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PASSENGERS INCLUDED TWO BABIES

2 Drown; 4 Rescued in D.M. River

Birmingham Riot Follows Bombings of Houses

Motor Rips Loose from Back of Boat While Heading for Life Jackets

Receives God and Country Award

Robert Webb-Bey, Jr., 14, became the fifth member of the Boy Scout groups sponsored by AMVETS to be awarded one of the highest honors bestowed on a Boy Scout.

On Sunday, May 12 he was presented the God and Country Award at Bible Baptist church, 1768 Walker



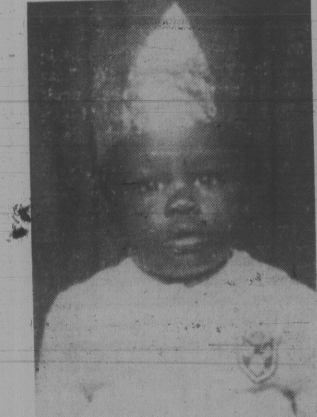
ROBERT WEBB-BEY, JR.

street, from the Rev. Ezell Wiggins. Robert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Webb-Bey, 1529 E. 19th street and is a member of Troop V, led by Williams Robinson. — Photo courtesy of Des Moines Tribune.

Wins Baby Contest In Cedar Rapids

Cedar Rapids, Ia. — The baby contest sponsored by the Pastor's Aid of the Mt. Zion Baptist church was a great success. Little W. A. Anders, was crowned "King" for bringing in the highest amount of \$165.00.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Anders. Second place was won by the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E.



"KING" ANDERS

Hammond with \$125.00. Third place went to the third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Miller with \$55. Mrs. Eve Smith is president and Rev. Percy Burt, pastor.

Y Men's Club Plan Dinner

John Wymore, executive director of Polk County Conservation Board, will be guest speaker at a dinner meeting of Des Moines Y's Men's Club Thursday, May 16, at Central Y.M.C.A. His talk, "Polk County Parks", will be illustrated with colored slides. New officers of the club will be installed.

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.

State Police Quells Trouble; U.S. Troops Stand by in Readiness

Birmingham, Ala. — The southern city, stronghold of die-hard political segregationists was in the grip of an uneasy quiet Wednesday morning while U.S. Troops dispatched on orders of President Kennedy stood by in readiness following riots and bombings here Sunday night.

Bombings

The riot, worst of its kind in the wave of sit-in and pray-in demonstrations, was precipitated when two separate bombings heavily damaged the home of integration leader, Rev. A. D. King, brother of Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr., and the A. G. Gaston Motel, headquarters for desegregation leaders during the campaign to break Birmingham's rigid segregation barriers. The bombings occurred late Saturday night. Three persons inside the motel were injured. No member of the King family was injured although they all were at home in a rear room at the time.

Leaders

In the past week, events have changed rapidly in this city, regarded as the last stronghold of segregation. A 24-hour truce was called when reports of a mutual agreement and capitulation to meet the demands of Negroes and their leaders, was announced. Dr. King and Rev. A. B. Abernathy who were jailed briefly, were released, and halted the truce as a "great victory" because the jailing of demonstrators had virtually stopped.

Bi-Racial Pact

Two days later a bi-racial pact was announced in which business leaders agreed to desegregate lunch counters in stores. This all important concession has been placed in jeopardy by

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Deltas Give Awards To Four in 'Youth Speaks Up' Series

At a program which ended the "Youth Speak Out" series sponsored for junior high students of Washington Irving and Callanan, four youths were honored for excelling in their groups.

They were Carla Jefferson, Caroline May, Mark Sidnor, and Irvin Cheatom, all of Washington Irving. They were judged on the basis of improvement in their school, church, community and personal relationship. Sponsoring the discussion groups and making awards was Phi chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, who attempted the project in celebration of the 50th national organization of Deltas.

The sorority also honored Mrs. Harold Goldman, for her "untiring efforts and personal dedication to securing fair employment opportunities for all persons on basis of qualifications for employment." Mrs. Goldman was most active during present Legislative session and worked for the passage of the Fair Employment Practices Bill.

The leaders of the Youth groups who also gave untiringly of their services were presented certificates of appreciation. They were Ernest Russell, Executive Secretary, Des Moines Commission of Human Rights, James Bethel, Community Consultant from Glenwood State Hospital and Marion Williams, board member of Wilkie House.

LAST WEEK FOR REGISTRATION

This will be the last week for Des Moines residents who are not registered to register in order to become eligible to vote in the special election, MAY 28th.

The city clerk's office, second floor of City Hall, East First and Locust streets, will be open from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Saturday this week for voter registration and for accepting changes of address from persons already registered.

CORE Group On Way To Alabama

Chattanooga, Tenn. — An interracial group of CORE members from various parts of the country are assembling here on their way to Fort Payne, Alabama to take protest action against the jailing of 10 Freedom Walkers. The walkers, members of CORE and SNCC, were arrested May 3 as they crossed the state line in an attempt to complete the walk started by William Moore who was murdered on April 23.

President's Committee Report 1040 Job Bias Complaints Handled; 698 Still Pending

Washington, D.C. — The President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity reported today that it has completed action on a total of 1,040 complaints of denial of equal employment opportunity in government contract, employment during the two years since it started operations in April, 1961.

698 Pending

Still pending are 698 complaints of discrimination because of race, creed, color or national origin in employment by government contractors, Vice President Lyndon B. Johnson, chairman of the Committee, announced. The pending cases either are awaiting review by the Committee or are still under investigation by the contracting agencies, he said.

Dismissals

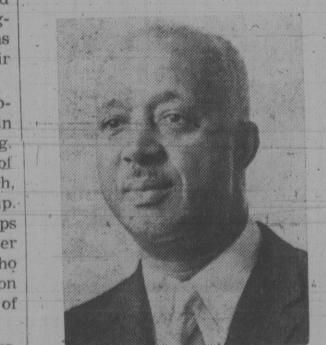
Of the 1,040 cases completed, 141 were dismissed for lack of jurisdiction because the employers did not hold government contracts. Of the remaining 899 cases, 644 or 72 per cent resulted in findings of discrimination and the taking of corrective action to eliminate discrimination and insure equal opportunity.

The Vice President pointed out that the 1,738 complaints filed with the Committee during the two years compared with a total of 1,042 complaints filed with the former President's Committee on Government Contracts during its seven and one-half years of operation. The corrective action rate of the previous committee was 20 per cent compared with the 72 per cent rate for the past two years.

Public Mass Meeting Sun. Will Celebrate 'Freedom Sunday'

"Freedom Sunday," commemorating the 9th anniversary of the U. S. Supreme court decision on public school desegregation, will be observed in Des Moines with a public mass meeting on Sunday, May 19 at 4 p.m. at Corinthian Baptist church, 9th and School streets.

The event will be sponsored by the Des Moines branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, Rev. N. R. Olphin, host pastor, is also chairman of the "Freedom Sunday" committee and will serve as master of ceremonies. The entire program will be in charge of ministers in Des Moines.



REV. OLPHIN

than 150 invitations had been mailed and the response had "been excellent." At the planning meeting Wednesday committees were formed to



RUSSELL

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world and particularly in the South. The senior choir of Burns Methodist church will sing. Other members of the "Freedom Sunday" committee are the Reverends Seymour Gaines, E. P. Williams and George Parrish. They are assisted by the Reverends R. D. Smith, R. L. Ryles, Oscar Peavy and Kenneth McNeil.

NEWS In A Nutshell

Atlantic City, N.J. — At the biennial election of officers and members of the executive committee of the National Council of Catholic Men at its national convention recently, Dr. Eugene B. Perry, Houston, Tex., was named to the board.

Kansas City, Mo. — A plan to set up an all-Negro unit, under the command of a Negro officer, in the Kansas City police department was abandoned when the officer who was slated to be in charge refused to accept the assignment.

Chicago, Ill. — An ex-convict who has served three years in Pontiac, Mich., prison on a robbery charge and a member of the Chicago police canine corps were arrested here last week and charged with illegally operating a police training school. Their 11 students all equipped with badges and revolvers, were also taken into custody.

Birmingham, Ala. — Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., disclosed here last week how singer Harry Belafonte came to his aid with \$60,000 raised for use as bail money for persons arrested during the height of the current Birmingham anti-segregation demonstrations.

New York — Talented actress Diannah Carroll of "No Strings" Broadway fame, last week was among a number of entertainers nominated for the annual national Emmy Awards of the Academy of Television Arts and Sciences.

Detroit, Mich. — The Village of Inkster's two Negro councilmen were re-elected last week. They are Clyde A. Hamlin and Leone S. Carroll.

Chicago — Singer Pearl Bailey, an all-out performer, went to such an extent to please her theatre audience at the Tivoli last week that she collapsed from exhaustion after completing a matinee show.

Charleston, Mo. — Eight members of the Jesse Jackson family died in a fire here last week that destroyed their farm home two miles east of Charleston.

Kansas City, Mo. — Vernice M. Murray, top girl winner in the Greater Kansas City Science Fair, has been awarded a four-year scholarship to the University of Missouri.

Washington, D.C. — Leslie Uggams, star of "Sing Along with Mitch" television show got a firm handshake from President Kennedy when she entertained him and other guests at the 50th Anniversary Celebration of the U.S. Labor Department.

Polio Clinic At Plumbers Hall Sat.

A low-cost Polio Clinic will be held at the Plumbers & Steamfitters Hall, 124 Washington Ave., on May 18th (Saturday) from 9:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. Shots are given under medical supervision and the hypodermic injection gun will be used. First, second, third and Booster Shots will be available. The charge is 50c per shot.

A 19-year-old Des Moines mother who insisted on taking her two infant daughters along on a boat ride because she thought it would be safe, became one of the victims when the motor on the 14-foot craft pulled loose as six passengers headed for shore to get life preservers.

Victims in the drowning, late Sunday afternoon in the Des Moines river near Birdland

park were Barbara Ashby of 919 Grove avenue, and James Slaughter, 41, of 1145 9th street, father of five children. Rescued were Barbara's two daughters, Marsha, 3 months and Jacqueline, 11 months; Barbara's sister, Benita Ashby, 11 of 919 Grove and James Walden, 29, of 922 Laurel street.



WALDEN

Since the tragedy police have been dragging the river for the bodies, but have been unsuccessful, as the

Webb, Common-Law Wife Killed in Double Murder

In a gloomy-weather weekend that was rendered more gloomy by two separated incidents of four violent deaths, a Des Moines man and his estranged common law wife were shot to death here early Sunday morning.

Victims in the double slayings were Vaughn Rufus Webb, 51, of 1245 Sampson street and Mrs. Lola Mae Webb, 51 of 906 Shaw street. Both were dead on arrival at Broadlawns Polk County hospital.

2 Murder Charges

Held on two open charges of murder in connection with the shooting was Charles Arthur Morgan, 64, of 906 Shaw street. He is being held in Polk County Jail without bond pending preliminary hearing on May 29. Morgan also signed a confession police reported.

Detective Lt. Paul Nessen said Morgan and the Webbs apparently had been out drinking together during the night and had returned to the Webb home. He said the shootings occurred during an argument in Morgan's car about 8 a.m. while it was parked in the driveway of the Morgan home.

Separation

Investigating officers reconstructed the apparent events. Mrs. Webb had been living at the Morgan home, caring for Morgan's invalid wife. She and Webb had apparently been separated about two years.

After the shooting Morgan went

Elks Hold State Oratorical Contest In Davenport May 5

The annual state oratorical contest sponsored by the Elks and Temples was held in Davenport, Ia., on Sunday, May 5.

First place winner was T. Ella Anderson, Waterloo. Ruth Ann Gaines, Des Moines, second place and third place winners were Charlene Harper, Davenport, and James Collins, Cedar Rapids.

The King and Queen contest was won by Mrs. Bernice Carter, Rose Temple No. 33, and N. E. Tillman, Hawkeye Lodge No. 160, both of Des Moines. Second place went to Mrs. Frances Wells, of Emma V. Kelly Temple of Fort Dodge.

Bystander went to press despite some attempts at diving activities, because of the rising water from rainstorms.

The four victims were taken to Broadlawns Polk County hospital where they were treated for shock and exposure. The babies were given resuscitation by Clarence Croy, 5411 57th place, one of the men who aided in the rescue, and Kathy Norris, 17, 3017 Harding road.

No Life Preservers

Walden related this story of the accident. The six had gone in Slaughter's boat about 3 p.m. from Kline's Boat House. They had gone "up and down the river a few times" when Slaughter thought they had better go ashore to rent some life preservers.

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MRS. WEBB WEBB

into the house and asked his wife to call the police. Four shots were fired from a snub-nosed .38-caliber police special revolver that Morgan had apparently had during his 11 years as special police officer at the state fair.

4 Shots

One shot struck Mrs. Webb in the face. Three shots struck Webb—one in the shoulder and two in the face. Webb was employed as a laborer. Born in Eldon, Mo., he had lived in Des Moines 18 years and was a member of Maple Street Baptist church.

Survivors

Survivors include two sons, Vaughn R., Jr., and Michael David of Des Moines; five sisters, Mrs. Mary Dean and Mrs. Bertha Jenkins of Des Moines, Mrs. Mattie Bohannon of Sedalia, Mo., and Irene Castline and Mrs. Gracie Buckner of Columbus, Ohio, and two brothers, Herbert and Howard of Des Moines.

YWCA Dance Camp Slated at Boone

Beginning, June 23 and thru June 30th, the YWCA will hold the 2nd annual dance camp at the YW camp in Boone.

This unique camp was designed to give girls, between the ages of 8 and 18, the opportunity to experiment in those areas of dance which they are not already studying. Classes to be offered include: ballet, tap, acrobatics, modern jazz and character dance. This combined with such camping activities such as horseback riding, cook-outs, swimming and hikes, promises to be one of the most unique camp periods to be offered this summer.

HEALTH FOR ALL

A Back-ward Look

That old "aching back" may be responsible for more widespread human misery than any other condition except the common cold.

In earlier times, most backaches were diagnosed as "lumbago." It covered the subject (the word means "aching back") but it didn't add much to enlightenment.

Back Pain

Back pain can signal a wide variety of conditions, including arthritis, tuberculosis, nervous disorders, or diseases of the pelvic organs. But back troubles more often than not originate in the spine itself. Strained back muscles, for example, can result in damage to the disks of cartilage that separate the five lumbar vertebrae at the lower end of the spine.

Back Muscles

When the back muscles are weakened, these disks may become herniated or ruptured, with small blots of

the disk material squeezing out from between vertebrae and pressing on nerves of the spine. This condition, virtually guaranteed to bring outraged yells of pain from the victim, is commonly (though not quite accurately) known as "slipped disk."

Strains

How to avoid excessive back strains? One way is to lift weights correctly and with caution. Most women should avoid lifting more than 25 pounds; a man should never lift more than half his weight. In lifting, place your feet close to the base of the object, bend your knees outward, and then push up with your legs. Use your legs as levers—not your back.

Regular exercise, sleeping on a firm mattress and avoidance of sudden stresses or strains will help, too. If you have a shoddy job get up and take a "walking walk" every now and then.

—Information Service of Polk County Tuberculosis and Health Association

91 Delegates Attend 11th Links Central Regional in Nashville

Ninety-one delegates and visiting Links attended the 11th Central Area Meeting of the Links Inc. held recently at First University Campus, Nashville, Tenn.

Links were welcomed to the city by the Fifth District U.S. Representative Richard Fulton, who took this occasion to announce that he will have a Negro secretary on his Washington staff by June 1. Congressman Fulton will be the first member of any Tennessee Congressional delegation to appoint a Negro to his Washington staff.

Greetings

Greetings were also brought by Mr. Donald Washburn, Administrative Assistant to Metropolitan Nashville Mayor Beverly Briley; Dean George N. Redd, First University; President Harold D. West, Meharry Medical College; and Dr. J. A. Payne, Dean of Students, A and I State University. These outstanding men noted the significant role women at the leadership level are and can continue to make to the welfare of our country.

Theme

The breadth and depth of such contributions were discussed and emphasized throughout the two-day conference which had as its theme "Centennial Year Target—Equality of Opportunity for All Youth." Dr. Zelma Watson George in an eloquent and masterful address, "Seven Youth Challenges to Links," set into focus the dynamic role to be played by Link members in their communities.

Social affairs were full and attractive. The two day event ended with a banquet program.

Mrs. Alta Herndon, president of the Des Moines chapter, attended the sessions.

Birmingham

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the resulting bombings and rioting and the resulting calling in of troops by President Kennedy. The bringing in of federal troops into the state have been fiercely protested by Alabama's governor, George Wallace and Police Commissioner Eugene (Bull) Connor.

Injured

In the rioting 50 persons were injured and taken to hospitals. Hundreds of Negroes swarmed into the streets, setting fires to cars and buildings, stoning police as they at-

The Judge Glantons Had House Guest

Judge and Mrs. Luther T. Glanton, Jr. and son, Sgt. Keith, spent their weekend house guest, Nelson Nichols, executive director of the Urban League in Omaha, Neb.

Judge Glanton to Speak in Houston

Judge Luther T. Glanton, Jr. will leave Friday for Houston, Tex., where he will speak at the Southeast branch of the YMCA and which Quinny Mease, formerly of Des Moines, is executive director.

Judge Glanton returned from Des Moines, Ia., Tuesday where he spoke to the American Association of University Women. He was accompanied by Mrs. Glanton.

Drowning

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Just as they headed for shore the "back part" of the boat, where the motor was, sank. Two men tried desperately to secure the motor but the boat took on water and sank in 30 seconds, so a spectator said.

As they all fell into the water screaming for help, Waldeen grabbed for one of the children, as several others in boats nearby rushed to the rescue. They included Croy, Herman Schweiker and his son, 15, 1320 43rd street, Kenneth Harrison of LeGrand and Dr. Robert Young, 5610 Waterbury Circle.

Could Not Swim

Waldeen said he didn't know if his daughter could swim and that Barbara could "a little."

Waldeen said Barbara had insisted on taking her daughters in the boat because she thought it would be safe. Lieutenant Leaming said the boat had a 35-horsepower motor, which he said, appeared to be too powerful for the boat.

Benita is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ashby, 919 Grove. Slaughter is survived by his wife, Jushita, and children, Lynette, 11, Charles, 10, Steven, 8, Craig, 6, and Lisa Renee, 3.

tempted to disperse the crowds, and firemen as they tried to stop the flames. Assisted by Negro ministers and Civil Defense leaders, the violence, which moderationists on both sides had attempted to prevent in earlier hours, was brought under control about 3 a.m. The city has been quiet since, with police patrolling the cordoned trouble area.

New Authors On Negro



MORROW

E. Frederick Morrow, a member of the White House executive staff during the administration of former President Dwight D. Eisenhower, has recorded his experiences, while in that post, in a book entitled "Black Man in the White House," published recently by Coward-McCann publishing company. Morrow is now vice president of the African-American Institute that is devoted to developing "cultural" relations between American Negroes and Africa.

—ANP Photos

NCCJ Plan 35th Anniversary Dinner

James P. Mitchell, former Secretary of Labor under President Eisenhower, and Vice-President for Industrial and Public Relations for Crown Zellerbach Corporation, San Francisco, California, will address the Thirty-fifth Anniversary Dinner of the National Conference of Christians and Jews, May 22 at the Hotel Port Des Moines.

Distinguished service citations in the field of human-relations will be awarded to Arthur T. Gormley, Louis I. Nussbaum, and William F. Poorman.

UNCF Creative Writing Winners

New York—First-prize checks of \$300 were presented today to each of the three winners of the third annual Creative Writing Contest sponsored by the United Negro College Fund and the Reader's Digest Foundation. Fred D. Thompson, vice president and director of advertising of Reader's Digest, made the awards at a luncheon in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel.

The three-category contest was open to undergraduate students enrolled in the member colleges and universities of the Fund. Monetta E. Reeves, senior at LeMoyne College, Memphis, Tenn., won first place for her short story, "Ronald-M. Walters, senior at First University, Nashville, Tenn., for his essay, and Georgiann Chandler, senior at Wiley College, Marshall, Texas, for her poem.

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WASHINGTON

Genos S. Washington, Imperial potentate, Prince Hall Shriners, announced in Chicago on eve of his departure for Baltimore where he addressed annual Grand Master's conference today, May 16, a donation by the Shriners of \$5,000 to the National Jewish Hospital in Denver. Washington, former member of the United States delegation to the United Nations General Assembly, said the Shriners have now contributed total of \$30,000 to the Denver medical institution.

—ANP Photos

Red Cross to Sew 800 Arab Garments

An appeal for women volunteers to join an unusual sewing bee was issued today by the Polk County Red Cross chapter.

Participating in a Red Cross international relief project, the Polk chapter will make 800 Arab-style woolen garments called "djellabans."

The garments are needed next fall by millions of persons in Algeria left homeless by civil strife and related events. Mrs. H. Kent Whitmore, chairman of the chapter's office of volunteers, said the Polk chapter is one of over 50 of the larger American Red Cross chapters working on the project.

WALDORF SIGN JOB PACT

New York City—New York's famed Waldorf-Astoria Hotel has reached a fair employment agreement with New York CORE following a campaign which started in mid-March and was marked by nightly picketing of the hotel.

As a result of the picketing, the Urban League of Greater New York transferred to another hotel a banquet which it had scheduled at the Waldorf on March 25. That evening, the City Commission on Human Rights initiated negotiations between CORE and the Waldorf which resulted in the present agreement.

When the protest against started, there were only four Negro waiters and no Negro waitresses among the 400 food and beverage service workers.

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Attention Graduates !!!

The annual page of high school graduates in Iowa will be published in the 59th anniversary issue of the Bystander on June 18. We are planning the best issue ever of pictures, features and anniversary ads ever.

If you plan to have your picture and writeup published, please do so before the deadline of Saturday, May 25. Mail or bring in your pictures, writeup and check for \$3 before then. If you have not received a letter or need additional information please contact the Bystander and ask for News editor or if you live out of town phone your news correspondent in your respective city or write the Bystander News editor for details. Your prompt consideration will be greatly appreciated by us.

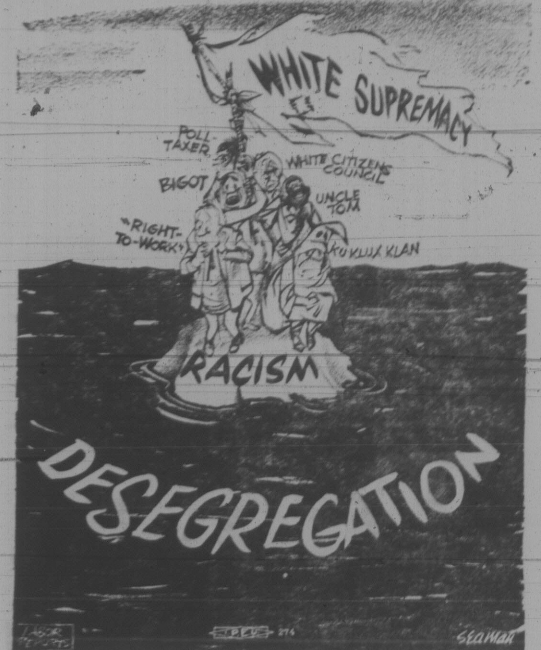
Austin Praised For Hotel Stand

Austin, Texas—This city in the heart of the "second largest state" in the U.S. was cited last week for the progress it has made in integration and racial harmony by Mrs. Alice A. Dunnigan, education consultant for the President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity.

Mrs. Dunnigan here to speak about the work of the committee, addressed a girls club which became the first all-Negro group to meet in the plush Driskill hotel in downtown Austin.

Only a few weeks before, noted American contralto, Marian Anderson, appearing in Austin in recital, occupied a suite at the hotel.

While in Austin, Mrs. Miss Anderson and Mrs. Dunnigan were honored guests at TV station KTBC, owned by Lady Bird Johnson, wife of Vice President Lyndon B. Johnson.



"Rally 'Round The Flag, Boys!"

CORE Field Secretary Arrested, Birmingham

Birmingham, Ala.—Among the masses of persons arrested in the current desegregation struggle here was Mary Hamilton, CORE field secretary. Isaac Reynolds, a member of CORE's Task Force, has been assigned full-time to work with Southern Christian Leadership Conference in coordinating the protest action.

Urge Workers, Captains To Attend Membership Report

James F. Dixon, chairman of the 1963 membership drive for the Des Moines branch of the National As-

sociation for the Advancement of Colored People, asks all workers and captains to attend a report meeting on Tuesday, May 21 at 7:30 p.m. at Wilkie House, 900 17th street, and bring in 50 per cent of the goal of 1200 members. Only 25 per cent has been reached at the present date.

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REMEMBER LOVED ONES

In the issue of May 23, which precedes Memorial Day, the Bystander will publish memoriams and other recognitions of deceased persons. Call AT 8-1904 for details.

CARD OF THANKS

Theodore Brewton and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rhone especially wish to thank Rev. N. R. Olphyn-Corinthian Choir, Estes & Son Funeral Home, organizations and the many friends and neighbors for their flowers, cards, telegrams and many other deeds of kindness shown at the time of the passing of our loved one, wife and daughter, Mrs. Blossom V. Brewton. Mrs. Brewton was supervisor of the mail division of the Cook County, Illinois treasurer's office and a former 5th Ward Republican precinct captain.

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BY VALETTA FIELDS
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The Waterloo Branch NAACP launched its membership drive Wednesday, May 15. Rev. L. J. Jordan, membership chairman, announced. At the conclusion of the drive on June 15, there will be a mass meeting and Mr. Leonard Carter, regional secretary of Kansas City, Mo., will speak. There will also be officers and members of the state conference of branches present. Please respond when you are asked to join. Dr. Warren Nash is branch president.

The parents of Mr. Oma Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Wilcher Roberson of Sedalia, Mo., are here for a visit with him and with their granddaughter, Mrs. Sallie Houston.

Mr. William Jackson a teacher from Rockford, Ia., was in the city for Mother's Day.

Rev. Thomas E. Cooper, his choir and members of Wayman A. M. E. church, Rock Island, Ill., were guests of Semper Fidelis club of Payson A.M.E. on Sunday afternoon. As guest speaker Rev. Cooper took as his subject "Suffering for Christ's Sake." His choir supplied the music with Mrs. Cooper and accompanist delighted the congregation with "What a Mighty God We Serve." A request number by Rev. and Mrs. Cooper, "My God and I" with Mrs. Thomas Henderson as accompanist, was very well received.

Mrs. Adelaide Tanner, has as her house guest her sister, Mrs. Margaret Harvey of St. Louis, Mo.

Women's Day at Payne Memorial A.M.E. church is May 26. All are invited to hear Mrs. Clara Bayles of Des Moines, Ia., at 3:30 p.m. Special music by Women's Day chorus.

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NOTICE IN PROBATE

Will of ORA E. BROWNE, Deceased To Whom It May Concern:
YOU are hereby notified to appear at the Court House in Polk County, on the 4th day of June A.D. 1963, at 9 o'clock A.M., to attend the probate of an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of ORA E. BROWNE, 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 7th day of May, A.D. 1963.
(Seal)
MICHAEL H. DOYLE, JR.
Clerk District Court

MARY SEVERINO Deputy

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ORIGINAL NOTICE

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

Divorce No.

FRANKIE A. GESUALDO, Plaintiff,

vs.

MARY ETTA GESUALDO, Defendant.

TO THE ABOVE DEFENDANT:
You are hereby notified that a petition of the above named plaintiff in the above entitled action is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the above named Court, and which petition prays that the plaintiff be granted an absolute decree of divorce from the defendant, that the plaintiff be awarded the care, custody and control of Tony A. Gesualdo, the minor child of these parties, that the plaintiff be decreed to have all the right title and interest of the parties hereto in and to the household goods, furniture and furnishings of these parties, and such other relief further relief as to the Court shall seem just and equitable.

You are also hereby notified to appear before said court at Des Moines in Polk County, Iowa, on or before the 21st day of June, 1963, and that unless you so appear, your default will be entered and judgment or decree will be rendered against you for the relief demanded in the petition.

CLARENCE L. SPENCER
Attorney for Plaintiff
715 Savings & Loan Building
Des Moines 9, Iowa

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and Mr. Vince Hutchins, 227 Cottage.
Mrs. Marie Smith of Leland, Miss., has been visiting her brother, Mr. Edwin Hollins, 211 Gable St. She is a teacher in Leland.

SIOUX CITY

By MRS. L. A. GARLAND, JR.
2206 Hamilton Blvd.
Phone 2-1524

Miss Lois Garland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Garland, Jr., 2204 Terrace Place, is one of 30 students who have been granted National Science Foundation Scholarships to attend the Summer Honors Institute for high school juniors to be conducted at the University of South Dakota starting June 24. Miss Garland is a junior at Central high where she is an honor student. She is the only Sioux City pupil to be selected for the institute. Miss Garland is a former resident of Des Moines.

Mrs. Estella McAfee, president of the 5 state convention, was the weekend house guest of Mrs. Edgar Owens. Mrs. McAfee lives in Omaha, Neb.

South Dakota celebrated the 100th Anniversary of the Emancipation Proclamation with a banquet at the Masonic Temple, Yankton, S. Dak. At this time the Negro Senior Citizens of Yankton were presented, and Governor Gubbrud was presented with the Emancipation Proclamation. Mr. Leonard Carter, Regional Sec'y of the NAACP was guest speaker. A group from Sioux City attended the affair. Chairman, Ted Blakey, co-chairman, Dr. Arnett Matchett.

My and Mrs. Victor Winfrey are the proud grandparents of a grand-daughter, born May 13 in Kansas. Mo. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. George Winfrey.

Mr. Louis J. Carter, Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Carter, Sr., is visiting his parents and sister. Mr. Carter lives in Berkeley, Calif.

CEDAR RAPIDS

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

The Rev. I. D. Harrison will deliver the sermon on Sunday, May 19, at the Mt. Zion Baptist church over Station KCRG. The combined choir will sing.

The Union Missionary Baptist church will be guest at 3:30 p.m. Sunday for the pre-Anniversary services of the pastor, the Rev. Percy Burt, celebrating his 12th year. The L. J. Jordan will preach. His choir will sing. W. L. Anders will be master of ceremonies. Dinner will be served in the church dining hall.

The Mothers and Daughters banquet was a great success, sponsored by the Red Circle Girls. The tables were beautifully decorated in colors of red and white. Miss Linda Harrison, vice president, gave a brief talk, on the work they are doing. Mrs. Mary Coates is supervisor.

At 4 p.m. the annual Mothers day program was presented by the Mothers and Deaconesses with Mrs. I. D. Harrison, presiding. The Youth choir

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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.

MANLY

BY CAROLYN RHEM
809-N. Federal
Mason City, Iowa
Phone Garden 3-9463

The New Bethel Baptist church was guest of the St. John Baptist church of Omaha, Neb., on the 40th anniversary of the pastor, Rev. A. W. Patton, was guest speaker and spoke on "The Key of Authority." The event was May 5.

New Bethel members attending were Mr. and Mrs. Page, Mrs. Ruth Harper and daughters, Ruby and Marilyn, and Edward Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Haddix, and daughter, Ruth, Mrs. John Rhem, and daughters, Angel and Carolyn and Lenny Weathers, and Mrs. Phroada Weathers.

Monday night, May 13 revival services began with Rev. E. L. Dillon of Union Baptist church as guest speaker each night at 7:30.

The Jolly 13 club entertained their families in the church parlor on Tuesday, May 7. Following dinner, Mrs. Ruth Harper and Mrs. Flossie Douglas were in charge of the program.

Mrs. Will Solomon is visiting her daughter, and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Woods, of Chicago, Ill.

(Manly-Mason City)

Mother's day observance was held

sing. Mrs. Percy W. Burt, president of the Women's Auxiliary of the Eastern district, was guest speaker. She was presented with a beautiful corsage. Remarks were by the president, Mrs. Hettie Green.

Visiting worshippers were Mrs. Karl Blaise, Mrs. Sheila Brown of Chicago, Ill., Lami Kawah of Monrovia, Liberia, and Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Viola Tate of Des Moines, and Mrs. Robert M. Johnson and daughters, Lisa and Blanche of Des Moines.

NOTICE OF CANCELLATION AND FORFEITURE OF REAL ESTATE CONTRACT

TO: THEODORE RICHARD BRUCE and LORA BELLE BRUCE
Husband and wife
2814 East 14th Street, Des Moines, Iowa

YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT YOU ARE CURRENTLY IN THE POSSESSION OF A REAL ESTATE CONTRACT DATED MAY 15, 1962, WHICH WAS EXECUTED BY TRUSTEES OF THE HOPESALO FUND, AS VENDED, THE TRUSTEES OF THE HOPESALO FUND, AS VENDED, AND LORA BELLE BRUCE, HUSBAND AND WIFE, AS VENDEES, THAT THE TRUSTEES OF THE HOPESALO FUND, AS VENDED, ARE THE LEGAL TITLEHOLDERS TO THE PROPERTY INVOLVED HEREIN, SAID PROPERTY BEING DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

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That the monthly payments on said contract are \$65.00, plus interest of 10% of the annual taxes and insurance.

YOU are notified to make the payments on said contract as provided there-in for the months of March and April and said contract is therefore delinquent in the amount of \$164.50.

Because of said default on said contract in performance of the terms and conditions thereof, as above stated, you are hereby notified that this notice is served pursuant to the terms and conditions of said contract and the provisions of Chapter 466, of the 1962 Code of Iowa, and unless within thirty (30) days from the date of the completion of service of this notice, you make payment of said delinquency, and in addition thereto, pay the costs of preparing and serving this notice, said contract shall stand cancelled and forfeited, and will become null and void, and you will be liable for the costs of preparing and serving this notice, and interest on the amount thereof.

WITNESS our hand at Des Moines, Iowa, this 9th day of May, 1963.

By HOWE and HOWE
115 Bankers Trust Building
Des Moines, Iowa

ATTORNEYS FOR TRUSTEES OF THE HOPESALO FUND

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NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF J & M BUILDING SPECIALTIES CO.

Notice is hereby given that a corporation has been formed under the provisions of Chapter 466A in the 1962 Code of Iowa, known as the Iowa Business Corporation Act, to be known as J & M Building Specialties Co., with registered office at 7000 University Avenue, Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, and its registered agent shall be Frank S. Morris at same address.

The purposes for which the corporation is formed and the general nature of the business shall be to have unlimited power to engage in, and to do any lawful act concerning any and all lawful businesses for which a corporation may be organized under Chapter 466A in the 1962 Code of Iowa, known as the Iowa Business Corporation Act.

The aggregate number of shares which the corporation shall have and which shall be 20,000 shares, consisting of one class of Common Stock, all shares shall have a par value of \$10.00 each. The corporation was authorized by its certificate of incorporation issued by the Secretary of the State of Iowa to commence business on February 26, 1963, and is to continue in existence perpetually, unless sooner terminated in accordance with the provisions

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.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

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

St. Paul A.M.E. Church
12th and Crocker Street
REV. K. P. WILLIAMS, D.D.
Church School 9:30 A.M.
Church Service 10:45 A.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wed. 7:30 P.M.
Youth Fellowship 5:30 P.M.

Maple Street Baptist Church
18th and Maple Street
REV. GEO. PARISH, Minister, 6-8910
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.

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.

Union Baptist Church
"The Friendly Church"
E. UNIVERSITY AT MCCORMICK
S. HENRIER JAINES, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:45 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday All Day

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

Burns Methodist Church
511 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 Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:30 P.M.

RETIHEL A.M.E. CHURCH
1525 East University Ave.
Rev. R. D. SMITH, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Youth Church 11:00 A.M.
A.C.E. League 5:30 P.M.
Evening Program 7:30 P.M.
Wed. Mid-Week Service 7:30 P.M.

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Sunday 10:00 A.M. Sunday School
Sunday 11:00 A.M. & 2 P.M. Service
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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.
Homes Society 1st and 3rd Sunday Morning 10:00 A.M.

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.

Pilgrim Missionary Baptist
1133 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.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH
1213 Scott Street, BL. 5-6332
REV. WILLIAM HEATH, Pastor
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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
B.T.U. 6:00 p.m.
Evening Services 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Night Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

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Eld. E. A. TINDRELL, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
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Wednesday Prayer Service 8:00 P.M.

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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.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Corinthian is in the midst of a revival service being conducted by Rev. C. H. Churn, pastor of Union Temple Baptist church, Baltimore, Md. Monday evening Rev. Churn began the revival with a timely message on the subject, "Too Busy for the Main Business." Rev. George Parrish of Maple Street Baptist church and his Senior choirs were present.

The revival will continue through this week and next-week closing on Friday, May 24. This evening (Thurs) the Corinthian Fellowship chorus will sing. On Friday, May 17, the Rev. James Harris and choir of Mt. Hebron Baptist church will be guests. The Youth chorus of Corinthian will sing also.

Sunday, May 19 at 11 a.m. Rev. Churn will deliver the sermon on the "Allness of Christ."

Ministers and Choirs participating next week will be Monday, Rev. H. R. Fields, Mt. Olive Baptist; Tuesday, Rev. Seymour Gaines of Union Baptist; Wednesday, Rev. Oscar Peavey, of Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Winners of the "Queen for a Day" contest were Justine Yeager, first; Martha Hall, second; and Banita Jenkins, third.

Prayer meeting is held each Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the church. The Adult choir will hold rehearsals on each Thursday evening at the church.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, May 19 at 11 a.m. Rev. George Parrish will preach on "Back to the Dust." The Youth choir will

sing. Baptism will be held. At 7:45 p.m. the Gospel choir will sponsor a "request night" program. Last Sunday nine persons were united with the church.

On Saturday, May 25 the Maple Street Mission Circle is sponsoring a May Festival on the church lot.

Sick at home are LeRoy McKee, 1908 Maple street; Nathaniel Houston, 1483 Buchanan; Mrs. Lillian Brewer, 1528 Carpenter and Mrs. Elizabeth Denman, 1648 Buchanan.

NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST NEWS

The State Superintendent, Nelson Guinn, is sponsoring a special program on Sunday, May 19 at 3 p.m. for the benefit of the Sunday School. Guest speaker will be Elder James Coburn, State Superintendent of the Churches of God in Christ of Iowa No. 1.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH (ORALABOR)

Sunday, May 19 at 11 a.m. Rev. John W. Pope, associate minister of Shiloh Baptist church will deliver the message. He will be assisted by the choir.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, May 12 at 3 p.m. Elder D. H. Cranshaw of Community Sanctified Church of God in Christ, was guest speaker for the Women's day services. Mrs. Bessie Hackney was in charge of the women's day drive. Offering reported was \$665 with more reports coming in.

Sunday, May 19, Rev. Seymour Gaines will preach at the 11 a.m. services.

Frank Clark, "Country Parson" of R & T Will Be Club's Women's Day Speaker in Des Moines

The public is invited to hear Frank Clark, "the Country Parson" of the Register and Tribune syndicate, who will be the featured speaker at the Club Women's day program on Sunday, May 26 from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. Because of the number of various events that day, the brief program will begin promptly at 3:30 p.m. at St. Paul A.M.E. church.

The event will mark the 61st anniversary of the organization of the Iowa Association of Club Women.

Mr. Clark has been with the Register and Tribune 33 years. He is a native of Iowa and a graduate of Drake university. Mr. Clark has written the "Country Parson" for 8 years and the homely philosophy of the parson has been read and appreciated by thousands.

The federated clubs of Iowa are joining in the celebration of the eventful day. Musical selections by the Richard Allen chorus and by Miss Alberta Bates, soloist, will be given. Mrs. Helen Wilson, president of the Hi-Span federated club, the newest club in the IACW, is the general chairman. Ushers will be members of the Des Moines Association of Girls who are Misses Ginger Miller, Lois Walden, Paula Hearld, Jesserean Dixon, Billie Wade, Robbe-

Churches of God in Christ of Ia. No. 1 State S.S. to Meet

The annual State Sinsday school convention of the Churches of God in Christ of Iowa No. 1 will convene May 20-26 at the Mission Temple Church of God in Christ in Des Moines. Elder E. A. Tindrell is host-pastor.

On the first night of the convention Sis. Deloris Smith is sponsoring



ELDER DAVIS

a pre-musical featuring the East 17th Church Youth choir, Carter Gospel Singers and others.

Services will be held each night. Official Day will be observed on Sunday, May 26 at the New Jerusalem Church of God in Christ, at 14th and University avenue.

The State Sunday School Superintendent, Elder E. R. Davis, of Daventon, Ia., will preside during the sessions.

Plan Women's Day At Bethel A.M.E.

Women's Day will be observed Sunday, May 19th at Bethel A.M.E. Church, 1528 E. University Avenue with Mrs. Charles Hitz of the United Council of Church Women as the morning speaker. Guest soloists will be Mrs. Dorothy Talley of Maple Street Baptist Church, Mrs. Emma Yeager of Macedonia Baptist Church and Mrs. Dorothy Taylor of Bethel A.M.E. Church. The Ladies Chorus will be under the direction of Clara Fant Eaves. The afternoon program will be presented by the Johnson Family. Mrs. Nadine Veasley will preside. Mrs. Catherine Durden is General Chairman and Mrs. Martha Wheels is co-Chairman.

Eastside Mission Plans Board Meet

The East Side Union Mission Society will hold its board meeting on Wednesday noon, May 22 at Mt. Hebron Baptist church in West Des Moines.

PHILA. SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sabbath, May 18, Elder M. A. Burgess, Home Missionary, Radio, Sabbath School secretary of the Central States Conference of the Seventh Day Adventist church, will speak at 11 a.m.

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Central Dist. Youth Dept. Plans Mass Musical Sunday

The Central District Youth department will sponsor a mass musical on Sunday, May 19 beginning promptly at 3 p.m. at Mt. Olive Baptist church. All Baptist youth choirs and other talent will be appearing. Mrs. Rosetta Green will be in charge. Gladys Williams is president. Mrs. Betty Townsell and Mrs. Margaret Anthony will assist.

Singleton Jr. Choir Planning Program

The Singleton Junior choir of St. Paul A.M.E. church is planning a "Tom Thumb Wedding" to be presented sometime later this month. The date will be announced later.

To Present Pageant At Mt. Zion Baptist

The Missionary society of Mt. Zion Baptist church in Oralabor, Ia., will present the pageant, "The Old Ship of Zion," on Sunday, May 19 at 8 p.m. Rev. Theodore Brown is pastor and Mrs. Estella Moore, program chairman.

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ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The annual banquet for high school and college graduates of the church will be given on Sunday, May 26 at 1 p.m. in the church dining hall. It is sponsored by the Sunday school of which Mrs. Jeanne Morris is Supt. Ernest Russell, executive secretary of the Des Moines commission on Human Rights, will be guest speaker. Graduates are: Arthurline Propes, Billie Wade, Guylene Miller, Lynda Walker, and Joyce Banks.

Official board meeting will be held Monday, May 20. Steward board meeting will be May 27.



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Wear A Poppy in Memory of America's War Dead

"Wear a poppy in memory of America's war dead" will be the appeal of the women of the American Legion Auxiliary to everyone in Des Moines on Poppy Day, Saturday, May 25th.

"We hope the whole city will join us in a day of patriotic tribute to those who gave their lives that we may live in this great, free country of ours," says Miss Edith M. McBeth, President of the Des Moines Council of American Legion Auxiliaries. "Wearing a poppy is a little thing to do, but a big thing in meaning. That poppy over your heart means that you remember with gratitude those young men who died in our nation's defense on battlefields throughout the world, or who still live, disabled and handicapped."

"Volunteers from Des Moines's five auxiliary units will be on the streets throughout the city offering the little red flower of memory to all who will wear them in tribute to those who served their country."

Deaconess Council Will Hold Services

The Mothers, Stewardess and Deaconess Council will hold services on Sunday, May 19th at 2:30 p.m. at Union Baptist church.

True Light Singers Plan Programs

The True Light Singers will present the Echoes of Melody of Omaha, Neb., in a musical program on Sunday, May 19 at 3 p.m. at Mt. Hebron Baptist church, 9th and Maple sts. in West Des Moines. Rev. James Harris is pastor.

The True Light Singers will also present a musical at the Evangelistic Mission Temple, of which Rev. A. W. Fountain is pastor at 7 p.m. the same day.

Youth on Parade to Be Presented at Maple Street Bapt.

The Red Circle Girls of Maple Street Baptist church will present "Youth on Parade" on Sunday, May 19 at 5 p.m. at the church. The Carters Gospel Singers of Forest Avenue Church of God in Christ, and the Church of God in Christ Youth choir of E. 17th church will be special guests.

Maple St. Pastor's Aid to Celebrate

The Pastor's Aid of Maple Street Baptist church will celebrate its second anniversary on Sunday, May 26 at 3 p.m. Rev. E. P. Williams of St. Paul A.M.E. church will be guest speaker. He will be accompanied by the Richard Allen chorus. Members of Pastor's Aid groups of other churches will be guests.

Services Held for Mrs. Marie Jacque, 81

Services for Mrs. Marie Jacque, 81, of 640 25th street, were held at 1:30 p.m. Monday at Estes and Son Funeral home with burial in Glenwood cemetery. She died of cancer Wednesday, May 8 at Broadlawns Polk County hospital.

A retired practical nurse, she had lived in Des Moines 30 years. She was born at Forest Green, Mo.

Survivors include two sons, Lewis and Alexander Jacob of Los Angeles, Cal.; a brother, Axel Woods, Forest Green; a sister, Mrs. Susan Hutton, Kansas City, Kan., and a cousin, Mrs. Voncel Cox, with whom she made her home.

BOWLING

By Don Burrell

High Team Game 1030:
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High Team Series 2807
Basin Street West
High Individual Game
Hobie Booker 258
High Individual Series
Don Burrell 609

The 40 & 1 League ended the season with the following teams taking first, second and third places:

First, Craftsman club composed of John Moore, captain, Edward Gatewood, Jim Caldwell, Bonnie Herndon and Ray Kaiser.

Second, Basin Street West, Chuck Bennett, captain, Bob White, Clifford, Sharp, Johnny Williams and Clifford Hardon;

Third, Bill Sharp Barbers, Jim Wade, captain, Bill Sharp, Robert Moore, Earl Johnson and Don Burrell.

The 40 & 1 League will go to Minneapolis, Minn., to bowl May 19. They will leave by charter bus.

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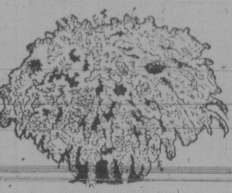
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SOCIETY

10 Young Ladies Look Forward To Potential Debs Recital



Pictured above are the "Potential Debutantes" for 1963. They will make their bow to society, at a recital in the Grand Ballroom of Hotel Fort Des Moines on Saturday, June 8. The social event, the first of its kind in Des Moines, is expected to be attended by many of the leading civic, fraternal and church leaders of both races in the Greater Des Moines area, as well as by relatives and interested friends from out-of-town.

An invitational dinner will precede the recital to be given by the pretty young ladies above. Through the long winter months, they have been taking charm and dance lessons, and attending meetings and receiving pointers for the "big day."

Pictured from left to right are Misses Tracie Dixon, Carol Henderson, Sylvia Lawrence, Vonderlyrie Watkins, Mona Ann Bell, Glenda Frazier, Blanche Johnson, Raoulyn Francine Parker, Charmayne Wright and Jacqueline Henderson.

The event will be sponsored by the L. T. Club assisted by the Puella Legatoes club.



Despite the gloominess of the weather outside, we are sure you all were smiling on the inside and outside over the weekend and especially Sunday when all your respective sons and daughters paid tribute to you on your day. We are sure you all had a wonderful time on this our annual day of the year. May, with all its merry, merry merriness is in full swing and on the next backswing of the pendulum, will be gone and the wedding and graduation month of June will be at our doors.

Speaking of June, the 69th anniversary edition of the Bystander will be published on June 14, with its many ads, features and the high school and college graduates. We hope to make this one bigger and better than usual and hope that you will have your sons and daughters participate in the high school page. So often in the past we have, in the waning hours before the publication, when it is too late, had parents tell us, "I wanted my son or daughter's picture in, but nothing was said to me." We hope you will check with them and remind them for the annual letters were put in the mail this week, telling them all about it.

Mrs. Hugh Semple, 3107 3rd street, president of the Des Moines Improvement Association, was one of six Des Moines civic minded ladies, who served as judges of the book reviews submitted in the second annual Books for Brotherhood Reading Program review contest. It is sponsored by the Des Moines Women's division of the National Conference of Christians and Jews. Mrs. Semple is also a board member of NCCJ.

The tragic boating accident that took two lives Sunday afternoon in the Des Moines river near Birdland park, points up two very important rules that should not be ignored. First, one should NEVER venture on a boating excursion or ride without life preservers. This is almost as important as making sure the boat has no half-dollar size holes in the bottom. Secondly, it is wise that all or at least two members on each boat know how to swim.

With today's accelerated interest in water sports of all kinds it is important that all parents see that their sons and daughters take advantage of the free swimming lessons offered each summer by the Red Cross at various parks. Like a good education, you never know when it might come in very handy. Of course, a life jacket and knowing how to swim will not guarantee that your life will be saved in case of a water sport accident, but it will go

a long way to prevent a death in most cases.

As a direct result of the interracial home visits (Exercise in Understanding) held over a week ago, Mrs. Marion (Corliss) Williams, 6215 Windsor drive, attended an interracial committee meeting the day following the visits.

Another Des Moines lady, Mrs. Charles (Dorothy) Holmes, 6224 Forest avenue, reported that when she and her husband asked their guests about the Mississippi question, she said "You could hear a pin drop on a carpet. There was no comment whatsoever."

We will put in our two cents for what it's worth. Prior to the visits, we heard several comments to the effect that they could see no point in having white persons visit the homes of Negroes. They also added that the visits should be interchangeable, with both races visiting each others homes. We heartily agree with the latter. However, we believe that even with the whites visiting the homes of Negroes there was much to be gained. They could see with their own eyes that Negroes were not only capable of keeping up their homes and yards, but also decorate them with good taste and eye appeal, inside. There is much to the statement, "Seeing is believing." Many will say they believe, but still in their secret hearts will have doubts.

In the next few weeks there will be several events that will be worthy of public support, and especially on a city-wide basis. The first will be the "Programma" honoring Mr. and Mrs. James Dixon, before they depart for Africa early in June. The Dixons, like Judge and Mrs. Luther T. Glanton, Jr., have been singled out for international as well as national and local attention. It is well to show our pride in them by supporting the programma on Sunday, May 26 at the Harper House.

The second comes less than two weeks later on June 8. It is the first event of its kind attempted in Des Moines. This will be the presentation of the "Potential Debs of 1963" by the L. T. Club assisted by the Puella Legatoes club. For those particularly who has complained in the past about the lack of culture and

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.

La Femmes Meet

With E. Robinson

The La Femme club met with Mrs. Elsie Robinson on May 2. Reports were given by the secretary and treasurer on the successful Easter Fair held on Easter Sunday.

The Educational committee interviewed the candidates for the annual scholarship to be presented on May 28 at the Valley High commencement. This will mark the fifth year the club has presented such an award since the theme of the club is to help further the education of a deserving youth in Des Moines. The candidate will be announced next week.

D.D.M. Plans 3rd Anniversary Tea, Children's Style Show

The Daughters of Des Moines Federated club met on May 7 at the YWCA and completed plans for the third anniversary tea and children's style show to be held Sunday, May 19 from 4 to 6 p.m. at the Brotherhood youth center, 13th and Center streets.

New officers elected are Mesdames Bertie Hogan, president; Barbara Peoples, vice president; Willmetta Jones, secretary; Dorothy McCurn, assistant secretary; Lessie Garrett, treasurer. They will take office in September when committee chairmen will be appointed by Mrs. Hogan. Mrs. Edith Sharp is outgoing president.

Indianapolis Couple Are Visiting Here

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ezell of Indianapolis, Ind., are house guests of their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Spates, and daughter, 1244 13th street.

The Ezells will remain in Des Moines a month. They attended the marriage of Mrs. Ezell's sister, the former Mrs. Gladys Roper, to Mr. Robert Bates on May 7. After June 1 Mr. and Mrs. R. Bates will be at home to their friends at 1426 Fremont.

social highlights in the capital city, this will be worth your while to come out and see, and at the same time support it. It is a non-profit making event backed with "moral support" by the Des Moines Chamber of Commerce. The evening promises to be one of beauty indeed. The young "potential debs" and their escorts will do Des Moines proud. No doubt about it.

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Bow Knots Club Celebrate Anniversary

The Bow Knot club celebrated their anniversary with dinner at the Harper House.

The club met Apr. 25 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest (Speck) Redd, 1253 Walker street. The next meeting will be May 26 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rhoades, 111 11th street in West Des Moines.

Elegant Eight Club Holds Meeting

The Elegant Eight club met May 1 at the home of the president, Mrs. Helen White, 1224 10th street. Bridge prizes were won by Mrs. White, first; Mrs. Inice Carter, second and Mrs. Willie May Bell, third. Another meeting was held Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Delores Bailey, 1136 8th street.

Mrs. Clara Bayles Shows African Slides

Mrs. Clara Bayles, 951 17th street, recently showed her slides on her African trip at various meetings.

The first was at the Family Night potluck at Corinthian Baptist church on May 6. On May 9 she was guest of the Varied Interests group of the American Association of University Women at the home of Mrs. Robert Cobbs, 1231 40th street and on Friday, May 10 she was guest of the Hi-Span federated club at the home of Mrs. Ernest Russell, 3021 Amherst.

Mrs. Bayles also spoke and showed her African slides recently to the Interracial Commission, in Fort Dodge, which she helped organize 15 years ago.

Mrs. Jack Cleveland Reviews 4 Books

Mrs. Jack Cleveland, vice chairman of the Des Moines Commission on Human Rights, was guest reviewer for the Mary Church Terrell club on Monday night at the home of Mrs. Alta Herndon, 723 28th street.

Mrs. Cleveland reviewed Seven Days in May, Fair Safe, Advise and Consent and A Shade of Difference. A lively discussion followed.

Rev. Richard Smith Honored with Surprise Birthday Party

Rev. Richard D. Smith, pastor of Bethel A.M.E. church, was honored at a surprise birthday party on Friday, May 3 at the church.

Many friends greeted the honoree and he was presented with a cash gift and wallet. Also sharing the birthday was Miss Ruth Davis and Mrs. Catherine Dugan. The ladies received many cards and gifts.

Rosa L. Gragg Club Holds Meeting

The Rosa L. Gragg federated club met May 12 at the home of Mrs. Mildred Dysart. On Sunday, May 19 the club will worship in a body at 11 a.m. at Bethel A.M.E. church.

A breakfast is being planned by the club for June.

Sherry Lee Perry Crowned Queen of Little League Aux.

Sherry Lee Perry, 11, was crowned Queen of the Little League Ladies Auxiliary on Tuesday, May 8 in ceremonies at Slinker stadium.

Runners were Johnetta Taylor, Brenda Gaskins and Arnetta Terrell. The "Queen" received a gift certificate from Youngsters presented by Mrs. Fred Arcisse.

The next meeting of the Auxiliary will be Friday, May 17 at 8 p.m. at Wilkie House, 900 17th street.

Rose Temple No. 33 Ends Fund Drive with Dinner for Winners

Six Teams of Rose Temple No. 33, Daughters of Elks, completed its recent financial drive project for the month with Team No. 5 winning. They, with non-member guests (and including the first 10 members who receive gold cards on a financial basis) were entertained on Friday, May 10 at the Lodge Hall at a potluck buffet dinner by the losing teams.

A beautifully appointed table had a pink centerpiece and pink candles. Each member of the winning team and guests were presented a sash, by Daughter Ruler Mrs. Helen Williams. Originator of the project was Frieda Garland, treasurer of the Temple.

Attention Graduates!!!

The annual page of high school graduates in Iowa will be published in the 69th anniversary issue of the Bystander on June 13. We are planning the best issue ever of pictures, features and anniversary ads, ever!

If you plan to have your picture and writeup published, please do so before the deadline of Saturday, May 25. Mail, or bring in your pictures, writeup and check for \$2, before then. If you have not received a letter or need additional information please contact the Bystander and ask for News Editor or if you live out of town phone your news correspondent in your respective city or write the Bystander News Editor for details. Your prompt consideration will be greatly appreciated by us.

Chicago Resident Visits Mother Here

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Muncie, Ind., Guests Return to Homes

Mrs. C. P. Braden, Muncie, Ind., returned to her home last Thursday after spending a week in Des Moines as house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Warren, 1301 14th street and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Claybrook, 223 E. 13th street.

Mrs. Braden was accompanied to Des Moines by Mrs. Lucille Williams, a day nursery supervisor in Muncie, and attended as a delegate the nurse workshops held at Hotel Fort Des Moines. Mrs. Braden, a board member of the day nursery, also attended the sessions.

While here both were extended many social courtesies.

Ten Keys Club Will Meet Friday

The Ten Key club will meet on Friday, May 17 at 673 28th street with Mrs. Alberta Daniels as hostess. Mrs. Inice Carter is president.

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BIRMINGHAM NEGROES PROTEST IN NO UNCERTAIN TERMS

When President Kennedy moved troops into and around Alabama to stand ready to protect innocent citizens against riots, mob violence and unlawful action against citizens for exercising their rights, he did the correct and practical thing. He deserves full support from law-abiding citizens everywhere.

Governor Wallace of Alabama has questioned the legality of the President's action. He said federal troops were not invited in and that local law enforcement officials had the situation in hand.

Neither of these statements is correct. It is the duty of the President to protect the lives of American citizens whether in this country or abroad. And since Alabama officials found it necessary to use dogs, powerful water sprays and their authority as peace officers to maim, injure and otherwise endanger the lives of innocent Negro protectors he was justified in his actions. The situation became clear out of control and required outside help to keep things in hand.

In years gone by Negroes have taken the back seat in public places, accepted exclusion from service in place of public accommodation and voting, unequal distribution in employment and many other injustices which relegate him to second class citizenship mostly without protection except in recent years.

Today he is tired of waiting. He wants now what the constitution guarantees. And he is going after it with all of his energy. This he must continue to do in a fashion that keeps him within the law which allows wide latitude in protests against wrongs which the government should protect.

Other races and groups have done it with success. The Negro has no other choice.

REPUBLICANS MUST NOMINATE A LIBERAL

The year preceding a presidential election is a time when the party out of power does a lot of searching and guessing in order to come up with a formidable candidate to lead the party.

The Republican party finds itself in such a position today, and strange to say, some leaders have expressed a willingness by their action, to throw the Negro overboard in return for a couple of electoral votes which may get them a few members in Congress but not a President.

Senator Goldwater is the formidable candidate of the conservatives. But it is seriously doubtful if Goldwater believes he can be elected. Sure he may carry one or two states in the South like Mississippi and Alabama because they may not be cooled off from the licking anti-segregationists have been receiving. But in turn he could not carry New York, Illinois, California with large minority groups and many liberals among the whites.

Delegates to the national convention will not be fooled with a conservative whom they know is not favorable to programs of liberal measures which attract people today.

LIQUOR BY THE DRINK IN IOWA

The Iowa legislature has passed a law legalizing liquor by the drink. It reverses what has been for forty-seven years which has been a set back to the progress of the state.

Liquor by the drink will not revive the state. It will aid law enforcement, tax sales on liquor which has not been the case and eliminated the phony liquor businesses which has been a disgrace for years.

NEGRO LAWYER IN TOP CINCINNATI POST

Cincinnati's new city solicitor, William A. McClain, is the first Negro to hold a top municipal legal post in a major U.S. city, points out the June issue of Ebony, now on the newsstands.

McClain, who put aside thoughts of a municipal judgeship to accept the "challenge" of the solicitor's post, is profiled in the new issue of the Negro monthly magazine. McClain's new ambition is to become a federal judge by age 55, Ebony reveals. He is now 50.

"Big Daddy" Lipscomb Dies

Famed Pro Football Player Believed to Be Victim of Dope

Baltimore, Md.—Thousands of persons, many of whom had admired his football talents, Sunday filed past the body of Gene (Big Daddy) Lipscomb as it lay in state prior to burial services.

Lipscomb, who had been called one of the greatest pro athletes of the National Football league, was found unconscious early Friday in a West Baltimore apartment. An assistant medical examiner said there was indication that his death was "attributed to an accidental overdose of narcotics." He noted that there was at least three needle marks above the veins on both elbows. He said a home-made syringe was found near the body.

The 6-foot, 6-inch, 288-pound Lipscomb was found apparently unconscious in the kitchen of an apartment occupied by Timothy Black, 25. Attempts were made to revive the famed football player but he died later at a hospital never regaining consciousness.

An investigation into his death, which was scheduled early this week, was postponed.

Black said they met two girls, bought some beer and all four went to the apartment. About three hours later, Black told police they took the girls home and went riding around some more.

They returned to the apartment between 4 and 5 o'clock, Black continued, and he went out for breakfast.

When he returned Lipscomb was slumped over a table, he tried to slap him awake and the football player fell to the floor. Black called the ambulance.

Lipscomb, who became an all-pro despite the lack of college experience had played for the Pittsburgh Steelers the past two seasons.

Traded to Colts

He was traded to the Steelers by the Baltimore Colts, for whom he had played six seasons, including the championship years of 1958-59 when he was named all-pro.

The Colts picked Lipscomb off the waiver list. He was released by the Los Angeles Rams, who had found him playing for the Camp Pendleton, Cal., Marines in 1953.

In spite of his size, Lipscomb was noted for his lateral speed which caught the eyes of the fans. Although fierce looking with a mustache, he was a comedian.

During the off seasons of 1959 and 1960, he wrestled on the pro circuit. He recently said he would like to be the first human to land on the moon.

Lipscomb and his wife, Cecelia, were divorced in 1960. They had two children.



Among other things that were overlooked during the Drake Relays weeks was an article in our Des Moines Register arguing that the old state high school record for the 220 dash around a curve was 21.4 held by Chuck Hoyt of Greenfield. We recall Chuck Hoyt just once when he was in college. He could run. But, more important we also recall that in the year, Hoyt set his mark that time was measured in fifths of a second instead of tenths. That would make Hoyt's mark 21.8 still one tenth of a second better than Clyde Duncan's best mark to date but not out of reach. We aren't sure just when track times were kept in tenths of seconds, but we think it was in the late or middle twenties. Maybe, some of those fellows who ran that 100 in 9 and 1/2 seconds could have made 9 and five tenths.

We remember one fellow who was clocked in what would be 9.4 by the minority of the watches that day. But the timers refused to believe what they saw . . . 9 and two fifths. The people wouldn't believe it either so the timers thought and the guy got credit for another 9 and three fifths or 9.6 as we know it.

This year's class AA high school meet ought to be a good one if the

Just North of Freedom

Sojourner Truth

Daylight, April 23rd, gently lifted the cover of darkness on U.S. Highway 11, DeKalb County, Alabama. In a roadside ditch lay former U.S. Marine, William Moore, flat on his face with a bullet through his head.

To tell the truth, I was angry with William Moore when I heard about his walk to Mississippi. The worry of dogs and fire hoses being used against our people in Birmingham left no room in my mind for a white man on U.S. Highway 11 with signs that would surely get him stoned, if not killed.

The news of the death of William Moore made me ashamed for my country and filled with sorrow for Mrs. Moore trying so hard to be brave and understanding. Two minutes later I was angry all over again with that mailman, dead in an Alabama ditch.

It was the embarrassment of the evening commentators on radio, television and in the press that stirred me to a second look at my anger at William Moore.

Credit goes to Jet magazine for presenting William Moore as a human being with a sensitivity and concern for people which we seldom feel for one another.

Moore was born and reared in Mississippi. He was no outside agitator. It is said that he was sensitive to social problems as a child because he took his religious training seriously to the dismay of his parents.

Mr. Moore worked as a mailman because his first concern was to support his family although he was a writer with a book published in 1955 which is considered a valuable contribution to the world of psychiatry and psychology. The commentators forgot to mention this when explaining that the mailman had been in a mental institution.

weather permits. We might be there. Our various schools would up their spring practices. As we glanced at the various extra squad games and alumni versus varsity games, around the country, we got the idea that Iowa is headed for another rough season. With a little luck, the Hawks could come up with a good one but our guess is that it will be another long season.

And do you know we haven't guessed one right yet? Iowa State could improve its standing of last year and Drake could have another good one. Of course, this is all based on our spring practice observations and things could change come October.

Have to take off the hat we don't wear to the Drake track team for winning the Missouri Valley meet.

Tennis

Another Ash has a chance to play on a U.S. Davis Cup team and thus make history. Now we wonder how will he do in our Negro meet? Will he be able to play in them or very many of them? If he went to the A.T.A. Nationals he would have to win or they might be some eyebrows raised as to why there wasn't at least one more Negro on the Davis Cup team. This integration does present problems.

Yes, the commentators were embarrassed. It's pretty hard to fit a former U.S. Marine into the stereotype of a starchy-eyed do-gooder, slightly out of focus in the modern world. One does not risk death in Alabama just to get a picture in the papers.

Could it be that Mr. Moore was such a good man, he was unable to grasp the reality of the hate and fear in his home state. This man had to know through first hand experience even at the risk of death.

Was his death useless? I salute Mr. Moore for acting on the basis of what he already knew and daring to try to do something, personally because the times cry for personal commitment now.

Mississippi will yet have need to claim William Moore and those sons and daughters who will be moved by his example.

In death, the mailman has made clear to us and to the world that a sense of brotherhood accepts no barriers for race, creed or color.

Peace be unto you, Brother Moore.

Duncan Runs Like the Wind—Sets Record Dash, Flashy 440

By Staff Writer

Clyde Duncan, flashy sprinter from North High, literally ran like the wind Saturday in the Class AA district track meet at East High. The net result was that he ran one of the finest quarter-mile races seen in Iowa high schools in several years.

Duncan, a junior who gets better with the years set a record of :10.0 in the 100 yard dash, bucking a southeast wind of more than 10 miles per hour. Then he bolted the 220 in :21.8, matching the state district mark. In the 440 he again showed his flashy style, clocking in at :48.9 in windy, 60-degree weather. In doing so he bettered the state district 440 record by nine-tenths of a second and barely missed the Iowa Interscholastic record of :48.8 set by Bob Covey of Ames in 1957.

North Third

Duncan's effort enabled his team to share third place with Roosevelt at 56 points. Ames took first with 93 1/2 points and Des Moines Tech took second with 71 1/2 points.

Jack Carter of North won the 120 high hurdles and the 180 low hurdles. Ron McIntire of Tech won the shot put and the discus throw. Tech also won the two-mile relay.

Baldwin Starts First

West Coast Tour For CORE

Denver, Colo.—James Baldwin, noted author, on May 5th appeared here before an enthusiastic audience on the initial stop of his first west coast speaking tour for CORE. His two other CORE speaking tours were in the south and in the northeast. Campuses where Baldwin will appear include University of California, Stanford, U.C.L.A., University of Southern California and University of Chicago.

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On the day of Pentecost they were baptized in His name

The souls had been lost but on them the Holy Ghost came

The multitude ask of the Apostles, "What should they do to escape the flame?"

Peter answered, "Repent, and be baptized in Jesus' name

The People asked of them "What should they do to be saved."

Peter said "Repent and be buried into the watery grave."

If you desire to enter into the straight and narrow gate

Be born again according to Acts, "Two-thirty-eight."

The body of Christ is the Lord's only church

You may enter in if you diligently search

There is only one true plan of salvation

Acts—Two-thirty eight is that sure foundation.

If you expect to reach the golden shore

There is only one way to enter into the door

The door is Acts—Two-thirty-eight, Peter has the key

The door is now open and Jesus still pleads.

To the city of Heaven there's only one door

And if you expect to reach that golden shore

Be born again according to Acts—Two-thirty-eight

For to eternal life, there's only one gate.

—By Evangelist G. L. Lamb

YESTERDAY

Yesterday has come and gone

But the memory has yet prolonged

It may have been a happy day

Or even one of sorrow

But the day that is today

Which will be tomorrow

Will come and go away,

And once again it will be yesterday.

—By Barbara Garrison

Thought for Today

The good Lord must have intended

that we listen more than we talk.

Otherwise he would have given us one ear and two mouths.

Laugh Lines

In an exclusive photography studio

a society matron was looking at the new picture she had taken. "Why,

that picture's an outrage!" she

stormed. "Now I ask you, does it

look like me?"

The photographer, flustered only

for a moment, quickly regained his

composure. "Madam," he said, bow-

ing slightly, "the answer is in the

negative."

Final Instructional Soap Derby Clinic

The sixth and last instructional clinic for Soap Box Derby boys will be held Saturday from 9:30 a.m. until 11 a.m. in the Boys Department at the Y.M.C.A.

At this last meeting there will be a general review of phases in construction of the gravity powered racers.

The Des Moines Soap Box race will be run July 14, with 140 entries. This is the largest of 14 Derby races to be run in Iowa this year. Other races are being planned in Carroll, Cedar Rapids, Clarinda, Clinton, Davenport, Denison, Dubuque, Newton, Oelwein, Oskaloosa, Perry, Sioux City, and Webster City.

In each race, the winner gets a \$500 U.S. Savings bond, and competes in the All American Soap Box Derby, Aug. 3, in Akron, Ohio.

Sonny-Floyd Bout Reset to July 22

New York — The World's heavy-weight championship rematch between Sonny Liston-Floyd Patterson has been postponed again. The latest new date is July 22, but the site is the same, Las Vegas, Nev.

Patterson was hurt this time, forcing a third postponement from June 27 to July 22. An infected callous on the little finger of Patterson's right hand had to be removed.

The doctor said the former heavy-weight boxing champion should not resume sparring for at least three weeks, perhaps a month.

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