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'ABHOR VIOLENCE AGAINST ANY CITIZEN':

Many Aroused Over Knox Case

Hold Rites Here for
Mrs. Allie Claybourne,
Who Died in K. C.

Services for Mrs. Allie Claybourne, 66, a former Des Moines resident were held Tuesday at Corinthian Baptist Church with burial at Glendale Cemetery.

Mrs. Claybourne died Friday, Aug. 16, in Kansas City, Mo. Born in Evans, she had lived here 60 years before moving to Kansas City. She was a member of Missionary Chorus and Friendship Baptist Church in Kansas City.

Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Asie Mae Miller and Mrs. Dorothy Barbara of Des Moines; Mrs. Juanita Woods and Mrs. Ethel Carter of Kansas City, Mo.; five sons, Earl, Donald and Gilbert of Des Moines, Kenneth of Kansas City, Mo., and Raymond of Detroit, Mich.; one sister, Mrs. Margaret Scott of Sacramento, Cal.; 14 grand children and 13 great grandchildren.

Softball Team Gets
Uniforms from Klan

Nashville, Tenn.—(CNS)—Emphatically stating that although the Klu Klux Klan bought their uniforms and equipment, they are not Klan members, "The Knights", a softball team, was entered in the annual state tournament with 14 other teams, all white. Several teams quit the League rather than play against a Klan-sponsored team.

Dr. Austin Asks: 'What's Wrong With the National Baptist Convention, Inc.?'

Chicago, Ill.—Dr. Junius C. Austin, one of the nation's leading Baptists, and as minister of Pilgrim Baptist Church in Chicago, heads one of the largest and most influential congregations in America, has written an article entitled "What's Wrong With the National Baptist Convention, Inc.?"

In part, he wrote: "I am prompted to release this article under the dictates of the Holy Spirit, and I trust and pray that the Baptist Family will accept it as the 'Voice of God.' " "I write without any desire to support the ideology of any man or set of men, but rather to lay before all leaders undeniable facts. We must need see the conditions of our Baptist Family and seeing, set ourselves to the great challenge of doing something about it.

Economic Problem

"The National Baptist Convention, Inc. has a constituency of between four and five million. Approximately half of the Negro Church members in the United States are Baptist. Our National Baptist Convention has the greatest potential for a far reaching educational and religious program of any denomination in the United States; and yet, on a per capita basis, we do less than any Negro denomination, to say nothing of the whites.

Mr. Artie McNair
Returns to S. Dakota
Where He Teaches

Mr. Artie McNair, music and band teacher in the Ogala Community High School, in Pine Ridge, S. Dak., left the city after spending two weeks with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Matthews, 1450 Buchanan Street.

A music graduate of Drake University's School of Fine Arts, this is Mr. McNair's second year at the government Indian Reservation school.

Negro Family to Remain in Levittown Home; Troopers Guard, Hold Back Violence

Levittown, Penn.—A sheriff broke up an outdoor meeting called in protest against a Negro family moving into this housing development outside Philadelphia.

A noisy, jeering crowd of about 300 obeyed the sheriff's request to end the meeting. But one man in the crowd struggled with state police and was arrested.

The troopers said they had to use a club to subdue the man, a resident of Levittown.

Betterment Group

The meeting, sponsored by the Levittown Betterment Association, was the latest in several protesting the purchase of a house by William J. Myer, father of three children.

Until now, all 60,000 residents of this planned community have been white.

Myers and his family moved in Monday. Their new home was furnished and ready.

The family was in seclusion somewhere in the area. A minister who has been in contact with Myers said Myers decided not to move in Saturday night.

Delay: No Flag

The meeting, held in the backyards of homes near the house Myers bought last Saturday, was delayed a while because the leaders didn't want to start without an American flag.

One was found and the meeting got under way with chairman James Newell, a Levittown resident, taking over a public address system.

Then Bucks County Sheriff C. LeRoy Murray showed up. He had previously announced that all outdoor meetings in Levittown would be banned on grounds they are illegal assemblages.

His appearance brought boos and jeers from the crowd.

Raising his voice above the catcalls, he read from a prepared statement:

"Mob rule has never succeeded in attaining any goal. Use good judgment and return to your homes peacefully before serious consequences result."

More Boos

Newell stopped talking and the crowd dispersed slowly amid additional boos. The only act of violence, however, was the clash between state police and one of the participants.

Local clergymen have led meetings urging tolerance in the situation.

All the furor apparently had no effect.

Hold Ray McGee on Burglary Charge

Ray McGee, 24, of 1410 Maryland Avenue, Tuesday was held to the grand jury by Municipal Judge Harry B. Grund on a charge of burglary.

Mrs. E. D. Simpson of 811 Sixteenth Street, testified she was awakened at 5 a.m. Aug. 12 by a man in her bedroom.

When she screamed, she said the man jumped out of the window and fled. She said nothing was found missing.

Gary Coaksey, 16, living in the same apartment building, said he was awakened by Mrs. Simpson's screams. He identified McGee as the man he saw fleeing from the building.

Protest Beating of Raymond Knox



Appearing at a meeting protesting "police brutality towards citizens," Raymond Knox, 41, (center) of 223 Raccoon street, his head covered with bandages, confers with Atty. Robert Wright (left) a Legal Redress Committee chairman of the

Des Moines Branch of NAACP, and Lawrence Flinn, chief steward of Local 7 of the United Packing House Workers, following a meeting Wednesday, August 14, in the office of Police Chief Howard Elde. (Photo Courtesy of Des Moines Tribune).

Find Boy Safe at Home after Trip To Park Lagoon

Mrs. Mamie Gavin of 1222 School street, went fishing about 7 a.m. Monday at the Riverview Park lagoon with a nephew, Kenneth Grant, 11, who is visiting her from his home in San Antonio, Tex.

About 9:30 a.m., Kenneth wandered up the bank separating the lagoon from the Des Moines River. An hour later, Mrs. Gavin realized she hadn't seen the boy for some time.

Fearing he had slipped into the river, Mrs. Gavin had a Riverview employee call police, who sent two patrol cars and the police river patrol launch. Police began examining the water near where he was last seen.

Grappling hooks were being brought out as Mrs. Juanita Slaughter of 1323 School street, drove up to take Mrs. Gavin home. When Mrs. Slaughter asked what all the excitement was, Mrs. Gavin said Kenneth was missing.

"No he isn't, Mrs. Slaughter said. "He came by our house about a half hour ago and said he had walked home and not to wait for him."

Back home, Mrs. Gavin found Kenneth, his feet propped up and a

magazine on his lap, sitting calmly on the front porch.

"I ought to whip you," Mrs. Gavin said, laughing happily.

Asked why he had left the lagoon and walked two miles to his aunt's home, Kenneth gave the standard fisherman's answer:

"They weren't biting."

Get Injuries in Car Accident

Arthur R. Black, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Black, 931 Tenth Street, and Mrs. Fern Allen, Peoria, were treated for bruises by private physicians Friday for injuries received when the cars in which they were riding collided in a downtown alley intersection, police said.

Patrolman Donald Knox said the child, five weeks old, was riding in a car driven by his father, and Mrs. Allen was riding with her husband. Knox said the cars met in a "blind" intersection of alleys between Fifth avenue and Fourth street and Court and Walnut streets.

Mr. Roberson Home

Mr. Dave Roberson, 846 Fifteenth Street, returned home from Iowa Methodist Hospital during the weekend. His condition was reported much improved.

Trophies for the Shrine's Talent And Beauty Pageant



Washington, D. C.—Trophies for the Talent and Beauty Pageant, colorful and annual event of the Ancient Egyptian Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, are shown being presented here to members of Pyramid Temple, host group of the

Shriners' convention which opened Aug. 18 and will end Aug. 23 in Philadelphia. Beautiful girls from over the nation are participating in the beauty pageant. The trophies are donated by The Coca-Cola Company, Atlanta, Ga., which has given the awards for five years. From left

to right, Ralph M. Jones, Deputy Convention Chairman; Christopher B. Conner, The Philadelphia Coca-Cola Bottling Company; Henry "Bus" Johnson, General Chairman, convention committee, Inc., and James C. Sheppard, Illustrious Potentate, Pyramid Temple Number One.

NAACP Asks Probe; FBI Makes Investigation; Set Hearing Over to Monday

Citizens and organization leaders have been aroused over the beating of a Negro resident.

A preliminary investigation has been made by the Federal Bureau of Investigation into charges by a Des Moines man that he was subjected to police brutality here.

Raymond Knox, 41, of 223 Raccoon street, charged he was "beaten up" by three Des Moines policemen after his arrest at the scene of a drowning here Aug. 12. Knox had entered the water to help in the search.

The Omaha, Neb., office of the FBI said Monday that an investigation of this type is made in all cases where an individual charges his civil rights have been violated. The evidence is submitted to the U. S. district attorney.

Knox faces charges in municipal court at 1:30 p.m. Monday of resisting arrest and disturbing the peace and quiet by using loud and profane language.

NAACP Asks Probe

The Des Moines branch of the National Association for Advancement of Colored People has passed a resolution calling for full investigation of the case.

Annual Conference Of AMEs Sept. 2-3 In St. Paul, Minn.

The 37th annual session of the Northwestern Conference of the AME Church will convene Sept. 2-3 in St. Paul, Minn., at the St. James AME Church.

Bishop Joseph Gomez of Cleveland, Ohio, will preside over the annual meetings of the St. Paul, Minn., and Des Moines districts, assisted by Presiding Elders Nelson Pryor of St. Paul, and Charles Copeland of Des Moines district.

The Rev. A. Lewis Williams will be host pastor.

The resolution said in part: "We abhor police violence and brutality against any citizen in the custody of police officers. We call upon the police department and the city administration to conduct a full and complete investigation and to take whatever disciplinary or other action is deemed appropriate.

In filing the charges, police said they ordered Knox out of the water. Knox denied this. He said he had offered assistance to a uniformed person at the scene of the drowning, and was told it would be all right if he helped recover the body.

41 Stitches Taken

Knox said 41 stitches were taken in his head and face to treat wounds caused by the beating.

J. B. Morris, Jr., and Robert A. Wright, NAACP legal redress attorneys, told the Des Moines branch "this is the type of incident which the NAACP is committed to combat and eradicate wherever it is encountered."

City Manager George Forster said Friday, August 16, that evidence on hand at this time does not warrant an investigation on his part of the brutality charges. He made his statement following a "routine report" from Police Chief Howard R. Elde.

Lena Horne's Musical Has Top Sales

New York City—(CNS)—With the distinction of being the first legit show of the season, "Jamaica", which will star Lena Horne and film star Ricardo Montalban, also leads in advance sales. It has already done \$750,000 in advance sales. This means the show will run a minimum of 6 months, regardless of notices from the critics. Most of the credit for this sizable amount is given to theatre parties which are anxious for the musical to arrive. It opens October 31st.

NAACP Survey of Press Comments Says Rights Bill Made No One Really Happy

New York—An NAACP survey of newspaper comment on the civil rights bill indicates that no one is really happy about the measure as it emerged from the Senate. Some papers call for a veto of the bill—the southern press because it is too strong, the Negro and northern papers because it is too weak. Others, while dissatisfied, express the opinion that it should be enacted because it is the best that can be passed at this time.

Following are excerpts from editorials published in some of the nation's leading newspapers and magazines.

Southern Press

Jackson (Miss.) Daily News: Even if passed in its present emasculated and watered-down form, the proposed civil rights law means that an army of Federal bureaucrats will descend upon Mississippi and other southern states like a plague of locusts to intimidate the people and demand that all Negroes, regardless of illiteracy, be allowed to vote. That is the reason why Senator Eastland says he is unhappy about it and why he does not favor passage of the bill in its present form.

U. S. News & World Report: Legal opinion is that a court could keep registration rolls open or hold ballot boxes until the Negro's name or vote was included. Result of all this

Force Bill

Charleston (S. C.) News and Courier: Even in the present form, which may not stand, the Civil Rights Bill in fact is a force bill full of dangers to American liberty.

Winston-Salem (N. C.) Journal: SEE PAGE SIX

Hold Rites for Edward Moore, 75

Services for Edward Moore, 73, who died of a heart attack, August 11, at the McCraney Restorium, 925 Eighteenth street, were held Thursday, August 15, at the Estes & Son Funeral Home. Burial was in Glendale Cemetery.

Mr. Moore, who formerly lived at 773 Eleventh Street, was born in Morgantown, Ky., and had lived here 47 years.

Surviving is a sister, Mrs. Virtcell Martin of Danville, Ill.

United Church Women to Boone Saturday And Sunday for Weekend at YWCA Camp

The United Church Women of Des Moines will hold a weekend camp at the YWCA Camp at Boone, Ia., Saturday and Sunday, August 24 and 25. The theme is "Faith for the Future" with emphasis on "Faith, Fun and Fellowship."

Registration is from 3 to 5 p.m. Saturday and in charge of Mrs. Roberta Frazier. A fifty-cent fee will be charged.

There will be informal recreation, boating, swimming, hiking, shuffleboard, ping pong, tennis and canasta. Miss Genevieve O. Johnson is in charge of recreation.

Cook-Out Planned

A cook-out will be held at 3:30 p.m.

The evening program in the lodge

103d Infantry Division in Summer Training At Camp McCoy, Wis.

Army Reservists of the 103d Infantry Division moved up to Camp McCoy, Wisconsin, over the weekend to begin their tenth annual summer encampment for the period of August 18 to September 1. Summer training this year is being held at Camp McCoy for the ninth consecutive year. The divisions first summer field training was conducted at Fort Riley, Kansas.

The 103d Division, composed of personnel from both Iowa and Minnesota, has more than 6,000 members, and is the largest division in the country. It is commanded by Maj. Gen. George H. Olmsted of Des Moines, with Brig. Gen. James H. Myers of Minneapolis as Assistant Division Commander, and Col. Roy M. Kottman of Ames as Chief of Staff. The Division Artillery Commander is Brig. Gen. Louis D. Burkhalter, Jr., of Cedar Rapids.

About 4,500 Members

Approximately 4,500 members of the division are participating in the training at Camp McCoy. More than 600 others are undergoing the first six months of basic training required of enlistees under the Reserve Forces Act of 1955 program.

A number of other individual Reservists have been assigned to active Army or Army Reserve Schools, and to Army Headquarters for their two weeks of summer field exercise, in specialized studies or on-the-job training.

Emphasis at Camp McCoy this year will be on specialized training, according to each individual's military occupational specialty. A fea-

ture of the encampment will be a two-day map maneuver to be reviewed before a group of 150 prominent Iowa and Minnesota civic and educational leaders, and representatives of various news media.

Sunday morning watch will be held before breakfast, after which hymn singing and devotions will be conducted. The speaker for the morning will be Rev. Floyd Bartholomew of the State University of Iowa Hospital.

At 1 p.m. there will be a brainstorming session and evaluation of the total program.

General chairman is Mrs. Dorothy Ross; program chairman, Mrs. Monroe; transportation and car pool chairman, Miss Ethel M. McLellan. Miss Novella Bradbenner will give all devotions. Mrs. Cecil Wry is president of the organization.

Spend Ball Game Vacation in Chicago

Messrs. Guy E. Greene and Harry V. Johnson returned recently from Chicago, Ill., where they spent a ten-day ball game vacation. They stopped at Hotel Sutherland.

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To give you a quick idea of what we mean by "good" backgrounds, let's just roughly divide them into two broad classifications: natural and neutral. A neutral background is one that makes the subject stand out merely because it itself is completely inconspicuous, adding nothing to the story the picture tells. Plain walls, the sky, a grassy lawn, the sweep of wide open spaces—these are the most common neutral backgrounds.

If you want to take a snapshot that will tell more of a story, try placing the subject against what

we call a natural background—one that serves as a stage setting for the action being performed by the person in your picture. A proud fisherman would probably look best against the wooded bank of his favorite stream, the professor at his desk in his book-lined study. The garden would be a natural setting for the attractive young girl carrying a basket of flowers, the home workshop for the "do-it-yourself" weekend carpenter.

Whichever type of background you choose, however, remember that color contrast is important for the best results. Be sure to pose light subjects against rather dark backgrounds, and vice versa. You can readily see that a dark green hedge would be a poor background choice for a dark-haired girl in a black dress—but she would certainly be a stand-out against a white garden-gate or a cream-colored convertible!

—John Van Guilder

Critics Spread Welcome Mat for 'Simply Heavenly,' 'Langston Hughes' Play 'Land Beyond the River,' Now on Tour

WITH DOLORES CALVIN

New York City (CNS)—Hernandez gets help with studio... With one great actor in the family already, Juano Hernandez is proud to add his handsome son Juan Jose, who will soon be 18... Juan Jose has arrived in Hollywood for "Take A Giant Step" which will be produced by Hetch-Hill-Lancaster, the terrific trio which produced "Marty" and "The Bachelor Party"... This is their first interracial theme.

A bright youth, who loves acting, Juan Jose has been busy all season helping his father in the new project—an acting studio (The Lyceum of Dramatic Arts) in San Juan, Puerto Rico... Juan has been coaching some 15 youngsters in acting... The studio, which charges \$5 per hour, specializes in TV work—radio and films... It's the dream of pop Juano Hernandez who has long been a struggler for good parts for Negroes... Right now, the two are very much interested in booming the native talent of Puerto Rico—and Hernandez believes in individual training—none of this mass production of everyone jammed into a room while one professor takes care of all... Hernandez believes each has an individual problem which must be nourished accordingly—so for the five bucks, you get first class attention... In 6 classrooms with 3 assistants working 10 hours a day and an open air stage for practice, the Hernandez expect to produce some worthwhile material for Broadway and Hollywood.

Incidentally, the screen test for Juan Jose for his new role was made right in their studio—and shipped to Hollywood where he was chosen... And of course pop went along to make sure his son did O.K.... As an added note, Hernandez has reason to be extra proud: his studio was recently given government aid in the form of subsidizing the cost of operation—which means the school is well on its way to tremendous growth... We're expecting bigger things than ever from the actor whose current film, "Something of Value" is playing around the nation...

The Klu Klux Klan, in their famous sheet regalia, finally burst out and paraded in front of the Florida Theatre in Jacksonville, Fla. in direct protest against "Island in the Sun" and their two interracial romances... The billing headlined Joan Fontaine and Joan Collins—with no mention of Belafonte or Dandridge or any of the other stars... In large type on the marquee were the words: "It happened in the West Indies" as if this excused the plot... The Klan frightened some, but many went on into the movies as if they didn't exist... No violence from any of the southern theatres showing this picture has been reported...

The critics have spread the welcome mat everywhere for "Simply Heavenly," Langston Hughes' play made into a musical... they seem to think the sexy, all-Negro cast play which did 44 performances off-Broadway will make a great hit as a legit at the 48th St. Playhouse... Most of the cast are amateurs or should we say professional hopefuls—and all with a determination to make "Simply Heavenly" a great success...

Nat King Cole not worried over losing his spot which competes with the \$64,000 Question (and we must remind you, his rating was very, very good for this position)—now that his bosses have given him a spot earlier in the evening... Nat's show is definitely a test case—and every effort is being pushed behind it to succeed with a sponsor—for if it fails—then a great deal of hope for the Negro on TV on his own will fail with it...

Cape Cod, popularized more-so from the song, is becoming a real vacation land for Negroes... We feel for Ella Fitzgerald; after searching for the "right man" for so long and just when she thought she'd found him... up comes a cruel blow and he's off to jail... which means she could hardly remain an esteemed public figure if she accepted him now...

Gale Agency sad over the death of

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one of their former employees, LeRoy Hall, who for sometime was a sort of "home road-manager" to the company, and a friend to all the long line of Gale stars... Hall, at 60, died of a heart attack in Philadelphia where he had retired... One who enjoyed talking of "the good ole days," Hall could reminisce back to days of Florence Mills with authentic data... He was with one of his pals, the late Dusty Fletcher (a Gale star) just a few days before Dusty died in Harlem Hospital... As a trusted employee of the company, Hall many times drove Cadillacs for Sarah Vaughn cross-country to meet her on tour—flew into troubled areas to rescue one-night stands, talked with pouting stars to iron out manager-artist relations... With Ella Fitzgerald, Erskine Hawkins, the Ink Spots, Lucky Millinder and many, many others—he was one they could always rely on for almost anything, even the attraction bookers from coast to coast advance material and all else which went for making a promotion successful... A great leader, Hall never seemed his age nor did he slow up in work until he was finally forced to retire... Even then, he could never forget the "good ole days"...

Since the attack on Maureen O'Hara in Hollywood, the rest of the 100 or more stars who have been subpoenaed to appear are "quaking in their boots"... but it seems our little Miss Dorothy Dandridge is completely unafraid... Whether they'll air her story pro or con is not known yet—but we certainly hope nothing is said or done to blacken her name professionally... We have few successful actresses with the many assets of Miss Dandridge and we feel it is a crying shame that careers of people who have struggled a lifetime to achieve can and will be torn down overnight—whether malicious gossip be true or false—it is still a shame that

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF DUNLAP ELECTRONICS, INC.

Notice is hereby given of the incorporation of Dunlap Electronics, Inc. under the provisions of Chapter 491 of the 1954 Code of Iowa.

1. The principal place of business shall be at Des Moines, Iowa.
2. The general nature of the business is to manufacture, buy and sell, both at retail and wholesale, electronic, electrical and mechanical products; to carry on a general manufacturing business, including research, development, design, maintenance and conversion of electrical, mechanical and electronic products; to conduct a general real estate development, loan and investment business, and to buy, sell and otherwise deal in all kinds of property, real, personal and mixed.
3. The amount of capital stock authorized is \$100,000.00 divided into 800 shares of common stock of the par value of \$100.00 per share and 200 shares of preferred stock of the par value of \$100.00 per share. The Board of Directors shall have the power to determine the time and conditions of the issuance of the common stock and preferred stock of this corporation. However, no stock of the corporation shall be issued until the corporation has received payment therefor at par in cash or in property as provided by the laws of the State of Iowa and when the corporation has been issued it shall be fully paid for and non-assessable. Preferred stock shall have priority of dividends to the amount of \$5.00 per share per annum, and after like dividends upon the common stock and additional dividends shall be paid on all shares outstanding with the preference to other kind of stock.
4. This corporation commenced July 1, 1957, and shall continue for twenty years thereafter, with a right of renewal as provided by law, unless the corporation shall sooner be dissolved by a vote of two-thirds majority of the outstanding common stock at any annual meeting of the stockholders or at any special meeting of the stockholders called for that purpose.
5. The affairs of this corporation shall be managed and conducted by a Board of Directors consisting of not less than three nor more than seven individuals who shall be elected at the annual meeting by a majority vote of the holders of the common stock. Directors shall hold office for a period of one year, or until their successors are duly elected and qualified. Until the first annual meeting of the stockholders the Board of Directors shall consist of the following named persons: Richard D. Dunlap, Des Moines, Iowa; Warren B. Sargent, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; R. W. Merriam, Des Moines, Iowa; R. E. Sargent, Des Moines, Iowa.

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Secretary..... R. W. Merriam
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By: Richard D. Dunlap
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Hollywood be pressurized in this manner...

We should remember that many of these stars are idols of children and how disheartening it is for them to read these lurid stories of their alleged off-stage lives... We should build, not destroy... and we think Hollywood should act in a body and ban such saboteurs from their industry... It takes billions of dollars and good will to build one star to real success—it is not for us to judge them and bring them down... They have earned their success the hard way... No matter how these trials turn out, a certain amount of respect and loyalty to the stars will definitely be lost... Even if they are proven completely innocent, the thought, the idea and the doubt are all still there—planted deeply into the minds of the public. It will take another billion in publicity to re-build each star... To many, it will be the ruin... A Negro star, of whom we have so few, just cannot afford it...

"Land Beyond The River" a play about integration in the south, begins a tour, playing Chicago and Detroit under sponsorship of the United Automobile Workers... It did 3 months at an off-Broadway theatre and the cast is very excited about the winter tour... They would like to next play the southern area...

Candy Corsages Create Novel Bridal Shower Table Decorations

As the shower party season gets under way in a whirlwind of early fall gatherings for soon-to-be brides, many party givers are seeking ideas for clever table decorations.

Flowers naturally come to mind at this time of year—real or imaginary. Some of the most ingenious decorative pieces the hostess with creative knack can make are diminutive candy corsages. They may be used to set off the party table or to pin to guests' shoulders.

These conversation creating decorations devised by the Richardson Candy Company people, for example, are colorful and dainty. To make them, first arm yourself with a gen-

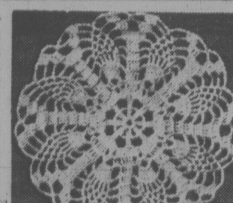
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Here Is How to Be Sure That Watermelon Is Ripe When Buying

Iowa City, Iowa—If most of the last watermelon you bought had to be thrown out because it wasn't quite ripe! when picked and so lacked flavor, these suggestions may help you choose a better one next time you shop at a roadside stand or your grocer's.

Foods students at the State University of Iowa learn to make these tests in buying a watermelon or picking one in the garden. Run your fingernail across an inch or two of the melon surface. The thin outer layer of green skin will peel off easily if the melon is ripe.

The "thumping" test will produce a hollow sound in a green melon. The underside of a fully mature watermelon will be tinged with yellow instead of being white.

The surest method of selecting a melon with luscious flavor, however, is still by "plugging." So if your dealer is willing to do so and you plan to use the melon soon, have a look at its insides before you buy it.

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Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service: 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday: 8:00 P.M.

St. Paul A. M. E. Church
17th and Crocker Streets
REV. S. M. PECK, Minister
Sunrise Prayer Service Sunday: 6:00 A.M.
Church School: Sunday 9:30 A.M.
Church Service: 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service: 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday: 7:30 P.M.
Youth Fellowship: 5:30 P.M.

East University Church of God in Christ
P. D. WASHINGTON, Pastor
BISHOP P. D. WASHINGTON, Pastor
ORDER OF SERVICES
Sunday School: 9:00 A.M.
Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service: 7:00 P.M.
Wednesday Evening: 8:00 P.M.
Youth Service: 8:00 P.M.

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

Bethel A.M.E. Church
133 East University Avenue
REV. D. VINCENT STEWART, Pastor
Sunday School: 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service: 7:30 P.M.
A. C. E. League: 5:30 P.M.
Bible Study and Prayer Meeting Wednesday: 7:30 P.M.

Quaker Meeting
2920 30th St., South Entrance
Karl Deutch, Clerk
Worship at 10 A.M.
You are welcome to join in our unprogrammed worship, based on silent prayer and meditation.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

Rev. S. M. Peck will speak Sunday morning from the subject, "Going Home." The 10th anniversary will convene from Oct. 7 to 13. Mr. Lester Benning, treasurer of Trustee Board is the "general" of the anniversary. The selected three captains are G. B. Tucker, Mrs. B. J. Roach and Mrs. Fannie M. Danforth. Serving as lieutenants are the class leaders. They will make their report from the members to the captains. The 28 class leaders will be divided between the three captains for supervision.

Class leaders are: Walter T. Reeves, Russell Reeves, Lena Brown, H. W. Walden, Felix Dickerson, Mildred Graves, Bessie L. Greene, Ezra Ewing, Ora Burrell, Lester Benning, Mabel M. Mason, Mattie B. Scott, Dolores Peguese, Alberta Bates, Fannie M. Danforth, Maude C. Wyatt, Harriet Seales, Zora Ewing, Myrtle Royston, Osceola Sims, B. J. Roach, Orzealya M. Roberson, Allie Bowman, Eunice Bates, Gertrude North, Jeanne Morris, C. Anna Ringo, James T. Gray, Mary Holmes, Thelma E. Dixon, John Danforth—essie M. Jones.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Last Sunday morning the following persons were visitors: Mr. and Mrs. Shumate of Kansas City, Kas., and Mrs. Bernice Deamones and daughter, Patty, of Omaha, Neb. The following were taken in as members: Dr. and Mrs. Julius Connor, formerly of Omaha, Sunday, Aug. 25, 11 a.m. the Rev. N. R. Olphin will speak on the subject, "The Hand of God." The last union service for the season will be held at St. Paul A.M.E. Church, Sunday, 7 p.m., at which time the Rev. Mr. Olphin will speak on the subject, "What Religion Does For Us." The Corinthian Fellowship Chorus will accompany him. The Corinthian Ushers will serve. The public is invited.

CLEVELAND AVE. CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

An old fashioned revival will begin Sunday, Sept. 1, at Cleveland Avenue Church of God in Christ. Elder F. Norris of Waterloo, formerly of Brooklyn, N. Y., will preach.

Heavenly Voices at Mt. Hebron Sunday

The Improvement Club of Mt. Hebron Baptist Church of West Des Moines is presenting Heavenly Voices of Omaha, Neb., Sunday, Aug. 25, p.m. The public is invited to hear this group of teenagers.

Pilgrim Missionary Baptist Church
1732 Walker Street
REV. H. R. FIELDS, Pastor
Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service: 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service: 7:45 P.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
E. 16th and Maple Street
REV. GEO. PARRISH, Minister, 6-9910
Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class: 6:30 P.M.
Evening Service: 8:00 P.M.
Prayer Service: Wed., 8 P.M.

Union Baptist Church
The Friendly Church
E. UNIVERSITY AT MCCORMICK
REV. SEYMOUR GAINES, Pastor
Sunday School: 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service: 7:45 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday: 7:45 P.M.

Burns Methodist Church
811 CROCKER STREET
Rev. JUNIUS E. HALL, Minister
Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Youth Fellowship: 6:00 P.M.
Evening Vesper: 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed.: 7:30 P.M.

Interdenominational Mission
348 MCCORMICK
REV. W. A. ROBINSON, Minister
Bible Class: 9:45 A.M.
Preaching: 11:30 A.M.
Christian Endeavor: 6:00 P.M.

Evangelistic Missionary
1540 E. 15th STREET
ELDER EUGENE A. FOUNTAIN, Leader
Sunday: 10:00 A.M. Sunday School
Sunday: 11 A.M. & 8 P.M. Service
Thursday: 8:00 P.M. Service
Tuesday Night Open Bible Discussion: Public Invited.

The Gospel Youth Center
828 16th Street
Evangelist A. M. Perry, Pastor
Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship: 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service: 8:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday: 8:00 P.M.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, Aug. 25, 11 a.m. Rev. George Parrish will preach from the subject, "Church Hypocrisy." At 7:30 p.m. preaching, Pastor's Aid met Tuesday at the church. Rev. Wm. Fields preached at Zion Baptist church in Ft. Madison last Sunday. Missionary will meet Friday evening in the home of Mrs. M. Fields. Sick and shut-ins are Mr. Leroy Cunningham, Veterans Hospital, Mr. S. Bryant, Boardwalks; Miss Emma Terry, Blank Memorial; Master Deering at home.

COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday, Aug. 25, services will be in charge of the men. August 18 Mrs. M. Williams and Mrs. Harding were in charge with Mrs. Blakely as speaker. Visitors were Mr. and Mrs. John Blakey and Miss Mabin. Bishop Cranshaw returned recently from visiting relatives in Wichita, Kas., Gallatin and Kansas City, Mo., where he attended his annual conference. Others attending were: Mrs. Mary Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harding, Mrs. Bertha Harris, Mrs. Ella Bradley and daughter, Brenda, Bishop D. H. Cranshaw is pastor.

E. UNIVERSITY CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

A successful convocation closed last week. Outstanding visitors were, Bishops V. M. Barker, Western, Mo., O. M. Kelley, Eastern N. W., W. Bryant, Brooklyn, N. Y., Elders Stitt of Kansas and Armstrong, N. Y.; Supervisors E. Odem, Western, Mo., E. McEwen, North Carolina, V. Grant, S. Indiana, H. Wheeler formerly of South Dakota, E. McGill, Iowa, No. 2, and J. Washington, S. W. Ark., who was guest speaker on Women's Day; Madam E. Washington, Mrs. V. M. Barker and others.

Mrs. A. B. Jones, state supervisor entertained the guests at a breakfast Wednesday morning. Elder Wheeler and Elexandria, Mother Wheeler, Evangelist McKinzie, dinner Wednesday evening, and thirty guests at dinner Thursday evening. The State hospitality president, Mrs. V. Perchman and group served a repast Tuesday evening after service. Music was furnished by Professors Miller and Lewis of Brooklyn, N. Y. All

Five States Baptist Convention Ends Session in Sioux City; Reelects Officers

The Iowa, South Dakota, Nebraska, Minnesota and Illinois Baptist Convention met last week in Sioux City with the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Rev. E. W. Bratton, pastor host.

It was one of the finest sessions with more than 125 messengers present.

All the officers of the various departments made reports and brought forward some monies in their treasuries.

The general theme of the session was "Fellowship With Christ in A Changing World." Various ministers spoke on phases of the theme.

All officers were reelected: Deacon Garrett Cannon, president of Ministers and Deacons Union; Mrs. Dollie Jones of Sioux City, president of the Ministers Wives, Deaconess, Mother Board Union; Mrs. Estella McAfee of Omaha, Neb. president of the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Convention; Rev. J. H. Reynolds of Omaha, reelected president of the General State Convention. Rev. George Parrish of Des Moines, is secretary.

New Officers

Among the new officers elected was Rev. Norman Ralph Olphin, pastor of Corinthian Baptist Church, Des Moines, board member from Central District Association. Rev. E. A. Gaiter of Des Moines was elected field secretary for the state convention.

One of the highlights of the convention was President Reynolds' annual message. He spoke about his visits to the different district as

pastors were returned to their churches. Elder Jessie Broadus was appointed to the church in Keokuk, F. D. Washington, as State Bishop; A. B. Jones, state supervisor; and B. Guinn, reporter.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The Rev. H. R. Fields preached Sunday morning. The senior choir sang. Reports were made by delegates to the Five States Convention in Sioux City, last week. Mr. Larry Williams has returned after two years service in the U. S. Air Force. Mrs. T. Pack, wife of Rev. T. Pack, and family are visiting relatives in Mississippi. The Senior Choir held its picnic at Walnut Woods park Saturday. The Brotherhood Auxiliary met at the church Monday night. Teachers meetings is held Thursday evening at the church. The Rev. S. J. Jenkins is a patient at Broadlawn General Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Watson have as their guests, Mr. Watson's sister, Mrs. Jeannie Walker of Cleveland, Ohio. Mrs. Addie Jenkins is also among the shut-ins of the church.

La Mesa Club Has Picnic at McHenry Park; Many Guests

La Mesa Club had a picnic Aug. 18 at McHenry Park. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Sloan, Robert Wheeler and family, Sylvester Parrish, Lefrence Carter, Price Page, Charles Strange, Ezra Ewing, H. R. Hardaway, Ralph Jones, Kenneth Parkey, and children, Wm. Jewett, W. M. Jefferson, French Brown, Sylvester Forrester, John Danforth, Floyd Bailey, Mesdames Marie Wilkinson, Ruth Brewer, Virginia Forrester and Eddie, Inez Jones, Susie A. Ridgell; Maybelle Jerrerson, reporter.

At Union Baptist

Rev. Mr. Simmons will be guest speaker at the Union Baptist Deaconess Board Sunday, Aug. 25, 3 p.m.

MRS COOPER ILL

Mrs. Olivia Cooper is ill in Mercy Hospital.

ORIGINAL NOTICE

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

LEANNA MYERS, Plaintiff,

vs. JAMES MYERS, Defendant.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT, JAMES MYERS:

You are hereby notified that the Petition of the above named plaintiff in the above entitled cause is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the above named Court praying for an absolute divorce from you on the ground of desertion for more than 2 years.

FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS, see petition on file in the Office of the Clerk, Polk County Courthouse.

You are also hereby notified to appear before said Court at the Polk County District Court House, 5th and Mulberry Streets, Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa on or before September 6, 1957 at 9 o'clock on said day and that unless you so appear and file appearance, motion or pleading, your default will be entered and judgment and decree rendered against you for the relief prayed in the petition.

GERTRUDE E. RUSH Attorney for Plaintiff 308 Court Ave. Des Moines, Iowa CH 3-3653

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The E. A. Gaiters Attend Convention

Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Gaiters attended the Five State Baptist Convention which met in Sioux City, August 12-17 at the Mt. Zion Baptist Church.

Mrs. Gaiters was appointed by the president of the women's convention, Mrs. Estella McFee, as chairman of the foreign mission department, in connection with the National Baptist Convention.

Convenient Desk Built Against Wall

A wall desk that closes to provide space-saving convenience is an excellent addition to a child's room or can be erected in the kitchen for the housewife's use.

The desk includes a writing surface of Masonite 1/4" Tempered Duolux that also acts as a door for the cabinet section of lumber framing with a "Peg-Board" panel back. When closed, the desk also can be used as a chalk-board by painting the bottom of the writing surface with blackboard paint.

Writing material can be kept in the cabinet portion of the desk and other items hung on the "Peg-Board" back. Small chains attached to the desk and the sides of the cabinet support the writing surface when it is open. Provision also is made for installing a fluorescent light.

Construction details are shown in plan No. AE-310, which may be obtained free by writing to the Home Service Bureau, Suite 2037, 111 W. Washington St., Chicago 2, Ill.

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THE POMERANTZ REALTY CO. and CHICAGO, GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY, Plaintiffs,

vs. CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY RAILROAD COMPANY, CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA, DES MOINES OSCOLA AND SOUTHERN RAILROAD COMPANY, SALLY B. GRAY, SAMUEL GRAY, WILLIAM B. GRAY, and JAMES GRAY, Defendants.

THEIR UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES, LEGATEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, SUCCESSORS AND THEIR UNKNOWN SPOUSES AND THE UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF THE FOLLOWING described real estate situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

A parcel of land situated in the Northwest Quarter of Section 16, Township 78 North, Range 24 West, Iowa, more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at a lead monument marked the center of Section 17, Township 78 North, Range 24 West; thence due North along the line of said Section 17 a distance of 347.91 feet; thence North 70° 53' East a distance of 87.93 feet to a point in the East line of Southwest Twenty-first (SW 21st) Street; thence North 70° 53' East a distance of 11.19 feet to the center-line of the Chicago Great Western Railway Company's main track; thence South 84° 19' East and parallel to said center-line a distance of 1084.47 feet to a point on the East line of said Section 17; thence South 0° 49' East along said East line a distance of 474.20 feet to an iron monument set in concrete, said monument being the point of beginning; thence continuing South 0° 49' East along said East line a distance of 312.2 feet to the center-line of the abandoned and disused Quincy Railroad Company's right of way a distance of 137.30 feet; thence North 70° 53' East a distance of 11.19 feet to the center-line of the Chicago Great Western Railway Company's main track; 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SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Johnson, Daughter, Kay Lynn, Return from Europe Where They Made Caravan Tour of 11 Countries

BY MARIE ROSS

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Johnson, and 12-year-old daughter, Kay Lynn, of 1112 Fourteenth Street, returned recently from a thirty-three day vacation spent in eleven countries in Europe and Canada.

The Johnsons left Des Moines June 24 for Quebec, Canada, where after visiting and sightseeing, they joined a Caravan Tour, a party of 42 persons who sailed July 1 on The Homeric, a Pan-American ship.

"We landed at South-Hampton, England, July 8, then went to London by boat," talked Mrs. Johnson at her home this week, telling many interesting experiences.

The Johnsons traveled first class on the Caravan Tour, stopping in some of the finest hotels and dining in some of the best restaurants and sidewalk cafes.

In London, housed at Bailey Hotel on Gloucester Road, the Johnsons spent two days visiting "all the places you have read about in history—St. Paul's Cathedral, Guild Hall, National Galleries, Westminster Abbey.

"The peace and quiet of the beautiful countryside made it hard to believe that a war had ever been there. I looked through antique shops—nearly everything dates back several centuries.

"I had thought of getting a gift or so, but the antiques were much too expensive.

"Our party took a steamer across the North Sea to Holland. Following the Rhine River, we boarded a bus to Southern Holland and Delft—where the blue Delft chinaware is made; and—then on to Rotterdam.

Gets Belgium Lace

"We went to Brussels, lunching at the Atlas Hotel. Among the sights were the famous Guildhalls—decorated in gold leaf—built back in the Fourteenth Century—before Columbus discovered America, our guides related. We saw the shop where Princess Grace Kelly of Monaco had her wedding veil made.

The shops are small—sometimes in homes. I bought some towels trimmed in the famed Belgium lace.

"In Luxembourg, we visited General Patton's grave; crossed the Rhine to Heidelberg, Germany. We met a distant relative, an Iowan, Donald Jones, formerly of Center-dale, who is with the U. S. Air Force, stationed at Senbach. We had written to him that we were coming and he met us at Heidelberg, where we left our party and went on a trip with him and a friend to visit one of the old castles.

In Heidelberg

"Jimmy (Mr. Johnson) and Kay Lynn visited the Red Ox Cafe where the famous operetta, "Student Prince" was written. We went to a sidewalk cafe and had dinner; the

Mrs. Ludie Smith of Alabama, Guest of The H. N. Wilcoits

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilcoits, 1104 Seventeenth Street, had as house guests last week, Mrs. Ludie Smith of Tuscaloosa, Ala., and granddaughters, Ola Smith of Tuscaloosa, and Cynthia Smith of Marshalltown, Ia.

Mrs. Smith, who left home a month ago, visited her children in Birmingham, Ala., Dayton, Ohio and Marshalltown. She is a cousin of the Morrow family of Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Royston Entertain

Rev. and Mrs. S. M. Peck, Mr. and Mrs. John Danforth, Mrs. Mattie B. Scott were dinner guests Tuesday evening, Aug. 13, of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Royston at their home, 850 Fifteenth Street.

The H. Kinchlovs Entertain Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Kinchlow had as week end guests from Omaha, Neb., R. Lynch, Mr. Charles Russ, Mrs. Charlotte Gibson and Mrs. Lillian Neal of Denver, Colo.

Mrs. Gladys Walton, Son, of Boston Here

Mrs. Gladys Walton and son of Boston, Mass., arrived here last week to spend a visit with her sister, Miss Minnie Wray, 1110 University Avenue.

Des Moines Family in Switzerland



On their recent vacation in Europe, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Johnson, and 12-year-old daughter, Kay Lynn, 1112 Fourteenth Street, visited in Switzerland, stopping at Lucerne, called "Queen of the Swiss Resorts." They were photographed while dining at Stadt Keller's Lucerne Restaurant, enjoying a Swiss dinner. Mr. Johnson is holding the dessert course—a "Stadt Keller's Suiffe Chalet" (called a dessert-out of this world). Mrs. Johnson (left) described it as a "cake affair with

several layers, topped with a little house). The complete Swiss dinner began with a "Fondue" made of Swiss Cheese sauce into which cubes of toasted bread are dipped with fork, into the casserole dish which was placed on a spirit lamp or an alcohol lamp to keep the "Fondue" hot while eating. White wine was served with this first course. Then followed Roasted Swiss Bratwurst (homemade Swiss sausage); Roesti (potatoes sliced and fried in butter); a mixed salad; and the dessert; and

Something About Italy

"There was something about the country of Italy, that made us like it best of all the places we visited. The warmth, friendliness of the people, the way they dressed, the appearance of their farms—and the beauty of the country—made us want to spend much time there and even return, if we have a chance to go back," Mrs. Johnson related.

"In Rome—the Eternal City—we visited Vatican City, museums, St. Peter's Square, Catacombs, the Appian Way, Temple of Neptune, Sistine Chapel, Tombs of Poets Keats and Shelley.

"One of our 'free days'—to do what we liked, individually, was spent in Rome—on a Sunday, when we went to mass at St. Peter's. Mass is continuous and there are numerous; and there are multitudes of people, coming and going.

Find Hotdogs

"We had eaten much fine food, served in courses, all along our tour, but when we got to Rome, we went to California Grill where we found hotdogs and hamburgers—the American style.

"Another thing about Italy—their prices were more like ours than in any other country.

"We saw the Leaning Tower of Pisa—went on to Genoa, and out of Italy into Nice, France, where we spent a day and a half at the French Riviera.

Thrills and a Chill

"We had had many thrills on our tour—but one of chills and a near catastrophe, happened when Kay nearly drowned while swimming with a party of youth in the Mediterranean Sea—while at the Riviera. She was knocked down by a wave and went under—but was rescued finally by French guards. They worked with her and gave her medical attention after bringing her out. That caused a great deal of excitement and put an end to Kay's swimming until she got back home."

The party went to the little country of Monaco, to visit the famed Monte Carlo—where various members tried their luck, the Iowans

replied.

Mrs. Vergie Jackson Of Rock Island Here

Mrs. Vergie Jackson of Rock Island, Ill., spent three weeks here the guest of her sister, Mrs. Effie Duncan, 2625 Rollins avenue.

Speaking of cards—a printed one was placed on a pitcher of ice water in a chair on a front porch during the extremely hot days this summer. The card read: "Have a drink of ice water."

It was a welcome greeting to the postman or the milkman who passed daily.

Writer of the sign was Mrs. Alice Bell, 915 Fifteenth Street. Although caring daily for a bedfast husband, Mrs. Bell, nearing 83 years old, has a moment to think of others.

A travel card arrived from Indianapolis, Ind., where Mrs. Ida Greene, 1313 Fremont Street, is seeing a "wonderful country."

Mrs. Cothorn Honors Mary E. Wood at Sunday Coffee

Mrs. Marguerite Cothorn, 1423 Center Street, entertained approximately fifty guests Sunday afternoon at her home honoring Miss Mary E. Wood of Buffalo, N. Y.

Miss Wood, native of Des Moines, will end Monday her vacation here with relatives and friends. She is house guest of her sister, Mrs. Rose McCraven, 840 Sixteenth Street.

Former executive director of the Southwest Belmont Branch of the Philadelphia, where she served 13 years, Miss Woods completes next month her first year as executive director of the Buffalo Young Women's Christian Association, the first Negro woman to head a city association since the WYCA integrated its Negro and white activities, nationally.

was spending his day-off from his Okay Barbershop, appeared, smiling as he listened to Mrs. Johnson tell highlights of their trip.

In France in 1918

He had been to France and Belgium during World War I and was interested in seeing many of the places and how they had changed during the past 39 years.

His favorite country, from a historical interest, and because of the warmth of the people, is Italy, where he saw the Pope twice; and went sightseeing at the colosseums and forums which stand as dignified, mute monuments to the "glory that was Rome." "I could almost see Mark Anthony and Old Brutus standing there," Mr. Johnson talked, revealing that history has been his favorite subject.

As a veteran Des Moines barber, he was pleased with the freedom he found in getting a haircut—without any trouble—in several countries. No one hesitated to cut his hair because he was a Negro, he said.

Foreign Barbers

"I noted that most of the foreign barbers are shears artists. I saw no electric clippers. The price of the haircut is cheaper. I paid fifty cents in Rome and one dollar on ship."

Kay Lynn, a student at St. Mary's Academy, Nauvoo, Ill., is awaiting the opening of school, Sept. 3, to tell the Sisters and her boarding schoolmates about her trip. She has studied several courses in history, her favorite subject, at school—and she found her trip more interesting as she pointed out many places about which she had read.

In Versailles, France, she visited the palace and rooms of Louis XVI and Marie Antoinette, queen of France. She saw a love letter from King Henry the VIII to Anne Boleyn (Kay chose as her summer reading from the Des Moines Public Library—The Life of Anne Boleyn—second wife of Henry VII, beheaded).

Likes French

Kay's favorite language on the tour was French—but the country she liked best—and to which she would like to visit again—is Italy.

The Wm. Graves Are Dinner Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Graves, 1741 Walker street entertained at dinner, Sunday, Aug. 18, Mrs. Lucy Hurd, Johnson Nursing Home, and Mesdames Mae Wells, Lucy Sandelin and Mr. George Wells.

Mrs. J. W. Jackson Of Los Angeles Shown Social Courtesies

Mrs. Joshua W. Jackson and son, Kenneth of Los Angeles, Cal., ended a two-week visit here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Winston, 1108 Eighteenth Street.

Mrs. Jackson, the former Lucille Day of Des Moines and St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. Winston are cousins.

Social courtesies extended Mrs. Jackson were by: Mrs. Marie Kiser, Mrs. Rufus Spates, Mrs. Irene Owens, Mrs. Cleo Johnson, Mrs. William Montgomery, Mrs. John A. Williams.

Mesdames Jackson and Winston motored to Duncombe, Ia., where they visited an aunt, Mrs. Myrtle Colman.

Robert and Lavora Dixon, Harry Thomas On Motor Tour

Robert Jr., and Lavora Genella, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Dixon, Sr., of 1044 Third Street, left last Thursday by motor for various parts of the East.

Enroute they will stop in Chicago, Ill., and Detroit, Mich. Accompanying them were Mr. Harry Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thomas, 1108 Thirteenth Street.

Harry and Bob, Jr., recent graduates of Des Moines Technical High School where they were track stars, are travelling in their letter sweaters.

The C. Campbells Have House Guests

The Cleveland Campbells of 908 Laurel Street had week end guests from Chicago, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. William Gillis, cousins of Mr. Campbell.

The most striking sub-deb fashions were seen on the girls in Paris, who wore a series of vari-colored can-can skirts under white straw-like open-work, gored skirts. Kay bought Italian shoes, Austrian peasant skirt, a gondola hat which she lost on the way home.

From her night at the Moulin Rouge in Paris, she remembered "beautiful music"—a song "Ala" which she described as a "mixture of modern calypso and Rock 'n' Roll."

The party of tourists took a train to La Harve, France, from Paris, boarded ship—and enroute home, Mrs. Johnson had another thrill—a surprise birthday celebration July 31, while on ship. She was presented a birthday cake by the steward. The Johnsons visited in the interior of Old Mexico in 1951 and 1953.

They like to travel.

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The Mermon Walkers Celebrate Fourteenth Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Mermon Walker celebrated their fourteenth wedding anniversary, Aug. 14, at their home, 955 Fifteenth Street.

Sharing the courtesies were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ewing, Parker Weston, Raymond Allen, Howard Rice, Charles Wade, Mrs. Mabel Allen.

Mrs. Joseph Howard And Son, Baltimore, Visiting Kin Here

Mrs. Gwendolyn London Howard and four-month-old son, Joseph, Jr., of Baltimore, Md., are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown, her stepfather and mother, and Mr. William London, her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard, formerly of 1136 Fourteenth Street, moved the early part of the summer to Washington, D. C., and later, Baltimore, where Mr. Howard is employed.

Mrs. Howard, a former Des Moines public school teacher, will begin teaching in the Baltimore school system next month.

Mrs. Eleanor Ford Of Memphis Visits The H. D. Youngs

Mrs. Eleanor Ford of Memphis, Tenn., left Sunday after spending five days here as guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Howard D. Young, 1164 Fourteenth Place.

The Youngs entertained at dinner for her. She attended a lawn barbecue at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Parker, 920 Dixon.

Mrs. Ford is a practical nurse in Memphis.

Mrs. Walker Ill

Mrs. Sam Walker, 1064 Fourteenth Street, was reported seriously ill at her home.

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A STRONG CASE OF
POLICE BRUTALITY

Public officials have a duty to protect sub-employees in the performance of their duty. But when employees go beyond their assigned duty and infringe upon the rights of others, then it becomes the duty of public officials to protect the public against illegal acts of those employees.

And this is the high ground the Eisenhower administration took when they turned the American soldier over to Japanese authority for trial even though that action stirred the wrath of many ignorant unthinking people in and out of congress.

It is obvious that it was not necessary for three policemen to beat Knox, (he was arrested for trying to save a drowning boy) as they did while in custody and inside the jail. And if it took this much cruelty for three policemen armed with billys and other items of defense to subdue one man who had none, then either they are poor officers or deliberately abused an unarmed prisoner.

Apparently city officials are taking a cowardly position which does not argue with far famed public servants. The city manager says he sees no brutality when three policemen beat up one man to the extent that 41 stitches are required to dress the wounds. What kind of a man is George Forster anyway? He has jurisdiction over the police force. Surely one so senseless to decency in government presents a glaring example of unfitness for the post he occupies.

Over the radio last week it was announced that the case had been postponed because both city prosecutors would be out of the city on the day of the trial. A later newspaper announcement stated that the case was postponed in order for the prosecutor to prepare for trial. Which of these is true? It looks as if the case was postponed in order to permit the removal of the bandages and stitches from Knox's head.

The Bystander is fully aware that there are many fine conscientious officers on the Des Moines police force and they adhere to the law and rules. But those who attempt to excuse these officers because of that fact is short-sighted as to the duty of public servants.

The NAACP and other groups are vitally interested in the outcome of this case as it points up how the rights of our citizens can be disregarded.

WHY NOT PROTECT
AMERICAN REFUGEES

It was inevitable that the Levittown, Pa. housing project would erupt into difficulty because when the promoters built it they boasted that no Negroes would be permitted to live there.

The constitution of the United States and that of Pennsylvania both give a citizen the right to own and occupy property in the location of his choice. And no agreement to provide otherwise is enforceable in court.

Surely, the South must be laughing at the North for its hypocrisy in dealing with the Negro problem in instances of this kind. Russia must be laughing at the US generally because it cannot carry out high principles of human relations among its own citizens.

And each is justified in its laugh for America spends all kinds of money on refugees from Europe in order to protect them from Communism and yet can't protect refugees at home against mob violence. That is one reason why thousands of people disapprove of the refugee program.

Much of the disorderly conduct toward minorities could be lessened if public officials took a more positive position on law and order and let it be known in no uncertain words.

Undoubtedly, Mr. Meyers and his family will remain in Levittown but not without a lot of headaches. But few rights are ever won without them.

Where are the good people in Levittown? Unfortunately, little is heard from them. And by the same token, hoodlums are being allowed to run the town and make the bad reputation which it is getting.

Editorials Indicate

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Contrary to the token, last-ditch argument of some Southerners against any civil rights bill at all, the bill passed by the Senate stops short of an "intolerable law." If those who have been determined to pass a civil rights law in 1957 will compromise along the lines of this bill, the South would be wise to try

to carry out its provisions in good faith.

Norfolk (Va.) Journal and Guide: We hope that President Eisenhower

The Negro Press

will veto the civil rights bill of the House-Senate conferees should decide to let it go to the President as is.

Pittsburgh (Pa.) Courier: We think the changes sought by the President to preserve the strength of the courts under other statutes are necessary and wise. However, if such changes are made, we believe the bill should be signed. We do not accept it as the full order for civil rights. It is a civil right minus bill. But it is unquestionably a step in the right direction. It is a grudging surrender to the demand of the times. These demands are insistent and continuing.

Belated Advance

Baltimore Afro-American:—With the phony jury trial amendment extracted in conference committee, as we hope it will be, this bill though limited solely to voting rights, represents a belated advance—in the first such step taken by the Congress in 85 long, weary, and agonizing years. Certainly it is too important a step to be thwarted by political stalemate.

California Eagle (Los Angeles): Frankly, we think the present Senate legislation is worse than no legislation at all because its enactment will tend to keep down agitation for another genuine law. It seems to us that supporters of civil rights legislation would be well advised to vote against it in its present form, as amended by the Senate, and that the President ought to veto it if the Senate version is sent to him.

New York Amsterdam News: We therefore call on President Eisenhower to veto the bill in any form which it will be placed before him. For no one, no matter how sincere, can make civil rights out of this mess of batter which the Congress has mixed up for his signature.

Northern Press

Christian Science Monitor (Boston): The more the Senate bill is studied the harder it becomes to oppose it as ineffective. . . . Precisely because it would enlist an essential degree of consent we believe the Senate bill is strong—in terms of actual effectiveness.

New York Herald Tribune: It would be a severe blow to American prestige and distinct failure of Congress to meet its responsibilities if the House of Representatives meekly accepted the civil rights bill as amended by the Senate. . . . From every standpoint including that of its own integrity, the House must do its very best to improve the civil rights bill.

Seattle (Wash.) Post-Intelligencer: The angry disappointment voiced by President Eisenhower at the 51-42 Senate vote that killed the heart of the administration's civil rights bill, was justified. . . . While it is true that legal subtleties confused the issue, especially in lay minds like ours, we think the President is right in his position that the jury trial amendment makes right-to-vote protection "largely ineffective" and that "many Americans will continue in effect to be disenfranchised."

N. Y. Times

New York Times: Let us see what can be done. If the prospective law does not improve an unhappy situation, let us study how that law can be strengthened and improved.

New York Post: In any case the situation has deteriorated to a point that presents only a choice between lesser evils. In the absence of any fighting Presidential leadership, there is clearly no prospect of reviving Part III at this juncture; all that remains is the question as to whether a flimsy bill is better than no bill at all. To that question it seems clear that the answer must be yes.

The Nation: Time alone will tell how much the toothless Civil Rights Bill, if President Eisenhower permits it to become law, will help the Negro citizen exercise his rights. But anyone can see right now that, come 1960, it will painfully hurt the Democratic party whose senators, for a variety of reasons, extracted the bill's bite.

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Could you help in such an emergency? What do you know about artificial respiration? Safety experts say about 7,000 Americans will die by accidental drowning this summer, but many could be saved by proper resuscitation and aftercare.

Face Down

Resuscitation must begin immediately after a drowning person is brought out of the water. Start by draining as much water as possible out of the respiratory system. Place the patient face down and lift him at the waist. Remove any debris, mucus, dentures, and other material from mouth and throat. Now begin artificial respiration. The "push-pull" or "armlift-back pressure" methods are recommended for everyone except babies and very small children. For them, the "prone tilting-visceral shift" method is advised to avoid the risk of rib fracture or lung puncture. None of these methods is difficult to learn. You'll find diagrams in first aid text books, Scout handbooks, even in your encyclopedia. Practice on your family to get the feel of it.

Of course, you'll send someone for help immediately—police, fire department, a doctor—but you can't wait. Resuscitation must not be interrupted for at least fifteen minutes. Even after the patient's breathing is established, you should continue for some time. Now place the patient on his side. Keep him as warm and dry as possible.

A whiff of spirits of amonia will temporarily help him breathe more deeply. Get him to a hospital as soon as possible, but handle him

with care to prevent the development of secondary shock.

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Levittown Housing

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effect on Myers' plans to occupy the house.

"I bought the home, and I intend to live there," he said. Myers, 32, is an equipment tester for a Trenton, N. J., refrigeration firm.

The tri-state area office of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People said it had had nothing to do with Myers' purchase of the house or his plans to move in.

Sontes were hurled Monday night, August 19, in an eruption of new violence after the Myers family moved into this all-white community.

A state trooper and a photographer were struck by missiles thrown by someone in a crowd of 250 persons held back by police about two blocks from the home of William Myers.

"You have struck one of my men," State Police Lt. J. M. Wicker announced over a loudspeaker.

"I will not tolerate this. I give you 10 minutes to get back to your homes."

His announcement was met by boos and jeers, but the crowd started to disperse. About 150 persons continued to mill about, however. At midnight there were still about 75 persons in the area.

Crowd Pushed Back

Then Wicker ordered 2 of his men to line up with riot sticks across the residential street and the crowd was pushed back another 20 yards.

A truck driver, Donald Walker, 34, was clouted on the shoulders for what Wicker said was cursing of officers and resisting the push-back. He was taken to a justice of the peace to be arraigned.

Hit by stones, but not seriously hurt, were State Police Sgt. George Gollub and Reporter-Photographer Gordon Parker of the Bristol (Penn.) Courier.

Warned Crowd

As the crowd started gathering about 8 p.m., Wicker, head of the state police contingent, read over a loudspeaker an ordinance which made a gathering of more than three people for unlawful purposes a misdemeanor. Then he said:

"I realize you have a problem and I respect it. However, we too have a problem and we ask you to respect it. If not, I shall have to direct my men accordingly."

Hungarian Partridge—Open season from November 9 through November 18. Shooting hours from 12 o'clock noon to 4:30 p.m. daily, with bag and possession limit of two (2) birds.

Squirrel—Open season for gray and fox squirrel from September 14 through November 15, 1957. Bag limit is six (6) per day; possession limit after first day is twelve (12). Entire state open.

Rabbit—Open season for cottontail.

POST EXCHANGE

Letters from Our Readers

A bit of prose. . . a line or two of poetry . . . a letter now and then to express thoughts in the minds of our many readers.

Send Yours Today

LET THE SPIRIT GROW

Let the spirit search—in the secret heart
So the mind can reach to that limitless store,
and the soul grow strong—for an eager start,
to meet the eternal—forevermore.
Hear the songs of the rolling hills ring clear,
tune in to the mountains symphony.
In the drum-beat deep—of the ceaseless sea
feel the choral chant of eternity.
Through the crooning lilt of the swaying trees
in the murmurs soft—or this living earth,
with the touch of the gentle unseen

breeze
now sense creation's virgin birth.
Celestial voices are speaking to all who will prepare to hear and to know:
all the miracles that await the call, of those who will—let the spirit grow.
—Glenn A. Gallagher.
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BEWARE!

Since dishonesty is invariably on an upswing nefarious Joe, I will not recommend it to anyone Not even those that I know
It's always a corrupt gesture being too generous with a helping hand
Generosity will often lead

to a selfish provocative man
I remember when I got married
I lived with my mother-in-law.
She always called me mother's boy even nicknamed me, Santa Claus.
I used to make good money in those days
each week I would give her some cash
Until she started running my marital show
and feeding me cornbeef hash.
One day she started running my marital show
that she was very rough when she plays
So I took the hint and started packing
And quietly sneaked away.
—Anonymous

Iowa Hunting and Trapping Seasons
Set by State Conservation Commission

Regulations for the 1957-58 hunting and trapping seasons were announced by the State Conservation Commission this week with little change from the 1956-57 seasons.

Season opening dates will vary slightly from 1956 openings, since all 1957 hunting and trapping seasons begin on Saturdays nearest the old opening dates.

Pheasants—Open seasons, long zone from November 9 through December 2, 1957. Shooting hours, 12 o'clock noon to 4:30 p.m. Bag and possession limit three (3) cock birds.

Open season in the short pheasant zone will extend from November 9 through November 21, 1957. Shooting hours 12 o'clock noon to 4:30 p.m. Bag and possession limit three (3) cock birds.

Quail—Open season in the long zone from November 2 through December 16, 1957. Shooting hours from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Bag and possession limit is six (6) birds.

Open season in the short quail zone from November 2 through November 16, 1957. Shooting hours, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. daily, with a bag and possession limit of six (6) birds.

Hungarian Partridge—Open season from November 9 through November 18. Shooting hours from 12 o'clock noon to 4:30 p.m. daily, with bag and possession limit of two (2) birds.

Squirrel—Open season for gray and fox squirrel from September 14 through November 15, 1957. Bag limit is six (6) per day; possession limit after first day is twelve (12). Entire state open.

Rabbit—Open season for cottontail.

tail and jackrabbit from September 14 through January 31, 1958. Shooting hours from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily. Bag limit ten (10) per day. No possession limit. Entire state open.

Raccoon—Open entire state for hunting only from 12 o'clock noon October 26 to midnight February 10, 1958. (See trapping seasons). No daily bag limit or possession limit.

Open Trapping Seasons

Mink-Muskrat—Open on the Mississippi River east of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad tracks from the Minnesota state line to the south city limits of the city of Davenport and from the south city limits of the city of Davenport east of Highway No. 61 to Minnesota state line from 12 o'clock noon, December 1, 1957 to midnight, December 31, 1957.

Remainder of state open from 12 o'clock noon, December 1, 1957, to midnight, December 15, 1957.

Beaver—Open entire state from 12 o'clock noon, December 1, 1957, to

midnight, March 1, 1958.

Badger Skunk, Opossum, Civet Cat—12 o'clock noon, November 10, 1957, until midnight, January 10, 1958.

Raccoon—Open season from 12 o'clock noon, November 10, 1957, until midnight, February 10, 1958. Water sets permitted only during the open season for mink and muskrat.

Otter—Continuous closed season, entire state.

The 1957 Iowa waterfowl season remains to be set. Since migratory waterfowl comes under the jurisdiction of the federal government, state regulations must be made on the basis of recommendations of the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service. The federal agency has not yet announced its recommendations for 1957.

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Every Week

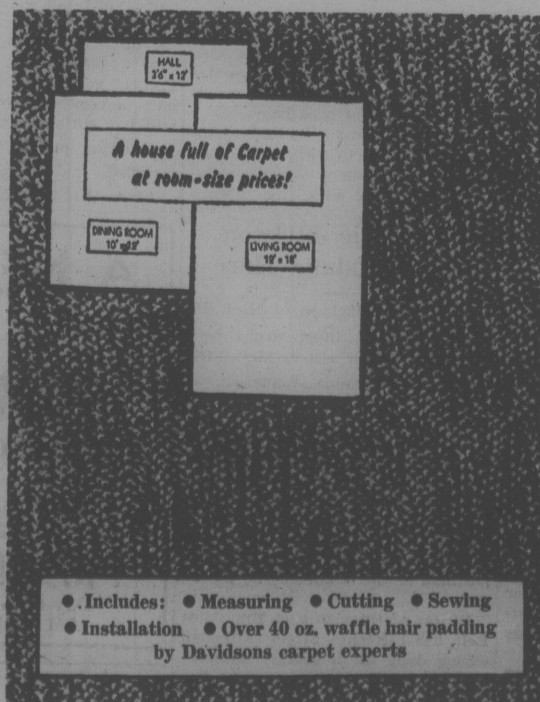
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