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## THURGOOD MARSHALL MAKES PLEA:

# 'Deep South Showing Its Hand'

Miss Ross, Feature Writer, Greeted at Camp McCoy



Camp McCoy, Wis. — Miss Marie Ross, feature writer and news editor of Iowa Bystander, Des Moines, Ia. is greeted by Colonel James B. Macdougall (right), Deputy Post Commander, Camp McCoy, Wis., as she arrived at the McCoy Airfield. In center is Brigadier General James H. Myers, assistant division command-

er, 103rd Reserve Division. Miss Ross was one of a party of thirty-six radio and press personnel who paid a two-day visit to Iowa Reserve units of the 103rd "Cactus" Division presently undergoing summer training at Camp McCoy. The troops from Iowa are part of the estimated 40,000 Reserve and National Guard expected to train at

Camp McCoy this summer. They are being supported by 3,000 Regular Army troops under the direction of Major General P. D. Ginder, commanding general of Camp McCoy who assumed command of Headquarters Fifth Army, Chicago, Ill., last week end. (U. S. Army Photograph).

## Capital Case-Up From Washington

BY CONSTANCE DANIEL  
Lily-White Bar Group Challenged  
Washington, D. C. — Former Dee Cee Municipal Judge James A. Cobb scathingly termed the District of Columbia Bar Association "one of the most backward organizations in the Capital, and one of the most backward in the United States," following the Association's third rejection of Negro membership, via mail referendum concluded August 4.

"This association is not representative of the people, and the President of the United States should not select members of the judiciary, which has to pass on the rights of all people, from a body which asserts its prejudice by the exclusion of Negro members," said Judge Cobb.

The District Bar Association, which refused to announce the results of the vote cast in its latest referendum until its October Board meeting, missed integration by eighteen votes in the second referendum rejection. Liberals in the District Bar Association who sought to end racial exclusion included Robert McLaughlin, now a member of the Board of District Commissioners, U. S. Court of Appeals Judge Walter M. Bastian, Judge Bastian chairs the American Bar Association's Committee on American Citizenship, which is now urging the annual ABA convention to support Congressional legislation citing differences between the American and Communist way of life.

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In a letter to W. W. Law, acting president of the Georgia State NAACP, Mr. Current asserted:

"The backing down on the part of the Board, and especially on the part of Attorney General Eugene Cook, upon whose advice the Board acted in the first place, is an outgrowth of the adverse public reaction engendered by the Board's misguided attempt to deprive Negro teachers of their livelihood simply because they support the NAACP's effort to uphold the Constitution of the United States.

"As the result of the thoughtless and crude attempts of opposition leaders to frighten and intimidate Negroes into forsaking the NAACP, our program is gaining wide support in the South. We are encouraged by the fact that many church leaders such as Bishop Randolph R. Claiborne, Jr., Protestant Episcopal Bishop of North Georgia, spoke out against the Board and in support of compliance with the decisions of the Supreme Court. The NAACP has many more supporters among church, social and labor groups than the opposition is willing to admit."

## Presiding Bishop



BISHOP G. W. BABER

Bishop George W. Baber of Detroit, Mich., will preside over the thirty-fifth annual AME conference here Aug. 30 to Sept. 4, at the St. Paul AME Church, Twelfth and Crocker streets.

## Presiding Elders



REV. C. H. COPELAND

Rev. C. H. Copeland of Cedar Rapids, Ia., is host-presiding elder of the Des Moines district.



REV. NELSON PRYOR

Rev. Nelson Pryor of Minneapolis, Minn., is presiding elder of the St. Paul (Minn.) district.

## Seeks Bishop's Post



REV. GEORGE A. SINGLETON

Rev. George A. Singleton of Philadelphia, Pa., a general officer of the AME church, editor of the AME Review, a candidate for the AME bishopric in 1956, will attend annual conference here.

## Says NAACP Is Unable to Meet Heavily Financed Challenges Without Help

BY THURGOOD MARSHALL

New York—Last year when the U. S. Supreme Court decided that racial segregation in public education violated the Constitution, Negroes throughout the country were elated.

Few realized that this decision came about only after years and years of hard work by many, including large groups of volunteer lawyers and social scientists.

### Thousands Spent

Few realized the several hundred thousands spent on expenses in these cases.

Hardly anyone ever paused to consider the threats and intimidations against the parents of the school children involved. Most Americans simply took all of this for granted.

Now, after the last decision in these cases, the deep South is again showing its hand.

At least two Negroes in Mississippi have been killed for insisting on the right to vote.

White Citizens' Councils are cropping up all over the South, determined to destroy all economic advantages for Negroes.

Governors and attorneys general have said repeatedly that they will litigate this matter for fifty or a hundred years.

### Resist Court Laws

Louisiana has appropriated \$100,000 to resist court actions in that state. Other states have assigned six to fifty lawyers to oppose cases in their states. Negro teachers are being intimidated and discharged.

You have read about these and other challenges in your own newspapers. You have felt sorry for these



THURGOOD MARSHALL

people. You are sure that the NAACP will meet these ever increasing challenges.

Again, you are taking it as a matter of course because the NAACP has never let you down.

I have news for you: We will not be able to meet these challenges unless we get the money to do it.

We have always had difficulty meeting our regular budgets. We cannot meet this heavily financed new assault unless you step into your pockets—and do it now!

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## Alexander Resigns Virgin Islands Post Because of Ill Health; W. Gordon Named

Fraser, Colo. — President Eisenhower August 17 accepted the resignation of Archie A. Alexander of Des Moines, governor of the Virgin Islands; and, Friday, August 19, picked Walter A. Gordon, Berkeley, Calif., attorney, to fill the post.

Mr. Gordon has served as president of the Alameda County (Cal.) unit of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People for 16 years.

The resignation, effective Sept. 1, was announced at the president's vacation headquarters here.

In his letter of resignation, dated August 10, Alexander asked to be relieved because of "urgent admonitions of my medical advisers that my health no longer is sufficiently strong to meet the challenging responsibilities and apparent physical strains of carrying on my administration." He said no other situation would have persuaded him to resign.

Demonstrations have been staged recently in the islands against Alexander's policies.

### Ike Concerned

In accepting the resignation, Mr. Eisenhower wrote Alexander that he for him to step aside.

"Your report from your medical advisers causes me concern," the president said.

He added that he was "aware of the heavy responsibilities that were imposed on you in instituting the re- view was sorry to learn the state of the governor's health made it necessary forms and reorganization of the island government."

Alexander, 67, was the first Republican governor appointed for the Virgin Islands since civil government was established there in 1931.

He has been under fire in the islands for several months and said recently that he had faced a "hostile legislature" throughout his term of office, which began in 1953.

### Major Charges

Leaders of the opposition to Alexander have been Earle B. Otley, vice-president of the 11-man legislature, and C. I. O. Labor Leader Norman Chelquist. Their major charges have been:

1. That Alexander ignored local men in choosing department heads and advisers.
2. That he shut down the legislature by vetoing a \$62,000 appropriation for legislative expenses.

To these charges Alexander replies that five of his nine commissioners for the islands are from that area and that the appropriation voted for

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## Rites Held for Mrs. Fern E. Carpenter

Services for Mrs. Fern E. Carpenter, 44, of 1240 Sampson street, were held August 20 at Estes & Son Chapel, with burial in Glendale Cemetery.

Mrs. Carpenter died August 16 at her home after an illness of three days.

Born in Moberly, Mo., she had lived at Pershing, Iowa, before coming to Des Moines four years ago.

Surviving are her husband, Archie Carpenter; a daughter, Jammie Carpenter; and three step-daughters, Mrs. Annette Rumber of Pershing, and Mrs. Stella J. Williams and Mrs. Mildred Carpenter, both of Pasadena, California.

## India's Ambassador Taken For Negro, Asked to Leave Texas Airport Dining Hall

Houston, Tex. — Because a restaurant supervisor thought they were Negroes, India's ambassador to the United States and his secretary were asked to leave the public dining room of a swank eating place here Monday.

Mrs. Mary Alley, the supervisor, was reported by a witness to have said she asked the pair to take service in a small private dining room. "The law's the law," Mrs. Alley was quoted as saying.

If they had refused to move, the witness quoted Mrs. Alley as saying, "I would have had to have them moved."

The witness, Houston Public Relations Counsel Frank Gibler, said he was told by Mrs. Alley that she "thought they were Negroes."

At Washington, D. C., a state department spokesman said an official apology was being telegraphed to Ambassador G. L. Mehta, and also to the Indian government in New Delhi, under the signature of Secretary of State Dulles.

Houston Mayor Roy Hofheinz also apologized by telegram "in the be-

and white people in the same room. Houston's contract with the federal government, however, bans discrimination at the International Airport where the incident occurred in the Horizon House restaurant.

The Houston Post said Tuesday that at least six witnesses told of hearing Mrs. Alley ask Ambassador Mehta, and his secretary, B. A. Rajagopalan, to leave the dining room.

The ambassador and his secretary looked at each other, smiled and complied. They made no protest and followed Mrs. Alley into a small dining room back of the cashier's cage. (Ambassador Mehta, in Mexico

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## Little Speller's Winnings on CBS Now \$16,000

New York, N. Y. — Little Gloria Lockerman, a champion speller from Baltimore, Ohio, Tuesday night piled up her television quiz show winnings to \$16,000 by spelling this entire sentence.

"The belligerent astigmatic anthropologist annihilated innumerable chrysanthemums."

The 12-year-old Negro girl had almost no trouble with the tricky words. Next week she can try for the \$32,000 on the CBS program, "The \$64,000 Question."

Because of Gloria's age, her grandmother, Mrs. Bertha Key, will decide whether the girl should continue.

If she tries for \$32,000 next week and misses, she gets a consolation prize of \$4,000 the final week. All her winnings will be kept in a trust fund for her education and until she comes of age.

## Georgia's Action Rescinding Purge Hailed as Victory

New York — The NAACP took favorable note Aug. 18 of the action of the Georgia State Board of Education earlier last week rescinding resolutions aimed at teachers who belong to the NAACP or who in any way approve of school integration.

The education board's move was described by Glover B. Current, NAACP director of branches, as "a major victory for the (Georgia NAACP) State Conference and other citizens in (Georgia) who openly opposed the Board of Education's ridiculous action."

## Delegates Here Tuesday at St. Paul A. M. E. Church for 35th Annual Conference

The thirty-fifth annual conference of the Fourth Episcopal District of the AME Church will convene here August 30 through Sept. 4 at the St. Paul AME church, 12th and Crocker streets, with the Rt. Rev. George W. Baber of Detroit, Mich., presiding, and the Rev. John E. Hunter, as host pastor.

Presiding elders are the Rev. Nelson Pryor of the St. Paul (Minn.) district; and the Rev. C. H. Copeland of Cedar Rapids, of the Des Moines district.

The conference program will get underway Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, when the Self-Denial department will have charge of the services with Evangelist (Mrs.) Orzealyea Roberson presiding. Guest speaker will be Mrs. Lucille Thomas of Chicago, Ill., superior of the Women's Department of the Fourth Episcopal District.

Awards will be presented by

Evangelist Roberson to the church and missionary society of the conference which during the year has raised the largest amount in the Self-Denial department.

### Banquet for Guests

The annual conference guests will be honored at a banquet Wednesday evening, 6:30 o'clock, served by the St. Paul Usherettes. Greeting the guests will be members of the Hostess club with Mrs. Muriel DeSleet president.

Miss Eleanor J. Woodcock, executive secretary of the Fourth Episcopal District of Christian Education, will hold a religious institute each morning at 9 o'clock during the conference. Devotions at each session will be under the supervision of Mrs. Sally Churchill of Indianapolis, Ind.

The annual conference will open Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. Holy

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## White Youth Wins Elks National Oratorical Contest

Atlantic City, N. J. — The first white youth ever to reach the finals for the national oratorical contest of the Improved Benevolent Protective Order of Elks of the World, a Negro lodge, Monday won the first prize. He was William Linsenmeyer, 17, of Phoenix, Ariz.

### Texas Law

Texas law forbids serving Negroes

**Fort Dodge, Ia.**

BY C. L. HOUSE

Fort Dodge, Ia.—Mrs. S. D. Horn and her grandson, Billie left August 19 for Los Angeles, Cal., to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Shelby and to return Billie after his long stay here. Mrs. Horn said it might be Christmas before she returns home. Miss Vivian Horn has returned here from Chicago, Ill., where she went on business regarding an auto accident sometime ago. Miss Connie Horn was home from Omaha, Nebr., last week end to see her mother before she left for the West coast.

**Correction, Excuse Me!**

It was Mrs. Louise Robinson of this city who appeared on the Women's Day program at Bethel AME church in Omaha, Neb. Mr. Chester Lofton and Mrs. Cora Harper are employed at US Gypsum Company, instead of the U. S. Government.

In the Hazelwood story it was Mr. Bluford Hazelwood, Beg Pardo.

**On Vacation**

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Wells, Sr., and family are on a three weeks Eastern vacation with a sister of Mrs. Wells in Brooklyn, N. Y., and another sister who resides in the state of Connecticut. When the Wells left here their first stop, en route East, was in Omaha, where their son, Marshall, Jr., made the trip in his car. When they return, a daughter, Miss Memmie Wells, who has been staying with her aunt in Connecticut, will return with her parents. Our guess is that the Fort Dodgers and Omaha relation are having a good time.

Coppin Chapel AME church, 151 Central Ave., Rev. LeRoy Patterson, pastor: Sunday School, 10:30 a. m. Next topic, "A New Start," with Mrs. Lillian Lewis, Supt. Regular services at 11:30 a. m. Women's Missionary Society meets Wednesday 2 p. m.

Second Baptist church, 1827 4th Ave., So., Rev. Wm. Scott, pastor: Sunday School, 10:30 a. m. Mrs. Irene Fox, Supt. Regular worship at 11:30 a. m. Home Mission society meets the second Tuesday monthly, at 7:15 p. m. The Seeds of Kindness Auxiliary meets Thursday, 7 p. m., with Mrs. Malisa Howard, president.

**To Annual Conference**

The Rev. LeRoy Patterson, pastor of Coppin Chapel AME church is giving final attention to his ministerial duties here before going to Des Moines next week to attend annual conference at St. Paul AME church, 12th & Crocker streets. There is still time to pay Dollar Money.

**SNACK TIME, U. S. A.**



SNACK TIME IS APT TO BE MOST ANYTIME. It's part of the hospitality of American homes to offer refreshments when friends come to call.

A quick and informal snack, but guaranteed to please the most sophisticated tastes, are these Crabmeat on a Bun open-faced sandwiches. They have the advantage of being made with ingredients you can keep on your pantry shelf for quick use. Perfect for evening entertaining, they have an air of culinary achievement associated with more difficult to prepare refreshments. Serve hot, while the Rice Krispies are still popping. Another recipe, developed and taste-tested in the kitchens of the Kellogg Company of Battle Creek, Michigan.

**GRILLED CRABMEAT ON A BUN**

- 3/4 cup (1 6 1/2-oz can) crabmeat
- 2 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 1 8-oz. pkg. processed American cheese
- 6 sandwich buns
- 1 cup Rice Krispies

Flake crabmeat, removing bones. Cut butter and cheese in small pieces. Cook in covered small saucepan over low heat about 5 minutes, stirring occasionally until cheese is melted and mixture is smooth. Stir in crabmeat. Slice buns; spread cut surfaces with crabmeat mixture. Place on broiler rack about 3 inches from heat. Broil about 3 minutes until slightly browned and bubbly. Sprinkle with Rice Krispies. Broil about 1 minute longer. Serve at once. Yield 6 servings. Note: 1 cup (1 7-oz. can) tuna fish, drained and flaked may be substituted for crabmeat.

**Applesauce Cake**



Applesauce Cake has a moist goodness all its own. The chopped citron and nuts in this recipe win new laurels for this delightful dessert.

As sumptuous a dessert as we can think of is this Applesauce Cake. With its Browned Butter Frosting it will make a real event of a regular family meal.

You'll like the nice, spicy flavor of this moist cake. For an extra flavor surprise, stir chopped citron into the batter. It's an unexpected pleasure to bite into the cake and find a chewy piece of citron.

To be sure that you get the most for your money when you bake, use enriched flour. At no extra cost to you, enrichment has added niacin, thiamine, riboflavin and food iron to the flour. That's a big nutrition dividend for you.

A special dessert like this Applesauce Cake is fun to make at home. But you needn't deny your family dessert when you don't have time for baking. Just stop at your favorite baker and make a selection from the wide variety of sweet goods he offers. For extra quick home baking, remember the many good mixes on your grocer's shelves.

**APPLESAUCE CAKE**

- 3 cups sifted enriched flour
- 4 teaspoons baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon soda
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1 teaspoon cloves
- 1 teaspoon allspice
- 1 cup shortening
- 1 1/4 cups brown sugar
- 4 eggs
- 1 cup thick unsweetened applesauce
- 1/2 cup milk
- 1/2 cup chopped citron (if desired)
- 1 cup chopped nuts

Sift together flour, baking powder, soda, salt and spices. Cream together shortening and sugar until light and fluffy. Add eggs and beat thoroughly. Stir in applesauce. Add flour mixture to creamed mixture alternately with milk, mixing well after each ad-

dition. Fold in citron and nuts. Pour into 2 greased, paper-lined 9-inch round pans. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) about 45 minutes. When cool, frost with Browned Butter Frosting. Makes 2 9-inch layers.

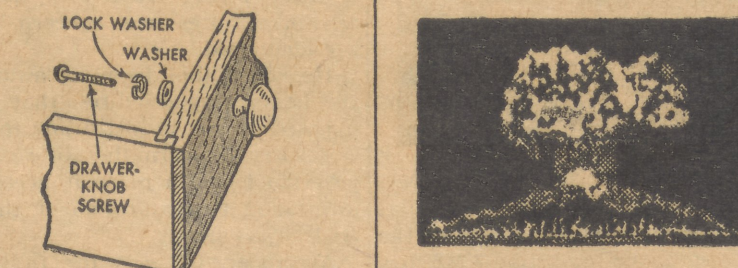
**Browned Butter Frosting**

- 1/2 cup butter or margarine sugar (about)
- 1 egg
- 3 tablespoons cream
- Dash salt

Brown butter or margarine in heavy saucepan. Stir in 2 cups confectioners' sugar. Add egg, cream and salt and mix thoroughly. Add enough more sugar to make spreading consistency. Beat until light. Spread on cake. Makes enough frosting for 9-inch layer cake.

**Handy Jim's FIX-UP TIPS For the Home**

Keep Drawer Knobs Tight  
USE of a lock washer can keep a knob screw on a drawer from turning, according to Popular Mechanics. The special washer should be placed between a flat washer and the head of the screw. If it is located against a wooden



surface, it will sink into the wood and lose its locking ability. The same principle can be applied to keep wooden knobs tight on the lids of pots and pans.

**Urges Federal Action on Shooting of Mississippian**

New York—The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People Aug. 24 urged the U. S. Department of Justice to investigate a murder which occurred in Mississippi on Aug. 13 to determine whether the Negro victim was shot "as a result of a conspiracy against his exercise of the right to vote."

The request was embodied in a letter dispatched to Attorney General Herbert Brownell, and signed by Thurgood Marshall, NAACP special counsel.

**Received Threats**

An NAACP investigation of the killing has disclosed that the murdered man, Lamar Smith of Caseyville, Miss., "received several threats on his life if he did not slow down his political activities," the letter relates.

Mr. Smith "had been very active in the political circles of Lincoln County," the message points out. He was a registered voter and exercised his rights in the Mississippi Aug. 2 primary.

**On Court House Lawn**

The letter says that Mr. Smith "was shot Saturday morning, Aug. 13 . . . on the Court House lawn on the Lincoln County site, and in spite of the large number of persons who normally congregate there on every Saturday, the officials have not been able to locate one person who saw the incident."

Today's letter was the latest in a series of requests on the part of the NAACP for federal action on a worsening racial situation in Mississippi. That state has been described by Association officials in recent months as "a jungle of race hatred and terror."

Federal action regarding Missis-

Chapter 491 of the Code of Iowa (1954), and acts amendatory thereto, a corporation as follows:

The name of the corporation is MIDWEST IRON & METAL CO., INC., and its principal office and place of business is in the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

The general nature of the business to be transacted by this corporation and the objects for which it is formed shall be to purchase, sell, barter, exchange and generally deal in, either at wholesale or retail, all kinds of scrap iron and other kinds of metals in any form, and wood products and plastic, whether new or used; to compress tin, wire, iron and other metals into rods for shipment; to engage generally in the wrecking and salvage business; and to pursue any of the above activities either as principal or agent.

The amount of capital stock authorized by the articles of incorporation is one hundred thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00), all of which is common stock and all of which must be fully paid for in money or property at its par value when issued, and shall be non-assessable.

The corporation commenced business July 27, 1955, and its corporate existence runs until July 27, 1975, unless sooner terminated by an affirmative vote of three out of five (3/5) of the stockholders in interest, at any annual meeting or special meeting called for that purpose, or by unanimous consent as provided by law.

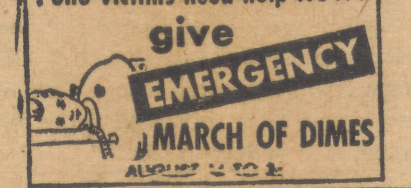
The affairs of the corporation shall be conducted by a Board of not fewer than two (2) nor more than five (5) Directors, who shall hold office for one year and until their successors are elected and qualified. The officers of the corporation shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer. The officers shall be elected by the Board of Directors on the day of, and immediately following the annual meeting of the stockholders in January, 1956, and the Directors shall be:

Ray Chrenen, Des Moines, Iowa  
Joe Blumenthal, Des Moines, Iowa  
Ben Witten, Des Moines, Iowa  
and  
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issippi first was requested by the NAACP in May after a Negro minister in Belzoni, Miss., was shot and killed following a warning to remove his name from the list of registered voters. This he refused to do.

The Association again asked for federal intervention in the Mississippi situation earlier this month when three Negro residents of Lowndes County received death threats through the mail containing the phrase, "If you are tired of living, vote and die."

**Waterloo, Iowa**

**Baptist Convention Adjourns 78th Session in Waterloo**

BY MISS LADY FORD

Waterloo, Ia — The 78th Annual Iowa, Nebraska, South Dakota, Minnesota, and Illinois Baptist Convention was held August 15-19 at Antioch Baptist Church, Waterloo, with Rev. Samuel Davis as host pastor. The convention attended by more than 200 delegates, ended August 19.

Rev. J. H. Reynolds, Omaha, Nebr., was re-elected president, with Rev. Samuel Davis elected as vice-president. Rev. G. H. Parrish, Des Moines, was elected executive secretary; the Rev. E. Rhodes, Council Bluffs, treasurer; the Rev. P. W. Burt, Waterloo, recording secretary; the Rev. R. Richardson, Burlington, the Rev. G. Williams, Des Moines, and the Rev. D. A. Campbell, Sioux

City, board members; the Rev. A. W. Patten, Centerville, parliamentarian; the Rev. T. R. Edwards, Quincy, Ill., auditor; Ada Tredwell, Waterloo, historian; the Rev. J. Q. Evans, Des Moines, director of education; the Rev. E. D. Johnson, Omaha, chairman of Evangelistic board; the Rev. G. M. Williams, Mason City, director of Junior Laymen League; Mrs. Jessie Bell Davis, Des Moines, director of young people; and Mr. H. Fisher, Sioux City, editor of the Baptist News.

**Women's Officers**

Mrs. Stella McAfee, Omaha, Nebr., was elected president of the Women's Home and Foreign Mission of the five state Baptist Convention; Mrs. Verona McElroy, Des Moines, 1st vice president; Mrs. Francis Mae Burbridge, Burlington, 2nd vice president; Mrs. Mae Howard, Des Moines, recording secretary; Mrs. Mildred Fields, Des Moines, corresponding secretary; Miss Ada Owens, Sioux City, treasurer; the Rev. T. B. Edwards, Quincy, Ill., auditor; Mrs. Albert Alexander, Waterloo, pianist and chorister; and Mrs. Birdie Carlton, Cedar Rapids, Mrs. Pearl Burke, Mason City, and Mrs. W. D. Johnson, Omaha, Nebr., board members.

Officers elected from Waterloo were: Mrs. Mamie Hollins, a board member of the Ministers and Deacons Wives and Mothers Board; Miss Lady Ford, president of the youth department; Miss Gail Norman, organist; Lonnie Jordan, vice president of the Junior Laymen League, Miss Naomi Patterson, a board member of the youth department; Mrs. Mary Hayes was appointed Mrs. Jesse Davis' assistant of the youth department.

The five state convention will meet next year in Council Bluffs, Iowa

**Skating Party**

Skating is a favorite pastime for many Waterloo youth and grown ups too. For this reason, the youth choir of the Union Baptist Church, the Rev. L. J. Jordan, pastor, is sponsoring a skating party August 29, 7:30 p. m., at the Blackhawk Roller Drome for everyone who enjoys skating, talking, and refreshments and perhaps a slight shaking up from falls. There are usually as many adults as youngsters trying their luck at a successful night without a fall.

The Youth Choir, Mrs. Ada Tredwell, director, is sponsoring the skating parties in order to obtain enough money to buy new robes, because of the increasing number of new members in the choir.

**Barge Party**

Wednesday, August 24, the Ad-Loi-Ho Literary Club sponsored a barge party on the Cedar River. The excursion started at 6:15 p. m. at the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Park and went up river where the guests dined and danced until about 11 p. m. Mrs. Francis Kincaid is the president of the club.

**23rd National Assembly Convening In Kansas City**

Kansas City, Mo. — The National David Spiritual Temple of Christ Church Union (Inc.) U. S. A., with Archbishop David William Short, primate, national president and founder, officiating, is holding its 23rd annual national assembly convention August 21-28, at David Spiritual Temple of Christ Church, 2812 Prospect Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri, which is the parent temple of the organization.

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### Shrine's Gala Day Celebration Here Sept. 3-4

The fourth annual Gala Day celebration by the Bashir Temple No. 156 and Zeid Temple No. 90 of A.E.O.N.M. Shrine, will be held here Sept. 3 and 4.

Nobles have been invited from Minneapolis, Minn., Omaha, Nebr., Chicago, Ill., and throughout Iowa. Marcus McCraven, 913 Grove, Gala Day chairman, announced.

Headquarters will be at the Sepia Club, 11th & Center streets, where registration will be held beginning at noon on Sept. 3. A class of Novices will be at the Masonic Hall at noon that day.

The Gala Day dance will be Sunday, Sept. 4, 9 p.m., at the VFW Hall (Mainliner) with Todd Rhodes & Band. See advertisement in this issue for further information.

Frank Garrison of Waterloo, Ia., is general chairman of the celebration.

### 'Youth on Parade' At St. Paul Sept. 3

The annual "Youth on Parade" program, musical program and oratorical contest sponsored by the Northwestern Conference Lay-Youth department, will be held Saturday, Sept. 3, 8 p.m., at St. Paul AME church.

Miss Gwendolyn Stinson, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Stinson of Waterloo, winner of the Episcopal District's 1955 oratorical contest, held in South Bend, Ind., last month, will preside over the musical program.

Youth groups from over the conference will appear on the program and in the contest.

A lawn party for the youth will be given following the program.

From 2 to 4 p.m. Sept. 3, a vocational clinic will be held in the basement of St. Paul church, sponsored by the Conference R. A. Y. C., of which Miss Alfreda Moore of Bethel, Des Moines, is president. Supper will be served at the close of the meeting without charge.

### Drum and Bugle Corps Honored

The Brotherhood and Sisterhood, Inc., entertained their drum and bugle corps and majorettes with refreshments Sunday, August 14, at the organization's regular meeting at Crocker YMCA.

The drum and bugle corps and majorettes have been invited to participate in the Labor Day parade here.

### Mrs. E. A. Gaiters Re-elected V. P.

Mrs. E. A. Gaiters of 1135 Tenth street was re-elected vice president of the W.C.T.U. at the county convention held August 17 at the reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints in West Des Moines. She is a member of the Corinthian Baptist church.

### Manly, Iowa

Manly, Iowa.—There was a good turnout at New Bethel Sunday morning, and the pastor, Rev. B. F. Parker, preached on the subject: "What Is Man?" Out-of-town guest was Mrs. Bessie B. Preston, of Ogden, Utah, who is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brown of Mason City. Mrs. Ruby Haddix and Mrs. Lola Rhem motored to Cedar Rapids Sunday to hear the Rev. E. G. Scott of Lansing, Mich., who spoke at the Mt. Zion Baptist church, where the Rev. Percy Burt is pastor.

The Union meeting was held with the Church of God in Christ in Mason City, Sunday evening. The Rev. A. D. Purnell was speaker. The Union choir sang accompanied by Mrs. Ida Martin, Mrs. Estella Schuler and daughter, Lonel, sang, "He Knows My Heart". Rev. Purnell is pastor of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church of Mason City.

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### Rev. Orzealyea M. Roberson Comments On Visit to Iowa State Penitentiary

By Rev. Orzealyea M. Roberson I only wish it were possible that all of you who are interested in doing some good for humanity, but don't know where to start, could have been with us last week at the Iowa State penitentiary at Fort Madison, when we were guests at the Emancipation Day Celebration.

The general emotional response from the men was one of hope. As I looked into the faces of those men as I interviewed, one after another, I noted the extent of the youth of most of them. Think of it, the majority of those prisoners looked to be from 25-35 years of age! A flash of thought ran through my mind regarding, "what mothers' son are you, where did you attend Sunday School, and who taught you, how much schooling have you had, have you ever worked, wonder if you have been used to the family altar prayer in your home, and wonder how much you know about God?" There seemed to be an overall ad-

justment of the inmates to their present surroundings. However, it was plainly noted upon the countenances of some, disgust, boredom, loneliness, and discouragement.

You probably are saying to yourself—"well, being in the penitentiary wasn't intended to present a situation before you which made you feel like you were glad you were there anyway." Maybe you are right. We concede to the fact that penitentiaries are supposed to be institutions of correction for crime. But what are you going to do with the ones in prison who are sorry for their crimes and want a chance to prove that they have repented? But you say again, "how do you know a man is telling the truth when he says he wants to go straight if given a chance?" This fact is made plain by trial only.

#### Released Men

It looks like to me that there is just as much intelligent reasoning in giving fair opportunities to released

prisoners to take their places in life again after being released from disciplinary custody, as it is in giving a man a fair trial in the courts of the land, to prove him innocent or guilty. The courts claim that it is non-constitutional if a man isn't allowed a

fair trial for crime. Then when a man has paid the price for his crime by serving his sentence, society has the audacity to say by their queered actions, their refusal to give jobs that pay a living wage, and their promiscuity in branding the indi-

vidual as a misfit for the rest of his life, that "you are not wanted." I would say that this obvious reaction from the public or "society" is rather paradoxical.

We all need help. If someone didn't help each one of us in some way we could none of us succeed in life. But the sad part of the undercurrent truth of the whole thing about observing the crime wave is, there are more criminals walking down the

street and sitting beside us everyday than the institutions could possibly hold.

(Concluded Next Week)

### Deaconess Board To Meet August 29

Deaconess Board of Maple Street Baptist church will meet August 29 at the church with Mrs. Nancy White as hostess.

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It's always a good idea to share your snapshots. Extra prints from your negatives are inexpensive and are bound to be welcomed by others who share your interest in the subject. We all like to find letters in our mailboxes—but a letter with a snapshot, or a series of snapshots, is something extra special. —John Van Gulder



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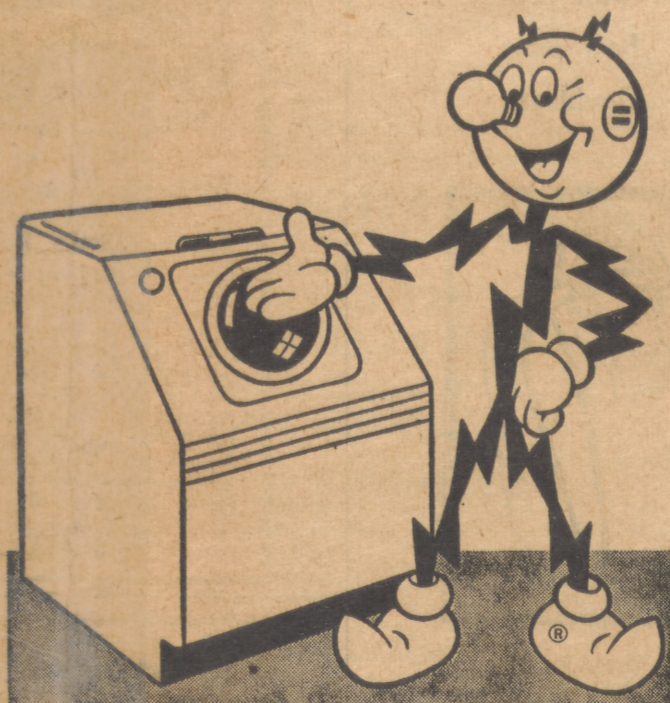
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1732 Walker Street  
REV. J. C. WALSH, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.  
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.  
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.  
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

**St. Paul A. M. E. Church**  
12th 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 Fellowships 5:30 P.M.

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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.

**East University Church of God in Christ**  
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.

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

**Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion Church**  
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REV. J. R. REESE, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.  
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.  
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.  
Prayer Service, Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

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REV. JOE GAINES, Pastor  
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Bible Class 9:45 A.M.  
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Christian Endeavor 6:00 P.M.

## ST. PAUL AME CHURCH NOTES

The Missionary Society elected as their delegate to attend the Missionary meetings Tuesday and Wednesday August 30 and 31, connected with the annual AME conference, Mrs. Adah Hyde Johnson. Evangelist Orzealyea Roberson gave an outstanding report on the Emancipation Day at Fort Madison, held with the inmates of the Iowa State Penitentiary. Mrs. Johnson gave a detailed report on the Foreign Student Conference which was held here. In formation was given on the people of Panama. The St. Paul Usher board met Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Ewing.

## BURNS METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

The first Quarterly Meeting of the current conference year will be held at Burns Methodist church, Sunday 28. At 11 a.m. the Rev. J. J. Johnson, Jr., district superintendent of the Kansas City District Methodist Church, will preach Mrs. M. W. Clair, Jr., wife of Bishop M. W. Clair, Jr., resident bishop of the St. Louis Area of the Methodist Church, also will speak at 11 a.m. in the interest of the Reserve Pension plan of the St. Louis Area. The combined choir will sing directed by Mr. Edward Bayles, with Mrs. Thelma Claybrook at the console. The pastor, the Rev. H. W. James, who has just returned from Bishop Clair's Refresher School for graduate ministers, held at McKendree College, Lebanon, Ill., will be in charge of the worship service. The Rev. J. R. Reese, pastor of Kyles AME Zion church, will preach at 3:30 p.m. His choir will sing. The first Quarterly Conference will be held Saturday night at 7:30 p.m. with the Dist. Supt., Rev. Mr. Johnson, presiding. All officers will make their reports at this conference.

## MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

"Victory Thru Christ," was the subject of Rev. H. R. Fields sermon last Sunday. Music was in charge of the senior choir. Leroy Gray, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gray, will attend Camp at Lake Ahquabi, Iowa. The City Baptist Mission sponsors a trip for boys of the city. Among the shut-ins of the church are: Mr. G. Lee, Mr. C. Brewer, Mrs. B. Gordon, Mrs. L. Williams, Mr. W. Atkins and Mr. S. Watson. Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas are the parents of a daughter. The baby is a great grand child of Mrs. B. Steward of Mt. Olive. Mrs. T. Pack, wife of Rev. T. Pack and children are visiting in the state of Mississippi. Mr. and Mrs. S. Watson vacationed in Missouri recently.

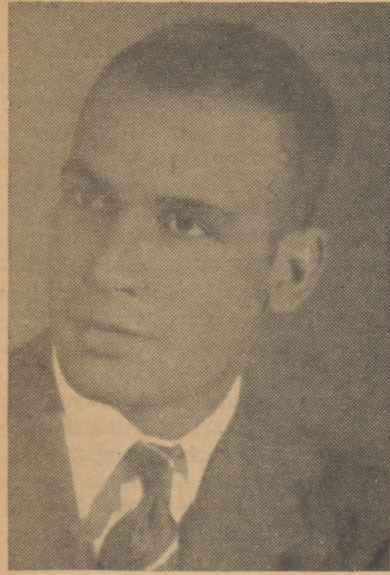
## Participants in the Thirty-Fifth Annual AME Conference Here Aug. 30 to Sept. 4



**MRS. GUY E. GREENE**  
Mrs. Guy E. Greene of Des Moines, is St. Paul AME Church's lay delegate, church clerk and secretary, publicity director and Quarterly Conference secretary and reporter.



**REV. W. H. OGGLETON**  
The Rev. W. H. Oggleton of Burlington, Ia., where he holds a pastorate, is a former presiding elder of the Des Moines district.



**REV. JOHN E. HUNTER**  
The Rev. John E. Hunter, who is in his fourth year as pastor of St. Paul AME church in Des Moines, received recently an Honorary Doctor of Divinity degree from the Monrovia College in Africa. He is the conference's host-pastor.



**MRS. C. H. COPELAND**  
Mrs. C. H. Copeland of Cedar Rapids, wife of the Presiding Elder of the Des Moines district, is Northwestern Conference Branch president of the missionary department.



**MRS. JEANNE MORRIS**  
Mrs. Jeanne Morris of Des Moines, religious education director of the Northwestern Conference and a Sunday School Superintendent at St. Paul AME church here, will preside over the annual musical and oratorical contests Saturday evening, Sept. 3.



**EVANGELIST O. ROBERSON**  
Evangelist Orzealyea Roberson of St. Paul AME church, Des Moines, Self-Denial chairman of the Missionary Society of the Northwestern Conference, will preside Tuesday evening, August 30, at the Self-Denial Department program.

## Annual Conference

Des Moines, religious education director of the district, and Sunday School Superintendent at St. Paul AME church.

Saturday from 2 to 5 p. m., Mrs. Cecil Lewis, president of the Conference Branch Workers, will preside at a Conference Branch Workers Tea at Willkie House, 900 Seventeenth street.

Sunday morning, Sept. 4, the closing day of conference, Sunday School will begin at 9 a. m. directed by Mrs. Retha Maxwell of St. Peter's Chapel, Minneapolis, Minn., Conference Branch Sunday School superintendent.

## Church Improvements

Great preparations are being made at the entertaining church, St. Paul, for the visitors and members of the annual conference.

The trustees, stewards, all clubs and auxiliaries under the leadership of the Rev. Hunter, through the church's Christian Advance program, have given time, service and made special purchases to beautify the church.

Cited for special services were: Lester Benning, for all electrical work at the church; Russell Reeves who supervised the cleaning program; Stewardess Boards I and II, for the purchase of a sign erected in front of the church; the Sunday School, for a projector; the Hostess club, for a guest register stand; the Gospel choir, for a hot water automatic heater and an electric water fountain; the St. Paul Usher board, twelve tables for the banquet hall; the Monogram club, the kitchen stove range; the Men's chorus, a new Frigidaire; the Usherettes, \$50 towards hymn books; the Sewing guild, a punch bowl and cups; the Lady Usher board, a new kitchen sink; the Birt-Pastor's aid, \$60 toward hymn books; the Senior, Gospel, Chancel and Children's choirs, and Men's chorus are assisting financially with the purchase of hymn books; and Colen Seales, Sr., for untiring service in the beautification of the church.

St. Paul's lay delegate to annual conference is Mrs. Guy E. Greene. Alternate is Mr. Everett Mays.

## COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Services last Sunday were in charge of Mrs. M. Williams and Evangelist Blakely, who were among the speakers with Bishop D. H. Cranshaw. Visitors included Messrs. Blakely and Leo Johnson, Sunday, August 28 is Men's Day in charge of Mr. W. Christian. Pastor is D. H. Christian.

## SERVICES BEGIN SEPTEMBER 4 AT 1340 E. 18th ST.

The Evangelistic Missionary Church in Christ will hold worship beginning Sept. 4 in a new location at 1340 E. Eighteenth street, one and one-half blocks north of Easton Boulevard.

Services will be at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. with M. J. Cranshaw, national mother; and Elder E. A. Fountain, leader.

## Saturday's Features

Saturday, Sept. 3, from 2 to 4 p. m., a youth vocal clinic will be held. At 8 p. m., a musical and oratorical contest will be under the supervision of Mrs. Jeanne Morris of

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Communion will be administered; and the annual sermon will be delivered by the Rev. M. J. Hendreth of Minneapolis, Minn., pastor of Wayman Chapel.

Reports from the churches of the two districts will be heard by Bishop Baber Thursday afternoon.

A public worship service will be held Thursday evening with the Missionary sermon delivered by the Rev. Mitchell Culppepper of Keokuk, Ia.

Friday, Sept. 2, business sessions will continue. At the evening hour, an education sermon will be delivered and educational finance will be reported.



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## Mission Society Services Sunday

East Side Union Mission Society will hold services, Sunday, August 28, 2:30 p.m. at the First CME church in Chesterfield. Rev. Joseph Gaines will be the speaker.

## MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The pastor, Rev. George Parrish was in his pulpit after attending the Five States convention in Waterloo. Sunday, August 28 will be Women's Day with Mrs. A. W. Patton, speaker 11 a. m., and Mrs. M. W. Goodman of Davenport, guest at 3 p. m. Refreshments will be served at the close of the afternoon service. A musical program will be given at 7:45 p. m. Mrs. L. Hunter is chairman.

The Maple Leaf chorus was in a musical program August 24, at St. Paul AME church. The Usher board will meet Friday, August 26, 8 p. m., with Mrs. Tommie Samuels, 1607 Walker street. The Mission will meet August 26, at 8 p. m., at the church. A pre-Women's Day service will be held Friday at 8 p.m. with music by the Maple Street Gospel Five and men's chorus.

Among the sick and shut-in are: Mrs. Clara Houston, Mrs. Barbara J. Oakley, Mrs. Vera Wade at Broadlawn General hospital; Mrs. Ollie Holmes, Mercy hospital and Mr. Calvin Douglas. Mrs. Grace Wade, 1442 E. 17th street court is reporter. Her phone number is 62-5803.

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# DINNER AT EIGHT SOCIETY

## The Columbus Wares And Family Visit Kin in Oklahoma

Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Ware, 1216 Fifteenth street, accompanied by their grandsons, Robin and Ronnie Ware, William Wilson and John Ware, were taken on a motor vacation to Oklahoma by their son, Sgt. William Ware of Travis Air Force Base, Calif.

The Wares and family went to Tulsa to visit Mrs. Ware's father, Mr. Charles Williams who has been sick; and to Muskogee, to see Mr. Ware's sister, Mrs. Willie Wiley, who was ill.

The Wares were joined in Tulsa by her sister, Mrs. Mattie Lewis of Des Moines. The visitors were entertained in Muskogee by Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Banks, at dinner; and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wiley, relatives. The Iowans stopped in Kansas City, Kas., where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Everett Huggins.

## The Augusters and Mrs. DeBlanc Guests At the J. Bell Home

Mr. and Mrs. Edren Auguster and sons, Darrel and Carol of New Iberia, La., and Mrs. Archie DeBlanc of Galveston, Texas, are house guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bell, 915 Fifteenth street.

Mrs. DeBlanc is visiting her husband, Mr. DeBlanc, who is the uncle of Mr. and Mrs. Auguster.

Mr. Auguster is principal of the Weeks Elementary school in New Iberia.

## Mrs. Mamie Frith Has House Guests

Mrs. Mamie Frith of Ankeny, Ia., entertained recently as guests in her home, Mrs. Bertie Davis of White Plains, N. Y., and daughter, Mrs. Mary Martin of Des Moines.

Other guests were Mr. Lewis Harvey of Omaha, Neb., Mrs. L. Lyles, Patsy and Virginia Martin of Des Moines.

## Californians Stop At the Guy Greeces

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Holmes of Los Angeles, Cal., were guests Monday and Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Greene, while en route to their home from Detroit, Mich., where they went to purchase a new car. They are stopping in Texas for a few days.

## Evanston Guests at Home of Mrs. Jackson

Mrs. Lorraine Harris and daughter, Stephanie of Evanston, Ill., were house guests for 19 days of their aunt, Mrs. Nancy Jackson, 1425 Buchanan street.

Mrs. Ella Thornton and Mrs. Eleanor King, also of Evanston, sister and niece respectively of Mrs. Jackson, spent five days here and have returned to their home.

## The L. Buchanans To Crab Orchard, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie S. Buchanan, 912 Grove, and sons, Ronnie Leslie and Lee Artis, left August 19 by motor on a vacation trip to Crab Orchard, Ky., to visit Mr. Buchanan's mother, Mrs. Ella M. Perkins and family.

## The Hubbards Hosts To Prof. and Mrs. Whaley of Arkansas

Mr. and Mrs. Aurelius Whaley of Little Rock, Ark., spent several days here the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hubbard, 1130 Eleventh street.

Mr. Whaley, professor of music at the Philander Smith College in Little Rock, is a graduate of Drake University; and, is a brother of the Rev. E. A. Whaley, former pastor of Burns Methodist Church here.

The Whaleys were entertained at a picnic at Greenwood park by Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Miller; and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Bowman at their home.

## The Alonzo Bowdens Back from New York

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Bowden of 1042 W. Eleventh street returned home last Tuesday after having spent a week in New York City visiting their son, John Slater.

## The Bonnie Herndons Back from Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Herndon, 1300 Harding Road, returned from a vacation spent in Philadelphia, Pa., where they were guests of Mrs. Searcy Williams, who was matron of honor at the Alta Coleman-Herndon wedding early this year.

The Herndons visited friends in Atlantic City, N. J., where their beach and boating activities were curtailed by the recent doings of Hurricane Connie.

## The Eustace Wares To Princess Anne, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Eustace Ware and family left by motor Sunday for Princess Anne, Md., to visit his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Williams.

Mr. Williams is president of the Maryland State College in Princess Anne.

## Clyde Carter Here For Fishing Trip

Clyde Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Carter of Davenport, arrived here last Thursday to go on a week end fishing trip in Minnesota with his uncle, Mr. James Brown, Sr., and cousin, James Brown, Jr., of 1202 Scott street. He returned last Sunday to his home where he is a junior at the Davenport High School.



Personal Touch By MARIE ROSS

Vacation notes have been coming in from Iowans who are traveling.

Miss Sadie B. Jones of 1342 Sampson street wrote on August 19:

"I am on my way home from Washington, D. C., where I attended the National Beauty Culturists League. Had a nice time."

In Oregon and Washington Mrs. Ethelda Robinson and family of 1145 14th place, who left early in July for a vacation in California, wrote:

"Fortunately for us, our trip has extended through Oregon and Washington," Mrs. Robinson penned from the Snoqualmie Valley in Eastern Washington. "We are seeing so many beautiful things and places, a mere card will not suffice."

From Mount Ranier in Tacoma, Wash., the Iowan wrote: "Couldn't leave this beautiful place without a line to you. One just can't put into words the wonder of it. The snow is for real. Mountains are everywhere."

Vacationing in the West are the Samuel Parkers and family who wrote from Los Angeles, Cal., this travel note:

"Having a lovely time. Enjoyed Las Vegas very much."

In response to a recent column in which aid was being sought on methods to keep squirrels from looting the backyard peach and apple trees, a letter came from Mrs. Maude eras flashed and hand-shaking went on as the visitors went down a receiving line to meet the staff of officers in the welcoming line. (See Photo Page One).

Major General George Olmsted of Des Moines, commanding general of the 103rd "Cactus" Division, greeted: "Glad you could come again Miss Ross."

The visitors were ushered to tables where a staff of men served hot coffee and cookies; while another staff checked our luggage and piled it in trucks bound for barracks and quarters.

(Continued next week with pictures of some of the men at camp). Pickett of 1004 Sixteenth street, who wrote:

"I was much interested in the column about the squirrels bothering the apples. I have two apple trees, one Jonathan, and the other Grimes Golden; and, one pear tree. One of the apple trees has fruit hanging down.

Three weeks ago, around 6 a. m., standing on my back porch looking at the apples, to my surprise there was a squirrel leaping from limb to limb, pulling the apples off.

"My neighbor next door saw the squirrel and came to help me get him out of the tree. The squirrel got so scared he had to leap down. That was the first I knew that the squir-

## To Preside at Conference Workers Tea



MRS. CECIL LEWIS

Mrs. Cecil Lewis of Des Moines, president of the Conference Branch Workers of the Fourth Episcopal District of the AME church, will preside Saturday afternoon, Sept. 3, at a Conference Workers tea to be held at Willkie House, 900 Seventeenth street, from 2 to 5 p. m.

## The Stanley Proctor Home Has Week End Guests From Cincinnati and New York City; See Slides From Virgin Islands and Viet Nam

Week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Proctor, 1111 Eleventh street were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey E. Wilbekin of Cincinnati, Ohio, their son-in-law and daughter, who motored here accompanied by Miss Imogene Proctor, daughter, and Mr. George Lewis of Cincinnati, Elmeda and Eric Wilbekin of New York City, niece and nephew of the Wilbekins; and Miss Theodosia Hicks of New York City, who came to Des Moines from San Francisco, Cal.

Miss Hicks, an instructor of nurses at the Harlem Hospital, accompanied the Wilbekins on their return trip to Cincinnati, where she will visit with them and then go on to New York City when they take their niece and nephew back home for school opening.

Miss Proctor remained here for a visit with her parents until time for the fall opening of Hampton Institute, in Virginia. On Saturday evening at an open house at the Proctor home, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbekin showed colored slides of their recent vacation trip to St. Croix of the Virgin Islands, where they with Miss Proctor, went to visit his parents homeland.

Added to the evening's collection of travel scenes were color slides that had been sent to a neighbor of the Proctors, Mrs. Olim Cooper, sent to her by her daughter, Mrs. Gwendolyn Fowler, a member of the Foreign Operations Administration staff in Saigon, Viet Nam.

Among the evening guests was Mrs. J. B. Morris whose picture was shown in the Virgin Islands slides, taken by the Wilbekins who met Mrs. Morris on her recent visit in the islands.

Miss Hicks, who attended the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority's Boule in San Francisco, is a teacher of anatomy, pharmacology and physiology to nurses at the Harlem hospital.

chatting as they stood by bags and camera cases. I disappeared into a "ladies" room to adjust my hat and say a "prayer of departure," then rejoined the group which had increased. With Capt. E. C. Nielson of Iowa Military District Headquarters, our military escort on the air-lift, was a headquarters secretary, Miss Beitz. She knew most of the passengers and went about making introductions and wishing us a pleasant journey.

The plane had arrived from Davenport and its Captain Dyste checked our written "releases," which freed the U. S. Army from any damages; then called the roll of passengers, eighteen in number. A second plane with passengers from northeast Iowa, departed the same morning from the Offutt Air Force base at Omaha, Neb., and picked up Iowans at Council Bluffs, Sioux City, Waterloo and Mason City, and joined us at McCoy.

On the roll of passengers aboard our plane were the following men: Mr. N. Bernhard Gussett, president of Iowa Power & Light Company,

Monday morning, August 15, before I arrived at the National Air Guard Hangar, where our Air Force Transport plane out of the O'Hare International Airport at Park Ridge, Ill., picked up the Des Moines passengers, I checked with Miss Ruth Beitz, an Iowa Military District Headquarters secretary, for departure time. She also gave me the information: "you're the only woman again."

As I taxied to the National Guard Hangar, the thought came that if all of the men passengers on the air-lift are new this year; I would have to drop the news that I have been to Camp McCoy before, so that there would be no wonders about how I would fare on such a mission—being a woman.

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## The G. H. Kitchens of Columbus, Ga., Visit Kin; Leave for Ohio

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Kitchen of Columbus, Ga., left Monday for Cleveland, Ohio, after having spent the week end with Mrs. Kitchen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hughes, and brother, Mr. H. W. Hughes.

In Cleveland they are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gordon H. Kitchen, II, and family; and, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton E. Ward, Jr.

Mr. Dan B. Murphy, Farm Bureau spokesman; Mr. Frank T. Carroll of Northwestern Bell Telephone Co.; Mr. Robert Spiegel, special writer, Des Moines Tribune; Mr. Arnie Gore, photographer, Des Moines Tribune; Mr. Harry D. Linn, Iowa Manufacturers Association, Mr. Russ Frazier, KRNT-TV, all of Des Moines; Mr. Elmer H. Vermeer, mayor of Pella, Ia., and chairman of military affairs committee of Iowa Legislature; Mr. John Lowenberg, Lowenberg Bakery Company, Ottumwa Courier; Mr. Willis G. Butterfield, general manager, Chamber of Commerce, Ames; Mr. Robert W. Larson, editor of the Albia Union-Republican, Albia; Mr. William Buxton, president, People's Trust and Savings Bank, Indianola; Mr. Robert H. Owen, High School principal, Maquoketa, Ia.; Mr. Robert Frank, news director, Station WOC, Davenport; Colonel John M. Green, chief of Des Moines Military District; Captain Neilson, our military escort; and Miss Ross, booked as feature writer for the Iowa Bystander.

Aboard plane, a colored engineer, Airman Eugene Brown of Chicago, Ill., member of the 2314th Air Transport Squadron, acted, also, in the capacity of steward. He checked seat belts to see that they were fastened before take-off, called attention to the parachutes in the racks above our seats, then gave a demonstration on the operation of a parachute, how to get into one, "simply," and where to pull the cord. The passengers listened silently, then one joked: "Open the back door and give us a demonstration." Laughter went through the plane and the men settled down to conversation, snoozing and reading and after an hour and ten minutes of smooth flying, Colonel Green was pointing out to passengers the McCoy airport, below.

As our plane descended, band music could be heard. When the plane stopped, an army officer came aboard. He handed out name-plates for the visitors and folders which contained all of the information we would need during the visit of the camp; plus a "distinguished visitors card" which gave privileges to the Camp McCoy officers' open mess; and a letter of welcome from Major General P. D. Ginder, the commanding general at Camp McCoy.

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## Phi Chapter Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Awards \$100 Scholarships to Binnie B. Sloan and Carole Anderson, June Graduates

Phi chapter of Delta Sigma Theta sorority announced the awarding of two \$100-scholarships for 1955 to Miss Binnie B. Sloan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Sloan, 1009 Laurel street; and, Miss Carole Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Anderson of 1124 Seventeenth street.

Miss Sloan was graduated with honors from North High School here in June; and also was a winner in the Zeid Temple-Court contest. She plans to attend either the State University of Iowa or Northwestern University as a music major with a view to teaching public school music.

Miss Anderson, an outstanding art student of Des Moines Technical High School, was graduated in June. She plans to follow an art career at Drake University.

During her high school career, Miss Anderson won several National Scholastic Art Awards, including the coveted Gold Key. She has received, also, honors in the annual art shows of the Dilettante club of Des Moines.

The scholarship award is one of the national projects of Delta Sigma Theta and is financed through the "Jabberwock" productions. Recently Phi chapter entertained the 1955 high school graduates at a tea at the home of Mrs. Luther T. Glanton, Jr.

## United Campaign In Action

BY BILL HECKMAN

When I got home from work that night, my wife told me I had an extra wrinkle in my brow. I was worried all right. It was the day they announced the new United Campaign goal \$1,386,181.

I told her the wrinkle would probably be there for awhile. It might even turn into several during the Oct. 14-25 drive for funds for the 33 UC agencies, I added.

It's only August now, but I was wrong. The wrinkle is gone. Only the ones that show concern for the world at large and for the welfare of my family are still there. The one brought on by worry about UC making that goal is gone.

Why? Well, first because I recalled that United Campaign is a very big force for good in the greater Des Moines community (that includes Urbandale, Westover, Windsor Heights and vicinity, West Des Moines, Fort Des Moines and vicinity, Highland Park, East Des Moines, etc.)

Second, because United Campaign is basically a volunteer organization. (It's too big for all the work to be done by volunteers. The ratio is 16 paid employees to over 3500 volunteers.) And to feel the enthusiasm and willingness and good will that these volunteer citizens generate is like stepping into a wind tunnel at an air base.

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MISS BINNIE SLOAN



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tical persons "converted" to the cause of better health, welfare, and recreation in our community. Sometimes the change of heart comes when a simple fact dispels a wild rumor. Most of the time though it's when the person actually sees someone being helped.

If every citizen of greater Des Moines would visit two or three of the United Campaign agencies, UC would be swamped with money and pledges and the goal reached a day or two after the campaign opened.

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WEAKNESS IN THE PRACTICE OF DEMOCRACY

An article by Beam Price, correspondent for the United Press, in the Des Moines Register, August 21, "Both sides Vow No quarter in Mississippi, Gird for a Bitter Segregation Struggle," makes one pretty mad and amplifies quite fully that forces opposed to civil rights for Negroes are out to block their progress. And while citizens' councils claim they propose to use peaceful means to accomplish their aims, excerpts from this article indicate that their "legal means" cannot be interpreted in the generally accepted sense.

For fear some did not read the article, striking paragraphs are printed here to show the extent lawlessness prevails in Mississippi. Said the writer:

"Besides passing special legislation designed to keep Negroes out of new white schools and away from the ballot box, the Mississippi legislature set up an educational advisory committee to devise ways and means of evading the high court decision. A council member said:

"The announced aims of the councils are to maintain segregation by all legal means and by the application of economic pressures—boycotts against 'trouble-makers,' including withdrawal of credit.

"Membership has been drawn from the so-called best people—bankers, lawyers, politicians, planters, merchants and some newspaper men. In July, the Jackson council began admitting housewives, many of whom have Negro servants. ("No doubt many people high in church clubs also).

Although the aims of the councils are designed to maintain segregation generally, Medgar E. Evers, state secretary for the N.A.A.C.P. in Jackson, said he believes their major effort right now is to eliminate Negroes as voters.

"Mississippi has adopted a constitutional amendment requiring prospective registrants to be able to read, write and interpret the federal and state constitutions to the satisfaction of the local registrar.

"The amendment was described in legislative debate as a means of keeping Negroes from the polls. The session which adopted this amendment also provided for the abolition of the state's public school system if necessary to keep Negroes out of white schools."

Robert B. Patterson, planter and executive secretary of the council movement, objected to an Associated Press story which last year described the councils as "anti-Negro vigilantes." Said Patterson: "We aren't anti-anybody.

"... I have been to a lot of district meetings and I think I can state it this way: they feel that the N.A.A.C.P. has gained a lot of its gains by use of economic pressure and if that is the way they choose to fight, then it is up to us to take such measures as we can to protect our interests.

"... We feel the supreme court decision can be reversed... if not by this one then by a subsequent court.

"I think it is fundamentally the first real stirrings of a conservative revolt in this country, judging by the responses we've gotten from other states.

"The councils are not anti-Semitic. We have Jews in the councils."

In substance Mississippi is girded to disregard the US Supreme Court decision and to keep Negroes from voting.

America is doing a herculean job trying to convince the world that our democracy is the best form of government. And with this, we agree. But our democracy displays a terrible weakness which it makes little effort to correct. Officially one course of conduct comes out of one side of the mouth and a different on the other.

Senators in Washington decry the mistreatment by Russia of its satellites, investigate communism and the regulation of property rights but are entirely silent on this disgraceful conduct being carried on against human rights.

Of course these are desperation moves for it is inevitable that integration and an equal chance to vote will prevail in Mississippi as well as in other states.

In the meantime Secretary of State Dulles must apologize to India when its Ambassador was mistaken for an American Negro and subjected to some Texas jimcrow tactics. It must be pretty embarrassing to Mr. Dulles realizing that he has spent a lot of time trying to convince India that America believes in the dignity of man. Officially, it does but a lot of its segments don't.

WHY FOOL AROUND WHEN REMEDY IS AVAILABLE

The city of Des Moines operates an animal rescue league located in a thickly populated area. The project

is a commendable one but the magnitude of its operation has gotten out of hand.

Last week, several residents living in the neighborhood, protested to the city council charging that the institution had become a nuisance and asked that the situation be corrected. Monday, the city manager reported to the council urging, in principle, that the operation was a nuisance but that in view of the fact that considerable money was invested, something would be done within a reasonable time.

Frankly, this promise does not meet the problem. What is a reasonable time? Must these people wait around indefinitely for the correction of a nuisance which should not have been allowed to exist in the beginning? The Bystander thinks not.

Courts are available to abate a nuisance. These people should use them.

India's Envoy Ousted

SEE FRONT PAGE City, Mexico, said Tuesday he thought he and his secretary were experiencing special treatment for important visitors, not racial discrimination.

(Mehta said that if he had understood the incident was a matter of discrimination, he would have left the restaurant. He said he and his secretary were asked to move with the explanation instructions had been given to show them every courtesy.

(The ambassador said the smaller room actually was cooler, more comfortable, and more private than the larger room.)

The two Indians were en route to Mexico City from Washington and had a 2½-hour layover here between planes.

Capital Close-Up

SEE FRONT PAGE Horne Refuses New Post and Appeals

Dr. Frank Smith Horne of Housing and Home Finance, has refused the new post worked out for him as liaison officer on interracial housing problems, and is appealing his case to the Civil Service Commission.

Although Dr. Horne says that he is concerned with job security, we doubt if that has much to do with the matter. His cumulative experience is indisputably of great value. And it is experience that he has acquired on the job. It is our understanding that the new post offered is of the same grade and salary, with opportunities for advancement on a completely integrated basis, which were not present in the post abolished, where he was already at the top, and it would open up work on an operating rather than an advisory level, in a growing new and important field.

It seems to us rather like a challenge, and with assurance that this is not, as has been suggested, "another sliding board," could be of at least as much importance and influence as the posts which he has previously occupied.

Whatever errors have been made in the past, on either side, we would call this real opportunity, both for Dr. Horne as an individual, and for the advancement of integration in Government, which we hope will not be passed by in a fog of emotions.

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Wanted: Governor and Resident Commissioner The resignation of Virgin Islands Governor Archie A. Alexander, last week, leaves one major island post to be filled, and, from where we sit, another one to be established—that of Resident Commissioner.

At the risk of being repetitious, we beg leave to point out, once again, that the Little Virgins want a Voice, like everyone else, and that the merit of a Voice for the Virgins does not lie in their size, or population—which is static—but in their need to be heard. It should also be recognized that the Virgin Islanders are highly literate.

Literate and Critical

One reason that the Virgin Islanders tend to be critical on short notice is that they have long been literate. Compulsory education was effective in the former Danish West Indies, many generations before their purchase by the United States. The Danish settlement of St. Thomas goes back 290 years, to 1666. The Danes bought St. Croix in 1733, the year after George Washington was born. Many generations of "better-fixed" islanders have been educated abroad—in Denmark, France, Britain, Scotland and wherever. Education in American schools, once unpopular because of stories of American race prejudice, has been increasing steadily since the purchase. American governors and other officials have introduced more Amer-

HEALTH FOR ALL

THE MEDICINE CABINET

Your bathroom medicine cabinet may be crammed with supplies, but is it well equipped? How many items have become ineffective or downright dangerous from age? Do you know how and how long to keep the items necessary to your family's health?

Some equipment will keep indefinitely with proper care. Bandages, antiseptic cotton, tongue depressors, and throat swabs are safe if kept in sealed packages. Bleaches and chlorine disinfectants, boric acid powder and ointment, cough syrups, mouthwash, mineral oil, petroleum jelly, rubbing alcohol, and sodium bicarbonate all keep indefinitely in tightly closed jars and bottles.

Other Items

Other items deteriorate with age. Adhesive tape dries out. Antihistamines, hydrogen peroxide, and nose drops lose effectiveness in one to one and a half years. Throw away aspirin if tablets have a vinegar odor or if crystals have formed; soda mints if crumbly; antiseptics if cloudy, or if

there is sediment in the bottle; milk of magnesia when dry and caked, ointments and salves that have separated, darkened, or if the tube is corroded.

Keep iodine, essence of peppermint, spirits of camphor and ammonia tightly closed to prevent evaporation. When iodine evaporates, it becomes concentrated and can burn badly. Argylol deteriorates rapidly and can become dangerous; discard after 30 days. Eyewash and eyedrops may develop a dangerous fungoid growth if kept too long.

The refrigerator is the place for cod liver oil, vitamins, mineral pills, and antibiotics. One year is the limit for vitamin capsules, six months for tablets and elixirs. Never keep antibiotics beyond the expiration date printed on the package.

Check your medicine cabinet at least twice a year and discard out-of-date items. If a label is missing, don't guess. Throw the item away. This column is sponsored, in the interest of better health, by: Polk County Tuberculosis & Health Assn.

SPORTS

Willie Pacing Giants For 2nd Place

Duke Snider Comes to Defense of Willie Mays

Brooklyn, N. Y.—(CNS)—Call it an od turnaround if you will—but when the Giant fans booed Willie Mays so vociferously last week for failing to pick up the ball after Duke Snider's single had gotten through his legs and two runs scored—it was Duke Snider who came to the rescue of Willie.

A centerfielder himself of no mean ability, the Dodgers' Duke can't understand all the fuss both newspapers and fans are making over Willie—even to the extent of berating the Wonder Boy for being a Prima Donna.

Said Snider: "What are they getting on Willie for? Sometimes it doesn't pay to be able to do all the things he can do. They expect you to perform miracles every day. Willie does a lot of great things over there. And what about his explanation? He said he saw Mueller going after the ball and Mueller was closer to it. Isn't that enough?"

Hank Thompson OK; Injury Minor

New York—(CNS)—Hank Thompson—the Giants' third baseman, escaped serious injury when he was hit hard on the forearm by Dodger pitcher, Karl Spooner. Had the hit come three inches higher on the elbow, it would have fractured the elbow, explained the Giants' trainer. The New Yorkers were greatly worried about Hank what with so many of their infielders out of commission.

Next Governor We have no information on the "next governor" except that an appointment should be looked for, shortly. Governor Alexander will be in office until September 1—right around the corner. Who, besides the usual rash of political hopefuls, would really wish to be Governor, would have the qualifications, and/or be acceptable to the Island-Americans is an open question. Here are

ican ideas. So the Virgins want to be heard. Give them a voice—an elected Resident Commissioner.

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Levi Heath Held To Grand Jury on Assault Charge

Levi R. Heath, 29, was held to the grand jury Thursday by Municipal Judge Harry B. Grund on a charge

of assault with intent to murder, growing out of the shooting July 25 of his estranged wife, Norma, 27. Mrs. Darlene Bryant, Mrs. Heath's sister, of 1211 E. Seventeenth street, with whom Mrs. Heath makes her home, was the principal witness at Heath's hearing. Mrs. Bryant testified Heath came to her home seeking his wife but

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Alexander Resigns

SEE FRONT PAGE The legislature was excessive—intended as "in the past" to turn the legislature into a political club.

Claims Waste

Alexander also has charged waste in government operations and stealing by government officials. Alexander said the main cause of friction was the federal organic act providing for an appointed governor instead of an elected one. He said he was resented personally because he symbolized the act.

Leading Virgin Islands residents who neither supported nor condemned Alexander described him as a successful businessman inexperienced in the ways of government. They credited him with good intentions.

The Virgin Islands, in the Caribbean, consist of St. Croix, St. Thomas and St. John. Their 27,000 inhabitants have received greater per capita aid from the federal treasury than the poorest of the states.

Alexander, who was born in Ottumwa, Ia., maintains homes in Washington, D. C., and at 2200 Chautauqua parkway in Des Moines. A graduate of the State University of Iowa, he is a building engineer.

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