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MINORITY FIRM

\$200,000 Gov. Contract to D. Phillips

\$85,879 to Urban League for Seminar

Transportation Secretary John Volpe
Cites Contract As 'Another Step
For Equal Employment Opportunity'

Secretary of Transportation John A. Volpe, June 25, announced a contract of \$85,879 to the National Urban League to develop and conduct a series of department-wide human relations seminars.

"The seminars are another step in achieving my objective to make equal employment opportunity in the Department of Transportation a fact and way of life," Secretary Volpe said.

The program is an outgrowth of a December 1970 meeting between President Nixon, the Cabinet, and the late Whitney M. Young, Jr., Executive Director of the Urban League. The National Urban League will:

— Interview DOT's supervisory and managerial personnel and conduct a problem census;

— Develop two pilot seminars and conduct them for DOT's top and middle management;

— Conduct a minimum of 12 seminars for the Department on a nationwide scale; and

— Develop a multiphased evaluation system that can be administered by the Department to determine the effectiveness of the program.

In the two- and -half years since Secretary Volpe assumed office total minority group employment has increased about 2,000. The department presently has 18 minority group members holding executive positions, the highest number among Cabinet agencies. Twenty-five months ago the number was zero.

"We now have minorities represented in jobs in at levels where previously they were missing," Secretary Volpe said. "Hopefully we

have built up the momentum necessary to establish an even better record in equal employment hiring in the future."



Cecil Reed
Reed Promoted
To Job Corp Post
In Kansas City

It has been announced that Cecil A. Reed, former chairman in the Iowa Employment Security Commission, has been promoted from U.S. Department of Labor Regional EEOC Officer to Regional Director of Job Corps for a 4 state area (Iowa, Missouri, Nebraska, and Kansas).

Reed was a member of the Iowa Legislature and served more than 2 years in his Des Moines post.

His address is Regional Job Corp Director, 22nd Floor, Federal Bldg., 911 Walnut Street, Kansas City, Missouri.

Reed was honored this past week at the National Conference the International Association of Personnel in Employment Security. At the conference, in Minneapolis, Reed was presented a certificate of appreciation.

THE UGLY FACE OF RACE HATE...

ROSEDALE, QUEENS, N.Y.

MARKING PENCILS "STAMP OUT NIGGERS." "WE HATE NIGGERS" ON THE WALLS OF THE HOUSE.

THE INVESTIGATORS QUOTED ONE WOMAN AS HAVING YELLED "SEND A COPY OF A PICTURE OF THIS TO HARLEM TO SHOW THEM WHAT HAPPENS IF NIGGERS TRY TO MOVE INTO THIS NEIGHBORHOOD."

ONE POLICEMAN SAID "WHO DO YOU ARREST, A WHOLE BLOCK? I MEAN IF THERE WAS THREE OR FOUR GUYS MAYBE..." HE SHRUGGED.

N.Y. TIMES



Bystander Office Closed Monday

The Iowa Bystander office will be closed Monday, July 5. News deadline is Tuesday, July 6 at 5 P.M.

SPEED KILLS

More than 39 per cent of all traffic fatalities in 1970 were due to excessive speed according to a survey by The Travelers Insurance Companies. Speeding accounted for 17,700 persons killed and 988,000 injured.

NW Bell Employee Loaned to United Black Federation

Orbie Boggs Jr., personnel assistant for Northwestern Bell has been loaned to the United Black Federation, 1409 Forest Ave., where he will be executive director for six months.

Lee A. Brothers, 3500 - 27th Pl., will succeed him as personnel assistant.

Boggs, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Orbie Boggs Sr. of 1150 - 14th St. Pl., graduated from North High School and attended Grandview College.



Lee Brothers

He started with Northwestern Bell in 1956 as a building messenger, advanced through various positions and assumed his present post in 1969.

A Junior Achievement advisor and a member of the Jaycees, Boggs is married and has one son.

Brothers, a native of Erie, Pa., attended high school in Clinton, Ia., and received a bachelor of science degree in secondary education from Drake University in 1966.

Since joining Northwestern Bell in 1968 he has been a commercial representative in the Des Moines business office.

NEWS In A Nutshell

BALTIMORE, MD. — The case involving Arthur Turco Jr., a 28-year-old New York lawyer charged with the 1969 torture and murder of a Black Panther police informer is expected to get underway in about two weeks after the selection of a jury at the Criminal Court here is finalized.

NEW HAVEN, CONN. — Making his first public statement since Judge Mulvey dismissed all charges against two Black Panthers, Bobby Seale and Ericka Huggins, Yale University President, Kingman Brewster Jr., lauded the judge in a baccalaureate address held this week.

NEW ORLEANS, LA. — Lt. Col. Ferdinand Montegut, a black U. S. Army surgeon performed a rare emergency surgery here recently, when he successfully repaired a patient's ruptured heart.

AUSTIN, TEX. — A suit naming Austin School District Board with intentionally segregating Mexican Americans here, marks the Nixon administration first court case to force cross-town busing designed to achieve school desegregation.

WASHINGTON, D.C. — The steering committee of The National Urban Coalition has unanimously voted to name M. Carl Holman, co-chairman of the three-year-old social action organization. Holman, 50, will become the organization's third black co-chairman, succeeding A. Phillip Randolph and the late Whitney M. Young Jr.

The General Services Administration announced Wednesday that a \$200,000 construction contract was awarded to a black-owned minority business, Denman Phillips Construction Company, Inc., 403 Beech Street, Waterloo, Iowa 50703.

The award is for construction of a Social Security Administration District Office Building at Allen Street and West Fourth in Waterloo, Iowa.

Administrator Robert L. Kunzig of GSA, the governmental multimillion dollar business arm, cited the contract as "an outstanding example of what is being done or accomplished under President Nixon's Program to foster the growth of minority business enterprise." "This is only the second GSA contract for new construction awarded in the nation under Section 8(a) of the Small Business Act," he said.

Denman Phillips Construction Company has signed a Joint Venture Agreement with Young Plumbing, Heating and Air-Conditioning Company, also of Waterloo, who will install plumbing, heating, sewer and water connections in the new building.

A contract-signing ceremony was held at 10:00

a.m. yesterday morning in the Federal Building at Des Moines.

Participating in the signing were: Floyd Maynard, Staff Assistant to GSA Regional Administrator, Jeffrey Hillelson, C.I. Moyer, Regional Director, Small Business Administration; Denman Phillips, President, Denman Phillips Construction Company and Richard C. Young, Secretary, Young Plumbing, Heating and Air-Conditioning.

The Small Business Administration's 8(a) program is another tool to assist small businesses that want to participate in the Federal Government's multimillion dollar a year procurement program.

Through this program, SBA is helping minorities to become owners of manufacturing, construction and related service enterprises. The goal of the program is to open the doors of government contracting opportunities to those Americans unable, or unlikely, to get a chance to bid on competitive contracts by making available preferential 8(a) contracts. The aim is to help create independent small businesses which will soon become competitive.

Under provisions of Section 8(a) of the Small Business Act of 1953, SBA can enter into contracts with other Federal agencies for supplies and services and then award these contracts to others to do the work.

The small firms that are awarded 8(a) contracts can receive free management and technical help in the planning and operating stages of a business. This aid is given to companies already in business who need a helping hand to expand, or to those individuals who are just starting a business.

Bystander Editor On KRNT Sunday

James B. Morris will appear on Russ Van Dyke's KRNT show Sunday evening, July 4, at 10:30 P.M.

55,200 LIVES

55,200 lives were lost on America's highways in 1970, according to an annual survey by The Travelers Insurance Companies. In addition, 5,100,000 persons were injured.

Nixon-- No Rapport With Blacks Says Sen. Brooke

The nation's highest elected black officeholder, Sen. Edward W. Brooke, warned the Republican Party that the black vote will be lost in the 1972 presidential election "unless the President does quite a sharp turn around in philosophy and programs."

In an article in the July issue of Sepia magazine, the Massachusetts Senator, first black elected to the U.S. Senate since Reconstruction, observes that President Nixon "has not been able to really establish a rapport with the black community."

No Drastic Change
Brooke concedes: "I don't expect that you'll see a drastic change in the black vote in 1972."

But Sen. Brooke expresses the opinion in Sepia magazine that "black Americans can be attracted to the Republican Party but I think that the Republican Party is going to

have to accommodate them."

"It's going to have to welcome them. It's going to have to take positions not only on equal justice under the law. It's going to have to take strong positions on improving the quality of life generally for black Americans."

In the Sepia article, "How The GOP Can Win Back The Black Vote," Sen. Brooke contends: "Mr. Nixon, if he puts his mind to it, could make serious albeit gradual inroads in the black community."

"I do know that the President is aware of this problem, that he is working on it. He does want to do something about the problem. Hopefully he'll be able to salvage some of the black vote in 1972, more of it than he got in 1968. I think the black vote is there; he'll just have to stretch out his arms and get it."

No Campaign

Sen. Brooke notes in the magazine article that President Nixon did not campaign in the black community in 1968, took "the wrong course" on both the voting rights act and school desegregation and "alienated the black community."

"I think this is unfortunate because, even though he did not need the black vote to win, it is important in governing the nation," he observes.

In commenting on Republican efforts to win support in the South, the black GOP senator warns:

"If the Republican Party is going to try to get in the right of the Democratic Party in the South, more racist than the Democratic Party in the South, then I think that it is in for even a worse fate than it has had in the past insofar as attracting blacks to the

party."

Sen. Brooke is critical of Vice-President Spiro Agnew in the article stating that "much of the rhetoric which the Vice-President used was very discouraging to all blacks."

Commenting on his own status as far as the black congressional caucus and its boycott of President Nixon's State of the Union message, Sen. Brooke noted that he "was not asked to participate," and did listen to Nixon's address because "it was my duty as the Senator from Massachusetts to listen to the proposals of the President."

Brooke noted that President Nixon felt "it was an unjustifiable boycott." "I think that it had some impact in the country, not great impact however," Sen. Brooke concluded.



Left to right: Edgar J. Koch — District Director Small Business Administration, Des Moines; C.I. Moyer — Regional Director, Small Business Administration,

Kansas City, Mo.; Denman Phillips — President, Denman Phillips Construction Co., Waterloo, Iowa; Richard C. Young,

Young Plumbing, Heating and Air-Conditioning, Waterloo, Iowa; Floyd Maynard — Staff Assistant to GSA Regional Administrator, Kansas City, Mo.

Fund Asks Money For Blacks

NEW YORK, N. Y. — The National Scholarship Service and Fund for Negro Students (NSSFNS) has begun a drive to raise \$500,000 over the summer months from black businesses, insurance companies and newspapers as a response to the gap created by the federal cutbacks in student financial aid programs.

"There would seem to be less money for beginning college students this coming year," said NSSFNS President Hugh W. Lane. Lane, who has headed the 22-year-old organization since 1968, said in a recent letter to black businesses:

Embarrassing
"It is somewhat embarrassing for NSSFNS which last year served some 54,000 black students through our counseling and referral service to have so few contributors from businesses operated and owned by black people."

"It puts us on the defensive in our fund-raising and leaves our credibility subject to question." Fund-raising letters have been mailed to approximately 250 black businesses.

Colleges and scholarship organizations are currently feeling the crunch of tight money. This, coupled with the federal government's cut in student financial aid, paints a pretty grim picture for students entering college for the first time this fall, especially black students.

The federal cutbacks will affect 59 per cent of the student population expecting Educational Opportunity Grants (EOG), 20 per cent of those affected may be black. When expressed in figures this could mean that 30,000 to 40,000 black students will not receive financial aid this fall.

Colleges this year requested \$156.3 million for freshman EOG's, the federal program's counter part to traditional college scholarships. Only 64.4 million of this amount can be provided by funds appropriated for this program. This, 59 per cent of the estimated need of qualified students seeking to enter college will not be met.

Lane said this cutback alone could prevent some 30,000 black students, otherwise able to attend, from entering college this fall.

\$500 Average
"Contributions from the fund-raising drive would make it possible to award supplementary scholarships to 2 per cent of NSSFNS' counselees, or 1,080 students, with an average grant of \$500. We estimate that \$540,000 is needed to keep pace with previous commitments," he added.

The number of students counseled through NSSFNS has increased from 18,000 last year to 54,000 this year without a matching increase in the scholarship fund.

Any contributions made to NSSFNS resulting from the

drive are tax-deductible and will be awarded to students in the name of the donor. Awards will be given in amounts ranging from \$200 to \$600. NSSFNS is the only national organization of its kind geared specifically to black students and charging them no fee. It is the largest counseling and referral

service in the field. NSSFNS' national office is located at 1776 Broadway, New York, N. Y., 10019. The agency also maintains a Southeastern Regional office in Atlanta, Georgia.



LOS ANGELES, Calif. — GUY H. DOBBS, Vice-president of technical development for Xerox Computer Services, has been appointed to the Computer Science and Engineering Board of the National Academy of Sciences.

The National Academy, with headquarters in Washington, D.C., is chartered by Congress to advise the Federal Government on scientific matters. It was established by President Lincoln in 1863 to "foster the orderly development of science and its use for human welfare." Some 7,000 scientists and engineers from all parts of the country serve as advisers.

Unemployment Payments Up

The maximum weekly payment to unemployed workers protected by the Iowa unemployment insurance program will increase from \$61 to \$64 beginning the week of July 4, the Iowa Employment Security Commission reported Tuesday. Only persons filing new unemployment claims starting the week of July 4 will be eligible to receive the new maximum. Persons already claiming payments will not be affected by the increase.

The maximum weekly payment is recomputed each year and is based on 50 per cent of the average weekly wage paid to all workers protected by the unemployment insurance law during the previous calendar year. This average weekly wage was \$128.69 in calendar year 1970.

Payments to workers under the unemployment insurance program will range from \$9 a week to \$64 depending on their earnings before they became involuntarily unemployed. During calendar year 1970, approximately 63 per cent or 367,213 of the 585,479 total weeks of unemployment compensated were for the maximum amount.

At the present time, approximately 600,000 Iowa workers are protected by the unemployment insurance program. Unemployment insurance payments are financed through a tax on employers.

'Hi-way Deaths May Go Down' Insurance Co.

More than 55,200 men, women and children were killed in traffic accidents during 1970. However, experts see a glimmer of hope in this statistic.

In 1969 America's highway death toll was 56,500.

Much of the reduction in highway deaths, according to a survey by an insurance company, may be attributed to safety features which have been installed in new vehicles since 1966. In addition, according to the firm's annual publication of street and highway statistics, there may be a growing awareness by drivers of the need for safer driving.

The publication, titled "Voice Behind The Wheel", also notes that excessive speed was a major factor in more than 39 per cent of the traffic deaths in 1970. Nearly half of the auto fatalities occurred during weekends and or during hours of darkness.

Though the number of deaths was down, the number of injuries from vehicular accidents was up. In 1969, some 4,700,000 persons were injured on highways in the United States. In 1970, the figure jumped to 5,100,000.

Another fact contained in the booklet, one that has not changed much in several years, is that drivers under 25 years of age were involved in more than one-third of all accidents, fatal and non-fatal. Yet this group makes up only one-fifth of all licensed drivers.

Roger C. Wilkins, chairman of the board of The Travelers Insurance Company suggests, in a preface to the booklet, that even with safer cars and highways, "it will be our acceptance of these safer automobiles, our continuing pressure on appropriate authorities, and our acknowledgment of individual responsibility that will insure that we reach our goal of fewer and fewer accidents on our streets and highways."



Bill Toles, Public Affairs Officer of ITT Continental Baking Company is congratulated by Mrs. Carmen Murphy of Detroit, Mich. and Commissioner Betty Granger Reid, Exec. Director of Special Concerns Office of Consumer Affairs, White House. The Award presented to Mr. Toles was for the outstanding Black oriented point of sales exhibit. The event was held at the National Association of Market Developers Conference held at the Sheraton Dallas Hotel before a luncheon audience of 400 people. Left to Right - Mrs. Carmen Murphy, W. H. Toles and Commissioner Betty Granger Reid.

Draft Registor's Mother Files Suit Against FBI For Interference

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Mrs. Virginia Collins has filed suit to stop the FBI from interfering with her efforts to free her son, Walter Collins, from prison.

Collins is serving a five-year sentence in Taxarkana, Tex., for refusing to be drafted. He says his draft board was made up illegally and he didn't have to obey its orders to be inducted into the armed forces.

Austin Peay State Mrs. Collins charges in U. S. District Court here that FBI agents tried to keep a young black man from speaking on a program with her at Austin Peay State University (APSU), Clarksville, Tenn.

Her suit is against the FBI; its director, J. Edgar Hoover, and two agents in Clarksville, Frank Christina and Don Birdwell. She also asks damages of more than \$100,000 from Hoover and the two agents.

Mrs. Collins charges that the agents told Cornelius Morris, a student at APSU, that Mrs. Collins and Carl Braden have "shady backgrounds" and he should stay away from them. Braden, a SCEF field worker, is traveling and speaking with Mrs. Collins throughout the South in an effort to free her son.

Morris defied the FBI and spoke on the program at APSU with Mrs. Collins and Braden. The students were furious when he told them about the FBI harassment.

As a result, Mrs. Collins was joined in the lawsuit by Morris; Mrs. Jan Phillips, a SCEF board member who is a teaching assistant at APSU; the People's House, a GI coffeehouse in Clarksville, and the Union for Women's Rights, which sponsored the meeting at APSU. All were mentioned by the agents in their talk with Morris, Mrs. Collins says.

Being Together
Others joining in the suit are SCEF, a Southwide organization working to bring black and white people together to solve their

11 May Lose Lives On Roads This 4th

DES MOINES, IOWA — As many as 11 persons may observe their last Fourth of July holiday in 1971. Gov. Robert Ray pointed out this week, unless every driver on the road during the holiday weekend coming up does his utmost to curb the traffic death toll.

Ray, in reviewing the state's previous Fourth of July traffic statistics, said that "in view of the state's record since 1963, it is a terrible possibility that 11 persons, perhaps more, will lose their lives during the coming holiday period."

"Yet, I believe that with extra effort all drivers in the state could help to cut that grim toll. The loss of even one life is a tragic waste."

Last year, 10 persons were killed on Iowa highways during the Fourth of July holiday. In 1969 10 persons lost their lives. From 1963 to 1970, 90 persons were killed in Fourth of July holiday traffic, an average of 11 persons per year.

There are ways in which every motorist can help, Ray said.

"For example," he said, "we cannot place too great an emphasis on the need for everyone to use his seat belt, whether traveling the interstates or crossing town

to a ball game or picnic." The seat belt is one of the great safety factors built into our automobiles, and we must strongly encourage their use at every opportunity."

Independence Day 1971 is the day on which most Iowans will relax with various forms of entertainment, homecoming with families, and just enjoy a typical Iowa summer day. But for others — those involved with cars, trucks, motorcycles and other forms of transportation — the day will have an even more important meaning.

During that long weekend, 78 hours in length, Iowans by the thousands will be traveling roadways across the state, and the stage is set for death and injury. In the past, Iowa safety officials have come to dread the long weekend holiday since it brings with it the knowledge that many residents will be seriously injured, and not a few will be killed.

The Governor said the Iowa Highway Patrol, local police, and sheriffs' officers will all be out in force during the long weekend, and if drivers can remember that they, too, are on duty when behind the wheel of an automobile, it is possible to make this a safe Fourth of July weekend.

Drug Treatment In Iowa City Veterans Hospital

The Veterans Administration Hospital in Iowa City is one of three VA hospitals in the midwest scheduled to open specialized drug treatment centers this year.

VA hospitals in Iowa City and Minneapolis plan to formally open their drug treatment units by the end of next month.

Another unit is set for VA Hospital, Omaha, Neb., by October 1.

The three are part of plans for a six-fold increase in the number of VA drug treatment centers reported recently by Donald E. Johnson, Administrator of Veterans Affairs.

President Nixon, in his June 17th drug control message to Congress, called for "the immediate development and emplacement of VA drug rehabilitation centers which will permit both inpatient and outpatient care of addicts in a community setting."

Five of the specialized VA drug treatment centers have been placed in operation since October 1970. Johnson said VA planning provides for the opening of 14 more centers by the end of next month, and the creation of still another 13 centers by approximately October 1.

He said this 1971 total of 32 specialized treatment centers will provide capacity for the annual care of an estimated 6,000 veteran-addicts in addition to veterans already

receiving drug treatment in a regular VA hospital setting.

The VA Administrator noted that 781 veterans manifesting drug abuse or dependence (including 289 narcotics users) were discharged from VA hospitals in the last nine months of fiscal year 1969. The number of such veterans treated and discharged increased to 3,149 (including 1,374 narcotics users) for the entire fiscal year of 1970.

For just the first six months of the current fiscal year 1971, which includes the operation of the five VA pilot drug treatment centers, the number of veteran drug discharges totaled 2,466 (including 1,188 narcotics users).

The first VA specialized drug treatment center was opened last October in Washington, D. C. Similar centers were activated last January in New York City; Houston, Tex.; Battle Creek, Mich.; and Sepulveda, Calif.

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from Jackson, Mississippi, and has had epilepsy since age two.

Black Youth Employed As Summer Aides

WASHINGTON, D.C. — About 280 young men and women, mostly black, have just begun working in Labor Department offices throughout the country as summer aides. About 150 of these young people have been hired for jobs here.

The purpose of the summer aide program is to give enrollees work experience and a chance to earn money. The aides will perform a wide variety of duties during the program which ends in mid-September.

They have been hired as clerks, engineer's aides, printer's aides, messengers and other jobs.

On-the-job training is the principal goal of the program, but the young men and women also may receive training for special skills which they request. Regular staff members of the department will supervise the training.

Extracurricular activities also are planned, including production of a summer aides' news publication, meetings featuring guest speakers and field trips.

Selected through the U. S. Employment Service, the aides are earning \$1.60 an hour for a 40-hour work week, with 6 hours week allotted to training and extracurricular activities.



Louisville Defender Wins Service Award

ATLANTA, GA. — The LOUISVILLE DEFENDER was awarded the fourth annual Carl Murphy Community Service Award for their campaign to improve education, employment, housing and other Black community programs in the Louisville, Kentucky, area. Harold Hamilton, right, acting manager Market Development, Coca-Cola USA, presents the award to Frank Stanley, editor and publisher of the LOUISVILLE DEFENDER. Seated is John Sengstacke, outgoing president of the National Newspaper Publishers' Association. The award, sponsored by Coca-Cola USA, consists of a plaque in honor of the late Carl Murphy, publisher of the AFRO-AMERICAN NEWSPAPER, and a \$1,000 grant to encourage further community service programs by the Black press.

THE DEFENDER was selected by an awards committee of the NNPA. The award was presented at the NNPA Annual Convention here.

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The family of Patricia J. Collier wishes to express their sincere appreciation and thanks to all friends, neighbors, and relations for all cards, telegrams, donations, flowers, and all other expressions of sympathy during her illness and their bereavement. A special thanks to the YWA of Corinthian Baptist Church for their services.

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Defendants.

TO: JAMES A. FREERKSEN, R. JANET FREERKSEN, JOSEPH B. JOYCE, C. CARDAMON A-K-A CHARLES J. CARDAMON, POLK COUNTY, IOWA, AND HILLTOP MEDICAL CLINIC.
You are hereby notified that the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause of action is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County, asking judgment against the defendants named in the caption hereto, and against the mortgaged property hereinafter described, for:

(1) The sum of \$15,424.16 with interest at 6 per cent from June 1, 1971, being the amount due plus interest upon the promissory note in the principal sum of \$15,800.00, dated June 20, 1967, which note was made and executed by the defendants, James A. Freerkson and R. Janet Freerkson payable to this plaintiff, which note this plaintiff has declared due and payable forthwith because of the default of the defendants in failing to make payment of monthly sums of principal and interest due. The said sum includes delinquent interest and advances made to and including June 1, 1971, and represents the total sum due after allowing defendants all just credits; also asking for judgment for any further or future advances made to the defendants, which plaintiff may be required to make for continuing abstract of title or for any other purpose authorized by the terms of said note and mortgage and by Iowa law.

(2) Also asking judgment for costs including statutory attorney's fees.

(3) Also asking as against the

CARPET

2 Average Rooms Plus Hall 30 yards

\$149.00

(Including pad and installation)

NO PYMTS. FOR 2 MONTHS

FREE ESTIMATES

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CARPET

244-6221

Council Bluffs

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

Mr. and Mrs. James Haynes entertained guests Saturday evening at a cook out. Out of town guests were Lt. Col. and Mrs. Norman Cave, Holloman AFB, Alamogordo, New Mexico.

Mr. & Mrs. Don Akers, Cedar Rapids, Iowa arrived Saturday to pick up Mrs. Akers' mother, Mrs. Tiny Akers. Monday they will all leave for Kansas to visit relatives and friends.

Patty Demmus, Des Moines, Iowa is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Maggie Strothers for a few days.

Leaving Tuesday morning after a two week visit will be Lt. Col. and Mrs. Norman Cave and children, Stephanie, Jackie, Dan and Eric. They have been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Emma Turner and her mother, Mrs. A. J. Teague. Lt. Col. Cave is a native of Council Bluffs. They attended many social affairs in their honor while here. Also a guest at the Teague home is his brother - in-law, Ray Collins, Peoria, Ill.

Timmie Jones, son of Mr. - Mrs. Charley Jones, is home from the Mercy Hospital recuperating from an appendectomy.

Defendants above named a decree of foreclosure of the mortgage made and given by the defendants, James A. Freerkson and R. Janet Freerkson, which mortgage is dated June 20, 1967, recorded in Book 3861, Page 267 of the records of the office of the Recorder of Polk County, Iowa, said mortgage being given to secure the above mentioned note and other sums claimed, which mortgage covers the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 17 in Henderson Park Plat No. 3, an Official Plat, now included in and forming a part of the City of Ankeny, Iowa.

Plaintiff waives any deficiency judgment and elects to have the period of redemption reduced to six months.

Plaintiff also asks for the appointment of a receiver to take charge of the mortgaged premises and to collect the rents, issues and profits arising or which may be had therefrom and to apply them as by court directed. No money judgment is asked except against such persons who executed said note and mortgage.

For further particulars see the petition now on file.

You are also hereby notified to appear before said court at the Polk County Court House, Des Moines, Iowa, on or before July 22, 1971, and that unless you so appear before said court at the Polk County Court House, Des Moines, Iowa, your default will be entered against you and judgment and decree rendered thereon as prayed.

PAUL G. GRANT & FLYNN, Attorneys for Plaintiff
By HENRY F. GRANT
909 Liberty Building
Des Moines, Iowa 244-8325

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

ON SPECIAL EXECUTION

District Court of Polk County, Iowa

STATE OF IOWA, ss Polk County

Federal National Mortgage Association, a Corporation organized and existing under the laws of the United States

Robert W. Kenoyer III, Connie C. Kenoyer, Polk County, Iowa, by VIRTUE OF A SPECIAL EXECUTION TO ME DIRECTED, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, in favor of Federal National Mortgage Association, a Corporation organized and existing under the laws of the United States, and against the defendants named in the caption hereto, and against the mortgaged property hereinafter described, for:

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Spouting Sheet Metal Work

get your gutters and down spouts repaired now before the spring rains.

Hal Schmidt Furnace Co.

219 E. Walnut St. 288-5690

Hammitt-Robinson

FUNERAL HOME

1425 University Avenue 288-4429

If No Answer Call 243-6832

NEWS IN AND AROUND IOWA

The 20th Century Civic & Art Club, gave a beautiful blanket away at their regular meeting, donations were fifty cents a ticket. The blanket was won by Mrs. Georgia Floyd.

From 3:00 to 7:00 P.M. the 20th Century Civic & Art Club was hostess, Sunday to a lovely Lazy - Daisy Tea at the home of Mrs. Dana Mixon. The guests enjoyed cool refreshing frappe, mints, nuts and cookies.

Mrs. Edna Wiggins, died Saturday at the Mercy Hospital following a long illness.

Mrs. Wiggins was born in Kansas and had resided in Council Bluffs for over thirty years.

She was a member of the Tabernacle Baptist Church and Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include her husband, the Rev. C. W. Wiggins, pastor of Beulah Baptist Church, daughter, Alberta Smith, Council Bluffs, son, Bert Christmas, Gardena, Calif., and seven grandchildren. Services are pending at Outler Funeral Home.

Shut - ins: Nancy Rollins, Jennie Edmundson Hospital; Fannie Johnson, Mercy Hospital; Vernon Williams, Veteran's Hospital, Omaha, Neb.; Stella Turner, at home; Carla Shannon, St. Joseph Hospital, Omaha, Neb.

WATERLOO

Rev. Percy W. Burt
and Nora Lee
1015 Mobile Street

Members of Payne A.M.E. observed Appreciation Sunday afternoon and evening in honor of Pastor Leonard Williams. Ministers with their choirs participating were Rev. L. J. Jordan, Union Baptist; Rev. R. S. Ruckett and Rev. Thad Thomas of Mt. Carmel Baptist.

Vacation Bible school teachers and pupils were awarded certificates on Sunday morning. At least 100

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County

Probate No. 64035

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Catherine Mease Elmore, Deceased.

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ABOVE ENTITLED ESTATE:

You are hereby notified that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the above entitled estate, that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and creditors having claims against said estate shall file them with the clerk of the above named district court, duly authenticated, for allowance, and unless so filed within six months from the second publication of this notice unless otherwise allowed or paid, such claim shall thereafter be forever barred.

Dated this 22nd day of June, 1971.

W. LAWRENCE OLIVER

Administrator of said Estate

2435 Euclid Ave., Des Moines, Iowa 50310

W. LAWRENCE OLIVER

Administrator for said Administrator

2435 Euclid Ave., Des Moines, Iowa 50310

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NOTICE OF FORFEITURE OF REAL ESTATE CONTRACT

TO: PAUL N. LAPCHESKE AND JANET A. LAPCHESKE

Each of you are hereby notified:

(1) That the written contract dated April 23, 1959, and executed by you, as Vendors and William Allen Roberts and Darlene Ann Roberts, husband and wife, as joint tenants with the full right of survivorship and not as tenants in common, has not been complied with because you have failed and neglected to make any of the required contract payments. In addition, you have abandoned said described property, said abandonment occurring on or about April 1, 1967.

YOU ARE FURTHER ADVISED that said contract will stand forfeited and cancelled as by its terms and conditions it may be unless and within thirty (30) days after date of completed service of this notice you shall satisfy and perform the said terms and conditions in default.

TO ALL OF WHICH YOU WILL TAKE DUE NOTICE AND GOVERN YOURSELVES ACCORDINGLY.

MARGARET L. WOLFE and R. E. WOLFE, Wife and husband, Vendors and Successors in Interest

By William M. Carron, Their Attorney

719 Empire Building Des Moines, Iowa 50309

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Cedar Rapids

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

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carr, 720 15th St. S.E. were honored Saturday as black Mother and Father of the year. The awards were presented by Mayor Donald Canney during the annual Soul Together - Ness Picnic sponsored by Hugh Gibson Black Community Self Help Enabler. The picnic was held at Van Vechten Park.

Sunday July 4, The Rev. LeRoy White, pastor will preach at Eleven A.M. in Mt. Zion Baptist Church the Senior Choir will sing. Holy Communion will be served at the morning and evening services. Baptismal will be at 7:30.

The Rev. and Mrs. LeRoy White attended the National Baptist Sunday School and B.T.U. Congress June 21-25 at Little Rock Arkansas.

FT. MADISON

Mrs. Bessie Burt
3029 Avenue P
Phone 372-4711

Second Baptist Church had their regular Sunday morning services, with the Pastor Rev. W. J. Laster in charge, Rev. Laster and members, were guests in Burlington, at Hope Baptist Church, Rev. Robinson Pastor, Sunday morning June 20th.

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Jackson, and children of Chicago, Ill. Sheri, Carmon, Barbra, Yolander, Jennifer, Gail, and Bobby. Mr. & Mrs. Milton Cole of Fulton, Mo. spent Father's day with the Harold Richmond, Harold is Mrs. Cole's brother, and Mrs. Jackson's uncle. Susie Coleman is spending the summer with the Richmond's. Thurmond Bates, and son Allen, of Kansas City, Mo. and Mrs. Bob Tendergrass of Rock Island, Ill. spent Father's day with their mother Mrs. Ina Bates, also sister Miss Louise Bates. Mr. & Mrs. John Valentine, of Chicago, Ill. were home the week of June 20th. Mrs. Ben Lewis, her sister had a get together for their Tuesday evening, those present were Mr. & Mrs. John Valentine, Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Woods, Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Marsh, Mrs. Hattie Carter, spent Father's day with her daughter Mrs. Beatrice Bratton, Wendell Carter spent Father's day with his two daughters Treva and they

participated. Mrs. Sallie Johnson is the coordinator.

Mr. Herb Cox has scored again in assisting the Women of Payne in the annual campaigning.

Mr. Hollis Bryant passed away in Minneapolis on Sunday. The funeral was scheduled for Wednesday at Antioch Baptist Church.

CLINTON

Grace Simpson
P.O. Box 702

Members of Leah Chapter No. 8, OES returned from the 62nd Communication of Electa Grand Chapter which convened at Ramada Inn, Waterloo, Iowa, June 15, 16 and 17. The following received Grand Officers: Ruth Culberson, Grand Conduress; Margaret Jetter, Worthy Matron of Leah Chapter; Grand Electa Clemmie Hightower, Grand Registrar REOA; Meredith Burke, Grand Wisdom, REOA. Mrs. Mary Freels also attended and Beatrice Brown Bell, Evanston, Ill. formerly of Clinton, attended with the group.

Mr. Wilkins and Albert Bell of Evanston,



Where to Attend Church in Des Moines

PHILADELPHIA SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST
1150 13th St.
ELDER D. J. DIXON, Minister
Sabbath School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Missionary Volunteer 3:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 8:00 P.M.
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
807 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. Wayland Heath, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Youth Meetings - Weekly 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Meeting - Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

Community Baptist Church
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.

Maple Street Baptist Church
E. 16th and Maple Street
Rev. Geo. Parish, Minister
266-8910
Sunday morning worship 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class 6:30 A.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wed. 8:00 P.M.

"Where The Happy Hundreds Go" ECHOES OF CALVARY CATHEDRAL
19th and Crocker
Services-9:00 a.m. - 9:45 and 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday-7:30 p.m.
(Inter-Faith-Inter-Racial)
Rev. D. L. Browning-Pastor
Phone 283-2049

EMANUEL FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. G. C. Turner
801 S.E. 26th Street
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Worship 11:00 A.M.
Prayer Service Wed. 8:00 P.M.

FIRST CALVARY APOSTOLIC CHURCH OF GOD
2561 Onawa
Wednesday 7:30 P.M.
Sunday 10:30 A.M.
Evenings 7:30 P.M.
Minister, Georgiana Reid

Union Baptist Church
"The Friendly Church"
E. UNIVERSITY AT MCCORMICK
Rev. Henry Thomas
1340 McCormick
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:45 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday All Day

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

MACEDONIA MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
2603 Center Street
Rev. Avance Harden
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 10:45 A.M.
B.T.U. 6:00 P.M.
Elsie Chancellor, Director
Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Services - Wed. 7:00 P.M.

TRUE BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
1400 De Wolf St. (266-8212)
Rev. Ezell Wiggins, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class 6:00 P.M.
Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:00 P.M.

Evangelistic Missionary Church
1340 E. 18th Street
ELDER E. C. FOUNTAIN, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Sun. Worship 11:30 A.M. and 8 P.M.
V.P.W.W. 7 P.M.
Sunday Evening Worship 8 P.M.
Tuesday Prayer and Bible Study 8 P.M.
Thursday Consecration and Healing 8 P.M.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH
1213 Scott Street BL 5-5133
Rev. William Heath, Pastor
ORDER OF SERVICES
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
B.T.U. 6:00 P.M.
Evening Services 7:30 P.M.
Wednesday Night Prayer Service 7:00 P.M.

YOU ARE WELCOME AT New Jerusalem Church of God in Christ
WEST 14th and UNIVERSITY
BISHOP E.A. TINDRELL, Pastor
Order of Services
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Y.P.W.W. (Sunday) 11:00 A.M.
Evening Services 8:00 P.M.
Weekly Evening Services (Tuesday and Friday) 7:30 P.M.

OUR SAVIOUR'S BAPTIST CHURCH
1555 Des Moines St.
Telephone -- 262-6060
Pastor, Rev. Theodore R. Brown
ORDER OF SERVICE
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Prayer Service Wed. 7:30 P.M.
Sunday Evening Service 7:30 P.M.

Forest Ave. Church of God in Christ
1121 Forest Avenue
Rev. A. B. Carter, Pastor
Sunday School 9:15 A.M.
Sunday morning worship 12:00 A.M.
Y.P.W.W. (Sunday) 7:00 P.M.
Sunday evening worship 8:00 P.M.
Tuesday evening Bible Band 7:00 P.M.
Thursday evening services 7:30 P.M.
Prayer services (daily) 9:00 A.M.

Bethel A.M.E. Church
1528 East University Ave.
Rev. Arthur L. Jelks, Sr., Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P.M.
Wed. Mid-Week Service 7:30 P.M.

BURNS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
811 CROCKER STREET
Rev. J. M. Shopshire, Minister
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wed. 8:00 P.M.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN
6th and Keo Way
Louis H. Valbracht, Senior Pastor
Associate Pastors Joseph W. Friese-David L. Abram
SUNDAY SERVICES
Holy Communion 8:30 a.m.
Church School 10:00 & 11:00 a.m.
Worship Services 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.
Nursery during Worship Services

MT. HEBRON BAPTIST CHURCH
121 - 14th St.
West Des Moines, Iowa
Rev. James Harris, Pastor
Sunday School 9:00 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:30 P.M.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS
Rev. Henderson S. Davis will deliver the Sunday morning message July 4 at the 10:45 o'clock worship hour. His sermon subject will be "Liberty Today". Holy Communion will be served following the worship hour. The Trustee Board will

Benning, Russell Reeves, James B. Morris, Jr., Otto Williams, Chauncey Bailey, Paul Danforth, James Campbell, G. B. Tucker and Richard Perry The morning Building Fund program chairman selected good choir music, a solo and a duet. Mrs. Josephine V. Jones serves as General Membership Fund Raising Chairman.

COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH
The 11 AM Service the Rev. Sanders sermon will be "God's Love for the World". The revival will end this weekend. The Evangelist for the week is Rev. Alex Crawford pastor of Morningstar Baptist Church.

MORNINGSTAR BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS
The senior choir is having their regular talent program this Sunday night at 7:30 P.M. Marian Jenkins is president. Rev. Alex Crawford is pastor.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS
Sunday, July 4 at the 11 A.M. service, Rev. Phillip Tindrell will bring the message. Communion will follow the message. Pastor, Rev. William S. Heath.

OBITUARIES
MRS. DELORES MAE WILLIAMS
Services for Mrs. Delores Mae Williams, 42, of 1700 Jefferson Ave. Will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at Union Baptist Church, of which she was a member. Burial will be in Glendale Cemetery.

Mrs. Williams died Sunday in the emergency room of Broadlawn Polk County Hospital after suffering an apparent heart attack.

NEW Premium Plan For Bands At State Fair
DES MOINES, Iowa — A new premium plan for the Teen Town Battle of the Bands at the Iowa State Fair was announced recently.

Prizes are: \$300 and trophy, first; \$200 and trophy, second; and trophy, third.
If the Blue Teen Town walls do not come tumbling down under the rock beat assault, community combos — as distinguished from high school — will joust from 1 to 6 p.m. daily except Sunday, Aug. 29.

Daily winners will return for the final competitive blast Saturday, Aug. 28.
An estimated 50 bands competed last year without an overall award.

Rick Yeager, Des Moines, reminds contestants there will be no auditions, so musicians should have a pile of songs available. Rick, a Des Moines Technical High School senior, is a member of the Teen Town committee.

The final entry date will be Sunday, Aug. 1.
Entry forms and premium books to cover the fair's wide activities will be available by

Presbyterian Grant To News Media
NEW YORK, June 24 — A special grant to develop a news service for the purpose of giving voice to minority groups has been made by the Board of National Missions of the United Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A. to Ecu-Media News Services, Inc. The initial allocation of \$30,000 this year will be used to develop a model operation which will gather, process, and distribute news from the Black, Spanish - American, American Indian, and Oriental communities to networks and broadcasting stations throughout the country. An additional \$30,000 will be available in 1972. The new unit will be identified as

Seek Answers to Questionnaire for Business and Professional Directory
The United Black Federation is interested in developing a Directory of Black Business Owners, Professional and Supervisory personnel in Des Moines, no matter how small or type of ownership. The purpose of this directory is to assist the United Black Federation establish their program.

The Planning Division of United Way is assisting the federation in drawing up the directory; consequently won't you please fill out and return the following questionnaire by Friday, July 7, 1971, to the Community Planning Council, 700 6th Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa, 50309.

If you have not received a blank by Monday, June 28, call 244-1181, extension 87, or 243-3111.

BLACK BUSINESS DIRECTORY QUESTIONNAIRE
No matter how small the business or type of ownership

Name _____ Home Address _____
Home Phone No. _____

Do you own your own business? Yes _____ No _____
If yes, what is the Name of your Business? _____
Address _____
Phone Number _____
Type of Business _____

Are you employed? Yes _____ No _____
If yes, what is the Name of your Employer? _____
Address _____
Office Phone Number _____
Position Held _____

Do you administer any Federal Programs? Yes _____ No _____
If Yes, What are the names of these programs? _____

Please include the names and addresses and employment of other blacks in Des Moines who you feel should be included in a Black Directory.

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Black Colleges Don't Get Support As Do White Schools Says Report

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — The 35 public colleges and universities created to serve black Americans are in imminent danger of losing their identity through integration, merger, reduced status or outright abolition, according to a report released by the Race Relations Information Center (RRIC) here.

The black colleges, the report says, "were designed to be separate and proclaimed to be equal, but

none of them ever has been provided with the resources or the support to achieve true parity with the colleges and universities created to serve whites."

No Guarantee

The RRIC report, compiled by John Egerton and Pat Braden, says "there is practically nothing to indicate that any of the states is committed to a guarantee of actual equality for any black college or university. 'A few of the institutions,'

the report states, "may have moved closer to that ideal, and some of the states have achieved substantial desegregation both in their formerly all-black and their previously all-white colleges and universities, but the prevailing pattern is one of racially separate and qualitatively unequal higher education."

Three of the institutions — West Virginia State College, Bluefield (W.Va.) State College and Lincoln University of Missouri — now have a majority of white students, and three others — Delaware State, Bowie (Md.) State and Kentucky State — have white enrollments of over 30 per cent.

Three schools — Maryland State, Prairie View A&M (Tex.) and Arkansas A&M — have been absorbed by larger and older predominantly white state universities.

In addition, 14 of the black institutions have direct competition from predominantly white state institutions located in the same cities and towns, and at least three others are within easy commuting distance of a white college.

Tenn. State and Fla. A & M

In case studies of two black institutions — Tennessee State University and Florida A&M University — the RRIC report details some of the complexities involved in states where the dual system of higher education still exists. Tennessee State has new competition in Nashville from a branch campus of the University of Tennessee, and Florida A&M is located in Tallahassee, where Florida State University, one of the state's largest and most prestigious institutions, has long been dominant.

The RRIC report lists seven lawsuits in the federal courts on the issue of segregation in public colleges — two in Alabama, one each in Tennessee, North Carolina, Mississippi and Virginia, and one in the District of Columbia.

Dual Systems

"Dual systems of higher education present an unusually complex series of problems," the report states. "In their present condition, the public black colleges and universities are not competitive with their predominantly white counterparts — if they are no longer entirely separate, they are still not equal. The objective of the states in

creating them was to assure separation, not equality."

Public officials and educational leaders, most of whom are white, are trying to determine what the future of the black colleges will be, says the report, and it adds:

"On the basis of past performance, there is little or no cause for confidence that the black colleges will remain identifiably black, or that they will be made truly equal, or that the black students they now serve and the black professionals they now employ will benefit from whatever decisions are made."

The report concludes with this observation: "There is evidently considerable trauma and dissatisfaction involved when a black college becomes majority-white, and there is strong black opposition in many states to mergers which threaten the identity of the black schools. Hostility is even greater when a state will neither integrate nor merge a black institution, but chooses instead to create new competition nearby and thus drive the black college



Isaiah E. Robinson, Jr. will take over as President of New York City's central Board of Education, July 1.

"At a time when there is an acute need for more higher education facilities and an equally severe strain on the higher education budget, such duplication seems wasteful and self-defeating, and may be illegal as well."

"Wherever public black colleges exist, they are either facing the loss of black identity through integration and merger, or the loss of quality through attrition and neglect. The only alternative they don't have — and never have had — is to be black and equal."

Germany's Brandt Urged Drop Effort to Jail 2 Blacks

NEW YORK, N.Y. — The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has appealed to Chancellor Willy Brandt of West Germany to abandon the effort to have two Negro servicemen, convicted of attempted rape in Germany, returned to that country for imprisonment.

Army Privates Nathaniel Holmes, 22, of Winfield, La., and Bernard Tucker, 21, of Hampton, Va., fled Germany while awaiting the outcome of an appeal from their conviction in a German Court.

They are now being held in this country pending a hearing on a complaint filed on their behalf by the NAACP. The hearing was set for last week in the U.S. District Court in Washington. The complaint seeks a permanent injunction against return of the soldiers to Germany on the ground that they did not receive a fair trial.

In a letter to Chancellor Brandt, made public here, NAACP Executive Director Roy Wilkins called the case one "of immediate and urgent

concern to us" and asked the Chancellor to "intervene in this matter and urge the appropriate officials in your country to discontinue their attempts to have these two young Americans returned to

West Germany custody."

The Association's lawyers found substantiation of the soldiers' complaint that "serious procedural flaws ... prejudiced their obtaining a fair trial," the NAACP leader told Mr. Brandt.

Sickle Cell Clinics May Be Set Up Throughout Nation

The Foundation for Research and Education in Sickle Cell Disease announced this week that a nation-wide campaign to organize cities and communities into a closely knit national body to fight Sickle Cell Disease will be launched this fall.

The Foundation first revealed its plan to organize chapters last spring when it received a grant of \$25,000 from the Chase Manhattan Bank of New York to provide an educational program that would reach into the major cities of the country.

Sickle Cell Disease is a blood disease that is found predominantly among black people. Studies have shown that one out of every ten blacks in the country has a sickle cell "trait" and one out of every 400 has the severe form of the anemia. The life expectancy ranges from 20 to 40 years depending on the care and treatment.

The Foundation expects to set up chapters in 25 or 30 cities of the nation. The local chapters will be affiliated with the national Foundation in New York and will be encouraged to establish Sickle Cell clinics in black or predominately black hospitals in their respective cities. However, the thrust of the Foundation's efforts will be three fold and will embrace education, research and clinical services, including genetic counseling.

Dick Campbell, executive director of the Foundation reports that hundreds of letters from people all over the country who are sufferers, the disease, are pouring into the office at 423 West 120 St. in

New York City offering volunteer services and money to help set up local chapters of the Foundation in their cities and are requesting information on the disease as well as counseling.

"The response has been fantastic," he said. "It is as though the conscience of the nation has been aroused and well it might be, for the nation has suddenly realized that it has been shamefully irresponsible of the effect of the disease on its minorities and did absolutely nothing about it."

"Now," continued Campbell, "after the Foundation and other Sickle Cell groups have alerted the nation and the world to the disease, the President of the United States has set up a crash program to deal with it. However, black doctors, black biologists and black hospitals are visibly upset and terribly disappointed with the President's program."

"It seems that nearly all the Federal funds promised by Nixon for research in the disease so far has gone to white doctors, white southern hospitals and white affluent laboratories, despite the fact black patients are required for treatment and study." Grants thus far have been made to: Duke University (N.C.), Bowman Gray Medical School (N.C.), University of Texas, Emory University (Atlanta, Ga.).

"Somehow," said Campbell "I just don't believe you're going to find black Sickle Cell patients in those southern white hospitals to any extent that will accommodate proper research and treatment."

Herbie Hancock Raps On 5 Year History Of Jazz

The musical idiom known as jazz has expanded by leaps and bounds in both artistic approach and audience appeal during the past five years.

Musicians such as Miles Davis, Cannonball Adderley, Pharoah Sanders and Isaac Hayes have proven that the music can go from one stream to the other, and be both commercial and have artistic merit at the same time.

Jazz Figure

Herbie Hancock has been one of the more distinguishable figures of jazz during this period. He became internationally known with the inking of "Watermelon Man," in 1962 which has been recorded by no less than 100 different artists.

He also scored a motion picture in 1967, Michelangelo Antonioni's controversial classic, "Blow - Up," which was followed in 1970 by Bill Cosby's animated television special, "Hey, Hey, Hey, It's Fat Albert."

His credentials provide him with added insight on discussing the changes in jazz during the past five years in an interview.

"Speaking on the changes of jazz," he points out, "you have to talk about directions. I think that, from my experience, the forefront of jazz has always been a particular direction. Now, there is no single direction and no more schools of jazz as such."

"During the Sixties, even



HERBIE HANCOCK

though the music was a little freer than the bebop era with Charlie Parker, that well-structured attitude was there. Now the music is a lot freer, the scope is broader. There is somewhat of an experimental period in the Seventies, so far. New elements outside of jazz, such as rock, electronics and contemporary classical music, have been very influential in the changes in direction of jazz.

Hancock spoke the names of Miles Davis, John Coltrane, and Cannonball

Adderley, among others, as "the" names in jazz five years ago. He believes that, with the exception of Coltrane, who died in 1967, that those names are still in the limelight.

Concerning black music, Hancock said, "There's not enough of a realization that rock and roll came from rhythm and blues, which came from the black man. I think white people are beginning to take credit for rock and roll, which really isn't fair."



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The Volunteer Bureau Needs You!

Volunteer needed by private agency for the blind to act as typists. This involves reading books aloud and taping them for the library, the work being done in the home. Volunteer must have their own tape recorder. Instructions and directional material will be given.

Five volunteers required by private children's center to do sewing in their homes.

Two volunteer piano teachers needed by privately supported family and recreation center to teach piano to interested children from six to twelve years old, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays or Fridays between 3:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. Age requirement is sixteen years or older.

Several volunteer drivers needed by private health agency on Monday through

Friday, hours 8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. This work involves giving transportation to cerebral palsied young adults. Must be dependable and have own car.

Three volunteer office helpers needed by group work and recreation organization, days are Monday, Wednesdays and Fridays, hours mornings or afternoons, age sixteen years or older. Needed to help with office mailings, typing ability is helpful.

Many volunteer visitors needed by group work and recreation center, days and hours flexible as you may determine your own time. Must have interest in problems of the elderly as this is visiting the lonely elderly in their homes.

decorated with the O.E.S. Star and ice cream furnished by the Grand Worthy Matron. The Masonic Family picnic will be held August 1 at 2 P.M. at Birdland Park. The chapter will recess for the months of July and August to resume meetings September 23rd at which time election of officers for the ensuing year will be held.

Gov. and Mrs. Ray Attend Carver Anniversary

Mr. and William Carver, 1108 10th St., celebrated their first anniversary on June 12. Guests were Governor and Mrs. Ray, Bill Jackson, photographer Larry Day of Grimes, Iowa, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cadwell, president of F. S. Service, Inc., Mr. and Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. Ludene Lawrence, Mrs. Helene Grier, II of Cedar Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams of Portland, Oregon, Mr. and Mrs. H. Vikeley of Iran residing in Des Moines for a year and a host of friends.

Birthdays Honored By Senior Citizens

Clinton Carter, Bruce Cropp, and James Newsome, Senior Citizen's Club members, were honored at a birthday dinner gathering at Wilkie House, June 17. Club members enjoyed a luncheon prepared by Mrs. Cropp and Mrs. Newsome, in the lounge at Wilkie House, 900 - 17th Street. This event is a monthly custom of the Club, which meets for recreation once a week.

Mrs. Shelton Hosts Christian Society

The St. Mary's Christian Society Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Susie Shelton, 1310 Clark St., July 5 at 7:30 P.M. Mrs. Ruby Cooper is president.

Malcolm Hogan Attends Funeral in Missouri

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Hogan, 4302 Wakonda Parkway, returned Tuesday, June 29, from Sedalia where they went to attend the funeral services of Mr. Hogan's father Alfred Hogan.

Kimberly McAiley Wins New Bicycle



KIMBERLY McALEILEY

Kim McAiley, daughter of Mrs. Betty Lou McAiley, won a new bicycle as one of the prizes offered at the grand opening of the new headquarters of the Des

Moines Telco Credit Union. Over 800 of the 4,800 members came in to have coffee and rolls and to take a tour of the new facilities.

Mrs. Lewis Elected To Fraternal Posts

Mrs. Ben Lewis attended Iowa Grand Court and Electa Grand Chapter, O.E.S. Prince Hall Affiliation, State of Iowa and Jurisdiction, held at the Ramada Inn, in Waterloo, Ia., June 14th thru, the 17th.

She was elected Grand Ch. of Jurisdiction for Iowa Grand Court and Grand Treasurer of Electa Grand Chapter.

The hand-made Afghan was won by Mrs. Agnes Patterson of Ft. Dodge, Ia. Mrs. Morris Brown, of Shiloh Court, No. 4, Burlington, Ia. was crowned Queen, raising the highest amount of money and was presented with a \$25.00 cash donation. Her Royal Court consisted of Mrs. Henrietta Coates of Des Moines, Ia., placing second and winning a \$10.00 cash donation, Addine Jones, Davenport, Ia., and Meredith Bunke, Clinton.

Past Grand Worthy Matrons honored at a Public Reception by presentations of Past Grand Worthy Matron's Sashes were: Mrs. Odessa Roberts, Mrs. Almeda Dickerson, both of Davenport, Ia., Mrs. Bertha Wolder, Des Moines, Ia., and Mrs. Marjorie Lewis, Ft. Madison, Ia. Others receiving sashes, but not present were: Mrs. Mary Range Valentine, Ft. Madison, Ia., Mrs. Maude M. Brewton, Chicago, Ill., Mrs. Helen W. Johnson, Marshalltown, Ia., and Mrs. Mary Majors, Keokuk, Ia.

Mrs. Lewis returned to Burlington where she was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Brown for two days. They attended the Lionel Hampton Concert in the Municipal Auditorium and enjoyed the remainder of the Steamboat Days Celebration.

Washington D.C. Visitors In Des Moines

Mrs. Jesserean Dixon Ingram and daughter, Jerri Francine of Washington, D.C., spent the weekend with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Caron and mother, Mrs. Jesserean Dixon. They returned home Sunday evening.

Emmanuel Baptist Hosts Church Board

The Evangelistic Board will be the guests of Emmanuel First Baptist Church on Sunday, July 4, at 3:30 P.M. Rev. Thomas Pack will be the guest speaker. Rev. G. E. Turner, pastor, 801 S.E. 26th Street.

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Project Club Hosts Anniversary Program

The Project Club of Bethel A.M.E. Church will present an anniversary program celebrating their seventh year, Sunday, July 4, at 4:00 p.m. Guest speaker will be the Rev. Richard D. Smith, former pastor and now pastoring at Allen Chapel A.M.E. Church, Danville, Ill. He will also be the speaker at the 11 A.M. services. Rev. and Mrs. Smith were organizers of the Project Club during their pastorate in Des Moines.

Various clubs of the city will also be in attendance. A fellowship hour will follow the afternoon services.

Mrs. Ethel M. May is president of the Project Club and Mrs. Dolores B. Peguese is the program chairman. Rev. A. L. Jelks is pastor.

Mrs. Jackson and Sons Visit Kansas City

Mrs. Wilma Jackson and twin sons, Joseph and James, spent the weekend in Kansas City, Missouri. Mrs. Jackson was one of a group of Greater Opportunity employees flown as a delegate to the National Association of Community Development Conference held at the Continental Hotel June 24 and 25.

Joe and Jim attended the Kansas City Royals baseball academy series of camp try-outs for the Midwest area June 24, 25 and 26.

While they were there they were the house guests of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. William Jackson and family. They returned home Sunday morning.

Mrs. Jackson visited briefly in between sessions with a nephew, Mr. A. J. Cochrane, who is Headstart Day Center Director for Area III in Kansas City. She returned home Friday night by way of Braniff Jet Airlines.

Ewings Are Guests Of Canadians

Mr. and Mrs. Silas S. Ewing were weekend house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Rogers, 103 Camborne Ave., Downsview, Canada, last Friday, June 25. Saturday was spent at Woodbine Race Track in Toronto. The Ewings were royally entertained during their short visit by their host, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, and by Mr. and Mrs. Marty Meslin, also of Downsview.

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Camp cooking, too, has changed. Efficient campstoves and convenience foods, like canned macaroni and spaghetti products, have made it possible for campers to enjoy a wide variety of easy-to-fix dishes.

Stock your camp-pantry with "MacaroniOs" and "SpaghettiOs"—they're great for quick lunch dishes and hearty snacks. Canned Spaghetti in Tomato Sauce with Cheese and Macaroni & Cheese likewise are good to team with leftovers for practical dinner dishes.

Have the kids try this combo when it's their turn to man the camp kettle. Simply double up Macaroni 'n Beef in Tomato Sauce and "SpaghettiOs" with Sliced Franks in Tomato Sauce. Add the zip of prepared mustard and a garnish of Parmesan cheese.

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2 cans (15 ounces each) macaroni 'n beef in tomato sauce
1 can (15 ounces) "SpaghettiOs" with sliced franks in tomato sauce

In saucepan, combine all ingredients except cheese. Heat; stir now and then. Serve with Parmesan. Makes 6 to 9 servings.

Season-Long Lawn Care Includes Feeding, Mowing, Pest Protection



CHINCH BUGS and sod webworms, common lawn insects, can be controlled with granular insecticide like Spectracide. Keeping lawn well watered also helps control insects as they thrive during hot, dry periods.

This year keep your lawn looking spring fresh all summer. Feed it regularly, mow and keep it insect free.

Properly fed lawns get at least three applications of fertilizer each year. First application should have been made in May, with the second in early July and another in September.

Mow often but not too close. Close mowing thins the stand, makes grass unhealthy and encourages weed, insect and disease pests. Cut grass about two inches high and repeat each time you have a half to one inch of new growth.

To avoid insect and disease pests follow a regular protection program. Chinch bugs and sod webworms are the most common lawn insects. You can spot their damage by ragged yellowish spots. But don't let this get too advanced, or the damage may be permanent. An insecticide like Spectracide containing Diazinon used regularly will control these pests and several others such as armyworms, cutworms and nuisance pests like chiggers, ticks and fleas. Diazinon may be sprayed on grass or applied in the granular form.

You can rid your lawn of most broadleaf weeds with selective weed controls like 2,4-D. Apply during morning hours or late afternoon when air is still to avoid spray drift. Never spray on windy days. Early spring or fall is the best time to apply weed killers.

Water your lawn regularly, especially in dry weather. It is better to water thoroughly once each week than lightly every day or two. Grass roots grow in the top two to three inches of soil. So, be sure the weekly soaking penetrates the soil to this depth.

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Modern Etiquette

By Roberta Lee



Q. Is it proper to go on eating while carrying on a conversation with another person who is doing most of the talking, yet talking more or less to you?

A. Give-and-take there must be in dinner-table conversation—but since there must also be eating, you can only strive to combine the two in pleasantly alternating intervals.

Q. Whose privilege is it to select the music to be played at a church wedding?

A. The bride's. But, of course, she should consult with her minister regarding this, since some types of music are banned in certain churches.

Q. When a man is dining in a restaurant with his wife, and another couple stops at their table for a few words, must he rise?

A. A man always rises when a woman stops at his table.

Q. When a newcomer arrives at a large party in your home, is it necessary to take him around the house and introduce him to everyone else, or attempt a mass introduction?

A. Either would be awkward. Much better to take your guest to a small group where you are sure he will enjoy himself, introduce him to these persons, and he can take care of his own introductions from there on.

Q. Is the recipient of a birth announcement always expected to respond with a gift of some kind?

A. Definitely not—although it is a nice response. It's up to how you feel about it.

Q. Would it be proper for me to give a shower in honor of my nephew's fiancée? She is a stranger in town, and none of our relatives or friends have as yet met her.

A. Not a shower. Guests should never be asked to bring gifts to a stranger. It would be nice, however, for you to give a party in her honor, for the purpose of introducing her to your relatives and friends.

Q. I've always been under the impression that the breaking of bread and crackers into one's soup is bad manners, but I see it done all the time. How about this?

A. Although this was formerly frowned upon, it is now considered all right.

Q. Is it necessary to write an acknowledgment of a gift to the giver if he already has been thanked verbally?

A. Usually one's verbal thanks are enough—but still, there NEVER is anything at all wrong with a sincere note of thanks.

Q. When a boy with whom a girl has been going for some time invites her to his home to dinner and for the purpose of meeting his parents, is it proper or expected for the girl to take a gift of some sort to his mother?

A. No.

Wilkie House Judo Club Visits Milwaukee

Six members of the Wilkie House Judo Club participated in a seven state regional tournament at Milwaukee, Wis. Those qualifying at the tournament advance to the Camp Bushido Judo Clinic at Estes Park, Colo. Judo Club members eligible for the Milwaukee tournament placed first, second, or third in their age-weight division in the Iowa State Judo Finals.

Members of the Wilkie House Judo Club who participated are: Mike Walker, Willie Hilson, Clair Rudison, Tim Williams, Keith Colton, and Terrace Butts.

Mike Walker and Willie Hilson placed first at Milwaukee, Clair Rudison second, and Tim Williams third.

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We Don't Stand On Our Feet

In a rather interesting editorial which appeared in the June issue of Ebony magazine "A Time for Giving" the author says...

"With the exception of churches and a few fraternal organizations, black organizations have not generally been supported financially by black people. Some of the most militant groups, including the Black Panther Party, have had to accept funds from whites."

We would exclude churches for Negroes have found that a "donation to my church" hits a soft spot among white people and even some that should be self sustaining have their members out soliciting.

A few years ago, a group of Negroes assembled here to organize a "Black Federation" to be patterned after the Jewish Federation. And a Jew was there to tell them how to do it. A prime requirement was that it be financed by Negroes—as the Jews finance the Jewish Federation.

This financial requirement of the objective seems to have turned the organization around. Negroes did not finance it so conveniently the road lead back to white people for funds.

The idea was that if the organization was independent its hands would not be tied from taking positions which offended the white donor.

Today it is an agency of United Way, further getting away from the original concept and joining up with social organizations that say nice things but do little; organizations that teach dancing, playing, recreation and the like. Not that these things are unimportant but too little emphasis is placed upon the basic things that make one independent, self sufficient and capable of

meeting men on common economic and political grounds.

And to cap the climax, the telephone company has "loaned" one of its employees to the federation.

During the United Campaign each year business concerns "loan" some of their employees to help conduct the drive. But they don't loan them to carry on a social program as is this case.

The Equal Employment Opportunity Commission is opposing an attempted increase in rates asked by the Bell telephone system because they have been niggardly in the employment and promotion of Negroes. In Des Moines they do a fairly good job hiring women but very poor for men in jobs where big money is made. And once they are assigned to a spot, invariably they stay there until retirement.

The telephone company could show they mean "an equal opportunity employer" by promoting this young man to a higher position rather than "loan him" to a social organization which has struggled for life except on donations they contributed to a worthy student which of course is commendable. This tale of woe won't draw praise from the commission.

We wind up begging and seeking contributions too much rather than putting in some ourselves which helps make for power.

There are several capable men in the federation who can and should see that this organization operates on its own strength rather than that of someone else. And surely the telephone company can come up with better promotions than loaning their employees to a social organization.

Great Deeds Easily Forgotten

Up until a few years ago, Negroes celebrated Emancipation Day on January 1 which marked the day President Lincoln issued the Emancipation Proclamation on January 1, 1863.

These celebrations were observed in the South mostly by former slaves or their children and grandchildren. Today the old tradition seems pretty well faded out particularly in these parts. Few Negro high school students could give a fair account of this part of their American history.

On July fourth America observes Independence Day, commemorating the breaking of ties with Great Britain, which became complete in 1776.

For years, this was the gala day in America. Great celebrations were had with bands playing, oratory extolling it making the people

proud of their country, proud of those who liberated it.

Like Emancipation Day, while much older, July 4 seems more and more just a day to this generation. People desecrate the flag, disrupt the orderly process of government, disrupt the courts and otherwise show their disrespect.

The newly emancipated slaves and their supporters and those who fought and died to make this country independent never thought that these days would be forgotten. We seem to cease dedicating ourselves to these historical achievements which helped to boost America in the position of world leadership. These observances have kept burning in the hearts of great and good men the noble sacrifice the memory which should ever live in our history. Let's not forget them.

Health for All

DES MOINES, IOWA — The Social Health (V.D.) Clinic of the Des Moines-Polk County Health Department will be open 7 to 9 o'clock each Monday night until further notice, according to Dr. Julius S. Conner, city-county health director.

The evening clinic was made necessary because some students and working people found it difficult to get to medical help during the daytime clinic hours.

Veneral disease cases treated and reported in Des Moines and Polk County in 1970 reached a record high; there were 1,567 cases treated at, or reported to, the Des Moines-Polk County Health Department, compared to 1,226 in 1969. The main rise was in gonorrhea, which increased by 426 cases from 1,037 in 1969 to 1,463 in 1970, with syphilis cases showing a decline from 189 cases in 1969 to 104 in 1970.

"Evaluation of these cases shows that most, about 75 per cent are among teenagers or persons in their early 20's," said Kent Forbes, communicable disease

control officer for the health department.

"V.D., if not properly treated, can cause sterility, arthritis, blindness, heart disease, deafness, paralysis, insanity and death among its victims. A doctor is the only person qualified to diagnose and treat V.D., and individuals who suspect they have syphilis or gonorrhea should visit a private doctor or the health department clinic immediately," Dr. Conner urges.

Physicians, a nurse and clerical volunteers will supplement the health department staff at these Monday night clinics. The clinic, with confidential consultation and treatment, is located at 602 East First Street, Des Moines.



BY TOM EASTERN
If many of the world's top golfers are thinking along somewhat "classic lines" these days, it's probably because they're tuning up for the

ON THE SPORTS SCENE

Just about every baseball fan we know is wondering how many games Vida Blue will win by the end of the year. We know the fellow is bound to lose some, if for no other reason than that his team won't get any runs for him some time.

You will recall that the late Walter Johnson, who, in our book was the greatest pitcher of all time, lost more games in which the other team got less than three runs than probably any two hurlers combined. That could happen to Blue.

We like the manner in which he takes his success. Simply says he is going out to do his best every time and hope it is good enough. There will doubtless be times when the won't be enough. But we think Blue will take his losses in stride too.

Then, we wonder if Charley O. will demand his Cadillac back. Will Blue win thirty games? Our guess is about twenty eight with some losses sure to come. Let's hope the youngster doesn't come up with arm trouble or such very soon. Chet Brewer once told us that a fellow could throw forever if he could develop an easy rhythm to his pitching. Let us hope this guy has it.

In looking over the list of money winners on the pro golf tour, we see that the leading black money winner is Pete Brown with around thirty five thousand bucks.

Now we have heard that it takes about that much to break even on the tour. So we would guess that all those other cats, black and white,



With Allen Ashby

must be starving to death. Black golfers say their biggest hill is finding sponsors.

We would guess that would go for other sports such as auto racing, too. But one would think one company or business would exploit a good black as the first black in this field and do pretty well.

That is what some of our leading Southern schools did with black cagers and footballers. They drew crowds because people wanted to see this black athlete, who had to be good to be out there.

We won't say we told you so about the Supreme Court's decision concerning Mohammed Ali. But we will have to say that we always thought the fellow had a good chance to beat the lower court decision. There ought to be a few red faces all around, but knowing some people, we don't look for very many. But, we are glad the guy's ordeal

is over at last.

This is how rumors get out. We were watching what we assumed was the Wilkie House judo team at practice last Sunday. At least, we think it was that body. A fellow got out of his car, watched a while, and asked what outfit was that and what were they drilling for. Somebody remarked that they were practicing to take over the city, and the fellow left at once.

Then there was the publicity given the Model Cities little league that was worth every inch of type it got. It is true that the kids have a hard time getting to the other little league games because of several factors and this is probably just what they need. We would sure appreciate a rundown of the games in this league. Maybe they will see that we get it.

One more thing we would like to discuss or cuss. We noticed the big writeup about that outdoor basketball game at Drake Park in which just about all of the city's leading cagers from the schools take part. That is fine, but, man, there has been just such a game like that going on at Good Park for we don't know how many years. Just about everybody who thinks he can play the game plays, and the thing lasts for hours. But that has not been noticed. We wonder why.

Maybe we should devote some of our spare time to tours of the park and let people know what is happening up there that is on the credit side of the ledger.

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Letters from Our Readers

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Things You Should Know

George H. WHITE...

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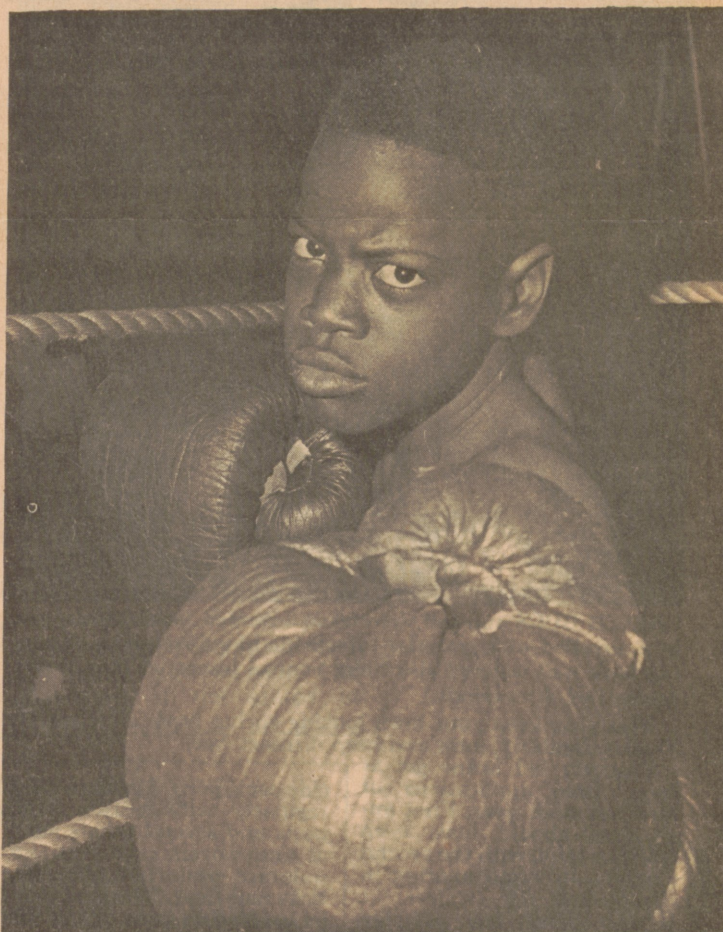
THE CENTURY! ON JAN. 20, 1900, HE IN-

TRODUCED THE FIRST BILL MAKING LYNCHING A FEDERAL OFFENSE! —

FROM JAN. TO OCT., 1900 THERE WERE 114 LYNCHINGS REPORT-

ED IN THE U.S.; 112 WERE IN THE SOUTH!

CONTINENTAL FEATURES —



THE DETERMINATION in this young boxer's face is evident in this photograph by Allen Daniels of McKees Rock, Pennsylvania. The photo was a contest-winner in last year's Youth Photography Program of the National Association of Photographic Manufacturers

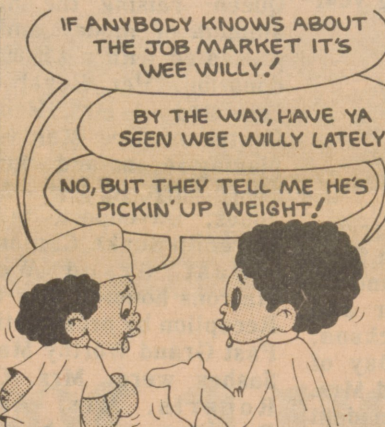
\$250,000 Westchester Classic and its \$50,000 first prize. Bruce Crampton, 1970 defending champ, will head the list of top pros competing at the Westchester Country Club, July 22-25.



The biggest winners of the Westchester Classic, however, are six hospitals in Westchester County. In the past four years, more than \$1.2 million in Classic proceeds have been donated to these hospitals.

The final two rounds of the Classic will be televised nationally on the Hughes Sports Network on Saturday and Sunday, July 24-25. Judging from past tournaments, this year's final round should also be a cliff-hanger.

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