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LARGEST INFORMAL DISCUSSIONS IN DES MOINES AREA

Attempt Racial Understanding

Deltas Tackle School Dropout Problem



Twenty women, all college graduates and members of Phi chapter of Delta Sigma Theta sorority are working on a project, "Youth Talks It Over," an effort to contribute to the prevention of dropouts in the Des Moines Public schools.

The chapter has tackled the school dropout problem, with junior high students, which is one of the most difficult and growing problems of educating youth. The project is in commemoration of the sorority's celebration of the national group's 50th anniversary.

Officers

Officers of the group pictured above are Mrs. Adah Johnson (seated, second from left) chairman of the project; Mrs. Mae Olphin, president;

Mrs. Catherine Atkinson, vice-president; Mrs. Barbara Williams, secretary. Mrs. Joyce Banks, treasurer, is left of Mrs. Johnson. Joyce Banks, (center, standing) a Drake University senior majoring in music from Council Bluffs, is also vice president and dean of sorority pledges.

Since reading failure has been a close relationship to withdrawal from school, the chapter will pay tuition for summer grade school remedial reading instruction, to be given to pupils recommended by principals of Grant, Nash and Bird elementary schools.

Response

Phi chapter, working through the facilities of Willkie house, United Campaign agency at 900 Seventeenth

st., sent out in January invitations to 200 pupils of Callanan and Washington Irving Junior High Schools to attend a series of "Youth Talks It Over" meetings on Monday nights at Willkie House.

Seventy responded at the first meeting, and were divided into four groups. Attendance in each group has leveled off to 10 or more each week since.

The volunteer leaders are Ernest Russell, executive director of the Des Moines Human Rights Commission; James Bethel of Des Moines, community consultant at Glenwood State School (who lives in Des Moines); Mrs. Catherine Atkinson, a Polk County welfare supervisor, and Harvey Rucker of the Willkie House staff.—Photo Courtesy of Des Moines Tribune.

Dr. King, 10 Ministers Convicted of Contempt In Birmingham Cases

Birmingham, Ala. — Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., and 10 other Negro ministers were found in contempt of court for defying a state injunction against racial demonstrations. They were sentenced to five days in jail starting May 16 and fined each \$50.

The ministers convicted with Dr. King were his brother, A. D. King, Wyatt Lee Walker, Ralph D. Abernathy, Fred L. Shuttlesworth, Andrew Young, John Thomas Porter, Theodis L. Fisher, Nelson H. Smith, Jr., Joshua W. Hayes and James Luther Bevels.

An attorney for the defendants said the decision would be appealed to the Alabama Supreme court, and to the U.S. Supreme Court if necessary. He can appeal only on alleged errors in the case.

New Turn Reported in Preston Cobb Case

Milledgeville, Ga. — Preston Cobb, condemned Georgia Negro youth, this week accused the dead son of the murder victim with committing the fatal crime.

This was the killing of Frank Coleman Dumas, 70-year-old farmer, who employed young Cobbs' mother, in 1961.

Cobb was 15 at the time and would have been the youngest person to go to the electric chair in the history of the state. After conviction by a local court, his mother sought the aid of the NAACP to continue his defense. Donald Hollowell, Atlanta attorney

An affidavit from Cobb and a sworn statement from Willie Jackson, 34-year-old Macon truck driver, were entered in a court hearing here, April 20, on a motion for a new trial for the youth, now 17.

Accident

Jackson said that his truck had an accident with the car of Joseph Coleman Dumas, son of the dead man, throwing the latter out of the vehicle.

When he approached the fatally injured white man, Jackson heard the younger Dumas repeat: "... I killed my daddy, now I've gone and killed myself."

Young Cobb admitted that he helped the younger Dumas remove his father's body and was told not to tell, or he or his mother would be killed.

Bystander Anniversary

Clubs, lodges, churches, and individuals and business establishments are urged to participate in June 13th Anniversary Edition. Call AT 8-1904 for information.

NEWS In A Nutshell

Washington, D. C. — Kenneth F. Holbert, a Texas Southern university graduate and attorney on the staff of the Labor department's Solicitor, has been named to serve on the three-man oral examining panel of the foreign service board of examiners.

Chicago, Ill. — A far-reaching shake-up of the Chicago police department which put a New Orleans-born Negro in the highest supervisory post one of his race has ever held in this city's history was attributed last week to failure to solve the murder of Alderman Benjamin F. Lewis. The unprecedented appointment was that of Lt. William B. Griffin, head of the southside Burnside burglary unit, who was named commander of the division of burglary and assigned to police headquarters downtown.

Flint, Mich. — A 41-year-old pediatrician has become the first Negro member of the Flint Board of Education. Dr. T. Wendell Williams led a slate of 11 candidates for three six-year terms.

New York — Four of the nation's dime-store chains last week were hit by a nationwide boycott spearheaded by the combined forces of major civil rights organizations and big labor unions in a massive protest against segregation policies of the stores in Birmingham, Ala. The four chain stores are F. W. Woolworth, S. H. Kress, H. L. Green and J. J. Newberry.

Albany, Ga. — A Federal court jury ruled last week that Sheriff L. Warren Johnson did not violate the civil rights of a prisoner he shot several times last year. Charlie Ware, a Negro who now lives in Albany sought \$150,000 damages from Johnson.

Kankakee, Ill. — This small town of some 30,000 inhabitants has elected its first Negro alderman. He is Herbert V. White, 34, a teacher at East junior high school.

Memphis, Tenn. — Chester B. Cade, 55, was awarded a certificate last week appointing him to the five-member state barber board.

Toledo, Ohio — Mel Triplett, recently acquired Cleveland Browns full-back, suffered a gunshot wound in his left hand when he was shot by his wife in an argument last week. The Triplets have 11 children.

Leesburg, Ga. — Sheriff R. A. Forester said Monday he hoped to file "a tougher charge" against the parents of an 11-year-old boy who claims he was kept chained for three years and beaten regularly with an ax handle.

Chicago Attorney Legal Attorney To U.S. Supreme Court

U. S. Attorney William S. Joy, Chicago, Ill., recently was admitted as one of the attorneys to the U.S. Supreme Court. He received his legal training at John Marshall law school and Northwestern university school of law. He also did some research in recreation at the University of Minnesota. He received his A.B. degree from Roger Williams college. Prior to his appointment he was associated with Ellis and Westbrook law firm.

60 Negro Homes Will Be Hosts to 400 White Visitors On Sunday Afternoon

By Frances E. Hawthorne

After a hard week's work of keeping their noses to the proverbial grind stone it is customary for friends to get together over the weekend for relaxing conversation and stimulating discussion of current events.

However, it will be a little different this weekend for nearly 500 persons in the Des Moines area who will participate in informal discussions in an attempt to arrive at better understanding the race problem in Des Moines.

Hosts and Hostesses

On Sunday, May 5 from 3 to 4:30 p.m. over 60 Negro homes will be hosts to nearly 400 white visitors, in an "Exercise of Understanding," the largest scale venture of its kind in the city, and similar to a home visit program conducted in Chicago last winter.

Scattered All Over

Negro hosts are scattered all over the city and are indicative of similar educational and employment backgrounds as their visitors who likewise come from all parts of the greater Des Moines area. All are interested in the race question. Persons from various religious faiths and beliefs will be represented.

Enthusiasm on both sides for the project mushroomed to such an extent that the sponsors, the National Conference of Christians and Jews and the Des Moines Human Rights Commission, had to begin trying to call a halt to the volunteers. However, because such enthusiasm has been generated, another similar program may be held in the near future.

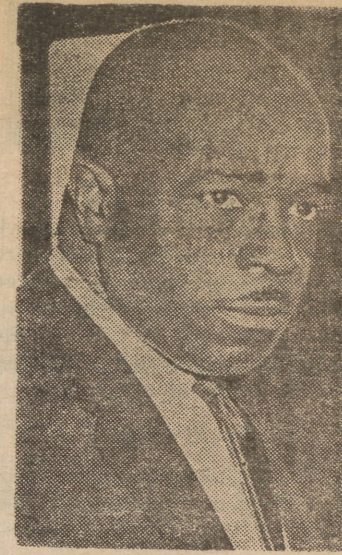
Discussions

Several of the visitors have gone out of their way to indicate their good will and expectations for the project. The day after receiving the names of their hosts, they sat down

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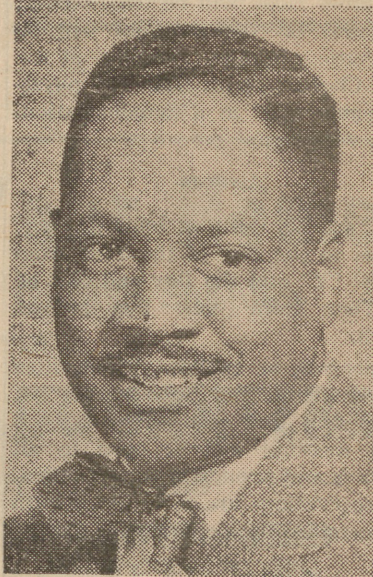
Kappas Slate North Central Regional Meet Here Fri., Sat.

On Friday and Saturday, May 3-4 the North Central Provincial Council of Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity will convene in Des Moines at the Hotel Fort Des Moines.

About 75 delegates from chapters in Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin and Minnesota are expected to attend. Host chapters will be the Des Moines Alumni chapter of which Edward C. Harris, is polemarch and the Omega chapter of Drake university of which Edward Miller is polemarch.

Val Washington

Among honored guests expected to attend will be Val J. Washington, Washington, D. C., who will represent the Grand chapter, Arthur Grist, E. St. Louis, Ill., Provincial Polemarch,



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Grand View Students Wins Race Award

Linda Tomlinson, Cedar Falls, Ia., and sophomore at Grand View college, has been awarded a \$40 scholarship to attend the annual 3-week Race Relations Institute in June on the campus of Fisk university in Nashville, Tenn. The announcement was made in a letter to Miss Tomlinson by Dr. Herman Long, chairman of the Institute.

Miss Tomlinson, was among eight Grand View students making a "Travel Seminar of the South" on Easter weekend.

will be in charge. Mr. Grist is a faculty consultant on Southern Illinois University.

Workshops and meetings will be held Saturday. A Mixer of all the Greek organizations in Des Moines will be held Friday night. The Omega chapter will also present and crown their "Sweetheart" at this time.

Other social events include entertainment of the visiting wives by the Des Moines Silhouettes. The closed formal banquet and dance will end the regional meeting. Atty. James B. Morris, Jr., will serve as toastmaster for the banquet.

"Dixon Programma" Planned May 26 at The Harper House

A city-wide effort to honor Mr. and Mrs. James F. Dixon in a unique celebration called "Dixon Programma" will be held on Sunday, May 26 at 6 p.m. at the Harper House.

The event open to the public will honor Dixon, YMCA youth secretary, whose achievements have won him international attention. On May 15 he will resign his position at the Y and in June with his wife and daughter will leave for Monrovia, Liberia, Africa, to serve as World Service Secretary for the YMCA for the next three years.

Dinner Reservations

The "programma" will include a dinner for \$2.00. All reservations must be in by May 15. For reservations call Mrs. Inez Morrow, CH 3-1893; Mrs. Corliss Williams, 255-3004; or Mrs. Ione Lloyd, CR 9-1293. No membership to Harper House is required and there will be no cover charges.

Gift Fund

In addition friends and others are contributing to a gift fund for the Dixons. Mail your contributions to the treasurer, Mrs. Pauline Humphrey, 1407 Center street.

A similar celebration including the gift fund is being held in honor of the Dixons by the YMCA, on Tuesday, May 7.

Integrate More Dixie Churches

Birmingham, Ala. — Nine white churches accepted Negro worshippers Sunday, but 13 others refused to lower racial barriers in the third Sunday of desegregation attempts.

Last Sunday, four churches opened their doors to Negroes and five turned them away.

Blend Tones Return from Six Day Tour Promoting Record

By Frances E. Hawthorne

Four members of a talented Des Moines singing group, who have been singing singly or in one group or another as long as they can remember, have set all Des Moines singing or humming a tune that has become very familiar to local radio listeners.

The group, the Blend Tones, just returned from a six-day tour to promote their first recording, "Lovers", written and copyrighted by the youngest member of the group.

Members

The Blend Tones are John Walker, 22, Audrey Davis Wesley, 24, Ronald Moore, 25 and George Davis, 17. All are working except George who is a senior at East High school where he is active in track and is well known

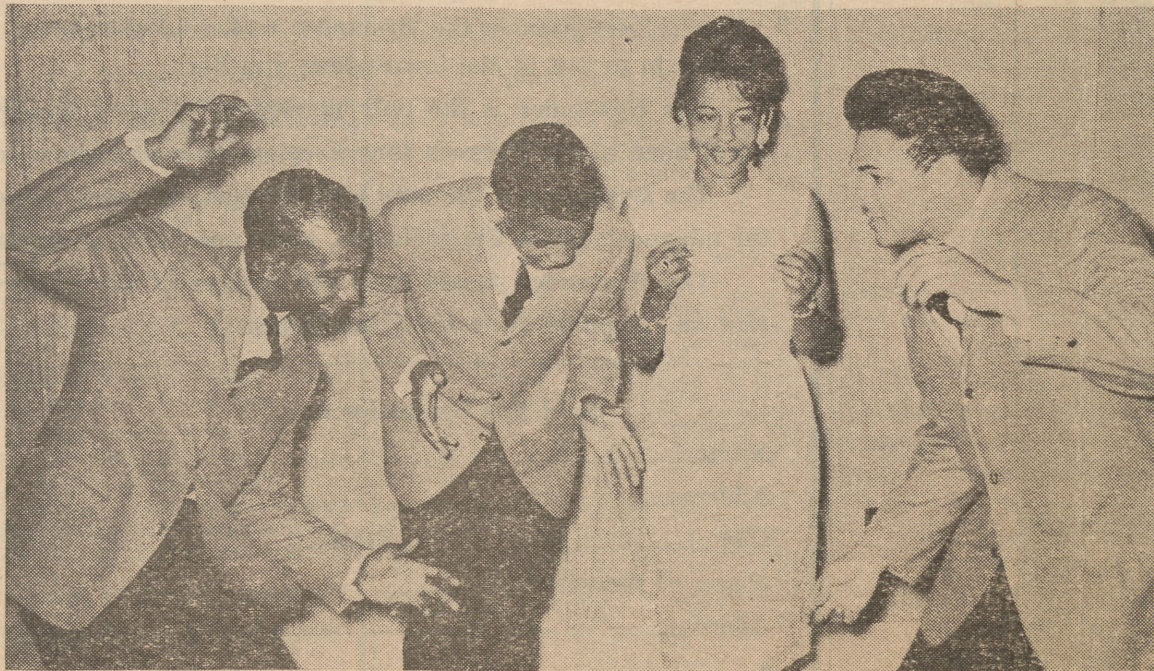
by his fellow classmates. George wrote the "Lovers" for the group and also sings the lead. The other side "Dear Diary" was written by John and the lead is sung by Ronald. Audrey and George are the daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny T. Madison, 1323 DeWolf street.

Tour

First stop on the Blend Tones tour was St. Louis, Mo., on Apr. 18 where they appeared at the Regal theater and the next day on the Jimmy Bishop "Show of Shows." The group then boarded an airliner for Trenton, N.J., where they appeared two consecutive nights. On Apr. 22 they hopped on a bus for New York City where they stayed at the newly fabu-

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The Blend Tones, Des Moines Sensational Singers



From left to right, John Walker, George Davis, Audrey Davis Wesley and Ronald Moore.

White Civil Rights Leader Killed Walking Along Road

Keener, Ala.—A white native of Mississippi engaged in an individual walk for integration across the south was shot and killed on U. S. Highway 11 on the night of April 23.

William L. Moore, 35, Baltimore, Md., was the victim. One of his placards saying "Black or White Eat at Joe's" had the word "Black" ripped out when his body was found. His other placard said: "Equal Rights for All (Mississippi or Bust)." The latter referred to the fact that the ultimate destination of his walk was Jackson where he had planned to deliver a letter to Governor Barnett urging him to "be gracious and give more than is immediately demanded of you" on civil rights.

\$1,000 Reward

A reward of \$1,000 was offered for the arrest and conviction of his killer by Gov. George Wallace.

He chose to engage in this walk during vacation from his present job of mailman in Baltimore. In his spare time there, he was active in the CORE group. He participated in several of the Freedom Rides on U.S. Route 40 and on February 18, he was

arrested with a group standing-in at the Northwood Theatre. Shortly thereafter, the theatre desegregated. Just prior to leaving Binghamton where he lived until last fall, he helped organize picketing of the local Howard Johnson on the day designated by CORE for nation-wide demonstrations at the company's restaurants.

Not First Walk

But Moore engaged in individual action as well as group action and the ill-fated walk to Jackson was not his first. He had walked from Baltimore to Annapolis to deliver a civil rights letter to Governor Tawes and from Baltimore to Washington to deliver a message to President Kennedy.

In fact, prior to starting his walk to Jackson, he notified the President: "I am not making this walk to demonstrate either federal rights or state rights, but individual rights. I am doing it, among other things, I feel, for the south, and hopefully, to illustrate that the most basic of freedoms of peaceful protest is not altogether extinguished down there."



Ernie Davis (left) former Syracuse University All-American gridiron star and the 1961 Heisman Trophy winner, is shown here with R. H. Snyder, president of Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company of Cleveland, following the announcement of Davis' joining Pepsi-Cola Company's Marketing Division as a trainee. Mr. Davis, assigned to Pepsi-Cola Company's Columbus, Ohio regional office, will receive his training in Cleveland, under the tutelage of Mr. Snyder. A member of the Cleveland Browns football team, Mr. Davis joins another teammate, Jim Brown, in his Pepsi-Cola work. Brown, who has been with Pepsi-Cola Company since 1959, is currently a member of the organization's national accounts sales staff.

NAACP Seeks Federal Court Hearing on Alabama Ouster

Montgomery, Ala. — The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has again called upon a Federal court to take steps toward dissolution of an injunction, originally issued in 1956 by a state court, banning all NAACP activity within the state.

The NAACP plea is set forth in a memorandum, filed April 22 in the United States District Court here, in support of an Association motion for a hearing on the merits of the seven-year-old ouster order.

To Return

The move to return to Federal courts followed a ruling last Feb. 28 of the Supreme Court of Alabama affirming the lower court injunctive decree "without a consideration on the merits of the case." The Alabama

high court refused to consider the case on its merits of alleged technical inadequacies in the NAACP brief.

Refusal

The grounds for refusal to deal with the case on its merits are called "trivialities" in the present NAACP memorandum which further charges the Alabama court with violating its own precedents. "In view of the long and protracted nature of this litigation," the memorandum continues, "the actions of the court constitute a clear denial of due process."

In seeking a hearing in the U. S. District Court, the NAACP invokes a U. S. Supreme Court decree of Oct. 23, 1961, which ordered the District Court to retain jurisdiction if the state courts continued refusal to hear the case on its merits.

Home Visits

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and wrote notes to their hosts, acknowledging the invitation.

Over a pot of coffee supplied by the host, the visitors in groups of three or more couples will discuss various problems with their hosts about housing, employment, education, traveling difficulties and any and all small or large problems rising out of the race question. Visitors and hosts have been supplied with fact and question sheets on possible points of discussion.

Honorary chairmen for the project are Mayor and Mrs. Charles F. Iles and Judge and Mrs. Luther T. Ganton, Jr.

Masons Plan Grand 44th Conference on May 16 in Baltimore

Baltimore—Extensive preparations are being made here by Maryland Prince Hall Masons to play host beginning May 16 to the 44th Annual Grand Masters' Conference.

Amos T. Hall of Oklahoma, president of the Conference, has chosen as the theme for this year's meeting, "Meeting the Challenge to Build Prince Hall Masonry To Its Highest Potential."

Gov. J. Millard Tawes of Maryland and Mayor Phillip Goodman of Baltimore are scheduled to bring greetings to the assembled Masonic hierarchy at the public meeting on Thursday night, May 16. Guest speaker for the occasion will be Dr. Whitney Young, Executive Director, National Urban League.

Other speakers during the three-day meeting will include Grand Master P. G. Porter of Kansas, Grand Master Amos T. Hall, Grand Master Samuel T. Daniels, the host, of Maryland, and Shrine Imperial Potentate Genoa Washington.

YMCA Will Honor J. Dixon at Annual Meeting on May 7

Forest Evashevski, professor and director of inter-collegiate athletics at the State University of Iowa, will be guest speaker at the 94th annual meeting of Des Moines Y.M.C.A. Tuesday, May 7, at Central "Y." His subject will be "Building Character."



DIXON

Honored guest for the evening will be James Dixon, retiring youth secretary who is leaving to accept a three-year post as Y.M.C.A. World Service Fraternal Secretary in Liberia. He, with Mrs. Dixon and daughter, Hele, will be based in Monrovia.

Mr. Trotter

A. P. Trotter, honorary board member, will speak on "Wishing the Dixons Well."

Charles E. Iles, president of "Y" board of directors will preside at the business meeting. Officers will be elected. Robert W. Lindberg, general secretary, will discuss "What Your Annual Report Says." Richard Sharp, treasurer, will give the financial report.

James Hoak will be toastmaster. Appearing on the program will be Don Antle, organist; members of the Boys' Chorus; youth from the physical department, in a demonstration, and a magician.

Awards

Simpson P. Smith will present awards to the Boy of the Year from Central "Y" and the Boy and Girl of the Year from West Des Moines branch.

There will be exhibits of activities of departments and clubs of the "Y," arranged in Mott auditorium.

The meeting will be open to all members and friends of the "Y." Dinner reservations are to be made with the membership department at the "Y."

Blend Tones

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lous Americana hotel.

The group was entertained by some distinguished persons in the entertainment world including being on radio for two hours with the magnificent Montequieu. The Blend Tones arrived in Des Moines two days later by plane where they will be idle until May 11 when they will go to Cleveland, Ohio for another singing appearance. In several weeks they will also go to Chicago, Ill., to make their second recording. In June they are scheduled to go to California.

Dorothy Dandridge Files Bankruptcy

Los Angeles, Cal. — Singer-actress Dorothy Dandridge has filed a petition in Superior Court here announcing she is flat broke and \$127,994 in debt.

She admitted \$8,500 of her debts include money she owes to the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

Her only assets, she testified in the petition, consisted of \$5,000 equity she has in a home she owns at 1588 Viewside Dr., in the Hollywood Hills.

Miss Dandridge moved from the Hills home earlier this year after filing suit for divorce from her entrepreneur husband, Jack Denison.

Loan Firms

She charged at the time that her husband had encumbered all of the household furniture and her jewels to several loan firms for monies which she said he had proposed to use in setting himself up in a new business in Las Vegas.

At the time she listed outstanding debts which she said Denison had made, using her belongings as collateral.

Miss Dandridge has been appearing in supper clubs and on TV during the past two years. Her earnings from these ventures were listed in the petition at \$100,000.

Got Start

The Blend Tones got their start when they auditioned at the Peppermint lounge, 82nd and Hickman road last winter for Radio Station KIOA, who have been sponsors of the record, "Lovers." The Blend Tones then appeared for the station at various hops and entertainment events around the city and state.

Managers of the group are Art Sullivan and Adam Jones of KIOA.

Actually, the group got together somewhat by accident. "We just played around getting together from time to time, and finally we stuck," said Audrey.

Of their new found singing fame and adventure she said, "We have a lot of fun and get to meet a lot of distinguished people."

Licensed Practical Nurses Needed at Veterans Center Here

Applications will be accepted for Licensed Practical Nurse \$319 per month for duty with the Veterans Administration Center in Des Moines.

Apply to any Post Office for application forms or information as to where such forms may be obtained. Application forms may also be obtained from the Executive Secretary, Board of U.S. Civil Service Examiners, Veterans Administration Center, Des Moines, Iowa, and should be submitted to that office.

Plan Open House at Polk County Home

The Polk County Association for Mental Health and the Polk County Home Staff are co-sponsoring an Open House at the Polk County Home, East 14th Street, May 5, from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Chairman of committees, from the Mental Health Volunteers will be Mark Hampshire, hospitality; Mrs. John Koelman, food; Mrs. Hugh Maine, sale of patient made articles; Ankeny Garden Club, table decorations. Tours will be conducted by the staff at the County Home.

A&T ROTC DRILL TEAMS PLACE AT CHERRY BLOSSOM FESTIVAL

Greensboro, N.C.—Two drill units from A&T College earned high rankings in the annual Cherry Blossom Festival Drill Team Competitions held last week at Washington, D.C.

The U.S. Army Drill Team from the college took third place, behind Army Units from the first place University of Michigan and Purdue University, and the U.S. Air Force A&T Drill Team took fifth spot behind an Air Force unit from Ohio State University.

AN INVITATION TO INDIVIDUALS

Individuals have, to a small degree, participated in the Bystander anniversary editions. More are urged to do so this year so the edition may be more representative and successful. Call AT 8-1904 for details.

Negro Jailed For Entering Library

Ruleville, Miss.—For the "crime" of simply entering the local library, George Raymond, member of the CORE Task Force was arrested and jailed.

When he appeared inside the building, the librarian asked whether he was conducting a "demonstration." He replied that he simply wanted to ask a few questions. Having done so, he left but later in the morning, he was approached on the street by Mayor Durrrough and placed under arrest.

POWELL POSITION REFUTED IN NEW NAACP PAMPHLET

New York — Rep. Adam Clayton Powell's attacks on the NAACP and other civil rights organizations for including white persons among their officers and board members have been challenged in a pamphlet on The NAACP and Adam Clayton Powell.

Powell's statements on white persons and their "control" of the NAACP and other comments about the NAACP made by him on three separate occasions are examined point by point with evidence cited to refute each charge.

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CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mrs. Susie Louise Evans wish to express their thanks and appreciation for the flowers, cards, messages and many other acts of kindness shown during her illness and at the time of her passing; especial thanks to Rev. Norman R. Olphin, pastor of Corinthian Baptist Church, Rev. E. P. Williams, pastor of St. Paul A.M.E. Church, Rev. Alphonso Spriggs, Rev. Charles Tyle of Omaha, Nebraska, who delivered the eulogy and all others who participated in the memorial services; also Estes and Son Funeral Home for their efficient service.

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We wish to express our sincere thanks to Rev. E. P. Williams, Rev. Norman R. Olphin and Rev. I. V. Tolbert of Waterloo, Iowa, Clubs, Auditors, members and friends for their cards, expression of sympathy at the time of the passing of our beloved husband, son and brother, Alonzo W. Potter.

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Cosmetist Club No. 2 met at the home of Mrs. Vivret Norman, president. The topic for discussion was beautification of homes and lawns and the formation of block units in order to consider problems of the neighborhood; to work together to improve surroundings. Plans for the annual tea were made and the date set for June 30th.

Mrs. Alice Martin of Martin's Beauty Chest recently graduated from Alexander School for Weave-In at Chicago. She will take part in "Fashion Style Extravaganza" to be held May 12th at Roosevelt DeLuxe ballroom in Chicago.

Rev. Thomas Cooper of Rock Island, Ill., and his choir will be guests of Semper Fidelis Club at Payne Memorial A. M. E. Church on May 12th at 3:30 p.m. Rev. Cooper is a

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NOTICE IN PROBATE

Probate No. 61394

Will and Codicil of Albert F. Miller, deceased.

To Whom It May Concern:

YOU are hereby notified to appear at the Court House in Polk County, on the 14th day of May A. D., 1963, at 9 o'clock A. M., to attend the probate of an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament and codicil of Albert F. Miller, deceased, late of Polk County, Iowa, at which time and place you will appear and show cause, if any, why said will should not be admitted to probate.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the District Court, at Des Moines, Iowa, this 16th day of April, A. D., 1963.

(Seal) MICHAEL H. DOYLE, JR., Clerk District Court

LA VAUN GILBERT Deputy

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ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of the State of Iowa In And for Polk County

Divorce No. 59421

MARY ELIZABETH PATRICOLA, Plaintiff,

-vs-

JAMES PATRICOLA, Defendant.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT:

You are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk in the above named Court the petition of the Plaintiff claiming you an absolute divorce on the ground of cruel and inhuman treatment and asking for the care, custody and control of the minor child of the parties; temporary and permanent child support, alimony and attorney fees and the cost of this action and for such other and further equitable relief as may seem just to the Court.

FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS SEE THE PETITION NOW ON FILE.

You are also notified to appear before said Court at Des Moines in Polk County, Iowa, on or before the 31st day of May 1963; and that unless you so appear your default will be entered and judgement or decree rendered against you for the relief demanded in said petition.

REX DARRAH
Des Moines, Iowa
Attorney for Plaintiff

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former Waterloo resident and has recently entered the ministry. The public is cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Holt, Gretchen and Jimmy Barber motored to Des Moines to attend the Drake Relays and visit friends and relatives.

On Sunday afternoon, May 5th, YaWaCa Club invites you to attend their 27th annual tea to be held at the YWCA from 4-6 p.m. Mrs. Frances Hawthorne who writes "Personally Yours" column for the Iowa Bystander, Des Moines, will be guest speaker. Mrs. Pat White, president.

Mrs. Al Wilson, 211 Oneida fell in her home last week and suffered a cut on the forehead and lip. She is improving.

Mrs. I. V. Tolbert and April Lorraine are now at home from the hospital. April was born April 20th and weighed 6 lbs. 9 ounces at birth. She now weighs about twelve pounds and is gaining steadily. She shares the honor of having the same birth month as her father, Rev. I. V. Tolbert.

Visiting in the home of Rev. and Mrs. I. V. Tolbert, 128 Sumner St., is Mrs. Tolbert's sister, Mrs. Alma Stewart and daughter Kimberly, from Chicago.

Mr. Vince Hutchins, 227 Cottage street, is a patient at St. Francis hospital.

The men of Payne A. M. E. report \$541 raised on their day, April 21st. Mr. I. A. Harmon was general chairman.

The women of Payne will observe their day on May 26th. They have chosen as their theme, "In all we do, to God be true." At 3:30 on Sunday, May 26th, Mrs. Clara Bayles of Des Moines speaks. Mrs. Bayles is president of the board of Christian education of Corinthian Baptist Church and works with the Child Welfare Department of Polk County. We urge you to come and hear her.

The Musical tea on Sunday afternoon was the kickoff for their drive which ends on May 26th. Mrs. Orma Ferguson presided at the program, and chairman for the tea was Mrs. Delores Lee. Hostesses were Mmes Russell Newman and McKinley Cook. Captains of teams made partial reports.

The Golden Tones Singers of Payne A. M. E. Church presented musical talent from many churches of the city on Sunday evening. Proceeds for the evening are to go toward the building of the new parsonage which has already begun.

Deaths

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Where to Attend Church in Des Moines

Corinthian Baptist Church
9th and School Streets
REV. NORMAN R. OLPHIN, Minister
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
E. T. U. 6:00 P.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

St. Paul A.M.E. Church
12th and Crocker Street
REV. 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 8:30 P.M.

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

Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion Church
REV. OSCAR PEAVEY, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH
1828 East University Ave.
Rev. E. D. SMITH, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Youth Church 11:30 A.M.
A.C.E. League 7:30 P.M.
Evening Program 7:30 P.M.
Wed. Mid-Week Service 7:30 P.M.

Philadelphia Seventh-Day Adventist
1124 18th Street
PASTOR W. M. RICE, Minister
Saturday Worship
ORDER OF SERVICES
Sabbath School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Missionary Volunteer 4:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, 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 8:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

FOREST AVENUE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
12th and Forest
Elder A. B. Carter, Pastor
"We've Come This Far By Faith"
Sunday School 9:00 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Y.P.W.W. 6:30 P.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Weekly Evening Service Tuesday and Friday 7:30 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.
Weekly 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.

MAPLE STREET

BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, May 5 at 11 a.m. Rev. George Parrish will preach on "Last We Forget." Last Sunday two persons united with the church and are candidates for baptism, Lillian Waldron and brother, Gerald Waldron.

Visiting worshippers were Arthur Greene, stationed at Ft. Leavenworth, Kan.; Mrs. Mary Miller and Mrs. L. Mixson, St. Louis, Mo.; P. Miligan, Waterloo, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Watson, Omaha, Nebr.; and members of the Entre Nous and the Hi Span federated clubs.

Sick at home are James Tally, son of Deacon and Mrs. James Tally, 1453 2nd street place and Edward Barber, 1302 E. 19th street.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Communion will be served Sunday morning, May 5. Meditations will be by the pastor, Rev. H. R. Fields with music by the Senior choir.

A call meeting was conducted at the church Monday evening.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, May 5 the message will be brought by Rev. T. R. Brown preceded by testimonials and devotions led by the deacons. The Baptist covenant will be read in unison. Holy Communion will be served by the pastor.

Sis. Devore Glover has been appointed to serve on the Mother's board.

Visiting worshippers last Sunday were Bro. Lewis Johnson and family.

Mt. Olive Baptist Church
S. E. 4th and Scott Street
REV. H. R. FIELDS, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:45 P.M.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7:30 P.M.
Choir Rehearsal Fridays 7:30 P.M.

Maple Street Baptist Church
E. 16th and Maple Street
REV. GEO. PARRISH, Minister, 6-8010
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class 6:30 P.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wed. 8 P.M.

Union Baptist Church
"The Friendly Church"
E. UNIVERSITY AT McORMICK
REV. SEYMOUR SAINES, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:45 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday All Day

Burns Methodist Church
811 CROCKER STREET
REV. KENNETH C. McNEIL, Minister
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Youth Fellowship 6:00 P.M.
Evening Vespers 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:30 P.M.

Evangelistic Missionary
1349 E. 18th STREET
ELDER EUGENE L. FOUNTAIN, Leader
Sunday 10:00 A.M. Sunday School
Sunday 11 A.M. & 8 P.M. Service
Thursday 8:00 P.M. Service
Tuesday Night Open Bible Discussion: Public Invited.

MACEDONIA MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
2603 Center Street
Rev. G. M. Williams, Minister
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Services: Wed. 7:00 p.m.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH
1213 Scott Street BL. 5-6333
REV. WILLIAM HEATH, Pastor
ORDER OF SERVICES
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
B.T.U. 8:00 p.m.
Evening Services 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Night: Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

MISSION TEMPLE
12th and Enos
Eld. E. A. TINDRELL, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Y.P.W.W. 6:30 P.M.
Evening Service 8:00 P.M.
Weekly evening services Tuesday and Friday 8:00 P.M.
There is peace in the house of God.

MORNING STAR MISSION BAPTIST CHURCH
1108-8th St.
Rev. A. C. Crawford, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:30 P.M.

St. John's Baptist Church
2548 Maury Street
REV. JOE GAINES, PASTOR
"We've Come This Far By Faith"
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
E. Y. P. W. W. 6:30 P.M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Services, Wed. 8:00 P.M.

Mt. Zion Baptist Church
Rev. T. R. BROWN, Pastor
Oralabor, Iowa
We will go into His tabernacle.
We will worship at His footstool.
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Wednesday Prayer Service 8:00 P.M.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

A Sacred Musical recital will be held on Sunday, May 5 at 4 p.m. Mrs. Sadie B. Jones will be guest speaker. The "Queen for a Day" contest will end on Sunday, May 12.

KYLES TEMPLE A.M.E. ZION CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Oscar Peavey will preach on "Your Permanent Handwriting," on Sunday, May 5 at 11 a.m. Communion will be observed.

At 4 p.m. the Stewardess Board will hold a pre-Mother's Day tea at the home of Mrs. Jewel Robinson, 1053 8th street from 4 to 6 p.m.

NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST NEWS

The pastor, Bishop M. W. Goodman attended the National spring call meeting of the church in Memphis, Tenn., April 16-18.

April 25-26 he and wife visited her uncle in Chicago, Ill., who lives in Pichard, Ala.

Guest speaker Sunday morning was Supt. N. J. Derric of Rock Island, Ill. He was accompanied by his wife and son. Elder Willis of the Assembly of God brought the evening message.

Elder J. C. Lewis of Chicago, formerly of Waterloo is conducting a revival which began Wednesday, April 30.

Rev. A. W. Patton To Preach in Omaha

Rev. A. W. Patton and congregation of New Bethel Baptist church in Manly, Ia., will be guests at St. John



REV. PATTON

Baptist church, Omaha, Nebr., on Sunday, May 5. Rev. Patton will preach at 11 a.m. Rev. E. D. Johnson is host pastor.

Attend Electoral College in Illinois

Rev. E. P. Williams and Mrs. Jeanne Morris attended the Electoral College in Lincoln, Ill., on Wednesday, May 1. Mrs. Morris is the delegate to the College and if elected will serve as delegate for St. Paul A.M.E. Church to the General Conference in 1964 in Cincinnati, Ohio.

IN THE HOSPITAL

MERCY HOSPITAL
Nathaniel Houston
Rev. Henry Simmons, Room 309
Mrs. Pauline Chaney
Mrs. Stella Moore
Mrs. Effie Burrell

BLANK MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
Tomette Duke

METHODIST HOSPITAL
Mrs. Emily Whitehead, Room 604
Oscar Roper

BROADLAWNS POLK COUNTY
Mrs. Elizabeth Denman
Clifford Walls, Room 312

Plan Musical Marathon At Corinthian Baptist

A Musical Marathon will be presented by Mrs. Margaret Anthony at Corinthian Baptist church on Sunday, May 5 at 3 p.m. All youth choirs of the city will participate and other talent, also.

Guest singers will include the State Youth Chorus, the Carter Gospel Singers and the Morning Star Gospel Singers. Sponsors are the Youth chorus of Corinthian. Over 300 voices will be heard.

Will Be in Recital At Maple St. Baptist

Mrs. Delores Alexander will be presented in a gospel recital on Sunday, May 5 at 3 p.m. at Maple Street Baptist church of which the Rev. George Parrish is pastor.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

Trustee meeting will be Monday, May 6 at 7:30 p.m. Susette Haynes and Kenneth Parkey were elected delegates to the Sunday school convention June 12-14 in Rock Island, Ill., at Wayman A.M.E. church. Alternates are Diana King and Cecelia Thompson.

The Missionary society will meet Tuesday, May 7 at 2 p.m. with Mrs. Victoria Cogswell.

The organ recital sponsored by the Parsonage committee was successful. Dr. Palmer S. Ross, Omaha, Nebr., flew in and was the evening guest of Rev. and Mrs. E. P. Williams until midnight Sunday.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. William S. Heath will preach Sunday morning assisted by the Senior choir. At 3 p.m. the Youth choir will sing at Corinthian Baptist church. Mrs. George Clinton is director.

At 7:30 p.m. services the deacons will be in charge of testimonials and songs. Communion will be conducted by the pastor.

Sick and shut in at home are Mrs. Erma Lucas, Mrs. Eva Johnson, Mrs. Blanch Nolan, Edward Daniels, Isaac Bagby and Everett Daniels. Mrs. Ethel Volinier returned to her home from Methodist hospital.

Fant's Barber Shop
"Quality is Our Business"
1830 EASTON BLVD.

Baha'i to Celebrate 100th Anniversary

The Baha'i of Des Moines will observe the 100th anniversary of the declaration of Baha'u'llah, prophet-founder of the Baha'i Faith at a special meeting to be held at Polk County Federal Savings & Loan Club Room, 7th & High, on Friday, May 3rd, at 8:00 p.m. The public is invited.

This will be one of a series of meetings of Baha'is in every part of the world commemorating this singular event in the history of the Baha'i Faith. It was just one hundred years ago in Baghdad, Iraq, that Baha'u'llah publicly announced to his followers that he was the Messenger of God foretold in the Holy Books of all of the world's major religions. This was the actual beginning of the Baha'i World Faith which has now spread to 256 countries, island and dependencies of the world, with several million followers located in over 11,000 centers.

Over 6,000 Baha'is from every part of the world gathered in London April 28-May 2 to participate in the world observance of Baha'u'llah's public declaration—Eskimos from the Arctic, Indians from North and South America, Pygmy tribesmen from the Congo, former "untouchables" from India, aborigines from Australia, Viet-Namese, Filipinos, Chinese, Japanese and Europeans.

Music Spectacular Planned in W.D.M.

The Senior choir of Mt. Hebron Baptist church in West Des Moines and the Gospel choir of Maple Street Baptist church, will present a Musical Spectacular on Sunday, May 5 at 5 p.m. at the First Christian Church in West Des Moines, 8th and Grand avenue.

Civic Breakfast Club Holds Meeting

The Civic Breakfast club met at the home of Mrs. Meleba Beck, 1241 13th street, on Monday, Apr. 22. Guests were Mmes. Catherine L. Moore, Georgia Jones and Helen T. Danforth. Other members attending were Mmes. Ruth Moore, Capitola Jones, Ada Jefferson, Maybelle Jefferson, Adelaide Brinker and Mollie Beverly. The group discussed current events before enjoying a lovely breakfast prepared by the hostess.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, May 5 at 11 a.m. the Lord's Supper will be observed. Rev. N. R. Olphin will give a Communion meditation.

The Inspirational choir of which Mrs. Doris Wade is directress, will sing at the 7 p.m. services.

Monday, May 6 at 6 p.m. the annual Family night pot luck dinner will be held. All members are urged to participate in this fellowship. Following dinner a movie will be shown.

At 8 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings, May 6, 8, and 10, prayers will be held prior to the forthcoming revival that will be held at Corinthian on May 13-24.

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After a recent announcement about the U.S. Army's Graduate Program, Iowa's high school seniors have been rapidly applying for selected technical schools. These schools are reserved for them until after graduation.

Since courses are being filled faster than anticipated by Army officials, and in order for high school seniors to take full advantage of all available programs those interested are advised to contact Sgt. David Savage, Jr., at Room 108 Old Federal Bldg.,

Win Bowling Trophy

Mrs. Mercedes Price and Mrs. Barbara Robinson attended the Broadlawn Bowling banquet Saturday, Apr. 27 at the Latin King restaurant 2200 Hubbell. A delicious steak dinner was served and trophies were presented. Mrs. Robinson received a trophy for being on the team that took second place in the league. She also won a door prize. Mrs. Price is a practical nurse and Mrs. Robinson is a secretary at Broadlawn.

Des Moines, Iowa, or phone 243-2171 Ext. 553 for more information.

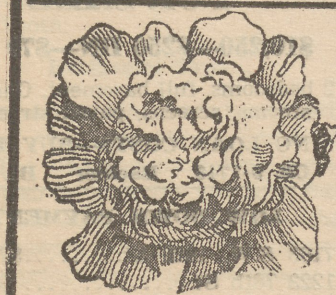
Harry Southers Wins WCTU Speech Contest

Harry Southers, 14, a Washington Irving Junior High School student, won a speech contest conducted Monday night by the Polk County Woman's Christian Temperance Union (W. C. T. U.) in the First Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Young Southers, winner among seven contestants, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Southers, 1051 Twelfth st. He received a silver medal.



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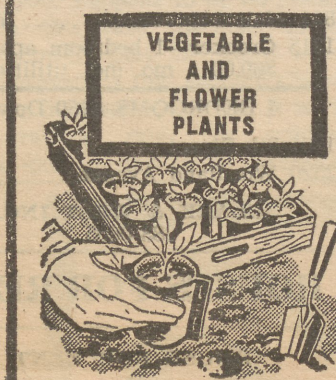


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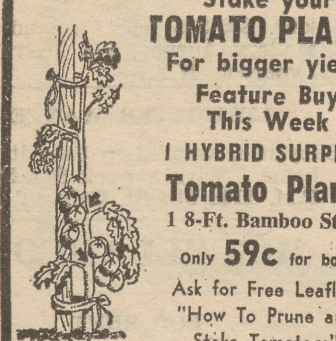


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SOCIETY

Central District Youth Department Holds Third Annual Style Show and Tea at Roadside Apr. 22

The Central District Youth Department held its third annual style show and tea at the Roadside Settlement on Monday evening, Apr. 22 with more than 66 models participating before a large crowd.

Mt. Olive Baptist had the largest number of models under the direction of Mrs. Katherine McFarland. They were Debra, Bert, Johnita and Sherry Burkett, Kathy and Bobbyette Elliston, Larry Singleton, Anita, Joyce and Nedion Townsell, Jr., Jonetta and Paula Walker, Raymond, Jr., and Judith Wright, Shawnee Bailey, Rene and Joan Robinson, James, and Edward Duffy, Holly and Dennis Wright, Gloria and Rosemary Calderon, Mayetta Crockett, Phyllis and Lois Ousley, Suzanne and Tawnya Peavy, Evelyn and Dona Miller, Revelle Carr, Diane and Romona Robinson, Lolita Fonza, Rose Anne Harris, Charlene, Clifford and Eddie Pack.

Models

Models from Corinthian Baptist were Becky Wilcoits, Tamarra Hayter, Doreen White, Karen Daniels, Tina Mitchell, Julie Wilcoits, Lynda

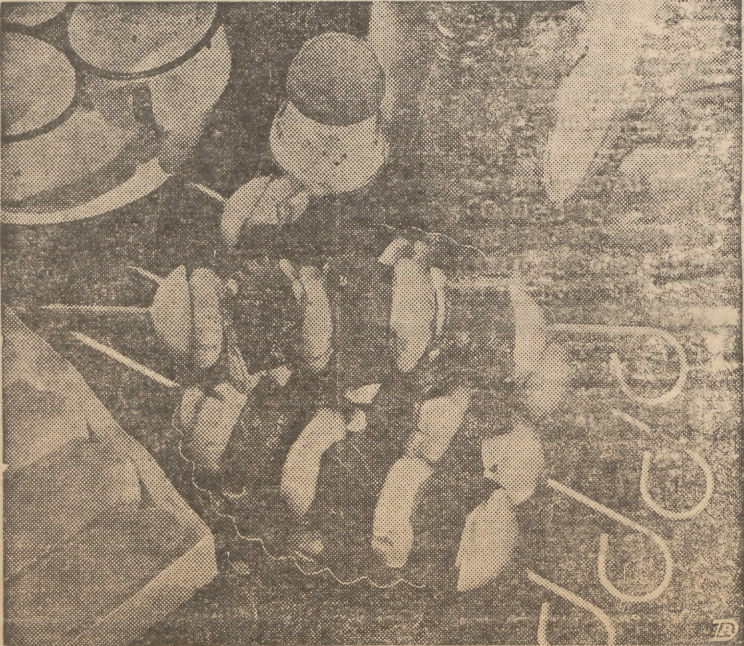
Lucas and Annette Dixon. From Maple Street Baptist were Nina, Jeannie and Anita McKee, Tina Miller and Rebecca Williams; Union Baptist church models were Melanie Payne, Cynthia and Carmelia Matthews; Mt. Hebron Baptist (West Des Moines) were Pamela, and Phyllis Swink, Mrs. Patricia Smiley and Trosi Smiley; Shiloh Baptist models were Linda and Pamela Hunt, Carolyn, George and Judith Clinton, and Ruth Ann Scott.

Narrators

Ladies modeling were Mesdames Dolores Alexander, Irene Swink, Barbara Robinson, and Roberta Pack. Narrators were Mrs. Lillian Robinson, Mrs. Lois Hunt, Maxine McNair, Barbara Robinson, Irene Swink, Beverly Burkett, Eleanor Duffy and Dolores Alexander.

In charge of the tea were Mesdames Beatrice Bailey, Hortense Broadus, Kathryn McFarland, Roberta Pack, Kathryn Wright, Barbara Burkett, and Maggie Bailey. Finance chairman was Mrs. Wilcox, Mrs. McClell Clinton is supervisor of the youth department.

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Linda Owsley Weds Rodney Hawkins in Apr. 21st Ceremony

On Sunday, Apr. 21 at 5 p.m. Linda Owsley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Owsley, 3100 Bowdoin, exchanged marriage vows with Rodney Hawkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hawkins, 662 26th street, in the lounge of Willkie House, 900 17th street. Rev. A. C. Crawford, pastor of Morning Star Baptist church, performed the ceremony.

The bride was attired in pale blue lace and organza gown with blue pumps and she wore a blue and white corsage. Her maid of honor was Tina Hogan, who also wore blue. The groom wore a white evening jacket with dark trousers. The best man, Michael McKay wore a dark suit. The bride's mother was attired in beige ensemble and the groom's mother wore pink.

A reception followed attended by 50 guests including relatives of the bride from Minneapolis, Minn. Calvin Sayers, Waterloo, Ia., took pictures of the happy event.

The couple received many lovely gifts. They are at home to friends at the home of the bride's parents.

Mrs. Gertrude Patton Visits from Chicago

Mrs. Gertrude J. Patton, Chicago, Ill., was a recent weekend visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Campbell, 908 Laurel street.

Judith L. Clinton, 8, Wins Superior Rating in Federation Contest

Judith Lillian Clinton, 8-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Clinton, 725 S.E. 25th court, received a superior rating in the piano solo, Primary II, in the recent National Federation Junior festivals held under the auspices of the Iowa Federation of Music Clubs.

Judith is a member of the Klavier music club, and is a pupil of Mrs. Delia Green Klein. She attends Scott elementary school.

Keokuk Residents Are House Guests

Mr. and Mrs. John Clay, Emmanuel Reynolds and Jackie Holder of Keokuk, Ia., were weekend house guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor, 1314 14th street. The visitors were in the city to attend the spring Masonic conference as representatives of Union Lodge No. 1. The Clays are parents of Mrs. Taylor. Mr. Clay is Worshipful Master of Union Lodge, and Mr. Reynolds, patron of Electa Chapter No. 17, O.E.S. Mr. Holder is past W.M.

Eaves Sisters Take Trip to Omaha

The Eaves sisters, Mesdames Ethel Jeffers, Adelaide Bowman, Beatrice Robinson and Myrtle Dixon, spent the weekend in Omaha, Nebr., as the house guest of their sister-in-law, Mrs. Marvel Eaves; on Saturday they attended the cinerama in Indian Hills and saw the "Wonderful World of Brothers Grimm."

They were dinner guests Saturday evening of their nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eaves. Mrs. Jeffers is a member of the Inspirational chorus of Corinthian Baptist church which appeared in a musical program at Zion Baptist church on Sunday afternoon.

Ten Key Club To Meet Friday

The Ten Key club will meet on Friday, May 3 at 778 12th street with Mrs. Madonna Carter as hostess. Mrs. Inice Carter is president.

novation during the social hour of the meetings. It seems the P.T.A. there now serve refreshments in the cafeteria prior to the meeting's openings, so everyone can relax and get acquainted over coffee and dessert.

By the way, Mrs. Lewis will begin her second consecutive year as president of the Washington Irving P.T.A.

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Theodosia Court No. V Entertains Mrs. Gladys Brown, Grand Royal Matron, Iowa Grand Court

Theodosia court No. V, R.E.O.A., entertained Mrs. Gladys Brown, Grand Royal Matron, of Iowa Grand Court and Jurisdiction, on Sunday, Apr. 21 at the Masonic Hall, 11th and Center streets.

Mrs. Brown gave an inspiring address on "Let Us Analyze Ourselves." She was presented with a lovely corsage of the four colors of the virtues, blue, yellow, white and green, and a beautiful white silk umbrella and white gloves.

Past Grand Royal Matrons and Patrons attending were Mesdames Helen

T. Danforth, Leona Jordan, Lessie Garrett, and Mr. Thomas Lighons. They were presented and given grand honors.

Mrs. Helen Johnson, Grand Secretary and Mrs. Iver Jean Bailey, Grand Lecturer of Marshalltown, Ia., also attended. Mrs. Bailey gave a demonstration on the conferring of the degree.

At the close of the meeting the entertainment committee had two beautifully decorated tables of delicious food prepared to serve. Mrs. Emma Williamson is Royal Matron and John Danforth, Royal Patron.

Ebonettes Club Will Meet Friday

The Ebonettes club, social club for girls at Willkie House, will meet on Friday, May 3 at 7:15 p.m. at Willkie House, 900 17th street. They will hear a talk by Mrs. Eleanor Van Dyke, family relations teacher at Des Moines Technical high, on the subject, "Early and Mixed Marriages." A film will be shown. All members are urged to attend and bring a guest.

The group recently heard a talk on poise, charm and hair styling by Mrs. Betty June Dixon.

Frances Harper WCTU Will Meet May 9

The Frances Harper W.C.T.U. will meet on Thursday, May 9 at the home of Mrs. Zolia Elliot, 1186 13th street. The president, Mrs. Rosa E. Wilson, urges the attendance of all members.

The unit met Thursday, Apr. 25 at the home of Mrs. Wilson, 844 15th street, and heard reports from various committee chairmen. Mrs. Sadie Jackson, child welfare chairman, reported that she, accompanied by Mrs. Wilson, presented an Easter basket to Tommette Duke, a patient at Blank Memorial hospital.

Mrs. Jessye Davis Visits in California

Mrs. Jessye Bell Davis, 1629 Walker street, has returned to Des Moines after an extended visit with her daughters, Mrs. Ruth Wyatt and Mrs. Josephine Rice, of Los Angeles, Calif.

D.D.M. Club Plans Outing to Adel

The Daughters of Des Moines will hold a social outing to Adel, Ia., on Sunday, May 5. The social chairman, requests all who plan to attend to meet at the Katz parking lot at 5:30 p.m.

The club will meet on Tuesday, May 7 at 8:30 p.m., at the YWCA with Mrs. Bamie Thompson as hostess. Mrs. Edith Sharp is president.

La Femmes to Meet With Elsie Robinson

The La Femme club meet on Thursday, May 9 at the home of Mrs. Elsie Robinson, 1354 E. 17th street. Further plans will be made for the presentation of the annual scholarship which will be given to a Valley High school graduate. Mrs. Erma Carr is president.

Woodland Little League Ladies Meet

The Woodland Little League Ladies Auxilliary will crown a queen on Sunday, May 5 at Good park. The president, Mrs. Jackie Taylor, will crown the queen and present her with a prize. Contestants are Sherry Lee Perry, Johnetta Taylor, Brenda Gaslin and Armetta Terrell.

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Sheilah Dixon Becomes Bride of Harry Miers On Sunday Afternoon

Sheilah Dixon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dixon, 771 13th street, was married to Harry Miers, Omaha, Nebr., on Sunday, Apr. 28 at 5 p.m. in a wedding ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. Oscar Peavy, pastor of Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion church, officiated with the immediate family and close friends attending.

Maid of honor was Lynn Dixon, sister of the bride. Searcy Smith was best man. A reception followed. The couple will make their home in Omaha.

Entre Nous Club Will Meet Sunday

The Entre Nous federated club will meet on Sunday, May 5 at 4 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Grace Wade, 1442 E. 17th court.

Hi Span Federated Holds Drake Relays Dance, Other Activities

Hi Span club held its Drake Relays dance for young adults at the Knights of Columbus hall on Saturday night. Carol Jennings was voted queen by public consent and crowned with a lovely tiara and presented with a dozen long stemmed roses.

The club met Sunday at the home of Mrs. Marjorie LeMay, 1214 15th street. Plans were made for a cook-out on Saturday, May 4 for the entertainment of their "little sisters," the Shannettes girls club of Willkie House. Weather permitting it will be held at MacRae park.

On Apr. 24 the club raffled a ham which was won by Glenn Saylor and bacon which was won by Mrs. Gwen Semple. In addition a stork surprise shower was held in honor of Mrs. Faye Bruce at the home of Mrs. Leona Payne, 1143 Enos. The honoree received many lovely gifts.

Visit in Chicago

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Rhone, their son, David Rhone and Mrs. Sequoyah Bueford are in Chicago at the bedside of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Blossom Brewton who is critically ill. Mrs. Brewton is the niece of Mr. Bueford.

Mason City Couple Visits in Des Moines

Mr. and Mrs. McNiel, Mason City, Ia., are visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Perkins, 3501 27th place.

Mary Church Terrell Club Holds Social

Mary Church Terrell club held a social night at the home of Mrs. Nellie Esters, 1423 Center street. Previous program meetings were held at the homes of Mrs. A. A. Alexander and Mrs. Joan Bullock.

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Buxton Club Holds Mardi Gras Dance

The Buxton Club's Annual Mardi Gras was held Apr. 6, 1963 at the UAW Union Hall with more than 500 people attending. They were dressed in all kinds of costumes, colorful and gay. The king and queen were Mr. and Mrs. Fred McAlley of 1414 Goodard Court, who received crowns and a token from the club. They were dressed in hand made Indian costumes.

Winner of the Pot of Gold was Mrs. Ollie Sanders of 1296 DeWolf. The grand march was lead by the club's president, Mrs. Margie Brown.

The club also held their regular business meeting at the Craftsman club, Apr. 20. The club decided to adjourn for the year on May the 18th with a breakfast climaxing the activities for the season.

V.F.W. Post No. 5487 Selects Officers

One Sunday, Apr. 28, the following officers were elected for V.F.W. Post No. 5487: James S. Clyce, commander; Al Pettit, senior vice commander; Frank Moore, Jr., vice commander;

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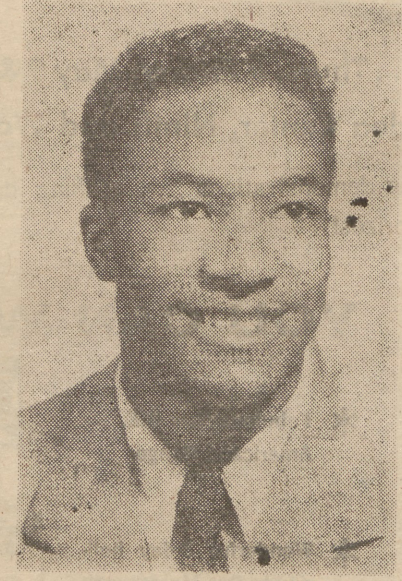
Weatherwise it was a lousy weekend but it didn't seem to dampen the spirit and activities of varied groups. A lot of things were going on including Drake Relays, parade, races and social events accruing to it, Masonic spring conference, polio clinics, and other activities.

We gave up the idea of attending the Relays at the Stadium as we do not have the physical stamina nor fanaticism of the 15,000-plus who attended. However, we watched, with our family, from the warm, dry enclosure of our car, the parade and admiringly, but wondering too, how the participants marched along with such enthusiasm. We did this after getting out early to get our annual polio shot for postal employees and their families; the shots which had been advertised as painless by the new jet-gun process, turned out to have just a little shocking "sting." In the words of one of our youngsters, "I'll take the needle any day."

Despite the rain, the youngsters of the 5-7 year-old groups of Des Moines Jack and Jill, got together at the home of Mrs. Corliss Williams, 6215 Windsor drive, and brighten things up by making colorful May baskets. In between they also got in some rehearsing on their play scheduled to be presented later this month.

Before we forget about it, we also

gave the wrong high school for Morris Claytor, who recently won a hair styling contest in Chicago. Morris



CLAYTOR

graduated from East not North high, as we reported.

Last Thursday, we spent the day at the 8th district P.T.A. spring conference in Indianola, Ia. We were accompanied by Mrs. Norma Fox, and represented Moulton school. We ran into many old friends from Nash school and also heard the principal of Washington Irving junior high, Mr. Emanuel, praise Mrs. Woodrow Lewis, P.T.A. president, for her in-

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THE PUBLIC MUST

REBEL AGAINST THIS

America is spending billions of dollars for foreign aid for underdeveloped peoples and countries that have not been able to finance themselves. Millions go into the Peace Corps, which is sending hundreds of citizens everywhere, except behind the Iron Curtain, to teach people how to live and develop their civilization in line with democracy as America knows it.

Much of this foreign aid goes to help fight communism in Asia and Africa; much to maintain our armed forces to protect the lives of citizens of foreign governments. In fact, we are trying to act as a big philanthropic brother of the whole free world.

It is often said that a man must get his own house in order before attempting to clean up that of another. But somehow America does not chose to do this.

Last week, a white man convinced that segregation was wrong and a detriment to America, chose to walk from Baltimore to Mississippi to deliver a personal message to Gov. Barnett against the mistreatment of Negroes. He was waylaid and shot to death by a coward who was bold enough to take the life of a man who opposed his views on integration and sought, in his own way, to do something about it.

An arrest has been made, the party charged with murder and the whole nation waits the outcome of court action.

For years, the white people in the South who dared to insist on fair treatment of Negroes have been dubbed "Nigger Lovers." In fact many who had the desire to change conditions fear to act because economic sanctions and social ostracism were the result. Now not only Negro but their lives are threatened.

Public officials have winked at this attitude and in many instances have encouraged it. They have failed or refused to uphold the law. They have allowed an atmosphere to exist which made the rabble feel that they can commit any kind of depredation and feel safe that their vicious acts will go unburnished. It is the kind of attitude among the people of Alabama which cost the life of a man who dared campaign peacefully for integration.

EXTRA SERVICE TO
SENIOR CITIZENS

Many companies and organizations are rendering community service to citizens of Des Moines about which the public generally is not informed. Some are more glamorous than others and thus are known about by more people.

A unique service is being rendered by the Des Moines Transit Company, which, for years, has offered senior citizens an opportunity to ride anywhere in the city for half fare.

Not only does this offer older citizens a reduced fare, just as the internal revenue gives them additional exemptions and deduction for all medical expenses, but it provides recreation at a nominal charge so that these people can travel over the city and see much they have not had an opportunity to do during their earlier busy years.

Applicants for passes must be 65 years and older and make less than \$1200 per year above pensions and/or social security. Passes may be used from 10 to 2 and after 6 p.m. daily and all day Sunday and holidays. The arrangement helps the elderly people avoid the stream of heavy traffic.

There are approximately 5000 of these passes in use today which may be acquired by requesting an application from the company office.

So far as we know this is the first company to adopt the reduced fares for senior citizens and is an indication of the Des Moines Transit Company's program to serve all the people of the Des Moines area.

HAVE YOUR GROUP JOIN
ANNIVERSARY EDITION

Notices have been sent to most Des Moines churches, clubs and lodges, inviting their participation in the Bystander Anniversary. Local and statewide groups are urged to participate in order to reach a larger segment of the city and state. Write or call the office today for details.

Rain and Wind Didn't Deter Drake Relays
Attendance, Athlete's Performances

By Staff Writer

The rains came, and the winds blew, but so often and consistently has this happened that Drake Relays fans have accustomed themselves to this inevitability and thus come prepared.

So it was at this 54th annual Relays classic at Drake Stadium Saturday attended by 15,000 loyal fans attired in such assorted rain armor as the traditional raincoat and umbrella, surplus army rain suits and hunting outfits.

No Detering

Just like other Drake Relays in the past, the rains came and the winds blew but did not deter attendance nor dampen the competitive spirit of its athletes nor cloud its color and pageantry nor drowned its thrills.

Often in a downpour the athletes sped right along, splattering orange-colored water from the wet cinders. Because of this the runners had a triple purpose in stepping right along: to win, to keep warm and to avoid artistically being splattered from head to toe by the leaders.

100 Yard Dash

In the popular star-studded 100-yard dash, always a thriller, Omaha's Roger Sayers, who the night before was apprehensive about running because his school had been suspended, won a close one from Nate Adams of Purdue and Trenton Jackson of Illinois. All three clocked at :09.6.

Texas Southern

The boys from Texas Southern (Houston), speedsters who believe in winning in a big way, did just that by winning four championships. They won the 440, the half mile, mile and sprint medley relays. Captain Major Adams, Lester Milburn, Charles White, Wes Blackman, leadoff man Ray Saddler, Overton Williams, Herb Stevens, Maurice Hobson, combined their talent to win these races.

Loyola's O'Hara

In the two-mile, however, leadoff man Saddler got off to a slow start and left too big a deficit for Anchorman Adams, who lost out to fleet Tom O'Hara of Loyola, and came in third.

Taylor Brothers

Grambling, the boys from Louisiana, had a host of good runners and came in second to Texas Southern in the 440. They came in third in the 880. Northeast Missouri State Teachers, who has Charles Taylor, a former Des Moines speedster, came in second to the Texans in the sprint medley.

Another tight finish and thrill of the Drake Relays came in the distance medley race with California's Stanford talented miler Harry McCalla and Southern Illinois' Brian Turner forcing a judges' caucus to determine the winner. So close was the race that both were clocked at 9:54.6.

Drake U.

Drake university, in the one-mile freshmen-junior college relay, made a good showing by coming in third behind Abeline Christian and Southern Illinois with the time 3:18.3.

State University of Iowa furnished a thrilling finale to this annual cinder classic by coming from behind to win the championship in the mile-university relay in 3:13.5. Abeline Christian was second and Oklahoma third.

High School

In high school competition North of Des Moines led by Clyde Duncan and Roosevelt were the shining stars. Roosevelt gave a fine showing winning the mile and 880 while North won the 440 and Duncan won the 100-yard-dash for North in Friday's event with :09.6.

An interesting extra added attraction was the girls 440 relay won by Manilla in :52.9.

In the Finals

This year's records totaled nine. Fred Hansen of Rice university (Houston, Tex.), leaped 15 feet 7 1/4 inches in the pole vault event but missed 16-feet after three tries. Dyrrol Durlleson ran a Drake relays record 4:05.4 mile to beat his old record of 4:06.7 set while he was at Oregon in 1959. Danny Roberts of Texas A. & M. in a test of strength in the shot putt circle hurled the 16-pound steel ball 57 feet 6 inches.

Negro Golfer Gets
"Hole-In-One" In
Greensboro Tourney

Greensboro, N. C. — Pete Brown, one of only two Negro golfers playing in the Greensboro tournament here last week, won a great distinction when he hit a "hole-in-one" to become the only contestant to accomplish the feat.

Although he finished way below the money winners, Brown won a special "pot" set aside for persons accomplishing the rare feat.

Ranking Negro golfer Charlie Sifford, who won \$620 in the tournament, and Brown were the only two Negro players in the tournament. Sifford became the first Negro golfer to play in the Greensboro tournament several years ago.

And do you know we saw our first relay a long time ago and figured we have seen 40 of them all told. We will probably have to see that many more before we see a lineup such as the final race in the college quarter mile relay. There were six Negro teams, Texas Southern, Central State, West Texas, Lincoln U., Grambling, and Northeast Missouri. No wonder a fellow said, "This is the beatenest thing I ever saw in my life."

When the teams returned for the half mile relay one fellow said "I see they are going to let a couple of white boys run in this one."

High School

We watched the Des Moines boys in their various races: Clyde in the 100-yard dash, Dave Lee in the mile and Darryl Green and Jack Carter in the hurdles for Tech. We wondered where each boy would go to college or if he would. Bob Williams of Tech who ran second to Duncan in the 100 and who ran a couple of fine races in relays although miles behind when he got the baton, looked like a fine college prospect.

Central State

Then we watched the college performers take over. The crowd suddenly found out there were some more Negro schools here besides Texas Southern. Central State which used to be called Wilberforce made its presence known. Their hurdlers ran off with the 440 prelim race and set a new record. Their broad jumper came up with a good leap in that event. Then as their sprint medley team chased Texas Southern to a new relay record in a preliminary race, folks began to wonder where this school was or is.

Every time the announcer would remind the crowd that one of the Taylor boys of Des Moines was running for North East Missouri, something happened to the team. Maybe the guy jinxed them.

Coach Wright

Of course Texas Southern was there with their coach, Stan Wright, referee of the college section, the first Negro so honored. These boys won their four races and finished one second, and one third. They also ran to a new record in the sprint medley relay. Central State got a third and a couple of fourth place finishes.

Little John

Oh, yes, there was this six-foot six-inch guy named Little John from Western Michigan who won the high jump on Friday. There were so many fine races by athletes of both races Saturday that it wouldn't really be fair to try to record here the doings of just the many Negroes. But they did score a blanket finish from first to third in the 100 with Roger Sayers of Omaha, Nate Adams of Purdue and Trenton Jackson of Illinois.

Prentiss Gautt Is
State's Physical
Fitness Director

Oklahoma City, Okla. — Prentice Gautt, fleet St. Louis Cardinals half-back and the first Negro varsity player at the University of Oklahoma, scored another "first" when he was named by Oklahoma Governor Henry Bellman as the state's physical fitness director.

The appointment of Gautt was reported to be part of President Kennedy's nationwide fitness program. Gautt's salary was not disclosed, but it was believed to be in the double figures.

Gautt's first official act as Oklahoma's physical chief was to participate in a two-day meeting of other regional directors from throughout the nation in Washington, D. C., on April 25. The fact-finding meeting to determine how the physical fitness program is progressing in the United States.

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Thoughts for Today

Be thrifty in money matters . . . but never save your laughter.

Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore, get wisdom: and with all thy getting get understanding." . . . Proverbs of Solomon.

Laugh Lines

Two youngsters were sitting spell-bound in he barbershop watching the barber give a customer a hair singe. As the taper and scissors moved expertly over the man's hair suddenly one boy turned to the other exclaiming: "Look! He's searching for them with a flame thrower!"

Father-Son Swim
Course at YMCA

Y.M.C.A. Physical department has scheduled a Father-Son swim course for men with 6, 7 and 8-year-old sons. Regular youth memberships in the "Y" are not given boys under 8 1/2 years old.

The course will start June 15 and continue for 10 Saturdays until Aug. 17. Instruction will be given in three classes: at 9 a.m. for 6 year old boys; 10 a.m. for the 7 year olds, and 11 a.m. for those who are eight. Each class will be limited to 30 persons.

5th Instructional
Soap Derby Clinic

Completing and covering your car will be the theme for the fifth of six instructional clinics for Soap Box Derby Boys, to be held from 9:30 a.m. until 11 a.m. May 4 at the Y.M.C.A.

There are 131 boys enrolled in Soap Box Derby, building their cars for the race to be run July 14 on East Locust.

The winner receives a \$500 bond and a trip to Akron, Ohio, where he will represent Des Moines in the All American Soap Box Derby.

INTERVIEW WITH WILKINS
FEATURED IN MAGAZINE

Washington—"U. S. News & World Report" features a seven-page interview with Roy Wilkins, executive secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, in the weekly magazine's issue of April 22.

In answers to a series of questions, Wilkins sets forth the goals of Negro Americans today and describes their mood as "one of impatience with the speed with which the Negro comes into the status of full citizenship."

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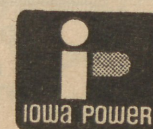
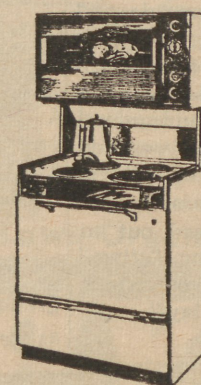
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