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PRAYERS FOR FREEDOM MAY 17:

Expect 50,000 at Lincoln Memorial

Crocker 'Y' To Participate In National YMCA Study

James F. Dixon, executive secretary, announced that the Crocker



JAMES F. DIXON

Branch YMCA is one of one hundred eighty five local Associations who have been invited to participate in the Fourth Study of YMCA Constituency, a project authorized by the Research, Studies and Records Committee of the National Board of Young Men's Christian Associations. The purposes of this study are (1) to identify certain major characteristics of the YMCA membership, (2) to note significant interrelationships between these characteristics, (3) to reveal membership trends, (4) to show member participation at various levels of interest, (5) to provide national committees and Area and State organizations with information for use in planning, and (6) to stimulate local Associations to make similar appraisals of their memberships.

Mr. Dixon reported that this information would be gathered by interviewing and filling out a data sheet for each tenth constituent in the branch's membership files.

Services Held for Mrs. Laura Bowden

Services for Mrs. Laura Bowden, 50, of 1042 Eleventh Street, were held last Saturday at at Estes & Son Funeral Home. Burial was in Glendale Cemetery.

Mrs. Bowden died Wednesday, April 24 in Broadlawn Tuberculosis Hospital after a year's illness. Born in El Paso, Texas, she lived here 38 years.

Surviving is a son, John Slater of Des Moines.



Mrs. Bowden

52 Banned NAACP Branches In South Have Secured Adoptive Parents in North

New York—Fifty-two banned branches of the NAACP in the South have found adoptive parents in the North. The units, in Alabama, Louisiana and Texas, have been adopted by northern NAACP branches.

The adoptions are part of a special campaign launched by the Association as a phase of its 1957 membership and fund-raising drive. Northern branches which adopt a banned southern unit agree to raise the funds which would have been secured by the adopted branch had it been allowed to continue functioning.

During 1956, the NAACP was banned by court order from further activities in Alabama, Louisiana and Texas. The cases are being appealed.

Miss Lucille Black, NAACP membership secretary who is in charge of the adopt-a-branch campaign, said this week that there are a

Private Rites for Owen Watkins, Hotel Owner, Fatally Shot; Wife on Bond

Private services were held Monday afternoon at L. Fowler & Son Funeral Home for Owen Watkins, 73-year-old owner of Watkins Hotel, 832 Keosauqua Way. Burial was at Oralabor Cemetery.

Mr. Watkins died of gunshot wounds Friday morning, April 26, at Broadlawn General Hospital.

Police said his wife, Stephanie, 29, admitted shooting him five times after quarrelling about money.

Admitted Shooting

Mrs. Watkins pleaded innocent when arraigned Friday morning on a charge of second-degree murder. Municipal Judge Don L. Tidrick ordered her held in jail in lieu of \$5,000 bond, pending a hearing May 9. She was released on bond later.

Mrs. Watkins called police at 12:53 a.m. Friday from the Watkins apartment at the hotel and told them of the shooting.

In Bedroom

Police said Watkins was shot twice in the chest, twice in the stomach

and once in the back. The shooting took place in the bedroom of the apartment.

Mrs. Watkins told police that after the quarrel about money, she went to the bedroom and got a .38-caliber revolver. She said Watkins followed her into the bedroom and "she fired the gun until it was empty."

Mr. Watkins had been a Des Moines resident 47 years. He is survived by his wife and two sisters, Mrs. Alice Waters and Mrs. Katie Neal, both of Oklahoma City, Okla.



WATKINS—MRS. WATKINS

Say Industry Not Safe in State Where Crimes Happen And No Redress Is Secured

New York—The claims of Gov. J. P. Coleman of Mississippi and of other southerners that "tranquility" prevails in that region are refuted by the Department of Justice annual report, Roy Wilkins, executive secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, said here April 25.

Crimes

The government report, issued in Washington on April 24, cited several "shocking" violations of civil rights during the period covered. Among the incidents which aroused greatest indignation, Attorney General Herbert Brownell's report indicated, were the assassination of the Rev. George W. Lee and the attempt to kill Gus Courts, both local NAACP leaders, and the widely-publicized kidnap-murder of 14-year-old Emmett Louis Till.

"All these crimes occurred in Mississippi whose Gov. Coleman only a few days ago made a nationwide television appeal for industry to locate in that state," Mr. Wilkins as-

serted. "Industry is not safe if it locates in a state where 'shocking' crimes can be committed and no redress secured, either under state or federal laws," the NAACP leader observed. "Justice which is whim-tailored for citizens can easily become whim-tailored for industry."

Double Standard

Mr. Wilkins further called attention to the double standard of justice prevailing in the South.

"A Birmingham court has sentenced a Negro to death for burg-

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17,000 Spectators Attend Memorable Drake Relays Here

BY ALLEN ASHBY

About every so often there comes up a year when Drake Relays records are a dime a dozen. This was one of those years, and Negroes had their part.

In the opening event on Saturday it was Willie Stevenson of Tennessee A & I sailing over the high hurdles in the record time of 13.08 to break the old mark set by Harrison Dillard. Stevenson had people all over the place asking where Tennessee A&I was.

Iowa's Deacon Jones ran the fastest mile ever run by a collegian here and added the two-mile run to his collection of first places.

Fastest Mile

Long Ted Wheeler, formerly of Iowa, said he was hungry and merely came along to get a free meal ran the fastest mile ever seen in these parts and outran the Hungarian Tabori in a blanket finish.

Notre Dame's fleet halfback, Aubrey Lewis set a new four-forty yard hurdles mark by beating Bach of Missouri to the tape in a race that was closer than ninety nine is to one hundred.

Wilt the Stilt Chamberlain won the flip for first place in the high jump after tying with a guy from Texas at six-feet-six for first. By the way, the Stilt, who is surprisingly big through the chest, shoulders and neck, is the only man we ever saw take off his sweat shirt, and then run and jump without ever losing his plaid cap.

Prairie View

Prairie View sent up Jim Gamble who took back a gold watch for his winning efforts in the broad jump, finishing ahead of Hanover College's Carrol Hamilton. Then there was Michigan who got off to a flying start in the hundred yard dash, but wound up second as we had figured, bowing to the great driving finish of Bobby Morrow. Orlando Hazely, the first Negro to represent Oklahoma A&M was third, and Carrol of Northwestern was fifth. Hazely certainly looks a lot like Cliff Wat-

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Relays Official



FRANK ROBINSON

Frank Robinson, 810 Boyd Street, Olympian Athletic Club officer, served as one of the officials at the Drake Relays here last week end. He is shown checking some of the events.

Rites for Mrs. Cora Hughes; Here 52 Years

Services for Mrs. Cora Hughes, 76, of 933 Thirteenth Street, were held Monday afternoon at First Baptist Church, West Des Moines.

Burial was in Pine Hill cemetery. Mrs. Hughes died April 25 at Broadlawn General Hospital after an illness of two weeks.

Born at Carthage, Mo., she had lived in Des Moines 52 years.

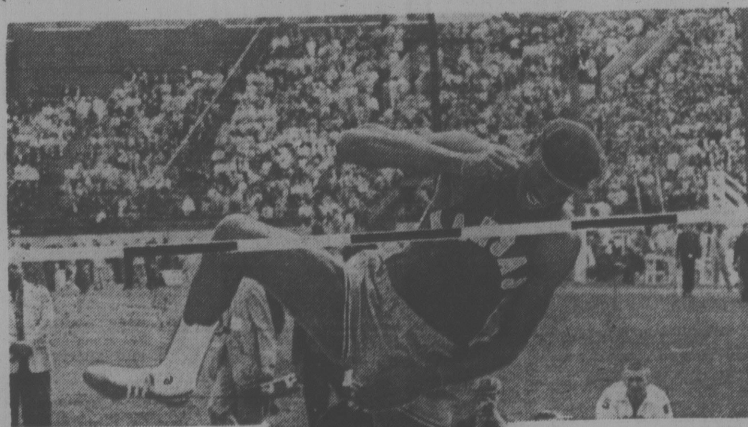
Survivors include a son, Delmer Thomas of Des Moines, and a sister, Mrs. Fannie L. Jackson of Joplin, Mo.

Hawkeye Elks to Hold Oratorical Contest May 9

The Hawkeye Elks No. 160 will hold the thirty-second annual local oratorical contest May 9, 8 p.m., at Burns Methodist Church.

Students representing high schools will speak on some phase of "The Constitution." The program is open to the public.

Wilt (the Stilt) Takes Gigantic Step Tennessee's Willie Stevens



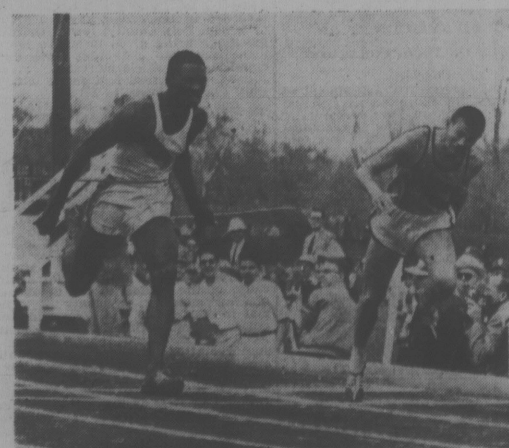
High Jump

One of the most spectacular performers at Saturday's Drake Relays was Kansas University's 7-foot basketball all-American, Wilt (the Stilt) Chamberlain. Wilt earned a first place tie in the high jump at 6 feet 6 1/2 inches. Chamberlain is shown taking his gigantic step at the start of his take off. (Photo Courtesy of Des Moines Sunday Register)

Winning Race

Willie Stevens of Tennessee A & I hits the tape ahead of Missouri's flashy Charles Batch. Stevens smashed record set by famed Harrison Dillard with clocking of 13.8. Batch (:14.0) also was under Dillard mark

of :14.1 (Photo Courtesy of Des Moines Sunday Register).



Pilgrimage to Washington To Protest Violence and Terror; Commemorate

New York—The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has been informed that the Lincoln Memorial in Washington will be available for the Prayer Pilgrimage for Freedom on May 17, Roy Wilkins, NAACP executive secretary, said here April 25. Mr. Wilkins is co-chairman of the Pilgrimage with A. Philip Randolph, president of the Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters, and Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., president, Southern Leaders Conference.

Use of the Memorial for this purpose was requested last month by Clarence Mitchell, director of the Association's Washington bureau. After a month's delay, the National Park Service at first turned down the request on April 16 on the ground that an assembly of 50,000 persons at the Memorial would deprive thousands of tourists of the free access to the shrine. E. T. Soyten, acting director of the National Park Service, suggested that the meeting be held at the Sylvan Theater on the Washington Monument grounds.

Challenge South Carolina Law Requiring Teachers to Reject NAACP Membership

Wash., D. C.—A South Carolina statute requiring Negro teachers to make a statement under oath as to membership in the NAACP was challenged April 22 in a Jurisdictional Statement filed with the U. S. Supreme Court by attorneys for the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc.

The statute, passed in March 1956 by the South Carolina General Assembly, makes it unlawful for any state agency to employ members of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and carries a fine of \$100 for state officials disobeying the Act.

Immediate Dismissal

The statute also provides for the immediate dismissal of any Negro

teacher who refuses to submit "a written statement under oath setting forth whether or not he is a member of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People."

The brief was filed here April 22 in behalf of 17 Negro teachers who were compelled to resign their jobs in the Elmore Training School, Orangeburg County, for refusing to answer questionnaires as to their membership with the NAACP and their views as to the desirability of segregation in the schools. The statement challenges the constitutionality of the South Carolina statute.

The program will consist of prayers, music and addresses. A wreath will be placed on the Lincoln Memorial.

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Action on Appeal

The action is on appeal from the U. S. District Court for the Eastern

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Jewish Labor Group Calls Upon Federal Government To Halt South's Assaults

New York—The Jewish Labor Committee, which represents a half-million workers in the AFL-CIO, has called upon the federal government to halt the South's assaults on the NAACP and NAACP members. The labor body's administrative committee adopted a resolution containing

the plea for remedial action on April 12 in this city.

At least ten southern states have sought to cripple or wreck the NAACP by means of injunctions, other court action, laws against the NAACP, and laws against members of the NAACP. "Organized labor, having been a victim of similar punitive legislation, has a special interest in such attacks," the JLC resolution declares.

Appropriate Action

The statement calls upon Congress to investigate the situation, upon the U. S. Justice Department to "take appropriate action in implementation of the First and Fourteenth Amendments to the Constitution," and upon President Eisenhower to "give moral leadership in this

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Mrs. Oliver at

Mercy Hospital

Mrs. W. Lawrence Oliver, 1047 Thirteenth Street, is ill at Mercy Hospital.

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Keokuk, Iowa

BY MARY JANE PALMER

Keokuk, Ia.—Bethel AME Church—Pastor Rev. Mitchell Culpepper: Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Miss Mary Jane Palmer, Supt. Special feature is a Bible verse beginning with the letter "D".

Pianist is Dorothy Dawson, Sunday school report by Karen Hawkins. Worship services at 11 a.m. Baptism service was held on Easter Sunday. Buntun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Buntun, God Mother, Mrs. Doris Wilkerson, God Father, Mr. Willie Buntun; Paul Roach, Sheryl Jeanse, and Stephanie Galbreath, children of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Galbreath, God Mother, Mrs. O. W. at 3:45 p.m. every Thursday. Gospel choir practice is at 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday.

Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church, Pastor, Rev. Wm. Holmes: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School with Supt. Mrs. Naomi Douglas. Worship service at 11 a.m.

Junior High lists honor students Richard Bell, Cynthia Majors, Carrie Smith; eighth grade, Barbara Carter; ninth grade, Gloria Parsons; senior high, Art Baker.

In Relays

Keokuk won first place in sprint medley at Drake Relays in the high school division of the Drake Relays held in Des Moines. On the senior high relay team, Art Baker was one of the persons who took first place in the finals of that event.



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

The great Abraham Lincoln spoke often of the many times he had fallen to his knees because he had no place else to go. The realization of our human weakness and insufficiency is the first step toward God's mercy and help—so freely granted to heal us and save us, through devout prayer and faith.

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CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mrs. Cora Hughes wishes to express thanks to Estes and Sons Funeral Home, Rev. James Harris, and members of the First Baptist West Des Moines Church, the employers of Walker's Fish Market and Savery Cleaning Shop, to Sheriff Hildreth and also to our many friends.

Delene Thomas, son
Mrs. Fannie Jackson, Sister

posting a time of 3:47.1 In the finals of the 120 high hurdles, Art Baker finished fourth in a tie with Larry Judd of Clinton. Baker had placed second in the first heat of the preliminaries.

The Lucky Seven Club will have a Mother's day dinner, May 12. The NAACP will have their monthly meeting May 5, at 3 p.m.

PRE-FREEZE FOR ANGEL PIE



When the freezer is put to use the best of the season's crops can be preserved for later enjoyment. One of the most eagerly awaited is the strawberry. Home frozen strawberries retain the fresh, juicy taste of newly picked ones for months when packed in approved freezing containers like Vapocons, square, waxed-board containers with rigid plastic lids.

Strawberries to use later in dessert recipes should be prepared in a dry, sweetened pack before freezing. This is all you have to do. After they are washed, drained, and hulled, tumble berries in sugar, 1/2 cup per quart. Pack in square, waxed-board containers and freeze immediately.

STRAWBERRY ANGEL PIE

Here is a way to put a container of home frozen strawberries to mouth-watering use. Add 1/4 teaspoon salt and 1/4 teaspoon cream of tartar to 4 egg whites. Beat until stiff. Beat in 1 cup granulated sugar. Beat in 1/2 teaspoon vanilla. Spread in well-buttered, 9-inch pie plate, having mixture higher around the edge to make a rim. Bake 1 hour at 275°, then cool. Spread with 1/2 cup whipped cream. Let stand several hours. Spread a layer of 1 1/2 pints thawed strawberries over cream. Cover with second layer of whipped cream.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO FORFEIT CONTRACT

TO: CHESTER L. LEEPER AND MAUDE M. LEEPER

You are hereby notified that you have failed to perform the contract and the agreements on your part contained in the contract entered into by you with Harry Pritchard and Onah Mae Pritchard of date August 5, 1952, for the purchase of Lot 12 in Block 6 Fairview Addition, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, which contract was made by Harry Pritchard and Onah Mae Pritchard for themselves and on behalf of Norma Joan Pritchard to whom the title to the above described Lot 12, Block 6, Fairview, was conveyed, and because of your failure to perform the agreements and stipulations therein contained on your part, the said Harry Pritchard, Onah Mae Pritchard, and Norma Joan Watson, formerly Norma Joan Pritchard, do now in accordance with the provisions of Sections 656.1 to 656.6 Chapter 656 of the Code of 1954 cause the service upon you of this notice of their intention to cancel the said contract 30 days after the completed service of this notice upon you unless within the said thirty days you perform all of the obligations on your part now delinquent under said contract and make all payments of principal and interest and perform all of the agreements now due and to become due within the said thirty days. Unless you perform all of the obligations above, your rights under the said contract and interest in and to the real estate therein described will be declared null and your rights shall cease and determine.

You are delinquent by failing to pay \$50.00 due the 10th of each month from and after June 10, 1953, a total of \$2300.00 and taxes and special assessments and insurance premiums when due.

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, the 22nd day of April, 1957.

Harry Pritchard,
Onah Mae Pritchard, and
Norma Joan Watson,
formerly Norma Joan Pritchard,
Owners

By G. A. Royal, Their Attorney
506 Fleming Bldg.
Des Moines, Iowa

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

To Whom It May Concern:
Notice is given of amendment of the Articles of Incorporation of Colonial Petroleum Company, an Iowa corporation, at an annual meeting of the stockholders thereof, held on January 8, 1957, and said amendment was filed with the Secretary of State of Iowa on April 10, 1957.

The substance of the said amendment is as follows:
The authorized capital stock of said corporation was increased from \$200,000.00 to \$700,000.00, divided into 50,000 shares of common stock, par value \$10.00 per share, and 20,000 shares of 7% preferred stock, par value \$10.00 per share. The officers to be elected by the Board of Directors have been changed in that the office of Executive Vice-President has been eliminated and in lieu thereof not to exceed three vice-presidents are to be elected.

COLONIAL PETROLEUM COMPANY
By C. Brooks, Jr., President
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Fruit with Cereal and Milk Adds Variety to Reducing-Diet Breakfast



Nutritionists recommend that dieters divide the day's caloric intake into three meals of equal size, starting with breakfast. A good breakfast is the key to successful weight-reduction plans. If you skip breakfast, you are more apt to resort to between-meal snacks or to overeat at the other two meals of the day.

Research at the State University of Iowa has demonstrated that young and old alike not only felt better, but they performed better, especially in the late morning hours, if they had eaten an adequate breakfast. To ensure an adequate breakfast, doctors and dietitians recommend a basic breakfast pattern of fruit, cereal, milk, bread and butter. This breakfast pattern provides 1/4 to 1/2 of the daily nutritional requirements for most people. It is also the basis for an adequate breakfast in a reducing diet. Here is a 400-calorie breakfast which is 1/4 of a 1200-calorie diet commonly recommended in weight-reduction programs.

400-Calorie Breakfast
Corn Flakes (1 ounce) with Sliced Bananas,
Blueberries, or Apricots
Milk, nonfat, 1/2 cup for cereal
Toast, 1 slice, with Butter, 1 teaspoon
Milk, nonfat, 1 cup for beverage
Coffee, black

Wide variety is possible in the fruit, cereal, and milk serving. There are more than two dozen varieties of breakfast cereals, hot and ready to eat, both regular and pre-sweetened types, available at your grocery store. Fresh fruits will soon be in season in quantity. You will find that a breakfast pattern of fruit, cereal, milk, and butter is a 400-calorie basic breakfast pattern is satisfying, inexpensive, and offers variety in your reducing diet.

Fort Dodge, Iowa

BY L. C. HOUSE

Fort Dodge, Ia.—Henry Jones, 37, of Detroit, Mich., a former Fort Dodge resident, died of a stroke April 23, at Veterans Hospital in Detroit. A professional boxer, he had been ill the past two or three months. Friends here did not know of funeral arrangements. Burial was in a Detroit cemetery. Survivors include his wife, several children and a sister and brother, all of Detroit, and also a brother, Franklin Jones, a police officer in Minneapolis, Minn.

Mrs. Lou Johnson is a medical patient at Mercy hospital. Mrs. Taylor was also admitted to Mercy last week. Mrs. Abe Smith is reported doing nicely. Mr. John Downing is home, continuing to improve.

ORIGINAL NOTICE IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF IOWA IN AND FOR POLK COUNTY

Equity No. 10000
BUDDE F. VARNER, ROSE VARNER and FRANK J. MICLE, Plaintiffs,
vs.
CONNIE SCIORROTTO, a/k/a, CONNIE M. SCIORROTTO, CONNIE J. SCIORROTTO, CONNIE M. SCIORROTTO, a/k/a, NICHOLAS L. SCIORROTTO and NICHOLAS L. SCIORROTTO, COMPANY, NORA PAULINE HARRIS, POLK COUNTY, IOWA, FRANK D. BIANCO, WESTERN SODA FOUNTAIN COMPANY, LEISOWITZ GROCERY COMPANY, A. R. JENNINGS SERVICE STATION, MERCY HOSPITAL OF DES MOINES, IOWA, IOWA STATE TAX COMMISSION, Defendants.

TO: The Above Named Defendants; You and each of you are hereby notified that the petition of the above named plaintiffs in the above captioned action is now on file in the office of the clerk of the above named Court and which petition prays judgment against the above named defendants whose names are listed in the caption hereto, and against the mortgaged property hereinafter described, for:

1. The sum of \$547.08 with interest at 6% from April 15, 1957, being the amount due plus interest on the certain promissory note in the principal sum of \$2,350.00, dated September 13, 1946, which note was made and executed by the defendants Connie Sciorrotto and Nick Sciorrotto, payable to the Home Federal Savings and Loan Association and which note was for value assigned to plaintiffs on or about the 12th day of April, 1957, and which note these plaintiffs have declared due and payable forthwith because of the default of the aforesaid defendants in failing to make payment of monthly sums of interest when due and because of the sum includes delinquent interest to April 15, 1957, and represents the total amount due and payable by the defendants; also asking judgment for any further or future advances plaintiffs may be required to make for continuing abstract of title or for any other purpose authorized by the terms of said note and mortgage.

2. Also asking against each and all of the above named defendants a decree of foreclosure of the mortgage made and given by the defendants Connie Sciorrotto and Nick Sciorrotto, which mortgage is dated September 13, 1946, recorded in Book 2027 Pages 373 and 374 of Polk County, Iowa, records and was for value assigned to plaintiffs by the mortgage on April 12, 1957, and which assignments are recorded in Book 2840 Pages 277 and 278 of official Polk County, Iowa, records, said mortgage being given to secure the above mentioned note and other sums due and claimed and which mortgage covers the following described real estate situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

Lot Eight (8) in BURKHART HEIGHTS, an Official Plat, now included and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa.

3. Plaintiff Budde Varner also prays judgment for the sum of \$777.13, being the amount due plus interest upon the promissory note in the principal sum of \$777.13, dated February 1, 1957, which note was made and delivered by the defendant Connie M. Sciorrotto, payable to the said plaintiffs and which note this plaintiff has and claims due and payable forthwith because of the default of the defendants in making monthly payments of principal and interest when due and because of the sum includes delinquent interest to and including April 23, 1957, and represents the total amount due and payable by the defendants; also asking judgment for any further or future advances plaintiffs may be required to make for continuing abstract of title or for any other purpose authorized by the terms of said note and mortgage.

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 service at 11:30 a.m. The Women's Missionary Society meets Wednesday 2 p.m. Prayer meeting is Wednesday night.

Churches

Second Baptist Church, 1827 4th Ave. So., Rev. Wm. Scott, pastor:

4. Also asking judgment for costs including attorney's fees.
5. Also asking against each and all of the defendants a decree of foreclosure of the mortgage made and given by the defendants Nicholas L. Sciorrotto and Connie M. Sciorrotto, which mortgage is dated February 1, 1957, recorded in Book 2838 Page 513 of Polk County, Iowa, records, said mortgage being given to secure the aforesaid note and other sums claimed and which mortgage covers the above described real estate situated in Polk County, Iowa.

Plaintiff also asks for the appointment of a receiver to take charge of the mortgaged premises and to collect the rents and profits arising or which may be collected therefrom and to apply them as by Court directed. No personal judgment is asked against any of the defendants other than defendants Sciorrotto (a/k/a Sciarrotto).

FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS SEE PETITION NOW ON FILE
You and each of you are further notified to appear before said Court at the Polk County Court House, West 5th and Mulberry Streets, Des Moines, Iowa, on or before the 31st day of May, 1957, and that unless you so appear and defend that your default will be entered and judgment or decree rendered against you for the relief demanded in plaintiffs' petition.

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 25th day of April, 1957.
MORRIS AND MORRIS
By: JAMES B. MORRIS, JR.,
Attorneys for Plaintiffs
223 1/2 Locust Street
Des Moines, Iowa.

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NOTICE OF AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF LEACHMAN LUMBER COMPANY

Notice is hereby given that at the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Leachman Lumber Company, held at the office of the corporation in Des Moines, Iowa, on the 23rd day of March 1957, after due and proper all of the outstanding shares of the common stock of the corporation were represented in person, the Articles of Incorporation of said corporation were amended by the unanimous vote of the stockholders as follows:

1. By striking from the Articles of Incorporation Section 5 of Article VI and substituting in lieu thereof the following:
"Section 5. The officers of the corporation shall be elected by the Board of Directors, and shall be a president, three (3) vice-presidents, a secretary, a treasurer, and such other officers as the Board of Directors may see fit to elect. Officers of the corporation need not be stockholders and one person may hold more than one office at the same time."

2. Article VII of the Articles of Incorporation was amended by striking therefrom the following:
"The annual election shall be held on the first Monday of February of each year" and substituting in lieu thereof the following:
"The annual election shall be held on the fourth Monday of March of each year."

This notice is given and published by authority of the stockholders of the corporation.

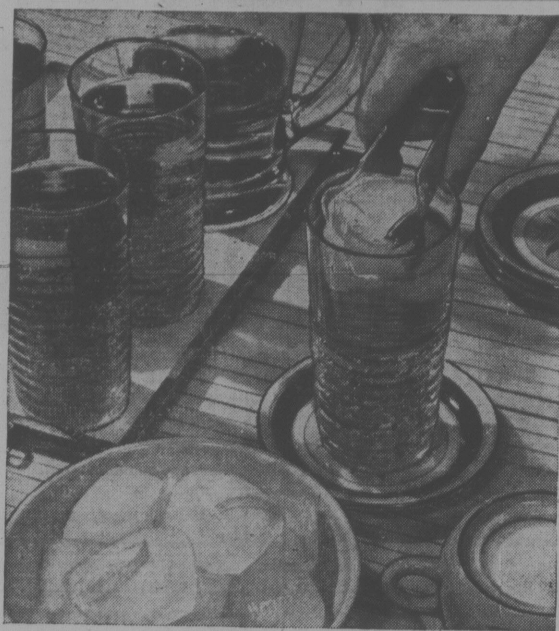
Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 23rd day of March 1957.
LEACHMAN LUMBER COMPANY
By Robert C. Leachman, President
Robert C. Leachman, Secretary
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of iced tea. To serve, add 1-2 lemon ice cubes in tall glasses and fill with tea. A sprig of mint on top will add eye-appeal—and note, too, how the frosty glasses make the iced tea look and taste better—to help quench that thirst!

Lemon Ice Cubes

Thin strips of lemon rind
3 tablespoons lemon juice
2 cups water

Cut thin strips of lemon rind into 1-inch lengths. Prepare 1 for each ice cube.

Mix lemon juice and water. (Some ice cube trays may hold more liquid. If so, increase the amount of lemon juice and water.) Pour liquid into ice cube trays. Place a piece of lemon peel in each cube section. Freeze solid. Serve 1-2 lemon and 1-2 regular ice cubes with each glass of iced tea.

Note: Lemon and water may be sweetened to taste before freezing, if desired.

Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Mrs. Irene Fox, Supt. Morning worship at 11:30 o'clock. Home Mission Society meets the second Tuesday monthly. The Seeds of Kindness Auxiliary meets every Monday afternoon. Mrs. Mary Mosley is president. Mrs. Wanda Lee McClain, soloist, and Arthur P. Black, pianist were guest musicians in a recital here Sunday at First Presbyterian Church where the Fort Dodge Interracial Commission held its meeting. Details next week.

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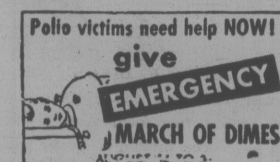
5 States Represented

The group was composed chiefly of executive officers of 276 savings and loan associations in Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri and North and South Dakota that are members of the Des Moines Home Loan Bank.

Officers of the Des Moines bank reported assets reached \$169,800,000 on Dec. 31, 1956, a new peak, and that during the year the Des Moines bank advanced 42 million dollars to member savings and loan associations.

Assets Shown

The New Age Federal Savings & Loan Association of St. Louis, incorporated in 1915, in its financial statement of Dec. 31, 1956, reported assets totaling \$2,687,740.44; and, the Twin City Federal Savings and Loan Association of Kansas City, Mo., showed in its financial statement at the same time, a total of \$932,018.47 assets.



Ted Wheeler Wins Thrilling Mile Race Ahead of Tabori



At a most memorable Drake Relays program Saturday, 17,000 spectators watched Ted Wheeler, former

Iowa distance star, hit the tape an instant ahead of Hungary's Laszlo Tabori after pair waged terrific

stretch duel in special mile. Both cracked record of 4:08.4 set by famed Wes Santee in 1955, both being timed at 4:06.9. (Photo Courtesy of Des Moines Sunday Register).

'Shinbone Alley' Features 2 Top Stars Without Trace of Discrimination; Belafonte Still Reigns Over Crooners

WITH DOLORES CALVIN

New York City — (Calvin News Service) — "Shinbone Alley" First with Negro-White Cast of Season—Being the first musical to feature two top stars without a trace of discrimination—this season—or any season recently, we'd like to see "Shinbone Alley" have a long run—But it seems almost impossible that such will be their luck—For the tiresome story about a cockroach and a cat just isn't the most enjoyable entertainment—nor is it exactly thrilling patrons who're a \$7.50 top and emerging a little dissatisfied.

As the cat (mehitabel), Eartha wears only these form fitting cat costumes, and having a kittenish face—looks the part completely. Her co-star is comedian Eddie Bracken, who has a slow way about him anyway but does a good job as archy. These unusual characters are from whimsy fables written by the late Don Marquis for the old New York Sun and the New York Tribune newspapers. (Don Marquis would have been about the only one overwhelmed to see his characters on stage). Famous figures in 1930, they were put into a Columbia record album recently and now make their debut on stage.

Completely — but mostly eerie — "Shinbone Alley" is full of songs but nothing of hit material—nothing, as one said, "whistable". Being a play about rebellious insects and savagely undomesticated animals, the dances are more out of this world than in—and at times are enlightening—but this doesn't save the play.

As we stated, it is gratifying to see a Negro and a white star side by side in every way—and when you watch them—no question of color enters your mind. They are just two good players doing a job which could be a

terrific success if the material had been better to work with — if the director hadn't walked off two weeks before curtain time—if many things had been different. As things stand now—we'll just watch and wait and see what becomes of "Shinbone Alley".

Lena Horne's version of "Frankie and Johnny" on the long playing record cannot be matched. We were surprised to discover that Mickey, of the team Mickey and Sylvia, is a former guitar teacher with a wife and many kids to boost his career... and Sylvia has a husband who's quite a shrewd business manager and keeps her in the chips. Now that Dizzie Gillespie and Satchmo have paved the way for her successful European tours and the people over there—especially in Sweden—just love jazz—smaller groups, like that of the award winner Jay Johnson will tour this year and he's anxious to receive some of that back-bending hospitality. Earroll Garner is reported negotiating for a tour over there this year also.

Though units such as Fats Domino-LaVerne Baker- Bill Doddgett are going great, they slowed down on a return business at the Mosque in Pittsburgh, doing an \$18,000 gross. Last month, they did \$21,000 with standees and turn-aways. Many times promoters get too happy and book a return immediately — which doesn't always pan out. It's best to always keep one jump ahead of the public.

Now that Belafonte's bride has been classed as white—his followers are faced with the problem of whether they like it or not—and many don't. For a long time they believed

her to be Negro. A Katherine Dunham dancer, the new Mrs. Belafonte has an olive complexion. Meanwhile, Belafonte still reigns at the top of all crooners.

Louis Armstrong made the Easter Show merry at the Roxy—coupled with a good film, "Boy on a Dolphin" which means good biz for all. We were pleased to see Miss Eartha Kitt guest starring on the Arthur Murray show—she looked, and spoke beautifully—and proud of Rose Mor-

gan Louis for her letting the world know Negro women do not want to be white—in answer to the touchy question put her by Mike Wallace on his "Night Beat" TV show—the talk of New York.

Geoffrey Holder's Calyps o Carnival with Lord Kitchener and many Trinidad dancers, etc. is doing a whale of a business at a Brooklyn theatre with a grade C movie and Joco and his Rock NS Rollers with Ella Johnson, Mickey and Sylvia.

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We're especially excited about home movie-making for all members of the family since we heard about a new camera that came on the market just a few weeks ago. It's the movie version of the familiar fixed focus or box still cam-

era (except that it has a better lens) and it is priced at under \$30. Not much under, just a little. Made by a well-known manufacturer, it's practically foolproof, it's so easy to use.

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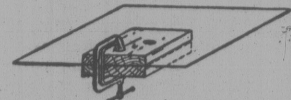
—John Van Guilder

Buddy Johnson and Ork and others are doing great with another grade C picture—while old lover boys like Tyrone Power, Erroll Flynn and the like were getting very bad notices for their new movies. Seems the trend of the nation is definitely changing in favor of the younger groups.



Boring Thin Material

AMERICAN BUILDER, leading magazine for builders, recently disclosed a fool-proof method of boring holes in thin material. Simply



ply place a block of wood on each side, holding the blocks together with a "C" clamp and then boring through the blocks. This method provides a clean, smooth cut with no ravel or splinters.

Much Cited Cop Kills Lawyer; Then Wounds Client

New ork—(CNS)—The downtown law offices of Watson, Carter and Smith—Watson, being the son of the distinguished Judge Watson and a former State Senator himself—were turned into bedlam last week when the husband of the client of Lawyer Jacob A. Smith, whipped out his gun and fired five bullets which killed Lawyer Smith and wounded the client, Beryl Pegram.

The husband, Edward P. Pegram, a cop for fifteen years and stationed in the Harlem Precinct, was paying up \$400. in back alimony—which money he had raised through a loan—and was signing over to his estranged wife his equity in a Westchester property they had owned jointly.

More Money

Then according to him, his wife upset him by asking for more than the \$10. a week as fixed by the court and by also announcing that she wanted the custody of their three year old son, John, who had been awarded to the father.

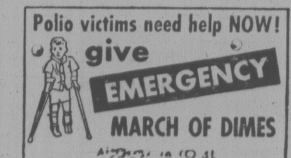
"I want more money," she's re-

ported to have said, "or I'll send you to jail."

Pegram's attorney, Percy Sutton, rose and left. Pegram rose too but stayed behind firing the shots. He's claimed to have cried out: "Nobody's going to take my child away from me. Nobody's going to send me to jail. Oh, what have I done?"

A young and handsome attorney, Jacob A. Smith died instantly of the bullets in his heart and forehead. He was only 36 years old. Pegram's wife was taken to Beekman Downtown Hospital for two bullets struck her in the neck and head. When police arrived at the 10th floor office, he was bent over a desk weeping.

Pegram's record shows he's been cited over six times for outstanding police work. He and his wife separated in September 1955, when she was reported missing. He claims that she's been mentally disturbed and under psychiatric treatment. Meanwhile, he's been living with his mother in her home in South Jamaica where he brought his young son.



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B. T. U. 6:00 P.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

St. Paul A. M. E. Church
12th and Crocker Streets
REV. S. M. PECK, Minister
Singing Service Sunday 9:30 A.M.
Church School 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 7:30 P.M.
Youth Fellowship 5:30 P.M.

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A. C. E. League 5:30 P.M.
Bible Study and Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The St. Paul Usher Board will meet Thursday, May 9, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Iva Wyatt, 912 26th Street. Holy Communion will be served Sunday morning following the service. The Richard Allen Chorus will visit Gregg Tabernacle, Kansas City, Mo., Sunday, presenting an afternoon musical concert. May 26 is Women's and Men's Day. Chairman for the women is Mrs. Fannie M. Danforth; co-chairman, Mrs. Dolores Peguese; for the men, James B. Morris, Jr., with Arthur L. Propes, co-chairman. The joint program and plans will be announced later.

KLYES A.M.E. ZION CHURCH NEWS

Appreciation services for Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Reese will be Friday evening, May 3, 8 o'clock. The speaker will be Rev. Henry J. Clark of First CME Church. His choir will sing. Friday, May 10, 8 p.m., Rev. H. R. Fields of Mt. Olive Baptist Church and his choir will have charge. The program is sponsored by the Stewardess Board. Sunday morning, May 5, Holy Communion will be administered.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The Rev. H. R. Fields, moderator of Central District, will preside at services at Maple Street Baptist Church, Sunday afternoon, May 5, in the interest of the district. Last Sunday he spoke from the subject, "Ye Are My Witnesses." The senior choir sang. Board meeting was held at the church Monday night. The regular business meeting for the church will be held Friday night.

BURNS METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday School devotions at 9:45 a.m. will be conducted by Mrs. Olga E. Hill, Church School superintendent, assisted by Mrs. Georgia Add. at the piano. The theme of the worship period is: "Families Seek God." Scripture reference, Psalm 25:1-14. There song: "Now Thank We All Our God." The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be commemorated at 11 a.m. The theme of the sermon meditation will be: "Seeking Higher Goals." The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet at 6 p.m., with Miss Angie Wilcox, president in charge. The Women's Society of

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Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

Mt. Olive Baptist Church

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

Maple Street Baptist Church

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REV. G. E. FARISH, Minister, 8-8910
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Burns Methodist Church

900 CROCKER STREET
Rev. H. W. JAMES, Minister
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Youth Fellowship 6:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed., 7:30 P.M.

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Christian Service will hold their at 5:00 p.m. Following the regular business, election of officers will be held. Mrs. Georgia Add, current president, will preside. The Women's Society of Christian Service will sponsor a Pew Rally at 7 p.m. Burns' Men's Chorus will feature the Pew Rally with a spiritual song recital. Mr. Fred Allen is president. Mr. Edward Bayles will direct the group, with Mrs. Thelma Claybrook at the console. The same group will provide the music for the 11 a.m. worship service.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, May 5, will be celebrated the annual missionary day. Evangelist E. Pullum will be guest speaker Sunday morning; and Mrs. Beatrice Bailey, during the afternoon. Music will be offered by various church groups of the city.

ST. JOHN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The senior usher board will have a program Sunday afternoon at the church. Rev. Wayne Heath will be speaker. The Maple Street Men's chorus will sing. Mrs. Henderson is president of the board. Mrs. Rosie Powers is still sick. The mission meeting will be at her home, 928 14th place, Thursday, May 2.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, May 5, 11 a.m., Communion services. At 7:30 p.m., preaching. Friday evening, May 3, the Red Circle Girls will present Mr. George Bagby in an organ recital. Saturday, the wives of the men's chorus are sponsoring a dinner. Among the sick and shut-ins are: Mothers C. Houston, Bessie Burrell, Mrs. Iona Andrews in Mercy Hospital, Mr. Frank Kaiser in Mercy Hospital.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Senior choir practice is Tuesday at 8 p.m. with Mrs. Pauline Chaney, president. Prayer services are Wednesday at 8 p.m. Rev. I. H. Harris, pastor. Mrs. Ethel Vollness is out of the hospital convalescing at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Marjorie Johnson. Mrs. I. H. Harris attended Sunday afternoon services for the first time since her illness. Rev. E. A. Galters preached last Sunday morning. Other visitors were: Craig Elder, Marshalltown, Ia., and Mrs. Mabel Conway.

Womens Society Meets Sunday at Burns Church

The Women's Society of Christian Service of Burns Methodist Church will meet Sunday, May 5, 5:30 p.m., instead of the regular date. Election of officers will be held. All members are urged to attend.

The spring program under the leadership of Mrs. Ethel Winston was successful. Crowned queen was Pamela Wallace; and King, Harold Winston; princesses, Justine Morton and Mary L. Dixon; princes, Freddie Narcissos and James Lewis. This group was sponsored by group No. 2, Mrs. Mamie Parkey, chairman.

Corinthian Chorus, Pastor and Members Guests in Omaha

The Fellowship Chorus of Corinthian Baptist Church accompanied by the Rev. N. R. Olphin, pastor, and about 200 members of Corinthian Baptist church, were guests last Sunday at the Zion Baptist Church in Omaha, Neb.

The Rev. Mr. Olphin preached there Sunday morning and the chorus gave a concert Sunday afternoon to approximately 1,500 persons.

Song Fest Sunday At Maple Street

The men's department of Central District of Five-State Baptist Association is sponsoring a song-fest Sunday, May 5, 3 p.m., at the Maple Street Baptist Church.

The Fellowship Chorus of Corinthian Baptist Church, and choirs of Union, Shiloh, Maple and Mt. Olive Baptist churches will participate.

Rev. H. R. Fields, moderator of the district, will address the group.

COMMUNITY SANTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday, May 5, services will be in charge of pastor, Bishop D. H. Cranshaw. At 3 p.m., fellowship service with Rev. E. Robinson. The Dorcas Charity club meets Friday, May 3, in the church dining room. Last Sunday, fellowship speaker was Rev. A. B. Brewer. Mrs. B. Bailey was a visitor.

Howard U. Embarks On \$100,000 Drive For Scholarship Funds

Washington, D. C.—Howard University officials today announced plans for a nation-wide fund-raising drive among its alumni and friends to obtain \$100,000 for student aid purposes. The drive will begin in Washington Monday, May 6 and is expected to cover every section of the country before the year ends.

This will be the first of 10 annual campaigns by the University in an effort to bring its Scholarship and Student Loan Fund to a point of adequacy by 1967. At that time Howard will celebrate the 100th anniversary of its founding. According to James M. Nabrit, Jr., director of public relations at Howard, more than \$5,000,000 will be needed during the next 10 years if the University is to offer an adequate number of scholarships.

"At Howard only 11 per cent of the students receive scholarship aid," Mr. Nabrit said, "compared to from 20 to 30 per cent of students receiving aid in other private schools throughout the country."

Friends of the University who wish to contribute to the drive may mail donations to the office of Public Relations, Howard University, Washington 1, D. C.

HOUSING CONFERENCE AT PRAIRIE VIEW

Prairie View, Texas—For the tenth consecutive year the Prairie View Agricultural and Mechanical College, Prairie View, Texas, will sponsor May 11 a one-day Housing Conference dealing with all facets of the Housing Industry.

This year, according to Dr. E. B. Evans, President of the college, the theme of the Conference will be, "Financing Low Costs Housing and Urban Renewal."

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Tallahassee, Fla.—The Inter Civic Council will observe its first anniversary May 26-31 at the Bethel A.M.E. and Bethel Baptist churches here.

A human rights institute entitled, "Civil Rights and Non-Violence In Our Times," will be held during the observance.

The keynote address will be delivered by Congressman Charles Diggs, Washington, D. C.; and principal speakers will be: Bishop D. Ward Nichols, Edward Waters College, Jacksonville, Fla., Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr., Montgomery, Ala.; Rev. C. K. Steele, Tallahassee.

Persons planning to attend the institute may write the Council, 803 Floral Street, Tallahassee, Fla.

'Y' Boys Selling Soap For Camp

The Crocker Branch YMCA kicks-off its annual soap sales program, Friday, May 3. This program is designed to help boys earn all or part of their way to 'Y' Camp this summer.

W. C. Buice, chairman of the Crocker 'Y' Camp Committee, announced that the boys will be selling Garden Bouquet Soap, a product of the Manhattan Soap Company, Inc. of New York, at 50c a box. There are four bars in each box. Mr. Buice further announced May 31st, giving the boys a four-week period to complete their soap sales.

Sunday School Outing at Christ Sanctified Church

The Sunday School of Christ Sanctified Holy Church will have its annual outing at the church, 1247 McCormick street, Saturday afternoon. It is sponsored by parents of the children, Mesdames E. M. Woodley, A. B. Brewer and Ida B. Trent.

Mason City, Iowa

Mason City, Ia.—The St. John Baptist Sunday School met at 9:45 a.m. with Mrs. Willie Turner in charge. After Sunday School the congregation had a short devotion led by Rev. G. M. Williams and then motored to Des Moines, by bus to visit Shiloh Baptist Church. After dinner, served by Shiloh Church, Rev. G. M. Williams preached from the subject, "God Reaching For a Man." Rev. Harris read the scripture. Elder James Austin gave prayer. Members from Union Memorial Methodist Church, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Warren, Mrs. Adel Simmons, Mrs. William Wiginton, went with St. John members. Mrs. Granville Williams sang a solo.

NOTICE OF RENEWED, AMENDED AND SUBSTITUTED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF H AND H CLEANER CO., INC.

Notice is hereby given of the Renewed, Amended and Substituted Articles of Incorporation of H and H Cleaner Co., Inc. with its principal place of business in the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

The object and purpose of the corporation shall be that of purchasing, producing, manufacturing, selling, either at wholesale or retail, dealing in cleaning and renovating products, and in all materials and compounds which shall partake of the properties of cleaning and renovating products, or be similar thereto or have like uses, and also other products having like uses.

The authorized capital stock of the corporation is \$30,000.00, divided into 300 shares of \$100.00 each. No stock shall be issued until the corporation has received payment in full therefor at par in cash or property, as provided by law. All such stock shall be non-assessable and shall be transferable, as provided by law.

The corporation commenced business April 28, 1957, and by virtue of the renewed, substituted and amended articles of incorporation, its corporate existence shall be continued for a term of twenty years from and after the date of the renewal, or until dissolved by a two-thirds vote of the outstanding shares of the corporation at any annual meeting called for that purpose, or by special meeting called for that purpose, or by the board of directors.

The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a board of directors consisting of not less than three, nor more than five, members, who shall elect a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer, and such other officers, including an executive committee, as they may see fit, or as may be provided for in the bylaws of this corporation.

The annual election shall be held on the second Tuesday of January of each year. Until the next election, the following persons shall be directors: J. H. Chateauvert, M. L. Chateauvert and J. L. Chateauvert. The following persons shall be officers: J. H. Chateauvert, President; M. L. Chateauvert, Vice President; M. L. Chateauvert, Secretary; and J. H. Chateauvert, Treasurer. Special meetings of the stockholders may be called at any time by the president, upon giving five days' notice in person or in writing to the stockholders. At all meetings of the stockholders, each stockholder shall be entitled to one vote for each share of stock held by him, which vote may be cast in person or by written proxy.

The corporation shall have no corporate seal.

The private property of the stockholders shall be exempt from corporate liability. The articles of incorporation may be amended at any annual meeting of the stockholders, or at a special meeting called for that purpose, two-thirds of the capital stock held, and outstanding voting for such amendments.

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Rev. Jefferson at Mt. Zion Sunday

Rev. Lester Jefferson will speak Sunday, 3:30 p.m., at Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Oralabor. Music will be by the Ushertones of Union Baptist Church.

Revival Services Continue at New Jerusalem Church

New Jerusalem Church of God in Christ is continuing its revival meetings indefinitely at the church, 1198 Fourteenth Street. Healing services are held nightly. Prayer services begin daily at 1 p.m. Tarry services are held Saturday nights.

Conducting the revival is Rev. A. R. Taylor, Bishop M. W. Goodman is pastor. Mrs. Corrine Bourn is reporter.

Cedar Rapids, Ia.

BY MRS. JULIA CARLTON
Cedar Rapids, Iowa—Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Rev. Percy W. Burt, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Mrs. Julian Carlton, Supt. Morning Services at 11 a.m.

The Rev. Mr. Burt, delivered to the congregation a sermon, the subject, "Mr. Brothers Keeper." Prayer services, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m., conducted by the Inspirational choir.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF DAY CORPORATION

Notice is hereby given of the incorporation of Day Incorporated with its principal place of business in Webster Township, Polk County, Iowa. Its Post Office address being Grimes, Iowa.

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Former Des Moines resident Stanley H. Satterfield of Seattle, Wash., holds a position of Spar Mill Operator, grade B, at Boeing Aircraft Company in Seattle.



STANLEY H. SATTERFIELD
In a recent letter to his mother, Street, Stanley wrote the following: "As of April 22 I shall be a permanent Spar Mill Operator Grade B at \$2.28 per hour with another 7 cents' raise per hour in May.

Studying at Night.
"My supervisor feels that if I continue, I should be an 'A' operator by the last of July or August, which will be about \$2.60 per hour. That is the peak. From there on it is a matter of time and experience.

"Although I have completed this course, I am attending night school voluntarily and completing Spar Mitter Operator's Blueprint Reading. "In less than five months I have come from Machinist Helper at \$1.65 per hour to my present job, and am being used as an example of what

By DENNIS O. DAY, President.
ATTEST: ERNEST DAY, Secretary.

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a young Negro can do. I was the only Negro selected for this class of 90, but there may be others to follow. My work is in connection with the manufacture of the new "707" which you are hearing so much about."

Tech High Student
Satterfield attended Des Moines Tech High School until January 1953, when he entered military service. While stationed at San Marcos, Texas, with the Air Section of the U. S. Army, he was selected "Soldier of the Month." He plans to enter the field of aerodynamics at a later date. His father, Raymond H. Satterfield, is electrician at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio.

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SOCIETY

Attend Regional Omega Conference In Topeka, Kas.

Mr. and Mrs. Eustace Ware, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Burke, Mr. Marsh Houston attended the annual regional meeting of the eleventh district of Omega Phi Psi Fraternity which convened April 19-21 in Topeka, Kas.

Daughter Born to The Edward Farmers

Dr. and Mrs. Edward Farmer, 1047 Twelfth Street, are the proud parents of a daughter, Kathy Jon, born April 25 at Still Hospital.

Mother and baby are doing nicely at home. Mrs. Farmer is one of the city's public health nurses. Dr. Farmer will graduate on May 31 from Still College of Osteopathy, then begin his internship there in July.

The Farmers have two other children, a boy and girl.

Modernistic Club To Meet May 14

The Modernistic Club met April 23 with Mrs. Dorothy Collier, Mr. O'Neal Cooper won the gift certificate. The next meeting will be May 14 with Mrs. Olivia Cooper, 1301 Day. Mrs. Minnie Robinson is president; Mrs. Osceola Sims, reporter.

Princess O'Ziel Meets May 23 at Masonic Temple

Princess O'Ziel Chapter No. 9, O.E.S. met April 25 at the Masonic Temple, Eleventh and Center Street. Following the business meeting the chapter sang "Happy Birthday" to all members who had a birthday during the months of February, March, and April. The entertainment committee served refreshments. The next meeting will be Thursday, May 23. It will be the last meeting before grand chapter convenes in June at Keokuk, Ia. Mrs. Rose Johnson, worthy matron, has asked all members to attend. Gus Smith is worthy patron; Mrs. Leslie Garrett is reporter.



Personal Touch

By MARIE ROSS

Welcome new-born month of May—when all the air seems to be filled with fragrance from the crab apple blossoms—and all the lawns appear to be bedecked with bright yellow dandelions.

Fragrant spring flowers have reached my desk—all the way from sunny California. In a letter from a Des Moines resident who is visiting in Los Angeles, came a beautiful yellow rose wrapped in wax-paper by Mrs. Georgia Goggins who has been visiting there since last fall. She penned:

"I have planned to write you a few lines since I came to Los Angeles December 14. Have just put it off—and your columns have been so full with others who have been on vacation in Los Angeles and Mexico and other places. However, I am having a lovely vacation and a good rest—with all the lovely sunshine.

"I am so glad I decided to come here this winter, since the weather has been so very bad in Des Moines. It will be a little hard to spend a winter there any more—so different here. It's nice not to have to stand on the street one-half hour to wait for a bus and fear the icy streets at my age.

"I do enjoy the beautiful flowers, lemon trees, rose bushes as high as the houses, geraniums—taller than I am is not saying too much.

"When I see the roses I think of you with your pretty spice jars of rose petals. The roses are so large. Well, I have said enough about them. Hoping you had a nice Easter with your mother." Mrs. Goggins added: "You hardly know you are away from Des Moines there are so many Des Moines people out in Los Angeles."

The yellow rose she sent, I dried in sand to preserve the color; then, added it to my potpourri lamp. (Mrs. Goggins is stopping at 6523

Silhouettes to Meet With Mrs. Clarence Adams

The Des Moines Silhouettes held its last meeting with Mrs. Nevin Bruce. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Clarence Adams, 1610 Walker Street. Election of officers will be held. Mrs. J. B. Morris, Jr., is president; Mrs. Bruce, secretary.

Members of Atelier Guild to Ottumwa

The Atelier Guild met last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Nelsine Munns. Ceramics were displayed by Mrs. Grance Hansen. Plans were made to attend the Ottumwa Guild's exhibit on May 5. Two previous business meetings were held at the home of Mrs. Inez Morrow and Mrs. Nellie Morrow.

Jolly 'S' Meets

The Jolly "S" club met with Mrs. Dorothy Jones of Ft. Des Moines on Friday evening. Mr. H. Manuel of Indianola, Ia. won the Easter ham. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Myrtle Miller.

S. Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal.).

Another Des Moines resident who is having "nice vacation" and enjoying the fine weather "so nice and warm"—and pretty flowers in Los Angeles is Mrs. Lena Bratcher who is visiting friends at 3664 S. Gramacy Place.

Iowans can stick around Des Moines now for some of that "so nice and warm" weather—for this week the temperature in Des Moines hit the summer mark of the 80's and some thermometers downtown registered near 100-degrees in the sun.

All around the town the lawnkeepers are digging up the dandelions. A neighbor spent one afternoon ridding his lawn of the "pest." He picked a bushel basket of plants.

"What did you do with all those dandelions?" I asked Mr. Roy Walker.

"I tried to sell the bushel to my wife for twenty-five cents but she would not have them—so I pitched them out," he said.

"Dandelions sell for 29 cents per pound in some of the markets—and if you buy them from some of the professional pickers, you pay all the way from 50 cents to one dollar per basket," I informed my neighbor.

Just last week I received a flower and garden catalogue from Vilmorin-Andrieux, one of the largest and oldest seed growers in Paris, France.

After browsing over the catalogs, it was surprising to learn that many of the plants that the American people dig up and discard as weeds, the French people cultivate and eat. One half page in the catalog was devoted to five varieties of dandelions which the French call "pissenlits." The seeds may be purchased for a few francs.

If you have no dandelions and want a variety growing about you, you may secure the seed from this house in Paris.

There is the "common" (ordinaire) variety and the catalog says of it: "This is the well known Dandelion, very early and vigorous in growth, furnishing the bitter and hygienic salad which is very popular in France."

Should you prefer the "Improved Large Montmagny" (Vert de Montmagny), it is described as "More vigorous form of the Common Dandelion, leaves longer and numerous, blanching well and now largely grown around Paris."

Or, the "Improved Thick Leaves or Cabbaging" (a Coeur Plein).

Marie Ross Wins Awards in Press Women's Contest

Marie Ross, news editor of the Iowa Bystander, received three merit certificates at the awards dinner of Iowa Press Women's spring convention held Saturday night at Iowa State College, Ames.

Miss Ross won first place awards in the classifications: women's department in a weekly newspaper; and, special edition of a newspaper edited by a woman; and a third place in the division, interview.

Her entries were society pages featuring women's news, in the Bystander; last June's anniversary edition of the paper; and an interview with 97-year-old Ike Burrell of Des Moines which appeared in her column, "Personal Touch."

Iowa Association of Colored Women To Meet Here in 55th Annual Session

The official call for the fifty-fifth annual meeting of the Iowa Association of Colored Women has been issued by the president, Mrs. Joseph Wimberly.

The meeting will open Sunday, June 9, at 4 p.m., with an executive board assembly at Willkie House. The regular sessions will be June 10 and 11 at Burns Methodist Church, 811 Crocker Street.

Features of the regular session will be the president's message, a workshop on program planning and interpretation of important trends in the National Association of Colored Women.

Mrs. Fowler to Speak

A highlight of the session will be the banquet on Monday evening, June 10, at which time the guest speaker will be Mrs. Gwendolyn Fowler who will be home on leave from Saigon, Viet Nam, where she is doing special work for the United States government.

The Buices Return From Minneapolis

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Buice, 1070 17th street, returned Monday from Minneapolis, Minn., where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Eva L. Abbey, past grand worthy matron of Electa grand chapter of O.E.S., and past International grand treasurer. She died there April 23.

Amellor) "Distinct variety forming a regular tuft and yielding an abundant crop without taking much ground. One of the best kinds, blanching almost naturally."

Then there are the "Improved Broad Leaved Very Early" (Amellor tres-tarif)—"Very Early Variety, forming a rosette or large, broad leaves. When forced in hotbeds will yield a good salad in winter," and the "Improved Giant productive Dandelion which instead of forming a rosette, grows in erect, thickly set tufts. Leaves long, stout, toothed, slightly tinged with brown."

Well, I know what you are thinking. Anyway, when you go out to dig up your dandelions you can appreciate all of the varieties you have growing about your doorways—raised by Mother Nature—free of charge. Have no pity for the French who sow and cultivate dandelions—for their values are being used.

With the pretty May weather, house-cleaning campaigns will be going on in many of the homes. Itching to get started on her spring-cleaning, Mrs. Hurley Wyatt, 1323 Crocker Street, grabbed up a pile of papers and some "clutter" that she thought was trash left after a group of children played about her home during the week end. Now she is lamenting.

"I've done a terrible thing," Mrs. Wyatt said frantically on the phone Monday. I listened, wondering what she could have committed that made her voice sound so terrified.

"I just don't know what to do about it! I just must get some help! I was doing some cleaning-up about the house this morning and I grabbed up a pile of papers. I had some kids around and there was a lot of clutter—and I took the trash out and burned it—and now my poor little daughter, Edna Mae is sick over it. She's gone to bed and I've got to do something."

When Mrs. Wyatt finished talking, she revealed that her daughter had been permitted to bring home for study during the week end, some very valuable old newspapers—some dating back to 1900. She had promised her teacher that she would take the very best care of the papers and "not even get one drop of rain on them," the mother talked, then exclaimed—"Oh, and I burned them! I just thought I was getting rid of some old papers. I wanted to clean up things," she lamented. "Where can I find some year 1900 newspapers? Do you know anybody who has just one?"

While house-cleaning this spring, should you be getting rid of some 1900, 1904 or 1905 out of grandma's or grandpa's things—give Mrs. Wyatt a phone call. She will be most happy and her little daughter will feel like facing her teacher again. The phone number is CH 3-3078.

Spring Graduates

Pictures of high school and college graduates in the May and June commencements may be mailed or brought to the Iowa Bystander now



MRS. WIMBERLY

A large attendance of club women from various sections of the state is expected. The sessions and banquet are open to the public.

Spend Week End In Omaha, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. George Franklin and Mrs. Katie Chatman, 927 Twelfth Street, motored to Omaha, Neb., last Sunday, where they were week end guests of Mr. H. J. Johnson.

Neither Laws Nor Courts Intrepret Normal Rebellions and Missteps Of Youths As Delinquent Behavior

By MAY P. YOUTZ, SUI ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

An article by Judge Elizabeth McCain of Memphis, Tenn., in the March issue of National Parent-Teacher says: "Ninety-five percent of our young people never come before the courts, but these are often forgotten in the public's concern over the five percent who do not respect authority or who show little regard for property or the rights of others." Title of the article is "Getting Tough Doesn't Help."

It is worth pointing out that neither the laws nor the courts interpret the normal rebellions and missteps of a growing boy or girl as delinquent behavior. Actually, a boy or girl under eighteen is judged delinquent only if acts are committed that would be a crime if committed by an adult.

Complex Problem

Juvenile delinquency is a complex problem and must be attacked from many sides.

Judge McCain points out that the courts are decisive. The individual is made to understand that responsibility is his, that the courts and the community disapprove of his acts. She also points out, however, that, "It is just as important for the offender to understand that it is what he has done that merits disapproval, that he as an individual is still worthy of respect and love and the high regard due one made in the image of God."

Help, understanding and respect, are needed in addition to disciplinary measures. Judge McCain emphasizes, adding that this is "what we think of when we say that getting tough is not enough."

In closing Judge McCain points out: "We who believe in the great possibilities of today's youth believe

Marshalltown Church Women Attend Fourth Annual Friendship Tea

BY MRS. MILDREN BROWNE

Marshalltown, Iowa — Two hundred women from Marshalltown and the surrounding area attended the fourth annual Friendship Tea Thursday at the Methodist Church sponsored by the Women's Society of Christian Service of Morrow Chapel. Mrs. A. B. Howard presided and introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. E. L. McAllister of Kansas City, Kan., and guests.

Mrs. McAllister is Spiritual Life Secretary of the Central Jurisdiction of W.S.C.S. Her topic was "The Fifth Goal" in which she said we must work long and hard to bring about the society of brotherhood of man and the fatherhood of God. Persons differ, but our likenesses are greater than our differences. Good will, she said, is not enough to be able to ac-

Form Green Thumb Club; To Meet With Mrs. Holbert

The Green Thumb Club was organized in February at the home of Mrs. Helen Martin. The first meeting was at the home of Mrs. Verlean Probes in March. Mrs. Dorothy Hammitt was hostess to the club on April 15.

Officers are: Mrs. Martin, president; Mrs. Dorothy Wallace, vice president; Mrs. Probes, secretary; Mrs. Alice Holbert, assistant secretary; Mrs. Osceola Simms, treasurer; Mrs. Lydia Merrett, reporter and chaplain.

Other members are: Mesdames Dorothy Hammitt, Verma King, Edith Newcomb, Birdell Whitney, Bertha Wolder, Julia Proctor. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Holbert, 1068 14th Street.

Legion Auxiliary To Meet May 7

The American Legion Auxiliary of Lincoln Unit 126 will meet Tuesday, May 7, at Legion Hall. The executive board is scheduled at 7 p.m., and the regular meeting at 8 p.m.

Plans will be made for Poppy Day May 25. Workers are needed. Mrs. Bessye L. Greene is poppy chairman. Mrs. Dorothy Bush is unit president.

Fashion Design Trophy Awarded



NEW YORK — Rose Marie Armstrong, 22, of New York City was judged winner of 1957 Park & Tilford Trophy as "most promising young fashion designer in New York" during Spring Fashion Festival of Associated Artists & Models, held at Renaissance Ballroom, here, on Easter Sunday. Shown receiving trophy in behalf of Miss Armstrong, who was ill at the time, is Vilma Bryant of Mount Vernon, N. Y., wearing an orange-red cape suit created by the award-winning designer. Cape of light-weight costume worn by Miss Bryant features kick pleat in back, Peter Pan collar and colorful patterned silk lining. Dan Feinberg (left), account executive of Park & Tilford, presented the trophy before audience of 2,000 at festival.

in the persons of Mrs. Maude Brew-ton of Mason City, Mrs. Sarah E. Jett, and Mrs. Dorothy Bush. Three Matrons and one associate matron came from Burlington, Ia., to join at this occasion.

P.W.M. Mildred Graves, who also was the chairman of the committee on entertaining the G.W.M. presented the G.W.M. a lovely housecoat from the three chapters.

Accompanying Mrs. Taylor upon her visit was her husband, Mr.

Beverly Taylor, P.G.W.P. A lovely repast was given at the close of the meeting.

In the previous report of the G.W.M.'s proposed visit to Des Moines, the place of the forthcoming 50th anniversary and sessions was given as Burlington, Iowa, which was incorrect. The place is at Keokuk, Iowa instead.

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DRAKE RELAYS ARE FINE EXAMPLES OF FAIR PLAY

Those who attended the Drake Relays last Saturday were treated to an afternoon of real sport and enjoyment. Undoubtedly it was one of the best meets in years. Several records were broken; the spirit of sportsmanship at its best and the crowd showed enthusiastic appreciation.

Relay officials had laid plans so well that the big show moved off on schedule, proceeded in orderly fashion and wound up on schedule.

The late Harvey Ingham, long editor of the Register and Tribune, often said that sports offered the finest example of fair dealing and democracy for the fellow who had the opportunity to compete. All participated in games in which the rules are made in advance, got a fair start and the one who broke the tape first won the race.

Schools from many states participated. Possibly one of the most heartening was that of Oklahoma A & M University. Several years ago, Drake University football team encountered an unhappy racial situation involving Johnnie Bright. Drake withdrew from the conference in protest.

Saturday the Oklahoma A & M team included a Negro and his performances were good and well received. Thus, a complete about face has been completed without the least commotion and once more there is evidence that some southern schools are willing to use the best man in order to win in competition.

POOR EFFORT TO REGULATE KEY CLUBS

Just what twist of imagination some legislators have is difficult to understand. Coming from all walks of life, its members supposedly represent a pretty good cross section of the population. But somehow they forget.

This week the lower house passed a bill authorizing cities to regulate closing hours of key clubs. But before an amendment had been offered exempting veterans and fraternal organizations, and bonafide country clubs from the operation of the law.

It is generally believed that most key clubs operate legally by actually selling liquor. The law as written just about legalizes certain classes to go the limit. On the other hand, a city club which may be ever so clean but which is not included in the exceptions is put out of business or takes chances on operating and live in fear of being caught.

Laws which exempt various elements from their operation are difficult of enforcement. Liquor laws are hard to enforce when they operate on all classes equally. But those with exceptions, such as this amendment covers, are most difficult to enforce.

OKLAHOMA GOVERNOR DESERVES PRAISE

Too much credit cannot be given those fairminded white people in the south who stand up for principle in the struggle for racial justice. It is well to say words of encouragement about what they do.

Three states in the South, Texas, Oklahoma and Alabama have outlawed the NAACP halting all concerted efforts legal by this fine organization to do for minorities what the state itself should be doing.

In April, the governor of Oklahoma issued a proclamation designating April 27 Junior NAACP day. This, of course, gives encouragement to the organization and recognized that it is doing a good job for all the people.

This is in contrast to the thinking of the states above named, recognizing the value of the NAACP and does something tangible to further its cause.

No man who believes in democracy should disapprove the program of the NAACP for its actions have been open and above board; it has gotten results which most people approve.

Crocker 'Y' Board To Meet May 7

The Board of Managers of the Crocker Branch YMCA will hold their regular monthly meeting Tuesday, May 7, 8 p.m., at the branch building.

Paul L. Wilson, chairman of the board, announced that the building and Grounds Committee will report on plans for establishing a play ground area on the lot east of the building.

A preview of the proposed summer program activities, including the Camp, will also be discussed.

Negro Teacher Case

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District of South Carolina, Charleston Division, where the Act was first challenged before a three-judge court consisting of Chief Judge John J. Parker, District Judges George Bell Timmerman and Ashton H. Williams. The teachers then sought an order restraining state officials from enforcing the statute.

Judge Williams, in his opinion, declared:

"There is no dispute as to the facts. Plaintiffs are seventeen Negro teachers, who had been employed in Ellmore Training School of School District No. 7 of Orangeburg County, South Carolina, prior to June 1956 for varying periods of time; one as long as ten years. There is evidence to the effect that they were competent teachers and there is no evidence that their service was unsatisfactory in any way . . ."

"When plaintiffs in May of 1956 were given blank applications by the School Superintendent to be filled out and sworn to, which contained questions as to their membership in the Association and their views as to desirability of segregation in the schools, they declined to answer these questions. Only one of the plaintiffs, however, was a member of the Association. Upon being told that they would have to fill in the answers or tender their resignations, they chose the later course and were not elected for the ensuing year."

Separate Opinion

Each member of the District Court wrote a separate opinion. Judge Timmerman concurred with Judge Williams that the case should remain pending and that during this time the plaintiffs should carry it to the state courts. Attorneys for the teachers contend the case should have been decided by the United States District Court and that the Supreme Court should hold the statute unconstitutional.

In their brief to the High Court the attorneys argue that the South Carolina Act is unconstitutional on the ground that it destroys the right to freedom of speech and assembly, denies equal protection of the laws, and that it inflicts punishment without judicial trial.

NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund attorneys for the Negro teachers are Thurgood Marshall, Robert L. Carter and Jack Greenberg of New York City, and Lincoln C. Jenkins, Jr., of Columbia, South Carolina.

Labor Group

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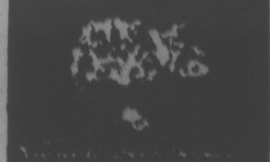
matter which transcends political and ideological views and regional and sectional interests."

Analyzing the civil liberties aspects of the anti-NAACP actions in the South, the resolution says: "Where states pass laws prohibiting the advocacy of integration, they are violating the Constitutional injunction against 'abridging the freedom of speech.' Where states pass laws preventing the NAACP from holding meetings, they are 'abridging' the right of the people peaceably to assemble."

These Acts

"These acts cannot be countenanced in a free nation," the document asserts. "State officials must not be permitted to manipulate laws so as to make inoperative any organization or group with which they disagree. Certainly the United States cannot tolerate the attempt by states not only to evade the law of the land but to punish a group of citizens for seeking to uphold that law. The agencies of federal government responsible for law enforcement have a responsibility to act in this matter."

The resolution also expresses the view that "this is a matter of concern not only for the NAACP, but for every individual and group concerned with preserving equality before the law and freedom of expression. We are all threatened if we are placed in jeopardy; where freedom of association is denied, freedom of the individual is limited."



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"BORED TO DEATH"

How many times have you said it? "I'm bored to death." Stop a minute. It could come true.

A medical expert on aging recently said that by conquering two problems—boredom and overeating—we could live to a hundred.

As a matter of fact, these two villains that are shortening man's life may be more closely related than they seem. What do you do when you're bored? Raid the refrigerator? Sundae? Rich, sweet food is emotionally satisfying. And in our prosperous society most of us can afford too much of it. As we get older, vanity—keeping a slim figure—doesn't stop us. We feel we can eat as we please, and we usually "please" to eat fattening foods. It's rather sad to think of a piece of devil's food cake becoming the high point of anyone's day. It couldn't happen to you. Or could it?

Beginning of Boredom

Retirement is the beginning of boredom for many men. Their lives have centered on their jobs for so

long that they are lost without them. They feel no motive for living.

So-called retirement come more slowly to women, and affects them less drastically. They change their pattern of living gradually as the children grow up and leave home. They take on interesting hobbies, clubs, activities in the community as free time increases. And, of course, a woman is never without a "job" as long as she has her home and husband to care for and grandchildren to fuss over. Incidentally, the death rate of women aged 65 to 69 is only 2.5; while that of men in the same age group is 4.2.

There may be a clue here for men who don't want to have their lives shortened by boredom. Perhaps they can plan a gradual change from the "job-centered" life, begin to expand and extend their interests so that on the day of "retirement" they don't just stop. They can move forward with positive energy that will keep them interested and alive right up to the century mark.

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SPORTS

BY ALLEN ASHBY

Drake Relays

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kins did when he was about that fellow's age.

University Relays

In the university relays there wasn't much use for anyone to raise their hopes with Bobby Morrow running anchor for Abilene Christian in the short relays. No matter where he was when he got the baton, Morrow would outrun the boys to bring his school home in front.

Kansas saw to it that nobody got any foolish ideas about winning the long relays, that is, all but Georgetown.

Lincoln University

Lincoln University of Jefferson City was here and really tried to get home with some watches in the sprint medley, but it was simply a case of too much Billy Tidwell, one of the greatest middle distance runners in the country.

The boys from Jeff City were in the other relays, but were traveling in fast company. Years ago when people were saying that Negroes weren't welcome at Notre Dame, they were saying that they would use Negroes, but they had to be athletes and gentlemen. Well, Saturday, Aubrey Lewis showed what they meant. Lewis got the baton on the anchor leg of the mile relay in a bunch with fellows from Texas and Oklahoma. As they rounded the first turn, a great shoving match took place, and if Lewis hadn't been a footballer, he would have been shoved clear off the track. But his football ability helped him keep his feet until he got out in front of the boys. Then he really turned it on. Folks were saying he never would hold the pace, but the further he went the faster he ran until he hit the tape way out in front.

But there was no show of anything but happiness and humble thankfulness for a victory when fellows we can think of would have been pretty mad about getting pushed.

Local High Schools

The local high schools had themselves a time trying to beat Ames, with East High finally turning the trick in the half mile relay. Lucian

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Wyant, Gred Williams, Riley Cook, and Mel Graham brought home the baton.

The calander was turned back about twenty years when the name of George Robinson came over the speaker as anchoring a North sprint relay team. George Senior ran on this same track for North just about that many years ago. The old man won the hundred yard dash in his day, a mark for the kid to shoot at.

The name of Al Collier was a familiar one a generation back, and Al Jr. turns up running for North. In fact about all one had to do was thumb through a Drake Relays program of the early thirties or late twenties and he would find the name of the dad of a lot of the kids who ran out there last week end.

Lucian Wyant Sr. was just about the shortest hurdler in East High history. Never did figure how he got over those things.

Tech Boys

Our nephews from Tech are about to take up a collection to keep us away from their meets. Every time we turn up they have tough luck. Friday the Tech boys, Bob Dixon, Phil Graves and Floyd Shepard staged one of those thrillers with East to get second place behind the Scarlet. The boys had the medals in their pockets and were on the way home when it was announced that they and East had been disqualified, and would they please give back the loot. Saturday the Tech kids had a good chance to either win or place in the half-mile relay, and they dropped the baton on the first exchange. Phil Graves got credit for dropping the thing, and says he is declaring open season on us and will shoot on sight if we show up at any more meets he is running in. Jim Hutchinson got left at the plate in the century and had to hustle to get fourth behind Collier of East. In all, it wasn't too good a week end for Tech.

Washington Irving and Amos Hiatt ran away from the rest of the field in the junior high shuttle relay. The Hiatt runners chased the Irving runners to a new record. The Irving runners: Noe Nickens, Phil Jackson, Harry Bolden and Lonnell Borrow.

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Little hermit thrush—crying in the brush,
for what lost soul—do you make your plea?
When the sun goes down in a last mad rush
will you still be sad? Do you cry

for me?

When your voice fades out, and the night sounds hush
and your wistful heart has stilled its grief;
May you wake to the gladness, little thrush
of an azure sky—and a new belief.
May your soft sweet cry—have a

laughing lilt
to blend with the sounds where children play.
With a mock to the night and the grief it split,
with a chuckling trill to the brand-new day.

—Glenn A. Gallagher.
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Mack McCollum Open Golf Tourney In St. Louis

St. Louis, Mo.—President Nat Jordan of the Paramount Golf Club announced here Apr. 26 that all is in readiness for the Sixth Annual Mack McCollum Open Golf Tournament to be played here on May 18 and 19. The colorful tourney again will be sponsored by Paramount and is the U.G.A. sanctioned tournament of the golf season.

As usual, the 19th hole will prevail after each day's play at the Paramount Clubhouse, 4438 Saston Avenue. Inquiries concerning the tournament may be addressed to president Nat Jordan at the clubhouse.

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lary. A Texas court has given a white man a five-year suspended sentence for the senseless and unprovoked murder of a Negro teenager. Despite overwhelming testimony, a Magnolia, Miss., court has permitted a white man to plead a lesser charge than rape against a Negro (minor) girl.

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