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Selects Sites for Two New Schools

Singleton Slays His Mother and Wife

Friends and Neighbors Express
Shock After Double Stabbings

The wife and mother of a Des Moines Sunday school teacher were found stabbed to death Thursday, March 25, in their separate homes.

Orville Singleton, 22, son of one victim and husband of another was charged with both counts of murder.

He suffered knife wounds (apparently self-inflicted), second-degree burns and smoke inhalation.

The victims, who may have been slain 36 hours apart were identified as Singleton's wife of three months, Marice, 22, and his mother, Mrs. Bertha Singleton, 51.

The entire family was described as attending church regularly and as having sung in Kyles A.M.E. Church Choir.

"Mrs. Singleton was a wonderful mother," said Mrs. William Robinson of 1418 18th St., who lives across the street from Singleton's parents, "she'd do anything for her children, and Orville seemed to be crazy about her. I just can't believe this has happened."

Mrs. Bertha Singleton, stabbed once in the left side of the chest, was found dead in the kitchen of her home, at 1419 18th St., about 3:30 p.m. by firemen answering a call at that address.

The body of Orville's wife Marice, was found in the bedroom of her apartment seven blocks away at building 7, apartment 7, 1401 Center St., in the Oakridge Housing area.

She had been stabbed six times in the chest and once in the lower abdomen authorities said.

Dr. Robert J. Connair Polk County medical examiner, said both women had died of stab wounds.

He said the younger Mrs. Singleton apparently had been dead since about 2:00 a.m. Wednesday.

The elder Mrs. Singleton died about 2:00 p.m. Thursday.

After questioning Singleton Police Detective Lt. Raymond Steiner felt that Singleton had been in his apartment where his wife's body was found,



since Tuesday night.

Mrs. Robinson, the older Singleton's neighbor said she noticed Orville Singleton outside the parents home shortly before noon Tuesday.

The Singleton frame home was on fire when another son, Glean, 12, a student at Nash Elementary School returned home about 3:20 p.m.

"I came in the back way and couldn't get in because of smoke, so I went to a neighbor's house and called the Fire Department," Glean said.

District Fire Chief, Arthur Daniels said the fire caused \$5,000 damage to the homes contents. The cause of the blaze was not known.

The bodies of the two women were taken to Hammit-Robinson Funeral Home.

Singleton was a 1967 graduate of Tech High School and his wife attended East High School.

Mrs. Elaine Peavy, wife of Rev. Oscar Peavy, pastor of the Singleton's church said, "We're all just shocked."

SUBVERSIVE. . . . TO PETITION YOUR GOVERNMENT?

PRESIDENT JOHNSON STATED IN HIS MEMORABLE CIVIL RIGHTS ADDRESS TO A JOINT SESSION OF CONGRESS ON MARCH 15, 1965, "THE TIME OF JUSTICE HAS COME NOW. NO FORCE CAN TURN IT BACK."



SCLC's Abernathy Praises Three D.M. Renters Nevada County Decision

ATLANTA, GA. — Dr. Ralph David Abernathy, Pres., Southern Christian Leadership Conference, applauded the Nevada United States District Court for its decision, charging the state with "running roughshod over the constitutional rights" of welfare recipients.

Dr. Abernathy and the SCLC has joined forces with the National Welfare Rights Organization in a cooperative Spring offensive, "the War Against Repression." The ruling came after weeks of protest and demonstrations organized by the two organizations as a launching of the Spring Campaign.

Dr. Abernathy has pledged the unrelenting support of the SCLC to the poor people of Nevada — whose plight only typifies the situation of the poor all over the country and gives cause for SCLC's national call for a "War Against Repression."

Dr. Abernathy said, "We are going to have a showdown right here in the Wild West."

Charged In Bias Suit

Charges were filed against three white men for discrimination in renting an apartment to two blacks.

The lawsuit involves complaints by William Turner and Clifton Slaughter, both black, claiming Voltaire (Frenchy) Sevecaut, son, Voltaire Sevecaut and Tom Bloomquist refused to rent them an apartment at Seventeenth St.

The suit was filed by the Des Moines Human Rights Commission after an investigation.

Teachers 'No' On Tax Question

Property taxes should not continue to be the primary source of revenue for schools in Iowa, according to a sampling of Iowa's teachers.

This was the opinion of 74 percent of almost 1,500 teachers who returned a questionnaire in a recent issue of the Educational Bulletin, published by the Information and Publications Section of the State Department of Public Instruction.

Comm. College Sponsors Open House

ANKENY: Paul Lowery, superintendent of Des Moines Area Community College announces that a student-sponsored open house is scheduled for Sunday, April 18 on the Ankeny campus and at the West Des Moines attendance center.

Hours will be from 1 to 5 p.m. The general public is invited.

The Ankeny campus, located on Highway 69-west of the 1.35 Ankeny industrial exit and north of I. 80—now has 10 buildings in operation. All will be open to visitors.

By Caroline Pokrzywinski
News Editor

The Des Moines School Board unanimously approved two construction sites for the new Bird-Grant and Nash Kirkwood elementary schools at Tuesday's board meeting.

The Bird-Grant site is bounded by Fifteenth and Seventeenth Streets, from School to Crocker.

The new Nash-Kirkwood site is from Seventeenth to Nineteenth, Clark St. to Forest Avenue.

Community residents from the school's attendance areas and the Charette Steering Committee had earlier chosen and approved the sites recommended to the school board.

The Charette is a unique process of involving the community in actual site location and planning of the two new schools.

Under the Charette process, the Des Moines School Board has the option to accept or reject recommendations made by the Charette.

Meeting Opened to Floor After the meeting was opened to the floor Mrs. Hamilton from the 1969 School Bond Committee read a statement in support of a one educational park instead of two schools. She said that with a magnet school there would be a better "racial mix."

Mrs. Hamilton asked for a postponement of the Board's site approval. Virgil Robinson, chairman of the Charette steering Committee spoke against an educational park.

"We have been promised by Urban Renewal and Model Cities that this area would be highly developed. This is the hope to try to keep us in the area," he said. Josephine Jones, an inner-city resident, said that in the 42 years she lived in the inner-city there has never been a new school.

The board room was packed with about 100 area residents and steering committee members.

Opposition to Sites More opposition to the

site selection came from Kirkwood School area resident, Ann Hostel.

"We residents oppose the site locations because they are not centrally located or racially balanced," she said.

The school board then asked to meet with the Charette Steering Committee Thursday, April 1 and postpone site approval.

Earl Hutchinson, steering committee member, said that he was not concerned with racial balance. "There is no way to avoid a predominantly black school."

Hutchinson said that he just wants a school where the black children will receive a good education and be able to compete with children from white schools.

"As far as I'm concerned you can pitch a tent over the freeway," he added.

'A Disgrace'

Rev. Peavy, Kyles A.M.E. Church, addressed the board by saying "You have taken all the schools out of the inner-city and I hate to see you not put the schools back."

Peavy said that inner-city children needed decent schools and decent teachers. "It's a disgrace," he said.

The school board then commended members of the steering committee for the good job they did selecting sites.

It was moved and seconded that the board accept the steering committees request that the sites be approved and cancel the Thursday meeting proposed earlier.

When a few of the board members were interviewed after the meeting and asked why they didn't attend community meetings pertaining to site locations they said that they felt they would be imposing and restricting of open discussion.

The Des Moines Charette will begin April 12. All community members are asked to participate.

NAACP Suit Attacks Zoning On Suburbia As Racially Biased

NEW YORK — The affluent suburban town of Oyster Bay, and various of its town officials, have been charged with maintaining policies which "sanction, authorize and encourage discrimination" in housing and land-use.

The charges were made in a suit filed March 24 in the U. S. District Court for the Eastern District of N. Y. by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People on behalf of the Fair Housing Development Fund Corporation (of Glen Cove) and others.

Racial Restrictions

The action seeks to enjoin the defendants from pursuing policies which restrict or deny residential opportunities to individuals because of their race or low economic status.

Oyster Bay is one of three towns located in Nassau County which borders on New York City. It has a population of 362,000, of which approximately 3,000 are black. The town zoning ordinance requires most single-family housing to be constructed on one- or two-acre lots.

During a March 25 press conference announcing the filing of the suit, NAACP Executive Director Roy Wilkins stated that a person must earn a minimum of \$17,000 per year to afford a private home in Oyster Bay. That limitation discriminates against all poor people, whether they be black or white, he said.

The filing of the suit took place 15 months after the NAACP first announced a nationwide drive against re-

structive zoning. During this period, numerous attempts were made to get Oyster Bay to change its zoning regulations voluntarily. The attempts failed.

This suit is a class action and is considered the most significant of any to date because it is broad enough to cover suburbs anywhere in the country. "We are in this for the duration," Mr. Wilkins stated, "with every intention of pursuing the case to the U. S. Supreme Court, if necessary."

Bye-bye, Blackbird

Mr. Wilkins said that suburbs are soliciting industries to help their tax structures while tightening their land-use policies. "We don't believe that America can shift from urban centers to the suburbs, take industry along with it, and then say, 'Bye-bye, blackbird.'"

The NAACP initiated the action on behalf of the Fair Housing Development Corporation, sponsored by the Glen Cove Branch. The National Committee Against Discrimination in Housing is participating in the action.

Also participating in the press conference were NAACP General Counsel Nathaniel R. Jones, NAACP Housing Director William R. Morris, Glen Cove Branch President James Davis and NCDH Co-Director Jack Wood. Attorneys for the NAACP include Mr. Jones, Norman Johnson and James I. Meyerson. Richard F. Bellman is representing NCDH.

URBAN LEAGUE Forms Young Memorial

The National Urban League announced the formation of a Whitney M. Young, Jr., Memorial Fund, to provide a channel for persons desiring to honor Mr. Young's memory and his life's work.

This special Fund has been created at the request of Mr. Young's family, who had earlier urged that contributions be sent to the Urban League in lieu of flowers or other such remembrances, in keeping with Mr. Young's own written instructions.

Authorized Memorial

Contributions to the Whitney M. Young, Jr., Memorial Fund will be used to support the programs and work initiated by Mr. Young through the Urban League. This Fund is the only memorial vehicle authorized by Mr. Young's family and by the Urban League.

In keeping with the impact

Mr. Young made on people from all walks of life, special memorial contributions have been received by the Urban League from major corporations, memorial services, church collections and small sums from individuals and poor people to whom Mr. Young devoted his life. Typical of the great outpouring of grass-roots support was a letter from a sixth-grade class of a public school in New York's Chinatown, which enclosed a check for \$11 "in memory of the late Whitney M. Young, Jr., to continue the work of the Urban League."

In a letter to Mrs. Young, accompanying his company's memorial contribution to the National Urban League, Donald M. Kendall, President of PepsiCo, Inc., wrote:

"The total of this check represents double the con-

tribution made by PepsiCo, Inc., last year. We only hope that many of Whitney's friends, and other corporations, will follow suit."

Harold R. Sims, Acting Executive Director of the National Urban League, stated that "the monies already received from concerned individuals in the past weeks honoring Mr. Young, will be placed in this special Memorial Fund."

Support Projects

This money will be used to support those vitally important projects that were closest to his heart, and to enable the Urban League to carry on his important work."

"I call on all Americans who desire to demonstrate their respect and appreciation for Whitney Young," he added, "to avail themselves of this opportunity to express their support for his goals. This Memorial Fund will

NAACP: Probe Cal. Job-Bias

SACRAMENTO, Calif. — Employment practices of the state government of California are more biased racially than those of any other state government, Leonard Carter, West Coast regional director of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, charged in a petition filed with both houses of the State Legislature "on behalf of California's 1,500,000 black citizens."

The petition was presented to the Speaker of the House and the President pro-tem of the Senate in the name of the NAACP.

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Howard U Alums Meet



Dr. James E. Cheek, 15th President of Howard University discusses the new innovations and future plans for expansion of the University with William H. Toles, of ITT Continental Baking Co. Dr. Edmund W. Gordon of Columbia University also took part in the discussion. The occasion was the Annual Charter Day Celebration of the Howard University Alumni Club of N.Y.C.

Left to Right: Dr. Edmund W. Gordon, Dr. James E. Cheek and William H. Toles, Howard Alumnus.

Ethiopian Broadcaster In D. M.

Mrs. Rahel Makuria from Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, arrived in Des Moines on Tuesday, March 30, as the guest of the Hawkeye-Iowa Chapter of American Women in Radio and Television.

According to Fran Reese of Fran Reese Public Relations, Des Moines, a full schedule of activities has been planned for Mrs. Makuria.

Wednesday, she toured KDIN; Thursday, she met Governor Ray, toured the state complex and was introduced to the legislature, visited the Des Moines Art Center and Science Museum; Friday, she toured WOI at Ames. Introduction to community leaders was at an Open House by Mary Brubaker, 612-44th Street. Mrs. Brubaker is a Des Moines broadcaster.

Rahel Makuria is one of five women broadcasters from Ethiopia, Kuwait, Upper Volta, the Philippines and Nigeria, who are visiting the United States on a 45-day tour as guests of the Educational Foundation of AWRT. The eight-year-old program, carried out in cooperation with the U.S. Department of State, provides an opportunity for women broadcasters



Mrs. Rahel Makuria Acting Head, Educational TV Mass Media Center Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.

from abroad to observe the American system of broadcasting and to exchange ideas with American women in similar professions.

The five foreign broadcasters will attend the AWRT

annual convention in Washington, D.C. April 28-May 2. The Educational Foundation of AWRT conducts the only seminars expressly for women in the broadcast industry.

progress and hope."

— **YOUNG ADULTS** Workers aged 25 to 34: Accounting for nearly half of the total labor force growth in the 70s, they can bring to industry "those qualities that traditionally have been associated with the success of the American free enterprise system: creativeness, vitality, drive and a sense of individual worth."

"Given the fact that this generation of 25-34 year olds is better educated than past generations, we can expect an escalation of alienation as their group grows older — unless expectations are met."

Industry's opportunity to tap — and keep — the talents and energy of this group "will depend on sensitivity to their hopes and creativeness in dealing with them."

— **WOMEN:** The number of working women in 1980 will be double the 1950 figure and, if recent trends continue, the job

Houston EEOC Is Continuing Job Discrimination Attack

The EEOC Houston Task Force continues its attack on job discrimination against blacks, Chicanos, and women, according to a progress report announced by William H. Brown III, Chairman of the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

The Task Force was established in June 1970 after hearings in Houston revealed widespread employment discrimination by the area's major employers and labor unions.

Chairman Brown stated: I pledged in June that the Commission would use its powers to their fullest extent to eradicate unlawful job discrimination in Houston. That was

no hollow promise. Whenever a firm or union has refused to cooperate with the Commission, we have gone into court or assisted the charging parties in litigation. This is going to continue in every case where we find discrimination. The Commission is prevented by law from revealing the names of companies, unions, or charging parties until a case goes into court. Court actions charging unlawful discrimination have been filed against Armo Steel Corp., Stauffer Chemical Co., Bayport Fabricating Inc., and Houston Lighting and Power Co. Because the Commission cannot go into

court itself, these cases were filed by charging parties and the Commission will file a brief as a friend of the court.

Some Houston firms have cooperated with the Commission. A settlement is near completion with three major companies. For the most part, however, those charged with discrimination have not voluntarily complied with the law.

Where Federal contractors do not voluntarily comply with the law, the Commission will refer those cases to the Office of Federal Contract Compliance. OFCC has the ultimate power to cancel the firms' Federal contracts.

Anti-Bias Group Marks Decade Third

The National Committee against Discrimination in Housing (NCDH) will mark the beginning of the third decade in its drive for open housing and open communities at its 20th Anniversary Dinner, scheduled March 31 in the Plaza Hotel, New York City.

Vernon E. Jordan, Jr., executive director, United Negro College Fund, and David Rockefeller, chairman of the Chase Manhattan Bank, are co-chairmen of the observance at which NCDH will honor the late Walter P. Reuther and Dr. Frank S. Horne, who is NCDH honorary chairman.

"Democracy in Housing" The dinner's purpose is participation of married women with children will increase sharply.

"In terms of contributions to family income, industry, the economy and perhaps even to the solving of our most complex world problems, these women have an unused potential that is impossible to measure.

Industry can't continue "to take the position that some jobs — or seats on the board of directors — are the sole property of men. Not only will Women's Lib object, but industry is shortchanging its own talent supply and its prospective markets."

— **OLDER WORKERS** (aged 45 to 64): This group will grow up by about 150,000 workers a year — a sizable number that can "manageably" be dealt with. The Nation had better be prepared to utilize them "because most feel too young to retire."

At work, the older employee is "hit hard by the gap between expectations and benefits . . . a worker's dissatisfaction with his lifestyle finds expression in workplace conduct that lowers productivity and raises employer costs."

— **TEENAGERS:** The slowed growth rate of the teenage work force in the 1970s "is another reason for optimism." It means that the high youth unemployment rates of the past decade "may yield somewhat simply because of the slowed growth rate."

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Extend OEO Funding Says NAACP

WASHINGTON — The NAACP and the Leadership Conference on Civil Rights have called upon the Senate to extend for two additional years the authorization of appropriations under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964.

In testimony before the Senate Subcommittee on Employment, Manpower and Poverty, March 24, Clarence Mitchell, on behalf of the two organizations, urged enactment of legislation insuring continuance of the OEO programs.

"The programs that fund

and jobs for Negroes and Puerto Ricans in the Tri-State New York Metropolitan Region; and a San Francisco Bay area demonstration project dealing with minority access to housing, jobs, and related aspects of employment, as well as related economic and social institutions. The demonstration is being undertaken jointly with the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

NCDH maintains its national headquarters in New York City, a western regional office in San Francisco, a Washington D.C. office, and a two-year pilot program in Raleigh, N.C.

Robert L. Carter, New York attorney and authority on constitutional law, is president of NCDH; D. John Heyman, president of the New York Foundation, chairman of the board; and Edward Rutledge and Jack E. Wood, Jr., chief executive officers.

tion under the Economic Opportunity Act have had a tremendous and constructive impact on American life," Mr. Mitchell said. "Figures...show that approximately 48 per cent of the total program funds are spent for what is described as 'programming for Black Americans.'"

He said that "any unfriendly or disruptive action (against these programs) inevitably will be characterized as action against minority groups."

Mr. Mitchell specifically asked that none of the functions of OEO be terminated or transferred to other agencies, and that clear guidelines be developed under which experimental programs are funded or under which funds are withdrawn.

Small Companies Research Program

A program of research and development is being conducted by Pennsylvania State University in cooperation with small firms and industries to solve problems.

Called SIR (Small Industries Research), the program provides a mechanism for inter-action and cooperation among company management and university faculty and graduate students.

SIR-sponsored research and development are brought to bear on problems confronting a company or industry or on opportunities offering substantial technical and economic benefits. Through this program university faculty and students work on research suggested by industry and supported by university and company funds.

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Many Black Teachers Cut OIC Receives Tribute Isaac Hayes Establishes Philanthropic Foundation

WASHINGTON, D.C.—The National Education Association proposed legal machinery aimed at eliminating the spread of racial discrimination among Southern school faculties in the wake of a disclosure that over 5,000 white teachers and administrators were hired while more than 1,000 black educators were dropped over a three-year period.

Equipped with statistics from the federal government indicating that school desegregation has resulted in substantial cutbacks of black teachers and principals, the NEA filed a friend-of-the-court brief in the U.S. Justice Department's desegregation suit against the State of Georgia.

Black Teachers Dropped
According to data presented by the NEA, black educators—a total of 1,040 since 1968—had been dropped in more than half of the school systems reporting from Alabama, Georgia, Florida, Louisiana, and Mississippi. In Texas, where less than a third of the districts reported, figures disclose that the count of black educators was reduced by 32, while white teachers increased by 1,383.

In the brief filed in the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans, the NEA seeks extensive changes in the controversial "Singleton decree" in an attempt to protect black edu-

cators from being phased out.

Require School districts to actively recruit black teachers and administrators.

"In our view, Singleton leaves to the school districts too much discretion in terminating and demoting teachers pursuant to reductions in force," the brief states.

The brief urges that the court make seniority the standard in such cases. It also suggests that the court require school districts to replace educators terminated or demoted for other reasons with a person of the same race.

Extend Singleton Decree
In addition, the brief urges extension of the Singleton decree to cover hiring, promotion, demotion, and all decisions regarding employment and dismissal of faculty.

The NEA also calls for the court to place the burden on the school district to prove that it did not discriminate where the racial ratio in hiring or promoting black educators fails to approximate that of 1965-66.

Further, the brief asks the court to require school districts to adopt reviewable standards and procedures for evaluating applicants, to actively recruit black educators, and to file reports with the courts.

According to the Singleton decree, issued by the court in 1969, school systems must apply "reasonable, objective, and non-discriminatory standards" when faced with staff reductions caused by school desegregation.

In its brief, the NEA presents statistics based on data from the U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare (HEW) to show that the Singleton decree has not halted elimination of blacks from the teaching profession in the South.

The NEA action is significant in that it seeks a circuit-wide strengthening of the rules to remedy the black teacher displacement problem.

First Time—HEW Data
The figures represent the first use before the court of data collected by HEW as reported by the individual school districts.

In Florida, while there was a statewide numerical increase of black teachers, 18 counties showed substantial decreases, and in a majority of counties, black principals suffered losses. White teachers enjoyed increases in every state but Mississippi, the NEA brief states. The Mississippi decrease coincides with a drop in white students' enrollment because of the growth of white, private academies.

The NEA brief states HEW figures disclose that Georgia has surpassed all other states in the Fifth Circuit in displacing black educators. One of the primary causes of dis-

crimination against black educators, the NEA brief stresses, is the insufficiency of the Singleton decree. The NEA brief charges that the decree is inadequate because it places too great a burden on black educators to litigate discriminatory practices by school districts and does not:

- Provide workable safeguards against racial discrimination in terminations and demotions other than reductions in force.
- Protect black educators against racial discrimination in hiring and promotion procedures.

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From B.F. Goodrich

AKRON—A rubber industry leader has described Opportunities Industrialization Centers as "an additional open door through which minority group employees can advance toward their goals."

Harry B. Warner, president of The B.F. Goodrich Company, paid this tribute to OIC in a newly published pamphlet which outlines a case history of the cooperative relationship between OIC and B.F. Goodrich.

When BFG initiated a new program in 1969 to develop more managers from minority groups, the company turned to Progress Management and Economic Development (PMED), an outgrowth of the Opportunities Industrialization Centers of America, Warner said.

"OIC has done an outstanding job in training Negroes and other minority group members to take their rightful places in our economic system," Warner said. "Our company's experience with the OIC indicates that OIC's reputation is justified by its

practical and worthwhile methods. In our case, OIC programs equipped trainees with the skills necessary to handle supervisory jobs in a BFG retail store capacity."

Such training can lead to a retail store manager position in a relatively short period, Warner said. Through the program, he added, BFG was able to contact minority group applicants with the precise job qualifications it sought.

Warner, who has served as a member of the National OIC Industrial Advisory Council since early 1970, said that BFG has emphasized for many years that discriminatory practices would not be tolerated in hiring, placement or advancement. "The cooperation of OIC and its founder and chairman, the Reverend Leon H. Sullivan, resulted in special OIC programs which met the company's needs and stimulated further progress in all areas relative to its minority advancement program," Warner added.

The Hayes Foundation, a non-profit, tax-exempt organization which will engage in philanthropic pursuits, has been established by Isaac Hayes, the recording artist and composer.

Created to "alleviate suffering wherever and whenever possible," according to Mr. Hayes, the Foundation plans to initiate programs itself and will aid existing projects it deems worthy of support.

Julian Bond and Others
The Hayes Foundation Board of Directors are: Georgia State Representative, Julian Bond; National Director of SCLC's Operation Breadbasket, Rev. Jesse Jackson; Ron Altman, Certified Public Accountant; Odell Horton, President of LeMoyn College, and Isaac Hayes.

The organization's activities will be financed partially by portions of proceeds of concerts performed by Mr. Hayes and other entertainers. Funds will also be sought through grants from Federal, state and local governments.



ISAAC HAYES AND VINCENT DE FRANK

Senior Citizens Home
The foundation has selected as its initial project the construction of a home for senior citizens in Memphis, where the organization has its headquarters, to replace a building destroyed by fire several months ago.

A fund-raising drive to fi-

nance the structure will be launched with Mr. Hayes' appearance as guest soloist with the Memphis Symphony Orchestra on April 3rd at the Mid-South Coliseum in Memphis. In which all of his proceeds will be donated to

the building fund. According to Mr. Hayes, the Foundation, which is chartered by the State of New York, is at present seeking a suitable site on which to build the home, which is as yet unnamed.

Northwestern Bell Telephone Will Install It's Four-Millionth

Northwestern Bell Telephone Company will install its four millionth telephone

in state government employment and a percentage decrease in blacks employed by state government has occurred despite the 1970 census showing an increase in the black population of the State of California of 516,282 from 1960 to 1970," the NAACP official said.

next week somewhere in Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, North or South Dakota, the states in which it provides telephone service.

The company has no way of knowing which particular phone will be number four million because installations go on simultaneously throughout the five states.

On January 1 of this year the company had 3,956,782

telephones in service. Iowa accounted for 1,135,261 phones.

"What is most significant about this milestone is the rapid increase in recent years," Thomas S. Nurnberger, Company president, said. "From the time the telephone was invented in 1876, it took 80 years to reach half of today's total and only 15 years for the second two million."

Dr. Williamson Leaves Veterans Hospital Post



DR. S.J. WILLIAMSON, JR.

Dr. S. J. Williamson, Jr., psychologist at the Des Moines Veterans Administration Hospital for the past 22 years, and Chief of the Psychology Service since 1963, will be leaving that post to accept a similar position at the VA Hospital, Buffalo, New York.

During his tour of duty in Des Moines, Dr. Williamson was Adjunct Professor of Psychology at Iowa State University and Drake University and lecturer for the University College at Drake. He received his Ph.D. from the University of Iowa in 1948 after serving in the U.S. Naval Reserve.

Black Georgian Is Market Specialist For Coca-Cola USA

ATLANTA, GEORGIA.—Edward (Ed) Washington has joined the Market Development Department of Coca-Cola USA as a marketing specialist. The announcement was made today by Harold Hamilton, acting manager, Market Development.

In his new position, Mr. Washington will be responsible for increasing and developing both consumer communications and marketing programs for Coca-Cola and the Company's allied products.

Washington was formerly with the Fountain Sales Department of the Company. He served as a special markets manager, working with schools, colleges and the military market in Los Angeles, California. Prior to that, he served as territory manager for the department in that area.

A graduate of Virginia



EDWARD WASHINGTON

State College, Petersburg, Va., he received his B. S. in Psychology, and attended U. C. L. A. Graduate School. In addition, he studied under the MBA program at the University of Southern California.

Lamont Lovelady Selected For Conference On Youth

Lamont Lovelady was first recruited by the A.I.C. Office on May 1, 1970.

At that time he was like so many young men of today, out of work, looking for a job, but not knowing what he wanted to do. After discussing the different opportunities that were available with Merle Staley, A.I.C.'s Director, Lamont decided to try and enter the Plumber's Apprenticeship Program.

Lamont was in and out of the office during the next 3 months inquiring about the Plumber's Program and wasn't until September that he received word that he had been selected, and was to go to work soon as a Plumber Apprentice.

In November word was received about nominations being taken for the President's White House Conference on Youth that was to be held sometime the following year.

The State Nominating Committee would except and screen 200 nominations to get 20 recommendations from the state of Iowa. Out of these 20 the White House would select a minimum of 5 to attend, and possibly a few more than 5. Knowing that Lamont would make an exceptional candidate, the Iowa Employment Service submitted his name and was told right away that his chances of being selected were extremely slim.

Two weeks later he got word that he was one of the 20 recommended to attend the conference. "We didn't hear anymore about the final selections until March 15, 1971 when we learned that Lamont was

one of those chosen to attend the Conference and was slated to leave for Washington, D.C. sometime in April."

An appropriate ending to this story would be to add something about the young man chosen to go. Lamont Lovelady has been a native Iowan all his life and has spent much of his adult life in Des Moines.

He has been quite active in the field of boxing the past few years, and is considered by many to be the best boxing talent Iowa has produced lately. He has been a three time state Golden Gloves champion, as well as a National Runner-up in 1969. This year he is again the state 156 pound champion, and leaves for Texas soon where he will again fight in the Nationals.

1040 U.S. Individual Income Tax Return Taxpayers Ask IRS

This column of questions and answers on federal tax matters is provided by the local office of the U.S. Internal Revenue Service and is published as a public service to taxpayers. The column answers questions most frequently asked by taxpayers.

Q) Five of us are in a car pool and drive to work every day, alternating the driving each week. Can we deduct some of the automotive costs?

A) No. The cost of repairs, gas and similar items incurred in connection with an auto used to and from work are personal expenses and, therefore, not deductible.

Q) Does the income tax surcharge apply to income earned during the second half of 1970?

A) Yes. The tax law, as amended by the Tax Reform Act of 1969, imposes a 2½ percent surcharge for all of 1970. Thus, tax on income earned by a calendar year taxpayer anytime during the year is subject to the surcharge. The tables in the back of your tax form package should be used for computing the surcharge if your income tax is under \$2,020. For a tax of \$2,020 or more, multiply your tax by 2½ percent to determine the surcharge.

Q) After accounting to my employer for the expenses incurred in using my car for

business, he reimbursed me 10 cents a mile for my travel expenses. Since the IRS allows a standard mileage rate of 12 cents a mile for the first 15,000 miles of business use, can I deduct the difference?

A) Yes. But be sure to keep records substantiating your business mileage.

Q) If I seek outside help with my tax return, should I give my tax preparer the tax forms package I received in the mail?

A) Yes. Also, make sure the return you prepare completes for you to file with IRS has the blue pre-addressed label that came with your tax forms package on it. Use of the label, which should be peeled off the front of the tax package and placed in the box at the top of the 1040 form you file, will help eliminate errors in name and Social Security number. Any corrections that are necessary should be made right on the label itself.

Q) I earned almost \$20,000 last year. Will the IRS still compute my tax for me?

A) Yes. The percentage of Negroes employed by the state has decreased by 3 per cent since 1966 while overall state employment increased by 3 per cent. Mr. Carter charged. He cited in support of this charge an "unpublished and previously secret" study of government employment statistics.

A) The "Tax Guide for Small Business," Publication 334, is designed to answer many of the questions a businessman might have about filing income, excise and employment tax returns. For your individual income tax return, "Your Federal Income Tax," Publication 17, should prove helpful. Both publications are available for 75 cents each from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402. In addition, both booklets contain a list of other helpful tax publications available free from the IRS.

Q) I have been doing the bookkeeping and accounting work for my own business. Are there any IRS publications that can help me figure out my taxes?

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In the District Court of the
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Probate No. 63604

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Harry T. Bell, Jr.
Deceased.

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF

Harry T. Bell, Jr. Deceased.

You are hereby notified that

on the 23rd day of March, 1971,

the last will and testament of

Harry T. Bell, Jr. deceased

bearing date of the 19th day

of March, 1971, was admitted

to probate in the above named

court and that Betty M. Allen,

Waterloo, Iowa, was appointed

executor of said estate.

Notice is further given that

any action to set aside said

will must be brought in the dis-

trict court of said county with-

in one year from the date of

the second publication of this

notice, or thereafter be forever

barred.

Notice is further 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

undersigned, or otherwise

allowed or paid, shall there-
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Dated this 23rd day of March,

1971.

BETTY M. ALLEN

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Waterloo, Iowa 50703

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Mrs. Mable Dant

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for the cards, food and other expressions of kindness; Rev. Henderson Davis and Father Jacobs; persons who donated their autos at the time of the James A. Bailey funeral.

The Bailey Family

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mrs. Australia Walden wishes to express their appreciation to Rev. Henderson Davis, Rev. Grady, and Rev. Dickerson, St. Paul Church, pallbearers, choir, L. Fowler Funeral Home for their many kindnesses at the time of our recent bereavement.

We also wish to thank those who sent cards, flowers, telegrams and contributions to the memorial fund.

SHERIFF'S SALE

No. Tr. 53630

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VS

Charles E. Buch dba Metro

Engineering Company, Defendant

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Transcript execution, to me

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District Court of Polk County,

Iowa, against the goods, chat-

tels, lands, tenements, etc., of

Charles E. Buch dba Metro

Engineering Company de-

fendant in favor of Fred

C. Ash dba Ash Tool and

Stamping Company Plaintiff,

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est and best bidder, for cash,

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April, 1971, between the hours of

9 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock

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thereof within three days from

the day of service hereof, one

will be appointed by the Sheriff

of Polk County, Iowa.

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hour of 10 o'clock, A.M. of

said day.

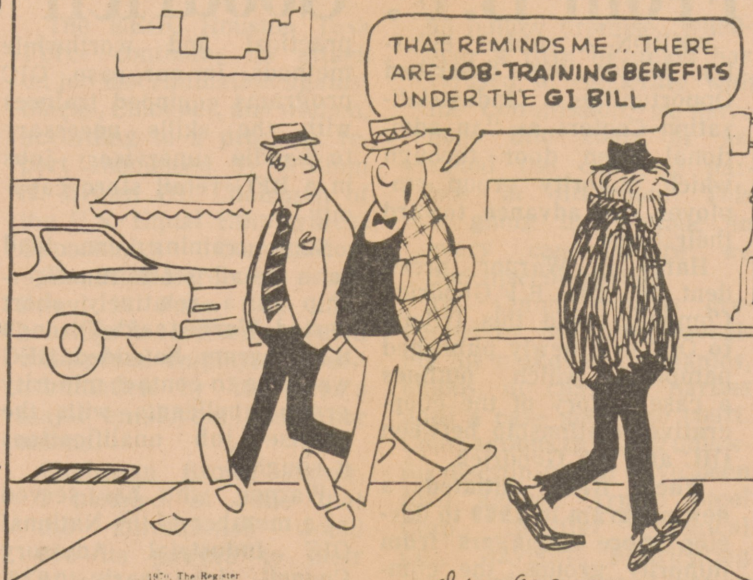
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Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa

So says the VA... by Dave Gerard



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By Nadine Hall

Deputy

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NOTICE OF AMENDMENT

TO ARTICLES OF

INCORPORATION OF DIAL

FINANCE COMPANY OF IOWA

Take notice that an amend-

ment to the Articles of In-

corporation of Dial Finance

Company of Iowa, an Iowa

corporation, was filed with

the Secretary of State of

Iowa on January 19, 1971, chang-

ing Article II to read as fol-

lows:

"ARTICLE II"

The objects for which the

corporation is formed are:

1. To engage in, conduct,

and carry on a general loan

and finance business in all of

its branches; to act as agent

or broker in procuring money

for loans; to make advances

for any other security whatso-

ever, or without any security,

and to hold any security for

any such loans or advances

and to deal with the dispose

of same.

2. To engage in a general in-

surance agency or brokerage

business or both; to pro-

vide insurance for and on be-

half of persons who borrow

money from this corporation

in connection with loans

made in order to insure the

security for such loans and

the borrower's ability to re-

pay such loans.

3. To buy, sell, cash, trans-

fer, convey, endorse, assign,

exchange, mortgage, pledge,

hypothecate, hold, guarantee

the payment of, and other-

wise acquire, retain, dispose

of, and deal in notes, bonds,

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Dorcas Society 1st Sunday 1:00 P.M.

Corinthian Baptist Church
9th and School Streets
Rev. F. W. Strickland
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
B.T.U. 6:00 P.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

St. Paul A.M.E. Church
12th and Crocker Streets
Rev. Henderson Davis
Church School 9:30 A.M.
Church Service 10:45 A.M.
Vespers Service 6:30 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 PEAVY, Pastor
307 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.

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

Community Baptist Church
1108 8th Street
Rev. Guy L. Sanders, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class 6:30 P.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service, Wed. 8:00 P.M.

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Worship 11:00 A.M.
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Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
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Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:00 P.M.

Maple Street Baptist Church
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Rev. GEO. PARISH, Minister
266-8910
Sunday morning worship 11:00 A.M.
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Morning Service 11 A.M.
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Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Wednesday Night Prayer Service 7:00 P.M.

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Sunday Evening Service 7:30 P.M.

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Y.P.W.W. (Sunday) 7:00 P.M.
Sunday evening worship 8:00 P.M.
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Thursday evening services 7:30 P.M.
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CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH
"Who is Jesus?" is the sermon topic to be delivered Sunday, April 4th by Rev. F.W. Strickland.
The Feast of the Tables will be held at Corinthian Church at 1:00 p.m. Sunday April 4th, sponsored by the City Federation of Colored Women's Clubs.
The regular Business Meeting of the Church will be held Friday, April 2, 1971 p.m. All Auxiliaries and Departments are expected to make their reports.
Rev. Oscar Peavy, Pastor of the Kyles A.M.E.Z. Church will be guests in a service sponsored by the Deacons Board, Sunday, April 4 at 3:30 p.m. Program Chairmen are Mrs. Julia Cannon and Mrs. Effie Smith.
The Knoxville College Choir of Knoxville, Tenn. will appear Sunday, April 11th at 7:00 p.m. at the Westminster United Presbyterian Church, co-sponsored with Corinthian, the choir is one of the outstanding College groups of the country, and is composed of 44 voices of black Christian Youth.

EVANGELISTIC BOARD GOOD FRIDAY SERVICES
The Central District Evangelistic Board will sponsor the "Seven Last Words" Friday, April 9, 1971 at Maple Street Baptist Church from 12:00 to 3:00 p.m.
Local deacons will lead the devotions. All choir members are invited to sing in the choir.
Rehearsal will be held Friday, April 2, 7:30 to 8:30

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS
Sunday, April 4 communion will be served at the 11:00 a.m. service. Sunday, April 4 at 4:00 p.m. the Epps Brothers, Waterloo, will sing at Shiloh Baptist Church. Willie Smith, sponsor.

MAPLE STREET CHURCH NEWS
Reverend Parrish's sermon title for Sunday, April 4, will be "The Righteous and the Palm Tree". This is also Communion Sunday.
The ministers wives, mothers and deacons' Board Union of Iowa M&E State Convention will present a program at 3:30 p.m. April 4. Reverend H.R. Fields of Mt. Olive Baptist Church, will be the master of ceremonies. Ruby Cooper is in charge.
The "Maple Street Sunday school Easter Program" will be "Good Friday", April 9, at 7:00 p.m. Superintendent, Miss Maxine McNair.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR
Sunday evening, May 2 at 7:00 p.m. Inspirational Chorus of Corinthian Baptist Church will present its 10th annual musical entitled "Reminiscence of Yester-years".
KYLES A.M.E. ZION CHURCH NEWS
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The ministers wives, mothers and deacons' Board Union of Iowa M&E State Convention will present a program at 3:30 p.m. April 4. Reverend H.R. Fields of Mt. Olive Baptist Church, will be the master of ceremonies. Ruby Cooper is in charge.
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Guest speaker Wednesday afternoon will be Rev. William Heath; Mrs. Beatrice Bailey will present the inspi-

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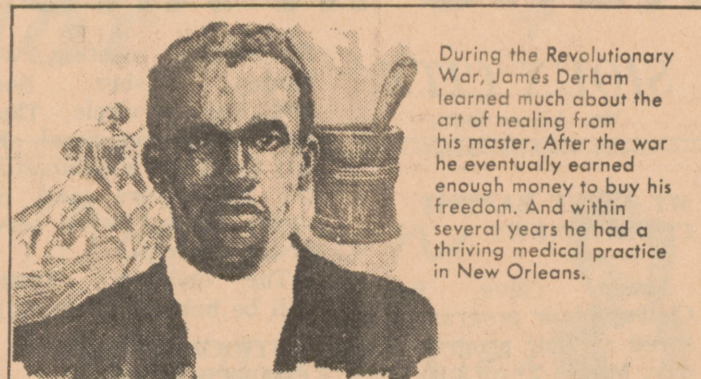
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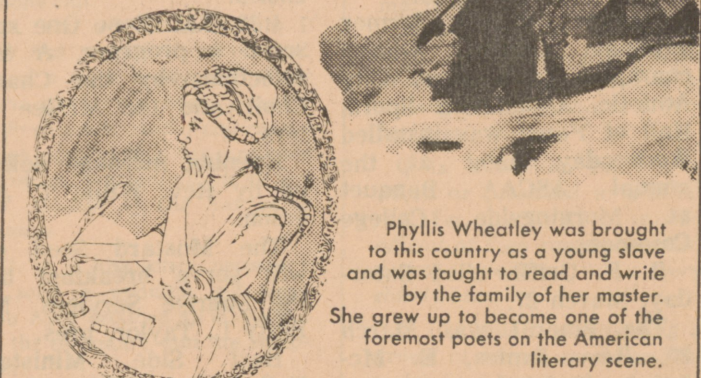
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Discovering a Black Past



During the Revolutionary War, James Derham learned much about the art of healing from his master. After the war he eventually earned enough money to buy his freedom. And within several years he had a thriving medical practice in New Orleans.



On March 5th, 1770, an escaped slave and leader of the Boston Patriots encouraged his companions to strike the British Redcoats. Crispus Attucks became the first to lose his life in the cause of freedom. A monument in Boston pays tribute to this Afro-American.

Phyllis Wheatley was brought to this country as a young slave and was taught to read and write by the family of her master. She grew up to become one of the foremost poets on the American literary scene.

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MINKMANSHIP
The best way to get a woman wrapped up in a subject is to help her into a mink coat.
When a woman is ready to buy a mink, the biggest favor she can do herself is to learn exactly what to look for, according to Mr. Dave Loffman, Marketing Manager for Great Lakes Mink Association, producers of Blackglama mink. A basic knowledge of fur quality, workmanship and color goes far in making the right investment, he said.
The first step is to select a furrier with a reliable reputation. "Beware of the supposedly good-buy," the fur authority warned, "for top quality mink pelts and workmanship involve costs that can't be cut in producing a fine mink garment."
The responsible furrier will provide a statement on request certifying whether the mink's color is natural or dyed. A good natural dark ranch mink like Blackglama fur has a lustre and richness that dyed mink is unable to match. The color of both the guard top and under the under fur should be clear and sharp. The under fur, however, will contrast slightly. A good pelt has under fur that is clear or rich blue-black, but never brownish.
To test the quality of the fur itself, first check the hair's silkiness to the eye and the touch. Then examine the length of the fur. According to Mr. Loffman, the guard fur should be half again the depth of the under fur. Next, using your thumb, gently pull back the top fur.
The best mink coats are fashion-right and lightweight with pelts that lie smooth and straight, but there's more to quality workmanship than meets the eye at first glance. All fine mink coats are "let out," a process that involves making hundreds of tiny cuts in the pelts and then sewing the cuts together again. Let-out tailoring gives the coat a

NEWS IN AND AROUND IOWA

SIoux CITY

Mrs. Albert Smith
217 W. 11th Street

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Mount Olive Baptist Church choir program sponsored a choir program Sunday, March 21 at 3:00 p.m.

Rev. Clinton Lloyd, pastor of Freestone Baptist Church, Omaha, Nebr. was guest speaker.

Mrs. Perry Richmond, chairman.

Rev. Steward, pastor.

Clayton Johnson, former national Golden Gloves champion from Sioux City Athletic Association Sports Hall of Fame was installed Wednesday night at the annual ASCAA Banquet at Morningside College Commons.

B. F. Griffin died Saturday, March 27.

The funeral was March 30. Rev. James, E. Mc-Lamb officiated.

Sick and shut-ins Rev. Ira Johnson, Rev. George Boykins, Henry Crosswhite and Charlie Tillman all in St. Vincent Hospital.

OTTUMWA

Second Baptist Church

MT. ZION A.M.E. CHURCH

St. Zion A.M.E. Church hosted Rev. Garlack, Wesley Methodist Church, as the speaker Sunday, March 28 at 11:00 a.m. services.

Rev. Marshall Smith, Jr. and family spent last Sunday in Des Moines with Bishop Prim at 11:00 a.m. services, Bethel A.M.E. Church.

Sick and shut-ins are Mrs. Flossie Johnson, Ottumwa Hospital, Mrs. M. Robinson and Mrs. C. Harvey at home.

Mrs. Laurinda E. Lewis, widow of William H. Lewis, 308 N. Graves, received a birthday card from President and Mrs. Nixon Thursday, March 25, when she celebrated her 80th birthday.

Mrs. Lewis appeared on KTVI TV and KBLZ radio.

She received several other cards and gifts and a birthday cake baked by Marion Nesbitt.

Mrs. Lewis's niece, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Steven Robinson, Anthony and Andrew, honored her with a party.

WATERLOO

MT. CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Percy W. Burt, pastor will preach at 11:00 A.M.

The adult choir will sing. At 4:00 P.M. Savor, Zion and Mt. Calvary will have Union services, at Savor Baptist Church.

Sunday, March 28, 1971 The Knights of Pythias and Courts of Calanthe, Iowa Jurisdiction, observed their annual Anniversary-Thanksgiving service in Waterloo, at 2:30 p.m. at the Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, 202 Summer St.

Rev. Percy W. Burt, pastor, was the guest speaker.

Mack A. Butler Grand Chancellor for the State of Iowa, Pythias observed this day as a day of thanksgiving. Approximately 100 persons from around the state came. Furgerson Lodge No. 5, Waterloo, Tommie L. Green, Chancellor Commander was host.

MT. CARMEL BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. R. S. Ruckett, pastor, sermon title last Sunday "A Lot from a Little." John 6:9-12.

Program Sunday Evening was sponsored by the Brotherhood.

Sermon by Rev. Thad Thomas, subject "Grace" Monday night, Mission meeting, Tuesday night, Teachers meeting and

Brotherhood meeting, Wednesday, Usher Board and Family circle, Thursday, Choir rehearsal, Friday night was a Banquet and the Ruckettaire sang, Saturday dinners were served at the church.

The children's Festival will be held April 17, 1971.

ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Eugene Williams delivered the morning message March 28, at 11:00 a.m. worship services.

Music by the combined choirs.

4:30 P.M. Zone One sponsored a program, A & B selections by the Chancel Choir and the McGee Sisters.

Evening message delivered by Rev. Willie T. Anderson.

The Mustard Seed club will serve breakfast after the Sunrise Services, Mrs. Betty L. Taylor, pres.

East Side Ministerial Fellowship will observe Holy Week Service, Rev. Percy W. Burt, Pres.

Rev. Leonard N. Williams, pastor of Payne Memorial A.M.E. Church, and Mrs. Williams have returned from Chicago where they attended a two day session of mid-year convocation, fourth Episcopal district A.M.E. Church. Meetings were held at Coppin Chapel.

Miss Brenda Simpson was crowned Miss Sweetheart of Payne A.M.E. at annual "Miss Sweetheart" contest conclusion. This was sponsored by Celestial Choir of the church. There were 13 contestants. Miss Delen Williams was second.

Sacrificial Silent Supper on Maundy Thursday, April 8, will be held at Payne A.M.E. at 7:00 p.m. All are welcome at this observance.

Sunday afternoon, March 28, Mrs. Lottie Berry and Vaeletta Fields were guests of Rev. Leonard Williams family at Bishops' Crossroads Cafeteria. The occasion was Vaeletta's birthday.

Miss Helena Tate, 403 Almond, celebrated a birthday recently with friends on Saturday evening and dinner guests on Sunday.

Mr. Coleman Baker, 231 Sumner, observed a birthday on March 27.

Last rites were held for Harry T. Bell, Jr. Saturday morning, March 27 at Antioch Baptist Church. Mr. Bell, a former resident died in Des Moines. He was buried with Masonic Rites. A sister, Mrs. Betty Allen, 636 Mobile, survives.

KEOKUK

By Mrs. B. H. Toomes
1022 Franklin Street

Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Carter are visiting relatives in Minneapolis, Minn. Albert Austin was discharged from St. Joseph Hospital. Saturday, March 27.

Mrs. Lydia Thum is a patient in Graham Hospital.

Graham Hospital sponsored an open house for the new \$1,800,000 wing March 28, from 1:00-4:30 p.m.

Claude Turner, Keokuk Senior High, was honored as second team all-state pick in basketball.

Mrs. J. D. Parsons spent last week observing special procedures at Iowa City's medical center. She observed procedures in x-ray technology prior to taking the State board examination in x-ray technology.

Leon Blaud was discharged from Graham hospital.

Contribute generously to the American Heart Association, 44 East 23rd Street, New York, N.Y. 10010, which reports that, in one recent year, 18,000,000 Americans had heart conditions of one kind or another. These include 350,000 persons under the age of twenty.

Ottumwan Named To F.A.A. Post

Steven B. Robinson, a recent graduate of the F.A.A. Academy in Oklahoma City, was appointed electronics maintenance technician at the F.A.A. building in Ottumwa.

A former Ottumwan, he served four years in the Air Force where he received his first training in electronics in Biloxi, Mississippi and spent two years in Japan with more extensive training.

Before attending the academy, Mr. Robinson worked for two years in North Lake, Illinois at the Automatic Electric plant, as a technician.

He and his wife LaVerne, who is a registered nurse, were recent joiners of Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church.

They bought a new home and expect to be long time residents of this community.

Mr. Robinson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Robinson, and a nephew of Mrs. Laurinda E. Lewis.

Council Bluffs

By Inez Ware
2127 5th Avenue
Phone AD 2-3274

Roxann Wagner, Omaha, Neb. spent the weekend in Council Bluffs with her friend, Connie Turner. Roxann is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wagner.

Mrs. Willie Herndon was hostess Sunday afternoon to the 20th Century Civic & Art Club. This was the first meeting since the club disbanded for the winter months. All members were present.

Mrs. Geraldine Herndon, Inglewood, Calif. (a former Council Bluffs resident) arrived Friday to visit relatives and friends in Council Bluffs and Omaha, Neb. Many social affairs are planned for her. She will be here two weeks.

Mrs. Obie Jones arrived home last week. She attended the funeral of her foster aunt, Stella Haley, Sulphur Springs, Texas.

Walter Williams, Bethel A.M.E. Church, worshipped with Tabernacle Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Shut-ins: Cologne Brown, Agnes Gross, Edna Wiggins, Verda Gates and Pearl Day all at home and James Voyd, Veterans Hospital, Omaha, Neb.

College Students returning to their respected Colleges after spring vacation with their families are: Debby Herndon, April Fitz, and Jarve Garrett to Luther College, Decorah, Iowa.

Their parents are: Mrs. Willie Herndon, Mrs. Inez Fitz.

George Garrett, Sr. and Robert Bristo to Grace-land College, Lamoni, Iowa, he is the son of Mrs. Myrtle Bristo.

Robert Jordan, returned to Colorado State, Denver, Colo. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jordan.

Cedar Rapids

By Mrs. Julian Carlton
1016 12th Ave. S.E.
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The Over 60 Club meeting was held March 31, at Jane Boyd Community House a Lenten luncheon was served by the committee. Mrs. Henrietta Tolley, president.

Rev. LeRoy White, pastor of Mt. Zion Baptist Church will preach Sunday at 11:00 a.m. Holy Communion will be served at both services. Baptismal Service will be at 7:30.

Prayer Service is being held daily at noon with the opening of the revival services.

Rev. C. B. Bailey, pastor of Salem Baptist Church, Kansas City, Kansas, will be guest speaker March 29 - April 2.

Shut-ins: Fred Martin, president of the Silver Light

Gospel Singers is a patient at Mercy Hospital, Iowa City, Iowa. Mrs. William Elam, St. Luke's Hospital.

DAVENPORT

BY CECILE COOPER
224 W. 14th Street

PROGRESS BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

On August 5, 1965 the Progressive Baptist Church was organized in the back yard of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Garrett, and the officers were elected and the by-laws were first drawn up.

The first worship services were held May 15, 1966 at the Nicholson Funeral Home, Davenport, Iowa. At this first service there were 46 persons present.

Worship services were held at Trinity Cathedral, a rented Church located at 6th & Warren streets, and Bethel A.M.E. Church.

Throughout the brief formation, the Rev. M.F. Taylor, then the pastor of Bethel A.M.E. Church offered much encouragement and consultation.

The first revival was held in December, 1966 at Bethel with Rev. Emmet L. Wiseman, Earle, Ark. speaker.

Recognizing the need for continual spiritual guidance, the Church called Rev. Wiseman as pastor and he accepted in March of 1967 and began Ministry on June 4, 1967 while services were still being held at Bethel.

On July 26, 1967 the membership purchased the present site with the help of our Rev. Taylor.

After consideration, the church body selected the name of Progressive Baptist Church.

Progressive Baptist Church celebrated their fourth Anniversary Sunday, March 28, 1971 at 3:00 p.m.

The 52nd Annual Session of the Des Moines-Quincy District of the Illinois Annual Conference African Methodist Episcopal Church will convene March 30 - April 1, 1971, Gaines Chapel 309 - 19th St. East Moline, Illinois.

Rev. William H. Burnette, Jr. is the Presiding Elder. The Theme of the conference is "THE MISSION OF THE CHURCH".

FT. MADISON

Bessie Burt
3029 Avenue P
Phone 52627

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Second Baptist Church held regular Sunday morning services with Rev. W. J. Laster.

Rev. Laster and members attended memorial services at First Christian Church for Mr. Whitney Young Sunday, March 21.

NAACP members attended services for Young



more power to you

Ever find yourself in the spot of calling a serviceman to fix an appliance that wasn't working and finding that the plug had just jarred loose? You aren't the only one. Many such calls could be avoided by doing just two things:

1. Check the power supply. Test the same outlet with another appliance that you know works. If nothing happens, you might have blown a fuse or tripped a breaker. If this is a common occurrence, you better have an electrician check.
2. Check the appliance itself. If nothing obvious is wrong, read the appliance owner's manual for instructions. Many times it will help you solve the problem yourself.



Gwen Davis

IOWA POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY

at St. Luke's Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Sandsberry hosted a birthday dinner for her great granddaughter, Renee Baker, Burlington, Iowa, Sunday, March 21. Tracie was three, March 24.

Those present were her mother, Mrs. Alice Baker, grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Tucker; aunt Claudette Tucker; great aunt, Mrs. Clarence Eaves, all of Burlington, and a great grand aunt, Mrs. Mollie Rudd.

Mrs. Arthur Woods entertained the Booster Girls Club at a ham dinner Wednesday, March 25.

Mrs. Finis Webster, president, requested a change of meeting time from 7:30 to 7:00 p.m. and asked that entertainment suggestions be brought to the April 14 meeting at Mrs. Roy Carl's.

Mrs. Harold Richmond will plan a courtesy for Mrs. Edward Paige, retiring president.

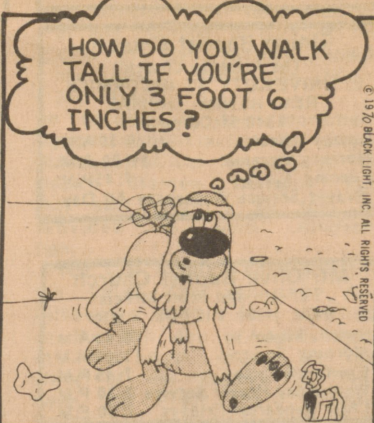
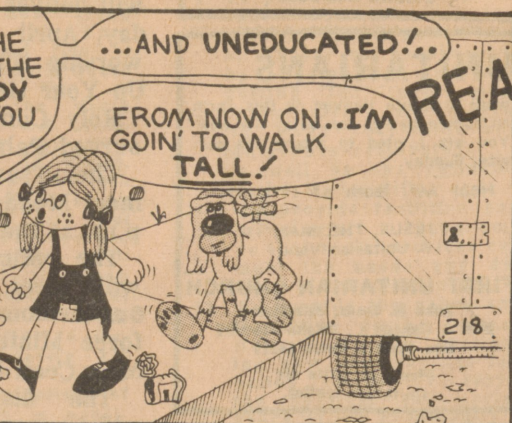
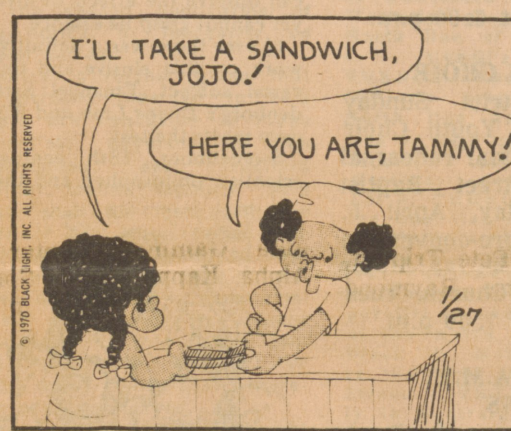
Mrs. Thomas Marsh placed first in whist with Mrs. Orville Woods, low.

Eastern Star Sponsors Meet

Sunday, April 18, 1971, the Order of Eastern Star State School of Instruction will convene at 10:00 a.m. at the Sveden House, Village Shopping Center, Davenport, Iowa.

The 4th District of Iowa, Cedar Rapids, Clinton and Davenport will host this meeting.

Mrs. Iver Jeane Bailey, Grand Lecturer will be in charge. Mrs. Mildred L. Graves, Grand Worthy Matron.



SOUND ADVICE

Hearing Tests Necessary

A scientific, electronic hearing test should be part of everyone's annual physical check-up, according to the Beltone Crusade for Hearing Conservation.

The crusade, sponsored by Beltone Electronics Corporation, world leader in hearing aids and electronic hearing test instruments, is designed to make persons aware of the vital

need to protect their hearing ability.

An annual hearing test is particularly advisable for persons 55-years of age and older, because as people grow older many experience a small but measurable hearing loss. For most people these gradual hearing losses are not significant. However, among older persons, the percentage that have measurable, and frequently handicapping losses, increases markedly.

Most hearing losses appear gradually and frequently the victim does not realize the situation until his hearing impairment has reached the point that

he no longer can properly perform his job, or he is experiencing difficulty hearing clearly during social activities.

While an annual hearing test will not protect a person from developing a hearing loss, it will alert persons who undergo significant changes in their hearing ability that they should seek help through medical

treatment, surgery or from a properly fitted hearing aid. Also, those who find they are not suffering from a hearing loss will have the peace of mind that comes from knowing their hearing ability is normal.

Hearing tests are available from medical ear specialists, at hearing clinics or from hearing aid dealers.

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When you wear your hair in a "natural," you'll want it to look beautiful. The more beautiful it is, the better it expresses your black identity. That can be a proud distinction. But, whether you wear your hair "naturally" or straightened, see your professional hairdresser about giving you a treatment with Clairol condition* and Clairol Hair-So-New. You'll be so glad you did.

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USEFUL FACTS FOR THE FATHER-TO-BE

Dad—after mom and your baby get home from the hospital you'll find that there will be a new way to tell time in your house. It's called the "Schedule," and (within reason) is dictated by the newborn who must be changed, fed, bathed and bedded down regularly. Whether you've been to classes or not, you can be a big help to your wife in keeping this "Schedule" running smoothly.

Here are some tips:

PREPARING FORMULA

This is a task many new fathers do well—and it is often a real help to a busy mother. The convenience and the various forms of modern prepared infant formulas assure good nutrition and a safe, easy-to-do job.

Since new babies get hungry at hours when all other folks are sound asleep, it's the truly heroic father (and incomparable husband) who'll take an occasional 2 or 6 A.M. feeding. Here's when a man can really appreciate a prepared formula, such as Enfamil Nursette pre-filled formula bottles. Kept at room temperature (unlike refrigerated regular formula) these require no warming. Just open, add a sterilized nipple unit and you're ready to go. In the early hours and pre-dawn, this can save a lot of wear and tear on both you and baby.

DIAPER CHANGING

Some fathers will have no thought to do with it... or perhaps only in an emergency. Others are willing to try. Practice under your wife's supervision at first until you're both satisfied that you can handle it. Newborns are pretty tough (if you support their wobbly heads) and all infants enjoy being held with conviction.

BATHING

Infants are not usually bathed in water until the navel heals. Until that time, they are frequently cleansed with oil. So when you first attempt to



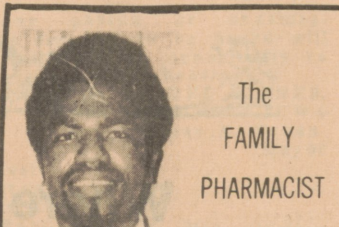
give baby a bath, you'll probably be dealing with a hefty 8-week old, all 9-12 pounds of him. A point in your favor is that most babies like water. Watch your wife until you're sure of the routine. Notice that the improved technique for holding a small baby is called the "football hold"... and who can do this better than a man?

COMMUNICATING

Simply walking a fretful infant can be your way of best helping your wife and, incidentally, getting to know your child. Sing to him or her, talk, make comforting noises. Even the tiniest infants respond to the change of pace that your deeper voice, different touch and sometimes greater calmness can bring.

It is impossible to describe the kind of feeling that grows up between a man and his child. A woman develops this particular feeling more quickly perhaps, since she is not only with the baby more often, but has been conditioned since childhood to expect a "maternal instinct" to blossom. A paternal feeling can be equally powerful and all babies need both kinds of love.

To learn more about becoming a father get the FREE booklet "Useful Facts For the Father-To-Be" by writing: Enfamil, Dept. 703, Mead Johnson & Company, Evansville, Indiana 47721.



Homer McQueen, Ph.D.

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Change does not automatically result in progress. As Robert Burns said, "The best laid plans... often go astray." The mature person admits, at least to himself, when he makes a mistake. Then he takes action to correct his error.

That is why, by popular demand, the FamilyPharmacist column returns to these pages. Of course, we have retained certain improvements. The photograph of our illustrious leader, for example, shows a large letter "X" on his forehead. This positively identifies him as the Family Pharmacist. Do not be fooled by imitations. Only the Family Pharmacist has the X.

That is not all he has. While you are getting your prescription filled at McQUEEN'S PHARMACY, 6th & FOREST, (PHONE 288-3323) check our out-of-right new gift items, including psychedelic lamps — swirling, twirling waves of ever-changing patterns of multicolored lights—a groovy trip in your party room or bedroom at \$15.00 — now only \$9.95 each.

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Social Whirl + Club Calendar

LINES

by
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DES MOINES IS ON THE MOVE in so many important and exciting ways:

NAACP PRESIDENT DEM-PSEY SCOTT HARRISON heading a line-up of some of our finest young executives has just concluded a series of three television appearances on education, housing and employment. Harrison's array of talent and power was in the persons of John Estes, Jr., James E. Bowman and Joseph Miller; Alvin Hayes, James Payne, Ron McClain, and Preston Love; Silas Ewing and Al Correl. These men contributed of themselves and their time to our oldest and foremost organization, the NAACP.

THE UNITED BLACK FEDERATION, chaired by Judge Luther T. Glanton, next comes to mind. Shirley Woods, (Mrs. Edward), College Information Director for the UBF, retains a lead in Des Moines' young peoples activities. She and her committee women and interested supporters have involved youths throughout the year in programs, rap sessions, and campus get-togethers of all types. Whatever the affair, the goal remains "an education for our youths."

GATEWAYS CENTER A SETTLEMENT HOUSE type organization — in my experience — is still another example of Des Moines being on the move! Jean Minahan is Center Director, Verona Cheatom, Assistant Director, and Wilma Jackson, is secretary.

ETHEL DEERING (MRS. JOHN) was General Chairman of the Center's Spring Style Show held March 21. Under her leadership we enjoyed a tremendous show made possible by a myriad of community personalities! Other settlement house personalities lent their support by modeling.

Among these were Linda Lozano and Mary Valle. JOHN NEUBAUER, DIRECTOR, ACCOUNTING AID SOCIETY, made the scene in spite of the demands of his position and so illustrates Des Moines is on the move.

MURIEL BOGGS (MRS. ORBIE, JR.) the show's coordinator, is a professional model and actress familiar to Des Moines Community Playhouse and Drama Workshop audiences.

AL CORREL, DIRECTOR, DES MOINES HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION, is not only an example of Des Moines being on the move but explains who is moving it!

DOLPH PULLIAM, KRNT-TV personality, the show's master of ceremonies, was very much on the scene and exuberant in his supporting role of the affair. He gave, with zest, very much one of those responsible for Des Moines being on the move.

EACH GIRL AND WOMAN WAS A BEAUTY IN HER OWN RIGHT and naturally women make the show! These gave of their time and great talents, and made the show!

MEN ARE NEW ON THIS YEAR'S FASHION SCENE. They are a rarity! Gateways Center '71 fashion show presented more male models than I have witnessed in anyone's style show, including Ebony Fashion Fair.

CONCLUDING MALE MODELS LISTED ARE ROBERT DOYLE, Lucian Wyant, Earl Turner, and Ethel's John Deering! Each is well-known, popular and naturally among the best dressed in the community, and to my knowledge, are the first to give his support to so fine and deserving undertaking. With such men as these Des Moines is on the move!

No Secret To Growing Roses



BEAUTIFUL ROSES need sunshine, fertilizer, pruning, watering and pest protection. An all-purpose insecticide like Spectracide will control major rose pests while monthly applications of a complete fertilizer will give your plants all the food they need.

There's no secret to growing beautiful roses. Any gardener can do it by following a few simple rules. Site selection comes first. Roses need at least 6 hours of sunshine each day. So, avoid shaded areas and try for a spot on the south side of the house.

Any good garden soil will produce roses. Heavy or light soil that is lacking in fertility can be improved by adding organic matter such as peat moss, leafmold or decayed animal manure. Spade the rose bed 12 to 18 inches deep and work in a 2 to 4-inch layer of organic material.

Select plants with thick canes which show no signs of shriveling and choose only varieties recommended for your area. Dig the hole deep enough so the bud union (large swelling or knob on the main stem) is just above the soil level when planted.

In established rose beds cut back canes to 10-15 inches and remove dead wood. Cuttings, fallen leaves and other debris should be removed and burned, since fungi of diseases may be present. After cleaning the bed apply about 2 inches of clean mulch over the entire area.

Black spot is a common disease of roses. Caused by a fungus, this disease can be very destructive, and it usually appears every year. A fungicide such as ferbam will give satisfactory control. Make applications every 7 days during wet periods, which are favorable for black spot infestations.

It's best to start now with an insect control program and continue spraying every 2 weeks throughout the garden season. Broad-spectrum insecticides like Spectracide, which contains diazinon, have proven to be highly effective in controlling major garden pests.

It's best to spray in the early morning or evening when winds are light. Cover both sides of leaves with a light spray until foliage begins to drip.

Fertilize roses at least once a month through August. Use a complete fertilizer such as 12-12-12 or similar analysis.

ISU Graduate



MANALA HENDRED

On February 27, 1971, Manala Hendred graduated from Iowa State University with a major in Elementary Education and an area of concentration in history. She did her student teaching at Jensen and Blackhurst Elementary schools in Urbandale.

Manala is now a substitute teacher in the Des Moines and Urbandale schools.

This fall, she will be teaching at Blackhurst Elementary in the primary department.

Manala is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Silas S. Ewing, 1133 Burlington Terrace and Mr. Manfred Hendred of Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Mrs. Ethel Crumb of New York City is her grandmother.

Millers Host Pot Luck

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Miller hosted a pot luck dinner Saturday, April 27.

Those attending were Rev. and Mrs. James Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Triplett, Mrs. and Mrs. Raymond Brown, Mrs. Gillie Reed, Gloria Jackson and Mrs. Mary Wilson.

Highlights on the menu were chitterlings and cheese cake.

Crescent Beauty School

Students of Crescent Beauty School elected officers for the ensuing year. Officers are Marsha Allison, president; Mrs. Opal Bryant, vice president; Ernestine Parker, secretary; Mrs. Patricia Pearson, treasurer; social program and decorator, Helene Burrell, and co-chairman, Mary Ary.

The Crescences are to tour the Des Moines, Center of Science and Industry March 31.

On the way to the science center, they will stop for lunch at Noah's Ark.

They will also tour the Art Center.

The Crescences are planning many more social functions and activities in the near future.

Iowa Buxtons No. 2 Meet

The members of the Iowa Buxton Club No. 2 met on March 8, 1971, for their regular monthly business meeting. The next monthly meeting will be held on April 12, 1971, at the Soul Village.

Wilkie Spring Happening

Spring vacation week will be an exciting five day happening at Wilkie House. Five to twelve year old children may register for a jam-packed program of splash parties, field trips, ecology day, skating, carnival, talent show and the Good Friday picnic.

Parents who are interested in the cultural and recreational experiences for their children may call 243-4169 for details.

Adding a dormer window to a large second-floor closet can add a useful new room.

Bow Knots Celebrate 13th Anniversary

The Bow Knot Club celebrated their 13th anniversary Sunday, March 28 at Kirkwood Hotel.

The club entertained their 20 guests at a buffet dinner in the Colonial Room.

Rufus Spates, chairman of the social committee. Social committee members are Kelly Dixon and Marsh Houston.

Dinner music was furnished by Joe Adams.

Club officers are Ernest Redd, president; Mrs. Virgil Winters, secretary, and Mrs. Edward Rhone, treasurer.

Next meeting is April 25 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rhone.

Maple St. Hosts Services

Mesdames Olivia Cooper, Bea Bailey, Ruby Cooper, officers of the Ministers Wives, Deaconess and Mothers Board Union of Iowa, and Missionary and Educational Baptist Convention are sponsoring a service Sunday, April 4 at 3:30 p.m. at Maple St. Baptist Church.

Rev. Alex Crawford, pastor of Morningstar Baptist Church, will be the guest speaker.

St. Mary's Meets

The St. Mary Christian Society Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Rena Johnson, 1219 11th St., April 5 at 7:30 p.m.

AKAs to Sponsor Fund Raising Project

Beta Gamma Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority will have their major fund raising project with a party at Echo Valley Country Club, Saturday, April 3rd at 8:00 p.m. featuring food, games, drinks, dancing, music and fashions.

Proceeds from this project will be used for black scholarships and any other such needy charitable programs.

The price of tickets is \$4.99 per couple or \$2.49 for a single.

Tawas Federated Club to Meet

Tawasi Federated Club will meet April 8, 1971 at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Alice Jefferson, 1223 Hutton. All members are asked to present. Minnie J Jones, president.

Lincoln Unit to Host Meet

Lincoln Unit 126 will host the Polk County Spring Conference, April 21, 1971, at the Post Home, 1625, 8th Street.

Ladies, please come and help us plan the conference.

Getting rid of bathtub rings is a Lestoil specialty (its grease-dissolving ingredient quickly melts away the soap scum and body oils that cause dirty tub rings). Pour some on one of those stiff nylon net scouring

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Friends Greet Mrs. Patten During Sunday Afternoon Reception

Over one hundred guests were honored in an "At Home" reunion given by Mrs. Margaret M. Patten. She has recently returned to her home at 1072 Fourteenth Street, after an absence of twenty-seven years spent teaching in Detroit, Michigan. She received her A.B. Degree from Drake University, her Masters of Education Degree at Wayne State University, Detroit, and has done work on her doctorate in Heidelberg, Germany, and at Wayne State.

Before leaving Des Moines she was director of the East Des Moines Community Center, past president of the Iowa Association of Colored Women's Clubs, and District Superintendent of Sunday Schools of the African Methodist Churches. Honoring the occasion were her brother, Hobart T.

Mitchell, realtor of Minneapolis, Minnesota, CWO-4 and Mrs. Ralston E. Patten of Washington, D.C., Mrs. W. Lawrence Oliver a daughter and Hobert DePatten, a son of this City.

Mrs. Patten wore a formal dress purchased in Germany. Mrs. Ralston E. Patten a formal dress purchased in Viet Nam, and Mrs. Oliver a dress purchased in China. Their apparel lent an air of the Orient.

Mrs. Oliver greeted and registered the guests. Table hostesses were Mrs. E. Hobart DePatten, Mrs. Gwendolyn Fowler and Mrs. William Clinton.

The table and the entire house were lavishly decorated with flowers.

This was an outstanding occasion where friends paid honor to one of the leading families of Des Moines.

Cub Scout Honor Gov. Ray



Cub Scout, John Burgett, Pack #187, sponsored by the Des Moines Boys Club is shown pinning a Reach Pin (commitment against drugs) on Gov. Robert D. Ray. Looking on is Monroe Colston, scout executive of the capitol district.

Put Some Bunk In Bedtime To Tone Down Young Rebels

When youngsters politely, or impolitely, refuse to go to bed, the problem may be more than just perversity. After all, it's the least exciting thing they've done all day.

You can add a little more interest and less reluctance to the younger set's bedtime with more exciting room decor and furniture, matching the occupant's personality.

What young seaman or pirate wouldn't jolly well like to "come aboard" a nautical bunk bed via a pegged ladder. Or one with 1x4-inch board steps, holes drilled in each end, supported by ropes through the holes and knotted below.

Or a young cowboy could swing out of the saddle and into his bunk made of knotty western pine boards, emblazoned with cattle brands.

Ladders Hold Shelves
Another variation is to use a regular board and rung ladder for bunk bed access, and another two or three ladders as supports for a set of shelves and a desk along the wall. Position the ladders an appropriate distance apart and place 1x10 or 1x12-inch boards across rungs for shelves and desk.

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Modern Etiquette



By Roberta Lee

Q. Is a man supposed to pay for everything during a date, even when his girl makes a phone call?

A. Yes, without exception. If she has to make a phone call, have a dime ready, and if she runs out of cigarettes, produce a fresh pack. And if you're in a posh place which has a powder room with attendants, don't forget to ask if she has some change.

Q. Is it absolutely necessary to send a wedding gift when you have declined an invitation to the ceremony and the reception?

A. If you are a good friend of the bride, the bridegroom, or their families, yes. Otherwise, no.

Q. What kind of decoration would be appropriate for a breakfast table when there are guests?

A. A bowl of fruit is always nice, and generally customary — although flowers are never out of place.

Q. Do you approve of sending birthday cards or any kind of greeting card via third-class mail, that is, with the flap of the envelope tucked inside and unsealed, and with a four-cent stamp affixed?

A. No. Any sincere and heartfelt greeting should be a "first-class" one, and deserves the dignity of a five-cent stamp.

Q. Many of my friends in church, when they catch my eye,

smile, bow, or wave their fingers at me, even though the service is going on. Is this good manners?

A. Ordinarily in church, you may smile at a friend — but never actually bow. And as for waving the hand, that is in very bad taste.

Q. Is a woman ever introduced or presented to a man?

A. Yes, but ONLY if he is an official of high rank, an ecclesiastical dignitary, or a very elderly man.

Q. If a man is entertaining a group of friends (male and female) in a restaurant or hotel dining room, in what order do they go to the table?

A. If the headwaiter or hostess leads the way, the host goes first to seat his guests, the women of the party follow him, and the men come last.

Q. Am I supposed to reply to letters of condolence I have received?

A. This is only good manners in return for such acts of thoughtfulness. Your notes may be brief, but they should be sincere — and handwritten.

Q. What is the proper amount of the fee that a bridegroom gives to the clergyman?

A. There is no stipulated amount. It really all depends upon the bridegroom's finances ... and wishes.

A young sailor's or cowboy's mother enjoys bunks, too, because they're easy to keep trim. A number of variations are possible — double bunks, an upper bunk built over sets of drawers, or an upper bunk with drawers in between and a pull-out bunk below for brother or a guest.

Bunk units can be built to the floor, eliminating a dust-catching space, or hung from the wall high enough so a vacuum easily goes underneath.

Bed-Chest Easily Made
The bunk bed-chest of drawers combination is easily constructed of western lumber. Drawers are of 1x8 or 1x10-inch boards, uprights are of 2x4-inch Douglas fir, and a ladder may be made of a 4x4-inch post with 1x4-inch dowels set-in alternately for steps.

Walls behind the bed will be easier to clean when paneled with clear-stained western woods, such as hemlock, fir, larch or pine boards. Carrying this panel over to the foot of the bunks gives a neater look.

Little girls like bunk beds, too, but they should be fancied-up with decorative grillwork or moldings, a frilly canopy, and possibly a flowered bedspread which matches window curtain.

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EDITORIALS

FEATURES

SPORTS

Apprenticeship Applicants
Must Be Backed

The State Employment Service has a news story concerning Lamont Lovelady in which they glory at the turn of events in his efforts to become a journeyman plumber.

Here is a young man, through some of their efforts, who passed all the requirements to enter apprenticeship training as a plumber. He was referred to the union June 1. Since that time he was "in and out of the plumbers union" and in September he was to go to work as a plumber apprentice. But somehow, the matter stopped. He had reached the road block thrown up by the unions which apparently the department did not seek to pressure further.

In the meantime, this young man was side tracked off to a chance to attend a White House Conference on Youth. He is an exceptional young man it looks as if he will attend.

It is a fine thing to attend a white house conference but he is still not a plumbers apprentice. In the meantime a good candidate to break the ice in the building trades leaves apprenticeship in the balance. Thus he does nothing to pave the way for the youngster who follows him.

All Prices Must Be Regulated or
We Bust

The greatest threat to the economy of this nation today is inflation. Prices of everything produced or processed by pressure groups has gone up out of reason. And what makes the situation worse is that the fellow whose wages are low must bid for goods and services on the same basis as those who make big wages or otherwise are favored with a larger income.

Congress has given the President power to freeze prices. President Nixon does not believe in government controlled prices feeling that the job can be done on a voluntary basis.

However, in recent weeks, President Nixon has moved in that direction striking at the building trades first.

While this represents some progress, we don't believe the curtailment of higher prices will be stopped without some positive action covering everything.

Now that the post office department is being run by a government corporation with power to bargain with employees on wages and other benefits, the first request is for an increase in wages.

And this in spite of the fact that the corporation proposes a 33 1/3 percent increase in the price of 6 cent stamps.

This uncontrolled sharing of revenue by the federal government of taxes with the states and cities will signal increases in wages rather than provide funds for orderly administration. Sharing revenues could get the big city off the brink of bankruptcy.

This inflation must be stopped, or our economy will certainly fall under the strain.

The Blind Offers Good Example

Iowa operates a school for the blind where people are not only taught to read but also how to be self-sufficient. Instead of using dogs they are taught to carry white canes. By tapping on the pavement, listening to traffic and with a knowledge of where they are going, it is amazing how well some of these people do.

Besides their other training, we have never seen

one-black or white—who was other than well groomed, neat and clean and a show of refinement surpassing so many young people who walk the streets.

Apparently the money spent on these people produces results for the blind and the public. The training shows positive results that make many of those who can see marvel at their accomplishments.

These apprenticeship efforts for minorities have a way of striking a stone wall when applicants get qualified. This was a fine example of the failure to enter Negroes into the trade unions.

A few years ago, white auto mechanic, a union member of course, of a prominent auto agency died. He had a heart condition and a Negro helper had done the work for many years. The company told the Negro helper that if he could get in the union, he could have the job. With the help of the Human Rights Commission the union agreed to admit the Negro. He went back to the company with the message. So surprised were the managers, that they offered the Negro a better pay and transferred him to a different department that did not require union membership.

We cite this as an example of people who can help break up segregated facilities by providing cases for the NAACP, to attack the practice. They succumbed to soft soap that helps nobody.

The job of the apprentice service is to get apprentices into training and on the job so they may become journeymen and not a trip to the White House, which, in most cases, is just pomp and ceremony.

With a thirty second shooting rule, the game might have

been different. Maybe Villanova would have got swamped, or maybe they might have made a much closer game out of it.

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ON THE SPORTS SCENE



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Well, most things underwent a change over the week end. Iowa State wrestlers didn't defend their national mat crown, the U.S. hockey team dropped to last in world amateur competition, but the Uclans of California kept rolling along, and from what we read about a good fresh club, those guys might well wrap up another basketball title.

We would have liked to see Western Kentucky win the thing, but that missed free throw did it for them. In spite of what was said about Villanova's Porter, we think McDaniels of the red towel outfit was certainly one of the best, if not the best. How would a team of McDaniels, Wicks, Porter, Rowe, and Glover suit you?

Now, don't forget that we know there were some mighty tough white boys out there too, but we just happened to be picking the brothers. We might say a sort of an all soul team. They would be tougher than white leather, too. Don't know who'd beat them.

Out of this meet we expect to come a new ruling for college basketball. This will be a rule limiting the time the ball can be held without shooting. Then they will have to eliminate the zone defense, because all the defending team would have to do is gather under their basket, and wait for the other team to shoot, since they would have to say, within thirty seconds. And the only way to beat a zone is to shoot over it, and a team just can't shoot that well for a whole game, or be patient and work the ball around until someone gets loose.

This may take from one to two or three minutes, depending on the defending team. Wooden of UCLA while realizing that his tactics were unpopular, was playing by the rules, and doing what he had to do to win.

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There was a little criticism of the NIT officials for not inviting Kentucky State to their meet. Those fellows think they could have won the thing.

Reports say that they really had a great ball club, and that the people in the big city would have liked what they saw, whether the team won the meet or not. This brings up to us the story that we have told so many times.

It was when City College of N.Y. had the best ball club in the east, or possibly the country. There was a charity game scheduled with Virginia Union that was supposed to be a workout for the champs.

Well, the Virginia boys won by a lopsided score, and it wasn't carried very much on the national news. There was a line in a couple of eastern sheets, nothing in our papers out this way. So we were glad for our black press. The story was featured, and rightly so in papers like the Pittsburgh Courier, the Chicago Defender, and all of the other papers. As we recall, we took a shot at it, but ours was a little late since we didn't really know what happened until we saw the other rags.

And while we are on the subject of black school athletics, you will have a chance to see how far our schools have come in college football this fall. The opening televised college game for next fall will feature two of the black football powers.

Just wait until some school like Prairie View or Tennessee State wins the NCAA wrestling championship.

And don't bet it won't happen. Do you know that it won't be long until most of our black schools will probably be included in the schedules of their respective state universities the reason?

They will draw crowds like a dead horse draws flies, and what school doesn't need that extra cash?

POST EXCHANGE

Letters from Our Readers

A bit of prose . . . a line or two of poetry . . . a letter now and then to express thoughts in the minds of our many readers.

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Kenneth Vaughn Received
Bronze Star In Germany

U.S. Army, Germany
Army staff sergeant Kenneth M. Vaughn, (right), son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Vaughn, 3316 Iowa Ave. Des Moines, Iowa, receives the bronze star medal recently in Germany.

He was presented the bronze star medal for distinguishing himself through meritorious service in connection with military operations against hostile forces in Vietnam. The medal, adopted in 1944, recognizes outstanding achievement.

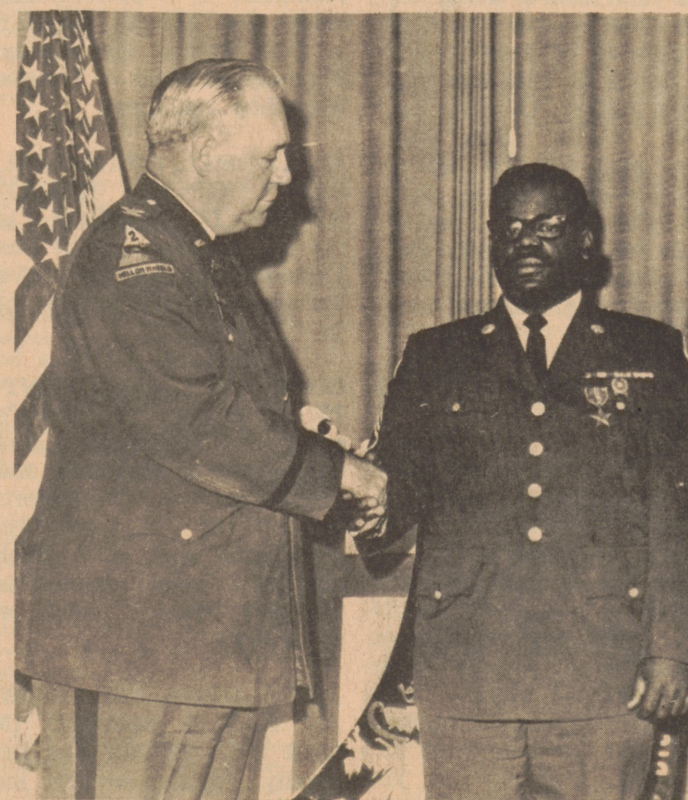
Sgt. Vaughn earned the award during his last assignment in the 135th maintenance company in Vietnam. Congratulating him is Army Colonel Donald E. Eastlake.

Sgt. Vaughn, noncommissioned officer in charge of field maintenance, U.S. Theater Army support command, Europe near Bamholder, entered the Army in June 1960 and completed basic training at Ft. Hood, Tex.

He is a 1960 graduate of North High School, Des Moines, Iowa.

His wife, Jeanette, lives at 951 15th St., Des Moines. young career men to cover their life insurance needs within their means. There are also "combination" plans, like the one insuring all members of a family.

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Iowas Follow Drake Basketball



IOWA FANS

Many Iowa fans followed the Drake basketball team to Wichita, Kan. displaying enthusiastic support for the team. Here Larry Harris, a counsellor at East High School, shakes hands with Maury John, the coach, on his way to the dressing room. John Estes, Sr. on the left, had done likewise. They were invited by John and returned on the chartered plane carrying the team and officials.

Bill Russell Celebrity, In
Lombardi Golf Classic

MILWAUKEE—Bill Russell, who led the Boston Celtics to 13 National Basketball Association titles in 15 years, will be among the celebrities playing in the Vince Lombardi Memorial Golf Classic on June 25.

The announcement was made today by Mr. and Mrs. Bart Starr, co-chairmen for the benefit tournament which is to be held at North Hills Country Club in nearby Menomonee Falls.

Russell, who developed an avid interest in golf during his years as the outstanding center in pro basketball, actually joined an association of left-handed golfers in the Boston area.

As a 6 foot 10 inch defensive specialist, Russell dominated the NBA during a 12-year span in much the same manner that Lombardi ruled the National Football League in the 1960's. He was named to the NBA all-star team every year from 1958 to 1969. Russell retired in 1969 after three successful years as player-coach of the Celtics.

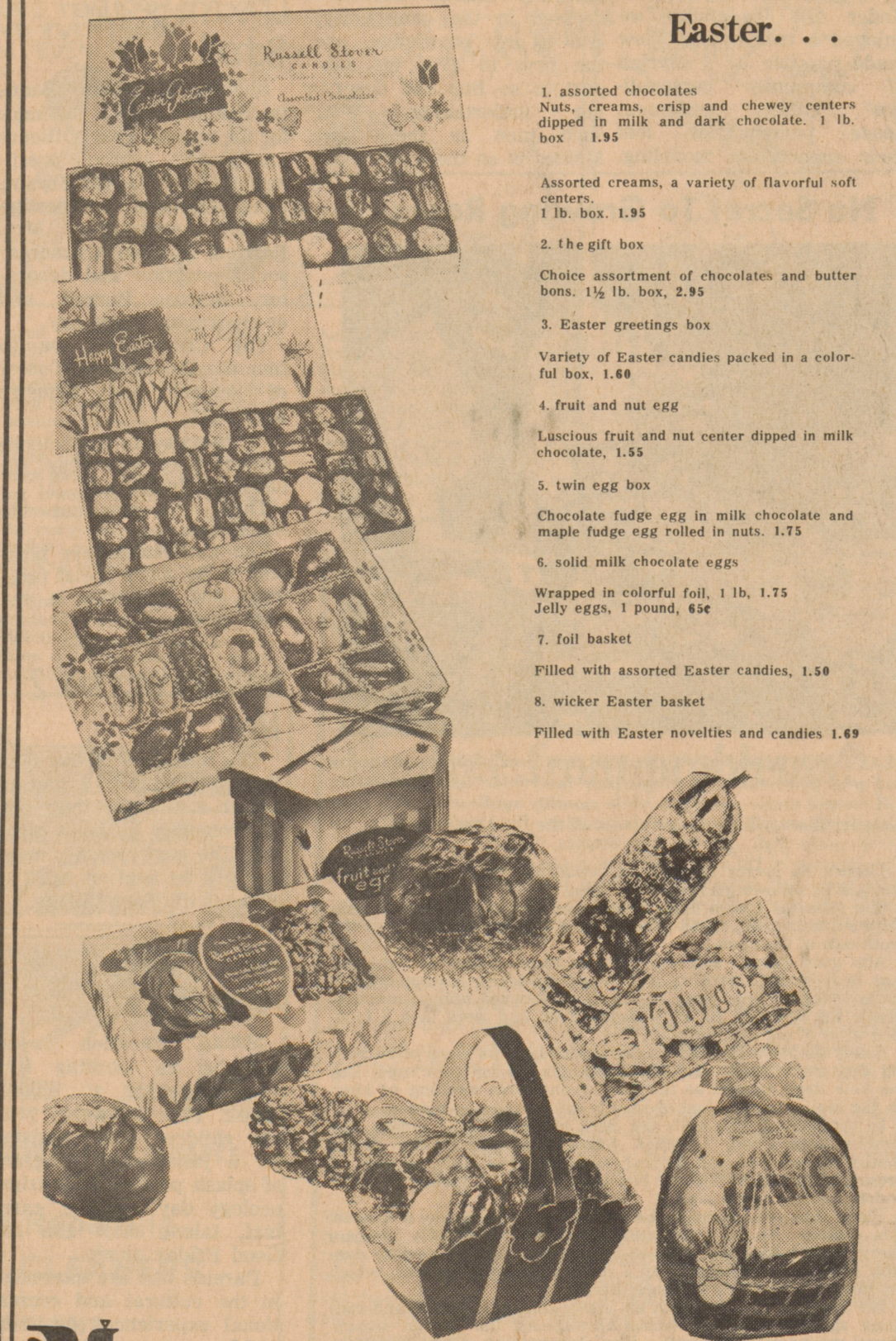
An All-American during his undergraduate days at University of San Francisco, Russell was voted most valuable player in the NBA five times from 1956 to 1969.



Q. There seem to be so many different kinds of life insurance policies. Can you help me tell one from another?

A. Okay - let's take it step-by-step. First, let's look at the way you might buy your life insurance. There are three types: 1) ordinary insurance, that bought individually in units of \$1,000 or more, with premiums payable once a year or oftener; 2) group insurance, bought at the shop or office; and 3) industrial insurance, the kind issued in small units, with the agent calling at the home once a week or month for the premium.

Ordinary insurance accounts for nearly two-thirds of all life insurance, and maybe you'd like

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dipped in milk and dark chocolate. 1 lb.
box 1.95
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bons. 1 1/2 lb. box, 2.95
3. Easter greetings box
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box, 1.60
4. fruit and nut egg
Luscious fruit and nut center dipped in milk
chocolate, 1.55
5. twin egg box
Chocolate fudge egg in milk chocolate and
maple fudge egg rolled in nuts. 1.75
6. solid milk chocolate eggs
Wrapped in colorful foil, 1 lb. 1.75
Jelly eggs, 1 pound, 65¢
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Filled with assorted Easter candies, 1.50
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Health for All

Scientists can now watch living lungs at work. Through windows placed in the chest walls.

Almost everything that is known about diseased lungs has been discovered from dead lungs. After a lung has been stained, shrunk, and prepared for study, though, it may no longer resemble the living lung. Even the technique of rapidly freezing the lung does not permit continuous observations.

At the Northwestern University School of Medicine in Chicago, Dr. Richard Harbord has developed a technique to see lungs in action. He inserts a cup-shaped plexiglas window into a rabbit's chest wall. The window is inserted on the right side, replacing the sixth and seventh ribs which have been removed.

The rabbit's lung is drawn up against the plexiglas by suction, and the lung surface can be examined with a type

of light microscope. Photographs can be taken with the aid of an electronic flash held over the window.

The trouble with the technique is that it does not reveal what happens in the part of the lung below the surface. But it is an important development in direct observation of living lungs at work. The observation can help in the fight against respiratory diseases.

One of the specific problems Dr. Harbord is concerned with is atelectasis, a condition which involves a collapse of the air sacs of the lungs. In humans, there are 300 million air sacs in each lung, where oxygen and carbon dioxide are exchanged.

To find out more about human lungs and how they work, contact your local tuberculosis and respiratory disease association. It's a matter of life and breath.