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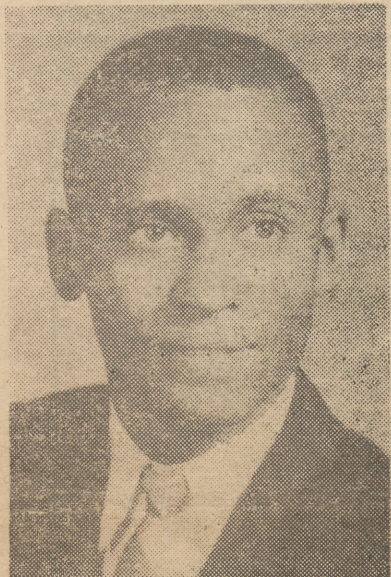
IN WATERLOO COURT FRIDAY

Trial Begins for Tavern Owner

Jas. Thomas Selected
To Tour Africa for
'Operation Crossroad'

James A. Thomas, 22, an English major at Wesleyan university in Middletown, Conn., and former top-honor student at East High school, has been selected as one of 150 American students to participate in "Operation Crossroads," next summer.

Along with the others, Thomas will spend the summer living, working and studying with students in Africa. In early June he will attend briefings in New York and Paris and will return to the country around Sept. 5.



THOMAS

"Operations Crossroads," was founded in 1958 by the famed Negro pastor, Dr. James H. Robinson, to promote better understanding between African and the United States through student missions. The organization will pay half of Thomas' expenses and the other half must be paid by some sponsor or himself.

Parents

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thomas of 1704 Walker street, Thomas was top-ranking student in his 1957 East high school graduating class. At Wesleyan he was co-captain of the Wesleyan track team and was a leading ground gainer as a halfback on the football team. He plans to study law this fall.

State NAACP Board
To Meet Here Sat.

The Iowa State Conference of Branches will hold a board meeting in Des Moines at Willkie House, 900 17th street from 1 to 2 p.m. on Saturday, Mar. 4. Presiding will be George J. Cooper, Council Bluffs, state president, who will appoint committee chairmen for the year, among other business.



COOPER

Other officers slated to attend are Mrs. Guy E. Greene, Des Moines, first vice president; De Edwin White, Burlington, second vice president; Mrs. Eugene Weems, Waterloo, third vice president; Miss Geraldine Herndon, Council Bluffs, recording secretary; Mrs. Ruth B. Toomes, Keokuk, assistant secretary.

Hawkeye Elks Drum-
Bugle Corp. to Lead
Easter Parade Mar. 19

Plans for the March 19 Easter Seal Parade in Des Moines' Central area are near completion. Central Area Chairmann Gilbert Randle, 1032 5th Street, has announced the groups and individuals who will be participating in the door to door solicitation for handicapped children and adults in Polk County.

Hawkeye Elks

Leading the Parade will be Hawkeye Elks Junior Herd, Majorettes and the Drum and Bugle Corp. They will march on 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th Streets, as well as collect donations under the leadership of Captain Freeda Garland, 1108 10th. Also working on the campaign in this area are Captain Juanita Brown, 708 10th and the Hawkeye Elks Police Unit; and Captain Jackie Randall, 1175-9th and her volunteers LaDouia Lewis, 1432 Maryland, Opal Logan, 1623 East 16th and Lloyd Burress, 1087 West 9th.

Other Captains

Other captains named by Randle are: Mrs. Victoria Hendricks, 1700 Crocker, Dorothy Duntz, 805 3rd, Violet Evans, 1320 Laurel, Carrie Randle, 1155-15th, Bernice Rhone, 920-18th, Sarah Jett, 1414 Goddard Ct. and JoAnn Randle, 837-17th. Working for Miss Randle are Dorothy McCum, 830 17th, Alrine Hines, 847 17th and Olivia Berdue, 846 16th.

T.O.B. Club

The T.O.B. Club will again assist the drive. Captain is Iva Mae Hayes, 1142 8th, and other members helping her are Louise Walington, 300 East Broad, Thelma Claybrook, 923 17th, Muriel DeSleet, 3106 Bowdoin, Catharine Russell, 949 17th, Obeneeta Green, 945 18th, Mrs. Cecil Jones, 950 17th, Pauline Humphrey, Betsy Campbell, 908 Laurel, and Agnes Mathews, 1025 10th.

Also named captains are Deloris Bailey, 1136 8th, Mrs. Moscovie, 1131 6th, Mrs. John Fisher, 1106 6th, and Mrs. Ella Mae Crawford, 1435 Maryland.

Additional Workers

Randle expects this will be biggest Parade held yet in the Central area district for the Polk County Society for Crippled Children and Adults, the Easter Seal Campaign's sponsoring agency. Officially the drive runs from March 2 through April 2. Anyone interested in joining the workers who have already signed up for the campaign is asked to call Mr. Randle at AT 8-7111, Ex. 421, or the Easter Seal Center at CR 4-1529.

Knives Settle
Twins' Dispute

Memphis, Tenn.—Twins Louis and Jake Mitchel, 31, had argued since childhood over who was the "better man." Two weeks ago they settled the issue with knives in front of a Beale Street cafe. Jake was killed and Louis hospitalized in critical condition with a slashed throat. "Ever since we were children, Jake thought he could whip me," he told police. "So today I showed him I was the better man," said Louis.

tary; and Mrs. Viola Gibson, Cedar Rapids, treasurer.

The Des Moines state board members will serve as hosts to out of town members attending the meeting, and will serve refreshments. About 14 representatives from branches over the state are expected to attend.



TOP U. S. CAR WINNER—James Thomas Cherry of Portsmouth, Virginia, is the top U. S. winner in the CARNATION CARNIVAL car contest. Cherry, shown with his wife, Carol, was awarded a glamorous new 1961 Lincoln Continental. The grand prize—a \$16,000 Rolls-Royce Silver Cloud sedan—was won by a Canadian farmer's wife.

10 Chicago Doctors Sue 56
Hospitals, Medical Groups;
Charge Biased Practices

Chicago, Ill.—In a move to end what has been described as widespread suit against 56 Chicago area hospitals and five medical and hospital organizations which the doctors charge bar Negroes from the medical staffs.

The action brought under the Sherman-Clayton anti-trust law, seeks no damages. It was filed by Atty. Charles P. Rippey in behalf of Dr. Robert G. Morris, Dr. N. O. Calloway, Dr. Audley R. Mamby, Dr. John W. Coleman, Dr. Charles Wren, Dr. Arthur G. Falls, Dr. C. L. Morton, Dr. George Shropshire, Dr. John Stanfield, and Dr. Charles L. Williams.

For All Negroes

Filed in federal district court on behalf of "all Negro physicians in Cook county," the suit seeks to force the hospitals to lift the ban on the Negro physicians and Negro patients. The defendant hospitals, the suit alleges, provide more than 75 per cent of the private hospital beds in the city.

Willkie House Board
Hosts Dinner Meeting

Many changes in program activities and physical facilities, all for the better, were reported at the annual Willkie House board of directors dinner meeting last Tuesday evening, Feb. 21, at the Center. Presiding was Mr. Lester Bookey, president of the board.

Guest speaker was Mrs. Addison Parker, Jr., who spoke on "How Do Settlement Houses Serve Our Neighborhoods?" She was introduced by Mrs. Arthur Downing, annual meeting chairman. In addition, Mrs. Charles Smith sang a solo, "Without a Song," accompanied by Mrs. Clara Eaves. Special guest and foreign visitor was Mrs. Doris Caulker of Sierra Leone, West Africa. Rev. James Harris gave the invocation. Also there was an International Children's Art Exhibit on loan from the American Friends Service committee in Philadelphia, Pa.

Staff Members

Willkie House staff members presented were Miss Charlene F. Wharton, executive director; Kenneth P. Whitney, athletic director; Mrs. Joyce Fant, Miss Angie Wilcotts, Miss Judith Collett, Mrs. Joyce Jaffee, and Mrs. Judy Smith, all program workers; Mrs. Mary Rollins, sec'y-bookkeeper; Misses Lillie Faye Forbes and Carole Kennerly, afternoon receptionists; Charles

NEWS
In A
Nutshell

Washington, D. C.—Rep. Adam Clayton Powell (D.N.Y.) told a cheering Negro Labor Rally that "black faces" must be seen sitting by (U.S. Ambassador Adlai) Stevenson at the United Nations. African and Asian nations, he said, will look at the U.S. with greater respect with a Negro man and woman are on the U.S. delegation.

Garden City, N. Y.—A cheating gum helress who died last June left an estimated million-dollar fortune, including a mansion in this all-white suburb to her Negro maid, Miss Ravella Hughes, 64, it was disclosed last week. The inheritance was revealed during investigation of an apparent accidental shooting. Miss Hughes is a former concert pianist.

Atlanta, Ga.—Eight Negro doctors were arrested Monday at the huge Biltmore hotel when they tried to eat lunch in the hotel's segregated cafeteria, even though they had paid for the food.

United Nations, N. Y.—United Nations Undersecretary Ralph J. Bunche, apologized to senior officials of the United Nations for racial demonstrations which disrupted recent meetings of the Security council.

Jacksonville, Fla.—Nine Negro bus drivers have been hired here and according to an NAACP official, will not be restricted to Negro neighborhoods.

Springfield, Ill.—Illinois lawmakers passed a bill making it illegal for crematoriums to discriminate. Revealed State Rep. Paul Simon: "The legislators would not pass any laws to say all people were created equal, but they did get one through that says all people must be cremated equal."

Montgomery, Ala.—H. D. Cohn, who testified that Negroes stopped trading at his Tuskegee store during a boycott starting in 1957, has been appointed to the board of trustees of Tuskegee Institute.

White Plains, N. Y.—Vester Guy Fowles, 52, became the first Negro assistant district attorney of Westchester county when he was appointed last week at a salary of \$8,140.

Washington—William C. Hueston, Elks' grand secretary resigned his post here last week. He won his first grand lodge position in 1925.

Pelahatchie, Miss.—A group of angry Negro patrons visited the home of the principal here and after the leader of the group threatened him with a gun, forced him to flee for his life. It is reported that he will not return. The incident grew out of the failure of the principal to order a gym built in the school.

Washington — With the appointment by President Kennedy of William Atwood as United States ambassador to Guinea and the subsequent recall of Dr. John H. Morrow, there is no longer a Negro representing American as ambassador in Africa.

NAMES PUERTO RICAN

Washington — President Kennedy last week named Dr. Arturo Morales Carrion of Puerto Rico to be deputy assistant secretary of state for inter-American affairs. He is the first

Charged With Violating
Iowa Rights Act; Denied
Service to African Youth

Everett Joseph Martin, owner of the Lafayette Tap, 611 Lafayette St., had been ordered to appear in court to answer a charge that he denied civil rights to a 26-year old Iowa State Teachers student, Sclakib Scek Mohamud, who was in court also, along with the girl friend who was with him when they reportedly were refused service last Saturday night. Dorie Marie Jager, 18, of 436 Cherry St., the girl, said she attended TC last semester after coming here from Mississippi to live with relatives. Also in court with the student were Dr. Alden Hansen, foreign students' adviser from TC, and Mrs. Anna M. Weems, president of the Waterloo chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

Waterloo, Ia.—A foreign student here Monday charged a tavern owner with denying him civil rights under Iowa law.

Shakib Shiek Mohamud, 26, of the African Republic of Somalia, and a student at Iowa State Teachers College in Cedar Falls, said that he and a girl friend were at the Lafayette Tap tavern Saturday evening. He said that Everett Martin, 55, owner of the tavern, refused to serve him and ordered them to leave. Martin denied the charge.

Mohamud is one of four Somalian students spending nine months in the United States studying to be elementary school principals in their native country.

Rip Kennedy Administration
For Inaction on Civil Rights

Baltimore, Md.—Strong criticism against the Kennedy administration's failure to fulfill campaign promises came here Sunday in a speech by an official of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

"To date the new administration, which made so many promises in its party platform and during the election campaign, has not issued a single executive order protecting the civil rights and has not proposed a civil rights bill as part of its must legislative programs," said Clarence Mitchell, director of the NAACP Washington office.

"It is ironic that in a time when the government is trying to pacify the critical situations in the Congo and Laos, it can do nothing to relieve the problem of integration in its own back yard."

"So far as civil rights are concerned," Mitchell added, "the new frontier looks suspiciously like a dude ranch with Senator James O. Eastland (Dem. Miss.), senator in charge of civil rights, as the general manager, and Representative Howard Smith, (Dem. Va.), house rules committee chairman, as the foreman."

In his speech at a meeting of the Cosmopolitan club of the Johns Hopkins university, Mitchell said government leaders still do not accept Negro citizens as persons entitled to equal treatment under the law.

"This is verified by the fact that on the list published last week of the 16 priority legislative measures, not one concerns civil rights," Mitchell said.

100 See Remodeled Crescent
Beauty School; Open House
Celebrates 22nd Anniversary

More than 100 persons flocked to the remodeled Crescent School of Beauty Culture Sunday afternoon for open house, a week-long celebration of the school's 22nd anniversary.

A dozen students demonstrated new hair styles, facials and manicures for guests between the hours of 1 and 5 p.m., and enjoyed refreshments after they completed touring the remodeling of the beauty school's first floor, its nearly completed new beauty shop and newly decorated recreation room, in the school's basement.

Owner-Manager

The continued success, growth and influence of the beauty school, which is the oldest in Iowa is a personal tribute to faculty, alumni, and students.

Ohio Names Negro
Building Inspector

Hamilton, Ohio—For the first time in the history of Butler county a Negro has been named by Republicans as one of the three building inspectors who will serve under the newly-appointed building and zone commissioner.

Puerto Rican to be appointed to such a high post in the State Department. His selection is expected to aid Kennedy's announced intention to improve U.S. relations with hemispheric neighbors.

ents but especially to its owner-manager, Mrs. Pauline Humphrey, who had the foresight and pioneering spirit to see the need, and answer the need for a Negro beauty school in Iowa. It has been chiefly through Mrs. Humphrey that Iowa is so well known in the beauty culture world. She has been active on state, regional and the national beauty convention boards and committees.

Morris, Jr. Speaks on
Brotherhood

Atty. James B. Morris, Jr., was guest speaker at the annual Brotherhood tea at the YWCA in Ottumwa, Ia., on Feb. 23 at 7:30 p.m. The event was sponsored by the National Conference of Christians and Jews.

Louis Armstrong In
Keokuk, April 11

Louis Armstrong and his All Americans will play a concert in Keokuk April 11.

This special attraction is sponsored by the Community College and will be given at Wright Field House. Appearing with the famed Satchmo here will be Trummey Young, Barney Bigard, Billy Kyle, Danny Barcelona and Mort Herbert along with a vocalist yet to be named.

1961 Mid-Year High School Graduates Look to Future Jobs, Higher Education

20 Negro Graduates in D.M. Mid-Year Classes

Twenty Negro students were among the mid-year graduates from three Des Moines high school in January ceremonies. They were from East: Howard F. Baker, Richard W. Kelso, James M. Wadsworth, Harold W. Wilson; North High: Ronald Dixon, Travis Fowler, Edward Holt, Sharon Lighon, Paula Prope, Ronald Shade, Harry V. Stewart, Jr., Margareite Taylor, and Sharon Western; and Des Moines Technical: Marlene Blakely, Rodney Carter, Stella Fuller, Christina Kemp, and Wilburt McClish.

4 Boys Shoot Out 79 Windows at Washington Irvin Junior High

Four boys and their parents appeared Monday at police headquarters as ordered in connection with the shooting out of 79 window panes at Washington Irvin Junior high school, 16th and Clark streets Saturday.

The boys, who were arrested by Patrolman Robert Webb who became suspicious when he saw the boys, one with a BB gun in his possession near the school. Webb took the boys to their homes and later left word for the parents to bring the boys and the BB gun to police headquarters Monday.

They all appeared without the gun. The father of the boy who owned the gun said he had ruined the gun so his son could do no more damage with it. "The boys told police they were just 'monkeying around' when they shot out the school windows. They were referred



CHRISTINA RANDLE KEMP

Christina Randle Kemp, daughter of Mrs. Carrie Randle of 1155-14 Street and Mr. Gilbert Randle of 1032 Fifth Street.

She was in the Stenographic core area. During her senior year at Tech, was employed as a cooperative student at Central Life Assurance Company in the Transcribing Department. She was active in the girls drill team, service club, future teachers club, gym leader, hall monitor, and was on the commencement committee of the senior class.

She is a member of Maple Street Baptist Church and belongs to the Junior Usherboard of which she is treasurer.

Her future plans are to continue living at her mother's home until her husband's discharge from the service in June. Later in the year she plans on going back to work at the Central Life Assurance Company.

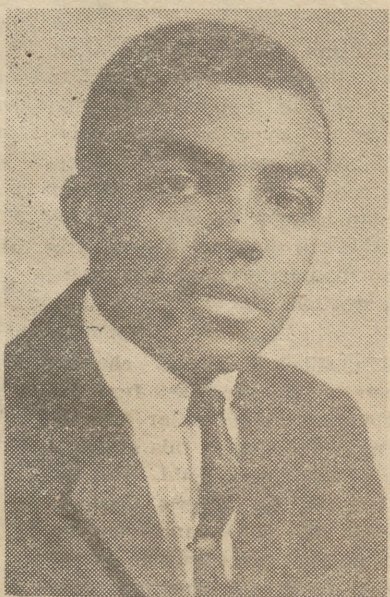
to Polk county juvenile court for further investigation.



EDWARD VAUGHN HOLT

Edward Vaughn D. Holt, son of Mrs. Evelyn Holt, 1040-16th Street, is a January graduate of North High School.

His school activities included Track, Wrestling, Tennis, Swimming and intra-mural sports. He will enter Oakland Junior College in Oakland, Calif. and plans to leave Des Moines the later part of June or the first of July.



TRAVIS JEROME FOWLER, JR.

At 17 years, Travis Jerome Fowler, Jr., is a graduate of North high school. He plans to work until next September when he will go to Los



MARLENE KAYE BLAKELY

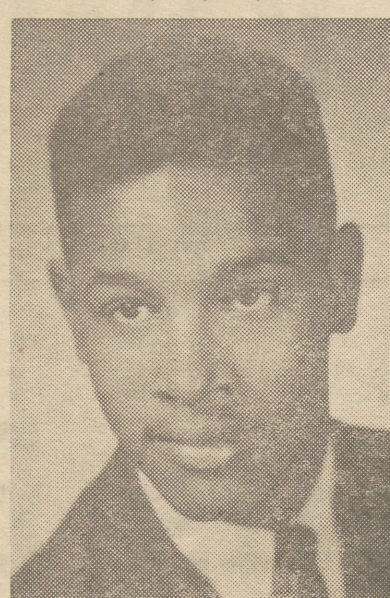
One of two Negro honor students to graduate in the mid-year high school classes was Marlene Kaye Blakely, who graduated from Des Moines Technical high school. She went to North high but transferred because of the stenographic training. While at Tech she worked in the Service club, Pep Club, Big Sister committee, chorus, and Senior Social committee.

During her 12-A semester she worked on the co-op program at Franklin junior high school. She graduated in the top 15 per cent of level of scholarship in grades nine through twelve.

certificate for maintaining a high her class and received a scholarship.

A member of Corinthian Baptist church, Marlene has served as assistant financial secretary in the Sunday School for the past year and a half. In 1959 she attended the Sunday School convention in Davenport, Ia., where she placed first place in the classical singing contest.

She is now employed at the school board office and plans to enter the University of Denver, next January and major in business education. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Blakely of 1153 14th street place.



RICHARD KELSO

Richard Kelso was an honor graduate of East High, ranking 15 in a class of 155 students. During his three years at East, he participated in such activities as the East High A Cappella choir, boy's glee club, boy's quartet, latin club, and H-Y. He was in the top 10 per cent of his class, had an overall grade average of 1.5, and was awarded the Superintendent's award for outstanding work in the subject of English. He hopes to enter Drake University this fall to prepare for a career in accounting.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard R. Kelso of 1413 East 16th, and attends Bethel A.M.E. Church where he is a Sunday School teacher, and past steward and treasurer of the Youth Church there.



RONALD ALLEN DIXON

Ronald Allen Dixon, son of Mrs. A. B. Dixon of 958 15th street was graduated from North High school on Jan. 26. As a student at North, Ronald participated in many activities. He was a member and lettered in track for two semesters, and also played basketball as a sophomore.

Ronald was a member of Burns Methodist church and of its M.Y.F. He left Jan. 27 to journey to Los Angeles, Calif., where he will live with his grandmother, Mrs. Hazel Dixon and attend L.A. City Junior College where he will major in liberal arts.

Atty. James B. Morris, Jr., was guest speaker for a brotherhood program in Ottumwa. He noted that there was only one Negro in all the audience that evening.



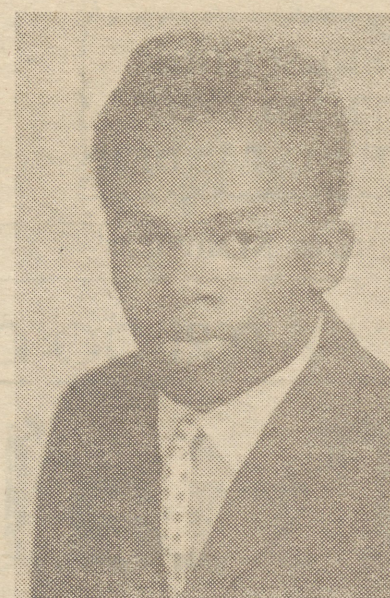
SHARON LOUISE WESTERN

A graduate of North high, Sharon Louise Western followed stenographic activities, was a member of the chorus and served as librarian over at Des Moines Technical high school. She also belonged to junior achievement.

Her plans are to work and later attend business school to learn to operate I.B.M. machines. She received her best grades in shorthand and English. A member of Corinthian Church, she is the daughter of Mrs. Verona Western of 1052 14th street and Mr. Frank Western of 1102 11th street.

FLORIDA LUNCH COUNTER

St. Petersburg, Fla. quietly joined 130 other Southern cities whose department, variety and drug stores opened their lunch counters to Negro patrons. Store managers agreed to desegregate after discussions with a biracial committee appointed by Mayor Edward F. Brantley. The



JAMES MONROE WADSWORTH

A graduate of East, James (Jim) Wadsworth seems to have a special love for sports. He lettered in wrestling, where he was runner-up twice in city and once in district meets, at 138 pounds.

He also lettered in cross country and helped his team place second in the state mile and third in the two-mile. He also anchored East High's two mile relay in the 1960 Big Six championship. He lettered three times in track and was elected captain of his team. He played sophomore football and recalls the time he caught a T.D. pass against Newton which helped the Scarlets in a 38-0 win.

As a member of Union Baptist church, Jim plans to attend college this fall. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wadsworth of 1410 E. 18th street.

city-owned beach and swimming pool on Tampa Bay have also been desegregated without fanfare.

Says Government Must Set Own Anti-Bias Job Policy

Washington, D. C.—The NAACP urged at a labor conference here recently that both federal and state agencies establish policies against giving aid and certification to apprenticeship training that excludes Negroes.

And it recommended that boards of education withdraw support from discriminatory training programs, including use of vocational school facilities. The NAACP also urged that the great industrial corporations "begin to comply with federal executive orders prohibiting bias in employment."

Job Training

The program for reducing racial discrimination at the job training level was outlined by Herbert Hill, NAACP labor secretary, who warned that continued denial would "force the Negro into an even more marginal position in the American

economy." Hill was one of several NAACP spokesmen attending a two-day meeting here, Feb. 17-19, of the Negro American Labor Council.

Randolph

The Council's president, A. Philip Randolph, who is also a vice-president of the NAACP and of the AFL-CIO, noted that Negro unemployment is now twice the national average and declared that the federal government is "the chief offender" in job discrimination against Negroes.

Both Hill and Randolph urged that the AFL-CIO begin serious enforcement of its own anti-discrimination declarations in the matter of racial exclusion practices and segregation.



Four weeks before Easter Sunday which this year comes the day after All Fool's day. Youngsters will have double fun hunting for hidden Easter eggs and at the same time catching friends and family members with "April Fool!" With spring only a matter of weeks away, actually, and days away, officially, the club calendar steps upon the social scene. Crescent School of Beauty Culture ended its weekend long celebration of its 22nd anniversary with an Open House and Beauty Coiffure demonstration Sunday afternoon. The Dilettante club held a program ceremony for the hanging of a famous painting by Henry O'Tanner. The AKAs get ready for their "Evening" Saturday, Mar. 4 at the Jewish community center. And the youngsters at Nash elementary school go on the stage Friday night for their annual sports show for parents, teachers and friends.

This past weekend was a special delight for me, with the celebration of my birthday. It began Saturday morning, my actual birthday, with the telephone ringing and I, getting out of bed with a muffled grumble, who could be calling this early on Saturday, went to the phone and heard a cheerful voice say, "Mrs. Hawthorne, we have a message for you. Happy birthday, to you..." When I realized it was a singing telegram of birthday greeting from my husband, I smiled all the more, and suddenly forgot all about being awakened early on a Saturday morning.

The day followed with various "special occasions" considerations and then Sunday followed with my husband and children, preparing the annual birthday dinner in my honor. He had baked the birthday cake the night before and being without enough candles, had inscribed on the cake the number of years I was celebrating.

Meanwhile our young sons walked around, occasionally dropping joking remarks, like, "This is the day when the men have to cook for the women."

Following the delicious dinner there was a special evening out, which made for a birthday to cache away in our storehouse of wonderful memories.

The weekend also saw the hanging of a famous painting by the Negro artist, Henry O'Tanner, at Willkie House. His "Flight into Egypt," hangs now in the lounge at the agency and has its own lighting. Anyone who is interested in art and especially artistic achievement by Negroes, should drop into Willkie House and view for themselves, the beautiful painting. According to Mrs. Korrine Jackson, member of the Dilettante club, which sponsored the hanging ceremony Sunday, the painting is a night scene and the blues and greens are "just beautiful."

At the annual Brotherhood tea here last week we noticed there were fewer Negroes attending than in previous years. Suppose many of you saw Mrs. Leola Hubbard on television, as she was pouring for the fellowship tea in the cafeteria after the program. She served as publicity chairman this year.

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Mr. Cleveland Campbell
* * *

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank my many friends, church members and social organizations for their visits, flowers, cards and gifts during my illness. I am now convalescing at the home of my parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell C. Bush, 1720 E. 17th St. Ct.
Mrs. Myrtle V. Taylor
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CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank the Monogram Club of St. Paul A.M.E. Church, the Mothers', Stewardess and Deaconess Council, W.S.C.S. and the flower committee of Burns Methodist Church; to my friends and Rev. Canafax for their prayers, visits, cards, flowers and other acts of kindnesses shown during my recent illness.
Mrs. Lydia Merrett
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CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank the ministers and the many friends who visited Elder Brewer while in Mercy Hospital for their prayers, cards and thanks to the East Side Union Mission Society, the Mothers', Stewardess and Deaconess Council for flowers, the out of town friends for cards, and the nurses at Mercy Hospital.
Elder A. B. Brewer and family

KEOKUK

Norma Jeanne Walker celebrated her 11th birthday with a party on Sunday, Feb. 26 with the G.A.A. girls and friends sharing the courtesies. The afternoon was spent playing various games.

Larry Holten, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Holten joined with Pilgrim Pest Baptist church and is a candidate for baptism.

Rev. Warren was guest speaker at Bethel A.M.E. Church Sunday in the observance of Brotherhood Week.

Mrs. Leo Thiery, resident of Keokuk for 33 years, passed away Sunday, Feb. 26, at St. Joseph's Hospital, where he'd been a patient for over a month. Funeral arrangements had not been made at this writing.

ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of the State of Iowa in and for Polk County
Equity No.
WILLIAM K. JACKSON and AGNES JEAN JACKSON, Plaintiffs,
vs.
ETHEL A. LINSTRUM, MARTHA ROHLAND, STATE OF IOWA, and all unknown claimants and persons unknown claiming any right, title or interest in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot 6 (except the North 10 feet thereof) of the Official Plat of the South 50 Acres of the East ½ of the Southwest ¼ of Section 36-79-24 West of 5th P.M., (Sometimes called Witmer and Welch's Official Plat) now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, and all heirs, spouses, assigns, grantees, legatees, devisees and beneficiaries of each and all of the above named defendants.

TO: The above named defendants. You and each of you are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, the petition of the above named plaintiffs and which petition prays for the reformation of a certain deed executed by the late L. O. Linstrum and Ethel A. Linstrum and which was dated May 20, 1950 and that title to the following described real estate be quieted and perfected in them:

Lot Six (6) (except the North Ten (10) feet thereof) of the Official Plat of the South Fifty (50) Acres of the East one-half (E ½) of the Southwest quarter (SW ¼) of Section 36-79-24 West of 5th P.M., (Sometimes called Witmer and Welch's Official Plat) now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa. FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS SEE PETITION NOW ON FILE.

You are further notified to appear before this Court at the Polk County Court House, West 5th and Mulberry Streets, Des Moines, Iowa, on or before the 24th day of March, 1961, and that unless you so appear and defend your default will be entered and judgment or decree rendered against you for the relief demanded in plaintiffs' petition.

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 14th day of February, 1961.

MORRIS & MORRIS
By: James B. Morris, Jr.
Attorneys for Plaintiffs
223½ Locust Street
Des Moines 9, Iowa

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CENTERVILLE

BY MRS. OKIE ESTES
1720 South 15th street
Phone 1446 Green

The Second Baptist Sunday school was held with Mrs. Barnes, supt., in charge. Rev. William Bell spoke on the "United Nations and the Light of the Bible Prophecy."

World Day of Prayer services were held at First Baptist church on Feb. 17. Mrs. Fanny Morris was elected vice president.

The Eastern star held a coffee at the home of Mrs. Lillian Reed on Sunday afternoon. The Second Baptist Mission met at the home of Mrs. Ruth Estes on Tuesday afternoon. President in charge was Mrs. Eloise Graves. Acting secretary was Mrs. Alyce Hicks. Rev. Bell gave a brief talk on "Duties of Women to the Mission."

Mrs. Dora Sanders is very ill at her home. Master Timmy Barnes is on the sick list.

Rev. Bell will be at the Antioch Baptist church in Waterloo, Ia., on Sunday, Mar. 5 and in Terre Haute Ind., on Mar. 12.

FORT DODGE

BY MRS. THERESA SIMMONS
526 4th Ave. South
Phone 4-7083

The Eastern Star had their party on Feb. 12 with Mrs. Anna Merriweather as hostess. A lovely dinner was served and games were played.

Mrs. Cleo Normand is the sponsor of the skating group here and it consists of young people and adults. Mrs. Normand will be happy to have more people attend.

Miss Shirley Patterson was here last week visiting her parents and sisters. She is now living in St. Paul, Minn., with an older sister. Last year she attended Wilberforce university in Xenia, Ohio.

Mrs. Lillian Lewis has returned home from her extended trip in the west; she stopped in Omaha, Neb., to visit her son, and daughter, also her sister, Mrs. Gladys Bishop. Mrs. Lewis was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Polk.

Mrs. Gertrude Loomis who lived in Fort Dodge several years ago, passed in Rockford, Ill., of a heart attack.

Choir master Dr. J. Wesley Jones died in Chicago, Ill., on Feb. 5; for 30 years he was director of the Mass chorus at the Chicagoland Music festival. Every year he would lead his 500 voice choir in Soldiers field.

NOTICE OF DECLARATION

OF FORFEITURE AND CANCELLATION

TO: RAYMOND W. MORRIS and PATRICIA M. MORRIS, contract purchasers, MRS. LORRAINE CRONK. You and each of you are hereby notified that you are delinquent in the performance of the terms and conditions of a certain real estate contract dated September 17, 1955, for the sale by George L. and Anna B. Longstaff to Raymond W. Morris and Patricia M. Morris, husband and wife, of the following described real estate situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

West One-half (W ½), Lot Seventeen (17) (except West Five (5)), in NELSON HEIGHTS, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, and locally known as 1609 34th Street.

You are delinquent under the terms of said contract in that you have failed to pay or comply with the contract as follows:

Taxes paid in 1959 \$212.68
Taxes paid in 1960 222.37
Deficiency in September, 1960 payment 30.00
Deficiency in October, 1960 payment 60.00
Repairs 730.83

Total \$1,255.88
You are further notified that said contract will stand forfeited and cancelled unless within thirty (30) days after the completed service of this notice upon you, you perform all of the terms and conditions of said contract now in default herein set forth and in addition pay the reasonable cost of preparing and serving this notice.

Service of this notice is made pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 656 of the 1958 Code of Iowa. When said contract is forfeited and cancelled, you will forever be estopped and barred from having, asserting or claiming any right, title or interest in or to the above described real estate or any part thereof, and the undersigned will demand that you quit and surrender possession of said premises. You are further notified not to remove, deface or destroy any improvements now on said premises.

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 24th day of February, 1961.
GEORGE L. LONGSTAFF and ANNA B. LONGSTAFF, Vendors
By: JAMES D. MCKEON,
Attorney for Vendors

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

OF AETNA CORPORATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Notice is hereby given that at a special meeting of the stockholders and directors of the above named corporation, held at 1020 Savings and Loan Building, Des Moines, Iowa, on January 3, 1961, at 2:00 P.M., said corporation was dissolved by the unanimous vote and consent of all the stock issued and outstanding, and at said meeting the officers were authorized and directed to publish notice of dissolution and to all things necessary to complete the dissolution of the said corporation as by law provided.

Dated January 3, 1961.
LOREN E. DORR
President
E. S. TESDELL, JR.
Vice President
LOWELL A. WEE,
Secretary-Treasurer

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MASON CITY

BY MRS. M. TURNER
638 So. Adams Street
Phone GA. 4-8639

The St. John Baptist Sunday School was in charge of assistant superintendent, Calvin Duncan, Rev. Lester Jefferson preached on "Behaving Like a Christian." Before the sermon Mrs. W. Coleman sang a solo, "Something Within." Visiting worshipper was Rev. A. C. Crawford of Des Moines.

At 3 p.m. the choir gave a request program, with Mrs. Lewis Kipper as mistress of ceremonies. Songs were "Alone," "I'm Going Through," "Walk with God," and a solo by Mrs. Arthur Moore, "He's A Friend of Mine," and another by Mrs. L. Kipper, "Lord Is My Shepherd." Guest speaker was Rev. Mr. Crawford whose subject was "Unload Your Cargo." Scripture was by Rev. Mr. Jefferson and prayer was by Rev. A. Patton.

Mrs. A. Moore sang, "I Trust in God," and Mrs. L. Kipper sang, "Jesus Will Hear You Pray." The benediction was by Rev. Mr. Crawford.

The St. John Baptist Sunday school was conducted with Mrs. Willie Turner, supt., in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Haddix, and daughter, Ruth Ann, and Mrs. R. Parker and Veronica Harper were visiting worshippers from New Bethel Baptist church in Manly on Feb. 19. At the 11 a.m. services Rev. Lester Jefferson preached on "An Inside Job."

At the 3 p.m. the same day Rev. Jefferson and his congregation went to Mt. Zion Baptist church where he was guest speaker for the brotherhood program, preaching on "Brothers." Mistress of ceremony was Mrs. Ruby Bennett and Reed Allen gave offered prayer. Pastor Rev. L. Magee read the scriptures and Mrs. Bennett gave a reading. La. Mar Spencer gave a paper on "Brotherhood to be Effective Must be Believed and Lived." She also sang a solo, "Let It Be Dear Lord." Rev. Jefferson gave the benediction.

Manly, Iowa

BY MRS. FLOSSIE DOUGLAS

The New Bethel Baptist Sunday School was held with Mrs. Coma Page, acting supt., in charge. Rev. P. J. Griggs preached at the 11 a.m. services on Feb. 19 on "The Suffering Christ." Mrs. James Clardy and daughter, Linda, and son, Jimmy, of St. Paul, Minn., were visiting worshippers.

The Missionary society met at the

Where to report the news

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CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA

Mrs. Julian Carlton

Sioux City

BY MRS. L. BROWN

The Hour of Pleasure club held its annual dinner meeting at 2:30 o'clock Sunday, Feb. 19 at Sanford Community center. The party marked the 34th anniversary of the founding of the club, an affiliate of the Iowa Association of Club Women and the National Association of Club Women, Inc.

Dinner was followed by a program and social hour. Members from Sioux Falls and their families were present.

Mrs. Frinzella Shores is club president and Mrs. Eugenia Fields was master-of-ceremonies.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hayes, Mrs. Lola Stokes, Mrs. Ollie Carter and Mrs. Dorotha Sudduth were hostesses for the day. Mrs. Clancy Peoples was chairman of the program.

CEDAR RAPIDS

By Mrs. Julian Carlton

The morning message at the Mt. Zion Baptist Church was delivered by the Pastor Rev. Percy W. Burt, theme "Uninvited Hand." Music was furnished by the Choirs.

Group No. I was in charge of the afternoon services; presented The Sharon Evangelical United Church Choir in a musicale; Scripture was read by Rev. Percy W. Burt. Special selections were by the Silver light Gospel Singers; Meditation by the Rev. A. T. Washington using as a theme "Why Are We Here?" Remarks were made by the Group leader, Mrs. Mary Goodwin.

Mrs. Mary Barnes united with the Church by Christian experience.

Visitors were Mrs. Tolson from Mt. Pleasant, Ia. and Mr. W. Brewster.

home of Mrs. Vera Solomon with Mrs. Coma Page conducting the devotional subject, "The Higher Meaning of Prayer." Mrs. Pinkie Tate was in charge of the topic, "The Discontented." Mrs. Maybelle Turner, president of St. John Baptist Missionary in Mason City, Ia., was guest.

Mrs. Cecil Douglas entertained the Nifty Social club on Thursday. Members present from Mason City were Mrs. Ruby Haddix, Mrs. Lorene McGruder, Mrs. Dotty Duncans and Mrs. Jewel Parker.

Members of New Bethel Missionary Baptist church taking part in the World Day of Prayer services were Mrs. Rhoda Parker and Mrs. Ruth Harper as leaders and Mrs. Coma Page, Mrs. Cecil Douglas, Traylor took other parts on the program.

Mrs. Pinkie Tate and Mrs. Irene

NAACP Girds for '61 Membership Drive

New York—NAACP officers in 35 state and regional conferences this week received a five-point program to spur the Association's rising membership to an all-time high.

Gloster B. Current, NAACP director of branches, urged NAACP leadership to suggest membership quotas for 1961, based on their success in 1960. NAACP national membership last year was 357,905. Its goal for 1961 is 500,000.

Magnificent

"The magnificent work done by our state and local leadership in the past year is indicative of the heightened interest in the civil rights struggle on the part of the nation's Negro populace," Current said.

The Association's branches contributed \$176,353.91 to the Fight for Freedom Fund raising drive last

ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Iowa in and For Polk County
Divorce No. 55752

GERMAN B. ROMERO Plaintiff

vs.

PAULINA CATANO DE ROMERO Defendant

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT OR DEFENDANTS:

You are hereby notified that a petition of the above named plaintiff in the above entitled action is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the above named Court. That the plaintiff be granted an absolute decree of divorce from you on the grounds that you have been guilty of such cruel and inhuman treatment towards plaintiff as to impair his health and endanger his life; and for such other, further and different equitable relief as to the Court seems just in the premises.

FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS, SEE SAID PETITION NOW ON FILE AT THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE ABOVE ENTITLED COURT.

You are also hereby notified to appear before said court at the Polk County Court House at Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on or before the 31st day of March, 1961, and that unless you so appear, your default will be entered and judgment or decree will be rendered against you for the relief demanded in the petition.

LAWYER, LAWYER & RAY
By Robert D. Ray
Attorneys for Plaintiff
427 Fleming Building
Des Moines 9, Iowa

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year. The suggested FFF quota this year is \$300,000.00. Current stressed that the NAACP "will need one worker for every ten memberships." Therefore, 50,000 workers are needed across the country.

Willkie Dinner

SEE FRONT PAGE skating.

Board Members

Board directors introduced were Mr. Bookey; Mrs. Harold Morrow, vice president; Mrs. Gordon Smith, secretary; Russell Bell, treasurer; Paul Blakemore, James Bowman, Mrs. Downing, Frank Eyerly, Mrs. Gwendolyn Fowler, Mrs. Edward Glazer, Mrs. Lewis James, Mrs. David Kruidenier, Dr. Julian Mason, Mrs. Carl Mays, M. L. Miller, James B. Morris, Jr., Mrs. Sam Shloss, Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. A. P. Trotter and Mrs. Robert Whelan.

Cyclones Succumb to Oklahoma Cowboys

By Staff Writer

Stillwater, Okla.—The Iowa State University Cyclones, battling hard to come from behind, allied themselves with some hot second half shooting, only to succumb in the final analysis 59-55 to the Oklahoma State cowboy's tight defense; and a Cyclones miss on the one-and-one situation.

After a frigid first half that held them in the throes of an 11-point deficit, the Cyclones returned hot and ready. The markin of deficit was cut to one point at 56-55 on lithe, lanky Henry Whitney's toss from the top of the circle, with one minute and five seconds left.

But, that's as close as Iowa got. However, they had another chance to tie the score on a one-and-one, but John Ptacek, who had played brilliantly, missed.

In their anxiety to get the ball to win the Cyclones fouled. The Cowboys took advantage of the situation and sank their free tosses. This untimely defeat, coupled with Colorado's win over Missouri pushes the Cyclones and Oklahoma State into a tie for fourth place, with 6-6 marks. Colorado has 6-5.

As has been the case, Whitney was highpoint man with 17.

PILGRIM MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

On Feb. 12 the Youth group of the church gave their first program with Rev. Donald Johnson of Mt. Zion Baptist church in Oradell, Ia., as guest speaker. He was assisted by his Young people's choir.

He installed officers of the group, who are, Geneva Booker, president; Charles Hardaway, vice president; Margie Booker, secretary; Gregory Hunter, treasurer; and Mike Booker, chaplain. Supervisors are Mesdames Dorothy Hunter, Mary Reed and Florence Robinson. The Scouts and mothers were present. Feb. 19 the True Light Singers rendered a musical program with Mrs. Kennedy as guest soloist. There was a solo by Mr. Robert S. Dixon, Sr., and a duet by Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Heath.

True Light Sing

Where to Attend Church in Des Moines

Corinthian Baptist Church
9th and School Streets
REV. NORMAN R. OLPHIN, Minister
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class 11:30 A.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.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 7:30 P.M.
Youth Fellowships 5:30 P.M.

East University Church of God in Christ
East 17th and University
BISHOP J. E. ABERNATHY
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.

Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion Church
905 W. 15th St.
REV. OSCAR PEAVEY, 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
1528 East University Ave.
REV. J. K. BROWN, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Youth Church 11:30 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
1130 15th Street
PASTOR R. L. RYLES, Minister
Sabbath School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Missionary Volunteer 4:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 P.M.
Dorcas Society 1st and 3rd Sunday Morning 10:00 A.M.

New Jerusalem Church of God in Christ
1198 14th Street
BISHOP M. W. GOODMAN, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
Weekday Service 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday and Friday Night 8:00 p.m.
Y.P.W.W. Sunday 9:30 to 8:00 p.m.
Sunday Night Service 8:00 p.m.

CALVARY APOSTOLIC FAITH MISSION
1516 Scott Street
Minister G. Reid in charge
Morning Worship 12:00 p.m.
Weekly services
Tuesday and Thursday evenings 8:00 p.m.
Sunday School 10:30 p.m.

THE BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
906 10th St.
Minister, REV. EZEEL WIGGINS
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
Adult and Children Bible Class (Sunday) 6:00 P.M.

MISSION TEMPLE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST NEWS

The Mission Temple Church of God in Christ began a revival on Feb. 22 conducted by Minister J. E. McNear nightly at 7:30 on the theme scripture, "Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." Morning revival prayer services held at 9 a.m. The pastor, Elder E. A. Tindrell, extends a hearty welcome to all.

Mission Temple, suffered a setback in their building fund project by having the pastor injured in an automobile accident on Jan. 7 and the burning of the restaurant, which was operated for purposes of raising money for the new church.

The pastor and members are grateful to God, and their many friends, who assisted them in their distress and sorrow. The building fund committee are happy to announce the building fund program is back to normal.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday school was in charge of Supt. Betty McAliley. Rev. Seymour Gaines preached and was assisted with music by the Senior choir with Mrs. Sylvesta Wimbish as pianist. Two united with the church, Miss Donna Griffith, candidate for baptism.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Blake, the joint choir and members of St. Paul, returned the Fellowship visit of the First Christian Church of Pleasantville, Sunday evening, Feb. 12. Over 200 persons participated in this joint service of the two churches and was enjoyed by everyone present.

The Missionary Society was entertained at the parsonage Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 21. Mrs. Margaret McCracken, President.

The Usherettes met at the parsonage on Friday evening, Feb. 24. Mrs. Dorothy Campbell is president.

Sunday, Mar. 5 will be Holy Communion. Official board will meet Monday, at 7:30 p.m. All club presidents, secretaries, class leaders, trustees and stewards are urged to attend. During the Lenten season a series of talks will be given by Rev. David A. Blake, Sr., at the Wednesday evening prayer services.

The Youth Guild program held Sunday afternoon was successful and well attended. Mrs. Ruby Blake was in charge. Gene Williams was crowned Youth Guild King and Phyllis Sharpe was crowned Queen. Arthurlene Propes and Ingrid May received prizes for having the most guests present.

Mar. 12, Quarterly meeting Sunday, dinner will be served at the church under the supervision of Mrs. Minnie Peek. Monday, Mar. 13 at 7:30 p.m. Rev. William H. Burnette, Jr., presiding elder, will be in charge of the quarterly conference. Conference report blanks were mailed out. Anyone not receiving No babies will be baptized until Easter Sunday. Information may be called and given to Mrs. Bessie L. Greene and arrangements for baptism will be made. The Easter gleaners are now ready for distribution. Contact Mrs. Margaret McCracken.

The Missionary society will meet Tuesday afternoon, Mar. 7 with Mrs. Wilberforce Minter of 711 Boyd street. The Missionary delegates to the District conference which will convene in Galesburg, Ill., and Mrs. Margaret McCracken and Mrs. W. Minter, alternate.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The worship services opened with Deacon Willard Thomas and others in charge. Rev. H. R. Fields spoke on "The Thinking of Men." Rev. Thomas Pack read the scripture and prayer was offered by Rev. E. A. Green, members of St. Stephen's Baptist church in Kansas City, Mo., who was visiting his brothers Deacon C. Green of Mt. Olive and Rev. J. A. Green of St. John Baptist church and their families over the weekend. The Junior choir sang.

The week's activities of the church are board meeting, Monday; Senior choir, Tuesday; Mission, Wednesday and business meeting, Friday.

Sunday evening, Mar. 5 will be request night sponsored by the Senior choir. Holy communion will be given Sunday morning. Sunday's visiting worshippers were Mrs. J. Lucas, Mrs. M. Dixon and Raymond Wright, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Williams.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

"A Good Soldier of Christ," was the subject of Pastor William Heath's sermon last Sunday morning. The Rev. George Ward and Rev. John Pope with the Senior Choir, assisted. Visiting worshippers were Mrs. Jessie Johnson of Hamburg, Ia.

Sunday evening the Senior choir sponsored a request program. Music was by the Senior choir, and Mrs. Leola Withers presided. A talk, "Love," was given by Mrs. Beatrice Bailey. Vocal solos were by Mr. Luther Claybrook, accompanied by his wife, and by Miss Marva Keys. The Junior choir of Mt. Olive Baptist church with Mrs. Betty Townsend, directing, also sang three numbers. Pulpit guests were Rev. Melvin Duncan, Rev. H. R. Fields and his congregation of Mt. Olive Baptist.

Wednesday evening, Feb. 22 the Young Matrons of Shiloh sponsored a program. Guest speaker was Mr. Ben Jensen, a student from Liberia, Africa, attending Drake university. Music was by the Shiloh Youth choir, with Mrs. McClell Clinton, directing. Mrs. Rosetta Green is president.

Church business meeting was held Wednesday night following prayer services.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The pastor, Rev. G. M. Williams, spoke on "Don't Let Troubles Get You Down." Mr. Bennie Richardson united with the church. Johnette and Richy Green were visitors at the Sunday school hour last Sunday.

Rev. Mrs. O. Roberson Attends Bishop Council in Louisville, Ky.

Rev. Mrs. Orzealea Roberson of 846 15th Street attended the Bishop Council at Louisville, Ky., Feb. 14-16. She operated the literature table and distribution of daily news releases.

From Louisville she went to East St. Louis, Ill., and spent three days with Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Reese, who formerly pastored Kyles A.M.E. Zion



Rev. Roberson

church in Des Moines while in Illinois she delivered the morning message at the St. John A.M.E. Zion church where Rev. Reese is now pastoring.

Tours

Other courtesies shown were sightseeing tours of St. Louis, and East St. Louis, a visit to the St. Lukes A.M.E. church in E. St. Louis, and also Rev. and Mrs. E. P. Williams, who is pastor of St. Lukes. Rev. Williams was former pastor of Bethel A.M.E. church in Des Moines.

Entertained

Mrs. Roberson also visited Sunday afternoon service at Greater Brown A.M.E. Zion church of which the Rev. Mary Hoakes is pastor. While in the city Rev. Roberson was entertained at dinner by Rev. and Mrs. Reese. Other guests were Rev. L. T. Brunner, and her mother, Mrs. Hunter. Mrs. Roberson returned to the city Feb. 21.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

A very fine service was observed at Corinthian Baptist church last Sunday at 11 p.m. when the Rev. Harold Varce and his choir were present. Rev. Mr. Varce spoke on "Reading the Face." Rev. James Harris and Rev. Alphonso Spriggs were in charge of devotional services.

In exchange for the service rendered at Corinthian, the Rev. N. R. Olphin and the Senior choir appeared at St. Andrews Evangelical United Brethren church. Rev. Mr. Olphin spoke on "The Higher Brotherhood." Both the message and the singing of the choir were well received by the congregation.

At 11 a.m. Sunday the ordination of the Lord's Supper will be observed, when the pastor will give a communion meditation. The Pastor's Aid, of which Mrs. Addie Franklin is president, will present a special program at the 7 p.m. service.

HEALTH FOR ALL

Medical Briefs

Coffee Timing—Peak stimulation from a cup of coffee hits after twenty minutes, stays that way for two and a half hours, then fades fast. A quick second cup won't perk you up twice as much, because the caffeine in the first cup partly blocks off the effect of the second cup until those two and a half hours are up.

First 100

Oh, That First Hundred Years!—You can't expect to have much fun after you're 100, according to Dr. Stanley Mohler of the National Institutes of Health. The NIH Center for Aging Research isn't looking for a way to keep people everlastingly young. It's trying to work out a way of living so people can "die young as late as possible."

Poetic Justice—An Italian doctor says he has a gadget which relays a snorer's snores back into his own ears, waking him up and so stopping the snoring.

Bonus

Bonus—A substance used to cure athlete's foot has also proved successful in relieving painful hand and arm conditions. Nobody knows why yet. It's not the first time medical research has come up with an unexpected bonus. A drug first tested in treating tuberculosis was found

Pageant to Be Given At Bethel Sunday

A pageant, "The Old Ship of Zion," will be presented at Bethel A.M.E. Church on Sunday, Mar. 5 at 8 p.m. and will be sponsored by the Senior Usher board. Mrs. Beatrice Bailey of Mt. Olive Baptist church will be narrator.

Dr. S. J. Williamson to Speak at Ministerial Alliance Meeting

Dr. S. J. Williamson, clinical psychologist at Veterans hospital will appear before the Ministers of the Interdenominational Ministerial alliance on Tuesday, Mar. 7 at 6:30 p.m. at Kyles A.M.E. Zion Temple church.

Dr. David A. Blake, Sr., president, is urging attendance of all members.

St. Mary's Society

St. Mary's Christian Home Society will meet Monday evening, Mar. 6 at the home of Mrs. Vivian E. Brent of 841 16th street. Mrs. Rosie Powers is president.

Bethel Sunday School To Sponsor Carnival

The Bethel A.M.E. Sunday school will sponsor a Carnival on Saturday, March 4 beginning at 7:30 at the church. There will be Gypsy Fortune Telling, a dart game, a ring toss game, weight guessing game, a Fish Pond, and a Novelty Notion Bazaar. There will be a Cake Walk. Popcorn Balls (colored) and homemade candy will delight the youngsters.

Hamburgers and soft drink will be available in the kitchen. The Sunday School Teachers and Helpers will be dressed as carnival workers for that night. A lot of fun will be had by all.

IACW President Names Convention Date

Mrs. Daisy Smith, of Sioux City, president of the Iowa Association of Club Women, announces the annual convention will be held June 2-3. The place will be announced later.

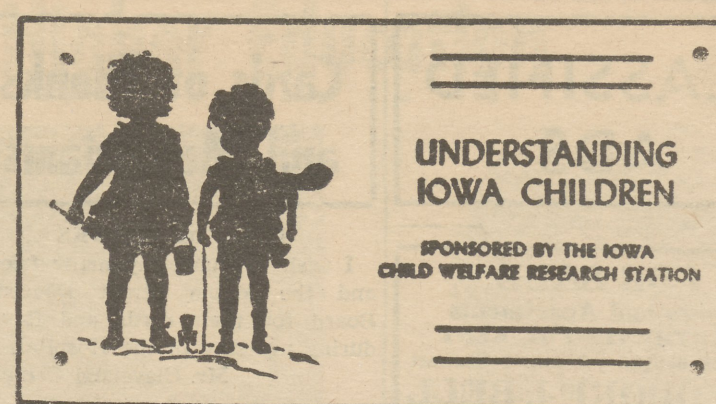
Mrs. Smith has named Mrs. Roberta Frazier, Des Moines, first vice president as chairman in charge of arrangements for Iowa's participation in the Central Regional Association which will be held Aug. 6-9 on the campus of Illinois Wesleyan College at Bloomington, Ill. The Civic Women Club of Bloomington will be hostess.

Mrs. Mattie Stewart Dies; Rites in Indiana

Mrs. Mattie Stewart, 64, of 922 Laurel street died Tuesday, Feb. 21 at Broadlawn Polk County Hospital. She had lived in Des Moines 40 years and was a member of Union Baptist church.

The body was transferred Friday to her birthplace, at New Albany, Ind., for funeral services.

Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Harriet Roberts, and two brothers, John and Clyde Newbolt, all of New Albany and a third brother, Stanley Newbolt of Louisville, Ky.



UNDERSTANDING IOWA CHILDREN

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LEARNING TO LOSE

Six-year-old Danny Kemp was playing checkers with his father. Usually Danny's mother played with him, but after she had told her husband how well the boy played the game, Mr. Kemp looked forward to a game.

"It's your turn, Danny," urges Mr. Kemp. "Don't you see the move you should make?"

Attitude

Danny, after some hesitation, fearfully moved one of his checkers. His father proceeded to jump two of the boy's men with obvious satisfaction.

Daughter, Grand-Daughter Visit the Oscar Lewises

Mrs. Virgil F. Dixon of Chicago, Ill., visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lewis of 1109 14th Street



MRS. PIGFORD

over the weekend. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Russell C. Pigford of Denver, Colo. Mrs. Dixon left Sunday for her home. Mrs. Pigford plans to remain with her grandparents for a week before returning to her Denver home.

"You've got to keep your eyes on the whole board if you are going to be a good checker player. What you have needed is some real competition. Your mother has been too easy. Now, you see if you have moved there . . ." and Mr. Kemp went on to explain completely where his son had made a mistake.

As the game continued, Mr. Kemp showed more and more irritation and his son became more and more confused. In the end, of course, Mr. Kemp won easily.

"O.K. Let's play another game now and see if you can do better. Remember . . ."

Danny burst into tears before his father could say any more. "I don't want to play checkers anymore. It isn't any fun."

Expecting Too Much

It's easy for a father to expect too much of his son. We often have a strong personal need for a son to be really good at something. Perhaps sometimes we are guilty of resenting the fact that someone else has shared an experience which we would like reserved for ourselves.

Too, we often expect an ability to lose gracefully too soon. Any skill, certainly skill in a game involving competition, takes time to develop in young children. If they only lose, they are not apt to gain any confidence that they can ever play well. Learning to lose is a part of the skill but in the beginning when a parent represents the opposition, it is important that we not take unfair advantage of our age and experience.

ENVOY TO MALAYA

Washington—Charles Franklin Baldwin, a former foreign service officer, has been named Ambassador to Malaya by President Kennedy. The White House has also announced that nine Ambassadors have agreed to remain indefinitely in their present diplomatic posts. Mr. Baldwin left government service in 1955 to become European manager for the Motion Picture Association of America. In 1958 he became vice-chairman of the Foreign Students Service Council and trustee of the Meridian House Foundation.

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Bridal Couple



Posing in their first picture as Mr. and Mrs. Carson W. Alderson is the bridal couple after they exchanged nuptial vows in a beautiful double ring ceremony at Corinthian Baptist church on Jan. 8.

Miss Nancy Slaughter Becomes Radiant Bride Of Carson Alderson in Double Ring Ceremony

On Sunday, Jan. 8, Miss Nancy Junette Slaughter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy William Slaughter, of 1056 11th street, became the bride of Mr. Carson Wayne Alderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank LeRoy Alderson of Moberly, Mo.

Lighted tapers and white chrysanthemums formed the setting for the double ring ceremony performed by the Rev. Norman R. Olphin at 3 p.m. in Corinthian Baptist church.

Wedding Gown

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore the wedding gown that was made and worn by her sister, Mrs. Elva Stephens. It was of white rayon peau de soie satin designed with an applied yoke of chantilly lace and with the lace applied on the bodice and skirt. The long tapered sleeves ended in a point over her hand and the bodice buttoned with tiny pearl buttons down the back into a pointed waistline and into a full gathered skirt. She wore white satin brocade pumps and carried a handmade lace applique blue chiffon handkerchief borrowed from her mother. Her head was adorned with a mantilla made of the same chantilly lace. She carried a bouquet of white roses and hyacinths centered with white orchids.

Attendants

Miss Regina Ballard of Minneapolis, Minn., a cousin of the bride, was the maid of honor. She wore a street length gold satin dress with a darker gold velvet sash, gold satin pumps and white bracelet length gloves. Her bonnet and muff that was covered with lavender colored Japanese iris and apricot colored roses, matched her dress.

Attire

Her bridesmatron and bridesmaids were Mrs. Carole Robinson, Miss Cheryl Slaughter, sister of the bride, Miss Judy Alderson of Moberly, Mo., sister of the groom, and Miss Natalie Boldridge of Algona, Ia. They wore street length aqua color satin dresses with darker aqua velvet sashes and aqua satin pumps. Their bonnets and muffs that were covered with pink roses, matched their dresses. They all wore bracelet length white gloves.

Flower Girl

The flower girl, little Miss Tina Price, wore a white lace and net floor length dress over pale blue taffeta and white bracelet length gloves. Her head dress was made of small loops of nylon braid with tiny flowers and pearls between the loops. She carried a beautiful white basket of rose petals which she scattered before the bride as she walked down the aisle.

Best Man

Mr. Billy Keith Alderson of Moberly, Mo., served as best man for his brother. His groomsmen were, Mr. Edward Beechman, Mr. Thomas Robinson, Mr. Derry C. Henry of

Hawkins, Texas and Mr. Ira John Alderson of Moberly, Missouri, brother of the groom.

The mother of the bride was attired in a pink lace dress with matching jacket, a white satin and sequin hat and gloves. The groom's mother was attired in a two piece beige lace suit, with a beige satin hat and gloves. Both wore lavender orchids.

Reception

Mrs. Doris Davis sang, "Because" accompanied by Mrs. Barbara Williams on the organ. Mrs. Williams also played the traditional wedding music.

A reception, following the ceremony, was held in the church's Fellowship Hall. Reception hostesses were Mesdames Oval Carter, Sandy Jackson, Mrs. Australia Grace, Mrs. Iva Long; and from Minneapolis, Minn., Mesdames Wilver A. Lee, Eugene Sublett, Philip Blackwell, William Freeman and James Stephens. Junior hostesses were the Misses Rosemary Johnson, Rosie McQuitty, Lena Baker, Vesta Williams, Doris Souther, Caroline Turner, all of Des Moines and Rosalind Freeman of Minneapolis, Minn. and Mrs. Betty Henry of Hawkins, Tex.

Guests

The bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cassell and the groom's grandmother, Mrs. Mary Terry of Moberly, Mo., also attended the wedding. Other out of town guests were, Mr. and Mrs. Williams Boldridge and Miss Ruth Ann Boldridge of Algona, Ia.; Mr. Wilver A. Lee, Cassandra and Steven Lee, Mr. Eugene Sublett and Eugene Cyrus Sublett, Mr. Philip Blackwell, Mark, Philip and Keyna Blackwell, Mr. William Freeman, Mr. Ronald Ballard and Miss Charlene Ballard of Minneapolis, Minn.; and Mr. Frank Alderson, the groom's father, Mr. Larry Alderson and Mr. William Reynolds, of Moberly, Mo.

Honeymoon Postponed

Their planned honeymoon to Topeka, Kan., and Omaha, Neb. had to be postponed due to a two month illness of Mr. Alderson just prior to their wedding.

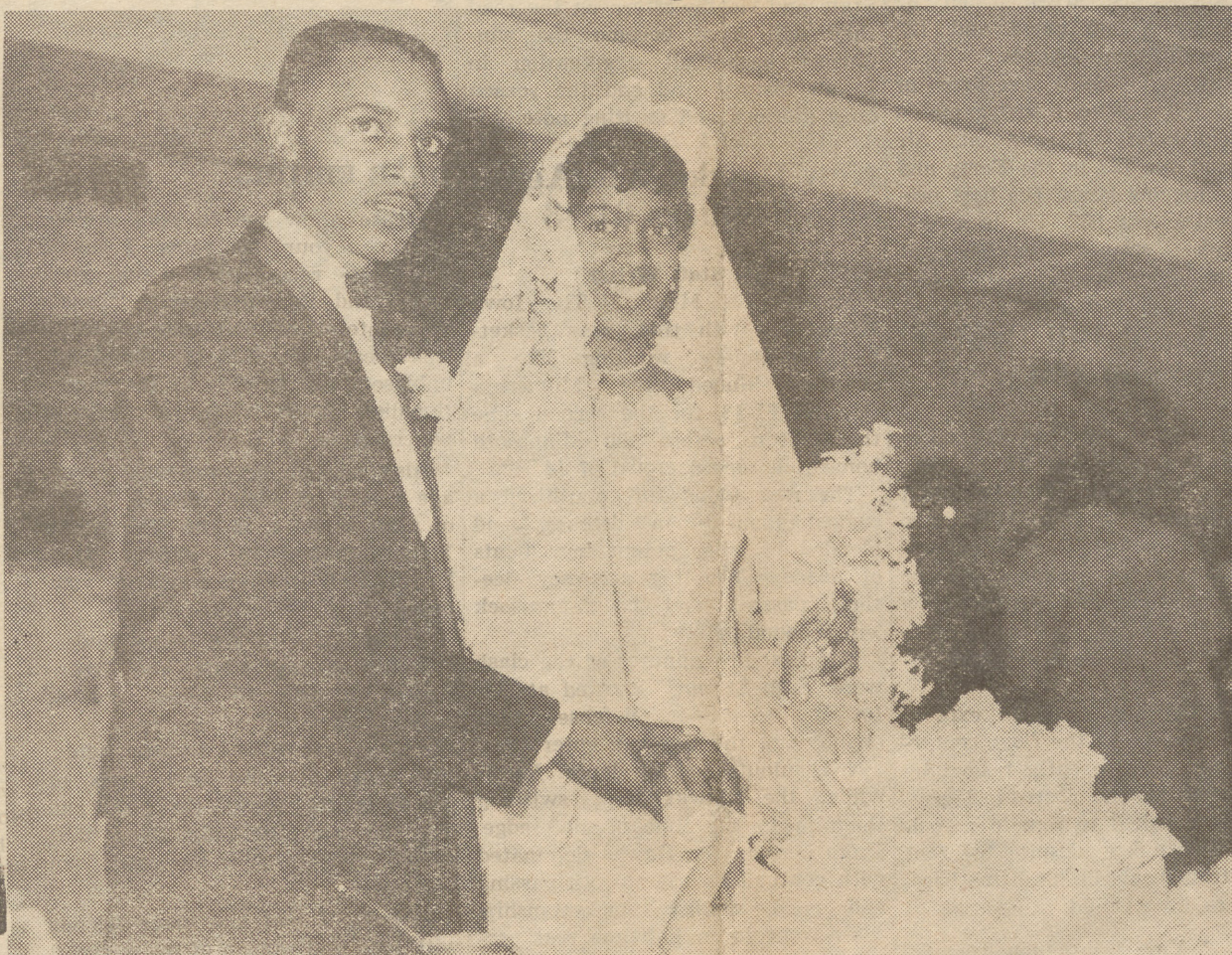
Mrs. Alderson is a June graduate of North High school and Mr. Alderson graduated from Moberly Jr. College and attended Drake University. At present, Mr. Alderson is employed by the Iowa Packing Co. and Mrs. Alderson is employed by Younkers.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Wayne Alderson are at home to friends at 1602-12th Street.

Mrs. Nellie Gaiters Returns from N. Y.

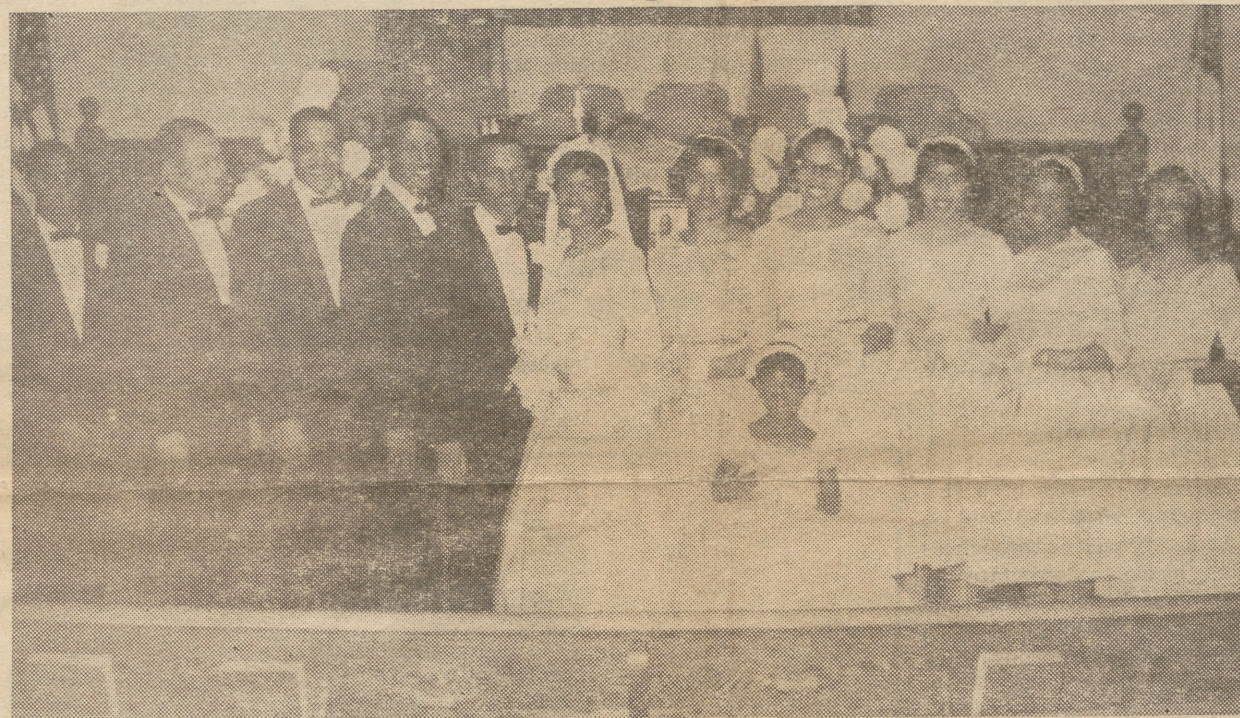
Mrs. Nellie Gaiters has returned to her home in Des Moines from a vacation in New York. She is a member of Maple Street Baptist church.

Cutting Cake



The bride and groom cut the traditional wedding cake, a three-tiered white frosted creation decorated with pink flowers and white leaves around the edges. The cake was topped with pale pink roses. The reception table was covered with a lace linen cloth.

Wedding Party



Members of the wedding party got together for this happy picture above. Left to right are Ira John Alderson, brother of groom; Derry C. Henry, Hawkins, Tex.; Thomas Robinson, Billy Keith Alderson, Moberly, Mo.; the bride and groom; Miss Regina Ballard, Minneapolis, Minn.; Mrs. Carol Robinson, Minn.; Natalie Boldridge, Algona, Ia.; Miss Judy Alderson, sister of the groom, Moberly; Miss Cheryl Slaughter,

brother of bride; and the flower girl, little Miss Tina Price.

Not shown in the picture is groomsmen, Edward Beecham, who had to leave immediately after the ceremony because his baby was ill.

Mrs. Albertha Grace Entertains at Tea

Mrs. Albertha Grace was hostess at a tea Sunday, Feb. 26 from 4 to 6 p.m. honoring Olive Branch Chapter No. 32, O.E.S., at her home, 1048 11th street. Eighteen persons attended.

Pouring were Mesdames Victoria Hendricks, Jenny Smith and Mildred Dysart. Mrs. Grace was also assisted by Mrs. Ellen Burrell. Special guests attending were Mrs. Bertha Wolder, Grand Worthy Matron and Mrs. Lessie Garrett, Grand Royal Matron.

Mary Church Terrell Club to Meet Friday

Mary Church Terrell club will meet Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Mable Spencer of 1152 17th street.

The Joseph Wimberlys Entertain Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wimberly of 2720 Amick Ave., entertained as dinner guests last week, Mr. Lawrence Perkins of New York City, field representative of the United Negro College fund and Judge and Mrs. Luther T. Glanton, Jr.

Mrs. Willmetta Jones Hostess to D.D.M.

Mrs. Willmetta Jones of 1657 Maple street was hostess to the February meeting of the D.D.M. club. Plans were made for a skating party on Mar. 13 at the Terrace Roller rink.

A repass of tea and cake was served. The next meeting will be Mar. 7 with Mrs. Mildred Massey of 1219 13th street. Mrs. Erna Massey is president.

Entre Nous Club Plan Meeting Sunday

The Entre Nous club will hold their monthly meeting on Sunday, Mar. 5 at 4 p.m. with Mrs. Marie Kiser of 1106 School street, as hostess.

Sonny Londgon In Methodist Hospital

Mr. Sonny Londgon of 1434 Buchanan street is convalescing at Iowa Methodist hospital in Younkers building room 503.

Mrs. Beulah Rowell Released from Mercy

Mrs. Beulah Powell of 1318 South Union street is convalescing at home after spending five days in Iowa Methodist hospital.

Ten Keys to Meet

The Ten Keys club will meet Friday, Mar. 3 with Mrs. Christine Martin of 1125 10th street. Mrs. Ince Carter is president.

Elder A. B. Brewer Out of Hospital

Elder A. B. Brewer, pastor of Christ Sanctified Holy Church, was released from Mercy hospital and is convalescing at his home, 1237 McCormick street.

Des Moines Silhouettes Plan Meeting Friday

The Des Moines Silhouettes will meet Friday evening, Mar. 3 at the home of Mrs. Arlene Morris of 1600 Hickman road.

Harris Points With Pride to Negro Art During Ceremony Sun.

James Harris, art teacher in Des Moines public schools, stated that Negroes should indeed be proud of Negroes who have made their mark in athletic endeavor but should be exceptionally proud of those who have also contributed to other forms of arts. He spoke during a hanging ceremony for the "Flight into Egypt," famous painting by the Ne-

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Roosevelt Club Holds Annual Game Dinner

The Roosevelt Club, Inc., was hosts to their wives at their annual game dinner on Friday evening, Feb. 17 at the Airport Shelter House.

Minneapolis Couple Visits in Des Moines

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Hill returned to their Minneapolis, Minn., home after a weekend visit in Des Moines and other Iowa cities.

On Feb. 3 they were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Jackson of 1514 Carpenter ave. They enjoyed dancing and refreshments. On the following day they motored to Davenport, Ia., where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Strickland Marcus, who were co-hosts with Mr. and Mrs. August Overton and son in entertaining the visitors.

Alma Morris Feted With Birthday Party

A surprise birthday party was given in honor of Alma Morris by her mother, Mrs. Ethel Baxter on Saturday, Feb. 25 at her mother's home, 1520 Center street.

Sharing the courtesies were Mesdames Olivia DeVan, Edith Sharp, Margo Ramsey, Mildred Massey, Wilmetta Jones, Lessie Garrett, Ann Castine, Mary Clayborne, Lillian Haynes, Vera Fulton, Helen Bell, Barbara James, Evelyn Phillips, Nancy Jackson, Martha Parkey, Maxine LaNair, Ida Hannah, Erna Carr, Birdie Mae Hogan and Vernon Morris.

Games were played and many beautiful gifts were received.

gro artist, Henry O'Tanner. Mr. Harris also gave a biographical background of O'Tanner.

Mr. Harris was introduced by Mrs. Korrine Jackson, mistress of ceremonies for the program. A concert piano number by Arthur Black also drew praise from the audience of about 45 persons.

A tea followed the program with Mrs. Iva Mae Hayes in charge. Mrs. Lulu Mae Harris poured. Sponsoring the event was the Dilettante club. Mrs. Marguerite Cothorn was program chairman.

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Miss Rhoda Smith Is Bride of Nebraskan At Ft. Sam Houston

Mrs. Dorothy L. Cherry announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Rhoda Darlene Smith to Robert



MRS. RHODA HODGES

LeRoy Hodges, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hodges of Omaha, Nebr.

The wedding ceremony took place on Monday, Feb. 13 at 7 p.m. at Chapel No. 3 at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Tex. Officiating was Base Chaplain Walton.

The bride is employed at Bankers Life Co., in Des Moines and the groom is serving with the army medical corps and is presently stationed at Ft. Sam Houston.

Civic Breakfast Club Gives Dinner

The Civic Breakfast club met with Mrs. Maybelle Jefferson of 1733 Walker street on Sunday, Feb. 26 for a dinner meeting. Guests were Mesdames Julia Cannon, Georgia Coggins and Olivia Neal.

Deltas to Meet Sat.

Phi chapter of Delta Sigma Theta sorority will meet Saturday, Mar. 4 at 8 p.m. with Mrs. Marguerite Cothorn of 1407 Center Street. Mrs. Ada Johnson is president.

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IOWA CONGRESSMAN
NEED TO WAKE UP

So much emphasis is placed on what things the President and congress do that it is easy to overlook just what individual members of that body do.

Few people are able to read the Congressional Record, its daily proceedings. However, the press does a pretty fine job covering the activities of all branches of the government and thus the public can know just what in general, our representatives in congress do.

Last Sunday, the Des Moines Register carried a list of individuals employed in offices of each Iowa representative and their salaries. Both the number and the amount of their salaries were revealing. The jobs range from executive assistant with salaries of 12 to 14 thousand per year to simple clerks of about 2 thousand per year.

This is a marked increase in recent years due to the large amount of work which involves their duties in the respective houses to requests for assistance from constituents back home.

With this increase in office help has come employment of Negroes by some senators and representatives. It has been more prevalent among Democrat members from the cities where Negroes comprise a good percentage of the population and help them get elected. (Congressman Stevens of Minnesota employed a Negro in his office back in 1914-15 when each member had one or two clerks.)

However, no Iowa member has employed any Negroes on his staff. In fact, their activities, while generally good on civil rights, have not been to giving them either a job or an appointment to any of the service schools. The Bystander is fully aware that some of these appointments come as a result of competitive examinations. It has no complaint if no Negroes pass them. But none has taken any, so far, and thus it must be assumed that they have been passed over.

Iowa representatives in congress should recognize that most public men have come to realize that not only do Negroes want to vote but also some political jobs. Anyone who thinks otherwise is not going to get beyond his district or state as higher posts are passed over.

And while there is no suggestion that anybody on Iowa senator or congressman's payroll should be fired to make way for a Negro, changes will come and they should be given favorable consideration in passing some of their victory to the Negro friends who help elect them.

CHICKENS COME
HOME TO ROOST

For years, complaints have been made by some people that the Des Moines Civil Service Commission, or parts of it, used their position to block Negroes from securing city jobs. They have done the job so well that no Negro has passed the civil service examination for fireman for thirty years; none has passed an examination for promotion and practically every man on the force today had trouble from the police pension board getting a fair rating of his examination. There are less Negroes on the force today than there were thirty years ago.

Complaints of these conditions have fallen on deaf ears, officials maintaining that civil service was adopted to see that everybody got a fair break and that the commission was carrying out these responsibilities faithfully.

Well, some members of the police department have disgraced the force and like a rolling snowball the defections get larger. Rumblings have gone on for months that conditions were unsavory in spots.

In the course of these rumblings, the finger has been pointed to the fire department and it now develops that candidates for promotion have been given questions in advance which while prepared for a previous year, were used in the current year.

The Bystander wishes no member of the fire, police department or the civil service commission any ill luck. There are many fine honest men in each organization and they should not be smeared by those who insist on using their positions to gig the public. This, we complain, has gone on for years against Negroes. Maybe, if the city council does the right thing, the conditions which have militated against a decent force for the public in general and Negroes in particular will be eliminated.

This week, officer Edward E. Crozier was discharged by the city manager because he refused to sign a waiver holding the Keeler Police

graph Institute harmless for any violation of his civil rights in submitting himself to a lie detector test. The police burial association has agreed to advance the officer \$400.00 per month salary pending the outcome of an appeal to civil service commission and pay his attorney fees.

Frankly, the Bystander believes that the city is on thin legal grounds in its method of handling the investigation; that the action, while justified in this instance, of the burial fund group demonstrates more fully that it has no business forming a part of the civil service commission.



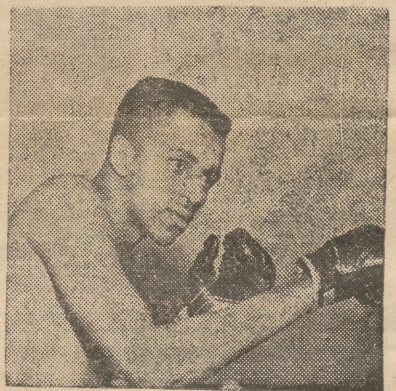
Golden Gloves time has come and gone for Des Moines. The papers and some of the fellows who went say there were some of the best bouts in recent years. They could have been right. Yours truly stayed away again. We can't see those fellows up there striving for that trip to Chicago, and yet not giving their best to make it on after they get here.

Training

Now, don't get us wrong. We know that each kid has literally fought his heart out to make the team. But, the guys didn't start really training until the time they should have been tapering off. Take the case of young Larry Boone. Boone is considered one of the best boys ever to be around here. He is outstanding and yet we are told that the boy doesn't believe in doing roadwork.

Old School

This may not be true, but if it is, we are sorry to belong to the old school that believes fighter must have some road work to really be in shape. One's legs go first. Boone probably doesn't get tired around here because he outclasses the rest of the field so far that he can be



BOONE

relaxed. But, if he had that five to ten miles a day under his belt, there is no telling how far he would go. He could run to and from work, run to and from the store, in fact, run just about any place he went for about two months. He would probably be surprised at the difference in his ability, even though he is good. He would be better.

Red Barber

We simply mention that fellow as one case because he is outstanding and we believe could amount to something in the ring if he could get started. But, there are the rest of the boys who don't start training until the day before the bouts. They tell us Red Barber really works hard with those kids. In fact, we bet that Red has learned more about boxing since he became an instructor than he ever knew as a boxer.

Away From Gym

But even Red can't supervise the boys' time away from the gym. That is where desire comes in. A fellow who wants to be good will pay the price, and that price is long hard months of self denial and training for any sport from boxing to tennis.

So that is why we never care too much about the Gloves. We think of the kids who come up in these bouts and who were really good because they were in shape to give all they had. If they lost it was not because they got tired. Then we look at the guys who get into the ring now and know they aren't ready, and we can't stand it.

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Spriggs, who holds averages of 184 and 183, bowled a 280 game in the Schoolmen's League at Air Lanes and the 722 in the Forty and One at Huggins lanes. His best previous series was 662. He is a seventh-grade science teacher at Franklin Junior High.

Fans Laud Bill Bruton
At Farewell Dinner

Milwaukee—A total of 712 baseball fans and admirers, led by Gov. Nelson of Wisconsin, Vice-President Birdie Tebbets of the Milwaukee Braves and former Dodger catcher Roy Campanella lauded former Braves outfielder Bill Bruton at a five-dollar a plate testimonial dinner at the Schroeder hotel here recently.

The crowd had come to express their sentiments to the fleet center-fielder, who was recently traded by the Braves to the Detroit Tigers. Bruton was asked to remain a resident of Milwaukee, despite the fact that Detroit would be his home base, and he said he would.

A Fine Gentleman

All the leading speakers lauded Bruton for being a gentleman. Gov. Nelson said:

"We not only are proud of you as Braves fans, but we are proud of the kind of citizen you have been and the contributions you have made, and proud of our association and acquaintance with."

Campy on the other hand said: "You can not only 'catch the fly, steal the base and hit the ball, but (you are) one who, when you have left the clubhouse, walk the streets as a gentleman."

Iowa Upends Purdue,
73-62; Take No. 2 Spot

By Staff Writer

Iowa City, Ia.—Iowa snatched the lead in the early minutes of a furious, high-fouling battle and held on with ferocious tenacity throughout the snarling melee to decapitate the Purdue Boilermakers, 72-62, and take over second place in the Big Ten ranks with a 9-2 showing. They are 17-4 in overall play.

The Boilermakers were on the receiving end of the Hawks' defensive fire; for which they have now become famous. The Hawks played with fury nurtured by desire to avenge an earlier season loss to Purdue by their scholastically ineligible buddies and an even greater desire to take over the No. 2 spot from the Boilermakers.

Their man-to-man breath-taking defense so confused and confounded the Boilermakers, that fouling ran amuck. The Boilermakers' defense also rendered their share of fouls. There were 59 fouls in all.

Iowa-Purdue

Of the scores of free tosses awarded in this foul laden scramble Purdue's highly vaunted Terry Dischinger got a lion's share of them. The rangy basketballer pumped in 21 of 24 free ones with the amazing accuracy of 19 in succession. This compilation from the foul line plus the baskets the Hawks allowed him, gave him 35 points for his nights work in a losing cause. Don Nelson, Iowa's embattled pivot man, was high scoring artist for his team with 26.

History

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wins to 17-4 and are on the verge of going down in the annals of basketball history at Iowa if they can continue in their winning ways. Should they dispose of Indiana Saturday night and wipe out Michigan State and Northwestern on the road they will have become the winningest basketball aggregation in Iowa's history, and end the season on a glorious and exciting note.

New Hawks Win Again
Skin Gophers 61-43

By Staff Writer

Minneapolis, Minn. — The Iowa Hawkeyes, with their new basketball machinery working like a charm, skinned the Minnesota Gophers 61-43, for the second time this season, before the Minnesota home folk record crowd of 14,568.

The new found forces utilized a rugged man-to-man defense, and blended in other potent ingredients of deadeye shooting accuracy, ice-slick passing and rough-and-sock 'em rebounding.

The first few minutes of the clash were 'even Steven,' knotted at 9-9. Iowa's breathless defense took charge and the Gophers entertained a five minute scoring lapse. Meanwhile, the Hawks kept swishing them in to the tune of 19-9 edge. From here in the Hawks dominated with continued glass smooth passing and good shooting marksmanship. They went for a halftime rest period, leading 29-20.

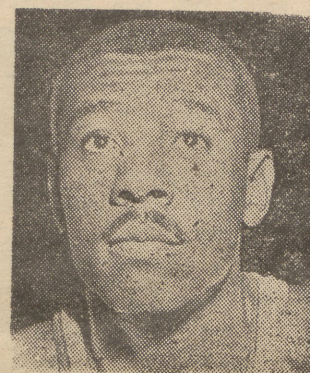
Half Time

Iowa's battle scarred All-American playing Don Nelson led the scoring attack in the second half and the Hawks soon led by 15 points. All told Nelson dropped the ball through the hoop for 30 points. Matt Szykowny, cool as a cucumber, netted 12.

The Hawks now stand at 16-4 mark for the season with an 8-2 Big Ten status behind Ohio and Purdue.

Sets No. 2 All-Time
Scoring Record in Iowa

Gus Guydon, Drake University basketball's top scorer, became the No. 2 all-time scorer in Iowa's his-



Gus Guydon
Slump Ends, and How!

POST EXCHANGE

Letters from Our Readers

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

Send Yours Today

DEAR EDITOR:

Please allow me to congratulate you upon your fine paper. I am of the white race, but I found your paper and its supplement, "Tone", very interesting and informative. I was pleased to find the Bystander unbiased, and lacking in the sensationalism some white and colored papers have.

Also, because of your wide coverage I read of some colored friends of mine in Iowa, in the "Personally Yours" column by Frances Hawthorne and in other parts of your paper.

I would like to see better understanding among white and Negro Americans and all racial groups; perhaps your paper can help pave the way for future understanding. For there are but two kinds of people in the world, the good and the bad, and the only thing that should separate us is the good from the bad.

In camp I met and made friends with men and women of many racial

tory when he netted 11 points against Marquette Tuesday night bringing his total to 1,256, second to leading Iowa scorer, Red Murrell,

groups; find having friends of many races vastly more interesting than the set patterns of my own people, I sometime find quite monotonous.

I'm not much good at making speeches, much less putting them on paper, but I wanted to congratulate you upon your fine paper. May it continue to grow and grow.

Maurice Collins
316 Villa Louis Road
Prairie Du Chien, Wis.

LITTLE BLUEBIRD

THOU darling little bluebird, Thee, symbol of all happiness, Why, Oh why, thy plaintive cry That echoes through this wilderness? This wilderness where my heart dwells, Existing as a drear cold waste We should never brood nor live apart, Nor quench loves' flame in headlong haste.

Why do you stay when the wild geese fly, When the cold winds blow, and the neighbors go?

who also amassed his 1,637 total while a student at Drake.

In addition Guydon was also awarded a place on the Missouri Valley Conference all-star basketball team. He ranks second in all-games scoring with an 18.8 average and 16.9 conference average. Drake, who has matched their top total of wins, was defeated Tuesday by Marquette 74-72, when a last-ditch rally fell short.

Russia's Brumel
Defeats America's
John Thomas

New York — John Thomas, who had owned the world's official high

I hear your lonely call and sigh, And I think both you and I should know.

When the first mate's lost, to find one new. If a new move comes, none will say one word.

Let's go! Let's change our clime and view!

To a joyful soul and a happy bird. —Glenn A. Gallagher
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Thoughts for Today

If you meet a man without a smile, give him one of yours, even if you haven't got one.—H. G. M.

A sense of humor is the most powerful weapon in the world. So powerful that the king's jester could spit in his majesty's face and laugh it off with the proper jest.—H. G. M.

Decency, like a pat on the back, is the cheapest thing in the world. So cheap and yet goes so far.—H. G. M.

jump record until this year, was defeated last Saturday on his own home ground by Russia's whiz high jump kid, Valery Brumel. They compete at the National Amateur Athletic Union before a packed crowd of 16,243. Brumel jumped 7-2 while Thomas only made 7-1. The week before the Russian had soared to 7-3 while Thomas still did only 7-1.

Ralph Boston, salvaged U.S. fans bruised triumphs by smashing his own indoor broad jump record when he leaped 26-6 1/4.

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