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IN NORTHEAST IOWA

Juvenile Parole Agent Appointed

Mother, Son Hospitalized after Knifing Incident

Jail Roomer; Hearing Set Monday; Assault To Murder Charged

Lucius Williams, 48, a roomer at 1185 15th street, Monday was charged on two counts with assault with intent to commit murder in connection with the stabbings of Mrs. Anne Clark, 38 of 1185 15th street and her son, George W. Clark, 20. He was jailed after failing to post \$15,000 bonds on each count. Hearing has been set for Monday, Dec. 30.

Hospitalized

The knifing incident occurred Saturday morning at the Clark home. Mrs. Clark was hospitalized at Broadlawn Polk County Hospital with chest wounds and her son suffered severe cut of the stomach. Both also were suffering from shock.

Argument

Patrolmen Robert Work and Ronald Stanley arrested Williams for questioning by detectives Saturday morning. The officers said young Clark heard an argument going on between Williams and his mother.

When the police officers arrived they said Williams attempted to throw a knife at Officer Stanley but missed. Williams then was handcuffed and taken to the police station.

No Full Statement

After preliminary investigation police detectives said Monday that Williams said he came home and an argument ensued between him and Mrs. Clark. No full statements had been given to investigating officers by either Mrs. Clark or her son as to what caused the argument, because of the severity of the pains resulting from the knife wounds.

At the time of the incident police said three younger children in the home at the time were taken by relatives.

The Bystander expects to carry a full report in next week's issue.

Early Deadline New Year's Issue

Deadline for the Jan. 2 issue will be on Monday, Dec. 30 at 2 p.m. for news and Tuesday noon, Dec. 31 for advertising.

Please observe these deadlines in order that all your news and advertising will be published. Thank you.

Singer Paul Robeson Returns to U.S. after 5-Year Self-Exile

New York, N. Y.—After five years of self-exile Paul Robeson, celebrated American baritone returned to his native land in time for Christmas. Smiling broadly Robeson Sunday, Robeson followed his wife from the jet airliner which brought them from London. They were met at the airport by their son, Paul Jr., and a party of about 50 Negroes.

Clinic

Robeson left an East Berlin clinic where he had been treated for four months for what was described as a circulatory ailment. He has been alling the last three years during his stay in Communist Russia which Sunday upon his arrival he was reported as describing as "terrific."

His wife said he planned merely to visit his family and "naturally to get well."

Left in 1958

Robeson left the United States July 10, 1958, after an eight-year battle for a U. S. passport which had been denied because repeatedly refused to sign a non-Communist affidavit.

The son of a Methodist minister who once was a slave, Robeson was a Phi Beta Kappa student at Rutgers and a four-letter athlete named to Walter Camp's 1918 All-America football team.

He won the 1952 Stalin Peace Prize also.

Pageant of Peace



WASHINGTON D.C., December 22 — Christmas and Goodwill to Men are blended in the spirit of the holiday season at the Pageant of Peace which opened here today on the Ellipse in front of the White House.

The Pageant, which will run through January 1 and last year attracted over 800,000 visitors, is symbolized by the 71-foot National Community Christmas Tree.

Fifty-three 14-foot trees—representing each state plus the District of Columbia, Guam and Puerto Rico—flank a Pathway of Peace leading to the national tree. Some 27 more of the smaller trees are on either side of and behind the national tree, thus, with the Pathway, forming a huge lighted cross.

The 80 trees glisten warmly with a total of 16,000 blue and green Christmas lights and 250 blue-white floodlights. Five 400-watt mercury floods bring out the gay highlights of the more than 7,500 red, yellow and white decorative lights on the national tree.

The special lighting effects for the entire Pageant of Peace, including the huge national tree, were designed by General Electric and required more than 23,500 lights, also supplied by G.E.

The Pageant of Peace is sponsored by civic and governmental agencies in Washington. The National Community Christmas Tree was supplied by the State of West Virginia.

NEWS In A Nutshell

New Orleans, La.—A grant of \$2500 has been received by Southern University as a contribution to the school's academic and scientific program from Research Corporation as a Frederick Gardner Cottrell grant, it is being reported by Dr. Felton G. Clark president of Southern.

Omaha, Nebr.—Larry Mason, 10, fell 25 feet onto the southbound Lodge Freeway last week, landed on his feet and walked away. Police said Larry was crossing the Ford avenue pedestrian overpass when two boys started throwing snowballs at him. The boy said he was backing away from them when he flipped off the overpass and onto the freeway. Cars were able to stop in time to avoid hitting him.

Nairobi, Kenya—Prime Minister Jomo Kenyatta has called for tough measures to deal with violence on Kenya's northern frontier. His warning came in the wake of a report that a Shell oil company employee—believed to be British—and an African soldier were missing after the ambush of their jeep near the Somali border Thursday morning.

Opa Locks, Fla.—A significant "first" here is the recent appointment of James W. Mathews as Associate Municipal Judge of the Municipal Court of the city of Opa Locks. The new associate municipal judge is a 1958 graduate of the Florida A&M University College of Law. He is the first member of his race to be so honored in Opa Locks.

Los Angeles—Henry S. Clark, Jr., has been appointed as a marketing specialist for Carnation Company's Grocery Products Sales Division, it was announced today by Henry Arnest, vice president in charge of the division.

INQUIRY SEEN INTO EDUCATION GAP OF RACES IN TEXAS

Dallas, Tex.—The educational gap between Negro and white students may become the subject of a study in 1964 as a direct result of a letter written to the Texas Commission on Higher Education by the Southwest Regional Office of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

Rights Hearings To Start Jan. 9

Washington, D. C.—Hearings on the civil rights bill will start in the House Rules Committee on Jan. 9. Chairman Howard W. Smith (Dem., Va.) told the House on Dec. 18.

The date, only two days after the Eighty-eighth Congress reconvenes for its second session, indicates the House leadership has won a struggle with Smith to get fast action on the bill.

However, the delay until next year was a disappointment to civil rights leaders who had been pushing for the hearings to begin before the Christmas holiday.

Former Des Moines Lawyer At Mo. Political Meeting

Kansas City, Mo.—Attorney J. Nelson Thompson, Special Assistant Attorney General for the state of Missouri, returned to Kansas City Monday, after spending the Dec. 14th weekend in St. Louis, Mo.

While in St. Louis, Atty. Thompson conferred with several of the political and labor leaders of that city about the political situation in the state of Missouri and in particular, St. Louis and Kansas City. His headquarters while there was the ultra-modern De Ville Motor Hotel.

Atty. Thompson, who offices at Suite 200, 2711 Troost Ave. in Kansas City, Mo., states that the conferences were very fruitful and interesting and reports that he has been invited to return to St. Louis again in the near future for further discussions and the exchange of ideas in regards to politics and the labor connections therewith.

Trip To St. Louis

It will be recalled that Thompson was one of the seven Negro Kansas Citizens who were the guests of the UAW union in a T.W.A. air pilgrimage to St. Louis, Nov. 1, on behalf of Lt. Gov. Hilary Bush who is a candidate for the governorship of Missouri on the democratic ticket.

Among those making that trip were Judge Lewis Clymer, Representative

J. McKinley Neal, Asst. Prosecutor James Wilson Spencer, Herman Johnson and others.

Appointment

Atty. Thompson, who is a member of the Jackson Democratic Club, Inc., was appointed to the position he now holds in January, 1963, by Thomas F. Eagleton, the Attorney General. He is the only Negro in such a position in the state of Missouri.

Atty. Thompson, a native of Des Moines, and a graduate of Drake University in New Orleans and the University of Missouri at Kansas City. He has always been interested in politics and has been a life-long fighter for civil rights.

Sit-Inners Arrested In "Give Freedom For Christmas" Drive

Chapel Hill, N. C.—A total of 92 sit-inners were arrested Dec. 13-18 in a pre-Christmas campaign by Chapel Hill CORE to desegregate restaurants in this university town.

As part of the campaign, two silent freedom marches through the downtown section were conducted featuring "Give Freedom For Christmas" placards. Up to 100 Negroes and whites participated.

Mrs. Colleen Lowe, 37, Waterloo, Is 2nd Negro Named to Position in Iowa

Mrs. Colleen Lowe, 35, of Waterloo, Ia., has been appointed a juvenile parole agent in northeast Iowa—the second Negro ever to hold the position in the state. The announcement was made last week by the Iowa Board of Control.

Born in Little Rock, Ark., Mrs. Lowe has lived in Waterloo, since 1956 and prior to that in an adjacent suburb, Cedar Falls. She received her high school education in Memphis, Tenn., and completed two years at Tennessee A & I State college in Nashville, Tenn.

In addition she also took some courses in real estate and attended the Modern Business and Secretary college in Waterloo.

Previously she has been employed as sales clerk or cashier.

Duties

As juvenile parole agent Mrs. Lowe's main duties will be counseling and working with girls released from Mitchellville Training School

for Girls with headquarters probably in Waterloo.

Recommendations

Harlan Schooler, chief of fiscal and personnel services with the Board of Control, told the Bystander that Mrs. Lowe's main qualification had been her education. He noted also that she had received some outstanding recommendations attesting to her interest in civic organizations and community services.

In private life Mrs. Lowe is the wife of John Russell Lowe. They have no children.

Mrs. Joseph Wimberly, 2720 Amick avenue, who retired last June as Polk County juvenile probation officer, was the first Negro to serve as a state juvenile parole agent in Iowa.

Nat Cole's Tribute Read Into Congressional Record

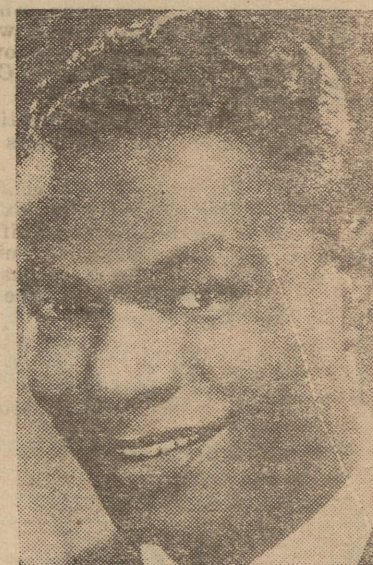
Los Angeles Calif.—Nat King Cole received one of the most extraordinary tributes ever paid to any member of show business recently when California Congressman Augustus F. Hawkins read into the Congressional Record a commendation of the famous star.

Included in Congressman Hawkins' remarks were the fellowship praise for the celebrated entertainer:

"Nat King Cole, the son of a poor Alabama farmer-preacher, has risen by virtue of sheer talent and character to be one of the top members of his profession, enjoying an affection in the hearts of the public shared by few other entertainers."

Ambassador

"During the over of a quarter of a century that Nat Cole has been before the public he has changed but little physically, but he has grown to be a figure of international importance. He has sold over 50 million records, performed in literally thousands of concert halls and theaters throughout the world. He has traveled to over a score of foreign countries including Japan, Sweden, England, France, and Australia, to mention just a few. His unique voice and his own remarkable presence have made him a great ambassador of good will without portfolio, for our country."



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Reece Stewart III Heads Willkie Board

Reece Stuart III of 2815 Ridge road has been elected as 1964 president of the Willkie House, Inc.

Other officers elected at the annual meeting last week were Mrs. Sam Shloss of 2 Foster drive, vice president; Mrs. Joseph Wimberly, 2720 Amick avenue, secretary; and Dr. Eddie V. Easley of 3412 Bel-Aire road, treasurer.

New board members elected are Mrs. Henry Hammett, 4514 Wakonda parkway; Harlan Hockenberry, 1034 64th street; and Mrs. Luther T. Glanton, Jr., 818 15th street, all to three year terms. Named to one year terms were Mrs. Eustace Ware, 1501

How To Eliminate A Holiday Hazard

Broken Christmas tree ornaments are a holiday hazard and should never be picked up with the unprotected fingers. Sweep up the larger pieces with a broom and dustpan. To pick up smaller splinters that the broom misses, dampen an absorbent Kleenex towel with water and wipe up the splinters using a patting motion. The bits will adhere to the damp paper towel.

\$268,000 Put Up In Bail for Demonstrators by NAACP

New York—The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has put up more than a quarter of a million dollars for bail for civil rights demonstrators in 11 cities in seven southern states, Roy Wilkins, executive secretary, revealed today.

November 30

A total of \$268,370 of the Association's funds, as of Nov. 30, was tied up in bail bonds in areas where local resources were exhausted and where the authorities refused to accept property bonds, demanding cash. The money is returnable upon final settlement of the cases.

Mississippi

More than half the sum, \$154,175, has been for Jackson, Miss., where more than 900 persons were arrested in last summer's demonstrations. Additional NAACP funds were made available for bail bonds in Biloxi and

bus, Ga.; Baton Rouge and Shreveport, La.; Charleston, S.C.; Memphis, Tenn.; St. Augustine, Fla.; and Dorchester, Md.

10,000 Arrested

The sums advanced by the NAACP are in addition to money raised locally for bail bonds. A recent Department of Justice survey indicated a total of more than 1,800 civil rights demonstrators in 40 states and the District of Columbia, between May 20 and the end of October. Some 10,000 persons were arrested for participation in such demonstrations during the year.

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Negroes Moving Up Job Ladder Even in the South

New York — While headlines still shout of racial tension, employment of Negroes in preferred jobs has been on the steady rise throughout the country. Most dramatically, there has been a widespread lowering of work barriers in the South.

Surprising Places

The "white only" rule has been discarded in surprising places, writes Irwin Ross in "Negroes Are Moving Up the Job Ladder," in the December Reader's Digest. Negro engineers, mathematicians and draftsmen are working in Atlanta, Greensboro, New Orleans, Tulsa and other southern cities, alongside white colleagues in complete compatibility.

Supervisory

Negroes not only work on a level of equality, but in many cases in a supervisory capacity. At Lockheed Aircraft in Marietta, Ga., Negroes direct mixed crews on the production line. At this same plant it is not surprising to find a Negro girl instructing a white boy in a skilled operation.

No Difficulty

Negroes apparently experience no difficulty in supervising white men.

"I have no special problems," one of them told the writer. "Just the general problems of handling people." An employer determined to integrate supports the authority of his leaders; if a white worker disapproves, all he can do is quit. Few do, as there is no surplus of factory jobs in the South.

Memphis

When, in 1953, a Negro was promoted to welder at International Harvester in Memphis, there was friction with white workers, and a wildcat strike cost the company a week's production. The company announced that any employee engaged in a future strike of this nature would be suspended for 30 days. There have been no more wildcat strikes at the Memphis plant.

The trend is steadily toward better jobs for Negroes. Large corporations like RCA, General Electric, Boeing, Union Carbide make regular recruiting trips to Negro colleges. Even in the old-line craft unions there has been a significant breakthrough. The article is condensed from the Christian Herald.

Man . . . That Was The Coolest Christmas Star in Town . . .



Obviously enjoying his cool . . . cool task, Marvin Cooper of 917 19th street, is seen above Friday as he put the finishing touches on a Christmas star decoration made from a 500-pound block of ice. His masterpiece, which it took him three hours to complete, graced a table decoration at a party for the Elks club.

Cooper used a tree saw, a wood chisel and an ice shaver. After he finished shaping the star he washed it down with water to give it a smooth finish. Cooper made the same club a deer chisel and an ice shaver. After he A chef at the Colonial Pancake Inn, became interested in sculpting in stone as a student at North High school and picked up the rest of the skills needed for ice sculpture by watching other chefs using the techniques.—Photo courtesy of Des Moines Tribune.

Santa Shows the Way



Charged After

2-Car Crash

Dennis P. Francis, 2929 Grand Avenue, was charged with violating a stop light Sunday afternoon after a two-car collision at Thirteenth street and University avenue.

Mrs. Dorothy Sanders was treated for head injuries at Mercy Hospital and released. The Sanders car was traveling west and Francis' south, police said.

Revoke Beer License Of Empire Room

The Empire Room at 790 12th street, Monday had its beer license revoked by the City Council in a 3-2 vote.

Councilmen told the operator, Robert Edmonds of 1160 9th street that the revocation was based on confidential reports showing that Melvin Harper, who formerly operated at key

club at 790 12th street, was connected with the business.

Revocation of the beer permit means that the Empire room will lose its liquor, also, because state law requires the holder of a liquor license to be the holder of a beer permit.

Harper's wife, Margaret, operates the Harper House at 4315 S.E. 14th street.

Polk County District Judge Wade Clark issued an injunction Tuesday preventing the city from revoking the license of the Empire room until a hearing on Jan. 7.

WIN FAIR JOB PACT WITH TRAILWAYS IN NEW YORK

New York, N. Y.—Safeway Trailways, the unit of National Trailways operating between New York and Washington, will hire nine drivers, six ticket agents, six mechanics and five information girls from minority racial groups by next spring in New

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Another carpenter, 2,000 years and six months later is patiently trying to find room for his wife and three children in his own village. There is no room because the neighbors object to a black man—or so the mealy-mouthed real estate broker would have us believe.

The Negro carpenter dreams of his wife putting new curtains at the windows and children arranging their treasures in their own bedrooms on New Year's day. The house number and the name of the street sour his thoughts and curdle realization of such a modest, hard-won gift for his

wife and three children.

How does a man think of peace—of goodwill when his heart is reamed by a new and additional obstacle overcome only to be told by the real estate broker that the house may or may not be for sale?

Two thousand years and six months ago, Mary spent the night in a stable. The reason and the circumstances were honest, above board and uncomplicated. There was no room left in the city of Bethlehem.

Is it too much to ask that one more real estate dealer and one more neighborhood give up the kind of peace and goodwill that rests upon No Room Here for a black man's dream of a home for his family?

Merry Christmas because there is something of worth in every man. May this message be whispered everywhere in the new winds of freedom throughout 1964.

York City.

This specific first step is spelled out in an agreement negotiated between Norman Hill, Allan Hoffman and Velma Hill of CORE and Marvin Walsh, executive vice president of the company. At the same time the company agreed to take similar steps at its terminals outside of New York City.

Urges Negro Self-Respect

Baltimore, Md.—The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King says Negroes "must develop and maintain a sense of dignity and self-respect" as they press their campaign against racial segregation.

"Some Negroes are so conditioned to segregation, they go through life adjusting to it," King told 8,000 persons at a rally Thursday night.

The Negro leader began his 50-minute address in the Downtown Civic Center as policemen and firemen searched the arena to check out an anonymous phoned bomb threat. The crowd was not advised of the phony threat.

Washington State's Star Fullback, Junior Coffey, Out of Bowl

Long Beach, Calif.—Junior Coffey, Washington State's star fullback will not be able to play against Illinois, their Big Ten opponent in the Rose Bowl game in Pasadena on New Year's day.

Coffey, a 205-pound junior from Kimmert, Tex., suffered a fracture in his left foot during a secret practice drill here Saturday. This is the third fracture and one similar to that suffered to his right foot during the past football season.

Coffey will be replaced at fullback by reserve Charlie Browning.

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KELLER

Mr. Keller joined the bank five years ago. Previously he had been with the Central National Bank, Des Moines for 12 years. He lives at 1820 Pearl Drive in West Des Moines.

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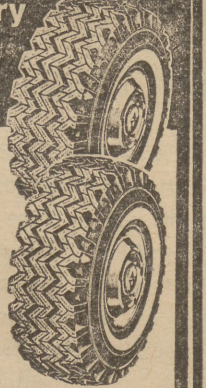
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Biased Clauses Out--Yet No Negroes in ISU Fraternities

Ames, Ia.—Despite elimination of racially biased clauses from membership requirements fraternities on the campus of the Iowa State University are still reluctant to pledge or activate Negro students.

This fact was uncovered following a survey of 33 fraternities by a team of reporters for the Iowa State Daily, the university's student-operated newspaper.

Removed from the fraternity membership policy were references to "white Christian" and other restrictive membership clauses.

The fraternity chapter presidents said the possibility is remote that certain groups, especially Negroes, will become members of the fraternities.

Although only three of the fraternities retain written clauses, almost

all chapters in the survey expressed a certain reluctance to consider pledging a Negro.

The survey showed that actually anti-Catholic bias is almost nonexistent, and many chapters have Jewish members.

Five chapters reported having rushed Negro students, but no I.S.U. fraternity has ever pledged or activated an American Negro. One fraternity has pledged an African Negro.

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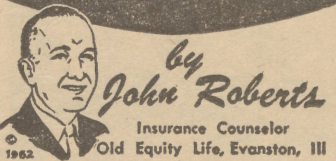
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accomplish this goal.

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cause of hospital dietary regulations.
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packages because all gifts must be
opened for sorting. Hospital Red
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teers later wrap packages.

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for patients whose age or condition
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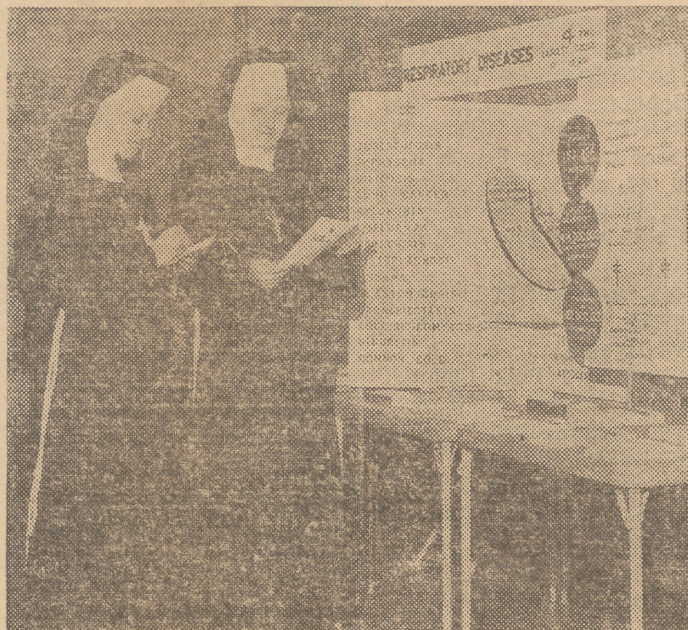
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NEWS AROUND IOWA

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Two nuns from our Lady of the Angels Convent in Connecticut study exhibit and materials on respiratory diseases. Exhibit was part of health institute supported by Christmas Seal contribu-
tions, which fight TB and other respiratory diseases.

SEAL CHAIRMAN



Ann Landers, popular columnist who aids thousands with their personal problems each year, is chairman of the 1963 Christmas Seal Campaign.

NOTICE OF CANCELLATION AND
FORFEITURE OF REAL ESTATE
CONTRACT

TO: JAMES E. BROWN and JANE VIR-
GINIA BROWN, Husband and Wife
1000 S. E. McKinley, Des Moines, Iowa
YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY
NOTIFIED that default has occurred
in the provisions of a real estate contract,
dated February 27, 1963, which was exe-
cuted by Trustees of the Hofesalo Fund,
as Vendor, and by David M. White and
Bonnie G. White, husband and wife, as
Vendees; that the said David M. White
and Bonnie G. White have assigned and
conveyed their interest in said contract
to James E. Brown and Jane Virginia
Brown, husband and wife; that the said
Trustees of the Hofesalo Fund are owners
of the legal title to the property described
in said contract, to-wit:

The East 50 feet of the West 100
feet, except the North 137 feet, of
Lot 22 in CERTAINTY ACRES, also
the East 40.51 feet of Lot 32
in CERTAINTY ACRES, an Offi-
cial Plat, now included in and
forming a part of the City of Des
Moines, Iowa, locally known as
1000 S. E. McKinley, Des Moines,
Iowa;

that the payments on said contract are
\$60.00 per month, plus one-twelfth of
the annual taxes and insurance.

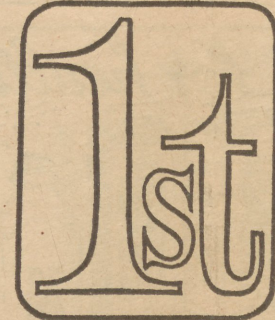
That you have failed to make the pay-
ments required by said contract, and said
contract is delinquent in the amount of
\$576.00.

Because of said default on said con-
tract 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 con-
ditions of said contract and provisions of
Chapter 656 of the 1962 Code of Iowa, and
unless within thirty (30) days from and
after the completion of service of this notice,
said contract will stand canceled and for-
feited, and will become null and void, and
you will be forever barred, estopped and
foreclosed from having, claiming and as-
serting any right, title and interest in
and to said real estate.

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

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nolds, Grand Exalted Ruler, I.B.P.O.
Elks of the World places wreath at
the grave of John Fitzgerald Ken-
nedy as part of ceremonies held in
Washington, D.C. by representatives
of the order from throughout the
nation memorializing the late presi-
dent.

First row: left to right are Rey-
nolds; Charles P. McClane, Grand
Director of public relations; second
row: left to right—partially hidden
Joseph F. Simmons, Grand Secretary;

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION
OF MID-CONTINENT INVESTMENT
AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
There is hereby given that a corpora-
tion named MID-CONTINENT INVEST-
MENT AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORA-
TION has been incorporated under the
Iowa Business Corporation Act, Chapter
496A, 1962 Code of Iowa. The corporate
existence of said corporation began De-
cember 20, 1963, and the period of its
duration is perpetual.

The corporation shall have unlimited
power to engage in, and to do any lawful
act concerning any and all lawful busi-
nesses for which corporations may be or-
ganized under this act.

The gross capitalization and aggregate
number of shares which the corporation
shall have authority to issue shall consist
of the following:

A. 1,000 shares of \$100.00 par value
each, Class "A" common stock.

B. 100,000 shares of Class "B" common
stock which shall have no nominal or par
value and which may be issued by the
Corporation from time to time for such
consideration as may be fixed by the
Board of Directors.

The address of its registered office is
917 Des Moines Building, Des Moines,
Iowa. The name of its registered agent at
such address is James B. Morris, Jr.

The names and addresses of its Di-
rectors as designated in its Articles of In-
corporation are:

Robert A. Jackson, Des Moines, Iowa
W. W. Kitchell, Des Moines, Iowa
Robert M. Johnson, Des Moines, Iowa
George H. Meyers, Des Moines, Iowa
James B. Morris, Jr., Des Moines, Ia.

MID-CONTINENT INVESTMENT
AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION
By: James B. Morris, Jr., Secretary
Printed and published in the Iowa By-
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SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Iowa) ss.
Polk County)

Docket No. Tr. 46434
THOMAS WHEELER, Plaintiff

GALEN SCHNOOR vs. BARBARA
SCHNOOR, d/ba Barbara's Market, De-
fendants

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by
virtue of a Transcript execution, to me
directed by the Clerk of the District Court
of Polk County, Iowa, against the goods,
chattels, lands, tenements, etc., of Bar-
bara Schnoor, defendant, in favor of
Thomas Wheeler, plaintiff, I have levied
on and will offer at public sale, to the
highest and best bidder for cash, at the
east front door of the Court House in the
City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on
the 24th day of January, 1964, between the
hours of 9 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,
on said day, all of the right, title and
interest of said defendant in and to the
following described property, situated in
Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

Interest of Barbara Schnoor in North
60 feet of South 106 feet of Lots 13
and 14 and North 60 feet of South 106
feet of West 10 feet of Lot 15 in Block
1 in Davies Addition to the City of Des
Moines, Iowa

Sale to commence at the hour of 10
o'clock A.M. of said day.

Witness my hand, this 5th day of De-
cember, 1963.

WILBUR T. HILBRETH
Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa
By Nadine Hall, Deputy
Published and printed by the Iowa By-
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NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

1. The name of the Corporation is
Capital Service Agency, Inc., incorporated
under Chapter 496A of the 1962 Code of
Iowa.

2. The corporate existence commenced
July 3, 1963 and the Corporation has per-
petual existence.

3. The purpose of organization is to
engage in and to do any lawful act con-
cerning any or all lawful business for
which the Corporation may be organized
under Chapter 496A of the 1962 Code of
Iowa.

4. The authorized number of shares is
250 shares with a par value of \$100.00 per
share.

5. The address of its registered office
is 645 Insurance Exchange Building, Des
Moines, Iowa, in Polk County, Iowa, and
its registered agent at such address is
W. E. McKee.

6. The names and addresses of its Di-
rectors are:

W. E. McKee, 3721 Park Avenue, Des
Moines, Iowa

E. A. Boerlin, 1160 - 68th Street, Des
Moines, Iowa

G. P. Brantman, 4003 Ashby Avenue,
Des Moines, Iowa

W. E. McKee, President
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Christmas Safety Tips

electric socket and wire to make
sure set is in good condition. Dis-
card lighting sets with frayed wir-
ing. When buying new sets, look
for tag or label showing listing by
Underwriters' Laboratories, Inc.

Incidentally, provide a switch at some
distance from the tree for turning
tree lights on and off.

Should you desire to save some of
your gift wrappings, fold them
neatly for later use. Other gift
wrappings should be discarded
safely and promptly after pres-
ents are opened.

This is important: Don't leave Christ-
mas decoration lights burning when
away from home.

Make an inspection of the tree from
time to time to see whether any of

the needles near the lights have
started to turn brown. If so, change
the position of the lights.

And when needles start falling, take
the tree down and discard it out-
doors.

Stick to these rules and you will keep
Christmas merry.

To flameproof trees, decorations
and costumes the following solution
may be used. It will have the same
effect on materials as plain water.

1 lb. borax, 1/2 lb. boric acid crys-
tals, to 1 gallon warm water.

Spray, dip or sponge on tree. Just
make sure materials are thoroughly
wetted.

Make a wise choice when selecting
your Christmas tree. Choose a
small tree instead of a large one.
A small tree can be just as pretty
and it's less of a hazard.

Evergreen, cedar, balsam or pine,
keep the three outdoors until you
are ready to install it.

Remember, your tree will look the
freshest if you don't install it until
just before Christmas.

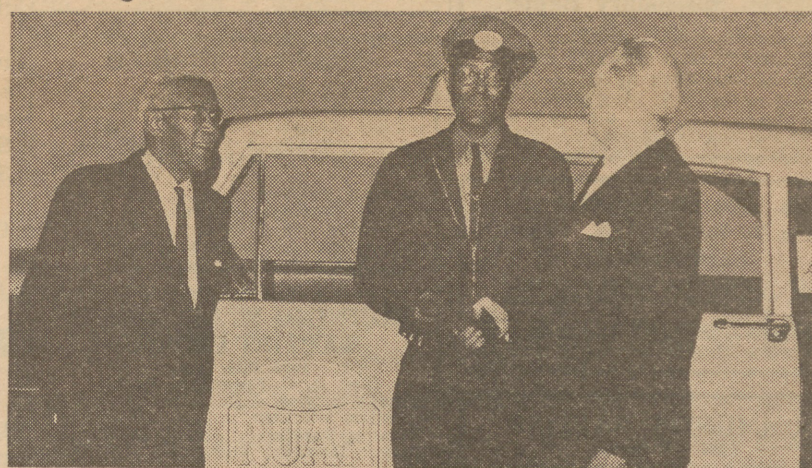
Radiator heat isn't good for trees. Set
the tree up in the coldest part of
the room, away from radiators,
heaters and fireplaces.

You should stand the tree in water to
retard drying.

Care should be used in selecting de-
corations. Use fireproof decorations
of glass or metal, never cotton or
paper unless they are flameproof.

Hint to father and junior: Don't set
up electric trains around or near
the tree.

Regarding tree lighting, use electric
lights—never candles. Inspect every

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Where to Attend Church in Des Moines

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

St. Paul A.M.E. Church
Church
12th and Crocker Street
REV. E. 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.

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

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

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH
1528 East University Ave.
Rev. E. 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.

Philadelphia Seventh-Day Adventist
1150 12th Street
PASTOR W. M. RICE, Minister
Saturday Worship
ORDER OF SERVICES
Sabbath School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Missionary Volunteer 4:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:30 P.M.
Dorcas Society 1st and 3rd Sunday Morning 10:00 A.M.

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

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

COMMUNITY BAPTIST
1186 8th Street
Rev. GUY SANDERS, JR., Minister
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class 8:30 P.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wed. 8:00 P.M.

KYLES A.M.E. ZION CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, Dec. 29th at 11:00 a.m. morning worship and baptismal services will be held in the new church 15th and Crocker. Rev. Oscar Peavy will preach on the "The Pre-eminence of Christ."

At 3:00 p.m. Mrs. Margaret Anthony and her group of singers will present a musical program. Sandra Robinson and Penny Spriggs united with the church last Sunday.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, Dec. 29 is Youth day. Youth will participate in a greater portion of the program. Following the morning sermon by Rev. E. P. Williams there will be a play, "Earth Receive" given under the supervision of Mrs. Jeanne Morris, Mrs. Josephine Jones and Everett A. Mays. Youth will participate.

The anniversary banquet will be on Jan. 10. Contact the committee for tickets. Mrs. Azalia E. Mitchell is chairman. Hostesses for the evening of the banquet are Felice Rhodes, Jacqueline B. Taylor, Jessie M. Jones, Osceola Sims, Lauretta Reeves, Dolores Peguese, Geraldine Ayers, Mary Ruth Simmons, Jeannie Morris, Harriett L. Scales, Iva Mae Hayes,

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

Maple Street Baptist Church
1614 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.

Union Baptist Church
"The Friendly Church"
E. UNIVERSITY AT MACCORMICK
REV. SEYMOUR GAINES, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday All Day

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 8:00 P.M.
Evening Vesper 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:30 P.M.

Evangelistic Missionary
1340 E. 18th STREET
ELDER EVAUK & POINTJAIN, Leader
Sunday 10:00 A.M. Sunday School
Sunday 11 A.M. & 2 P.M. Service
Thursday 8:00 P.M. Service
Tuesday Night Open Bible Discussion: Public Invited.

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

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH
1213 Scott Street
REV. WILLIAM HEATH, Pastor
ORDER OF SERVICES
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.

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

MORNING STAR MISSION BAPTIST CHURCH
1052 13th Street
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.

Leslie Williams, Bertie Mae Hogan, Haley O. Houston, Evelyn Green Corliss Williams, Charmaine Thompson and Louvenia Henderson. Anniversary envelopes are to be turned in Sunday, Dec. 29. Watch Night services will be Tuesday, Dec. 31 at 10:45 p.m.

COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The Christmas program sponsored by Mrs. Edna Wilson was enjoyed and well attended.

Mrs. Doris Smith joined the church. Visiting worshippers were Rev. Lester Jefferson and Deacon James Oakley and children.

First Lt. Grady Taylor, son of Mrs. Renner Johnson, 1219 11th street, is now stationed in Japan.

MORNING STAR BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Last Sunday Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Crawford, celebrated their 18th wedding anniversary during a program at the Sunday school hour last Sunday. They received many lovely gifts.

True Light Singers At Pilgrim Baptist

The True Light Singers will be presented in a musical program on Sunday, Dec. 29 at 7:30 p.m. at Pilgrim Missionary Baptist church. Rev. Wayland B. Heath is pastor.

Charged in Crash That Injures Six

Harold H. Welch, 21, of 1500 1/2 Maple street was charged with driving while intoxicated by Windsor Heights police in connection with a two-car collision Sunday night in the 6800 block on University avenue in Windsor Heights.

Police officers said Welch's car struck the rear of a car driven by Ned Kendall, 64, of 410 56th street, while it was parked in front of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Proudfoot, of 6813 University.

Welch and a passenger in his car, Joseph E. Willis, 21, of 1150 Enos avenue, were treated for cuts and bruises at Broadlawn Polk County hospital and then released. Willis was charged with intoxication. Both Welch and Willis were jailed.

Kendall, his wife and the Proudfoots were treated at doctor's offices for minor cuts.

Mina Lynn Clark, 1-Year-Old Child, Dies

Mina Lynn Clark, one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Clark, 705 Clark street, died Sunday morning at her home after a short illness.

In charge of funeral arrangements was Estes and Son Funeral Home. Survivors include her parents, two brothers, Archie LeRoy and William Dwayne, both of Des Moines, grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey North of Des Moines and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bates of Waterloo, and a great-grandfather, Oscar Mallett of Des Moines.

Find Negro Spot For His Trailer

Iowa City, Ia.—Dec. 10 was Human Rights Day throughout the nation and no one knows it better than a young Negro man here.

He now has a place to legally park his trailer.

The man was the center of a controversy at a recent City Council meeting when it was revealed his trailer was on property that was not zoned for trailers. City Attorney Jay Honohan said that this was no ordinary violation since the man had been unable to find a place for his trailer because of his race.

City Manager Carsten Leikvold turned the matter over to the city's newly formed Human Relations Committee; headed by the Rev. Lawrence Soens, principal of Regina High School.

A trailer court has agreed to take the man and his trailer.

Arrest 115 Marchers In Columbia, S.C.

Columbia, S. C.—One hundred fifteen members of the local youth and college chapters of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People were arrested here Monday, Dec. 16, when they attempted a protest march on City Hall.

From chapters at Allen University, Benedict College, C. A. Johnson and Booker T. Washington high schools, the marchers were charged with parading without a permit and disorderly conduct, and were released on \$300 bail each with the exception of Timothy Smith.

Smith is alleged to have tackled a policeman. And, in addition to the other charges, he was charged with assault. His bail was \$1,000.

NAACP Effort Gets Bias Ban Approved

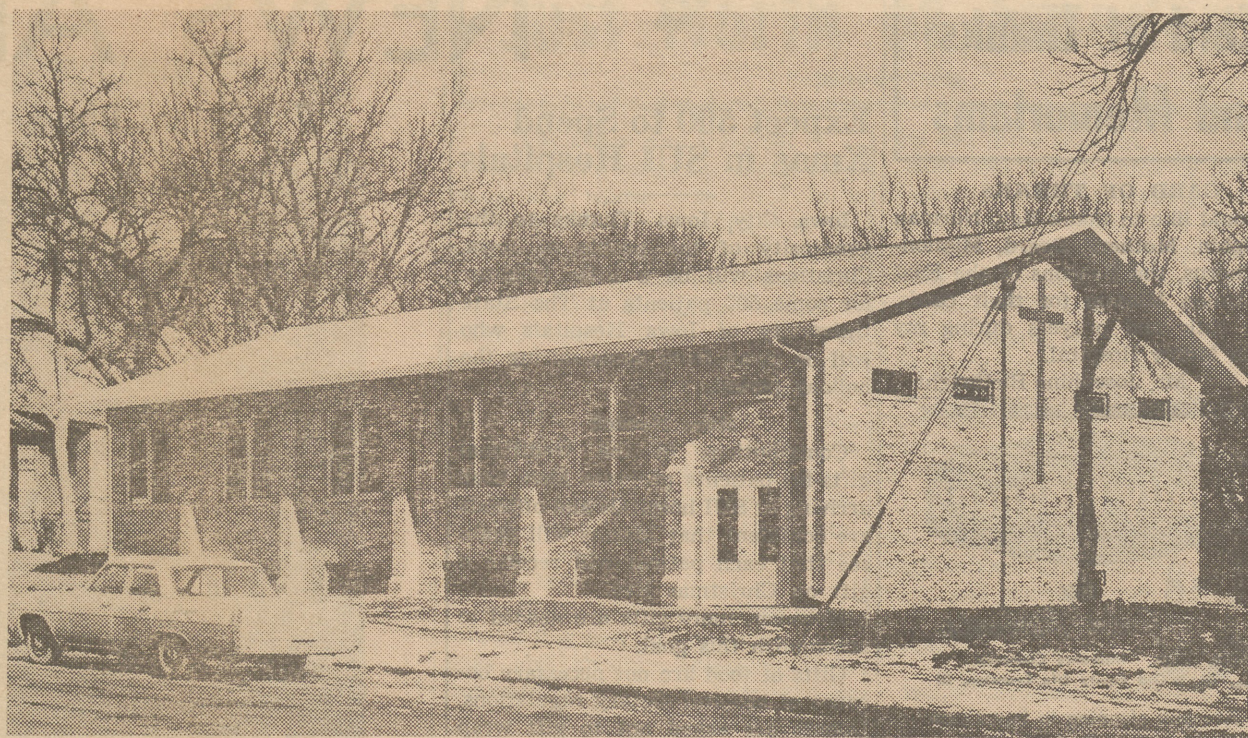
St. Joseph, Mo.—Voters responded to a campaign spearheaded by Mrs. Kelsey Beshears, president of the St. Joseph NAACP branch, and approved a public accommodations ordinance last week by a 69-vote margin.

The vote in the special referendum election on the measure barring racial discrimination by hotels, motels, restaurants and places of entertainment was 5,031 to 4,962.

The slim margin of victory is doubly remarkable because only 2,500 of St. Joseph's 80,000 persons are Negro. Voters in the Negro section of the city favored the ordinance at a ratio of 6-1.

The City Council passed the ordinance last summer. However, a petition was filed forcing the special citywide referendum vote.

Kyles to Hold Services in New Building Sunday



Congregation and visiting worshippers of Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion Church will hold services Sunday in their new building at 15th and Crocker street, for the first time since construction began last October.

The beautiful, modern design building of frosty white wire brick cost an estimated \$43,000. A unique fea-

World Famed Contralto Says She Will Retire In Spring of 1965

New York — Marian Anderson, world famed contralto, announced here last week that she will retire in



MARIAN ANDERSON

the spring of 1965 after a four-continent concert tour which will begin next fall.

Miss Anderson was one of two Negroes who received the President Kennedy Medal of Honor, the first such medals presented to 31 Americans who had contributed so much and unselfishly to the world of art and culture in the United States. Dr. Ralph Bunche, Nobel peace prize winner and former U.N. mediator was the other Negro presented the coveted award.

The medal was also presented posthumously to its donor, the late President Kennedy by President Lyndon Johnson in ceremonies recently.

Marine Officer Training School

The Marine Corps Officer Selection Office announced today that no applications for the Officer Candidate Course convening in March 1964 may be accepted after January 14, 1964. Students are commissioned at the end of ten weeks before going on to further training as ground officers or pilots. Details are available from Marine Officer Training, Old Federal Building, Des Moines, Iowa.

for healthier holidays and a Merry Christmas

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tures of the new building are the stained glass windows which were in the original building built by Kyles back in 1920 and then located at S.E. 18th and Scott streets.

Entrances to the new church edifice are located on 15th street and on the east where there is a 35-car parking lot. Seating capacity of the

sanctuary, which is trimmed in Philippine Mahogany, is approximately 200. The full basement has a dining area, kitchen and rest rooms.

Present membership of Kyles is 51 adults and 12 children. Rev. Oscar Peavy, its pastor, has been with Kyles since June 1960. Jesse J. Frazier is chairman of the board of trustees.

2 National Club Leaders Meet With Pres. Johnson

Washington, D. C.—Miss Dorothy I. Height, National President National Council of Negro Women, Inc. and Dr. Rosa L. Gragg, President, National Association of Colored Women's Clubs, Inc. at the invitation of President Lyndon B. Johnson, met with the Chief Executive at the White House, Friday, Dec. 13.

During the meeting, President Johnson spoke highly of the way women work to achieve goals to which



DR. GRAGG

they are dedicated, the leaders said. He showed the same vital interest in Civil Rights and other issues as he had set forth in his message to Congress.

Keenly Aware

The President seemed keenly aware of the problems affecting social and economic welfare of the Negro family, said the leaders. He emphasized the importance of women's groups working on such problems as school dropouts and offering assistance in all parts of the community.

Following the meeting, both women leaders issued a statement saying, "The passage of the Civil Rights legislation must be the first order of business."

Following the conference with the

NAIA Unit Names Prairie View's Nicks 'Coach of Year'

Baton Rouge, La.—In a major football development last week, William J. (Billy) Nicks, coach of Prairie View college, Southwestern Athletic Conference championship team, was named "Coach of the Year," as five of his Panther players were named to the District 6B National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics football All-American team.

Coach Nicks and the five Prairie View players were selected by a panel of coaches of the district.

The five Prairie View players were named to the offensive team's All-America of the district.

JAIL 12 LEADERS OF BOYCOTT, 3 PICKETS

Clinton, La.—Twelve leaders of a CORE boycott campaign against downtown stores and three persons recently arrested for picketing have been jailed.

Bail for the boycott leaders, who are charged with "conspiracy to commit public intimidation" and "public intimidation" has been set at \$4000 each. Bail for the pickets, who are accused of "disturbing the peace" has been set at \$3000 each.

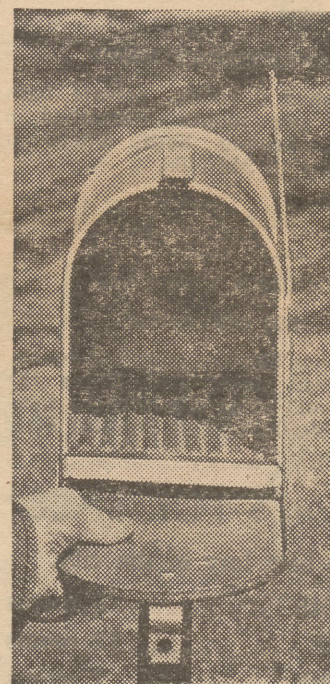
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Christmas Tree Cake



Slices of Christmas Tree Cake and glasses of fruit juice make a simple but festive snack for holiday guests.

Entertaining during the Christmas holidays is a must. Make the party easy on you, as well as guests, and serve a delicious, easy-to-prepare Christmas Tree Cake.

Christmas Tree Cake is made from a standard two-egg cake recipe topped with a Butter Cream Frosting. The topping requires no cooking. Get out your pastry tube and food coloring and trim the cake with a fetching green tree.

For added decor, put the cake on an over-sized tray and circle the cake with red pyramid candles.

If you have no cake-baking time, visit your baker. He will have a wide selection of holiday cakes from which you may choose. You may want to purchase a plain cake and decorate it yourself.

Christmas Tree Cake pictured here supplies 12 large servings—at only 5 cents each. For extra value, nutritionally, be sure to use enriched flour. You'll be getting extra amounts of three B-vitamins and food iron.

CHRISTMAS TREE CAKE

2 cups sifted enriched flour
3 teaspoon baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup shortening

Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Cream together shortening and sugar until fluffy and light. Add eggs and beat well. Add flour mixture to creamed mixture alternately with milk and

vanilla extract. Mix to smooth batter. Pour batter into 2 greased 8-inch round pans. Bake in moderate oven (350°F.) 25 to 30 minutes. Frost with Butter Cream Frosting. Makes 2 8-inch layers.

BUTTER CREAM FROSTING

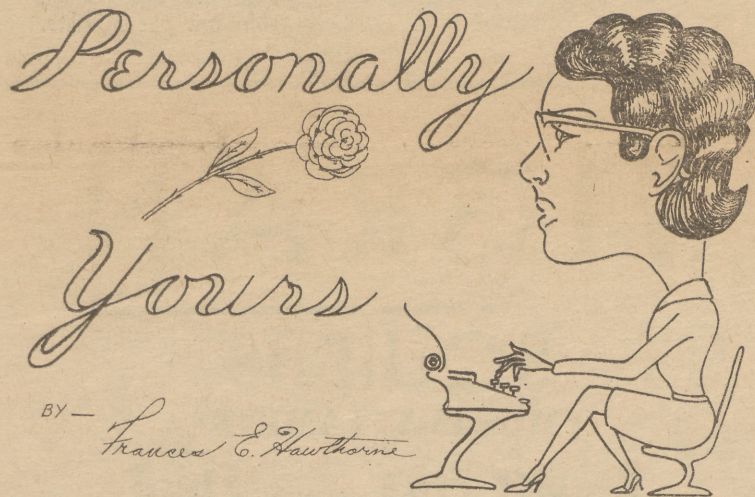
3/4 cup butter or margarine
3 cups sifted confectioners' sugar

Cream butter or margarine until soft and fluffy. Add sugar gradually, beating well. Add flavoring. Add cream, as needed, to make a spreading consistency. Add food

1 cup sugar
2 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
1/4 cup milk

Food coloring
1 tablespoon cream (about)
1 teaspoon flavoring extract

coloring to a few spoonfuls of frosting. Use for decoration. Makes enough frosting for 2 8-inch layers.



With Christmas day behind us and the clock racing madly toward the New Year . . . may each of you step forward with courage and joyous expectation to greet it, may you keep your thought-out resolutions as long as you can, if you made any and may you carve for you and yours, a niche of happiness in 1964.

Before we get involved in this weeks gleanings of personal notes we want to remind you we have another week of early deadlines for news and ads, for the Jan. 2 issue. News must be called, mailed or brought in no later than Monday, Dec. 30 at 2 p.m. Advertising deadline will be Tuesday noon, Dec. 31. Please observe these deadlines if you want your news and ads published on time.

Any of you who may have stopped in the Bystander perhaps noted a departure from previous years. The office is all draped out in holiday decorations and trimmings, thanks to Mrs. Gladys Gomer, wife of a Bystander employee, Richard Gomer, who has a special knack with interior decorating.

More and more residents are going out for decorating the outside of their homes and yards during the Christmas holiday season as well as putting on the holiday trim inside as usual. One lady who gets out early each year and decorate their home and garage each year has been Mrs. Roxie McKnight, wife of Atty. Henry McKnight, at 925 Laurel street. The finished product is a very pleasing and pretty sight to the eyes of neighbors, passerby and callers.

Students at Crescent School of Beauty Culture, 1407 Center street, to use an old trite expression, kind of put on the dog this year, and decked the school out in window murals in keeping with the holiday season, decorated the rooms inside and put up one of the nicest and biggest old-fashioned pine Christmas trees you

ever saw. The tree has an enchanting touch, the addition of angel hair and other trimmings which means some time and thought were put into decoration.

The window murals were done by a student, Claude Frazier, assisted by other students at the school.

Patrol boys in Des Moines schools were greeted with telegram from a local vank heer in Des Moines, not only wishing them season's greetings but also commending them for a "job well done," as patrol boys and girls. Our oldest youngster Victor, and his close pal, Ronald Buchanan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Buchanan, 912 Grove street, wear among recipients of the holiday telegrams.

On one of the coldest days in the continuing series of deep freeze days in Des Moines one radio announcer was heard to say with cheerful glib, "In case you didn't know it folks, WINTER arrives tomorrow."

If you haven't experienced what we are going to talk about next and don't mind a pleasant surprise or two, and especially if you are a female, you ought to stop in-at the Earl May store on Walnut between Second avenue and Third street.

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AKAs Entertain Guests at Party

Members of Alpha Delta chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority were hostess to community guests at their annual Christmas Cheer on Sunday evening, Dec. 15 at Willkie House, 900 17th street.

Moulten School PTA Holds Meeting

The Moulten School PTA held an executive board meeting at the school Thursday afternoon, preceding the presentation of the annual Christmas program by pupils of the school. The December meeting of the PTA followed the program. Mrs. Willard Cushingberry, president, presided.

Children Enjoy Party at Willkie

Children in Des Moines enjoyed the annual Christmas party Monday afternoon at Willkie House, 900 17th street. The festivities included a puppet show by Girl Scouts, a choral reading by the Willkie House junior drama group, and a presentation of "The Night Before Christmas."

Members of the Conservation club were hosts during the social hour and presented each child with a treat. Mrs. Robert Parks led carol singing.

Cosmetiste Club Enjoy Yule Party

The Cosmetiste club held its Christmas party and gift exchange on Monday evening, Dec. 16 at Crescent Beauty school, 1407 Center street.

Beauty School Students Party

The students at Crescent School of Beauty, 1407 Center street, held their holiday party and gift exchange on Tuesday evening at the school.

Ohio State U Student Visits Relatives Here

Edward Bernard Morris, Jr., student at Ohio State university, Columbus, Ohio, is spending the Christmas holidays in Des Moines visiting his mother, Mrs. Alma Morris, 1409 Buchanan. While here he will visit his father, Guy E. Morris, Jr., and his grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Baxter, 1520 Center street and other relatives and friends.

Young Morris is a Junior majoring in aeronautical engineering at Ohio State.

When you hear a clear "wolf" whistle ring out no doubt you will turn your head in surprise and see no one . . . but the clerk beside you and perhaps, if they are in sight, several cages of parakeets. Yes you've got it, one of the parakeets will be giving you the whistle. It happened to yours truly once and when we went in a second time, we had forgotten, and darned if we didn't turn in surprise again. It is so unexpected ringing out in the quiet store. And, furthermore it sounds so very human. If you don't believe it, try it.

We got to thinking it was time for a change in our signature cut so last week we finally made the change. Hope you like what we have. The cut was made from an ink drawing by Robert Eurratt, an employee at the Postoffice.

Don't forget there is an early deadline next week. If you have news early, do not wait until the deadline. This will be appreciated by the Bystander staff.

Elbert Webb, N.Y.C., To Visit Relatives During Holidays

Elbert Webb, New York City, is spending the Christmas and New Year's holidays in Des Moines with his sister, Mrs. Clifford Bayles, and



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brothers, Reggar and Robert Webb, and his son, Gordon Brown, and their families and friends.

Mrs. Webb was unable to accompany her husband due to the illness of a sister.

Holiday-Proof Floors, Furniture For Yule Season

The Christmas season is a time when friends drop in and refreshments are served frequently. Before the increased entertainment activity, it's wise to "holiday-proof" your floors and furniture.

An extra-heavy coat of wax will help protect your table-tops from rings caused when drinking glasses are placed carelessly on the table. Moisture and spills stay on top of the waxed surface, rather than staining your precious furniture.

A good beeswax paste, a strong arm, and a roll of soft Kleenex towels provide the best protection for your furniture. Apply wax sparingly and rub to a high luster with paper towels. One application, before the holiday season, will last through the festivities. Just buff up with a fresh Kleenex towel each day when you dust.

Your floors need "holiday-proofing" too. To protect hardwood and vinyl tile floors from holiday traffic, clean and apply two coats of wax. A thorough waxing not only protects floors but requires just quick wipe-ups during the busy season.

New Products at Crescent Beauty Supply Available

Crescent Beauty Supply, 1407 Center street, which is a major wholesale outlet for nationally known brands of beauty supplies and products is now carrying two new products, Mr. Fred-Ricks Creme, a new permanent and curl relaxer for women only and Gran Gay Silkscreen products.



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DELTA WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS FUND IN 1963 TO FREE JAILED STUDENTS

Washington, D. C. — Christmas giving means many things, but to the women of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority this year's holiday gift will provide bail bond money for high school and college students of Orangeburg, South Carolina, who have been jailed for participating in peaceful civil rights demonstrations in that community.

These gifts of freedom were announced Monday by Dr. Geraldine P. Woods of Los Angeles, president of the interracial women's public service group, who announced that the 276 chapters of the sorority have agreed to participate in an unique "Delta Christmas Party" in the rural South Carolina town.

Bail Bond

The presentation of the sorority's Xmas contribution to the Orangeburg Movement's bail bond fund was made at a public rally at the Trinity Methodist Church in Orangeburg, held at 4 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 22. The date



DR. GERALDINE P. WOODS
National President
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority

marked the end of the official period of mourning for the late President John F. Kennedy who in January of this year was the principal speaker at Delta Sigma Theta's 50th anniversary celebration in Washington.

Applications Open For \$1,000 Russell Bull Scholarship

Applications for the \$1,000 Russell Bull scholarship, created by the United Packinghouse Food and Allied Workers, AFL-CIO are now open.

Unique feature of requirement for eligibility is the applicant's participation in civil rights activity.

Applicants, accompanied by transcripts of school or college records, must give detailed information about interest and activities in civil rights, his outstanding achievements in the community and submit evidence of financial need. The application must also be endorsed by letters of recommendation from at least two persons or organizations actively concerned with and engaged in promoting and

Brownie Scouts Feted With Christmas Party

Brownie Scouts led by Mrs. Betty Jones were feted with a Christmas party Thursday afternoon, Dec. 19 at the home of Mrs. Peter Hawthorne, Jr., 1223 10th street. Eleven Brownies, enjoyed games, singing carols along with records and refreshments.

Sharing the hostess honors were assistant leaders, Mesdames Hawthorne and Carsons, and Jones.

Brownies attending were Clothilde Stewart, Patricia Collins, Evanette Parker, Tyna Price, Gayle Austin, Venita Hawthorne, Ila Flannigan, Teena Parker, Virginia Western and Stephanie Michael.

The girls also made Christmas angels as favors for meal trays for hospital children in the pediatric department at Iowa Lutheran hospital. This was their service project for the holidays.

Logan Garden Club Holds Meeting

At the Logan Garden club meeting with Mrs. Dicken, 1641 Buchanan, Mrs. James Hunter, president, announced new officers will be elected in April. Plans were made for a Christmas party and gift exchange.

Mrs. H. Moten and Mrs. Arthur Twiner joined the club recently.

Hold Christmas Party for Children

A Christmas party for children was held at the Jewish Community Center, 8th and Forest avenue on Christmas eve, from 1 to 3 p.m. The festivities included movies, treats and prizes.

furthering civil rights.

Application deadlines are March 1, 1964 and should be mailed to Ralph Helstein, president, United Packinghouse, Food and Allied Workers, AFL-CIO, Room 1800, 608 South Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill., 60605.

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FULL PARTICIPATION
IN ARMED FORCES

In spite of the sadness of the late President Kennedy's funeral there are some things that interested the onlooker other than the burial of the dead.

Thanks to television, the public got a good sample of integration in the armed services for Negro service men were fully included in the detachments as guards, pallbearers and otherwise officiating in the service.

Funeral services for other presidents, who died in office, had no such integration and thus the Negro had no official part of the duties assigned to the armed forces to perform.

Of course, besides what undoubtedly would have been the desire of the late President, integration in the armed services places Negroes in all units and thus any duties performed by a unit, whether in battle or official duties, some are included.

Thanks to television, the whole country can see that opportunities are being given Negroes in every field. They are taking advantage of it. And it is well that people know it.

A HAPPY AND
PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR

This being the last issue of the Bystander in 1963, it is fitting and proper that the management and the staff thank the customers and friends who have contributed, in any manner, to the year's operation which, on the whole, has been successful.

Small businesses, whether a grocery store or a newspaper, are being squeezed tighter each year. Those that survive must fight harder and harder to hold old and gain new friends.

CRITICISM OF SUPREME
COURT DECISIONS
UNJUSTIFIED

Many people have been critical of some U. S. Supreme Court decisions in a wide range of subjects. Particular emphasis is directed toward those involving segregation and prayers in public schools and the protection of the rights of persons charged with criminal offenses including communists.

Many hide behind the criticism per se which in fact is directed toward the anti-segregation decision; many because they feel a communist should be convicted by any means at hand; many law enforcing officials because they are not permitted under the courts decision to violate the rights of the accused.

Laws are made to be obeyed. This means public officials as well for the enforcement of the law. Many an innocent person has gone to prison because no one stood between him and those officers who wanted a conviction by whatever means available to get the job done.

It has often happened that people have been arrested and held incommunicado because there was no one to protest; simply because the law did not get around to the case; homes have been broken into to check on suspected crime because the officers were too lazy to get a search warrant.

But these instances don't occur everyday. Most cases are investigated and prosecuted to completion without delay. It is the few unlawfully handled cases which the court attempts to protect and under the law they are entitled to it.

A & P Job Campaign
Continues in Seattle

Seattle, Wash.: Seattle CORE is in the 4th month of a picketing and boycott campaign aimed at getting A & P stores to go beyond tokenism in hiring minority group employees. As a result of picketing last March, the company hired 7 Negroes but stopped there.

Picketing was resumed in September. "The straw that broke the camel's back" was the opening of a brand new A & P store on the fringe of the Negro district with only one Negro employee, a transfer from another store," explains Reginald Alleyne, chairman of Seattle CORE.



The basketball boys are coming on strong.

As we look through the lineups of the various colleges, we find the names of the boys from Marshall, Carver and Du Sable of Chicago who have been dominating Illinois basketball for the past five years. These boys are in the Bradley and Cincinnati lineups in the Missouri Valley. Michigan U has at least one and a couple more are on Northwestern squad. Then we suspect a few of those young men landed in some of our Negro colleges.

And while we are talking about Negro colleges we hope you noticed that these schools have finally arrived in football. As well as track and basketball. Negro colleges were tough in basketball before white people ever heard of such. Names as Prairie View, Texas Southern and such. This was because the Big Ten had a sort of unwritten agreement not to play Negro basketball men. So for several years the Negro fratmates in Big Ten schools won the intra-mural cage championships of their schools because those frats had Negroes playing intra mural ball when they were good enough to play on the varsity.

Those who didn't want to go for that sort of thing found their way to Negro colleges and small white schools where they could play. The University of Chicago first broke the color line because the Maroons were having a hard time fielding a team and almost never beat anybody. So the coach in order to have five players had to use Negroes. Then the other schools began to timidly use Negroes as substitutes and before long they were regulars.

We recall a few years back when we looked at the Negro All-American football team. We thought there were too many 160-pound ends and tackles to even give a poor pro team a scrimmage. The debacle of Negro All-Stars against the New York Giants who pounced on it just about convinced us. But now your big time Negro colleges have linemen big enough to play pro ball and they are doing it. They also have 200-pound backs who can out run their shadows. And where did a lot of these guys come from? The south. No wonder some of the southern white schools took a look at a 300-pound lineman and decided to integrate their athletic program so the guys might stay home.

AMERICAN SOPRANO
HONORED BY
MADEMOISELLE MAGAZINE

New York—Opera singer Reri Grist, 30-year-old coloratura soprano, has been selected by Mademoiselle magazine as one of its ten Merit Award winners for 1963. Miss Grist received critical acclaim when she debuted within three months last year at three major opera houses in Europe—La Scala, the Vienna State, and Covent Garden.

Born, raised, and trained in New York City, the young soprano took private singing lessons with Claire Gelda and studied musicology at Queens College. While continuing her vocal studies, Miss Grist appeared in several Broadway productions. It was her role as Consuelo in West Side Story that brought her to the attention of Leonard Bernstein, who offered her the soprano solo in the Mahler Fourth Symphony with the New York Philharmonic. That same year (1960) she joined the Zurich Opera Company and was given the opportunity to sing practically every leading coloratura role in their standard repertory, as well as in many rarely produced works.

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Before him is a tiny Yule tree topped by a brilliant star. Beside him, framed in another panel, is a snug-looking little house, its window Christmas-wreathed, its chimney emitting a curl of smoke.

Dual Picture

You've recognized the dual picture! The jaunty snowman and the festive little house, gaily colored in bold reds and blues against a background of big snowflakes, are enlivening this year's Christmas Seals. With the color and gaiety they contribute, festooning your mail with 1963 Christmas Seals is sort of like greeting and gifting your friends in technicolor.

Fight Against TB

But of course Christmas Seals do more than just decorate. For nearly six decades the Christmas Seal has been a rallying banner in the fight against tuberculosis and other res-

piratory diseases. The gift of health, hope and happiness goes with your Christmas card when the postage are accompanied by lavish strips or blocks of Christmas Seals on the back.

Postage

And speaking of postage, this year for the second time the Post Office Department has its own messengers of Christmas gaiety in the shape of cheery, colorful Christmas stamps. Both Christmas stamps and Christmas Seals belong on your mail—the one to pay for carting it to wherever it's going, the other to carry forward the fight to eradicate tuberculosis and control the other respiratory diseases.

So—if you haven't yet responded to the Christmas Seal letter from your local association, right now is the moment for it!

—Information Service of Polk County Tuberculosis and Health Association stamps on the front of the envelope

Christmas Seal Decorations



Holiday decorations and party favors are a new way of using Christmas Seals bought to aid the fight against tuberculosis. The designs were created by the Dennison Mfg. Co. as their contribution to the Christmas Seal Sale conducted by the tuberculosis associations throughout the United States to support their tuberculosis control activities. (Photo by Hans van Nes)

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—Bonnie J. Tinker

NINE LESSONS
WORTH LEARNING

1. Learn to laugh. A good laugh is better than medicine.
2. Learn to attend strictly to your own business.

Firestone Reports
Record Year

Akron, Ohio—The Firestone Tire & Rubber Company today reported another new high sales record and improved earnings for the fiscal year which ended October 31.

Harvey S. Firestone, Jr., chairman, and Raymond C. Firestone, president, reported net sales of \$1,382,049,301 and earnings of \$63,384,604.

They said sales records were set in each quarter of the 1963 fiscal year as the company exceeded by 8.2 per cent the 1962 sales of \$1,277,691,871.

Sales Increase

The officers said nearly all divisions of the business enjoyed sales increases. Greatly expanded production of motor vehicles created a larger market for original equipment tires and the increased number of vehicles on the road resulted in increased sales of replacement tires.

Profits

The 1963 profits were 5.6 per cent more than \$60,034,371 earned last year.

The figures include sales of \$375,813,603 and earnings of \$18,769,991 during the fourth quarter, compared with previous sales of \$350,483,902 and earnings of \$16,087,882 during the same period last year.

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