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SECOND WEEKEND OF VIOLENCE ERUPTS

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Charles Spence, 57, Shot 4 Times

U. S. High Court Voids Trespass Convictions

Illegal for Cities to Enforce Anti-Sit-ins Demonstration Law

Washington, D. C.—No Negro can be convicted of trespass for seeking service in a "white only" restaurant if the state has a law requiring segregation in public eating places.

This victory for Negroes came Monday when the U. S. Supreme Court threw out the convictions of lunch counter sit-in demonstrators in four southern states, and declared it unconstitutional for a state to require segregation and use its powers to enforce it.

However, the larger social question of whether a storekeeper or restaurant owner can operate by his own choice as an individual right, remains unanswered.

Question

Where the laws and ordinances requiring segregation exist, the court held, attempts to enforce them are illegal. The local ordinances and laws are unconstitutional and cannot be enforced.

But where there are no such laws, can an individual restaurant owner or storekeeper, operating publicly say: "I have the right under common law to serve or sell to a clientele of my own choosing?"

Broad Implications

In their broader implications, the decisions in these cases could have greater impact on the structure of race relations in the south than any other decisions since the court's 1954 ruling that school segregation is unconstitutional.

New Orleans

And, in a case from Louisiana, the court threw out criminal mischief convictions of sit-in demonstrators even though there was no law or

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Don't Forget! School Bond Election Tuesday

Des Moines voters will go to the polls Tuesday, May 28, to vote in a special election called by the Des Moines School Board.

The board is asking voters to approve three proposals in the election:

1. A bond issue of \$5,975,000
2. Extending the present 2½ mill Schoolhouse Tax Levy for an additional three years.
3. Sale of two pieces of school-owned property.

The bond issue and tax levy will be used to finance a building program for 1963-66. The following projects are proposed: 5 new elementary schools; 1 new junior high school; additions at 3 elementary schools; additions at 2 junior high schools; additions at 3 senior high schools.

The Des Moines League of Women Voters urges all citizens to go to the polls and vote. Polling places will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Judge Glanton

Promoted to Lt. Col.

Municipal Judge Luther T. Glanton, Jr., has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel in the U. S. Army Reserves. Judge Glanton recently returned from Houston, Tex., where he was guest speaker at the Southeast Central branch of the YMCA.

Since his return from Africa last year he has been active with speaking engagements.

VICE PRESIDENT AT USDA JOB MEETING



After addressing the U. S. Department of Agriculture's executive review conference on equal employment opportunity last Monday, Vice President Lyndon B. Johnson, top, 2nd from left, congratulated William M. Seabron, left, for his part in planning the meeting. Mr. Seabron is assistant to Personnel Director Carl B.

Barnes, extreme right. Under Secretary of Agriculture Charles S. Murphy, representing secretary Orville L. Freeman, who is in South America, looks on.

Below: Hobart Taylor, Jr., Executive Vice Chairman of the Presidents Committee on Equal Employment

Opportunity, is shown addressing the USDA conference following Vice President Johnson. Officials facing the camera are Personnel Director Barnes and Civil Service Commission Chairman John W. Macy, Jr. Others at the meeting are Department agency heads and personnel directors.—USDA Photo.

1,100 Pupils Expelled or Suspended in Birmingham; Leaders Plan Legal Attack

BULLETIN

Atlanta, Ga.—Six hours after Federal District Judge C. W. Algood of Birmingham, Ala., had upheld the expulsion and suspension of 1000 Negro students from school by the Birmingham Board of Education, Chief Federal Officer, Judge Elbert P. Tuttle ordered reinstatement of the students.

Birmingham, Ala. — Nearly 1,100 Negro pupils, who participated in widespread anti-segregation demonstrations and marches here in the past several weeks, were expelled or suspended by the Board of Education officials here Monday.

Lawyers

Negro leaders immediately announced that they would use legal means to fight the order.

"We are authorizing our lawyers to look into the legal aspects of this matter and file suit in federal court on the grounds that the pupils had been expelled without a hearing," said Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

"We will not call for a mass walk-out or boycott of the schools," King said, "nor will we call for a renewal of demonstrations at this point."

"We will not seek to correct an unwise act by moving hastily into another unwise act."

Leaflets

Earlier, some integration leaders distributed leaflets urging the city's 31,777 other Negro students to withdraw in a sympathy boycott.

Of the pupils who took part in anti-segregation demonstrations, those over 16 were suspended. There was no breakdown of the two groups.

Agreement

There was no indication that the school move would cause Negroes to renounce their agreement on a token desegregation plan with white business and industrial leaders that ended five weeks of mass demonstrations.

One King aide said if mass protests were called they would be directed against education officials, not merchants.

Children Start Fire In Garage; \$600 Loss

Fire started by children destroyed a garage and a shed Sunday in the 1400 block of Buchanan street. Loss was estimated at \$600 by Fire Lt. Don Cook.

Cook said the fire destroyed the garage behind the home of Floyd Jackson, 1434 Buchanan, and an adjacent shed behind the home of D. T. Mosely, 1430 Buchanan.

Cook said children set some trash on fire near the garage and winds carried sparks to the building.

Gordon Charged with Assault; Forced Woman Out of Home

A Des Moines man who forced a woman at knife point to walk out of her home about 4 a.m. Sunday, was arrested later and charged with assault and battery. He was William Edward Gordon, 30, of 1544 Stewart street. He also was charged with carrying a concealed weapon and driving without a driver's license. He was released on \$800 bond.

Charges

Charges were brought by Mrs. Mary DeVan of 1246 McCormick street. She said she and her husband, Charles, were sleeping but she woke up and found a man crawling on the floor by the bed.

Patrol Car

Patrolmen Richard Lamb and Patrick D'Ostilio said they saw Gordon and Mrs. DeVan walking in the street near Stewart and Cleveland avenue about 4 a.m. They said the man walked to a car and drove away and Mrs. DeVan came to the squad car.

Police later found Gordon, and Mrs. DeVan identified him.

Negro-Trial Judge Dies in Alabama

Birmingham, Ala. — Senior City Judge Charles H. Brown, 77, collapsed on the bench and died May 16. Brown was trying routine cases, but on his docket for later trial were charges against several Negro demonstrators, including the Rev. A. D. King, brother of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

NEWS In A Nutshell

BULLETIN!!!

Belle Glade, Fla. — Twenty-seven farm workers, all of them Negroes were drowned Saturday when their bus plunged into a canal near here. Only survivors were Mrs. William C. Miller and her 15-year-old son, who managed to escape. Their husband and father perished with the others.

Minneapolis, Minn. — Otto Burroughs of St. Paul, recently became the first Negro to be appointed to the agent staff of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company in Minnesota.

Nashville, Tenn.—Dr. H. D. West, president of Meharry Medical college, last week became the first Negro to be named to the State board of education.

New Orleans, La.—Rev. Fred L. Shuttlesworth, leader of the integration movement in Birmingham, Ala., has been elected president of the Southern Conference Educational Fund (SCEF).

Columbia, Mo.—Celestine F. Guyton, was recently elected to membership in the University of Missouri chapter of Mortar Board, national women's honorary sorority which places emphasis on scholarship, leadership and service.

Atlanta, Ga.—William E. Calhoun, a former Morehouse college and Air Force veteran, will become Atlanta's first Negro Roman Catholic priest when he is ordained by Archbishop Paul J. Hallinan in a solemn High Mass in Christ the King Cathedral on May 25.

Washington, D. C. — The Boy Scouts of this area have been presented a \$386,000 gift for a new service center by the International Brotherhood of Teamsters.

Atlanta, Ga. — Two Atlanta high school students, scheduled for graduation in June, have been accepted to a white college located in the Deep south next fall. The school is Emory university in Atlanta.

London—Paul Robeson said last week he plans to make a statement "in due course" about reports he has broken with communism and plans to return to America, his British agent said here. It was reported Robeson, 66, was away from London recovering from a slight heart attack and exhaustion caused by overwork.

Jerry Williams Sentenced Here

Jerry Lee Williams, 20, who gave his address as 1251 13th Street, has been sentenced by Polk County District Judge Tom K. Morrow to one year in the men's reformatory at Anamosa.

Williams was charged with robbery with aggravation of William E. Good, 1169 14th street, by striking him with a rock and taking \$8 on Apr. 1.

Williams, however, pleaded guilty to a lesser charge of assault with intent to commit great bodily injury.

Following Argument Fri.; Landlady Charged; Said She Asked Victim to Go

For the second straight weekend violence resulting in death, erupted, ironically, in the same general area of the city.

Following an argument about drinking, Charles Alexander Spence, 57, was shot and killed Friday night at 507 S.E. 4th street. Arrested and charged with murder is Mrs. Beatrice Marie Lee, 52, from whom Spence rented a room. Following arraignment Monday she is being held without bond in Polk county jail.

Drinking

Mrs. Lee told police this story. Spence came home after he apparently had been drinking and that he was "swearing and banging into the walls."

She said she told Spence to leave and not come back until he was sober. He refused, she said, an argument ensued, and, fearing Spence might become violent, she got her gun. She told police Spence had a

gun and often waved it when drinking.

Turned to Jacket

She said that while they argued he turned to a brown jacket where he kept his gun and she thought he was going to shoot her. After the shooting Mrs. Lee went to the home of Mrs. Rozetta Lee, 506 S.E. 5th street and asked her to call police.

Spence was dead when police arrived at the small home. Dr. Leo Luka, Polk County medical examiner, said Spence had been shot once in the chest, twice in the neck, and once in the arm. He was employed by a construction firm.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Estes and Son Funeral home with burial in Glendale cemetery.

32 African Nations Meet in Historic Summit This Week

Addis Ababa—What are some of the aims of the historic 32-nation African summit meeting which is being held here May 22-25?

Many people in all parts of the world, filled with anticipation as to what will be the nature of the summit, are asking this question.

Emperor Haile Selassie, in his official role as host, has thrown a great deal of light on the current African Heads of States conference. In a timely intervention during a recent press conference, His Imperial Maj-

esty declared that the purpose of the conference could be reduced to three salient points:

Reasons

First, to speed independence for territories still in a subservient position; secondly, to exchange views on joint problems, such as raising the people's living standards and improving conditions in the fields of economy, culture and politics; thirdly, drawing of an African charter for unity.

100 Negroes Among 800 Delegates at Presbyterian Confab; Form Race Council

Nearly 100 Negroes were among the nearly 900 delegates attending the weeklong session of the 175th General Assembly of United Presbyterian church held in Des Moines. Among them was the noted religious leader, Dr. James R. Robinson, New York, N.Y., director of "Crossroads Africa," in which a Des Moines youth participated in several years ago.

Dr. Robinson addressed a breakfast meeting last week attended by 250 persons, white and Negro, to organize a Presbyterian Interracial council.

Rev. Waterman

Spearheading the movement for its organization was the Rev. Kenneth S. Waterman, 35, pastor of First Presbyterian Church of Kansas City, Mo., an interracial, inter-city congregation and director of a neighborhood center there.

Before the sessions ended Wednesday the Assembly voted to allocate \$500,000 for the working of the new council. Formation of local and regional chapters was begun at brief caucuses. A resolution asking that members endorse fair employment practice laws in their localities was passed.

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.

Early Deadline Next Week

Because Memorial day holiday falls on Thursday, May 30, publication date of the next issue of the Bystander will be moved up one day earlier. The News deadline will be Monday, May 27 at 2 p.m. The advertising deadline will be Tuesday noon, May 28.

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Five Youth Arrested; Broke in Door of Club; Patron Beaten

Five Des Moines youth, described as members of the "Purple Gang" that has been causing disturbances recently in the vicinity of 11th and Center streets, Monday were arraigned on charges growing out of a fracas at the Eleven-Twelve Vets club at 1112 Center street early Sunday.

Persons in the club said the group of young men broke in the door of the club, threw bottles and other objects and beat one of the patrons.

Beaten

Nedion Townsell, 30, of 1153 Eighteenth st., suffered a head laceration in the fracas. He was treated at Broadlawn Polk County Hospital.

Several police cars were sent to the Center street area. Police found a .32-caliber automatic pistol in a shoulder holster near Thirteenth and Park streets which they said was thrown from a car.

Police also were searching the vicinity for a switchblade knife which they understood was thrown from a car.

Lesser Charges

Two of the youths, who gave their names and addresses as Gary W. Carter, 18, of 1312 Thirteenth place and Norman C. Rivers, 18, of 1120 Seventh street, pleaded innocent before Judge Howard W. Brooks to charges of disturbing the peace and quiet and malicious injury to a building.

The two were ordered held in jail in lieu of \$2,200 bond each pending a hearing June 3.

Others

The other three youths were charged only with disturbing the peace and quiet. The three gave their names and addresses as William T. Newton, 19, of 1038 Tenth street; Windsor L. Lee, 23, of 905 Laurel street, and Gary D. Lee, 20, of 1046 Tenth.

Newton and Windsor Lee pleaded guilty to the charge and Judge Brooks ordered them committed to the Polk County jail for 10 days each when they failed to pay fines of \$100 each. Gary Lee pleaded innocent and was ordered held in jail in lieu of \$200 bond pending a hearing June 3.

Body of James R. Slaughter Found; Services Held Wed.

The body of James R. Slaughter, 41, one of two drowning victims of a boating accident on May 12 was found Sunday afternoon about a mile from the scene downstream in the Des Moines river near. Since the accident, which also took the life of a 19-year-old mother of two children, Barbara Ashby, police dragging crews have been hampered in their operations by rising waters and debris in the river from repeated thunderstorms and rains.

Services

Services for Mr. Slaughter, whose address was 1145 9th street, were held at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Estes and Son Funeral home with burial in Glendale cemetery.

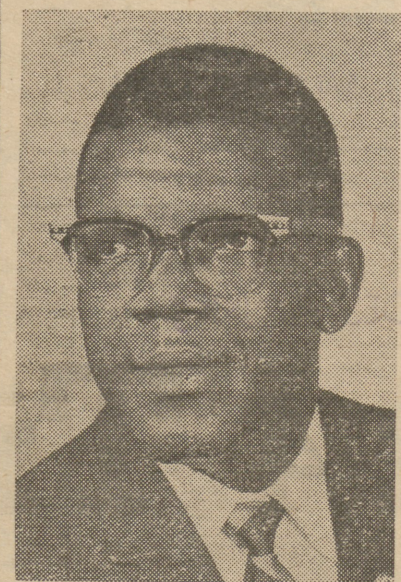
Born in Hope, Ark., he has lived in Des Moines 38 years and was employed the last three years as a laborer for the Rock Island railway.

Survivors

Surviving are his wife, Juanita; two daughters, Lynette and Lisa Renee; three sons, Charles, Steven and Craig, all of Des Moines; his mother, Mrs. Ruth Beasley, Des Moines; his father, James Rogers of Berkeley, Calif.; a brother, Frank Rogers, of Haleiwa, Oahu, Hawaii; and a sister, Captoria Beasley, of Dodge Ridge, Ark.

Robert Jackson Gets Insurance Post

Robert A. Jackson, 1405 Buchanan st., has been appointed field underwriter for the Des Moines branch of the North American Life and Casualty Co., 2723 Euclid ave. Previously



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he was secretary-treasurer of Local 177 of the International Hod Carriers Building and Common Laborers Union. He is on the Broadlawn Polk County Hospital board and is a member of the Des Moines Human Rights Commission.

Virginia School Integration Step

Richmond, Va.—The chairman of the Virginia Pupil Placement Board says a new state-wide policy will be in effect for 1963-64, virtually abolishing all criteria tending to restrict the number of Negroes admitted to white or predominantly white public schools.

The board no longer will consider the academic qualifications of Negro children seeking transfers to white schools, E. J. Oglesby said, and the distance a Negro lives from a white school generally will cease to be a factor in making assignments.

Oglesby testified May 14 at hearings in U. S. District Court on the federal government's move to desegregate public schools in Prince George County.

Services Held for Mrs. Bertha Devers

Services for Mrs. Bertha Devers, 66, of 1310 McCormick street, were held at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, May 16 at Union Baptist church with the Rev. Seymour Gaines officiating. Burial was in Glendale cemetery. She died of a heart ailment Monday, May 13 at Broadlawn Polk County hospital after a two-week illness.

Born in Cameron, Mo., Mrs. Devers was a resident of Des Moines 40 years and was a maid at Hotel Fort Des Moines before her retirement. She formerly was a clerk at Union Baptist church where she was a member and active in its choir.

Surviving are a brother, Ernest Rife of Lathrop, Mo. L. Fowler and Son Funeral Home were in charge of arrangements.

Nancy Windsor Gets \$1,000 Scholarship for Junior Achievement

Fort Madison, Ia.—A \$1,000 scholarship was awarded to Nancy Windsor for outstanding achievement in the Junior Achievement program.

A senior at the Fort Madison Community high school, Miss Windsor received the honor at the 14th annual J. A. "Futures Unlimited" banquet on Thursday, May 9 at Sacred Heart hall.

The \$1,000 scholarship is made possible by local business and civic leaders.

Miss Windsor is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Windsor, 1304 23rd street in Fort Madison.

Africans Honor Alabama 'Hiker'

Lusaka, Northern Rhodesia — Six Northern Rhodesians — two whites, two Negroes and two Indians — launched a memorial fund May 14 to commemorate anti-segregation crusader William L. Moore, who was killed on a protest hike through Alabama.

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 Friday, May 30. 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.

Dixon Program at Harper House Sunday

A city-wide effort entitled Dixon Program, will be held Sunday, May 26 at 6:30 p.m. at the Harper House, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. James Dixon.

Dixon, who resigned last week as youth secretary of the YMCA, and his wife, Betty June and daughter, Tracie, will leave for Monrovia, Liberia, Africa early next month where he will serve as World Service Fellowship secretary for the next three years.

Lone Bandit Gets \$75 from Attendant

A lone bandit about 2 a.m. Wednesday took \$75 from an attendant at a filling station here, police were told.

James Martin Weaver, 22, of Route 3, attendant at the Skelly service station at 2001 University ave., said the bandit held his hand in his pocket as if he had a gun and demanded "your money." Weaver told police that after he handed over the money, the bandit ran to a white, 1961 Chevrolet parked nearby and sped away.

Police issued this description of the bandit: "Negro, about 22 years old, 5 feet 5 inches tall, weighing about 135 pounds, and wearing olive drab Ivy League pants and jacket and black shoes."

Supreme Court

SEE FRONT PAGE ordinance requiring segregation.

The Greenville case and one Birmingham case involved convictions on trespass or similar charges. But both cities have an ordinance requiring restaurant operators to segregate races.

Birmingham

In a second Birmingham case involved, two Negro ministers were convicted of inciting some of the demonstrators who were convicted of trespass for the Mar. 31, 1960, demonstrations.

The Rev. F. L. Shuttlesworth and the Rev. Charles Billups were convicted under a city ordinance providing that "it shall be unlawful for any person to incite, or aid or abet in, the violation of any law or ordinance of the city, or any provision of state law."

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Sunday, May 26, will close the broadcast at 11:00 a.m. from the Mt. Zion Baptist church over station KCRG; the pastor Rev. Percy W. Burt will deliver the message; the combined choirs will sing.

At 3:30 in the afternoon the Mt. Carmel Baptist church will be guest on the 12th anniversary of the pastor services. The Rev. R. S. Ruckett, pastor of Mt. Carmel Baptist church of Waterloo, Ia., will deliver the annual sermon, his choir will sing, dinner will be served at the church.

High school and college graduates from Cedar Rapids, wishing to have their pictures and writeups published in the anniversary issue of the Bystander should contact their Cedar Rapids news correspondent above for information or write the Bystander direct. Thank you.

MASON CITY

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The St. John Baptist Sunday school was held with Clarence Turner, Asst. Supt., in charge. At 11 a.m. Rev. Robert Giles preached on "The Blessedness of God's People."

At 6 p.m. B.T.U. was held with Clarence Turner, Vice Pres., in charge. Devotions were led by Deborah and Darlene Turner. The program was by the Adult class, the Truist Builder.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Walker entertained at dinner, Rev. and Mrs. Robert Giles, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Burrell, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. McGruder and Mr. and Mrs. John Rhem and family.

St. John Baptist church will celebrate the 44th anniversary of the church on Sunday, May 26. Rev. H. R. Fields and congregation of Mt. Olive Baptist church in Des Moines will be guests. Rev. Fields will preach.

Ernest Brewer, 73, Dies of Car Injuries Sustained May 3

Services for Ernest Brewer, 73, of 1528 Carpenter street, were held at 1 p.m. Saturday at the Hammitt-Robinson Funeral home with burial in Glendale cemetery.

He died at Veterans hospital Tuesday, May 14 of injuries suffered in a car accident May 3. He suffered head injuries when a car he was driving hit the rear of another vehicle at the intersection of 9th and Pleasant streets.

Born in Willington, N.C., Mr. Brewer had lived in Des Moines 41 years and was a retired laborer. He was a member of the Knights of Pythias, the American Legion and the Baptist church.

Surviving are his wife, a daughter, Miss Sally Brewer, and several nieces and nephews.

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The Cecelia Greg Missionary society of the Bethel A.M.E. Church will sponsor a birthday party Sunday, June 2 at 4 p.m. Members and friends have been given a small print bag. In turn, they are asked to place a penny each birth years. Come and enjoy the party.

Electa chapter No. 17, O.E.S., will observe Esther day on June 2 by attending the 11 a.m. services at Bethel A.M.E. Church in a body.

Miss Debra Parsons graduation from the Junior high school in June received the highest average for two years in the French course.

Mr. Albert Kees is ill at his home, 1412 Morgan street.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Carter and family spent Sunday, May 19 in Burlington, Ia.

About 60 young people from Keokuk, Ft. Madison and Burlington enjoyed a dancing party at the Masonic hall, last Saturday evening given by Jerry Lawson honoring Elmer Clark, who left Monday to enter the service.

Graduating from Senior high school are Edward Bradley, Duane Carter, Ardis Holt, Ronnie Robinson, Paul and Sharon Tindler.

Mr. George Heywood returned home after spending several weeks in the Veterans Hospital in Iowa City, Ia.

D.M. NAACP Notes Freedom Sun.; Hold Capitol Demonstration

The Des Moines branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People will meet on Tuesday, May 28 at 8 p.m. at the Willkie House, 900 17th street. An executive board meeting will precede at 7:30 p.m.

Also, delegates will be elected to attend the national convention of NAACP to be held in Chicago, Ill., beginning July 2. Atty. Robert A. Wright is president.

A small crowd witnessed the "Freedom Sunday" program held at Corinthian Baptist church Sunday afternoon. The event which notes the anniversary of the U.S. Supreme court public school desegregation decision, was in charge of Des Moines ministers with Rev. N. R. Dolphin as chairman and master of ceremonies.

It was sponsored by the Des Moines branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People of which Robert A. Wright is president.

The Des Moines branch also held a demonstration at the state capitol Monday morning in sympathy with the current desegregation demonstrations in the South.

HEALTH FOR ALL

Health Racketeers

The machine was an electronic marvel, its manipulators assured their wide-eyed dupes. And a huge boon to the ailing. Why, all you had to do was send in a blood sample and the gadget would make a diagnosis, duly reporting whether your earache signified gout, cancer, or cowpox.

There was one small hitch. When government inspectors sent a couple of samples to the midwest "laboratory" where it held sway, it turned out the machine couldn't even tell the difference between blood and colored water, let alone figure out what was in them!

Phony Health

Electronic health-aid fakery has grown into big business since technology became the going thing. Recently Food and Drug Administration agents raided a phony health institute in Washington, D. C. They found the gifted "therapists" operating an impressive dingbat into which they fed answers to questionnaires filled out by patients. The machine batted back a "diagnosis"

of the patient's mental disorders, whether he had any or not.

Gadget

Another dazzling gadget, equipped with colored filters and intense lights was supposed to cure major diseases by bombarding the affected part with just the right color. By the time the government put that one out of business, some of the "doctor's" patients had died.

Health rackets are an old story. The Food and Drug Administration estimates that a hot billion a year is paid out to fakers offering relief from such diseases as asthma, cancer, arthritis, and heart ailments.

Wonders

Standard medical treatment may look old-fashioned in this day of scientific wonders, but there isn't any substitute for it. Your doctor is the one best qualified to advise you on any new developments in this field. He is also, now as always, the one best qualified to treat your ills.

Information Service of Polk County Tuberculosis and Health Association

Organize Pan-African Student Club Here

About 36 persons, mostly students from Drake university, attended the first social function of the Pan-African Student club, organized Sunday afternoon at the YWCA.

Ambrose Wotorson, president, told the group the organization has a twofold purpose: To create a clearing house for problems of African students, and to foster opportunities for mutual discussion and social activities between African and American Negro college students.

The club is the result of previous meetings of African students attending college in Des Moines, to discuss the problems, particularly about fostering better relations with the American Negroes.

The American hostesses for the gathering were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Watkins, Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Griffin and Mrs. Wotorson. They served refreshments.

A similar gathering is tentative planned for the fall.

Brick Breaks Window Of Glanton Office

Police are investigating an incident in which a brick was thrown through the window of the law office of Mrs. Willie Glanton, wife of Municipal Judge Luther T. Glanton, Jr., about 10:30 p.m. Monday. The office is on the ground floor at 926 9th street.

Mrs. Glanton, who was alone in the office, said she was sitting by the curtained window but was not injured. Her husband attributed the incident to pranksters.

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A temporary Civic Council has been formed by Mrs. James Benjamin and Mr. Russell Lowe as co-chairmen. Immediate project of the council is to promote the beautifying of homes and lawns through the formation of block units in all neighborhoods. The cooperation of organizations and churches is requested and their representatives will be contacted.

Fullilove Studio presented pupils in annual recital "Musical Instruments On Parade," at the YWCA on Saturday evening. Piano, guitar, banjo and violin were featured. Guest entertainers were former students showing their accomplishments. Mrs. Fullilove was assisted by Mrs. Betty Hackett and Miss Marlys Messingham.

On May 14 boys and girls track meet took place at Longfellow School. This was according to grades. Terri Elaine Pearson, age 12, of the sixth grade division won three ribbons and the only girl to do so. She won first place in 50 yard dash, second place in the broad jump, and

fourth place in chinning. Terri lives with her mother, Mrs. Ruth Moon, at 114 Chestnut Street. Her father, Mr. Charles Pearson, resides outside the city.

Funeral services for Mr. Joe Dennis Curry, 75, of 209 Shilliam Ave., were held at Antioch Baptist Church Saturday, with Rev. Eugene Williams, Pastor, officiating. Surviving besides the widow are three daughters, Mrs. Ella Morehead, 121 Albany St.; Mrs. Geneva Loomis, of Rock Island, Ill., and Mrs. Addie Flowers of 815 Glenwood St.; four sons, Charles, 24 Van Buren St.; Joe Jr., of 627 Beech St.; Donald of 820 Sumner St.; and James, of Sioux City; one stepson, Irving Montgomery of Los Angeles, Calif.; three brothers, Benjamin, William and Louis, all of St. Louis, Mo.; a sister, Mrs. Ida Dean, of Chicago, Ill.; 33 grand children, and 55 great grand children.

Mr. Rueben Walker, 733 Willow, is a patient at Scholtz Hospital. Waterloo Branch NAACP membership drive is now on. Join today.

Sunday is Women's day at Payne A.M.E. Church and a special program at 3:30 p.m.

333 Albany St. was surprised by 34 relatives and neighbors. It was her 70th birthday. They brought in large packages of fish fillets which she prepared for them. Potato salad, cake and punch completed the menu.

The Union Missionary Baptist Church will observe the Eighth Anniversary of its Pastor, Rev. L. J. Jordan D. D., May 26-June 2, 1963.

Principle speakers: Rev. G. H.

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Dial Finance Company of Augusta, Georgia, was incorporated under Chapter 496A, Code of Iowa 1962 on October 17, 1962 with perpetual duration, for the following purposes: (A) To engage in, conduct, and carry on a general loan and finance business in all of its branches; to act as agent or broker in procuring money for loans; to loan money and funds, and to make advances to any corporation, partnership, firm, association, organization, or person upon security of its or his undertakings, property, estate, assets, securities and effects, or any part thereof, or upon assignments or pledges of real estate or personal property or both, and/or upon assignments or pledges of salary or wages or other benefits payable to or for the benefit of any person; to accept and to make advances to any corporation, partnership, firm, association, organization, or person upon security of its or his undertakings, property, estate, assets, securities and effects, or any part thereof, or upon assignments or pledges of real estate or personal property or both, and/or upon assignments or pledges of salary or wages or other benefits payable to or for the benefit of any person; 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B. T. 6:00 P.M.
Evening Service 8:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

St. Paul A.M.E. Church
12th and Crocker Street
REV. E. P. WILLIAMS, D.D.
Church School 9:30 A.M.
Church Service 10:45 A.M.
Vespers Service 6:30 P.M.-7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wed. 7:30 P.M.
Youth Fellowship 5:30 P.M.

East University Church of God in Christ
East 17th and University
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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
Rev. E. D. SMITH, Pastor
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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Youth Church 1:30 a.m.
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Missionary Volunteer 4:30 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
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Wednesday Prayer Service 8:00 P.M.

KYLES A.M.E. ZION CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Oscar Peavy will preach on "Simply Out of This World," on Sunday, May 26 at 11 a.m.
Saturday beginning at 12 noon an ice cream social will be held at the church.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The Sunday school will holds its annual banquet for high school and college graduates of the church immediately following morning services on Sunday, May 26.

The Richard Allen Usher board will hold its annual candlelight memorial services that evening at 6:30.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

During the revival conducted by Rev. C. H. Churn, Baltimore, Md., 18 persons have come in either as candidates for baptism, reinstatement, or on Christian experience.

Choirs participating have been from Maple Street Baptist, Shiloh Baptist, Mt. Hebron Baptist, Mt. Olive Baptist, Union Baptist, Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion; tonight the Richard Allen chorus of St. Paul A.M.E. church will sing; also, The Inspirational chorus of Corinthian. On Friday, the closing night, all singing groups of Corinthian will participate.

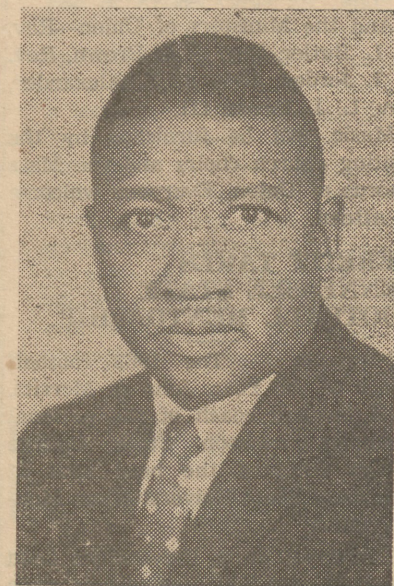
Sunday, May 26 at 11 a.m. Rev. N. R. Olphin will preach on "Inspiration from the Revival." The Youth chorus will sing. Baptismal services will follow.

Beginning Monday evening all clubs, auxiliaries and departments will resume their evening activities that were suspended during the revival.

Shiloh Baptist Church Will Honor Pastor With Banquet, Services

Third anniversary services will be held Sunday, May 26 at 3 p.m. at the Shiloh Baptist church in honor of their pastor, Rev. William Heath. Chairman is Deacon O. L. Howard and Mrs. Odella Daniels, co-chairman and mistress of ceremonies.

Guest speaker will be Rev. N. R. Olphin of Corinthian Baptist church. His senior choir, directed by Mrs.



REV. HEATH

Barbara Williams, will sing. A reception will follow, in charge of the Young Matrons.

Rev. Heath came to Shiloh in May, 1960. A graduate of the Open Bible College, he is treasurer of the Central District Association; under his planned pastorate many members have been added and three ministers accepted.

He resides with his wife, Delores and their two sons, Tony and Barney Heath at 900 26th street.

A banquet sponsored by the Young Adult choir will be held Saturday, May 25 at the church.

St. Paul Usher

Board Meets Tonight

The Usher board of St. Paul A.M.E. church will meet tonight (Thurs.) at 8 p.m. at the home of Russell Reeves, 3013 3rd street. Clark Yeager is president.

Eastside Mission

Will Observe 35th Anniversary Sunday

The East Side Union Mission Society will observe its 35th anniversary on Sunday, May 26 at 2:30 p.m. at Bethel A.M.E. church. Guest speaker will be Mrs. Goldie T. Fant, organizer of the group. The Fellowship chorus of Corinthian Baptist church will sing.

Ernest (Speck) Redd, well known musician, will conduct the "quiet hour." A tea will follow with Mrs. Roxie Moore as social chairman. Mrs. Marguerite Bailey is program chairman and Mrs. Ibbie White, president.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The Rally will climax on Sunday, May 26 at 3:30 p.m. with a program with St. John Baptist church as guests.

On Monday, May 27 the pastor, Rev. G. M. Williams and congregation of Macedonia will join Union Baptist church in Waterloo, Ia., to celebrate the anniversary of their pastor, Rev. L. J. Jordan.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, May 26 at 11 a.m. Rev. George Parrish will preach on "All Alone." The Gospel choir will sing. At 3 p.m. the Pastor's Aid will celebrate its second anniversary with services. The Pastor's Aid will meet on Friday, May 24 at 7:30 p.m. at the church.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, May 26 at 11 a.m. Rev. William Heath will preach. The Youth choir will sing. Mrs. McCiel is director.

Visiting worshippers last Sunday were Mrs. Lemmer Steen, assistant mother of the Church of God in Christ, South Bend, Ind. Rev. Carl Saunders, pastor of Second Baptist church in Fort Dodge, Ia., was guest speaker for evening services, sponsored by the Senior choir. Deacon Eartheil Duncan is president. Rev. and Mrs. Guy Sanders also attended.

Sick at home is Mrs. Louise Brown, church reporter, Mrs. E. Lucas, Mrs. E. Mash, Mrs. B. Nolan and Everette Daniels.

On Monday, May 27 at 8 p.m. ladies from Galilee Baptist church will present a skit for the Mission society of which Mrs. George Tywater is president.

Rev. H. R. Fields to Preach at Mason City Sunday

The Rev. H. R. Fields, pastor of Mt. Olive Baptist church, will be guest speaker for the 40th anniversary founding of St. John Baptist church in Mason City, Ia., on Sunday afternoon, May 26. The Senior choir will accompany him. Dinner will be served the guests.

Rev. Fields also was honored recently when he had the distinction of giving the invocation at one of the sessions of the last general assembly at the Statehouse.

Methodist Youth to Sponsor Car Wash

The Methodist Youth Council will sponsor a Car Wash at St. Paul A.M.E. Church, 12th Crocker street on Saturday, May 25 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in an effort to raise money for a trip to Kansas City, Mo., in June.

Churches of God in Christ State S.S. Convention to End

The annual State Sunday School convention of the Churches of God in Christ of Iowa No. 1, now in session at Mission Temple Church of God in Christ, will end on Saturday, May 25 at the New Jerusalem Church of God in Christ, 14th and University avenue.

Elder E. R. Davis, Davenport, Ia., State S.S. Superintendent, will preside. Elder E. A. Tindrell is host pastor.

Inspirational Chorus Plans Recital Sunday

The Inspirational Chorus of Corinthian Baptist Church will present its annual spring concert Sunday, May 26 at 7 p.m. at Corinthian Baptist Church.

Noted for its inspiring singing, under the leadership of Mrs. Doris Wade, the group consists of some 25 male and female voices. The program will feature gospels, spirituals and hymns.

Plan Barbecue Festival At Maple St. Saturday

The Mission Society of Maple Street Baptist church will sponsor a "Barbecue May Festival" at the church, 16th and Maple street, on Saturday, May 25, beginning at 10 a.m.

Hold Services for Archie A. Martin, 72

Services for Archie A. Martin, 72, of 2315 Garfield avenue, were held at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at St. Paul A.M.E. church with the Rev. E. P. Williams officiating. Burial was in Glendale Cemetery. He died Saturday in Mercy hospital. He suffered a heart attack three months ago.

Born in Austell, Ga., Mr. Martin had lived in Des Moines 45 years and was a veteran of World War I and a member of North Star Lodge No. 2, Shrine Temple No. 90, Lincoln Post No. 126 of the American Legion, Monarch club, and St. Paul A.M.E. church where he was a steward. He was employed as an attendant in the Iowa Senate cloak room.

Mr. Martin is survived by his wife, Christine; a daughter, Mrs. Gladys Williams of Marietta, Ga.; a sister, Mrs. John Shipp of Ames; a brother, Paul Martin of Ames; a half-brother, Ernest Simmons of Ames, and two grandsons.

REMEMBER LOVED ONES

In the issue of May 30, which precedes Memorial Day, the Bystander

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Will Be Women's Day Speaker Sunday at Waterloo's Payne

Mrs. Clara Bayles, 951 17th street, will be guest speaker on Sunday, May 26 at 3:30 p.m. for Women's day services at Payne Memorial A.M.E. Church in Waterloo, Ia. Her subject will be "In All We Do, To God Be True."

Last summer Mrs. Bayles was a member of the Delta sponsored tour of African and European nations. She is also past president of the Des Moines branch of the NAACP, and is currently employed with the Polk county welfare department.

Shooting Victim, Vaughn Webb, 52, Buried in Missouri

Services for Vaughn R. Webb, 52, of 1245 Sampson street, were held at 2 p.m. Friday, May 17 in Sedalia, Mo.

Mr. Webb was killed early Sunday, May 12 in a shooting, when he and his common-law wife, Mrs. Lola Mae Webb, were double murder victims following an argument in a car in the driveway.

Webb is survived by 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.

Estes and Son Funeral home were in charge of arrangements.

er will publish memoriams and other recognitions of deceased persons. Call AT 5-1904 for details.

NOTICE IN PROBATE

Probate No. 51559
To Whom It May Concern:
Will of GLADYS E. FERRALL, Deceased
YOU are hereby notified to appear at the Court House in Polk County, on the 31st 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 of Gladys E. Ferrall, 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 23rd day of May, A.D., 1963.
MICHAEL H. DOYLE, JR.
Clerk District Court
La Vaugh Gilbert, Deputy

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1000 Delegates Attend South-Central 3-Day Sessions of Jehovah's Witnesses

Ottumwa, Ia. — "The East-West struggle is a mere side skirmish in the battle for world control. The true cause of the struggle, sovereignty of the universe, is infinitely greater than the East-West conflict," Harry Good, district supervisor of Jehovah's Witnesses declared. Speaking to 1,021 delegates in final 3-day session at the Ottumwa Coliseum.

Good said, "The time has come for all nations, East and West, to surrender to the Supreme Sovereign of the Universe or to be broken to pieces. World leaders cry out for wisdom, but reject the Bible and the wisdom from above, and stupidly refuse to listen to any thought of accepting the very kingdom for which they profess to pray."

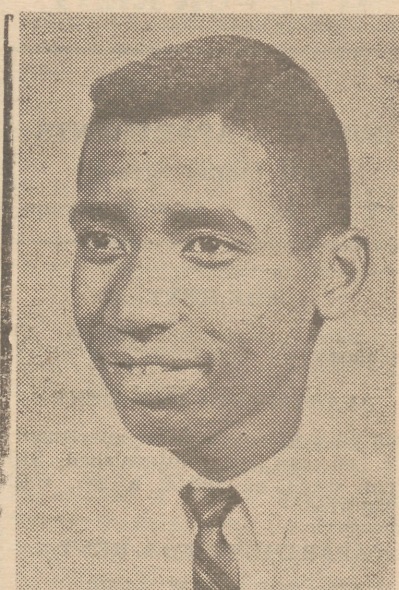
Louis Cutwright, Jr. of 642 26th Street in Des Moines was one of the speakers at the assembly. He addressed the delegates at the opening session on the subject, "Taking out

a People for His Name."
Louis is a Bible Student enrolled in a Ministry development program, designed to train ministers of Jehovah's Witnesses. Louis' mother, Mrs. Mattie Cutwright, spoke to the delegates on the merits of making revisits to people manifesting an interest in a study of the Bible.

Delegates

Delegates from south-central Iowa made house-to-house visitations and witnessed the ordination of 16 new ministers, according to Mr. Loy Olmstead, presiding minister of the Des Moines West Unit congregation.

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Coliseum, a shuttle system of transporting delegates to a Witness-operated dining hall was instituted for the infirm and handicapped.

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SOCIETY

Mary Holmes to Be Bride in August

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Holmes, 6224 Forest ave., announce the plans for an Aug. 31 wedding of their daughter,



MISS HOLMES

Mary Ann, and Randall L. Davenport, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davenport of Chicago, Ill.

Miss Holmes, who attended Grand View College, now attends Drake University. Her fiancé, a Drake graduate, teaches in the Chicago school system.

Civic Breakfast Club Holds Annual May Breakfast

The Civic Breakfast club held its annual May breakfast Monday at Union park.

Guests sharing the courtesies were Rev. and Mrs. N. R. Olphin, Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Ryles, Mesdames Inez Jones, Hiawatha Potter, Georgia Jones, Julia Cannon, Marian Walker, Georgia Goggins, Essie Davis, Helen T. Danforth, and Messrs. William Jefferson and son, Griffith, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burk.

Out-of-town guests were Rev. C. H. Churn, Baltimore, Md., and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Campbell of Omaha, Nebr. Mrs. Maybelle Jefferson is president.

Mary Church Terrell Club Holds Meeting

Mary Church Terrell club met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Ada Johnson, 813 13th street. Mrs. Johnson gave a talk on Iowa Public Welfare. A discussion followed. The next meeting will be Monday, May 27 with Mrs. Joburness Kelso, 1181 12th street.

Wins Second Place In Elks Oratorical Contest in Davenport

Ruth Ann Gaines, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis H. Gaines of 644 27th street, won second place in the state oratorical contest sponsored by Order of the Elks.

Miss Gaines competed in the state by winning first place in the Des Moines contest.



RUTH ANN GAINES

Moines contest sponsored by Hawk-eye Elks Lodge No. 160 and Rose Temple No. 33. She also was elected president of the student council at St. Joseph Academy and will take office next September. A sophomore, she has held several key offices at the Academy and is also a news reporter on the "Spectator," student newspaper. She is a member of St. John Catholic church.

La Maisonettes Hold Mother-Daughter Tea

The La Maisonettes held their annual Mother-Daughter tea on Sunday afternoon at Willkie House. Guests and members enjoyed a style show presented by children of the members and friends.

Models were Kimmie and Monica MacCracken, Lorie Ann Adams, Debbie Parkey, Karen Rollison, Kenzie Reeves, Pam Jackson, Vonderlyrie and Rosie Watkins, Synthia Robinson, Tina, Marca and Susie Hogan, Linda and Gail Bowman, Vickie and Edie Spriggs, Ernie Russell, Davis and Douglas Jones and Warren Hall.

A beautiful floral display was given to Mrs. Lindsey, who will celebrate her 80th birthday next month. Music was by Kenneth Parkey, Jr.

The club will meet on Friday, May 24 at the home of Mrs. Malcolm Hogan. Mrs. Lacey Spriggs is president.

Club Women's Day To Be Celebrated

Eleven federated clubs in Des Moines will join in the celebration of "Club Women's Day" here Sunday, May 26 at 3:30 p.m. at St. Paul A.M.E. church, Frank Clark, "Country Parson" the Register and Tribune, will be guest speaker. He will be introduced by Mrs. Roberta Frazier, IACW president.

The event is being celebrated simultaneously in cities throughout Iowa and also marks the 61st founding of the Iowa Association of Club Women.

Tracie Dixon Feted At Bon Voyage Party

Tracie Dixon, who will accompany her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Dixon to Monrovia, Liberia in Africa in June, was honored with a bon voyage party Saturday at the home of her music teacher, Mrs. Korrine Jackson, 1155 Enos avenue.

The party was given by the Nathaniel Dett Music club, composed of music pupils of Mrs. Jackson. The honoree received many lovely and useful gifts.

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La Femme Club Awards \$100 Scholarship

The La Femme club met at the home of Mrs. Helen Williams and announced Miss Sharon King as recipient of the fifth annual \$100 scholarship. Miss King, graduating from Valley High school this month, is the daughter of Dee Dee King of West Des Moines.

Mrs. Erma Carr, club president, will present the scholarship certificate to Miss King at the commencement exercises of Valley High on May 28.

The meeting was presided over by the vice president, Mrs. Lucy Williams. The next meeting will be June 6.

Pvt. Roy Lee, Jr. Spends Leave Here

Pvt. E. I. Roy Lee, Jr., spent 12 days leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee, Sr., 1156 17th street. He left Wednesday May 15 for Ft. Monmouth, N.J. He formerly was stationed at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

The Matthew Johnsons Entertain Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Jester, Gary, Ind., were weekend guests of Mrs. Jester's uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Johnson, 1331 McCormick street.

Des Moines Guests Visit in Illinois

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beecham and Russell Taylor were evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown of Quincy, Ill., on Saturday, May 11.

D.D.M. Club Holds 3rd Annual Tea

The Daughters of Des Moines Federated club held their 3rd anniversary tea at the Brotherhood center on Sunday afternoon. The hall was beautifully decorated under the supervision of Mrs. Bertie Hogan.

Mistress of ceremonies for the program was Mrs. Mildred Massey. Mrs. Florence Green sang a solo accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Dorothy McCurn. Mark and Ken Williams, children of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Williams, gave a tap dance number. Several toddlers and tiny tots modeled the latest in fashions in their age group.

After the program refreshments of parfait and cookies were served.

Pasha Club Meets With Estella Ford

The Pasha club met at the home of Mrs. Estella Ford, 840 16th street. The drawing for the ham was won by Mrs. Catherine Daniels, 670 26th street.

Plans were also made for a picnic on June 15, which will be the last meeting before summer adjournment. The club will meet Friday, May 24 at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Hawkins, 662 26th street. Mrs. Edna Harris, president, urges the attendance of all members.

Monarch Breakfast

The Annual Monarch Breakfast will be held at the Brotherhood Hall, 13th and Center Sunday, May 26. The members and their families are being served by the Entertainment Chairman, Ralph Parker and his committee. Breakfast is being served at 7:30 a.m.

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Festival of Women Planned by Hi-Span Club on June 15

"Festival of Women", designed to incite an active interest in club women in the African nation, is being planned by the Hi-Span Federated club on June 15, at the Brotherhood Center, 13th and Center streets.

The "festival" would be patterned after the well-known "Foreign Student weekend", with each club setting up booths for a particular foreign country. In addition the venture would enable clubs to make money for their own treasuries.

Copies of the letters to various clubs were completed and mailed at a recent meeting at the home of Mrs. Glenda Russell. Mrs. Helen Wilson is president.

The Olivers Have Weekend Guests

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hall, of Galesburg, Ill., spent the weekend here as houseguests of Atty. and Mrs. W. Lawrence Oliver, 5975 N.W. 73rd place.

Logan Garden Club Evening Unit Elects

The Logan Garden club evening unit met Monday with Mrs. Shirley Spencer. Officers elected are Mesdames Spencer, president; Hazel McGuire, vice president; Lucinda Manuel, secretary; Mary Paschel, assist. secretary; Mary Wells, treasurer; Eula Woodland, Assist. treasurer; and Geneva Robinson, Ilason. Mrs. Tereca Jefferson is chairman of the telephone committee.

The group will meet on Monday, May 27 at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. Jefferson, 1609 Stewart street.

OPEN HOUSE AT LIBRARY

The Main Library, 1st and Locust, will have open house Friday and Saturday (May 24 and 25) as part of an all-city open house program.

Librarians will be on duty in each department of the library to explain services in their particular area and answer questions. A tour guide sheet will be presented to persons as they enter the library so they will be able to tour the library on their own.

Hours of open house are Friday, 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. and Saturday, 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

L.T. Club to Crown 'Mother of Year' Award Scholarship

The L. T. Club met May 15 at the home of Mrs. Mary Hardaway. Mrs. Dorothy Vaughn, chairman of the "Mother of the Year" contest reported the event will be held Sunday, May 26 at 5 p.m. at the Brotherhood hall, 13th and Center streets. The winner will be crowned at that time and Miss Linda Walker will be awarded the club's annual scholarship. A style show and tea will climax the program. Mrs. Mary Parker is president.

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Tawasi Club Will Meet June 5th

The Tawasi federated club will meet on Wednesday, June 5 at the home of Mrs. Alberta Daniels, 783 28th street.

Jack Berry Leaves For Portland, Ore.

Jack Berry, 1711 Jefferson, left Monday for Portland, Ore., where he will visit his cousin, Mrs. Willie Thomas.

BENEFIT PREMIERE OF "CLEOPATRA"

The Polk County Chapter of the American Cancer Society will sponsor a benefit premiere of the movie "Cleopatra" next month.

The movie will be shown at the Ingersoll Theatre in an exclusive Iowa engagement.

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Personally Yours
By Frances Hawthorne.

May, with all its merry activities will have its most busiest weekend in the next several days. Saturday and Sunday are just chock full of events to be given by various organizations. The weekend marks also the nearness of school closings and summer vacation, that will be hailed by thousands of children everywhere.

Several weeks ago when we rehearsed the members of the 5 to 7 year old group of Jack and Jill at our home, we were trying to keep track of the various youngsters as they waited for parents to pick them up. We asked little Ronnie Sharp, who is far from little for his age, if his mother, Mrs. William Sharp would pick him up. He smiled and said, "No, I'm going to walk home." We were taken aback momentarily but decided he probably was teasing. After a minute a phone call distracted our attention. When we returned outside we were told by the remaining youngsters that Ronnie had just started "walking home."

We got on the phone to his mother, who reassured us that Ronnie knew his way home, which is almost a mile from our place. She phoned later to tell us he made it fine after stopping in to visit with a friend before arriving home.

Among the talented youngsters at Dunlap elementary school is 8-year-old Donna Douglas, who seems to have an innate budding flair for art and painting. One of her paintings she did recently has been on display at the school in her room, taught by Mrs. Butts.

Donna is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Douglas of 715 S.E. 14th street place. They have four children.

Mrs. Rozenting Hardaway, 1128 11th street, has been elected and installed as secretary of the Parent Teacher Association of Des Moines Technical High school. The installation took place on Tuesday afternoon.

Among new employees at Plumb's Jewelry is Mrs. Hugh Semple, 3107 3rd street. Her varied activities makes the job devoid of routine.

Because the Memorial day holiday falls on the publication date of the next issue of the Bystander the deadlines have been moved up one day. Don't forget all news must be in no later than Monday, May 27 at 2 p.m. Advertising deadlines is Tuesday noon, May 28. If you should have news earlier, don't delay. Call or bring it in immediately. This will insure the publication of your news.

Last Friday our oldest daughter,

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 writemp published, please do so before the deadline of Friday, May 30. Mail, or bring in your pictures, write-up 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.

EDITORIALS + FEATURES + SPORTS

VOTE YES IN THE SCHOOL BOND ELECTION MAY 28

Few school election issues have been so thoroughly aired as the one set for May 28 when voters in the Independent School District of Des Moines will be asked to approve a bond issue of \$5,975,000 and to continue the schoolhouse levy in order to provide funds for construction and remodeling of several schools.

In order that a thorough study would be made of the whole project, a citizens' committee to examine the proposed bond issue was appointed. The committee has studied the whole program and visited the schools and proposed sights where construction is to be had. The whole program was debated thoroughly with some members opposed to individual projects. However, in the final analysis, the committee has approved the recommendations of the board of education and urges citizens to support them.

Unfortunately, the program calls for a slight increase in taxes. This is always unfortunate however worthy. Frankly, the whole tax burden on real property is too high and some means must be found to reduce it.

Some anticipated that the legislature would pass a tax relief measure which would make the school tax increase feel less severe. Maybe, and it is hoped, that the governor will call a special session of the legislature in order to produce some type of tax relief. It is still time to reduce the whole tax levy by changing the tax structure.

Des Moines does have good schools. Unfortunately, the school district has been forced to take over more school children because additional territory has been added to the city.

The Editor of the Bystander has served on this citizens' committee. He has been critical of some details of the program we are asked to approve on May 28. But, on the whole, he has felt that a sound school administration has weighed the future as well as present needs of the district and planned in the light of the growth of the city.

Much of this program remains to be worked out before actual construction of any projects begins. Interested citizens have an opportunity to help shape the course of the projects. However, the Bystander believes that the school administration should be supported which means vote YES on Tuesday, May 28th.

WHY NOT GET A

STREET CAR SCHEDULE

"Occasionally people remark 'I waited so long for a street car.' Yet those same people would never drop into a railroad station or airport and be accommodated—unannounced.

People don't complain—unless there is trouble on the line—that they waited for a train or airplane because they secured timetables and found when their train or plane arrives and when they depart.

It never occurred to the fellow who waited for a street car that the Des Moines Transit Company has timetables available for the public. They tell when cars pass certain places and when they arrive. This man, who complains, could call the company and one will be mailed or ask any conductor for a timetable and he would know when cars pass a certain area and in the meantime accomplish little chores during the time he had stood around and wondered when his car was coming by.

It is all very easy. Just take a little time and think.

PRESBYTERIANS ACT WITH A PURPOSE

During the past week Des Moines has been host to the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church. Delegates from all states and some foreign countries are in attendance. Meeting at a time when important social problems and matters of particular interest to the workings of the denomination are on the agenda, delegates have attacked them with an eye to real solution rather than side stepping in order to wait for the crowd to form.

Ten years ago, the organization called for integration of churches but apparently gave other than lip service to the proposal. No such sentiment pre-

Ernie Davis, 23, Dies of Leukemia

Former Syracuse Football Great Won Heisman Trophy

Cleveland, Ohio—Ernie Davis, one of this generation's great collegiate football players, died Saturday, of leukemia. He was 23. For at least half a year, the Heisman trophy winner from Syracuse had realized that an early death was inevitable. He remained courageously and prayerfully optimistic, as all condemned men should strive to do.

Proved Himself

Meanwhile, he did not kid himself. He manfully resigned himself to the will of a Power higher than ourselves. None of this was surprising to the men who knew Ernie Davis. He proved himself a man.

Ernie Davis was a record-breaking football player at Syracuse. The Heisman award, the unanimous All-American nomination, testify to that. He never was able to play a game for the Cleveland Browns, who had to talk sky-scraper finance to sign him.

Hall of Fame

But his collegiate performances insure that he will be remembered and very soon inducted into the Hall of Fame. Ernie's greatness transcended his gridiron talents. He was the kind of guy you would want for a friend . . . or a son or a brother.

That's why the Browns who might have considered him a liability felt privileged to help Ernie fight the losing battle. The Browns paid over \$10,000 in hospital bills alone for him.

D.C. Pact Leads to Nation-Wide Job Program At Western Electric

Washington, D.C. — A fair employment agreement negotiated between Washington CORE and Western Electric Corp. in respect to the company's Arlington, Va. plant, has led to a nation-wide program in which CORE groups will see to it that a fair job policy prevails at Western Electric plants in their respective communities.

CORE groups have been instructed to contact Western Electric representatives in their areas and to insure that minority recruitment gets under way. This nation-wide program was agreed upon at a conference here between representatives of Washington CORE, national CORE and the corporation.

vailed in this 1963 for the assembly has set up a commission to do the job and appropriated a half-million dollars to help see it through.

Like any other changes in race relations, this will come slowly but definitely its on the way.

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Two fine athletes died a few days apart. One was a lonely, frustrated man, trying so hard for human companionship and the things that make a man proud of his life that he took the wrong road and destroyed himself. He was Eugene (Big Daddy) Lipscomb.

The other athlete had everything to live for and a full measure of the things that Big Daddy Lipscomb wanted. But no one knows who these things happen. All we know is that no man is guaranteed tomorrow. We saw such a fine tribute to Ernie Davis, who died of leukemia that we thought you ought to read it. It is printed elsewhere on this page.

BLASTS SEGREGATION IN MEDICAL CARE

Atlanta, Ga.—One hundred delegates to the Seventh Imhotep National Conference on Hospital Integration meeting here May 17-18, urged an anti-discrimination amendment to the Hill-Burton Act and strongly condemned the continuation of discriminatory practices in hospital and medical facilities throughout the nation, denial of staff positions to Negro practitioners and membership in local medical associations.

The Conference was sponsored by the National Medical Association, the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and the National Urban League. Cooperating Organizations included the National Newspaper Publishers Association, Congress of Racial Equality, Southern Christian Leadership Conference, United Packinghouse, Food and Allied Workers, AFL-CIO, Chicago, and the Links, Inc.

Just North of Freedom

Sojourner Truth

Sojourner Truth

A group of NAACP women are organizing a demonstration in support of our southern brothers and sisters that will provide an opportunity for everybody to stand and be counted on the side of justice and human dignity.

BE THERE is all we ask. Be on the west approach to the Statehouse ground, Tuesday, May 28th at 4 P.M. Come after school. Come from work. Mother! Remember, you were sick about the police dogs and fire hoses. Your most important job Tuesday is to be at the State house. See to it that nobody eats until he has been counted on the side of liberty for all.

If our brothers can face the fire hoses, we can face the rain, should

it be necessary.

Let us remember that we do not stand alone in Des Moines. Folk-singers from the Burning Bush will be there to donate their services. Three organizations will help with printing the publicity to cover the city.

We need everybody's help. We need cars. We need men, women and children to help us every day until Tuesday.

Offer your service to Mrs. Marion Williams 255-3004 or Mrs. Salena Conner AT 8-5689. Call to find out how you can help.

We are going to need money for the loud speaking system. Bring what you can to the meeting on the state House grounds.



"Rally 'Round The Flag, Boys!"

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DEAR EDITOR:

We are anxious to reach readers who are dissatisfied with the snail-like progress being made towards non-discrimination. Readers who would look with favor on the formation of a new association to further fair and equal treatment in all phases of life, and particularly in areas not effectively reached by existing organizations.

We are forming an association of this nature with the intention of supplementing the activities of existing organizations and working harmoniously with them. Our intentions are to stimulate the public conscience on such problems and try to reverse the feelings of apathy too often prevalent.

There are many fields of endeavor that your readers can participate in to achieve a society where all may live with dignity and honor. This can be accomplished, must be accomplished.

All regions of the country should be represented in forming this association and we are confident that among your readers will be those who would contribute their ideas or a small part of their time to cooperate with our efforts in the association we are forming. All sincere persons who would like to help in this great work are cordially invited to write to:

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By H. L. Sellers, Pembroke, Ga.

Lots of folks see me, but no one knows

How I do manage to stay on the go
There's nothing whatever the matter with me

I'm just as fine as I can be,
I have arthritis in both my knees
And when I talk, I talk with a wheeze,

My pulse is weak, and my blood is low

The Lord only, knows how I keep on the go,

But, I'm fine for the shape I'm in.
I think my liver is out of whack

And a terrible pain is in my back,
My hearing is poor, my sight is dim

Most every thing is out of trim,
The doctor says my days are few

For every time he finds something new,
And the way I stagger sure is a crime

I'm likely to drop at most any time,

But, I'm fine for the shape I'm in.
My fingers are ugly, and stiff in the joints

And my nails impossible to keep in points,
Sleepless, I lie night after night

And in the morning, I'm just in a fright,
My memory's failing, my head is in a spin

I'm practically living on aspirin,
The moral of this tale I now unfold
Is for you and me, who are growing old,
Tis better to say "I'm fine with a grin
Cause it will surely help the shape we're in."

THOUGHTS FOR TODAY

Reason things out with your children—it is the best way to whip them into shape.

Bend your knees—not your elbows—if you expect to solve the world's problems.

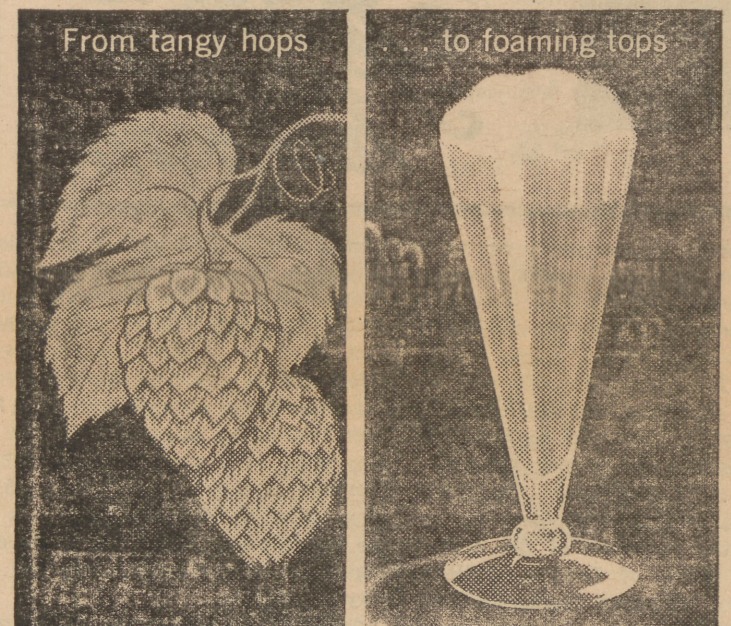
If all the good resolutions that are kept were placed end to end they wouldn't reach very far into the new year.

LAUGH LINES

A six-year-old boy, separated from his mother in a supermarket, frantically called out to her, using her first name, "Martha! Martha! Martha!"

The woman came to her son quickly, but admonished him: "You shouldn't call be Martha. I'm 'Mother' to you."

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