

AMID CEREMONY IN ORNATE PRESIDENT'S ROOM

President Signs Voting Rights Bill

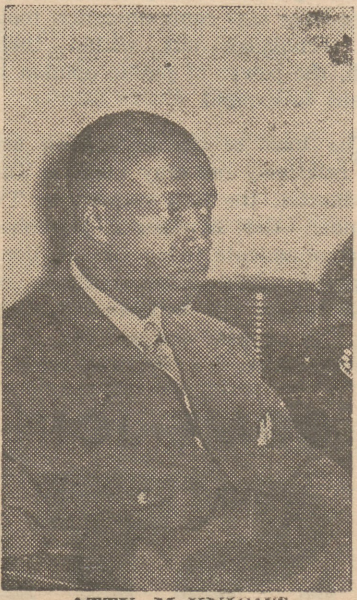
Court Sustains Rev. Patton in Church Fight

Davenport, Ia.—After two days of voluminous testimony Scott County District Judge Clay LeGrand on Wednesday, Aug. 4 dismissed a temporary injunction against the Rev. T. Spencer Patton in the Third Missionary Baptist church controversy.

Rev. Patton's attorney, Henry T. McKnight of Des Moines, successfully argued to the court that the Third Missionary Baptist Church of Davenport, Iowa was an independent or congregational type of polity, self governing and having no superior directing power and the court had no jurisdiction over or concern with the internal or ecclesiastical affairs of a Baptist church, including the retention of its pastor if the majority desired to keep the pastor.

Meetings

There had been two church meetings, one on June 4, 1965, which 62 members voted to discharge the pastor, T. Spencer Patton, but after a later announcement, there was a second meeting on June 26, 1965 and 149 members voted to retain the pastor, and the 62 members petitioned the court to intervene.



ATTY. MCKNIGHT

Leaders Honor Patricia Harris

McKnight told the court that the 62 members wanted to control the membership of over 400 members and the actual vote of 149 and that the 62 persons came to the meeting on June 4, 1965 with the intentions of sneaking up on Rev. Patton, but on June 26, 1965 that same group came back to the meeting, however, seeing themselves out numbered, walked out of the meeting.

Attorney

McKnight, with 14 victories out of 15, and a veteran in church controversies, told the court that Rev. Patton had given 14 years of his life to the church. Speaking from the words of the Apostle Paul in Romans 7 chapter 21st verse McKnight said: "I find then a law, that, when I would do good, evil is present with me". This is the situation here, and the court has no authority or jurisdiction to act and this matter must be left to the members themselves and to God.

Defendants

The temporary injunction had been granted on July 19 upon the petitions of plaintiffs, the Third Missionary Baptist church, a corporation, Alfred Garrett, Benjamin Carter, Frank Camp, Alfred Newman, Rosabelle Sample and Elsworth Randall.

Defendants besides Rev. Patton were Flynn Griffin, Herman Smith, Alex Felno, Bobby Ray, Walter Harrington, Sylvester Mitchell, Verma L. Bowman and Martha Polite.

Rev. Patton had been pastor of the church for 14 years.

Petition

The petition for dismissal of the injunction against Rev. Patton said "It is the general rule that civil or secular courts should not intervene in the affairs of a church which is self-governing and autonomous. All parties to this controversy agree that the Third Missionary Baptist church of Davenport, is such an institution.

"The only matter for the Court to determine," the petition continued, "here therefore is whether the meetings in question were held by those who had authority under the church rules to decide the matters which were considered and voted on there. The plaintiffs and defendants alike agree that they did."

SPECIAL "Back to School" display in the Bystander August 19. Call 288-1904 for details.

OFF TO JAPAN



Deputy Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Alfred L. Edwards, right, confers with Secretary Orville L. Freeman before flying to Tokyo, Japan, to represent the Secretary at the U. S. seed exhibit and seminar there, Aug. 16-27. They are holding containers of grass seed. The United States is promoting grass seed sales in Japan for pasture development. Last year U. S. seed exports to Japan and other countries totaled \$34 million.

Dr. Edwards will deliver an address opening the seminar. Later, he will confer with the Minister of Agriculture of Japan, visit agricultural colleges and experiment stations in that country, and observe cooperatives, rural development, and agricultural credit agencies there and in Hong Kong and the Philippines before returning to the United States on August 28. His responsibilities in the Department of Agriculture are associated with rural development and conservation.

Denies Urging Negroes Not To Participate in Viet War

Jackson, Miss.—Negro citizens of Mississippi are not being asked to refuse to participate in the war in Viet Nam, the head of the Mississippi Freedom Democratic Party said last week.

But Freedom Democratic Party (FDP) Chairman Lawrence Guyot said it is easy to understand why Mississippi Negroes, "themselves the victims of bombings, terrorism and harassment," should resent the death of a Mississippi Negro killed while fighting for America overseas.

The statement followed newspaper, radio and television reports that the MFDP had urged Mississippi Negroes not to register for the draft and not to fight if drafted.

Leaflets

MFDP Chairman Guyot, a Pass Christian, Mississippi native, said no unit of the state-wide party had taken such a position. Guyot said members of the party in McComb, Miss. had circulated leaflets following the Viet Nam death of 23-year-old John D. Shaw, a participant in anti-segregation protests in McComb in 1961.

State NAACP Board Will Meet in Des Moines on Saturday

The Iowa State Conference of Branches of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, will hold its board meeting on Saturday, Aug. 14 at 1 p.m. at the YMCA, 1st and Locust streets, in the lobby room.

During the business session plans will be completed for the 25th anniversary of the state conference and the 50th anniversary of the Des Moines branch. The event will be held on Oct. 9 in Des Moines. Mrs. J. B. Morris, Sr., is chairman and Louis A. Garland of Sioux City, Ia., is state president.

NEWS In A Nutshell

St. Louis, Mo.—Albert W. Brown, Jr., 20, is the first State Award Senior Division winner of the Fisher Body Craftsmans Guild competition for the State of Missouri. In 1963 he won honorable mention in the competition. Brown, a junior at the University of Missouri in Columbia, will receive a \$150 award and a trophy for his winning model car.

Omaha, Nebr.—A Negro will be named to the 15-member City Charter Review Convention, Mayor A. W. Sorenson announced last week. He said several names have been suggested to him.

Detroit, Mich.—Judge Ernest C. Boehm, presiding judge of Wayne County Probate Court, was elected president of the Michigan Probate and Juvenile Judges Association at the organization's annual 1965 convention recently.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—Daily silent vigils have been conducted at City Hall by Pittsburgh CORE since the fatal shooting of Leroy Scott, a Negro and the beating of his mother by two off-duty policemen. Chief aim of the vigils is appointment of a police civilian review board.

Detroit—Eddie N. Williams has been designated Special Assistant for Employment Practices in the office of the Deputy Under Secretary for Administration, William J. Crockett, effective Aug. 1.

Gould, Ark.—The homes of five Negroes here were raided by police after they had taken part in civil rights demonstrations on July 17. The five were part of a group that picketed the Lincoln County courthouse in nearby Star City to protest the closing of voter registration office in Gould which had been open only for three days.

Baltimore, Md.—Mrs. Gladys S. Bobbitt is the first person to receive a Master's Degree from Morgan State College's new graduate school which opened in September.

Detroit—Three Negroes have been appointed to top policy-making positions with the new Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

Detroit—Postmaster Edward L. Baker announced the appointment of Andrew S. Wandless, Sr., to the key position of Director of Operations in the Detroit Post Office.

FOUR HOWARD UNIVERSITY AIR FORCE ROTC CADETS RECEIVE SCHOLARSHIPS

Washington, D.C.—Four Howard University Air Force Reserve Officers' Training Corps cadets have been selected to receive scholarships from the U. S. Air Force.

They are Glenn E. Bowen, Leonard W. Cobbs, Charles W. Epps, and Lester L. Lyles.

For years Mr. Steptoe, a small man, has traveled across this South-west Mississippi county urging other Negroes to take the step that has almost cost him his life—the drive to the registrar's office in Liberty.

U.S. Government Moves to Enforce Newest Act for Southern Negroes' Rights

Washington, D.C.—President Lyndon B. Johnson signed the voting rights bill Friday and less than 24 hours later the government began enforcement of the Voting Rights Act of 1965.

Enforcement began in two phases: —First, literacy tests as a prerequisite to voting were suspended in seven states — Alabama, Alaska, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, South Carolina, and Virginia—and in 26 counties of North Carolina and one county in Arizona.

—Second, the Justice Department filed suit in the U.S. District Court in Jackson, Miss., to abolish the Mississippi poll tax as a requirement for voting in state and local elections.

On Tuesday, the department will file similar suits in the other poll tax states—Texas, Alabama, and Virginia.

Waiting to Act

About 45 federal examiners, all employees of the Civil Service Commission, were standing by in the Deep South waiting to move into 15 to 20 counties that have a history of resistance to Negro voting.

The new act is expected to add several hundred thousand Negroes to registration rolls of the Deep South in the next year or so.

Two agencies—the Justice Department and the Bureau of Census — triggered suspension of literacy tests by publishing in the Federal Register those areas found to have tests in force on Nov. 1964, where less than 50 per cent of the voting-age population participated in the 1964 presidential election.

Washington, D.C.—History tied together the tragic loose ends of some 100 years as President Johnson, like President Abraham Lincoln a century ago, sign a monumental act that helped to ensure the rights of Negro citizens. It was 100 years ago that President Lincoln took the first giant step when he signed the Emancipation Act and last Friday President Johnson put his signature to the Voting Rights Act of 1965, that will eliminate what he terms as the last "shackles."

Signing

First, in a speech in the rotunda of the Capitol, Mr. Johnson said the measure will "strike away the last major shackles of those fierce and ancient bonds" that have bound American Negroes.

He addressed congressmen, civil rights leaders and cabinet members. Microphones and television cameras carried his message to the nation.

Then he moved to the ornate President's room off the Senate chamber, to etch his signature on the bill with dozens of souvenir pens, writing on the desk he used as Senate majority leader.

Mississippi

Mr. Johnson announced that the government will go to court Saturday to challenge the constitutionality of the poll tax required of Mississippi voters.

And, he said, additional poll tax suits will be filed Tuesday in Texas, Alabama and Virginia.

Speaking specifically of the Mississippians, he said:

Says Most Firms Helping Negro Applicants Get Jobs

Miami Beach, Fla.—A Negro who can take advantage of his education has the same opportunity for a good job in industry as any white person.

This is the view expressed here today by Hobart Taylor, Jr., of Washington, D. C., executive vice president of the President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity.

In a press conference at the Eden Roc Hotel, where the National Urban League's 55th annual conference is being held, Taylor said:

Most Comply

"While the majority of business will comply with the civil rights law, it is still necessary to have a police force to make sure this law is respected." That police force, Taylor says, is the Federal government.

The majority of business leaders are forging ahead in aiding Negro

applicants find their place in the world of work. But among some businessmen, compliance is poor.

Training

Taylor said it is the responsibility of American industry to train Negroes for supervisory, technical and managerial jobs. They must be aided to obtain the qualifications needed for such work. "There is no essential difference between intelligence levels of the races," he added.

Award

Taylor was presented an achievement award by Whitney M. Young, Jr., League executive director, for his contributions to the improvement of equal opportunities in industry. Some 250 top corporation and business leaders looked on during the ceremony.

Dr. Julius Conner Takes New Office As Health Director

Following confirmation by the City Council last week, Dr. Julius Conner, 31-year-old native of Omaha, Nebr., took office as the new Des Moines Polk County Health Director, with offices at the Des Moines Armory building.

Dr. Conner had left Des Moines in 1960 to practice in Washington, D.C., but returned a year later because he "preferred living in Des Moines."

He had no plans then for going

into the public health field but "stopped off at the Health Department to look around." He wound up with the job of assistant director of the department, in charge of the public health matters in Polk County outside of Des Moines.

He had that position until last week, when he moved up to the top job.

The new director, reared in Omaha, is a graduate of Omaha University and has a medical degree

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Negro School Girl Helped By Court; Completes Course In White Augusta School

Augusta, Ga.—An Augusta high school girl has completed a summer study of algebra, thanks to a battery of NAACP Legal Defense and educational fund lawyers and a federal court.

Pamela Weston, who just completed the tenth grade of a private school near Augusta, was dissatisfied with her previous algebra grades, and wanted to repeat the courses, in hopes of doing better.

Courses

The Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals ordered the Richmond County School Board to allow the girl to "enroll in such courses in Algebra I and Algebra II as are now being offered to white students."

The court granted the appeal of Legal Defense Fund attorneys John H. Ruffin Jr. of Augusta, Donald L. Hollowell of Atlanta and Jack Greenberg and Derrick A. Bell Jr. of New

York, who for more than a year have been waging a court battle to integrate the county's school system.

Appealed

The Legal Defense Fund lawyers appealed a decision by the U. S. District Court for the Southern District of Georgia which refused to grant a preliminary injunction to prevent the school board from closing the courses in white schools to the girl.

Miss Weston had enrolled in summer algebra courses at all Negro Lucy C. Laney High School in Augusta, but the courses were dropped from the curriculum there when she turned out to be the only enrollee. When she sought to transfer to sessions in a white school, officials told her she would have to hire a private tutor because the county's desegregation plan did not apply to summer sessions or to the eleventh grade.

FIRESIDE CHAT



Santa Claus and Charles "Chuck" Williams, vice president of Schenley Distillers Co., hold a strategy meeting at the Concord Hotel, Kiamasha Lake, N. Y. where Schenley unveiled 75 fall and holiday gift packages to the press and liquor trade. Miss

Mary Washington, a guest at the hotel, listens as Mr. Williams describes for Santa how Schenley this year invested some \$3 million to create more attractive decanters, pre-wraps and unusual holiday packages to help retailers get a larger share of the Yuletide gift market.

Appointed to Aerospace Board of Trustees

Washington, D. C.—The appointment of G. L. Washington, assistant to Howard University President James M. Nabrit, Jr. to serve a one-year term on the board of trustees of the Aerospace Education Foundation has been announced by Dr. Lindley J. Stiles, president of the Foundation.

The Aerospace Education Foundation is a non-profit educational organization in Washington, D. C. An affiliate of the Air Force Association, it was established in 1956.

right to vote is denied, or if the vote itself is diluted, then to that extent the membership of the voted in civil society is diminished and his political personhood impaired."

Churchmen who respond to the appeal will urge their Congressmen to vote for unseating the five Mississippi incumbents in the U. S. House of Representatives, and to vote against any or all of more than 100 proposals for amending the U. S. Constitution which would allow a state to apportion one chamber of its legislature on some basis other than population.

Vocational Educator Confers in Puerto Rico

New York—Mrs. Elizabeth G. Jenkins, vice president and chief guidance counselor of the Printing Trades School, New York City, returned from a successful trip to Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands where she conferred with local education officials, educators, and printing trades aspirants.

During her stay she told about the lucrative employment opportunities in the printing trades, discussed the accelerated courses and modern facilities of her school and held interviews with prospective trainees.

Faculty

A native of Birmingham, Mrs. Jenkins is a graduate of Alabama Teachers College and Tuskegee Institute, where she earned her teaching certificate. The faculty of her school is comprised of New York State Department of Education licensed vocational instructors.

The school is under the direction

of her husband, Mr. Edwin G. Jenkins, also formerly of Birmingham, a veteran professional printer and private vocational school administrator, who became director of the school in 1950. He was the first to introduce private vocational instruction in all phases of printing.

Founded

Founded in 1906 as the Empire Linotype School by the late Frank Arnold, the Printing Trades School and one other are the only private printing trades schools in the United States. The other was founded by Mr. Jenkins in 1949 and administered by him as the first complete private printing trade school in the nation before he took over and renamed his present school.

Since it was founded, the Printing Trades School has placed some 8,000 graduates in printing jobs through its free placement service.

USIA OFFICIAL LAUDS NEGRO ARTISTS FOR CULTURAL ACTIVITIES OVERSEAS

Washington—The Negro musician has made a "significant and creditable" contribution to the U. S. Cultural Presentations Program overseas, an officer of the United States Information Agency said here Sunday.

Convention

Howard B. Woods, Associate Director of USIA, spoke to the opening session of the National Association of Negro Musicians convention held at the Statler-Hilton hotel.

The USIA official said that in the 11 years the cultural program has been in existence there have been some 389 projects in more than 120 countries. Sports, choral, dance, drama, jazz, musical comedy, as well as academic groups, have been featured, he said.

Artists

Woods singled out such artists as Marian Anderson, Leontyne Price, William Warfield and Louis Armstrong as having made great contributions to the overseas program. Others he named included Phillipa Schuyler, Camilla Williams, the Golden Gate Quartet and the Howard University Choir.

The program is directed and financed by the U. S. State Department but is administered overseas by USIA cultural officers, he said. Woods called attention to the revolution in communications, saying that its "prospects are so immense

that the actuality will far outstrip even our most imaginative plans."

"One thing is certain," Woods declared. "The role of public opinion in world affairs will grow more and more important. As peoples everywhere have new communication tools and techniques put within their reach, the power of public opinion is certain to expand."

"The tools of communication are still relatively one-way streets. The broadcaster, the film maker, the TV producer, the newspaper publisher can communicate today with millions of people. But those millions of people cannot yet communicate fully with him, or with one another. True communication is a two-way street."

COLUMBIA PICTURES TO HOST DELEGATES OF NEGRO WOMEN'S ORGANIZATION AT STUDIO

Columbia Pictures Corporation will host the Executive Board of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., a 37,000-member Negro women's service organization at a luncheon and tour of the Studio in Los Angeles, Friday, Aug. 13.

Columbia Studio executives, producers, and talent will attend the luncheon for the 25-member Executive Board of Delta Sigma Theta, headed by Dr. Geraldine P. Woods, president, of Los Angeles, where the organization is holding its national convention, beginning Aug. 15.

Delta Sigma Theta, composed entirely of college-trained women, is one of the oldest women's service organizations. The organization is dedicated to a program of sharing skills and services in the public interest, and is represented locally by some 280 chapters throughout the U. S.

D. Parke Gibson Associates, which provides counsel and services for Columbia Pictures, is coordinating the group's visit, believed to be the first of its kind to a Hollywood Studio.

Woods said that if we want a world "in which brotherly-love has a better chance, then we must build a nation and a world in which communication can be more complete."

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QUESTION: I am now receiving a social security check every month. By stopping payment of this check for the rest of this year, would I be allowed to take full employment and earn all I can?

ANSWER: Yes, although we would need information on your total earnings for the year. Your payments for the year to date would have been proper if you had not earned over \$100 in any month or done substantial work in your own business during these early months in the year.

QUESTION: When a man becomes age 72, does he still have to pay the social security tax if he works?

ANSWER: Yes. A person is always liable for the social security tax when he or she works in a business or for wages that are covered by social security. There is no age limit.

QUESTION: My husband, our three minor children, and I have been receiving social security benefits since he retired two years ago. One of our children passed away last week. Since we still have two children under 18 years old, is it necessary for us to notify the Social Security Administration of Henry's death?

ANSWER: Yes, it is. The amount of social security benefits payable to each living beneficiary will change but the total amount payable to the family will remain the same.

FREE CHEST X-RAYS AUG. 20 AT EASTGATE SHOPPING CENTER

The Christmas Seal X-ray Mobile Unit, owned and operated by the Polk County Tuberculosis and Health Association, and supported by the sale of Christmas Seals each year, will be located in the Eastgate Shopping Center, (E. 14th and Euclid), Friday, Aug. 20th, from 2:00 to 8:00 P.M. All adult residents of Polk County are welcome to avail themselves of this Free Chest X-ray Service. (Children five to 18 years of age must present an X-ray Request Slip from their family physician or a Public Health or School Nurse.)

In addition to providing a checkup on Tuberculosis symptoms, these Chest-X-Rays are invaluable in finding other ailments and abnormalities within the chest area, such as, tumors, cancers, emphysema, bronchitis, pneumonia, and many types of heart abnormalities, and other respiratory infections in time to take corrective measures.

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chain saw he is carrying and a used truck which is not shown. With these, Mr. Newton will become an independent pulpwood cutter and hauler with an expected income of \$3,600 a year. Inset shows Mr. Newton proudly looking at his new chain saw.—USDA Photo

Urges Challenging Five Congressmen

Washington, D. C.—The National Council of Churches' Commission on Religion and Race today urged churchmen across the country to

support action challenging the seats of five Congressmen from Mississippi and to oppose proposed reapportionment amendments.

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Tri-plex, \$240. inc., new siding, elec. wiring. \$250. down. Owner. 255-1984.

ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of the State of Iowa
In and for Polk County
Divorce No. 63288

CAROL J. COBORN, Plaintiff,
vs.
CHESTER H. COBORN, Defendant.

TO: CHESTER H. COBORN, DEFENDANT.

You are notified that a petition of the above named Plaintiff in the above entitled action is on file now in the office of the Clerk of the above named Court, which Petition asks for an absolute divorce from you on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment, and for temporary and permanent alimony, child support and attorney fees, and an equitable division of the property of the parties.

For further particulars see Petition now on file, a copy of which is hereto attached. You are further notified to appear before said Court at the Court House, 5th and Mulberry Streets, Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on or before the 10th day of September, 1965, and answer or defend and unless you so appear your default will be entered and judgment or decree rendered against you as prayed for in the Petition.

Dated and signed this 28th day of July, 1965.

LEO OXBERGER
701 Insurance Exch. Bldg.
Des Moines, Iowa
Attorney for Plaintiff

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To Our Readers

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

Cedar Rapids

By Mrs. Julian Carlton
1010 12th AVE. S.E.
Phone EM 3-2756

Sunday, Aug. 15th the Youth Choir of the Metropolitan Baptist Church of Chicago, Ill. will be the guest of the Mt. Zion Youth and Inspirational Choir. They will bring a program of anthems, spirituals and hymns. The program will start at 4:00 p.m. Mrs. Mary Goodwin is Supervisor.

Those who are attending the state convention to be held at the Paradise Baptist Church in Omaha, Neb. on Aug. 9-13 are Rev. Percy Burt, Pastor, Mrs. Zelle Burt, Mrs. Eula McDonald, Mrs. Hettie Green, Bro. Leo Griggs, Deacon L. M. Bragg, Mrs. Mary Coates, Linda McGowan, Willa Mae McGowan, Rosemary Coates, Vernon Coates Jr., Jimmy Burt, Zelle Burt and Jenelle Robinson.

Visitors for Sunday, Aug. 8th were Mrs. Jacqueline Wilson and Mrs. Tolson.

The message for next Sunday morning, Aug. 15th will be preached by the assistant pastor of the Metropolitan Baptist Church, of Chicago, Ill.

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HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT

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Mr. and Mrs. James Benjamin motored to Detroit, Mich. because of the illness of Mr. Wendell Benjamin who was at that time confined in hospital. He is now at home and doing nicely. They spent the weekend.

Mr. Leeward Cooper and wife of St. Louis have been visiting in the home of his sister, Mrs. J. Wesley Childers, and Mrs. Earl Lee. Mrs. Lee is now in St. Louis with the Cooper family.

Mrs. Ruby Webster is home after a short stay in hospital.

The former Red Circle Girls of Antioch Baptist Church had a luncheon in honor of their advisor of several years ago, Mrs. Geneva Powell of Vicksburg, Miss. Luncheon took place in the Church parlors, Mrs. Powell, while here, was the guest of Mrs. George Booker.

Persons who have gone to Omaha to attend the State Baptist Missionary Convention are Rev. and Mrs. Eugene H. Williams; Mmes. Augustine Powell and LeRoy Sykes, Mrs. Selmond Phillips, Mmes. Dan Anderson, Maxine Robinson, Thomas Gordon and Lorene Powell.

Linda Garrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Garrison, is attending the National Y-Teen convention in Washington, D. C. which is being held at Shoreham Hotel Aug. 8-14. Linda is president of East High Y-Teen Club and is representing Black Hawk County Y-Teens at the convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer and family have returned from an extensive tour of the west. They were accompanied by Mrs. Grace Potter, Mrs. Spencer's mother, who stood the trip well and enjoyed every minute of it.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Holt entertained at dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Hughes Clayton of Jackson, Miss. Other guests were Miss Lynette Spencer, teacher at Piney Woods School; Miss Barbara Ball, of Davenport, Ia. school system; Mr. Harold Wilson, Neurologist of Neurological Center of Northeast Iowa; Miss Lynette Norris, West Indies and Miss Eze of Nigeria, students at SCI;

Mrs. Donna Whitis, Miss Gretchen Barber and Jimmy, Mrs. Delores Lee and Valetta Fields and Rev. I. D. Tolbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bryant and family and niece Veronica Hollowell

have left for points east. They hope to take in Baltimore and New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Walker entertained friends from California and relatives from St. Louis with a cook out in their back yard recently.

Friends from the neighborhood shared the courtesy with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips, daughter and mother here from Los Angeles and Mr. and Mrs. Cooper of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Vivret Norman observed their 25th wedding anniversary Sunday at Gates Park Club House. A host of Waterloans were in attendance. Out of town guests from Des Moines; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilson and Kendall Norman, a son; from Oelwein came Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McCleery. The Frank Dixons were there from Independence and

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Rhem of Mason City, From Minneapolis Mr. and Mrs. Paul Norman, a son; Mr. and Mrs. LaDell Norman, a brother. From Freeport, Ill.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burriss, Mrs. Edna Johnson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Salter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Thurston, and Mr. George Carrothers. Mrs. Fellows and Mrs. Lucille Jackson came from Chicago. Mrs. Laura Salters of Rockford, Ill. came. The couple left Monday for San Francisco and then to Oahu, Maui and Koni, Hawaii on Aug. 20 for a second honeymoon.

Mr. Thomas Norman is home after spending several days at Schoitz Hospital for a check up.

Next Sunday Payne will observe its Annual Picnic at Byrnes Park. The retreat will begin at 8:00 a.m. Each family is asked to bring their own basket. Ice cream and pop will be provided by the church. There will also be worship, games, swimming, fun for all. Free transportation provided from the church. Come, stay all day—there will be no service at the church.

MASON CITY

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

The St. John Baptist Sunday school was held with Calvin Duncan, Supt., in charge. At 11 a.m. Rev. R. Giles preached on "Have Not Because You Asked Not."

Mrs. Lewis Kipper sang a solo, "How Great Thou Art." Devotions were led by Deacons O. H. Burrell and C. Duncan. The Lord's Supper was served by Rev. Giles and his deacons, C. Duncan, O. McGruder, G. Sampson, O. Burrell and Mothers of the church, Mrs. D. Stallings, Mrs. L. Kipper and Mrs. O. H. Burrell.

Mrs. Sterling Mace and her children, Deanne and Sterling are visit-

ing her mother, Mrs. Willie Turner of Mason City, Ia. Chrystal Brown is here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Burrell.

Collection of Gowns Slated for Fair

An original collection of gowns, wraps and dusk-to-dressing-for-dinner pajamas by the great Paris couturiers will be at the Iowa State Fair in Des Moines.

Insured for \$50,000, the imports will be displayed on mannequins in the textile department at the east end of the grandstand.

There also is a possibility finalists in the Iowa State Fair Queen Contest (who never exceed Size 10) will model the fabulous exhibit.

Designs chosen for this very new state fair flair for high fashion are by Balenciaga, Madame Gres, Christian Dior, Jacques Griffe, Lanvin and Pierre Cardin.

They dress the international set, the style setters with many duets, engraved invitations to highly classified showings in hushed salons and names to advertise the creations over the waves at Shepherd's.

At 3 p.m. the Rev. A. B. Collins, Deacon Barber, Sis. Rose, Sis. Rhodes attended the Appreciation services for Rev. and Mrs. Ira E. Burton at Wayman A.M.E. Church. Their son, from Chicago, Ill., dedicated a song in honor of their first year at Wayman.

Last Thursday, Aug. 5 at 7:30 p.m. the Usher board opened the beginning of the second year of Pastor Collins as minister in the city of Rock Island, with the Rev. W. M. Frison of Mt. Olive Church of God in Christ of Davenport, as guest speaker.

At 7:30 p.m. Sunday the choir of Olivet has as their speaker, Rev. H. Walker of aCines chapel of East Moline, Ill. Wednesday evening Rev. C. B. Westbrook rendered services.

On Sunday, Aug. 15 the Young Matrons will render a program. Their guest speaker will be Mr. Pettis. On Aug. 18 the Rev. Donaldson Walker of Gaines chapel of East Moline and on Aug. 19 the Third Baptist church pastored by Rev. T. S. Patton, will be guests. On Aug. 21 a barbeque will be held at the church. On Aug. 22 the climaxing program will be held with the Rev. L. J. Jordan of Waterloo, Ia., as guest speaker.

NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL, OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR, AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the District Court of the State of Iowa
In and for Polk County
Probate No.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WALTER E. BURGESS, Deceased. TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ABOVE ENTITLED ESTATE: You are hereby notified that on the 2nd day of June, 1965, the last will and testament of the above named decedent, bearing date the 17th day of October, 1957, was admitted to probate in the above named court and that the undersigned was appointed executor of said estate.

Notice is given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and creditors having claims against said estate shall file them with the clerk of the above named district court, as provided by law, duly authenticated, for allowance, and unless so filed within six months from the second publication of this notice (unless otherwise allowed or paid) such claim shall thereafter be forever barred.

Dated this 3rd day of August, 1965.

ROBERT E. BURCH, Executor of said Estate
Des Moines, Iowa
WISDOM, SULLIVAN & GOLDEN
by William Westcott
Attorney for said Executor
600 Hubbell Bldg.
Des Moines, Iowa
Date of second publication
19 day of August, 1965.

NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL, OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR, AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the District Court of the State of Iowa
In and for Polk County
Probate No. 54748

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MAUDE J. MACHESNEY, Deceased. TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ABOVE ENTITLED ESTATE: You are hereby notified that on the 9th day of August, 1965, the last will and testament of the above named decedent, bearing date the 28th day of October, 1946, was admitted to probate in the above named court and that the undersigned was appointed executor of said estate.

Notice is given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and creditors having claims against said estate shall file them with the clerk of the above named district court, as provided by law, duly authenticated, for allowance, and unless so filed within six months from the second publication of this notice (unless otherwise allowed or paid) such claim shall thereafter be forever barred.

Dated this 9 day of August, 1965.

NADINE MACHESNEY
DWIGHT R. MACHESNEY
Co-Executors
Des Moines, Iowa
Attorney for said Executor
Savings & Loan Bldg.
Des Moines 9, Iowa
Date of second publication
August 12th, 1965 and 19 day of August, 1965.

NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL, OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR, AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the District Court of the State of Iowa
In and for Polk County
Probate No. 63469

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MAUDE J. MACHESNEY, Deceased. TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ABOVE ENTITLED ESTATE: You are hereby notified that on the 9th day of August, 1965, the last will and testament of the above named decedent, bearing date the 28th day of October, 1946, was admitted to probate in the above named court and that the undersigned was appointed executor of said estate.

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Dated this 9 day of August, 1965.

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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. 8:00 P.M.
Evening Service 7:30 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.
Sunday School 10:45 A.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 PEAVY, Pastor
907 15th Street
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.

PHILADELPHIA SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST
1150 15th Street
ELDER D. J. DIXON, Minister
Sabbath School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Missionary Volunteer 4:30 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 8:00 P.M.
Doreas Society 1st Sunday, 1:00 P.M.

Pilgrim Missionary Baptist Church
1732 Walker Street
REV. WAYLAND HEATH, Pastor
Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service: 11:00 A.M.
Youth Meetings: Weekly 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday: 7:30 P.M.

Community Baptist Church
1103 8th Street
Rev. GUY SAUNDERS, 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.

Forest Ave. Church of God in Christ
1121 Forest Avenue
REV. A. B. CARTER, Pastor
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Sunday morning worship 11:30 a.m.
Y.P.W.W. (Sunday) 7:00 p.m.
Sunday evening worship 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday evening Bible Band 7:00 p.m.
Thursday evening services 7:30 p.m.
Prayer services (daily) 9:00 a.m.

KYLES A.M.E. ZION CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, Aug. 15, the 11 a.m. message will be brought by Presiding Elder Rev. G. W. Whisonant of Kansas City, Mo.

Monday, Aug. 16 the First Quarterly Conference will be held at 7:30 p.m.

The Conference Workers will have a chicken dinner Saturday, Aug. 14. There will be a Rummage Sale at the Rummage Center, room 409, Monday, Aug. 16 sponsored by the Buds of Promise and the Missionaries.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The annual Baby Contest sponsored by the Pastor's Aid Society will be reported at the regular meeting at the church Sunday, Aug. 22nd at 4 p.m.

The rummage sale held at St. Paul Church last week will be continued Thursday and Friday, Sept. 2nd and 3rd at the Rummage Center rear of 407 3rd St. Fine articles for men, women and children are still available.

The delegate to the Annual Conference to be held at Cairo, Ill. on Aug. 23-29 will be elected by eligible members of the Laymen's Organization will be held Sunday, Aug. 15th immediately after the morning services.

Rev. and Mrs. Williams have returned from a vacation in Cassopolis, Mich., Chicago and Minneapolis. Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Cecil Lewis of Bethl A.M.E. Church attended the Annual Retreat of the Women's Missionary Society at Camp Baber near Cassopolis attended by women from the entire 4th Episcopal District. Mrs. Williams is Branch president of the Missionary Society of the Illinois Conference. The Williamses attended services at St. Peters Church in Minneapolis last Sunday and the game between the Twins and Baltimore Orioles on Monday.

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

Maple Street Baptist Church
E. 16th and Maple Street
REV. GEO. PARISH, Minister, 5-8910
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class 8:30 P.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wed. 8 P.M.

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

Burns Methodist Church
311 CROCKER STREET
REV. KENNETH C. McNEIL, Minister
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 10:30 A.M.
Youth Fellowship 8:00 P.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:30 P.M.

Evangelistic Missionary Church
1340 E. 18th Street
ELDER EURICA FOUNTAIN, Leader
Sunday 10:00 A.M. Sunday School
Sunday 11 A.M. & 8 P.M. Service
Thursday 8:00 P.M. Service
Tuesday Night Open Bible Discussion; Public Invited.

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

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

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

MORNING STAR

BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The pastor, Rev. C. L. Townsell and his family are still on Vacation. Last Sunday morning Rev. A. C. Crawford, retired minister, brought the message.

PILGRIM BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The Youth group will hold a meeting at 6:30 this evening (Thurs.) at the church followed by choir rehearsals.

MOUNT OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. H. R. Fields delivered the Sermon. The Junior Choir was in charge of the music. Visitors were Mrs. Bragg from Perry, Iowa and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fields and family from California who are visiting Mrs. Fields mother and family Mrs. Alberta Gray.

Sunday, Aug. 15 will be the 2nd Annual Family Church picnic at Union Park starting right after church service.

COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Mother Rena Johnson went to Omaha, Nebr., as a delegate to the Iowa Missionary and Educational Baptist State Convention which is being held there.

Rev. Guy Saunders will preach on "Destination: Promise Land," on Sunday, Aug. 15 at 11 a.m.

FOREST AVENUE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST NEWS

Elder A. B. Carter will preach at 11 a.m. services on Sunday, Aug. 15. Elder Harris will be guest speaker for the anniversary services on Friday, Aug. 13 as guest of Missionary Rosalie Porter.

Y.P.W.W. was held with Deacon Roland Warren in charge. Elder Steven Watson preached last Sunday assisted by Minister Ernest White.

Deacon Lawrence Brandon an-

Annual Conference of Sanctified Holy Church Convention Speakers

The Annual conference of Christ Sanctified Holy Church which convenes Aug. 11-15 will hear such noted speakers as Bishop J. White and Elder Ida Goode of Los Angeles, Elder and Mrs. Hodge of Easton, Tex., and others.

Friday, Aug. 13 will be Missionary day with Elder Madelyn Brewer Davis of Los Angeles, Calif., as speaker. A film, "It Took A Miracle," will be shown at 8 p.m.

Services will be held daily from 1 to 4 p.m. and at 8 p.m. Officers are Elder A. Harvey, president, San Bernadino, Calif.; Mrs. Viola Gibson, Cedar Rapids, executive secretary and president of Missions; Mother Pearl Brewer, executive board member; Julius Smith, Cedar Rapids, recording secretary and Frank Harvey, San Bernadino, chairman.

Will Sing Sunday At Corinthian Baptist

Ethel Waters, nationally celebrated soloist will sing at 11 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 15 at Corinthian Baptist church. Rev. Norman R. Olphin is pastor. Miss Waters is in Des Moines to participate in the Crusade for Christ which closes at Sec Taylor Stadium Sunday afternoon. She is one of the featured soloists for the event which is holding a 15-day session.

Eastside Mission To Hold Board Meeting

The East Side Union Mission Society will hold its board meeting on Aug. 18 at 12 noon at the Mt. Olive Baptist Church. Rev. H. R. Fields is pastor.

Iowa Radio Station Programs "Mississippi"

Each Sunday at 9 P.M. Radio Station KFMG-FM (94.9 on the FM dial) will present Mission in Mississippi. This features Miss Carol Hanich of Bancroft, Iowa, a recent graduate of the Drake University School of Journalism and former staff reporter for a press association. She is in Greenville, Miss., for active participation in the civil rights movement. She will be sending Radio KFMG-FM a weekly tape-recorded report of her experiences, impressions and interviews. There will be five more broadcasts in this series, the first three of which have been made possible through a sponsorship grant by Miss Marjorie E. W. Smith, 4023 Cottage Grove.

IN THE HOSPITAL

MERCY HOSPITAL

E. P. Jackson

Colen Scales

Willie Brown

nounced plans for a social to be held in the rear of the church that will benefit the anniversary.

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51st and Grand
August 13, 15, and 16
9:00 to 5:00

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Services Held for Mrs. Shirley Spencer

Services for Mrs. Shirley Manuel Spencer, 40, of 1650 Cleveland street,

were held at 3 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 10 at Hamilton's Funeral Home with burial in Glendale cemetery. The youth was dead on arrival on Thursday, Aug. 5 at Iowa Methodist hospital. He had been ill about two years with cancer.



Mrs. Spencer

A native of Des Moines he was graduated this year from Callanan Junior High school.

Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Outwright; two brothers, Louis, Jr., and Charles, and three sisters, Opal, Joann and Shirley.

The family lives at 5002 S.W. Fifteenth st., where Dr. Conner said he spends his spare time "remodeling the home and doing a little gardening."

Services Held for Mrs. Irene Dobson

Services for Mrs. Irene Dobson, 35, of 911 Crocker street, were held at 1 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 5 at Estes and Son Funeral Home with burial in Tuscaloosa, Ala.



MRS. DOBSON

Mrs. Dobson died at Broadlawn Polk County Hospital Monday, Aug. 2 of a broken neck suffered when she fell down a flight of stairs. She was born in Tuscaloosa, and lived in Des Moines for nine years.

Surviving are her husband, James and a daughter, Connie Frances.

Dr. Conner

SEE FRONT PAGE
from the University of Nebraska.

Master's Degree

In addition, he obtained a master's degree in public health from Harvard University while on a leave of absence from the Health Department from September, 1963, to September, 1964.

Dr. Conner's wife, also graduated from Omaha University, taught elementary school in Omaha—"putting me through school," Dr. Conner said.

They have two boys, 8 and 6 years old, and a 20-month-old girl.

Mrs. Conner plans to enroll at Drake University this fall to work on a master's degree in education.

Interns Here

The Conners came to Des Moines in 1957 after his graduation from medical school and he served three years as an intern at Mercy Hospital. He also was a pediatrics resident at Raymond Blank Memorial Hospital.

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Services Held for Steven Outwright, 15

Services for Steven Outwright, 15, of 642 26th street, were held at 1:30 p.m. Monday at Kingdom Hall, 2609 24th street, with burial in Glendale cemetery. The youth was dead on arrival on Thursday, Aug. 5 at Iowa Methodist hospital. He had been ill about two years with cancer.

A native of Des Moines he was graduated this year from Callanan Junior High school.

Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Outwright; two brothers, Louis, Jr., and Charles, and three sisters, Opal, Joann and Shirley.

The family lives at 5002 S.W. Fifteenth st., where Dr. Conner said he spends his spare time "remodeling the home and doing a little gardening."



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—notably emphysema—have to fight hard and painfully for every breath they draw.

"School"

Which brings us right back to the "school for breathing", run by the physical therapy department of Merritt Hospital. As Dr. E. Ronald Rig-

Services Held for Mrs. Lizzetta Williams

Services for Mrs. Lizzetta D. Willa Williams, 57, of 1013 Day street, were held at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at Corinthian Baptist Church with the Rev. Norman R. Olphin officiating. Burial was in St. Joseph, Mo.

A retired beauty operator, Mrs. Williams died Sunday, Aug. 8 at home of multiple sclerosis. She had been ill several years.

Born in Atchison County, Kans., Mrs. Williams had lived in Des Moines eight years. She was a member of Corinthian Baptist.

Survivors include a brother, Moses D. Sloan, Atchison, Kans., and five sisters, Francis Horn, Cheyenne, Wyo., Mrs. Vivian Smedley, Chicago, Ill., Mrs. America Wallingford, Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Lillie Robinson, Atchison, Kans., and Mrs. Geneva Lewis, Des Moines.

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Survey

How well does this "curriculum" work? The National Tuberculosis Association, which combats all forms of Respiratory Disease including TB, financed a survey of results in the first class of 78 patients. Fifty of them showed improvement at the end of their two-week course. Six months later, all but ten of the original group were checked again and nearly three out of four continued to feel better. Which indicates that good breathing instruction can do a lot of patients a lot of good.

Chronic cough and shortness of breath are common symptoms of Respiratory Disease. If you have either or both, your Christmas Seal association advises an immediate medical check.

Information Service of "Your Christmas Seal Organization" Polk County Tuberculosis & Health Assn.

Senate O.K.s Thurgood Marshall as Solicitor

Washington, D. C. — President Johnson's nomination of Thurgood Marshall to be a solicitor general and Abe Fortas to be a Supreme Court Justice was approved by the Senate Judiciary Committee Tuesday.

Senators Everett Dirksen (Rep., Ill.) and John McClellan (Dem., Ark.), both of whom left the closed committee meeting early, said Fortas was approved without any dissenting votes. They told newsmen, however, that some votes were cast against approval of Marshall.

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Social Whirl + Club Calendar

Sylvester Strother And Bette Jo Moore Wed at Corinthian

Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Strother, 815 E. 17th street, announce the marriage of their son, Sylvester Jr., to Bette Jo Moore, on Saturday, Aug. 7 at Corinthian Baptist church with the Rev. Norman R. Olphin officiating. The ceremony was witnessed by members of both families. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore, 659 26th street.

She is a graduate of Des Moines Tech high and is employed at American Republic insurance company. He is a graduate of East High and student at Drake university. He is employed at the Cloud room and Shoppers Fair.

The couple are at home at 829 17th street.

Pasha Club Meets With Mrs. LaMay

The Pasha club met at the home of Mrs. Marjorie LaMay, 1214 15th street. Plans were made for the Christmas party. Afterwards a delicious repast was served by the hostess.

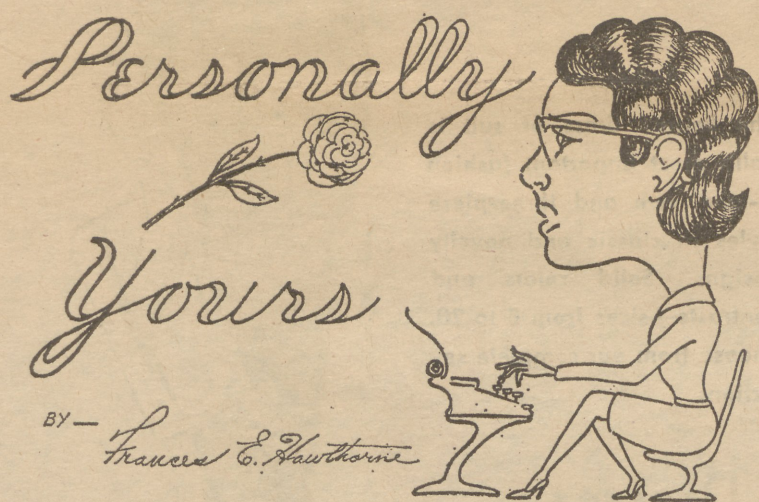
The next meeting will have to be announced as the hostess is out-of-town. Members will be notified by telephone.

Dilettante Club Plans Picnic

The Dilettante club plans its annual picnic at the home of Mrs. Beatrice Robinson, 810 Boyd street on Sunday, Aug. 15 at 4 p.m. Members are asked to bring a guest and table service for two.

Plan Banks-Cabbell Family Reunion

The Banks-Cabbell family reunion will be held Sunday, Aug. 15 at 5 p.m. at Union Park shelter house.



The lazy summer days are fast winging to a close. The last time we looked at the calendar, it was about three weeks before the beginning of school. And we are like most parents, not near ready for it. And like many do-it-yourself sewing mothers we have not begun our vast task of completing our little girls' wardrobes, particularly for those who are starting to school for the first time. Somehow though, on the first day of school, things will be complete.

This week we are enjoying the company of our mother and sister from Eolia, Mo., who are taking in some of the sights and nice Iowa weather. You can't beat the nights for sleeping, now can you?

Mrs. Otis James, 1132 18th street, stopped by earlier in the week to tell us about a trip through the northwest and far west that she and her husband took. Through her eyes and description, we got beautiful scenes of this great country of ours. A motor trip through scenic areas and states is worth-while any day. It certainly brings one close to nature and somehow balances the picture of modern technology that no matter how advanced, will never compete with the feats of nature's phenomenon.

Quite a few are still getting in their vacation trips: Had a note from Mrs. Valetta Fields several weeks ago in which she told of a trip to St. Louis, Mo. . . . Mrs. Norma Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob White, 1224 10th street, with her two children, have gone to California to make their home.

Coming next week: The Bystander will feature a full-page of "Back to school features, with emphasis of continuing formal or vocational edu-

Buxton Club 32nd Picnic Slated

The Buxton Club No. 2 is planning on a big annual 2nd Buxton picnic at Union Park on Aug. 30. Those attending are asked to bring baskets. Liquid refreshments will be furnished by the club. Games and prizes will be held. The time is 12 noon to 6 p.m. Wesley Davis is president and Mrs. Rose Tolson is social chairman.

The Dr. Julien Masons Entertain Guests

Dr. and Mrs. Julien Mason of Ankeny, Ia., entertained Mrs. Retha Ware Harris of Minneapolis, Minn., on Aug. 5. Mrs. Harris left Wednesday by jet airliner for California where she will spend the winter.

Other summer guests in the Mason home included Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson of Lincoln, Nebr., over the July 4th weekend. Later in July Mrs. Mildred Black of Fulton, Mo., who was visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Clyce, was guest of honor at a luncheon given by Mrs. Mason in her home.

Others sharing the courtesies were Mesdames Marcella Kenderly, Elizabeth Blakeley, Ballon Clyce and Corine Miles.

Mrs. Nelson Guinn Visits in Kansas City

Mrs. Nelson Guinn and daughter, Louvella, 1274 Stewart, spent the week in Kansas City, Mo., as the houseguest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Malcolm, and in Kansas City, Kans., as houseguest of Mrs. Ethel Jackson.

Mrs. Guinn's husband motored to Kansas City Saturday morning, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. David Crane.

Saturday evening they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm, and had Sunday breakfast with Mrs. Jackson. They were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hawkins in Kansas City, Mo.

Announces Betrothal, Forthcoming Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cheatom, 1701 College avenue and Mr. Frank Western, 842 14th street, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Sharon Western, Kansas City, Mo., to Mr.



MISS WESTERN

John Anthony Nichols, Kansas City, Mo. He is the son of Mrs. Elizabeth Nichols of Pine Bluffs, Ark., and the late Mr. Peter Nichols.

Miss Western is a graduate of North high. She attended Drake university. She is employed as secretary to the Public Health Nurses director in Kansas City. Her fiancé is a graduate of St. Peters High school in Pine Bluffs and attended Smith College in Arkansas. He is employed in the Kansas City post office.

Cleveland Couple Feted with Open House

Mr. and Mrs. Oble Richardson and baby daughter of Cleveland, Ohio were guests of honor at an open house given by Mrs. Richardson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Wallace, 2724 Amick avenue, on Sunday afternoon from 1 to 4 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace were assisted by their youngest daughter, Pamela. The Richardsons are in Des Moines visiting their parents, and other relatives and friends.

Missouri Guests In Hawthorne Home

Mrs. Pauline Watson and daughter, Donna J., are in Des Moines as house guests of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hawthorne, Jr. and children, 1223 10th street.

The Robert Carsons Motor to Missouri

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carson and family, 1181 10th street, motored to Moberly, Mo., over the weekend to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. Essie Brewer Entertains at Brunch

Mrs. Essie Brewer, 1334 11th street, entertained at a brunch on Aug. 1, in honor of Mrs. Ethel Luten of Savannah, Ga., mother of Mrs. Betty Triplett, daughter-in-law of Mrs. Brewer.

Sharing the courtesies were Mesdames Chrystal Kennerly and daughter, Carole, Mary Dixon and Inez Strange.

thur Long is being staged this month in the air conditioned Playhouse. The play is a farce comedy about the mixed joys of middle-aged parenthood and was a Broadway hit for almost three years.

Opening performance will be Thursday, Aug. 19 at 8:30 p.m. The other performances, all at 8:30 p.m., will be on Friday and Saturday, Aug. 20-21 and on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Aug. 26-27-28.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis James Take Extended Tour of Scenic Northwest, West Coast; Visited Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Otis James, 1132 18th street, took an extended motor tour of the northwest through the Black Hills of the Dakotas, Yellow Stone National Park, Glacier National park and on to Seattle, Wash.

They spent six days in Seattle visiting Mrs. James' nieces and families, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Harvey and children and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kirkpatrick and daughter. They went sightseeing and made a weekend side trip to Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.

Return to Seattle they continued down the coastline to San Francisco, Calif., where they toured the city several days, before going on to Los Angeles.

In L.A. they spent 10 days visiting Mrs. James' brother, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil M. Morrow and family. They were entertained by Mrs. Morrow's brothers, Judge and Mrs. Thomas L. Griffith and Atty. Lloyd C. Griffith and by Mrs. James' nephews, Atty.

Heywood Brewer Family Vacation In Detroit

Mr. and Mrs. Heywood Brewer and children, Charlene, Pam, and David, motored to Detroit, Mich., where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Franklin, who is the sister and brother-in-law, of Mr. Brewer.

While there they were entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Miller, formerly of Des Moines; also, by Mrs. Blanche Fowler and children, cousins of Mr. Brewer.

Mr. and Mrs. Brewer and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin were entertained at the Bowladrome Lounge by Mr. Eugene Edwards of Los Angeles, Calif., cousins of Mr. Brewer and Mr. Franklin.

The Brewer children were guests of honor at a party at the home of Miss Louis Matlock, neighbor of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin.

Other highlights of their trip included a moonlight cruise to the isle of Bob-Lo in Canada.

Unity Circle Plans Informal Evening On Cottage Grove

Alice Foster and Marjorie E. W. Smith of Unity Circle assisted by Mrs. J. D. Hansen of the Evening Alliance, plan an informal evening of entertainment provided by friends this evening, (Thurs.) from 7 to 11 p.m.

From an illuminated 'stage' the Richard Boyt Family of near Grimes, will perform with unexpected surprises. The dynamic Castlegate Slinger will shake the stage in a modern beat. Rumor has it that the dramatics of Willkie House will appear also. Other performances are planned and expected.

Those attending will have an opportunity to contribute to the fund for buying materials for Unity Circle to make garments for Polk County Welfare.

Oregon Faily Visits In West Des Moines

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fair and children, Karen and Scott, of Portland, Oreg., have been guests two weeks in the home of her mother, Mrs. Muzette Perkins, 115 11th street in West Des Moines.

Mrs. Fair is the former Jacqueline Perkins. Mr. Perkins is a counselor in juvenile court in Portland.

While here they were entertained with a variety of activities by relatives and friends.

and Mrs. Dion Morrow and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Morrow, Jr.

They were also entertained by Rev. and Mrs. Herman Merriweather, and Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Jones. While in L.A. Mr. James had an opportunity to realize a lifelong desire and went to see the Dodgers play at Chavez-Ravine stadium.

Mrs. James is associated with Nutrilite Food Supplement Rehnberg Cosmetics in Des Moines and while in California, toured the plant in Buena Park. They visited many places of interest and visited with a lot of friends.

Enroute home the James spent two days in Las Vegas, Nev., the painted desert and petrified forest of New Mexico, Grand Canyon, and Hoover dam in Colorado and through Nebraska before arriving home. They left June 28 and returned home Aug. 1.

After several days Mr. and Mrs. James left for Minnesota on a fishing trip where they spent a week before returning home.

List Additional Guests For Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vaughn

The names of additional guests from out-of-town were unintentionally omitted from the list of those attending the wedding and reception of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vaughn. They are Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Joseph Sr., Mr. and Mrs. John Shipp, Jr., and Normal Walker of Ames, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Martin of Mason City, Ia., and Sgt. and Mrs. Cartwell Wilcotts of Sgt. Bluff, Ia.

Hostesses for the reception were Miss Linda Dixon, Miss Loretta Deering and Mrs. Angie Mandley.

Denver Visitors Are Guests at Picnic

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Thomas of Denver, Colo., who had been visiting in Des Moines returned home July 30 and received word of the death of his brother, Maury in Chicago, Ill. where he attended the funeral.

The Thomases were accompanied by Mrs. Isabella Dacus while here. They were entertained by relatives and friends. The social group of which they have been members for a number of years, enjoyed a picnic in Union park.

Mrs. Thomas' granddaughter, Nina Dee, of Minneapolis, Minn., was an interesting guest with her humor and style of modeling. She gave much pleasure to the group.

Others present were Mrs. Lucille Hamilton, Mr. G. W. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel McCowan, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Cropp and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen.

Mrs. Barbara Williams Presented in Recital At Drake Auditorium

Mrs. Barbara Williams, one of three candidates for the master of music education degree at Drake University, was presented in a recital Wednesday afternoon at the Drake auditorium.

Mrs. Williams, a Des Moines music teacher in the public schools, played piano selections from Beethoven, Brahms, Liszt, and Shostakovich. She lives with her husband and two children at 1189 10th street.

Toleda, Ia. Couple Entertained Here

Rev. Wayland Heath and family, 330 S.E. Creston avenue, were hosts to Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Zylstra of Toledo, Ia., and Sunday dinner. The visitors attended a musical at Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion church on Sunday evening, before returning home.



PARTY KABOB SANDWICHES
A teen-age hostess who serves these sandwiches made with pickles will hear raves from her guests. The idea comes from the National Pickle Packers Association who honors both teen-agers and pickles during National Pickle Week.

Mrs. Willa Mae O'Neal Surprised on Birthday

Atty. and Mrs. Robert Wright, 4517 Wakonda parkway, entertained Mrs. Wright's mother, Mrs. Willa Mae O'Neal at a surprised birthday party on Thursday evening, Aug. 5.

Sharing the courtesies were Mr. and Mrs. Rozenting Hardaway, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. William Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Ewing, Mrs. Laura Miller, Miss Rhoda Miller, Miss Anna Ruth Russell and Floyd Harvey.

The evening was spent playing cards. The honoree received many lovely gifts.

The Bow Knots Club Meets in W.D.M.

The Bow Knots club held its last meeting at the home of Mrs. Aurelia Rhodes, 111 11th street in West Des Moines. Next meeting will be Aug. 29 at 5 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rhone of 1711 University avenue.

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Mrs. Ethel Jeffers Vacations in Denver

Mrs. Ethel Jeffers, 1120 17th street, and her niece, Julie Oscars, left Monday evening for Denver, Colo., where they will spend a week visiting as the houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Shelton and granddaughter, Linda.

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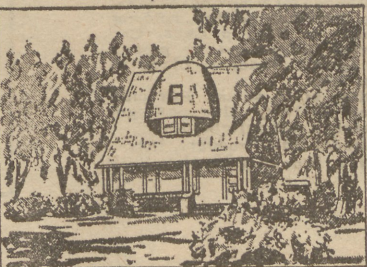
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When the 14th amendment to the constitution was adopted its sponsors proposed to place citizenship for the Negro on the same basis as white people. Prior to its adoption, neither Congress or state legislatures had dealt with Negroes as citizens. It was the infamous Dred Scott decision, holding that Negroes were not citizens that prompted leaders in Congress to finally decide that a constitutional amendment would be required.

The amendment was called Negro legislation. But as time went on corporations and individuals, other than Negroes, have made full use of the amendment in courts throughout the country.

The same thing is true of the 1964 civil rights law and state human rights laws. An example occurred in Chicago recently when a white union musician appealed to the Illinois Fair Employment Practice Commission to help secure a return of his job from which he had been replaced to hire a Negro. The commission reinstated him and awarded back pay.

So, like the corporations and other litigants who use the 14th amendment freely and successfully, so will white people use fair employment measures and other civil rights laws to protect their rights.

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A few weeks ago, a social worker and his family, en route to Golden, Colorado to take a job, stopped at a filling station (Jack's Skelly, 5628 Hickman) for service. While on the premises his wife attempted to use the rest room but was refused. The employee and manager used all kinds of subterfuges to deny use of the rest room that pointed only to an act of racial discrimination.

Naturally, he was mad, disgusted and disappointed at such treatment in "free Iowa" to quote from his letter. And naturally, Iowa people generally would not approve such treatment, particularly a visitor, who would not be here for court action.

By and large, public accommodation for Negroes is pretty free in Iowa. This is particularly true of the better places and larger cities. Frankly, the bystander was surprised and yet it must be remembered that there are race haters in the North and that there are many white people in the South who are not.

The bad part of such instances is that like a rotten apple which taints the whole barrel, so do such people give the state a bad name.

Home offices of oil companies and chain stores should instruct the dispensers of their products that they make a bad name for their companies by violating the civil rights of their customers.

VOTING LAW THE
HEART OF CIVIL RIGHTS

When President Johnson was majority leaders in the Senate, he promised to secure passage of a civil rights law emphasizing that the right to vote was the heart of civil rights; that if the right to vote was secured other features of civil rights would come. He kept his promise.

Ironically to President Johnson fell the responsibility of signing a law providing machinery to assure that Negroes could register and vote and in the same place where President Lincoln signed the Emancipation Proclamation. This was another example of men of good will, South as well as North, trying to make democracy work for all.

Here is an instance where Congress had to make the principle "the equal protection of the law" transcend states rights. Sure the law will permit some ignorant Negroes to vote. But as Attorney General Katzenbach said, officials have allowed ignorant white people to vote all along. This new

machinery simply puts both white and Negroes on the basis.

Those who have been denied the vote should exercise this privilege at every opportunity and help elect officials who will observe their oath of office—to uphold the constitution of the U. S. the state where they reside.



Thoughts on the all-star football game: Could the Browns have made it a bigger victory margin? Our guess is they could. They didn't exactly let down after their flying start but they just played more conservative football. It looked like they could have scored with nobody but Brown carrying the ball. We would like to have seen Gayle Sayers of Kansas get into the game. He probably would not have gotten away but we will never know.

There is some agitation for the ending of the game. The argument might make sense although they are motivated by the pro-clubs which don't like to take a chance on their draft choices being inspired. They put out from \$25,000 to \$100,000 for a guy to sign up with their club and the fellow jams a knee or breaks a leg in that game. Maybe never does get well enough to play again.

Then the game was originated as a money raising scheme for charities which was a great thing. The promoters thought the public might like to see some of the gridiron greats they had read about. This was before television. Well, the public did and for a number of years they picked the all-star team.

Then as time wore on and the professionals became bigger and better organized it became apparent that a team picked on the basis of popularity couldn't compete with the big pros. Too many small guys in the lineup. So in order to make it a contest the coaches and writers began to pick the college team.

The coaches went for size and speed. As they do today. But even then the organization of the pros was too much for the collegians. Given a huge line for defense and extraordinary passion, the college boys have won or made a good game of it for a while.

Now, football followers usually get to see all the stars they hear about on televised games.

The crowds which used to be capacity over 100,000 have now dropped to around 60,000, still a goodly crowd.

One suggestion has been for the Chicago Bears to play one of their exhibition games against say the Green Bay Packers and turn that money over to charity. But could the Bear game get the build up that the All-Star game gets. Maybe the people would support the game anyway since it is for charity. And 60,000 people averaging about eight dollars per person is still a lot of dough. What do you think?

Pro-Fight Debut

Joe Frazier, Olympic heavy-weight champion, is ready for his first professional fight on Aug. 16 in Philadelphia against Don Hobson of Norfolk, Va. Frazier said a broken thumb he suffered in Olympic final has fully healed.

Dodgers Willie Davis
Fastest in Majors

New York—"Willie Davis is the fastest man in baseball," says Los Angeles Dodger shortstop Maury Wills, in an article in the current issue of SPORT Magazine.

Wills, the major league's leading base-stealer and holder of the all-time record of 104 stolen bases in one season, feels that teammate Davis' power keeps him from running up a substantially higher theft total than the 42 bases the center-fielder stole last season.

"The Year I Stole 104," says Wills, "I got 170 singles. Willie doesn't get 170 singles. Out of 170 hits, he's gonna have 70 extra-base hits, and 100 singles. So that means I got 70 more times on first base. When he hits a double, he's already in scoring position. When he hits a triple, he's even closer. When he hits a homer he has no chance to steal at all. Then, too, the club doesn't want him wearing himself out.

"The only thing that holds Willie back is those extra-base hits," concludes Wills in the SPORT article. "Willie can handle just about any pitcher in the league if he wants to buckle down to stealing bases. But he's gotta take it a little easier. He can't exert himself as much as I can. I gotta do this to help the club. He helps the club more with his bat!"

Insurance President

H. A. Gilliam, vice president of Universal Life Insurance Company, Memphis, began his term as president of the National Insurance Association with an appeal for better internal coordination among member companies, and a proposal to create a special commission to aid companies needing help.

Gilliam was elected to a one year term at the New York convention of the 45-year old, 45 member association of Negro managed life insurance companies. Three hundred fifty delegates and an additional 100 wives and children attended the four day meeting at the Roosevelt Hotel.

The new president is agency director for Universal.

Promotes Two Sales
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Pittsburgh, Pa.—Two Gulf Oil Corporation sales trainees recently were promoted to sales representative. George S. Hackney, a native of Cleveland and a former Gulf dealer there, calls on 29 retail accounts in Cleveland. Jay A. Hendricks, born in Baltimore, advises and assists 25 Gulf service station dealers in the Washington, D. C. area.

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What they are trying to say
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It's only their way

President

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Mississippi suit, he said "this will begin the legal process which, I confidently believe, will very soon prohibit any state from requiring the payment of money in order to vote."

Registering
By next week, he said, federal officials will be at work in the south, registering Negroes who have been kept from the polling place.

A statue of Abraham Lincoln was beside the rostrum from which Mr. Johnson spoke. Mr. Johnson's cabinet was on hand, as was Lincoln's when he went to the same room 104

Jerk loose your evil ways
Look forward to the future
And to much better days
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Acting much better, than sister and brother
Maybe it has taken this, madness you say
To help Mother and Father to find the way
By Frederic Harris

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Mr. Johnson gave pens, too, to Dr. Martin Luther King and other civil rights leaders.
Mr. Johnson addressed part of his speech to American Negroes: "You must register. You must vote. And you must learn, so your choice advances your interest and the interest of the nation."

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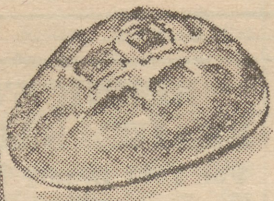
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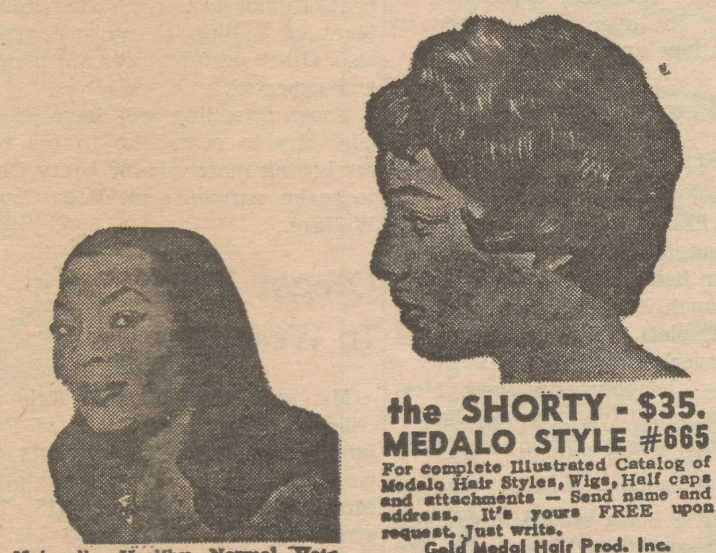


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