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ROY WILKINS TO REPUBLICANS:

Rep. Urged to Finish Rights Fight

NACWC Convenes At N.Y. City Sat. July 30

John Robinson Of Des Moines Dies

John B. Robinson, 68, of 715 S.E. Seventh street, died Thursday at Higgins Nursing Home, 1081 Ninth st., after a long illness.

Mr. Robinson, who lived in Des Moines about 45 years, was born in Mahaska county. He was a member of Mt. Olive Baptist church.

Survivors are a son, John B., Jr., Blythe, Cal.; two sisters, Mrs. Betty Willis and Mrs. Anna Evans, both of Des Moines, and four grandchildren.

Services were held at 1:30 p.m. Monday at Mount Olive Baptist church. Burial was in Glendale cemetery.

William Edwards Buried Saturday

Services for William R. Edwards, 58, of 424 S.E. First st. who died last Wednesday at Iowa Lutheran hospital, was held at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at Maple Street Baptist Church. Burial was in Glendale cemetery.

Mrs. Ruth Doyle Is Ill at Lutheran

Mrs. Ruth Doyle of 1423 E. 18th street is ill at Iowa Lutheran hospital. Her room number is 238. She is a member of Bethel A.M.E. church.

Jerald Carey, Chicago, Visits Ill Mother

Jerald Carey of Chicago, Ill., arrived in Des Moines July 19 to visit his mother, Mrs. Alice Douglas of 1432 Maple street who was very ill. She is improving and Mr. Carey plans to return to Chicago this week.

Booster Girl's Club Honor the S. Marshalls

Ft. Madison, Iowa—The Booster Girls' club entertained at a sixty-third dinner Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Marshall of Ashtabula, Ohio. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Woods and Miss Viola Bates, visiting her father, Mr. Archie Bates and relatives of Los Angeles, California. Catfish was served to twenty. Dancing completed the evening.

Remarks of appreciation was expressed to Mr. and Mrs. Orville Woods, managers of the Sepia Room, for their courtesies.

Mrs. Mary Range is president of the club.

News Deadline

Do you have news of club, group, or any organizational meetings? Church activities? Social news or fraternal activities? Have you entertained visitors recently or made a trip out of town for pleasure, business or due to illness of a relative? Or perhaps, you have news of a wedding, or some special event or honor.

Whatever the news, the Bystander urges you to phone or send in that news to the news desk as promptly as you can. Remember, all news must be into the paper by Tuesday noon of each week. Advertising deadline is Wednesday noon. If you have pictures you would like published please us or bring them in and we will gladly give you details.

1,500 Expected Johnson will Speak King As Honoree

New York, N. Y.—Dr. Mordecai W. Johnson, president-emeritus of Howard University, and the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, chairman of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, head a list of some one dozen national personalities who will be featured at the 32nd biennial convention of the National Association of Colored Women's Clubs which begins at the Park Sheraton Hotel Saturday (July 30). The meeting, which continues through August 5th, is expected to attract some 1,500 delegates of NACWC affiliates in 41 states in the District of Columbia.

Dr. Johnson, who retired in June after 34 years as president of Howard, will deliver the Convention keynote address at 2:30 p.m. Monday. Dr. King will receive the Gertrude Reese Hicks Trophy during the organization's awards banquet at 8 p.m. Thursday.

Others who will be cited during the banquet include Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt; Christine Davis, administrative assistant to Congressman William Dawson (D., Ill.); and Carmel Carrington Marr, advisor to UN Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge.

Other noted personalities who will participate in the group's week-long meeting include Bishop Joseph Gomez of the A.M.E. Church; former Olympic champion Jesse Owens; Muriel Rahn; and Mme. Elsie Quasin Sackey, wife of the Ghana Ambassador to the UN. Labor leaders Walter Reuther and A. Philip Randolph also are scheduled to participate.

The theme of this year's Convention, which marks the 64th anniversary of the founding of the 100,000-member NACWC, will be "New Frontiers for Women and Youth." The theme will be developed in a series of workshops and discussions. Dr. Rosa L. Gragg of Detroit, national president of the organization, will preside.

Meeting jointly with the parent organization will be the National Association of Colored Girls, headed by Miss Mattie Turner of Hampton, Va.

Among the subjects scheduled for discussion are Education, Family Life, Youth Activities, Health, Citizenship, Fine Arts, Religion, Job Opportunities, Human Relations, International Affairs and Leadership Training.

The Convention begins Saturday with meetings of several NACWC governing bodies, including the board of directors and the executive council. A vesper hour and reception, the latter scheduled at the estate of the late W. C. Handy, make up Sunday's program. General sessions of the Convention begin at 9:30 a.m. Monday (August 1).

Perry Residents Are Visitors in City

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Smith and family of Perry, Ia., were weekend visitors at the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Tindrell of 1428 E. 15th street. Mrs. Eva Dowell and Mrs. Florence Campbell of Perry, also accompanied them.

Fashionaires Hold Raffle—\$25 Won

The Fashionaires recently held a raffle that ended July 20. A prize of

NEWS In A Nutshell

Los Angeles—Waldo Picou, 76, father of Mrs. John H. Sengstacke, wife of the Chicago Defender publisher, was buried here last week. A native of Louisiana, Picou had lived in Los Angeles for a number of years, coming here from Chicago.

Lagos, Nigeria—The first African in British colonial history to become governor, was sworn in recently as governor of Western Nigeria. Sir Adesoji Ademi, 70-year-old Oni of Ife, succeeded Sir John Rankin, British governor, to the post.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Stella Marguerite Jordan, 26, estranged wife of former welterweight champion Don Jordan, was arrested last week in a narcotics raid on her home. Her brother, Robert S. Snyder, 30, who police said was described by Mrs. Jordan as an addict escaped by running from the house and leaping over a fence.

Jackson, Michigan—Six persons were arrested here for investigation in what police termed a numbers and horse bet gambling ring grossing over a quarter-million dollars annually.

An 11-man state police raiding party struck several locations and confiscated some \$2,000 in cash, adding machines and hundreds of numbers and horse betting slips.

San Francisco, Cal.—The Bank of America has selected Lagos, Nigeria as the site for its first branch office on the African continent. The branch office, to be opened Aug. 1 will be located in the seven-story building recently completed in the center of the city's business district.

New York City—Heavyweight boxing champion Floyd Patterson and his wife Sandra celebrated the birth of their second child, a son, here last week. Named Floyd Patterson II for his illustrious father, the child weighed in at eight pounds two ounces. The other child, a girl, Seneca, was born on Nov. 30, 1956; the night Patterson knocked out Archie Moore in Chicago to become the youngest heavyweight champion in history.

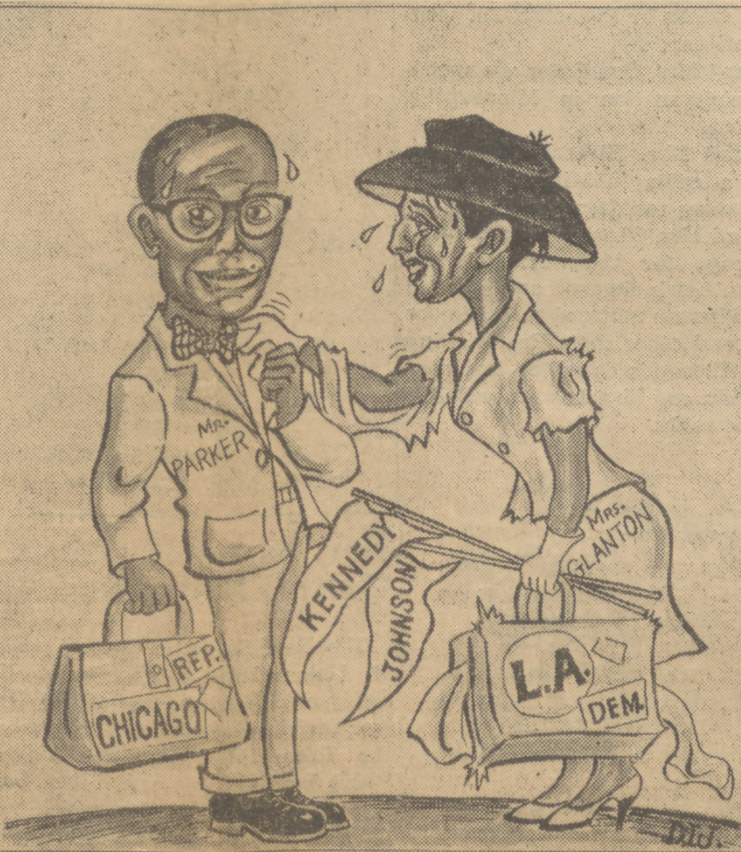
Boston, Mass.—Sammy Davis, Jr., and his blond fiancée, actress May Britt, will be married Oct. 1 in a ceremony in Davis' home at Los Angeles by a Jewish Rabbi, the entertainer announced here recently. Davis, 34, is a convert to the Jewish faith. Miss Britt is a Lutheran.

Washington—James M. Nabrit, Jr., former NAACP attorney and recently president of Howard University, is determined to use the federally financed institution as a training ground for leaders in the fight for complete integration.

Atlanta—Eighteen Negro bellhops and four white men have been officially charged in Fulton county criminal court with multiple counts of soliciting for prostitution. The accusations charge the bell boys with violating three different code sections involving soliciting and procuring for prostitution, receiving proceeds from prostitution and receiving women in a house for prostitution.

\$25.00 was won by Mrs. Fredrica Bush.

WE HAVE OUR CANDIDATES—NOW?



Atty. William Parker is an alternate delegate to the Republican convention in Chicago. Atty. Willie Stevenson Glanton attended the Democratic convention in Los Angeles.

Grand Opening of Robinson Whlse. Store in Ft. Dodge

G. E. Robinson, President of Robinson Wholesale Company, has announced the opening of the fourth Robinson Wholesale Show rooms and Warehouse in Fort Dodge, Iowa. To celebrate the opening over \$5,000 in free gifts will be given during the 10 day "open to the public" event which starts July 22 and ends July 31.

Prizes will be given away during the entire 10 days of the opening and the Grand Prize drawing will be held at 5 P.M. on July 31.

First grand prize consists of 12 pieces of furniture to outfit three rooms. Second grand prize is a 35-horsepower, electric-starting outboard motor. Third grand prize is a ladies' diamond wrist watch.

There will be prizes galore for the children too, and parents are urged to bring them. Said G. S. Robinson, President, "We cordially invite everyone to visit our newest Robinson Showrooms and Warehouse and to register for prizes during the open house. No purchases are necessary and you need not be present to win. All winners will be notified by mail."

Drawing

In addition to the three grand prizes, a drawing will be held every day and watches, rings, jewelry, can openers, minnow buckets, snack sets, toys, salad sets, silverware, gun cases, sporting goods, brushes, leather goods, luggage, clothing, and many other gifts will be given away.

And more prizes in the form of savings are available. During the ten-day open house, the general public will be allowed to make purchases at savings of from 20 to 50 per cent, on nationally-advertised, brand merchandise.

Robinson Wholesale sells only name-brand merchandise. At the new Fort Dodge outlet, customers will see counters, cases, display racks filled with such names as General Electric, Westinghouse, Sunbeam, Dormeyer, Proctor, West Bend, Cosco, Mattel, Tonka, Remington, Wilson, South Bend, Heddon, A. C. Gilbert, Lionel, Royal, Smith-Corona, Benrus, Helbros, and hundreds more.

Largest

Mr. Robinson said that Robinson

Tells Rep. to Use Specific Language in Spelling Out Civil Rights Intentions

Chicago—Citing the historic role of the Republican party in "the crusade to abolish human slavery" a century ago, Roy Wilkins, NAACP executive secretary and chairman of the Leadership Conference on Civil Rights, has called upon the party to adopt a 1960 platform which will deal effectively with "the unfinished business of that crusade."

In testimony before the civil rights subcommittee of the Resolutions Committee of the Republican National Convention here on July 20, Mr. Wilkins presented, on behalf of the NAACP and the other 32 national organizations affiliated with it in the Leadership Conference, the seven-point program which previously had been submitted to the Platform Committee of the Democratic National Convention in Los Angeles.

The program sponsored by the civil rights organizations covers education, housing, employment, voting, congressional procedures, a permanent commission on civil rights, and the integrity of American citizenship.

Democratic Plank

It is time, Wilkins said, to abandon "the generalizations on civil rights which have been the fashion in platforms of past years." These must yield, "in this critical year, to specific language," spelling out the party's civil rights intentions.

Referring to the plank adopted by the Democrats, the civil rights leader said it provided "a sturdy yardstick" by which the Republicans could measure their proposals. Surely, he said, "in the light of its own history, and in view of the portent of our times, the Republican party will not miss this opportunity to make plain its commitments."

The 1960 Republican platform, Mr. Wilkins asserted, "should come to grips with the issue of this mid-century: expanding freedom or expanding tyranny."

School Desegregation

Urgently needed, he declared, is a plank calling for legislation to facilitate school desegregation. All branches of the federal government must take positive roles in this struggle. Negro parents and organizations have had to bear "the entire burden of enforcing" the U. S. Supreme Court anti-segregation ruling "in the areas where local government refuses to comply."

Brick making

"In effect," Wilkins said, "the executive and legislative branches of his government gave the Negro citizen an empty do-it-yourself kit all wrapped up in the wintry smile of skepticism. True to the doctrine of individual free enterprise, the government said, 'Let's see what you can accomplish by yourselves.'"

"Yet our government does not subject others to this brick-making without straw. It stands ready with

BULLETIN

Vice-president Nixon was successful in securing a stronger civil rights plank from a reluctant platform committee. The revised declaration of the rights of minorities was adopted by a vote of 56-28. The committee, in the main had preferred the original moderate draft of the civil rights plank.

Hulan Jack Won't Return to Work Wants Full Reprieve

New York—Because he does not regard himself as being completely vindicated of charges that he accepted a bribe from a wealthy real estate operator, Hulan E. Jack will not resume his duties as borough president of Manhattan.

Jack suspended himself without pay last January after being indicted on conflict-of-interest and conspiracy charges. His trial ended last week when the jury failed to agree on a verdict and was discharged.

His lawyer, Carson DeWitt Baker, said Jack's decision not to resume his official duties was based on the fact that a hung jury was not considered vindication.

Complete vindication, he added, required a not guilty verdict in a new trial or dismissal of the indictment.

Baker said he could envision the possibility of new facts or circumstances developing that might cause Jack to change his decision and resume his duties.

He declined to elaborate on this statement but left the impression that he was hoping for a dismissal of the indictment.

Summer Camp Begins For Crippled Children

The Polk County Society for Crippled Children and Adults' summer Day Camp began this week at the Easter Seal Center, 2920 30th St.

Among approximately 40 other boys and girls attending the annual program are Vernon Triplett, 1240 12th St. and Billy Jenkins, 622 S.E. Fifth. They are participating daily in such activities as arts and crafts, games and singing and other outdoor recreation. Special events planned for this year's camp session are movies, pony rides, a visit to the Lee Harris WHO TV show, trampoline jumps, a carnival and Parents' Day, August 3. On this day the children have planned an entertainment program for parents and other visitors. Also, at this time, the Emily Wilcox Best Camper award will be presented to one of the youngsters.

Children having no ride to camp will be transported by members of the Easter Seal Auxiliary. The Easter Seal Day Camp runs from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. through August 3.



Roy Wilkins
legislation or with executive action
to aid American watchmakers, tex-

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CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank the new Jeru-
salem Church of God in Christ, our
many friends, also the Estes and
Son Funeral Home for their fine
services and kind expressions of
sympathy extended to us during the
illness and passing of our husband
and relative Mr. Herman Bryson.
Mrs. Willa Bryson and
Family.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our many
friends, and relatives for flowers,
cards, telegrams and other acts of
kindness shown to us at the time of
death of Mr. Jesse Meeks, also
thanks to L. Fowler and Son Funeral
Home and to all the various churches
for their kindness.

Mrs. Junita Meeks, wife,
family and Mrs. Lillian
Griffis, stepdaughter.

CARD OF THANKS
I would like very much to thank
all of my friends for the lovely cards,
flowers and gifts and above all their
prayers during my recent illness.
May God Bless You.

Mrs. Gladys Robinson

Insurance Department of Iowa
Des Moines

ANNUAL CERTIFICATE FOR PUBLICATION

THE NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE
COMPANY OF CANADA
Located at Toronto, Ontario in the
State of Canada
Whereas, the above named company
has filed in the Insurance Department
of Iowa, a sworn statement showing its
condition on the thirty-first day of De-
cember, 1959, in accordance with the
provisions of Chapter 515, Title XX, of
the Code of Iowa, relating to Insurance
Companies; and whereas said Insurance
Company has complied with the laws of this
State relating to insurance.
Therefore, in pursuance of law, I,
William E. Timmons, Commissioner of
Insurance, do hereby certify that said
Insurance Company is authorized to
transact the business of insurance in the
State of Iowa, as required by law, until
the first day of April, 1961.
I further certify that on December 31,
1959, the statement shows—
1st Total Admitted Assets \$1,990,774.81
2d Total Liabilities, Except
Capital \$1,223,590.93
3d Capital or Guarantee Fund \$400,000.00
4th Surplus over all
Liabilities \$267,184.00
5th Surplus as regards
Policyholders \$667,184.00
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have
hereunto set my hand and affixed my
seal of office at Des Moines, this 13th
day of July, 1960.
WILLIAM E. TIMMONS
Commissioner of Insurance
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Insurance Department of Iowa
Des Moines

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JEFFERSON NATIONAL LIFE
INSURANCE COMPANY
Located at Indianapolis in the State of
Indiana
Whereas, the above named company
has filed in the Insurance Department of
Iowa, a sworn statement showing its
condition on the thirty-first day of De-
cember, 1959, in accordance with the
provisions of Chapter 515, Title XX, of
the Code of Iowa, relating to Insurance
Companies; and whereas said Insurance
Company has complied with the laws of this
State relating to insurance.
Therefore, in pursuance of law, I,
William E. Timmons, Commissioner of
Insurance, do hereby certify that said
Insurance Company is authorized to
transact the business of insurance in the
State of Iowa, as required by law, until
the first day of April, 1961.
I further certify that on December 31,
1959, the statement shows—
1st Total Admitted Assets \$24,633,655.36
2d Total Liabilities, Except
Capital \$21,714,474.72
3d Capital or Guarantee Fund \$480,495.00
4th Surplus over all
Liabilities \$2,438,885.64
5th Surplus as regards
Policyholders \$2,919,180.64
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have
hereunto set my hand and affixed my
seal of office at Des Moines, this 13th
day of July, 1960.
WILLIAM E. TIMMONS
Commissioner of Insurance
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Insurance Department of Iowa
Des Moines

ANNUAL CERTIFICATE FOR PUBLICATION

PACIFIC FIDELITY LIFE
INSURANCE COMPANY
Located at Los Angeles in the State of
California
Whereas, the above named company
has filed in the Insurance Department of
Iowa, a sworn statement showing its
condition on the thirty-first day of De-
cember, 1959, in accordance with the
provisions of Chapter 515, Title XX, of
the Code of Iowa, relating to Insurance
Companies; and whereas said Insurance
Company has complied with the laws of this
State relating to insurance.
Therefore, in pursuance of law, I,
William E. Timmons, Commissioner of
Insurance, do hereby certify that said
Insurance Company is authorized to
transact the business of insurance in the
State of Iowa, as required by law, until
the first day of April, 1961.
I further certify that on December 31,
1959, the statement shows—
1st Total Admitted Assets \$5,417,461.86
2d Total Liabilities, Except
Capital \$2,532,854.30
3d Capital or Guarantee Fund \$500,000.00
4th Surplus over all
Liabilities \$2,384,607.56
5th Surplus as regards
Policyholders \$2,884,607.56
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have
hereunto set my hand and affixed my
seal of office at Des Moines, this 13th
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Cedar Rapids, Iowa

BY MRS. JULIAN CARLTON
The morning message was de-
livered by the pastor, Rev. Percy
Burt, at Mt. Zion Baptist. Music
was furnished by the Inspirational,
Junior and Senior choirs.
An afternoon program was given
by the Mothers and Deaconess
board. Mrs. Hettie Green is presi-
dent.

Sunday, July 17, the Rev. Mr.
Beverly, from Mt. Pleasant, Ia., was
guest speaker, for the afternoon
services. Visiting worshippers were
Marvin Hilsman, from Atwood,
Tenn. and Larry Smith, from Milan,
Tenn.

Mrs. Bridie Carlton has returned
to the city from her trip to New
York.

Keokuk, Iowa

Mrs. Lovie Benning, who has been
ill, was out to church services Sun-
day.

Mrs. Maybelle Chaney and grand-
daughter, Mary Conn, are spending
several weeks in Evanston, Ill. visit-
ing relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Bates are spend-
ing their vacation in Minneapolis,
Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Holt have
rented a cabin in Minneapolis and
are spending ten days there.

Mr. and Mrs. George Buck motored
to Chicago for the week-end. Mr.
and Mrs. Lewis Dawson and son and
Mrs. Wilkerson motored to Baltimore
and several other spots East visiting
Mrs. Wilkerson's daughter and son-
in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bailey
for two weeks.

STRENGTH
FOR THESE
DAYS
from
The Bible

And He said unto her,
Daughter, be of good comfort;
thy faith hath made thee
whole; go in peace.— (Luke
8:48.)

When we have faith in God,
our Heavenly Father, even as
little as a grain of mustard,
nothing is impossible to us. We
can overcome doubt and fear,
illness and despair—our faith
can make us whole, and we will
know peace.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION
GROWTH DEVELOPMENT COMPANY,
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Please take notice that the above
named corporation was created on Feb-
ruary 8, 1960, for a period of twenty
years thereafter under the provisions of
Chapter 321 of the Laws of the 58th
General Assembly of Iowa.
The purpose of this corporation is to
do any and all acts as may be lawful
under the Laws of the State of Iowa and
it has power to issue 1,000 shares of its
Common Stock of the par value of \$100.00
per share.
Its registered office is located at 909
Center Street, Des Moines, Polk County,
Iowa, and its registered agent is James
West of 902 Register and Tribune Build-
ing, Des Moines, Iowa.
Its Directors are as follows:
Charles L. Hill
647 39th Street
Des Moines, Iowa
Mary L. Hill
947 39th Street
Des Moines, Iowa
Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 19th
day of July, 1960.
GROWTH DEVELOPMENT COMPANY,
INC.
By Job M. Schiltz
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Insurance Department of Iowa
Des Moines

ANNUAL CERTIFICATE FOR PUBLICATION

HARBOR INSURANCE COMPANY
Located at Los Angeles in the State of
California
Whereas, the above named company
has filed in the Insurance Department of
Iowa, a sworn statement showing its
condition on the thirty-first day of De-
cember, 1959, in accordance with the
provisions of Chapter 515, Title XX, of
the Code of Iowa, relating to Insurance
Companies; and whereas said Insurance
Company has complied with the laws of this
State relating to insurance.
Therefore, in pursuance of law, I,
William E. Timmons, Commissioner of
Insurance, do hereby certify that said
Insurance Company is authorized to
transact the business of insurance in the
State of Iowa, as required by law, until
the first day of April, 1961.
I further certify that on December 31,
1959, the statement shows—
1st Total Admitted Assets \$4,176,911.59
2d Total Liabilities, Except
Capital \$2,574,097.01
3d Capital or Guarantee Fund \$800,000.00
4th Surplus over all
Liabilities \$802,814.58
5th Surplus as regards
Policyholders \$1,602,814.58
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have
hereunto set my hand and affixed my
seal of office at Des Moines, this 13th
day of July, 1960.
WILLIAM E. TIMMONS
Commissioner of Insurance
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Insurance Department of Iowa
Des Moines

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STANDARD LIFE INSURANCE
COMPANY OF INDIANA
Located at Indianapolis in the State of
Indiana
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State of Iowa, as required by law, until
the first day of April, 1961.
I further certify that on December 31,
1959, the statement shows—
1st Total Admitted Assets \$32,191,343.43
2d Total Liabilities, Except
Capital \$20,248,886.79
3d Capital or Guarantee Fund \$485,709.34
4th Surplus over all
Liabilities \$2,456,747.30
5th Surplus as regards
Policyholders \$2,942,456.64
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have
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Manly, Iowa

BY MRS. FLOSSIE DOUGLAS
The New Bethel Sunday school
was held Sunday morning with Supt.
Willie Haddix, in charge. The Young
people conducted the devotional and
Rev. A. W. Patton preached on "The
Final Decisions." Mr. Edgar Cabell
of Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Iviana Hill
of Kansas City, Mo., and Miss
Clossess Anthony of Kansas City,
Mo., were visiting worshippers.

Sunday afternoon Rev. Patton and
his congregation went to Mason
City, Ia., where he preached a
Men's day message at St. John Mis-
sionary Baptist church at 3 p.m. His
subject was "God Wants a Man."
The Men's chorus sang.

Edgar Cabell is here visiting
friends, Mrs. Ruth Harper and Mrs.
Ruby Haddix accompanied him back
to Detroit to visit friends and rela-
tives. They also spent some time in
Lansing, Mich., over the weekend.
Mrs. Ivian Hill of Kansas City,
Mo., is houseguest this week in the
home of Mr. and Mrs. John Page.

Wife of Omaha Pastor
To Give Musical Sunday

The Maple Street Mission Circle
will present Mrs. D. F. Green, wife
of the Rev. D. F. Green of Omaha,
Nebr., in a musical recital on Sun-
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Circle Girls
Plan Recital

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Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
E. T. U. 6:00 P.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

St. Paul A.M.E. Church
12th and Crocker Street
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.

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.
Prayer Service Wed. 7:30 P.M.
Tuesday and Friday 8:00 P.M.

Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion
Church
905 W. 16th St.
REV. J. B. REESE, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH
1228 East University Ave.
REV. R. JOSEPH PARKER, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Youth Church 11:00 a.m.
A.C.E. League 5:30 p.m.
Evening Program 7:30 p.m.
Wed. Mid-Week Service 7:30 p.m.

Community Sanctified
Church of Christ
809 S. E. 27th Street
BISHOP D. H. CRANSHAW, Minister
ORDER OF SERVICE
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:15 A.M.
Youth Organization 7:00 P.M.
Evening Worship 8:00 P.M.
Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer
Meeting 8:00 P.M.

Philadelphia
Seventh-Day Adventist
1150 12th Street
PASTOR E. L. RYLES, Minister
Saturday Worship
ORDER OF SERVICES
Sabbath School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Missionary Volunteer 4:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting Friday 7:30 P.M.
Dorcas Society 1st and 3rd Sunday
Morning 10:00 A.M.

St. John Baptist Church
2548 Maury Street
REV. JOE GAINES, Pastor
I will arise and return to God.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Prayer Service-Wed. 7:00 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal Wed. 8:00 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal Friday 6:00 p.m.

New Jerusalem Church of
God in Christ
1198 14th Street
BISHOP M. W. GOODMAN, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Weekday Service 11:00 a.m.
Tuesday and Friday Night 8:00 p.m.
Y.P.W.W. Sunday 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.
Sunday Night Service 8:00 p.m.

ST. PAUL A.M.E.
CHURCH NEWS
Sunday morning, Aug. 7 the ser-
mon will be delivered by Presiding
Elder Rev. William H. Burnette, Jr.
This is the Fourth Quarter of the
church. Quarterly conference will be
held Monday, Aug. 8 at 7:30 p.m.
with Elder Burnette presiding. All
clubs and auxiliaries are to make
final reports.

Monday, Aug. 1 at 7:30 p.m. Of-
ficial board will be held. The Mis-
sionary society will meet Tuesday,
Aug. 2 at 2 p.m. with Mrs. Delores
Peguese. All members are urged to
attend.

Sunday evening union services
will be held at 7 p.m. at St. Paul.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST
CHURCH NEWS
Sunday emphasis will be given to
missions. At the 11 a.m. service a
special feature will be an address
by Mrs. Roberta Frazier, president
of the Des Moines Council of United
Church Women. The Rev. N. R. Ol-
phin will speak of the important
need and endeavors of the mission-
ary today. Mrs. Ernest Gaiters,
president of the Missionary Circle
will attend, after being on the sick
list for the past several weeks.

A baptismal service will be held
following the close of the morning
worship.
The 5th union service will be held
at Corinthian on Sunday, at 7 p.m.
The Rev. David A. Blake, Sr., of St.
Paul will be guest speaker.

Rev. G. H. Williams
Will Speak at Union
The Rev. G. M. Williams of Mace-
donia Baptist church will be guest
speaker for the Union Baptist Mis-
sionary circle on Sunday, July 31 at
3 p.m. Mrs. Laurel Scott is program
chairman.

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Mary Church Terrell Club Holds Annual Anniversary Dinner

Mary Church Terrell club held their annual dinner on Sunday, July 10 at the home of Mrs. A. A. Alexander of 2200 Chautauqua parkway with their honorary members and husbands as special guests.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mitchell, Matthew Johnson, George Jackson, James B. Morris, Sr. Other club guests included Mesdames Mildred Otis, Gwendolyn Fowler, Madeline Kelso, Anna Mae Carter, Lula Mae Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Phil McQuire, Messrs. A. P. Trotter, Charles Barnes and Oscar Lewis.

After dinner officers for the coming year were installed by Miss Jessie Walker, who are as follows, Mrs. Jo Anne Bullock, president; Mrs. JoBurness Kelso, vice president; Mrs. A. A. Alexander, secretary; Mrs. Goletha Trotter, assistant secretary; Mrs. Birdie Lewis, treasurer; Mrs. Ada Johnson, parliamentarian; and Mrs. Alta Herndon, reporter.

Other members of the club are Mmes. Nellie M. Esters, Jessys B. Davis, Gertrude North, and Miss Walker. Mrs. Esters will be hostess to the next meeting this week at her home at 1423 Center street.

The Everett Johnsons Entertain Guests

The Rev. Father Allen M. Simpson of Kent, Ohio and his mother, Mrs. Elsie Simpson, of Ottumwa, Ia., were recent dinner guests in the home of Everett Johnson home at 1108 Scott street. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Tindrell of 1428 E. 15th street and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gibson of 621 S.E. 11th street.

Father Simpson is formerly of Louvillia, Ia.

Nuptial Vows Friday A. Potts & E. Mays

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Woolford of Indianapolis, Ind., announce the approaching marriage of their niece, Amanda Louise Potts, 1800 Watrous ave., to Everett A. Mays, 701 Hull ave. The ceremony will take place Friday at the parsonage home of the Rev. and Mrs. David Blake, 695 Twenty-fifth st.

Miss Potts is employed as a psychiatric social worker at the Des Moines Child Guidance Center, and Mr. Mays by Northwestern Bell Telephone Co.



Amanda Potts

After a trip to Hampton, Va., and Washington, D. C., the couple will live at the Hull avenue address.

Louvillia Residents Are Visitors Here

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Abington of Louvillia, Ia., were visitors for the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Johnson. They attended the air show Saturday afternoon at the Des Moines Municipal airport.



Clara Ward Tops For 1959



Miss Clara Ward, head of the famous Ward Singers, has received "The Mary Hamilton Kendrix Memorial Trophy," awarded annually to an outstanding gospel singer by The National Gospel Symposium Association, Knoxville, Tennessee. Above, lower panel, Miss Ward, in Washington, D. C., receives trophy from Moss H. Kendrix, Jr., paternal grandson of the late Mrs. Kendrix, devoted Atlanta church worker who died in 1954 after a long period of illness. Seen with Miss Ward and young Kendrix are, l., Walter Ken-

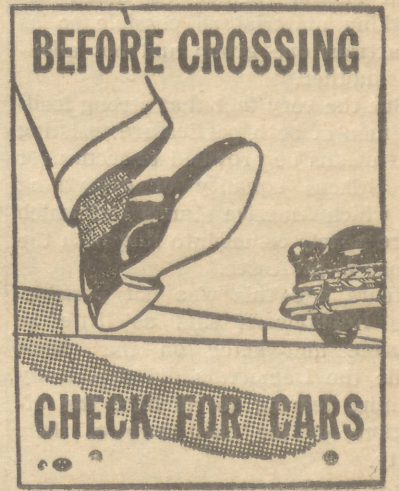
neddy, III, Symposium founder-director, and Bishop Smallwood E. Williams.

In top section of photo, Miss Ward and Mr. Kendrix are joined by Mother Gertrude Ward, manager, and the other members of the Ward group. The Ward Singers were in Washington, D. C., as guest artists for a Gospel Song Festival held at Griffith Stadium under the sponsorship of Bishop William's Bible Way Church. A huge crowd of approximately 10,000 people witnessed the presentation of trophy donated by

The Moss H. Kendrix Organization.

The 1958 memorial trophy went to Miss Mahalia Jackson and was awarded by young Kendrix at the closing session of the 1959 annual convention of NAACP in New York's polo grounds. The internationally famous Ward Singers will shortly leave for Canada, where they will be featured in Emancipation ceremonies at Winslow. Soon, thereafter, they will enter rehearsal on Langston Hughes' Tamborines to Glory," which is scheduled for a fall Broadway opening.

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There she recuperates from the enervating rigors of child birth—being attended hand and foot by meticulous doctors and nurses. Thus while she enjoys her heavenly haven of rest and relaxation her reporting duties befall me. But as you read this she will again have returned to the regular grind of family and career that she combines so effectively. And one can rest assured she was surely missed here.

Summertime and the weather has taken on a more aggressive attitude . . . and has become more torrid in its temperament, going as high as a sticky 94. Therefore we are compelled for comfort sake to seek refuge in a more temperate atmosphere. Some of us defeat the heat by constant intakes of cool beverages, cool dips in the pools, the lucky ones go down under, (the basement of course) while others grin and bear it. However Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Crawford of 1200 13th street did the trick by buying some beautiful multi-colored awnings to grace their windows and keep out ole man sun.

The freeway seem to be making remarkable progress judging from the wide expanse of cleared land. Reminds one of a grass barren prairie way out Texas' way.

Conversed with a Des Moines Transit System bus driver recently and garnered his opinion on the bus system's problem of lack of riders. He thinks that Des Moines' population is too widely dispersed. That is, not enough people live in a concentrated area. Like New York or Chicago for instance where thousands of people live closely knit in apartment buildings.

The political conventions with all their whoopee are interesting as well as amusing to watch and follow. However out of this panorama of seriousness, humor, scheming and political jockeying we can't help but wonder whether or not the best qualified man is selected and elected.

There are about twenty or thirty women now employed at the Des Moines Post office and most seem to be holding their own with the men . . . from handling sacks of parcel post to distributing the first class mail. Which is no more than expected since they simultaneously enjoy the salary and fringe benefits as same as the men. Most of the women are mothers and a considerable number of them mothers of large families.

One mother of five, Mrs. Eleanor Boston of 1613 Maple proposes to put her eldest daughter, Ellen, through college with part of her postal remunerations.

Mrs. Pauline Watson, Eolia, Mo., is incorporating a vacation along with her visit to her daughter, Frances E. Hawthorne, while assisting her during her convalescence from the effects of her latest arrival.

We close on this appreciative note by extending kind thanks to two fine ladies of the Bystander office staff for their needed assistance during Frances' absence. They are Miss Ann Wright and Mrs. Muriel Boggs.

Socialite Club

Celebrates 3rd Year

The Socialite club celebrated their third anniversary at the Craftsman club lounge Saturday, July 24. Officers were elected by Mrs. Gladys Hurt, past president. Officers are Marguerite Avant, president; Virginia Carroll, secretary; Madeline Kipper, treasurer and Karen Pigeon, vice president.

J. Newsome Have

Visitor From Chicago

Mr. and Mrs. James Newsome, 1315 Laurel, entertained vacationing Mrs. Mable Higgins of Chicago, Ill. at their home last week.

While here Mrs. Higgins was given a birthday party by her hostess. Those sharing the event were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hagan of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Durden, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bayles and Mr. Lewis Cropp. Mr. and Mrs. Durden showed moving pictures and took pictures of the guest.

Clarence Jones Family Returns from St. Louis

The Clarence L. Jones family of 1657 Maple St. returned to the city last week after a week's vacation in St. Louis, Mo., visiting with Mr. Jones' mother, Mrs. E. L. Fanroy.

While there they were entertained at a lovely yard party by Mr. and Mrs. John Rhodes. Mrs. Rhodes is the former Doris Shepherd of Des Moines.

Jacquelyn Rhodes gave a slumber party honoring Jo Ann Jones and Don Rhodes honored Perrydean at a party.

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CIVIL RIGHTS MORE IMPORTANT—NOW

At the time this editorial is written, the Republican National Convention had not agreed on all the details of its platform, particularly with regards to civil rights. It so happens that each convention operated on the theory that its platform should include as much as soothing material as possible so as to attract one group and not alienate another.

But the very fact that strong leading men of both parties are insisting that means be provided to secure for all citizens equality of everything for which America stands and which more nearly comes into line with the things it professes.

Years ago this was not possible. The Republicans said as little as possible and acted on that basis while the Democrats did practically nothing fearing to alienate the affections of the hard core of their party.

But much of this is changed. And it comes about with the development of a spirit of freedom among oppressed people and a sense of responsible leadership which America has taken over.

While all the things promised in each platform will not be carried out, it is well that both parties are committed to doing a better job in the future thus assuring that some additional progress will be made.

DON'T LOSE HOPE—SEEK HELP

During the past few weeks, the Des Moines Commission on Human Rights and Job Discrimination and the Des Moines Branch, NAACP have carried a series of ads in the Bystander asking all young people who graduated last June and any others who were either unemployed or under employed to mail a blank to these organizations informing them who and where they were. During these publications, a meeting was held inviting the young people to come in and discuss their problems. Both of these projects have not been encouraging.

As one inquires over the city and makes casual observations it is noticeable that there are more idle youngsters floating around than ever before. It will also be observed that more of the so-called summer jobs of construction are being done by college and high school boys, that very few of them are Negroes, that more of the old standby year round laborers are unemployed. This keeps these youngsters restless, without money to spend and very easily breeds crime.

Just why these young people hesitate to accept invitations to help them is difficult to understand. It would seem that if they have not been successful in securing jobs by their own efforts, they would welcome assistance to get the desired results.

There was a time when it was difficult to get youngsters to finish high school because opportunities for employment were unavailable. Now that this is not entirely true, it is difficult to get many high school graduates to push on to higher things after graduation.

The Bystander would welcome expressions of what can be done to wake these youngsters up.

NEWSBOYS WANTED

To sell the Bystander in Ottumwa, Burlington, Cedar Rapids, Mason City, and Sioux City. For details write The Iowa Bystander 223 1/2 Locust Street.



Our annual pilgrimage to the state tennis meet in Cedar Rapids meeting with old friends on our yearly basis trying to sell the Hilltop Des Moines Open. Someday we will think to take along some blanks for our meet and maybe we will astonish folks by our results. A lot of people expressed interest in the thing.

One of them was the Australian who was supposed to win the men's singles. He is a likeable fellow and we had a real nicetalk about tennis. In this one we somehow picked up an audience and we got over a point that we always believed. That there has always been Negroes who, given the top-notch competition necessary could have been among the country's leading players.

Dr. Reggie Weir

We carried them back to Dr. Reggie Weir of New York down through Vernon Cohen of Denver. Also Jimmy McDaniels, School Boy Mitchell and the Jackson brothers and then to our present crop of Negro charges.

Althea Gibson and our Hilltop group have spread the story of the Negro Nations around a lot more than we would believe. Our favorite tennis player at the meet was John Nadig. He forgot his falling lesson and was injured in a hard fall that probably kept him and his brother Gene out of the men's double finals. They had reached the semi-final round when that fall came up.

Fine Tennis

Along with the fine tennis was the observation that Iowa University Tennis coach Don Klatz had lost most of the youngsters he worked so hard to develop. As they grew up they went other places. We remarked that those things weren't unusual and that if a coach could keep one out of twenty players around him all through their career, he was doing well.

Baseball

Also saw that fourteen inning baseball game in which the Three I League team of Cedar Rapids . . . aided by some fine play from the three Negroes and some lusty yelling by a couple of our friends . . . defeated Des Moines 5-4. Wouldn't have minded so much but at the bottom of the fourteenth inning one of our friends leaned over and said "this is it, we are tired of playing now and we are going to do you in." Then came that homerun.

The only bad feature of our trip was that we had to pay our own expenses. The poker players heard we were in town and ran for cover and never did come out. Couldn't flush out even one little one.

Des Moines

Meanwhile back in Des Moines the Hilltop Tennis Club was nearing its defeat by Indianola. Beat the woman County team nine to five. The Hotentots were renewing their lease on the Des Moines city softball title and the Little Leaguers were merrily on their way. WHAT A WEEK-END!!!! And Everett Mays, Club president, was middle ailing it. Congrats and good luck Everett.

HEALTH FOR ALL

Don't Relax

Do you believe that we're a nation of nail nibblers? That we're all as tense as a small rubber band round a large package? That no matter what ails us, tension did it? People spend millions of dollars a year on pills trying to get as relaxed as a piece of overcooked spaghetti.

We've come to believe that any tension is bad. The fact is that a certain amount of tension is necessary if we are to survive. It's true, excessive tension is uncomfortable and can be dangerous. But excessive tension is not as common as you might think. Most of us are under no more tension most of the time than we need to cross the street safely. Tension is necessary to recognize danger and react to it quickly enough to get out of the way in time.

Tension

You couldn't solve the simplest problem without tension. What's more, without tension you wouldn't even want to. In a completely relaxed state, you'd be no use at work and you couldn't be trusted to prepare a meal in the kitchen. If we ever succeeded in removing all tension, we'd be a nation of zombies.

Everybody gets extremely tense in some situations, and this is normal. When you're asking the boss for a raise, taking an exam, applying for a job, maneuvering an auto through heavy traffic—you'll be quite tense. You need some of this extra tension to keep you on your toes during the ordeal. It won't last. It won't do you any harm. Of course if you get so tense that it interferes with what you're trying to do, you should check with your doctor.

20 Negroes on Olympic Team Thomas, Johnson Head List

When the 1960 Olympic Games open in Rome, Italy, Aug. 29, the United States will be represented by what is believed to be the mightiest array of track stars ever selected to carry its banner.

Not even in the days of the great Jesse Owens was the U.S. so endowed with talents for the August event, the acme of amateur sports throughout the world.

Of the 52 athletes on the U. S. team, 20 are Negroes, indicating that tan athletes have succeeded in dominating the squad.

This enviable group of stellar performers are led by two stars who stand head and shoulder above their field. Both are considered a cinch to bring America a gold medal in his particular specialty.

Thomas & Johnson the Greatest

They are John Thomas, sensational 19-year-old Boston university world champion high jumper, and Rafer Johnson, the newly recrowned decathlon champion.

While setting their latest in a series of world records, both qualified for the U. S. team in the recent Olympic Trials at Stanford university in Palo Alto, Calif., in what was described by experts as the greatest track show on earth. They were the best of the 27 other top athletes.

Thomas' performance was sensational as usual, but far surpassed all expectations. The lean, dusky athlete soared 7 feet 3-3/4 inches, smashing all his previous marks. He has scaled 7 feet or better on 30 different occasions and is considered a bet for a gold medal at Rome this summer.

Rafer Johnson Stars

The same is predicted for Johnson, 24-year-old University of California at Los Angeles star. He compiled the greatest point total ever in the recent grueling 10-event decathlon test in the national Amateur Athletic Union decathlon championship. Johnson, in a brilliant display of power, stamina and talent, amassed a total of 8,683 points, to surpass by more than 326 the old record of 8,357 set by Russia's Vasily Kuznetsov last year. In 1959 Vasily bettered Johnson's old world mark of 8,302 set in Moscow in 1958.

Rafer is expected to be seriously challenged by O. K. Yans, a fellow UCLA teammate representing Formosa and Vasily, but is favored to win.

Others

Other colored members of the U. S. team and their respective divisions are: Frank Budd, Villanova university sophomore and Paul Winder, Morgan State college, 100 meter dash; Irvin Roberson, Cornell university star, broad jump; and Ira Davis of LaSalle college and Bill Sharpe, West Chester Teachers college, hop-step and jump.

Ray Norton, sometimes called the world's fastest human and former San Jose college star, 100 and 200 meter events; Stone Johnson of Grambling college and Les Carney, Ohio university graduate, 200 meters; Otis Davis of Oregon and Ted Woods, Colorado university sophomore, 400 meters, and "Deacon" Jones, ex-Iowa university star, 3,000 meter steeplechase.

Lee Calhoun, 1956 Olympic champion and former North Carolina college star; Willie May and Hayes Jones, 110 meter high hurdles; Dick Howard, New Mexico, in the 400 meter hurdles; Ralph Boston of Tennessee A & I university, in the broad jump and Herman Stokes of

Los Angeles in the hop, step and jump, and Charlie Dumas, California, high jump.

Team members have been ordered to keep in shape by exercising at least three times a week until they report for initial pre-Olympic workouts at Eugene, Oregon July 25. Practice meets have been scheduled for the squad on July 30, Aug. 5 and Aug. 12.

The team will fly to New York on Aug. 13, leave on Aug. 18 for Switzerland, and proceed to Rome, arriving about Aug. 23.

Sports Illustrated: National League Superior to American; Cites Negro Players as Key

New York—The extent of the growing weakness of the American League was revealed in last week's two All-Star Games, says the July 25th issue of Sports Illustrated. The magazine rates the National alone in its claim to being big league and points to the Negro players as the crux of National League strength.

"While the American League has weakened," writer Walter Bingham states, "the National League, thanks to a steady influx of talented Negro ballplayers, has improved. The National League has four times as many Negroes as the American has, and certainly all the outstanding ones. Perhaps this is because Jackie Robinson, the first Negro big leaguer, played in the National League. Maybe it is because American League club owners were slow in yielding to the changing times. In any case, the Negro ballplayer has made the National League a better league."

American League

The American League's Minnie Minoso, Vic Power, Elston Howard and Al Smith are good, the article says, but they cannot compare with the National's Henry Aaron, Willie Mays and Ernie Banks, baseball's top hitters, or with Frank Robinson, Orlando Cepeda, Vada Pinson, Roberto Clemente and Bill White. It is significant, Sports Illustrated thinks, that in the seventh inning of the New York All-Star Game the National League fielded six Negroes at one time.

Reviewing the play and results of the two All-Star Games this year, in which the American League was beaten decisively twice in three days, the article points out that the Nationals have won nine of the last

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Hilltoppers Play At Cedar Rapids

Armiller Bell and Esther Myers of the Hilltop Tennis club played in the Iowa State tournament at Cedar Rapids, Ia., over the weekend. Miss Bell lost her final round 18 and under girls match, 6-4, 6-4. Mrs. Myers won her first round woman singles 6-1, 6-2 over a Clinton girl. Miss Bell's trip was made possible by a special fund set up for sponsoring juniors of the Hilltop Tennis club.

for so lovely are these violet skies. —Glenn A. Gallagher
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Why do cats have whiskers
And some dogs floppy ears?
Why do chickens have red combs?
And crocodiles cry big tears?
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Why do turtles have hard shells
And travel slow like snails?
Why do ducks snap their bills
And rabbits twitch their noses?
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And honey bees buzz in roses?
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