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BISHOP D. WARD NICHOLS ACTS:

AME's Move to Back NAACP

Handyman Lauds Serge Rubinstein

New York—(CNS)—While newspaper headlines clear across the country screamed of the murder of the financial wizard Serge Rubinstein, who was liked by so few and feared by many, a quiet elderly Negro handyman, Jim Morse, actually mourned the millionaire.

Morse had been in Rubinstein's employ nearly 10 years and felt that with the former draft dodger's death, he had lost "a good friend."

Morse was the second person to see the body of his employer. The butler, William Morter discovered Rubinstein bound and gagged, his ankles trussed with a cord and his hands bound before him. He called out to Jim Morse "Hey Jim, come up here."

Completely distraught Morse told reporters: "He (Rubinstein) gave me his old suits, which of course weren't old at all. And he always put a \$10 bill in the pocket. I was his friend and he was my friend."

Judge Delany Is Denied Hotel Room In Connecticut

Hartford, Conn.—(CNS)—New York's Judge Hubert T. Delany has charged the Statler Hotel in Hartford after fire destroyed her home in rear for refusing him a room because he is a Negro.

Judge Delany's complaint said that a room had been reserved for him at the famous hotel for the night of January 19 when he was making an address in nearby Manchester. But when he arrived at the hotel, he was told someone else was occupying it and was offered a cot in a conference room which he declined.

The Statler's manager, Frank P. Morse claims he wrote Judge Delany to apologize and to also cite that rooms are reserved only up to a certain hour unless the hotel has a written guarantee they will be paid for.

To this Delany cites that the hotel had been notified in advance that he would be late. The Connecticut Civil Rights Commission is investigating the whole affair.

Hold Services for Mrs. Savannah Browner, 94

Services were held Saturday at Estes & Son Funeral Home for Mrs. Savannah Browner, 94, of 813 Fourteenth street. Burial was at Glendale cemetery.

Mrs. Browner died Jan. 26 at Iowa Methodist Hospital after an 8-year illness.

A native of Horse Cave, Ky., she had lived here 17 years and was a member of St. Paul AME church. Survivors are two granddaughters, Mrs. Marie Owens and Mrs. Marsaline Estes, Des Moines; and one brother, Johnnie Cox, Joplin, Mo.

Organize National Institute of Human Relations Here

The organizing meeting of the general committee of the first National Institute of Human Relations, a new organization to provide a public forum of human relations problems, was held Monday night.

Plans for the first general session of the institute were formulated at the meeting. This session will be held Feb. 21 and 22 at Hotel Savary.

The institute will expand the work carried on under the National Brotherhood Week program of the National Conference of Christians and Jews.

MRS. FRANK MURRY AT HOSPITAL

Mrs. Frank S. Murry, 1404 Dixon street, underwent an operation at Lutheran Hospital last Friday.

H. C. Meriwether Replies to 'Critics' About Talk He Made Before Ft. Dodge Club

Harry C. Meriwether, president of the Fort Dodge Interracial Commission, whose recent speech on "Racial Segregation" made to the city's Lion's Club, was said to have "jarred" the Negro citizens, sent this week to the Iowa Bystander a letter entitled, "Meriwether Replies to Critics."

According to the Fort Dodge Messenger, local daily, Meriwether speaking on Jan. 19 said: that "he was not opposed to segregation when it does not impair the national good. But I am opposed to segregation when it comes to opportunities or to the common good;" that, "he is strongly opposed to racial intermarriages, that such unions tend to weaken mental capacity;" that he deplored the exceedingly high rate of illiteracy among Negroes, locally; that the rate is more than 50 percent for those between 18 and 50; that "the percentage has zoomed due to an influx of workers during the war years;" that "if these people stay, you should help them by urging them to attend churches, night schools or worthwhile organizations;" and, that "the commission he heads is for better cooperation between races through education, rather than litigation."

In his reply, Meriwether wrote the following:

'One Mistake'

"1. Reviewing the notes of the talk I gave at the Lion's Club, I find

but one mistake in the reporting to the Messenger on the 19th of January and that is the portion dealing with the 'percentage'; however, any person after reading the article in its entirety could easily see to what I was referring to.

"2. The remainder of the article is what I did say.

"3. Had anyone called my attention to that portion referred to in the article I would have been glad to have straightened that out with our local paper.

"And holding a diploma from the Ft. Dodge High School along with about 50 more of my race that have graduated since my residence here I feel that I am capable to express my views on this matter.

'Contributions'

"I am sure that we will all agree that the rendering of lip service is of little good when it comes to solving any given problems and if that be true let's look at Meriwether's contributions to his country and his community.

"1. He served in World War I and World War II in the Armed services and have done extensive traveling in and out of the country and the remaining highlights of his address are his own convictions and will debate them anytime and any place with anyone.

"2. Upon my arrival in Ft. Dodge

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Bury Mrs. Salema Morris, Mother of Bystander Editor



MRS. SALEMA MORRIS

Services were held Wednesday at Corinthian Baptist church for Mrs. Salema Morris, 91, of 1212 School street. Burial was at Glendale cemetery.

Mrs. Morris, mother of Atty. James B. Morris, editor of the Bystander, died of a heart ailment Monday morning at Iowa Lutheran Hospital. She had been ill one week.

Born in Covington, Ga., she lived in Atlanta, Ga., before moving to Des Moines 35 years ago. A practical nurse, she was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary and the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, and the Corinthian Baptist Church.

Surviving are three sons, William, Salt Lake City, Utah, and Clyde and James of Des Moines; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Capital Close-Up From Washington

BY CONSTANCE DANIEL

Haiti's President

Washington, D. C.—His Excellency General Paul Eugene Magloire, President of the Republic of Haiti, was the Capital's big news, last week. He and his charming First Lady arrived, with their entourage, on Wednesday, and were driven directly to the White House to begin their three-day state visit as the guests of President and Mrs. Eisenhower.

Coverage by the daily press was interesting. Like his official reception by our Government, the Haitian President's arrival was treated, by the press, exactly like that of any other visiting chief of state—which has not always been the case. Stories varied in emphasis, but none was key-noted by color—which was fine—for Paul Magloire, Haiti's first head of government elected by popular vote, is doing his best to be "President of all the people" of Haiti—blacks, browns and "mulattoes," alike. If he does no more, he will have achieved much for his country.

Constant Stress

Constant stress by Estime regime officials on black vs. "mulatto," or "mulatto" vs. black, was one of many reasons why we raised our eyebrows when our friend, Walter White, and others well-decorated by that administration just before

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Living Quarters Gutted by Fire

In a fire about 7 p. m. Monday, living quarters in a garage at the rear of 1315 University avenue were gutted.

Lt. James Wade of Station 4 at Eighth and Laurel streets estimated damage to the dwelling occupied by Mrs. Elizabeth Coleman, at \$1,800.

The building was owned by the Rev. Felix Dickerson of 1315 University. A portion of the building is occupied by a garage operated by Ray Kennedy, but damage to that section was minor.

No one was home when the blaze started.

Firemen said Mrs. Coleman lost all of her clothing in the fire. The cause has not been determined.

Spingarn Medal Nominations Being Received By NAACP

New York—Nominations for the Spingarn medal, awarded annually to a Negro American for distinguished achievement, are now being received by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. Nominations should be accompanied by a full statement of the record and achievements of the person nominated.

The medal, established in 1914 by the late Dr. J. E. Spingarn, is usually presented at the annual convention of the NAACP. Last year it was awarded to Dr. T. K. Lawless, the famous dermatologist of Chicago. Other winners of the coveted medal include Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, Thurgood Marshall, Miss Marian Anderson, Walter White, Judge William H. Hastie, Dr. George Washington Carver, Dr. Channing H. Tobias.

Nominations should be addressed to the Spingarn Medal Committee, NAACP, 20 West 40th Street, New York 18, N. Y.

2-Year-Old Falls 11 Stories and Lives

New York—(CNS)—Two-year-old Richard Padgett, must lead a charmed life, he fell 11 stories from the window of his Brooklyn home and suffered only a slight scratch on the head. There was a two inch deep impression in the frozen ground where Richard hit. Doctors at Beth-El Hospital pronounced the youngster absolutely sound.

You can help in the 1955
Polio Drive.

Two-Room House Where Woman Died In Fire



Firemen cover body of Mrs. Maudie Belle Lampkin (background) 45, as other firemen (seen through window at left) examine belongings remaining of 203 Racoon street. (Photo Courtesy of Des Moines Register).

Rites for Woman Burned in Blaze

Services for Mrs. Maudie Belle Lampkins, 45, who died Monday night in a fire at her home at 203 Racoon street, were held Thursday at the Estes & Son Funeral home. Burial was at Glendale cemetery.

Mrs. Lampkins was born at Huntsville, Mo., and had lived in Des Moines 32 years.

Survivors include her husband, Frank; a daughter, Mrs. Ora Spears, Des Moines; two sons, Rudolph and Donald, of San Francisco, Cal.; her mother, Mrs. Jannie Pinson, Des Moines; two sisters, Mrs. Ellen Burrell and Mrs. Mattie Medlock, Des Moines; and three brothers, James and Thomas Pinson, Des Moines; and Robert, Minneapolis, Minn.

Mrs. Lampkins was burned to death Monday night when fire swept her two-room house in which she and her husband lived at the rear of

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Interchange of Pupils in D. C. 'Way Below Estimate'

Washington, D. C.—(CNS)—Of 571 Negro children graduating from junior high schools only 122 are moving to schools which were formerly white until last fall. Washington's Superintendent of Schools, Hobart M. Corning considers these facts as very much of a surprise. He says that he had expected many more to move over in view of the new boundaries that have been established.

Likewise only a few white children are entering formerly Negro schools. Dr. Margaret Just Butcher, the only Negro Board of Education member, says that this could be due to the fact that no white children were being promoted to former Negro schools, so she had learned. Dr. Corning has denied this as being so. Corning feels that on the whole integration is moving far ahead of original plans. He cites the positive points as integrated sports, inter-

school visits of teachers and principals and cooperation among student councils.

Mid-Year Graduation At Drake U. Sunday

Degrees and certificates will be awarded to 110 persons at Drake University's mid-year commencement here Sunday at 3 p. m. in the University Christian Church auditorium. Commendation speaker will be J. Doyle DeWitt, president of Travelers Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn.

Drake President Henry G. Harmon will award degrees and certificates.

Recommends Transfer of \$10,000 to Be Deposited For Mississippi Victims

New York—The African Methodist Episcopal Church last week took steps to back up the NAACP campaign to expand credit opportunities for Negro farmers homeowners, business and professional men in Mississippi who, if they oppose segregation, are being denied credit by white lending institutions in that state.

In a telegram to NAACP Administrator Roy Wilkins, Bishop D. Ward Nichols, chairman of the AME Church's department of pensions, said that he was "recommending the immediate transfer of \$10,000 to the Tri-State Bank of Memphis" to be deposited for the purpose of expanding the bank's lending capacity to aid the Mississippi victims.

Must Pay

Further, Bishop Nichols informed the NAACP administrator, "I am recommending to the bishops of the church that all departments having reserve funds follow suit." The AME prelate, who is a vice president of the National Council of Churches, said that through the council he would call upon other denominations

al groups to join "in this battle against economic strangulation. We must not only pray for full freedom, but we must pay for it as well." Others who have joined the battle and deposited funds in the Tri-State Bank include the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, Durham, \$10,000; the Supreme Liberty Life Insurance Company, \$6,000; Mrs. Ernest Alexander and Mrs. Amy Springarn, both members of the NAACP Board of Directors, \$1,000 each; and Morris Novik, head of radio station WLIB, New York City, \$500.

Previously \$40,000 had been deposited in the bank in response to an NAACP appeal for funds to facilitate credit for members of the organization and others in Mississippi who demand their civil rights and call for desegregation of the public schools in compliance with the Supreme Court ruling of May 17, 1954.

In an effort to silence Negroes, so-called White Citizens Councils, established in many Mississippi counties, have organized to foreclose mortgages of and deny credit and refuse jobs to militant Negroes.

Says Navy Made 'Terrible Mistake' Getting Colored Crew Members Jimcrowed

Washington—The visit of the Carrier Midway to Capetown, South Africa, was a violation of a policy established by the late Secretary of Navy, Francis P. Matthews, the NAACP Washington bureau has charged.

Clarence Mitchell, director of the bureau, this week called attention to the Matthews' policy which was issued on August 4, 1950. It was in outgrowth of a controversy that arose when the USS Missouri visited Halifax, Nova Scotia, and colored crew members received an invitation to attend events for colored only.

At that time, Secretary Matthews said acceptance of the special invitation was not intended to promote segregation but he also directed that:

"The Navy will not officially participate in any events by endorsing, sanctioning, promoting, or subsidizing

ing affairs or local sponsors in extending hospitality which involves or implies restriction, segregation or discrimination of racial or other groups."

Mr. Mitchell said that, since the Navy had officially collaborated with the Government of South Africa in getting colored crew members to accept racial segregation, it had reversed the Matthews' policy.

"The Navy made a terrible mistake by bowing to South African racial laws," he stated, "and now it is giving out stories which give the false impression that Midway visit to Capetown was a big success for democracy."

"No matter what the Navy or anyone else says," Mr. Mitchell stated, "the visit to Capetown was a surrender to a guttersnipe government and those who arranged it should be thoroughly ashamed of themselves."

Eleven Petitioners Denied Entrance to Texas College

Tyler, Tex.—A recent ruling by a federal district judge here that Kilgore (Tex.) Junior College may continue to deny entrance to 11 Negro high school graduates qualified to attend that institution until the U. S. Supreme Court enters its final decree in the school segregation cases has been interpreted by the NAACP regional field secretary as a sign that "the fight against racial segregation is just beginning."

Commenting further on the ruling by U. S. District Judge Joe W. Sheehy, Edwin C. Washington of Dallas, NAACP regional field secretary declared:

New Position

"The ruling of the Supreme Court has given us a new position of advantage in the fight against racial segregation but we must be prepared to carry on until the right of Negroes in America not to be segregated in public education, public housing, public transportation and in all other phases of public life, is an accepted truth."

In his ruling on the Kilgore Junior College case on Jan. 18, Judge Sheehy held that under the Supreme Court May 17 ruling the 11 applicants have the lawful right to attend Kilgore, but because of the many difficulties surrounding the problem of discrimination in the South he felt he could not enter an order directing the junior college to admit the Negro applicants at this time.

After hearing the testimony of witnesses and the arguments of attorneys in the case Judge Sheehy stated from the bench that he had no doubt that the applicants were fully qualified for admission to Kil-

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Vote to End Ban on Interracial Marriage

Bismark, N. D.—The North Dakota house of representatives voted 78-32 Jan. 26 to pass a bill repealing a 1909 statute forbidding marriages of Negroes and whites. It now goes to the senate.

Where to Attend Church in Des Moines

Corinthian Baptist Church
9th and School Streets
REV. NORMAN R. OLPHIN, Minister
Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service: 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday: 8:00 P.M.

St. Paul A. M. E. Church
10th and Crocker Streets
REV. JOHN E. HUNTER, Minister
Sunrise 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: 9:30 P.M.

East University Church of God in Christ
F. 17th St. and University
OVERSEER LOUIS H. FORD, Pastor
Sunday School: 9:00 A.M.
Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service: 8:00 P.M.
Wednesday Evening Youth Service: 8:00 P.M.

Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion Church
905 W. 15th St.
REV. J. R. REESE, 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.

St. John Baptist Church
2740 MAURY STREET
REV. JOE GAINES, 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.

David Spiritual Temple Church of Christ
1729 WALKER STREET
EVANGELIST BLANCHE GRAYSON, Pastor
Sunday Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Sunday Evening Worship: 7:30 P.M.
Wednesday Night—Healing and Prophecy: 7:30 P.M.
Friday—Worship Prayer: 7:30 P.M.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Last Sunday morning Rev. N. R. Olphin spoke on "Missions: Local and World Wide." The regular business meeting of the church will be held Friday, Feb. 4, 8 p. m. Sunday morning, Rev. Mr. Olphin will administer Holy Communion. Sunday at 7 p. m., a request musical program sponsored by Mrs. Barbara Williams will feature all choirs of the church.

Among the sick are: Mrs. Roxie McKnight, 925 Laurel; Mrs. Alberta Jones, Nursing Home; Rev. J. M. Eaves, Vets hospital; Mrs. Della Washington, 944 10th; Mrs. Pearl Simmons, 927 9th; Mrs. Alberta Thompson, 1146 Racoon; Mr. Lewis E. Hartman, 971 13th; Mrs. Minnie Walker, 921 12th; Mrs. Maggie Preston, 154 Arthur; Mrs. Lucella Glass, 1017 Enos; Mrs. Jesse Bell, 915 15th.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The program committee for "The Miss St. Paul" Contest sponsored by the St. Paul Usher board is composed of Mrs. Birdie B. Lewis, Mrs. Mabel M. Mason, Mrs. Helen Ewing, Mrs. Fannie M. Danforth and Rev. John E. Hunter. The Monogram club met Thursday with Mrs. John Mitchell.

Presiding Elder C. H. Copeland will bring the message Sunday morning. Music will be given by the senior choir. Monday evening, Feb. 7, the Second Quarterly conference, presided over by Rev. Mr. Copeland. Approximately 400 persons attended services last Sunday morning. St. Paul was observing National Youth Week. An inspirational message was delivered by Colen Scales, Jr. Two persons were baptized and one united with the church. Ten new members were fellowshiped into the church.

The Birt-Pastor's Aid climaxed their children's contest Sunday afternoon, with a total of \$160 raised. First prize went to Marsha Houston who brought in \$41.69; second to Rose McQuitty who brought \$41.35; and third to Joan Jones. Each contestant received a consolation prize. Other contestants were Sheila Williams, Rose Mary Johnson, Robert Parkey, Beverly Williams, Shirley Darden, Darlene King, Carol Bettis, Mrs. Evelyn Washington is vice president of the aid; Mrs. Gladys Brown, secretary; and Mrs. Margaret McCraven treasurer. Mrs. Myrtle Butler Smith, president, has moved to St. Paul, Minn. Phone your club news to the publicity chairman Monday morning from 9:30 to 11:30 o'clock—4-8523.

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Pilgrim Missionary Baptist Church
1732 Walker Street
REV. J. C. WALSH, Pastor
Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service: 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service: 7:30 P.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. 10th and Maple Street
REV. GEO. PARISH, Minister, 6-8210
Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class: 6:30 P.M.
Evening Service: 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service: Wed., 8 P.M.

Union Baptist Church
E. UNIVERSITY AT McCORMICK
REV. SEYMOUR GAINES, Pastor
Sunday School: 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service: 7:45 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday: 7:45 P.M.

Burns Methodist Church
811 CROCKER STREET
Rev. I. V. JAMES, Minister
Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Youth Fellowship: 6:00 P.M.
Evening Vesper: 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed.: 7:30 P.M.

BURNS METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

The Men's Chorus of which Mr. Fred Allen is president sang last Sunday. Mr. Luther Claybrook was the soloist. His number was "O Today." He was accompanied by Mrs. Thelma Claybrook, the organist. The minister Rev. H. W. James, preached on the subject: "Winning Our Best Victories." The minister's evening theme was: "I Was Left." Sunday will be Communion day at Burns. The Choral, under the direction of Mr. Edward Bayles will sing. The minister's text will be "If any man sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous." John 2:1.

Usher Board No. 2 of which Mr. Harold Williams is president, will have charge of the Vesper services at 7 p. m. The Youth Choir of St. Paul A. M. E. church will be featured in this service. Several artists in the School of Music of Drake University will also participate.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH NOTES

"Why We Take Communion" will be the subject of Rev. Lovell Johnson's sermon Sunday, Feb. 6, at 11 a. m. The Pastor's Aid Society will present the Corinthian Songfellow in a recital Sunday at 3 p. m. The monthly fellowship service for new members will be Sunday at 7:30 p. m. Evangelist Mary B. Doyle will preach Monday night at 7:30 o'clock the monthly church conference will be held.

DAVID SPIRITUAL TEMPLE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Thursday night, Feb. 10, will be candlelight circle, conducted at the David Spiritual Temple Church of Christ, 1729 Walker street, by Evangelist McBride.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF ASPHALT PAVING MATERIALS COMPANY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on January 18, 1955 Articles of Incorporation were adopted for Asphalt Paving Materials Company under and pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 491 of the Code of Iowa, which Articles provide in substance as follows:

1. The name of the corporation is ASPHALT PAVING MATERIALS COMPANY and its principal place of business is Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

2. The general nature of the business to be transacted is:

(a) To engage in the business of manufacturing all types of asphaltic patching materials for paving repair, cold or hot mixes, cutback asphalt, and the manufacture of all other types of aggregates whether the same contain concrete, asphalt or other binding materials and to acquire and hold the necessary plant and equipment to engage in such operation.

(b) To acquire by lease, purchase, gift or otherwise real and personal property of every kind and description and all nature of interest therein.

(c) To manufacture, purchase or otherwise acquire, hold, own, sell, exchange, invest in, mortgage, pledge or otherwise encumber and deal in goods, wares, merchandise and property of every kind.

(d) To enter into contracts of every kind and description with any person, firm and corporation, municipality or body politic.

(e) To acquire stocks, bonds, good will, rights and properties of other persons or corporations.

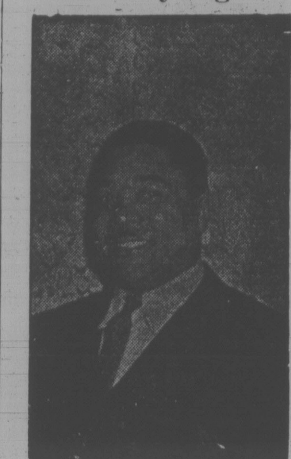
(f) To borrow or raise money and to give all manner of security therefor.

(g) To purchase, acquire, hold, sell, pledge, transfer or otherwise dispose of its own capital stock.

(h) To have one or more offices in Iowa or in other states or territories and to have all the powers granted to corporations by the laws of Iowa, including the powers expressly granted to corporations organized for pecuniary profit as set forth in Section 491.3 of the Code of Iowa.

3. The amount of capital stock authorized is \$25,000.00 divided into 2,500 shares of the par value of \$10.00 each. The Articles contain specific limitations upon freedom of transfer of stock to persons other than those who are not already stockholders of the company.

To Preach at St. Paul Sunday Night



REV. A. N. FOX
Rev. A. N. Fox, gospel singer and minister, will preach Sunday evening, Feb. 6, 8 o'clock at St. Paul church. The Union Baptist Ushertones will furnish the music.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday morning, Feb. 6, Pastor George Parish will preach from the subject, "Pastor Speaks." At 8 p. m., the senior choir will sing a request night program. Missionary circle will meet Friday afternoon at the church. Six weeks training classes will close Friday at 8 p. m. The gospel choir is presenting "This Is Your Life" program Sunday afternoon, Feb. 20, 3 p. m.

Sick and shut-ins are: Mesdames C. Houston, Bessie Cunningham, Lottie Igou, Martha Rivers, Carrie McClain, Dora Igou, Maggie Lincoln, Lois Mitchell, Theresa Williams, Della Edwards, Lucy Hurd, Cora Shanks, Messrs. H. Davis, Ora Hayes, T. Mosely and Lee Williams.

Free Basket Dinner

Free basket dinner will be held Sunday, Feb. 6, 2:30 p. m., at the New Jerusalem Church of God in Christ, 1198 14th street. Missionary L. Blakely will be the speaker. Rev. M. W. Goodman is pastor, and Missionary E. Strawthers is sponsor.

St. Mary's Christian Society Meets Feb. 7

The Saint Mary's Christian Home Society will meet Feb. 7 with Mrs. Rosa E. Wilson, 844 15th street. Mrs. Ruby Cooper is president; Mrs. Vivian Brent, reporter.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Last Sunday morning, Rev. H. R. Fields chose for the subject of his sermon, "Put Off Thy Shoes." The choir had charge of music. Board meeting was held Monday night at the church; business meeting was Thursday night.

Mrs. E. Thomas and daughter, Mrs. E. Atkins were called to Price Vale, Penn., because of the death of their sister and aunt, Mrs. M. E. Alexander in that city recently. Mrs. Thomas remained for a visit with relatives. Mrs. Marcella Reynolds is on the sick list of the church. Sunday worshippers were Mrs. Colleen Douglas and Miss Joan Welch.

4. The corporation commenced its business on January 18, 1955, date of filing its Articles of Incorporation, and shall terminate twenty (20) years from said date with right of renewal as provided by law unless sooner dissolved by two-thirds vote of the stockholders.

5. The affairs of the corporation are managed and conducted by a Board of Directors of not less than 3 nor more than 7 individuals elected at the annual meeting of the stockholders held on the second Wednesday of April of each year. Until the next annual meeting of the stockholders to be held April 13, 1955, the directors are as follows:

W. J. Steadman, Des Moines, Iowa
James C. Benderoff, Des Moines, Iowa
V. C. Benderoff, Des Moines, Iowa

The directors in turn elect a President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and such other officers as it may see fit. Until the next annual meeting the officers of the company are as follows:

President, W. J. Steadman, Des Moines, Iowa
Vice President, James C. Benderoff, Des Moines, Iowa
Secretary, James C. Benderoff, Des Moines, Iowa
Treasurer, W. J. Steadman, Des Moines, Iowa

6. The private property of the stockholders shall be exempt from corporate liability, except to the extent and in the manner as provided by the laws of the State of Iowa.

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 20th day of January 1955.

ASPHALT PAVING MATERIAL COMPANY
By W. J. Steadman, President
By James C. Benderoff, Secretary

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George 'Junior Republic' Honors Thurgood Marshall

New York—Thurgood Marshall, Director-Counsel of NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, shared honors with Chief Justice Earl Warren and Vice-President Richard Nixon, in receiving the annual Honorary Citizenship—Distinguished Service Awards from the George "Junior Republic," last Monday.

Chief Justice Warren, Vice-President Nixon and Mr. Marshall were honored for having "done the most to help preserve democracy for America's youth."

Mr. Marshall was cited by the George "Junior Republic" for his outstanding work in civil rights at a dinner at the Westbury Hotel.

Youth Community

The George "Junior Republic" is a youth community where young people below voting age are entrusted with the responsibilities and privileges of citizenship. Teen-age citizens learn the basic principles of democracy by actually running their own government in its executive, legislative and judicial functions through their own elected and appointed officials.

Others who have received Distinguished Citizenship awards in past years are The Honorable Thomas E. Dewey, Henry Ford II, Mrs. Oveta Clup Hobby, Honorable Herbert Hoover, Judge David Pine, Ambassador Warren R. Austin, Judge Harold R. Medina and Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt.

HAND CROCHET — A POPULAR FASHION



This versatile two-tone sports coat can be worn loose and flared, or clutched to the body in the latest "wrapped" effect. Crocheted of heavy Kentucky Soft Spun rayon yarn, with contrasting fabric sleeves and collar, it combines sturdy practicality with the current "rage" for knitted and crocheted fashions.

To receive free instructions for making this jacket, send a stamped self-addressed envelope to the Women's Editor of this paper.

NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

Sunday morning the pastor spoke from the subject "What Have You in Thine Hand." District missionary E. McGill spoke in the evening.

The pastor, Rev. M. W. Goodman, will preach in West Des Moines at the Grace Healing Temple Church of God in Christ, Wednesday evening, Feb. 9. New Members: Rev. and Mrs. Frazier of Baltimore Maryland and Missionary M. Lyle. Mrs. Rosilee Dumor is sick.

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Offerings

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Film Classic Series—Classic foreign and domestic films will be shown at 7:00 p. m., and 9:00 p. m., two consecutive evenings at the Art Center. The series is sponsored by the Department of Adult Education, the Junior League and the Art Center. Dates of the showing are:

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Capital Close-up

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it crashed, raised their voices in Estime's praise, with delighted cries of "black Abraham Lincoln!" (Estime was ousted a few months later. Magloire was one of the three-man junta that took over, prior to the popular election of 1950, which made him President for six years.)

The official picture of President Magloire at the National Places at Port-au-Prince, flanked by Cabinet members Prophete, Fombrun, and Zephirin—representing all segments of the Haitian population—should be the best vote of confidence the Haitian chief could have. Ambassador Jacques Leger is also a "mulatto"—a description no longer used as a term of scorn.

Getting people to forgo prejudice is a tough job in any country. The distinguished Good Neighbor from Haiti well deserves all the courtesies he received, and they were many.

White House Guests

Greeted a Military Air Transport Airport by Vice-President Nixon, President and Mme. Magloire spent their first night as official guests, at the White House, after a dinner given in their honor by President and Mrs. Eisenhower.

Marian Anderson Guest

Dining with members of the Cabinet and Little Cabinet, at the White House dinner for the Haitian Chief of State and his lady, were singer Marian Anderson and her husband, Orpheus Fisher, Rufus Kuykendall of UNESCO, with Mrs. Kuykendall, Paul R. Williams, California architect, and Mrs. Williams, Val J. Washington, Director of Minority at the Republican National Committee, with Mrs. Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. John Roxborough, II.

From the Eisenhower Cabinet circle were Secretary of State and Mrs. John Foster Dulles, Secretary of Defense Wilson, the Hon. Harold Stassen and Mrs. Stassen, and Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. Humphries. Other departments were represented by assistant secretaries concerned with foreign affairs. Senate majority and minority leaders, Knowland of California, and Joseph Martin of Massachusetts, were guests, as were Major General Glenn Edgerton of the Export-Import Bank, President Eugene Black of the International Bank, Chief of Protocol John F. Simmons and Mrs. Simmons, and U. S. Ambassador to Haiti Roy Tasco Davis.

Haitian Dignitaries

With President and Mme. Magloire were Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs and Mme. M. Clair Zephirin, Secretary of Commerce and Mme. Marcel Fombrun, Chief of Staff, and Ambassador to the United States and Mme. Jacques Leger.

Magloire Addresses Congress

President Magloire addressed a joint session of Congress at noon, Thursday, and was the luncheon guest of Vice-President Nixon, who will visit Haiti, early in March. The Ambassador of Haiti, Jacques Leger, gave a reception for the Magloires at the Pan American Union, later in the day, and Secretary of State and Mrs. Dulles gave a dinner in their honor, Thursday night, at famed Anderson House.

Honors Magloires

A stag luncheon for 150 guests was given on Friday, in honor of Haiti's President, by the chairman and members of the Council of the Organization of American States, in the Hall of the Americas at the Pan American Union, and a similar luncheon for Mme. Magloire, was given in the Pan American Annex by Mrs. Jose Mora, wife of the Ambassador of Uruguay, and Mrs. Carlos Davila, wife of the Secretary General of OAS. Guests at the stag luncheon included

Vice-President Nixon, Chief Justice Earl Warren, Associate Justice Felix Frankfurter, Ambassador of Norway Wilhelm Morgenstjerne, dean of the diplomatic corps, Attorney General Brownell, Postmaster General Summerfield, Hon. Nelson Rockefeller, Special Assistant to the President for International Understanding, Ambassador to Haiti Roy Tasco Davis, senator Wiley of Wisconsin, Senator Alexander Smith of New Jersey, and Senator Green of Rhode Island, from the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, and Congressman John M. Vorys of Ohio of the House Foreign Affairs Committee.

Opens Pierre-Nobel Exhibit

Following the luncheons, President and Mme. Magloire, with attending guests, joined others invited to the exhibit of Mme. Lois Pierre-Noel's 31 paintings of Haitian life, also at the Pan American Union. Portraits of President and Mme. Magloire, presented to them by the artist, long a member of the Howard University art faculty, highlighted the exhibit, which was officially opened by President Magloire.

YMCA Chairman In Georgia Gets Congratulations



Columbus, Ga.—Gordon H. Kitchen, left, executive secretary of Fifth Avenue Armed Services YMCA, Columbus, Ga., is shown congratulating

Dr. M. Haskins, following his election to the chairman post of the organization's Committee of Management for 1955, as Dr. James

M. Grant, (center), newly elected recording secretary looks on. The Committee of Management board is comprised of 21 religious, civic and military leaders of both races.

day.

Other officers are William Z. Proctor, first vice-president, Mrs. L. Call Dickinson, second vice-president, Hess T. Sears, treasurer and Philip E. Jester, assistant treasurer. These Community Chest officers serve without pay to guide the activities of 28 health, welfare and recreation agencies in Des Moines.

Says Airline Companies in New York Seeking Girls to Train for Stewardesses

New York—(CNS)—About people You Know—Eartha Kitt's Broadway's best actress to City College co-eds. N. Y.'s largest college presented her with award at Hotel Statler—Sarah Vaughan's "Make Yourself Comfortable" is not likely to make the very top. After it's all time high of seven, the ditty slid back to ninth position.

They're still persecuting Josephine Baker for all that it's worth. Vindictive Westbrook Pegler gave over his whole column to rehashing that whole "Stork Club" incident back in '51.

"Emperor Jones" will be in color TV on February 23rd. Remember it as the vehicle that really made Paul Robeson? Carpie—Thelma Carpenter to you—is heading the bill at New York's nostalgic Place Theater.

Rex Ingram, looking as suave as ever, visited the Metropole—a Broadway nightclub. Called it an "amazing place" as he watched the amazing Cozy Cole.

The airline companies are really looking for Negro girls to train as stewardesses via the Urban League. If you've got the figure, age, etc. it certainly is one glamorous job for a gal and besides you meet the best people.

Robert McFerrin did just splendid too at the Metropolitan Opera

The grandeur of Haiti's mountains was a frequent theme in the paintings—above the clouds at Penscoff, at the Citadel, among dancing peasants at Pine Fores, a three-hour climb above the Artibonite Valley, peasants on the mountain trails, and vendors at Petionville, the foothill resort above Port-au-Prince. The famous Iron Market at Port-au-Prince, painted from nearby rooftops, attracted great interest.

Eisenhowers Feted

A dinner given by the Haitian Chief of State and Mme. Magloire, for President and Mrs. Eisenhower, ended the state visit for the Magloires, who will visit New York, Boston, Nashville, Chicago and Canada, before returning to Haiti.

Frank Pinder of Liberia

Frank E. Pinder, career agriculturist, who went to Liberia with the Foreign Economic Administration in 1944, and is better known in "the bush" than in the drawing rooms, has not lost his job, as reported, is still Agricultural Adviser to the United States Mission to Liberia, and will be there for a long time to come, according to the latest authoritative report—from Foreign Operations which hires him.

Mordiecia Johnson

Those who were surprised when Howard trustees, in one fast action, voted to retire Dr. Mordiecia Wyatt Johnson, Howard's President, now sixty-five, and voted to reappoint him for a last (?) five-year term, just don't know Dr. Johnson.

His listed accomplishments for Howard, since 1926, would impress even those who never saw the weed-covered hill-top which he took over in 1926, with just one relatively new building on it (the one facing McMillan Reservoir), with half the faculty part-time, and with lean-salaried, full-time professors forced to seek odd jobs to tide them through the even leaner summer months. Not an H. U. department then recognized.

May "Mordiecia's" next five years be his—and Howard's—best.

House—following the great Marian Anderson in less than four weeks. McFerrin played the part of Emperor Amonasro in "Aida". Critics thought he had the voice for the "Met" so that at 32 years old he is really on his way.

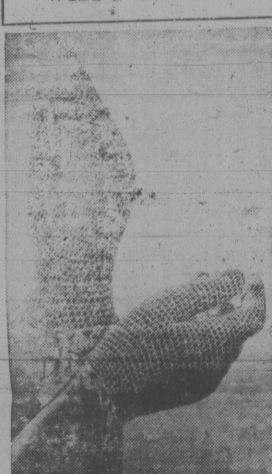
Reading Jackie Robinson's personal memoirs in a current magazine sure stamps in your mind again why Jackie is so great. He certainly knows how and when to give in. We're Dodger rooters all over again.

Dorothy Dandridge to go "Classical". It's practically signed, sealed and delivered that Dorothy Dandridge, one of the hottest names in show business will make a nation-wide reading tour backed by a choral group and doing such masters of the English language as William Shakespeare, Thomas Wolfe and Edith Wharton. Mastermind behind the idea is none other than Marian Anderson's manager, Sol Hurok who feels Dorothy can really act to go all out on such a long hair venture. The San Francisco-Oakland critics agree, too for they've voted her the best actress of '54 for her role in "Carmen Jones."

Sherry R. Fisher Heads Chest Board

Sherry R. Fisher, general agent, Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Co., has been elected president of the Des Moines Community Chest Board of Trustees, it was announced Fri-

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The CAMERA GUILD



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Cameras Respond to Good Treatment

TODAY'S column is one of advice—to new camera owners. But one we feel will also be of value to owners of not-so-new cameras.

When you took that new camera out of the box, there was an instruction book with it, we're sure. It tells you in detail how to operate your camera—and under varying circumstances. It's designed to help you get the best possible pictures. But, of course, it can't do a thing for you if you don't read it carefully. Do that before you take your first pictures. They'll be better pictures. Knowing how your camera operates—and what its limitations are—is a good way to avoid disappointment.

Since all new cameras are carefully inspected before packing, yours should work fine. However, if it is the exception to the rule, don't force it. Take it to your photo dealer, find out what is wrong and the proper remedy

from someone who understands the mechanism involved. These days cameras travel far and wide. Inevitably, they are going to suffer a certain number of bumps and shocks. On the whole they are rugged, and will take an amazing amount of punishment. However, it seems foolish to risk damaging a camera when a field case will protect it and are so low in price.

When traveling by car, you face the unfortunate problem of the most convenient places for carrying camera being the very places that aren't good for it—the glove compartment and the back window ledge. In both spots you find heat and dust, the worst enemies of cameras and film. You don't want to pack it away in a suitcase. So, the best idea is to put the camera in a field case and keep it on the seat beside you—ready for picture taking at all times.

—John Van Guilder

Leontyne Price Sings Title Role in NBC's Telecast of Puccini's Opera, 'Tosca'

New York—Tenor David Poleri and baritone Josh Wheeler joined soprano Leontyne Price in singing the principal roles in the production of Puccini's opera "Tosca" Sunday, Jan. 23.

The performance offered the complete opera in a two-hour presentation. This was the first presentation of the length by the NBC Opera Theatre, now in its sixth season. Last year, the complete "Marriage of Figaro" was given in two one-and-a-half hour sessions.

Sung in English

"Tosca" was sung in the new English translation by John Gutman, conducted by Peter Herman Adler. Gutman, who translated the libretto by the Italian writers Giacomini and Illica, also was responsible for the English version of Strauss' "Rienkavaller" given on NBC-TV two seasons ago.

Poleri was seen as Cavaradossi, the painter; Wheeler as Baron Scarpia; and Miss Price sang the title role. Thomas Stewart played Angelotti; Emile Reman, the sacristan; Michael Pollock, Spoletta; and Francis Monachino, Schiara rone.

Puccini wrote his opera in close collaboration with the librettists Giacomini and Illica, whose work was based on the play by the French writer Sardou.

Miss Price and Wheeler are new comers to the ranks of singers presented by the NBC Opera Thea-

Newcomer to Ranks

Miss Price won an international reputation singing the role of Bess in Gerhwin's folk opera "Foggy and Bess." Her New York recital debut this season was received enthusiastically as have been her recitals throughout the U. S. This will mark the first major operatic assignment for the young soprano.

Josh Wheeler appeared earlier this season on the NBC-TV Spectacular, "Satins and Spurs." He was seen on Broadway in "Paint Your Wagon" and other hits. Wheeler, a tall Texan, also has appeared in opera and operetta throughout the U. S.

David Poleri, who has appeared in two other NBC operas, "Carmen" and "Pique Dame," is currently receiving applause for his stirring performance as Michele in Menotti's "The Saint of Bleeker Street" on Broadway. He has been a leading tenor with many opera companies here and abroad, including the New York City Opera Co.

The Story

"Tosca" tells of the love story of a tempestuous actress, Floria Tosca, and the painter Mario Cavaradossi. In the first act, an escaped political prisoner, Angelotti, enters the church to look for the clothes his sister "L'Attavanti" had left for him in their family chapel. He hides as the sacristan and painter come in. When

Children Are Curious About Things Long Before They Are Able to Talk

BY AFTON SMITH, SUI

Assistant Professor

Children are curious about things long before they can talk. The baby looks over with a disconcerting stare. They turn their heads so quickly to see what goes on that mothers must dodge to avoid a bump. Babies often try to look inside their mothers' mouths while being held.

The toddler gets into things, pulls books off the table and spoils from the sewing basket. He is very curious about the inside of packages. Martha, aged 27 months, always selects the piece of candy wrapped in paper because she enjoys unwrapping it. Her mother says Martha's Christmas presents mean chiefly some packages to unwrap.

Wanted to See

Tommy at two years of age insisted upon looking inside of every bag that came into the house from the grocery. He did not expect anything special for himself. He just wanted to see.

Older children experiment with tricks, puzzles and stunts in response to a natural urge to find out about things. The jolly uncle who teaches them how to do tricks with string or their fingers is very popular at the age of eight or ten.

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Curiosity provides one true way of learning. Luckily, children are curious.

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YWCA Celebrates 100th Anniversary And Sixtieth Annual Meeting In Des Moines

About 225 members attended the YWCA's 100th anniversary dinner and the sixtieth annual meeting of the Des Moines YWCA last Thursday evening.

Guest speaker was Mrs. Archie Marvel of Hastings, Neb., a member of the organization's national board. Mrs. Marvel told the members that Americans are in danger of destroying the very freedoms they seek to defend in the present world crisis.

"We're getting so we're afraid to differ on controversial subjects, or even to talk about them to our friends."

She reminded the listeners that the YWCA now has spread to 66 nations and that "We have to learn how to live with these new neighbors of ours. We can't wait another 100 years—we have to do it now."

"Working with the people of the underdeveloped countries on this planet is this century's main adventure."

Mrs. W. D. Acheson was named 1955 president of the Des Moines Y. W. C. A.

Other Officers

Mrs. Dan A. Williams was elected first vice-president, and Mrs. Floyd W. Pillars was named second vice-president.

Deluxe Club Meets

The Deluxe club met Feb. 3 with Mrs. Delores Bailey, 1136 Eighth street. Mary K. Monroe is reporter.

Mrs. F. J. House of Virginia Visits Here

Mrs. Fletta Johnson House of Alexandria, Va., was house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Evans, 1322 Wayne street. She attended services at Maple Street Baptist church with her hosts and went sight-seeing.

Mrs. Julia Cannon Heads M. C. Club

The M. C. club met Jan. 27, with Mrs. M. C. Kiser, 1106 School street. Officers were elected as follows: Mrs. Julia Cannon, president; Mrs. Ruth Baskett, vice president; Mrs. Marie Brown, secretary; Mrs. Voneal Cropp, assistant secretary; Mrs. Mary Hardaway, treasurer; Mrs. Lena Bratcher, chaplain; Mrs. Anna Ware, entertainment treasurer.

The next meeting will be held on Feb. 10, at the residence of Mrs. Mayme Jackson, 1010 Eleventh street at which time a Valentine party will be held.

Book Lovers To Hear Mrs. John E. Hunter

The Book Lovers of the YWCA will meet Friday, Feb. 4, at the YWCA, 9th & High streets. Guest reviewer will be Mrs. John E. Hunter, wife of Rev. Mr. Hunter of St. Paul AME church, whose book will be "My Brother's Keeper," by Marsha Davenport.

Ten Keys Club to Meet Friday

The Ten Keys club met at the home of Mrs. Leona Jordan, Jan. 21. Bridge prize winners were: Mrs. Jordan, first; Mrs. Inice Carter, second; and Mrs. Christine Martin, booby. The next meeting will be Feb. 4, with Mrs. Elizabeth Kinchelov, 1331 Park street. Mrs. Carter is reporter.

Sgt. Stanley Johnson Visits Relatives

Sgt. Stanley Johnson of Oakland, Cal., arrived here Jan. 16 to visit his mother, Mrs. Rosa Johnson, 1260 E. Seventeenth court, and his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Williams.

P. O. P's Club To Meet February 9

The P. O. P's club met Jan. 26 at 1224 E. Hutton street, with Mrs. Sylvia Kaiser as hostess. Members reported ill were: Mrs. Faye Taylor and Mrs. Mildred Kaiser. The members have started their 1955 Christmas savings. With Mrs. Mornette Skipper, captain. Mrs. Beulah Holland and Mrs. Kaiser were appointed social leaders. Voted in as members were Mrs. Mary Gaines and Mrs. Helen Brodick. The club adjourned to meet Feb. 9, at 1634 Walker street with Mrs. Jonnie Miller, hostess. Mrs. Ruth Brown is president; Mrs. Audrey Sanders reporter.

Other new officers are Mrs. John Stroosnider, secretary; Mrs. Marion R. Thomas, treasurer, and Mrs. Hugh M. Gallagher, assistant treasurer.

Directors Named

Elected to 3-year terms on the board of directors were:

Mrs. Henry M. Dunn, Jr., Mrs. William J. Minnis, Mrs. Lewis A. James, Mrs. Norman Olphin, Mrs. Minnie Curtiss, Mrs. George Hamlin, Miss Florence Meyer, Mrs. Howard Roebken, and Mrs. Karl Urban.

Several members wore costumes at the dinner typical of different periods of the Y.M.C.'s first 100 years. A skit entitled "This Is Your Life," depicting the organization's history was given by the young adult department.

Science Society Elects Dr. Cobb

New York—Dr. W. Montague Cobb, a member of the NAACP Board of Directors and chairman of the Association's national health committee, has been elected a vice president of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the first Negro to be so honored by the century-old 50,000-member national organization.

Head of the department of anatomy in the Howard University School of Medicine in Washington, Dr. Cobb has been a fellow of the AAAS since 1938 and a member of its governing council since 1953. He is also a vice-president of the American Association of Physical Anthropologists, president of the District of Columbia Medico-Chirurgical Society, and editor of the Journal of the National Medical Association.



Personal Touch

By MARIE ROSS

The month of February is filled with many birthdays of great men and causes that are observed annually. Between the birthdates of the country's two great presidents, Abraham Lincoln, February 12, and George Washington, Feb. 22, will be the observance of National Negro History Week—Feb. 13 to 20.

Special emphasis is being given to the Negro's history throughout the country to bring to light much information of a "race's heritage" that was buried under slavery.

"Your history dates back beyond the cotton fields in the South—back thousands of years before Christ," writes J. A. Rogers, historian and author whose Negro history feature appears weekly in The Courier.

"I think Negro history should be taught in the public schools along with other studies," remarked Mr. Oval Carter, 1180 Fourteenth street, this week.

"Many youth today don't have any idea why the birthday of Lincoln is celebrated. They read about him and the Emancipation, think nothing of it, and then go on to the next president," Mr. Carter talked.

Mr. Carter first studied Negro history when he attended Western Baptist College in Macon, Mo. The course he said, was a part of the regular history studies. We had one Negro history book and the rest of the information we got by research.

Of all the famous Negroes in history, Mr. Carter said his favorite was Frederick Douglass, whose birthday is observed on Feb. 15.

"It would be beneficial to all races to know the Negro's history—and putting a course of study in the public schools would be very valuable," he thought.

Mrs. William Fields of 1436 Walker street, recalled that she got a bit of Negro history in a course which was referred to as "geography" when she attended the old Bremer school in Des Moines when a child.

"What we learned in the course was about the Negro as a slave, but after that I read mostly on my own time about Negro history. I was

Virginia Spent \$193,737 For Negroes At Out-of-State Colleges

Richmond, Va.—(CNS)—The state of Virginia spent \$193,737 during 1954 to send 608 Negro students at 60 out of state universities rather than let them attend Virginia's white

Miss ROTC at Florida



Tallahassee, Fla.—Attractive Katie Montine Meeks, an elementary education major at Florida A and M University, is "Miss ROTC" for the current school year. The popular senior is a native of Boynton, Fla., and as "Miss ROTC" has the military rank of "Honorary Cadet Colonel."

(—A and M staff photo.)

impressed with Sojourner Truth, Harriet Tubman and other women leaders," Mrs. Fields said.

"I believe it was Harriet Tubman who travelled to stir up the Negro's interest in himself," she talked.

According to history, 100 years ago in 1855, "Fighting" Harriet Tubman in 19 trips led 300 slaves from the Eastern Shore of Maryland to freedom.

"It wasn't that Harriet alone was leading groups of slaves into the North and to freedom. Her defiance of the slaveholders and her escape from their clutches time after time led other slaves to believe that Harriet was a Moses, who led a charmed existence, no one who ever joined her expedition could ever be captured."

"All of the earlier leaders had to go on their faith, courage and determination alone to prove to the world that the Negro was just like any other human being."

"I've read about Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune—and how she started her school in Florida. I don't think we today do enough with all of the advantages and opportunities we have," Mrs. Fields remarked.

The Rev. H. W. James, pastor of Burns Methodist church, paused for a moment on the thought of Negro history. Though he went to public schools in Yazoo, Miss., he did not have an opportunity to study the Negro's history until he went to Walden University at Nashville, Tenn.

"I have been impressed by the lives of Toussaint L'Ouverture, Frederick Douglass, Booker T. Washington, Coleridge Taylor, Alexander Dumas and others."

"I have used the story of the life of the great soldier L'Ouverture—and it did have an influence on my life," the minister said.

History reveals that Francis Dominique Toussaint, called L'Ouverture, was a soldier, statesman and liberator of Haiti, born 1743 near Cape

Deltas and Patroness Club Plan 'Jabberwock' At Jewish Center Mar. 31

The Delta Sigma Theta Sorority's annual "Jabberwock" will be held March 31, 8 p. m., at the Jewish Community Center.

Officers and members of the sorority are:

Delores Morrow, president; Claudette Neal, vice president and dean of pledges; Catherine Atkinson, recording secretary; Barbara James, corresponding secretary; Haley Housh, treasurer, and sorors Clara Bayles, Marguerite Johnson, Ada Johnson, M. Joan Bullock, Joyce Fant, Helen Lemme, Catherine Green, Willie Glanton, Marjorie Lit-

Francis, Haiti. He died April 27, 1803 in the Chateau Joux, near Besancon, France. Toussaint was one of the leaders of the insurrection of slaves in 1791. In 1796 he was made commander-in-chief of the all French forces in the island. In 1799 he became the leader of the blacks against the mulattos and in 1801 the whole island had come under his control. In July, 1802, he declared the island of Haiti independent.

The present president of Haiti, Paul Maglorie, is on an official visit in America, having been entertained royally in Washington. (See Capital Close-Up Column in this issue of the Bystander.)

Toussaint with Dessalines of Haiti smashed Napoleon's power in the West Indies and forced him to sell to America the Louisiana Territory extending from Louisiana to Minnesota and west to Colorado for a mere \$12,250.

"I should think that the study of Negro History would be valuable in the public schools," the Rev. Mr. James said.

Mrs. L. E. Hartman of 791 Thirteenth street, while attending school in Centuria, Mo., took a liking to the poetry of Paul Laurence Dunbar and used to give readings frequently.

She is of the opinion that Negro history should be taught in the public school so that the coming generations will know the real history of the Negro race. Much of Negro's contributions have not been accredited to him, she said.

Paul Laurence Dunbar, historians say, was the first American Negro "to feel the Negro life aesthetically and express it lyrically." Though he wrote more poems in standard English than he did in dialect, many persons have thought of him as a composer of dialect poetry only.

Listeners have laughed to Dunbar's "The Party":

"Dey had a gread big pahty down to Tom's de othah night;

"Was I dah? You bet! I never in my life see sich a sight."

But few audiences have heard Dunbar's "We Wear the Mask":

"We wear the mask that grins and lies,

"It hides our cheeks and shades our eyes."

I read many of the poems of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow—and learned in public schools his "Day is Done," his "Psalm of Life," "The Village Blacksmith," and other of his favorite poems—but, not until I found a very old collection of the Longfellow poems, did I know that he had written a number of poems on slavery.

Some of them are—"The Quadroon Girl," "The Witnesses," "The Slave

Dental Health Week Feb. 7-13

Governor Hoegh has proclaimed that Iowa will cooperate in the 7th Annual National Children's Dental Health Week Feb. 7 to 13.

In conjunction with this program for better dental health a survey is expected to determine the effectiveness of the Dental Association's campaign for greater consumption of fruit. The substitution of fruits for sweets in the diets of both children and adults is recommended by the dentists because sugar causes tooth decay.

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Red Cross Rural Fund Drive Opens Mar. 1

August Johnson of Sheldahl, has been appointed chairman of the Polk County Red Cross 1955 rural fund campaign. Wright C. Percival, chapter chairman, announced Thursday.

Mrs. Floyd Percy of Bondurant will serve as co-chairman of the campaign, Percival also announced.

The annual fund drive will open March 1, with a kickoff luncheon and meeting for township chairmen and solicitors February 19, at Hotel Kirkwood in Des Moines. The final report meeting will be April 2, Percival said.

Singing at Midnight. "The Slave in the Dismal Swamp."

These slave poems just don't appear in most of Longfellow's recent volumes. They are just like the majority of the Negro's contributions to American life—they are missing. Unless you take the time to dig them up in the study of Negro history, these contributions will be like the slaves in Longfellow's poem, "The Witnesses."

"They cry, from unknown graves, 'We are the Witnesses!'"

Graduates Pictures

Pictures of Mid-year high schools graduates are due in the office of the Bystander not later than Saturday morning for the picture page which will be published next week.

Miss Betty Jones of the Bystander's advertising department has been receiving congratulations since a note about her finding a wallet appeared in Gordon Gammack's column of the Des Moines Tribune last Thursday.

A heavy snow was falling the evening Betty came back to the office with the wallet she found. It contained \$25 in cash and important papers. She searched for addresses but the nearest was one in Fort Dodge. After dropping a card to the person in Fort Dodge, Betty got a call from Elizabeth Dillon living in Fort Des Moines, who later identified dollar bill. Betty was happy, too, the wallet and gave the finder a five-

Convalescing at Home

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Iowa State NAACP Conference Held Here; Committees for Year Appointed

The Iowa State Conference of Branches met last Saturday afternoon at Willkie House, with president, Miss Betty Jane Holsteen of Burlington, presiding.

Out-of-town representatives attending the conference were: Mrs. Mary Freeles, Clinton, Ia., Mrs. De-Edwin White, Burlington, Rev. George Paul Jones of Ottumwa, Mrs. Hellen Burke and Mrs. Valetta Fields of Waterloo.

Chairman

The following committee chairmen were appointed for the year by the president:

Life membership chairman, Ike Smalls; housing, H. L. Grooms and Rev. Paul Jones of Ottumwa; legal redress, James B. Morris, Jr.; program Mrs. Hellen Burke of Waterloo and Margaret Raymond of Burlington; press and publicity, Mrs. Guy E. Greene, chairman, with Mrs. Lydia Page of Waterloo; education, Mrs. Bessie Grayson of Albia, Rabbi Gordon of Sioux City, Dr. J. W. Woodfolk of Iowa City; legislation, James B. Morris, Sr.

Special project, James B. Morris, Sr., Rev. George P. Jones, Mrs. Hellen Burke, Rabbi Gordon, George Cooper of Council Bluffs; youth director, Mrs. Ruth Toomes of Keokuk; college chapter, Mrs. Lorraine Collins; awards, Mrs. Georgine C. Morris; historian, Mrs. Charles H. Copeland, Cedar Rapids; branch promotion, Mrs. Georgine C. Morris; ways and means, Rev. George Paul Jones, Mrs. Greene, Ike Smalls, Mrs. Gibson and Mrs. Fields; finance, Mrs. Viola Gibson, Cedar Rapids; Four-F chairman, Mrs. Rose B. Johnson; parliamentarian, Archie M. Greenlee.

The membership committee and chairman will be appointed at a later date. Other state meetings will be held during the months of March, April and May.

Mrs. Georgine C. Morris will visit the Council Bluffs, Ia., branch to present the Ike Smalls award to the branch for outstanding work in 1954. Council Bluffs was unable to be represented in Ottumwa last October at the state conference.

Mr. Green Better

Mr. Guy E. Greene, 1412 Center street, was confined home ill several days last week. He was reported better.

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D. M. Branch to Meet Feb. 22; Committees Named

The Des Moines branch of the NAACP will meet Feb. 22, 8 p. m., at the Crocker YWCA. All chairmen appointed for the year are expected to bring a brief report. Plans for their committees will be made.

Archie M. Greenlee, president, appointed the 1955 committees Jan. 25 at the regular meeting at Crocker YWCA.

Committee chairmen are:

James B. Morris, Jr., and Robert A. Wright, legal redress; Mrs. Guy E. Greene, press and publicity; Mrs. Herschel E. Hubbard, convalescent and condolence; Mrs. Mabel N. Spencer, entertainment; Mrs. Lillian Seales, education; William F. Denman, legislation; Mrs. Rose B. Johnson, Fighting Fund for Freedom, 10-year national program; the Rev. Jesse Hawkins, membership; Clifford L. Bayles, financial; Herman Wadsworth, labor and industry; and Mrs. David Kruidenier, Jr., and Luther T. Glanton, Jr., housing.

Mrs. Georgine C. Morris reported that the branch sold \$368 in Christmas Seal.

Army Nurse Corps 54 Years Old

The oldest of all women's military services, the Army Nurse Corps, celebrate its 54th anniversary February 2. This birthday was noted at all Army hospitals and Medical units within the 13-state Fifth Army area.

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WHY SUBJECT AMERICANS TO SUCH TREATMENT

Too long, America has compromised its professed on paper doctrine of equality of all men. And this led to the passage of laws segregating Negroes and denying them one right after another.

The U. S. Supreme court joined in this compromise by its "separate but equal" doctrine which gave aid and comfort to those states which enacted jim crow laws.

Recently, a portion of the US fleet had occasion to pass around the southern tip of Africa in the course of which the aircraft carrier Midways topped off the shores of Cape Town.

Prior to the visit, the government of South Africa announced that "colored" members of the crews including Negroes, Japanese and Filipinos would be given special arm bands of identification and that they would be denied normal privileges as visitors just as native minorities are in South Africa.

For the past few years, the mistreatment of minorities has been about as bad in South Africa as it could get. In fact, it has been just the opposite of what the free world claims to stand for. Both the administration of former Premier Malan and the present one Strijdom have been criticised at UN and by prominent individuals including Gardner Cowles of the Register and Tribune.

Knowing that these conditions existed and the effort being made by the administration in Washington to eliminate racial differences, it is difficult to understand why the Navy would subject its men to the treatment they received in South Africa. And this in spite of the protest, made in advance of the visit by the NAACP and others.

Visitors should not be invited to a man's home to be insulted.

And this is just what happened here. This was an affront not easily forgotten and a mistake which the Navy cannot explain for accepting such treatment it becomes a part of the whole transaction.

LAW ENFORCEMENT DOES GO FAR ENOUGH

Iowa's past three attorneys general have carried on a campaign of strict enforcement of the liquor and gambling laws. Much credit must go to Gov. Leo Hoegh who, while he was attorney general, insisted on the enforcement of all laws and this accomplished much toward a fairer observance of Iowa's civil rights laws.

All have taken the position that as long as the liquor and gambling laws are on the statute books they should be enforced. With this the Bystander fully agrees for if the people don't want a law they, through their elected representatives, should repeal it.

But the Bystander questions whether this type of enforcement alone is sufficient. There was a time when most towns housed red light districts. Those who sought sporting women knew where to find them. But today these women are scattered everywhere and the traffic goes on just the same. Sure these bawdy houses have been removed but not the operation of the women who occupied them.

Four problems operate to make enforcement of liquor laws difficult. 1. There are entirely too many taverns and if an owner hopes to survive he is almost sure to try illegal sales of liquor.

2. Bootlegging in private homes is terrible in the sale of both liquor and beer. These people pay no license of any kind, operate just about 24 hours a day and present a difficult problem for law enforcing officers to catch and prosecute successfully.

3. The run of the mill citizen has no place where he can get a drink in a public place or private club and thus he resorts to excesses and often goes to undesirable places to get a drink.

4. Too many tavern owners make very little effort to observe the law often selling customers to much to drink with the result that some are pushed out in the street or leave the place too drunk to drive a car.

These are problems that might well be the study of a committee appointed to help solve this vexing problem.

People are going to drink and they can find liquor when they want it. So some attention might well be directed toward letting them have it under favorable circumstances and practical temperance education. To simply say we are going to stop the flow of illegal liquor by enforcing the law is not going to do the job.

Navy's Service Schools Open to High School Grads

The Navy Department announced that effective immediately, high

Meriwether Replies

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I undertook the task of Slum Clearance in one block of this city thereby making available three modern homes for Negroes thereby increasing the assessed valuation of the block.

"3. After my affiliation with the 2nd Baptist Church here I have unselfishly given my time, labor and money for its betterment and the community in general and in the process of doing good here we of the Second Baptist Church were holding services outside our church which were finally rejected.

"4. When we of the Interracial Commission were informed of the situation referred in article one, we did something about it; by securing a room in the Y. W. C. A. and the services of three teachers of the school system here and invited anyone to attend; that too was rejected.

"5. I never have and never will miss the opportunity to champion the cause of my people and only last Tuesday I appeared on this local TV 'To serve you it will hurt my business.' At that time I pointed to the station in opposition to the adage—have straightened that out with our long years I have operated a restaurant here serving everybody and not one disturbance has occurred due to racial differences.

"6. And, lastly, I as a member of the Interracial Commission have no bones to pick with any organization of like nature and it is a matter of choice.

"And if records speak for themselves I personally ask Mr. House what is his? Now if I can interpret what I have read and said I am sure that I have and always act in the best interest of the group of which I am a part.

"And, too I am reminded of some of the obligations that I have taken and all of them mention the word 'Clandestine' and if an oath means anything then we must admit that we do think alike."

Woman Burned

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203 Racoon street. Her husband, Frank, also 45, was at the Fred T. Darling home at 203 Racoon street watching television.

Watched Show Darling told police both Mr. and Mrs. Lampkins came to his home about 6:45 p.m. to watch a boxing show on television and that Mrs. Lampkins got tired and went home about 8:45 p.m.

A short time later a young boy knocked on the Darlings' front door and told them the house in back of their home was on fire.

The charred body of the woman was found in sitting position on a trunk near the center part of the house when firemen were able to get inside.

Lampkin, shaken with grief, said, "I told her not to fool with that stove." He said they had been having trouble with a gasoline cooking stove. Fire Marshal Wayne Ulm was called to investigate the fire, but said early Monday the cause had not been determined.

No Foul Play Dr. Walter Anderson, Polk county coroner, said Mrs. Lampkin's death was caused by the fire and that there was no evidence of foul play.

Lampkins was arrested by police on a charge of intoxication after the fire and held for questioning by detectives investigating the cause of the fire.

Lt. Roy Hansen of fire station 8 at S. E. Sixth and Lyon streets said damage to the building and contents amounted to about \$1,500 in addition to slight damage to the side of the Darling home.

Most of the furnishings in the Lampkin home belonged to the Darlings. They told firemen the two houses were insured.

Lampkin, a painter at Woods Bros., farm implement company, told police he had been out of work for some

school graduates who meet the mental, moral and physical requirements, may enlist in the United States Navy and guaranteed the opportunity to attend one of the Navy's Service Schools of their choice.

Few of the many schools one may attend are electronics technician, guided missileman, radio and radar in the technical branch. In the aviation branch of the service there are twelve different schools including photography, machinist, ordnance and air controlman. Under the list of general services schools one may attend such schools as machinery repairman, patternmaker, disbursing clerk, surveyor, journalist and yeoman.

Young men are urged to contact their nearest Navy Recruiting Station for further information in regard to this program.

HEALTH FOR ALL

Sensitive Plant

Do you wake up these mornings making promises to yourself? "I will not lose my temper today. I will be patient with the children. I will not raise my voice." By evening, what has happened to your resolutions?

Life is a routine of sniffling, lost mittens, dirty boots, wet umbrellas, the same old meals and the same old dreary out-look from your windows. And finter is only half over. Millions of housewives are living through the same mid-winter doldrums. There's no use feeling guilty about it, but you can do something about it.

Think of yourself, for a moment, as a sensitive house plant. In the fall you are potted in fresh soil, brought into the house, and given a light, airy location. At intervals you are dosed with water and plant food. You work energetically at your task of blooming right through the Christmas season. But then you begin to tire. Your leaves shrivel and drop.

If you were a plant, at this point someone would take you away to a

quiet, dark place for a rest. Unfortunately, most of us can't take a rest cure in mid-winter. But since we are human beings, not sensitive plants, we can get along without it.

The old saw goes: a change is as good as a rest. Start with yourself, since that's the only thing in the world you can be sure of changing. This doesn't mean that you can have a new temperament overnight. You can stand off and take a look at yourself, and consider where you might make a change. A new hairdo, a diet for a new figure, a new interest. If you've never owned a red hat, this is the time to try one. If you've never painted a picture, get out the children's finger paints. The public library has cookbooks from all over the world. Try some experiments in the kitchen.

Above all, keep two facts in mind: 1. you are not the only sensitive plant suffering through the winter, and 2. Spring will come.

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a shot at middleweight Champ Bobo Olson. Most of the people we talk to want Ray to stop and so do we. It really hurts to see a top notch athlete struggling to beat some guy who couldn't even carry his sweat clothes in the champ's day. We hope he quits for keeps this time.

Jackie Robinson, Tennessee Williams to 'Make up Your Mind'

New York N. Y.—Brooklyn Dodger star Jackie Robinson, playwright Tennessee Williams, Columnist-commentator Dorothy Thompson, jazz critic Leonard Feather and Broadway actress Florence Henderson will join the panel of CBS Radio's "Make Up Your Mind" Monday thru Friday, Feb. 7-11.

Host Jack Sterling will pose the listener-submitted problems to these personalities and to regular panelists Edith Walton, literary critic, and John S. Young, former U. S. Ambassador, plus a daily guest from the studio audience. The celebrity guests will visit the program in this order: Monday, Feb. 7—"Streetcar Named Desire" author Tennessee Williams will analyze people who hate the theatre.

Tuesday, Feb. 8—Florence Henderson, who plays the title role in the Broadway musical "Fanny," will discuss women gossip.

Wednesday, Feb. 9—Jazz authority Leonard Feather will be asked how to get friends interested in jazz.

Thursday, Feb. 10—Radio-news-paper commentator Dorothy Thompson will be asked her opinions on how countries can best settle their differences today.

Friday, Feb. 11—The Dodger's Jackie Robinson will advise how to handle a star who was hurt in a game and is now afraid to play.

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vently materialize most frequently, from acts of love and not for pelf give this some thought, forget yourself.

Glenn A. Gallagher
(First American Serial Rights Only)

Texas College

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gore Junior College and had been denied admission solely because of their race.

He concluded that he would re-Bullmoose Jackson, Billiken, Fri., Feb. 18 tain jurisdiction of the case until after the Supreme Court has entered its final decree in the school segregation cases and if, after that, the junior college persisted in refusing admission to qualified Negro applicants, the petitioners could come back into his court and he would order them admitted.

The suit against Kilgore Junior College was filed in Oct., 1952. The students were represented in court by U. Simpson Tate, NAACP southern regional counsel, and C. B. Bunkley, Jr., of Dallas.

The complaint stated that the plaintiffs lived within the Kilgore Junior College district, were graduates of an accredited high school of Texas, had offered themselves as applicants to the publicly-supported junior college and had been refused admission by B. E. Maters, college president, solely because of their race and color. The complaint contended that this action by the college was a denial of their constitutional rights.

10th Division In Training Stage for Move to Germany

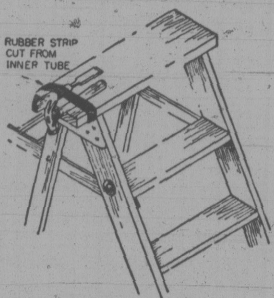
Lieutenant General Hobart R. Gay, commanding general of the Fifth Army, of which Iowa is a part, has announced that the 10th Infantry Division, now stationed at Fort

Riley, Kansas, is depending on Iowa for many new men to fill the ranks



Fasten Tools for Safety

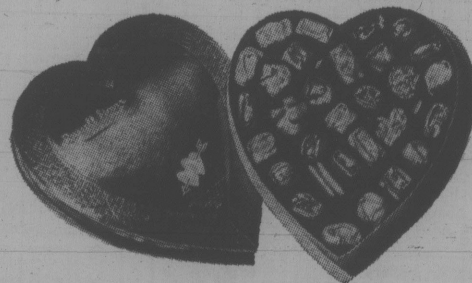
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