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TWO GREAT LEADERS HERE:

State Fair Crowds Hail President

Many Southern Towns Will Open Schools This Month to Both Negroes and Whites.

New York.—When the school bell rings this month, Negro and white children will be sharing classrooms in a number of Southern localities where strict school segregation formerly was maintained by state law, according to a survey of the Southern school situation being made by the NAACP.

Without waiting for the Supreme Court to issue decrees implementing its decision which held public school segregation to be unconstitutional, some Southern localities simply are integrating their public schools at the beginning of the fall term, the Association's survey shows.

In Five States

Similar action has been taken by

Rites for Harry Calaway Victim Of Lightning

Services for Harry Calaway, 63, former Des Moines resident, who was killed by lightning in Milwaukee, Wis., were held Monday afternoon at Maple Street Baptist church. Burial was at Laurel Hill cemetery.

Mr. Calaway, who was born in Des Moines and had lived here until four and one-half years ago when he moved to Milwaukee, was struck by lightning Aug. 20 while working on a construction job there.

He was a member of A. F. L. Local 177 and the Maple Street Baptist church where he was on the usher board.

Surviving are his wife, Georgella; a daughter, Mrs. Louis Brown, Des Moines; three sons, Harry, Jr., and Nathaniel, both of Des Moines; and Melvin, serving in the navy; a sister, Julia Sample, Chicago, Ill.; and 17 grandchildren.

Civil Defense Test of 13 Sirens Here Sept. 9; Persons Asked to Cooperate

The Civil Defense office will conduct a test of 13 sirens now installed in Des Moines Thursday, September 9, beginning at 10 a. m.

Details of the test: 10 to 10:30 a. m., Warbling 3-minute signal; 10 to 10:05 a. m. 2 minutes of silence in between. All times are inclusive.

Philip R. Weaver, director of Civil Defense, has asked to public report on the sirens by telephoning or writing the office at 204 Royal Union building.

Persons at their homes are asked to listen inside, then check outside to test the sound of the blasts. Persons in the Loop are asked to go into the nearest building and remain for the 3-minute alert.

Broadcasting stations will make spot announcements of the test.

Thurgood Marshall To Be Honored

Hopewell Junction, N. Y.—Thurgood Marshall, special counsel of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People will receive a Human Rights Award from the Workmen's Circle here on Sept. 5.

Mr. Marshall is being cited by the Jewish labor fraternal order for his successful legal defense against segregation in education before the U.S. Supreme Court.

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several Southern colleges and universities, as well as by some private schools in the South.

The Supreme Court decision banning strict school segregation formerly was maintained by state law, according to a survey of the Southern school situation being made by the NAACP.

Communities and cities located in five Southern states have announced public school integration for next month, according to an incomplete tabulation still underway in NAACP offices. These states are West Virginia, Missouri, Arkansas, Maryland and Delaware.

D. C. Schools

In addition, public schools in the District of Columbia will be integrated for the first time this September.

In the five Southern states where school integration already is scheduled on the local level, a total of at least 23 towns or cities and one county have set the action for next month.

In some cases, integration has been accomplished during the summer term. In Kansas City and Columbia, Mo., and in Wilmington, Del., Negro students were enrolled this summer in what has been all-white public schools.

Missouri Ahead

Of the five Southern states in which public school integration plans are proceeding on the local level, Missouri is out front in de-segregating her schools, judging by preliminary results compiled by the NAACP.

In addition to the Kansas City, Mo.,

Mr. Bonnie Herndon To CIO School

Mr. Bonnie Herndon, 1715 Walker street, was one of four employees of Firestone Rubber Company, elected to go to Western CIO school for one week's training at Boone, Iowa. He is a CIO steward in his department.

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Some Republicans Greet President Eisenhower



Before President Eisenhower left the Des Moines municipal airport Monday he posed with a group of Republicans, (from left) Senator B. B. Hickenlooper, the President, Thomas E. Martin of Iowa City, candidate for the senate; and Leo Hoegh, candidate for governor.

Elks Reelect Dr. Johnson And Cabinet; Thousands See 4-Hour Parade in Chicago

Chicago, Ill.—(ANP)—With the re-election of Dr. Robert H. Johnson and his entire cabinet, and with approval of his program by the 1,000 delegates representing lodges from this country and from abroad, the 55th annual convention of the IBPO-EW, reached its climax last week.

Chicago, with its broad streets, lakeshore drives, shady parks and its mid-western hospitality, proved a gracious host.

Strangely enough, the Elks received no official welcome to the city. Mayor Martin H. Kennelly, who was to attend the sessions Monday, in a telegram said he could not appear.

Hour Parade

Highlight of the convention, for the citizens of Chicago, occurred Tuesday afternoon, when the Elks annual parade was held through the streets of the city's teeming south-side.

Police estimated the crowd who saw the 4-hour long parade at any where from 350,000 to 600,000.

Elks began arriving in the city last week-end, and were housed in the big loop hotels, in numerous hotels on the South side and in homes of citizens.

By Tuesday morning buses and trains, carrying gay elk pennants, had arrived from every section of the country. Railroad officials estimated that they had carried at least 25,000 delegates and visitors into the city, while the bus lines and private transportation accounted for another 15,000 to 20,000 people.

Among the highlights of the convention were the annual East-West game, played before more than 10,000 people; the presenting of the Elijah Lovejoy Award to Thurgood Marshall of the NAACP, the musical Sunday night at Corpus Christi

Hundreds Expected For Iowa Buxton Club's Picnic

Hundreds of visitors are expected in town this week end for the Iowa Buxton club's seventh annual homecoming celebration at Union Park Sunday Sept. 5.

The public is invited to bring baskets and join the crowd of picnickers.

The Friendly Workers club of Maple Street Baptist church will serve dinners at the celebration.

Masonic Picnic at Union Park Sept. 19

An invitation has been extended to all members of fraternal organizations to attend the Masonic annual picnic at Union park, Sept. 19, at 1 p. m. Each member is requested to bring a basket with table service and one guest besides his family.

center, the Elks Oratorical Contest Monday; The Bathing Beauty Pageant Monday; the Bathing Beauty Pageant Wednesday and the Grand Ball Thursday night.

Atlantic City, N. J., has been selected as the site of the 1955 convention.

Representatives Fly to Camp McCoy to See Army Reserve Summer Training



Camp McCoy closes its summer program on September 5.

In the group of visitors from Des Moines were: Mayor Joseph J. Van Dreser; Howard Hill, president of Iowa Farm Bureau; Al F. Faber, editor of Iowa Legionaire; Frank Miles, Public Relations Counsel; William Babcock, Home Federal Savings; Capt. E. C. Nielsen, Iowa Military District; Miss Marie Ross of Iowa Bystander.

From Ames were C. F. Barr of the Chamber of Commerce; Harry Mc

Phail, superintendent of schools; from Sioux City, Willis Forbes, managing editor of Journal Tribune; Harold Murphy, Chamber of Commerce; Paul Wilderson.

Others were: Mayor Wm. H. Keenan, Ted P. Smidt, former mayor, E. L. Aleph of Chamber of Commerce, of Council Bluffs; Charles R. Gardner and Richard M. Hoffman of Chamber of Commerce of Ottumwa; Warren A. Holden, Chamber of Commerce and Roland Thode of Waterloo; Karl F. Hagen, city editor of Ft. Dodge Messenger, and L. J. Pint

of Fort Dodge Chamber of Commerce; Herbert Sawinski, reporter, Davenport; Raymond Wright, attorney, Ray Denniston, and R. E. Byrne, Burlington; Mayor Milo J. Sedlacek, Robert H. Caldwell and James L. Cooper of Chamber of Commerce, Cedar Rapids; William Summerville, president of Iowa State Bank; Hal Dane, farmer, Dale Welt of Welt Agency, and Harry Dunlap, Jr., of Dunlap Motor Co., all of Iowa City Chamber of Commerce—(U. S. Army Photo) *

Eisenhower Calls Attention Of Every American to His 'Duty' to Self and Nation

Crowds estimated at 120,000 persons jammed the municipal airport, lined the streets along the route of the motorcade and filled all of the available space in an around the Iowa State Fair grounds Monday evening to see President Eisenhower.

The President and his guest, Herbert Hoover, only Iowa-born president and one of the two living former presidents, received a big ovation from the multitude when they were introduced at the fair.

It was the first time in the 100-year history of the fair that a president appeared on the grounds during the fair, officers of the fair board revealed.

After passing a dollar bill to Gov. William S. Beardsley to pay admission fees for himself and his guest, the President said he wanted to "straighten out one little hassle of which I read on the way out here."

It had to do with his paying an admission price or getting into the fair free.

Then he commented: "This is the first time in my life that I ever paid anything for the privilege of making a speech, but today I am so honored to do so that it would be worth many times the price."

The President handed a dollar bill to Governor Beardsley, which he returned to the President. The dollar bill came back to the governor and he handed it to another person. Now, the question is: "Who has Ike's dollar bill?"

No admission was charged at the outside gates or grandstand from the time the President arrived until he left.

For a few moments President Eisenhower talked "about the world in which we live—about foreign

Buys Sinclair Service Station Keo-Way

Albert L. Garrison who entered the business field in Des Moines four months ago with the purchase of Scotts Billard Parlor at 1006 Center street, has added to his interests, a service station.

Mr. Garrison completed this week the purchase of Gordon's Sinclair Service at 1100 Keo-Way from the Sinclair Refining Company of Kansas City, Mo., from whom he bought the lease and equipment. He has renamed the business Garrison's Sinclair Service Station.

Services

Employed at the station are Howard Kelso, operator; and a mechanic who will do minor repairs. The station will do car-washing, greasing and towing services.

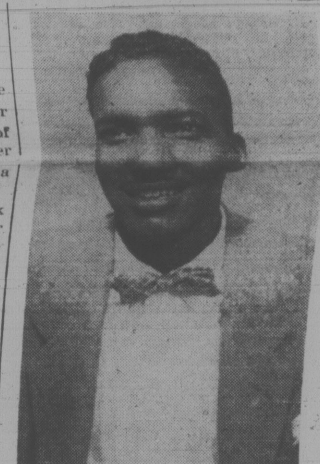
A formal opening will be held at a later date, Mr. Garrison said.

A native of Waterloo, Iowa, Mr. Garrison is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrison, Sr. His father, an imperial deputy in the Masonic lodge, and a 33rd degree Mason, has been employed for 50 years as a mechanic with the Illinois Central Railroad Company at Waterloo.

Albert Garrison is a graduate of East Waterloo High School and he attended Gates Business College there where he received a certificate in accounting; and, Drake University.

Former Tax Man

He came to Des Moines four years



ALBERT L. GARRISON

ago and worked for three years as a return examiner for the Bureau of Internal Revenue. Over a year ago he went into private business of preparing income tax returns.

Mr. Garrison is a member of the American Friends Society in Waterloo and since residing here, he has been attending Corinthian Baptist church.

He is a member of the Willkie House athletic board.

Mr. Garrison and his wife, the former Marjorie Blakely-of Cedar Rapids, reside at 711 Boyd street. They have a 17-month-old daughter.

Say 83rd Congress Members Will Seek Reelection on Another's Rights Records

Washington, D. C.—Members of the 83rd Congress will try to run for reelection next November on civil rights records made by the Supreme Court and the Executive branch of the government to cloak their own dismal failure to pass civil rights legislation, it was asserted Aug. 26, by Clarence Citchell, director of the NAACP's Washington bureau.

Mr. Mitchell pointed out that in giving the record of the 83rd Congress in the Congressional Record for August 20, Majority Leader Knowland mentioned the Supreme Court decision against school segregation, the cessation of segregation in the armed forces, anti-bias action in the nation's capital, appointment of Negroes to government posts, and other actions of the Executive branch of the government.

Falls to Mention

Sen. Knowland's report does not mention FEPC, anti-lynch crowd travel,

or other civil rights bills on which the Congress failed to act, Mr. Mitchell noted.

While boasting of the "score" on completed legislation in the 83rd Congress, Republican party leaders have said not a word about the failure to pass—or even bring up—a single civil rights bill.

A Republican Congressman, Rep. John Heselson of Massachusetts, made "a gallant attempt" to obtain approval of a bill to end segregation in interstate travel by imposing a fine of \$1,000 on carriers if they practiced segregation, Mr. Mitchell asserted, but the bill was killed in the Rules Committee.

The Senate refused to act on the anti-bias travel bill until it was passed by the House.

The House non-segregation travel bill was a combination of bills introduced by Congressmen Adam Clayton

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SOCIETY

The Alfred Shepherds and Family Spend Two Weeks Vacation in New York With Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred F. Shepherd, and family, Alfred, Jr., Crystal and Shari in one car, and Barbara Lou, Floyd Shepherd and Mr. George Starks in the other car returned to the city August 15 after a two weeks vacation spent in New York City visiting relatives of Mr. Shepherd.

Enroute the party stopped in Cleveland, Ohio, for a few hours, where Mr. Shepherd has a cousin, Robert Shepherd. Traveling on through Ohio and Pennsylvania to Pittsburgh where the party entered the famous Pennsylvania Turnpike which is a toll road going through seven tunnels of the Allegheny mountains on into Harrisburgh.

The Holland Tunnel

From Harrisburgh the party traveled on into New Jersey on into the Holland Tunnel and downtown Manhattan New York, where the Iowans were met by Mr. James Martin, uncle of Mr. Shepherd who led the way by car to his Long Island home which is 33 miles from uptown East Harlem. This residential section is called St. Albans Jamaica Long Island.

Many courtesies were given for the Shepherds and many points of interest visited. One afternoon and evening was spent with Mr. Theodore Martin, formerly of this city and another uncle of Mr. Shepherd. His residence is in the Bronx section. A lovely dinner was given by Mrs. Lucile Gray, who is an aunt of Mr. Shepherd in the Elmhurst Queens area. Mrs. Gray lives one block from Bill Perry of Ink Spot fame.

Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Martin of Bronx gave a dinner for the party

Attends National Shrine Council At Atlantic City

A. A. Martin, potentate of Zied Temple No. 90, Ira Wyatt, and Marcus McCraven, nobles of the temple, attended the National Imperial Council of the Shrine at Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 15 to 20.

The convention, presided over by Dr. Raymond E. Jackson of Buffalo, N. Y., illustrious imperial potentate, was held at the convention hall, attended by several thousands of delegates and visitors.

Highlights of the session included: annual golf tournament, Divan meeting, Oriental tea by Daughters of Isis, memorial services, sightseeing tours to Campbell Soup factory at Camden, N. J., Imperial Council banquet, competitive drill, two-hour parade, beauty contest, and the Imperial Ball.

Wins Scholarship

Mr. Martin stated that Wednesday night of the convention, "a Philadelphia sepiu beauty pitched plenty of curves and charm" to win the title, "Miss Shrine Princess". She was Alma Miller, 17, of 1634 W. Dolphin street in Philadelphia, who received the \$1,000 scholarship before 5,000 persons.

Miss Ava Joe Thomas of Fort Worth, Texas, was first runner-up; Miss Joan Owens of Newport News, Va., and Miss Dauphine Walker of Detroit, Mich., tied for third place; and Miss Janet Lyle of Newark, N. J., was fourth.

Miss Shirley Reed of Ramese Temple, Charlotte, N. C., was voted "Miss Congeniality." The little southern miss was given her title by a vote of all 15 contestants, "because of her cooperation, demure attitude and her likeability." The title was voted in a secret ballot, Mr. Martin stated.

Mr. Vi Norman of Waterloo was master of ceremonies at the beauty contest. He introduced the contestants as they appeared and paraded along the ramp in evening gowns, street attire and bathing suits.

A farewell cabaret party was given

Saturday and Sunday of the first week, and Mrs. Lena Drayton of 7th Avenue 135th street in Harlem gave the Iowans an evening's entertainment. Mrs. Drayton is another aunt of Mrs. Shepherd. Many other relatives of Mr. Shepherd were visited, some he had never seen. Points of interest seen were: a trip to downtown Manhattan's Times Square, the famous Fifth Avenue, Broadway, Radio City, and Wall street, a trip to Rockaway Beach, the piers and the Statue of Liberty.

See UN Building

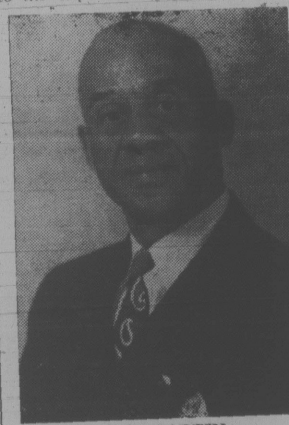
The famous United Nations building was also viewed. Several homes of Negro celebrities were noted all within a five block area in the St. Albans Jamaica section where the Iowans headquartered with Mr. and Mrs. James Martin. These homes included Billie Holiday's, the late Babe Ruth, Ella Fitzgerald, Count Basie, Roy Campanella, and the former home of Jackie Robinson, who recently purchased a home in Connecticut.

The return trip was over the same route except Cleveland was by-passed and a half day spent in Youngstown, Ohio, where Mr. Shepherd has three cousins.

Also a few hours stop was made in Chicago where the Iowans visited aunt and uncle of Mr. Shepherd and brothers and sisters of Mrs. Shepherd. The visitors arrived in Chicago on a Saturday just in time for the Bad Billiken parade. While in New York the children attended vacation Bible school with their cousin, W. J. Martin at the Trinity Lutheran church, an interracial congregation in St. Albans.

The delegates on the closing night, Dr. Jackson was reelected head and the council voted to meet in Cleveland, Ohio, in 1955.

Messrs. Martin and Wyatt returned to the city last Friday.



A. A. MARTIN

Wildlife Series



GREEN HERON

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In much of North America and some of South America, fishermen and others who haunt streams and marshes may frequently see what looks like a slender, awkward, long-legged crow spring from the ground, expel a long white "chalk mark" and fly a relatively short distance only to alight clumsily on some tree or shrub. In more cases than not this will be Green Heron, a 17-inch bird with yellow or orange legs that are too long for a crow but too short to fit the average concept of a heron.

Green Herons have been flying about this type of country since Pleistocene times and will probably continue to exist so long as suitable habitat may be found for them in which to find their food, build their nests and rear their young. Their only value probably is to serve as a target for hunters who do not know that they are protected by law. They are of no food value themselves, the National Wildlife Federation points out, and do comparatively little damage to forms of life that are of food value to man.

These rather dumb-behaving birds are greenish black on the crown and when excited can raise a ragged crest on their heads. Their necks are brownish, their bellies ashy, and at a distance their bodies may appear to be gray. The young birds have black streaks on their breasts but these disappear with the advent of maturity.

Green Herons are so well-known to outdoor folk that they naturally have many common names. Skeow is a common name describing their excitement call. Fly-up-the-creek is a common name descriptive of their common reaction to disturbance. Chalkline is a common name descriptive of their habit of evacuating when they take flight. Shitepoke presumably refers to the same characteristic.

Green Herons nest from Nova Scotia to North Dakota and south

Although Kindergarten Room Is Attractive, School May Be Strange World To Child On His First Day of School

By Afton Smith, SUI Assistant Professor

Although a modern kindergarten room is usually attractive, it may still be a strange place to a child on his first day. The room looks so large and he feels so small. The ceiling seems as high as the sky. The teacher seems far away at the other end of the room, while he has been accustomed to close contact with his mother.

One writer points out that even the many windows in the walls look different from his home. It looks to him as if there were a sea of tables and chairs. The large supply of play equipment is bewildering.

It is possible to guard in advance against some of this strangeness. Many teachers invite the parents to bring their children to visit the kindergarten room before they are old enough to enter school. Then the child gets acquainted with the room and with the teacher. This plan

to the Gulf Coast, Honduras and Guatemala. They winter from Florida southeastern Texas to northern Colombia. They have been found in Bermuda, Haiti and Puerto Rico.

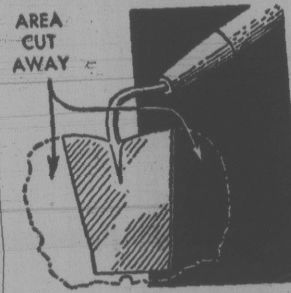
In Low Trees

The nest, a clumsily constructed platform of sticks, is found in low trees over the water, usually in colonies and from 3 to 20 feet above the



Weeding Tool Can Be Made From Discarded Hoe

AN OLD garden hoe may readily be converted into a tool that can be used for weeding between rows of closely spaced vegetables. Ends of the



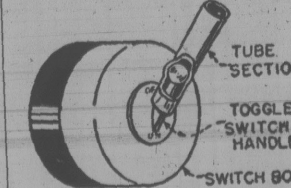
hoe are cut off, as shown in the illustration from Popular Mechanics, and the bottom edge is trued. Either a hacksaw or cold chisel will do the job. For effective use, be sure to sharpen the edge well.

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dergarten room before they are old enough to enter school. Then the child gets acquainted with the room and with the teacher. This plan

ground. Sometimes one nest may be occupied by two females. The pale blue eggs measure 1-1/2 by 1-1/4 inches and are incubated for 17 days. The young are clumsy, homely animals that gain 1/2 ounce a day for the first 6 days and may climb from their nest using beak, feet and wings to help them in the act.

The food of Green Herons is largely small-marsh animals which are caught by a lightning like plunge of the beak. On occasion the bird may plunge into the water from a perch to catch prey. The food includes snakes, frogs, mice, insects, worms and similar small animals. The birds usually feed in early morning or late afternoon.



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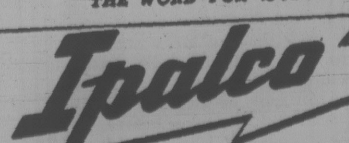
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Evening Service: 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday: 8:00 P.M.

St. Paul A. M. E. Church
15th and Crocker Streets
REV. JOHN E. HUNTER, Minister
Sundays: Prayer Service Sunday: 6:00 A.M.
Church School: Sunday 9:30 A.M.
Church Service: 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service: 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday: 7:30 P.M.
Youth Fellowship: 5:30 P.M.

First Baptist Church
131 9th Street, West Des Moines, Iowa
REV. J. L. HARRIS, Pastor
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.

East University Church of God in Christ
ORDEZ OF SERVICES
E. 17th St. and University
OVERSEER LOUIS H. FOLD, Pastor
Sunday School: 9:00 A.M.
Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service: 7:00 P.M.
Wednesday Evening: 8:00 P.M.
Youth Service: 8:00 P.M.
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Evening KWDM: 10:00-10:30 P.M.

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905 W. 15th St.
REV. J. R. REESE, 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 NOTES

The Rev. N. R. Olphin, pastor, will preach from the subject, "Remembering The Lord," Sunday, Sept. 5, 11 a. m. He will administer the Lord's Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harris who returned to the city recently from Langston, Okla., where he was teaching, have renewed their membership at Corinthian, where he is a deacon. They have moved back to Des Moines where he will teach in the public schools.

Burns Methodist Church Notes

Dr. S. M. Riley, district superintendent of the Chicago District of the Methodist church, was guest preacher last Sunday morning at Burns Methodist Church. The Rev. Mr. Riley was one of Burns' former pastors, and was warmly received by the members who knew him. His wife and daughter were among the several visitors.

Burns' picnic sponsored last Sunday afternoon was a beautiful affair with fine fellowship and an ample supply of a variety of good things to eat.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed Sunday at 11 A.M. The pastor will give the Communion meditation. The evening theme will be: Maintaining the Christian Glow.

MC. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

The theme for Rev. H. R. Fields' sermon last Sunday was "Have Faith in God." Rev. T. Pack gave the scripture and the senior choir sang. The Rev. Mr. Fields preached Tuesday evening at Kyles A.M.E. Zion church. The senior choir sang, Rev. and Mrs. Fields will leave this week to visit relatives and friends in Missouri after which they will attend the National Baptist Convention at St. Louis, Mo. The church will be in charge of the Rev. Mr. Pack. Last Sunday visitors included: Mr. N. Townsell, Mrs. B. Neff, Mrs. S. Lee. The appreciation service for Rev. and Mrs. Fields was held last Thursday evening.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NOTES

Last Thursday evening an appreciation banquet was given for Rev. John E. Hunter and family, by the Stewards board. Mrs. Iva Mae Hayes, chairman of the Pastoral committee, was in charge. Gifts were presented to the pastor, Rev. Mr. Hunter, from clubs and auxiliaries of the church. Other ministers present were Presiding Elder W. H. Ogletton and an assistant pastor, Rev. Felix E. Dickerson. Mrs. Bessie L. Greene was in charge of the program and presided. Mrs. Hunter was presented flowers from the Stewards and Trustees. Mr. Ezra Ewing assisted with the tickets and finance. The music for the evening was offered by Mrs. Lorraine Collins and Miss Catherine Green.

Pilgrim Missionary Baptist Church
1732 Walker Street
REV. J. C. WALSH, Pastor
Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service: 11:00 A.M.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday: 7:30 P.M.

Mt. Olive Baptist Church
S. E. 4th and Scott Street
REV. H. R. FIELDS, Pastor
Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service: 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service: 7:45 P.M.
Wednesday Prayer Service: 7:30 P.M.
Friday: Pastor Missionary Aid Society: 7:30 P.M.

Maple Street Baptist Church
E. 16th and Maple Street
REV. GEO. PARISH, Minister, 6-8910
Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service: 7:45 P.M.
Bible Class: 6:30 P.M.
Prayer Service: Wed., 8 P.M.

Community Church of The Nazarene
9th and High-Y.W.C.A.
Rev. and Mrs. Henry Ellis, Pastors
Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.
Church Service: 11:00 A.M.
Evangelistic Service: 7:45 P.M.
Wednesday: 8:00 P.M.
Come One, Come All.

Union Baptist Church
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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: 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.

Greetings were given by Mrs. Mattie B. Scott, a steward; Mr. Robert T. Dacus, trustee; Mrs. Alcyonetta Miller, from the church. Mrs. Jessie M. Jones gave a reading, "Ring True." Dinner was served by the Lady Usher board.

Responses of appreciation were made by Rev. and Mrs. Hunter.

Stewards are: G. B. Tucker, Delores Peguese, Bessie L. Greene, Jeanne Morris, Myrtle Butler, Iva Mae Hayes, Ezra Ewing, John M. Danforth, Charles Carl, Alcyonetta Miller, James L. Dameron, James F. Gray, Mabel M. Mason, James H. Sims, Julia Proctor and Mattie B. Scott.

Annual Conference

Leaving for the 34th annual conference in Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 7-12 are Rev. Mr. Hunter, Mrs. Bessie L. Greene, lay delegate; Mrs. Jeanne Morris, Missionary delegate; Mrs. Orzealyea Robertson, evangelist and chairman of self-denial committee; Mrs. Mabel M. Mason who will have charge of Memorial service.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday morning, Sept. 5, Rev. George Parrish will perform the Lord's Supper. At 3 p. m. the Deacons and Missionary council will meet at 8 p. m. the Dixon Wonders will present a musical program in songs. Deacons Board met Monday evening at the church. The circle met Friday afternoon in the home of Mother Clara Houston. Rev. and Mrs. Parrish will leave Monday, Sept. 6, to attend the National Baptist Convention in St. Louis, Mo. Sick and shut-ins are: Mrs. O. Dant, Messrs. Lee Williams, Tom Moseley and Henry Davis, Mrs. Martha Rivers and Mrs. Fannie Cox.

Manly, Iowa

Manly, Iowa.—Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; worship services at 11 a.m.; missionary program 3 p.m. Mrs. P. Fisher was guest speaker. She gave highlights of their missionary work in India and showed slides. Rev. and Mrs. Fisher were missionary workers in India for five years.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Posten of Chicago, Ill., brother and sister-in-law of Mrs. Parker and Mrs. Laura Posten of Manhattan, Kas., mother of Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Parker. Mr. Henry Johnson, Mrs. Lavalie Tate, Mr. Cecil Douglas, Mr. William Barnett and Elder Alfonso Douglas motored to Milwaukee to attend the baseball game between the Brooklyn Dodgers and Milwaukee Braves. Mrs. Profit Dunn and Mrs. Jessie Parker and daughter, Cindy, returned from an extended visit in Louisiana. LeRoy Dunn was home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Quinn, and grand par-

Gospel Singing Team To Be at New Jerusalem Sunday

Sunday, Sept. 5, 3 p.m. an outstanding gospel singing team, under the direction of Prof. Clarence E. Hatcher, singer, pianist and director of solists department of National Baptist Music Convention, Inc., will be presented at the New Jerusalem Church of Good in Christ, 1198 Fourteenth street.

With the team is Roy Davis, a national gospel and evangelistic singer, pianist of West Virginia District Singers Convention.

Singers in 'Battle' Over K.W.D.M. Sunday

"Old Man" McQueen and I. Knight Singers of Chicago, Ill., will be in a battle of music with the Dixon Wonders Sunday, Sept. 5, 9 a. m. over Radio Station K.W.D.M.

Council to Meet Sept. 12 at Maple Street Church

The Mothers, Stewardess and Deacons Council will meet Sunday, Sept. 12, 2:30 p. m. at Maple Street Baptist church. The Rev. J. W. Reese will be the speaker.

Rev. Ryles Surprised At Appreciation Service by Group

The Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance honored Rev. R. L. Ryles at a surprise appreciation service Tuesday evening, August 24, at his church, Philadelphia Seventh Day Adventist.

A musical program was given by St. Paul A.M.E. church's gospel chorus. Words of appreciation of the commendable work done by the Rev. Mr. Ryles as secretary of the alliance and in the community were said by the Rev. John E. Hunter, pastor of St. Paul A.M.E. church. The Rev. William Scott, was chairman, with Mrs. Bettie Frazier as co-worker.

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Profit Dunn.

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John W. Roxborough, II, Is Appointed Consultant to Secretary John Foster Dulles

Washington, D. C.—John W. Roxborough, II of Detroit, Mich. has been appointed Consultant to Secretary of State, John Foster Dulles. Mr. Roxborough is a member of the distinguished Roxborough family of Michigan. He already has a well established legal career in spite of his youth.

Mr. Roxborough is only 32 years old having been born January 7, 1922. He received his early education in the public schools of Detroit; A.B. Degree, University of Michigan in 1944, where he was an outstanding athlete, having won three letters in track and in 1943 the Big Ten 1/2 mile championship. He received his Bachelor of Law Degree from the University of Detroit in 1949, magna cum laude (No. 1 in Class of 1949). He was also editor of the law review that year.

Mr. Roxborough volunteered for military service and served from March 25, 1944 to August 11, 1946. Twenty-two months of this time was spent in Europe where he received a field commission of 2d Lt.—three battle stars and Commendation Ribbon for outstanding service as Adjutant, 223 QM Battalion. He is presently an Army Reserve.

Many Activities

Besides his law practice this young attorney has found time to participate in many professional, civic, and political activities. He is chairman of the Legal Redress Committee (chief attorney) of the Detroit Branch, NAACP and a member of the NAACP and a member of the NAACP National Legal Committee; President Judge Advocate (legal advisor) and Legal Advisor, Michigan State Association of Elks since 1950.

Re. J. A. Ross at St. John Sunday

The Rev. J. A. Ross of Moran, Ill., will preach at St. John Baptist church, S. E. Twenty-fifth and Maury street on Sunday morning, Sept. 5, for the Department of Michigan, The American Legion and past Judge Advocate for the Detroit District Association, The American Legion.

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JOHN W. ROXBOROUGH II

sent Judge Advocate (legal advisor) and Legal Advisor, Michigan State Association of Elks since 1950.

In 1952 he was appointed Special Assistant Attorney-General for the State Election Recount. He is past general member of the National Veterans Preference Committee, The Legion; Present Assistant Grand Director of Veterans Affairs for the Elks; Former neighborhood commissioner, Boy Scouts of America and member of the Executive Board of the Michigan Committee on Civil Rights, since 1949. This is a coordinating group of the Jewish Community Council, Michigan Council of Churches, and Catholic Interracial Council which has spearheaded a state wide drive for FEPC in Michigan since 1946.

Mr. Roxborough is former regional vice-chairman for the Michigan Young Republicans and is present co-chairman of the educational committee of that organization. Since 1951 he has been precinct delegate of the state convention. He is also secretary of the Michigan for Eisenhower Committee.

John Roxborough, II is the son of Charles A. Roxborough, practicing attorney and former Republican State Senator from 1930-32, grandson of Charles A. Roxborough, Sr., practicing attorney, and nephew and namesake of the former manager of Joe Louis. He was married on September 14, 1944 to June Baldwin and is the father of two sons, Claude II—6 years old and John III—5 years old. He lives with his family at 15664—Normandy Avenue, Detroit 38, Michigan.

Mr. Roxborough will serve on a per-diem basis as a general Consultant to the Secretary of State and his division heads.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Rev. George Parrish, 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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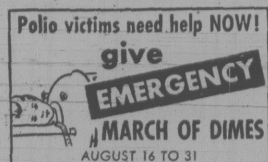
One of the features of the Northwest Annual AME church conference which will be held at St. Peter's church in Minneapolis, Minn., will be the "Youth on Parade" program, Saturday, Sept. 11, 8 p. m.

Youth choirs and individuals from Iowa and Minnesota will be featured. Contestants of Davenport, Waterloo and Minneapolis will compete in the Caswell Crews oratorical contest. The winner will receive an expense free trip to Cassopolis, Mich., to the 4th Episcopal District's Laymen's conference July to compete for a \$250 scholarship.

The program is sponsored by the educational department of the Laymen's organization under the supervision of Mrs. Jeanne Morris.

Dixon Wonders at Maple Street Sunday

The Dixon Wonders will appear in a musical program Sunday, Sept. 5, 7:30 p. m., at Maple Street Baptist church. A variety of musical talent will be presented.



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The Irvin L. White Family and Mrs. Rufus Parker Motor to East for Two Week's Vacation

Mrs. Rufus Parker, 127 street, and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin White and daughters, Lela Belle, Annette and Jill, of 1228 Dixon returned recently from a two weeks' vacation and motor trip to the east where they visited relatives, friends and many places of interest.

The Iowans went to Idlewild, Mich., summer resort for a four-day vacation, during which time they visited a brother; saw Rev. Mr. Warfield and family in Kalamazoo, Mich., and brothers in Detroit, Mich., where they crossed into Canada via Ambassador bridge. They took the King's Highway to Niagara Falls, Canada, and spent two days at a motel, while visiting the Falls, shopping, boating on the "Maid of the Mist," and viewing the Floral Clock, made of flowers and operated by power from the Falls.

To New York

From the American side of the Falls, the Iowans went to Albany, N. Y., visited the New York state capitol; traveled to New York City, and Brooklyn where they were guests of the Leslie Costas, friends

Mary Church Terrell Club Plans Memorial For Late Educator

The Mary Church Terrell club was entertained at social night Monday in the home of Mrs. Joan Bullock. Prize for the program was awarded to Mrs. Adah Johnson.

On Sept. 13, the club plans a program at Wilkie House to honor the memory of the late Mary Church Terrell of Washington, D. C. Participants on the program will be representatives of Mary Church Terrell Nos. I and II, both named after the late educator.

Mrs. Butler and Mr. Tolson Visit Kin in Missouri

Mrs. Myrtle Butler and brother, Mr. Elmer Tolson, returned recently from a week's vacation with relatives and friends in Fayette, Glasgow, and Monroe City, Mo.

They were house guests of their uncle, Mr. John Conole, who is 90 years old.

Kansas Citizens Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Franklin

Mr. and Mrs. William Mack and daughters, Joan and Brenda, Mrs. Josephine Burton and Mrs. Pearl Turner, all of Kansas City, Mo., spent several days here the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Franklin, 927 Twelfth street.

The Macks are relatives of Mrs. Franklin.

Guests at Home of Mrs. Warren Cropp

Mrs. C. L. Williams of Kansas City, Mo., and granddaughters, Carla Williams of Kansas City, and Joyce Dillon of Waterproof, La., were house guests this week of their niece and cousin, Mrs. Warren Cropp, 1002 Seventeenth street. Miss Dillon is a student at Southern university, at Baton Rouge, La.

Mrs. Alta Coleman Back from Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky

Mrs. Alta Coleman, 1300 Harding Road, returned recently from a three-weeks vacation in Illinois, Indiana and Kentucky.

She was guest of friends in Chicago; visited Mrs. Cynthia Graham in Indianapolis, Ind., and relatives in Louisville, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. Felix Duplessis, brother-in-law and sister. In Bardstown, Ky., Mrs. Coleman was guest of her aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Miller.

Mrs. John Ward and Son Visit Kin in Denver, Colo.

Mrs. John Ward and son, Howard, of 1527 Walker street, have returned from a vacation in Denver, Colo., where they visited relatives and friends.

The Iowans went sight-seeing through Look Out mountains, Estes Park and other places of interest. They were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jellie Higgins.

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

of Mr. White.

They went by subway to South Ferry for a ride to Staten Island; saw the Statue of Liberty and New York skyline at night; took a bus ride up Broadway to 42nd street at night; visited Coney Island amusement park; attended St. George's Episcopal church with their hosts, the Costas.

After four days in New York, the Iowans left by way of New Jersey and Pennsylvania Turnpikes to Pittsburgh, Pa., where they visited for a day, a lifelong friend, Mrs. Katie Blackwell.

Mrs. Parker remarked that "we had no trouble, no aches, no pains a wonderful trip." Mr. White and his daughter, Lela Belle alternated with the driving.

Boldridge Children Honored at Park

Mesdames Gertrude North, Adah Johnson and Stella Hyde entertained at a "Hamburg Fry" in Goode park for Natalie, Mary Janis and Bobby Boldridge, children of Mr. and Mrs. William Boldridge of Bode, Ia.

Their mother is the former Dorothy Amby of Webster City. Refreshments were served. Other guests were Gloria McCracken and Robert and Eric Hyde.

The T. S. Williams' Family of Tuskegee, Ala., Visit Friends

Dr. and Mrs. T. S. Williams and sons, Theodore and Clyde, of Tuskegee Institute, Ala., were overnight guests Sunday of Atty. and Mrs. W. Lawrence Oliver and family, 1047 Thirtieth street.

The Williams' family, former Des Moines residents, motored here from Kansas City, Mo., where they had spent a vacation with relatives.

They were dinner guests of the Oliver's Sunday evening at the Cloud Room of the Municipal airport.



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September—that busy month for the last fling of summer activities—has arrived.

Thousands of visitors are here attending the centennial celebration of the Iowa State Fair which ends on the Labor Day holiday, Monday. Thousands of Iowa citizens lined the streets of Des Moines on Monday afternoon to wave at two great Americans—President Eisenhower and former President Hoover, as their motorcade with distinguished visitors from the White House, moved swiftly from the municipal airport to the fairgrounds. Over 120,000 persons had seen President Eisenhower.

This week end, more visitors will be in town for the annual homecoming celebration of the Iowa Buxton club's picnic. Many will come from all parts of the country for reunions at Union park.

After Labor Day activities on Monday, when the public parks will close for the season, thousands of boys and girls of Des Moines will return to the public schools when the doors open on Tuesday—and another busy fall season will be started.

So much has happened since my recent flight to Camp McCoy, Wisc., and vacation news from many of the readers is so heavy this week that I took along in the event of a bumpy journey which could cause airsickness, we had smooth flying through the many bright and dark clouds and passed over Mason City without anyone even mentioning it—and on into La Crosse, Wisconsin, where we landed at Camp McCoy. Some of the men remarked that "We are in McCarthy's state."

A welcome party of officers, headed by Maj. Gen. George H. Olmsted, commander of Camp McCoy, was waiting to greet us. (Continued Next Week).

But, a week ago last Monday, I weighed in my luggage at the Iowa National Air Guard hangar for a flight on the army air force DC-3 plane to Camp McCoy, Wisc., as guest of the Iowa Military District's News Lift.

I joined the Des Moines party of men (See Front Page Photo) and awaited the arrival of the plane which carried other Camp McCoy visitors from Ames, Burlington, Ottumwa, and Sioux City.

Capt. E. C. Nielsen of the Iowa Military District greeted me and reminded that I had not turned in my reporter's release which relieved the government of any "suits, claims or damages," in the event of any in-

Miss Parker Is Bride of Mr. Bell



MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM BELL

Miss Carrie Davidson Of Nashville Guest Of the Wm. J. Ritcheys

Miss Carrie Davidson of Nashville, Tenn., spent a few days here recently as house guest of Dr. and Mrs. William J. Ritchey, 1154 Fourteenth street, who were her hosts on a sight-seeing tour of the city.

Just the night before our flight to Camp McCoy, a plane had crashed at Mason City, taking the lives of 12 persons, and fresh in the back of my mind, and on the morning's radio and TV news and in the headlines of the press were reports of the crash.

I did not have a feeling of fear as I boarded the air force plane—as I had cleared with the Great Pilot above, long before I decided to make the tour. But, conversations kept coming up about the crash the night before as the men talked of comments and suggestions their wives and families had made to them with the intentions of changing their minds about the flight.

There was just no relaxing until I reached in my pouch and dug out a little booklet I had stuck there with the intention of reading it—just as soon as I found time.

The booklet, from NBC's Sunday morning radio series, was entitled the "Art of Living" and—now, I thought, was the time to read it. It carried two lectures by Dr. Robert J. McCracken who was substituting for Dr. Norman Peale. The comforting lectures were entitled "Our Fears" and "Our Doubts" and their contents made the flight more enjoyable.

While reading and relishing the five flavors of the packages of Life Saver mints, I took along in the event of a bumpy journey which could cause airsickness, we had smooth flying through the many bright and dark clouds and passed over Mason City without anyone even mentioning it—and on into La Crosse, Wisconsin, where we landed at Camp McCoy. Some of the men remarked that "We are in McCarthy's state."

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Rev. and Mrs. S. M. Riley Guests of The Wm. C. Browns

Rev. and Mrs. S. M. Riley and daughter, Phyllis, of Chicago, Ill., and Mrs. Booker Tubbs of Detroit, Mich., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Brown, 1162 Thirtieth street.

The Rev. Mr. Riley pastored at Burns Methodist church 18 years ago. He preached last Sunday morning at Burns and was guest at the church's picnic at Union Park Sunday afternoon. He is now district superintendent of the Chicago District.

Miss Williams and Mr. Burkett to Be Married Sept. 3

The wedding of Miss Beverly Ann Williams and Mr. John Burkett, Jr., will be held Friday evening, Sept. 3, solemnized by the Rev. H. R. Fields, pastor of Mt. Olive Baptist church, of which the young couple are members.

Miss Williams is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Williams, 412 S. E. Third street; and, Mr. and Mrs. John Burkett, 307 Racoon are Mr. Burkett's parents.

Guests from New Jersey at Home of The N. R. Olphins

Miss Zollic Bracy of East Orange, N. J., and Mrs. Cyrus Hogan of Newark, N. J., both teachers in the Newark school system, spent a week here as house guests of Rev. and Mrs. N. R. Olphin, 1207 Thirtieth street.

The visitors were honored by Mrs. Olphin at breakfast in Greenwood park, where they toured the flower gardens and visited the Des Moines Art Center.

Social Art Club

The Social Art Club's breakfast set for Sept. 2 was canceled. The club will meet on Sept. 23 with Mrs. Anna Ware, 1137 School street. All members are to bring Big Sister gifts.

A Wedding Kiss Under the Arch



At the garden reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Parker, the flower-decorated arch was an appropriate setting for a kiss by the bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. William Bell.

Parker—Bell Wedding Vows

Miss Itasca Mae Parker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Parker of 920 Dixon, became the bride of Mr. William R. Bell, Jr., son of Mrs. Alberta Jackson of 1446 Buchanan street, in a beautiful church wedding held at 4:30 P.M. Sunday, August 15, at the Union Baptist church.

The Rev. Seymour Gaines officiated at the double-ring ceremonies. Church decorations for the occasion were palms, candelabra, carnations, daisies, gladioli and Delphinium.

Organist was Mr. Artie McNair with Mrs. Esther Wadsworth as soloist.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white nylon lace and net over satin. Her net veil was decorated with lace and seed pearls. Her flowers were white roses on a tiny white prayer book which she carried.

Attendants

Mrs. Margaret Duke, matron of honor wore a blue net gown over satin and a matching veil, attached to satin strips. She carried a bouquet of yellow carnations.

Bridesmaids were Miss Ieta Parker, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Imogene Sharp, who wore identical gowns of yellow net over satin, yellow hats and carried bouquets of blue carnations.

Flower girl was Sherry Lawrence who wore blue organdy. She carried a basket of yellow rose petals. Ring-bearer was Tommy Manuel.

Best man was the bridegroom's brother, Morris Bell of Los Angeles, Cal. Ushers were: Harry Day, Leroy

Cunningham, Erick Parker, of Tacoma, Wash., brother of the bride, and Richard Bell.

Reception

A garden reception followed immediately at the bride's home, where a flower decorated archway decorated the lawn. Over 300 guests attended.

The bride's table held a five-tier wedding cake. Music for the reception was offered by the Spirituales, a group of singers.

Hostesses were: Mesdames Gwen McGregor, Shirley Kimball, Shirley Scott, Minnie Johnson and Misses Sharon Greer, Marjorie Ewing, Armenta Burnett, and Priscilla Robinson.

In the receiving line, Mrs. Parker, the bride's mother was attired in a pure silk soft green off-the-shoulder dress, white feathered hat and a corsage of white carnations and roses. Mrs. Jackson, the bridegroom's mother wore navy blue evening dress with a corsage of red roses.

Out-of-town visitors were: Mrs. Vernon Reese of Fairview, Kas.; Mrs. Margaret Harris and Mr. Wardell Holland of Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. F. Shelton and Mrs. John Murray of Omaha, Neb.; Mrs. Mack Lyle and Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor of Ottumwa, Ia.

The couple, who received many gifts, is residing temporarily at the

The LeRoy Carters Return from Vacation In Minnesota, Illinois and Missouri

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Carter and daughter, Myrtle, spent a recent vacation in Minnesota, Missouri and Illinois.

In St. Paul, they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Radcliffe, who motored them to Wisconsin for a fishing trip. Mrs. Radcliffe is Mr. Carter's sister.

To Chicago

Then the Iowans went to Chicago to visit Mrs. Carter's brothers, Messrs. Isaac and Clarence Lewis and family; and Mr. Carter's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brooks and family; and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Thomas, and Mrs. Mary Reed, cousins.

On Chicago Heights, the Carters were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. James Guy. The Iowans were guests in Springfield, Ill., of Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Richardson, cousins; in Higbee and Moberly, Mo., they visited his aunts relatives.

The Carters returned later to Chil-

The Howard D. Youngs Honor the Grants, Newlyweds at Dinner

Dinner guests Tuesday, August 24 of Mr. and Mrs. Howard D. Youngs, 1164 Fourteenth street place, were Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses S. Grant, newlyweds.

The couple was married August 18 in the Church of Christ at Altoona, Iowa, where Mr. and Mrs. Young were guests.

The bride is the former Gloria Poweshiek, great great grand-daughter of Chief Poweshiek of the Sac and Fox Indians (originally the Mesquiques) and the bridegroom, Mr. Grant of Albuquerque, N. M., is an electrician's mate first class of the U. S. Navy.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Jonas Poweshiek, superintendent of the Indian department of the Iowa State Historical Building in Des Moines. She has been employed as clerk-typist by the Fidelity and Casualty Co., of New York in Des Moines.

The Rev. Carlyle Smith, pastor of the church, officiated; and, Dunae Elze, Altoona was soloist, accompanied by Mrs. Ray Burget, organist.

The Youngs who have lived here two years are former residents of Burlington.

bride's parents' home until Mr. Bell, who is a pitcher with the Kansas City Monarchs team, ends his current baseball season. They plan a honeymoon trip in September.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Bell are East High School graduates. She is a long distance operator at the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company here.

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

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The H. T. McKnights Back from the Lakes

Atty. and Mrs. H. T. McKnight and son, 925 Laurel street, returned recently from a vacation at Clear Lake, Iowa.

Iowans Return from Trip to Bronx, N. Y.

Mrs. French Brown, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Carter returned home August 26 from a two-week visit with their son and brother, Mr. Eugene Brown and family of Bronx, New York.

On their return they stopped in Columbus, Ohio, to visit Mr. Carter's relatives.

Mrs. Hazel Cook of Dayton Guest Here

Mrs. Hazel Cook of Dayton, Ohio, spent part of her vacation visiting Mr. and Mrs. Al Williams, 1267 Steward street. A cousin of Mr. Williams, she planned to stop in Chicago and Detroit before returning to Dayton.

Mr. LeRoy Bird Leaves for Denver

Mr. LeRoy Bird, former Des Moines resident, left Monday night for his home in Denver, Colo., after spending ten days here the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Baskett, 1011 Fifteenth street.

He had attended the National Imperial Council of the Shrine which convened at Atlantic City, N. J.

Mr. Bird revealed that a letter from the Des Moines Chamber of Commerce had been sent to the National Imperial Council inviting the Shriners to hold a national meeting in Des Moines at some later date.

Mrs. Bennett and Children of Seattle

Mrs. Bernice Bennett, daughter, Darlene; and son, Larry, of Seattle, Wash., were dinner guests last Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Brown, 1162 Thirtieth street.

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LITTLE EXCUSE TO PASS UP AN EDUCATION

September brings thoughts of school; some for the first time, others moving up to higher grades and more advanced courses. Whichever it is it forms the initial preparation for life's work.

Fortunately, the school system in America has reached the point where few youngsters do not get some education. And even though economic levels of families differ, the poorest can and do reach the top by hard work.

First, the public school system provides free education in the grades and reduced tuition to students attending state colleges and universities. Second, philanthropy has provided innumerable scholarships available to all thus enabling every youngster to get a chance.

These advantages have produced more high school graduates, more college graduates, making competition greater for those going into professional fields; more for those going into trades. Thus it becomes highly necessary that students remain in school even at a sacrifice in order that they will be well equipped for their life's work.

More and more, prepared people are in demand. The unprepared get what is left. This may well be illustrated by the employment situation today for prepared people are well employed while the unprepared, the dispensable constitute the pool of unemployed.

Thanks to the decision of the U.S. Supreme Court, segregation in public schools is illegal. Most states are preparing to comply; private schools where segregation exists are following suit. Desegregation will raise the general overall level of schools in America and reduce the cost as well.

DES MOINES HAILS FABULOUS GLOBETROTTER

The fabulous Globetrotters (and fabulous certainly describes this basketball aggregation) came to Des Moines with its retinue of entertainers last week and entertained more than five thousand fans at demonstrations they will never forget.

The Trotters did everything but eat the ball. After attaining a comfortable lead enabling them to let the Allstars do just a bit but not enough to win, they put on the show. It is no wonder that the Globetrotters have played their way into the hearts of people all over the world; they have been designated among our ambassadors of good will. They know their job and do it well. The public likes that kind of entertainment.

Much more may well be said of the Globetrotters. But they were not all of the show. Included were three other very excellent basketball teams and acrobatic teams. This was as much sport as Des Moines has witnessed for years and a reminder for days to come.

With the completion of our new auditorium maybe many other such events will be coming to Des Moines. And of course it is up to the fans to justify their presence.

LABOR HAS COME A LONG WAY

Labor day is an old tradition in America. It grows out of the struggle of labor unions to develop more cohesion among its members thus creating a strong force to deal with the employer.

In those early days, we had no laws governing labor-management relations. Each plant, each industry was supreme unto itself. But this did not prevent one strong leader after another from developing and pulling these groups into strong positions so that today labor is almost as well organized as capital.

Over the years, labor did some pretty crude things, so did management. And at times some politicians (both in and out of the organizations) have spent more time dividing employer and employee than they have in a program to advance the interest of their members.

But in this century labor is learning more and more that good employee-employer relations mean steady work under favorable conditions and reasonable cooperation with management; that constant bickering and accusations on each side get nobody anywhere.

This old habit of celebrating labor day becomes less important to labor cohesion just as lodges have lost their old value as insurance for their members.

So it becomes less important that labor gathers at a picnic, just as it would be for all professional people.

School Bell Rings

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public summer schools, which opened their doors to all students, Kansas City Teachers' College will follow suit. The Kansas City Board of education adopted a plan to end segregation in public summer schools, integrate vocational and junior colleges this fall, and complete integration in all public schools in September, 1955.

At St. Louis

In St. Louis, Mo., a carefully drawn-up desegregation plan has been made public which specifies integration of the two teachers' colleges and the handicapped children's schools this September, of the high schools February 1 of next year. St. Louis elementary schools will stop segregating children in September, 1955.

In Columbia, Mo., home of the state university, public school integration started this summer. Race barriers will be dropped this fall at the University of Missouri and at its School of Mines in Rolla, as well as in the kindergarten, primary and high schools operated by the University's School of Education in Columbia.

Other Missouri towns which will integrate all public schools next month are Springfield, New Haven, Fredericktown, Kirksville, Clayton and St. Joseph. High schools only will be desegregated next month in Kennett, LaBelle, Macon, Butler, Woodcrest, West Plains, Shelbyville, Fulton, Jefferson City, Mexico and Carthage. Similar action for elementary schools only will be carried out in September in Kirkwood and St. Charles.

Action in Other States

Segregated public schools will end this month in Baltimore, Md., and Monongalia County, W. Va., while the Fayetteville, Ark., high school will enroll students of both races for the first time in September.

In the field of higher education, the fall term will find both white and Negro students welcomed at previously segregated Middle Tennessee State College, Murfreesboro, Tenn.; University of Arkansas, Little Rock, Ark.; Hardin Junior College of Midwestern University, Wichita Falls, Tex.; the two teachers colleges in Washington, D. C.; the nine state colleges in West Virginia; Lincoln University, Jefferson City, Mo.; Southwest Missouri State College, Springfield, Mo.; Joplin (Mo.) Junior College; and Central Missouri State College, Fayette, Mo.

In several communities outside the 17 Southern and border states which enforced segregation by state law, the segregation of public school children on a municipal basis will be ended this month. These towns include Mobbs, N. M.; Phoenix, Ariz.; Pasadena, Calif.; and Chester, Pa.

Later Date Set

Integration has been set for 1955 in a number of Southern communities where plans to desegregate the schools have been made public. In January, 1955, the junior and senior high schools of Kirkwood, Mo., will begin operation on an integrated basis. In September, 1955, the high schools in St. Charles, Mo., and all the public schools in Charleston, Hancock County and Kanawha County, W. Va., and in Warrensburg, Mo., will integrate.

Since the Supreme Court declared public school segregation unconstitutional, a number of private Southern schools have voluntarily given up segregation. This past summer, a vacation Bible school conducted by the Parkersburg, W. Va., First Baptist Church for the first time welcomed and enrolled children of both races. In Virginia, the Catholic schools in Roanoke, Arlington, Fairfax and Falls Church will be integrated this fall, as will the four Catholic high schools in Richmond.

It has been announced that the Catholic school system of Baltimore, Md., will be desegregated at an unspecified later date.

Little Trouble

Scattered instances of complaints from white parents following school board desegregation plans have occurred, according to NAACP information. No trouble from children or college students has been reported during the newly-integrated summer sessions in various localities.

In Clarkton, Mo., and in Sheridan, Ark., the school board reversed its decision to integrate the schools this September following protests from white parents.

Police victims need help NOW! give EMERGENCY MARCH OF DIMES AUGUST 16 TO 31.

HEALTH FOR ALL

HAY FEVER

"At this time of the year, those who have a feeling of stuffiness, tickling and watery discharge from the nose, redness and itching of the eyes know that the hay fever season is here," said Dr. Abraham Gelperin, director of Des Moines Polk County Departments of Public Health.

Hay fever is more than just annoyance. It can affect the general health through loss of sleep and appetite. It can lead to infection of the sinus, throat and bronchial tubes. It can lower resistance, cause asthma and pave the way for other infections.

Several Types

"There are several types of hay fever," continued Dr. Gelperin, "but the one that concerns us most is fall hay fever, usually caused by ragweed pollen. It lasts from mid-August until the first frost."

The pollen of ragweed is light, small and invisible to the naked eye. A single teaspoon will hold more than a million grains.

Dr. Gelperin stated that the ragweed plant will usually discharge its daily supply of pollen early in the morning. Air currents pick up this pollen and by ten or eleven o'clock

the air is heavily contaminated. Pollen is never distributed evenly in the air, but moves in clouds of varying density.

Ride in Car

"A ride in the car," said Dr. Gelperin, "can greatly increase the pollen intake and time spent in an air conditioned room or building can give complete freedom from pollen."

Health authorities state that treatment of hay fever must be left to your doctor. Some of the advertised cures may aggravate the condition and the suggestions of friends and relatives are only worth the price you pay for them.

Cut Ragweed

Hay fever sufferers would be helped by a statewide ragweed eradication program. In our own community we should cut the plants before they blossom or dig them up by the roots. Chemical weed killers are also good.

"Fall hay fever," concluded Dr. Gelperin, "can be decreased, but the ragweed must be killed early to eliminate the pollen and prevent re-seeding. However, it is never too late to get rid of this weed, not even now, and thus decrease its noxious effects."

SPORTS

PRESIDENT

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things."

Prosperous Agriculture

"All of us well know without a prosperous agriculture there is no prosperity in America, and you also know that without a prosperous America there is no prosperity for the farmer," the President said.

He stressed the necessity of every American "taking thought about our relation with the world"; the importance of exporting the surpluses which "keep our economy sound, progressive and expanded"; and importing from other nations.

President Eisenhower pointed out reasons why this nation, strong, mighty and rich, "must have friends."

"We know that today the central core of the great world problem is the aggressive intent of international Communists. If the free world does not hang together, when the unity of Communism achieved by force, by the use of the police outside your door and the spy inside your home, that unity will take one nation at a time beginning with the most exposed, and subdue it," he spoke.

The clowning of the Globe Trotters came in handy at keeping the ball in play and setting up starting plays. It looked funny and made you laugh, but the clowning piled up scores.

Then the Trotters had their bag of tricks that they used to keep the crowd in stitches. And also some young plays such as Art Dukes of Duquesne and a few others who didn't clown when they are playing, but played for real keeps.

Who cares about the score? The crowd came to laugh at Goose Tatum and laugh they did. They also wanted to see that pre-game warm-up that used to be half the show. So we all went away happy. We had seen the Trotters in their first Des Moines appearance.

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way that marks my journeys' route for me. And I shall savor every fleeting hour, to store choice bits in memory. I know this life is but a pause—between eternities, with its joy & tears, love & hate, and all uncertainties. Each day I live—and unshamed

because I try to sow the seed, that I have known as fine and good; I sow by word—by act and deed. I try to find, the word that's kind, before my mouth shall speak, and I hope to show so that all will know, each day I live—the upper way I seek.

Gleen A. Gallagher

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Out of the Living Past—'The Negro'

by MARION E. HOOKENHULL. There could never be any doubt as to whom the early Egyptians were, because besides calling them black faces—or burnt faces. The features of the Ethiopian people are carved upon the temples and other ancient Egyptian buildings.

Medicine and the art of embalming—indicated that the embalmers were also physicians. The Ethiopian doctors had a very great reputation among the people of Jerusalem and other parts of Africa.

Every doctor was a specialist, but he was not allowed to take cases outside of his own territory. The embalmer was forbidden to change the features of the body. He must embalm it so as to piece it to the customs of the past; and if he failed to do so and depart from the established mode, he was punished. Or, if the patient died because of negligence, the doctor was judged guilty of murder.

practices of segregation in the Medical Facilities Survey and Construction Act which makes grants to states for hospitals and other health needs.

"Outside the strictly civil rights aspects of housing it should be noted that the 83rd Congress so curtailed the public housing program that many believe it has been consigned to a lingering but certain death," Mr. Mitchell commented.

83rd Congress

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Powell (D-N.Y.), William L. Dawson (D-Ill.), Heseltine and others. Its counterpart in the Senate was introduced by Senators Irving Ives (R-N.Y.) and John M. Butler (R-Md.).

Other Bills

Other proposed civil rights legislation which got nowhere in Congress included an FEPC with enforcement powers, a non-discrimination amendment to the Taft-Hartley Act, an anti-bias specification in the Housing Act of 1954, and protection against

Many Medicines

Many drugs and medicines were used. The cipher or characters employed by modern apothecaries to designate grains and drams are of the Ethiopian—or ancient Egyptian invention.

The Egyptians believed that after a certain length of time, several thousand years, the departed souls would return to earth and reanimate its former body. So, that is why their custom of preserving the body by means of embalment.

In other writings we have mentioned Amen-Ra, and Ptah as the ancient Egyptians' chief gods, and we have also said that the ancient Egyptians were Ethiopians.

Many names of other gods represented upon the monuments are: Khem, Osiris, Atum or Tum, Nefert, Thoth and many more which we have not named.

We have mentioned many good things in which the ancient Egyptians contributed to the world. They have contributed many bad things, too, including slavery and every other sin in the book. That is why some of the Egyptian slaves are the direct descendants of the Pharaohs and Candaces.

The Egyptian people are a Biblical people. One reads about them in church all day Sunday and Jimcrows and segregates them all day Monday.

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