

## DELEGATES BACK INTERNATIONAL OFFICERS:

# No Union Funds to Biased School

## 3 Graduates from Drake, 1 from Grand View



CHARLOTTE A. JONES

Miss Charlotte Ann Jones received her A.B. degree in music during commencement exercises at Drake university Monday. While attending Drake Miss Jones was a member of Student National Education Association, secretary of the Drake Student chapter of Music Educators National convention, vice president of Student-Faculty-Council for Religious Actions and past member of Ntwman club.

She is also a member of Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority where she served as dean of pledges, Grammetus, and is now anti-basilus-elect of the Beta Gamma chapter. A member of St. John's Catholic church, she plans to work on her masters degree and teach here in Des Moines.

She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Leon S. Jones, Sr., of 940 16th street.



SHIRLEY CARTER

Graduating from Drake university with a B.S. degree in secondary education is Miss Shirley Carter. By attending summer school she was able to graduate in three and a half years. All the time she worked part-time at Bankers Life Co. An active church worker, she has been superintendent of the Sunday school for nearly six years, former president of the Central District Youth conference and teaches Sunday school. She just completed her student teaching assignment at Washington Irving junior high.

In 1957 she graduated from East high in the top 15 per cent of her class. She is president of Mes Amis, federated girls club, member of the NAACP Youth council and chairman of its education committee. She hopes to teach but at the present has no definite plans. She is the daughter of Mrs. Doris Turner and granddaughter of Mrs. Ida Carter of 1432 Dixon street.



JOHN M. MYLES

Another June graduate of Drake university is John M. Myles, 21, who received his bachelor of music degree Monday after four years of majoring in piano. While at Drake he played in dance bands on weekends, played twice with the Des Moines Symphony, and gave a recital at Drake last April. A member of the Professional Music fraternity, he plans to study for a year on his masters degree at Drake. His ambition is to become a concert pianist.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Myles, Sr., of Kansas City, Mo.



RHODA MILLER

A June graduate of Grand View college, Miss Rhoda Miller, plans to enter Drake university in the fall, to prepare herself for a teaching career. In the community she is a member of St. Paul A.M.E. church, former queen of its Usher board contest, vice president of the Junior Usher board, and member of the Willing workers and Junior choir. She is retiring president of the Iowa Association of Club Girls, member of Delta Sigma Theta sorority and other social clubs.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Miller of 1349 Fremont street.

## NEWS In A Nutshell

Shreveport, La.—The State of Louisiana, through its attorney general Jack Gremillion, is seeking a temporary restraining order to prevent the FBI and the U.S. attorney general's office from inspecting voting records of East Carroll, Ouachita and East Feliciana parishes.

New York—Judge Frederick Van Pelt Bryan last week refused to dismiss the indictment for income-tax evasion against Representative Adam Clayton Powell, Jr., and denied a motion for acquittal.

Nashville, Tenn.—The dean of the Vanderbilt University Divinity school and nine members of the faculty resigned last week in a controversy over refusal of the administration to re-admit a Negro sit-down movement leader, James M. Lawson, Jr.

St. Louis, Mo.—Rock 'n' roll singer, Chuck Berry was acquitted by a federal court jury last week on charges of transporting an 18-year-old girl across state lines for immoral purposes.

Marietta, Ga. — Eight Negro youths who set out to avenge insults to two 18-year-old girls, one of them pregnant, began serving jail sentences here last week.

Kenosha, Wis.—Milwaukee Alderman Mrs. Vel Phillips declared herself a candidate for re-election to her first full term as Democratic committee-woman from Wisconsin.

Albany, N. Y.—The Court of Appeals ruled last week that Hulan Jack, the nation's highest Negro public official must stand trial again on charges of conspiracy and accepting illegal gifts.

Milwaukee, Wis.—It was learned that a 19-year-old Negro coed, Lolita Beventie, is one of the student-panelists representing the University of Wisconsin. She also has been elected president of her dormitory on the campus housing some 200 coeds.

Winston-Salem, N. C.—Herman Warren, the manager of a Woolworth store here bitterly announced his retirement last week rather than go along with a "goodwill committee's" recommendation that merchants integrate their lunch counters.

New York—Former heavyweight Boxing Champion Joe Louis said he would end his partnership in a public relations firm unless it stops doing business with Cuban Premier Fidel Castro's government.

Chicago, Ill.—About 1,200 delegates of the Textile Workers Union of America Friday upheld its international officers in a ban on use of union funds by a local to help finance a segregated school. "Let's tell the world we reject segregation," Union President William Pollock told the convention before the vote.

New York—A resolution of the general board of the National Council of Churches was approved by 250 delegates Thursday to back lunch-counter sit-ins and other non-violent protests against discriminatory laws.

Bers may contact Matthew Johnson AM 2-5799 or George Wells, AM 6-4044.

## Rejects Financial Support Proposed by Local in Front Royal, Virginia

Chicago, Ill.—"Let's tell the world we reject segregation," declared William Pollock, president of the Textile Workers Union of America at its convention here Friday. His strong words came before a vote on use of union funds to help finance segregated schools as he told the convention that the International must avoid pussyfooting.

### To Headline Charm, Modeling Clinic

Cosmetiste Clubs No. 1 and 2 will present "Psyche in Charm" featuring Psyche Pate of Kansas City, Mo., in her second appearance in



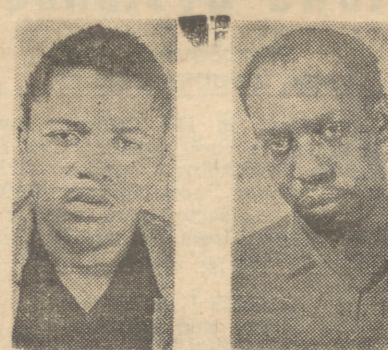
PSYCHE PATE  
Model and Consultant

Des Moines on June 18-20. Mrs. Pate set the town talking last fall when she modeled her fabulous personal wardrobe in a style show climaxing the 9th annual beautician's clinic at the Val-Air ballroom. The clinic will be at Crescent beauty school, 1407 Center Street.

Mrs. Pate, model and consultant owns and operates a modeling school in Kansas City and is co-owner with her husband, of one of three all-Negro owned radio stations in the United States. In the charm and modeling clinic, Mrs. Pate will instruct on proper makeup and dress. Registration begins immediately. For further information Call CH 3-9772 or write Crescent Beauty School.

## 3 Men, Woman Jailed Charged with \$600 Armed Robbery Here

Three men and a young woman are in jail awaiting hearing in connection with a \$600 armed robbery



Givens

Bundy

here early Thursday morning, June 2, shortly after they allegedly had held up the cashier at the Yellow Cab Co., 550 7th Street. In jail for failure to post bond

After a heated two-hour floor debate the 1200 delegates rejected a proposal that propriety of the purchase of \$8,000 in bonds by Local 371 for an all-white school in Front Royal, Va., be submitted to arbitration. The convention by standing vote adopted a report of its appeals and grievances committee asserting that Local 371's investment, by helping to evade the U. S. supreme court's integration order, violated the union constitution's civil liberties clause.

Local 371 had decided to invest \$8,000 in the school's bonds and also scholarship to the school. However, the union placed the local under administration before the local could act on its plan.

## Local NAACP Elects Delegates; To Sponsor Benefit Ball June 27

Delegates elected to represent the Des Moines branch at the national convention in St. Paul, Minn., June 21-26, were Mrs. Clara Bayles, Mrs. Harold Morrow, Mrs. Bessye L. Greene and J. B. Morris, Jr., branch president.

Alternates are Mrs. Sarah Tucker, A. P. Trotter, and John M. Estes, Jr. A special meeting for that purpose was held at Wilkie House last Wednesday, June 1.

The branch will sponsor a benefit ball at the Val-Air ballroom featuring Bill Doggett and his orchestra on June 27.

### NAACP Youth Council

Delegates of the NAACP Youth Council elected to attend the national convention are Ada Triplett, and Leon Jones, Jr. Alternates are Brenda Lewis, Cynthia Revere and Mary Ann Holmes.

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### BULLETIN

For the second straight year a Negro youth was elected governor of Hawkeye Boys State at Camp Dodge. Tuesday night Robert Atkinson, of Cedar Rapids, defeated John Nagi of Carroll. Picture and story will be published next week.

are according to police identification: William Harrison Givens, 19, who gave his address as 1117 18th Street; Gilbert Lee Wilson, 25, who gave his address as 1429 E. 19th Street; William Harold Bundy, 33, who gave his address as 1075 17th Street and Gigen's wife, Roberta L. Givens, 17, who gave her address as 1233 1/2 10th Street.

### Suspicious

The four were arraigned before Municipal Judge Howard Brooks who set hearing for Mrs. Givens and Bundy for June 15. Bond for the two were set as \$10,000 each. Bond for Wilson and Givens were reported at \$25,000. All four were charged with robbery with aggravation.

Capt. Vear Douglas and Sgt. Thomas Teale became suspicious of two men who passed their patrol  
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## 58th IACW Revises Constitution; Endorse Club House Project

The 58th annual convention of the Iowa Association of Club Women has gone down in history as one of the most momentous sessions in many years. The enthusiasm displayed in the planning for the purchase of state headquarters, the vision shown in the revised constitution were supplemented by the presence of two informed and dynamic leaders.

Dr. Rosa L. Gragg, national president, exhibited the attributes of leadership, and ability to inspire. Mrs. Manne Higgins of Chicago, Ill., contributed information from her wealth of knowledge and experience on family life and many influences for good and bad in a changing world.

### Revised Constitution

The revised constitution provides for election of a chairman, vice chairman and secretary of the Club-house project committee which becomes a permanent organization.

### Officers

Officers elected were Mesdames Daisy Smith, Sioux City, president; Roberta Frazier, Des Moines, first vice president; Jewel Spencer, Davenport, second vice president;  
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## Olympian Club to Sponsor Ebony Fashion Fair Again This Year

The Olympian club will sponsor Ebony Fashion Fair at the Hoyt Sherman place again this year on Nov. 15. Proceeds will go to the scholarship fund. Orsel Morrow has again been appointed chairman, with Frank D. Robinson, Jr., asst. chairman; Frank D. Robinson, Sr., publicity chm.; James P. Thompson, ticket chm.; and Everett Mays, hospitality and housing.

## Dr. Gragg Challenges Club Women to Raise Their Economic Status

Making her first official appearance in Iowa Dr. Rosa L. Gragg, Detroit, Mich., President of the National Association of Colored Women's Clubs, Inc. called upon "club-women to unite as never before, to raise the status of women and mankind."

The occasion was the annual banquet climaxing the 58th annual session of the Iowa Association of Club Women at the YMCA attended by nearly 200 persons. In her dynamic speech Dr. Gragg, who heads an organization of over 100,000 women, said, "In these changing times we have a lot to learn from the women of the past," as she recounted outstanding achievements of past presidents of the NACWC.

### Economics

Stressing the economic area, Dr. Gragg said, "Negroes must get into the production field. If ever we are going to achieve equality, we must raise our economic status. That is going to be the secret of our success."

She also pointed out the value of education, "No problem is ever solved by ignorance. We must see to it that our youngsters stay in school or get something practical to do. We must praise our young people and challenge them to raise their status."

### Presentations

Mrs. A. P. Trotter, retiring president of IACW, presided at the banquet. Dr. Gragg was introduced by Mrs. Wilmer Johnson, first vice president of the Central Association of Club Women. Mrs. Fred Johnson presented a certificate of merit to Miss Jessye Walker, past president, in "recognition of her faithful service in IACW." The Mattie Dameron Award, presented by Mrs. Helen D. Wimberly, was won by the Young Matrons club of Sioux City, Iowa

## Cortez Riffe Receives 3 Letters Commending Him for Bravery

A postal employee, who played a key role in the rescue of a police officer and a little boy from the Des Moines river last week, has received three letters commending his actions from government officials. He is Cortez Riffe, mail handler for three years at the Des Moines post-office and veteran of six years of army service.

Riffe, 26, had been working on a loading dock at the main post-office, which overlooks the river, when he saw a group of officers running toward the Court avenue bridge, and he went over to see what was happening. When he got to the bridge he saw Patrolman Kenneth Kline in the water, holding onto a rope with one hand and holding the boy, Frank O'Neill, 4 1/2, up out of the water as high as he could with the other.

### Into River

"One of the officers said, 'Someone's got to go down and get them,' Riffe recalled. So I took a rope, tied it around my waist and went over the side of the bridge.

"When I got down in the water I wasn't close enough to reach out so I motioned for those holding the rope to move over. I grabbed the boy and told Officer Kline that I would be back in a minute but one of the firemen went down after him.

### Praises Kline

Modestly Riffe stated, "I think too much credit has been given to me. I appreciate it, but after all Officer Kline did far more than I. In my opinion he was about the bravest man I ever came in contact with including my experience in the war. It was not only bravery but sincere affection for humanity.

"After all he went into the river for a kid that meant nothing to him personally and risked everything. Even when his own life was ready

and the Twentieth Century club of Council Bluffs, Ia. Mrs. Marshall Smith, Sr., president of the Parliamentary Law and Culture club presented a check for \$100 to Dr. Gragg for a life membership for the club in the NACWC.

to be gone he did not give up."

### Letters

The letters of commendations came from Governor Herschel Loveless, City Manager Elder Gunter and Dave Cranshaw, Des Moines postmaster, the latter who wrote "... we are proud to have a postal employee who is fearless and uses his head in an emergency."

A native of Des Moines, Riffe



RIFFE

lives at 821 25th street with his wife, Hazel, and two daughters, Theresa Lynn, 5, and Francine Louise, 1. He is also attending Drake university for a major in psychology.

## NAACP Drive Plan 6th Report Meeting

Captains and volunteer workers of the NAACP membership campaign will hold their 6th report meeting on Saturday, June 11 at 7 p.m. at the home of the campaign chairman, Mrs. Harold Morrow, 2912 North Union.

Any captain or worker holding memberships, and unable to attend the meeting may call the secretary, Bessye L. Greene, CH 4-8523; co-chairman, James Rhodes, AM 6-8345; president, James B. Morris, Jr., AT 8-1904; or Mrs. Morrow, CH 3-2571. They will pick up your memberships. The east side mem-

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A family of five wants to rent 5 or 6  
room house on East Side. Call AM  
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Unfurnished, 1st floor. Private en-  
trance and bath. Call AT 2-3949.

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2 room apartment and sleeping  
room. Very clean. Also building  
lot for sale. 1229 15th Street. Call  
AT 2-9739.

**FOR RENT**  
6 room house, Newly painted, ADC  
Welcome. \$40.00 a month. Call  
AM 6-1459.

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2-2 room apartment. Private bath.  
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3 bedrooms; large kitchen; enclosed  
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Upholstering-Cleaning  
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**Baha'is to Celebrate  
Race Amity Day Sun.**

The Baha'i Community of Des  
Moines will present Miss Mary Wil-  
liamson, personnel director of  
Younger Bros., as speaker at their  
Race Amity Day meeting Sunday,  
June 12 at 7:30 p.m. at Polk County  
Federal Savings and Loan club  
room, 7th and High streets.

Miss Williamson holds a Bachelor  
of Arts degree from Grinnell Col-  
lege, Master of Science degree in  
Journalism from Northwestern Uni-  
versity and is past teacher at Cen-  
tral High School, Sioux City, Ia.  
Since 1947 she has been Personnel  
Director at Younger Bros. where  
she has been instrumental in estab-  
lishing non-discriminatory practices  
in hiring minority groups.

Mrs. Vera Terry member of Des  
Moines Baha'i Community will also  
speak. William Munson will act as  
moderator.

**Lewis Kemp, 50,  
Dies of Heart Attack**

Funeral services for Lewis Kemp,  
50 of 849 9th Street were held Thurs-  
day at 1:30 p.m.  
at St. Paul A.M.E.  
D. A. Blake offi-  
ciating. Burial was  
in Glendale ceme-  
tery. He was pro-  
nounced dead of a  
heart attack Sunday  
on arrival at Broad-  
lawn Polk County  
hospital.



Born in Pawjusk,  
Okla., Mr. Kemp  
came to Des Moines  
40 years ago. He was a member of  
Burns Methodist church.  
Surviving are his widow Gladys;  
three daughters, Mrs. Shirley  
Reese of Kansas City, Mo., Mrs.  
Marlene Wesley of Long Beach,  
Calif., and Evelyn Kemp of Des

**Cards of Thanks  
and Memoriams**

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to thank all of my friends  
and clubs for their prayers and  
cards during the illness and at the  
time of death of my brother, John  
Gasaway, of St. Joseph, Mo.  
Mrs. George Brewer

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to thank all my friends,  
brothers, sisters and my children for  
gifts, flowers, cards, and visits while  
in the hospital. God bless each and  
every one of you.  
Mrs. William N. Kelley, Sr.  
Ames, Iowa

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to thank my many friends,  
churches, organizations and clubs  
for their prayers, flowers, gifts and  
cards, special thanks to Rev. George  
Parrish, Elder Everett Tindell and  
Rev. Seymour Gaines for their  
kindness shown me during my hos-  
pitalization.  
Plummer Higgins

**FORT DODGE**  
**BY C. L. HOUSE**  
Mrs. Louise Robinson spent a  
weekend recently in Omaha, Nebr.,  
visiting her son and daughter-in-law,  
Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Robinson and  
son, Ronald II.

Mrs. Lillian Lewis visited briefly  
in Waterloo, Ia., where she was the  
guest of her aunt, Mrs. Daisy Rob-  
erts.

Mrs. Minnie Miller of Minneap-  
olis, Minn., and her niece and  
nephew of the same city, were in  
Fort Dodge visiting her nephew, Lee  
Lewis and other relatives and  
friends. She is a former resident of  
Fort Dodge.

**Files to Graduation**  
Mr. Walter Bureson, went by  
plane to his former home, Fort  
Worth, Tex., to attend the gradu-  
ation of his daughter, Faye Doris,  
from Milton L. Kirkpatrick high  
school. Jubilant over the school  
record of his daughter, Mr. Bureson  
said she plans to attend Flisk  
university where she will study for  
a pharmacy degree.

Moines; five sons, Kenneth, Robert,  
Lewis, Jr. and Harold of Des  
Moines and Russell of Ft. Riley,  
Kans.; a brother, Lee of Des  
Moines and six grandchildren.

**NOTICE OF CANCELLATION AND  
FORFEITURE OF REAL ESTATE  
CONTRACT**  
TO: MARVIN RAUSSEAU and ANNA L.  
RAUSSEAU, Husband and Wife, 400  
Watson, Des Moines, Iowa

You and each of you are hereby notified  
that default has occurred in the provisions  
of a real estate contract, dated July 1,  
1953, which was executed by William Peel  
and Mildred Peel, husband and wife, as  
Vendors, and Wesley Cox and Violet Cox,  
husband and wife, as Vendees; that the  
said Wesley Cox and Violet Cox have as-  
signed their interest in said property to  
Marvin Rausseau and Anna L. Rausseau,  
husband and wife; that the said William  
Peel and Mildred Peel have assigned their  
interest in said contract to the Trustees  
of the HOFESALO Fund, and it is now the  
holder of the legal title to the property  
involved in this action, and is the owner  
of the Vendors' interest therein, said  
property being described as follows:  
Lots 38 and 39 in Block 4 in OLD  
ORCHARD BEACH, in and forming a  
part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa,  
locally known as 400 Watson, Des  
Moines, Iowa;

and that the monthly payments on said  
contract are \$50.00 per month, plus one-  
twelfth of the annual taxes and insurance.  
That you have failed to pay your monthly  
payments of \$51.36 for the following  
months: December, 1959, January, 1960,  
February, 1960, March, 1960, and April,  
1960, making a total delinquency of  
\$236.80.

Because of said default on said contract  
in performance of the terms and con-  
ditions of said contract, as above stated,  
you are hereby notified that this notice  
is served pursuant to the terms and con-  
ditions of said contract and the provisions  
of Chapter 638 of the 1958 Code of Iowa,  
and unless within thirty (30) days from  
and after the completed service of this  
notice, you make payment of all of said  
delinquency, and in addition, pay the  
additional costs of preparing and serving  
this notice, said contract will stand can-  
celled and forfeited, and will become null  
and void, and you will be forever barred,  
stopped and foreclosed from saying, claim-  
ing and asserting any right, title and  
interest in and to said real estate.

WITNESS our hand at Des Moines,  
Iowa this 25th day of April, 1960.  
TRUSTEES OF THE HOFESALO FUND  
BY HOWE AND HOWE  
715 Bankers Trust Building  
Des Moines

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**SIoux CITY**

**BY A. B. JONES**  
The Annual Esther day services  
was observed by Harmony chapter  
No. 22, O.E.S., with a program  
"Esther Day", a historical sketch,  
presented by Mrs. Julia Golden. A  
solo was sung by Rev. C. H. Cope-  
land, pastor of Malone A.M.E.  
church. Music was by the Mt. Zion  
Senior choir. Guest speaker was the  
Rev. E. W. Bratton of Mt. Zion  
Baptist church. Remarks were by  
Joseph H. Jones, W. M. Decatur  
Lodge No. 14, F. & A.M.; also,  
Manse Askew, P.G. W. P., and Mrs.  
Fannie Mae Alexander, worthy ma-  
tron. Mrs. Alice B. Jones, was pro-  
gram chairman and Helen Ken-  
dricks, co-chairman.

**Concert**  
The Kansas City Meistersingers,  
Kansas City's most versatile and  
promising concert group, rendered a  
program at the West Junior high  
school with more than 200 attend-  
ing. The program was sponsored by  
Harmony Chapter No. 22, O.E.S.

**Cantata**  
The Malone A.M.E. church was  
the scene of a cantata program pre-  
sented by the Crescent Park  
Methodist church choir and the pas-  
tor, Rev. Royal Steiner. It was  
sponsored by the men as one project  
leading up to Men's day. Richard  
Yates was chairman.

Women's day will be held Sun-  
day, June 26 with Mrs. Viola Wil-  
liams as chairman.

**NAACP Rally**  
A special F.F.F. rally of the  
NAACP will be held at Malone  
A.M.E. Church on Sunday, June 12  
at 7 p.m. Local officers and leaders  
wish to reach the full quota in or-  
der to make a 100 per cent report  
at the national convention at St.  
Paul, Minn., June 21-26. Arthur  
Hayes is branch president and Rev.  
Copeland is chairman of the F.F.F.  
committee. The public is urged to  
attend.

**IACW Confab**  
**SEE FRONT PAGE**  
Thelma Harriford, Sioux City, sec-  
retary; Cecil Lewis, D.M., asst. sec-  
retary; Pauline Humphrey, D.M.,  
treasurer; Ocie Sims, D.M., finan-  
cial secretary; Luberta Bentley,  
Sioux Falls, S. Dak., chaplain;  
Lynelle Smith, D.M., parliamentar-  
ian; Erma Jones, Council Bluffs,  
historian; Celestial Perkins, Cedar  
Rapids, auditor; Roberta Wilder,  
Marshalltown, statistician; Jeanne  
Morris, D.M., state organizer; Ger-  
trude North, D.M., supervisor of  
Girls; Helen D. Wimberly, D.M.,  
clubhouse committee chairman;  
Addie Franklin, D.M., vice chair-  
man; Inez Bruce, Council Bluffs,  
secretary. Elected to the Adminis-  
trative board were Mmes. Fannie

**NEWS AROUND IOWA**

**To Our Readers**  
Read the news about your  
own community. Phone your  
local reporter and tell him  
what happens. It helps the  
writer to do a better job of  
reporting.

**KEOKUK**  
**BY LILLIAN CLARK**  
Mrs. Geneva Banks and Mrs.  
Mary Peoples of Evanston, Ill.,  
visited relatives and friends over the  
holiday weekend.  
Gerald Carter, son of Mr. and  
Mrs. Matthew Carter, motored home  
from Minneapolis, Minn., for the re-  
cent holiday.  
Mrs. Bernadine Smith, wife of Mr.  
Ethel Smith, died over the holiday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Clark and  
family motored to Dayton, Ohio for  
the holiday. Master Paul Galbreath  
enjoyed the trip with them.  
Mr. Wade Beecham of Decatur,  
Ill., visited his brother and sister  
in law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beecham  
over the weekend.  
Mr. and Mrs. Rocker Pleasant,  
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Courtwright of  
Canton, Mo., were Memorial day  
visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert  
Beecham.  
Mrs. Francis Carson of Red Oaks,  
Ia., and Mr. Glen Brown of St. Paul,  
Minn., had breakfast at the home  
of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Clark as they  
were returning to their respective  
homes from Quincy, Ill. They had  
been visiting their parents, Rev. and  
Mrs. Harold Brown who are ill in  
St. Mary's hospital from injuries  
sustained in a car accident. Mrs.  
Carson and Mr. Brown are the neice  
and nephew of Mrs. Cecil Clark.

**Death**  
Mr. John E. Chaney, 84, of 1723  
Main Street, died Thursday at Gra-  
ham hospital of a serious illness of  
two months. The son of Lily Ann  
and Clem Chaney he was born June  
15, 1875 in Auxvasse, Mo., and had  
lived here since 1914. For a number  
of years he owned and operated  
Chaney's taxi service. He was a  
member of Bethel A.M.E. church.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m.  
Saturday at Greaves mortuary with  
Rev. Mitchell Culpepper officiating  
assisted by Rev. Seymour Gaines of  
Des Moines and Rev. William  
Holmes of Keokuk. Burial was in  
Oakland cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, Maybelle,  
a daughter, Mrs. Rupert Conn of  
Keokuk and a son, John W. Chaney,  
of Evanston, Ill.; three sisters, Mrs.  
Mae Walker, Sioux City, Josanna  
Spencer, Marshalltown, and Adah  
Johnson, D.M.

**MUSCATINE**  
Subject for last Sunday morning  
service was "Are You Ready to  
Walk With Jesus?" One convert  
and a new member were added to  
the church roll. Presiding Elder  
William H. Burnette, Jr., will bap-  
tize the new members at the Fourth  
quarterly conference.

A musical recital will be given  
Sunday, June 12 at 3:30 p.m. at the  
Y.W.C.A. building with the pro-  
ceeds going to the church as a  
means of defraying expenses of  
cleaning and redecorating the pa-  
sonage. Program participants are  
Ivin White, master of ceremonies,  
Mrs. Doris Davis, Mrs. Clara Fant  
Eaves, and the Chordettes Trio and  
Rev. Thomas Cooper, all of Des  
Moines.  
Morning service will be held on  
Vesper hill at Week Park in Mus-  
catine.

Ethel Boyle of Des Moines, Mrs.  
Florence Burdette of Keokuk and  
Mrs. Mary Settles of Rock Island,  
Ill.; two brothers, Ward of Milwau-  
kee, Wis., and William of Minnea-  
polis, Minn.; six grandchildren and  
nieces and nephews.

**Graduates**  
Commencement was held Friday,  
June 3 at Wright Field house for  
the Keokuk Senior high and Com-  
munity College. Graduating were  
Phyllis Buckner, Rupert Conn, Jr.,  
Patricia Dawson, William Holten,  
Gloria Parsons, Lois Reed, Blanche  
Scott, Cherie Smith, and Mrs.  
Omega Dawson South. Lois Reed  
won a certificate of merit in schol-  
arship.

Mrs. Ora Roberts of Chicago, Ill.,  
has been visiting her sister Mrs.  
Beverly Scott since Memorial day.

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Members of St. John Baptist  
church motored to Des Moines to  
worship with the Macedonia Baptist  
church last Sunday. Rev. Lester Jef-  
ferson was guest speaker. (For  
more details see story on church  
page).

On Sunday, May 29 the Rev. Jef-  
ferson and congregation were guests  
of New Bethel Baptist church in  
Manly, Ia., where he was guest  
speaker. His subject was "Go Teach."  
Music was by the St. John Choir  
and a solo by Mrs. Athens Moore.  
A fellowship dinner followed.

**George A. Gater, 90,  
Dies in Los Angeles**  
Word was received here last week  
of the death of George A. Gater,  
90, in Los Angeles, Calif. Burial was  
held Wednesday. Mr. Gater left Des  
Moines in 1930. He worked here as  
a butler.

Survivors are three brothers, Ed-  
ward of Minneapolis, Minn., Hubert  
and James of Des Moines; and three  
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Sunday School 9:45 A.M.  
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.  
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

**St. Paul A.M.E. Church**  
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REV. DAVID A. BLAKE, Sr.  
Sunrise Prayer Service 6:00 A.M.  
Church School 9:30 A.M.  
Church Service 11:00 A.M.  
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.  
Prayer Service Wed. 7:30 P.M.  
Youth Fellowships 5:30 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.  
Choir Rehearsal Fridays 7:30 P.M.

**East University Church of God in Christ**  
East 17th and University  
BISHOP J. E. ABBERNATHY  
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.  
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.  
Evening Service 8:00 P.M.  
Wed. Eve. Mission Circle 8:00 P.M.  
Weekly evening services Tuesday and Friday 8:00 P.M.

**Maple Street Baptist Church**  
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REV. GEO. PARISH, Minister, 6-8910  
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.  
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.  
Bible Class 8:30 P.M.  
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.  
Prayer Service Wed., 8 P.M.

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Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Youth Church 11:00 a.m.  
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Evening Program 7:30 p.m.  
Wed. Mid-Week Service 7:30 p.m.

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Youth Fellowship 8:00 P.M.  
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Missionary Volunteer 4:00 P.M.  
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:30 P.M.  
Dorcas Society 1st and 3rd Sunday Morning 10:00 A.M.

**MACEDONIA MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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Rev. G. M. Williams, Minister  
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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.  
Prayer Services: Wed. 7:00 p.m.

## BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

Presiding Elder William H. Burnette, Jr., delivered the morning message last Sunday on "I Come to You in the Name of the Lord." Music was by the Johnson Children choir and the Senior choir. Miss Rhoda Smith united with the church as a transfer from St. Paul A.M.E. church. At 7:30 p.m. St. Paul A.M.E. church, Rev. David A. Blake, Sr., and choir worshipped at Bethel. Sunday, June 19 Rev. Russell S. Brown, General secretary of the A.M.E. Church will be special guest at the parsonage dedication. Open house will be held at the parsonage, 1310 E. 16th street from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

On June 22-24 the Sunday School convention will be entertained by Bethel. Please call Mrs. Robert Stovall at AM 6-7591 if you can provide sleeping accommodations for the convention delegates.

## MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Last Sunday morning Supt. Rev. James Green conducted the Sunday School activities. At 11 a.m. pastor Rev. G. M. Williams preached on "Cultivating of Salvation", after which communion was served. Visitors were Mr. B. Turner, Mr. Melvin Marshall, Mrs. Margaret Green and Mrs. J. Smith.

On June 12 at 7:30 p.m. Macedonia will unite with Mt. Zion Baptist in Oralabor and Pilgrim Missionary Baptist in a union service. The choirs of the 3 churches will provide the music. The Rev. W. B. Heath will bring the message; Rev. D. Johnson and the church of Oralabor will be host.

## ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The third quarterly conference was held successfully Tuesday with Rev. William H. Burnette, Jr., presiding. Last Sunday Rev. Burnette spoke on "Religious Quitters." Holy communion was served. That evening Rev. Felix Dickerson delivered the third quarterly conference sermon at Bethel A.M.E. church.

Camp period for the Northwestern camp (boys and girls) is July 17 ages 9 through 15 years. Vacation church school begins June 14 for two weeks.

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RUSSELL BROWN

program at St. Paul A.M.E. church on Sunday, June 19 at 11 a.m. His subject will be "Man's Role in This Age."

A graduate of Wilberforce university and Western Reserve university in Ohio, Mr. Brown has served on the City Planning commission in St. Louis. He is past Grand Patron O.E.S., Missouri jurisdiction, Master Mason and fraternity man, member of Alpha Phi Alpha and Sigma Pi Phi, former member Board of Directors of Chicago Urban league and a frequent speaker in race relations circles.

J. B. Morris, Jr., is program chairman.

## Corinthian Missionary Circle to Meet

Corinthian Missionary Society will hold its meeting, Tuesday, June 14, at 8 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. Men's Missionary Movement will be in charge. Devotional leader will be A. P. Trotter on the subject: "Tongue Tied Christian's". Lesson will be by W. C. Bulce on the topic: "What Do You Mean By A Thorough Going Christian?" Master of ceremony will be Murray Smith and music by George Jackson. Refreshments will be served. Charles Robinson is chairman and Mrs. Ernest Gaiters, president.

## Bethel A.M.E. to Present Religious Skit

Group No. 1 of the Creative Writers of Bethel A.M.E. church will present a religious skit, "The Country Tea Party," on Friday, June 17 at 8 p.m. at the church. Deacon Theappa Mosby is sponsor.

Carolyn Fonza, secretary of the Sunday school was among the recent graduates from Amos Hlatt junior high. Barbara Shade is assistant secretary. Melvina Gray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gray, who now resides in Palcaona, Calif., wrote that she has united with the Calvary Baptist church there. Miss Gray was an active member of Mt. Olive, serving on the Usher board and as assistant superintendent of Sunday School.

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Mr. Smith received his B.S. from Philander Smith College in Little Rock, Ark. Attended Hartford Seminary in Hartford, Conn. for his M.A. in Religious Education, and is currently enrolled at Drake Divinity school. He is assistant pastor at St. Paul A.M.E. church and acting chaplain, U. S. Marine Corps Reserves, Fort Des Moines.

**Youth Guild**  
Parents of the honored guests will be introduced. Slide pictures of former banquets will be shown. Rodney Carter, North High student, will preside. Following the banquet, the Youth Guild will sponsor an afternoon of charm. Fashions and hair styles will be presented by Mrs. Georgeine C. Morris and Mrs. Betty June Dixon, respectively.

"Last day of School party" will be given Friday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. at the St. Paul A.M.E. church, for boys and girls. Games and refreshments, after which, those who wish, may register for vacation school, which begins June 19, 9 a.m.

## Evening Unit of Church Women Visit in Newton

The evening unit of the Des Moines Council of United Church Women met Monday at 5:30 p.m. at St. John's Lutheran Church and left via bus to have dinner at the First Methodist Church at Newton. After dinner the group visited the Holy Trinity Lutheran church, a house chapel, for an inspection tour.

Dr. Alfred J. Bell, President Iowa U.C.L.A. Synod talked on "Formation on Mission Churches." Mrs. Vernetta Riley gave devotions.

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## Valley High Des Moines Tech Roosevelt High



BERNICE GARRETT

At Valley high 18-year-old Bernice Garrett was active in the Pep club, Nurses club and sang in the mixed chorus. In West Des Moines where she lives she is a member of Mt. Hebron Baptist church and is an assistant Sunday school teacher and supervisor of a community class. She also is treasurer of the Starrettes, federated girls club, treasurer of the State Association of Colored Girls and member of the NAACP Youth council.

Her future plans include working for the summer at Wolf's and beginning nurses training in the fall at Methodist hospital in the city or in St. Paul, Minn. She is the daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Garrett of 200 8th street in West Des Moines.

### MEDITATING UPON GRADUATING

Graduation Day wasn't just a dream Tho at varied times it might have seemed  
But for me that day has actually come  
I've been handed that cherished roll of vellum  
Tangible proof of my knowledge of verbs and participles and that sort of stuff  
And of algebra and trig and calculus These are fine—I might even get a position  
But I ponder whether that is sufficient  
For of what I've learned I must confess



PATRICIA SWINK

Seventeen-year-old Patricia Swink served as treasurer of the Future Nurses of America at Valley high before graduating. Her outstanding church and community record include secretary of the Sunday school and vice president of the Usher board at Mt. Hebron Baptist in West Des Moines where she is a member. She is supervisor of the Community choir which she helped to organize, sings in the Junior choir and was formerly president two years and former treasurer of the Red Circle Girls.

In addition she is president of the Central District Youth department, and formerly held the office of vice president two years. She hopes to enter Mercy hospital for a practical nursing course and will work this summer. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swink of 111 9th street in West Des Moines.



ELIZABETH NORMAN

Eighteen-year-old Elizabeth Norman is a graduate of Des Moines Tech and while there she served as gym leader, manager of the school's tea room and was a member of the Big Sister club. She is a member of the Church of God in Christ and likes to collect recipes. Her future plans are to go to City college in San Francisco, Calif., and then on to the University of Denver, in Colorado.

Currently she is employed at Nick's restaurant. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Moore of 1154 14th street.

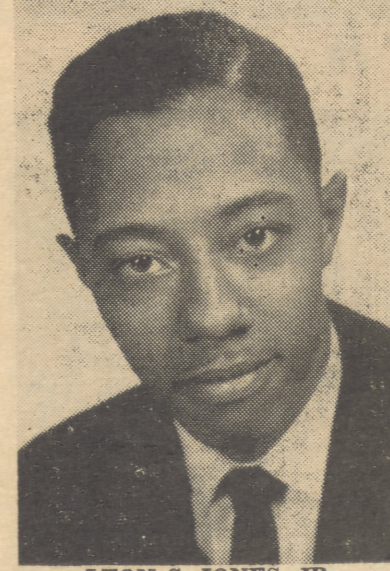
Thus Graduation Day instills in me a 'sweet sorrow'  
Of happy days gone . . . of unknown-



MARILYN A. GRAHAM

During her high school days at Roosevelt, Marilyn A. Graham, 16, served as office assistant for two semesters, was captain of the basketball team, participated in the Drama club, Future Nurses club and Junior achievement. A member of St. Paul Episcopal church, she belongs to its choir and Y. P. F. She is employed by Bankers Life Co., and plans to attend college later.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Graham of 654 25th St. ing tomorrow  
But a medium ground is found  
And high hopes abound . . .  
For fortified am I with capable tools  
Fashioned from knowledge I've gained . . . in school.



LEON S. JONES, JR.

While at Roosevelt high, Leon S. Jones, Jr., was president of the Drama club, and ceramic club for three semesters each and student council representative and pep assembly chairman for two semesters. For the past 10 years he has taken dramatics at Drake university and has appeared in many plays. He appeared at the Des Moines Community Playhouse in two plays, "Members of the Wedding" and "Finian Rainbow." Last summer he won a scholarship to the University of Kansas for six weeks to study drama.

His plans after graduation are to enter college and prepare for a career in drama. A member of St. John's Catholic church, he is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Leon S. Jones, Sr., of 940 16th street.

### 48 Negro Students in June Graduating Class

Forty-eight Negro students were among the graduating classes of seven Des Moines high schools this June. The students and the respective schools they graduated from are as follows:

**NORTH:** Lena Lou Baker, Mary Lou Brewer, Darrell W. Cooley, Thomas S. Davis, Leonard W. Graves, Seymour J. Gray, Jr., William E. Jackson, Rosie A. McQuitty, Marilyn A. Rivers, Lawrence O. Robinson, Nancy J. Slaughter, Kenneth M. Vaughn, and Vesta C. Williamson;

**DES MOINES TECH:** James E. Carter, Helen I. Clayton, Rose M. Johnson, Harold L. Kennerly, Clarice J. Miller, Laura Mure, John E. Strother, Edward L. Taylor, William A. Taylor, Brenda M. Wade, Ronald B. Watkins, Fanny E. Norman and Vera R. Wheels;

**East:** Wayne E. Barker, Barbara J. Bright, Marvin L. Cason, Claudette D. Edmonds, David A. Griffith, Marian Johnson, Jayne M. Madison, Christina M. Manuel, Robert L. Morrow, Sharon K. Tillman, Virginia K. Walden, Belle F. Watson, Frederick D. West, John A. Williams, Rochelle A. Williams, and Marlene J. Woods;

**DOWLING:** George Calderon and Thomas Randle;

**VALLEY:** Bernice V. Garrett and Patricia K. Swink;

**ROOSEVELT:** Marilyn A. Graham and Leon Jones, Jr.;

**ST. JOSEPH ACADEMY:** Ellen A. Boston.

mentation on June 12.

Marian Anderson, famous contralto, also will be given an honorary degree by the university.

### 1,735 Graduate from Des Moines Hi Schools

A total of 1,735 seniors graduated from Des Moines high schools with commencement exercises being held for most in the respective auditoriums tonight (Thurs.)

Graduating their largest classes in history are Des Moines Technical, 259; Dowling high, 151; and St. Joseph Academy, 138. Roosevelt had the largest class with 393 and North followed with 327. Others are Lincoln, 193 and East, 274.

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## Youth of The Week

Douglas Robinson, 16-year-old North high junior this year won the honor of being the young man to be sponsored by the Lincoln Post No. 126, to attend Boys State at Camp Dodge. This week he has joined hundreds of other boys at the annual camp, which is sponsored by the American Legion.

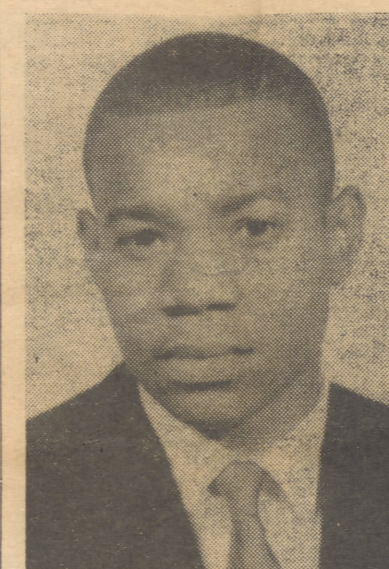
### 25th Year

This year marks the 25th consecutive one that Lincoln Post has sent a boy to the camp, according to Oval L. Carter, who is chiefly responsible for contacting personnel of the various Des Moines high schools to inquire for qualified students. He said he was told that faculty and classmates at North were very much impressed with Douglas Robinson, and that he has the promise of an excellent citizen.

### Track Enthusiast

At North Douglas is a member of the swimming team and lettered in track once, running in the half and quarter mile. He set a record this spring in Marshalltown participating on the two-mile relay. He is a member of the Central YMCA and plays on the basketball team of

Corinthian Baptist church where he attends.



DOUGLAS ROBINSON

A former route carrier for the Register and Tribune, Douglas likes to read sports magazines. He is trying to get a job as a life guard at Goode park. Naturally, his plans are indefinite but he is thinking about a career in law. He is the son of Mrs. Althea Parrish of 855 8th St.

### Granville Williams, Jr., Wins Reader's Digest Scholarship; Participated in Sit-ins in Texas

Because he had the second highest grade point average of his sophomore class at Bishop college in Marshall, Tex., Granville M. Williams, Jr., was awarded a Reader's Digest scholarship for \$100. Formerly of Mason City, Ia., where he graduated from high school before his parents moved to Des Moines, he is studying toward a degree in biology. His father is pastor of Macedonia Baptist church in Des Moines.

### Sit-ins

Most memorable of all for Granville during his past year's experience was his participation in the student sit-in protests against lunch counter bias in Marshall, Tex.

"The protests began first when students of both Wiley and Bishop colleges decided to boycott movies in the community." Then they decided to spread it to lunch counters in drug stores, bus terminals and dime stores.

"The group I was in went to Hodge drugstore. Students in groups of 10 or more had already gone there and we were taking it in relays," he recalled.

### Shouts and Alarms

"When we got there, they called us names and shouted, 'They are here.' Burglar alarms went off but we remained quiet. We had been there less than five minutes when the police arrived. Police told us to move on but they did not arrest us. They arrested the first and third groups only and of course they had to pay a fine."

"When the arrested groups were taken to court they were herded inside and made to wait a long time before their cases were processed. After a while, a large group of students from both colleges crowded

the courtrooms and others stayed outside. The group inside began



GRANVILLE WILLIAMS, JR.

singing religious hymns, but they finally quit when they were threatened by the D.A. and arresting officers. The students then stood and sang the "Battle Hymn of Republic" and the national anthem. Officers remained seated with hats on, ignoring them. Students were fined from \$50 to \$200."

### Affiliations

However, Granville is looking forward to returning to the Bishop campus next fall, where he has been on the honor roll all but the first semester. He is a charter member of the campus NAACP youth council, member of campus YMCA, Literary Guild, Science club, Fine Arts club and is a Sphinxman of Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity. He is currently looking for a summer job.

He is the oldest of five brothers and three sisters of Rev. and Mrs. Williams who reside at 1513 Walker street.

### 1300 To Receive Degrees at SUI Friday

Iowa City, Iowa—Some 1300 students—representing 94 Iowa counties, 42 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico and 7 other countries—will receive degrees at The State University of Iowa's spring Commencement exercises at 9:30 a.m. Friday in the University Fieldhouse.

The 16 students from other countries to receive degrees are from Canada, China, India, Iraq, Ireland, Norway and Thailand. Degrees will be conferred by SUI President Virgil M. Hancher, who also will deliver the traditional charge to the graduating students and the Commencement address on "Education for the Unforeseen."

### DR. BUNCHE TO RECEIVE MASS. UNIVERSITY HONOR

Waltham, Mass. — Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, UN under-secretary, will be among 10 distinguished recipients of honorary degrees to be awarded by Brandeis university at its ninth com-

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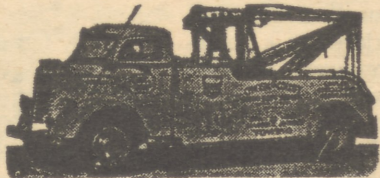
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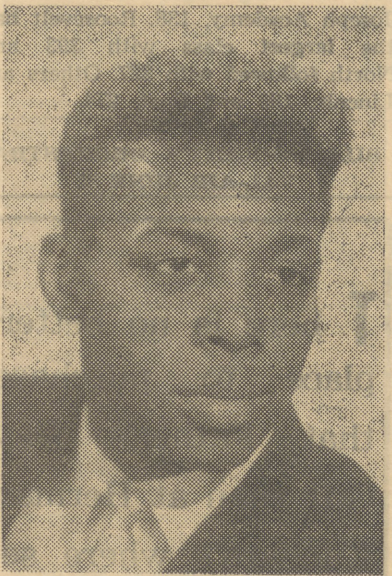
# Grads Face New Horizons



## North High

## GRADUATED WITH TOP HONORS

## Des Moines Tech



WILLIAM E. JACKSON

At North high, William E. Jackson's basic subjects included a combination of math and science. He participated on the cross country, track and basketball teams. He plans to enter the apprentice program of the Carpenter's Local 106 with anticipation of becoming a journeyman carpenter.

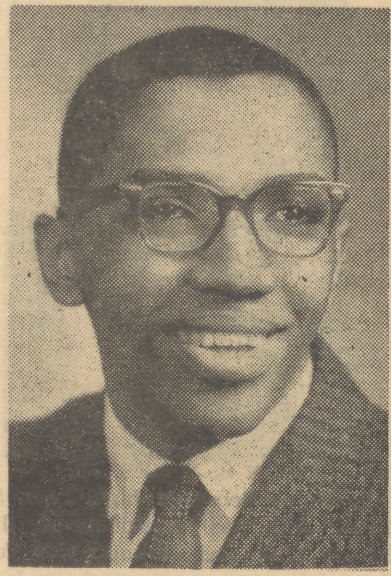
He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jackson of 939 23rd place. His father is a member of Local 106, Brotherhood of Carpenter's and Joiners of America; William also took a correspondence building and blueprint course from the Chicago Technical college.



ROSIE A. McQUITTY

A graduate of North high, Rosie McQuitty was secretary of her Home room and assistant to the Girl's Advisor. She attends St. Paul A.M.E. Church and is secretary of the Sunday School there. She plans to get a job this summer and will attend the Capital City Commercial College in September, to take a secretarial course.

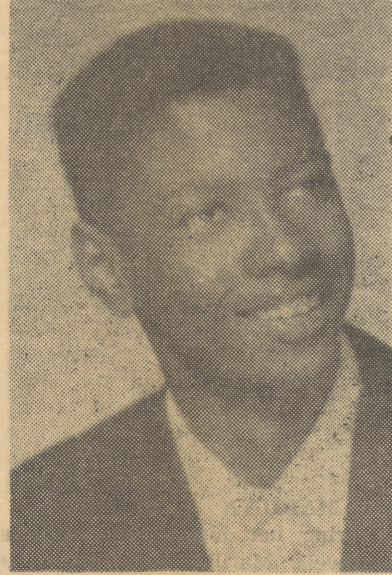
She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McQuitty of 1917 Center street.



SEYMOUR GRAY, JR.

While a student at North high, Seymour Gray, Jr., was a member of the Latin and Spanish clubs, participated in the Usher and Senior-Mixer committee, was elected Home Room treasurer for two years and Home Room vice president one year. He lettered in track and wrestling. He was an active member of a literary and theological discussion group at North, represented the school in the all-school panel discussion group.

He plans to work this summer and then attend the State University of Iowa where he plans to major in political science before going on to law school at Drake university. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Gray, Sr., of 3635 Cornell.



JAMES E. CARTER

Creating quite an impression both at school and in the community, is James E. Carter, graduate of Des Moines Tech who is in the top 3 per cent of his class. He plans to attend Iowa State University to major in math, and would like to work towards a career as a research engineer. This past semester he served as president of the student council and vice president of the All-city student council. Previously, he served as vice president of the student council, president of science club, president and secretary of H-Y, treasurer of Inter-city H-Y and chief justice of the student court. He also was instrumental in organizing the first chess team at Tech and was instrumental in setting up the first chess tourney between his school and East. He also was active in junior achievement.



LENA LOU BAKER

Graduating in the top 15 per cent of her class at North high was Lena Lou Baker. At school she was a member of the Latin club, Sub-Deb club, Pep club and also served on the Art committee and the concession committee. She was home room treasurer for the past semester.

A member of St. Paul A.M.E. Church, she plans to attend Drake university in September and major in either journalism or English. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Octave Baker, of 1186 12th street.

Last summer he received one of the highest honors when he was elected lieutenant governor of Boys State at Camp Dodge, the first time a Negro youth has been so honored. A member of Union B aptist church he is the son of Mrs. Doris Turner of 1432 Dixon and the grandson of Mrs. Ida Carter.



HAROLD L. KENNERLY

Harold Leon Kennerly, better known to his family and friends as "Butch", is a graduate from Des Moines Technical High School and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kennerly of 1129 12th Street.

While in school, Harold was in the Welding core area. His school activities included singing in the school chorus, serving as hall monitor, participating in all-school assemblies, and was also a member of the Letter Man's Club. In his senior year, he served as a guide on "Big Brother and Big Sister Day" (for the new 10B students), and he also was a member of the senior decorating committee.

A sport enthusiast, Harold, has made many commendable achievements in football. In his junior year, 1958, he was voted the most valuable player of the year as guard, was the only Negro to make All-City team, and was also given honorable mention for the All-State team.

In his senior year, Harold again lettered in football. He served as defensive captain and was on the high school "Grid Honor Roll". Again making the All-City team, Harold was the only Negro to make All-State first team. In connection with this, he was given an award from Iowa Daily Press Association.

In 1960 Harold was the only Negro among seven boys in Iowa to be on honorable mention on the All American High School Football Squad.

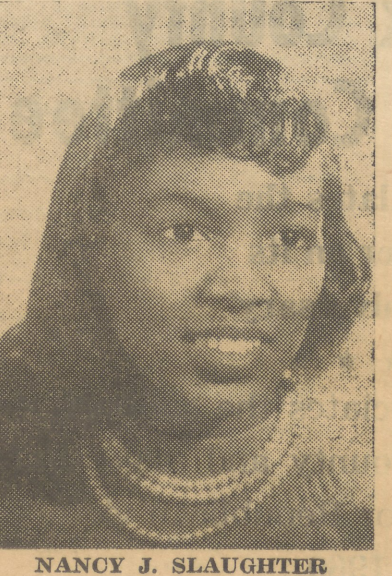
Harold is a member of the St. Ambrose Cathedral, Willkie House and the Y.M.C.A. He plans to enter college this fall.



ROSE M. JOHNSON

Eighteen-year-old Rose M. Johnson concentrated in the stenographic clerical course while attending Des Moines Tech. Working in the co-op system, she will go into her job immediately on a full-time basis as a steno-clerk with the Des Moines public school system. At Tech she was a member of the school band, Service club and senior banquet committee. She also served as treasurer of her Junior Achievement company, SOTAK and won honorable mention in local essay contest.

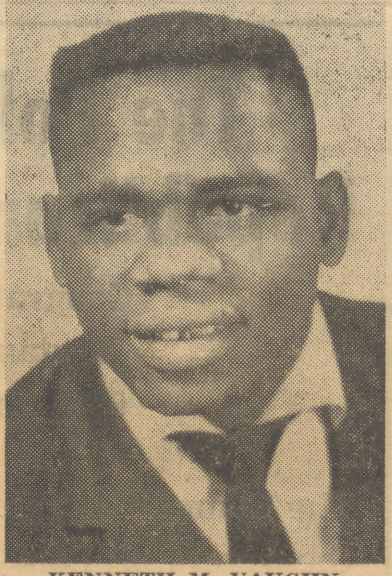
She attends St. Paul A.M.E. church and is active in its Youth Guild and Rhythmic choir. Her future plans are to attend Drake university for a career in business administration. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie H. Johnson of 1170 11th street.



NANCY J. SLAUGHTER

In her three years at North high, Nancy J. Slaughter, participated in swimming, the Pep club and the Debutantes. She also served on the announcement committee. She attends Corinthian Baptist church and sings in the Sunday school choir. She plans to work in Iowa and take a correspondence course with the Art Instruction School in Minneapolis, Minn.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Slaughter of 1056 11th street.



KENNETH M. VAUGHN

At North high Kenneth M. Vaughn lettered in wrestling and football and served as chairman of the public address system. In the community he is a member of St. Paul A.M.E. Church and Willkie House. A former member of Elks Drum and Bugle Corps for six years, he served as exalted ruler one year.

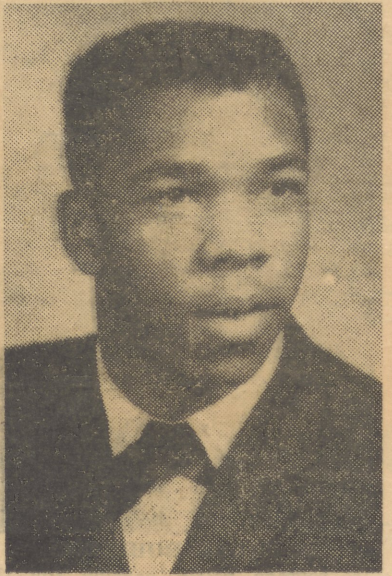
He is already enrolled at Utilities Engineering Institute of Chicago, Ill., since last March. He has been doing his lessons at home, but after a brief rest, he will go to Chicago to finish his course. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vaughn of 894 9th street.



VESTA C. WILLIAMSON

During her days at North high, Vesta C. Williamson, sang with the Acapella choir, was a member of the Concessions stand, Pep club and Debutantes. She also was a member of the cast in the school's spring play, "Berkeley Square." A member of Corinthian Baptist church she participates in the Sunday school and sings with the Sunday School choir.

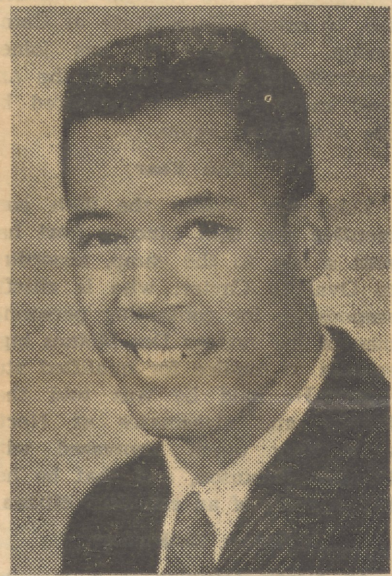
She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Williamson of 1157 14th street place.



RONALD B. WATKINS

One of two students selected by General Motors to attend its training center in Omaha, Nebr., Ronald Watkins, 18, is a graduate of Des Moines Tech. While at school he lettered twice in football and track, was a member of the Letterman's club and Big Brothers. He also was a member of Willkie House, Amateur Athletics Union and attended Union Baptist church.

He plans to enter college in September or January. He received a scholarship to William Penn college for four years. If he doesn't like the scholarship he will go to Kirksville State Teacher's college in Missouri. He likes to draw. He is the son of Mrs. Juanita Watkins Brown of 1119 18th street.



JOHN E. STROTHER

The second student selected by General Motors to attend its training center at Omaha, Nebr., was John Estes Strother of Des Moines Tech. Selection was based on high mechanical ability. During his school days he served on the student council two semesters, vice president of Letterman's club two years, and member three years, captain of the track team, chairman of senior banquet committee and served on the student court last semester. He has been taking a home correspondence course with Utilities Engineering Institute in Chicago, Ill., since last July, and has a 99.2 average grade.

In addition he has received several awards for attendance and church activities at St. John Cathedral where he is a member. A former member of the YMCA for a number of years, he is eligible for a scholarship. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Craddock of 1618 Gillette.



ELLEN A. BOSTON

The only Negro graduate of St. Joseph's Academy, Ellen A. Boston, was a member of the Booster's club, school orchestra for two years, Future Teachers club, and Junior Red Cross. He has attended the Des Moines Art center the last three years, two of which were sponsored by the Dilettante club. She plans to enter Drake university in September to major in English and language.

A member of St. Peter's church, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boston of 1613 Maple street.



THOMAS RANDLE

Beginning his high school days at North, Thomas Randle transferred to Dowling High where he was one of two Negro graduates. In 1958 he went to Los Angeles, Calif., where he attended "Any Town, U.S.A.," a national human relations camp. Last year he attended the World Youth

## Council Bluffs Grad



BESSIE ERMA JONES

Seventeen-year-old Bessie Erma Jones graduated from Thomas Jefferson high in Council Bluffs, Ia., last month. She majored in a secretarial course and averaged 100 words a minute in shorthand and 60 words a minute in typing. She received a certificate from the Chamber of Commerce for spelling achievement and two certificates for home nursing and baby care.

She says "the only way a Negro can get anywhere in the world to reach his or her goal, is to work hard for it." She is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Leonard Jones.

Before graduating from Ottumwa high school, William Oliver Adams, Jr., 18, participated in the Dramatics club three years, Variety club two years, and Speech club and "O" Letterman's club one year each. A Thespien, he was treasurer of the student council this year and has been a member four years. He lettered three times in track and participated in wrestling and cross country. In addition he is president of the YMCA Corral Youth organization and is a Sunday School teacher at African M. E. church where he is a member.

He plans to work during the summer and hopes to attend college in the fall. He is the son of Mrs. Ray Hendred of 502 1/2 E. Main street in Ottumwa.

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CLARICE J. MILLER

A graduate of Des Moines Tech, Clarice J. Miller, 18, was a member of Gym leaders, Pep Club, Tennis club six semesters and participated in Economy Products company in Junior Achievement. Her plans are to work until January 1961 and then enroll in Lincoln university in Jefferson City, Mo., to major in elementary teaching.

A member of St. John's Catholic church, she is the step-daughter and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aloysius Hill of 911 25th street.

## Ottumwa Graduate



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## East High



MARILAN JOHNSON

A graduate of East high, Marilan Johnson, has been key winner of Scholastic Art Awards in the annual regional competition for Junior and Senior High school students. Some of her "key winning" work has been forwarded to the National Art Exhibition at Carnegie Institute where she won a \$25 cash award and received a National Certificate of Merit. Last week she had art work for the Senior exhibit of East High, at Younkers Tea Room. While attending Junior High she worked in the school office. She was active in the Girls Recreation Association Club, and also worked as a candy seller for the school. While a junior in high school she started working at the Des Moines Public Library as a Switchboard Operator and Typist. Starting this week she will be employed there full time.

As a member of the Shiloh Baptist Church, she is assistant teacher of the intermediate and Senior classes of the Sunday School. A former



VIRGINIA K. WALDEN

Another East high graduate is Virginia Karen Walden, 17. At East she was a member of their newly formed drill team, called the Scarlet Steppers, The Future Nurses Club, and the G. R. A. As an active member in the G. R. A. she received a monogram and letter. She was one of 10 girls chosen from East to represent the G. R. A. at the district meet at Newton this spring. Her plans for the future are to work this summer and start her nurses training later on.

A former member of the Hawkeye Drum and Bugle Corps Majorettes, she belongs to Bethel A.M.E. Church and Sunday School and also to the A. C. League. She sings with the Union Baptist Acapella Youth Choir. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Walden, 1436 Fremont St.

mer resident of Lovilia, Iowa, she has been living in Des Moines for 5 years with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Everett Johnson of 1108 Scott Street.



MARILYN A. RIVERS

Nineteen-year-old Marilyn A. Rivers was a member of the concession committee, Girls Glee club and banquet committee at North high. A member of Maple Street Baptist church, she participates in the Fellowship choir, Junior Usher board and Red Circle Girls. Her plans are to attend college after graduation.

She is the daughter of Mrs. Julia J. Rivers of 1113 3rd street.

## 470 GET DEGREES AT A & T COLLEGE

Greensboro, N. C.—Four hundred and seventy persons received degrees and certificates at the 66th annual commencement exercise for A&T College on May 29. A single program, combining baccalaureate and commencement activities, was held in the auditorium of the Greensboro War Memorial Coliseum. Dr. Theodore A. Distler, Washington, D. C., executive director of the Association of American Colleges since 1954, delivered the main address.

**Barbara Garrett Elected President Of IACG Saturday**

Miss Barbara Garrett was elected president of the Iowa Association of Club Girls at its second annual convention held in conjunction with the parent's organization here Saturday at the YWCA.

Other officers include Misses Alice Clinton, vice president and Patricia Collier, secretary.

A panel on the current student



MISS GARRETT

protest sit-ins in the south led by Shirley Carter was a highlight of the meeting. Discussions on "Family and Home" led by Ingrid May and "Click with the Crowd," led by Bernice Garrett and group also were featured.

A style show in charge of Miss Clinton was presented after luncheon before the Iowa Association of Club Women Saturday. Models were Misses Sharon Semple, Patricia Collier, Barbara Garrett, Paula Propes, Connie Murray, Bernice Garrett, Juanita Whitney, Judy King, Marilyn Graham, Rhoda Miller and Ingrid Mae. Mrs. Gertrude North is supervisor for the IACG.

**AKA Sorors Give Annual Breakfast, Elect New Officers**

Sorors Irma Estes and Lillian Scales were hostesses for the annual breakfast of Beta Gamma Chapter of Alpha Kappa Sorority on Sunday morning, June 5 at Union Park Shelter House. The breakfast table was heavily laden with delicious food, chilled strawberries and melon balls surrounded by mint leaves, scrambled eggs, bacon, American fried potatoes, breakfast rolls and coffee. A centerpiece of pink roses and Ivy (the symbol of the sorority) was beautifully arranged.

Soror Gwendolyn Fowler installed the following officers: Bastieus, Billejean Morrow; Anti-Bastieus, Charlotte Jones, Grammeteus, Lillian Scales; Tamlochous, Louis Potts; Dean of Pledges, Duryea Dixon; Graduate Advisor, Irma Estes; Hodgeous, Girtha Jones; Philathaker, Harriette Bruce.

Sorors attending the Breakfast were: Irma Estes, Gwendolyn Fowler, Mary Hyde, Charlotte Jones, Girtha Jones, Evannette Mays, Azalia Mitchell, Billejean Morrow and Lillian Scales.

**Fashion Show Given By W.S.C.S. Members**

A Fashion show and tea sponsored by the Circle No. 2 of the Womens Society of Christian Service of Burns Methodist church was given at the home of Mrs. C. M. Lucas of 1329 on Sunday, May 29.

Models were Annette Dixon, Theresa Riffe, Jeanette Bethel, Barbara Parkey, Sandra Merritt, Misses Louise Vaughn, Martha Canafax, and Jackie Canafax. Mrs. Mamie Parkey was chairman.

**Mrs. Marian Morrison Leaves for New York**

Mrs. Marian Morrison left Sunday morning by United Air Lines for Buffalo, N. Y. to visit friends.

**SOCIETY**

**MEMBERS OF FASHIONNAIRES MODELING CLUB**



These smartly, beautifully dressed young ladies are members of Des Moines only organized modeling club, The Fashionnaires. Left to right front row, are Carlotta O'phlin, Ada Triplett, Barbara Garrett, Lula Schuler and Minnette Cope-

land. Back row, left to right are Ruth Cole, Caroline Washington, Gloria Miller, Karen Piggee, Gail Gaddis, and Bertha Lewis. Not pictured is Bernice Quick. A former member of the club, Mrs. Almo Gilmore Hawkins, was recently mar-

ried and will be moving to Denver, Colo., to join her husband.

The Fashionnaires' most recent public modeling appearance was in a style show at the Brotherhood Youth center last month.

**Dilettante Club to Give Music Program**

The Dilettante club and guests will celebrate its annual music program at the home of Mrs. A. A. Alexander of 2200 Chautauqua parkway on Sunday, June 12 at 4 p.m. Al Rockwell, promotion manager and music director of KRNT Radio and TV, will be guest speaker. Other musical numbers will be presented.

**Administrative Council**

The Administrative council will meet at the home of Mrs. Helen Carter of 1706 Gillette street on Sunday, June 12 at 5 p.m. Gladys Brown is president.

**Entre Nous Club Elects New Officers**

Newly elected officers of the Entre Nous federated club are Delores Bailey, president; Ruth Moore, vice president; Louise Wellington, secretary; Louise Ware, assistant secretary; Marie Kizer, treasurer and Irene Miller, publicity.

**Mary Church Terrell Club Elects Officers**

The Mary Church Terrell Club No. 2 met at the home of Mrs. Mildred Brown, 1303 12th Street, June 3. The club plans a trip to Omaha the latter part of June. Election of officers were as follows: President, Dorothy Hammitt; Vice President, Gaynell Gray, Bertha Tolson, Assistant Secretary; and Bernice Sloan, Treasurer. The club adjourned for the summer months to resume meetings in September.

**Graduates Dance Scheduled Friday**

The annual semi-formal graduation dance for junior and senior high school graduates will be held at Willkie House, 900 17th street on Friday evening.

**Social Sidelights For IACW Delegates**

Delegates and visitors were entertained by the Book Lovers club with a coffee break on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Jack Cleveland and Miss Sadie Jones poured. Mrs. Marshall Smith, Sr. is president.

**Reception**

Following citizens night Friday the doors of the spacious home of Mrs. A. A. Alexander, of 2200 Chautauqua Parkway, were opened to delegates and visitors with Des Moines club women and guests as hosts. A revue of unique and original hair styles was presented by the beautifully gowned students from Crescent Beauty school with Mrs. Lewis James as commentator.

Special guests were Dr. Rosa L. Gragg, NACWC president and Mrs. Mame Mason Higgins of Chicago, Ill., Rev. and Mrs. David A. Blake, Sr., and members of two new federated clubs. The table was laden with unique dainty cakes between two large punch bowls.

**Breakfast**

On Sunday morning Mrs. Joseph Wimberly entertained at a past presidents breakfast honoring Mrs. A. P. Trotter, retiring IACW president, on the patio of her home at 1127 11th Street. Special guests were Dr. Gragg, and Mrs. Albert Smith of Sioux City, Ia., newly elected president of IACW. Other guests were Mesdames Harvey Bentley, Sioux Falls, S. Dak., Inez Bruce, Council Bluffs, Ia., and Mmes A. A. Alexander, Frank Jett, Wilmer S. Johnson and Miss Jessie Walker of Des Moines. Also, present were Mmes. Terry Walker and William Harriord of Sioux City, house-guests of the Wimberlys.

**Socialite Queens Club**

The Socialite Queens club will meet on Saturday, June 11 at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Garrett, 200 8th street in West Des Moines. Mmes. Garrett, Cooper and Hardaway will be co-hostesses.

**Given Bridal Shower**

Mrs. Almo Gilmore Hawkins was honored with a bridal shower on Friday, June 3 given by Zoe Wood of 920 14th street. Many game prizes were won and refreshments served. The honoree received many lovely gifts from the many friends who attended.

**Mrs. Lucille Cox Returns From Ohio**

Mrs. Lucille Cox and daughter of 1153 18th street returned to the city from London, Ohio where they visited her mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Cox. She is the daughter of Mrs. Mattie Avant of 1182 11th street.

**Registration Begins For Annual Day Camp At Willkie House**

Registration for the annual day camp at Willkie House, 900 17th street will begin Monday, June 13 through June 17. This year two three-week periods will be held, June 20-July 8 and July 11-29 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Mondays through Fridays. Boys and girls from 5 to 11½ years may participate at \$2.36 per child per period, which includes milk.

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**Iowa Buxton Club No. 2 Holds Meeting**

Iowa Buxton club No. 2 met Saturday evening at the Craftsman clubroom. New members are Mrs. Mabel E. Allen, Mr. Edward Robinson, Mrs. Erma Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. William Robinson, and Mrs. Elmer Tolson. The next meeting will be Saturday, June 25.

**The R. Wilsons Feted With Housewarming**

Mrs. Monte Thomas of 1056 5th street gave a housewarming last Thursday evening for her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson, who have moved into their home at 605 Hull ave. About 25 guests attended including Mrs. Jasper Willson of Osceola, Ia., and Mrs. Charlene Gross of Evanston, Ill.

**Ten Keys Club to Meet**

The Ten Keys club will meet with Mrs. Madonna Carter of 1331 Park street on Friday evening. Mrs. Inice Carter is president.

**T.O.B.s Club Meets**

The T.O.B. club met Friday, June 3 with Mrs. Cecil Jones of 950 17th street. Game prizes were awarded to Louise Wellington, first; Agnes Matthews, second and Iva Mae Hayes, third.

**Princess O'Ziel Chapter to Meet**

Princess O'Ziel chapter, No. 9, O.E.S., will meet Thursday, June 30 at 8 p.m. at the Masonic Temple, 11th and Center streets. The meeting has been changed because the Electa Grand Chapter will be held the previous week in Waterloo, Ia.

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This is the time of year of parchment and vellum, and mortarboard caps and gowns, when thousands of high school and college seniors are marching with rhythmic cadence down the aisle to receive a certificate stipulating that they have come to another milestone in their life. And while they march mothers and fathers beam proudly for one particular student, and perhaps surreptitiously brush away a tear, remembering what has really gone into the days and years, to bring their young son or daughter to this day. It is a day of wistful sadness, but more so, a day of joy and triumph.

For some families that joy and triumph is doubly so, for they perhaps have a son or daughter graduating from both high school and college. This is particularly so with two families in Des Moines. Mrs. Doris Turner of 1432 Dixon and her mother, Mrs. Ida Carter, will sit at two commencements this week. Monday, they attended the commencement at Drake university and saw their daughter and granddaughter, Shirley Carter, received her B.S. degree in secondary education. Tonight (Thursday) they will go to the Des Moines Tech auditorium and see their son and grandson, James E. Carter, walk down the aisle for his high school diploma. They have reasons for parental pride, for both Shirley and James have made outstanding achievements, both at school and in the community. Besides, Shirley worked all the time to get her college degree.

Another family who has a daughter graduating from college and a son from high school is the family of Dr. and Mrs. Leon S. Jones, Sr. Their daughter Charlotte received her degree in music Monday from Drake and their son, Leon, Jr., is receiving his high school diploma from Roosevelt this evening. This family has reasons for additional pride though. It hasn't been a year yet since the graduates' mother, Mrs. (Girtha) Jones received her masters degree from Drake in curriculum and instruction in elementary education last August. She would like to take additional studies in counseling so since her daughter will begin work on her masters this

summer she will enroll for classes also.

"Since the car will be going out there every day, I though I might as well go along too," she said.



MRS. LEON S. JONES, SR.

Mrs. Jones received her B.S. degree in education in 1955 and in September of the same year began teaching at Howe elementary school and has been doing so since, while working on her M.S. at the same time.

Leon, Jr., also plans to attain higher education. However, he is looking forward to enrolling at some all-Negro college or one nearly all-Negro. He is thinking particularly of Xavier university in New Orleans, La., but as yet has not made up his mind. Because of his interest in drama, he plans to seek a career in the field.

Many leaders in the community have described the fact that the trade schools or apprentice programs do not seek out Negroes. Furthermore, in cases where some may welcome Negroes there have been no Negro students available. For some reasons Negroes, even though they have aptitude and talent for mechanical and construction skills, shun these fields because they are not "white collar" jobs. Yet, they may pay far more in financial returns, and allow the person to wear more tailored suits and white collars than some one in a professional position, and too, because the person is skilled for the field, may reap far more in personal returns in terms of happiness, and adjustment to life.

**FREEDOM FUND BALL VAL-AIR JUNE 27**

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OUR ANNIVERSARY

This week, the Bystander is celebrating its sixty-sixth anniversary. It is a long term of service covering periods of peace and wars, high level industrial production and depressions and like most institutions it has had its good and bad days but fortunately survived.

The Bystander was started by a few ambitious men, most of them holding other jobs, who saw the need of a newspaper which would print all the news about Negro life and at the same time offer employment and business opportunity.

About the time the Bystander began, there were several outstanding Negro newspapers in America among which were the Indianapolis (Ind.) Freeman, Boston (Mass.) Guardian, Topeka (Kan.) Plaindealer, Richmond (Va.) Planet, New York (N.Y.) Age and a few others all of which have suspended publication.

Later have come such papers as the Pittsburgh, Pa. Courier, Amsterdam (N.Y.) News, Chicago (Ill.) Defender, Kansas City (Mo.) Call, Louisiana (New Orleans) Weekly to name a few of the outstanding ones.

All of these papers were and are located in towns with a large Negro population centered in small areas. In the early days, advertisement was obtainable from the meager Negro business institutions and white ones located in the area.

This situation the Bystander has not enjoyed because of the sparsely settled area of its subscription coverage in earlier years.

The older papers discontinued publication because big advertisers had paid little attention to the Negro market. Many advertising agencies sold them on the idea that advertising in these papers was pure duplication of circulation. This theory has been abandoned. Negro business was inadequate to fill the gaps.

Like several of the lesser Negro newspapers, the Bystander has survived in spite of all the difficulties suggested above because enough business concerns and individuals have given their support in order to keep alive an institution which has rendered valuable service in the general uplift of those for whom it is operated and thus for the whole state.

The Bystander needs more subscribers. It needs more advertisers. It needs more of an awarntness upon the part of Negroes in particular that it is a business institution and should be so regarded; that in return for the service it renders both to the public by printing the news and the influence on affairs which has brought more statue, more jobs and better allround enjoyment of what the community has to offer, it should receive the maximum support from those for whose special benefit it is run.

Just how far the Bystander goes during next 66 years is problematical. Frankly, we hope there will be no necessity for its existence as a class paper. Certainly, if the race problem is not solved by that time, then maybe there will be nothing left of mankind.

THE PRIMARIES

Iowa voters went to the polls Monday and nominated candidates for their party tickets to be voted on in November. There were few surprises as many candidates were unopposed while the excessive number of participants in some cases split the vote to the place where nobody won.

Polk County Republicans and Demo rats had one Negro each as candidates. Both pulled heavy votes which indicates that people are willing to cast their ballots for the man rather than his race—a condition which has not prevailed in years gone by.

BLOCKING BIGOTRY

A Textile Workers' Union in Front Royal, Virginia agreed to invest \$8000 in a private school for white children only and provide a \$500 scholarship fund. This, of course, was a move to help continue segregated schools in spite of the decision of the courts to the contrary. It was a violation of the laws and what the principles which the body stands for.

Moving quickly, the national organization took over the local union before the plan could be carried out. It vetoed the proposal.

The president said we should quit beating around the bush and support the principles of the union. And in this instance it meant no segregation in the public schools. This is a courageous move upon the part of the union officials and yet it was just what would have been done had the local violated any other law.

FREEDOM FUND BALL VAL-AIR JUNE 27

Hilltop Tennis Club To Play D.M. Sunday

The Hilltop Tennis club will play its first intercity match of the season when it meets the Des Moines Tennis Association at their courts Sunday, June 12. Future matches will be played with Ames, Marshalltown and Waterloo.

Two new juniors have joined the club, Timmie Jones, 940 16th street and Donald McClain, 1124 13th St.



A. Williams told us that he wanted to see something in this column about his baseball team. He handles the Corinthian Baptist club. The guy was rather pointed in his request and we looked up at the big ex-marine who stands around 6 feet 3 inches and weighs over 200 pounds. Then we decided that we ought to have something in here about his team. They haven't started playing their regular schedule yet but anyway here it is.

Major League

This is the season of hopes being built up or dashed. Last year's World Series contenders, the Chicago White Sox and the L.A. Dodgers are having their troubles and don't have to repeat. The Dodgers defending World Champs are on their way down and can't seem to get back. The White Sox stopped a slump and may be in the thick of things. Just waiting for Baltimore to slip if they do. The Sox might make it. Can't see the Dodgers but don't count them out yet.

Boxing

By the time you read this Ray Robinson will have either won or lost in his attempt to regain the world middleweight boxing title. Some guy said that maybe Ray didn't show up for his bout earlier because he doesn't want the public to know how he has slipped. Could be. On the other hand the heavy-weight champ is saying he won't have much trouble with Patterson as he had last time and some fellows are saying that Floyd could be the guy who makes history. Might regain his title.

People insist that Floyd will be afraid of Johannsan when they meet but if he is he will be the first boxer who was ever afraid of his opponent who knocked him out. Most of them insist on a lucky punch.

If you are following the story of Jack Dempsey in the Register you can see why he didn't care too much about fighting Negroes. Sam Langford and John Lester Johnson are the reasons we don't say Dempsey was the greatest fighter who ever lived, but he was the best publicized fighter of all time.

Mays Family Moves to New Neighborhood

New Rochelle, N. Y.—Negro baseball player Willie Mays, who last year gave up his San Francisco home because whites opposed having a Negro in the neighborhood, has settled his family in an exclusive Westchester county development.

The Mays family moved into their 15-room stone house in Croft Terrace, a development of 10 expensive homes, several days ago. Neighbors welcomed them.

Sold Frisco Home

The San Francisco Giants outfielder sold his San Francisco house last December after some residents of the predominantly white neighborhood complained about his living there. Croft Terrace also is predominantly white.

Mrs. Philip I. Blum, who lives across the street from the Mays, said the community was "delighted to welcome the neighbors."

"If they got a bad break elsewhere, we will do our best to make up for it," she said.

Very Nice Mrs. Al Isacoff said she and her

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Floyd Patterson Picked by Joe Louis As First Heavyweight to Regain Title in June 20th Fight

Newton, Conn.—With Joe Louis joining his camp as adviser and consultant, ex-heavyweight champ Floyd Patterson thinks he has a chance to become the first fighter in that division to ever regain the crown he once wore.

At a workout before a select crowd of sportswriters, Patterson put his best foot forward as he boxed four rounds, two with Cuban heavyweight Julio Mederos and a pair with his brother, Raymond.

At the end of the training session Louis told Jack Fugazy, head of Feature Sports, Inc., promoters of the June 20th championship bout that will feature Patterson and Ingemar Johansson, that he was satisfied with Patterson's performance.

Must Move Round

"I'm predicting that Patterson will take out Johansson in six or seven rounds if he listens carefully to the advice of his trainer Dan Florio and myself," said the famous Brown Bomber.

"We both have looked over films children visited Mrs. Mays and her children. "We were very happy to have them in the neighborhood," she said.

Other neighbors include the Ambassadors to the United Nations of Ghana and Indonesia.

In St. Louis, Mays said his wife had told him their new neighbors "were very nice."

Mays said his new house cost \$75,000. The surrounding grounds reportedly cost \$125,000. The Mays family of six employs a staff of three—a housekeeper, a nurse, a handyman.

Robbery

SEE FRONT PAGE car on foot near 15th and Crocker Streets and waved at them. The two men and the other man and woman passed the squad car in an auto a few minutes later and the two officers then stopped the auto and arrested the four occupants.

Percy Potter, the night cashier at the cab company identified Givens and Wilson as the two who robbed him, said police. Officers said they found \$475 of the \$600 reported taken stuffed in a hat on the floor of the rear seat of the car along with a loaded .22 caliber revolver.

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from his bout with the Swedish heavy king and he could plainly see why he was knocked out in three rounds last year.

"Patterson was flat-footed in the ring and didn't move around enough to stay away from Johansson's right hand," continued Louis. "If he expects to win this time he will have to keep on his toes and away from his opponent's dangerous right hand."

Films

"Looking at the films I pointed out certain things helpful to Floyd, but which I don't want to discuss in public. If we can overcome these faults then I think we'll see him regaining his crown."

Meanwhile in Harlem, strange as it may seem, Johansson is the betting favorite by 6-5. A well-known tavern owner already picked the Swede as his choice and backed it up by laying down \$6,000. With Louis in his corner now calling the shots, Floyd's chances are expected to improve considerably.

Negro League Starts 40th Baseball Year

Birmingham, Ala.—The Negro American Baseball League, still going strong despite annual raids on its talents by major league teams, opened its 40th season with games here and at New Orleans (La.), Sunday (May 29).

Approximately 16,000 fans were on hand for the two opening games.

In the Birmingham game, the Birmingham Black Barons, favorites to win this season, tangled with the Kansas City Monarchs, the defending champions, while in the Pelican City opener, the transplanted Detroit-New Orleans Stars faced the Raleigh Tigers.

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By Glenn A. Gallagher First American Serial Rights Only

Thoughts for Today

It is good to know that no man or woman can be strong, gentle, good, without somebody being helped

Hayes Jones Breaks

Dekalb, Ill.—Like high jumper John Thomas, hurdler Hayes Jones of Eastern Michigan college must break his own records if he hopes to establish new ones. A pace-setter in the records department, Jones has established so many records in recent months that most of the track marks which challenge him this season are by his flying spikes. They included the 120-yard high hurdles and the 220 yard lows. Jones ran the first in 0:14.2 and the second, in 0:22.8. He established the new records in the trials of the Interstate Intercollegiate Athletic Conference track meet here.

Laugh Lines

A lady hired a new maid, and asked her, "Do you have any religious views?" The maid replied, "No, I have not, ma'am, but I've got some dandy snapshots of Niagara Falls and Great Lakes.

"When will your father's leg be well so he can come back to work?" "Not for a long time, I think."

"Why?" "Cause compensation's set in."

and comforted by the very existence of that goodness.—Phillips Brooks.

There are one-story intellects, two-story intellects, and three-story intellects with skylights. All fact collectors, who have no aim beyond their facts, are one-story men. Two-story men compare, reason, generalize, using the labors of the fact collectors as well as their own. Three-story men idealize, imagine, predict; their best illumination comes from above, through the skylight.

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