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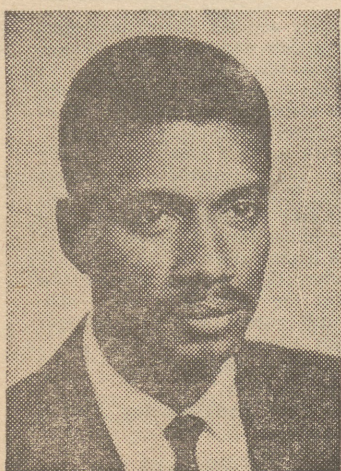
## 2 Die, 6 Hurt in Tragic Weekend

### Air Bias Complaints in Cedar Rapids

#### CORE Leader Freed

Charlotte, N. C.—CORE field secretary Joseph Perkins, Jr., was acquitted today of trespass charges in Charlotte City Recorder Court.

Perkins, who is participating in Freedom Ride, CORE's challenge to



Perkins, Jr.

bus segregation, was arrested while attempting to secure a shoe shine in the barber shop of the Union Bus Terminal in Charlotte on May 8.

Judge Howard Arbuckle ruled that the barber shop is an integral part of the bus terminal and therefore an interstate passenger could not be excluded because of race. Judge Arbuckle based his decision on the December, 1960 Supreme Court decision in the Boynton case.

#### Dr. Paul Mitchum to Speak at 'Freedom Sunday' Celebration

The Des Moines branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People will hold its Freedom Sunday service on Sunday, May 21 at 4 p.m. at Corinthian Baptist church, 9th and School Sts.

Guest speaker will be Dr. Paul Mitchum, assistant superintendent of Des Moines Public schools. Atty. Robert Wright will be master of ceremonies.

#### Ministers

The Corinthian Baptist chorus will give musical selections and Dr. Cleophas Barnett will sing a solo. Ministers assisting will be Rev. N. R. Olphin, Rev. R. L. Ryles and Rev. James A. Harris.

Committee for the Freedom Sunday program is W. C. Buice, chairman, Mrs. Clay C. Treadway, Miss Pearl Marshall and John Williams. Atty. James B. Morris, Jr., is branch president.

#### FFF Committee

##### Holds Meeting

The Fighting Fund for Freedom Committee met Monday evening to make plans for the Four F program. Mrs. Ione Lloyd is chairman.

#### Iowa Associated

##### Barbers to Hold 2nd Annual Convention

The second annual convention of Associated Barbers of Iowa will meet at the Brotherhood center, 13th and Center Sts., on Sunday and Monday. Demonstrations and workshops will begin at 10 a.m. Sunday at the Hardaway Tonsorial parlor. A business meeting will begin at the Center at 9:30 a.m. Monday.

Delegates from Davenport, Cedar Rapids, Waterloo, and Sioux City are expected to attend. Rozenting Hardaway of Des Moines is president.

#### Before Iowa Advisory Rights Committee

Discrimination against Negroes in Cedar Rapids, particularly in regard to housing, provided the main topic for discussion at a civil rights meeting Saturday at the Sheraton-Montrose.

Four members of the Iowa Advisory Commission on Civil Rights were in town to hear reports concerning the Negro's situation in Cedar Rapids.

#### Attending

Mrs. Harriett Baum of Manchester, chairman, presided. Other commission members present were Nathan Levenson of Mason City, vice-chairman; the Rev. J. J. Gorman, Granger, and James Morris, Des Moines. The 2 absent members were W. Lawrence Oliver, Des Moines, and Carl LeCompt, Corridan.

Wilbert Mitchell, chairman of the housing committee for the local branch of the NAACP, for the Advancement of Colored People, opened the discussion by pointing out that Negro families who must move from the site of the new post office are being shown houses which are far below standard compared to their present homes.

#### Tells of Call

"It appears that real estate agents are trying to get the Negroes into some sort of ghetto," Mitchell observed. "I feel that Cedar Rapids would be a wonderful place in which to live if all people were able to buy the homes they want and can afford."

Mrs. Emma Turner, local NAACP president, said she had received a telephone call from a man inquiring if Negroes would be interested in living in an area of their own in Cedar Rapids. She said the caller did not identify himself.

#### Displaced

Jesse Anderson, who identified himself as a "displaced person," said he has been living in the new post office area and is having difficulty finding a suitable house.

"I'm a veteran of World war I and I went overseas to fight for democracy. When I came back, I found that I should have stayed here and fought for democracy. I came to Cedar Rapids 47 years ago, and I've seen the town grow."

#### "Run-Around."

"Conditions for the Negro now are the worst I've seen," Anderson went on. He said he has been getting the "run around" from real estate salesmen. "I wish white people could use my face and see how the Negro feels."

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### Charge Georgia Employment Still Sends Workers By Race to Lockheed Plant

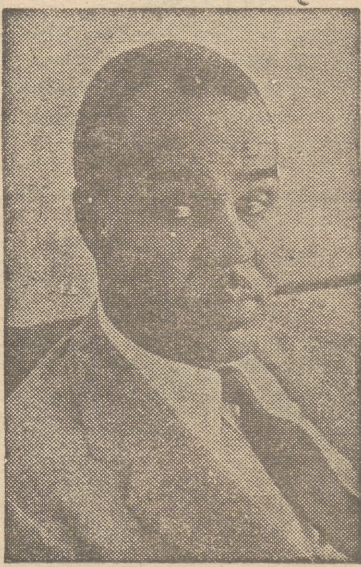
New York.—Although a segregated all-Negro local union has been dissolved by the International Association of Machinists and certain "fringe" improvements made in the general picture at the Marietta, Ga., plant of the Lockheed Aircraft Corporation, the company is still requisitioning workers by race through the Georgia State Employment Service, it was charged here this week by the NAACP.

#### State Employment

Herbert Hill, the Association's labor secretary, visited Marietta last week, 30 days after the NAACP

#### "Open End" TV May 21

New York.—Roy Wilkins, NAACP secretary, will be among the guest panelists discussing the broad sub-



WILKINS

ject of civil rights on the television program, "Open End," Sunday night, May 21.

The show as provoked controversy in the past and allows as much as two hours for discussion of a topic. The moderator is David Susskind. It will be shown on Ames, Iowa, WOI.

### Mississippi Youths Lasso Negro Child and Drag Down Street

Jamaica, N. Y.—More fuel was poured on the NAACP's "Operation Mississippi" this week by the brutal lassoing of a Negro child from a passing car in Jackson, the state's capital.

Medgar Evers, NAACP field secretary for Mississippi, told an NAACP rally here (Sunday, May 14) of an incident that transpired in his state last week. The rally was held at the St. Albans Congregational Church. Nine-year-old Floria Laverne Floyd was lassoed by white youths from a passing convertible with a wire loop. The car didn't stop, thereby dragging the child along the street.

#### Deep Gash

Little Gloria suffered a deep gash in her head that required three stitches, cheek bruises, a cut on her right shoulder, and burn marks on her neck from the wire. Her youthful white assailants were arrested.

The Association's "Operation Mississippi" is an all-out drive to end that state's flagrant bigotry. The campaign includes voter registration, utilization of public accommodations, school integration and increased employment opportunities in government for Negroes.

#### Operating Costs

"Major industrial corporations operating with Federal government contracts cannot possibly be in compliance with President Kennedy's non-discrimination order," Hill said. SEE PAGE SIX

#### Valley High Boy Wins Elks Oratory Contest Here Sunday

Steve Souder, 17, Valley High school senior, won the state oratorical contest sponsored by the Iowa State Board of Education of Elks at St. Paul A.M.E. church Sunday afternoon. He will go on to Colorado Springs, Colo., where he will compete in the regional contest next month, for a \$1,000 scholarship.

Runnerup in the contest was DeLores Murphy, 17, senior at Sioux City Central High, Bob Atkinson, of Cedar Rapids and Floyd Brown of Waterloo, tied for third.

### Body Found in D.M. River Identified as Larry Colton, 8

A year after little Steven Larry Colton, 8, met death by drowning in the Des Moines river, his body was found in the same river near Avon on Sunday, May 7. The body was identified as that of the Colton boy Saturday by Dr. Leo Luka, county medical examiner, who established identity after examining remnants of clothing found on the body and measurements.

Steven, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Colton, 819 26th st., drowned May 22, 1960, when he and two other boys jumped from a raft into the river near Riverview park. They jumped when the raft's mooring pole loosened and the raft started to drift.

#### Last Rites

Graveside services were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Glendale Cemetery. At the time of his death Steven was in the Second grade at Nash school.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Colton; a sister, Karen Sue, 5; three brothers, David, 10, Darwin, 7, and Earl, Jr., 6; and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Jones, and Mrs. Syble McCaune all of Des Moines.

#### Reminder: Polio Clinic

The Des Moines-Polk County Health Department's polio immunization clinic will be open again Wednesday from 2 to 8 p.m. in the basement of the Argonne Armory building, E. First and Des Moines sts., according to Dr. James F. Speers, City-County Health Director. This will be a weekly clinic open each Wednesday from 2:00-8:00 p.m. through the month of May.

Diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus shots also will be given to children under the age of 10. "All persons who have had no Salk polio shots should start the three-shot series immediately and those who already have had the series should get the annual booster shot," Dr. Speers said.

The emphasis this year is directed to the unvaccinated groups; children under five, breadwinners under 45, and "island" of population in which the per cent of immunization is much lower than for the general public.

The health director urged persons needing polio shots to either get them from their own family physician or at the health department clinic.

#### CENTER TO AID THE AGING ART GALLERIES

Remodeling of art galleries at The State University of Iowa this spring has nearly bobbled the exhibition space of the galleries. Addition of a mezzanine in the Main

### NEWS In A Nutshell

St. Louis, Mo. — A proposal to merge the city's hospital facilities has threatened the existence of Homer G. Phillips hospital, which has been one of the nation's outstanding centers for the training of Negro nurses and physicians.

Louisville, Ky. — The Louisville board of education, the first in the south to comply with the Supreme Court order desegregating public schools in 1954, now has a Negro board chairman for the first time. He is Woodward R. Porter, who has been a member of the five man board since 1958.

Washington, D. C.—A regiment of special agents for the Internal Revenue Service, armed with warrants, used axes and drawn guns, to smash their way into a suburban farm hide-away numbers racket. Agents said they found inside, two key Washington gambling figures hard at work with six others on bags of cash, totaling more than \$10,000, numbers slips and adding machines.

Raleigh, N. C.—Voters last week elected a Negro to the city council post for the first time in the history of the city. John W. Winters, a Roman Catholic, was one of three new councilmen chosen.

Washington, D. C.—Vice President Lyndon B. Johnson, chairman of the President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunities, has announced the appointment of Mrs. Alice A. Dunnigan as consultant for the committee.

Mrs. Dunnigan has served as chief of the Washington Bureau, Associated Negro Press for the past 14 years. She made history in 1947 when she became the first woman of her race to be accredited to the Senate and House of Representatives press galleries.

Waukesha, Wis.—New president of the student senate at Carroll college is Howard Fuller of Milwaukee; he is believed to be the first Negro to head the student organization.

Salisbury, Southern Rhodesia — While a 22-year-old African named Benedict is serving a four-month hard labor sentence in prison for illicit sexual relations with a 19-year-old Patricia Balch, the white girl was given a suspended sentence of three years, providing she commits no further offense. Meantime, she has been ordered to attend an "approved institution" under the supervision of a welfare and probation officer.

Trenton, N. J.—A precedent was established here when Gov. Robert B. Meyner named William Fillmore Wood to the superior court, the state's second highest judicial body. If confirmed by the state senate, Wood would become the first of his race to serve in such a high judicial post in New Jersey.

London, England—Prime Minister Harry Macmillan said last week that Britain has no present plans to limit the immigration of Negroes from the British West Indies.

Gallery and installation of modern lighting are among the major changes.

A center which will demonstrate services to aging and retired citizens will be set up in Cedar Rapids by the school of social work of The State University of Iowa with a grant from the National Institute of Mental Health.

### Sister, Brother Hit While Coming Home From School; 2nd Collision Near Newton

Two separate auto accidents brought death, grief and suffering to nearly a half dozen families in Des Moines over the weekend. The preview to the grim weekend began with the tragic accident at the T intersection of McCormick and E. University Avenue, Thursday afternoon when a 10-year-old girl was killed instantly and her 11 year-old brother injured seriously when they were struck by a pickup truck. On Sunday afternoon two Des Moines couples were returning to Des Moines when another car swerved into their eastbound lane near Newton, Ia., and collided head-on, killing one and injuring five others.

Every afternoon Mrs. Carrie Manuel, 1214 McCormick, had walked a half block to the intersection of McCormick and E. University Ave., to meet her two children and help them safely across heavily-trafficked University Avenue. Norma Jean 10, and her brother, James, 11, were fourth and fifth grade pupils at Longfellow school. They usually rode home on a school bus to within two blocks of the intersection and walked the rest of the way to be met by their mother.

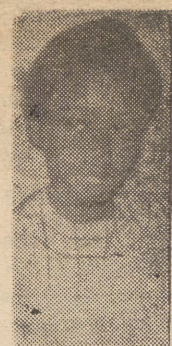
#### Delayed

Last Thursday Mrs. Manuel was delayed. She arrived a few minutes after 3:30 p.m. She came upon a shocking, tragic sight the bodies of

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James Manuel



Norma Manuel

### WHERE CHILDREN WERE HIT



Officers are shown at the scene above measuring the distances that Norma Jean Manuel, 10, and her brother, James Michael, 11, were carried from the point of impact (dotted area) by a pickup truck which struck them Thursday at the intersection of McCormick and E. University Avenues. Norma Jean was killed and her brother seriously injured. They were returning home from school and were less than a block from home when the accident occurred.—Photo courtesy of Des Moines Register and Tribune.



## Describes White House Disowning of Civil Rights Bills

New York.—The NAACP termed the Kennedy Administration's decision to disassociate the White House from the civil rights bills introduced in Congress May 8 as "mistaken and regrettable."

The bills were introduced by Senator Joseph S. Clark (D., Pa.) and Representative Emanuel Celler (D., N.Y.). They were designated by President Kennedy last summer to put the Democratic platform pledges on civil rights into legislative form.

### Salinger

President Kennedy's decision was revealed by White House Press Secretary Pierre Salinger to reporters on May 9th. Said Salinger: "The President has made it clear that he does not think it is necessary at this time to enact civil rights legislation."

This decision, stated NAACP Executive Secretary Roy Wilkins, means that the Administration will not be able to live up to the Democratic party platform promise on school integration.

### Platform

The Democratic platform called for every school board in the country to file a plan of desegregation within six months after the bill is passed. Such is impossible, Secretary Wilkins said, "unless legislation to that effect is approved and moves forward without delay in the present Congressional session."

### Excellent Beginning

"The Kennedy Administration has made an excellent beginning on civil rights on the executive level through the Justice Department, through ap-

pointment of Negroes to office, and through the attitude and pronouncements of the President himself," Mr. Wilkins said. However, the Administration's dissociation decision "would seem to reject the proposal that the Civil Rights Commission be made permanent, which was also a pledge in the Democratic platform."

The Commission, slated to expire this September, would need Congressional legislation to extend its life. The NAACP leader praised the judicial branch of the government, saying it "has stood fast on the constitutional aspects of the civil rights question."

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"But, we have three branches of government," he said. "The White House decision ignores the fact that the dramatic actions on voting rights that have been taken by the present Attorney General, have been made possible by the 1957 and 1960 legislation enacted under the Eisenhower Administration. It also ignores the fact that on school desegregation the legislative branch has lagged behind the judicial and executive branches."

### Cactus Bouquet

The White House decision constitutes "an offering of a cactus bouquet" to Negro parents and their children on the 7th anniversary this Wednesday, of the Supreme Court school desegregation ruling.

Wilkins pointed out that "whether a President sponsors civil rights legislation or not, his general legislative program is subject to hatchet treatment by Southerners and their allies."

sell his house to John Jones, there is nothing in the world that can compel him to do so," the agent said.

### Code Clause

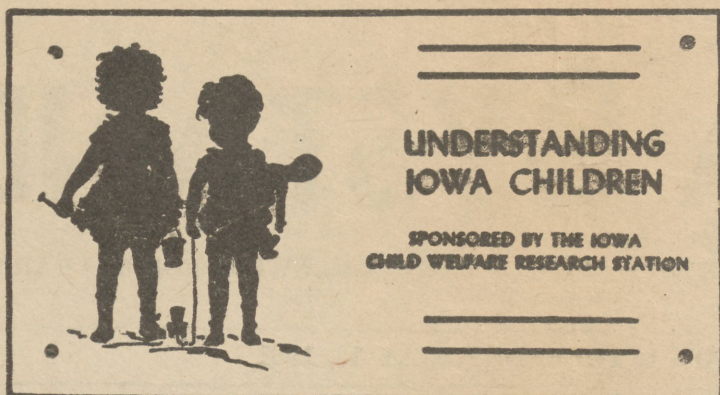
"The problem is that according to a clause in the local code, a member can be removed from the real estate board if he sells property which results in the decline of real estate value in that area," Moore said.

Morris said that a similar clause no longer exists in the state real estate code. Moore said it is still included in the Cedar Rapids code.

Mitchell said he had been told that as far as the real estate board was concerned, limitations for Negroes were south of Eighth avenue to west of Tenth street SE.

### Blighted Areas

Mrs. Viola Gibson, a state and local officer of the NAACP, said she had heard of Negro families, forced to move from the post office site, who were being sold houses in the



Written by William P. Hawkinson, SUI Assistant Professor

### TAKE TIME OUT TO HAVE FUN WITH YOUR FAMILY

Most of us think we're pretty busy. Mary can't help Mom right now because she's busy getting ready for the class party. Susan cannot bother taking little sister out for a walk because she's busy making plans for the Girl Scout fun night. Dennis is too preoccupied with his friend down the street to spend a minute with Dad.

### Out Doors

Now that spring is here, we will all be able to spend a little more time out of doors. Perhaps it will turn out to be a very special kind of good time if the family can plan to do more things together. One good way to get to know ourselves and others is to help each other do small tasks and make big plans. That "big happy family" feeling may be just the thing we need.

### Exchange Ideas

Mom and Dad will appreciate the

things you do for them, and there's no better way of exchanging ideas than working together. Whether you make your folks King and Queen for a day or simply share relaxation and recreation with them, everyone learns something which will help them in getting along better with others.

### Little Effort

That little brother or sister you try to stay away from could be a real friend if you made a little effort to help him or her once in a while. If you take time to give some attention now, you may have fewer problems later when you want to do things with your friends.

Best of all are the activities the family does together. Planning a picnic could require effort and cooperation from everyone, and should result in fun for all.

Get to know your family, and you may be surprised how many new "pals" you will find!

## HEALTH FOR ALL

### Tuberculin Positive?

Out of 1,253 adults given the tuberculin test on long ago, 802 had a positive reaction. Out of 8,252 school children tested, 446 were tuberculin positive.

In the tuberculin test, a drop of harmless fluid is put just under the skin. Two or three days later, a doctor can tell by looking at the spot whether the reaction is positive or negative.

### Positive

A positive reaction means that there are tuberculous germs in the body. Unlike most illnesses, TB infection doesn't always mean active disease. Of those 446 school children with positive reactions, only two had

active tuberculosis. But a positive reaction does mean that active disease is a possibility. About one-fifth of Americans—that's 36 million—have picked up the TB germ. It is estimated that one in twenty of them will develop active tuberculosis sometime in the future.

### Chest X-Ray

Anyone with a positive tuberculin reaction should get a chest X-ray regularly. It is also important for a positive reactor to keep his general resistance high—with enough rest, a well-balanced diet and as little stress and strain as he can manage.

This column is sponsored in the interest of better health by: Polk County Tuberculosis and Health Assn., Des Moines 9, Iowa.

### Vice President Lyndon Johnson To Deliver Howard University Commencement Talk

Washington, D. C.—Vice President Lyndon B. Johnson will deliver the principal address at the 93rd annual Commencement of Howard University Friday, June 9 at 5:30 p.m. Commencement exercises will be held in the Upper Quadrangle of the Howard campus, and will be open to the public.

The convocation will mark the close of a six-day program of Commencement week activity at Howard. The program begins with Baccalaureate services Sunday, June 4

at 5:30 p.m. The services are scheduled at the same site as Commencement exercises.

### 700 Seniors

During Commencement exercises Howard President James M. Nabrit, Jr. will confer degrees upon some 700 seniors in the University's 10 schools and colleges. This year's graduating classes will increase the number of Howard graduates to more than 22,000.

statements was that Cedar Rapids discriminated against Negroes in housing, jobs, and the enjoyment of civil rights.



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## 2 Freedom Riders Beaten In South Carolina Terminal

Rock Hill, S. C.—Two participants in CORE's Freedom Ride were attacked by white hoodlums in the Greyhound waiting room in Rock Hill May 9.

The Freedom Riders are challenging bus segregation throughout the deep south. Albert Bigelow, a white architect, and John Lewis, a Negro student from Nashville, were met by hoodlums as they left the bus from Charlotte and entered the white waiting room at 4 p.m. Two of the hoodlums told Lewis, "Go to the other side." He replied, "Thank you but I prefer it here." Lewis then walked on.

### Kicked

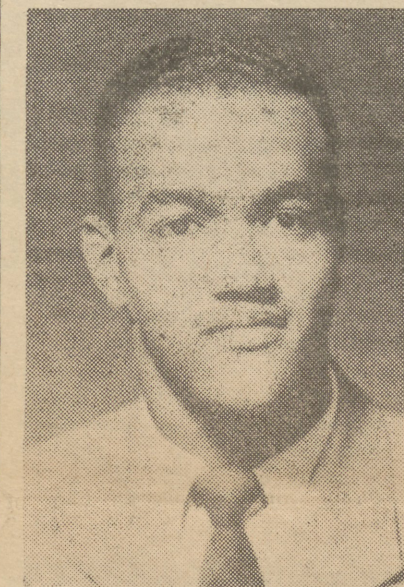
The hoodlums struck Lewis and knocked him down and began to kick him. Bigelow placed himself between the youths and Lewis so as to absorb their blows himself. Bigelow was knocked down, cut and bruised. Then, the police arrived and the youths fled. In the scramble to leave they knocked down CORE field secretary Genevieve Hughes. The police caught one of the hoodlums and Bigelow and Lewis identified him.

### No Charges

However, the two Freedom Riders refused to press charges, Bigelow asked to speak to the youth instead. The youth replied, "I don't have a darn thing to talk to you about."

### Promoted at Drake

Dr. Eddie V. Easely, was among nine faculty members at Drake University who received promotions last



DR. EASELY

week, Dr. Easely was promoted to associate professor in marketing.



### DENTAL CAVITIES

Research done at the State University of Iowa indicates that you are likely to have fewer dental cavities when tartar deposits are more noticeable on your teeth. This probably is due to the fact that conditions which cause cavities and conditions which cause deposits are not compatible. The researchers found that mouth conditions which promote formation of tartar deposits may be helpful in controlling tooth decay and vice versa.

### ICED TEA—LOW IN CALORIES—WELCOME BEVERAGE



It takes a little planning to be a gifted hostess . . . that is, one who enjoys herself as much as her guests. But it's a real gift to be able to plan simple, self-serving refreshments that won't turn you into a hot, tired hostess during the summer months. There's one thing you can count on when you're expecting company on a hot day—and that is that practically everyone who arrives is generally pretty thirsty. And what could be more thirst-quenching than a nice, tall frosty glass of iced tea topped off with a sprig of mint and lemon wedge. You cool off just by looking at it! And, of course, it has practically no calories, as you'll note from the following chart.

**Beverages** Approx. No. Calories per six ounces

|                                           |       |
|-------------------------------------------|-------|
| *Iced tea (unsweetened)                   | 4.0   |
| **Iced coffee (unsweetened—without cream) | 11.0  |
| Sugar-free carbonated beverage            | 15.0  |
| Beer                                      | 50.0  |
| Cola beverages                            | 50.0  |
| Lemonade, frozen                          | 86.0  |
| Carbonated, fruit-flavored beverage       | 91.0  |
| Grape juice                               | 111.0 |
| *Iced Tea—30 with sugar and lemon         |       |
| **Iced Coffee—94 with sugar, cream        |       |

To make 2 quarts or about 10 servings of iced tea, pre-measure 5 tablespoons loose tea (or 15 tea bags). Bring 2 quarts fresh cold water to a full rolling boil. Remove from heat.

Immediately add tea. Brew, uncovered, 5 minutes. Stir and strain into pitcher. Serve in ice-filled glasses. A simple accompaniment that is both light yet satisfying is a combination of assorted cheeses and chilled fresh fruit. To go with it, try a bread that's really different, yet nutritionally wholesome and good! Raisin Bran Bread goes well with this kind of refreshment and could be made either early in the morning or even the night before. It requires little more effort than baking powder biscuits, but the taste thrill when combined with cheese and fruit is well worth any effort.

### RAISIN BRAN BREAD

**2 cups sifted flour**  
**2 1/2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder**  
**1 teaspoon salt**  
**1/2 cup sugar**  
**3/4 cup milk**  
**3 tablespoons molasses**  
**3 tablespoons melted butter or other shortening**  
**1 cup raisin bran**  
Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, salt and sugar, and sift again. Combine egg, milk and molasses. Add to flour mixture, add shortening and cereal, then mix only enough to dampen all flour. Bake in greased 8 x 4 x 3-inch loaf pan, in moderate oven (350°F.) 1 hour, or until done. Cool. Wrap in damp cloth or waxed paper and store several hours or overnight before slicing.

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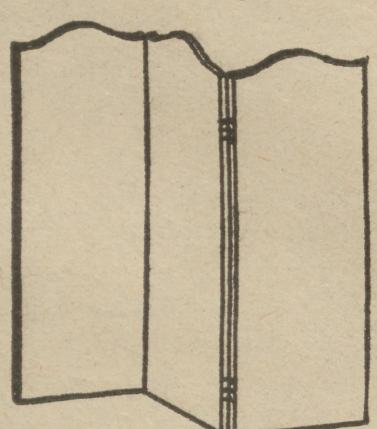
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### Three-Fold Screen

THE folding screen in the illustration is made of Masonite Tempered Preswood over frameworks of lumber. Side frame pieces, bottoms and braces are 1 by 2 inch lumber, respectively 37 1/4" and 12 1/4" long.

The top piece can be cut to shape before assembling the framework, with a scroll or jig saw, cut square 1/4" vent slots in the center braces and bottoms to prevent warping caused by changes in humidity.



After the lumber is cut, check the lengths to make sure there is no variation. Nail and glue the frames together, checking to see that all parts are square.

Then lay the frames on the Tempered 1/4" Preswood and trace the outline. Cut the Preswood slightly larger than the outlines so that it can be trimmed to exact size when the units are completed. Glue and brad the panels to the frames. When the glue has set thoroughly, trim the panels to size with a plane and file.

Mingle the finished panels with double-acting hinges or leather straps if you cannot obtain metal ones. Decorate the panels with paint, enamel, lacquer, varnish or wallpaper.









## Where to Attend Church in Des Moines

**Corinthian Baptist Church**  
9th and Crocker Streets  
REV. NORMAN R. OLPHIN, Minister  
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.  
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.  
B. T. U. 8:00 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 Fellowship 5:30 P.M.

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Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.  
Evening Service 8:00 P.M.  
Wed. Eve. Mission Circle 8:00 P.M.  
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### BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

At the last church conference of the Bethel A.M.E. church held April 3, Rev. James K. Brown appointed Mrs. Clara Fant Eaves and Mr. George Hearfield as Chairman of the Women and Men's Day respectively.

Plans have been initiated by the two chairmen and their joint committee for a spectacular kick off program to be held Friday, June 2, at Amos Hiatt Jr. High school, E. 15th and University ave. Following this initial program further plans are being completed for a Women's Day celebration, Sunday, July 9 with Mrs. Goldie I. Fant as program director and Mrs. Lela Belle Stovall, director of music.

Men and Women's Day will close Aug. 27, with Men's Day celebration throughout the day and joint services at 6 p.m.

Mrs. Nadine Veasley is co-chairman for Women's Day and director of Youth Participation.

Captains and Co-Captains for these special days are Mesdames Delphia Barnett, Ethel May, Mae Hawkins, Corena King, Ollie Sanders, Mildred Miller, Ibbie White, Ruth White and Lela Belle Stovall, Messrs. Leonard Stovall, Lowell Tillman, Robert Stovall, Lester Moore and Irvin White.

A car wash will be held at the church on Saturday, May 20 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

### PHILA. SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH NEWS

Elder R. L. Ryles, who has been minister at Philadelphia Seventh Day Adventist church for the past nine years, will preach his last sermon as church pastor, on Sabbath morning, May 20. His subject will be "Doctrines of the Church."

### Plan Potluck Honoring Mothers at Union Bapt.

The Red Circle Girls of Union Baptist church will honor their mothers with a potluck dinner on Saturday, May 20. Janice Carter is president.

### Deaconess Council To Hold Services

The Mothers, Stewardess and Deaconess Council will hold its services on Sunday, May 21 at 2:30 p.m. at Union Baptist church with the Rev. James Harris of Mt. Hebron Baptist church in West Des Moines as guest speaker.

with two special assistants from the Steward and Trustee board, Arthur L. Propes and Lester Benning.

### EAST UNIVERSITY CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST NEWS

Last Sunday the pastor, Bishop J. E. Abernathy spoke at the morning and evening services from the subjects "Iniquity Abounding" and "Get a Heavenly Vision."

In the afternoon a Mother's Day program was given honoring the church Mother Effie Bogie.

A revival is in progress being conducted by Missionaries Streets and Vonds of Illinois.

The Mission service will be Sunday at 3 p.m.; president, Mrs. Effie Bogie.

### MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The Mt. Olive Senior choir will sponsor "A Home Talent" program Sunday, May 21 at 3 p.m. Deacon Clay Boomer is program chairman. This same group will sell chicken dinners in the church basement on Saturday, May 20 starting at 12 noon.

Rev. H. R. Fields preached on "Behold Thy Mother," last Sunday with the Rev. T. Pack and the Junior choir assisting. Several babies were blessed. Recent candidates for baptism from the Sunday school are Paul Walker, Jr., Kathy and Bobbette Elliston.

The Mission met at the church Wednesday.

### MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday morning Rev. George Parish spoke on "The Value of Virtue." Pulpit guests were Reverends F. Jackson, William Scott, L. Cunningham and M. White.

Donna Farrell, who was to review the Sunday school lesson, was unable to do so because she fell and fractured her arm and hip Saturday evening. Visitors were Marvin Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene White and Rev. LeRoy Cunningham.

Mrs. Jessie Bell Davis spoke at the Mother's day program.

The sick are Miss Farrell, Chester Williams at home and Mrs. Ruby Cooper in Still Osteopathic hospital; and Lillian Balter in Iowa Methodist hospital and Lydia Forman in University hospital in Iowa City.

### SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Ten babies were blessed at the 11 a.m. services last Sunday by Pastor William Heath. They were Vernon Don Daniels, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon D. Daniels; De Arnold Keyes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Keyes; Marilyn Mitchell Holly Pope, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. William Pope; Vernell Gene Johnson; Marvin Lee Ward, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ward; Audrey Marilyn Tindrell, daughter of Deacon and Sister Phillip Tindrell; Glenale Maxine Sayles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sayles; Kimberly Faith Scott, foster daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Scott; and Robert Wayne Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Wilson.

Mrs. Odella Daniels, supt., of the Sunday School presented the youngest baby with a gift, with Audrey M. Tindrell, as recipient.

Pastor Heath preached on "The Hand That Rocked the Cradle." The Reverends George Ward, John Pope, Melvin Duncan and the Senior choir assisted.

The Mother's day program was sponsored by the Deaconess board at 3 p.m. with Mrs. Clara Bayles as guest speaker.

Dedication of the church's new pulpit furniture and communion table was held at 8 p.m. with music by the Youth choir. Miss Marvi Keyes sang a solo; and Mmes. Clara Ward and Rosetta Frazier sang a duet. Mr. Robert Fowler read a paper and the dedication sermon was by the pastor, Rev. Ward gave the prayer and Mrs. Opie Knox was mistress of ceremony.

Baptismal services will be held Sunday, May 21. At 3 p.m. a Men's day program will be sponsored by the men of Shiloh. The Rev. Jack Hooten of the Open Bible College will be guest speaker.

## Dr. Gragg Is Women's Day Speaker at St. Paul Sunday; Will Hold Tea in Her Honor

One of the outstanding women leaders in the nation, Dr. Rosa L. Gragg, Detroit, Mich., and president of the National Association of Colored Women's Clubs, Inc., will be guest speaker at the annual Women's day service at St. Paul A.M.E. Sunday, May 21.

The noted lecturer and traveler will bring the address at the 11 a.m. services. That afternoon from 4 to 6 p.m. she will be honored with a silver tea in the church dining hall with women of the church as hostesses. Mrs. Gwendolyn Fowler will be in charge.

Specially invited guests for the tea are women of all federated clubs and churches in the city.

Dr. Gragg is in her third term as leader of the 100,000 member organization of women's club. She made her first trip to Iowa when she headed



DR. GRAGG



MRS. BLAKE



MRS. MAYS

### A.M.E. Churches in Des Moines Area Hold Africa Clothing Drive

The Des Moines Area A.M.E. Church Missionary Society held its first regular meeting on Saturday, April 29, at St. Paul A.M.E. Church. It was well attended with more than 25 delegates representing seven A.M.E. Churches in Central Iowa.

Over 300 pounds of new and used clothing was sorted and packed for shipment to the Mission in Southern Rhodesia, Central Africa. A very informative and interesting worship on Missionary Society organization was conducted by Mrs. Goldie Fant of Bethel, Des Moines. The Rev. Lillian Wright, Evangelist from Detroit, Mich., gave an inspirational missionary message. Worship services were conducted by Mrs. Eloise Cooper and Mrs. Doratha Smith.

The Sampson Brooks Missionary Society of St. Paul A.M.E., served a delicious baked ham luncheon. Mrs. Margaret McCracken is president of the Society.

#### Delegates

Delegates present were St. Paul, Des Moines: Mrs. Ruby Blake, Mrs. Margaret McCracken, Mrs. Jeanne Morris and Mrs. Delores Peguese; Bethel, Des Moines: Mrs. Gertrude Brown, Mrs. Ibbie White, Mrs. Cecil Lewis, Mrs. Goldie Fant, Mrs. Ruth Doyle, Mrs. Marcelline Stovall and Mrs. Theatta Moseby; Bethel, Muscatine: Mrs. Eloise Cooper, Mrs. Lillie Jackson, Mrs. Patricia King, Dr. Alice Thompson, and Mrs. Nina Robinson; St. John, Burlington: Mrs. Elaine Smith; Mt. Zion, Ottumwa: Mrs. Relda Ogletton, Mrs. Marguerite Robinson; Bethel, Council Bluffs: Mrs. Doreatha Smith, Mrs. Theresa Rollins, Mrs. Dorothy Reeves and Mrs. Minnie Herndon; Bethel, Fairfield: Mrs. Gertrude Dabner.

#### Visitors

Visiting ministers present—Rev. William H. Burnette, Jr., Presiding Elder of the Des Moines, Quincy District, Rev. Frederick Smith of Council Bluffs, Rev. William Ogletton of Ottumwa and Fairfield, and Rev.

### MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH (ORALABOR)

Sunday morning Rev. T. R. Brown preached on "The Indestructible Christ." He was assisted by Pastor Donald Johnson. Rev. Scott was pulpit guest. Mrs. Joann Jones united with the church on Christian experience and was given the right hand of fellowship.

At the Mother's day program that afternoon the Heaven Bound pageant was presented by Jerome Smith, Vicky May, Don Johnson, Jr., and music by the Young People's choir. After the program pictures were taken of the pastor, officers and congregation.

### Rev. James Harris To Be at New Jerusalem

Rev. James Harris, pastor of Mt. Hebron Baptist church in West Des Moines, will be at New Jerusalem Church of God in Christ, on Wednesday, May 24 at 8 p.m. His choir will accompany him.

### Judge Glanton Will Speak in Minneapolis

Municipal Judge Luther T. Glanton, Jr., will be guest speaker for the men's day services at St. Peter's A.M.E. Church in Minneapolis, Minn., May 21. He will speak in the afternoon. Rev. Lovel Johnson is host pastor. Theme for the day is "Man Plus God Equals Freedom."

### Hold Revival at New Jerusalem

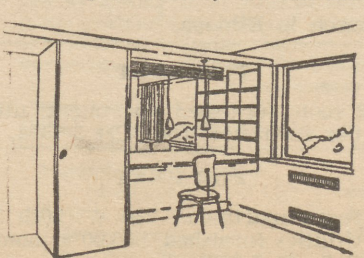
Superintendent James B. Alfred of Maywood, Ill., is conducting a revival at New Jerusalem Church of God in Christ, 1198 14th Street. Special prayer will be offered for the sick each night. The revival began May 15 and will conclude May 25.



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### Roy Leonard Rollen V.F.W. Auxiliary Installs Officers

The Roy Leonard Rollen V.F.W. Auxiliary No. 5487 met Wednesday, May 10 at the Post home, 1615 Crocker St.

Officers installed were Mrs. Evelyn Davis, president; Mrs. Lillian Rollen, senior vice president; Mrs. Nancy L. Johnson, Junior vice president; Mrs. Hiawatha Potter, treasurer; Mrs. Ella Mae Burk, secretary; Mrs. Pinkie Goode, conductress; Mrs. Winifred Reese, Patriotic instructor; Mrs. Mable M. Mason, chaplain; Mrs. Emma Williamson, guard.

#### Trustees

Trustees are Mrs. Jennie Smith, one year; Mrs. Emma Williamson, two years; and Mrs. Lessie Garrett, three years; Installing officer was past president, Mrs. L. Garrett. Committees were appointed by the president and plans were made for the Memorial Day services.

The meeting nights have been changed from the first Wednesdays to the second Wednesday so the next will be June 14 at the Post Home.

### True Light Singers To Give Musical

The True Light Singers will present a musical program Sunday, May 21 at 7:30 p.m. at the Mt. Hebron Baptist church in West Des Moines.

### True Friend Singers Plan Musical Program

The True Friend Singers will appear in a musical program at 3 p.m. Sunday, May 21 at the Pilgrim Missionary Baptist church, E. 17th Court and Walker Street. Other singers will also participate.

### 15TH ANNIVERSARY FUND GIVEN NAACP BY PASTOR

Jamacia, N. Y.—Dr. Walter S. Pinn, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church here, turned over his 15th Anniversary Sunday collection May 7 to the NAACP. The special anniversary offering, which normally would go to the pastor on such an occasion, amounted to \$1,207.75, covering both memberships and contributions. Rev. Pinn, who came to Calvary when it had only 71 members, has built his congregation to 2,000 and has now a beautiful church edifice free of any mortgage. The growth has been such that a new educational building will be started shortly and attached to the present building.

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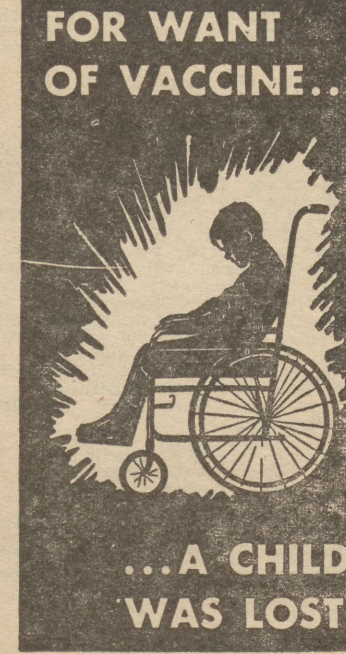
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# SOCIETY

## Three From Willkie House Attend Regional Meeting in Minneapolis

Three from Willkie House, Mrs. Adah Johnson, volunteer for Golden Age group; Miss Charlene Wharton, executive director; and Kenneth Whitney, athletic director, attended the Midwest Regional conference of National Federation of Settlements and Neighborhood Centers held in Minneapolis, Minn., on May 11-13.

The conference which was held prior to the National Conference of Social Welfare convening in Minneapolis May 14, had as its theme, "Neighborhood Centers Today and Tomorrow."



MRS. JOHNSON



MISS WHARTON

## Hugh K. Johnson, New York City, Visits Relatives Here

Mr. Hugh K. Johnson, who arrived by plane from New York City, was weekend houseguest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Johnson, of 1108 Scott St. He also visited other relatives, Mrs. Ruby Akers, and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Tindrell of Des Moines; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Abington of Louisa, Ia. Mrs. Avington is Mr. Johnson's grandmother.

Mr. Johnson is chief of the Street Gang project of the New York City Youth Board and was guest speaker in St. Louis, Mo., on Friday, May 12 for the National Conference of Public Delinquency Prevention agency. He also is the author of a recent book, "Reaching For the Fighting Gang."

He left by plane Sunday and planned to visit a brother, Warren Johnson, in Chicago, Ill., before continuing to New York City.

## Ten Keys Club Plans Meeting

The Ten Keys club will meet with Mrs. Emma Griffin of 1324 Jefferson as hostess.

## Princess O'Ziel Chapter to Meet

Mrs. Emma Williamson, worthy matron of Princess O'Ziel chapter No. 9, requests the attendance of all members at a meeting Thursday, May 25 at 8 p.m. to complete all business before going to the Grand chapter which convenes June 19 in Ottumwa, Ia.

## Mrs. Lottie Heath Is Bride of Denverite



Denver, Colo.—Wedding vows were exchanged on Saturday, Apr. 22 at 6 p.m. by Mrs. Lottie Elizabeth Heath of Des Moines, and Mr. Wilbur Carter of Denver, with the Rev. C. E. Barnes, formerly of Des Moines, officiating.

Mrs. Ethel Heath served as matron of honor and Mr. Carrol Heath as best man. The bride wore a pink and white chiffon dress with match-

ing veil. The bride's bouquet were orchids and stephanotis.

The bridal couple will be at home to their friends at 2836 Madison Ave., in Denver. Mrs. Carter will join her husband in June. Mr. Carter is a dietician-cook at the Veterans hospital in Denver.

Standing, left to right, are Rev. Barnes, Mr. Carter, Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Heath and Mr. Heath.—McCloud Photo.

## Clara Yarbrough, Hair Coloring Specialist, Demonstrates Wella Corp. Products at Crescents

Miss Clara Yarbrough, Chicago, Ill., technician and factory trained color specialist for Wella corporation, Inglewood, N.J., demonstrated the company's products at a one-day clinic before 65 beauticians at Crescent School of Beauty Culture, 1407 Center St., on Monday.

### Background

Miss Yarbrough remained in the city to answer questions and help beauticians in solving problems on hair coloring and conditioning using Wella professional hair cosmetics, whose products are sold at Crescent Supply Company.

Born in Shreveport, La., Miss Yarbrough attended Henrietta School of Beauty, graduated from Brown Beauty School in Chicago, Ill., where she took brush-up courses and later took advance courses at Henrietta's in 1957. She also took a course un-

der Adele Reed, famed cosmetologist of New York and Philadelphia.

### Clinics

Miss Yarbrough also owned her own shop in Chicago for over a dozen years, and did one and a half years of educational work toward a teaching certificate at Wilson Junior college there.

She has given clinics for Wella Corp., in the midwest and traveled extensively throughout the United States demonstrating other products. Wella Corp., also established the first full-time clinic for Negroes last fall, which is operated by Miss Yarbrough at 6307 1/2 Cottage Grove. She will go to Detroit, Mich., next week and later to Minneapolis, Minn., for clinics.

In private life she is the wife of Mr. Joseph Yarbrough and they are parents of a daughter, Mrs. Helen-ense Yarbrough Jones.

## Mrs. Helen Carter Returns From Chicago

Mrs. Helen Carter of 1706 Gillette returned from Chicago, Ill., after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wanda Wadsworth. Mrs. Wadsworth's son, Henri, who had surgery in the Memorial hospital in Los Angeles, Calif., is convalescing.

## Two Return to City From Los Angeles

Messrs. Robert Hayes of 853 16th st., and Leonard Grant, returned to the city May 9 from Los Angeles, Calif. While there they were entertained with a cocktail party, given by Mrs. Mabel Higgins, 533 W. Palmer, in Compton, Calif. Mrs. Higgins is sister of Mr. Grant.

ned this year in the Riviera, beginning June 3-4.

Riverview's free zoo has a new "cast" of animals—including two deer, one guanaco (a llama-type South American ruminant), six Rhesus monkeys, six African green monkeys and four baboons.

In preparation for the new season, Riverview's bridge across the lagoon was rebuilt and major rides were overhauled and repainted.

## Carolyn and George Clinton Win in Music Presentations

Carolyn D. Clinton, 15, district member was winner in the intermediate class in the National Piano Playing auditions held Monday at Critchett studio.

Her brother, George, 12, also won in the elementary class. Both received certificates from the National Guild of Piano Teachers, U.S.A., and National Fraternity of Students Musicians and Piano Hobbyists of the World for one year.

Both are piano students of Mrs. Delia Greene Klein and members of the Klavier music club. Both received superior last month on the National Federation of Music club festival at Drake University.

They are children of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Clinton, of 725 S.E. 26th court.

## Mrs. Mary J. Dixon Returns to City

Mrs. Mary Jane Dixon of 1044 3rd street, returned to the city from a two-week stay in Hartford, Conn., after being with her daughter, Miss Edmonia Dixon, who is convalescing at home, 132 Oakland Terrace, from minor surgery. Mrs. Dixon was shown many courtesies by her daughter's friends.

Some of the places Mrs. Dixon visited while in Hartford were the Main Headquarters of the Travelers Insurance company, Town Hall, Downtown shopping center, State Labor department, the Capitol, also two of the largest Baptist churches, Mt. Calvary and Hopewell.

Also, while on the East coast she had a chance to see many sites in New Britain, West and East Hartford, Newburgh, N. Y. and Springfield, Mass.

## Are Dinner Guests In Francis Bates Home

Rev. and Mrs. David A. Blake, Sr., and Mrs. Lillian Wright of Detroit, Mich., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bates at their home, on Sunday, April 30th. A delicious turkey dinner was enjoyed by them and the immediate members of the family.

## Socialite Queens Hold Meeting

The Socialite Queens met Saturday, May 13 at the home of Mrs. Wilmetta Jones with Mmes. Leona Jordan and Mary Parker as co-hostesses.

Plans were completed for the skating party Sunday, May 21 and also the King and Queen contest on Saturday, May 27. The surprise gift was won by Mrs. Felice Rhodes.

After enjoying a tasty dinner served by the hostesses, games were played. The next meeting will be June 10 at the home of Mrs. Rhodes with Mmes. Leona Jordan and Barbara Peeples, as co-hostesses.

## MRS. JAMES B. MORRIS, JR. AND SONS RETURN HOME

Mrs. James B. Morris, Jr. and two sons, William and Robert, have returned from Chicago where they spent two weeks visiting her mother, Mrs. Roberts. In route home, they spent a week in Davenport visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. L. J. Twynier.

## Everett Mays Family Wins at St. Paul

The Everett Mays family was selected as the "Family of the Year", at St. Paul A.M.E. Church and was presented a Book of Devotions at the family potluck at the church sponsored by the Sunday school, Thursday, May 11.

Mr. Mays is a trustee and Sunday school teacher; he also sings in the choir. Mrs. Mays is a teacher and sings in the choir. Their daughter, Evanette, teaches and is active in the Junior Usher board. Their son, Everett Jr., was active in the Sunday school and youth fellowship until he entered the service.

### CHILD DEVELOPMENT

It has been estimated that 30 per cent of all published knowledge on child development has come from The State University of Iowa's Child Welfare Research Station, which set up the world's first laboratory preschool in 1921.

## Voted President of Student Government At Lincoln U. (Mo.)

Miss Wilma Lyghtner was voted president of the Student Government association at Lincoln University, Jefferson City, Mo. She attended



MISS LYGHTNER

Kansas University in Lawrence, Kans., for a regional Student Government association conference. She is the first female to hold the position.

A member of Delta Sigma Theta, Miss Lyghtner is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Lyghtner of Mason City, Ia., and the granddaughter of Mrs. Bertha Lyghtner, of 1116 10th St.

## Rebecca Court Holds Meeting

The Rebecca Court No. 4, Order of Calanthe, met Sunday, at the Brotherhood Lodge, 13th and Center St., Mrs. S. B. Boyers, 1318 Stewart, is newly elected worthy councillor. Mrs. Vivian E. Brent is register of deeds and Mrs. Annie Williams of 1459 De Wolf St., is worthy inspectress.

The court will meet the third Sunday of each month from 2 to 4:30 p.m. The next meeting will be June 18.

## Six From Willkie Attend Horse Show

Through interested friends six children from Willkie House, attended the Junior League horse show at the Fairgrounds Sunday. Those attending were Timmie Jones,

## Iowa Golden Agers, Senior Citizens to Hold Spring Round-up

On Saturday, May 20 the Golden Age and Senior Citizens groups throughout Iowa will hold their spring roundup at North High from 11 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Those attending are asked to bring sack lunches. At 11:30 a.m. lunch will be held in the cafeteria. Club groups will donate cookies and coffee will be served free by the Des Moines Golden Age club committee.

About 53 clubs are expected to attend.

## Parliamentary Club Elects Delegates

The Parliamentary Law and Culture club met Friday, May 12 at the home of Mrs. Helen D. Wimberly, 2720 Amick Ave., with Mmes. Wimberly and Willie S. Glanton as hostesses.

Eighteen members attended with two guests, Mmes. Julia Cannon and Gladys Robinson. Delegates elected to attend the Iowa Association of Club Women at Davenport, next month at Mesdames Lucille Smith, and Oradell Henry, president and vice president of the club respectively. Other members who plan to attend are Mmes. Sarah Jett, state chairman of the ways and means committee; Roberta Frazier, first vice president; Rose Johnson, past president; Mrs. Wimberly, chairman of the clubhouse committee; and Dorothy B. Bush, financial secretary of the clubhouse committee.

## MISS HOFFMAN LEAVES FOR VIRGINIA

Miss Camilla Hoffman left Sunday for Madison, Virginia, where she will spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ashby Hoffman.

## Willkie Board Meets

The Board of directors of Willkie House held its meeting on Tuesday at the center, 900 17th Street.

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POLITICAL DEBTS

Gov Vandiver of Georgia said he received a pledge from President Kennedy last September that, if elected, he would not send troops into Georgia to enforce school desegregation; that this was the price of his support for the then Senator Kennedy at the time.

If true—and President Kennedy has not denied it—other southern governors may be expected to come up with such a promise to trade civil rights for political support. In fact, Jackie Robinson said during the campaign that a deal was made with the governor of Alabama but Mr. Kennedy denied it.

These folks forget that President Eisenhower sent troops to Little Rock to protect the lives of American citizens just as we are shipping billions of dollars and manpower overseas to protect our interest against communism—our hides in plain language. And they were sent only after local law enforcement had broken down and became powerless to enforce the law.

Should the same thing happen in Georgia, would Mr. Kennedy stand idly by and fail to perform his duty to uphold and defend the constitution? If so then his idea of law and order would be unfair, unjust and a violation of his sworn duty.

While discussing the troop question, is it more important to protect the citizens of West Berlin, Laos and other foreign countries than that of our own people? Obviously it is not.

SAD COMMENTARY  
FOR BAR AND PRESS

In the course of the hearing conducted by the Iowa Advisory Commission on the Commission on Civil Rights last week in Cedar Rapids, witnesses testified that lawyers (there are no Negro lawyers in Cedar Rapids) refused to take the case of a Negro client whose adversary was a white person, citing numerous instances where this situation occurred.

Further, they testified that the daily press did not report the news about Negroes, however important, unless a crime had been committed; that pictures of Negroes were not printed.

This, to be sure, is a sad commentary on the bar and the press for both are in the position of protecting the rights of citizens by making their services available to the public generally and in the case of newspapers, maintaining the freedom of the press.

Citizens in Council Bluffs complained of lawyers likewise. Surely the bar associations should encourage their members to cease such practice for it is a reflection on the profession and the community.

Of course, this is the outgrowth of the desire of Negroes to enjoy full citizenship both in their local communities and to help less fortunate people elsewhere who are unable to protect themselves against illegal encroachment on their rights.

Currently, The Des Moines Register is carrying a series of articles about Iowans in the Civil War. It is interesting to read how eagerly men offered their services with the army to fight for the freedom of the slaves, the hardship they endured and the large number who lost their lives in the struggle. Iowa has been proud of this and boasted of the loyalty and devotion of its citizens for the cause.

Lawyers and newspaper owners certainly display cowardice and poor judgement, when by such conduct, they negative the gallantry of their ancestors.

Outsiders think of Iowa as a state of intelligence and justice. Such conduct displayed by the bar and press in Cedar Rapids does not square with that reputation.

THE NAACP DESERVES  
STRONG SUPPORT

The Des Moines Branch NAACP, like many such over the state, is engaged in its annual membership drive. The quota is 1200 and thus every Negro citizen with any guts and decency should join up. White people are welcome also and many have given their support over the years.

There are many people today who, heretofore, have supported the NAACP, now shy away expressing the feeling that it is moving too fast and in some instances stirring up unnecessary controversy. Of course, this is all bosh, and serves to show where they stood in the first place.

The NAACP is a clean, militant organization working for full equality of citizenship for Negroes everywhere. Some states have attempted to blacklist the organization, every

test shows that its skirts are clean, that nothing is asked different from that demanded for every other citizens.

In fact, there are some Negroes who won't join the NAACP. Generally, they are those who are doing very well in their own personal business, which would not be available had the organization reneged on its goals. They are not to be pitied but detested. They propose to ride but not pay their fares.

The Bystander hopes that open-minded citizens, white and black, will come forward and support the NAACP. It deserves the help for fighting for civil rights comes high just as bread and meat do today.



It should not have been too much of a surprise when Tech with its trio of great runners, helped by a couple of other good boys, grabbed the district track meet. The Engineers may well win the state meet for they are strongest in the dashes and relays figuring to pile up a lot of points there while the other teams split the rest of the events.

We guess the state meet will be the end of the trail for one of the greatest single name acts in local high school history. The Taylors have just about had things their way and when Dennis Obregon went to that school that was all they needed. It will be interesting to see how the three of them do in college.

## Kaiser

If the Taylors and Obregons and such can be got off the scene the next good runner will likely be Frank Kaiser, son of the former East High runner. Never thought we would see the day when a Kaiser ran for anybody but East or North. But, Frank placed third in the 220 and won the quarter mile. He could become another on the long list of Kaisers to get his name in the record books.

## Drake

And Drake had to lose the Missouri Valley track title by less than a point. Too bad they couldn't have stolen a point somewhere along the line. Well, you can't come any closer and yet lose.

## Basketball

It is a bit early or late or something for basketball but the hiring of a Negro coach by Cleveland of the New case league brings fourth some comment. The guy, John McClendon, has an outstanding mark as a Coach in high school and college ball. We don't think he was hired because he is a Negro coach, but because he is a well qualified man and we hope he has a good year. Maybe others will follow McClendon.

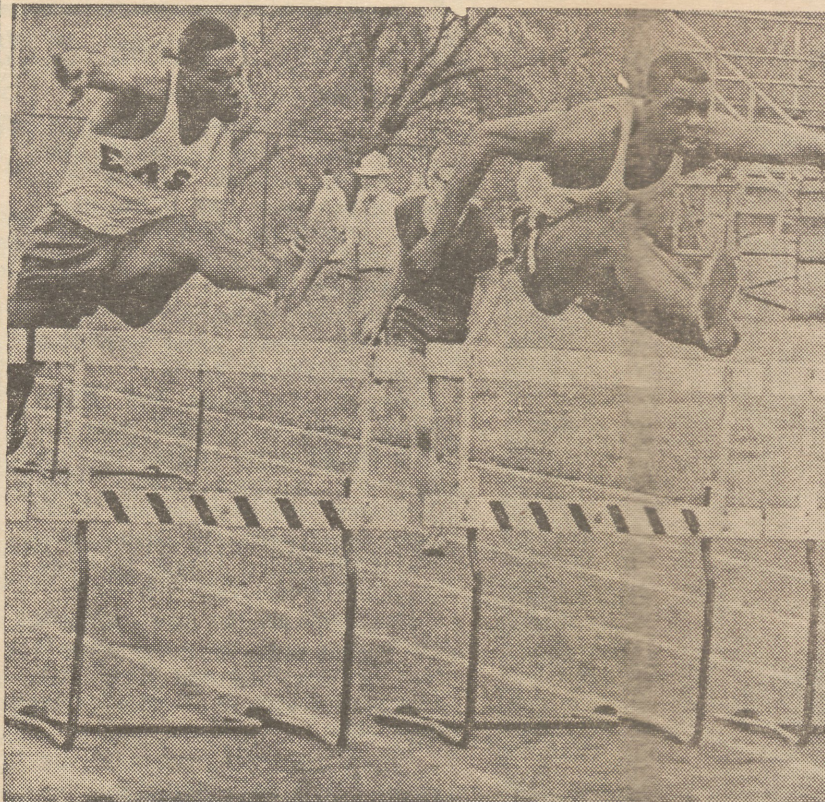
## Something New

We have a real thing going at the Wells Billiard parlor. About a dozen of the fellows have gotten together and formed themselves into some sort of a league with the champion being the only guy who can change the ratings. Whenever the champ beats a challenger, the fellow goes to the bottom of the league and everybody else moves up. So in time everyone in the league gets a crack at the title. At this writing Lorenzo Duke, who calls himself the king of the dubs is trying to prove it. He has held onto his title for a week, beating five opponents, the last two matches being one point victories. Wonder how long he can keep it up? When you read this, Mr. Duke may be in the sub cellar, but he has held the top longer than anyone else to date.

## Baseball

Have you seen the Demons play yet? One guy who says he knows, argues that the boys are green and jittery, and that they will have a real team as soon as they get used to the league. Says the fellow, the kids make plays that seem unbelievable, and throw the ball away the next minute. Just give them time says the rooster, and you will see a first class Three I League club. May go out and see for ourself. Some of the most fun we get out of baseball is listening to the pool hall managers argue strategy. Each one knows his game better than anyone else. Then they run out of logic, and substitute loud yelling, and the guy with the best lungs and loudest voice is the winner. All you have to do is listen, and you will

## Flying Techs Do It Again . . . in District Track



The fabulous flying Tech cinder sprinters did it again Saturday at the Class AA high school track and field qualifying trials at East High. The Engineers smashed two district records and upset favorite Ames with a 25.3 record in the mile relay and 1:29.1 in the 880-yard relay.

The latter erased an old record set by Tech last year. In the mile relay Chuck Taylor clipped off a 50-second anchor lap in the 440. Norm Taylor (right) above is shown gliding smoothly to victory in 15.0 in one of his singles speciality, the 120-yard high hurdles. At left is

East's Clarence Sharp. Norm also won the 180 low hurdles and the broad jump and led off the mile relay team with Bob Williams, Dennis Obregon and Jimmy Wiles helping to bring home the bacon for the team.

Obregon did alright for himself in single roles, coming in second in the broad jump and winning the 220-yard dash in an upset over North. In addition to his anchor stints, Chuck stepped off a victory in the 100-yd. dash.—Photo courtesy of Des Moines Register and Tribune.

Archie Moore Guaranteed \$112,000  
For A Showdown With Harold Johnson

New York.—Herman Taylor, veteran Philadelphia promoter, has offered to guarantee

Archie Moore \$112,000 to meet Harold Johnson in a showdown at Madison Square Garden June 10 that should settle once and for all the question of who is the rightful and sole claimant of the light - heavyweight title.

As things now stand, the title is divided in two parts. Harold Johnson was proclaimed champion of the division in the 48 states supervised by the National Boxing association after he stopped Jesse Bowdry in a NBA-sponsored bout in St. Louis recently.

## Another John Thomas

Corpus Christi, Tex. — The 5,000 spectators who attended the second annual Little Regional track meet here recently may have witnessed another U. S. and possibly world's high jump champion in the making.

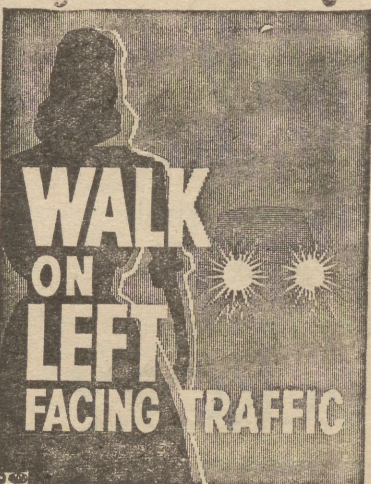
The outstanding performer who so impressed the crowd was Roy Hicks of Solomon Coles high school who cleared 6 feet, 10 inches to set a new national interscholastic high school record at the meet.

With the performance, he shatters the previous high school record of 6 feet, 9 and three-quarters inches set by Walter Manham, Jr., of New Castle, Pa., in Pittsburgh, April 28, 1956.

## Greatness Recognized

One of the first persons to recognize Hicks' potential greatness was one ideally in a position to know, Colin Ridgway, a Lamar Tech college freshman, from Australia, who

learn more baseball or any other kind of strategy in five minutes then you can pickup in a lifetime anywhere else.



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Moore, whose title was vacated by the NBA for failure to defend it for more than a year, is still recognized as champion in New York, Massachusetts and in Europe.

Actually, Taylor's offer was a move to outmaneuver Giulio Rinaldi, the Italian challenger, who arrived here last week to begin training in anticipation of meeting Moore in a title bout. Backers of the Italian had previously guaranteed Moore \$112,000 to fight their idol for the title.

Although Moore has beaten Johnson in previous fights, the last time by a knockout in the 14th round, Johnson's backers feel that old Archie is now ready to be taken. They are basing this belief on the fact Johnson is young, strong and in top shape, while Moore at about 45, has his best years behind him.

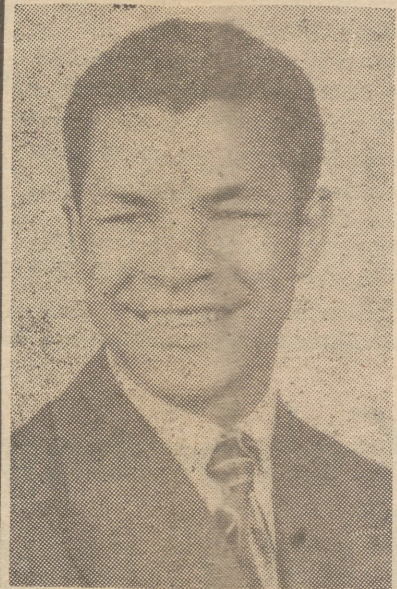
competed in the Olympic games in Melbourne for his country and who was brought in to help push Hicks to the new record, said of him:

"Hicks is the third greatest high jumper I have ever seen, and I have seen them all."

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## Send Yours Today

## DEAR EDITOR:

(Editor's Note: This letter was addressed to Mrs. Betty Hackett, Bystander correspondent from Waterloo, and we publish it here for the benefit of our readers).

You do not know me but I saw in the Bystander of the death of Scott Mardis (of Waterloo). I knew him as a boy in Buxton, Ia. If any of the girls are living, give them my love. They are Luada, Pearl, Lovis Mardis.

I am so sorry. He was a grand person. I am 83 years old. Tell them I ask about them. Is William Brown and wife, Marjorie, there? Also Carl Pugh?

I used to sing in the Buxton choir. My name is Rose Guy. Please tell them I got your address out of the paper. Tell the girls to answer this. I know about all the people from Buxton. Think he had a sister, Ginnie.

Rose Guy  
Fort Dodge, Iowa

## LOCKHEED

## SEE FRONT PAGE

"where such contractors in the South are using the facilities of the state employment services."

Hill pointed out that the operating costs of all state employment services are provided 100 percent by the Federal government under the Wagner-Peyser Act.

## Progress

"If the Federal government intends to make progress in the South

Boston Does It All  
On Just One Jump

Jefferson City, Mo.—Ralph Boston needed only one leap Friday to win the broad jump at the Midwest Athletic Association track meet.

He jumped 25 feet 9 1/4 inches and broke the conference record by one and one-half feet.

ing unusual confidence in Hicks, had made elaborate preparations to make certain that the record would be accepted. They even had the jumping pit rebuilt to meet all qualifications.

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## PREDESTINATION

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If humankind, desires, . . . they'll find

That if; in God they trust:  
Prayer and desire, will set afire  
Determinations' cosmic flame.

To burn away all the dross, the shame:

And sanctify a higher aim.  
When God directs at mans' election:

Sin can not claim, with predestination . . .

—Glenn A. Gallagher.

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## SPECTERS IN THE NIGHT

So many fears are conjured, when the darkness conquers light

That dissipate like morning mists, when day has conquered night

With your head upon a pillow; snug, and sheltered in your bed:

Does your room fill up with goblins? Do you chill in fear and dread

Take pity on the tortured, poor slave

to needless fright:

Who shivers when the moon is down, sees specters in the night . . .

In peril, storm, . . . or danger; there's a place where all is calm:

We can find a sheltered harbor: in the 91st psalm . . .

—Glenn A. Gallagher.

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## Thoughts For Today

We are successes or failures, happy or miserable, depending on the satisfactions we select.

Channing Pollock.

"Why" and "how" are such useful questions that they cannot be uttered too often.—Napoleon.

Will, work, and success are the great words of life.—Pasteur.

Laugh Lines

"I blame my lawyer entirely for finding myself in pail. He kept on yellin' at the jury that he wanted them to give me justice till in the end he provoked them into givin' it to me."

WILBERFORCE U. HONORS NAACP'S KIVIE KAPLAN

Wilberforce, Ohio—Kivie Kaplan, a member of the NAACP's National Board of Directors, received an honorary Doctor of Laws degree this week from Wilberforce University here. Kaplan, a Boston industrialist, is co-chairman of the Association's national life membership drive. The NAACP's Cincinnati unit also gave a breakfast in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Kaplan.

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