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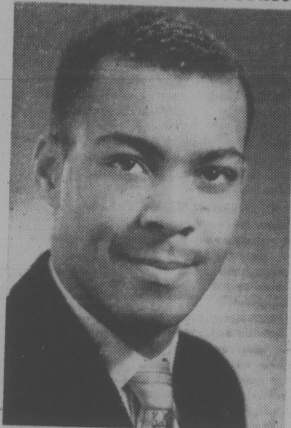
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Students Boycott Jimcrow Buses

Receives His B.A.
From Drake University



HERMAN WALLACE, JR.

Herman Wallace, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wallace, 1010 Seventeenth street, received his Bachelor of Arts degree Monday morning, June 4, in the seventy-fifth annual spring commencement at Drake University.

At Drake, Wallace majored in psychology, and is planning to work towards a Master's Degree in the subject. He is a member of Psi Chi, honor psychology fraternity, at the university; and the Kappa Alpha Psi (social) fraternity.

He has been employed at Northwestern Bell Telephone Company, since his senior year in North High School, and has earned his money to send himself through school.

In the community, Wallace has been a part-time worker at Wilkie House, as a part of his school projects; a member of Crocker YMCA, and Burns Methodist Church.

To Get B.A. Degree
At Iowa U. Friday



BARBARA J. OLIVER

Barbara J. Oliver, daughter of Atty. and Mrs. W. Lawrence Oliver, 1047 Thirteenth Street, will receive her Bachelor of Arts degree in the State University of Iowa's spring commencement exercises Friday, June 8, at 9:30 a. m., in the University Fieldhouse.

Miss Oliver, who majored in music education, has had a busy career at Iowa University, participating in many of the school's activities, receiving honors. She has served as officer of Student Council, member of Campus Judiciary Board, New Student Orientation Council; chairman of Panacea Board; was an SUI delegate to National Student Association two years, director of Currier Hall chorus three years, president of Currier Hall, women's dormitory; was tapped for Mortar Board, National honorary organization for senior college women; sang in the SUI chorus and choir for four years.

In dramatics, Miss Oliver played the part of "Mary" in the school's Christmas pageant. She was president of Kappa Phi and basilius of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sororities; and, in 1955 chosen sweetheart of Kappa Alpha Phi Fraternity.

Her plans are to teach music education and to direct vocal choruses.

Children's Day Sunday

The Mt. Olive Baptist Sunday School will present its annual Children's Day program at the church Sunday afternoon, June 10, 2:45 p. m.

Sen. Hickenlooper Wins GOP Nomination; Loveless To Face Hoegh in General

Senator Bourke B. Hickenlooper of Cedar Rapids won the Republican nomination Monday to run for a third term as United States senator from Iowa. He defeated Attorney General Dayton Countryman of Nevada by a margin that exceeded 2 to 1. The vote was: Hickenlooper—157,124; Countryman—75,884.

As the victorious Democratic nominee, R. M. Evans, of Arnolds Park, a former national farm program administrator and former federal reserve board member, won over Edmund F. Wilcox, Jefferson attorney. The vote was: Evans—64,472; Wilcox—37,948.

For Governor

Herschel C. Loveless, former mayor of Ottumwa, won the Democratic nomination for governor over Lawrence E. Plummer, present mayor of Northwood. Loveless will contest Gov. Leo A. Hoegh for governor in the general election Nov. 6.

File Charges Against Branch and Jackson

Charges of assault with intent to do great bodily injury were filed Monday against two men after a Sunday night row at 1401 DeWolf street.

Ralph L. Jackson, 24, of 1318 McCormick street, was being held under guard at Broadlawn General Hospital with a stab wound in his left shoulder.

Louis H. Branch, Jr., 26, of 1520 E. Seventeenth court, was taken to city jail Sunday after treatment for knife cuts on his forehead and body.

Both men were arraigned Monday, waived preliminary hearing and were bound to the Polk County grand jury. Branch was released under \$500 bond. Jackson's bond was set at \$500.

Capital Close-Up From Washington

BY CONSTANCE DANIEL

Thurgood Talks to Youth

We sat in, by T-V, on the Sunday following the Supreme Court Decision anniversary, as Thurgood Marshall, NAACP chief counsel, answered the straightforward, unloaded questions of youth, on NBC's "Youth Wants to Know," program.

The questioning young people, some Negro, more white, were all students from high schools in the Washington area. Some were from the Federal City's recently desegregated schools, others from still segregated schools in Maryland and Virginia. They were sent by their respective schools at the invitation of the program, on the basis of academic achievement—the cream of the high school crop.

What They wanted to Know

They wanted to know if the NAACP represented "the majority opinion of the Negroes of the United States;" to what extent it was interracial; whether, in view of the assertions of "many Southern whites" (question by a Negro girl) that they "are willing to go to the extreme of violence . . . to stop integration," the NAACP would "be willing to go to the extremes . . . to attain . . . integration."

Youth wanted to know about the "passive resistance crusade" in Montgomery; there were questions about the "Negro vote;" on a time-table for desegregation, and there were political questions.

Thurgood's Answers

Among Thurgood Marshall's answers we noted these, particularly: SEE PAGE FOUR

The count was: Loveless—77,120; Plummer—36,610.

W. H. Nicholas of Mason City led the race for lieutenant governor, over State Representative Wendell Pendleton of Storm Lake for the Republican nomination for lieutenant governor.

In the Democratic race for lieutenant governor, State Senator George E. O'Malley of Des Moines defeated William H. Bartley of Iowa City.

The vote was: Nicholas—111,600; Pendleton—99,536; Bartley—48,889; and O'Malley 53,812.

In the race for attorney general—Norman Erbe of Boone, assistant attorney general won the Republican

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A Grand View College Grad



MISS COLLEEN MARTIN

In the graduation class, June 1, of Grand View College, which received diplomas for the completion of junior college work, was Miss Colleen Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Martin, Jr., of 1045 Sixteenth Street.

Miss Martin was a member of Iowa Junior College Honor Society. She sang with the Grand View choir which went this year on a spring tour through Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin and South Dakota.

Miss Martin plans to continue her education in September at Drake or Iowa State Universities, and begin public school teaching after she has earned a degree.

Prince Hall Masons Give \$100,000 to Defense Fund For NAACP Legal Research

Boston, Mass.—The Prince Hall Masons have contributed more than \$100,000 during the past five years to help the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc., find the right formula in stamping out racial segregation and discrimination in American life and to conserve the right of Negroes to enjoy the full benefits of first class citizenship.

Thurgood Marshall, Director-Counsel of the NAACP Legal Defense Fund, revealed the total amount of contributions in a report made last week to the Grand Masters Conference, Prince Hall Affiliation, held here from May 2 through 22.

Basic Research

Mr. Marshall disclosed that the \$100,000 in donations was made possible through a resolution passed by the Grand Masters Conference in Denver, Colo., May, 1951. The resolution called for the establishment of the Prince Hall—Masons Legal Research Department of the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund. The Department was established the same year and since then has been supported by contributions from 22 individual Prince Hall jurisdictions,

KWDM's Bill Anderson Still College Graduate



DR. WILLIAM G. ANDERSON

Dr. William G. Anderson of Americus, Ga., was one of the 59 graduates of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery here on June 1.

Dr. Anderson received his B.S. degree in 1949 from Alabama State College, Montgomery, Ala. He will intern for one year in Flint Osteopathic Hospital, Flint, Mich., starting July 1.

Rites Held for Charles McCracken

Services were held June 1, at St. Paul AME Church for Charles McCracken, 81, of 1169 Eleventh street, with burial at Glendale Cemetery.

Mr. McCracken died May 28 at Broadlawn General Hospital following a lingering illness. Born at Mount Pleasant, he had lived here 39 years. He retired in 1945 after 12 years as a custodian at Iowa State Liquor store No. 1 here.

Survivors include one son, Fred of Des Moines; three daughters, Mrs. Velenthos Billips of Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. Mary Claybourne of Des Moines and Mrs. Margaret May of San Diego, Cal., and one brother, Samuel of Mt. Pleasant; eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Students Told Of 'Creative Social Change'

Greensboro, N. C.—Creative social change begins when people find ways of bringing unsegregated education to the Negro, when people become interested in and involved with the practical problems of equality, Dr. Harold Taylor declared in his address at the 83rd commencement exercises at Bennett College on Monday.

Dr. Taylor, president of Sarah Lawrence, Bronxville, N. Y., referred to the creative and courageous element in a society as consisting of those people who do not accept everything as it is, but who question

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Wins Essay Contest By VFW Auxiliary



JAMES THOMAS

Winner of an essay contest sponsored in Des Moines by Ladies Auxiliary 738, Veterans of Foreign Wars, was James Thomas, 18, East High School senior, who received a \$25 savings bond.

The award was presented to the student, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thomas, 1704 Walker Street, at the June assembly Monday morning at East High.

The winning essay, on the subject, "America — Beacon of Hope," has been entered in state competition. Winning essay in the state contest will be announced during the V.F.W. state convention here June 21-24, and will be entered in national competition for a total of \$2,000 awards.

Young Thomas was one of the three Iowa high school students sent to France last summer to attend the International YMCA conference in Paris.

'Humiliating Treatment' of Negroes on Tallahassee Buses Protested by You

New York.—Roy Wilkins, executive secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, May 31 offered the "cooperation and advice" of the Association's national headquarters to the leaders of the Tallahassee, Fla., protest "against the humiliating treatment of our people on the bus lines . . . as long as it is conducted in a peaceful, non-violent manner and by lawful means."

Mr. Wilkins' offer was made in a telegram to the Rev. C. K. Steele, president of the Tallahassee NAACP branch and chairman of the new Inter Civic Council, organized to direct the protest which was started on May 26 by the arrest of two Negro women students who refused to get up and leave two seats in a local bus vacant for possible occupancy by white passengers.

Wires Encouragement

Meanwhile, the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, leader of the six-month-old bus protest in Montgomery, Ala., wired encouragement to the Tallahassee group.

The arrested women, Mrs. Carrie Patterson and Miss Wilmena Jakes,

Services Held for Henry Holland, 66

Services for Henry Holland, 66, of 1626 Buchanan street, were held Saturday, June 2, at Bethel AME Church, with burial at Laurel Hill Cemetery.

Mr. Holland died May 29 at Broadlawn General hospital after a long illness with cancer.

Born at Rich Hill, Mo., he had lived here 42 years. He retired in 1955 after 16 years as a janitor at the Polk county courthouse.

Surviving are his wife, Corrie; one son, James of Des Moines; one daughter, Mrs. Florence Parker of Des Moines; one stepson, John Griffith of Des Moines; two sisters, Mrs. Adah Steele of Minneapolis, Minn.; 12 grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

Mississippians Told That 'Secret Spy System' There As Dangerous as Soviet's

Jackson, Miss.—Mississippians were told June 3 by the NAACP's top executive that this state's racial tensions will settle down when Negroes are given their rights as citizens and that the desegregation question can be solved "by honest people sitting down and talking over ways and means."

Roy Wilkins, the Association's executive secretary, addressed a meeting of NAACP branches here.

46 of Held Down

Discussing race relations in this state where tensions have been high, Mr. Wilkins asserted that "there will be no real tranquility, no real economic stability, as long as 46 per cent of the state's population is held down, insulted, mistreated, denied voting rights, and equality in education." He maintained that "outside industry does not want to come to such a state."

(A recent survey has shown that many industries are reconsidering plans to move South until racial conflicts die down.)

"We are told over and over again that everything was fine between the races in the South until the Supreme Court made its ruling, or before the NAACP began to 'tir things up,'" the NAACP official noted. "Do they

mean the sharecropping system was fine? Or Jim Crow schools, waiting rooms and trains? Or the Negro jobs and Negro wage scales? Or sitting in the rear of buses and trolleys, and giving up seats to white people at the order of a bus driver? Or being shot for trying to register and vote?"

Students Ask

The demands, formulated at a mass meeting on May 29, are essentially the same as those advanced in Montgomery. The students and the townspeople asked:

1. That all passengers be seated on

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Tech Graduate Now In France with Army



WARREN D. WEATHERS

Pvt. Warren D. Weathers, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Weathers, 1067 Sixteenth Street, is stationed in Isengrandes, France, with the 7866 Quartermaster Depot. In the services since last November, he completed his basic training at Camp Chaffee, Ark.

Weathers, a June 1954 graduate of Des Moines Tech High School, won letters in track and played baseball on the St. Paul AME Church's team; and was coach for the girls' baseball team.

He spends his spare time in France, writing poetry.

Iowan To Intern In Michigan at Sparrow Hospital

Iowa City, Iowa.—Meredith R. Saunders, member of the State University of Iowa's senior class in medicine, who will receive his medical degree Friday, will intern at Edward R. Sparrow Hospital, East Lansing, Mich.

Cards of Thanks and Memoriams

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Charles McCracken wishes to thank those who expressed their condolences, cards and visits during our recent bereavement.

Fred McCracken
Mary Clayburne

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mamie Dixon wishes to thank their friends and relatives for telegrams and cards sent them during their bereavement. Special thanks to Estes and Son and Rev. John Hunter.

Rose Brooks
Rose Marie Tolson

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mary Durden wishes to extend its thanks and appreciation to Rev. Seymour Gaines, Bishop M. W. Goodman, Union Baptist Church and Estes and Son Funeral Home for kindnesses during and at the time of their bereavement.

Mississippians Urged

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your children, or a roof from the heads of your family—to exercise freedom of speech—on segregation—freedom of petition, or even freedom of thought."

He termed it "one of the tragedies of the present situation" that in "many parts of the South . . . the white people and the Negroes who want to discuss the question of justice and of segregation are made to keep silent."

The NAACP spokesman sharply attacked what he called "a secret

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Rice Consumer Service, Inc.

AVOCADO BLUE CHEESE SALAD

In this salad rice perfectly sets-off the nippy Blue-cheese and the subtle flavor of avocado slices. Add just enough French dressing for pleasing tanginess! Easily cooked rice and hard-cooked eggs make the salad hearty and filling. Blue cheese lovers will savor the chunks of Blue cheese all through the salad. The celery slices give the salad a nice crispness.

MENU

Cold Cuts
Avocado Blue Cheese Salad
Poppy Seed Rolls
Grapefruit Half Spice Cookies
AVOCADO BLUE CHEESE SALAD

INGREDIENTS:

2 cups water
2 teaspoons salt
1 cup uncooked white rice
1/3 cup French dressing
1 cup diced celery
1/3 cup crumbled Blue cheese
2 hard-cooked eggs

1 avocado

Salad greens

METHOD: Put the water, salt and rice into a 2-quart saucepan. Bring to a vigorous boil. Turn the heat as low as possible. Cover with a lid and leave over this low heat 14 minutes. Remove the saucepan from the heat but leave the lid on 10 minutes.

Stir the French dressing into the rice. Cover and cool. Stir in the celery and Blue cheese. Slice the hard-cooked eggs and halve of each slice. Gently stir the eggs into the rice-celery mixture. Cover and chill in the refrigerator until time to serve.

Just before serving, cut the avocado in half. Remove the seed and peel. Cut into thin slices and halve each slice. Gently stir into the rice-celery mixture. Serve on salad greens with additional French dressing. This recipe makes 6 to 8 servings.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

spy system in Mississippi.

"Informers are to be paid to report on their neighbors, what they are thinking and what they are saying. Over in Soviet Russia, you know, they had a system of paying children to spy on their parents . . . We said it was horrible and uncivilized when we heard the Russians were doing it, but here in Mississippi in 1956, in the free land of America, we are to have secret police. Spies will tell who smiled at a Negro yesterday, or what Negro said he was sick of Jim Crow, or what tired Negro woman said she wished she did not have to stand up while white men sat in the bus, or what white woman thought it was a shame the way Negroes are treated."

ORIGINAL NOTICE

In The District Court of the State of Iowa
ARTHUR L. BROOKS,
Plaintiff,
vs.
THOMAS BROOKS,
Defendant.

You are hereby notified that the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause is now on file in the office of the clerk of the above named court claiming that you are an absolute divorce from the bond of matrimony on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment.

For further particulars see petition. You are further notified to appear before the above named court on or before the 30th day of June, 1956, in Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, or your default will be entered and judgment and decree rendered in favor of the plaintiff.

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NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Notice is hereby given that there has been incorporated under and by virtue of Chapter 491 of the Code of Iowa (1954) and Acts amendatory thereto, a Corporation as follows:

The name of the Corporation is CARLYLE REALTY COMPANY and its principal 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 buy, sell and generally deal in real and personal properties of every class and description; to own, lease and operate farms and engage in other agricultural pursuits; to make and obtain loans upon real estate, giving or taking proper evidences of indebtedness and security therefor; to transact the business of a real estate agent or broker and in behalf of others to deal in, rent and manage real estate or any interest therein.

The amount of capital stock authorized by the Articles of Incorporation of said Corporation is One Hundred Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$125,000.00), divided into Twelve Hundred Fifty (1250) shares of common stock of the par value of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) per share. All shares must be fully paid for in money or property at its par value when issued, and shall be non-assessable.

The Corporation commenced business on March 22, 1956 and its corporate existence runs until March 22, 1976, unless sooner terminated as provided in its Articles or as provided by law.

The affairs of the Corporation shall be conducted by Board of not fewer than one (1) nor more than five (5) Directors who shall be elected at the first Annual Meeting of the stockholders and shall hold office for one year and until their successors are elected and qualified. The officers of the Corporation shall be a President, Secretary and Treasurer, who shall be elected by the Board of Directors on the day of and immediately following the Annual Meeting of the stockholders. Until the first Annual Meeting of the stockholders, the Directors shall be D. C. Wirtz, Des Moines, Iowa and the officers shall be Margaret Burnside, Des Moines, Iowa, Secretary, D. C. Wirtz, Des Moines, Iowa, Treasurer.

The private property of the stockholders shall be forever exempt from Corporate debts and liabilities.

CARLYLE REALTY COMPANY
By D. C. WIRTZ,
President
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Election Results

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nomination over Don Hise of Des Moines. Erbe received 106,743; Hise—86,523.

Edward R. Fitzgerald of Des Moines led the Democratic race for attorney general with a total of 34,404 votes.

B. M. Richardson was ahead in the Republican race for commerce commissioner. Walter A. Vaughn of Clinton won Democratic nomination.

Others to meet in the November election will be: Chet B. Akers (R) incumbent vs. George J. Eischeld, Sr., (D), the race for state auditor; Melvin D. Synhorst (R) incumbent, vs. Frank L. Davey (D), for Secretary of State.

Hildreth Wins

Wilbur T. Hildreth won over Orville Armstrong the Democratic nomination for a second term as Polk county sheriff. In November, Hildreth will oppose Ralph Lancaster, retired state selective service director, who defeated Lundberg, grocer and printer for the Republican sheriff's nomination.

Ray Hanrahan defeated Richard A. Strickler in the contest for county attorney.

Robert D. Ray, won the Republican nomination for Polk County attorney over George Flagg and Robert West, retired D. M. Police chief.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that we have associated ourselves into a corporation under the provisions of Chapter 491 of the Code of Iowa, 1954, assuming all the powers, rights and privileges granted by the corporation and all duties and obligations imposed by the law of Iowa.

The name of the corporation is Titomic Mining Corporation with its principal place of business in the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

The general nature of the business will be to engage generally in the business of mining and the sale of minerals.

The authorized capital stock is \$100,000.00 divided into 1000 shares of common stock with a par value of \$100.00 each to be issued only upon receipt of full payment in cash or property as provided by law.

The corporation commenced business on May 24, 1956 and shall exist for twenty (20) years thereafter.

The business of the corporation shall be conducted by a Board of not less than two (2) nor more than seven (7) Directors to be elected at the annual meeting of the stockholders on the second Tuesday of January of each year. Officers shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer to be elected by the Board of Directors at its annual meeting immediately following the annual meeting of the stockholders each year. Until said meeting the following shall be the officers:

Des Moines, Iowa,
Ed. Bittner, Vice-President,
Chicago, Illinois,
Hal C. Neumann, Jr., Secretary,
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Fort Dodge, Iowa

BY C. L. HOUSE

Fort Dodge, Iowa.—Victor Hopson, 50, who lived in Kalo area, died at Mercy Hospital Monday afternoon, May 28. He had been a medical patient at Mercy for several days. Mr. Hopson, born on Sept. 16, 1906, at DeKalb, Miss., was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hopson, Sr. He attended the DeKalb schools. When a young man he moved to Birmingham, Ala., and in 1952 came to Kalo where he was employed at the Kalo Brick and Tile Company. Surviving are his three sisters, and five brothers: Mrs. Melvin Brown, Mrs. Pinkbelle Brown and Mrs. Sebell Thomas, all of Kalo; Calvin Hopson of Birmingham, Sam Hopson, Jr., Albert Hopson and Grant Hopson of Meridian, Miss., and John W. Hopson of Cleveland, Ohio; his parents and six brothers preceded him in death. Laufferweiller's Funeral Home had charge of funeral and interment.

Darlene Lewis 1956 Graduate

Among the senior high school students who graduated when the 1956 class received their diplomas from the Fort Dodge High School when commencement exercises were held Tuesday evening, June 5, was Miss Darlene Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lewis, 225 South Fourth street. Baccalaureate services for graduates were held Sunday, June 3, in the High School auditorium.

Brother Dies

George Hill was called to New Orleans, La., to attend the funeral of a younger brother who died there.

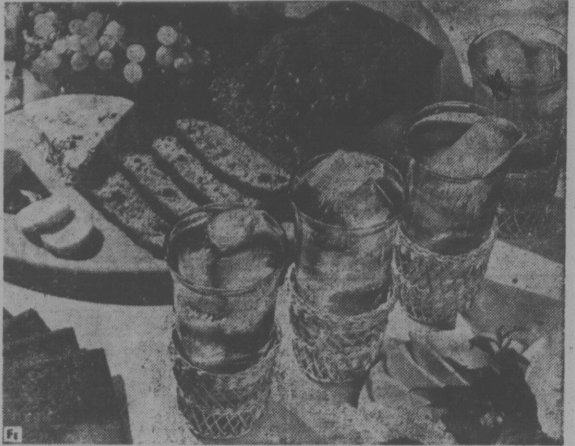
Coppin Chapel AME Church, 151 Central Ave., Rev. Nelson Pryor, pastor; Rev. LeRoy Patterson, associate pastor; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Mrs. Lillian Lewis, Supt. Morning services at 11:30 o'clock. The Women's Missionary Society meets Wednesday 2 p.m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Rev. Pryor who returned recently from Miami Fla., where he attended the AME General Conference, was here May 27 to take care of his pastoral duties, as pastor of Coppin Chapel. He also is superintendent of this district, and told his congregation the activities of the conference. Mrs. Agnes Patterson is up and doing nicely from her recent operation.

In Military School

Second Baptist Church, 1827 Fourth 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 meets the second Tuesday of each month, 7:15 p.m. Thee Seeds of Kindness Auxiliary meets every Thursday, 7 p.m. Mrs. Malisa Howard is president.

Airman Third Class James Howard,

ICED TEA—LOW IN CALORIES—WELCOME BEVERAGE



It takes a little planning to be a gifted hostess . . . that is, one who enjoys herself as much as her guests. But it's a real gift to be able to plan simple, self-serving refreshments that won't turn you into a hot, tired hostess during the summer months.

There's one thing you can count on when you're expecting company on a hot day—and that is that practically everyone who arrives is generally pretty thirsty. And what could be more thirst-quenching than a nice, tall frosty glass of iced tea topped off with a sprig of mint and lemon wedge. You cool off just by looking at it! And, of course, it has practically no calories, as you'll note from the following chart.

Beverages	Approx. No. Calories per six ounces	RAISIN BRAN BREAD
*Iced tea (unsweetened)	4.0	2 cups sifted flour
*Iced coffee (unsweetened—without cream)	11.0	2 1/2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder
Sugar-free carbonated beverage	18.0	1 teaspoon salt
Beer	59.0	1/2 cup sugar
Cola beverages	82.0	1/2 cup milk
Lemonade, frozen	86.0	3 tablespoons molasses
Carbonated, fruit-flavored beverage	91.0	3 tablespoons melted butter or other shortening
Grape juice	111.0	1/2 cup raisin bran
*Iced Tea—30 with sugar and lemon		Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, salt and sugar, and sift again.
*Iced Coffee—94 with sugar, cream		Combine egg, milk and molasses. Add to flour mixture, add shortening and cereal, then mix only enough to dampen all flour. Bake in greased 8 x 4 x 3-inch loaf pan, in moderate oven (350°F.) 1 hour, or until done. Cool.
To make 2 quarts or about 10 servings of iced tea, pre-measure 5 tablespoons loose tea (or 15 tea bags). Bring 2 quarts fresh cold water to a full rolling boil. Remove from heat.		Wrap in damp cloth or waxed paper and store several hours or overnight before slicing.

son of Mrs. Malisa Howard has been here on leave visiting his mother. James, who has been stationed at Selma, Ala., Air Force base, has been transferred to Chanute, Ill., where he is now attending military school. The U. S. airman, left here Sunday night for Chanute. Mrs. Leanna Carter, a daughter of Mrs. Howard, is here from Passaic, New Jersey, visiting her mother.

class airman and in a military school in Illinois.



Have mercy upon me, O Lord, for I am weak; O Lord, heal me . . . (Psalm 6, 2.)

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But the path of the just is as the shining light, that shineth more and more unto the perfect day.—(Proverbs 4:18.)

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George Schuyler Writes of 'No Melting Pot in U. S.'

New York, N. Y.—Negroes don't want to be white, despite all propaganda to the contrary, writes George S. Schuyler in the JUNE issue of the AMERICAN MERCURY.

Mr. Schuyler traces the misconception that Negroes yearn to be white to the period, a generation ago, when advertisements of cosmetic preparations and hair straighteners used to cram the pages of the Negro press. The advertising of these commodities gave many readers the sharp impression that the whole Negro race was bent upon changing its color. This was not true then and it is not true now, writes Mr. Schuyler. In fact, he declares, Negroes are moving gradually away from the attitude once held by a minority that it is a disadvantage to have a dark skin.

No Longer a Mark

"In Negro society today," the AMERICAN MERCURY article states, "the requirement of a white indistinguishable from a Nordic is no longer a mark of social arrival. The black girls at dances are no longer wall flowers and the appearance of an ebony lass in a chorus line no longer becomes cause of derisive Negro laughter."

"There are few, if any, churches remaining where black members are conspicuously absent. Everywhere, the

gro society here has always been ahead of the East Indian, Latin American and Caribbean peoples among whom a rigid caste system remains intact."

Perfectionists

Mr. Schuyler points out that the white 'one drop' perfectionists who have always refused to admit color differences among the Negroes, are partially responsible for the current Negro disinterest in light skins.

"Those with light skins, better manners and a little literacy (mostly gained as house servants for white planters who were infrequently their relatives) could not escape to the white groups, as in Latin America. They were compelled to identify themselves with the swarm of black field hands and proletarians. They supplied the early Negro leadership."

Dim and Remote

Mr. Schuyler concludes that "for better or for worse, two distinct, centrifugal and endogamous societies, have evolved in America. They seem to be as mutually exclusive as the Walloons and Flemings in Belgium, the Moslems and Hindus in India and the Jews and Arabs in Morocco. Each have a vested interest in their integrity. Few whites want to be black and few Negroes want to be white. Melting pot is, of all the words, the most dim and remote."

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—John Van Guilder

Capital Close-Up

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That "a large percentage of Negroes did follow" the NAACP "on the question of political aspirations," although total membership "around 400 thousand" could not be regarded as a "majority of the 15 or so million Negroes." Interracial from its beginnings in 1909, he found its actual "percentage of white people small," with mixed state conferences, branches and executive staff providing interracial operation.

He maintained that there was no such thing as a "Negro vote." "Our organization is non-partisan for that reason," that "the NAACP is against the boycott as a weapon to be universally used, because it is a double-edged sword. We think it is bad for anybody to use it." NAACP supported the Montgomery situation, im-

portant because "we had nothing to do with it... no organization has had anything to do with it. It was a grass-roots upheaval that came about... we didn't consider it a boycott."

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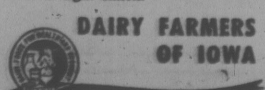


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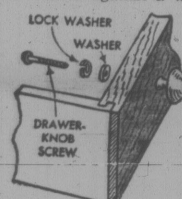
Time-Table

By 1963 as the NAACP's date "set for complete integration in the schools," Thurgood said, "We expect to have removed all restrictions by law on the movement of people because of race. That will remove the whole problem. It will leave the local people the problem of working it out on their own level. As to when we get complete compliance in Mississippi, I would say that would be beyond 1963."



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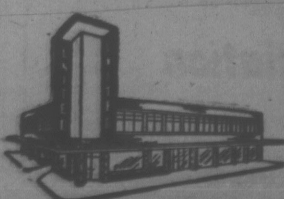
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Evening Service: 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service, Wednesday: 7:30 P.M.

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Bible Study and Prayer Meeting Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

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Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Young Peoples Meeting: 6:30 P.M.
Evangelistic Service: 8:00 P.M.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

Annual Men's and Women's Days will be observed jointly this year on Sunday, June 24. General chairman for the men is Mr. Hugh Semple; and for the women, Mrs. Joseph Wimberly. The St. Paul Usher board met Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wimberly. The Lady Usher board met Monday with Mrs. Ralph Jones. The District Conference convened in Clinton, Iowa, June 5 to 7. Attending from Des Moines, St. Paul church were: Adah J. Johnson, Mrs. Jeanne Morris and Rev. John E. Hunter. During the month of May, the Sunday School furnished teachers for the Juvenile Home. Mrs. Julia Proctor, teacher of grade five, entertained her class at breakfast Sunday morning. Twenty-two were present.

FIRST CME CHURCH NEWS OF WEEK

Sunday, June 10, is Youth Day. Rev. R. L. Ryles will be in charge while Rev. D. P. King is on vacation. At 3 p.m. Rev. James Harris, pastor of Mt. Hebron Baptist Church of West Des Moines, will speak for the Stewardship-Deaconess Council. The Deaconess, Stewardess and Mother's Council will have union prayer service Wednesday evening. Sunday, June 17, will be the annual Men's Day at First CME with speakers at 11 a.m. Rev. Joseph Gaines, pastor of St. John Baptist church; at 3 p.m., William R. Fields, of Maple Street Baptist church; Mrs. I. L. White of Bethel A.M.E., who will give a reading. Atty. Robert Wright is chairman.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday at 11 a.m. service the Shrine, Zied No. 90 will worship at Corinthian. Rev. N. R. Olphin will speak on the subject, "The Everlasting Sovereignty of God". At 7 p.m. the new bulletin board will be dedicated.

Visitors last Sunday morning were: Mr. J. D. Anderson, Sr. of Americus, Ga. and Mr. J. D. Anderson, Jr. of Bronx, N. Y., the father and brother of Dr. W. G. Anderson who was graduated on Friday, June 1, from Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery. Also present was his uncle, Mr. Frank Gilchrist of Philadelphia, Pa. The following persons were fellowshiped last Sunday morning: Mrs. Lucille Ross, Miss Carrie Winters, and Mr. and Mrs. James Gray.

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.
Wednesday Prayer Service: 7:30 P.M.
Friday: Pastor Missionary Aid Society 7:30 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.

Union Baptist Church
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REV. SEYMOUR GAINES, Pastor
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Evening Service: 7:45 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday: 7:45 P.M.

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Youth Fellowship: 6:00 P.M.
Evening Vesper: 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed.: 7:30 P.M.

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Christian Endeavor: 6:00 P.M.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, June 10, 11 a.m. service. Rev. Wm. Fields will preach from the subject, "No Substitute for the Lord." At the evening service will be preaching. Pastor Parrish and the Gospel Choir and Men's Chorus will be guests at the Baptist Church in Jacksonville, Ill., Sunday, June 10. The Deaconess Board met Monday evening at the church. Progressive Club met Tuesday evening at the church. Dorsey Chorus rehearsal each Saturday evening from 8 to 9 p.m. All church choirs and choruses are invited. Mrs. Mamie Smith was called to Hot Springs, Ark., to the bedside of her brother. Among the sick and shut-ins are: Mothers Clara Houston, Lydia Foreman, Lucy Hurd, Mesdames Marjorie Brooker, Lottie Igou, Fannie Blaine, Barbara Oakley, Messrs. Isom Harris, Frank Brown and James Pinson.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Senior choir practice is Tuesday, 8 p.m. Mrs. Pauline Chaney is president. Junior Red Circle Girls meet Tuesday, 4 p.m. and Thursday 3 p.m. The Children's Day program will be Sunday, 8 p.m. Mrs. McCell Clinton is in charge. Prayer services Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. Rev. I. H. Harris is pastor. Mission Society meets Friday, 2 p.m. Mrs. Eva Johnson is president. Mrs. Ella Gillenwaters is convalescing at home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Howard, 701 S. E. 11th street. Visitors last Sunday were: Mrs. Hattie Carter of Keokuk, Iowa, Mrs. Katherine Duke and son of Rock Island, Ill., Mrs. Hortense Henry of Excelsior Springs, Mo. Mr. W. Gates, St. Paul, Minn. Mr. Tindrell and Rev. Marshall Smith, Jr., and family.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The vacation Bible School opens at Bethel A.M.E. Church June 11 to 22, at 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. The whole family may participate. There will be Bible stories, games, crafts, singing and fun for all.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

The Sacrament was given last Sunday morning. The Senior choir sang. The Misses Carolyn Gatewood and Beverly Stovall were graduated this week from East High School. Mrs. C. Pinkard and Mr. T. Small were restored to full membership last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. S. Watson left on a vacation Monday for a trip to Casper, Wyo., to visit relatives. Mr. E. Amos will visit his cousin, Miss Maude Amos in Quincy, Ill., this week. The mission society met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. N. Townsell. The Sisterhood met Thursday night at the church.

Bishop McGlothorn At New Jerusalem



BISHOP MCGLOTHORN
Bishop G. W. McGlothorn of Richmond, Calif., bishop of Nebraska area, will be at New Jerusalem Church of God in Christ, Fourteenth and University Avenue, in special services Friday night through Sunday, Bishop M. W. Goodman, pastor, announced. Bishop McGlothorn is formerly of Des Moines.

NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

State Bishop and wife, Elder and Mrs. M. W. Goodman have returned from Davenport, Iowa, where they were in a district meeting. Elder C. B. Westbrook is district superintendent, Mrs. N. C. Thompson, district supervisor, Mrs. M. Lyle and Miss E. Russell are pianists. Visitors from Michigan, Illinois and Iowa were present.

KYLES A.M.E. ZION CHURCH NEWS

Spring Rally ended last Sunday, Friday, June 8 at 8 p.m., Mrs. Georgia Sparkman and Mrs. Theresa Robinson are sponsoring an appreciation program for pastor, Rev. J. R. Reese, Rev. Lovell Johnson will preach and Bethel Choir and the ministerial chorus will sing. Rev. R. L. Ryles, J. E. Hunter, E. Peavey, and N. W. James will be present. Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Reese will leave for the annual conference Monday, June 11 to be held in St. Louis, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. Pickett have a daughter.

EAST UNIVERSITY CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST NEWS

Last Sunday morning, the pastor Bishop F. D. Washington preached from the subject "Treasures in Darkness", in the evening, "The Two Ways of Life."

Deacon John Blakey went to St. Joseph, Mo., to attend the funeral of his uncle, Mr. Paul Bartlett. Elder and Mrs. J. H. Harris returned last Sunday from a two weeks vacation. They visited relatives in Kansas City, Kans., Marshall, and Fayette Mo. Out-of-town visitors were Elder and Mrs. Thomas Maberry of Los Angeles, Calif.

The State Y.P.W.W. meeting is in session and will close Sunday. Presiding are Elder J. C. Lewis state president of Waterloo, and Mrs. Ruth Robinson.

BURNS METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

The Sunday School worship service will be conducted by the Church School superintendent, Mrs. Olga Hill at 9:45 a.m. The theme of the service is: "Wonder and Mystery." The them song is: "God Moves In A Mysterious Way." Mrs. Georgia Add is pianist. At 11 a.m., the minister, Rev. H. W. James will preach on the subject: "Stewardship." The Senior Choir with Mrs. Thelma Claybrook at the console, and Mrs. Jessie Newsome, president, will provide the music. Miss Mary Lacy is director. The City Ushers will hold their annual services at Burns Sunday, 3 p.m. The Rev. Mr. James will preach. The Senior Choir will sing. The Woman's Society of Christian Service will hold their monthly meeting at 5:30 p.m., with the president, Mrs. Georgia Add presiding.

The Methodist Youth Fellowship will be conducted at 6 p.m., and the Vesper Service at 7 p.m. Rev. L. H. Smith, who was reserved delegate to the Central West Annual Conference will make a brief report of the conference session at 11 a.m. The minister's morning message will lift up some of the new emphasis of the General Conference as seen by Bishop Clair's messages at the Annual Conference. Burns was well represented at the annual conference at Kansas City, Missouri, especially at the week-end. Those present were: Mrs. Benola Cropp, Mrs. Cottie Lucas, Mrs. Fannie Houston, Mrs. Alice Cooper, Mrs. Bessie Coleman and Mrs. Olga Hill. Those attending for the entire session were: Rev. Wm. H. Wheeler, Mrs. Georgia Add, Mrs. V. V. Cropp, Mrs. Ruth Baskett, Rev. L. H. Smith, and Rev. and Mrs. H. W. James.

'Miss St. Paul' At Banquet for Graduates Sunday

Miss Dorothea Poe, "Miss St. Paul" will participate in the banquet program given by St. Paul A.M.E. Church School, Sunday, June 10, 1 p.m., to honor 1956 high school and college graduates affiliated with the church. Rev. Thomas Fogelsong, guest speaker, will speak from the subject, "Youth Looks to Jesus." Fourteen graduates will share in the honor. Freddie McCracken of Iowa Teacher's College and Phyllis Grant of North High School were omitted from the list of graduates in the issue last week.

Lillian Edmunds Gym to Be Dedicated At Willkie House Sunday Afternoon

Dedication of the Lillian Edmunds Memorial gymnasium will be held Sunday, June 10, 3:30 p.m., at Willkie House, Seventeenth and Crocker Streets.

The gymnasium has been named to honor the memory of Mrs. Edmunds, who died last Dec. 4. She had been executive director of Willkie House since its dedication in 1951, and prior to that time had served over 25 years as director of the Negro Community Social Center.

Presiding at the dedication program will be John C. Eddy, president

WSCS Officers To Be Installed

Officers of the Women's Society of Christian Service of Burns Methodist Church will be installed Sunday, June 10, 11 a.m. by the pastor Rev. H. W. James. The regular meeting will be held at 5 p.m. Sunday.



MRS. LILLIAN EDMUNDS

of Willkie House Board. Presentation of the plaque will be by the Rev. John E. Hunter, vice president of the board. Acceptance for Willkie House will be by Mrs. Marguerite Cothorn, secretary of recreation division of Council of Social Agencies.

Leonard G. Howell, Des Moines City manager, C. O. Hoyt, superintendent of Des Moines public schools,

and Miss Alice Whipple, secretary of Council of Social Agencies will be presented.

Music will be offered by Arthur Patrick Black, piano interludes; Miss Wanda Ashby, vocal solo.

Hostesses will be representatives of federated clubs. Kenneth Whitney is acting executive director of Willkie House.

the Camera Guild



Graduation day has its lighter side—so don't restrict your picture taking to solemn, stilted posed shots.

Graduation Pictures Needn't Be Formal

Do you remember when Graduation Day meant just one stiffly posed picture of the solemn young graduate, garbed in cap and gown and grimly clutching his diploma for dear life?

Well, gone is the time when any camera can get away with performing such minor service! During graduation days your camera should be kept on the job full time, because this period marks a very important occasion—the achievement of another milestone in growing up—very often, the teaching of a goal for parents as well as for the boy or girl graduate.

It's not just a manner of speaking when school programs refer to graduation as "Commencement." For the graduate, it is the commencement of a new and exciting life—whether it means that he advances from elementary school to high school, from high school to college, or from college to professional career. As such, graduation is an occasion that merits taking plenty of pictures—

In fact, enough to fill at least several pages in the family album! Besides recording the happy event of graduation, a camera can also "earn its diploma" by entering the graduation scene in another important way. It makes a perfectly wonderful and extremely practical gift. A youngster heading toward high school would be ready for a simple flash camera—one that would add fun to his new high-school activities and allow him to make his own personal yearbook. For the older graduates, more elaborate cameras or accessories to go with the ones they already own would be very acceptable gifts.

A camera is the kind of gift that you would do well to present some time before the specified day of graduation. In most schools, pre-graduation activities include all kinds of exciting events—Senior plays, Proms, tree- or ivy-planting ceremonies, and countless social functions that fairly teem with picture-taking opportunities. —John Van Guilder

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IACW in 54th Convention At Sioux Falls; Mrs. Helen Wimberly Elected President

Iowa Association of Colored Women (IACW) held its fifty-fourth annual convention June 1, 2 and 3 at Sioux Falls, S. D. as guest of the Hour of Pleasure Club of which Mrs. Luberta Bently is president.

The executive board was held Friday evening at the Booker T. Washington Service Center. Reports were given by the chairman of the scholarship board, Mrs. Sarah E. Jett of Des Moines, Miss Jessie E. Walker, chairman of the administrative board, and Mrs. Goletha Trotter, chairman of special projects board.

Saturday morning the convention was opened officially by the president, Mrs. Bently, with registration at the St. John's Baptist Church. Reports were given by offices and department heads. A welcome was extended by Mayor Faye Wheelodon with response by Mrs. Ada Johnson of Des Moines. Echoes of the Central Association of Colored Women which was held in 1955 at Oberlin (Ohio) College, were given by delegates Mrs. Bently, Mrs. Jett and Mrs. Rose Johnson.

Mrs. Trotter gave a brief description and showed pictures of the new Carver Memorial Hall at Simpson College, Indianola, Iowa where the IACW donated a \$5,000 check to be used in furnishing the bacteriology room.

Loan Board

Mrs. Jett, chairman of scholarship loan board, reported on the growth of the scholarship loan and that loans would be made available to worthy students. The scholarship loan will be the major project of the association.

Hour Pleasure Club had a coffee in the church dining hall for the delegates with Mrs. Alice Vaughn pouring.

Memorial Service

A memorial service by Mrs. Hazel Means of Council Bluffs, state chaplain. Miss Jessie Walker gave the eulogy of Mrs. Lillian Edmunds of Des Moines, past president of IACW, director of the Wilkie House in Des Moines.

Mrs. A. A. Alexander of Des Moines talked on her life in the Virgin Islands.

Mrs. Bently gave her annual address, on the theme, "New Horizon for Your Community Stressing the Reaching and Living Together with Our Neighbors."

New Officers

New officers elected were: pres-



MRS. HELEN WIMBERLY

ident, Mrs. Helen Beshears Wimberly, Des Moines; vice president, Mrs. Goletha Trotter, Des Moines; recording secretary, Mrs. Osceola Sims, Des Moines; second vice president, Mrs. Daisy Smith, Sioux City; treasurer, Mrs. Pauline Humphrey, Des Moines; organizer, Mrs. Ada Johnson, Des Moines; auditor, Mrs. Rose Johnson, Des Moines; parliamentarian, Mrs. Elzora Trosper, Sioux City; chaplain, Mrs. Hazel Means, Council Bluffs, chairman of scholarship board fund, Mrs. A. A. Alexander, Des Moines; legal advisor, Atty. W. Stevenson Glanton, Des Moines; art exhibit, Mrs. Simms, corresponding secretary, Mrs. Eloise Brown of Cedar Rapids; historian, Mrs. Alice Vaughn, Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

Officers were installed by Mrs. Bently, after which a dinner was held at Traceys.

Mrs. Beulah Webb of Sioux City presided at the closing meeting.

Mrs. Webb presented Mrs. Alka Steele program chairman. Program consisted of sextet of women, piano solos and opening address by Mrs. Doris Peak of New Horizon. A reception was held in the church dining room for delegates with Mrs. Georgia Lee presiding.

The convention will be coming to Des Moines for June of 1957. New members of the scholarship loan board are Mrs. Fannie Danforth of Des Moines, Mrs. Ada Johnson, Mrs. Mildred Longus of Marshalltown, Mrs. Etta Grider, Sioux City, Mrs. Wimberly and Mrs. Jett and Mrs. Johnson are delegates to the National association of colored women which is meeting in Miami, Florida July 22 to August 3.

Ike Smalls Reports \$32,786 At Victory Dinner For D.M. Goodwill Industries Campaign

Ike Smalls, fund chairman for Goodwill Industries of Des Moines, reported at a "Victory Dinner" Monday night in the East Des Moines Club that contributions totaling \$32,786 had been received.

Smalls said contribution pledges will carry the fund over the announced goal of \$40,000. The campaign opened May 1.

Tells Appreciation

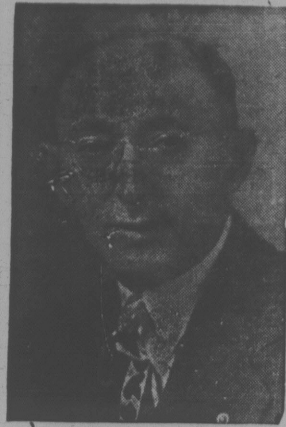
Smalls expressed appreciation for the job done by the 60 volunteer workers. Orval Clark, president of the organization, said the establishment of Goodwill Industries in Des Moines will benefit the city and many handicapped persons who live here.

Ted Grob, Jr., executive director, said that in three months of operation 122 persons have been employed by the organization.

68 Now on Payroll

There are 68 now on the payroll, which totals \$2,100 weekly to handicapped persons. Grob said a total of \$11,533 has been paid out in three months.

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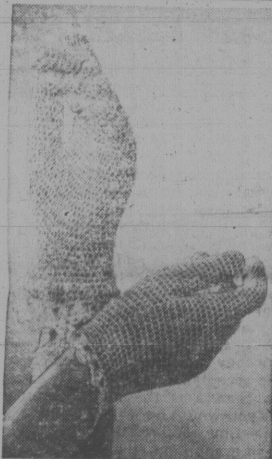
the organization received \$16,200 in vocational rehabilitation grants from the federal department of health and welfare. The organization also received \$16,526 in subcontract work for other Des Moines industries.

Manly, Iowa

Manly, Iowa.—Mr. and Mrs. John Page, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Haddix and daughter, Ruth, Mr. Lavalie Tate, Mrs. Ruth Harper and daughters, Ruby and Marilyn, spent Decoration Day in Des Moines, with friends and relatives. The above group also motored to St. Paul, Friday, to spend the week-end with other relatives. Mrs. Mary Johnson, a delegate to the Central West Methodist annual Conference returned

home Sunday. The Rev. B. F. Parker spoke to a capacity audience Sunday morning, his theme, "Disobedience Leads to Disaster". At 3 p.m. Adah Chapter No. 18 O.E.S. of Mason City, observed Esther Day at New Bethel. Rev. B. F. Parker gave the address, his theme: "Remembering God's Blessings." Others on the program were, Mrs. O. E. Blanks, solo; Mrs. Marie Maddox, solo; Mrs. Jewette Walls presided at the piano. Mrs. Maybell Turner is worthy matron and Mrs. Estella Schuler was Mistress of Ceremony. Mrs. Maud M. Spencer made the presentation. Mrs. Ruby E. Macer of Detroit, Mich., was guest at the evening service at New Bethel.

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Conservation Club To Have World Series Film

The Crocker Conservation Club will have a special program at its meeting Thursday, June 7, 9 p.m., Crocker Branch YMCA, to which several youngsters and the members of the Crocker 'Y' committee of management have been invited.

The program will include the showing of the official 1955 World Series Film. The program committee, under the chairmanship of James I. Bostic, will also report on arrangements for a fishing trip to Blackhawk Lake, June 16-17.

Kenneth Martinez, 1254 East 16th Street, is president of the club.

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Alabama Bans NAACP

Montgomery, Ala.—Circuit Judge Walter B. Jones issued a temporary injunction Friday outlawing the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in Alabama.

The restraining order was granted at the request of Alabama Atty. Gen. John Patterson.

It prohibits the NAACP from conducting further business in the state, from organizing new chapters, from collecting funds.

The Negro organization was given 30 days to file an answer. However, NAACP attorneys can ask the court to dissolve the injunction, and a hearing then would be set on that request.

Charge

Patterson's petition accused the NAACP of organizing and supporting the six-month-old Montgomery bus boycott, and of employing or otherwise paying Mrs. Autherine Lucy Foster and another Negro woman to enroll at the University of Alabama.

Acts of the NAACP, Patterson charged, "have resulted in violations of our laws and tend in many instances to create a breach of the peace."

"We cannot stand idly by and raise no hand to stay these forces of confusion who are trying to capitalize upon racial factors for private gain or advancement," he declared.

Louisiana earlier had invoked an old anti-Ku Klux Klan act against the NAACP, halting its operations in that state. The organization was accused of failing to file certain information required by statute.

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After you've frosted the cake smoothly, you can decorate it with flutings and curls put on with a pastry tube, and for extra trimming add a few little birds or flowers sold for cake decorating. Practice with the pastry tube by squirting a sample of your frosting on a piece of waxed paper. You can scrape up the practice frosting and put it back in the tube to use again, so no waste is involved in perfecting your technique.

WEDDING CAKE

(Two-tiered oblong cake for 25 to 30 people)

Preparations. Line 13x9x2-inch pan and 9x9x2-inch pan or bottoms with paper. Start oven for moderate heat (350°F.).

3 packages Swans Down Instant Cake Mix

3½ cups milk

Combine contents of two packages Swans Down Instant Cake Mix in mixing bowl. Add 1 cup

milk. Blend, then beat 2 minutes. Add 1½ cups milk. Blend, then beat 1 minute longer.

Pour batter into prepared 13x9x2-inch pan. Bake in moderate oven (350°F.) 55 minutes, or until done. Remove from oven and increase oven heat to 375°F. Cool cake in pan 10 minutes, then turn out on cake rack to finish cooling.

Place contents of third package of Swans Down Instant Cake Mix in mixing bowl. Add ½ cup milk. Blend, then beat 2 minutes. Add ½ cup milk. Blend, then beat 1 minute longer.

Pour batter into prepared 9x9x2-inch pan. Bake in moderate oven (375°F.) 30 minutes, or until done. Cool.

Frosting. Prepare seven-minute frosting, using 2 egg whites. Then place the large cake on an attractive oblong serving plate or tray. Spread top and sides of cake with frosting. Trim the 9x9x2-inch cake to measure 9x7x2-inches by cutting a 1-inch slice from opposite sides of the cake. Place on top of the frosted layer, centering evenly. Prepare another batch of seven-minute frosting and spread on top and sides of small cake, reserving some for decorating. With a knife, go over entire cake, making a smooth flat surface for decorating.

Decorating. Using a pastry bag or decorating tube, decorate frosted cake as desired with the reserved frosting. Place wedding bell or other suitable ornament in center of top layer, if desired.

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It was plain that Mr. Falk had not enjoyed taking his five-year-old son shopping. "That kid!" he said. "He can't make up his mind about anything! We had to get this present for Jack's birthday party, so we went to the toyshop and I told him he could get Jack anything he wanted that cost 50 cents. Well, for one thing, he doesn't know what 50 cents is, but you told him that's how much he could spend. And then he couldn't make up his mind what to get. Finally I got a toy racer. Then he wanted candy for himself, so we went to the dimestore. Either he wanted some of this and this and this and this, or he wanted a dollar box of candy. When is he going to learn to make up his mind?"

Mrs. Falk didn't seem very sympathetic. "Aren't you expecting too much?" she asked. "When he doesn't know very much about money, it isn't fair to expect him to be able to spend it. And as far as choosing goes, it helps to give him just a few things to choose from. Two years ago, when he was getting dressed, I used to ask him to choose between

two shirts or two coveralls. Now he chooses all his own clothes for the day without any trouble. When we went to the store I used to point out two things he could choose from. Now I show him four or five things and tell him he can have his choice of any one of them."

Father Calmer

Father was calmer now. "I guess you're right," he said. "Sometimes on Saturday afternoon I ask him what he'd like to do, and half the time he names things that cost too much or that are plain impossible. Then he gets mad when I tell him we can't do any of those things. Maybe I could suggest three or four things that would be fun, and let him choose."

Decision making is easier for all of us when the alternatives are limited in number, and when they are clear and definite, and when we can readily weigh the consequences of our choice. We can help children make successful decisions by providing practice in choosing between clear, limited alternatives.

Overloading a Boat Can Be Dangerous

Overloading a boat can be as dangerous as overloading an airplane. In either case, loss of control and balance can mean death.

An overload boat is easily swamped by heavy waves. If such a boat tips and passengers become panicky, the entire craft may capsize. The number of seats in a boat does not indicate the number of persons it can safely contain. The maximum load of a boat is governed by shape, design, and size of the boat.

Unexplored Brazil Jungle Area Holds Great Promise

A vast area south of the lower Amazon River is one of Brazil's most promising but little known frontiers.

An airplane traveling from Barreiras, in the western part of the state of Bahia, 950 miles northwest to Santarem, 400 miles inland from the mouth of the Amazon, would fly over high, grass-covered plateau, broken by jungle-lined rivers and mountain ridges, dense tropical upland forests and the nearly impenetrable jungle of the lower Amazon.

The first part of the flight would take the plane from Bahia into the northern plateau of Goias state, a sparsely settled area into which are moving cattle ranchers and hardy farmers. These pioneers must either build their roads as they penetrate the wild country, or fly in to the few scattered airports and build their roads out. The airports are important. They provide bases for the only means of rapid travel in the area, although the rivers are navigable for small craft.

Insurance Dividends
People whose dividends are being held for them by their life insurance company may obtain annual statements showing the amounts of money which are credited to them and the amount of interest being paid. They are able to draw all or part of the money out of their account whenever they want to and in some cases they can even borrow against their balance, but they cannot increase their account of depositing additional money. If a person dies while his life insurance dividends are being held for him by his company, the money is added to the proceeds of his insurance policy and is paid to his beneficiary.

Tree Injury

When a tree is seriously injured by drought, invigoration—the injection of liquid food into the soil around the roots under pressure and by means of a needle—may be the last resort in saving it. Follow this up by supplemental feeding with dry tree food. It is an axiom that a well-fed tree will come through a drought far better than one suffering malnutrition. It is the moisture which trees transpire that cools the surrounding atmosphere in summer. A mature tree may pull up as much as 40 gallons of water from the soil on a mid-summer day and invisibly, silently "spraying" or transpiring 98 percent of it out through its leaves.

Boiling Point

Water is often super-heated, i.e., heated above its normal boiling point without boiling, because there may be no points at which boiling can start. Adding a tea bag probably provides many air bubbles which can act as nuclei and cause boiling. The phenomenon occurs more readily in glass and ceramic vessels than in metal ones.

Speed of Stars

Is it true that the star Arcturus moves faster than any other? No. The speed of Arcturus, with respect to the Solar System, is about 84 miles per second, but many stars are moving much more rapidly. One of the fastest known is a faint star designated by its catalog number as "Washington 5583." Its speed, as measured from the Sun, is about 370 miles per second.

Big Beads

Big beads are accented in the current fashion picture. Paste pink and blue are good for Spring while later the accent will be on all white. Gold may be used with any of these to provide textural interest.

All boats used in Iowa's artificial lakes must be inspected by the officer in charge of the lake. On natural waters the inspection of private boats is not required, but it is wise to have the capacity of your boat rated by a State Conservation Officer.

Underloading a boat never hurt anyone; overloading a boat may be the death of you.



To Straighten Records

SINCE warped phonograph records are useless in that condition, *Popular Mechanics* offers a suggestion for straightening them. Simply immerse the record in hot water, 140 to 160 degrees, in a cake pan or similar shallow, flat-bottom container.

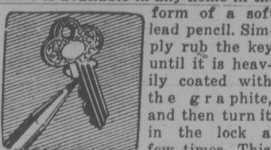


Over the record invert a dinner plate of a diameter permitting its edge to contact only the edge of the record. In other words, don't let the plate touch the grooves of the record. Place a one-pound weight on the plate, leaving the record under pressure until the water has cooled to room temperature.



To Lubricate a Lock

IF A LOCK becomes stiff and hard to operate, a temporary cure is available in any home in the form of a soft lead pencil.



Simply rub the key until it is heavily coated with the graphite, and then turn it in the lock a few times. This treatment should make the lock work like new. Of course, you can use powdered graphite, which is available in most hardware stores. This lubricant is blown into the lock through the keyhole by squeezing the tube. The illustration appeared in *The Home Craftsman*.

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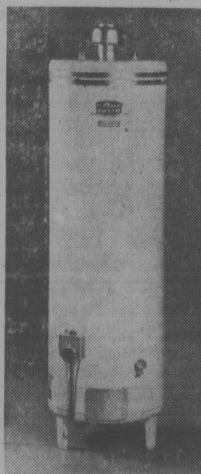
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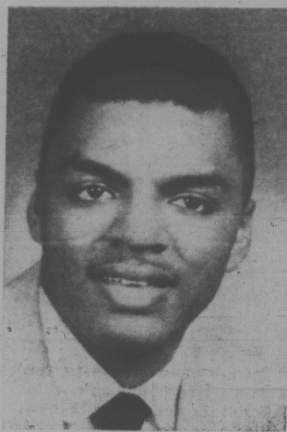
LOWELL COOPER

Lowell Cooper is the third of four children of Mr. and Mrs. Aulie Cooper, 1322 E. Seventeenth Court, to graduate from East High School. He listed as subjects which interested him most, cabinet making and music. He was a member of the a cappella choir, and the only Negro member of the Boys Glee Club. Cooper also was affiliated with the Ia-Wal Junior Achievement sponsored by the Iowa Packing Company. At present, he is a member of the Air National Guard, and would like to make his parents proud of him by obtaining the highest rank possible in the Air Guard. For a career, Cooper would like to work in the field of cabinet making. He is a member of Bethel AME Church, where he has been active both in the A.C.E. League and Youth choir.



CHARLOTTE ANN JONES

The only Negro graduate in the class of 268 students in the Roosevelt High School commencement exercises Thursday was Charlotte Ann Jones, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Leon S. Jones, 940 Sixteenth Street. During her high school career, Miss Jones was Home Room president, member of Girls Club, Service Committee; did clerical work in the school's office for two years. She liked chemistry, English and history, but her favorite subject is dramatics, which she has studied for the past five years at Drake University's Children's Theater. She has played in "Princess and the Swineherd," in the role of governess; "Radio Rescue," as a temperamental opera singer. Her music training has included nine years of piano and four years of voice study at Drake University. Her hobbies include cooking, keeping house, traveling which she hopes to do when she visits in Boston, Mass., her birthplace, this summer. Her church is St. Ambrose Cathedral. Her plans are to begin the study of dramatics this fall at a college or university, so that she may teach her favorite subject to young people.



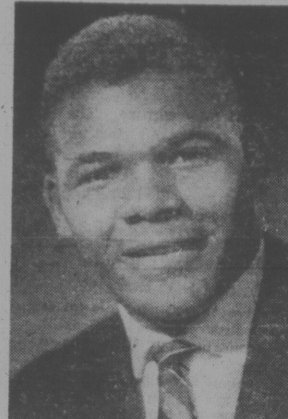
JAMES OWENS

North High School Graduate James Owens is looking forward to September when he plans to enter Iowa State University, to begin his study for a degree in law. He was fond of all of North's school activities, taking part in track, 2 years; basketball, 1 year; band and orchestra, 3 years; Latin Club, (his favorite subject) three years. He was a member of Student Council, Judicial Board, Senior Prom Committee and participated in Class Night comedy. He worked for six years as a Register and Tribune carrier salesman; and, during summers in Chicago, Ill., at a hotel operated by his father, James Owens, Sr. Son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Graves, 1054 Sixteenth Street, Owens is a member of St. Paul AME Church, and United Christian Youth Movement City Council. A runner-up in the Hawkeye Elks local oratorical contest, he represented the city at the state contest in Sioux City this week.



SHIRLEY ANN RAY

Shirley Ann Ray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ray, Sr., 1327 DeWolf Street, is a graduate of Des Moines Technical High School, where she was a member of Attendance Club and Engineer Ad Club and home room president. She specialized in commercial art; won honorable mention in the seventh and eighth annual Iowa Artists Shows; Scholastic Art Awards, the Latham Foundation International Poster Contest, and National School Safety Poster contest. She plans to spend the summer working, so that she may begin the study of commercial art at a college. Her church is Maple Street Baptist.



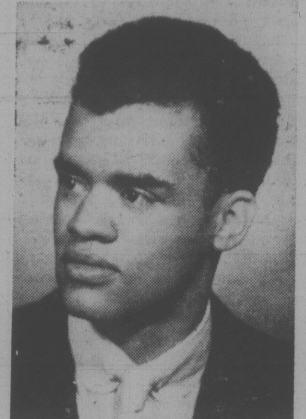
ARTHUR ALVIN PATRICK BLACK, JR.

Outstanding in musical circles in Des Moines is Arthur Alvin Patrick Black, Jr., son of Mr. Arthur H. Black, Sr., 931 Tenth Street, and the late Mrs. Ressie Black. Eighteen-year-old pianist, Black has won a number of honors in music contests and competition here. A graduate of Des Moines Technical High School, he was a member of the chorus for three semesters, and band for four semesters; co-chairman of Senior Class Day committee; won two athletic letters in Cross-country and track; was "Kiawanian" for February 1956. At Tech, he specialized in clerical work, and was employed part-time at Central Life Assurance Co., as stock clerk since last September on co-op program, made possible by the school. He will continue his work this summer. Black plans to enter Drake University here in the fall to study music education and major in piano. He has been studying the piano for seven and one-half years. Formerly under Mrs. E. P. Jackson, he now is in the preparatory department at Drake. His church is St. Paul AME, where he is a member of the Chancel Choir.



RHODA DARLENE SMITH

Rhoda Darlene Smith, daughter of Mrs. Dorothy L. Cherry, 813 Fourteenth Street, is a graduate of East High School. She was active in several extra-curricular activities, including the East High Band, orchestra, Latin Club, Quill staff and Student Council. During the past semester, she was Senior Section editor of the yearbook, the Quill, and co-chairman of the May Festival Committee. She worked in the school cafeteria as a cashier for a year and a half; and, was an Honor Roll student during the three years at East. Miss Smith also belonged to Junior Achievement where she worked as secretary, then treasurer of Trend Woodworking Company. She plans to go to the University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kas., in September, where she will study for a degree in physical therapy. Her church is St. Paul AME, where she is a member of the Usherettes, and the Girls softball team.



GEORGE LEROY BRUCE

George Leroy Bruce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bruce of 1435 Maryland, majored in hotel and restaurant work at Tech High. He received his core-area on-the-job training in the Cloud Room of the Municipal Airport. Bruce will leave June 9 for Crescent Beach Lodge, Milford, Ia., to spend the summer, cooking at a resort, after which he plans to enroll at the Dunwoody Baking School in Minneapolis, Minn. At Tech he played sophomore basketball and participated in track. He is a member of Mt. Zion Baptist Church of Oradabel.



ORRIE BOGGS, JR.

North High School Graduate Orrie Boggs, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Boggs, 1011 Eleventh Street, plans to continue his education this fall at Grand View College where he will begin the study of Liberal Arts, for a degree in engineering. At North, he was active in football, and basketball; and at St. Paul AME Church, where he attends, he was a member of the Church League's basketball and baseball teams.



GWENDOLYN WINONA BREWER

Gwendolyn Winona Brewer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Brown of 1521 Maple Street, and Mr. Heywood Brewer, an East High School graduate, made the honor roll, was a member of Booster Club, Y-Teens, Senior Zeta, Girls' Glee Club and Scroll staff.

She is a part-time office worker at the Iowa Bystander. Her plans are to get a regular job as a typist, attend a business school, and when she reaches the age of 18, she is hoping to join the Women's Air Force. Her church is First CME.



DON BURRELL

Don Burrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Burrell, 935 Sixteenth Street, had quite a busy career while going through North High School. His favorite subjects were: commercial geography and woodwork shop, and he had time for the wrestling team, 3 years; band and orchestra, 3 years; equipment manager of school's football team, 2 years; hall monitor, one semester. For three years he got up before day to deliver papers on his Register-Tribune route as a carrier salesman and earned some of the money he has saved to take him to college next fall. Also he has worked as a grocery clerk at Perkins Store. Burrell plans to enter Iowa University to major in physical education. He is a member of St. Paul AME Church, where he played on baseball and basketball teams, and participated with Youth Fellowship. Also he played basketball with the YMCA team; and, was a Boy Scout for 3 years. His hobby is photography.



MARVA JEAN RIVERS

Mrs. Marva Jean Rivers, daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Massey, 1430 Maryland, is a graduate of Des Moines Technical High. She was active in the school's Pep Club, Drama Club, on the commencement committee; played tennis and golf; and served as hall monitor. Her hobbies are: dancing, swimming, singing, skating. Her church is St. Ambrose. She will leave soon for Merced, Calif., to join her husband, Airman First Class Marcus Rivers.



SHIRLEY ANN KIMBALL

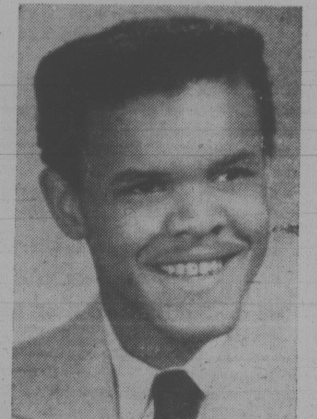
Shirley Ann Kimball, daughter of Mrs. Lois E. Kimball, 837 S. E. Twenty-seventh Street, on June 18 will begin employment at Bankers Life Insurance Company as a business machine operator. A graduate of Des Moines Technical High School, where Miss Kimball majored in clerical subjects and business machines, she took her job-training at Amos Hiatt Junior High School.

Asked how she got the job at Bankers Life, Miss Kimball revealed that she went to the company and "just applied for the job." At Tech, she was a member of the chorus. She "liked best"—her teachers, typing, filing and business machines. Her hobbies are cooking, fishing, bowling, playing tennis and dancing. Her plans are to continue her study of business machines. She attends the First CME Church.



PHYLLIS ANNETTE GRANT

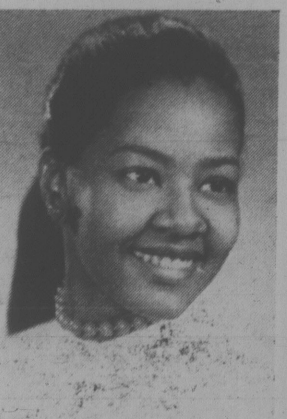
When the high school bands turned out in some of the city's spectacular parades downtown, one of the head majorettes in Des Moines Technical High's section was led by Phyllis Annette Grant, daughter of Mrs. Leona Grant, of 825 Twenty-sixth Street. Phyllis was a head majorette during her junior and senior years. She, also, was on the school's senior banquet committee, and a member of the Band Council, and Service Club. Her core-area at Tech was hotel and restaurant work; and, her on-the-job training was at Younkers Tearoom as a salad girl. Miss Grant plans to continue her work at Younkers.



RICHARD TIMOTHY ANDERSON

Richard Timothy Anderson is the youngest of three sons of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Anderson, 810 S. E. Twenty-seventh Court to graduate from East High School. During his high school career, he was employed as a porter at Younkers Brothers Store, where he will continue to work until he goes into the military services.

At East, Anderson was a member of Booster Club, High Y, Spanish Club, participated in track; and served as Junior Achievement vice president. His favorite subject was drafting. His plans are to study for the career of an architect. His hobbies are playing drums, and reading.



NANCY DELL HARRIS

Nancy Dell Harris is the youngest of six children of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Harris, 1158 Eighteenth street, to graduate from East High School. She has two brothers with Masters degrees—one an art teacher in the Des Moines public schools; the other, recently was promoted to position of a case worker in the Iowa Children's Home Society. Nancy has three sisters—two married; and, one in the U. S. military services overseas.

When asked if she was planning to continue her education, Miss Harris wasn't sure. At the moment her interest is in starting a new job in the clerical pool at Meridith Publishing Company, the home of Better Homes and Gardens and Successful Farming magazines. One other Negro girl has been employed there several years.

Miss Harris revealed that during the early part of this spring, her shorthand and typing class at East, went on a tour of the Meridith Company, after which the best students in the class were interviewed for jobs. At East, she was a member of the Modern Miss Club. Her church is Corinthian Baptist.



PATRICIA ANN HAYTER

Patricia Ann Hayter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hayter, 1155 Thirteenth Street, is a graduate of Des Moines Technical High School where she specialized in stenographic work, and during her last semester's job-training, worked part-time as a stenographer at the Woodrow Wilson Junior High School. Her plans are to continue her study of business education at Drake University here in September. Miss Hayter played baseball on the Willkie House Girls' team. She attends Corinthian Baptist Church.



DONALD BURKS

Donald Burks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burks, 1169 Tenth Street, is a graduate of North High School, where he was active in football, track, A Cappella Choir, Glee Club and served as hall monitor. For four summers he played Junior League baseball. Burks plans to enter the Air Force, then continue his education at some college in California where he plans to study biological science.



ALFREDA MOORE

East High School Graduate Alfreda Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Mobre, 1348 East Seventeenth Street, has had quite an interesting experience this year: At 18 years old, for several months she has been employed at the municipal airport as a short order cook in the coffee shop, on an after-school shift from 5 to 11 p. m.

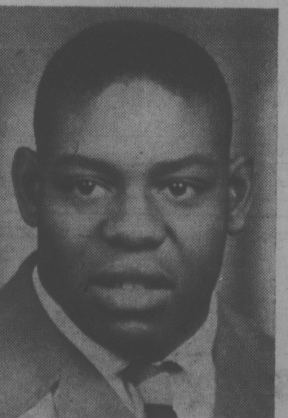
Though she likes her job and "will keep it until something better opens up" as a typist or a bookkeeper, Miss Moore is looking forward to that day when her fiancé, A/3C Marvin R. Emery, returns from overseas. Miss Moore revealed that the municipal airport is a "nice place to work." Several Negro girls have jobs behind counters and in the dining room at the airport, she said. She got her job through the East High Girls' Advisor Miss Agnes Helmreich.

At East, Miss Moore was active in: Keyes and Ques, Modern Miss, Senior Zeta, A Cappella Choir, Girls' Glee Club, Scroll and Quill typist, Tennis Team captain senior year. Her church is Bethel AME, where she belongs to several groups.



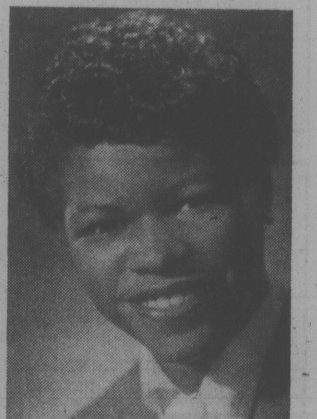
RICHARD JACKSON

Richard Jackson, son of Mrs. Robert Henderson, 1126 Ninth street, is a graduate of North High School, where he took part in track, Boys' Glee Club. He was a member of Boy Scouts 2 years; and St. Paul AME Church's baseball team. He was employed part-time at a local hotel. His plans are to join the Air Force, and after military service enter college to study electrical engineering. YMCA baseball team.



ELMER McQUITT

Scheduled to graduate in the August class of North High School is Elmer McQuitty, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McQuitty, 1917 Center Street. At North he has won letters for three years, each, in swimming, football, track; has played in band and orchestra three years. During the summer seasons, he has served as life guard at the Good Park Swimming Pool here, where he will work this summer until he joins the U. S. Navy. He plans to attend Stanford University, Palo Alto, Calif., to major in business administration. His church is St. Paul AME, where he has been a member of the basketball team. Also he has played on the YMCA baseball team.



BETTY WILSON

The business of going to school and getting an education has been "a lot of fun" for Betty Wilson, daughter of Mrs. Helen Wilson, 1146 Twelfth Street. She stated that she has "always liked everything about going to school." At North High School she participated in Sub Deb Club 2 years, Cosmopolitan Club 3 years, Girls' Glee Club; was the Negro member of the school's Rope Jumping Team and "was considered the best rope jumper on the team," but for some reason the teacher would never put me on the school's first team," Miss Wilson talked. Also stated at North, while "having fun", she was student leader, assistant secretary of class, assistant in Study Hall, participated in intermural sports, was runner-up in badminton tournament. She had time for "community fun" singing in the choir at her church, Corinthian Baptist; marching in the Elks Drum and Bugle Corps and going to Denver, Colo., with the corps last summer. She also played on the Brown's Softball team. Her plans are to spend the summer working and then enter Drake University in September for more education.

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SOCIETY



The J. N. Bethels Leave for Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. James N. Bethel, 1219 Twelfth street, and daughters, Jennifer, Brenda and Carole left Friday for Washington, D. C., to visit Mr. Bethel's parents, and Mrs. Bethel's brother, and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Smith. The Bethels will visit relatives in Winston-Salem, N. C., and the children will spend the summer there.

Mrs. Mary Hawkins Back from Missouri

Mrs. Mary Hawkins, 1337 DeWolf street, returned last Friday from Richmond, Mo., where she spent two weeks visiting her mother, Mrs. Ruby Lincoln.

Mrs. Johnson of Sac City Here

Mrs. Cora Johnson of Sac City, Iowa, spent a week here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bell, 915 Fifteenth street.

Miss Betty Carson Visiting Mother

Miss Betty Carson of Los Angeles, Calif., came by plane here and is spending a vacation with her mother, Mrs. Marie Carson, 925 Fifteenth street.

Entertains at Birthday Party

Mr. Roy Walker, 921 Twelfth street, entertained friends last Sunday at a birthday party honoring her husband.

Miss Hoffman Back From Virginia

Miss Naomi Hoffman returned Sunday from Madison, Va., where she visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ashby Hoffman. Miss Camille Hoffman, accompanied her sister here.

Return from Visit In Kansas City

Rev. W. H. Wheeler and daughters, Mesdames Helen Hubbard and Georgia Add returned last Tuesday from Kansas City, Mo., where they visited relatives and were house guests of Mrs. Mabel Lovingsood. The Rev. Mr. Wheeler and Mrs. Add attended the annual Central West Conference of the Methodist church which met there.

The H. W. Smiths Leave for California

Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Smith, 949 Eighteenth street, left Sunday for California, and other points west to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. Zoe Mitchell Of Chicago Here

Mrs. Zoe Mitchell left Sunday to return home to Chicago, Ill., after spending Decoration Day weekend with her mother, Mrs. Drew Williams.

Ten Keys To Meet June 8

Ten Keys met at the home of Mrs. Geraldine Stephenson. Adjournment of meetings until fall was discussed. Bridge prize winners were: first, Mrs. Inice Carter; second, Mrs. Stephenson; third, Mrs. Elizabeth Kinchlow. Next meeting will be June 8 with Mrs. Christine Martin of 1125 10th Street. Mrs. Carter is reporter.

Chapter Delegates To Burlington

Princess O'Zell Chapter, O.E.S. held their regular monthly meeting May 24th at the Masonic Temple. Plans were completed for sending the worthy matron, Mrs. Lessie Garrett, and associate worthy matron, Mrs. Rose Johnson, to Electra Grand Chapter which will convene in Burlington, Iowa, June 17-23.

Mrs. C. C. Johnson and Mrs. Mary Parker who have been ill are improving at home. Mrs. Lessie Garrett is worthy matron Mr. Edward Menge is worthy patron; Mrs. Emma Williamson, reporter.

To Hold Business Luncheon Saturday

The Dilettante Art Club will hold a business luncheon Saturday, June 9, 1 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Adelaide Bowman, 1020 Eighteenth street.

DeLuxe Club to Meet Thursday

DeLuxe Club met May 31 with Mrs. Margaret Sorrell. The next meeting will be Thursday night with Mrs. Dearmour Terrell, 1165 Fourteenth place. Mrs. Mary Frye is president; Mrs. Lessie Garrett, secretary.

Socialite Queens To Meet Saturday

The Socialite Queens met last month with Mrs. Jessie Newsome. The next meeting will be Saturday, June 9, with Mrs. Mary Parker, president, who is convalescing at her home. Co-hostesses will be Mesdames Jacqueline Randall and Mary Hawkins, reporter.

Mrs. Jacqueline Randle and Mrs. Henrietta Coates have returned from visiting relatives in Texas.

Voguettes Disband Until September

Voguettes met May 18 with Mrs. Hazel Thomas of 937 23rd place and again June 1 with Mrs. Katherine Thompson at 1168 11th street. Mrs. Katherine Moore is ill at home. The club disbanded for the summer. Next meeting will be Sept. 7 with Mrs. Wade, reporter, of 1036 17th street. Mrs. Ella Mae Burke is president.

Amaranth Court Meets June 10

Theodosia Court No. 5 will meet Sunday, June 10, 3 p. m., at the Masonic Temple, Eleventh and Center Streets.

Initiation will be held and the Royal Matron Mrs. Lessie Garrett, has urged all members to attend. Rev. Thomas Lighon is royal patron. Mrs. Alma Morris is reporter.



**Personal
Touch**
By
**MARIE
ROSS**

Negro graduates coming out of the Des Moines public schools are finding new doors of opportunity in employment opening to them.

With better jobs and substantial salaries, more young people are finding it easier to continue their educational pursuits, marry, rear families, buy homes and live better lives in the community.

"I'd tell the high school graduates of 1956 to continue their education. With all of the opportunities, the sky is the limit," said Mr. Lacey Spriggs, 1055 Seventeenth Street, who was an East High School graduate in the class of 1946.

During the ten years Spriggs has been out of high school, he has seen many changes.

In 1946, a year after World War II had ended, it was hard to keep young men in high school, and Spriggs revealed that he had the urge to quit and was making preparations until he got to his vice principal at East High, who sat him down and talked him into staying in school.

"I have never regretted it. I had no value, no conception of the value of education," Spriggs talked.

Now a teacher in the Des Moines Public Schools system, Spriggs enjoys teaching seventh, eighth and ninth grade students at the Benjamin Franklin Junior High School.

Up until the middle 40's Des Moines had no Negro public school teachers, but many of the Negro youth had faith that one day they would be able to teach in their own city.

After Spriggs left East High, he spent a year and a half in the U. S. Army, then returned home and worked at the Des Moines post office, while studying on his degree at Drake University.

After graduation he was employed in the Polk County Superintendent of Schools office as an audio-visual education director, a position he held

Miss Bonnie Cavil June Bride of Mr. C. Edward Thomas in Ceremonies Held in Mason City

Miss Bonnie Cavil, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cavil, 754 S. E. Twenty-fourth street, became the bride of Mr. C. Edward Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Thomas of Albia, Iowa, Sunday, June 3.

The ceremony took place in Mason City at the St. John Baptist Church where the Rev. Granville Williams, pastor, and brother-in-law of the bride, officiated.

Altar decorations were candelabra and garden flowers. Nuptial music was played by Mrs. E. Stevens, pianist at the St. John church. Soloists were Mr. Lola Mae Rhem and Miss Geneva Burrell.

Honor matron to the bride was her sister, Mrs. Zora Turner. Mr. Lawrence Davis was best man.

The bride wore a costume suit of gray flannel. Her corsage was of carnations.

Reception

A wedding reception followed immediately in the basement of the church with Mrs. Willa Williams of Mason City, sister of the bride as hostess. Assisting her were Mrs. Corrine Bourne, another sister of the bride, and Mrs. Evelyn Davis.

Other guests from Des Moines who attended the wedding were: Mesdames Samantha Dixon, Anna Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Cavil, Misses Cloann,



MRS. C. EDWARD THOMAS

Carol Jean and Marilyn Thomas, Frank Thomas and Mrs. Thomas of Albia.

The bride is employed at Still College of Osteopathy. Mr. Thomas is an X-ray operator at Solar Aircraft Co., and manager of True Life Singers of Des Moines.

The couple is at home to friends at 828 Twenty-fifth street. Both are members of the St. John Baptist Church here.

State University of Iowa to Confer Degrees Upon 1,091 Graduates Friday at Commencement

Iowa City, Iowa.—Degrees will be conferred upon 1,091 graduates at the State University of Iowa's spring Commencement exercises Friday, June 8 at 9:30 a. m. in the University Fieldhouse, according to Ted McCarril, director of convocations.

Arthur S. Adams, president of the American Council on Education, will give the Commencement address, speaking on "How Secure Can We Be?"

President Virgil M. Hancher will give the traditional charge to the Iowa graduates and will confer the degrees. Robert S. Michaelsen, director of the SUI school of religion will serve as chaplain, and William D. Coder, coordinator of conferences, will be master of ceremonies.

Negro Graduates

Negro students receiving degrees include: Henry C. Berry, Chicago, Ill.; Carl C. Cain, Freeport, Ill.; William F. Donaldson, Blue Island, Ill.; Elizabeth E. Fields, Keokuk, Iowa; John W. Hall, Jr., Chicago, Ill.; Ben U. Imoh, graduate, Nigeria W. Africa; Althea F. James, graduate, Camden, South Carolina; Penuel E. Malafa, Nigeria W. Africa;

two years. He is married and has three children.



LACY D. SPRIGGS

Another high school graduate who has held stenographic positions in Des Moines since graduating from East High in 1946 is Mrs. Delores Wyatt Boone, 1402 Buchanan street, who took time out this week from her June wedding plans to say a few words to the 1956 graduates.

"Take all of the business training you can get," Mrs. Boone advised. She said she found it very important in the work she has had during the past ten years.

After graduation she held a position at the Statehouse as a stenographer. Five years ago she passed civil service examinations and has been employed as secretary for the United States Department of Agriculture.

Another Des Moines high school graduate in the class of 1946 was Miss Inez Marie Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, 1755 E. University avenue, who has been a

30 Negro Grads in D. M. Public High School Exercises

In commencement exercises this week, Des Moines public high schools graduated 1,098 students, thirty of whom were Negro graduates.

Of the five public high schools here, the number of students graduating were: East, 260, twelve of whom were Negroes; North, 204, ten of whom were Negroes; Des Moines Technical School, 217, with seven Negro graduates; Roosevelt, 268, with one Negro graduate; Lincoln, 131.

Valley High School in West Des Moines had one Negro graduate, in the exercises held last month.

Among the graduates were the following:

DES MOINES TECH HIGH

Des Moines Tech High School—George LeRoy Bruce, 1435 Maryland; Phyllis Annette Grant, 825 Twenty-sixth Street; Morton Robert Graves, Jr., 1023 Fifteenth Street; Patricia Ann Hayter, 1155 Thirtieth Street; Shirley Ann Kimball, 837 S. E. Twenty-seventh Street; Shirley Ann Ray, 1327 DeWolf Street; Marva Jean Massey Rivers, 1430 Maryland.

EAST HIGH

East High School—Richard Timothy Anderson, 801 S. E. Twenty-seventh Street; Gwendolyn Winona Brewer, 1521 Maple Street; Lowell Alfred Cooper, 1322 E. Seventeenth Street; William Thomas Downing, 1449 Buchanan; Carolyn Ann Gatewood, 1627 Walker Street; Nancy Dell Harris, 1158 Eighteenth Street; Milton Henry Keyes, 922 S. E. Fourteenth Street; Alfreda Moore, 1348 E. Seventeenth Street; Rosalie Jean Robinson, 1352 Dixon; Rhoda Darlene Smith, 813 Fourteenth Street; Beverly Loretta Stovall, 400 S. E. Sixth Street; Harvey Thompson, 832 Sixteenth Street.

NORTH HIGH

North High School—Donald Burks, 1169 Tenth Street; Don Burrell, 935 Sixteenth Street; Orbis Boggs, 1011 Eleventh Street; Sandra Jameson, 835 Fourteenth Street; Richard Jackson, 1126 Ninth Street; James Owens, 1054 Tenth Street; Martha Rivers, 4446 Laurel; Betty Wilson, 1146 Twelfth Street; Elmer McQuitty, 1917 Center Street (August Graduate).

ROOSEVELT HIGH

Roosevelt High School—Charlotte Ann Jones, 940 Sixteenth Street.

VALLEY HIGH

Valley High School (West Des Moines)—Carolyn Marie Underwood, 127 Tenth Street, West Des Moines.

CORRECTION

Mrs. T. L. Lighon, 828 Thirtieth Street, who with her husband, the Rev. Mr. Lighon celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on May 20, is a member of the Bethel Baptist Church in Perry, Iowa. Their adopted son's name is Tommy Lighon.

Roosevelt Club Meets June 12

The Roosevelt Democratic Club will meet June 12, 8 p. m. at Willkie House, 17th and Crocker Streets.

Mrs. Ruth White Is Convalescing

Mrs. Ruth White of 1228 Dixon street underwent an operation at Des Moines General Hospital and is recovering nicely.

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NAACP Drive in St. Paul Reports 1,374 Members

St. Paul, Minn.—At the final St. Paul NAACP membership dinner last Monday night, campaign workers heard four speakers praise the conduct of this year's drive, which so far has netted 1347 members and \$3,400 in cash. In addition, three St. Paulites have taken out \$500 Life memberships in the organization. Leonard H. Carter is membership drive chairman.

Wheatley Club Donates \$50 for Campaign Expenses

The Phyllis Wheatley Republican Club donated \$50 on the Polk County Central Committee's financial drive for campaign purposes. Mrs. Catherine Shelton, president of the club, announced this week.

The club will meet Tuesday, June 12, 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Shelton, 1129 Eleventh Street. All members have been urged to attend. Miss Jessie E. Walker is secretary.

Social Change Begins

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and probe to find new ways of improving whatever exists.

Each Generation

"For example," he said, "courage and intelligence in social change would demand that the segregation of the Negro not simply be allowed to exist as if it were unavoidable. Each generation in the segregated southern schools transmits the social customs, habits and prejudices of each successive generation.

"It is not enough to advocate moderation in the solution of problems. What is needed is the will and the humanity to support the cause of the Negro and to find ways in which the Negro child can be given his place in the white schools, and in white society—not as an unwanted guest, but a welcome friend.

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Gets SUI Second Scholarship Award



MINTA LAVERNE SMITH

Iowa City, Iowa. Some 60 students in the State University of Iowa college of nursing received recognition at the annual Honors Day Tea Monday in the Westlawn Lounge.

Among them was Minta Laverne Smith, Des Moines Junior, who received the second Scholarship Award of \$100 given by the Women's Auxiliary of the Iowa Association of Plumbing Contractors, Inc., to a deserving nursing student who is a resident of Iowa and entering the senior year.

She is a daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Cherry, 813 Fourteenth Street.

Council Services Sunday; Pot Luck Supper Tuesday

Mothers, Stewardess and Deaconess Council will hold its services Sunday, June 10 at 2:30 p. m., at the First CME Church in Chesterfield. Rev. James Harris will be speaker.

Pot Luck Supper

The council will hold its business meeting and pot luck supper Tuesday, June 12 at 7:45 p. m., at the First CME Church in Chesterfield.

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THE BYSTANDER IS SIXTY-TWO YEARS OLD

This week, the Bystander is sixty-two years old and an anniversary edition is published to emphasize that birthday.

Organized by a group of pioneer Negro citizens who felt the need of an organ where their views on problems of particular interest to the race would appear and to publish a type of news which daily papers seldom carried, they had in view the organization of Negro business where their youngsters might have an opportunity to work in fields from which they were excluded in those days.

Some of the objectives for which the founders were striving have been achieved but there still remains much to be done and therefore the necessity of maintaining a Negro newspaper continues.

The operation of the Bystander, during the tenure of successive owners, has not been an easy task. The life of a weekly newspaper is uncertain. Ordinarily, those for whom a class paper is run should constitute its major support. But since little class advertising, the life blood of a newspaper, is available to the Bystander, it, of necessity, has been forced to seek that type of income among the large business institutions in Des Moines.

Of course, since Negroes spend most of their money in these large institutions it is only fair that they should do so.

During much of its lifetime, the trend was away from the use of weeklies as advertising mediums. However, this trend has been the other way in recent years, so the Bystander has enjoyed much more liberal consideration at the hands of newspaper space buyers.

World War II produced a new type of advertising which has reacted favorably to weeklies: the sponsored ad. This has enabled the Bystander to discover many institutions which, while they seldom carry advertising in such papers, yet do so in the Bystander because of the things which have been accomplished by the management for the general good of the community.

The present management has tried to give its readers accurate current news; it has hammered away at civil rights for minorities consistently both on a national and local level; it has used its columns to secure more equal economic opportunities.

The record shows that tremendous strides have been made in the field of civil rights and equality of economic opportunity. There remains much to be done, so the Bystander will continue until every vestige of second class citizenship is removed.

The management is not unmindful that it could have accomplished little without the support of a large number of friends who have recognized the value of a Negro newspaper, who enjoy reading it and thus provided that support and goodwill which any institution must maintain.

The day will come when class papers will be a thing of the past but until that day comes, they fill a strategic notch in the fight for complete civil rights and economic opportunity for all.

A FINE EXAMPLE OF AMERICAN DEMOCRACY

The television audience has been treated to a most interesting spelling bee between Gloria Lockerman, Negro girl from Baltimore and Andy Douglas a white lad of Connecticut during the past few weeks.

And Sunday night, the contest was declared a draw and each was awarded \$32,000.00.

This contest was interesting for several reasons: first, each contestant was 12 years old, one a boy and one a girl, one white and one a Negro all of which proved excellent examples for the American people.

They demonstrated what young-

sters, who apply themselves, can do; that given an opportunity individual Negroes can measure up. Both youngsters deserve great credit.

GOOD RESULTS COME BY STICKING TOGETHER

Negroes in Tallahassee, Florida, too, have demonstrated that they can press their demands collectively and get results. As a price for calling off a boycott of the trolley cars, the company has agreed to seat passengers first come, first served. (Jim Crow cars remain). Negroes will be treated courteously. Negro bus operators will be used in Negro districts.

It is interesting that Negroes have won all of their rights by peaceful methods. Here is an excellent example.

This job could not have been accomplished ten years ago. Many, no doubt, continue to say "the time is not ripe, yet. Don't rush things too fast." Such admonition is silly today.

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and planning are not only important in the fight to establish the principle of equal rights under the law, but an urgent need in translating this principle into practice, he added.

"It seems quite clear that the urgency is even greater now in view of the recent rash of retaliatory laws, law suits and extra legal pressures which are being leveled against us by die-hards bent on nullifying the recent anti-segregation rulings and pro-integration community actions," Atty. Marshall asserted.

He told the Grand Masters that the Legal Research Department has become increasingly indispensable. Since its establishment, a revolution has occurred in civil rights litigation. Research is now necessary in other corporations and torts, as well as in sub-fields of law, such as contracts, special sub-areas of the socio-economic disciplines, Mr. Marshall said.

Tallahassee Protest Leaders

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a first come first served basis; 2. That bus drivers be required to give fair and impartial treatment to Negro passengers; and

3. That Negro drivers be employed by the bus company.

As the protest got underway, local police started a campaign to arrest for alleged traffic violations Negro motorists giving rides to other citizens. Among the first arrested were Mr. Steele and some members of the university faculty.

Following the arrest of the two students, the NAACP sent its Florida field secretary, Robert W. Saunders, to Tallahassee to make an investigation of the situation. Mr. Saunders reported that trouble on the buses had been brewing for at least six weeks. Students and townspeople have been threatened and abused by some of the bus drivers. No one had been arrested, however, until May 26.

'Above Average'

Mrs. Patterson and Miss Jakes, Mr. Saunders reported, are rated "above average students" who, according to faculty members and their fellow students, had never given any trouble.

Tallahassee, capital of the state, has a population of about 40,000 people of whom 14,000 are Negroes. According to estimates, from 60 to 70 per cent of the bus passengers are Negroes. Negroes are required to sit from the rear forward, whites from the front rearward. If all seats are taken on a predominantly Negro line, colored passengers are required to get up and give their seats to white passengers as they board the bus.

IAUN Presents Essay Contest Awards to Three

The Iowa Association for the United Nations accepted the challenge to a membership contest from the Oregon UN at their annual meeting at the Art Center in Des Moines Saturday, June 2.

Presenting the challenge was Dr. Karlin Capper-Johnson, President of the Oregon Association for UN and a national director of the American Association, who stressed in his address the importance of "grass roots" interest in United Nations affairs in helping promote world peace.

Prof. Sam H. Thompson, Iowa State College, Ames, chairman of the IAUN education committee, presented awards to three Iowa high school students. They were the winners of this year's Iowa High School UN Essay contest.

Richard H. Burian, 14, University

HEALTH FOR ALL

ADVICE TO THE YOUNG

June—moon—spoon. The romantic month is here, the month of weddings and graduations. June is a parade of bright-eyed, chin-up young people setting out on the great adventures of life.

It's an opportunity older people can't resist. They pack more wise advice to the younger generation into the 30 days of June than in all the other eleven months put together. Far be it from this column to be different.

Advice to the young usually begins with warnings of trouble ahead. This can get pretty long-winded because anyone over forty has been through so many troubles of his own and has seen so many of other people's. Sometimes the advice never gets beyond a detailed listing of possible problems.

Minor Ailments

So this column will start with the simple fact that there will be problems—and go on from there. Modern psychology has outlined some basic methods for solving problems—techniques that can be applied to all problems.

SPORTS

By ALLEN ASHBY

Looks as if Archie Moore may yet achieve his goal of heavyweight boxing champ. The winner of the dispute between Lloyd Patterson and Hurricane Jackson is slated to take on Moore for the title. Archie's kyo by Rocky Marciano didn't seem to hurt him any and he is still the ball of light heavies. Wonder how long he will keep the title if he gets it? Sure would like to see Patterson come through.

Then there is Sugar Ray who wants another crack at the light heavy honor pay just about had the crown lifted off the head of Joey Maxim when he fell exhausted. Some say it was the heat. We say it was just as far as the guy could go.

Baseball

The Little Leaguers are having troubles again. Can't find playing fields. People say it is just too much trouble to have a bunch of kids playing baseball. Then we have heard some of the spectators, mostly adults who should know better are insulting to people around the fields.

Do you know that in so many sports the parents or adult supporters of the kids make all the real trouble? They are loud, boastful, quarrelsome and know more about the game than any teachers or coaches. "Why when I played we did this and so." Then they launch into an account of how good they were and most of the time when one puts the record book on these loud-mouthed adults they weren't even good substitutes. Maybe, we need a course in how to behave at our children's athletic events.

Those Dodgers had better get to gettin' if they are going anywhere. That national league race is closer than ninety-nine is to one hundred and just about four teams have a chance. And then all have Negro

High School, Iowa City received \$50 as first place winner; Deanna Dodds, 17, Central High School, Sioux City, \$30 as second place contestant, and Donald G. Willeke, 15, Community High School, Appleton, third place and \$20. 104 Iowa schools participated in the contest.

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A time-honored method is to get sick. This is not advocated by the psychologists or medical men, but it is still common for people faced with a dilemma to hide their heads in a pillow. Anyone who tends to have a lot of minor ailments that keep him out of circulation for a day or two at a time will do well to look at these incidents with a fishy stare. It may be an unconscious escape that can develop into real mental illness.

Healthier methods of problem-solving suggested by the experts are basically four. First, look for all possible alternatives. Second, list all the factors that must enter into a decision, and give the proper weight to each factor. Third, look into the future and try to predict the consequences of each possible course of action. Fourth, make a decision.

There's another not too satisfactory technique, the secret of which is time. Some problems just disappear if you leave them unsolved long enough.

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players.

Track

The great Australian runner says Americans don't train hard enough. Think that wasn't any revelation to us. We argued that the war had one blessing. It taught Americans what condition was and what it could do for one. Now that our wars are over, we all want to go back to soft living and nobody wants to train. No one wants anybody telling them when to go to bed, when to get up. What to eat and so on. But until we do get that, we must take a back seat to other countries in games where physical condition is the determining factor.

Annual Children's Fish Day Saturday At 5 Locations

The Des Moines Chapter No. 1 of the Izaak Walton League announced the sixteenth annual children's fish day to be held Saturday, June 9 at five Des Moines locations.

Fishing will start at 6:30 a.m. and close at 10:30 a.m. Prizes will be awarded. The ponds will be stocked with fish in advance by the Iowa Conservation Commission through the cooperation of Lloyd Huff, Des Moines conservation officer.

Fishing locations are: MacRae park, S. W. Ninth and Gray streets; Greenwood park, Grand avenue between 45th and 49th streets; Witmer park, 34th street between Clark and Washington streets; Birdland park, Guthrie avenue and Saylor road; Grand View park, 32nd street and Guthrie avenue.

Prizes

One sportsmanship trophy will be given at each of the five parks. Each of the sportsmanship trophy winners will be eligible for a prize providing one week's vacation at Clear Lake, Lake Okoboji, or at a dude ranch, or a spinning rod and reel.

The five sportsmanship winners and their parents also will be guests of the Izaak Walton League at a dinner June 11.

In addition to the sportsmanship trophies there will be prizes at each pond for the 10 largest fish.

Fish day activities are open to all boys and girls under 14. Children must furnish their own tackle and bait.

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Why do people have to lie? Why do the good have to die? Why do babies have to cry? God, this, I ask you—Why?

Composed by Warren David Weathers on May 15, 1956, at Ingrandes, France.

RECIPE FOR LIVING

If a recipe for living Could be blended as it should, It would be a fragrant mixture Spiced with everything that's good. First—we'd take some fond acquaintance Add some mutual admiration,

Crocker 'Y' Board To Meet June 12

The Committee of Management of the Crocker Branch YMCA will

With respect and toleration For a pleasant association. With our give and take adjusted Mixed with giving and forgiving, Blend for every heart and soul A new recipe for living . . .

—Glenn A. Gallagher. (First American Serial Rights Only)

hold its last regular meeting until fall, Tuesday, June 12, 8 p.m., at Crocker Y.

Final arrangements will be made for holding the annual Crocker 'Y' Picnic, Sunday, June 24, at Good Park, 17th and University.

Also on the agenda will be the appointment of standing committees by Paul L. Wilson, chairman.

Crocker 'Y' Camp Committee To Meet June 11

William C. Buice, 1070 17th street, chairman of the Crocker Branch YMCA Camp Committee, announced a meeting for Monday, June 11, 8 p.m., at the Crocker building.

Group leaders will report on the progress of the Summer 'Y' Camp soap sales program.

Plans will also be made for securing contributions, for the 'Y' Camp Scholarship Fund, which will be put to good use to help worthy boys get to camp this summer who otherwise would not be able to attend.

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