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Rites Friday at Corinthian for Mrs. G. Ashford

Services for Mrs. Genevieve Bell Ashford, 67, of 127 Reigert street, will be held at 11 a. m. Friday at Corinthian Baptist church. Burial will be at Adel cemetery.



Mrs. Ashford died of cancer Sunday, March 20, at Broadlawn General hospital, following an illness of three months. Born in Dallas County, Mrs. Ashford had lived in Des Moines for 16 months. She was formerly of Mason City. A member of St. John's Baptist church, she was active in the Order of Eastern Star and was president of the Five-State Baptist Women's Convention Auxiliary.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Helen James of Des Moines; two stepsons, Vernon Ashford, Des Moines, and Ray Ashford, Chicago, Ill.; two sisters, Mrs. Gertrude P. Harris, Los Angeles, Cal., and Mrs. Jessie Bell Davis, Des Moines; two brothers, Hayes and Theodore Bell, both of Des Moines; 12 grandchildren, and one great grandchild. Estes & Son Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Mrs. Gertrude Massey Nicola Dies at 70; Member of Burns

Services for Mrs. Gertrude Massey Nicola, 70, of 1016 Thirteenth street, were being arranged at Estes & Son Funeral Home at press time.

Mrs. Massey died Tuesday night at Broadlawn General hospital after an illness of several months. A resident of Des Moines 36 years, she was a native of California. Mo. She was a member of Burns Methodist church and active in the Women's Society of Christian Service; and, also was a member of the Iowa Buxton Club.

Surviving are: her father, Newton Jones, California, Mo.; husband, Emilio Nicola of Des Moines; four sisters, Mrs. Geneva Davis and Mrs. Nina Bell, Chicago, Ill., Mrs. Edna Russell, St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. Hattie Allen, Detroit, Mich., one brother, Seamer Jones of California, Mo.

Ten children surviving are: Robert Massey, Davenport, Ia., Touse Massey, Evanston, Ill., Nadine Massey, Chicago, Lenoa Parsons, Frank Massey, Erma Carr, Edward Massey, all of Des Moines; Queen Francis, San Francisco, Cal.; Richard Massey of Anamosa, Ia., and Clara Massey of Kansas City, Kas.; also 19 grand children and 7 great-grandchildren.

Capital Close-Up From Washington

BY CONSTANCE DANIEL
Speakers and Progress Mark Housing Meet

There was a "NO SALE" sign on Government support for segregated housing, when the National Committee Against Discrimination in Housing met here, last week.

California's Loren Miller, of the Supreme Court covenant cases, dubbed Federal Housing "the Typhoid Mary of race restrictive covenants."

Interesting was the reaction to the movie on the Lake Pontchartraine (La.), housing project—a well-designed, expertly planned, lakeside venture in "housing for Negroes," complete with swimming pool, golf course, play areas, park and tennis courts—which drew fire as a "polished ghetto" which excluded whites.

Consensus of opinion, "the time has come for the Government to re-
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Funds to Aid Missisippians Exceed \$200,000

New York.—Funds in the Tri-State Bank of Memphis deposited for the purpose of expanding the bank's capacity to aid victims of economic pressure in Mississippi have exceeded the \$200,000 mark, Roy Wilkins, NAACP administrator, reported March 17.

Deposits this week of \$10,000 by the Broadway Federal Savings and Loan Bank of Los Angeles and of \$5,000 by the American Veterans Committee brought the total of such deposits to \$201,619.

Insurance companies, labor unions, church groups, fraternal organizations, banks and individuals have responded to the NAACP appeal to meet the challenge of the White Citizens Councils which have been exerting economic pressure to stifle demands for civil rights and desegregation.

Mr. Wilkins has called for deposits totaling not less than \$500,000. Such a sum would make available funds for loans on a business basis to Negro businessmen, farmers and home-owner now being denied credit by certain white lending institutions in Mississippi.

Newspaper Guild To Honor Marshall

New York.—Thurgood Marshall, special counsel of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, has been named for the annual Page One award for national public affairs by the Newspaper Guild of New York.

The award which will be presented at the Guild's annual Page One Ball on April 29 is in recognition of Mr. Marshall's leadership role in winning the U. S. Supreme Court's decision of May 17, 1954, banning segregation in public education.

A & T College Choir On Annual Tour

Greensboro, N. C.—The 40-voice A & T College Choir, under the direction of Howard T. Pearsall, left Greensboro March 18, on a tour which included ten stops in principal cities in the east, including New York, Ohio and Pennsylvania.

Posed As Nurse To Kidnap Baby

New York.—(CNS)—Picked up as kidnaper and held on a \$2,500 bail, Mrs. Dolores Phipps, 22-year-old woman, sobbed bitterly to her mother: "I did wrong. I lost my baby. I was determined to have a baby. I know how much you wanted to be a grandma."

And that was her motive for snatching three weeks old James Perez whom she cared for lovingly until she became frightened at the publicity and abandoned him on the steps of her Harlem apartment 24 hours later.

Posed as Nurse
Mrs. Phipps had gone through a lot to get the child. She posed as a public health nurse, appeared at the Perez apartment and said she wanted the baby to have a health check-up. The mother agreed to go with her to St. Luke's Hospital where Mrs. Phipps took the child announcing that the doctor was ready to see him. When the "nurse" didn't come back, the mother went to the police.

Mrs. Phipps is estranged from her husband, but she cared for the child well. She had bought new furniture and materials to look after an infant. A tip from a taxi driver led police to her whereabouts.

Said the young mother: "When I saw her in the station house, she was crying. She looked old. I couldn't help feeling sorry for her. Maybe she needs to be put in the hospital."

Contributes First \$1,000 For National Shrine



Washington, D. C.—Dr. John C. Oliver, member of Alpha Omega Chapter, Washington, D. C., of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, contributes \$1,000 to the national shrine to be built by the Fraternity in Wash-

ington, D. C. The fraternity is now sponsoring a financial campaign to raise \$175,000 to construct the building. The building has been designed by Paul Williams, architect of Los Angeles, Cal. Reading left to right,

Charles Roberson, member of Shrine committee; Grant Reynolds, chairman of Shrine committee; Dr. John C. Oliver, donor; and H. Carl Moultrie, national executive secretary. The check was presented at the National Headquarters, Washington, D. C.

Tennessee's Gov. Clement Vetoes 2 Local Bills That Would Retain Segregation

Nashville, Tenn.—Following protest by Tennessee NAACP spokesmen and others, Gov. Frank G. Clement vetoed two local bills passed by the legislature for the purpose of retaining segregated schools in Fayette and Haywood Counties. Similar bills for other counties have been introduced and, if passed, presumably will be turned down by the Governor.

possible effect can be to foment racial hatred and disorder where none exists, and to create disputes to the detriment of all concerned. Segregation is not a political issue to be misused to the detriment of Tennessee and the Tennesseans, but is a significant and far reaching social issue which demands statesmanlike consideration, prayerful thought and legal analysis.

"It is my understanding," Gov. Clement said in his veto message, "that this measure represents an attempt to circumvent the efficacy of the recent opinion handed down by the Supreme Court of the United States banning segregation in public schools, and that this is its sole purpose."

'Detriment of All'
State Senator Charles A. Stainback, sponsor of the segregation bills, was defeated in the Senate when he sought to override the Governor's veto. The bills, invoking "police power," would give the local school board in the particular counties the authority to assign pupils to any school the board might designate.
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Dr. Carey Says Burlington Is Making Contribution to Country's National Defense

Burlington, Ia.—"What you are doing in Burlington is a contribution to national defense," said Dr. Archibald Carey in an aggressive talk delivered at the annual Brotherhood Vespers held here recently at the Senior High school auditorium.



DR. ARCHIBALD CAREY

"This business of brotherhood is indispensable to the survival of our nation," he added. The speaker reminded his audience that when he came to Burlington to speak in 1951 he was barred from a local hotel, but that now he could obtain accommodations at any hostelry in town.

As a delegate to the United Nations, Dr. Carey stated, he has talked with representatives from numerous other nations, and has learned that they disrupt this country's assumed leadership on behalf of freedom "because they know that discrimination and segregation exist here."

The Chicago civic leader said the United States, like the Scriptural story of old presents to the world "the voice of Jacob but the hands of Esau"—professions of a belief in freedom that are often not lived up to.

By discrimination, he declared, the majority denies to itself and to the country and the world the brilliance, the inspiration, and the originality of thought and talent which might lie unknown among a suppressed minority group.

Best Foot
To the minority groups Dr. Carey charged the responsibility of "putting the best foot forward," of doing the best job possible. To the majority he charged the responsibility of breaking down barriers of restriction and discrimination.
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68th Grand Lodge Of F. and A. M. Of Iowa Here July 11-13

The 68th Annual Communication of the M. W. Prince Hall Grand Lodge, F. & A. M. of Iowa and Jurisdiction will convene in Des Moines on July 11, 12 and 13.

Over 400 Prince Hall Masons, headed by Jake L. Nelson, M. W. Grand Master of Burlington, are expected to be in attendance during the three day session.

Official headquarters for the Grand Lodge will be the Willkie House with public meetings scheduled to be held at St. Paul A. M. E. and Corinthian Baptist Churches.

North Star Lodge No. 2 and Doric Lodge No. 30 of Des Moines will be hosts to this year's communication with Frank B. Robinson serving as general chairman.

Lodges from the following cities are expected to be represented: Burlington, Cedar Rapids, Centerville, Council Bluffs, Clinton, Davenport, Dubuque, Fort Dodge, Fort Madison, Keokuk, Marshalltown, Mason City, Oskaloosa, Ottumwa, Sioux City and Waterloo.

Hold Memorial Services for Mat Henson, Explorer

New York.—Many organizations held memorial services for Matthew Alexander Henson, the only American with Admiral Robert E. Peary on his final trip to the North Pole.

Henson, the 88-year-old explorer, died March 9 at St. Clare's Hospital of a cerebral hemorrhage, where he had been confined six weeks.

Born on a Maryland farm, Henson was a porter in a Washington Hat store, in 1886, when he became Peary's valet. He stayed with Peary off and on for five years, then remained with him steadily for 18 years, during which he took part in the admiral's major polar expeditions.

Years after the expeditions, Henson was described by Cmdr. Donald B. McMillan as "altogether the most efficient man with Peary."

A retired employee of the U. S. customs service, Henson spent the last 16 years of his life in Manhattan.

Hundreds of persons attended his last rites at Harlem's Abyssinian Baptist church. The Rev. Adam Clayton Powell eulogized Henson as one of the great men in American and world history who made a lasting contribution to the progress of the human race.

Throughout the country many schools and colleges have held memorial services for Peary.

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NAACP Leader Probed Riots, Lynchings, Worked For Better Race Relation

New York, N. Y.—The last rites for Walter White, the guiding spirit of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) were scheduled for noon Thursday at St. Martin's P.E. church.

Mr. White died Monday night, March 21, at his home, 242 East Sixty-eighth street, of heart disease. He had been ill for several years. At his bedside was his second wife, Poppy Cannon White, who is food editor of House Beautiful magazine.

Born Walter Francis White, July 1, 1893, at Atlanta, Ga., the son of George and Madeline (Harrison) White, he preferred his name simply Walter White.

Because of his fair complexion, blue eyes and blond hair, Mr. White personally had been able to witness a number of lynchings, intermingled and visit with lynchers and secure names and addresses, risking his own life in order to secure first hand information.

He explained his devotion to the cause of Negro rights in part by the fact that his father, an Atlanta, Ga., postman, "died because of neglect, after an injury, caused by his being a colored man."

At the age of 12 he lived through a harrowing Atlanta race riot, confirming him in his choice of a career. In his autobiography, he wrote that a mob of white persons besieged his home. He and his father took positions at the parlor windows with pistols, while his mother and five sisters huddled in a rear room. The



WALTER WHITE

mob was diverted by a volley of shots from another Negro dwelling.

White joined the N. A. A. C. P. in his assistant secretary at the age of 25.

One of his first investigations was of the race riots at Elaine, Ark., in 1919. Three white persons and 200 Negroes were killed in the turmoil.

Posing as a reporter for the Chicago Daily News, he interviewed
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Judge Dismisses Suit Against Levitt, World's Biggest Builder of Homes

Philadelphia, Pa.—NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund lawyers lost the first round in their legal battle to have the courts restrain builder William Levitt from discriminating against Negroes in the sales of private homes at the modern community of Levittown in Bucks County, Pa.

Chief Judge William H. Kirkpatrick ruled Wednesday, March 16, that the suit against Levitt, the world's biggest builder of modern homes, be dismissed on the grounds that Congress did not specifically say that federal officials operating FHA and VA programs should have the duty to order the end of segregation in such federally-aided homes.

"Neither the FHA nor the VA has been charged with the duty of preventing discrimination in the sales of housing project properties," Judge Kirkpatrick said in a five page opinion dismissing the case.

Six Veterans
The suit against Levitt and Sons, Inc., was filed on January 13, with the U. S. District Court of Pennsylvania in behalf of six Negro veterans who were turned down when they tried to buy homes in the 16,000 private home development outside of Philadelphia. The petition sought to restrain Levitt from refusing to sell to Negroes solely because of race or color, as long as he uses FHA and VA mortgage assistance or approval.

No Jurisdiction
Named in the suit with Levitt are Norman P. Mason, Commissioner of the FHA; William A. Kelley, Director of the Philadelphia Insuring Office of the FHA; Harvey V. Higley, Administrator of Veterans Affairs, and Charles E. Engard, Director of the Loan Guarantee Section of the Philadelphia Regional Office of the VA.

Levitt and the federal officials filed motions for dismissal with the court on the grounds that the federal court has no jurisdiction over the case. Arguments on the motion were heard on February 23.

Judge Kirkpatrick in his dismissal opinion said that whether the Negroes' rights were violated is not decided at this time, "the only question is whether the plaintiffs' case can be maintained in this court."

Legal Defense attorneys had accused Levitt of being aided by the government to the point where his action could be interpreted as the action of the federal government.

"All of these do not, however, re-
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Carver Republican Club Meets April 5

The Carver Republican club will have a social hour, program and re-organization of the club Tuesday, April 5, 8 p. m. at the Crocker YMCA. Plans will be made for the year. All members are urged to attend.

Jazz World Mourns Charlie Parker

New York.—(CNS)—The jazz world mourned profusely for 34-year-old Charlie Parker—one of the founders of modern jazz. For three days, the body lay in state in a Harlem funeral home before final services were held at Abyssinian Baptist Church with Rev. Adam Clayton Powell, officiating.

Palbearers included all musicians who have played with "the greatest alto-saxophonist in the world"—Dizzy Gillespie, Bud Johnson, Louis Bellson, Lennie Tristano and Bennie Harris.

Miss Calvin Writes About Lionel Hampton, 'Sugar' Ray Robinson's Flop in Paris

BY DELORES CALVIN
New York.—(CNS)—From Paris: "Sugar Ray Robinson probably got the shortest applause in Paris a 'star' ever received. Paris just couldn't stand him, he was that bad. It could have been his airs, mannerisms for some strange reason Paris is funny about those things. Anyhow, his flop there is probably one of the main reasons why he's broke today. For Paris soured the whole European trip."

This we got straight from entrepreneur Dick Edwards, who's back from Paris after more than five years abroad. Dick managed two night clubs there and owned a third. Practically every big name in America came to his places and he made it his business to everybody else's show.

Dick noted that Lionel Hampton is about the highest rated star in Europe. Europeans went wild over him—begged for more. He had them in the palm of his hand. And as Lionel has done so marvelously well—Billy Eckstine is another guy who just laid an egg, as the expression goes. For some reason Europe couldn't get excited about him and he was out in the cold.

"If you see them go back, they did well. That's the best yardstick to go by," said Dick. A shrewd businessman, that would be his measure. He notes that even the great Duke Ellington was not zealously received. It was fair. And he also notes that Hildegard—the fabulous Hildegard with her equally fabulous wardrobe—"died like ten dogs."

Mary Lou Williams—she's an episode all by herself—for she carried

her inflated ideas from New York to Paris. Not that Mary Lou isn't talented—she's among the best. But Mary Lou's temperament—doing what she feels like at the time she feels like—they just didn't sit well with the French. And Mary Lou, too, "died like ten dogs." More on this fascinating subject—the Negro in Paris—next week.

Breezing into New York town: Sammy Davis, Jr. who goes into the Copacabana, no less with the Will Mastin Trio, of course. Sammy's opening nite expected to get a stirring sendoff... Due at the Waldorf in April is Dorothy Dandridge. This is about as swanky as you can go for the Waldorf as only the very, very best for its most distinguished clientele. But then Dotty has more than arrived. The town's still talking about the sensational merging of jazz and symphony when Duke Ellington played at Carnegie Hall the other night. He worked with Toscanini's boys plus brought his own and it was truly a remarkable performance, as only the Duke could do...

Riding the Record waves: In No. 5 slot is Tweedle Dee with La Verne Baker who is still slugging it out with Georgia Gibbs. Sarah Vaughn has two representatives in the first 35 and ditto for Nat King Cole...

DELTA'S JABBERWOCK MAR. 31

SOFT CUSTARD OVER CAKE FOR EASTER BRUNCH DESSERT



PART OF THE JOB of menu-making is making the menu appealing as well as wholesome and nourishing. In the dessert course this is not too difficult. Take a plain jane standby like soft custard and make it into a delightful Easter Brunch dessert, by serving it over slices of devil's food cake. Then watch your little bunnies gobble it up.

This recipe for Soft Custard will give you a thinner more delicate consistency which you will not find in any other recipe. That is because it is made with sweetened condensed milk. This particular type of canned milk is whole milk and sugar cooked down and blended to a creamy smoothness that is perfect for custards. Furthermore, this custard means more nourishment through the double-richness of sweetened condensed milk. Try it once and you'll find it turning up on the family menu often through popular demand.

SOFT CUSTARD
1/2 cup sweetened condensed milk
1/2 cup water
1/4 teaspoon salt
2 to 3 eggs, slightly beaten*
1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Combine sweetened condensed milk, hot water and salt in top of double boiler. Gradually add beaten eggs while stirring constantly. Cook over hot, not boiling water, stirring constantly, until mixture coats a silver spoon. Remove from heat at once. Cool quickly. Add vanilla and pour into dessert dishes (or pitcher, if to be used as a sauce). Chill.

*If eggs are small, use three.

BUNNIES ON PARADE



EASTER TIME so often means party time, especially for the youngsters. And, of course, a party always means a cake—a very special cake such as the one pictured here. The children will love the deep golden yellow layers, so generously covered with chocolate frosting and gayly decorated with cunning marshmallow bunnies. And best of all it can be cut to serve 16 hungry kiddies! Here's how: With a sharp pointed knife cut an inside circle of about 3 1/2 inches. Then from around this circle cut cake in about 2-inch wedge pieces—you should be able to get 12 wedges. Then cut the inner circle into 4 pieces. Fun to make—and downy tender to eat—is this special Easter cake!

EASTER BUNNY CAKE

1 package Swans Down Yellow Cake Mix
Chocolate Wonder Frosting

Prepare cake mix according to package directions, baking in two round 8-inch layer pans which have been lined on bottoms with paper. When cool, frost with Chocolate Wonder Frosting. Place marshmallow bunnies around top of cake and letter "Happy Easter" in center of cake.

Chocolate Wonder Frosting. Combine 2 packages (6 ounces) cream cheese with 1/2 cup milk and blend. Add 4 cups sifted confectioners' sugar, 1 cup at a time, blending after each addition. Add 4 squares unsweetened chocolate, melted, and 1/2 teaspoon salt and beat until smooth. (Add additional milk, if necessary.) Makes enough frosting to cover tops and sides of two 8-inch layers (generously).

Valley Golf Club Cocktail Party At Club 100 Easter Sunday

ORIGINAL NOTICE
In the District Court of the State of Iowa
In and For Polk County
MAY STEVENS
Plaintiff
vs.
WILLIAM STEVENS
Defendant
TO WILLIAM STEVENS, DEFENDANT: You are hereby notified that the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause is now on file in the office of the clerk of the above named court, claiming of you an absolute divorce from the bond of matrimony on the grounds of willful desertion for a period of more than two years.
For further particulars see petition.
You are further notified that before the above named court in Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa on or before the 28 day of April 1955; and that unless you so appear your default will be entered and judgment or decree rendered for the relief prayed for in plaintiff's petition.
GERTRUDE E. RUSH
Attorney for Plaintiff
316 Locust, Des Moines, Iowa.
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NOTICE OF HEARING ON MOTION TO CONDEMN FUNDS In the District Court of the State of Iowa in and For Polk County

Law No. 64607
HENRY J. CARSON,
Plaintiff,
vs.
HERBERT SHOWER and RAYMOND BROTHERS, Defendants.
TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS: You and each of you are hereby notified that hearing on plaintiff's motion to condemn funds now in the hands of the Clerk of the above named Court and to apply same to the court costs and judgment in favor of plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be held before said Court at the Polk County Court House, West 5th and Mulberry Streets, Des Moines, Iowa on the 12th day of April, 1955 at 10 o'clock a.m., of said day at which time you and each of you may appear and make objection. If any such you have, to the condemnation of said funds as above set out.
Dated at Des Moines, Iowa this 14th day of February, 1955.
MORRIS & MORRIS
BY: JAMES B. MORRIS, JR.,
Attorneys for Plaintiff
221 1/2 Locust Street
Des Moines 2, Iowa.
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Fort Dodge, Iowa

BY C. L. HOUSE
Fort Dodge, Iowa.—M/Sgt. and Mrs. Harry Holiday and their little daughter visited last week in the home of Mrs. Holiday's father, Mr. Dan Lockman, 1020 6th Street, S. W. The Holidays, stationed at Fort Riley, Kas., returned to their home Monday. Sgt. Holiday visited the AME Sunday School and instructed a class. He also visited the class at Kalo.

On April 17

The Rev. LeRoy Patterson and his Coppin Chapel AME Choir are getting ready for their broadcast over radio station KVRD-KFMY Sunday, April 17, 6:30 p.m., to 7 p.m. The occasion will be the Sunday evening vesper services sponsored by the local Ministerial Alliance. The Rev. Mr. Patterson will conduct the service.

Mrs. Guy III

Mrs. Rose Guy was admitted to St.

Joseph's Mercy Hospital Thursday, March 17. Mrs. Lula Johnson was also a patient at Mercy. Mr. George Walker is still ill but doing good since being released from the hospital. -Mr. Walker would like for his friends to come by his home and chat with him. Johnnie Crook was released from Mercy hospital last week.

Miss Julia reddick and Violet Thomas have returned from Omaha where they visited their sister, Mrs. Helen McGaugh.

Mrs. Louise Robinson will go to Omaha Saturday, March 26, to be honored at a birthday celebration given for her by her sister.

Getting Ready

Coppin Chapel has an expansion rally on now for the benefit of the AME Spring convocation that will be held at an early date in May. The AME church is also getting ready for the Sunday School Easter program.

Coppin Chapel AME Church, 151 Central Ave., LeRoy Patterson, pastor. Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Next topic, "The Christian and the Social Order." Mrs. Lillian Lewis, Supt. Morning services at 11:30 o'clock. The special Sunday School class for the Kalo Community meets at the home of Mrs. Anna Brown, secretary-treasurer, at 2 p.m. The Women's Missionary Society meets Wednesday, 2 p.m. The Willing Workers Church dinner was a successful event.

Second Baptist Church, 1827

Fourth Ave. So., Rev. Wm. Scott, pastor: Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Mrs. Irene Fox, Supt. Morning for-ship, 11:30 a.m. Home Mission Society meets the second Tuesday, 6 p.m. monthly. The Seeds of Kindness auxiliary meets Thursday, 8 p.m. Mrs. Malissa Howard is president. Rev. Scott made his pastoral visit to Mercy hospital Sunday.

Olympian Varieties April 15th



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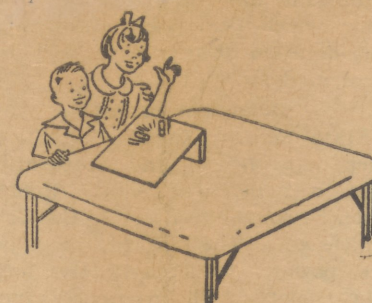
These Prices Good Thursday, Friday and Saturday—Right to Limit Reserved.



Game for Young or Old

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

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



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

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

Percy Mayfield - Billiken, Apr. 9

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION MERRIAM SALES CO.

Notice is hereby given and published that a new corporation has been organized under the laws of the State of Iowa. The name of the corporation is Merriam Sales Co., and its principal place of business is Des Moines, Iowa. The general nature of the business to be transacted is to purchase, acquire, hold, own, improve, manage, mortgage, charge, lease, sell, exchange, transfer, dispose of and deal with, in any manner whatsoever, real estate, merchandise, and all kinds of personal property, including specifically automatic despatching, vending, weighing and merchandising machines, wherever situated, within and without the State of Iowa; to carry on any lawful business, borrow money, deal in shares of capital stock, bonds, or other evidences of indebtedness issued by other corporations, organizations or trusts, and purchase, acquire, hold, redeem, retire and reissue its own capital stock, bonds or obligations; to carry on and engage in any investment finance business; to exercise all powers by law conferred upon corporations for pecuniary profit.
The authorized capital stock shall be \$30,000 which shall be divided into 2,000 shares of common stock with the par value of \$10.00 per share, to be issued at par value for cash or in property, as provided by law.
This corporation commenced business March 16, 1955 and shall continue for twenty years thereafter with right of renewal unless sooner dissolved by a vote of 2/3 majority of the voting stock.
The management is vested in a board of three directors elected by the stockholders annually, and the officers shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer. Until the first annual meeting, the following shall be the directors who shall hold the offices designated:
R. W. Merriam, President
E. M. Merriam, Secretary-Treasurer
E. E. Wilcox, Vice-President
The private property of the stockholders, directors and officers shall at all times be exempt from liability for corporate debts and liabilities.
Dated at Des Moines, Iowa this 17th day of March, 1955.
MERRIAM SALES CO.
By R. W. MERRIAM,
President
By E. M. MERRIAM,
Secretary-Treasurer
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We wish to thank Rev. D. P. King, members of First C.M.E. Church, East, and St. General Home, B. O. O. Lodge, Rose Temple of Elks, friends and neighbors for cards of sympathy, flowers and other expressions of sympathy shown at the death of Mr. James Lacey.

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CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, March 27, 11 a.m., the Rev. N. R. Olphin will preach from the subject, "The Two-Edged Sword." At 7 p.m. Rev. E. Stringfellow of Drake University will present a film on "The Holylands," to which the public is invited. Delegates will attend the Des Moines Council of Churches meeting Monday, 8 p.m., at the YWCA, Ninth and High streets. Tuesday, 8 p.m., the Deacons will meet; and at 9 p.m. the Deacons and Trustees will meet.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Last Sunday evening First Baptist church in West Des Moines and Maple Street held their baptismal services. Sunday, March 27, at 11 o'clock, Rev. Wm. Fields will preach from the 121 Psalms, first verse, "I will lift up mine eyes to the hills from whence cometh my help."

Sunday morning, March 27, Rev. George Parrish and Gospel and Senior choirs will leave at 8 o'clock for Waterloo to the dedication services of the Antioch Baptist church. At 8 p. m., services here will be held in West Des Moines. Missionary circle will meet Friday afternoon at the church. Junior choir will meet Friday at 4:15 p. m. at the church. The Usher board will meet Friday, 7:30 p. m., at the church with Mr. George Wells, host.

The Pastor's Aid is sponsoring an April Fool Social Friday evening, April 1, at the church. Among the sick and shut-ins are: Mee-ames Clara Houston, Audrey Sanders, Ora Baker, Leota Hunter, Jennie Mosely.

BURNS METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

The minister, Rev. H. W. James, will preach Sunday at 11 a.m. on the subject: "No Middle Ground." The Senior Choir will provide the music with Mrs. Thelma Claybrook, organist; and Mr. S. T. Anderson, president. The Mothers, Deaconesses and Stewards Council of which Mrs. V. V. Cropp is president, will have their annual services at Burns in the afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Circle No. 1, of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will conduct a Bazaar at the church Thursday night, March 31. Mrs. Mary Green is chairman. The combined choirs of Burns will present an Easter Cantata, Easter Sunday morning. The minister will conduct an Evangelistic Crusade entitled: "Four Nights For God" beginning April 4, and concluding April 7. The Crusade of a part of an Evangelistic program sponsored by the bishops of the Central Jurisdiction of the Methodist church, and participated in by all local churches in the jurisdiction.

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Prayer Meeting Wednesday: 7:30 P.M.

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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.

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Bible Class 8:30 P.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wed., 8 P.M.

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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
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Rev. H. W. JAMES, Minister
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Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Youth Fellowship 6:00 P.M.
Evening Vesper 7:00 P.M.
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Christian Endeavor 8:00 P.M.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH NOTES

Sunday, March 27, 11 a.m. Pastor Lovell Johnson will preach from the subject, "Preparing for a Journey." The youth chorus will sing. At 3 p.m. his subject will be, "I Believe." The occasion is the Ushers annual sermon at Bethel. At 7:30 p.m., the regular monthly union service between St. Paul and Bethel A.M.E. churches will be held at Bethel. The Rev. John E. Hunter will preach. The Bethel Sunday School will hold a rally at the Sunday School hour. Wednesday, March 30, 7:30 p.m., Bethel will hold its regular monthly Love Feast. Miss Quansanda Wheeler is reporter.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The Laymen's League will meet Sunday, 6 p. m. St. Paul church and the pastor, Rev. John E. Hunter, will worship with Bethel A.M.E. church Sunday evening in union services. He will deliver the message. The Chancel choir will accompany the group. The Lady Usher board met Monday evening with Mrs. Martha Parkey.

The Usherettes will serve Easter morning breakfast following the Sunrise service. The third basketball trophy has been awarded to St. Paul church, having been won by the boys and girls of the church. Mr. Everett Mays, is athletic director. The boys and girls play in Willkie House League. Sunday visitors were: Mr. Harold Walden, San Diego, Calif., Mr. M. Askew and Mr. Ed Askew of Sioux City, Ia.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. H. R. Fields spoke from the subject, "What Think Ye of Christ," last Sunday. The senior choir sang. Baptismal services were held at Union Baptist church last Sunday evening. Eight candidates were baptized by Rev. Fields who was the speaker. The Mt. Olive junior choir sang. The B. T. U. will sponsor a musical program Sunday evening, March 27, 8 p. m. Miss Priscilla Robinson is president of the auxiliary. Mr. William Walker is a patient at Broadlawns General hospital. Mrs. B. Gordon is able to be out again after being shut-in for several months. Mrs. Lydia Lewis received word Sunday from Burlington, Ia., of the death of her uncle, Mr. Edward King. Mrs. Lewis has been the church clerk for several years as well as financial clerk of the church. She is the wife of Mr. Charles Lewis, a member of the Board of Deacons at Mt. Olive.

Mrs. Leodia M. Long of Council Bluffs, Ia., aunt of Mrs. H. Tolson was a visitor at the Sunday service. She will be a house guest in the home several days.

Olympian Varieties April 15th

Bethel A.M.E. Church Closes 44th Year Celebration; Proceeds Reach Over \$1,050

Bethel A.M.E. Church, located at 1528 East University, closed its 44th anniversary celebration with great success, reported the pastor, Rev. Lovell Johnson. This observance covered six nights with at least two churches participating each night. The entire celebration was well attended and well supported by both members and friends. At the latest report a total of \$1,050.00 had been raised.

Pastor Johnson had announced at the outset that the purpose of the anniversary would be two-fold: "to realize a revival of spiritual energy with which to do God's will, and, to collect sufficient funds with which to complete the interior beautification of our church. From all appearances both of these objectives were reached," he said.

Certificates

The celebration opened Sunday night, March 13 and closed on Saturday night, March 19. On the opening night approximately 65 past and present officers or their relatives were present to receive certificates of appreciation for services rendered. A capacity audience was

present. The combined choirs of Bethel sang two special anthems. They were, "Let Mt. Zion Rejoice" and "Battle Hymn of the Republic". Mr. William Wheeler directed and was accompanied by Mrs. Clara Eaves and Mrs. Eva Roper. Mrs. Beatrice Brown, a trustee of Bethel and chairman of the anniversary committee, presided. Pastor Johnson preached on "Pillars of The Temple".

Banquet

The closing event of the celebration was a banquet in the newly decorated dining room. Approximately 100 persons were in attendance. Dinner was served by members of "The Roses of Sharon Usher Board" and the Junior Choir girls. The Pro Club supplied the hostesses. Rev. John E. Hunter, minister of St. Paul A.M.E. church delivered the banquet address. Mrs. Beatrice Brown presided.

During the week of the celebration visiting friends were loud in their praise to the members of Bethel for all that had been done to beautify the church. The significant thing was that all of the work was done by the members of Bethel.

'Moments of Music' Gets Applause at St. Paul Church

"Moments of Music," sponsored by the St. Paul A.M.E. choir, and directed by Mrs. Lauretta Hughes, drew a hearty applause from listeners last Sunday evening.

R. D. Ewing was featured soloist. He sang several dramatic selections. Supporting him were: Mrs. Paul Danforth, Miss Alberta Bates, and Pianist Pat Black.

The program was an "outstanding success," remarked several of the listeners, who praised the ability of Mrs. Hughes as a director.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The Usher board meets Monday, 7:30 p. m. Prayer services are Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., with Rev. I. H. Harris, pastor. The youth choir practice will be Thursday, 8 p. m. Miss Beverly Johnson is president. Friday at 7 p. m., the Mission Society meets at the church. Mrs. Eva Johnson is president. Last Sunday visitors were: Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kipper and son, Roger of Mason City, Ia. Among the sick are: Mrs. Lillian Hubbard, Mercy hospital; and Mr. Samuel Johnson, at home.

Council Services Sunday at Burns

The Mothers, Stewardess and Deaconess Council will hold its services March 27, 2:30 p. m. at Burns Methodist church. Rev. James Harris will be the speaker.

Council Services At Christ Sanctified

The Mothers, Stewardess and Deaconess Council will hold its prayer meeting service Wednesday evening, March 30, at the Christ Sanctified Holy Church, 1247 McCormick street.

COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Last Sunday services were in charge of Mrs. M. Williams, Missionary S. Lee, and Bishop D. H. Cranshaw, acting pastor, and Mrs. Ada Christian, speakers. Visitors were Mrs. Sally Lee and R. Brown. March 23 the Fellowship meeting was held at 809 S. E. 27th street. Sunday, March 27, services will be in charge of Mr. W. Christian.

Plan High School Journalism Workshop At SUI June 6-11

Iowa City, Iowa.—Dates for the third annual Iowa High School Publications workshop have been set for June 6-11, under the sponsorship of the State University of Iowa School of Journalism.

The course of instruction is designed for student journalists who will be working on their high school newspapers and yearbooks during the next school year. Special instruction will be given by SUI journalism faculty members and invited authorities in the field of high school journalism. Those in attendance will receive in news, feature and column writing, copyreading and editing, photography, business management, advertising, layout, and yearbook planning and production.

Administrative Degree Team Meets March 26

The Administrative Degree team will have a practice meeting Saturday, March 26, at the home of Mrs. Gladys Brown, 933 14th street place. The Chapter of Sorrow will meet at 7 p.m., and the degree team will meet at 8:30 p.m. All members are urged to attend. Mrs. Dorothy Bush is chairman; Mrs. Gladys Brown is co-chairman.

Highlights Work Of Lincoln Post Through Years

"Negro officers met in France in January 1919 and decided against Negro servicemen's organizations," spoke Atty. James B. Morris on the night of March 15 when he addressed the American Legion's thirty-fifth anniversary dinner meeting, held by Lincoln Post and Unit No. 126, at Willkie House.

Returning to Iowa after World War I, the veterans "joined with the Legion," Lincoln Post was temporarily organized in August 1919 with Charles P. Howard as temporary chairman; then, in November of that year the permanent post was set up with James B. Morris as its first commander.

Mr. Morris revealed that Lincoln Post was represented at the first Iowa Department meeting; that the Post sponsored the first full deputy sheriff in Polk County, J. Q. Lindsay; that through the Post, the first clerk and stenographer in the first Bonus board were J. Q. Lindsey and Harriett Jones White.

Resolutions have been sponsored and adopted by two state conventions, under the sponsorship of Lincoln Post; W. T. Johnson, member of the Veterans Auditorium Commission was secured by the Post; and the Post has affiliated in many activities including child welfare drive, all parades, and in county and district organizations.

Guest soloist was Miss Maxcella Dixon. Post Commander W. T. Burns was master of ceremonies at the anniversary dinner. Mrs. Jessie Mae Edmond, past and present Unit president, introduced the hostesses.

FEAST BEGINS AT DAVID TEMPLE

The Feast of St. Joseph began Tuesday night at the David Spiritual Temple, 1729 Walker street. Evangelist Blanch J. Grayson is pastor.

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Outlaws Jimcrow In Public Parks, Beach Facilities

Richmond, Va.—The "separate but equal" doctrine which for many years has been the law and bible for the Southern courts for upholding segregation took another beating this week.

The U. S. Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals declared that racial segregation in public parks and recreational facilities is a violation of the law and that it can no longer "be sustained as a proper exercise of the police power of the state."

Near Baltimore

The ruling was rendered Monday, March 14, in the Dawson and Lone-some cases involving Jim Crow swimming and bath facilities near Baltimore and brought against the city and the state by attorneys for NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund.

The three judges, Chief Judge John

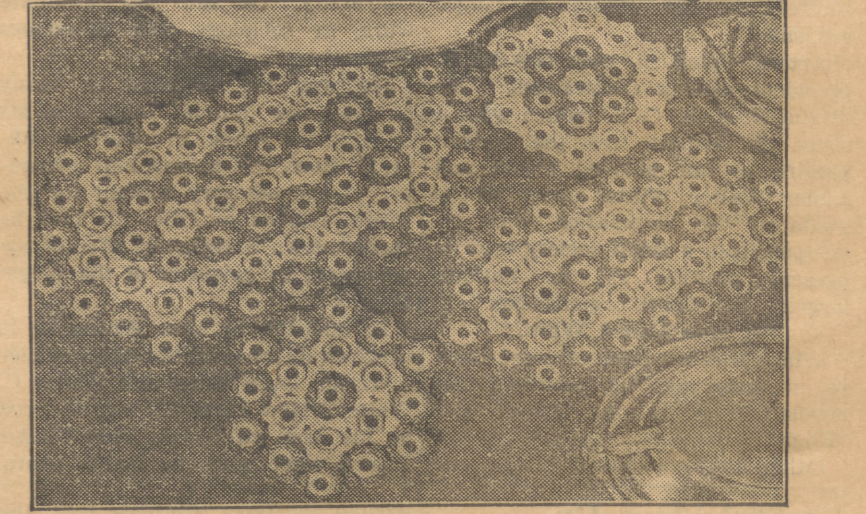
J. Parker of Charlotte, N. C., Judge Morris A. Soper of Baltimore and Judge Armistead M. Doble of Charlottesville, Va., unanimously agreed that the U. S. Supreme Court May 17th decision outlawing segregation in public schools "swept away" the authority of the Plessy v. Ferguson "separate but equal" law of the 19th century. Robert L. Carter, first Assistant Counsel, NAACP Legal Defense, argued the appeal in behalf of the Negro litigants.

Tangible Facilities

It is obvious that segregation cannot be justified as a means to preserve the public peace merely because the tangible facilities furnished to one are equal to those furnished to the others, the judges said.

They contend that the Supreme Court in the School Segregation Cases expressed the opinion that "it must consider" public education in the light of its full development and its present place in American life.

"With this in mind, it is obvious that racial segregation in recreational activities can no longer be sustained as the proper exercise of the police power of the state."



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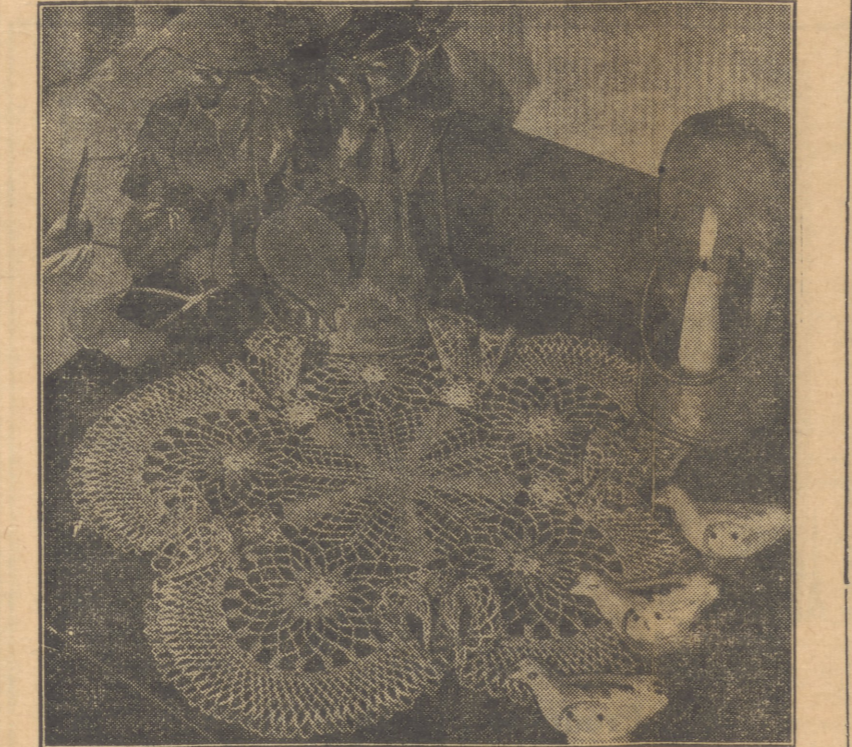
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Walter White Had Travelled More Than Million Miles; Had Made Perhaps 10,000 Public Speeches on Racial Segregation

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some of the 79 imprisoned Negro men, some of the white rioters, and even the governor of the state.

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The N. A. A. C. P. said that during his long tenure White investigated a dozen race riots and 41 lynchings.

White traveled more than a million miles. Twice he circled the world. He made perhaps 10,000 public speeches on racial discrimination.

Anti-Lynch Fight

Starting in 1934, White lobbied for passage of a federal anti-lynch law.

Each year such a law would be introduced, only to be killed by filibusters led by southern senators. It never was passed.

In 1937 he was awarded the Spingarn medal for "remarkable tact, skill and persuasiveness in lobbying for a federal anti-lynching act."

The medal was named for the Spingarn family, which took a keen interest in the rights of Negro citizens.

Arthur Spingarn, now N.A.A.C.P. president, said in a statement: "We of the N. A. A. C. P. mourn with a sense of deepest loss the sudden passing of our beloved friend and leader Walter White, under whose guidance the association was developed from a small society into its present position as the nation's largest civil rights organization."

"A Man Called White"

White was a writer of some note. As a young man he published two novels, "Fire in the Flint" and "Flight."

Other books included "Rope and

Faggot: A Biography of Judge Lynch" and his own autobiography, "A Man Called White."

White wrote prolifically, and his articles on Negro problems appeared in many of the nation's leading magazines.

During World War II he became a special war correspondent for the New York Post. His province then was reporting instances of discrimination against Negroes in the armed forces.

Although ill for the last years of his life, White was active in pressing the suit that finally resulted last year in the U. S. supreme court's ban on segregation in the public schools.

At his death, he had just returned from Haiti and Puerto Rico. He visited the Caribbean several times and had been preparing a book on the color line in that part of the world.

Many Honors

White was a graduate of Atlanta University. He did post graduate work in sociology and economics there.

He was the recipient of many honors and official appointments through the years. President Franklin D. Roosevelt named him a member of the advisory council for the Virgin Islands in 1934. In 1949 he turned down a reported offer of appointment as governor of the Virgin Islands.

In addition to Mrs. White, he is survived by two children of his earlier marriage, Jane White and Walter C. White of New York. He was divorced by his first wife, Mrs. Leah Gladys Powell, after being married 27 years.

Capital Close-Up

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move its sanction from such." Murmurs were heard that Housing officials present were not "supporting the Administration." If the murmurs were referring to "Ike," we think that the "President of all the people" would like to know the facts.

Tobias or a Bennie Mays

Urgently needed, hearings, in top policy-making positions, are solid, unscarred citizens, whose names command nation-wide respect—who are neither fire-eaters nor quibblers, who understand politics from the word "go," but are not professional politicians, thinking and planning within the limitations of political expediency. Compromise there may have to be, but it should be based on clear and dissimulated fact.

Channing Tobias of New York, or a Bennie Mays of Atlanta, on the Pennsylvania Avenue-White House-to-Capitol circuit (full-time—no more now-you-see-em-now-you-don't consultants) would not be wishing for the moon. Neither is the President a politician.

Integrated Church Group

The Rev. H. Colbert Pearson, pastor of Berean Baptist Church, president of the Ministerial Alliance (Interdenominational), and board member of the Washington Federation of Churches, headed by Dr. Frederick E. Reissig, has been elected a vice-president of the Federation.

WFC became integrated twenty years ago, in 1935, after seven years of rugged spade work by such nationally-known churchmen as the late, revered Dr. Francis Grimke, of Fifteenth Street Presbyterian, his assistant and later, successor, Dr. Hallie B. Taylor, Dr. Robert W. Brooks, of Lincoln Temple Congregational, Dr. William H. Jernagin of Mt. Carmel Baptist, and Dr. Robert Williams, of Ashbury Methodist. All four churches were admitted to the Washington Federation on December 19, 1935, and were followed, within that year, by the Rev. Earl Harrison's Shiloh Baptist, and three others. Federation membership now totals 134 churches, 40 of them Negro congregations and five religious agencies. We congratulate both the Federation and Dr. Pearson.

Archibald Carey to Housing?

Archibald Carey, clergyman-politician Plus, now out of office in Chicago, could be used effectively at Housing and Home Finance. He gave sound leadership on housing, in Chicago. Maybe some less astute folks would like a foreign post in some non-critical area.

Mrs. Stewart Back From Asia

Toledo, Ohio, businesswoman Ella P. Stewart, returned, this month, from an extended International Educational Exchange tour of the Far East, which included West Pakistan, India, Ceylon, Indonesia and the Philippines. The State Department is elated over reports of her visit that have preceded her. She will have much of interest to tell after her formal report to the State Department has been filed.

Mrs. Stewart is the first Negro

woman pharmacy graduate from the University of Pittsburgh (she and her husband, William Stewart, are druggists). She is also a graduate of Storer College, of the University of Toledo, is a past president of the National Association of Colored Women, a member of the League of Women Voters, Municipal League of Toledo, American Academy of Political and Social Science, National Council of Protestant Episcopal Churches, vice-chairman of the Pan-Pacific Women's Association. The Toledo Blade for Sunday, March 13, carried a three-column feature story on this distinguished American woman leader.

International Education Exchange and United States Information Service both look very, very good from where we sit. -More on that, later.

Roberta's Alphabet

We try not to mention the same person, twice running, but Roberta Church's office has put out a one-sheet "pamphlet" that says more about integration with fewer words and symbols than anything we have yet seen. Title: ABC's for Employers; inside, a factory silhouette, line drawings of the faces of gve workers of varied racial origins, and this corner to corner alphabet:

Always look for Best qualified workers. Choose from total labor force. Do not discriminate. Encourage integration. Fair employment policy promotes Good employee habits. Higher production goals increased use of available skills. Job security Keeps standards high, Lowers absenteeism. Maximum use of physically handicapped No artificial restrictions. Older workers' employment Proficiency of employees, Qualified workers' upgrading Regardless of race, color, creed, national origin. Safety measures, Training under supervision, Use of Veterans and Women. 'X perience shows discrimination costly and Yields no benefits. Zest for fair employment policy yields dividends.

And on the back—the names of firms with "ABC Policy." The six now listed are: Pillsbury Mills, Inc., Bradshaw Mintener, Vice President and General Counsel, International Harvester Co., Ivan L. Willis, Vice President; Hart, Shaffner and Marx, Max A. Hart; New York Telephone

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Props can be similarly used in your snapshots to tell a story that will be fun to read and re-read in the pages of your family albums for many years to come.

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You can sometimes do this candidly, but on other occasions you'll want to set-up such a picture. This will enable you to arrange the props for the best possible composition of your snapshot scene.

The picture which illustrates today's column was chosen because it brings out this point very nicely. Whether the little girl had arranged her "pupils" in exactly this fashion, or if the camera-user had a hand in it, we can't say. In either case, they are nicely arranged so that their attention—and the attention of anyone viewing the picture is neatly centered on the little girl playing teacher.

Choose the right props, and arrange them nicely to help your family snapshots tell an interesting story. —John Van Gulder

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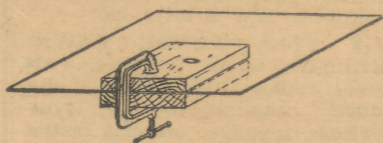
Mrs. Frealy Garrison At Mission Sunday

Mrs. Frealy Garrison of Perry, Ia., will be the principal speaker at the Interdenominational Mission, 1343 McCormick street, March 27, 3 p.m. The Rev. W. A. Robinson is pastor. Last Sunday a visit was made to Perry, Ia., with the Rev. I. Ingram. Elder E. Tindral, pastor of the Church of God in Christ, preached.



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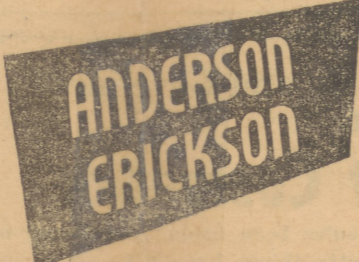
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Philip E. Jester To Head United Campaign This Fall

Philip E. Jester has been named general chairman of this year's fall fund drive of the United Campaign of Greater Des Moines. Jester replaces Wright C. Percival who accepted the position in January and then was forced to withdraw by a heart attack last month.

Upon naming Jester, United Campaign board president Miles M. Mills, Sr., also announced that A. Paul Thompson has accepted the co-chairmanship.

Jester is the insurance partner of Jester & Sons; Thompson, vice-president and treasurer of Iowa Power & Light Co. As is customary, both will serve the United Campaign as volunteers without pay.

The October drive will again be for 33 private health and welfare agencies. Included are American Cancer Society, American Red Cross, USO, Mental Health Assn., Sister Kenny Polio Foundation and 28 Community Chest groups. A goal will be set at a later date.

A graduate of Drake, Jester is assistant treasurer of the Community Chest board of trustees. He was commander of the public service division in the 1950 Chest drive and advanced gift chairman of the 1952 United Campaign.

He is vice-president of the board of Day Care Service and a former board member of Health Center—both UC agencies.

Though the Red Cross is currently conducting a nation-wide drive, no solicitation in the Greater Des Moines area will be made because the local chapter receives its funds through the United Campaign. It conducts a spring drive only in the rural areas of Polk County.

Percy Mayfield - Billiken, Apr. 9

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Do Not Scold Child For His Awkward Handling of New Baby

Written by Afton Smith, SUI Assistant Professor

A little child usually looks forward happily to having a baby in the home if we tell him in advance that it is coming. He will take pleasure in looking at the baby's layette. He likes to show the things to visitors. He calmly accepts an explanation of how the baby is born.

"The Wonderful Story of How You Were Born" is one of the newest and best books for parents on how to give a child an explanation of birth. It is written by Mrs. S. M. Gruenberg and published by Hanover House, Garden City, N. Y.)

After the baby arrives, the older child needs all the attention and affection possible, in spite of the exacting demands of the new baby on the mother's time, for loss of close contact with mother is a desperate loss to the little child. Jealousy thrives on this loss.

Others Can Help

Daddy and the other adults in the home can help. They can give special attention to the older child when the mother is busy with the baby. This is better than when everybody concentrates on the baby and forgets the little "nose that is out of joint."

Instead of hands off, why not give the child a willing share in the care of the baby? Let him hold it under careful supervision. It is an honor to hand mother the soap and sprinkle on the talcum after the baby's bath. He may begin to take an interest in this new experience which has come into his life. Do not scold him for his awkward handling of the baby.

Jealousy arises in many children in spite of all these precautions. But the child has a better chance to out-grow his jealousy if he is treated with understanding. Remember, jealousy is an unhappy experience for the child. He is not jealous by choice.

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DINNER AT EIGHT SOCIETY

Mrs. Rufus Spates Has Birthday Party For Daughter, Peggy

Mrs. Rufus Spates of 1356 E. 17th street court gave a birthday party for her daughter, Peggy Marie Spates, who celebrated her fifth birthday Sunday, March 20.

The guests included Marsha Lou Fant, Kathy Williams, Melanie Payne, Kathy and Dorothy Ann Hearold, Carlotta Brewer, Ricky and Ronnie Ramsey, Dennis Taylor, Eric and Robert Hyde.

The afternoon was spent playing games, recording and watching T. V. Peggy received many gifts.

Michael Roper Feted At Birthday Party

Mrs. Velma Phillips, 1115 Eighth street entertained her son, Michael Roper at a birthday party last Sunday afternoon celebrating his sixth anniversary. Twelve guests attended the party which was held at the home of the child's grandmother, Mrs. Roberta McLendon, 1334 Jefferson street. He received many gifts.

Mary Ann Holmes Entertains 20 Guests at Birthday Party

Mary Ann Holmes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Holmes of 1328 Jefferson, entertained twenty friends at her thirteenth birthday party, Friday night, March 18, at her home.

Records, refreshments, games and dancing were enjoyed by Karen and Linda Frazier, Shirlene Bell, Rosemary Johnson, Norma Jean Jackman, Shellah Williams, Donna Bell, Paula Propes, Madelyn Smith, Angeline Wilcots, Larry Crawford, Wesley Burrell, Harold and Leroy Holmes, Gary and Vernon Johnson, George Manuel, Tommy Randall, Michael Parkey and John Skipper.

Au Fait Club to Meet March 29

Mrs. Mary Frances Watts, 1169 14th street, formerly of St. Louis, Mo., is a new member of the Au Fait club. The next meeting will be March 29 with Mrs. Emma Williamson, 1157 14th street place.

La Mesa Club to Meet March 28

La Mesa club will meet March 28 with Mrs. Fannie Danforth, 1219 Laurel street. The last meeting was with Mrs. Gladys Brown, 933 14th street place. Mrs. Maybell Jefferson is reporter.



Personal Touch
By **MARIE ROSS**

Girls in the "Easter Seal Bunny Brigade," riding in pink and white convertible cars through the downtown streets Monday, to remind people of the door-to-door "Easter Seal Parade" that night, included 60 high school girls from Des Moines, West Des Moines and Ankeny. (Left to right in car above) are Ieta Parker, Ann Crain, Joyce Gustafson, Skaidrite Ruvalds, Marlene Olson. (Photo Courtesy of Des Moines Tribune).

which ranks as a medicine and purifier of the finest sort, is one, which, though the stigma is now removed among gourmards and in polite circles, is under the ban in ordinary circles. The virtues of the onion render it a pharmacopaeic in the onion. Eaten raw, with or without vinegar, it is the most effective purifier of the blood known.

And, the editor of the "Household Department" in 1885, had more to say about the value of the onion:

"As a toilet prescription, it will do as much to refine the complexion, renew the hair and remove spots as anyone article known.

"More people like its piquant flavor, indispensable in all high class cookery, than care to own a preference they suppose ungentle. But there need be no hesitation in eating onions freely, since the use of a tooth brush and a dose of charcoal, always good in itself, or a chewing of some roasted coffee remove the odor.

"The only care to be observed is, that as onions absorb impurities very quickly, they should be kept in a dry place where there is pure air, not in musty cellars or closets, with decaying provisions or sour milk. To get their full benefit, raw onions and their young shoots should be eaten at breakfast, as a salad, with bread and butter," concluded the "Household Department" editor.

Continued the recipe book collector: "I am going to give one or two old fashioned recipes for spring biters, which homemade, of fresh roots and simples, are better than expensive medicines, and have special virtues for the complexion."

One of them he referred to as "Alternative Bitters, Cheap and Good," and this was his recipe: "Put one ounce of yellow dock root (narrow

Winthrop Club to Hold Teen Age Charm Series

The Winthrop Club will hold a call meeting April 3 at the home of Mrs. Venita Wells, 1081 12th street. Plans will be completed for the Easter Formal. The first Teen Age Charm Series sponsored by the club will be held at Willkie House March 28, 7:30 p. m. The topic will be: "Teen Age Clothes and Jewelry."

Fiesta Club to Celebrate Birthday of Mrs. Lena Hall

Mrs. Margaret Jacobs entertained Fiesta club members and guests last Friday night at her home. A birthday celebration for Mrs. Lena Mae Hall will be held at her home, Friday, March 25, at 1054 Enos. An April Fool party will be held April 1 at the home of Mrs. George Diggs, 1313 Park street, Saturday at 8 p. m. The club will hold its next meeting April 9. Mrs. Louise Williams is reporter.

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority's Annual 'Jabberwock' March 31 at Jewish Center

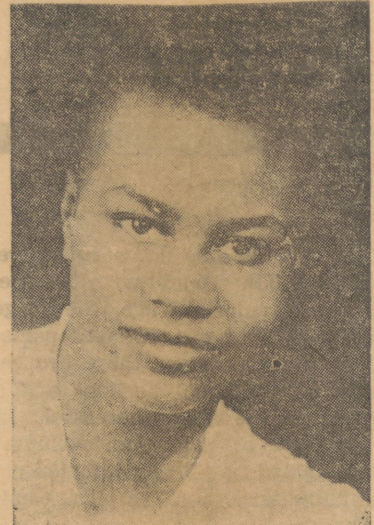
Nightly rehearsals are being held by members of Phi chapter, Delta Sigma Theta, national collegiate sorority, for their annual "Jabberwock," March 31, 8 p. m., at the Jewish Community Center, Eighth and Forest streets.

Proceeds from this benefit go into Phi chapter's fund to provide scholarships for the education of deserving students.

Several ten minute acts will be presented. Each will emphasize a poem. Good comedy, and a carefully planned pantomime will be included.

Judges will grade on theme presentation, skill and costumes. The Patroness club members will assist, as wardrobe mistresses, selling candy and tickets.

Posters, at various places, advertising the entertainment were made by the pledges and placed by the publicity chairmen, Mrs. Guy E. Greene and Mrs. Norman R. Olphin. Advertising has been under the supervision of Mrs. G. B. Tucker and tickets in charge of Mrs. M. Joan Bullock.



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'Easter Seal Bunny Brigade Rides' Through Town



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Civic Music Group's Membership Drive Opens March 28

The Civic Music Association of Des Moines will conduct its annual membership campaign the week of March 28 from headquarters located at the Polk County Federal Savings and Loan at 7th and High Streets, according to an announcement by the president, Mrs. Paul W. Hintz.

The Association is a non-profit cooperative organization which brings to Des Moines great artists of international reputation.

Admission to these concerts is by membership card only; anyone interested may join the association by paying the amount of the annual dues—adults \$6.00 and Juniors \$3.00 during the one membership week.

Silhouettes Have Celebration

The Des Moines Silhouettes met last Friday with a St. Patrick's celebration, at the home of Mrs. Paula Morton, 1116 Ninth street. Members had an earring gift exchange.

Make Door-to-Door Canvass

In the army of men and women who braved Monday night's wintry weather to canvass Des Moines and Ankeny homes in an "Easter Seal Parade," were many workers in District No. 9 which was headed by Gilbert Randle and Dan Becker.

The society is trying to raise \$25,000 for use in the new Easter Seal Treatment Center, 2920 Thirtieth street, for contributions to the Polk County Society for Crippled Children and Adults.

About \$15,000 was estimated as the total of collections.

District No. 3 solicited \$890. Workers included: Mesdames Commodore Hendricks, Guy E. Greene, Iva Mae Hayes, Mabel M. Mason, Catherine Shelton, Jennie W. Foster, Leon Jones, Archie Davis, E. A. Gaiters, Hazel Kinney, Marie Louise Sprague, Margaret Russell, Frank Kelly, Leonard Wade, Ola Harris, Clara Kemp, Florence Young, Carrie Randle, Ethel Collins, the Misses Lenna Reeves, Joan Randle, Chairman Miller, Gail Winters; and Messrs. Charlie Gilbride, William L. Bell, Johnnie Jackson, Elmer Martin, William Martin, Garland Hagar, Jr., Spedo Kakor, A. Hartman and Captain Hathaway.

Leontyne Price Featured On NBC's "Entertainment 1955"

Philadelphia.—Soprano Leontyne Price, famous for her role of "Tosca," will be featured in the 90-minute Spectacular, "Entertainment 1955," which will herald the opening of NBC's Color City in Burbank, Calif. Headliners Milton Berle, Dinah Shore, Judy Holiday and Dennis Day will also be starred in the show telecast in RAC-developed compatible color TV March 27.

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Bill Anderson to Emcee 'Varieties'



KWDM'S ANNOUNCER BILL ANDERSON

Bill Anderson, KWDM's popular announcer, has been selected as the master of ceremonies for the "Olympian Varieties of '55" to be held April 15 at the Hoyt Sherman Auditorium.

Mr. Anderson, widely known on the air for his "Ebony Hour" program, will emcee more than 30 stellar acts that will include everything from "Magic to Mambo."

The show will be supported by the Cecil Brewton Quintet, featuring, Harold Flax, virtuoso of the har-

monica and Ellsworth Brown, piano stylist.

Competition for cash awards in both the junior and senior divisions of the "Talent On Review" section promises to be hotly contested with versatile performers from all over the city taking part.

Advance sale tickets for the "Olympian Varieties" are now available at the New Utica, Bell & Holbert Pharmacy, Welcome Inn, Trotters Cafe, Tolson's Record Shop and the Metropolitan Drug.

To illustrate the role played by opera in television, Miss Price will be seen in an excerpt from the "Tosca" performance recently staged by the NBC Opera Company. Josh Wheeler, who sang the role of Scarpis will also be viewed in this segment from Verdi's work.

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Theodosia Court Grand Officers

Mrs. Marjorie Lewis of Fort Madison, Ia., grand royal matron of the R. E. O. A., and Mr. M. E. Whitlock of Sioux City, Ia., grand royal patron, were entertained Sunday, March 20 by members of Theodosia Court No. 5, R. E. O. A., at the Masonic Hall. Mrs. Lewis was accompanied by her husband, Ben Lewis, and Mrs. Mary Majors, past grand royal matron of Keokuk, Ia.

Other members present were: Mr. and Mrs. Hancock and Mr. Ed Askew and M. F. Askew from Sioux City, Mesdames Helen Johnson, Martha Warn and Evelyn Wilder from Marshalltown and Mrs. Mary Freels from Clinton.

Addresses were given from both grand officers. Following the meeting a reception was held. Mrs. Lewis was presented a gift from the members of Theodosia Court by Past Royal Matron Helen T. Carter and Mr. Whitlock. Presentation was

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MR. HARTMAN ILL

Mr. L. E. Hartman of 791 Thirteenth street is ill at Broadlawn's General Hospital.

Deluxe Club to Meet March 24

The Deluxe Club will meet, Thursday, March 24, for the monthly potluck at the home of Mrs. Mary Monroe, reporter, 1059 9th street.

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WALTER WHITE— A GIFT TO AMERICA

Eras in history have somehow produced men who arose to the occasion and led the people to victory. Sometimes the old grim reaper steps in before that victory is complete but the pattern is so well laid that successors find the path less difficult to tread.

This may well be said of the late President Lincoln; equally so of Walter White, executive secretary of the NAACP, who died in New York Monday evening.

Mr. White came to the organization when it was comparatively young; when the evils it was organized to combat held considerable sway over this country. Lynchings and mob violence were still prevalent in America, segregation in a large section of the country even outside the South was the accepted practice; Negro labor found it difficult to break through the net which barred them from decent employment throughout the country; Negroes were excluded from jury duty in the South; Negroes were barred from obtaining graduate school education in the South; Negro teachers with the same training and experience were paid less than white teachers in the South; Negroes were railroaded through criminal courts in the South without the protection guaranteed by the constitution of the United States; separate but equal public school education did not violate the constitution; the revived Ku Klux Klan was on the ascendancy.

This presented a herculean task requiring the leadership of one with education, tact, courage, convictions, endurance, faith and a will to follow through in order to accomplish the desired end.

All these attributes Walter White had for he traveled over the country year in and out providing dynamic leadership for those who worked with him. He did not fear to go in the lion's den to carry on the fight as evidenced by his blistering speeches even in the bitter racial territory, before hostile public officials in Washington and elsewhere, in communities where mob violence was being carried on often sacrificing his own safety and health. And out of and from them all he won the respect of even those who opposed him.

As a memorial, the record speaks for itself for one fight after another, whenever the rights of minorities had been denied, has been won and today they stand nearer to a position as first class citizenship than ever some of the most hopeful workers thought would happen in their time.

Walter White gained great heights because he accomplished his objectives. Leaders all over the world sought his advice and guidance. What he had to say carried weight with presidents and other world leaders. And as such, he has left a position which will not be filled easily.

Here in Iowa, where he visited frequently, he enjoyed a strong following as evidenced by the tenacity with which NAACP branches have been maintained and funds raised to further the fight for civil rights both here and in other parts of the nation.

The greatest tribute his friends can give will be the continuation of the fight he so well led for over a quarter of a century all aimed to make democracy a way of life both in theory and practice; a democracy spelled out in the fourteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

Walter White will be missed, for the footprints he left in the sands of time will never be erased and he himself must have died in the feeling that "I've done my work, I'm going home."

**HELPING TO MAKE
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Several years ago, the Bystander said Des Moines should relieve the Des Moines Railway Company of the obligation of paying the city a percentage of its revenue for tax.

The company pays on the assessed value of its property as well as auto license for the buses. Besides the company, like most city transit firms, was in financial difficulty and to overtax it because the institution was a large corporation, was foolish and worked against the best interest of the community. And the fellows who insisted on squeezing water out of the stock felt that the company was not playing square with the city.

Senator O'Malley has introduced a bill in the legislature which would permit the city to waive this tax. Just who prompted such a measure the Bystander does not know but it certainly makes sense.

This week the new company announced that it lost money last year. It will continue to do so as long as its operation is viewed in the light of transportation of 50 years ago.

If the people wish public transportation, they might as well make up their minds to help pay for it whether they ride street cars or not. And the company must be considered in the

light of what it spends in the community as well as what it takes in. Certainly this move to permit the city to waive this oppressive tax is a step in the right direction.

Monday, the legislature passed a measure repealing the blue laws which made it a misdemeanor to dance, play baseball, fish or hunt on Sunday; it was also illegal to engage in prizefighting. For years all of these laws have been violated which made enforcement simply a farce.

Dr. Carey Speaks

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On three objectives: They intend to have an organization of nations; they want peace, and they want "equality in freedom." "Whether they choose our democracy and its form of freedom depends upon whether they can be convinced of our sincerity. The alternative is the form of government offered by Soviet Russia."

Three Objectives

"With our nation pleading its cause before a world-wide jury, we fail to realize that the jury includes 374 colored nations," he pointed out. "Their knowledge is remarkably accurate. They always know about 'Cicero incidents' and lynchings."

Praises Burlington

In opening his address Dr. Carey had warm praise for the outstanding record of accomplishment in human relations, "achieved by Burlington, and asserted that if comparisons of communities were made on the basis of strides made in anti-discrimination, "Burlington should stand near the top in the nation."

A near-capacity audience attended the program, which also included an organ prelude by Mrs. Irvin Stein, an invocation by Rabbi Barry H. Greene and a vocal solo by Brandon Mehrle, accompanied by Judith Davis. William S. Cahill made the announcements, and the Rev. W. H. Ogleton, pastor of St. Johns AME church, introduced the speaker.

Choral numbers were sung by the choirs of St. Paul Roman Catholic church and the combined choirs of St. John AME and Union Baptist churches. Directors were Mrs. Sherman Smith and Mrs. Edna Nelson, and accompanists were Mary Ann Schroeder and Bartlett Wilkerson.

Oak Street Junior high school students presented a choral reading under the direction of Lena Eckhardt and Mrs. M. C. Ellerbroek. Mrs. Raymond H. Willis led community singing and Father Gerald Hoenig pronounced the benediction.

The program was sponsored by 11 organizations and agencies headed by the Inter-Faith Council.

Dillard University Holds Memorial Service For Henson

New Orleans, La.—Dillard University cited the achievements of the late Matthew A. Henson Tuesday March 15, in a memorial service. Henson was the co-discoverer of the North Pole and had been honored at Dillard University by the naming of the gymnasium-auditorium for him.

In speaking of Mr. Henson's work, President Albert W. Dent called him "an outstanding explorer, scientist, and conquerer of the arctic wastes." Dr. Dent noted that the University cited Mr. Henson on May 29, 1950 at a public dedication ceremony. The citation read in brief "He braved the unknown, pushed back the barriers of man's ignorance, and gave to modern civilization the knowledge required for the mastery of nature under her most hostile aspects. He demonstrated that high endeavor and patriotic service are not conditional upon race or color. His courage, perseverance, and achievement will forever remain an inspiration to the youth of the world."

Mr. Henson died in New York City last week at the age of 88.

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Take a Deep Breath

We don't think much about breathing. Our lungs usually work for us without conscious orders from the brain. It is only when breathing becomes difficult that we stop to think of the complicated and delicate structure on which we depend for life itself.

So delicate is the fabric that the pressure of a small amount of air can cause a lung to collapse. The lung cavity is protected by the strong bony cage of the ribs, but sometimes a disease such as tuberculosis, a tissue defect, or a wound will allow air, blood, or pus to get into the space around the lung and force it to collapse.

Even when one lung is partly or totally collapsed, a person can get on reasonably well with the other. In treating tuberculosis, a lung is sometimes collapsed to allow it to rest, and so give the diseased parts a chance to heal. For many years lung collapse, either temporary by forcing air into the lung cavity, or permanent by removing part of the

SPORTS

BY ALLEN ASHBY

It has begun to look as if Negroes are making basketball their national game. In both the National Invitational Meet and the National Collegiate A. A. meet the three outstanding performers were Negroes and all three in each meet made the all-tourney team. In the N. I. T. meet, Duquesne's pair of Dick Ricketts and Si Green scored practically all the points the Dukes made as they swept to the title.

The outstanding player was Maurice Stokes of St. Francis. Then in the N. C. A. A. meet that Iowa went to, Big Bill Russell of San Francisco left little doubt that he is the nation's number one basketball player. And, he is only a junior. Of course, La Salle's great Tom Gola cinched second place behind Russell. Some called Russell the greatest thing they had ever seen. And on the all tourney team were three Negroes. Russell and Jones and Iowa's Carl Cain.

Bert McGrane said that of the twenty starting players in the meet, six were Negroes.

What happened to Iowa? Our guess is that the Hawks wore themselves out winning the Big Ten title and had just about one more good game left. They played that against LaSalle and it wasn't quite enough. The independent teams don't have that pressure and so can come to the meet as their season's climax. Oh yes, LaSalle had a guy named Lewis who was tough.

In high schools, two Negro schools, Roosevelt of Gary, Ind., and Crispus Attucks of Indianapolis, played for the Hoosier State title with Attucks the winner.

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Tennessee Governor

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The local bills were introduced after the Senate Calendar Committee tabled a bill containing the same provisions and introduced by Senator Stainback on January 17. This original bill would have applied to the entire state. At public hearings on the bill, 19 white persons spoke in behalf of it. Fifteen Negroes and three white persons spoke against it. Speaking for the NAACP was the Rev. J. F. Grimmett of Nashville, president of the state organization. The Rev. Mr. Grimmett later urged the Governor to veto the local bills and also rallied other organizations to take a stand against the attempt to perpetuate segregation in Tennessee's public schools.

Change Proposed

Meanwhile, another bill amending the state teacher tenure law has been introduced. This bill ostensibly designed as an anti-communist measure, would require teachers to sign a loyalty oath. Hidden in the text of the bill is a provision giving local school boards the power and authority to assign teachers to any school they see fit. The bill is now in the Senate Calendar Committee.

Hammer Over Heads

Leaders of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in Tennessee are opposing this amendment because they see it as a device which might be used to eliminate Negro teachers as "not suitable or compatible for mixed or

Just Wanted To Show His Dog A Squirrel

While riding herd on the annual spring goose flight, conservation officer Dick Jacobson of Onawa watched a man walk down a Missouri River levee with a shotgun and a dog.

As Jacobson moved toward the hunter the man aimed his shotgun at some flying ducks, but luckily didn't fire.

When the officer finally reached the hunter he asked "What're you doing, sir? Trying for a duck dinner?"

"Nope; I'm hunting squirrels."

"Didn't you know squirrel season was closed?"

"Well, I'm not exactly hunting squirrels," came the answer. "I just wanted to show some to my dog so he'd know what they looked like . . ."

Team Standings For 40 & 8 League

The 40 & 8 Bowling League team standings for the week of March 20 in the following order: Estes & Son, Metropolitan Drug, NuWay Cleaners, Lincoln Post, Garrison-Jones, Hardaway's Barber Shop, Gray Brothers Barber Shop and Welcome Inn Tavern.

Federal Court

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sult in making Levitt and Sons, Inc. of New York, the government of the United States the builder or developer of the Levittown project," Judge Kirkpatrick proclaimed.

Subject To Control

Legal Defense lawyers argued further that Levitt, as developer of Levittown, is subject to the control and supervision of various officials and agencies of the Commonwealth schools, sewage, water mains, etc. in effect, a municipality of Pennsylvania and a part of the state. Judge Kirkpatrick dismissed this point by saying "it is too far fetched to require discussion."

Legal Defense attorneys do not consider the dismissal a defeat in their case against Levitt. Mrs. Constance Baker Motley, Associate Counsel of NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund said the case will be appealed. Other attorneys for the Negroes are Thurgood Marshall, Director Counsel of Legal Defense, Walter A. Gay, Jr. and David E. Pinsky of Philadelphia.

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