughter of Mrs. Mease; and Mr. Harris is son of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Harris of the city.

The Lewis Weltons Entertain Brothers

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Welton, 416 S. E. 5th street, entertained as their guests last week Mr. Welton's brothers, Dr. Hazle Welton and Mr. Bruce Welton from Cleveland, Ohio. They were on their way to Chicago for the Grand Lodge of the IBPOE of W. Mr. Bruce Welton conversed with Rev. J. E. Hunter by phone during his visit. Their visit ended by taking snapshots in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Welton. Mr. Emory Sears, a nephew and wife and family joined in their visit to complete a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lewis Take Vacation In Chicago and Gary

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar C. Lewis, 1109 Fourteenth street, have returned from a vacation with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Dixon in Chicago, Ill., Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Washington in Gary, Ind., and relatives in Davenport.

Mrs. Hazel Mitchell Visits in Ft. Madison

Mrs. Hazel Mitchell of Fort Madison, Iowa, visited her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Russell of 1115 8th street Sunday, August 22.

Mrs. Massey Nicola Breakfast Hostess

Mrs. Massey Nicola entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Reasby and Mrs. Lenore Parsons at a breakfast Friday morning.

Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Garland and Mrs. Massey were entertained at a dinner given by Mrs. Grace Frederick, 906 Grove street.

Miss Gloria T. Howard Of Los Angeles, Cal., Visits Kin Here

Miss Gloria T. Howard, Jr., of Los Angeles, Cal., spent three weeks here visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Howard, of 1015 Fifteenth street. She and Mrs. Howard, went to Minneapolis, Minn., to visit their father and son, and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Howard.

After two weeks in Minnesota, Miss Howard will fly back to her home in California.

Sonny Thompson and Lula Reed, Billiken, Saturday, September 4th

Announce Engagement



MISS VIRGINIA HUNLEY

Mrs. Virginia Hunley of 1338 E. 17th Street Court and Mr. Roy A. Hunley of 1309 DeWolf announce the engagement and approaching wedding of their daughter, Virginia Wrae to LeRoy William Brown, Sunday August 29 at 4 o'clock p.m. at 1248 W. 13th Street.

Mrs. M. E. Cassell And Grandsons Back From Minnesota

Mrs. M. E. Cassell, 931 Twenty-fourth street, and grandchildren, Regina, Ronnie and Charlene Ballard, and son, John Cassell returned last week from Minneapolis, Minn., where they visited relatives.

Mrs. Cassell spent two weeks there, while the grandchildren were with their parents for the summer vacation. Mr. Cassell, now in military services, stopped to see his relatives as he was enroute from Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., to Ft. Belvoir, Va.

Mrs. Cassell visited her daughters and; their families, Mrs. Phillip Blackwell, Mrs. Delcie Washington, Mrs. W. A. Lee.

Another grandson of the Iowan, William Wood, recently entered military services and is stationed at Fort Leonard Wood.



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Returned late Tuesday afternoon on the Iowa National Guard Plane from Camp McCoy, Wis., where I went with the Iowa Military District's press lift to inspect summer training for Iowa reservists.

Found on my desk a number of cards and letters from Iowans who are traveling about the country on vacation trips—and while I get my Camp McCoy notes and pictures ready for the next edition here are a few of the waiting letters.

After sending a special article about her vacation trip to California Mrs. Agnes Matthews wrote:

"I enjoyed reading your article in the Bystander last week about the girl seeking employment at the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. I have often wondered if any Negroes had made application for employment. I think they should continue to apply for positions there and it is something for the Fair Employment Committee to look into."

"The article read that there were two vacancies, yet they employed one person. What about the other vacancy?"

About St. Paul Choir
"Finished reading all about the St. Paul Youth Choir having gone to Denver, Colo., and what good times they had there. The article ended by saying that in 1956 the choir hopes to come to California, wrote Mrs. J. L. Edwards of Los Angeles, Cal."

"I am glad the youth had a good time, and were able to leave much good behind them. I worked for years with the youth in St. Paul church. My husband was trustee and Sunday School superintendent when we left there. But, of course, this young group would know little if anything about that. His name is on the cornerstone—J. L. Edwards. My heart is still with them and I still work in the Sunday School here, even though I am getting quite along in years now. Tell Mrs. Lauretta Hughes I do hope they will come to Los Angeles in '56."

U.N. Booklet Letter
In a little photo-magazine entitled

Cosmetiste Chapter Members Attend National Institute and Beauty Culturists League Convention Held Recently in Chicago

The Cosmetiste chapter was well represented at the National Institute and National Beauty Culturists League convention held in Chicago, August 2 through August 15.

Attending were: Dora Mackay, Betty June Dixon, Ruth Moore, Cottie Lucas, Sadye B. Jones, Pearl Jeffers, Pauline B. Humphrey of Des Moines, Alice Martin, Joy Lawrence of Waterloo.

Mrs. Ruth Moore and Mrs. Cottie Lucas were two of the 160 graduates of the National Institute held at the Tabernacle Baptist church.

Some of the highlights of the convention were the annual dawn breakfast of the National sorority; banquet honoring Mrs. Amie T. Malone, founder of Porc System of Beauty Culture, held at the Hartzell Baptist church; hair style show and dance, Parkway ballroom; Gold banquet honoring Mrs. Cordelia Green Johnson, president of National Beauty Culturist League; Beauticians Volunteer Corps breakfast, funds given for 4000 farewell ball at Trion ballroom.

Daily Clinic

Daily clinics introduced new methods of hairstyling, millinery, weaving and demonstrations of new cosmetics and hair preparations from 50 manufacturers.

Lectures on cosmetics chemistry were given by Dr. Ralph Dawson; dermatology by Dr. Harold Thatcher of University of Chicago; applied

Mrs. Nellie Esters Entertains For Mrs. S. J. Williamson Sr.

Mrs. Nellie M. Esters of 1423 Center entertained at a one o'clock luncheon last Tuesday afternoon, August 17, in honor of Mrs. S. J. Williamson, Sr., of Palestine, Texas. Those sharing the courtesies were: Mrs. Mary Wood of Philadelphia, Penn.; Mrs. Lillian Gregory of Greenville, Ala.; Mrs. Fred Johnson, Mrs. Lillian Edmunds, Mrs. S. J. Williamson, Jr., and Mrs. N. R. Ophion.

a letter at the United Nations, New York, were penned a few lines from Miss Katherine Atkinson, one of the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority members from Des Moines who went there to attend the organization's national convention.

"This is rest after a morning tour—mailed from the U.N. since that special stamp cannot be used any place else."

"Magnificent structure and furnishings. You would love the cotton drapes made by Haiti—the murals—and the General Assembly room where the only natural light comes from an opening high in the Dome of this two-story room."

"Unfortunately, no sessions during our tour."

"Joan Bullock, Haley Houston and I did get to the Museum of Natural History and have taken sight-seeing bus rides. I went to see the House of the Anguish Moon—and the Great Lady on the Island—but, time is so short."

More About—Denver, Colo.

"I'd loved to have seen and heard them," wrote Mrs. Elizabeth Warwick Wilson, 5504 South Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Ill., about the St. Paul Youth Choir which sang recently in Denver, Colo., where Mrs. Wilson spent her vacation—"one week too late."

"Everything they told you about Denver is a gross under-statement, God's country."

"My vacation to the downtown traffic signals was much the same as Lauretta Hughes'. The people looked just like bugs running all directions at the same time. They tell me it took the traffic police two or three days to get the pedestrians to cross diagonally (when the lights change to 'walk')."

"Mrs. Margaret Sortell stayed not too far from where I was. I was at the Auditorium Hotel and every tour I took went by the Cosmopolitan to pick up passengers."

Former Iowan
Former Des Moines resident, Mrs. Wilson said she saw the butterfly and U. S. flag in City Park and took color pictures of them, visited "Five

Mrs. Delores Miller Is Dinner Hostess

Mrs. Delores Miller of 1305 S. Union entertained Mrs. Lenora Kaid of St. Louis, Mo., at a get-acquainted dinner Sunday, August 22. Those present were Mrs. Lillian Robinson, Mrs. Vera Jones and Miss Maxine McNair.

psychology by Dr. George Hartman of Roosevelt college.

Mrs. Pearl Jeffers was a member of resolutions committee; Mrs. Ruth Moore, member of legislative committee, the Goodwill committee and first aid unit.

Mrs. Pauline B. Humphrey was re-elected as one of the vice presidents of the National Beauty Culturist League, organizer for Iowa and Minnesota Beauticians, member of the faculty of the educational institute. Mrs. Lucas again represents the B-V-C unit; Mrs. Betty June Dixon and Miss Sadie Jones, the youth council this year.

Hairstyling Guild Members Attend Show

The National Hairstyling Guild members attended an advanced hairstyling school in Chicago loop, the Charles & Rose Marie College.

Mrs. Pauline B. Humphrey, Des Moines corresponding secretary of the guild and Mrs. Leola Martin Anderson of Waterloo, member attended. Mrs. Betty June Dixon also is a member.

A requirement of the guild is to attend an advanced hairstyling school annually, to prepare for national demonstrations.

The A. H. Reasbys of St. Paul, Minn., Shown Courtesies

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Reasby of St. Paul, Minn., has been the house guests of their nephew, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Garland, 1052 14th street.

While here Mr. Reasby was honored with a surprise birthday party.

Those sharing the courtesies were: Mrs. Adelaide Brinker, Mrs. Lessie Brooks, Chicago, Ill., Mrs. Massey Nicola, Mrs. Beatrice Crank, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cassell, Mr. Lawrence Carter, Mr. William Jewett, Mr. Oscar Roper, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Garland, Jr., and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hughes and family, Mrs. Weston and family.

The Reasbys were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Garland, Jr.

Points, Rossonian where she spent six hours and checked out; went to Look-Out mountain on an after-dark tour to see the lights of Denver; took pictures at Pikes Peak.

Mrs. Wilson hoped that the Iowans saw the Broadmoor Hotel when they left Colorado Springs, which the Chicagoan described as a "city within a city," with indoor and outdoor swimming, indoor ice skating in the summer and outdoor in the winter, tennis court, golf links, stables, horses, stadium and of course, the usual shops.

"When the owner built it, he had children who liked trains—so there's a train—the kind they have at amusement parks. When his daughter got married—he built a chapel for her. If you want to stay there, the rent is only \$25 a day."

"Mrs. Wilson went to church with Jesse Nelson, met a relative of mine, would have gone job-hunting—but likes very well her present job—"the first Negro to be hired by the Christian Century."

From Niagara Falls, Canada, came this message on a picture postcard sent by Mrs. Lela Parker of 127 Ridge street.

She wrote: "We are here at Niagara Falls, having a lovely time. The place is just beautiful. We were all around the place you see on the front. (Pictured on card were views of the Oakes Gardens). We are leaving today on our way to Buffalo, N. Y."

Letter from Oakland, Cal.

Mrs. Eddie Bolden, 1110 Twelfth street, wrote a letter from Oakland Cal., where she has been spending her vacation.

"I am visiting with my aunt, Mrs. Little Johnson, meeting relatives I never saw before and renewing relationship with ones I do know. Went to Los Angeles to visit my two nieces and nephew and their family. "Then to Hollywood. Saw the

Mrs. Thelma Clark To Denver, Colo., For Vacation

Mrs. Thelma Clark, 1114 street, left last week for Denver, Colo., to spend several weeks visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Theodore Duncan and children Thelma Faye and Ted III.

Delegate to Congress



BARBARA OLIVER

Miss Barbara Oliver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Lawrence Oliver, 1047 Thirteenth street, is attending the ten-day U. S. National Student Association Congress meeting at Iowa State College until August 31.

Miss Oliver, a junior student at the University of Iowa, is a delegate from the university.

Over 250 colleges, representing nearly half of the enrollment of accredited colleges and universities in the United States, are in attendance.

The theme of the congress is "The Responsibilities of Freedom."

The purpose of the congress is to review and set basic policies for the association, which its sponsors describe as the world's leading non-communist student federation. It also serves as a workshop for campus government.

Congress delegates are chosen by campus vote and accredited by the dean of students for each school.

houses of the movie stars, Hollywood and Vine is no different from any other street. Went to Forest Lawn. It was very pretty with so many interesting things to see inside the Mausoleum.

"Then to the pier with all its entertainments—the ocean so big and wide. To the city named Fresno where my cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Norris lived. It is a farming city. They took us out to see a farm of grapes—the large red and blue ones growing on the vines. We were thrilled to oranges growing on the trees; also apricots. The people who own the farm are Aryan—and pleasant to me and my cousins, Mr. Bobbie Wilson—from Flint, Mich., who are visiting together."

"We went back to Oakland to the home of our aunt, we haven't seen in more than 30 years. She is our mother's only living sister. We are two sisters' children. Will be seeing you soon. Going to San Francisco tomorrow."

Thanks to the fellows at Iowa State Penitentiary for many expressions of gratitude after a recent visit there. I shall get replies in the mail shortly.

Mrs. Shirley Bagby Visits Kin Here

Mrs. Shirley Bagby of Kansas City, Mo., spent the week end visiting her father, brother, Mr. I. E. Bagby, Sr., and I. E., Jr., and grandmother, Mrs. Beatrice Crank.

The James L. McGuire Return from Visit In California

Mr. and Mrs. James L. McGuire, Sr., recently returned home from a visit with their son, James L. McGuire, Jr., and family of Compton, Calif. While there the Iowans were honored with several parties, three given by former Iowans, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stewart, Miss Luvenia Miller and Mrs. Marjorie McCracken. Guests included many other former Iowans.

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Mesdames Hayes And Mathews Visit on West Coast

Mrs. Iva Mae Hayes, 1045-13th street, and Mrs. Agnes Matthews, 1125-10th street, recently returned from a vacation on the west coast. They visited Los Angeles, Calif., where they were the house guests of Mrs. Edna Powell, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul DeVan. Mrs. DeVan is the daughter of Mrs. Hayes. Mrs. Hayes also visited her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. William Tomlin.

Many courtesies were extended them. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walden in San Diego, on their ranch; Capistrano, San Diego, and Tucumcari and Tijuana, Mexico.

On their return trip they rode the Vista Dome Daylight train to San Francisco where they spent a few days, and then to Denver, Colorado and visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woods.

Mesdames Hayes and Mathews enjoyed seeing former Des Moines residents and the scenic beauty of the west.

Mrs. Harvey Wilbekin of Cincinnati Here

Mrs. Harvey Wilbekin of Cincinnati, Ohio, is in the city at the bedside of her grandmother, Mrs. Maud Proctor, of 1100 Eleventh street, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Wilbekin is the former Cleota Proctor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Proctor of 1111 Eleventh street.

Mrs. Lessie Brooks of Chicago Guest of Sisters Here

Mrs. Lessie Brooks of Chicago, Ill., concluded a two weeks visit with her sisters, Mrs. Adelaide Brinker and Mrs. Beatrice Crank. Many courtesies were given in her honor.

The Frank Jetts Visit Kin in Missouri, Kansas

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jett, 1721 Pleasant spent a week's vacation visiting relatives and friends in Kansas City, Mo.; Leavenworth, Atchinson, Kansas.

While in Kansas City they were guests of niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson and nephew and family, J. C. Rogers. While in Leavenworth they were guests of Mrs. Effie Grayer, and in Atchinson, guests of nephew and family, the Clarence Rogers.

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Iowa City, Ia.—When you shop for woolen clothing this fall, you'll find an increasing number of lines carrying five-year guarantees against moth damage, encouraging news at a time when most housewives are airing the smothering smell of moth repellants out of winter clothes and bedding.

These guarantees mean that you do not have to give any special seasonal care or storage to woolen-fabrics which carry them, at least during the life of the guarantee, according to Merle Ramer, instructor in home economics at the State University of Iowa. Nor do you have to worry about finding moth holes in favorite sweaters or suits in spite of elaborate precautions.

Complete Protection

The manufacturer of at least one of the new mothproofing agents, named Mitin, claims that his product "gives complete protection against moths and carpet beetles for the usable life of the garment. The Mitin guarantee provides for replacement if moth or beetle damage occurs within five years from the date of purchase.

Of mothproofing preparations impregnated in the yarns, tests seem to indicate that the most effective are Mitin FF, Eulan CN, and Lanoc CN. These are fast to other finishing processes as well as dry cleaning, but are only moderately fast to washing, the tests show.

Colorless Compounds

These mothproofing agents are colorless chemical compounds applied to the fabric or yarn in the woolen mill, usually in the dyeing process. You can't tell whether a fabric has been mothproofed with one of them by looking at it, feeling or smelling it, since they do not change the color, appearance or "hand" of material in any way. But merchandise treated with one of these agents in most cases will be labeled as mothproofed for a definite period of time.

M.C. Club To Meet Thursday

The M.C. Club will meet Thursday night, August 20 at the home of Mrs. Ruth Baskett, 1011 15th street. The last meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Anna Ware with Mrs. Lena Bratcher as hostess.

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WORLD CHURCH MUST MEASURE UP

When Abraham Lincoln saw the evils of slavery on his trip down the Ohio and Mississippi rivers he said if I ever get a chance to hit this thing I will hit it hard. The opportunity came and history records that he got the chance and did a good job "hitting it hard."

Opportunity does not come to everybody to strike hard at evils but Dr. Benjamin Mays, president of Morehouse College at Atlanta, found a beautiful occasion to hit segregation at the World Council of Churches meeting in Chicago. He was more than equal to the occasion.

Dr. Mays said the church should be ashamed to be the last vestige of segregation while sports and business had moved out to eliminate it. He said segregation was the great scandal of the churches, a scar to the soul and violated the law of God.

Dr. Mays called on the delegates to frame methods for cleansing the churches and admonished his hearers:

"To proclaim one thing and act another is sheer hypocrisy. It weakens the influence of the church, not only in its own fellowship but throughout the world—it is not Communism, not Fascism, not the struggle between East and West, but Gospel itself which demands interracial justice and an unsegregated church."

This statesmanlike discourse did not go unchallenged for Rev. Ben Marais, a Dutch Reformed Church Leader from South Africa, stressed the complexities of the problem which of course argues wait, wait; the time is not ripe. He said churches might sometimes have to accept segregation temporarily, justified only on the ground that excessive haste might wreck efforts to achieve the ideal of the church, all men who believe in Christ shall be at home.

This is the old song which has been sung over the years in this country by those who wished to maintain the status quo. But some people thought otherwise and by bold action struck down one barrier after another—so much so that the advocates of racial discrimination are on the run.

Our hat is off to Dr. Mays. He has spoken the truth and puts the church in the position "put up or shut up."

FRANCE HAS OUR SYMPATHY

The United States and other members of the European Defense Community (EDC) find it difficult to enduce France into the combination. We have gone on the basis that EDC is a strong defense against Russia. Its present plans call for the rearming of West Germany which strikes fear into the hearts of Frenchmen.

Germany overran and devastated this country on three separate occasions and brought more suffering and death than any of the countries engaged with them during the last two conflicts.

France remembers that she was not dealt with equitably in the light of her great loss in men and material at the peace tables.

With their view, fairplay commands sympathy for that view. We argue that it would be better to have West Germany in the movement providing additional defense against Russia; as a member, Germany could be dealt within better than on the outside.

It would be unfortunate to lose France as a partner in EDC but until she gets assurance that Germany will not overrun their country again they cannot be chastized for standing pat on their position.

PRESIDENT EISENHOWER DISPLAYS COURAGE

Most political leaders find courage gone when their acts deny a large segment of the voters an increase in pay. But not with President Eisenhower.

During its closing hours before adjournment, Congress passed a measure increasing the salary of postal workers. The administration was not opposed to the increase but insisted the postal rates be hiked to provide the funds; that the department was running 400 million dollars in the red annually.

Congress ignored the Administration. So President Eisenhower vetoed the bill accompanying the veto with a message that he would resubmit the bill at the next session of Congress with the request that postal rates be increased to provide the funds.

Most labor leaders have criticized the veto caring little what happens to government finances. But reasonable people will applaud the President who takes the position that if the government is to live within its income, Congress must not make laws throwing plans to balance the budget out of gear.

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Morris Heads Group

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To Inform The commission also is empowered to "inform and warn the public of false and sinister propaganda subversive to public interest."

Morris, editor of the Iowa By-stander, served on the first commission from its inception. Goldman, president of Thriftway Stores, Inc., also was a member of the former commission.

Morris said the new body voted to meet at 3 p.m. the second Monday in each month in the council chamber.

Draft Rules

At the direction of the commission, he named the following three members to a committee to draft rules of procedure for hearing complaints:

Marvin Schmidt, vice-president of Deere & Co.; L. E. Hoffman, former dean of the college of business administration at Drake University, and James McDonnell, educational director for the state C. O. I. Council.

Hoffman, Robert W. Lindberg, general secretary of the Y.M.C.A., and Gaspar Sarcone, salesman, are new members of the commission.

Other Members Other members, who also served on the first commission, are the Rev. Ben C. Bobbitt, pastor of Central Christian Church, former chairman; and Mrs. Edith Dunham Webber, program director of radio station KWDM.

Morris said the commission has started to look for an executive secretary. Riley Pittman, secretary-consultant of the first commission, resigned to become executive secretary of the Illinois Commission on Human Rights.

Citizens' Group

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Committee, of which he is chairman. The competition to determine the outstanding contribution to race relations during the past year was Community Projects, sponsored jointly by the National Council of Churches' Department of United Church Women, the National Council of Jewish Women, and the National Council of Negro Women.

Farm Workers The first prize award given by this group to the Citizen's Committee cited the successful efforts of the committee to integrate migrant farm workers and their children into the communities in which they live, and called attention to the committee's work in securing better living and working conditions for the many thousands of migrant agricultural workers who harvest crops in Pennsylvania.

The Citizens' Committee was responsible for closing several migrant labor camps in this state which violated minimum standards for housing and sanitary facilities and for correcting widespread abuse in working conditions in the camps. In June of this year the committee established a fulltime child day care center for the children of migrant workers in Potter County, with the aid of federal and state funds.

Among the persons attending the luncheon were Miss Beatrice McConnell and Miss Elizabeth Johnson, representing the U. S. Department of Labor; Miss Hilda Schwartzbach of the Children's Bureau of the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare; Mrs. James Spaulding of the U. S. Health, Education and Welfare department; and a number of members of the governor's cabinet and of the state legislature.

David M. Walker, secretary of the Pennsylvania State Department of Labor and Industry, served as toastmaster and chairman for the event.

In addition to the NAACP State Conference and national office, other organizations participating in the work of the Pennsylvania State CIO Industrial Union Council; International Ladies Garment Workers Union, AFL; and the Pennsylvania Council of Churches.

Drake

SEE FRONT PAGE and July under the auspices of the American Christian Palestine committee. He also will present the diplomas and certificates.

Three commissions will be presented by Major Robert E. Jordan, assistant professor of air science and tactics. Clarence S. Kleckner, minister of West Des Moines Christian church, will give the invocation.

Admission to the auditorium will be by ticket until 7 p. m. after which the doors will be open to the public.

HEALTH FOR ALL

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You had a wonderful time. Two weeks doing just as you pleased. You got lots of fresh air, sun, and exercise, and you slept like a baby every night. You came back feeling wonderful, at the top of your form.

Are you going to stay there, or have you already begun to slip back into the same old rut? How many of us go through most of the year feeling "pretty good"—not sick, of course, but not really well. Are we fated to know that glow of positive health only for a few short weeks?

A great many of the really serious ills of mankind could be avoided if we could only stay somewhere near that vacation peak of health. Take tuberculosis, for example. Of course, it is caused by a germ. But the healthy body can usually fight the germs to a standstill. It has been estimated that 40,000,000 Americans may have TB germs in their bodies. Those millions of people need not develop the disease, and probably most of them won't. But, judging by forces. More and more often the weapons against TB—rest, drugs,

past years, 110,000 of them will break down with TB in 1954.

They will break down because of weakened resistance, because the germs finally win the battle against a body that only feels "pretty good." Then begins the battle for life itself against a merciless killer. Now modern medical science mobilizes its strength and wins the victory. But this fight for life may last for months, even years. Is it necessary?

Think back over your vacation. You can, if you try, fit into your normal working day some of the elements that helped give you that feeling of well-being, plenty of sleep, unhurried eating of three well-balanced meals, some exercise in the open air, a period of relaxation doing something you really enjoy. A regular regime of healthy living and an annual check-up by the family doctor will help to keep you in top form—your best protection against infectious disease.

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big or fall under its own weight.

Baseball

The pennant races tighten and each club has its hopes raised and lowered. Personally we are hoping that any national league team in the first three can make it. People tease us about Campanella and Brooklyn, but our stock reply is that if they feel that way about it we can't lose. The Giants with Mays, Thompson, Irwin, and Gomez and Milwaukee with Brewton and Aron. How can we lose.

Hilltop Tennis Club To Play Ames Sunday At Good and Drake

The Hilltop Tennis club will be host to the Ames Tennis club in a return inter-city match Sunday, August 29, beginning at 12 o'clock noon, at Good and Drake courts.

The Hilltop club defeated Newton in an intercity tournament last Sunday by winning seven of 11 matches. Des Moines men won four of six singles but lost both doubles events. The women won all three of their matches for the team victory.

Men's Singles

Henry Little (Newton) defeated Chet Williamson, 6-1, 6-3. Bill Ashby (Des Moines) defeated Joe Dorzwisher, 11-9, 6-0. Phil Tindrell (Des Moines) defeated Chuck Williams, 6-3, 7-5. Ralph Williams (Newton) defeated Jerry Simmons, 6-1, 3-6, 6-3. Everett Mays (Des Moines) defeated Dave Hutchins, 6-2, 6-1. Marion Myers (Des Moines) defeated Harry Calcedo, 6-3, 6-4.

Men's Doubles

Little and Williams (Newton) defeated Ashby and Williamson, 3-8, 6-1, 6-2. Dorzwisher and C. Williams (Newton) defeated Tindrell and Simmons, 7-5, 6-3.

Women's Singles

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HAPPINESS

The will-o-wisp, we all pursue, with secret hope it will endue, our lives with peace and joyfulness the magic state of happiness. The happiness for which we strive lost in the fight to keep alive, diverted by some jealous mind, and sullied, spoiled, by words unkind. The milk of human kindness sours,

Through-out the lonely, loveless hours, and gentle souls with kind intent, are wraped and twisted, truculent. What ever is our hearts' desire, and all the things that we require, depend on will and state of mind; this wonderful fact, God hath designed,

The wish for nappiness we need,

and will to work if we succeed. We all must pay for what we get, and can not win without some sweat. The precious, joyful things we share, with others 'round us, 'cause we care, of all the wond'rous things that bless, the greatest one is Happiness. (First American Serial Rights Only)

Out of the Living Past—'The Negro'

by MARION E. HOCKENHULL

To present facts about the Afro-American is a very tough job, because most of the work has been written to cover the true identity of the Afro-American. But it can be given because God only has to do a job once. And He inspired the early men to call them Egyptians, meaning, black. Just as He inspired the columnists to write about them.

Let us consult geographical botany. It is the consideration of the manner in which plants are distributed

Suspect Dismissed In Morals Case

A morals charge against Clarence E. Butts, 1300 E. Seventeenth street was dismissed by Municipal Judge Howard W. Brooks Monday afternoon insufficient evidence following a hearing. Butts had been charged with making advances toward a 6-year-old girl July 17.

feated Ada Williams, 3-6, 6-4, 6-4. Donna Lou Carr (Des Moines) defeated Johnny Lou Shaffer, 6-0, 6-0.

Women's Doubles Priscilla Weston and Evanetta Mays (Des Moines) defeated Judy Foster and Virginia Pidle, 6-1, 6-2.

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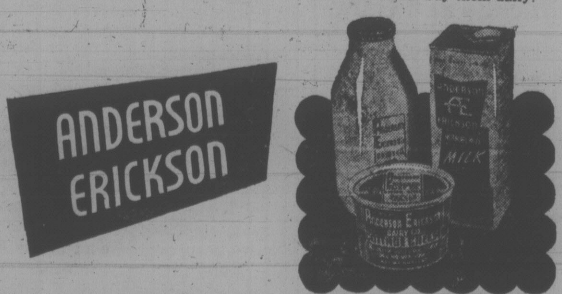
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