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INTERNATIONALLY-KNOWN DES MOINES-WASHINGTON, D.C. CONTRACTOR,

Archie A. Alexander Dies in Home

Mitchell Challenges Political Parties to Stop 'Colling Off' Talk Concerning Civil Rights

Atlanta, Ga.—Clarence W. Mitchell, director of the Washington bureau of the NAACP, challenged the federal government Jan. 1 to "stop talking about colling off and put the heat on those who are trying to destroy our government from within by sabotaging free elections."

Mitchell "flashed out" at both Republican and Democrats in an address prepared for delivery at the Emancipation Day program at the Wheat Baptist Church.

Fear Failures

"Some of the leaders in the Republican party are so fearful that the Democrats will embarrass them for alleged failures in the defense program that they want to sacrifice civil rights in order to appease Southern leaders in congress," Mitchell declared.

Turning to the Democrats, Mitchell accused some of them of "soft pedaling civil rights because they do not want to go to the polls as

a divided party in the 1958 national elections."

Reply to Rodgers

Mitchell's "cooling off" statement was in reply to a recent statement by Attorney General Rodgers that the administration was contemplating no new civil rights legislation in the 1958 congress.

Rodgers suggested that "a cooling off period" in the civil rights field might be in order.

Another Little Rock?

Taking issue with the attorney general, Mitchell said: "This is the time for members of congress to decide whether they want to prevent the kind of crisis that arose in Little Rock or whether they want to sit around fanning themselves in front of a time bomb as suggested by the attorney general."

Many Negroes in the South are deprived of their right to vote by "trickery and intimidation," Mitchell

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Re-Elected National V. P. For 8th Year

Re-elected one of the national vice-presidents for the eighth year was Ike Smalls, life member of the Iowa branch of the NAACP and national board member, who is in New York attending the national meeting of the NAACP.



Mr. Smalls

State committee chairmen for the NAACP were announced by A. P. Trotter, state president of the Iowa branch of the NAACP. Plans are being made also for a state execu-

Moss H. Kendrix's "Board of Inspiration"



BOARD OF INSPIRATION—The Moss H. Kendrix Organization, Washington, D. C., public relations and marketing firm, is currently observing its tenth anniversary. Above

Mr. Kendrix, right, who is founder and director of the agency which bears his name, poses with his family—Mrs. Kendrix, the former Dorothy Johnson of Columbus, Ohio, and

Mrs. Wimberly Invited to Washington, D. C. by Richard M. Nixon

Mrs. Helen C. Wimberly, president of the Iowa Association of Col-



MRS. WIMBERLY

ored Women, received a personal invitation from the vice-president of the United States, Richard Nixon, to attend a conference of the Presidents Committee on Government Contract's, Wednesday, Jan. 15, at 10 a.m. at Willard Hotel in Washington, D. C.

In his letter Mr. Nixon stated that the purpose of the conference "will be to discuss the policies and program of the President's Committee and ways in which interested persons and organizations might assist the committee in advancing its program of eliminating discrimination in employment on Government contracts because of race, religion, color, or national origin."

Mrs. Wimberly was recently re-appointed as probation officer of the Polk County Juvenile court and resides with her husband, Joseph Wimberly, at 1127 11th street.

Lansing, Mich.—Governor G. Mennen Williams announced the appointment this week of a Negro, Atty. Charles S. Brown, 36, of Detroit, as his special administrative aide.

Dr. Barnhill Named to Ass'n of American Public Health

Raleigh, N. C.—The American Public Health Association elected Dr. J. H. Barnhill of Raleigh, North

Carolina to membership, making him the first Negro to be so recognized. The American Public Health Association is not only a society of professional persons organized to further their collective interests and advance public health in our hemisphere, it is also a service agency concerned with the individual standing of each member.

Education

Dr. Barnhill, native and present resident of Hickory, N. C., is a 1924 graduate of the Howard University College of Dentistry. His postgraduate work was done at Forsythe Dental Infirmary, Boston, Mass., and Columbia University, New York, N. Y.

Dr. Barnhill has been in the Dental Department, State Department of Health Office in Raleigh, N. C., since 1936 as Social and Dental Investigator; State School Dentist, Senior Public Health Dentist, and now holds the office of Principal Public Health Dentist.

Affiliations

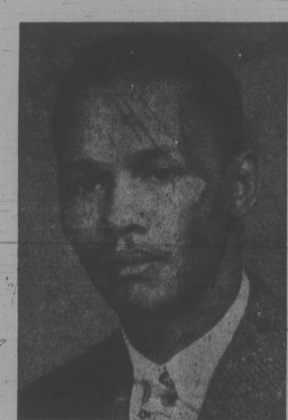
Dr. Barnhill is Past President of the Old North State Dental Society and Past State Vice President of the National Dental Association; also a member of the American Society of Dentistry for Children, and this year

appointed Chairman of the Public Health Committee of the National Dental Association.

His fraternal affiliations include charter member of Chi Lambda Dental Fraternity at Howard as well as 32nd Degree Mason and Shriner. Before entering dental school he served in World War I and is active in the American Legion. One daughter, Annette Barnhill, is a music teacher in Winston-Salem, N. C.

Chas. Peguese Elected Worshipful Master of North Star Lodge No. 2

The North Star Lodge, No. 2, F. A. M., completed its annual elec-



MR. PEGUESE

tion of officers and installation ceremonies, Thursday, Jan. 2 officiated by Past Master Ralph Parker and Past Master James Rhone.

Officers installed were: Charles W. Peguese, Worshipful Master; Donald L. McGee, Senior Warden; Warren Stovall, Junior Warden; Eugene White, treasurer; Harold Welch, secretary and William Walker, chaplain.

Appointed officers are John Broadens, S.D.; Gilbert Randall, J. D.; Gilbert Lewis, S. S.; Edward Barber, J. S.; and Roy Conner, Tyler.

Little Rock NAACP Submits Data to City Officials

Little Rock, Ark.—The local branch of the NAACP changed its policy and in a surprise move submitted by mail a part of the information about the organization, which did not include the membership.

The Rev. J. Crenshaw, who surrendered the information, included a letter which explained the financial statement of the NAACP and revealed that there remained about \$300 after expenses.

The appeasement move marked an abrupt change from the stand taken a few weeks ago by Mr. Crenshaw

Alexander Pallbearers

Active pallbearers named for funeral services for Archie A. Alexander were Dr. E. Thomas Scales, James B. Morris, Jr., W. Lawrence Oliver, James P. Thompson, Matthew Johnson, and Clarence C. Adams, all of Des Moines.

Honorary pallbearers were M. A. Repass, S. Donald Butters, E. L. Gale, Glenn Herrick, E. A. Kramme, Maurice C. Miller, Scott C. Pidgeon, Walter L. Stewart, John Tippee, J. E. Van Liew, Stewart Witmer, Herman Brown and Loren Cox, all of Des Moines.

Also, Dr. Mordecai Johnson and Perry W. Howard, both of Washington, D. C.; Dr. James Crump, St. Paul, Minn.; Dr. L. H. Foster, Tuskegee Institute, Ala.; Truman Gibson, Claude Barnett, Dr. Edward W. Beasley, Albert P. Bentley, Earl B. Dickinson, Harvey H. C. Gibson, Jefferson Gish, Edward S. Gillespie, John H. Johnson, Theodore H. Jones, Theophilus H. Mann, Frank M. Summers, Roger Wilson, and Judge Fred (Duke) Slater, all of Chicago, Ill.; Dr. Virgil Hancher, Prof. Frederick G. Higbee and Dr. Bruce Mahan, all of Iowa City, Ia.; Dr. T. S. Williams, Tuskegee Institute, Ala.; and Dr. Rufus Beshears, St. Joseph, Mo.

Little Known Facts of A. Alexander's Life

Mr. Alexander had suffered previous heart attacks, one in 1953, prior to his appointment to the governorship of the Virgin Islands, and others during his 1954-55 administration.

In 1921, he went to England to do post-graduate study in bridge designing and returned that year to Iowa University for his master's degree.

During World War II, the Alexander & Repass company built an aviation school for the training of Negro pilots at Tuskegee Institute, Ala.

Evansville, Ind.—Community hospital here, widely known Negro institution, has been awarded full accreditation by the Joint Commission on Hospital Accreditation, which recently made its regular inspection of the hospital.

Chicago, Ill.—Norman Simon, recently appointed assistant to the Executive Vice President of Chicago's Exchange National Bank, is the first of his race to hold a ranking position with a national bank in the busy Chicago loop district.

London, England—A Briton who had been "suffering from loss of appetite" turned out to be a veritable piggy bank, when he was admitted to a hospital. On the operating table, surgeons removed from his stomach 27 pieces of wire and 400 coins weighing more than five pounds.

Accra, Ghana—The Prime Minister of Ghana, Kwame Nkrumah, 48, married an Egyptian girl in a private ceremony at Government House Monday with a few members of his cabinet attending.

Washington, D. C.—"Daddy Grace", the man who runs his own religious kingdom, is being sued by Mrs. Louvenia Royster for support of herself and "their 30 year-old daughter." She claims that the man now known as Bishop C. M. Grace is the man she married on Dec. 26, 1923 under the name of John Royster.

and Mrs. Daisy Bates, state NAACP leader when they refused to comply with a city ordinance demanding records, and were fined \$300 each.

Heart Attack Fatal to Brilliant Engineer, Former Virgin Islands Governor

Last rites for Archie A. Alexander, 69, 2200 Chautauqua Parkway, widely-known Des Moines-Washington, D. C. architectural engineer and contractor and one time governor of the Virgin Islands, who died of a heart attack at his home early Saturday morning, were held Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. at St. Paul Episcopal Church, 9th and High Street. He had been in ill health two years and underwent two major operations recently.

Personal Slant

For a more personal slant and observations on the life of Mr. Alexander, read the "Personal Touch" by Marie Ross on page 5 and "Sports" by Allen Ashby, on page 6.

A native of Iowa, Mr. Alexander was known all over the state and in the nation's capitol for his engineering skills and achievements receiving public acknowledgment for such when an honorary degree in civil engineering was conferred upon him by his alma mater, the State University of Iowa in 1925. A year later the same school cited him with the Harmon Business Second award for outstanding service to industry, following completion of his largest construction in Iowa, the power plant at the university. In 1928, Mr. Alexander was awarded the Harmon Medal as the second most successful Negro in American business.

Birthplace

Born in Ottumwa, May 14, 1888 of Price and Mary Alexander, the family moved to Des Moines a year later. He attended Oak Park grammar school, Oak Park High School, the Highland Park college and later, worked his way through the engineering college at the State University of Iowa, where he graduated.

Mrs. Roach's Rites Held at St. Paul

Services for Mrs. Bernadina J. Roach, 60, of 1207 Center Street, who died Wednesday, Jan. 1, were held Monday in St. Paul AME Church. Burial was in Texas. The body lay in state at the church from 9 a.m. until Monday noon.

Mrs. Roach who was born in Smithville, Tex., lived in Des Moines 35 years and had worked as a barber. She was a trustee and usher board member of Glendale cemetery.



MRS. ROACH



Mr. Alexander

In 1912, after winning his letter for three years as a tackle on the Iowa football teams of 1910-12.

Partnerships

Several years after his graduation the partnership of Alexander and Higbee Contractors was formed in 1917 building numerous sewers, bridges and viaducts over Iowa, the largest being the South Des Moines sewer system. After the death of Higbee in 1925, he worked alone for a few years before forming the partnership of Alexander & Repass, in 1929, with offices in the Securities Building, of which he was the president until his death.

Constructions

Among their construction projects in Washington, D. C., was a 3-million-dollar freeway along the Potomac River, a million-dollar bridge across one end of the famous Cherry Tree Tidal basin, a water reservoir and the widening of the Francis Scott Key Bridge. They built the \$1,321,000 Douglass Apartments in 1955 at Anacosta, Md., on property owned by the National Association of Colored Women. In Des Moines the firm built the north ends of East 14th and West 18th Street bridges.

Inspection Tours

In 1934, Mr. Alexander was one of 12 members of a special commission sent to Haiti for a study of economic and social conditions. In 1953, he made an inspection trip with 14 others to Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, at the request of Navy Secretary R. B. Anderson.

Virgin Islands

In 1954 he was appointed by

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Negro Rights Pioneer Cited As 1 of 'Women of Courage'

New York.—An American pioneer in the advancement of Negro rights has been named by Senator John Kennedy of Massachusetts to his list of three "women of courage," published in the current issue of McCall's magazine.

Prudence Crandall, who in the early nineteenth century established the first school for Negro children in New England, is the woman.

In naming her to his list, Senator Kennedy stated, "Few teachers in the history of American education have ever refused more determinedly to bow to the prevailing prejudices of their community than Prudence Crandall."

Negro Girls' School

Prudence Crandall became a celebrated figure in American education when, in the year 1833, she decided to open a school for Negro girls in Canterbury, Connecticut.

Many of the citizens of Canterbury were infuriated by this decision and began an immediate campaign of harassment.

Her opponents passed a law in the state legislature making it illegal to establish a school for Negroes not resident in the state. Miss Crandall was arrested and imprisoned, but, after several lower court decisions, was freed by the state Supreme Court.

Furor Over Arrest

During the furor over the arrest of this courageous woman, her cause was espoused by many of the nation's most famous abolitionists and abolitionist papers. "Miss Crandall's triumph was short-lived, however, for soon afterwards citizens from Canterbury set fire to her school, and the building was so damaged that she was forced to abandon her project of a school for Negro children.

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Mason City, Iowa

BY MAYBELLE TURNER

The St. John Baptist Sunday School was held at 9:30 a.m. on Sunday, Dec. 29, with Mrs. Willie Turner in charge. The Rev. Granville Williams preached on the subject, "Essentials for 1958". Mrs. Lewis Kipper sang a solo, "Under His Wing".

Installation of officers were held in the evening, Dec. 29 at the church with a short devotion held prior to installing the officers who were Janice Burrell, superintendent of Sunday School; Mrs. Willie Turner, assistant superintendent; Granville Williams, Jr., secretary; Mrs. Lewis Kipper, treasurer; Virginia Burrell, president of the B.T.U.; Wilma Lightner, vice-president; Juanita Austin, secretary; Orville McGruder, treasurer.

Mrs. Kipper was installed as financial secretary of the church; Mrs. William Barnett, treasurer; Mrs. William Lightner, clerk; Claude Stalling, William Barnett, Samuel Edward and Louis Kipper, church trustees; Mrs. Granville Williams, president of the choir; Mrs. Stalling, vice-president; Mrs. Calvin Duncan, director of the board of Christian education, which includes O. H. Burrell, Orville McGruder, and Jessie Stewart; Mrs. Kipper, president of the Mission society; vice-president, Mrs. O. H. Burrell; treasurer, Mrs. Willie Turner; and secretary, Mrs. Duncan.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF C. S. INC.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have associated themselves to gether under and by virtue of Chapter 491 of the Code of Iowa, 1954, as a corporation and have adopted Articles of Incorporation providing as follows, to-wit:

1. The name of the corporation is "C. S. Inc." and its principal place of transacting business is Des Moines, Iowa.
2. The general nature of the business to be transacted is to buy, sell, lease, rent, operate and generally deal in real estate.
3. The commencement and existence of this corporation began on December 25, 1957, and continues for twenty (20) years with the right of perpetual succession.

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The Family—Mr. and Mrs. Al Williams; Mr. and Mrs. Bagby; Miss Blossom Daniels; all of Des Moines, Ia. Mr. Levester Cunningham, of Los Angeles, Calif.; Miss Francis Lowery, Richmond, Ind.

Fort Dodge, Iowa

BY C. L. HOUSE

The Rev. William Scott, of Des Moines, and pastor of the Second Baptist Church in Fort Dodge for the past 14 years has resigned effective, Sunday, Jan. 5, when he preached his farewell sermon to the congregation on that date. During his 14 years as pastor of the church, the Rev. Mr. Scott has made regular trips to Fort Dodge from Des Moines every other Sunday to conduct services. Growth in church and Sunday School, memberships are among the accomplishments cited by church members during Rev. Mr. Scott's pastorate. Many church building improvements have been made also during his tenure. The congregation has announced no plans for securing a minister to succeed the Rev. Mr. Scott.

C. L. House received message that his aunt died at Leavenworth, Kans. Among the past holiday visitors here were Mrs. LeAnna Carter and her two little daughters, LeAnna Malisa and Scharmaine of Clifton, N. J., who visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Malisa Howard. Mrs. Carter came here Nov. 4 and stayed until Jan. 3.

Dr. and Mrs. Herman Neil of Chicago, Ill., were here Dec. 28 to attend the 10th Senior high school class reunion held at the Gold Coast and to spend the week-end with Mrs. Neil's mother, Mrs. Malisa Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Evans of Minneapolis, Minn., were here to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Buckner, Mrs. Evans is the former Alma Jean Buckner.

Other recent visitors were Mrs. Margaret Lyntell and children of Omaha to see her father, Daniel D. Lockman and other relatives and friends. Also, home was Donald Lockman of the U. S. Air Force, formerly stationed at Minneapolis, but is now stationed at an air base near Dallas, Tex.

Thomas Howard is home now, after being honorably discharged from the U. S. Air Force Nov. 18.

4. The amount of Capital Stock authorized by the Articles of Incorporation is Ten Thousand Dollars divided into one hundred shares each of \$100.00 par value.

5. The affairs of the corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors consisting of not less than three nor more than seven who shall elect a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer and such other officers as the Board of Directors may deem fit.

6. The annual meeting of the stockholders shall be on the first Monday of November, 1958.

7. Until the first election the following will act as Directors: Anna Lappen, Chester Lappen and Stanley Lappen; and the following shall be the officers of the corporation, Anna Lappen, President.

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Burlington, Iowa

Robert M. Lloyd, son of Mrs. Elaine P. Drew became seriously ill Dec. 20 and had to be rushed to Mercy Hospital in Des Moines where he underwent major surgery. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams.

His mother and grandparents came to Des Moines to see him; his grandparents left the day after Christmas and mother stayed until Sunday, Dec. 29. Mr. Lloyd is reported doing fine.

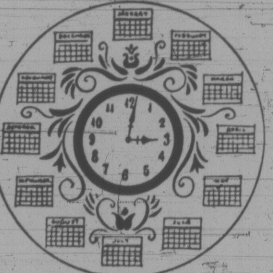
The new technique of removing human cancers from patients and growing them in rats and hamsters permits testing of possible cancer-inhibiting drugs against human cancers without endangering the patients.



Collar the Clock!

PUTTING a collar on the average kitchen timepiece will brighten up the clock wall and make it both attractive and more useful.

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terial should be large enough to allow for the sawing of a "collar" to fit around the clock.

The center of the "collar" may be cut out with a coping or similar-type saw. To get the blade started, insert it in a hole bored near and inside the line marking the outline of the clock.

Shape of the clock will determine whether the outer edge of the "collar" is round, square or hexagonal. The distance between the clock and the outer edge of the Plywood should range from four to six inches, depending on the size of the clock and the amount of wall space available.

Friction ordinarily will keep the "collar" in position, flat against the wall at the back of the clock, but if the sawing has been irregular and the border is loose, insert small pieces of wood to take up the slack.

Arranged in clockwise order around the clock's new border may be glued the leaves from a small calendar. The ingenious homemaker can decorate the clock in various ways.

Chester Lappen, Vice President, C. E. Kramer, Secretary and Stanley Lappen, Treasurer.

The private property of the owners of stock in said corporation shall be exempt from corporate liabilities.

Des Moines, Iowa, January 3, 1958.
ANNA LAPPEN
C. E. KRAMER
Secretary

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NOTICE IN PROBATE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: GRACE LOUISE SCOTT McKISICK, Deceased.

YOU are hereby notified to appear at the Court House in Polk County, Iowa, in the 9 day of February A. D. 1958, at 9 o'clock A. M., to attend the probate of an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of Grace Louise Scott McKisick, Deceased, late of Polk County, Iowa, at which time and place you will appear and show cause, if any, why said will should not be admitted to probate.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the District Court at Des Moines, Iowa, this 3rd day of January A. D. 1958.

MICHAEL H. DOYLE, JR.,
Clerk District Court
V. P. MINICH
Deputy

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NOTICE IN PROBATE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: WILLIAM T. F. FOWLER, Deceased.

YOU are hereby notified to appear at the Court House in Polk County, Iowa, on the 20th day of January A. D. 1958, at 9 o'clock A.M., to attend the probate of an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of T. F. Fowler, deceased, late of Polk County, Iowa, at which time and place you will appear and show cause, if any, why said will should not be admitted to probate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the District Court at Des Moines, Iowa, this 20th day of December A. D. 1957.

MICHAEL H. DOYLE, JR., Clerk
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Sprinkle 4 broiler-fryer chicken halves with Ac'cent on flesh side of chicken and a little on skin side 15 to 20 minutes before cooking, then sprinkle with salt, pepper and paprika. Place chicken halves, skin-side down, in baking pan. Do not overlap halves. Brush melted butter over cut side of chicken. Bake in a moderate oven (350° F.) 1 hour, 15 minutes. While chicken is baking, prepare packaged stuffing according to directions. Place stuffing in aluminum foil, seal edges tightly. At end of first half hour, turn chicken over and brush with butter. Place stuffing in oven with chicken. Bake 20 minutes longer and brush chicken again with butter. Continue baking 15 minutes longer. Serve with stuffing and gravy made from partially diluted cream of chicken or mushroom soup.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF FIRST INSURANCE FINANCE COMPANY

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that there has been incorporated under and by virtue of Chapter 491 of the Code of Iowa and Acts amendatory thereto a corporation whose Articles of Incorporation provide in substance as follows:

1. The name of the corporation is First Insurance Finance Company. Its principal place of business is in Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

2. The general nature of the business to be transacted is to engage in the business of lending money to persons or corporations; to incur indebtedness or borrow money for the purposes of the corporation and to issue bonds, debentures or other obligations of any nature; to sell, pledge, discount or otherwise dispose of such bonds, notes or other obligations of the corporation for its corporate purposes; to have and exercise all powers and authorities pertaining to the ownership of stocks, bonds, evidences of indebtedness or other securities; to sell the right to vote the same, except that the shares of its own capital stock belonging to the corporation shall not be voted; to have offices within or without the State of Iowa and carry on any of its operations within the United States; to purchase or otherwise acquire, own, hold, mortgage, sell, convey or otherwise dispose of property, real or personal, necessary or convenient for the conduct of its business; to engage in or conduct the business or businesses of manufacturing, merchandising, or producing goods, wares, or commodities; or any type of personal property; to engage in the business of buying, selling, owning or otherwise dealing in any and all kinds of property real, personal or mixed; to act as broker, agent or adjuster in the business of any class of insurance; to effect and perform contracts of any nature; to apply for, secure, own, hold or dispose of patents, patent rights, copyrights, trademarks or trade names; to hold shares of its capital stock and sell or transfer the same at such prices as may be determined by the Board of Directors.

3. The authorized capital stock of the company is \$200,000.00 divided into 2 classes:

Preferred Stock in the amount of \$50,000.00 divided into 15,000 shares of the par value of \$10.00 per share.
Common Stock in the amount of \$150,000.00 divided into 15,000 shares of the par value of \$10.00 per share.

The Preferred Stock shall be entitled to preferred dividends at the rate of 5% per annum before any dividend on shares of Common Stock and is senior to the Common Stock in the event of voluntary or involuntary liquidation. In the event cumulative dividends are in arrears for 2 years, the holders of the Preferred Stock shall be entitled to vote at the election of directors and for all other corporate purposes. Such voting power shall consist of 10 votes per share for Preferred Stock and shall continue until all arrears of cumulative dividends shall have been declared and paid. Preferred Stock shall be callable at any time at the option of the Board of Directors upon payment of the full par value of the Preferred Stock plus a premium of 2 1/2% upon the par value thereof plus all unpaid and accumulated current dividends. Except as expressly provided in the Articles of Incorporation, Preferred Stock shall have no right to vote either in the election of Directors or at any other corporate proceedings or meetings or to receive notice of elections, proceedings or meetings.

4. The corporate existence of the company commenced on November 26, 1957 and shall continue PERPETUALLY as now provided by law.

5. The annual meeting of the corporation shall be held on the third Wednesday of each year at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the principal offices of the company at which time a Board of Directors of not less than three nor more than nine shall be elected. Members of the Board need not be stockholders. Officers are elected at the annual meeting following the annual meeting of the Board of Directors persons constitute the stockholders. Until the next annual meeting the following persons constitute the Board of Directors of the company: George Olmsted, Des Moines, Iowa; M. H. Elkinton, Des Moines, Iowa; W. J. Barry, Des Moines, Iowa; and the following persons are officers: W. J. Barry, President; M. H. Elkinton, Secretary; W. E. Freeman, Treasurer; Des Moines, Iowa.



6. The private property of the stockholders shall be exempt from corporate liability except to the extent and in the manner as provided by the laws of the State of Iowa.

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 31st day of December 1957.

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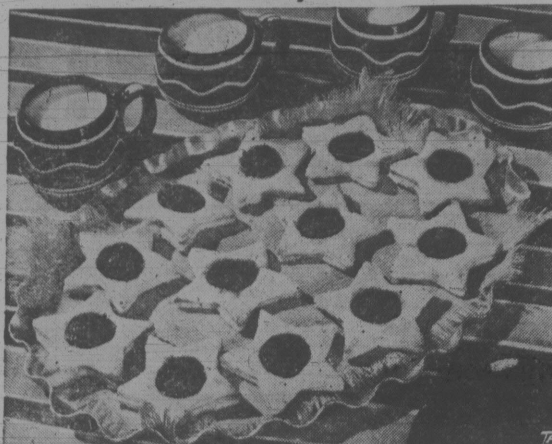
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Cranberry star pastries make attractive refreshments for the holiday whirl as well as dessert tidbits for the family.

CRANBERRY TARTS

2 cups sifted enriched flour
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Sift together flour and salt. Cut or rub in shortening. Add water. Mix to a dry crumbly dough. Toss on lightly floured pastry cloth. Press dough together. Roll out one-eighth inch thick. Cut with floured star-shaped cutter. Place half of stars on ungreased baking sheet. Put about one tablespoon cranberry sauce on each star. Cut small holes in remaining stars. Place on top of other stars. Seal edge together. Bake in hot oven (450 degrees F.) 12 to 15 minutes. Makes about 18 tarts.



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Other projects built in the Capital

city by the engineering company was the three-million dollar Whitehurst Freeway along the Potomac River; a water reservoir, and the widening of the Francis Scott Key bridge.

A. ALEXANDER**SEE FRONT PAGE**

President Eisenhower as governor of the Virgin Islands where he served until Aug. 18, 1955 when he resigned because of ailing health. He was a trustee of Howard university and Tuskegee Institute, having an honorary Ph.D. degree conferred upon him by the former in 1947. Also he was a member of the board of the Supreme Liberty Life Insurance Company in Chicago and the Episcopal Church.

Chairmanships

Mr. Alexander, was an active Republican, serving in state and national campaigns, and as a special assistant to the State Chairman from 1940-52. He was a past president of the NAACP and the Inter-Racial Commission, and was chairman of the Polk County draft board No. 6 during World War II for five years.

Willkie House

He was president of the Negro Community Center board when the Gardner Cowles foundation gave \$125,000 for the building of the new Willkie House. In addition he headed the board of management of crocker branch YMCA and was a former grand poleman of the Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity.

Surviving

Surviving Mr. Alexander are his widow, the former Audrey A. Linzy, whom he married in 1913; five sisters, Mrs. Harriet Hawkins, and Mrs. Helen Lee, of Chicago, Mrs. Colleen Jones, of Blue Islands, Ill., Mrs. Doris Thomas, Philadelphia, Penna., and Mrs. Edna Pinkard, of New York City; a brother, Harold Alexander, of St. Louis; and a number of nieces and nephews.

NAACP**SEE FRONT PAGE**

If Negro voting rights are properly protected and Negro leaders assert their leadership properly, Mitchell predicted, some Negroes will be elected to public office in the South in 1958. He said there should be Negro congressmen from the region after 1960.

Cites All-White Jury Unfair in N. Y. Case

Jamaica, L. I., N. Y.—A 22 year old youth, condemned to death with three other boys for the robbery slaying of a neighborhood grocer, told a jury and judge with tear-filled eyes, "When this trial started, we requested that Negroes be put on the jury. There were not enough Negroes in the panel and that one was dismissed by the District Attorney. I feel my constitutional rights were in jeopardy and I received an unfair and not impartial trial."

On this basis the youth, Jackson Turner of South Jamaica, Long Island, will appeal the death sentence along with three other boys, all found guilty of killing a 61 year old storekeeper in a holdup attempt September 6th. The four were sentenced to the electric chair, the first time in the court history that four men were ordered to die for one murder.

Mothers of the boys all began immediate preparations for a quick appeal as the execution date is for the week of Feb. 10th. By their own admissions, two of the boys acted as lookouts, while the remaining two actually entered the store and shot the old man when he resisted.

Mrs. Fannie Jackson Rites Tomorrow

Funeral rites for Mrs. Fannie B. Jackson, 85, of 1215 Laurel street, who died at her home Tuesday after an illness of two months, will be held tomorrow at 1:30 p.m. in Corinthian Baptist church with burial in Glendale cemetery.

Mrs. Jackson was born in Mobile, Mo., and had been a resident of Des Moines for 80 years. She was a member of Corinthian Baptist church and was active in its Pastors Aid, Corinthian Aid, Mothers Board, and Saint Mary's Christian Home Society.

She is survived by a son, Walter D., of Baltimore, Md.; five sisters, Mrs. Irene Jefferson, and Mrs. Pearl Dudley, both of Des Moines; Mrs. Ella Williams, of Rock Island, Ill., and Mrs. Bessie Burnham of Kansas City, Mo., and six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Six Commissioners On Civil Rights Are Sworn in Friday

Washington, D. C.—Six members of the civil rights commission were sworn into Office Friday in the presence of President Dwight Eisenhower, with Sherman Adams, chief assistant administering the oath.

Members of the commission are J. Ernest Wilkins, Negro, and assistant labor secretary for international affairs; the Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, president of the University of Notre Dame; John S. Battle, former governor of Virginia; Doyle E. Carlton, former governor of Florida; Robert G. Storey, dean of Southern Methodist University's law school; and John A. Hannah, president of Michigan State University and commission chairman.

The commission is a product of a compromise civil rights law Congress enacted in late August—the first legislation in this controversial field in some 80 years.

White Youth Charged With Crime, Negro Was Held for 5 Days

Leesburg, Fla.—After holding Melvin Hawkins, 18, incommunicado for five days as a suspect in a rape case, Sheriff Willis V. McCall of Lake County arrested a 19-year-old white youth who, allegedly, has admitted committing the crime.

Hawkins, a nephew of Virgil Hawkins who has filed suit for admission to the University of Florida Law School, was released on Christmas Eve following intervention by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. Robert Saunders, NAACP field secretary for the State of Florida received from Gov. Leroy Collins assurance that Hawkins would be protected. Nevertheless, McCall held the youth without making any formal charge against him.

Jesse Daniels, the white youth, was arrested on Dec. 28 and was formally charged with raping the 33-year-old white woman in Okahumpka a week before Christmas.

Senator Morse Says He'll Introduce New Civil Rights Bill

Washington, D. C.—Senator Wayne Morse (Dem. Ore.) in a television interview Sunday, said he will introduce new civil rights legislation shortly after Congress convenes and "give the boys a chance to stand up and be counted."

Morse who claimed he voted against the civil rights bill that was passed last year because it was "a shell" did not disclose what his provisions would be.

Negro Sues City Transit in Memphis

Memphis, Tenn.—Argument began in U. S. District Court Monday, on whether Tennessee state laws ordering separate seating for Negroes and whites on public transportation conflicts with the U. S. Constitution.

Basis for the suit is the tense, brief city bus ride taken 21 months ago by Z. O. Evers, 32, a Memphis postal employee, Evers boarded the bus, and after paying his fare sat

Events That Seem Dull to Parents Can Be Exciting, Adventuresome to Children**UNDERSTANDING IOWA CHILDREN**

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Child's Perspective

A few days ago, my first-grade son and I were chatting about nothing particular when he mentioned something about school. When I asked him how he likes school, he

said he loves it, and added that he has lots of fun there.

I asked him whether that is what he is supposed to do as school. He turned to me earnestly and said,

down in a section reserved for whites. When he refused the drivers order to move, a policeman was called, and Evers was given the choice of obeying the driver or being arrested.

Evers stepped off the bus, but his action laid the groundwork for the suit he filed a month later that was backed by the NAACP. He says he has received hundreds of telephone calls since filing the suit and a cross was burned on his front lawn.

Asks for Thorough Use of Private Housing Bias Law

New York—Roy Wilkins, NAACP executive secretary expressed the hope here this week that implementation of New York City's new law banning racial discrimination in private housing will be "thorough and effective."

Mr. Wilkins' view was contained in a letter to Mayor Robert F. Wagner, who signed the housing bill on Dec. 30.

The NAACP official asked the mayor to give "every aid and assistance of the city administration" to the Commission on Intergroup Relations, which will administer the new law.

"New York has forged ahead, and the eyes of the entire nation will be upon us in the way we carry out this mandate," Mr. Wilkins declared in his letter, dated Dec. 31. "I assure you that NAACP will do its utmost to cooperate with you and the Commission."

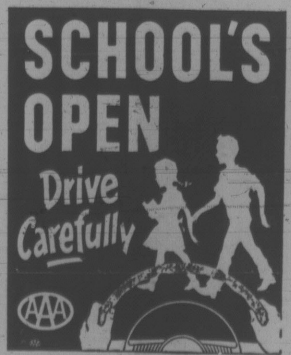
The mayor was praised by the civil rights leader for his "interest in and support of" the housing legislation.

"We are proud of the fact that New York was the first city in the United States to adopt such legislation," Mr. Wilkins said.

The Sharkey-Brown-Isaacs housing bill was introduced by Councilmen Earl Brown, Stanley M. Isaacs and Joseph T. Sharkey. The measure was strongly supported by the NAACP and other civil rights organizations. In June, 1957, Mr. Wilkins testified on behalf of the bill before the City Council's committee on general welfare. On Dec. 5, the bill was passed by a vote of 20 to 1. On Dec. 23, the Board of Estimate unanimously approved the bill.

N. Y. Police Official Faces Suspension

New York City—Citing he did not report the accident of his automobile in October which fractured his jaw, preventing him from answering questions, fired at him for blotting out the traffic arrest of Mrs. Hazel Sharper, Robert J. Mangum was threatened with suspension of license this week, adding another mark to his record. As head of the Juvenile Division of the Police Department, Mangum is a high official who, until the revelation of Mrs. Sharper's plight, had held an unblemished record.



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What he said about the purpose of school delighted and disturbed me at the same time. He is young, and he lives in an exciting and adventurous world where he can explore things and ideas, and try out different ways of explaining and understanding his life. His is a marvelous age, and I envy his freedom to see everything from his acquisitive point of view.

We adults have all noticed that some things that astonish us are casually accepted as being perfectly normal by children. Children expect the miracles and the surprises; they seem to take for granted that learning and living are fascinating.

Different Views

What he said disturbed me, too.

I was once in first grade, too, and I must then have had much of his enthusiasm and delight in exploring. Much of what I do now seems routine, sometimes even drab or unpleasant. When my son accompanies me in my routines, I am suddenly sharply made aware of how differently we two view the same experience. What I find boring he finds interesting, and what I find unpleasant he often finds challenging.

I am disturbed because I would like to help him retain his zest—his feeling that it is his purpose to have fun and to learn things. I wish, too, that I could re-discover some of his perspectives. I wish that I had some of his thrill of anticipation, his expectation that his day will bring miracles and surprises.

I know a lot more than he does, but I would be willing to trade some of my "knowledge" for some of his good sense.

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Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

St. Paul A. M. E. Church
12th and Crocker Streets
REV. A. L. WILLIAMS, Minister
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 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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REV. H. BELL, Pastor
ORDER OF SERVICES
Sunday School 9:00 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 8:00 P.M.
Wednesday Evening Mission Circle 8:00 P.M.

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

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

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 NEWS

Sunday morning, Jan. 12, the Rev. George Parrish will preach from the subject, "Christ, the All Sufficient Savior." The Ladies chorus will sing at both services. At 3 p.m. the Deacons, Stewards, Mothers of the churches will hold their first annual service with the Rev. Mr. Parrish preaching. Last Sunday evening Mr. Jacobson preached. Lester Jefferson was guest speaker at the First Baptist Church in Oskaloosa where the Rev. Mr. Crawford is pastor. We had three new members to join the church New Year's. The Rev. Richard Townsell, young minister of the First Baptist Church was our visitor. Last Sunday evening the sick and shut-in are Mrs. J. L. Madison, Mrs. Fannie English at home; Ernest Reed, at Veterans hospital; and Master Christopher Harris at Lutheran Hospital.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

"Arise and Go" was the text of the Rev. H. R. Fields' sermon, on Sunday, Dec. 29, and he was assisted by the Senior Choir singing. The Rev. A. C. Crawford was a visiting pastor and Miss Frances Lee united with the church on Christian experience. Mrs. Al D. Hill left the weekend of Dec. 22 to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. S. Rector, who died in St. Louis, Mo. Business meeting was held Tuesday, Dec. 31 at the church after which a social hour followed prior to Watch Night services. Worshipers at the services, Sunday, Dec. 29, were Mrs. N. Townsell and children and Mrs. J. Howard. Sunday School officers for 1958 are Superintendent, Mrs. Katherine McFarland; assistant superintendent, Melvina Brodley; secretary, Leonard Gray; assistant secretary, Leroy Gray and Spiritual advisor, Deacon Steve Watson.

Last Sunday was Communion Day. The music was in charge of the Senior Choir and Miss Frances Lee who united with the church recently was given the right-hand of fellowship. Mrs. Binda Stewart, charter member of the church is a patient at Mercy Hospital. Mrs. A. D. Hill returned Sunday morning from St. Louis, Mo., where she attended the funeral of her mother, Mrs. S. Rector. She was accompanied on the trip by her children.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The Shiloh Senior Choir is having Bishop M. W. Goodman and congregation of the New Jerusalem Church of God in Christ, Sunday afternoon at 2:30, Jan. 12 Mr. William Pope is in charge of the devotion; Elmer Evans is program chairman and

Pilgrim Missionary Baptist Church

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

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, 6-8910
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class 6:30 P.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wed., 8 P.M.

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Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:45 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 7:45 P.M.

Burns Methodist Church

Rev. JUNIUS E. HALL, Minister
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed., 7:30 P.M.

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Mrs. Pearl Gibson is president. The pastor, the Rev. I. H. Harris and senior choir of Shiloh Baptist Church Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. Jan. 19.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Last Sunday morning all officers of all clubs, auxiliaries and departments who are to serve for the year of 1958 were installed in a special installation service. At the end of the evening service the following persons were given the right hand of fellowship, namely: Mrs. Lizzetta Williams, of St. Joseph, Mo., Charles and Prentice Gary, of Des Moines. Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock service the Rev. N. R. Olphin will speak on the subject, "Angels and their Functions." There will be preaching at the evening service. At 7:30 p.m. Monday evening Jan. 13, the board of Christian education will meet at the parsonage, 1207 West 13th Street.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The Richard Allen Chorus will present and sponsor the Rev. Paul Turner of Chicago, Ill., Sunday, Jan. 12. The Rev. Mr. Turner will preach at the 11 o'clock service and in the afternoon will render an organ recital at 3 o'clock. The third Sunday, Jan. 19, is Missionary Emphasis Sunday. The following Sunday, Jan. 26 is the Sunday School Annual Homecoming at 6 p.m. Plans and details will be announced later.

On Monday, Jan. 20, the Church conference will be held and all members are urged to attend.

BURNS METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

On Sunday, Jan. 12 at the 11 o'clock service the subject of the Rev. Junius Hall will be "When the Ark Set Worth," or "The Mercy Seeds." Music will be provided by the Choral club. At 5 p.m. Sunday, the ANS Women Society of Christian Service will meet. The official board meeting will be held at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 14 and Prayer meeting will be Wednesday, Jan. 15 at 8 p.m.

COMMUNITY SANCTIFIED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday, Jan. 12, services will be in charge of Mrs. V. Higgins, M. Graves, O. Scott, E. Bradley and others. Last Sunday services were in charge of Bishop D. H. Cranshaw who was speaker for the day. Acting pastor is Bishop Cranshaw.

Rev. Paul Turner to Appear in Organ Recital at St. Paul

The Rev. Paul Turner, of Chicago, Ill., will appear in an organ recital at St. Paul A.M.E. church, Sunday afternoon, Jan. 12, at 3 p.m. under the sponsorship of the Richard Allen chorus.

D. M. Church Women Initiate New Year With Dinner Meeting

The United Church Women of Des Moines opened the New Year with a dinner meeting at Central Christian Church on Monday, Jan. 6 at 5:45 p.m.

Theme of the program which followed the dinner was the Story of the Migrant with Francis (Skip) Andrews, a Roosevelt High School senior and president of the United Christian Youth Movement, discussing national and Iowa Migrants.

Leading devotions was Dr. Mary Golden and Miss Ethel McLellan, President, conducted the business meeting.

Rev. Roy Cunningham To Speak at Kyle A.M.E.

The Rev. Roy Cunningham of Maple Street Baptist Church will be the guest speaker Sunday, afternoon, Jan. 11, at Kyle A.M.E. Zion Church at a program sponsored by the Kyle choir.

Mrs. Maude Pickett Is 'Mother of Year' at Corinthian Baptist

Mrs. Maude Pickett, 1004 16th Street, was chosen "Mother of the Year" by the Corinthian Baptist Sunday School on Dec. 23, for her more than 12 years of faithful service and attendance.

Never known to miss a single Sunday school morning or church services, Mrs. Pickett was presented with a large basket of varied fresh fruit and an 11-pound turkey.

Methodist Leaders Let It Be Known They Do Not Favor Hasty Integration

Baltimore, Md.—The position of the Negro bishops of the Methodist Church on the question of the Central (Negro) Jurisdiction of the denomination has been made clear in a resolution adopted recently by the Jurisdiction's College of Bishops.

Bishop Edgar A. Love, head of the Baltimore Area, and president of the College, has made public the statement prepared at the last meeting of the Methodist Council of Bishops at Gatlinburg, Tennessee.

Eventual Abolition

The statement says: "We are in favor of the eventual abolition of the Central Jurisdiction. This has been the sentiment of the General Conference in the adoption of amendments dealing with the question. These amendments have the overwhelming approval of the Annual Conferences of the Central Jurisdiction."

"We approve the so-called 'open door policy' by which the conferences of the Central Jurisdiction

will be merged into the other five jurisdictions (geographical) when and as both groups are ready for such action."

Active Measures

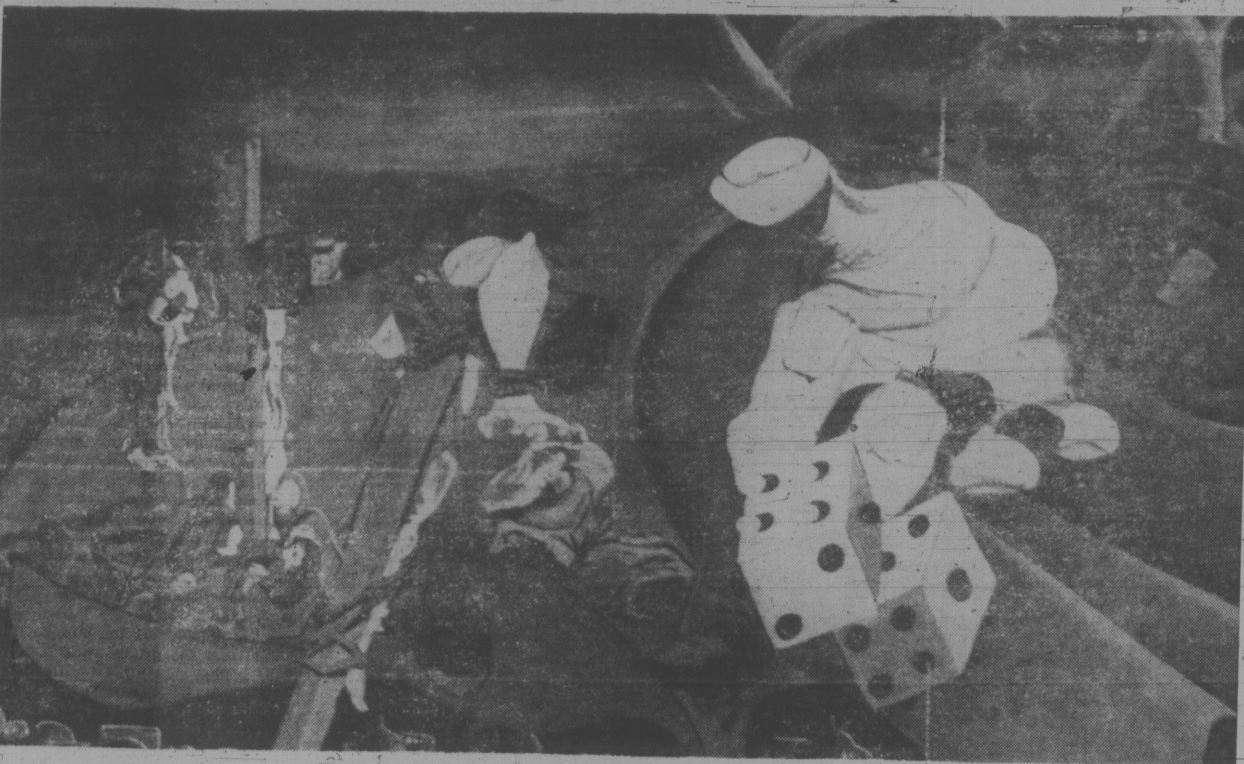
"We recommend that active measures be taken in each jurisdiction where churches and conferences of the two groups are proximate to each other, so as to make possible the development of freer relationships and better understanding to the end that each will be better prepared for the eventual absorption of the Central Jurisdiction by other jurisdictions."

The bishops cautioned churches on "too hasty action in breaking away from the Central Jurisdiction, except in cases of churches that are isolated from others in the Jurisdiction."

Bishops' Views

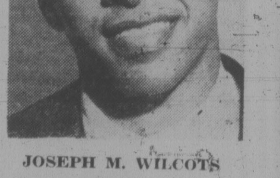
The bishops feel that the Central Jurisdiction should be maintained

"Told Crucifixion" by Des Moines Technical High School Senior Joseph Morrow Wilcots



Another artistically inclined son in the Wilcots family is 18-year-old Joseph Morrow whose opaque watercolor painting, "Told Crucifixion" was featured in a recent exhibit at Des Moines Technical High School.

The surrealist painting shows a huge hand throwing dice in the foreground, against the scarlet background of Christ's robe, for which men gambled. The three crosses on which hang Jesus and the two thieves are depicted from a rear view.



JOSEPH M. WILCOTS

Rites at Maple Street For Mrs. B. Burrell

Services for Mrs. Bessie Burrell, 58, of 824 Twenty-third Street, were held at 1:30 p.m. Friday, at Maple Street Baptist Church, with burial at Glendale cemetery.

Mrs. Burrell died Monday, Dec. 30, at Broadlawn General Hospital after an illness of several years. Born at Texarkana, Tex., she lived here most of her life. She was a member of the Maple Street Baptist Church.

She is survived by a son, Everett, Des Moines; three daughters, Mrs.

with a "reasonable degree of strength so long as its existence is necessary—and this would mean until all churches and conferences in the jurisdiction are welcomed into other jurisdictions with equality and mutual respect."

Bishops present at the meeting were: J. W. E. Bowen, Atlanta; M. W. Clair, Jr., St. Louis; Willis J. King, secretary of the College of Bishops, New Orleans; Edgar A. Love, Baltimore; Alexander P. Shaw, retired, Los Angeles, and Prince A. Taylor, Jr., Monrovia, Liberia.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF DORCO INC.

Notice is hereby given that there has been incorporated under and by virtue of Chapter 191 of the Code of Iowa and as amended thereto a corporation as follows:

The name of the corporation is "DORCO INC." and its principal office and place of business is in the City of Des Moines of Polk County, Iowa.

The general nature of the business to be transacted by this corporation shall be to own and operate real property and to acquire, lease, hold, sell, or otherwise dispose of real estate, personal property, to borrow or raise money for the general purposes of the corporation and to exercise its corporate powers in the State of Iowa and elsewhere and to maintain and establish offices and agencies within and anywhere outside of the State of Iowa.

The amount of capital stock authorized by said Articles of Incorporation is \$50,000.00 divided into 1,000 shares of common stock of the par value of \$50.00 each which must be fully paid for in money or property at its cash value when issued and shall be non-assessable.

The corporation commenced its business on the 2nd day of January 1958 and its corporate existence runs for a period of 20 years unless sooner dissolved by an affirmative vote of a majority of the stockholders.

The affairs of the corporation shall be conducted by a Board of Directors of not less than 2 nor more than 5 directors who shall be elected by the stockholders at the annual meeting of the stockholders and shall hold office for one year or until their successors are elected and qualified. The officers of the corporation shall be a President, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer, and such other officers as the Board of Directors may see fit to elect or as may be provided for in the Bylaws. The officers shall be elected by the Board of Directors on the day of each annual meeting of the stockholders or as soon as practicable after adjournment of said meeting. The annual meeting of the stockholders shall be held on the second Friday of April of each year. Until the first annual meeting which shall be held on the 11th day of April, 1958, the directors shall be: Doris B. Steves, 3737 John Lynde Road, Des Moines, Iowa, 3737 John Lynde Road, Des Moines, Iowa.

Doris B. Steves shall be President and Treasurer and Richard J. Steves shall be Vice President and Secretary.

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The young artist majoring in art college and to seek a career as an and photography, explains the painting this way: "It expresses what I have been told about the Crucifixion."

"The dominant theme of the dice symbolizes the idea that people see the evil side of life more than the good."

One of 13 children of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilcots, 1104 Seventeenth Street, Joseph said he plans to continue his education at a West Coast

artist-photographer in the motion picture industry.

A brother, Sherman, is a hydrographic artist (drawing ships) as a civilian employee for the navy in Washington, D. C., and another brother, Henry, Jr., is an architect in Denver, Colo.

Joseph is a member of Corinthian Baptist Church. He was on the Tech varsity football team two years, playing left halfback, and is vice president of the senior class. Photo courtesy of Des Moines Tribune.

Marie and Carolyn, all at home; three sisters, Mrs. Effie Gayer, of Leavenworth, Kans., Mrs. Willie Belle Sloan, and Mrs. Johnnatta Williams, both of Casper, Wyo.; and two brothers, Sam of Omaha, Nebr., and Robert, of Des Moines.

Rev. Patton to Speak at Pilgrim Baptist

The Rev. T. Patton of the First Baptist church at Centerville, Iowa, will speak at the Pilgrim Missionary Baptist church, Sunday, Jan. 12, at 3 p.m. Mrs. Florence Robinson, president of the choir will be in charge. The Rev. Wayland Heath is pastor.

Old Fashion Revival At Church of Christ In West Des Moines

An Old-Fashion Revival is being held at the Church of Christ, 9th and Railroad in West Des Moines and is being conducted by Evangelist Elliot Elder A. C. Carroll is pastor.

Wm. Warricks Rites at St. Paul Today

Services for William Henry Warricks, 94, of 1415 Goddard Court who died Monday at the McCraney Restorium, 925 18th street, are being held at 1:30 p.m. today at the St. Paul A.M.E. church, with burial in Glendale cemetery.

A native of Lebanon, Mo., Mr. Warricks had been a Des Moines resident 76 years. He was a member of Doric Lodge and Brotherhood, Inc.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Vivian Parker, Chicago, Ill., and Mrs. Elizabeth Wilks, Denver, Colo.; one son, William P. Warricks, St. Paul, Minn.; four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Rites Saturday for Frank Greenfield, 54

Services for Frank Greenfield, 54, of 1535 Second place, who died of a heart attack Tuesday at Broadlawn General Hospital, will be held Saturday, at 1:30 p.m. in Estes & Son chapel, with burial in Glendale Cemetery.

Born in Atchison, Kans., Mr. Greenfield had lived here 34 years and had worked nine of them as a janitor at the Bankers Trust building.

Surviving are his wife, Leona; four step-daughters, Myrtle, Clara Mae,

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Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Burrell, Sr. Fêtes Golden Wedding Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Burrell Sr., and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Burrell Sr., of Oralabor, Ia., celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary with a reception at Willkie House, Dec. 29, from 2 to 4 p.m. with more than 25 guests represented from out of states such as Minnesota, Michigan, Illinois, Missouri, and neighboring Iowa cities.

Posing for the 50th anniversary photo are seated, the honorees, Mr.

and Mrs. Burrell, Sr., standing left to right, are Wesley O. Burrell Jr., Mrs. Thelma McIntosh, Minneapolis, Minn., John A. Burrell, Minneapolis, Minn., Mrs. Vera Green, St. Louis, Mo., S. Russell Burrell of Des Moines, Mrs. Oletha Rich, of Minneapolis, James L. Burrell and Mrs. Marion Keese of Des Moines. Mr. and Mrs. Burrell Sr. had eleven

children born during their marriage but one child died.

Among the guests were close family friends, Atty. and Mrs. Clyde Miller of Des Moines and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sexauer, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Claime and Mr. and Mrs. Alfee Wilson and family all from Ankeny.

B. Shaw's Comedy, "Man and Superman" At D. M. Playhouse

George Bernard Shaw's witty and sparkling comedy of the war between the sexes, "Man and Superman" will be presented at the Des Moines Community Playhouse from Jan. 10-25, with the house dark on Mondays.

Tickets may be reserved by telephoning the box office from 1 to 8 p.m. daily beginning Friday, Single admission is \$2. The telephone number is BL 5-3114.

On view in the lobby and Green room during the production will be a unique exhibition on loan from the American National Theater and Academy of pictures covering all phases of theater activities in the United States, a collection which in part represented American drama at the European theater Festival last summer.

Electa Council Group Gives Annual Holiday Party January 4

The Electa Administrative Council held their annual holiday party on Saturday, Jan. 4 at 8 p.m. at the Masonic Temple, 11th and Center Streets.

Guests sharing the courtesies were Mr. and Mrs. Mark Warren, Mrs. Guesner Shaw of Marshalltown, Ia.; Mrs. Ida Connelly, of Centerville, Ia.; and Madames Fannie Cooper, Fannie Danforth, Stella Hyde, Clara Kemp, Bernice Sloan, Dorothy Taylor, Myrtle Taylor, Emma Williamson and Miss Ronneane Parkey; Messrs. Bruce Baker, Leroy Berry, French Brown, Jr., Frank Jett, Wilmer Johnson, Sam Jordan, George Mason, Marcus McCraven, Alfred Rhodes and Gus Smith.

T.O.B. Elects Officers

The T. O. B. club met Jan. 4 at Mrs. Ethel Jeffers, 1109 West 17th street for election of officers for 1958.

Officers are Mrs. Frances Morrow, president; Mrs. Agnes Matthews, secretary; Mrs. Thelma Claybrook, treasurer; and Mrs. Cecil Jones, credit and reporter. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Pauline Humphrey of 1407 Center street.

Miss Coleen Martin, SUI Student Visits Parents Over Holidays

Miss Coleen Martin, a student at the State University of Iowa, was home during Christmas visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Martin, 1645 16th street.

She spent New Year's with her roommate, Miss Lorlie Edmunds of Chicago, Ill., and other relatives. She will return to the school from there.

Miss Martin is participating in a play with an all Negro cast which is being presented sometime in February for an 11-day run at the University theatre.

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"A summer luncheon can be excitingly different... and without a lot of fuss," says Miss Catherine Gray, Fostoria Glass consultant on correct table settings. She suggests a "salad smorgasbord" made up of several different kinds of salads to your guests can take their choice of one or several. On a large torte plate, arrange molded fruit salads, tuna and chicken salads in individual lettuce cups. A big bowl of tossed salad sits in the middle

of the torte plate, saving space. Serve your salad smorgasbord on the porch... a card table will do the trick. Serve dressings in individual cruets to suit different tastes (and diets). Complete the picture with a big basket of hot rolls and a tray of iced tea or coffee in thin crystal tumblers. The salad looks cool, the tinkle of ice cubes in crystal glasses sounds cool. "It's all part of successful summer entertaining," says Miss Gray.

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Louis Jordan

New York City.—THIS A AND THATA... Louis Jordan tells us he just left Brinkley, Arkansas, his home town where he played an engagement for the first time since making a name for himself... His father, 86 years old, was recently taken ill... for the first time in over 50 years... Louie's playing the Town Hill supper club in Brooklyn which made a mint charging \$4. minimum... He's doing his new act on the Ed Sullivan Show...

Sam Cooke

Sam Cooke on Kean records keeps moving up with his "You Send Me" but we hope he will vary his style... Too much of that clever phrasing will lead to monotony in other songs... What happened to "If I Could Help Somebody" in the top ten lists? It's definitely sold out at many of the Broadway and neighborhood record shops—yet it's not among the top ten in this area... It's backed by a beauty: "Boulevard of Broken Dreams" which carries the Eekstine voice loud and clear...

1957 Awards

New York City.—With the New Year swinging into the spirit of things, we find rock and roll still with us, a prediction we flunked out as we were sure the "fad" would have died out... However, calypso did the fading away as Belafonte, its staunchest booster, turned back to ballads for his most important dates... Rock and roll is still not only going strong but booming with Alan Freed and whole headline cast leading the Paramount Theatre... Best on the bill is Fats Domino who came a long way this year to stardom...

Play of the Year

Brightest 1957 stage production, needless to report, was Lena Horne's "Jamaica" which is still doing terrific biz each evening... Second is "Simply Heavenly" who did good only on off-Broadway... A few scattered Negro players in dramas were

Mrs. Snow entertained the past matron council Naomi chapter No. 13 O. E. S. Saturday, Jan. 4 with Mrs. Lawrence as special guest. Mrs. Lawrence and Mrs. Snow are members of Princess Oziel No. 9, O. E. S. of Des Moines and Past Matrons of Excelsior chapter No. 12 in Marshalltown, Ia.

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recognized... Eartha Kitt's play flopped

1957 Best Film

With films, there were several to be commended... "Island In The Sun" stood out with its heavily talented cast and strong conflicts... "Band of Angels" with Sidney Poitier brought out a strange tale of Civil War days... 1957 brought out Nat Cole as an actor in "China Gate" and pushed the theme of integration with bit players and supporting actors in many minor films... The industry progressed in '57 but has not as yet surrendered to interracial romances.

Best TV Show

On television, the new show was the Nat King Cole show—which ended before the year ended but made a magnificent showing—rating equally with any other show of its kind... Big stars continued to make appearances on Ed Sullivan, Steve Allen and Perry Como shows... Most popular were Pearl Bailey, Sarah Vaughn, Ray Robinson and countless rock and rollers... Incidentally more than enough new singing groups on the rock and roll theme came forth, some good, some bad...

Outstanding Actor

To choose the most outstanding performer—it would be almost impossible, as so many can qualify, but we'll say that Harry Belafonte kept his rating as a king in his terrifically busy schedule which included a Waldorf Astoria date to end all... Credit goes to Johnny Mathis for being the "find" of the year—to Billy Eckstine for making his comeback... to Earle Hyman for his brilliant Shakespeare and to Matti-wilda Dobbs for breaking barriers at the opera. To sum it up, 1957 was a good year—good for business and good for showpeople... But they're looking to '58 to be even brighter as with integration on the march, who can tell how far we can go into channels of television, opera and motion pictures.

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Personal Touch

By MARIE ROSS



The death of Mr. Archie A. Alexander at his home on Jan. 4 was a shock to many of his friends, acquaintances and associates throughout the state and nation. He had led such an active and colorful career in Iowa—fighting and speaking out for the rights of a first class citizen—for equal education—equal opportunity for jobs—better housing facilities—for all citizens, that his passing is like a light that has been shining a long time—suddenly going out.

Since his first severe heart attack in 1953, Mr. Alexander had to curtail many of his activities. He did not like the idea of having to change his pace from a busy one of a builder of bridges, buildings—and highways. He put up a courageous front, many times when he should have been resting—all because he did not wish to "feel like a weakling," or have people sympathizing with him.

One of the moments during an illness, he felt he had to go on—and most of his friends who knew that he was sick, had some frightening, tense moments until his engagements for that one day had ended.

It was during April of 1955, when he and Mrs. Alexander were home on a vacation after having spent a year in the Virgin Islands where he was governor.

Republican friends had made engagements for him to visit the State Legislature which was in session. Former Governor Leo A. Hoegh, had invited the Virgin Islands governor—Mr. Alexander—to be his guest in the Iowa chamber. A special police escort had been sent out to the Alexander home to lead the visiting governor's party of local Republicans to the State House in a motorcade.

Mr. Alexander became slightly sick before he left home that morning. Mrs. Alexander revealed, but he went on as if nothing had happened.

He was in Governor Hoegh's office, chatting with the Iowa head, accompanied by a group of friends. Suddenly, he had another sick spell and was assisted out of the room by the governor's aide, then Douglass Miller.

Standing outside of the chamber with other reporters, Mr. Alexander said as he passed, "I'm very sick." He was gone a few moments, but returned to the chamber to join Governor Hoegh, as if he had not been ill.

A few moments later, two escorts from the House of Representatives came for Mr. Alexander to take him to the House where he

was scheduled to address a joint session of the State Legislature.

I began to wonder whether he would be able to make it. How could he go on with his speech as he had planned, would he drop before he got to the platform? Would he be able to finish?

Like a warrior, he walked down the aisle of the House, up of the platform and began his speech. During his talk on the affairs in the Virgin Islands, he paused several times. And I wondered if he could finish. He finished like a true champion, received a long applause, and was escorted out of the auditorium.

Certainly, I thought he would go home and rest. But, did he? No, he had a noon luncheon engagement with friends at the Hotel Savery.

After that engagement, I was sure he would end his activities for the day.

I called Mrs. Alexander to see how he had fared during the afternoon. She informed me that he, supposedly, was alright, because at that time he was out addressing a night session of the Iowa Press Association.

And, that next day, he and Mrs. Alexander left Iowa to return to the Virgin Islands.

What a day! No. What a man!

Miss Janice Wallace Returns to Ohio After Visit With Parents

Miss Janice Wallace left for Cleveland, Ohio Saturday morning after spending Christmas and New Years with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wallace, 1010 17th Street. Enroute home she was to visit friends in Chicago and Detroit. Miss Wallace is an occupational therapist at Crite V. A. Hospital in Cleveland, Ohio.

Daughters Visit Mr. And Mrs. Fred Morrow

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morrow, 709 Boyd, during the holidays were their two daughters, Mrs. Ralph Arrington, of Buffalo, N. Y. and Mrs. Eloise Walker, of Chicago, Ill.

Princess Oziel Chapter Elects Officer Dec. 20

Princess Oziel Chapter, No. 9, O.E.S., met Dec. 20 at the Masonic Temple, 11th and Center Streets and held election of officers for 1958 who will be installed at the next meeting to be held Thursday, Jan. 23. Following installations the newly elected Worthy Matron will select her appointive officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Chinn Here From K. C., Mo. For New Year's Day

Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Chinn of Kansas City, Mo., were in Des Moines for New Year's day as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Brown, 1162 13th Street. They flew back to their home that night.

Les Coupletats Meet With F. Christophers

The Les Coupletats met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Christopher, 1710 Crocker, Saturday evening, at 7:30, with Mrs. Carl Jacob, club vice-president, presiding. A social hour with games and refreshments followed the business meeting.

The next regular meeting will be held at 1175 12th Street with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edwards as hosts, on Saturday, Jan. 18, at 7:30 p.m.

Miss Ross Flies to D. M. for Funeral of A. A. Alexander

Miss Marie Ross, former feature writer and news editor of the Iowa Bystander, flew to Des Moines Wednesday to attend the funeral of A. A. Alexander, held at St. Paul Episcopal church, 9th and High streets.

Miss Ross was with the Bystander 18 years before leaving for her home in Kansas City, Kans. She is now working in the society news department of the Kansas City Call.

Legion Auxiliary Meets at Willkie House

The American Legion Auxiliary unit 126 met Tuesday, at the Willkie House and elected delegates to attend the mid-winter convention at the Hotel Savery, starting Jan. 19-20.

Delegates elected were Mrs. A. A. Brewer, and Mrs. Mable M. Mason. The next meeting will be held Jan. 21.

Leonard Volineer, 29, 1 of 5 Injured in 15 Ft. Fall From Scaffold

Leonard Volineer, 29, of 946 Fourteenth Place, was one of five men injured Friday, Jan. 3, in a fall from a scaffold and taken to Iowa Methodist Hospital.

Volineer, who suffered an injured left hip and wrist, is a laborer with the S. D. & D. L. Cota company, Inc., of Des Moines, plastering contractor.

The men fell 15 feet to the concrete floor of St. Theresa Catholic Church, under construction at 6016 University Avenue.

Crocker "Y" Board Holds Meeting

Paul L. Wilson, chairman of the Board of Management of the Crocker branch YMCA announced that the board held a meeting Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the branch building, 1333 Keosauqua Way.

Hold 'Clean Up Day'

A "Clean up Day" was held at the Crocker Branch YMCA building at 1333-Keosauqua Way, Friday, Jan. 3.

According to James F. Dixon, executive secretary of the branch approximately 20 teenage boys donated their time and services to wash walls, clean floors, and rearrange furniture, etc.

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ARCHIE A. ALEXANDER

All men are created equal is a creed America goes by, and it is true. But all men don't use their talents equally. Some reach the top; some never arrive.

In the passing of Archie A. Alexander, the country, and particularly Iowa, has lost a citizen who made the most of his talents.

Born in obscurity, Archie worked hard for an education and got it. He worked hard for success in his chosen field and he made it. He worked hard to build a big business against stiff competition giving no quarters and asking none only that he be given what he made.

But his business success did not prevent him from giving much of his time and money for community betterment and church affairs. He was a father to many a youngster who was trying to get an education, giving much of his talent to promote their efforts. He felt that as an obligation and carried into this work the same drive and determination as was done in his personal business.

His life may well serve as a pattern for young men born similarly situated, and who feel that their chances of success are dim. He demonstrated that it could be done and that help was available for any youngster who had the fortitude to master his field and stick to it.

Archie has long been recognized as one of Iowa's leading citizens, one of Iowa University's illustrious graduates and, in more recent years, so recognized nationally.

He will be missed sorely. He will be hard to replace. But the things men do live after them. Certainly there are many by which Archie will be remembered.

HYSTERIA GETS AMERICA NOWHERE

Too many Americans in high places have developed senseless hysteria over Russia's scientific achievements. Congressional investigations are directed toward who is to blame for letting someone else be first rather than what must be done to catch up.

Of course, this is politics but the kind which plays with fire at a time when unity and levelheadedness should be the program.

No amount of scientific research and development can come to America over night but will in time as the people settle down to a calm pursuit of the aims to be accomplished.

It is no wonder the average layman is hysterical for if the selected and appointed leaders are what else might be expected?

CIVIL RIGHTS COMMITTEE

The committee appointed by President Eisenhower in compliance with the civil rights law passed last year is rather interesting. It is equally divided between North and South. And while the views on the Negro question of the southern members are not generally known, unless the Texas law school dean leans toward equality and the law, either a deadlock will prevail, or at least a minority report will be forthcoming. It is well that the public not pass judgment too soon but wait and see how the committee operates.

Howard U. Prexy to Speak at 2nd Annual Memoriam at Bennett

Greensboro, N. C.,—Dr. Mordecai W. Johnson, president of Howard University, Washington, D. C., will deliver the address when the second annual remembrance service for Dr. David D. Jones will be held at Bennett College, Sunday, Jan. 12, in Pfeiffer Chapel.

Dr. Jones, served as president of the college from 1926 to 1955 and as president emeritus from 1955 until his death in 1956.

Dr. Johnson, who holds degrees from Morehouse College, the University of Chicago and Harvard University, has been president of Howard since 1926. He is widely traveled, both in this country and abroad, and is considered one of the nation's most outstanding public speakers.

Doric Lodge No. 30 Re-Elects Officers

Doric Lodge No. 30 in its meeting last month re-elected the following officers for 1958: Frank Hogan, Worshipful Master; Eustace Ware, Senior Warden; George Jackson, Junior Warden; Richard Henderson, S. D.; Edgar Palmer, J. D.; John Moore, S. S.; George Frazier, J. S.; The Rev. Thomas Lighons, chaplain; Charles Lewis, Tyler; and C. C. Johnson, Marshall.

SPORTS

BY ALLEN ASHBY

If the grapevine is correct we have lost a couple of former athletic greats. The Des Moines Register carried a good account of the doings of Archie Alexander, a former Iowa varsity football player. We never heard Mr. Alexander talk much about his school days, but we got to know him because he used to always talk Iowa football to us. Gave us several leads on whoever entered the varsity who later became stars. We recall that he gave us the early dope on Mike Hagler.

When he was out of the country Mr. Alexander gave us the impression that he depended on us for news about how the team looked, what they might do against certain opponents. And since the man served so well in Big Ten football and played, we couldn't for the life of us see why our humble opinion was so eagerly sought. But a couple of times we neglected to answer his questions and got a tongue lashing for our pains.

Thereafter we didn't let our opinions go unsaid. We will miss the big guy.

Charles Howard

We heard that Charles P. Howard succumbed to a heart attack. This we hope is untrue but perhaps it isn't. Charley has his legal and political battles and differences but no matter what, no one could say that he hadn't been a great athlete.

Football, basketball, baseball, track, tennis, and golf. Charley battled the best in his day and was right up there with the top in all sports. He gave us the idea of getting into tennis meets, even if we never had a chance because if we kept that gate open, some day we might have a champion. So out of this idea came our present Hilltop tennis club, our Des Moines open meet and maybe next year a women's singles champ. For this we will always remember Charley.

Basketball

Do you know we could pick a pretty fair basketball team on Negroes we have seen play. There would be Chamberlain of Kansas, of course, Crawford of Iowa State, Vaughn of Illinois, Robertson of Cincinnati and Neal of Drake. We hope to see Booz of Kansas State later on.

Tiger Jones Floored; Loses Title Chance

Miami Beach,—"I was dizzy" was the only reason Tiger Jones could give for losing the 10 round decision to Joey Giardello who will now be in line for a crack at Carmen Basilio, middleweight king.

In the largest turnout of the year—3,661, Jones was floored in the third round. The 29 year old Jones has had 69 fights but this was his 21st defeat. But Giardello had some good things to say about him.

"You hurt him and then he comes back, Jones is a tough guy to fight," said the winner, Jones said, "Every time I got in close the referee broke us up and wouldn't let me use my right." At any rate, Jones lost his chance at Basilio first—and he's pretty unhappy about it.

Mike Hagler Stars In Optimist Bowl Game

Tucson, Arizona,—Former Iowa star halfback Mike Hagler continued his thrilling performance of dazzling runs and scoring last Saturday but this time for the College All-Stars.

In the Optimist Bowl football game which pitted the College All-Stars against the professional Tucson Cowboys, Mike Hagler, of the All-Stars, scored on their first offensive play from scrimmage with an 80-yard touchdown run. Hagler scored again in the first period from the seven-yard line after Notre Dame's Dick Lynch set up the touchdown with a 36-yard return of an intercepted pass.

The College All-Stars built up a 23-7 half time lead in handing the Cowboys, champions of the newly formed Western Professional league, their first defeat and went on to win decisively 56-28.

For his showing, Hagler was named the outstanding offensive back of the game.



HAGLER

HEALTH FOR ALL

What problems exist in Health and Safety in Polk County? If we have problems, what can we do about them?

These questions and others will form the theme of a county-wide meeting at new Saydel High School, 5601 E. Sixth Street, at 8:00 P. M. Monday, January 13th. The west entrance to Saydel School will be open and the meeting will be in the cafeteria.

Sponsors

This announcement was made by Virginia James and Helen Blaney, Co-chairmen of a joint committee from the Health Division of the Council of Social Agencies and the Polk County Public Health Council.

Mrs. James stated that the county-wide meeting is sponsored by the following Polk County organizations: Board of Health, Board of Education, Board of Supervisors, Farm Bureau, Health Improvement Association, Agricultural Extension Service, School Administrators Club, and the Sheriff's office.

"While representatives of all sponsoring groups will take part," said Mrs. Blaney, "Brief discussions and reports will highlight the program."

Cardinals Sign First Summer High School Star, Thomas Haltom, 18, for Class "B"

St. Louis—The St. Louis Cardinals have signed their first Summer high school star in the person of 18-year old Thomas Edwin (Tom) Haltom.

Young Tom, who is 5-11" and weighs 170 pounds, has been assigned to the Cardinals Class B league and will report to spring training at Daytona Beach, Fla. It brings to 40, the number of Negro players in the organization owned by Anheuser-Busch, Inc. The total includes three in the Cardinal national league club with the remainder scattered throughout the farm system.

Record

The new recruit, a native of Jackson, Tenn., worked out with the Cardinals last season. He graduated from the Summer high school here where he hit .419 during the 1957 season. He played in the Van Johnson league with the Kinlock team hitting .386. At Summer he participated in basketball and track with the two-mile run his specialty.

He bats left-handed and throws right handed. Tom was scouted by Cardinal scout Joe Monahan.

Texans Claim Next Boxing King, Cleve Williams

Houston, Texas,—Down in Texas, Houston to be exact, boxing fans are crying, "Bring on Patterson" and "Bring on Macher" for they are convinced that their home boy, a big-muscled giant from Georgia, named Cleveland Williams is destined to wear the heavyweight crown that now embraces the head of Floyd Patterson.

"Rhinceros"

One faction has it that the one to dethrone Patterson is Eddie Macher, another says it is Alex Miteff of the Argentine and still another leans toward New York pugilist Mike DeJohn. But the hue and cry in Houston is Cleveland Williams. To those who wonder why Houston fans cite his big muscles, his amazing speed of foot and hand and they say he can hit hard enough with each fist to fell a charging rhinoceros.

Victories

After a series of quick victories by Williams who polished off three Texans in three separate fights over the space of four rounds he met

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Discussion

Dr. James F. Speers, City and County Health Director, will discuss county-wide public health issues. Ralph Norris, County Supt. of Schools, will review school health. S. R. Christensen, Public Health Educator, and Mary Pascock, Health Division Secretary, will present information about resources and studies made of county problems. Norman Wagle, Extension Safety Specialist, will speak on safety needs. Mrs. Zella Childs, Agricultural Extension Council, will report on the county clean-up campaign.

Health Knowledge

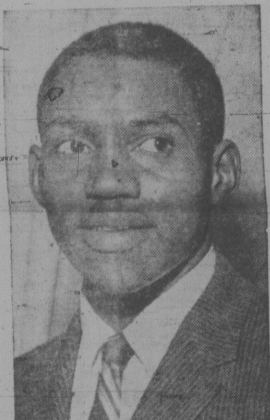
"Combined county-wide health knowledge will benefit all of us," said Mrs. James. The Polk County Public Health Council, and the Health Division of the Council of Social Agencies recognize the need for united efforts on all health and safety matters. This committee has been created to advance that viewpoint.

All members of organizations and persons interested in county problems are invited to attend this meeting. —Des Moines-Polk County Department of Public Health.

Outfielder

Haltom is an outfielder and last year was named to the St. Louis Public High School All-City Team. "I am confident I can make good. I have long wanted to play in the Cardinal organization," he said.

In 1953, when Anheuser-Busch, Inc., with August A. Busch, Jr., as president, purchased the Red Bird Club, there were no Negroes in the team or in the organization.



Tom Haltom

tough "never been off my feet" Bob Albright, Williams sent Albright to the deck in the third and finished with a TKO in the sixth.

Formidable?

Then he met what fans thought was a formidable foe, Chicago's John Holman with wins over Bob Satterfield and Ezzard Charles. After taking a solid blow against the chin in the first round that he seemed didn't feel he knocked Holman silly in the seventh round and it took five minutes to bring him around. That was enough to convince Houstonians that Mr. Cleveland Williams will bring the crown to Texas. But Patterson, rugged Floyd Patterson has something to say about all this. Williams and all others must come by him.

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Down in the vale our school bell
rings.
Pine-scented smoke floats in the
air—
A chimney-streamer—here and
there . . .
The sun-rise-glowing day—is fair,
And away we run, . . . without a
care.
The flaming sumac—on the hills—
Deep in the bracken, brown-thrush
trills.

Past our swimmin' hole 'n thrills 'n
chills
And our long-sleigh-slide 'n bumps
'n spills.
Down in our woods (wild indians)
lay—
A-waitin' there to pounce 'n slay . . .
When school is out—hooray, hooray . . .
Cowboys, pirates, . . . how we play.
Then comes a call, woo-hoo—woo-
hoo . . .
There is no second invite due . . .
We race to see what goodie's new—
our appetite's a-rearin' too.
We're hunger-tuned to spicy smells—

And gallop in with indian yells, . . .
Slide to a stop and ring our bells;
Fresh ginger bread—and quiet
dwells.
How many thing—with an aching
heart—
"If I could make a brand-new
start, . . .
I'd mark with gold—upon a chart,
All those childhood hours each one
apart.
All the happiness—the good Lord
Brings,
Is built of many—simple things . . .
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Reveals \$500,000 Offer For Cub's Ernie Banks

Managua, Nicaragua — Ernie Banks, stellar Chicago Cubs shortstop, has joined the ranks of the Giants Willie Mays in the higher echelon of actual financial worth and value to his club.

According to Wid Mathews former Chicago Cubs official he himself turned down a \$500,000 offer for Banks a few months after signing the infield star in 1953. He did not identify the club that made the offer.

Mathews revealed this bit of news while on a trip through the winter baseball leagues. Mathews, the Cubs former director of player personnel said he signed Banks for \$15,000.

The Giants' Willie Mays was reportedly worth \$1,000,000 in an offer turned down by the Giants to the St. Louis Cardinals.

Recuperating Wilt Due Back With Team Tues.

Lawrence, Kans., — Seven-foot cage star Wilt (the Stilt) Chamber-

lain of Kansas is sufficiently recovering from a urinary tract infection that he will probably be able to resume playing when his teammates face Oklahoma Tuesday at Norman, so says Dr. Kolbjorn Jensen—the team physician.

Chamberlain is still suffering from the infection but has improved considerably. Dr. Jensen plans to keep Chamberlain in the hospital on the campus until Monday for further rest and medication.

Tuesday's game was the Big Eight conference opener for Kansas.

Wilt did not play Tuesday night and his team lost.

Tennessee A & I Upset By Steubenville Five

Youngstown, Ohio,—Tennessee A and I's record of 23 straight victories, seven of them this season, was broken by Steubenville (Ohio) upset victory, 74-70, in an overtime thriller last week which helped to kick off the 1957 NAIA Tipoff Tournament. The Nashville five however, returned the following night to thump West Virginia Wesleyan 99-88.

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