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NAACP LEADER FORESEES

South Yielding to Court Edict

Urges Democratic Party to Condemn Mississippi Party

CHICAGO — The Democratic National Committee, meeting here last week-end, has been urged to pass a resolution condemning the Democratic leadership in Mississippi for its efforts to keep Negroes from voting in that state.

In identical telegrams to each of the state chairmen and vice-chairmen attending the conference, Roy Wilkins, executive secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, charged that the Democratic party in Mississippi "is openly engaged in efforts to curb the Negro vote in that state."

Number Reduced

As a result, the NAACP leader asserted, the number of Negro voters in Mississippi has been reduced from 22,000 in 1952 to about 8,000 in 1955

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Capital Close-Up From Washington

BY CONSTANCE DANIEL

Dunham Acclaimed: Appraised

Washington, D. C. — Katherine Dunham, producer, director, dancer, anthropologist, and artist-extraordinary by any name—took the town, last week, with her company, in a week of dance extravaganza at the Shubert Theatre—her first Washington appearance. "Miss Dunham's Only Terrific," was the rave headline over theater critic Richard Coe's "One On the Aisle," in the Washington Post. The show's striking costuming and stage decor, marvelously coordinated with the three-part dance program—African, Latin American and American South—are by the star's husband, John Pratt.

Our first impression of Miss Dunham, acquired from the doubtful vantage-point of a crowded receiving line, the night before she opened, was of a great, but completely natural personality—assured, poised, and free from superficialities—an impression later strengthened in a backstage interview at the Shubert, between first-night rehearsals for her "whacking good" interpretive show. Part of this show was a composite of what one delighted critic called, "rhythm, songs and tomfoolery," another part, serious, reflected African jungle life; and finally came Americana, from spirituals at their best, through hot jazz—swamp shimmy, cakewalk, Charleston and all.

Particular Gift

"Miss Dunham's particular gift and evident mission, evolved through study," said Critic Coe, "is to create an impression of given peoples . . . by adaption. . . She has adapted the spirit of jungles in form which speaks to us, theaterwise . . . which makes her art the original, fascinating thing that it is."

And that, we think, pretty much spells out the young woman from Chicago, whom some will remember as the Scarlet Woman in "Cabin in

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Father Divine Has Man to Return Loot After 11 Years

New York. — (CNS) — After 11 years, a one-time maintenance man returned \$100. worth of stolen goods to his former employer giving the primary reason for his good deed as the teaching of Father Divine. The stolen goods included odds and ends like a collection of locks, keys, small tools, hinges, kitchenware plus a \$10 money order which was added "for missing items."

A letter to the employer A. M. Perlman, a restauranter and textile merchant, read as follows: "Just a line to let you know that the good Father Divine is in the land in per-

First All-Negro "Buddy" Unit Sworn in From Des Moines Area



Major C. B. Craig, executive officer of the army recruiting main station, swears in 10 members of the first all-Negro "buddy" unit to be enlisted in the Des Moines area. From left, the enlistees are: Warren

D. Weathers, 20, of 1067 Sixteenth street; David Jackson, 20, of 1651 Walker street; Joe B. Caldwell, 22, of 1448 Walker; Samuel Bradley, Jr., 20, of 1154 Thirteenth street, formerly an outstanding athlete at East

High School; Charles K. Mash, 20, of 1253 E. Sixteenth street; Bruce F. Miller, 23, of 1636 Walker; James F. Cooper, 18, of 1623 Walker; Charles D. Black, 20, of 921 Sixteenth street; Robert H. Jacobs, 17, of 1122 Second

place, and John E. Long, 20, of 937 Sixteenth. Caldwell is a former marine, Miller is an army veteran. Both served in Korea. Army recruiters say the men will remain together through eight weeks' basic training at Camp Chaffee, Ark. (Photos Courtesy of Des Moines Tribune).

Blasts Gov. Harriman for Failure to Save Fugitive

NEW YORK — The refusal of Gov. W. Averell Harriman of New York to prevent the extradition of Willie Morgan to South Carolina was cited by an NAACP official as "one more tragic indication that civil rights and needs of the Negro community are being sacrificed by Democratic party politicians in their search for that illusion called party unity."

The charge was made by Herbert Hill, NAACP labor secretary, at a membership meeting of Local 140 of the United Furniture Workers of America, CIO, Thursday night, Nov. 17. Morgan, now 21, was 16 years old when he was convicted in St. Matthews, S. C., on charges of burglary and larceny. Sentenced to four and a half years on the chain gang, he escaped after serving 18 months. Coming to New York, he voluntarily surrendered to White Plains officials last year. The local NAACP branch took up his case and secured the

services of attorneys Grant Reynolds and Curtis McLane to appeal to the Governor to refuse extradition.

Second Fugitive

He is the second Negro fugitive from southern injustice whom Gov. Harriman has permitted to be extradited. "In past years," Mr. Hill told trade unionists, "governors of New York State of both political parties have almost invariably denied extradition requests by southern states because of the universal condemnation of the treatment received by Negro prisoners and because of the doubtful processes by which Negroes were originally convicted for alleged violation of the law in their home state."

The NAACP, Mr. Hill said, "reminds Gov. Harriman that his responsibility is to the people, all the people of the State of New York, not to the politicians of South Carolina. . . . It is unfortunately clear that Harriman would rather be President than be right."

Advise Mississippi State To Stop Trying to 'Buck Entire U.S., Become Part'

Jackson, Miss. — Thurgood Marshall, NAACP special counsel, has advised the State of Mississippi to stop trying to "buck the entire United States" and to "become part of the U.S.A."

The civil rights attorney spoke at the tenth annual convention of the Mississippi State NAACP here last week.

He pointed out that "the good people of Mississippi—those who believe in their God and their country—cannot escape the responsibility for allowing this atmosphere of lawlessness to continue."

Many Good People

Holding that "there are many good

people in Mississippi," Mr. Marshall concluded they have "been driven underground" behind a "steel-lined cotton curtain."

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Wilson Reports on YMCA Enrollment

Paul L. Wilson, general chairman of the 1956 Membership Enrollment program of the Crocker YMCA, announced that at the first report meeting Monday, Nov. 21, \$666 or forty-one percent of the \$1,600 goal had been reached.

Mr. Wilson reported, however, that the teams' divisions were lagging behind, having attained only twenty-five percent of their established goal of \$1,260.

Division "A" leader is Herman P. Wallace 27 percent; Team 1, Wallace-Johnson, 36 percent; Team 2, Trotter-Bruce, 25 percent; Team 5, Winston-Williams, 21 percent.

Division "B"—Robert A. Jackson, leader, 23 percent; Team 2, Cropp-Hawkins, 40 percent; Team 4, no report; Team 6, Wilson-Stovall, 11 percent; Team 8, Dixon-Hayes, 31 percent.

The second report meeting will be held Friday, Nov. 25, 8 p. m., at Crocker Branch YMCA.

Safe Driving Day Will Be Dec. 1

Thursday, Dec. 1, will be the second annual "S-D Day," or "Safe Driving Day." It is being sponsored by President Eisenhower's Committee for Traffic Safety in cooperation with prominent national organizations. The challenge to every community will be: not a single traffic accident during the 24-hour period—in daylight or darkness.

The first S-D Day, last December, produced a reduction in the national toll of deaths and injuries, and in the number of accidents, as against the

Jack E. Johnson, Well Known Chef, Dies at Ottumwa

Ottumwa, Ia.—Services were held Monday, Nov. 14 at the Jay Funeral Home for Jack Ellis Johnson, 78, of 626 West Mechanic street. The Rev. Elijah McIntosh, pastor of the Second Baptist church, gave the eulogy. Burial was in the Eldon Cemetery.

Mr. Johnson died Nov. 11, following a stroke at the Ottumwa Hospital. He was stricken while making visits at the hospital Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 5.

A resident of Ottumwa for 33 years, Mr. Johnson formerly worked in various hotels and restaurants in Buxton, Gladebrook, Fairfield, Marshalltown, Dixon, Ill., and Paola, Kas. He was a professional chef and at one time owned his business here. At present he operated a small neighborhood grocery and did special orders of barbecued meats at his home.

Deacon 50 Years

Born March 10, 1877 at Littleton, N. C., he was a member of Second Baptist church. He was serving as deacon, and has been one for nearly fifty years in churches at Marshalltown and Ottumwa, and Paola, Kas.

Known survivors of Mr. Johnson's are his wife, Flossie; Mrs. Myradine Ewing of Minneapolis, Minn. He was proceeded in death by his stepdaughter, Mrs. Yvonne Hayes.

comparable day in 1953. For the second S-D Day, everyone in every state and community will be asked to join in bringing about a much greater reduction.

Find 'After They Yell and Boo,' Americans Follow Rulings of the Umpire

New York—The NAACP expects "more and more" southern communities to desegregate their schools without a court order because "after they yell boo, Americans always follow the rulings of the umpire."

This was the view expressed this week by Roy Wilkins, NAACP executive secretary, in an interview on school desegregation in U. S. News and World Report.

Termining law suits to bring about school desegregation "a last resort," Mr. Wilkins said the NAACP will sue in the courts and "as lawsuits

are won, more and more communities will comply."

Sentiment Present

The Association's leader declared that "there is sentiment among white people in the South for desegregating schools."

"That sentiment has been repressed, intimidated, coerced, by what might be called the 'politicians' and those interested in the success of certain political personalities or policies. We still believe that there is an inarticulate, timorous but substantial number of white people in the South who recognize that desegregation should and could take place."

Replying to a question on the time it will take to desegregate the remainder of the South's public schools, Mr. Wilkins said:

Resolves Itself

" . . . Ofttimes what seems to be an impossible situation all of a sudden resolves itself. Any number of factors may contribute to try to make a go of it. We believe there will be many instances of this."

School desegregation difficulties so far have been caused by adults, not by the children actually involved, he pointed out. The school children have been "th least worried and last affected."

Tactics to Fail

Remarking that "you either observe the law or you're in rebellion against

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Culps' Murder Trial In Ft. Dodge Dec. 5



JOE EDWARD CULPS

FORT DODGE, IA.—The murder trial of Joe Edward Culps, 30, of Fort Dodge has been scheduled to begin Monday, Dec. 5, in Webster County district court before Judge Harvey Uhlenhopp.

A jury panel of 150 members, 50 more than is normally called for a jury term in this district, will be summoned and told to report on that date.

Culps pleaded not guilty on Sept. 29 to a charge that he murdered his former wife, Josephine Greene Culps, 22, at a Fort Dodge service station on Aug. 27. Mrs. Culps was the mother of seven children.

Culps, arrested by Fort Dodge police about four hours after the murder took place, was indicted by a Webster county grand jury on Sept. 27.

His court-appointed attorney is Donald Mitchell of Fort Dodge. County Attorney Arthur Johnson has been representing the state in the

Former Iowan Received Award Certificates in New Orleans



NEW ORLEANS, LA.—Edward E. Reeves, (right) employed for the past five years as a timekeeper at the Delta Marine and Storage Branch of the New Orleans Port of Embarkation, was one of the four employees honored at a recent award

ceremony. Reeves received two Suggestion Award Certificates and cash, given for "contribution of beneficial idea which has improved operations."

A native of Des Moines, where he attended North High School, Reeves

completed his education while serving the U. S. Army during World War II. He has resided in New Orleans, the native home of his wife. His mother is Mrs. Gertrude Davis of 1127 Thirteenth street.

United Negro College Fund Is Distributing to Member Schools \$450,000

New York, N. Y. — The United Negro College Fund is currently distributing \$450,000 to its member colleges for operating expenses, it was announced today by W. J. Trent, Jr., executive director. The fourth distribution made by the Fund this year, it brings the total allocated to date for this purpose to \$1,066,348.09, Mr. Trent said.



Mr. William Trent

Now in the final period of its twelfth annual nation-wide campaign in support of 31 private, accredited colleges and universities, the United Negro College Fund is seeking to raise \$1,750,000 this year. The goal represents approximately ten per cent of the colleges' combined educational budgets, and is the amount needed to bridge the gap between income from endowments, tuition and

church board grants, and the actual cost of operation.

For Yearly Expenses

The money will be used by the Fund's 31 beneficiary institutions for such yearly expenses as faculty salaries, student scholarship aid, library books, classroom and laboratory equipment and student health programs. Located in eleven southern-states where 73 per cent of college-age Negroes live, they have a combined student body of nearly 23,000 students, or 90 per cent of all Negroes enrolled in private colleges.

In an effort to improve the higher educational opportunities of Negro youth, the United Negro College Fund was founded in 1944. The first of the college groups to be formed for cooperative fund-raising purposes, the organization has raised \$14,163,752.65 to date for operating purposes

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Cards of Thanks and Memoriams

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my many friends for their kindnesses and courtesies shown me during my recent illness. —Miss Della Chapman 3005 Third Street

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mrs. Mary Claggett wishes to thank the friends for their kindnesses and courtesies extended during her illness and at her death. —Miss Margaret Hill, sister

Interracial Group Of Fort Dodge Hears Atty. J. B. Morris

FORT DODGE, IA.—Atty. James B. Morris of Des Moines, prominent Iowan and editor of the Bystander, Sunday evening, Nov. 20, delivered the keynote speech to the Fort Dodge Interracial Commission's public meeting in the First Evangelical United Brethren Church.

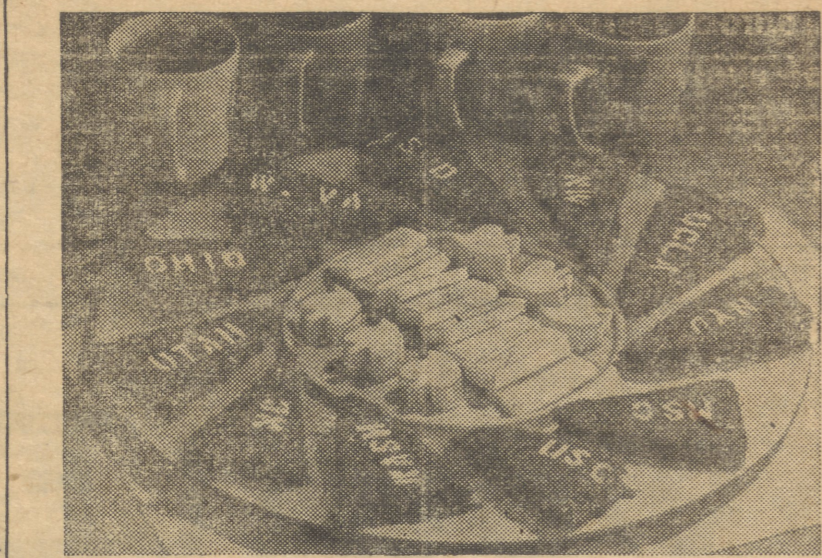
Rev. William Scott of Des Moines, pastor of the Second Baptist church here, gave the invocation, Group singing of "America The Beautiful," was accompanied by Mrs. C. J. Jensen, who is chairman of the Interracial Commission's program committee.

Mrs. Ethel Shannon, the Commission's president, held a short business session.

Hear Carols

Before the well known Des Moines lawyer, Mr. Morris made his address, Mrs. John Harris, sang Christmas

Added Energy for Football Players



EVERY FOOTBALL TEAM HAS SUBSTITUTES . . . but there's no substitute for a good breakfast for providing energy and stamina needed by football players—young and old. So, if your son hasn't made the team this year, it may be that he isn't eating fruit, crisp, ready-to-eat cereal, bread, butter and a beverage each morning.

When he makes that first string team, celebrate by baking a batch of these flavorful Gingerbread Pennants. Made from a simple, wholesome recipe developed in the test kitchens of the Kellogg Company.

GINGERBREAD PENNANTS

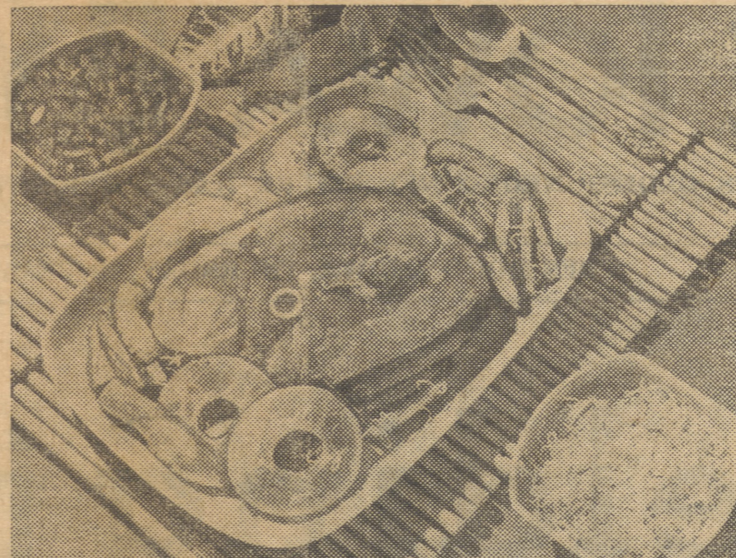
- 1/4 cup butter or margarine 1 1/2 cups sifted flour
1/2 cup sugar 1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
1 egg 1/4 teaspoon baking soda
1/2 cup molasses 1/4 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup Kellogg's All-Bran (ready-to-eat bran) 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 cup cold strong coffee 1/2 teaspoon cloves
2 cups confectioners' sugar 3 tablespoons hot milk
1/2 teaspoon vanilla

Blend butter and sugar thoroughly; add egg and beat until light and fluffy. Stir in molasses, All-Bran and coffee. Sift together flour, baking powder, soda, salt and spices; stir into first mixture. Spread in greased 13 x 9-inch pan. Bake in a moderate oven (350° F.) about 30 minutes. While cake is still warm, cut into pennant shapes.

Combine sugar with milk; add vanilla and beat well. Letter pennants with icing.

Yield: about 2 dozen pennants. (ANS)

Can't Go South? Try Ham Tropical!



NOW THAT THE COLD WEATHER IS HERE, we yearn for warmer climes. But not all of us can pick up stakes and trek for the yellow sands. However, we can create an illusion of sun and color on our dining room table in the foods that we serve and the ways that we serve them. For instance, what could be more gay or provocative than a slice of pink succulent ham, garnished with golden pineapple, yellow bananas and crunchy white coconut? Try this for Sunday dinner next week, and banish thoughts of the cold outdoors!

BROILED HAM TROPIC STYLE

- 1 slice smoked ready-to-eat ham, 1" thick
2 green tipped bananas
8 slices canned pineapple
1/4 cup melted butter
1/4 cup New Orleans molasses
1 teaspoon prepared mustard
1/4 cup pineapple juice (from canned fruit)

Cut fat on ham and stick with cloves. Place in center of broiling pan and surround with bananas cut in sections and pineapple slices. Brush all with melted butter. Combine real New Orleans molasses, mustard and pineapple juice. Spoon molasses mixture over ham and fruit. Place in pre-heated broiler and broil ham 4-5 minutes. Turn ham and pineapple slices, spread with more molasses mixture and broil another 4-5 minutes. Remove banana sections and pineapple rings to warm plate as soon as they appear done. Serve ham surrounded with fruit. Makes 4 servings. (ANS)

THANKSGIVING FEAST BEGINS WITH BREAKFAST



WHY LIMIT THE BIG THANKSGIVING "FEED" to dinnertime? Every part of the day deserves to emphasize the spirit of celebration . . . especially breakfast since it's so often the whole basis for a successful day.

This agreed, what is it that pleases the entire family—Mom, Pop and Junior? One pretty good idea is certainly the favorite cereal—Sugar Crisp—served with a favorite topping in bowls according to the size quantities consumed—a big bowl, medium bowl and baby bowl as this picture shows. As for what sort of toppings for the individual servings of pre-sweetened wheat cereal, try sliced canned or frozen peaches for Pop, a baked apple for Mom and sliced bananas for the young ones. Then complete this appealing, though simple meal with toasted English muffins with butter and jam along with hot coffee for adults and tall glasses of milk for the minors. Ummm, how good can breakfast get?

Another of the wonderful features about these crispy sweet puffed wheat kernels is that because they are pre-sweetened no sugar is needed. Milk or cream is merely added to serve as a cereal. Designed with a three-way appeal, Sugar Crisp is equally good as a cereal, a snack, and a confection. Youngsters find it a welcome snack when watching TV, and ideal for times when friends drop in unexpectedly and refreshments are served. Eaten plain or with milk one thing for sure—it's easy eating. (ANS)

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SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Iowa, Polk County, ss. No. L-61143

Bernice Griffith Plaintiff vs. Milton W. Pratt and Beulah May Pratt Defendant

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of a General execution, to me directed by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, against the goods, chattels, lands, tenements, etc., of Milton W. Pratt and Beulah May Pratt defendant, in favor of Bernice Griffith Plaintiff, I have levied on and will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the East Front Door of the Court House, 5th & Mulberry St., in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, on the 31st day of December 1955, between the hours of 9 o'clock A.M., and 4 o'clock P.M., on said day, all of the right, title and interest of said defendant in and to the following described property, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

The South 28 feet of Lot 38 in Van Ginkel's Addition, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, and locally known as 2015 S. E. 5th St., Des Moines, Iowa.

Sale to commence at the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M. of said day. Witness my hand, this 16th day of November 1955.

WILBUR T. HILDRETH Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa. By JOE BUTLER, Deputy.

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Fort Dodge, Iowa

BY C. L. HOUSE

FORT DODGE, IA.—News came to Fort Dodge that Pvt. Robert W. White of this city is participating in the largest United States Army-Air Force maneuver since World War II, Exercise Sage Brush, in Louisiana.

Some 110,000 army troops are testing the latest concepts of Atomic, Bacteriological, Chemical and Electronic Warfare. The exercise will end Dec. 15. White, an artillery surveyor in the 4th Armored Division's 22nd Field Artillery Battalion, is regularly stationed at Fort Hood, Texas. A graduate of Fort Dodge High School, he entered the army this year. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. White, 619 4th Ave., South.

Thanksgiving A Good Day

Time goes on, the Thanksgiving of 1955 is history in the making and up to that day, this year, there surely

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

Notice is hereby given of the formation of a corporation for pecuniary profit under the laws of the State of Iowa as follows: 1. The name of this corporation shall be "FARR TOOLING SERVICE, INC.", and the principal place of business shall be Des Moines, Iowa.

2. The general nature of the business to be transacted is that of a tooling, machinery, manufacturing and service company, and a general manufacturing and sales company.

3. The amount of authorized capital stock is Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00), divided into five hundred (500) shares, each of the par value of One Hundred (\$100.00), all of which shall be common stock and non-assessable. No stock shall be issued until the corporation has received payment in full therefor, at par, in cash or property, in accordance with the laws of the State of Iowa. Stock in the amount of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00) will be issued immediately for cash.

4. The corporation commenced business on October 28, 1955, and is authorized to continue business until October 28, 1975.

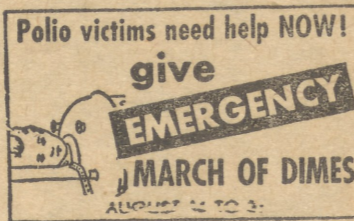
5. The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a board of not less than three (3) and not more than seven (7) directors.

6. Until the annual meeting of stockholders to be held on the third Tuesday of November, 1955, the affairs of the corporation will be managed by Erwin W. Parr, Des Moines, Iowa, President and Treasurer, Catherine B. Parr, Des Moines, Iowa, Vice President and Secretary, and Erwin W. Parr, Catherine B. Parr and C. H. O'Brien, all of Des Moines, Iowa, Directors.

7. The corporation shall have a seal. The private property of the stockholders, directors and officers of the corporation shall be exempt from corporate debts, obligations and liabilities.

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 28th day of October 1955. ERWIN W. PARR, President. CATHERINE B. PARR, Secretary.

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has been just reasons for all of us to be thankful in more than one way —to be able to recognize one important way of life, "still living," and able to say "it's good to be here," the church of your choice, This Sunday make it a must this Sunday to go to day, Nov. 27, the important Sunday following Thanksgiving Day, make it an over-all demonstration of your faith in Divine goodness.

On this Sunday, an Expansion Event will climax the labor and concern of members and friends of Coppin Chapel AME Church. Rev. Nelson Pryor, pastor, invites everyone to attend.

Coppin's Chapel, 151 Central, with Rev. Mr. Pryor, pastor, and Rev. Leroy Patterson, associate pastor, has Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Next topic, "Spreading the Good News," with Mrs. Lillian Lewis, Supt. Morning services at 11:30 o'clock. The Women's Missionary Society meets

Wednesday 2 p.m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. All AME's are urged to turn in their Gleamer booklets for Coppin's Expansion Effort, at the Sunday morning service. Second Baptist Church, 1827 4th Ave., So., Rev. Wm. Scott, pastor; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Mrs. Irene Fox, Supt. Morning worship at 11:30 o'clock. Home Mission Society meeting is second Tuesday monthly, 2:15 p.m. The Seeds of Kindness Auxiliary meets each Thursday at 7 p.m. Mrs. Malissa Howard is president.

Right or Wrong

Everyone is anxious to know how Ed Breen will come out when he personally tries out the new state speed law. Mr. Breen, a lawyer, operates the local radio and television station here.

To Chicago

Rev. (Mrs.) Elhora Welsh left Nov. 19 for her home in Chicago, after a pleasant stay here visiting Mrs. Edna Arnett and friends.

Mrs. Abe Smith, 1429 S. 24th street, was hostess to the Seeds of Kindness Club that met at her home Nov. 17.

NOTICE OF AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF MIDWEST INSURANCE AGENCY NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at a special meeting of the stockholders of Midwest Insurance Agency, held at the principal offices of the company in Des Moines, Iowa on October 19, 1955, the Articles of Incorporation of said company were amended by unanimous vote of the stockholders as follows: ARTICLE 1. The name of the corporation was amended so that said Article as amended reads as follows: "The name of this corporation shall be FRED MILLER COMPANY."

2. Except as hereinabove amended all other provisions of the Articles of Incorporation of the company remain unchanged. Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 21st day of October 1955.

MIDWEST INSURANCE AGENCY (Now Known as FRED MILLER COMPANY) BY FRED MILLER, President. BY EDNA MULLEN, Secretary.

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NOTICE OF SALE TO FORECLOSE CHATTEL MORTGAGE

TO: Dewey E. Higgins and Barbara C. Higgins, Mortgagees, 3919 69th Street, Des Moines, Iowa, and C. Earle Fletcher, d/b/a Earle Fletcher's Motor Sales Service, 2600 East University Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa.

You and each of you are hereby notified that pursuant to provisions of Chapter 652 of the Code of Iowa of 1954, as amended, the undersigned will sell at public sale the following described personal property to-wit:

1951 Pontiac Tudor Sedan, Factory and Engine No. P6US 3375, License No. 87-53187, Title No. 77-147074. This property will be sold at public sale to the highest bidder for cash in the office of the County Loan Company, 221 5th Street, Des Moines, Iowa, on the 16th day of December, 1955, at 10 o'clock A.M. of said day and will be for the purpose of foreclosing and satisfying the chattel mortgage executed by Dewey E. and Barbara C. Higgins on the above described property on the 1st day of August, 1955, the same now appearing as Lien No. 480322 on the certificate of title issued by the County Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa.

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 10th day of November, 1955. CENTRAL LOAN COMPANY, MORTGAGEE BY: JAMES B. MORRIS, JR., Attorney for Central Loan Co., 225 Locust Street, Des Moines 9, Iowa.

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Advertisement for 'THE BIG BARGAINS' at 'BIG 'G' MKTS.' listing various products like PORK CUTLETS, SIRLOIN STEAK, GROUND BEEF, and BREAD with prices.

Dolores Calvin Writes of Billy Daniel's New Wife, Ella Fitzgerald Poppy Cannon-White and Hilda Simms

BY DOLORES CALVIN New York—(CNS)—BILLY DANIELS ARRIVES WITH BLONDE WIFE—Billy Daniels arrived here at International Airport from Los Angeles just a-hugging and a-cooing with his new blonde wife—Perrette Cameron-Davis.

That she is a beautiful woman, could not be disputed for the 23-year-old blue-eyed Canadian was regally attired in tight black Parisian styled wool dress and silver blue mink stole. But Billy's lovey-dovey poses were a little strong to take. He's been on this marriage merry-go-round three times now—his last with Boston socialite Martha Braum just in '53. Surely his cheek to cheek poses are not absolutely necessary to prove how much he loves the gal—his former governess for his youngsters.

It's quite obvious that Billy goes for blondes—that's his past history. . . . Incidentally, the Daniels are expecting to combine a honeymoon in New York while Billy works.

One of Harlem's leading and oldest beauty salons—Frankie's—closed its doors. . . . A wild spender owner Frankie was cited as the chief reason for the trouble. Yet Frankie was so fabulous back in the '30s and '40s that women came for miles to have him do their hair.



ELLA FITZGERALD Ella Fitzgerald getting star billing in "Pete Kelly's Blues" in New York—right behind Jack Webb, that is. . . . And on the serious side of music—the

only big name in the metropolitan area now that Marian Anderson has come and gone for the season is Matilda Dobbs—the sensational coloratura soprano. This one at the Brooklyn Academy of Music will get regal turnout for the gal is terrific.

Poppy Cannon-White really pushing her husband's posthumous book. Poppy finished out Walter White's last opus—which won so many bravos from the critics—then staged special gatherings of distinguished folks to discuss the book. Poppy will finish her own volume once she has gotten all credit due for Walter White.



HILDA SIMMS Hilda Simms getting a very much earned vacation around the Thanksgiving holidays from her radio program. A local stint, it has taken its toll on Hilda who's very broad indeed. . . . The Sugar Ray Robinsons disclaiming any chance of their losing their property on Harlem's 7th Avenue. Says Mrs. Robinson, Sugar has paid all mortgage notes due. Plus he has arranged with the bank not to appoint a receiver for rents to be paid to. From the way she describes it, the operation was very close to being lost.

Roy Campanella will still reminisce about the last series with just a prod or two at his favorite beer-garden, a few blocks from his St. Albans home. . . . Joe Louis dropping by less and less to the home of the beauty queen—Rose Morgan.

Mrs. Ruth S. Turner Answers Daily Paper Article in Letter to Editor On 'Civilized Man and Persecution'

BY RUTH SPRIGGS TURNER In an article appearing in the Des Moines Tribune, Sept. 25, a Southerner, Mrs. Myra V. Smith, defended school segregation on the grounds that Negro children were less than 200 years from savagery while white children had the benefit of over 2,000 years of civilized culture.

Permit Required to Store Game Longer Than 10 Days

Hunters were reminded today by the Conservation Commission that they may hold game in storage for 10 days after the end of the hunting season without a permit, but that permits are required to store game for a longer period.

With a storage permit, game may be held until June 30, 1956. Such permits are free, and applications for permits are available from locker plants and conservation officers. Completed applications should be returned to the Conservation Commission, East 7th and Court, Des Moines. Permits are not required for game killed out of the state, but such game must be stored according to the regulations of the state in which it was killed.

Federal regulations on storing of waterfowl have been relaxed, and there is now no federal time limit for keeping ducks and geese. However, Iowa storage regulations still apply to waterfowl, and they must be stored under the free state permit just as other species of game.

'The Blue Angel' at Art Center Nov. 30

"The Blue Angel" the film that made Marlene Dietrich famous, co-starring Emil Jannings and directed by Josef von Sternberg, was featured Wednesday, Nov. 30 and again Thursday, Dec. 1, at 7 and 9 p. m., at the Des Moines Art Center. A short movie, A Mr. Magoo or cartoon, accompanies.

The free movies are a part of the Film Classics Series in the Art Center auditorium and sponsored jointly by Junior League, Department of Adult Education and the Art Center.

slaves of their fellow-white captives of war, keeping them in slavery for life or until they themselves were overrun and captured by another white horde. Typical of these people are the Celts (Irish, Scotch, Welsh, Bretons and Britains) and the Saxons (the Teutonic people) who overran England in the 5th and 6th centuries.

2. The white men went on numerous witch hunts during these 2,000 years (see court records of witchcraft trials.) They condemned and persecuted these "witches" even by ecclesiastical authority. It was a common belief of these "civilized" whites that witches dried up the milk of cows, brought bad weather—made bad the crops and bedeviled and afflicted individuals or whole communities.

Popular Opinions

In England—the belief that witches could straddle broomsticks and fly around was only one of many popular opinions of the people—so popular was this ridiculous belief that it found its way into famous paintings and works of literature by notables (all civilized no doubt) such as Tenter, Quevedo, Breughel, and Bosch. Also there is Goethe's Faust and Robert Burns' "Tam O' Shanter."

Today, we make fun of this belief on hallow'e'en with witches and black cats. And every child knows the chant about the "Old Lady Witch Who Fell In The Ditch." But in England—in 1645 during a small six month period, 150 "witches" were executed or burned at the stake. In the United States, in 1692, the terrible Salem witch hunt took place. Nineteen citizens were hanged and many others imprisoned for practicing witchcraft. (Certainly a serious matter for the civilized.)

3. Then there was religious persecution, too. In the Netherlands; Jan Walen of Krommeniedijke and two friends were bound to stakes with chains and a fire being laid round them, they were slowly roasted to death. This form of punishment was reserved for Anabaptist men, the women were drowned.

Preachers Burned

In England on July 30, 1540, six preachers were drawn from the tower of London to Smithfield, where three were burned for heresy and 3 were hanged and quartered for treason in denying Henry's supremacy over the church. Under Mary Tudor and Elizabeth — in 3 years time—277 persons were burned to death for their religion.

In New England: Four Quakers were persecuted and hung on the Boston Common 1660—not to mention the burned churches and stoned Priests nor the imprisoned Baptists. This year—in Mississippi, (Mrs. Smith's home) there was a lynching. Prior to that—according to compilation by Tuskegee Institute, nearly 2,000 persons were lynched (one for each of Mrs. Smith's 2,000 years of civilization) in the United States

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during the first half of the 20th century. About nine-tenths of these persons were Negroes. This is civilized?

May it be noted, however, that in the less than 200 years allotted them from "savagery" (by Mrs. Smith) it has never been recorded that the American Negro ever once—went on witch hunts, persecuted minorities (religious or otherwise) nor lynched one human being—no not even during the civil war when the women and children (white) lay defenseless before them.

Growing Stronger May it also be noted that our col-

bred people have come a long way in a very, very short span of years. And in the North where colored and white school children sit side by side—democracy is growing stronger—going forward not backward. Neither race has been scholastically embarrassed—nor worried about "the development of an inferiority complex and equally undesirable feeling of superiority" for it has been proven by these students in the integrated North and by scientific fact that the Negro child has the same learning capacity as the white child.

Culture revolves around education; therefore, equal education is the only

possible road leading to equal culture.

Only Possible Road

Indeed—all races have their genius' and their morons—their civil and non-civil, no race having full claim to one nor the other. All people, too, have their frailties. There is no race so high—so great that it escapes them—and no race so humble—so low that it lacks something of the divine image of God.

Cannot the white man then—just once—strike his breast in humility

and admit that he, too, is afflicted with some human frailties? And thus, acknowledging this—turn a hand towards the remedy? The cure of social ills? In such a moment—he will never have been so big. But if he cannot—will not—then he shall never have been so small.

God help us all to become more civilized—more Christ-like towards our fellowman! God help us all! (Ruth Spriggs Turner, 1253 E. 17th Street Court, Des Moines Ia.)

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Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

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12th and Crocker Streets
REV. JOHN E. HUNTER, Minister
Sunrise Prayer Service Sunday: 6:00 A.M.
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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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Wednesday Evening Youth Service 8:00 P.M.

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905 W. 15th St.
REV. J. R. REESE, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service, Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

St. John Baptist Church
2740 MAURY STREET
REV. JOE GAINES, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
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Prayer Service, Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
A. C. E. League 5:30 p.m.
Bible Study and Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

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

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

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Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class 6:30 P.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wed., 8 P.M.

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REV. SEYMOUR GAINES, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:45 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 7:45 P.M.

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

Interdenomination Mission
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REV. W. A. ROBINSON, Minister
Bible Class 9:45 A.M.
Preaching 11:00 A.M.
Christian Endeavor 6:00 P.M.

First CME Church
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REV. L. P. KING, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
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Evening Services 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Services, Wednesday 8:00 P.M.
The Public Is Invited

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, Nov. 27, 4 p.m., the St. Paul Men's Chorus will present a sacred musical concert. The Highland Park Singers and various musical groups will be featured.

The Lady Usher Board met Monday evening at the church.

Thursday, Dec. 1, 7 p.m., the Monogram Club will honor Rev. John E. Hunter and family, on his return as pastor for another year and his birthday. Mrs. Fannie M. Danforth is president of the Monogram club, an active church group which meets twice a month.

Monday, Dec. 5, 8 p.m., a church conference will be held. Delegate will be elected to the annual conference to be held in the early fall, at Davenport, Ia. The month and date are to be set by Bishop George W. Baber and will be announced later.

Sunday evening, Nov. 27, the monthly Fellowship night by St. Paul and Bethel A.M.E. churches will be held at Bethel. The Rev. Mr. Hunter will preach and the men's chorus of St. Paul will sing.

All new members are asked to be present Sunday to be fellowshiped in and assigned to their classes.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. George Parrish will preach Sunday, Nov. 27, at 11 a.m. on the subject, "The Wages of Sin is Death." At 8 p.m. joint services will be held with First Baptist church in West Des Moines. Thursday, Dec. 1, at 8 p.m. the Senior Choir is sponsoring the Rev. E. A. Gaiter who will give a talk on his trip to Europe and the Holy Land. Maids of Music is sponsoring a musical program Sunday afternoon, Dec. 11, at 3 p.m. Among the sick and shut-ins are: Mesdames Clara Houston, Bessie Cunningham, Julia Campbell, Lucy Herd and Mr. Benjamin Dant.

INTERDENOMINATIONAL MISSION NEWS

Sunday, Nov. 27, 3 p.m., Rev. W. A. Robinson will deliver a sermon on the subject, "Life At Its Fullest." Last Sunday afternoon, Rev. R. L. Ryles preached, after which dinner was served by the women. At 7 p.m., Rev. A. B. Brewer and his members were guests.

Stewardess Board

The Stewardess Board No. 1 will meet Monday afternoon, Nov. 28, with Mrs. Lena Tunley. Mrs. Lela Powell is president.

Mrs. Doyle Back From Visit in Ohio With Kin



MRS. MARY BELL DOYLE
Mrs. Mary Bell Doyle, 1607 Buchanan street, returned last Saturday from a week's visit in Cleveland, Ohio, with her daughter, Mrs. Leo Williams, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ruth Doyle, in Lima, Ohio. The evangelist was extended many social courtesies there.

EVANGELIST MISSIONARY CHURCH IN CHRIST

Services are being conducted at the church located at 1340 E. Eighteenth street, on Tuesday and Thursday nights and Sunday. Nov. 20 was Missionary Day with National Mother Mrs. M. J. Cranshaw and Elder Arthur Bush in charge. Leader is Elder Euric Fountain.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Lovell Johnson will talk on "Faith Is the Victor," and the youth choir will sing at 11 a.m. Sunday. The Proto Club will present the Spiritualaires from Maple Street Baptist church. The regular ACE League will meet at 5:30 p.m. Sunday. At 7:30 p.m. the Union Service between St. Paul and Bethel will be held. Rev. John E. Hunter will preach and his choir will sing.

Toys for Tots Drive On in Des Moines

The third annual "Toys for Tots" campaign is now being conducted in the Des Moines area, jointly sponsored by the 20th Rifle Company, U. S. Marine Corps Reserve and the Des Moines Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Through the combined efforts of these two organizations, new and usable toys are being collected for distribution to the less fortunate children of Des Moines.

Anyone wishing to donate toys which would make some needy youngster happy on Christmas morning, may do so by placing them in the "Toys for Tots" barrels located in many of the business establishments throughout the city, or by phoning 8-1672 or 4-7121.

worth Methodist church, with a large number of his Senior High and Junior High youth groups, attended and gave the invocation and benediction.

Predicts Battle Between Negro Voters in 'Key' States of North, West

New York—The announcement of Georgia Governor Marvin Griffin that he will attempt to insert a states rights plank in the 1956 Democratic party platform was seen here by the NAACP's top official as a sure way to lose needed Negro voters in the 1956 presidential election.

Addressing a dinner sponsored by Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity on Nov. 6, NAACP Executive Secretary Roy Wilkins pointed out that "the Negro refugees from behind the Cotton Curtain who have traveled northward and westward" hold "the balance of power in key states" in the coming election.

This has been recognized by southerners, Mr. Wilkins said, in efforts to change the electoral system to "cut down the effectiveness of the Negro vote in the North."

He described Governor Griffin's proposed states rights plank as "framed in such a way that states will be free to deal with segregation as they choose, without interference from federal sources — executive, judicial or legislative."

According to the southern view "the Negro is not to enjoy equality

Might Retire To Cet Up Boy's Ranch

Tucson, Ariz.—Jackie Robinson said Monday he would like to play one more season with the Brooklyn Dodgers but may even retire before next year's campaign if his plans for a boy's ranch go through.

"I would like to play one more season, but that depends on what they offer me. I realize that at my age the Dodgers might want to trade me to another club or cut my salary."

"I've had several good offers outside of baseball that interest me. And I have been working with a friend who has 100 acres in New York about the possibility of setting up a boy's ranch."

"I've always wanted to work with boys and if this comes through I might even retire before the 1956 season."

Manly, Iowa

Manly, Iowa.—Mr. John T. Rhem and Charles Bennett motored to Ft. Madison Saturday, Mr. Rhem was on business for the Grand Lodge of the K. of P's.

A group of Manly folks motored to Mason City last Thursday to witness a musical concert presented by Mrs. Ivory Winston of Ottumwa, Iowa.

This program was sponsored by the St. John Baptist Church. The Rev. G. M. Williams is pastor.

The Rev. B. F. Parker gave a

Italy's Boys Town's Presidents Gets Award



NEW YORK, N. Y. — Manhattan Borough President Hulan E. Jack (center) presents Monsignor John Patrick Carroll-Abbing, founder and President of Boys Towns of Italy, the American Public Relations Association's Annual Award for Outstanding Achievement. James L. Macwithey, (left) president of the American Public Relations Association and Director of Public Relations for Bristol-Myers Co. looks on.

Mrs. Luce Speaks

NEW YORK — Clare Booth Luce, U. S. Ambassador to Italy, Nov. 15 hailed Monsignor John Patrick Carroll-Abbing, founder and President of the Boys' Towns of Italy, as "one of the great figures of our day" in a message to the American Public Relations Association. The APRA Annual Award for Outstanding Humanitarian Achievement was conferred on Monsignor Carroll-Abbing, at a luncheon at the Midtown House.

"This man," said Mrs. Luce, "has saved lives by the score, has given shelter, opportunity in life to hundreds of thousands of children."

On Relief Group
"When it is remembered," she continued, "that in the same year in which the great Boys' Town operation began, in 1945, he also served on a pontifical relief commission, that he founded an institute for the study, diagnosis and cure of pernicious anemia, that he founded a dispensary for diabetics, that he set up centers in two cities for children with vitamin deficiencies, that he carried out a relief plan for thirty thousand sufferers from malaria . . . some com-

reception is gained of the scope of his endeavors."

"Rarely is it possible," Ambassador Luce concluded, "so unstintingly to give merited praise to any person as to this Eire-born churchman, this servant of God who has become the great benefactor of the youth of Italy."

Mr. and Mrs. Luce are in New York on their way to Rome. Mrs. Luce will attend the APRA Annual Award for Outstanding Humanitarian Achievement ceremony at the Midtown House.

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To Attend Of Joan Washing

Mr. and Mrs. Washington, forthcoming, Mr. J. Patterson will take place in the St. James a former re Mr. and 1067 Sixteen L. A. Clay will attend.

Patron To Meet

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Honor DeLuz Meet

The DeLuz Meet will be held at the home of Mrs. L. T. DeLuz, 1000 Keo, on Monday, Nov. 28, at 8 p.m. The program will include a musical program and a social hour. Tickets are \$2.00. Reservations should be made by Nov. 27.

DINNER AT EIGHT SOCIETY

Guests Honored at Iowa Farm Bureau Meeting Here



Mrs. C. C. Inman (left), Iowa Farm Bureau women's committee chairman, pins corsage on Mrs. Joseph Welch, one of the three honored at luncheon last Wednesday at Hotel Fort Des Moines. Others are

Judge Edith Sampson of Chicago, Ill., and Mrs. Henry A. Wallace (right), Mr. Welch, a Boston, Mass., attorney, and Mr. Wallace of South Salem, N. Y., former vice-president of the United States, were in Des

Moines to address the Iowa Farm Bureau Federation. Both men are former Iowans. Mrs. Sampson, who represented the United States in the United Nations, addressed the Iowa Farm Bureau members. (Photo Courtesy of Des Moines Register).

Crowned 'Miss Tennessee State'



BY MABEL CROOKS
Nashville, Tenn. — In a colorful medieval ceremony, Miss Archilene Turner, a Nashville business education major, was crowned campus queen at Tennessee State University last week. The hour-long ceremony of preparation, queen's progress, coronation, homage, and recess followed the Old English ritual of canopy and regalia bearers, honor guards, court musicians, and the like.

There were thirty in the queen's entourage. Miss Joyce MacAnulty, freshman of Memphis, Tenn.; Miss Kitty Lockley, junior of Beaumont, Texas; Miss Turner; Miss Jean Long, senior of Tusculumbia, Ala.; and Miss Gracia Crouch, sophomore of Detroit.

Foreign Students at Iowa University Spend Thanksgiving Week End in Osage

IOWA CITY, IOWA—Forty foreign students from the State University of Iowa, representing 18 foreign nations, are guests this weekend at the sixth annual International Thanksgiving Day to be sponsored by the townspeople of Osage.

Friday night, at a banquet sponsored by the Osage Rotary Club, the students will "transport" their hosts into their own homes, when they present a program "Holidays in Many Lands," during which the students will describe typical holiday customs in their own countries.

Turkey and all the traditional trimmings were enjoyed by the students Thursday as they spent the day in various Osage homes.

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To Attend Wedding of Joan Toler in Washington Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Webb of Washington, D. C., announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Mary Joan Toler, to Charles E. Patterson of Monmouth, Ill., which will take place Saturday, Nov. 26, at the St. James AME church. Joan is a former resident of Des Moines.

T.O.B. Club Has Evening of Fun

The T. O. B. Club spent an evening of fun, Nov. 18, at the home of Mrs. Louise Wellington by initiating Mrs. Helen Wyatt and reinstating Mrs. Frances Morrow. Later games were played and luncheon was served by the hostess. Mrs. Muriel DeSleet is reporter.



Personal Touch By MARIE ROSS

Patroness Club To Meet Nov. 27

The Patroness club will meet Sunday, Nov. 27, at 5 p. m., at the Willkie House. Mrs. Mary Hardaway is president. All members are urged to attend.

Honor Members; DeLuxe Club To Meet Dec. 1

The DeLuxe club met last Thursday with Mrs. Lessie Garrett when a potluck was served. Mrs. Mary Frye, president, presented a birthday cake and refreshments to all the members of 1955 with their names written on it. The five members whose birthdays were celebrated were: Mesdames Garrett, Mary K. Monroe, Dearthour Terrell, Mildred Dysart, Mary Frye. The cake was for the birthdays of the thirteen club members. Mrs. Dorothy Griffin was guest of the club. She talked to the members on Christmas Savings Plan. The club will meet Dec. 1. Mrs. Monroe is reporter.

L. T. Club To Meet

The L. T. Club will meet Nov. 30 with Mrs. Pearl Burns, 1628 Carpenter.

Legion Auxiliary To Meet Next Tuesday

The American Legion Auxiliary No. 126 will meet Tuesday, Dec. 6, 8 p.m., at Willkie House. Mrs. Victoria Hendricks, president, has asked all members to attend. Miss Dorothy Elaine Chapman is secretary.

Original Larks Sewing Club Entertains At Luncheon

The Original Larks Sewing Club entertained at a luncheon in honor of Mrs. Adelaide Brinker and Mrs. Vera Williams who is to leave soon for New York.

The luncheon was at the home of Mrs. Anna Ware, 1216 Fifteenth street. Sharing the courtesies were Mesdames Maude Wood, Armenta Madison, Lola Reeves, Beatrice Crank, Susie Evans, Georgia Goggins, Anna Ware, Julia Proctor and Lena Smith.

MISS CHAPMAN IMPROVING

Miss Della Chapman of 3005 Third street, was able to be out this week following a two-month illness.

Mrs. Lewis Here

Mrs. Verla Lewis of Burlington, Ia., was weekend house guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Franklin.

On Thanksgiving Days of old, before television moved into the home and became boss, friends and families would get together at reunion dinners, to count their blessings and recall many of the pleasant memories of their childhood and by-gone days.

After reading a part of the Psalms of David, it was customary for one of the party to recite the beloved poem, "Thanksgiving Day:"

Over the river and through the wood,

To grandfather's house we go;

The horse knows the way

To carry the sleigh

Through the white and drifted snow.

Many of us remember the last verse—

Hurrah for the fun!

Is the pudding done?

Hurrah for the pumpkin pie!

Another of the family around the table would choose "We Thank Thee:"

For flowers that bloom about our feet;

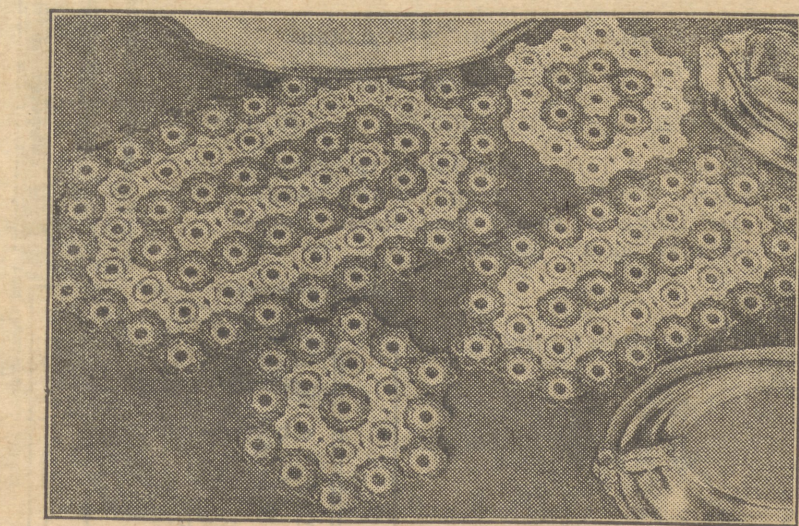
For tender grass, so fresh, so sweet;

For the song of bird and hum of bee;

For all things fair we hear, or see,

Father in heaven, we thank thee!

Then, following a bounteous family feast, the members of the family and friends would sit and chat. There were no movie houses to rush out to, no autos to hop into to go for a spin around the town, no radio or television football games to listen to



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or watch. There was peace!

So, there was ample time for Thanksgiving Day stories, like this one, from L. B. Pingree's works, which many tiny tots will tell now, if the television is turned off long enough for them to get their thoughts together:

"Johnnie said to Mary:—
"I wish I could do something to tell God how glad I am about Thanksgiving Day." And Mary said, "I wish so too."

Just then some little birds came flying down to the ground near them, and Mary said, "Oh, I know!" Then she told Johnnie; but they agreed to keep it a secret until the day came.

Now, what do you think they did? I will tell you. They saved their pennies and bought some corn, and early Thanksgiving Day, before they had dinner, they went out into the street near their home and scattered corn in a great many places. What for? For the birds.

By and by the birdies came and found such a feast! and perhaps they knew something about Thanksgiving Day, for they sang and chirped happily all day.

Just this week, I have heard passerby remark: "Thanksgiving is just another day with me;" and, I wonder how they can look so lightly upon a special day set apart for public acknowledgement of the benefits and mercies received from God.

Every morning is an occasion for giving thanks.

Says Mrs. Barbauld in her "Night: A Hymn in Prose:"

There is an eye that never sleepeth; there is an eye that seeth in the dark night as well as in the bright sunshine.

When there is no light of the sun, or of the moon, — when there is no lamp in the house, or any little stars twinkling through the thick clouds,—that eye seeth everywhere, in all places, and watcheth continually over all the families of the earth.

The eye that sleepeth not is God's, His hand is always stretched out over us. . . .

When the darkness is passed away, and the beams of the morning sun strike through your eyelids, begin the day with praising God, who hath taken care of you through the night.

Let His praise be in our hearts when we lie down; let His praise

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Miss Duncan of Denver Visits Kin



MISS DELORES DUNCAN
Miss Delores Duncan, former Des Moines resident, who is living in Denver, Colo., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Clark, 1114 Tenth

street, during the recent holiday. Miss Duncan is a private secretary at the Veterans Hospital in Denver.

cluding transportation, are borne by their Osage hosts. The students will return to the SUI campus Saturday afternoon, according to Wallace Maner, adviser to foreign students on the SUI campus and supervisor of the trip arrangements.

All-Time Record Of Students in U. S. Colleges

Washington, D. C.—S. M. Brownell, Commissioner of Education, U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, today estimated an enrollment of 2,716,000 students in the Nation's colleges and universities this fall.

"This is an all-time record," Commissioner Brownell said. "It is 8.6 percent greater than the previous high peak of 2,500,000 students enrolled last fall and marks the fourth consecutive year of college-university student increase in the United States."

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EMPHASIS ON THANKSGIVING IS IMPORTANT

Thanksgiving day, like the rest of our holiday, rools around pretty fast as they years go by and at times the sentiment of one has not gone before the next one comes.

For Americas Thanksgiving means much even for the present generation. History gives a pretty dismal picture of the suffering and hardships which fell upon the early settlers. But they had faith that relief would surely come some day.

Today, Americans have no such hardships as the early settlers did. People are reasonably comfortable; business is at an all time peak; employment has made a new record; most people can have just about what they like provided they go out to get it; best of all America is at peace with the world and while the cold war goes on, hope for its eventual cessation continues in the minds of the east and the west.

Fundamentally, this condition of affairs could not exist without the blessings of the Almighty; it cannot continue without His help. Most people realize that and take Thanksgiving day as a special one of praise for all these blessings keeping in mind that this occasion is but one of emphasis and that like the good things which nature provides go on without ceasing.

MARYLAND HAS A FINE GOVERNOR

The operation of national guard units is a rather complicated deal, the individual state and federal government both maintaining some control. But up until recently, two things have been certain; Negroes were not integrated; in most states, like our own Iowa, none were recruited or belonged.

Maryland has been one of those states maintaining Negro national guard units. Recently some of the officers realizing that integration was just about complete in national defense units, let it be known that they would seek court action to force the state to drop that policy in the national guard unit.

Fortunately, Maryland has a fine governor. He as a progressive governor and although heading a border line southern state he is not out of step with programs designed to enable all Americans to enjoy full citizenship.

So when the governor has approved of the proposed action, he issued an executive order integrating the Maryland national guard in which he said: "the awaiting of court action would result in an unnecessary delay . . ."

It is refreshing to find men in the South of Governor McKeldin's type for altogether too many of them have adopted a brazen attitude to flaunt the law as declared by the US Supreme Court in spite of the oath they took to uphold the law of the land.

Here in Iowa several attempts have been made to get Negroes in the national guard, but without success. Each governor other than Gov. Leo Hoegh has been approached on the matter but so much energy was expended in an effort to find out whose job it was to perfect the deal that nothing has happened so far.

Gov. McKeldin and the people of Maryland deserve congratulations for they got the job done with a minimum amount of effort and yet maintain the good will of each other.

Develops Two Transistorized Portable Radios

Philadelphia, Pa. — Two transistorized portable radios, latest RCA developments in this field, are scheduled to make their commercial debut before the end of the year. A pocket-size all-transistor radio, and a larger portable, which compares in size to the RCA Victor "Personal" portable, have been developed by the corporation's Radio and "Victoria" Division.

The miniature portable, with six transistors, is housed in a plastic case small enough to carry in a pocket or handbag. The larger set has seven transistors and its case is of leather covered wood with aluminum trim.

Foresees South

SEE FRONT PAGE The Constitution," the NAACP head predicted that southern tactics to evade the Supreme Cour school rule will fail.

He called a proposal to abandon public schools and institute private schooling "fraught with many, many difficulties, and they know it as well as we know it."

On a proposal that the people in a county vote for voluntary school segregation, he pointed out that "there are no referenda on Supreme Court rulings."

Asked about NAACP plans to sue for school desegregation, Mr. Wilkins asserted, "unquestionably there will be lawsuits."

In its interview section entitled "The Race Issue: South's Plans, How Negroes Will Meet Them," U. S. News and World Report also published questions and answers on the South's school situation by Sen. John C. Stennis (D-Miss.) and Sen. Sam J. Ervin (D-N.C.).

Negro College Fund

SEE FRONT PAGE and \$14,187,256.00 for capital improvements.

Dr. Lindsley F. Kimball, vice-president of the Rockefeller Foundation, is 1955 chairman. Serving with Dr. Kimball are vice-chairmen Dr. T. K. Lawless of Chicago and Daniel E. Koshland, vice-president of Levi-Strauss & Company in San Francisco. John J. McCloy, Chairman of the Board of the Chase Manhattan Bank is treasurer, and John D. Rockefeller, Jr. is chairman of the Fund's National Council.

Mississippi Advised

SEE FRONT PAGE The attorney cited as Mississippi lawlessness the failure to secure legal conviction of anyone for recent murders of three Negroes in that state, and denial of the vote to Negroes, and the refusal to desegregate public schools and the University of Mississippi in line with Supreme Court decisions.

"The most law abiding, peaceful, religious, respectful Negro in Mississippi, in this late date, is not only denied the right to vote but stands a chance of being killed solely for politely asking for the right to vote," Mr. Marshall asserted. "Any Negro in Mississippi who dares to exercise his constitutionally-protected right to ask a school board for desegregated schools will either lose his job, be denied the normal small loan for his crops or be beaten up and/or killed."

The NAACP official termed the murder of 14-year-old Emmett Till "a horrible example of terrorism tactics being practiced against law abiding citizens throughout this state."

On the Till case he said further: "I am perfectly willing to agree that the average Mississippian is opposed to cold-blooded murder of anyone, even a poor, defenseless Negro. I know that by far the majority of people in this state condemned the murder of Emmett Louis Till."

"That is not enough. Everyone who permits murderers to remain free and who permits the continuation of such an atmosphere of unequal justice based on race is himself responsible for conditions as they now exist. Wherever it exists, lawlessness exists solely because law abiding citizens permit it to go unpunished."

NAACP Will Go To Court

The NAACP, Mr. Marshall said, will seek redress in the Federal courts on Mississippi's denial of the vote to Negroes and refusal to desegregate public schools, and will "insist" that the University of Mississippi admit Negro students.

Another speaker at the meeting, held Nov. 4 to 6, called the effort to obtain civil rights for Negroes in the U. S. "part of a world wide struggle for freedom and human dignity."

Willard L. Brown, president of the Charleston, W. Va., NAACP branch, contended that "our country seems to be ready, willing and able to spend billions of dollars to make democracy work in China, Japan, Yugoslavia, Italy and other parts of the world, but not one dime to make it work at home."

"Democracy should begin at home and then spread abroad, and not spread abroad and be forgotten at home," he declared.

Defining democracy as "the political equality of all individuals, the right to private freedom and to petition our government for redress of grievances," he maintained that democracy for Negroes is "very limited" in certain sections and local-

HEALTH FOR ALL

HEADACHE

There is a pain that is good for you. That pain is a headache. It is nature's way of telling you that something is wrong inside. Headache is not a disease—it is merely a signal, a sign that something is wrong in the body.

"Head that pain. Headache remedies are not the answer," said Dr. Abraham Gelperin, Director of Des Moines-Polk County Departments of Public Health. "The underlying cause must be corrected. Headache pills do not cure, it merely throws the warning system out of order. Correct that cause."

Your headache may be serving notice that your eyes need the help of glasses. A throbbing head may be the advance agent of an acute sickness or a sign that you are eating or drinking food that doesn't agree with you.

If you have an occasional head-

ache, you may think back and discover the probable cause. Was it reading too long in poor light, or strained eyes in some other way? Was it too much eating, drinking, smoking or robbing yourself of food and rest? Have you been "burning the candle at both ends?" You may have to revise your way of living, thus eliminating the cause.

If Mother Nature is telling you to slow down, if your headaches keep coming back—it is a signal that you should see your family doctor. Only your doctor can help you determine the cause of many kinds of headaches and advise means of correction. These may be of organic origin or from a history of emotional upset and strain.

"Warning pains are good for you, if you heed the warning," concluded Doctor Gelperin. "Pain killing pills may aid in relief, but do not cure. Correct the cause."

SPORTS

BY ALLEN ASHBY

Baldrige Wins

Delmar Baldrige won the billiard tournament at Garrison's Billiard Parlor Monday night defeating Norman Blagburn 100 to 85. Baldrige who is the youngest player ever to win this meet, won his way to the finals by beating the favorite Don Jackson. Blagburn had squeezed out Marian Diggs.

Baldrige led all the way and needed the big lead he had built up to stand off the veteran's last minute rush. But the finish found Delmar plugging away and Blagburn still trying to get a winning rally going.

We have searched our memory and we can't recall a group of football players losing as many games in the final minutes as did those Hawkeyes of Iowa U. over a period of years. Beginning with 1953, when they lost last quarter games, the pattern was changed. Only a couple of times were they beaten early and decisively.

Call it what you will, but just about one quarter repeater Iowa has an overall record that would stand up against the best. Then this year. Whoever dreamed up that schedule ought to be resting in a sanitarium now. Even so the boys went through the same pattern, losing then in the last quarter. Oh, well, wait till next year.

High School

Last year we asked Jack North how come McQuerry of East didn't make the first All State High School football team? The big fellow looked down and up and said there were a lot of juniors in the state who would surely make it next year. McQuerry was included in the list. And he made it. How could they have kept the guy off?

Mr. Brown is chairman of the West Virginia NAACP state legal redress committee.

Other speakers at the meeting included Clarence Mitchell, director of the NAACP's Washington Bureau; and Mrs. Ruby Hurley, southeast regional secretary for the Association.

The NAACP, Mr. Wilkins told the party leaders, "believes that colored voters in the North and West who ities in our country."

Resentment

"There is the strong likelihood that this resentment will be expressed at the polls in the 1956 presidential election unless the leaders of the party in Mississippi are called to task by the national leadership of the party with the demand that present Mississippi tactics be promptly and completely abandoned."

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We're thankful as we praise and pray, To celebrate our way of living Our festival of glad Thanksgiving. . . Glenn A. Gallagher (First American Serial Rights Only)

Capital Close-Up BY CONSTANCE DANIEL

SEE FRONT PAGE The Sky," and guest choreographer with the Chicago Federal Theatre. A young woman to whom anthropology rather than teaching, was the answer for her interest in people, "something that made an effort at finding out why they are as they are." A Rosendward Fellow, who studied native dances for two years, in Jamaica, Martinique, Trinidad and Haiti, she has been out of the country since 1947, principally in Mexico and Europe. The Pratt's small daughter, Marie Christine Dunham Pratt — a charming, unspoiled eight-year-old — "goes to school" in Switzerland, but was with her parents for the Washington week.

The Dunham Troupe

The Dunham-trained troupe of eight nationalities—Italian, English, Mexican, Haitian, Cuban, Brazilian, Argentinian and American—has been recruited through auditions held wherever the show has appeared. Some are untrained talent, some already professionals. One is a former ballerina from the Rome Opera. Conductor, first pianist and native drummers—the latter from Haiti, Cuba, Brazil and The Argentine—are all integral parts of the amazing Dunham ensemble.

North Carolina Lawyers Sworn North Carolina Attorneys Conrad O. Pearson, J. H. Wheeler and Floyd McKissick, who expect to appear before the Supreme Court on North Carolina's school segregation cases, were admitted to practice before the

Democratic Confab

SEE FRONT PAGE out of a potential Negro vote of 497,000. This policy of repression and intimidation, he continued, "has led to the assassination of two Negro leaders who refused to give up their right to vote."



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