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IN PARKING LOT TIFF SATURDAY NIGHT:

## Davenport Man Held for Murder

### Drive Challenges Tax Exemptions

#### Of Segregationists City Bonds in N.Y.

New York, N.Y.—Taking a new step in CORE's recently launched campaign of economic sanctions against ultra-segregationist states, James Farmer, national CORE director, announced initiation of legal action to prevent these states from issuing tax-exempt municipal bonds.

##### 10 Leaders

Farmer has sent a letter to 10 investment banking houses announcing the intention to start legal action at state and Federal levels to prevent Southern states from issuing tax-exempt municipal bonds.

##### Terms Market 'Vulnerable'

"With no shortage of good municipalities on the market, any legal action—even a nuisance action, as we believe it to be—on any issue could make it difficult to move," a dealer said. "The present state of the municipal market also makes it vulnerable to legal wrangles."

##### 2-Pronged Attack

Carl Rachlin, general counsel of CORE, said that a two-pronged attack was being planned and that "this is not a one-shot deal—we are going to follow it up." He said that the major buyers of municipal bonds—banks, insurance companies and pension funds—would also be told of the legal actions.

CORE will ask attorney generals of New York, Massachusetts, Illinois, Pennsylvania, California and Connecticut to bar Southern municipal bonds "on the grounds that the prospectuses do not set forth accurate information about these bonds because they are used for unconstitutional purposes—segregated schools and facilities."

#### Prexy Announces Columbus Convention

Langston, Okla.—Dr. William H. Hale, President of Langston University in Oklahoma, and the 20th General President of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, today issued a call



Dr. Hale

to the Fraternity's 56th Anniversary Convention to be held at Deshler-Hilton Hotel in Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 26-29.

The Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity was founded at Cornell University in 1906. It is the oldest of the college Greek Letter organizations established in America by Negroes and has initiated some 30,000 men in its 56 years of existence.

The Fraternity is now open to all qualified men regardless of age.

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EDITION  
NEXT WEEK

#### Blondie By Chic Young

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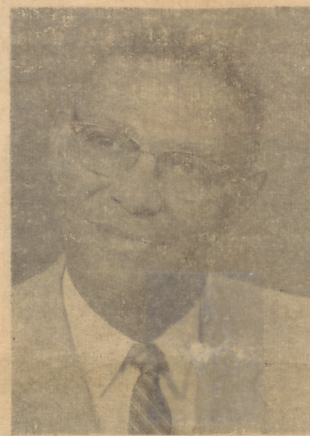
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#### Gilbert Randle Elected Exalted Ruler of Hawkeye Elks Lodge

The Hawkeye Elks Lodge No. 160 met with John Williams, exalted ruler, presiding.

After the regular meeting, the Exalted Ruler turned the meeting over to Bro. Fred Carter of Waterloo, Iowa, who is Grand District Deputy of Iowa.

Officers elected were Gilbert Randle, Exalted Ruler; Nathaniel M. Johnson, Esteemed Leading Knight;



Randle

Odell Jenkins, Esteemed Loyal Knight; Don Hall, Lecturing Knight; John Williams, Secretary; L. Fowler, Treasurer; Harry Miller, Tiler; George Hardy, Esquire; Calvin Phillips, Inner Guard; John Estes, five-year Trustee; Travis Fowler, four-year Trustee; David Savage, three-year Trustee; L. Little two-year Trustee; and Harry Robinson, one-year Trustee.

The lodge also held Memorial services at the Maple Street Baptist Church, with the Rev. George W. Parrish speaking.

#### Des Moines NAACP Will Meet Tuesday; Xmas Party Follows

New officers will be elected at the meeting of the Des Moines branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, on Tuesday, Dec. 18 at 8:15 p.m. An executive board meeting will precede the meeting at 7:30 p.m.

In addition annual reports will be heard by all committee chairmen. The annual Christmas party and white elephant gift exchange will follow the business meeting.



Wilkins

### Wilkins--Anti-Bias Order Helpful But Still Inadequate

New York—Even though President Kennedy's Executive Order banning racial discrimination in federally-aided housing is inadequate in coverage, it must be regarded as "representing a substantial beginning toward affording freedom or residence for all American citizens," Roy Wilkins, NAACP executive secretary, said here on a program broadcast over the facilities of the Educational Radio Network.

Questioned by a panel of newsmen from four cities, the NAACP leader expressed disappointment that the housing "conventionally" financed, federally-aided housing or future housing "conventionally" financed, that is, without federal mortgage insurance or direct federal grants or loans.

Only about 25 per cent of future housing is covered by the order, Mr. Wilkins noted. However, a substantial part of this will continue to be

in suburban housing and thus the order should provide an entering

#### NEWS In A Nutshell

New York—Mrs. Catherine Basie, wife of famed orchestra leader, Count Basie, last week was honored for "distinguished community service" to the Urban League of Greater New York at the organization's third annual Queens Award dinner at the International Hotel.

Shannon, Ireland—A pregnant Negro mother who took a hurried airplane flight from New York to London last week so that her child would not be an American Citizen had to settle for an Irishman instead. Mrs. A. R. Jones, a Cleveland, Ohio school teacher, was winging her way to London, when bad weather forced her Pan American liner down here just about the time she was about to give birth to the child.

New London, Conn.—Merle J. Smith, Jr., whose appointment to the U.S. Coast Guard Academy made headlines, has been named vice president of his class.

Detroit, Mich.—Funeral services for Bishop Clarence Leslie Morton, 65, of Windsor, Ontario, Canada, pastor of Mt. Zion Church of God in Christ, were held in Detroit where he also was pastored. He became nationally known for his religious broadcasts over radio station under the name of "Elder" Morton.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—United Airlines indicated it will employ Negro hostesses, when it asked the Urban League to refer candidates for employment.

New York—The Abyssinian Baptist church in Harlem announced Dec. 3 that Rev. Adam Clayton Powell, D-N.Y., will resign as pastor. Reports are that Powell will also resign from his Congressional seat and launch an insurance firm in the West Indies.

Chicago, Illinois — Rep. William Dawson, veteran Illinois Democrat, was back home last week "feeling just fine" after a four-week stay at the U.S. Naval hospital at Bethesda, Md.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Janet Walker, 2-year-old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Clinton Walker of Manhattan Beach, is believed to be the world's youngest library card holder. She passed the test with flying colors last week and signed her own name.

Los Angeles—A current national magazine refers to Louis M. Blodgett as a man with a sharp mind and a financial wizard. But Blodgett, 84, was in court last week fighting hard to prove this estimate and to show he is capable of managing his own affairs in the fashion he used to become California's richest Negro, with an estate totaling nearly \$3 million.

#### Christmas Edition

The annual Bystander Christmas Edition will be published December 20. A greeting in this issue, as an individual or in an organization, reaches all of your friends and neighbors—less expensive. For information Call AT 8-1904.

wedge for Negro families who are able and who may desire to move out of the congested central city areas.

### Victim Shot with .45 Climaxing Quarrel; D.M. Men Held as Witnesses

Davenport, Ia.—Meyer Terry Washington, 44, of 621 Harrison street, Monday was ordered held without bond in connection with the fatal shooting Saturday night of Hubert Daniel Pittman, 28, of 320 W. 8th street. Later three Des Moines men were arrested and are being held as material witnesses.

Washington was scheduled for a hearing Tuesday morning in Davenport Police Court on a first degree murder charge. He was arraigned after his case was continued from Sunday. Detective Capt. Elmer Petersen said investigation would continue with a statement scheduled to be taken from another man, who reportedly witnesses the shooting in an alley at the rear of Jasper's Tavern, 714 Harrison street.

Police this morning discovered the door of Washington's apartment had been battered open and \$20 was missing.

Capt. Petersen said investigation was under way to determine if the break-in may have been just a room mate of Washington's trying to get into the apartment.

##### Other Statements

Statements from two women and scene were taken earlier, Petersen

nine other men who were at the announced.

One of the statements came from Washington, who allegedly telephoned police one minute after first report of the shooting, Petersen said.

Petersen reported that Washington said he remembered having been drinking prior to the shooting. Petersen also quoted Washington as saying that he recalled a shot being fired and that a gun was in his hand.

Police still are investigating if Pittman actually was involved in an argument between several people which started in the Quad-City Elks club, 716 Harrison St., and continued in the alley outside, the detective said.

Detectives said witnesses told them Pittman walked up to a group of about 10 men near the tavern and asked "What's going on here?" He was then shot.

Police indicated the group was en-

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### Decision in Clemson Case Of Former I.S.U. Student Expected Before January 1

New York—A ruling for or against Harvey Gantt, the 19-year-old Negro student who has sued to enter all-white Clemson College in South Carolina, is expected before January 1st, Mrs. Constance Baker Motley said today.

Mrs. Motley said District Judge C. C. Wyche of Anderson, S. C. has promised to rule before the first of the year, which means that Gantt may have a chance to enter Clemson for the second semester beginning in February.

##### Application

If Gantt wins his case, he will become the James Meredith of South Carolina. South Carolina, like Mississippi, has not desegregated any of its publicly supported schools.

Mrs. Motley and South Carolina NAACP attorneys sought to prove in the trial last month that Gantt's application was handled differently from those of white students, and that Clemson was following a "white only" policy when it turned down Gantt.

##### Failed

Clemson attorneys retorted that Gantt was not admitted because he failed to complete his application form in a proper manner. Clemson also argued that it does not maintain a lily-white admissions policy, though it admittedly has never had a Negro student.

##### Iowa State

Gantt, who lives in Charleston, had attempted to transfer to Clemson in early 1961 from Iowa State freshman. He was attending Iowa State on a South Carolina out-of-state grant. Such financial assistance is given Negro students who wish to pursue a course of study not offered in the state Negro college. Gantt is an excellent student, an architecture major who had finished second in his class at Burke High School in Charleston in 1960.

### "Home For The Holidays" in Army

"Home for the Holidays is guaranteed any qualified young man between the ages of 17 and 23 years who enlists in the U.S. Army during the period 10-20 Dec. 1962. This is the special Christmas Paid-Vacation Package Plan offered exclusively by the U.S. Army.

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See your local Army Recruiter, Sgt. David Savage, Jr., at Room 108 Old Federal Building, Des Moines, Iowa, or call 243-2171 Ext. 533, to-day.



# Student of the Week

This is the second in a series featuring youth in our junior and senior high schools throughout Iowa, who are setting wholesome examples not only in their schools, but in their homes, churches, sports, jobs, and other activities. They are the reasons why the leadership of the world will be in good hands in the decades to come.

Our candidate for "Student of the Week" is from Burlington, Iowa. He is Mr. Tony Baker, son of Mrs. Mary Baker. Tony is a senior at Burlington High School and is a member of St. John's Catholic Church.

Tony was an unanimous choice for the Iowa Daily Press Association's first All-State Football Team; last year Tony was on the third team. He was also nominated to the first team of the Little Six Conference for the second year. In his sophomore year he was selected to play on the varsity squad and has been on it ever since. This year he was Co-Captain on the football team. Tony broke every school football record, but one. His high school coach said that he was the greatest player that he had ever coached in his 25 years of coaching. A very wonderful tribute to Tony.

## Other Sports

Football is not the only sport that he participates in and gets honors. Tony is also on the first team in basketball and is also a very good trackman. We look for some records to be broken in both of these sports this year. In his younger days he also played on Little League and Babe Ruth baseball teams.

## Average Student

Tony is an average student in high

school and is a member of the Varsity Club and Vice President of his home room. He has had the usual college offers that a player of this caliber gets, but hasn't made up his mind yet as to which school he will attend. Business administration and engineering are listed among the subjects high on his list to take in college.

The hobbies listed as his favorites are: bowling, baseball, swimming, chess, and assembling model cars.

## IOWA POWER PRESIDENT FORECASTS 10% INCREASE IN 1962 EARNINGS

New York, Dec. 12—Earnings of Iowa Power and Light Company this year will increase 10 per cent to about \$5,200,000, or \$2.43 per common share, A. Paul Thompson, president of the Des Moines-based electric and gas utility, told the New York Society of Security Analysts in a preliminary report here today. The company's 1961 net earnings were \$4,700,000 or \$2.21 per share.

Revenues should be approximately \$55,600,000 in 1962 compared with \$52,400,000 last year. Investment in utility plant, net of depreciation, will be about \$149,600,000 at the year's end, an increase of about \$4,000,000 over 1961, Mr. Thompson reported.

# U.S. Supreme Court to Hear Huge S.C. Protests Appeals

New York—Today, the U. S. Supreme Court will hear oral argument on a protest demonstration case in which 187 Negro students were arrested in Columbia, C. S.

The case grew out of a 1961 march on the State House grounds by Columbia Negro high school and college students.

## Similar

Jack Greenberg, Director-Counsel of the NAACP Legal Defense Fund will argue the appeal for the Negro defendants. The Columbia case is similar to 7 other protest appeals which were argued before the Supreme Court last month.

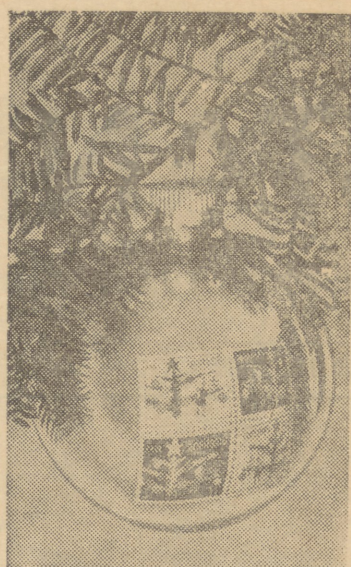
The arrests occurred when the group of Negro students from Columbia high schools and Benedict

College met at Zion Baptist Church and organized a march to the center of town to the State House grounds.

## Singing

When the group reached the State Capitol, they paraded on the grounds in front of the Capitol with anti-segregation placards while singing songs, including the "Star Spangled Banner." After a half hour of demonstrating, a crowd grew across the street from the grounds, traffic

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slowed, and city police appeared. The students were then told to disperse by City Manager McNayr. When they refused they were lined up and marched to city and county jails.

## Arrests

The students were arrested for "breach of the peace." The warrants charged that the demonstration impeded the lawful flow of traffic and

# Dos and Don'ts for a Fire Proof Merry Christmas

Firemen never like to go to fires but among those that they dislike the most and the ones that cause them the most heartaches are to go into a home where a Christmas tree and all the presents are nothing but a ruined mass of ashes and cinders.

The Holiday Season should be a happy season. Therefore, we are not going to give you a list of Don'ts but rather a few Dos that may help to keep the firemen from visiting your home.

DO use only approved electrical fixtures and DO dispose of frayed or unsafe wiring.

DO pick out a fresh, green tree and cut about an inch off the bottom on a diagonal slant and keep it in water. If you wish to further add to its flame-retardant qualities, you may use the following solution: 1 lb. Borax (Borateum), 1/2 lb. Boric Acid, 1 gallon water. Make sure the tree is thoroughly wet, either spray or dip. This solution can be used on decorations and will not harm anything that clear water will not harm.

DO use only non-combustible decorations on the tree.

DO NOT put electrical lights or

appliances on aluminum or metal trees. DO use only colored spot lights on this type of tree.

DO be careful with wrappings, gifts, etc., and burn the wrappings, etc., in a safe place outside.

DO make sure lights are off when you leave the house and always have someone in attendance with children.

DO be especially careful of smoking during the Holiday Season around trees and flammable decorations.

DO have a MERRY, FIRE-SAFE CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY FIRE-FREE NEW YEAR.

DON'T forget to call the Fire Department if you think you have a fire. We would rather come 10 times and not be needed than to be too late once.

Also at this time of year it is well to be extra careful with heating plants. If you have a coal fired furnace, DO put the ashes in metal containers. Cardboard and wooden boxes are an invitation for a fire to start.

DO change your filters and keep them clean and make sure your vent is free and clear to allow exhaust gases to vent to the outside.

## Murder

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gaged in or about to begin a fight when Pittman approached them.

Three Des Moines men were held as material witnesses to the shooting. They were identified by Petersen as Nathaniel Lampkin, 23; his brother, Theodore, 21, and Richard A. Carr, 22.

## Argument

The argument reportedly was between those three and local men who were at the Elks, the detective captain reported.

Police said they received a telephone call at 9:30 p.m. that a shot was fired at the rear of Jasper's Tavern, adjacent to the Elks club.

They said Pittman was lying about 20 feet from the rear entrance of the Elks building, bleeding from a .45 caliber bullet wound.

Pittman who reportedly was married Nov. 11, was pronounced dead at Mercy Hospital at 9:35 p.m.

## CORE Members Arrested In La. State Park

New Orleans, La.—Two members of New Orleans CORE were arrested for using the "White" women's room in the state-owned Audubon Park here.

The two, Jean Thompson and Carlean Smith, also sat on benches reserved for whites. According to CORE Chairman, Oretha Castle "Park policy provides that Negroes may look at the animals and the animals may look at the Negroes. However, neither Negroes nor animals may use benches, rest rooms or restaurant facilities."

# Tart-Sweet Combination, Perfect Pie



Oranges and prunes are an excellent combination for a cool weather pie. These compatible fruits are blended with sugar and quick-cooking tapioca to make a filling that is just the right balance of tart and sweet. . . with juices just right, not too stiff, not too runny. Quick-cooking tapioca thickens fillings in the oven with no top-of-the-range cooking necessary.

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2 1/2 cups (1-pound box) dried prunes, washed  
1/2 lemon, sliced  
2 cups water (about)  
1 cup orange juice  
Sections from 2 oranges, diced (about 1 cup)  
1 tablespoon grated orange rind  
1 1/2 tablespoons Minute Tapioca  
1/2 cup sugar  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
Pastry for two-crust 9-inch pie  
1 tablespoon butter

Place prunes and lemon slices in saucepan. Add enough water to cover prunes. Cover pan. Simmer prunes about 30 minutes or until tender. Cool; then drain.

Drain prunes, reserving liquid. Discard lemon slices. Cut prunes in half and remove pits. Combine liquid drained from prunes and the orange juice.

Add water, if necessary, to make 1 1/4 cups juice. Combine prunes, orange sections, orange rind, the juice, quick-cooking tapioca, sugar, and salt. Let stand about 15 minutes.

Line a 9-inch pie pan and trim pastry at edge of rim. Roll remaining pastry 1/8 inch thick and cut several 2-inch slits or a fancy design near center. Fill pie shell with prune mixture; dot with butter. Moisten edge of bottom crust. To adjust top crust, fold pastry in half or roll loosely on rolling pin; center on filling. Open slits with a knife. (Well-opened slits are important to permit escape of steam during baking.) Trim top crust, letting it extend 1/2 inch over rim. To seal, press top and bottom crusts together on rim. Then fold edge of top crust under bottom crust and flute. Bake in hot oven (425°F.) 45 to 50 minutes, or until syrup boils with heavy bubbles that do not burst. Serve warm with orange-flavored whipped cream, ice cream, hard sauce, or Cheddar cheese, if desired.



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I wish to express my heartfelt appreciation to the churches, East Side Union Mission and neighbors for their prayers, cards, flowers and visits during my stay in Mercy Hospital. May God Bless You All.  
Mrs. Willa Jones

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends who were so kind to us during our bereavement and also thank them for the beautiful floral offerings and many thanks to Rev. E. P. Williams, Rev. N. R. Olin and Estes and Son Funeral Home.

Mrs. Ora Burrell, wife  
Elizabeth Williams, sister

Johnson Lauds Postal  
Dept. for Achieving  
Equal Job Opportunity

Gaithersburg, Md.—Vice President Lyndon B. Johnson warmly commended the Post Office Department for its achievements in carrying out President Kennedy's Executive Orders calling for equal work opportunities in government service.

Addressing a training seminar for postal hearing officers and investigators at the Washingtonian Motel here the Vice President said "very few agencies have a record that matches the Post Office in this regard."

## Cites 2 Areas

Introduced by Postmaster General J. Edward Day, the Vice President talked to the postal employees in his capacity as chairman of the President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunities.

He cited two areas where he said the Committee's records reflect "a high level of accomplishment within the Postal Service."

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Payne Memorial A.M.E. Church has entered the Y.M.C.A. church basketball league for the eighth consecutive year. The first game of the season is scheduled for Saturday, Dec. 15 at 12 noon at West Jr. High gymnasium. Coach Monroe Stevens says his team has never been defeated in the Jr. Division. Last year they received honors in sportsmanship, discipline and respect for the church and trophies in recognition were awarded at an All Sports banquet by Mr. Wally Lessman, physical education director of the Y.M.C.A. League and city championships were won last year. Team members are Anthony Stevens, Olbert Tisdale, Michael Roby, Michael Moore, Philip Bryant, Arthur Cherry, Ronny Green, Dickey Smith, Ronny Perkins, James Barber, Randall Middleton. Mr. Monroe Stevens is coach. Rev. I. V. Tolbert is pastor at Payne.

On Friday, Dec. 7th Mr. Herb Cox was the recipient of a trophy in recognition of his work on "Ebony Hour" on KXEL radio. On behalf of his 44 sponsors Mayor Ed Jochumsen made the presentation at city hall. The attractive walnut trophy bearing a microphone carries this inscription: "Today's achievements—Tomorrow's history. Presented to Herb Cox for achievements. A job well done on the Ebony Hour."

## COXL

Ebony Hour comes over KXEL radio, 1540 on your dial, each Sunday from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Mr. Cox also presents his call to worship program broadcast each Sunday morning from 7 to 7:30. KXEL is a 5000 watt station, ABC affiliate.

Christmas is in the air and groups were celebrating last week. A party of games, carols and gift exchange was at the home of Mrs. Lottie Berry with Semper Fidelis members and friends.

Ad-Loy-Ho Club held their party at the Y.W.C.A.

The beauticians known as Cosmetists No. 2 revealed their secret pals at a party at the home of Mrs. Rueben Walker.

Mrs. Anna Wilson has returned to her home in Carbondale, Ill. after spending three months visiting her brother, Mr. Samuel Montjoy.

Mrs. Alice Hickey is back in Waterloo to live after spending some time in Chicago. She will be at her former address on Albany St.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Woods were called to St. Louis, Mo., Saturday because of the illness of Mrs. Woods' uncle, who is elderly.

NOTICE OF  
MEETING OF COMMISSIONERS  
TO ASSESS DAMAGES  
IN THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE OF POLK  
COUNTY, IOWA

IN THE MATTER OF THE CONDEMNATION OF CERTAIN LANDS FOR THE URBAN RENEWAL PROJECT NUMBER "RIVER HILLS" IN THE CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA.

by the  
CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA.

TO: ROBERT DUNN, LEO DUNN, JULIA DUNN, CECIL McGREW, RUTH LANG, PARISHO JOE LANG, DAVID LANG, ESTHER LANG, MILLS, ONA McGREW, WALTER ENGBERT, CLAYDIS HOPPS, VERA FERGER, MARY FERGER, ARTHUR FERGER JR., FURMAN FERGER, CLEON FERGER, CALVIN TAYLOR, JUANITA TAYLOR, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF J. W. DUNN, DECEASED, UNKNOWN HEIRS OF AGNES TAYLOR, DECEASED, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF NELLIE DUNN, DECEASED, THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF CARL GORDON, DECEASED, AND ALL THE HEIRS, SPOUSES, ASSIGNS, GRANTEES, LEGATEES, DEVISEES AND BENEFICIARIES OF ALL OF THE ABOVE-NAMED PERSONS; AND ALL OTHER PERSONS, COMPANIES OR CORPORATIONS HAVING ANY INTEREST IN OR OWNING ANY OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the City of Des Moines, Iowa desires the condemnation of the following described land:

The South 3 feet of the East Half of Lot 2, Block 2, Walnut Hill Addition to Fort Des Moines, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa.

THAT such condemnation is sought for the following purpose: the above described land is in the area embraced in Urban Renewal Project Number 1, "River Hills" and said land is needed for the completion of said Urban Renewal Project.

THAT a Commission has been appointed as provided by law for the purpose of appraising the damages which will be caused by said condemnation.

THAT the Commissioners will, on the 7th day of January, 1963, at 10 a.m., view said premises and proceed to appraise said damages, at which time you may appear before the Commissioners if you care to do so.

CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA  
BY LEONARD C. ABELS  
Corporation Counsel  
By DON HISE  
Assistant City Attorney  
Printed and published in the Iowa Bystander Dec. 6, 13, 20 and 27, 1962.

Miss Sandra Tredwell was visiting from Chicago over the week end. Her father, Mr. C. E. Tredwell is up and out of the hospital and was seen at church Sunday. He was chosen one of the trustees of the church (Payne A.M.E.). Mr. William Burkett was also seen at church after having undergone major surgery recently.

## DEATHS

Funeral services for Mrs. Rena Reasby Mallett of 331 Beech St. were held Saturday at Shilliam Ave. Church Of God In Christ with Elder Pearl Hayes officiating. Mrs. Mallett had been a resident of Waterloo 34 years; had formerly resided in Buxton, Ia. where she was married to Lewis Reasby in 1911. He died in 1949 in Waterloo and she was married to Lewis Mallett in Aug. 1951 and he died in May 1956. Mrs. Mallett is survived by two sons, Harold, 620 Beech St.; Anthony, 614 Oneida St.; two daughters, Mrs. Evelyn Ratcliff, 317 Ricker St.; and Martha Wheels, Des Moines; by nine grandchildren, and seven great-grandchildren, and by two sisters, Mrs. Mae Lawrence, Pittsburgh, Penn., and Mrs. Anna Carter, St. Clairsville, Ohio.

## Robert Davis Dies

Rites for Mr. Robert Davis, Sr. of 306 Bates St. were held on Saturday at the Gospel Temple Church Of God In Christ with Elder Lawrence Bryant in charge. Mr. Davis had been a resident of Waterloo 36 years coming here from Fayette, Miss. Mr. Davis is survived by his widow, one daughter, Miss Alberta Davis; two sons, James and Robert, all of 306 Bates St.; and two sisters, Mrs. Florence Rankin, of Los Angeles; and Mrs. Minnie Robinson of 121 1/2 Quincy St., Waterloo.

Mr. Ray Milam, visiting teacher of the Waterloo Public Schools will be guest speaker at Matrons Club tea on Sunday afternoon at Antioch Baptist Church. The time is from 4 to 6 p.m. and will be held in the church parlors of Antioch Church. Mrs. Silas Baskerville, president, extends a cordial invitation to each and everyone. Rev. Eugene H. Williams, Pastor.

We are always glad to know that the Youngs of Chicago and others wherever they are, read our column each week. Let us hear from you. Any suggestions will be appreciated.

## MANLY

BY MRS. FLOSSIE DOUGLAS  
Phone 60-6591 Plymouth

The New Bethel Sunday School was held last Sunday with Supt. Willis Haddix in charge. At 11 a.m. Rev. A. W. Patton preached on "The Blessed Man, assisted with Scriptures and prayer by Rev. P. J. Griggs. Music was by the Junior choir.

At 3 p.m. Rev. Patten and congregation attended Union meeting at St. John Baptist church in Mason City where Rev. Patton was the speaker.

The Missionary society met Monday at the home of Mrs. Willie Dismuke, with Mrs. Mattie Dunn, president in charge. Mrs. Coma Page led devotions, "The Wedding Guest." Mrs. Pinkie Tate was in charge of the topic, "The World is Afloat—My Peace I Give Unto You." Lunch was served by the hostess.

Mrs. Page entertained the Jolly 13 club on Thursday with a turkey dinner. Many lovely gifts were exchanged and plans were made to make up Christmas baskets for shut-ins.

## CEDAR RAPIDS

By Mrs. Julian Carlton  
1016 12th AVE. S.E.  
Phone EM 3-2756

The Annual Rally Dec. 9th in the Mt. Zion Baptist Church was a great success; each group leader was presented a beautiful plaque by the pastor for their loyal support in

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## NEWS AROUND IOWA

## KEOKUK

BY DEBBIE PARSONS  
1729 Concert  
Phone 524-2623

Mrs. Mayme Tolliver has gone this week to stay with relatives in Omaha, Nebr.; she may stay there for the winter.

Miss Karen Hawkins is a patient at Graham hospital. She has been there since last Thursday and is improving daily.

Sunday, Dec. 16 Bro. McKinley Bates of Fort Madison is to be guest speaker from the pulpit of Rev. W. M. Holmes, pastor of Pilgrim Rest Baptist church.

Plans for the Christmas programs at both churches, Bethel A.M.E. and Pilgrim Rest Baptist church are well on their way to perfection. Many young people have promised to take part in the programs.

## BURLINGTON

BY JESSE STARLING  
601 So. 6th St.

Mrs. Norma Ashby will sing at the December general meeting of the Players' Workshop to be held at 8 p.m. Thursday, December 13, at The Little Theater on Grove Street.

Mrs. Ashby will be accompanied by Barlett Wilkerson, pianist.

The St. John A.M.E. Basketball team lost their first game against First United by six points. They won their second against Trinity Lutheran

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## MASON CITY

BY MRS. M. TURNER  
688 So. Adams Street  
Phone GA. 4-3639

The St. John Baptist Sunday school was conducted by Supt. Calvin Duncan on Dec. 2. At 11 a.m. Rev. R. Giles preached on "God's Advertisement." Mrs. William Barnett sang a solo, "Child of The King."

Rev. Giles and his deacons served the Lord's Supper. Deacons O. H. Burrell, O. McGruder, J. Stewart, C. Duncan and the Mothers of the church, Mrs. O. H. Burrell, Mrs. William Barnett assisted.

At 7 p.m. the B.T.U. was held with the President, Mrs. Calvin Duncan in charge The Adult class brought the program.

The St. John Baptist Sunday school was held Dec. 9 under the direction of Supt. Calvin Duncan. At 11 a.m. Rev. R. Giles preached on "Traveling For The Lord." A trio of three young ladies, LaMarr Spencer, Virginia Moore and Lolitta Austin, sang "We Are Soldiers of the Army."

At 3 p.m. Union services were held at St. John with Rev. A. W. Patton of New Bethel Baptist church in Manly, Iowa, preaching on "Opposition."

On Monday morning the St. John Baptist Missionary society was held at the home of Mrs. O. H. Burrell. Mrs. R. Giles led in prayer. Devotions were brought by Mrs. Lewis Kipper, on "Making Room for the Glory of God." The lesson topic was "The Abiding Wonder of Christmas," brought by Mrs. Calvin Duncan. Mrs. Claude Stalling, president, presided over the business session.

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**Corinthian Baptist Church**  
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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. E. P. WILLIAMS, D.D.  
Church School 9:30 A.M.  
Church Service 10:45 A.M.  
Vespers Service 6:30 P.M.-7:30 P.M.  
Prayer Service Wed. 7:30 P.M.  
Youth Fellowship 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 7:00 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**  
REV. OSCAR PEAVEY, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.  
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.  
Evening Worship 7:30 P.M.  
Prayer Service Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

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

**Philadelphia Seventh-Day Adventist**  
1150 13th Street  
PASTOR W. M. RICE, Minister  
Sabbath School 9:30 A.M.  
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.  
Missionary Lecture 4:00 P.M.  
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:30 P.M.  
Dorcas Society 1st and 3rd Sunday Morning 10:00 A.M.

**Pilgrim Missionary Baptist**  
1732 Walker Street  
REV. WAYLAND HEATH, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.  
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.  
Bible Class 6:30 to 8 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

**FOREST AVENUE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**  
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Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.  
Tuesday and Friday Night 8:00 p.m.  
Y.P.W.W. Sunday 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.  
Evening Service 8:00 P.M.  
Weekly Evening Service Tuesday and Friday 8:00 P.M.

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

### M. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH (ORALABOR)

Sunday morning, the message will be delivered by Rev. Clarence Scott. Afterwards Rev. Scott, assisted by Rev. Leonard Johnson, will install Sister Stella Moore and Sister Zada Brown to the Mother Board.

At 3 p.m. Sunday Installation services will be held for Rev. Theodore Brown who will be installed as Pastor of Mt. Zion. Rev. George Parrish, Pastor of Maple St. Baptist Church will deliver the message. Refreshments will be served afterwards.

Visiting worshipper last Sunday, was Donald Johnson, Jr. of U. S. Marines.

On the sick list is Deacon Rufus King at Broadlawn Hospital.

### BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS MAPLE STREET

Sunday, Dec. 16 at 11 a.m. Rev. George Parrish will preach on "Serving God Under Adverse Circumstances." The Maple Youth choir and pastor will be guests at Mt. Zion Baptist church in Oralabor, Iowa.

At 7:45 p.m. the Gospel choir will present songs of expressions in a musical program. On Saturday, Dec. 15 at 4:45 p.m. the Youth choir is sponsoring a skating party at Terrace Roller rink.

The sick and shut in are Messrs. Arthur Robinson, Veterans hospital, Ward 2; Oran Manson, Veterans hospital, Room 173; Mesdames Missouri Gates, 842 14th street; Viola Rolland, 1408 Hutton street and Mamie Smith, 1609 E. University Avenue.

### Mrs. Margaret Anthony In Musical Sunday

The Fellowship Chorus of Corinthian Baptist Church is sponsoring Mrs. Margaret Anthony in a Musical program Sunday, Dec. 16 at 7 p.m. at the Church.

Appearing on the program will be Wings of Grace, Mrs. Ester Wadsworth, Rev. Albert Fox, Mr. Earnest (Speck) Redd, Rev. John Pope, and Thomas Henderson. Also appearing on the program will be the newly organized Gospelers Chorus and the 50 voices of Corinthian Youth Chorus. Director is Mrs. Anthony.

### Candlelight Pageant Planned at St. Paul

The combined choirs and members of St. Paul A.M.E. church will present a candlelight pageant on Dec. 24 at 10:30 p.m. The theme, will be "The Light of Men," and will be under the direction of Mrs. Joburness Kelso and Mrs. Lauretta Reeves.

### CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, Dec. 16 at 11 a.m. Rev. N. R. Olphin will deliver a message on choirs from the theme "The Annunciation." The Fellowship chorus will sing. At 6 p.m. the B.T.U. will meet when the young people of the church will be present under the leadership of Rev. Spriggs.

On Friday, Dec. 4 at 7:30 p.m. A "Crazy Hat" program will be presented in the overflow of the church by the Senior choir. Mrs. Barbara Williams will be directress. Choirs from other churches will be present, also.

Sunday, at 7 p.m. a special program will be rendered by the Fellowship chorus. Selections will be fitting for the season.

Monday, Dec. 17 at 8 p.m. the Trustees will meet at the church. Friday, Dec. 21 the Deacons will meet at 8 p.m. at the church in the last meeting of the year.

### MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Baptismal services will be held at the church Sunday evening, Dec. 16. Rev. H. R. Fields will preach Sunday morning assisted by the Senior choir. Featured soloists last Sunday were Lolita Fonza, Marjorie Green, Clifford Pack and Anita May.

### KYLES TEMPLE A.M.E. ZION CHURCH NEWS

"The Sweetest Name I Know," will be the subject of Rev. Oscar Peavy's sermon Sunday, Dec. 16 at 11 a.m. On Dec. 15 at 7 p.m. the Missionary will hold an Auction sale of Christmas items, chili and pies.

At 7:30 p.m. Dec. 16 the choir will hold its Request Night. Fred Nichols and Clive DePatten, united with the church and are candidates for baptism. On the sick list is Mrs. Ann Fullwood at Methodist hospital.

### SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, Dec. 16 at 11 a.m. Rev. William Heath will preach on "Leave the Stump." The Men's chorus will sing. Evening services will begin at 7:30 p.m. Prayer services are held each Wednesday at 7 p.m.

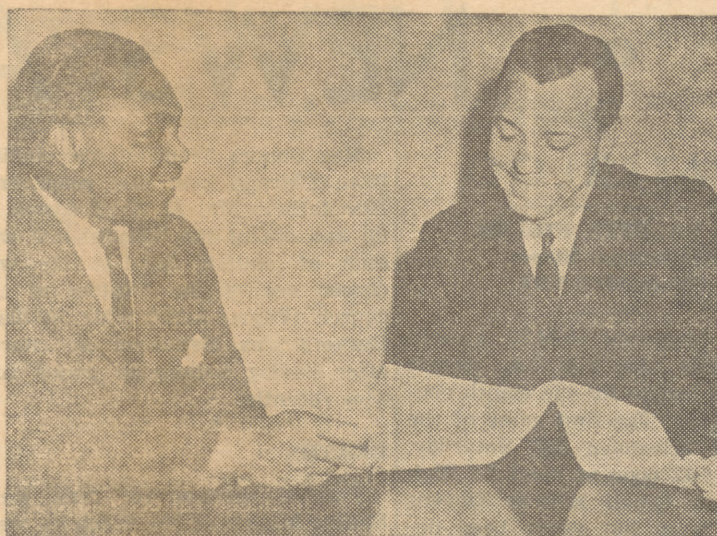
On the sick list are Messrs. Isaac Bagby, and Edward Daniels, and Erma Lucas, Ethel Volmeier and Eva Johnson, all at home.

### UNION BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The Christian Enlistment program is yet in progress and will continue through December.

The work on the church is progressing very well; the congregation will be able to stay with the building until its completion.

The fourth Sunday will close the special effort rally for 1962.



NEW SPECIAL COUNSEL—N. Thompson Powers, deputy solicitor of the Department of Labor, is briefed by Hobart Taylor, Jr. in his new duties as special counsel of the President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity, a position Taylor himself had been filling until his appointment as executive vice chairman of the President's Committee.

### "Operation Wrap-Up" By Council of Churches

The Iowa Council of Churches announced today "Operation Wrap-Up", an emergency state-wide appeal for blankets to be sent to the shelterless and ill-clothed people in the war-torn areas of Algeria. The campaign, part of a nation-wide drive for 650,000 blankets, will run in Iowa, Dec. 16 to Jan. 27.

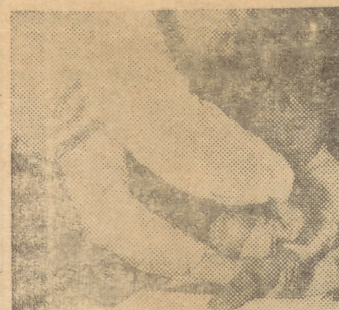
In announcing the drive Dr. J. O. Nelson, executive secretary of the Iowa Council of Churches, said that "thousands of Algerians may freeze to death this winter unless we can immediately send blankets to that stricken country."

In preparing for the state-wide campaign, letters were sent to more than 1700 clergymen from the Iowa Council asking for support. Denominational leaders have also encouraged their churches to aid the Algerians.

### Eastside Mission Society to Meet

The East Side Union Mission Society will hold its board meeting on Dec. 19 at 12 noon at the home of Mrs. A. C. Crawford, 1200 13th St.

### TB TEST



In just a second, this young lady will know the tuberculin test she's getting at school is nothing to fear. It doesn't hurt, but it does tell whether TB germs are present. Tuberculin test programs are aided by Christmas Seal funds, which fight TB and other respiratory diseases.

### Annual Meeting

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### Breathing

A respiratory disease is an illness that affects the body's breathing system. Some of the respiratory illnesses are infectious, passed on from one person to another—colds, flu, tuber-

### Things Done

Here are some of the things that TB associations have been doing in the fight to control respiratory disease. . . .

...Contributing to the salary of a teacher of respiratory diseases at medical schools.

...Supporting research projects on the lungs and on the diagnosis and treatment of respiratory disease.

...Providing scholarships for respiratory disease courses for doctors and nurses.

...Providing scholarships for medical students to gain experience with respiratory diseases.

...Supporting screening programs to find respiratory diseases early.

...Supporting community efforts to control air pollution.

...Assisting, through grants and personnel, the operation of a chest diagnostic clinic.

The TB association's work in respiratory diseases is financed by Christmas Seal contributions.

—Information Service of Polk County Tuberculosis and Health Association

### Services Held for Mrs. Belle Buttram

Services for Mrs. Belle Buttram, 92, of 1600 E. Buchanan street, were held at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at L. Fowler and Son Funeral Home with burial in Glendale cemetery. She died of a cerebral hemorrhage at her home Saturday.

Born in Reidsville, N. C., Mrs. Buttram had lived in Des Moines 30 years and was a member of Bethel A.M.E. Church.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Priscilla Johnson, Des Moines; a brother, Samuel King, and a sister, Betty King, both of Bramwell, W. Va.; 10 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren and 15 great-great-grandchildren.

### Sit-In Wins Apartment For African Students

Syracuse, N. Y.—A Sit-in, which resulted in the arrest of 7 members of Syracuse CORE, won for two African students, the 3-room apartment which they originally had been refused because of their color.

Lloyd Clifford, the owner, has agreed to rent the apartment to the two African students and not to press trespass charges against the 7 arrested sit-inners.

### Christmas Edition

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Mon., Dec. 17, 9 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.

### News Deadline

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

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

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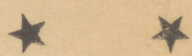
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# SOCIETY



# CLUBS

## L.T. Club to Hold Christmas Dinner Party Dec. 15

The L.T. Club met with Mrs. Leona Jordan as hostess and made plans for the Christmas dinner party on Saturday, Dec. 15 at the Brotherhood Center, 13th and Center Street.

The club acknowledged its "Mother of the Year," Mrs. Betty McAliley, with a beautiful harvest bouquet of flowers on Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. Helen Ewing, a member who has been absent from recent meetings due to illness, was back. Mrs. Georgia Howard, a former member, was welcomed back into membership. Mrs. Lavenia Henderson was accepted as a new member.

The club adjourned for the holidays and will resume meetings on Jan. 16 at the home of Mrs. Christine Martin when election of officers will be held. Mrs. Mary Parker is president.

## AKAs Elect Delegate To Boule in Detroit

Beta Gamma Chapter held their monthly meeting Wednesday evening, Dec. 5 at the home of Soror Charlotte Parks, 940 16th street. Co-Hostesses were Sorors Louise Mays and Merritt Florence. Plans were completed for the annual "Christmas Cheer."

Joan Bradley and Mary L. Andrews were elected delegates to Boule which convenes in Detroit, Mich., Dec. 27-30.

## Olive Branch Chapter Will Meet Dec. 19

Olive Branch chapter No. 32, O.E.S., will meet on Wednesday, Dec. 19 at the Masonic Temple, 11th and Center streets. Worthy Matron Albertha Grace, urges the attendance of all members. Election of officers will be held.

## Social Art Club Holds Xmas Dinner

Social Art club members held their Christmas dinner party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Davis, 1115 11th street on Dec. 2. Following the dinner gifts were exchanged.

Guests sharing the courtesies were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wimberly, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brown, Mmes. Pinkie Goode, Marie Wilkerson, Mollie Beverly, Maybelle Jefferson and Messrs. Rozenting Hardaway, Sr., Edward Ware, Everett Ware, J. L. McGuire, E. Davis and Edward Frazier.

The next meeting will be Jan. 3 at the home of Mrs. Julia Cannon of 1220 Laurel street.

## I.C.I.W.W. Club Plans Holiday Potluck

The I.C.I.W.W. club met at the home of Mrs. Mae Hawkins, 1338 Fremont street on Dec. 4. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Margaret Greene, 1353 E. 15th street with a potluck and gift exchange. All members are urged to bring a gift for their guest and another for the grab bag exchange.

## 125 Attend Coffee Saturday Morning Given in Honor of Californian, Mrs. Marie Parker Murray

Nearly 125 friends and acquaintances attended a coffee Saturday morning from 9 until 12 noon honoring Mrs. Marie Parker Murray, San Fernando Valley, Calif., given by Mrs. Stanley Proctor, at her home, 1111 11th street.

Mrs. Murray, who has been the houseguest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Clark, Jr., 1602 Walker street, for the past several weeks, plans to remain in Des Moines until after the holidays before going on to Omaha, Neb., to visit her husband's mother, Mrs. John Murray and daughter and other relatives and friends.

### Hostesses

Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Minnie McGuire and Helen D. Wimberly, introducing guests in the receiving line who were Mrs. Murray and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. L. Clark; Mmes. Delores Peguese, William Neal and Marguerite Platter, in the living room; Mmes. Cracken, who poured; Mmes. Bernice Shepherd, Edith Webb, and Cora Eunice Bates and Margaret Mac Chapman in the dining room and

Mmes. Lenora Johnson, and Dorothy Wallace who received guests at the door.

Mrs. Chapman also arranged the beautiful fruit bowl centerpiece with assorted fresh frosted fruits in a large crystal bowl surrounded by a circle of evergreens with two red poinsettias woven in. This was flanked by red candles in crystal candleholders. The table was covered with an embroidered linen cloth and tea and coffee were served from a silver service. Miniature assorted Danish sweet rolls and doughnuts were also served.

Mrs. Murray spent last week in Waterloo, Ia., visiting her brother and family, Atty. and Mrs. William Parker, Jr., and children and her mother, Mrs. Samantha Parker.

Mrs. Murray who formerly lived in Des Moines, is a charter member of Three Purpose Club and a former member of the Larks Club. She also was an active member of St. Paul A.M.E. church while in Des Moines. In the early years she was active in P.T.A. at former Crocker elementary school and became the first elected P.T.A. officer of her race in the city.

## Renunion of YMCA Day Campers Dec. 27

Invitations were mailed this week-end to the ninth annual reunion of Y.M.C.A. day campers and leaders at 2:15 p.m. Dec. 27 in the Campus room of Y.M.C.A. building.

The 200 boys who attended any of the four day camp sessions last summer, the nine leaders and other helpers will attend the party.

The annual reunion of this "Y" group was organized by Bill Kramer, who was supervisor of summer day camp for five years. Harold Gillespie, West Des Moines branch Y.M.C.A. executive, was supervisor for the next three years a post now held by Tom Baty.

## Tawasi Club To Hold Xmas Dinner

The Tawasi federated club will hold its Christmas dinner on Wednesday, Dec. 19 at the home of Mrs. Margaret Moore, 1154 18th street.

Mrs. Roberta Frazier, president of the Iowa Association of Club Women, visited the club at the Dec. 5 meeting.

## Jack and Jill Club Meets at Mrs. Kaiser

The Des Moines chapter of Jack and Jill club met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Frank W. Kaiser, Jr., 650 27th street, with the president, Mrs. Edythe Cawthorne, presiding.

## AKAs Welcome Guests At Christmas Cheer

Beta Gamma Sorors extended personal Christmas Greetings to members of the community, Sunday, Dec. 9 from 6 to 8 P.M. at the Y.W.C.A.

Basileus Billiejean Morrow headed the receiving line welcoming guests, followed by Sorors Mary L. Andrews, Joan Bradley, Lena Baker, Agnes Brewton, Frances Cuie, Irma Estes, Merritt Florence, Louise May, Charlotte Parks, Valerie Sanders, Evelyn Sims and Marie Carmen.

Serving from the colorfully decorated Christmas table were Sorors Elaine Estes and Ruthe Easley.

## Three Purpose Club Sees African Slides

At a recent meeting of the Three Purpose club members enjoyed a talk by Mrs. Clara Bayles on her recent trip to Africa and Europe. She also showed slides of her trip. Mrs. Edith Webb of 1006 School street, was hostess to the meeting.

star singer of the "Sing Along with Mitch" program of TV fame. The Dec. 7 issue of Time magazine carried a picture and story of her. The story particularly deals with the fact that she still has her own name, but it has been pronounced every which way by TV announcers.

## D.D.M. Club Plans Valentine Youth Ball

The Daughters of Des Moines federated club met Dec. 4 at the home of Mrs. Margo Ramsey. Plans were made for a Valentine Youth Ball to be held at the Y.W.C.A. on Feb. 9. All youth from 13 to 17 years will be welcomed. A Queen and King will be crowned on that night.

The next meeting will be Jan. 8 with Barbara Robinson as hostess. A member, Elizabeth Welch is on the club's sick list.

Mrs. Edith Sharpe is president.

## T.O.B. Celebrates 39th Anniversary at Mrs. Florence Parker

The home of Mrs. Florence Parker, 920 Dixon street, was the scene of a dinner party celebrating the 39th anniversary of the T.O.B. club.

Mrs. Victoria Cogswell prepared the dinner. The holiday spirit was reflected in the decorations and the Christmas tree heavily laden with gifts for guests and members.

Games were played following the dinner and prizes were won by Messrs. Herbert Green, Lloyd Jones and Sam Parker. Each guest was presented a gift by the club.

Guests were Messrs. Parker, Luther Claybrook, Cleve Campbell, L. H. Fowler, Gilbert Russell, Major Humphrey, Herbert Green and L. Jones.

The club adjourned for the holiday season.

## Ebonettes Plan Holiday Party

The Ebonettes, young girls club of Willkie House, will give their second annual "After Christmas Party" on Dec. 27 at the Brotherhood Center, 13th and Center streets.

All guest cards must be presented at the door with the exception of out-of-town guests attending.

## W.C.T.U. Will Meet On Thursday, Dec. 20

The Frances Ellen Harper Women's Christian Temperance union will meet with Mrs. John O'Connell, 1032 22nd street on Thursday, Dec. 20 at 2 p.m. The newly elected president, Mrs. Rosa E. Wilson, will be presiding. All members are urged to attend.

## Onanas Club Will Fete Prospective Members Saturday

The Onanas club invited prospective members to attend a meeting held recently at the home of Mrs. Celeste Graves, 965 26th street.

Among those attending were Mmes. Brenda Black, Wanda McClain, Rose Thompson, Rose Gatewood, Marginnell Clayburn, Teta Day, Nancy Robinson, Joyce Chapman, Joanne Jones and Marsha Collier.

Decorations and the theme carried out the holiday season. After an exchange of introductions by members and guests, Mrs. Elaine Williams, Vice Pres., explained the purpose of the Onanas club, and also explained that only four of the 10 prospective members will be selected at a later date. All 10 and their husbands will be guests at the club's Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Viola Moore, on Saturday, Dec. 15.

Afterwards a delicious late dinner prepared by the hostess, was enjoyed by all. The salad was prepared by Mrs. Bradley, mother of Mrs. Moore. A cocktail hour preceded the dinner when Mrs. Sharon Rucker prepared daquiri.

## Booklovers Plan Christmas Dinner

The Booklovers club of the YWCA, will hold its Christmas dinner at the Y, 9th and High street, on Friday, Dec. 14. Gifts will be exchanged. Mrs. Jessie Howard is president.

## La Femme Club Will Hold Christmas Party

The La Femme club met Dec. 6 at the home of Mrs. Elsie Robinson. Plans for the Christmas party were made. Secret pals will be revealed at the next meeting on Dec. 20 with Mrs. Willie Mae Rowe as hostess. Mrs. Erma Carr is president.

## Kansas Citian A Guest Here

Miss Patricia Phelps of Kansas City, Missouri, spent the weekend in Des Moines, the guest of Miss Josie Russell, 955 17th Street.

## Friendship Club Celebrate Christmas

The Friendship club celebrated Christmas season Friday with a gift exchange and on the following evening took their husbands out to wine and dine. They dined at Ginny's restaurant, Merle Hay and Douglas and wined them at 654 S.E. 28th court. Mrs. Marilyn Brown is president.

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## Christmas Festival and Doll Show Is Huge Success or Delighted Children Sunday P.M.

The Christmas festival and doll show sponsored by the Parliamentary Law and Culture club, was a huge success as a Christmas party for the children.

The Prince and Princess of 1962 were small, dainty and delightful. The crown rested rakishly on the head of 10 month old Prince, Todd Nathaniel Hunt, who did not whimper or cry when the Royal Robe was placed around his shoulders, but looked around him with much interest. The stroller he won and refused to ride it until his younger brother took over.

The Princess, Kim Rumley, a trifle more poised in her three years, accepted the robe and the doll which was as tall as she. The winners were crowned by the Princess of 1961, Yolane Archer. Goldie Ann Eaves received a beautiful doll as second place winner.

Other contestants, Johnnie Mae Robinson and Quinette Lee were given dolls, also. Marsh Houston, the other contestant for Prince, looked rather suspiciously at the tricycle he won and refused to ride it until his younger brother took over.

## Sunday Dinner

### Honors Artie McNair

Mr. Artie McNair was honored guest of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Matthew, 1450 Buchanan at a dinner Sunday afternoon.

Present were Miss Maxine McNair and Miss Betty Lou Western. Out-of-town guests included Mr. Elmer Burton Matthews of Chicago, Ill., Mr. Riley Jones of St. Joseph, Mo., Mrs. Matthews brother and Miss Charlene Western of Waterloo, Iowa.

Mr. McNair left Wednesday for Hickam Air Force Base, Hawaii, where he will assume duties as an educational officer.

## Goodwill Industries

### Toy Collections For

Forty-two Standard Oil service stations in the Des Moines area are acting as toy collection centers for non-profit Goodwill Industries.

The announcement was made by J. M. Hansen, Standard Oil Des Moines sales representative, who said this was the second annual Christmas Toy Pickup program to be conducted for the Goodwill rehabilitation center by the service station owners.

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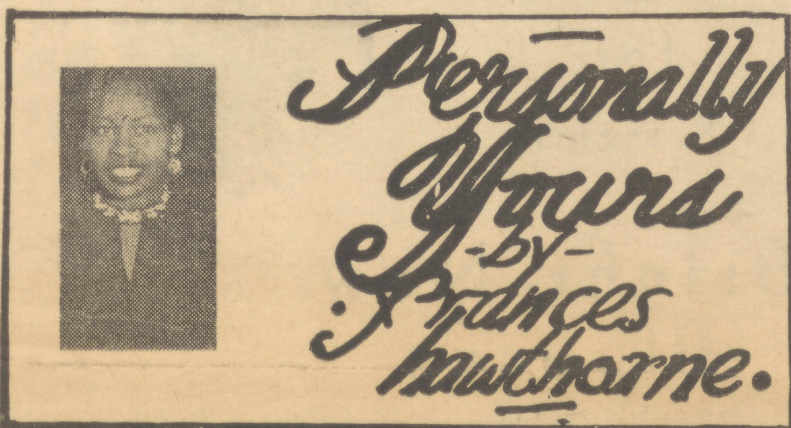
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Little did we realize that when we published a picture of the "International Cotillion" held in New York City, that a lovely young lady from Drake university had not only put her home town of San Francisco, Calif., on the map but put Des

Moines in the spotlight as well.

She is Miss Mary Lillian Andrews, better known as "Smitty" to her many friends here. A senior majoring in psychology, Miss Andrews has been living an active life as a Drake student and also in the Des Moines community.

Mrs. Billiejean Morrow, basileus of Beta Gamma chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority, called the fact to our attention that a soror of the chapter was in the picture published on the front page of last week's By-stander. So after reading this many of you may want to get your back issue and have a look.

Miss Andrews is dean of pledges of Beta Gamma chapter and as one of two delegates will be making her first trip to attend a Boule (National convention) of the organization. Miss Andrews, who lives at 2842 Forest avenue, also has worked as one of the summer day camp counselors at Willkie House.

She attended the International Cotillion as a debutante from San Francisco, one of 56 from the United States and other nations in the world. She flew to New York City, where she has three uncles living, arriving on Wednesday before Thanksgiving. The Cotillion was held on Friday. All debutantes had to practice for the Cotillion and learn the waltz. The Social event which drew wide acclaim, and the second to be held, is sponsored by the National Council of Negro Women. The event included a complete tour of cultural and historic sites in New York City, an after party, and a breakfast.

Miss Andrews, a talented seamstress in her own right, wore a white gown designed and made by her mother.

She will leave this Saturday for New York City where she will visit relatives and then go on to Detroit, for the Boule.

Sometimes we hesitate whether to publish letters in this column, but usually decide to do so, figuring that perhaps a reader somewhere will be glad we did. Such was the case of the letter from Mrs. Eleanor Taylor of San Diego, Calif. Mrs. Bernice Carter, 921 16th street, called to re-

quest the address. It happens that Mrs. Taylor was a long time friend and former baby sitter for Mrs. Carter's daughter. Each year when the Carters have gone to the West Coast to visit, they have always made a point of visiting Mrs. Taylor and her husband, who have moved around a lot in California. Mrs. Carter had lost touch with her the past several years and was glad to get her address so they could again communicate.

Mrs. Stanley Proctor, 1111 11th street, held a coffee for a very close friend, Mrs. Marie Parker Murray, of San Fernando Valley, Calif., last Saturday.

Mrs. Murray and Mrs. Proctor are longtime girlhood friends. Mrs. Murray is also godmother for both of Mrs. Proctor's daughters.

One Des Moines wife went to special plans to get her husband a Father's day gift from herself and their daughter, when she realized they would be vacationing in California on Father's day. She had a neighbor who lives in an upstairs apartment place the gaily wrapped gifts inside the door early on the appointed day, so when the husband opened the door to get the morning's paper, he was surprised to find his wife and daughter had gone to special efforts not to forget HIS DAY.

On the light side: One young Des Moines lady was the object of prank played on her by her friends on her birthday. She was presented with a lovely wrapped gift, filled with spotless white tissue paper; When she finally separated the tissue paper, she found a piece of burnt toast.

Ever realize how much noise the turning of leaflets of a program can make when in the hands of some 4,000 patrons of an event? The point was brought home to us Sunday when our family attended the 73rd presentation of Handel's "Messiah" by Drake University choir and the Des Moines Symphony orchestra.

In a previously published story, we noted that the singers had been advised to turn the pages of their song books just before a pause. It is too bad that the audience was not advised to do the same. It is a hint to be well taken in a crowd where silent, respectful complete attention on the part of the audience is considered both polite and expected.

Many of you readers are familiar with Leslie Uggams, effervescent



## EDITORIALS

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TWO TYPES OF  
AMERICAN AMBASSADORS

America has busied itself to create good relations with the new nations in Africa and Asia. The Kennedy administration has made commendable efforts to lend America's knowhow and financial backing to the end that progress is being made toward raising the level of the people.

Two reasons have prompted this action: 1) it becomes a question whether democracy or communism will prevail, and 2) since the voting strength at UN becomes more an uncertainty as one after another of these nations becomes a member, it is important to keep the voting strength on the side of democratic nations.

So, when Senator Ellender of Louisiana, who is on a tour of Africa, insulted the heads of nations by downgrading their ability to govern themselves, most people know that he was not speaking for the administration but as a cheap politician who has been in the habit of making uncouth statements about Negroes in American and getting away with it.

It so happens that Vice President Johnson, a native Texan and his able wife, a native of Mississippi, have gone over the territory where Senator Ellender had planned to go, acting the part of intelligent people with decorum and good will and were received with enthusiasm. They made friends for America.

This situation emphasizes the difference between the cheap blustering politician from the south who hurts his country and the intelligent southerner who is trying to build good will abroad as well as in America.

BACKWARD STEPS  
WILL NOT HELP

The Republican National Committee has been meeting in Washington trying to figure out why the party did no better in 1962 than in 1960 and what its program should be in the future.

During the 1960 campaign, a special section of the campaign committee directed its attention toward building the party in the South. It helped to lose the election. A more determined bid was made in 1962 with the result that a few additional members of Congress were elected. This seems to give Chairman Miller the idea that the Republicans might as well play the game of the Democrats — both ends against the middle — extolling the Negro in the North and vilifying him in the South.

Nobody is opposed to building a Republican party in the South, but decent Republicans will oppose building it on the shoulders of hate and segregation. And even though both are on the way out, decent people dislike those who travel on them.

Those following the Miller line of strategy thought the South would not support Kennedy because he is a Catholic but were fooled on election night. They had hoped that Kennedy's strong bid for the Negro vote would alienate the white South. But it voted the Democratic ticket just the same.

If the Republican party expects to elect a president with the tactics suggested by Miller, it is whistling in the dark and will remain so. Congressmen from areas where the Negro population is formidable are opposed to this type of Republicanism already for they know they are in

no position to alienate a portion of their strength and that of a potential electoral votes by preaching a doctrine which is being pushed in the trash can more and more.

TAKING THE LIQUOR ISSUE  
OUT OF POLITICS

George Nagle, chairman of the State Republican Committee, endorsed the sale of liquor by the drink in Iowa. He quoted the recent Republican platform which called for a new look at the distribution and sale of liquor. Evidently, he looked at the election figures which indicated very clearly that avoiding the question by Governor Erbe went far to insure his defeat.

Iowa has carried the label of a dry state for many years. But times have changed. A stop-gap effort was made to cure the liquor difficulties by authorizing the establishment of key clubs as a substitute for sales by the drink. But like prohibition, the program simply has added insult to injury.

Surrounded by states which have liquor by the drink, Iowa cannot continue to bury its head in the sand and, for sentimental reason, believe it can do the job with the set-up it has today.

If the Republican legislators heed Nagle's suggestions and that of a majority of their constituents, the liquor question will become a bi-partisan issue and a law passed which will put the sale of liquor in its proper perspective and make more practical the regulation in the state of liquor by the drink.



The gridiron season staggers on with its various All-Star teams. There are only two Negroes on most of the All-American teams, Bobby Bell of Minnesota and Robertson of Penn State. Quite different from last year when there were a whole bunch of Negro backs. There are probably two or three more of All-American caliber but they were on losing teams. Iowa's Larry Ferguson was as good as they come and so was Raimsey of Michigan to name a couple.

## Look Magazine

We often wondered how anybody could name the 11 or even the 30 best players out of the thousands of guys playing the game each week-end. Look Magazine has a 22-man team although they couldn't play but 11 at a time.

We have always argued that All-American recognition was due to mainly one thing, the right publicity at the right time. Then it helps to be on a winning team. Very few All-Stars teams have players from losing teams, no matter how good the fellow is.

## Old-Timers

We read quite an article the other day about Negro All-Americans and we recalled seeing a couple of the old timers when we were a kid. We didn't believe that Bob Marshall of Minnesota was in his late forties and early fifties when we saw him against our older brother who was just out of college. But the old fellows played a lot of football even then.

Fitz Pollard of Brown was past his prime but could still carry a football in 1926 and we never did get through staring at the feet and hands of Duke Slater.

Nat Craddock Named  
To 2nd "Little"  
All-American Team

New York — Nathaniel Craddock, star fullback for unbeaten and championship team from Parsons college, was named to the second team of the Little All-American football squads.



CRADDOCK

Craddock, a 220-pounder, set a modern Iowa college record for scoring with 114 points. That was good enough to rank second nationally. He rushed for 891 yards.

Galimore On Mend  
After Knee Surgery

Chicago — Willie Galimore, hard-running Chicago Bears star halfback, last week was reported to be recovering at Illinois Masonic hospital here after undergoing knee surgery earlier.

Galimore and Roger Davis, offensive guard, who underwent a similar operation, are on the Bears' injured reserve list.

Willie was a star at Florida A and M university, Tallahassee, Fla.

## Pro-football Scouts

The opinion of pro-football scouts that Negro teams would do all right in competition such as the Ivy League comes as no surprise. Negro football has come a long way in the last 10 years. The schools are beginning to get the big players and the coaches who have played big time football or who have gone to clinics run by big time coaches. So the schools had to improve and have done so.

## Local

This was the first time in local history that two brothers met for a billiard championship. Maurice dethroned his brother Delmar Baldridge, who has been champion for at least five years. The score was 100-94 in a match that neither player should have been ashamed to lose. Delmar won the high run prize with 20 made against Larry Graves who won fourth place. Third place went to Paris Skanes who defeated Graves.

In the semi-finals matches Delmar beat Graves and Maurice dethroned Skanes. First prize was a pair of \$20 shoes. Second prize was a jointed cue of equal value and third prize was a shirt. Les Wyatt won a prize for the low score of the meet and as Wells put it, for having enough nerve to get into the tournament. The thing generated interest as it went along and should become an annual affair.

## To Our Readers

News from out-of-town correspondents should reach the Bystander no later than Wednesday morning. If you can possibly get your news in earlier the staff would greatly appreciate it.

Griffith Wins On  
TKO Over Fernandez;  
Charge Low Blow

Las Vegas, Nev. — Welterweight Champion Emile Griffith was awarded a technical knockout victory here Saturday night over challenger Jorge Fernandez of Argentina, in a tense bout which wound up with the referee charging that Griffith had hit a low blow to his opponent.

In the ninth round, when the questionable blow was delivered, it was ruled that Fernandez was unable to continue the fight as he lay on the canvas writhing in seemingly intense pain. The Griffith camp charged "fake," while the Fernandez handlers charge upheld the contention of the referee.

Willie Mays And  
Jimmy Brown Are  
Honored At Dinner

New York—Willie Mays, sensational San Francisco Giants center fielder, and Jimmy Brown, star fullback of the Cleveland Browns of the National Football league, were among a group of 12 professional athletes honored at the first all-sports dinner in the Americana Hotel here Monday night (Nov. 26).

Mays and Brown were honored along with Rocky Marciano, former heavyweight boxing champion; Bob Cousy of the world champions Boston Celtics basketball team.

Annual Family  
Xmas Observance  
At Willkie House

Willkie House Annual Family Christmas Observance will be held at the building today, Thursday, Dec. 13th, 7 to 8:30 p.m. "Deck the Halls" will be the theme of the evening which will begin with participation of parents and children in decoration of the various sections of Willkie House in preparation for holiday events of the next two weeks.

Highlights of the program at 7:45 will be the Youth Chorus from Burns Methodist Church, Rev. Norman Olphin will read the Christmas Story; Willkie House Drama Group will offer the "Christmas Cut" and children from the afternoon activity groups will be seen in "The Night Before Christmas" which will be narrated by Everett Mays. The Story Hour Group will present "Up On The Housetops"; instrumental Christmas music will be given by piano pupils of Mrs. E. P. Jackson who will also lead the group singing of carols following the program.

Refreshments will be served.



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Or being lied about, don't deal in lies  
Or being hated, don't give away to hating,  
And yet don't look too good, nor talk too wise;

If you can dream—and not make your dreams your master;  
If you can think—and not make thoughts your aim,  
If you can meet with Triumph and Disaster  
And treat those two imposters just the same;

If you can bear to hear the truth you have spoken  
Twisted by knaves to make a trap for fools,  
Or watch the things you gave your life to, broken,  
And stoop and build 'em up with worn-out tools:  
If you can make one heap of all your winnings  
And risk it on one turn of pitch—and toss,  
And lose, and start again at your beginnings  
And never breathe a word about your loss;  
If you can force your heart and nerve and sinew  
To serve your turn long after they

are gone,  
And so hold on when there is nothing in you  
Except the Will which says to them: "Hold On!"  
If you can talk to crowds and keep your virtue,  
Or walk with Kings—nor lose the common touch,  
If neither foes nor loving Friends can hurt you,

If all men count with you, but none too much;  
If you can fill the unforgiving minute  
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NEW MEMBERS SWORN IN.—Vice President Lyndon B. Johnson, chairman of the President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity, administers the oath of office to three new members of the President's Committee. They are, left to right, Dr. Joaquin Gonzalez, San Antonio, physician; David A. Schulte, New York businessman; and Mrs. D'Jarie H. Watson, New York, wife of State Senator James L. Watson.