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In The Hot Box

Here Are The Facts

A concerned group of Des Moines Black citizens requested of the Program Director of KYNA, Soul Radio, that the Black National Anthem be played each morning and evening when signing on and signing off. This request was flatly denied. Some white people do not yet understand that our music is our soul and heart. It is not to be manipulated, mutilated or mangled by them. Your

reactions are necessary because Radio Station KYNA is not for my edification; it does not belong to me or that Program Director or any stockholder. The ultimate owner of any radio or television is you the community; it purports to serve. If you think the Black National Anthem is worth playing at sign on and sign off, voice your opinion by calling KYNA at 244-8109.

Wesley Chapman, Chairman of the Iowa Black Caucus, announced this week that Senator Harold Hughes (D-Ia.) will meet with that group Saturday, May 20th, in Des Moines. The meeting originally slated for the Black Theology Center was moved to Veteran's Auditorium because of the Senator's tight schedule.

The purpose of Saturday's meeting is to present to Senator Hughes those resolutions from the Black Caucus Platform which have national implications. The Caucus will also present those same resolutions to the Presidential Platform Committee on Friday night, May 19th. According to

Black Caucus Chairman, Wes Chapman, "This meeting will give Blacks across the state of Iowa an example of the Democratic Party's willingness to deal with those relevant issues national and local that Black people feel necessary for survival."

Hughes met briefly with representatives of the Caucus in an impromptu meeting in Ames, Iowa on April 22nd. The State Democratic Statuterial Convention had prompted the Hughes visit to Iowa; on that occasion Hughes endorsed the stated goals of the Caucus. Saturday's meeting is a follow-up to the Ames meeting.

Black Bank To Open On Wall Street

NEW YORK — (NBNS) — Wall Street will see the opening of the first entirely-black operated bank in the next few months and the bank will have one purpose in mind—helping "the little man" and putting money "where it is needed."

Dunbar S. McLaurin, chairman of the bank, said the Universal National Bank would begin operations within the near future "when we have a satisfactory sale of our stock and have completed the requirements of the U. S. Comptroller of the Currency."

McLaurin says the bank will be offering 60,000

shares of common stock at \$25 a share to the general public to help raise \$1.5 million for salaries, furnishings, rent, insurance and taxes and other corporate purposes of the bank during the first six months.

As founder of Freedom National Bank, a black-operated bank in Harlem and the largest of its kind in the United States, McLaurin says he believes they have shown they can make a minority bank a success.

A minority operated bank in the Wall Street area is particularly significant, McLaurin said, since it

marks a departure from ghetto areas to the financial district where it will be able "to tap the immense resources of the area to meet the urgent and diversified needs of the black community."

One of the bank's aims will be to attract as investors many who have been unable to share in similar financial operations because of lack of credit and lack of large amounts of capital. He said the minimum investment will be \$100 while the average investment probably would range between \$800 and \$1,500.

'Stop Heroin Imports' Says Rangel

NEW YORK, N. Y. — (NBNS) — Harlem Congressman Charles B. Rangel appealed for international cooperation Monday in an address to the United Nations aimed at building support for measures to choke off the supply of heroin at its source before it reaches the streets of American cities.

"Use whatever power you have to prevent the international trafficking of drugs, particularly as it pertains to heroin importation," Rangel urged in an address to the U. N. Economic and Social Council.

Rangel's message came at the opening of a session by 131 member nations which will continue through June 2.

Rangel, one of the two official Congressional advisors to the American delegation to the conference, prepared a graphic description of the ruined lives brought about by the mushrooming increase in heroin addiction in Harlem and other American cities.

Nurses Convention

Tuesday, May 9, the Licensed Practical Nurses entertained Jerry Geriatric and handicapped persons from nursing homes in the Des Moines area at the Holly Building. The evening was spent with the potluck dinner and games. Handicapped persons enjoyed the activities. Kathy Strub was chairman. Clara Wade is president. The 22nd Annual Licensed Practical Nurses Convention will be held June 11, 12, 13 in Ames, Iowa. The theme is "Fit the Deed to the Need." All L.P.N.'s are welcome.

NAACP Announces Membership Drive

Robert E. Davis, President of the Local Branch, has announced that the Spring Membership Campaign of the Des Moines Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, will begin officially, May 23, 1972. The Des Moines Branch which was chartered over 55 years ago, is aiming for a goal of 2,500 memberships.

The NAACP is the oldest, largest and most effective of all Civil Rights

Organizations in America. It was organized in 1909 for the purpose of alleviating the plight of Negroes as second class citizens in America and to bring about racial justice.

The Des Moines Branch has recently provided seed money for the "Sickle Cell Anemia" project of the Branch which has successfully initiated testing of Negro students in the Des Moines School system.

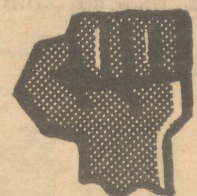
The Omega Phi Psi Fraternity (a Negro Social

Fraternity) has taken on as one of its community projects for 1972, the canvassing for membership in the Des Moines Branch in conjunction with the Campaign.

Membership applications may be secured by calling 288-6565 or writing to the Des Moines Branch at 260 Key Building, Des Moines, Iowa 50309.

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Caucus Members Call For Nixon Impeachment

WASHINGTON— (NBNS) — The Congressional Black Caucus has labelled President Nixon's newest escalation in the Vietnam war as one of the "most barbarous acts of war in the Indochina theater, and at the same time three of the Caucus members introduced impeachment resolutions against the President for his action.

In what one source called, "the most vocal, reactionary statement by the black Congressmen to date on the war in Vietnam," the group called the President's presentation of the three alternatives of "withdrawal, negotiation and decisive military action" hypocritical.

"We know from the Kissinger papers that even the President's own advisers have counselled against more military action,"

13-member delegation said in its statement on the announcement by Nixon of the escalation of the war last week on nationwide radio and television.

The Caucus, headed by Ohio Congressman Louis Stokes, said only the Joint Chiefs of Staff and the President's "Kitchen Cabinet" had consistently advocated a display of more military might, but reminded the American people neither of those bodies is elected by "or accountable to the American public."

"He (the President) studiously avoided the use of the word 'blockade' which international law defines as an act of war. But this distinction is merely semantic. The President of the United States has committed an aggressive and flagrant act of war," the

Caucus said.

Charging the President was acting without the consent of Congress and in violation of the constitution, the Caucus said he had "defied established canons of international law and the wishes of the American people."

In its resolution, which was signed by all members of the Caucus, the group asked that the mining of the North Vietnamese ports, the interdiction of supplies, the cutting off of rail and other communications, and the continued bombing of North Vietnam be suspended immediately.

They also asked that Nixon appear before the Congress "to explain why his actions do not constitute a declaration of war, which is clearly within the constitutional prerogative of the Congress."

The Caucus predicted that as long as the war remained outside the "control of the Congress and in the President's hands...the bloodbath will go on."

And late in the week, Congressmen John Conyers (D-Mich), Ronald Dellums (D-Calif.) and Shirley Chisholm (D-N.Y.) joined two other liberal congressmen in moving to impeach the President for allegedly exceeding his constitutional authority.

Nixon is guilty of "high crimes and misdemeanors" because of his actions in Vietnam, particularly his decision to mine Haiphong harbor against the entry of foreign ships, the impeachment resolution declared.

Congress is empowered to remove the President or any other government official from office for "treason,

bribery or other high crimes and misdemeanors."

The congressmen said the President has "expressly disregarded the intentions of the Congress" repeatedly in bringing the war in Vietnam to a crisis stage.

Congressman Dellums called the mining "serious and dangerous" and estimated it could lead to far more aggressive activity by the North Vietnamese and its allies.

Congressman Conyers said the President was "continuing the death and destruction on the North and South Vietnamese" people. He said it was a dangerous type of action for the President to take without consent from Congress.

Both cited the repeal of the Gulf of Tonkin resolution in claiming the President lost all power to conduct such military actions.



Amistad Center

Dr. Clifton H. Johnson, executive director of Amistad Research Center, was guest of honor at a recent reception in New York City for the purpose of introducing the Friends of Amistad organization.

Shown in the photo are (left to right) Professor Joseph N. Hill, Dr. Johnson, Mrs. Mary Richardson, Mr. Eubie Blake, and Mrs. Regina Andrews.

In an informal presentation, Dr. Johnson described the work and scope of the Amistad Research Center which, with more than six million original documents in its collection, now constitutes the nation's largest archives providing resource materials on America's minorities. Mr. Warren Marr II, of Brooklyn, New York, introduced Friends of Amistad, a national support group which he is the executive head.

State Oratorical Contest

The Elks State Oratorical contest will be Sunday, May 21, at 2 p.m. at Lincoln School, 7th and Pershing, Davenport. The public is invited.

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Discovery Club

The Discovery Club advisors met on April 26 at 7:00 p.m. at the American Legion Park in West Des Moines. We made different desserts and had installation of officers. The new Discovery Club Executive Committee was chosen.

The Discovery Club Cabinet met on May 10 at the Hawley Building.

The new Cabinet officers are: President - Shelia Klein; Vice - President - Toni Stone; Secretary - Julie James.



Elwin Griffith

Elwin Griffith, Assistant Counsel for Real Estate and Mortgages of the Teachers Insurance And Annuity Association, New York City, has been appointed Assistant Professor of Law at Drake University and Assistant Dean of the Drake Law School.

As Assistant Dean, Griffith, who will assume his duties at Drake on June 1, will be in charge of the Law School's relations with students. He will succeed the Rev. Jerome A. Petz, Assistant Professor of Law, who will devote his full time to teaching.

Griffith, 34, received his B. A. degree with honors in modern languages in 1960

Griffith Appointed

from Long Island University, Brooklyn, New York; his J. D. degree in 1963 from the Brooklyn Law School; and his LL.M. degree in international law in 1964 from New York University School of Law.

After a year of private practice, Griffith became Assistant Counsel for the Chase Manhattan Bank, New York City, in 1964, and in 1965 was part-time Lecturer of Business Law at Long Island University.

In 1968, he became Assistant Professor of Law at the Cleveland - Marshall Law School, Cleveland, Ohio.

Griffith was also Visiting Professor at North Carolina A & T State University in 1971, and last October at both Bishop College, Dallas, Texas and Dillard University, New Orleans, where he taught real estate investments.

Griffith, and his wife, Joyce, have one daughter, Traci Lisle, 4.

up with navy

The history of the black officer in the U. S. Navy has been a proud, if somewhat short, one. It is a history written in our own time because it was not until the Second World War that vast leadership potential of the black man finally surmounted the artificial race barriers.

The first group of black

naval officers was commissioned March 17, 1944, at Great Lakes, Ill. This 13-man vanguard was made up of lawyers, teachers, businessmen and researchers taken from the Navy's active-duty enlisted ranks.

At outset, black officers were slated for eventual command of all-black units. This plan was scrapped, however, when they proved their worth in assignments with interracial operating forces during the remainder of the war. Between March, 1944, and the end of the war, 47 additional blacks joined the officer ranks and distinguished themselves in diverse assignments throughout the world.

Today the Navy has more than 10 times more black officers than served at the height of World War II. They span the entire rank structure from newly-commissioned Ensign to Rear Admiral and exercise command of ships, shore stations and aviation units. The black naval officer of today goes as far as his initiative and resourcefulness will carry him.

Probably the most attractive path to a commission as a naval officer is the Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps (NROTC) scholarship program.



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Dave Pickett

Q - What was the statement that the R & T made?

A - Well there were three different statements. One from Lavine who said he wasn't going to stand for nobody running a oneman show. He said that the money used for my trip would be enough to fund all of the programs. Simply shows he doesn't have the least idea of what's going on. Olson said I was getting too 'big for my britches' that I should resign. Rabinowitz said about the same thing, only that I was getting too powerful and the people were responding. They were trying to make it look like I was speaking for myself.

the fine print

It is getting to be these days that every time this country is in an election year someone is out with his gun. The only exception was 1964 when it was Johnson vs. Goldwater. Other than that there has been some act of violence against a political candidate.

Now the surprising thing, or maybe it isn't surprising, was it wasn't a black or chicano or Puerto Rican or Indian that was the suspected assassin but he was white. Which should be shocking to Wallace's public relations men.

If Wallace's legs don't get paralyzed, the American public will make him into a living martyr. And how this country makes martyr of men is amazing.

Apparently Nixon's barricades are working but I wonder for how long. Another move Nixon is making I question; and that is his total de-escalation of the bombing in Vietnam, while he's in a summit meeting with the Soviet leaders.

Well the council of confusion was at it again. Whether it's solving intra-office squabbles or Metro

Dave Pickett: Seasoned In -Fighter

Q - What about the statement that implied that all citizens of the Model Cities area use of profanity.

A - Profanity is as American as apple pie just like Rap Brown said. You can find profanity in the school, church or anywhere else. It didn't start with the Black folks; it started with the white folks. They invented the English language. We are just following along. In the meeting they were using all kinds of profanity. What they're doing is reacting to Black folks. They don't want the white woman sitting there listening to profanity when its a Black man talking. But if its a white man saying it, they sit there and laugh.

Q - Carl - What seems to be the future of the Planned Variation Program?

A - Its going through a turmoil now. The city promised the Four-mile area and the Pioneer Area, two neighborhood Centers, that would cost 1½ million dollars and actually there is no money in HUD for this. Some agency has to make a 20 year commitment to run those Centers. There is

nobody in town that could do that. United Way can't do it, they can't hardly run the Hawley Welfare Building. Polk County can't. They only make commitments for one year. The city can't do it. Julia B. Mayer of the Settlement House Assoc. can't do it. They can't get enough money to run their own projects. On top of what already has happened will create a lot of descention and they will eventually pull out of Four-mile and Pioneer. They have come up with two priorities. One of them is the Centers and the other is a sewer subsidy. In fact anybody with 20 or 30 thousand dollars wouldn't want to buy a sewer. They want the sewers but don't want to pay for it. Whats so bad is that they don't want the subsidy for low income people. They want it for middle-income people.

Q - What is the ratio of white and Black in the six Planned Variation areas.

A - Model Cities had changed some, it is about 60 Black to 40 white. It has considerably changed. Woodlawn - Wilkie is about half and half. Logan is more white than Black. Southeast

area is mixed up no set figures, it is more near equally represented than all the groups than any of them. No Blacks in Pioneer - Columbus or 4 mile area.

Q - I notice from top level the emphasis on Black and white working together. Does it seem to be working out?

A - Not working out at all. Some people are busy as the devil separating the two races. This guy Harvey was putting out letters during the last two weeks under Archie Brook's name talking about the Black folks.

Q - What is the situation with some of the Black staff and planners?

A - They are not letting them get involved in planning the programs we have going.

Q - Would that be the case with the halfway houses?

A - We sent Mary Moore and Bill Davis up there to work with those agencies. But, we don't know what the Central staff is doing. For that reason we are on a one way street.

Q - What is the make up of the Central Advisory Board?

A - There is quite a story about that. When the city first put that together there

was only going to be 6 citizens on that Board so we got different areas together to form an Ad Hoc Committee. We got together at Urban Coalition, and used them as a catalyst. We had meetings all over town last Nov., Dec. back a year ago. We wrote up a proposal and with our connections in various cities we got that proposal into Washington and got approved. It came down through Kansas City, Omaha and to the city of Des Moines, that there would be 18 citizens on that board. So they had no choice. We just had to play those games.

Q - What is best way for the Black Community to prevent our being left out, whether accidental or planned?

A - The number one thing is togetherness. We have to stop the fighting between ourselves whether its between one agency and another or between individuals.

Thank you Mr. Pickett.

Travel SAFETY

Driving with worn tires can cost more than the price of replacements. In one year almost 25% of fatal accidents along the Pennsylvania Turnpike were caused by tire troubles.

When you plan a trip to a tropical country, it's a good idea to get whatever inoculations are appropriate for the region you'll be in, whether or not the countries you're visiting require such inoculation or not. Ask your family physician about this.

Use travelers checks to provide the equivalent of cash without the worry because they're refundable if stolen or lost.

Orton Addresses Head Start

The Iowa State Head Start Parents Organization were host to Richard Orton, the National Director of Head Start Monday, May 15, at Hotel Ft. Des Moines.

Mr. Orton proved to be a dynamic speaker and was able to alleviate some of the fears prevalent among many as to the future of our program.

He stated there would be a Head Start Program on an on going basis even though it may be called by another name.

They are currently conducting an evaluation to determine how Head Start can better meet the needs of

the people it serves.

There will probably be changes in the type of program, combining various kinds of pre-school programs such as Home Start and Health Start which are pilot projects now.

Mr. Orton stated that one of the unique features of Head Start was parent involvement and there would continue to be a great deal of emphasis placed on it in the future.

We will be losing Mr. Orton at the end of this month to the state of Texas. I'm sure all of Head Start will regret this loss.

(what a waste) it's the C of C bumbling, tumbling to the rescue

That brings to mind: what in Sam's hill is the Metro Waste Agency trying to do by raising rates again. It's bad enough for low- and fixed income to meet that 'small charge'. The people of the city should withhold any additional fees until Metro gets its schedule of pick ups together.

Robinson Promoted

Mrs. Barbara J. Robinson of 1228 3rd has been promoted to the Manager Trainee Program for Dial Finance Company where she has been employed since July, 1966 as a cashier.

Married to Eddie Robinson they have 3 children, Joan Hill, Diane and Rene and one granddaughter Simone.

She is a member of Mt. Olive Baptist Church where she is church secretary, member of Princess Zorah Chapter No. 10 Zeid Court No. 50, Daughters of Des Moines Civic Club, Treas. of the Iowa Buxton Club No. 2, and member of the Mr. and Mrs. Social Club.

Mr. Robinson is employed by Swift and Co.

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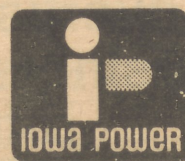
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2nd Baptist Church

The Rev. F. W. Strickland, Pastor of the Corinthian Baptist Church of Des Moines, will conduct Revival services for the 2nd Baptist Church of Ottumwa, May 22-26. A pre-revival service will be Sunday, May 21, at 7:30 p.m. with the Rev. Percy Burt and choir of the Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, Waterloo. The church choirs and other inter-city choirs will participate on the program.

The Rev. Lester Jefferson is host pastor and will preach Sunday on the subject of, "The Brothers."

Our sick and shut-ins are as follows: Mrs. Effie Green in St. Joseph Hospital and Mr. Lawrence McGill in Ottumwa Hospital. Mrs. Mary Flowers, Mrs. Geraldine Winston and Carlena Harley are at home. Mrs. Maxine Winston is in the Ottumwa Hospital.

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Second Baptist Church, had their regular Sunday morning services with the pastor, Rev. W. J. Laster, in charge, the pastor and members went to Burlington to the Baptist Congregation Church in the evening May 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Tucker, and daughter, Claudetta and Stanley, of Burlington were down to see her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Sansberry, Sunday May 7.

Fidelity Chapter No. 30, O.E.S. had their regular meeting Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Bertha Payton, May 4th, plans were made for going to Grand Chapter in June which meets in Davenport.

Allen Carter, was down to see his mother, Mrs. Hattie Carter, Saturday May 6.

Mrs. George Harper, Sr., is home after spending two weeks in Chicago, with relatives and friends. Mrs. Anna Jordan, Mrs. Gwendalyn Taylor, Mrs. Margaret Pearson, and Mrs. Audrey Mathews all entertained her.

Spates Graduates The Anderson Household



Miss Spates

Miss Peggy Spates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Spates, graduated from Drake University in the College of Education, in commencement exercises last Sunday. Miss Spates, a National Merit Scholarship winner (financed by the Edwin T. Meredith Foundation), majored in history at the secondary level and attended the University of Iowa and the University of Nairobi, East Africa, her junior year. Miss Spates will begin teaching Black and African history at East high school in Waterloo, Iowa. She will also begin graduate courses at the University of Northern Iowa.

Drake Graduation

More than 900 undergraduate and graduate students at Drake University received degrees at the 91st annual commencement Sunday, May 14, in the Drake Stadium.

Dr. Hoke L. Smith, vice-president, academic administration, gave the charge to the graduates, and Dr. John McCaw, professor of religion, gave the invocation.

An honorary degree was awarded to Neil Armstrong, the first man to set foot on the moon.

Check On Gas Leaks

A two-man gas leak survey team has started work in the Des Moines area.

According to Richard Riley, manager of customer services for Iowa Power and Light Company, the crew will be checking individual gas services of customers. This survey, he said, "is just one of the continuing precautionary checks made by Iowa Power to insure against possible gas leaks. Any leaks detected will be reported immediately to the company to facilitate fast follow-up and repair."

The customer service investigation, will inspect service from the gas main in the street to the customer's meter set. There will be no home entry.

On each school day there is much early morning activity in the home of Mrs. Doris Anderson, 2 East Creston. Her two daughters, Karen Anderson and Vicki Rothchild both share the interesting experience of teaching at Rice Elementary School.

Karen, with a degree in elementary education from Texas Southern University and a degree in special education from the University of Houston, is

teaching in the educable mentally retarded program. She will be attending graduate school at the University of Houston during the summer.

Vicki, a student at Central College, is currently assigned to Rice Elementary School for her student teaching requirement. Following a May graduation, Vicki will be leaving to join her husband, Frank Rothchild, in Washington, D.C., where they will reside.

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Karen Brown



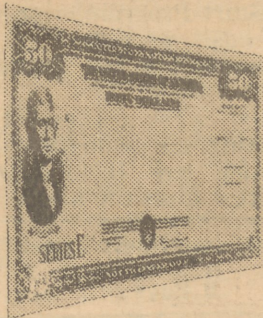
Patricia Edwards

Queen Contest

The Iowa Association of Colored Women's Club will sponsor their Annual Queen Contest June 2 and 3 in Davenport, Iowa. Miss Karen Brown, talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown of Des Moines, will be the contestant for the Parliamentary Law and Culture Club. Miss Brown is an outstanding singer and a member of Corinthian Baptist Church. Some of her hobbies are sewing, cooking, and dancing. She has represented the young people of Des Moines on several occasions. To know her, is to love her. If you love her, cast your vote for Karen in this state contest.

Miss Patricia Edwards is a Davenport lassie. She is a senior at Central High in Davenport. She ranks high in her academic work. In her community she has an outstanding personality. Vote for Miss Edwards. Other candidates will follow.

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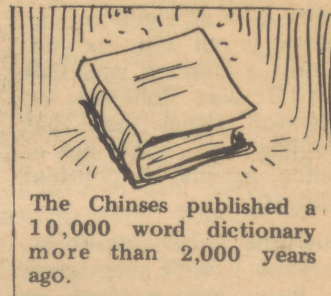
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PARIS WILLIAMS, OWNER AND OPERATOR OF "PARIS FOODLAND" thinks not of himself, but what opportunities the store will offer to young people. "This is not for me — believe me — but for my people! To help get these little kids off the street! If I had to die today, I could know that someone else, maybe one of these kids could carry on! I'd be leaving something for the kids." His staff is multiracial. In his heart, he is for all.

IF I COULD GET 20 MILLION, I would do the same identical thing. I'd put this money to some use." Paris, thinking still of black people went on to say: "What they need in this town more than anything else — the people need a black bank! There are a lot of qualified people here. But why they are pulling back I don't know! This is the right time!"

APPEARING BURDENED, WILLIAMS WENT ON TO SAY: "I am not saying this because I have the store. I can't speak for every white man in this town, but there are some darn nice white men in this town."

"I DON'T HAVE THE EDUCATION OF SOME. I am just a plain, common man. But I am trying to do something for our people. And that is the truth! You can't accomplish anything by yourself. You have to believe in people. There is somebody you can believe in. Every black man should pull together and never turn your back to your fellowman. Every black man in this country, every black man in this town."

AGAIN, HIS EMPLOYEES ARE MULTIRACIAL. His heart is open to all. Because he is black, he feels a responsibility to its youth. A need to help make a way for them and for all young people.

PARIS FOODLAND HAS REACHED OUT TO 3000 through its distribution of fliers! (Let's try to make things happen! Let's try!)

MET RAY TOMPKINS, PARIS FOODLAND'S MANAGER. Tompkins says, "People here are going to know about this store because it is going! This is just the beginning of things to come in this area! It is going to be eventual proof that blacks and whites can work together successfully! I really don't think of Paris as being black! He is my boss, owner of the store!"

"AS FAR AS WE ARE CONCERNED, there is no color barrier in this store. Everyone is treated the same. Audrey Smart here (Paris Williams' sister) asked my reaction when I learned the store was black-owned. I told her that it never crossed my mind! I didn't think of it as being black-owned. Just as the place where I'd be working!"

S O C I A L

VISITING WITH WILLIAMS IN HIS OFFICE, I met Bill Cain of Gent, Belgium. Bill is from Iowa State University. Through Coach Gus Guydon he was selected to play professionally and so complete his college work at the University of Gent. He is very pleased and is majoring in photography. It is a good opportunity, says Bill. There are very few blacks and those who are there are principally Africans. Others are ball players and these are usually Americans. Bill is originally from White Plains, New York. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cain.

MET MARVIN WESLEY, who is employed as supervisor at the Metropolitan Solid Waste Company and so can help us realize why taxes have gone up. (That really came to mind, Wesley! So much talk about ecology!) Wesley grew up around Granger, Iowa, and graduated from that high school. He is a nephew of Lindsay Crowder!

REV. ERNEST D. THOMPSON, brother of J. Walter Thompson, visited here recently. He pastors at the Baptist Church in St. Joseph, Missouri. He and his wife have a 10 year old son.

Mark. Thompson has been gone from here since 1944. He has been pastoring for about 32 years. He began at Maple Street Baptist Church and appeared in that pulpit on the occasion of his visit here.

Hunleys Entertain Again

Mr. and Mrs. Hunley had Mother's Day guests which included Mr. and Mrs. John Madison and Mr. Hunley's niece, Bernice. They enjoyed a dinner at the Holiday Inn. Then they returned home and made a lovely day of it.

Socialite Queens Meet

The Socialite Queens met May 13 at the home of Mrs. Albertha Grace 1048 - 11th St. Mrs. Mary Hardaway was co-hostess.

Following the business meeting, the Social Committee held a program in honor of mothers.

A prize for the mother with the largest family was awarded to Mrs. Martha Wheels, and a prize for the youngest mother went to Mrs. Barbara Palmer. Each member received a pretty pink rose and a delicious dinner was enjoyed by all.

The next meeting will be June 10, with hostesses Mrs. Bertie Hayter and Mrs. Leona Jordan at the home of Mrs. Hayter 1409 - 16th St.

L.T. Club

The meeting of the L. T. Club will be Wednesday, May 17, at the home of Mrs. Joann Jackson, 801 25th St.



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GWENDOLYN BROOKS

Gwendolyn Brooks was born in Topeka, Kansas, but has spent most of her life in Chicago. Educated in the Chicago school system, she graduated from Wilson Junior College. She is the author of the following books: "A Street in Bronzeville", "Annie Allen", "Maud Martha", (novel), "Bronzeville Boys and Girls" (children's verse), "The Bean Eaters", "Selected Poems", and the book-length poem, "In the Mecca", highly acclaimed by the critics, "Family Pictures" and "Jump Bad" an anthology of the new Chicago writings.

Miss Brooks visited Africa in the summer of 1971 and is currently leading a Creative Writing Class at CCNY.

The Community is invited to hear Miss Gwendolyn Brooks, black poet and Pulitzer prize winner, read poetry at a program at Irving Junior High School Auditorium at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 24th.

The program will be followed by a reception for all three authors who have participated in the Public Library's special "Visiting Author" project this spring: Miss Brooks, Mr. Henry Felsen, and Mr. Morrie Turner. The reception will take place in Irving School cafeteria and both events are free.

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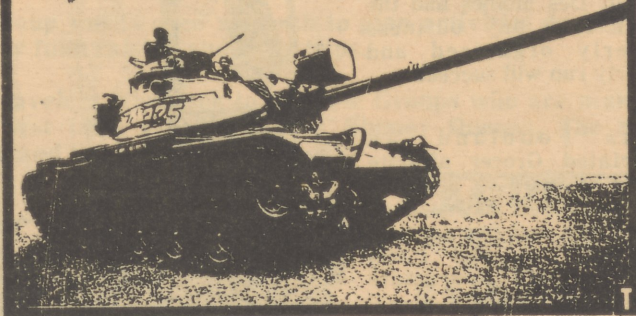


Isaac

Hayes

Stax's recording artist Isaac Hayes smiles proudly as he shows off his Academy Award Oscar and his grandmother, Mrs. Rushia Wade, to whom he presented the Oscar on her 80th birthday. Hayes received the Academy Award for his "Theme From Shaft" which was named "Best Song Of The Year."

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Vets Salute Morris



Administrator of Veterans Affairs Donald E. Johnson (center) today (May 11) presented a special citation to James B. Morris, former longtime editor and publisher of the Iowa Bystander in Des Moines. Mrs. Morris stands at right. Morris, 81, was cited for his "outstanding service to veterans of America" during the 50 years he published the Bystander, one of the nation's oldest Negro newspapers. Morris recently sold the 78-year-old publication. Johnson, a native of Iowa, was in Des Moines to speak at the annual recognition ceremony for volunteers at the Des Moines Veterans Administration Hospital.

In recognition of his service to veterans as publisher for 50 years of the Iowa Bystander, Donald Johnson, director of the Veterans Administration in Washington D.C., presented James B. Morris. The presentation was made at a luncheon at the residence of the director of the Veterans Administration hospital which was attended by several members of the hospital staff, the press and

friends. It was represented at a press conference later.

In his address of presentation, Johnson stated that he fully endorsed President's Johnson conduct of the Viet Nam War. He further stated that the Veterans Administration strongly endorses and appropriates a considerable sum to sickle cell research program. He praised Mr. Morris for his service to the people of Iowa and

particularly veterans.

Johnson was in Des Moines for the presentation of the awards program for volunteer service at the hospital, one of whom had given \$25,000.

The director is a resident of West Branch, Ia. At one time he was state commander of the American Legion, where he worked with Mr. Morris, and later became National Commander.

HEW HUD Move On Lead-Based Paint

WASHINGTON (NBNS) The U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development has decided it, after all, will require the removal of hazardous lead-based paint from HUD housing units.

The decision, which will be reflected in a new internal policy circular, will represent a reversal of a previous reversal in HUD policy on leaded paints, which often cause serious illness, mental retardation and even death in young children.

Meanwhile, the Department of Health, Education and Welfare finally has begun to act on applications to fund community programs to prevent lead-based paint poisoning, under legislation enacted more than a year ago.

HEW announced formal guidelines for grants under the Lead-Based Poison Prevention Act, which became law on January 13, 1971. Then it began processing 58 current applications totaling \$35.6 million, for grants from the \$6.5 million available to fund local prevention programs.

Originally planned as a three-year program of demonstration grants, the

act was delayed in Congress and finally ended up with authorizations totaling \$25 million for HEW programs for 1971 and 1972. Only \$7.5 million was appropriated — for fiscal year 1972 — and \$1 million of this was for administration. Des Moines, Ia. has been allocated a total of \$267,900.

Breakfast Club

The Civic Breakfast Club had their annual May Breakfast at the home of Mrs. Luke Moore, 905 Laurel St., May 15. Guests were: Mrs. Jessie Davis, Mrs. Francis Morrow, Mrs. Bessie Lucas, and Mrs. Willie Dismute. Mrs. Meleda Beck gave highlights of the club from 1954-1972. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Beck. Mrs. Meleda Beck is president.

Rosa L. Gragg Club

The Rosa L. Gragg Club met April 9th in Perry, Iowa at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Oscars as hostess. The Club and their guest had a lovely social evening.

May 13th the Rosa L. Gragg Club had a lovely party celebrating the birthdays of three members, Mrs. Margaret Sorrell, Mrs. Martha Taylor and Mrs. Ruby Spencer at the home of our hostess and President, Mrs. Vivian Pruitt. The Club was served by our hostess, delicious turkey and dressing with all the trimmings and fun for all lasted late into the evening.

Mrs. Griffin

Mrs. Stanley Griffin will be installed as president of Unity Circle of the First Unitarian Church, at a luncheon, Thursday, May 11th. Mrs. Griffin is a member of the Unitarian-Universalist national board.

Miss Dawson Engaged



Miss Dawson

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Dawson, Farmington, Iowa announce the engagement of their daughter, Vivian to William Smith, II. He is the son of Mrs. Inez Smith, Augusta, Georgia and the Rev. William R. Smith, St. Petersburg, Florida. Miss Dawson is a graduate of Farmington Public High School, Farmington, Iowa. Her fiance is a graduate of Gibbs Senior High School, St. Petersburg, Florida and attended St. Petersburg College at St. Petersburg, Florida.

Bayles Move

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bayles moved April 27th from 915 - 17th to their new home 701 - 41st. The new Bird - Grant school will include the premises of their former home.

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Sports Then



With Allen Ashby

Reading the accounts of Iowa University's Fred Mims and his role in bringing the Big Ten baseball title to Iowa, makes me wonder if there were ever very many black baseball players in Iowa colleges. I have never followed college baseball very closely in the state, but around here, most of the fellows who could have made college baseball teams played on the black semi-pro teams that were so numerous until the sixties, or

was it the middle fifties? There were a couple of fellows, now deceased that I can think of, and they both played in the days when things weren't very encouraging for black baseballers. There was the late Leonard Anderson, who played second base for the old Des Moines University in the early twenties. Andy was often called one of the greatest ends in East Des Moines High football. He went to the Des Moines school where he played end on the football team and second base for the baseball team for four years. The other guy was the late Charley Howard. Charley was a pretty good hitting first baseman for Drake in the years right after World War I. In fact, he was so valuable to the Bulldogs that they scheduled a game with Washington University in St. Louis, and the team refused to take the field against the black player. Well, Drake refused to take the field

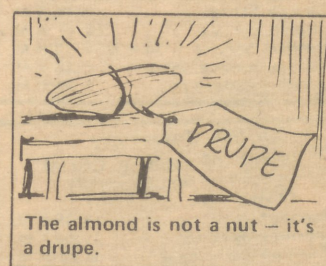
without Howard, and there was a standoff for a while. But the home team finally gave in, and Charley played. Talking about it to me in later years, Charley said that he swung at anything that didn't go over the backstop because if he didn't it was a strike anyway. Don't know how true this is, but he swore that he threw his bat at a wide pitch and got a hit. I don't think that Howard knew that I had read the accounts of the game in the St. Louis papers when it was played, and he did get a couple of hits as I remember. I believe the late Sol Butler was a four sportsman for Dubuque U. baseball, football, track and basketball. And I guess Sol had his troubles with teams not wanting to play against him, too. But they say that Sol hit balls through the infield so hard that people thought they were being shot at, so it could be understood why teams didn't want any part of him.

But a large part of this refusing to play against black players wasn't always due to prejudice. The other team reasoned correctly that if the black boy was on the team, he had to be good, and was more than likely a key player. So, if they could get him out, they had a better chance to win. A favorite stunt was to offer to bench the player who played the same position as the black, to "even things out." But the fellows would have a substitute playing, and bench him, bringing in the regular player.

On this subject, there was a player for North High who was an outstanding star, and one of the local schools would bring in a sub to call the fellow a bad name. Said player would slug the name caller, and out of the game he would go, often on the very first play. I happened to know one of the name callers. I asked him if he really disliked the guy. He said no, but he had to do his

job. But then he wished he had known how hard that guy hit. "I never would have called him anything but Mister." Said he really liked the guy.

Of course, in later years there must have been some black baseballers around the state that I have missed. Maybe somebody will let me know if I did. But some of the finest high school blacks went into semi-pro or tried out with the old Negro leagues. Surely I missed one.



Sports Now

Travelers Leave For Third Nat'l Tourney



Grand Lanes Travelers I, left to right, Willmetta Jones, Gretchen Jaco, Velma McCune, Ethel Lewis and Lavenia Henderson.

Travelers Team I & II will leave for their third National WIBC Bowling Tournament. This year the girls will be sponsored by Grand Lanes.

The Groups were the first black women's bowling teams from Des Moines to enter a National Tournament. Going to Tulsa, Oklahoma in April 1970; Atlanta Georgia in May of 1971; and this year to Kansas City, Mo. on May 19 thru May 22nd.

In 1970 Velma McCune and Ethel Lewis won prize money in the doubles event and Velma McCune, Gretchen Jaco, Doris Jackson and Ethel Lewis in the singles event.

In 1971 Prizes were won by the Travelers Team No. I; Doubles event, Dorothy McCurn and Deloris Davis, Singles events, Ethel Lewis, Deloris Davis and Dorothy McCurn.

The Group meets once a month to plan activities during the year for fund raising and their trips.

The Travelers wish luck to the new Groups who are making their first trips this year; The Ebony Queens, The Soul Sisters and the Lillie Tate's Teams.



Grand Lanes Travelers II, left to right, Dorothy McCurn, Barbara Robinson, Deloris Davis, Doris Jackson and Gwen Stubbs.

YPC Bowlers

The Young Peoples' Council Bowling League began January 9, 1972 and ended April 30, with Twenty-four (24) bowlers participating. The instructor was Mr. Richard K. Henderson who was assisted by Mr. LeRoy Kaiser, S.R.

This was the first league that these individuals ever took active part in. Interest and sportsmanship was shared by all.

The teams and their captains are:

Team I
LeRoy Kaiser, Jr. Capt.; Steve Berry, Allison Garrison, Robert Frazier, Kayle Kaiser, and Johnetta Taylor.

Team II
Bruce F. Taylor, Capt.;

Herbert Brown, Howard Logan, Greg Perry, Lelita Powell, and Charlene Smith.

Team III
Walter Matlock, Capt.; Anita Brown, Sandra Brown, Jonetta Cameron, Harry Camp, and Denice Eubanks.

Team IV
Leonard Bradley, Capt.; Venise Berry, Stephanie Michael, Debbie Nicholson, Barbara Smith, and Thomas Moore.

Alters:
Ike Green and Jadeans Eubanks.

Those receiving trophies according to highest average:

LeRoy Kaiser, Jr., Leonard Bradley, Bruce F. Taylor, Venise Berry, Stephanie Michael, and Lolita Powell.

Morrow Wins Match

Mark Morrow, a freshman at North High, won over Max Spelica of Roosevelt High in a tennis match 6 to 0 and 9 to 7 which has moved North High to the state tournament. This is the first time a Black player has won a District Tournament and also the first time North has beaten Roosevelt. Mark is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morrow, 2912 N. Union.



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B.T.U. 6:00 P.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

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REV. HENDERSON DAVIS
Church School 9:30 A.M.
Church Service 10:45 A.M.
Vespers Service 6:30 P.M.-7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service, Wed. 7:30 P.M.
Youth Fellowships 5:30 P.M.

East University Church of God in Christ
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Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 8:00 P.M.
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Weekly evening services Tuesday and Friday 8:00 P.M.

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Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

Community Baptist Church
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Rev. Guy L. Sanders, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
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Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
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Tuesday evening Bible Band 7:00 P.M.
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Bethel A.M.E. Church
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REV. IVAN JOHNSON, Pastor
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Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P.M.
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Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Worship 11:00 A.M.
Prayer Service Wed., 8:00 P.M.

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Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
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Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
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ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

There will be a Harmony Vesper Service at St. Paul A.M.E. Church, 1201 Day Street, Sunday evening, May 21st at 6 p.m. This is the final vesper worship service in connection with the Women's Day effort. Expected guests will be the Youth and Senior Choirs of Morning Star Baptist Church; the Senior Choir of Mount Olive Baptist Church; the Wings of Grace and the Zionette Singers. Rev. Alex Crawford will give a sermonette on the Women's Day theme "The Power of God". Special guest soloist will be our own pastor, Dr. Henderson S. Davis. Our other special ministerial guest will be Rev. H. R. Fields. Mrs. Ruth Davis is General Chairman; Mrs. Dorris Wilson is Co-Chairman and Mrs. Clara Eaves is chairman of this worship service. Please come and worship with us.

OUR SAVIOUR'S BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Revival at Our Saviour's Baptist Church. Rev. L. W. Wallace of Crenshaw, Mississippi will be starting his revival May 22, Monday night at 7:30 p.m. Evangelist L. W. Wallace will conduct services for five nights. All are welcome and feel free to come. Pastors and various churches and choirs are to be here at the revival. Host Pastor is Rev. T. R. Brown.

KYLES AME ZION CHURCH NEWS

Sunday morning, May 21, Rev. Peavy will speak on the subject, "Jesus Speaks to the Church Then and Now" at the 11 a.m. worship service. The Young Men's Choir will sing. The climax of the week long celebration of the 12th Anniversary of Rev. and Mrs. Peavy will be Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. Rev. G. H. Taylor and Rev. Henry Simmons their choirs and congregations will be guests.

FOREST AVENUE COGIC CHURCH NEWS

Our Bishop preached a very powerful and inspiring message in honor of all mothers Sunday morning. Several outstanding members of the community graced the service with their presences. You should have witnessed the affectionate spirit of love flooding the atmosphere with warmth as sons and daughters embraced their mothers in response to our Bishop Carters discourse. Many souls were extremely blessed.

Sunday Morning Service will begin at a new set time: from 11:30 to 1:00 for the people's convenience.

Sunday afternoon service was held in honor of our church Mother Watson; 7 year old talented genius

drummer, Stevie Carter and several others rendered beautiful selections on program.

Sunday night two outstanding selections were given by the Forest Avenue Youth Choir and the United Soul Echos. Special evening offering totaled around \$50.00.

To Be Announced
WE WILL BE HAVING A 3-DAY REVIVAL IN THE NEAR FUTURE. THE GUEST SPEAKER WILL BE NONE OTHER THAN THE FAMED GOSPEL SONGSTER, SISTER SHIRLEY CEASAR. THE REVIVAL IS TO BE HELD SOMETIME THIS JULY. THE EXACT DATE WILL BE ANNOUNCED LATER.

The Forest Avenue Church is the church of the people, by the people, and established for the people. We are here to serve our brothers and sisters locally in our community, as well as internationally abroad. You are cordially invited to attend any of our services. You are us, our brothers in the struggle. Everyone welcome.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS



While Rev. Strickland is recuperating from surgery, Rev. Albert N. Fox will bring the message Sunday at the 11:00 a.m. worship service.

At 7:00 p.m., Mr. Earnest "Speck" Redd, pianist, will be presented in a recital, "Gospel in Song." This program is sponsored by the Fellowship Chorus. On Sunday, May 28, the Soul Gospeliers will be presented by the Courtesy Committee in an evening program.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The Mother's Day program in Mt. Zion Baptist Church was sponsored by the General Mission, Rebecca Circle and Matrons served the Mother's and Daughters Banquet Sat. P.M. in the dining hall at 6:00 P.M. Mrs. Westella Thompson, was guest speaker, musical selection was by the Henry Dawson family, and the Heavenly Voice.

Sunday at 11:00 A.M. The Rev. LeRoy White, Pastor delivered the Mother's Day Message the Youth Choir furnish the music.

At 4:00 P.M. Mrs. LeRoy White, was guest speaker, the Senior Choir furnished the music, Cynthia White sang a solo, the programs was well attended.

Sunday May 21, the Rev. LeRoy White, will preach in Mt. Zion Baptist at Eleven A.M. the Senior Choir will sing.

The Youth Choir will present a service in gospel music at 5:00 P.M. May 21. Mary Carr is President.

Mt. Zion Church will worship with Bethel A.M.E. Church Sunday at 7:30 P.M. the Pastor will Preach his Choirs will furnish the music.

ST. PAUL AME CHURCH NEWS

"Sowing and Reaping" is the subject of Dr. Henderson Davis' Sermon at the 10:45 a.m. service Sunday, May 21st. This is Building Fund Emphasis Sunday and the St. Paul Choir will be singing special selections.

At 6:00 p.m. Harmony Vespers will be presented. This is a special effort for Women's Day sponsored by Mrs. Clara Eaves.

We're happy to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Garland Markham and Mrs. Jean Lawson to the St. Paul Church Family.

On Saturday, May 20th an Old Fashioned Ice Cream Social will be held in the Fellowship Hall from 3:00 p.m. until. All of the rich, creamy, home-made Ice Cream and Cake you can eat. Miss Diana King is the Women's Day Captain sponsoring this delicious treat.

The Official Board will meet on Monday, May 22nd, at 7:30 p.m. at the church. Don't forget Women's Day, Sunday, May 28th.

PILGRIM BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

At the 11 a.m. service our Pastor will preach. His sermon subject is "Forget and Remember." At 4:00 the Holland Family will render a service. There will be a service at 7:00 p.m.

MORNING STAR BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

There will be a musical program at Morning Star Baptist Church at 4 p.m. May 21, presenting the Gospel Pearls, True Light Singers, and the Cosmic Singers from Chicago. Everyone is cordially invited. The church is located at 1150 13th. Pastor, Rev. Alex Crawford.

A bus will be leaving Morning Star Baptist Church May 28 at 12 noon to Waterloo for L. J. Jordan's Anniversary with Union Missionary Baptist Church. Contact Rev. Crawford at 274-2060 or 244-6021.

COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

At the 11 a.m. service, the text will be "The Day of the Son of Man." Wednesday night at 8:00 Prayer service and choir rehearsal Tuesday evening at 6:30.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Macedonia will be going to Kyles A.M.E. Friday night at 7:30 p.m. Pastor Rev. Advance Harden will speak and the Youth Choir will sing. Rev. Harden will speak next Sunday on the Holy Ghost.

SECTION

UNION BAPTIST
CHURCH NEWS

Pastor Thomas sermon subject for last Sunday was, "The Love and Faith of True Mothers in Action." Among the out-of-town visitors were Debra Marshall, D. Ivory Hunter, Ira Hunter from Lexington, Mo., and Mrs. Ida Lee Johnson from Mexico, Mo. Mrs. Mary Parker announced her candidacy for State Representative and asked the church to support her through prayers. Revival services are being held Sunday, May 1 through Tuesday, May 16 at Union Baptist Church at 7 p.m. and Wednesday, May 17 through Friday, May 19 the services will be held at Maple Street Baptist Church at 7 p.m. Rev. Z. W. Williams from Omaha, Neb. is guest speaker. The combined choirs will furnish the music. Host Pastors are Rev. H. I. Thomas and Rev. George Parrish. Sunday, May 21, after morning services the Junior Usher Board will sponsor a smorgasboard. Dinners will be served until 3 p.m. Mrs. Mary Hawkins is chairman. At 2:30 p.m. the Mothers and Deaconess Council will meet at Union Baptist Church. Rev. James Harris and choirs will be guests. At 6 p.m. the Junior Usher Board will observe their anniversary. Miss Tarla Crumb will be the speaker. Mrs. Mary Hawkins is chairman. Friday, May 26, at 7:30 p.m. Union Baptist Church and Maple Street Baptist Church will have a combined extravaganza at Union Baptist Church. Men and Women's Day is June 25. Dorothy Snyder and Roscoe Lockett are chairman.

SHILOH BAPTIST
CHURCH NEWS

Pastor, Rev. William S. Heath will bring the message at the morning service. The Junior Usher Board will present a program May 28 at 4:00 p.m., "Light, Life, Love and Death." The Men's Choir, Gospel Choir, and Pilgrim Baptist Choir will furnish the music. Please come and be with us. This may be your life.

Mt. Zion
Orlabor

Rev. Henry L. Simmons, Pastor. Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. we will have visitors; Associate Pastor David Abram and his choir of St. John's Lutheran Church, Des Moines, will conduct services.

BENEFITS BY
SPECK REDD

Corinthian Baptist Church's Music Dept. is presenting famed pianist, Speck Redd, in a program at 7:00 Sunday evening, May 21.

Mr. Redd is appearing in a benefit performance to help raise funds to pay for the Corinthian Church's new piano and organ.

All are urged to come and participate and so make this affair a success.

Poets Corner
Jesus What A Cross

(Poem Sermonette)

Through the present smog and pollution,
You are still the 1972 solution.
For naked, bare and sinful souls
For sin-filled lives and hearts
that are stony and cold

Jesus, What a cross?
Where is the Calvary road?
Jesus is the way for you and me,
Where is the road to the foot of the cross,
The road that the lost can see
Jesus, What a cross?

Jesus what a cross,
Yet we will help to share
By letting men and women know
Jesus died for their sins, he cares.
Many are looking all around
Jesus is the Center of Calvary
Others are accepting false Gods
And missing the boat and
the Captain Jesus of the
Sea of Galilee
We'll tell them they have a
hell to shun and

a heaven to gain
Many are too busy with the
don't ask me look,
Too proud to help men and
women study in the Good Book.

Jesus, what a cross!
But with love you come to
life the burdened,
And those shackled with sin
We are your followers and
we will go,

into the ghettos your
love to show,
We are Christians and Saints
and will let the world know,
Of God's gift of Jesus from
above,

His matchless grove and
undying love
Jesus, what a cross,
Hanging between two thieves
Yet he was willing to grant
paradise if the thief would
believe.

Which are you? The saved or
the lost?
Let this our humble prayer
always be,
In thy kingdom Lord
remember me.

Jesus, darling Jesus, Oh!
what a cross.

Bettie Frazier

Missionary
Society

The East Side Union Missionary Society is holding its 16th Annual pre-Thanksgiving Benefit Program Sunday afternoon, May 28, at Mt. Hebron Baptist Church, West Des Moines, at 3:30 p.m. The following choirs will sing: Kyles A.M.E. Zion, Mt. Hebron Baptist Choir, Shiloh Men's Chorus. Mrs. John Blakley is program Chairman. Mrs. Nancy Hickman is president.

Theodosia
Court Meets

Theodosia Court No. 5, R.E.O.A. will meet May 21 at the Masonic Hall, 1121 Clark, at 4 p.m. Royal Matron, Mrs. Bertie Hayter, requests attendance of all members as urgent business must be transacted.

Princess Oziel
Meets

Princess Oziel No. 9, O.E.S. will meet on May 25, at Doric Masonic Hall, 1617 Crocker, at 8 p.m. At the April meeting Mr. Chauncey Jones was awarded the Linen Hamper which was given by the Ways and Means Committee of the chapter. Mrs. Ruby Wilson is Worthy Matron.

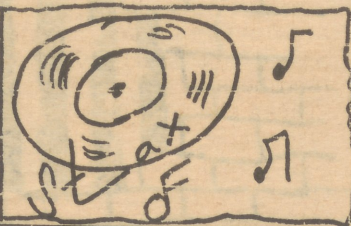
Philadelphia
SDA Church

Sunday Morning May 21, at 11 A.M. Philadelphia's Pastor G. H. Taylor and choir will make an appearance on CHURCH OF THE AIR on KRNT - TV.

The NEW LIFE singers, a group of youth, from Indianola, Iowa will be presented in a public program on Wednesday evening, May 24 - 7:00 P.M. at Philadelphia SDA Church. Proceeds are for A WORTHY STUDENT fund. All are invited to 1150 West 13th for an evening of musical enjoyment.

First Ladies

The Young Matrons of Shiloh Baptist Church will present the pageant, "First Ladies", Sunday, May 21, at 3 p.m. Participants from all churches throughout the city will be on the program. A Tea will follow in the Fellowship Hall in the church.



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OBITUARIES



Margaret Bonds

Another brilliant and gifted artist composer pianist in the person of Margaret Bonds Richardson has been found dead in bed some three days not being seen by her colleagues and students at Inner City Cultural Center where she was assistant Music Director for the past three years.

Her husband Lawrence Richardson of New York and Kentucky and her daughter Djana are scheduled to fly in from Los Angeles to escort the body to Chicago for the funeral services and subsequent internment after she lies in State although plans were incomplete at press time.

Luke wrote in the Bible that "Judge not, and ye shall not be judged: condemn not, and ye shall not be condemned: forgive, and ye shall be forgiven." (Luke 6:37)

YOUR
GARDEN

Fruit bushes and dwarf trees do have some capacity to resist disease, although they are relatively helpless against a plague of insects. What can you do about diseases and bugs?

First off, it will help to combat both if you keep your trees and bushes clean. All trash, dropped fruit, broken branches, twigs, etc., should be removed and burned to kill the spores of



Keep the area around each bush or dwarf tree cultivated and free of weeds. Diseases flourish in warm, moist and windless places. You may not be able to do much about sunshine and rain, but it's often possible to plant a bush or dwarf tree so that it gets a fair amount of breeze.

That is why so much of the spray program is best concentrated in the first weeks of the growing season. One of the most important things you can do to help your bushes and dwarf trees bear more fruit is to use an all-purpose insecticide every two weeks throughout the growing season. One of the most effective, broad-spectrum insecticides used for this purpose is Spectracide, containing diazinon. It not only stops over 120 common varieties of bugs on dwarf trees and bushes, but also in gardens, lawns, and on patios. In spraying, it's essential to cover the plant thoroughly, so that bugs on the underside of the leaves get it too.

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Editorial

Black Americans have many domestic concerns which normally override any interest in our country's foreign policy. But President Nixon has clearly gone too far in his escalation of the war in Vietnam.

For the first time, blacks have taken the lead in demanding that the President stop wasting our substance in Indochina, that he stop risking all of our lives in a futile effort to support the South Vietnamese regime, and that he stop acting as if the American people had nothing to say about what he does with the power vested in him.

The Congressional Black Caucus immediately labelled the President's latest escalation as one of the "most barbarous acts of war" in our history.

Congressman John Conyers (D-Mich.) and several of his colleagues have moved to impeach the President for his flagrant abuses of his power as Commander in Chief. They recognize that what he is doing is a complete subversion of the constitutional system which lodges the power of declaring war in the

Legislative Branch of our government.

Even more significant was the astonishment of the nation's capital when a spontaneous demonstration at the Capitol of hundreds of students from Washington's Eastern High School telegraphed the message that young Blacks are sick and tired of the way in which the foreign policy of this country is conducted.

This was the first predominately black anti-war demonstration in the history of a city which has known many, many anti-war efforts. But the young black students at Eastern High were not following a trend. They were acting on their concern, while many of their elders were in a state of shock.

Black Americans have not been the leaders in anti-war protests in the past, but they have been the leaders in pointing up the outrages of a society whose institutions have become a mockery of our democratic ideals.

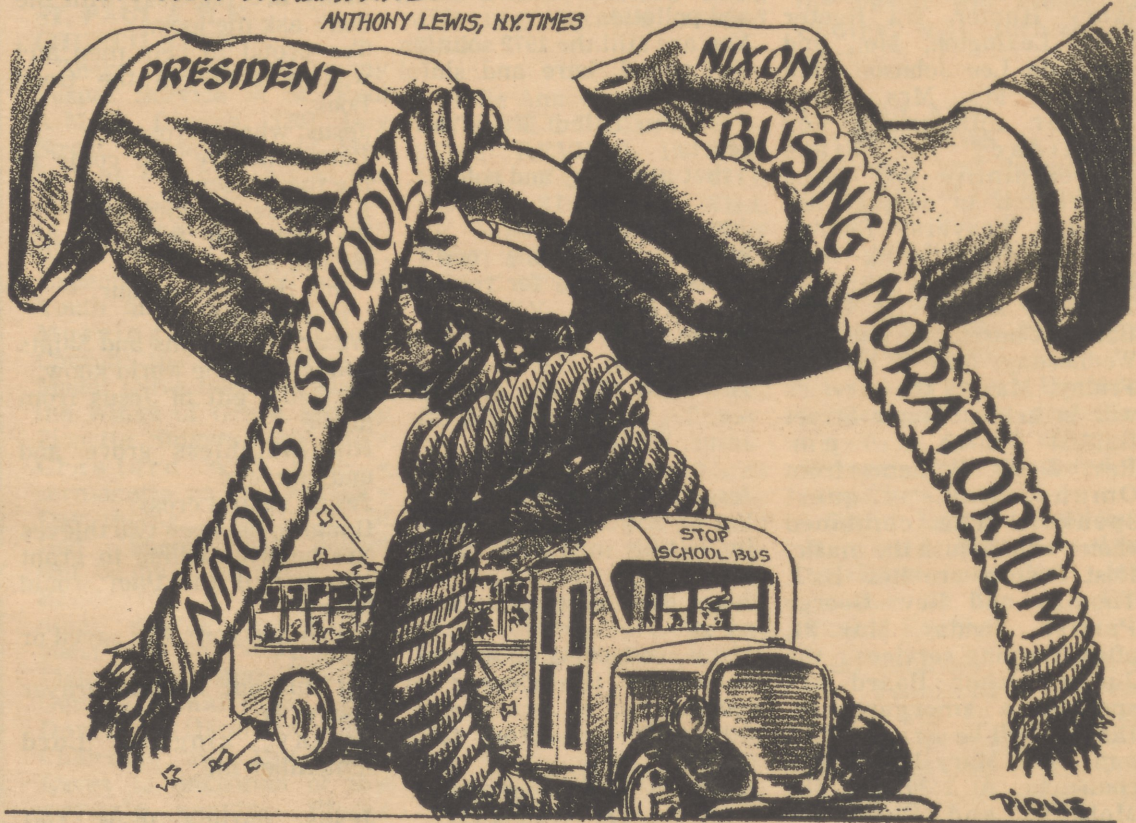
The arrogance of the President's action, without any consultation with the representatives of the people, is simply too much for people who believe in self government.

CREATING "MASS HYSTERIA" AGAINST BUSING...

"IN TWO DECADES THE PATTERN OF SEGREGATED LIFE HAS BEEN BROKEN IN LAW AND IN FACT. IT HAS BEEN ONE OF THE GREAT SOCIAL AND MORAL ACHIEVEMENTS IN AMERICAN HISTORY, PERHAPS THE GREATEST. THE SOUTH MET COURT ORDERS WITH EVASION AND VIOLENCE, BUT THE COURTS STOOD FIRM."

"IT IS THAT HISTORY, THAT ACHIEVEMENT OF THE LAST TWENTY YEARS THAT PRESIDENT NIXON'S PROGRAM AGAINST SCHOOL BUSING NOW THREATENS."

ANTHONY LEWIS, NYTIMES



Open Letter

As one American citizen, I was so utterly stunned at first reports of the President's recent decision to mine the harbors of North Vietnam, that my first reaction was one of shock, grief and despair; I wanted to write in angry protest to every leader who could be reached.

Deliberately I have waited these several days to see if new facts could alter that impression. Instead I am more convinced than ever of the utter tragedy of a decision continuing the course of expansion—and bringing us closer than ever to world disaster at a moment when our bigness could be the movement nudging the world down a new course to hope and cooperation.

If the war was intended to stop Communism, it has achieved anything but that result. Not only has the nature of our actions added credibility to the Communist movement in Southeast Asia, but around the world. Many significant authorities, even in military and intelligence circles, have increasingly cited the strategic blunder of continuing the current course. Allies and friends, and experienced diplomats of our own, have warned in advance of the tragedy inherent in courses we have taken. How utterly tragic at a time when the world needs an example of the moral potential of democracy!

If the war was intended to save the people of Vietnam, it has ended up destroying more of its civilians, let alone those of Laos and Cambodia, than of enemy troops, through indiscriminate bombing and shelling.

If the war was intended to protect our homeland, it has only led to the greater possibility of its total destruction by nuclear confrontation, let alone the devastation of its resources.

While propagandizing a de-escalation of the war, this administration has tragically widened a war already seriously in question under the action of previous administrations; dropping a greater tonnage of bombs than under all previous administrations involved with Vietnam. An intensive technological air war has been extended into Cambodia and Laos, on the heels of an underground war that had been for some time denied.

We have claimed to be defending a people who have called for our help, yet the government we support in Vietnam is so corrupt that its political adversaries are imprisoned, its elections a mockery, its armies hopelessly without morale, and tyrannical rule enforced on the populace, no better than that which we say we are there to oppose.

The position of the adjoining government in Cambodia has become so weakened by the war policy that similar circumstances there are imminent.

To that end, I pledge every energy I as one citizen can muster. I urge you, America's leaders, to share in that agonizing reappraisal and redirection. Help us enable this land to prove itself the moral and spiritual neighbor we have so long claimed it by our legends to be!

Kenneth A. Fineran
3303 Iola Ave.
Des Moines, Iowa 50312

NAACP

Regional Election

Elected as secretary and assistant secretary of the fourth NAACP Region which met in Denver week before last, were Ms. Marjorie E. W. Smith, and Mrs. Rosa H. Johnson. They will participate in the National Convention which meets in Detroit from July 3rd thru the 10th.

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H. & VAL J. ROTHSCHILD,
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Plaintiff,

vs.

GEORGE THOMAS GREEN
and
LILA MAY GREEN, husband
and wife; CONSOLIDATED
SUPPLY COMPANY
OF DES MOINES, INC.,
and POLK COUNTY, IOWA
Defendants.

TO: GEORGE THOMAS
GREEN and LILA MAY
GREEN, husband and wife;
CONSOLIDATED SUPPLY
COMPANY OF DES MOINES,
INC.; and POLK COUNTY,
IOWA.

YOU AND EACH OF YOU
ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that
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of the plaintiff in the above
entitled cause of action in the
office of the Clerk of the District
Court of the State of Iowa, in
and for Polk County, claiming
your judgment in the sum of
Seventeen Thousand Sixty-six
and 95/100 Dollars (\$17,066.95)
with interest thereon at the rate
of Eight and One-half per cent
(8 1/2%) per annum, for March 31,
1971, on the first mortgage note,
made, executed and delivered to
General Mortgage Corporation of
Iowa by the defendants
George Thomas Green and Lila
May Green, husband and wife,
on or about the 23rd day of
October, 1970, and subsequently
thereto has been duly and
legally re-assigned to this
plaintiff, which amount includes
late charges and continuation of
abstract of title. Plaintiff's
petition further asks for the
costs of this action, including
statutory attorney fees and
other items of expense
permitted to be paid by this
plaintiff, and that the aggregate
plaintiff, and that the aggregate
of all such sums in judgment be
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wit:

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Green and Lila May Green,
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Corporation of Iowa on March 3,
1971, and reassigned to H. & Val
J. Rothschild, Inc., plaintiff, on
or about the 15th day of March,
A.D., 1972, and that the same be
established and confirmed and
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manner sufficient to pay
plaintiff's said debts, together
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full, and that any right, title or
interest that you or each of you
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and to the same be found,
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mortgage lien; that your equity
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and foreclosed, except the
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and that a Receiver be
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the above described property,
and apply the rents and profits
therefrom to pay all remaining
amounts on the said sum owing
the plaintiff herein under order
of this court and possession
continue during the year of
redemption, or until the sums
are paid in full.

For further information, see
plaintiff's petition now on file.

Plaintiff in said petition asks
for a judgment in rem against
the real estate and for all
general and other equitable
relief.

YOU ARE ALSO HEREBY
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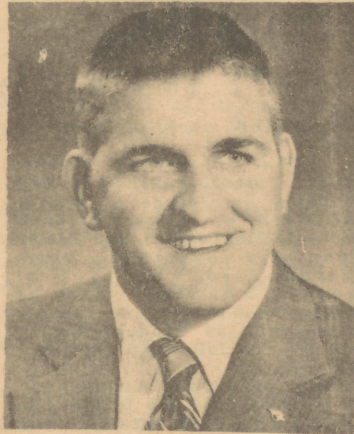
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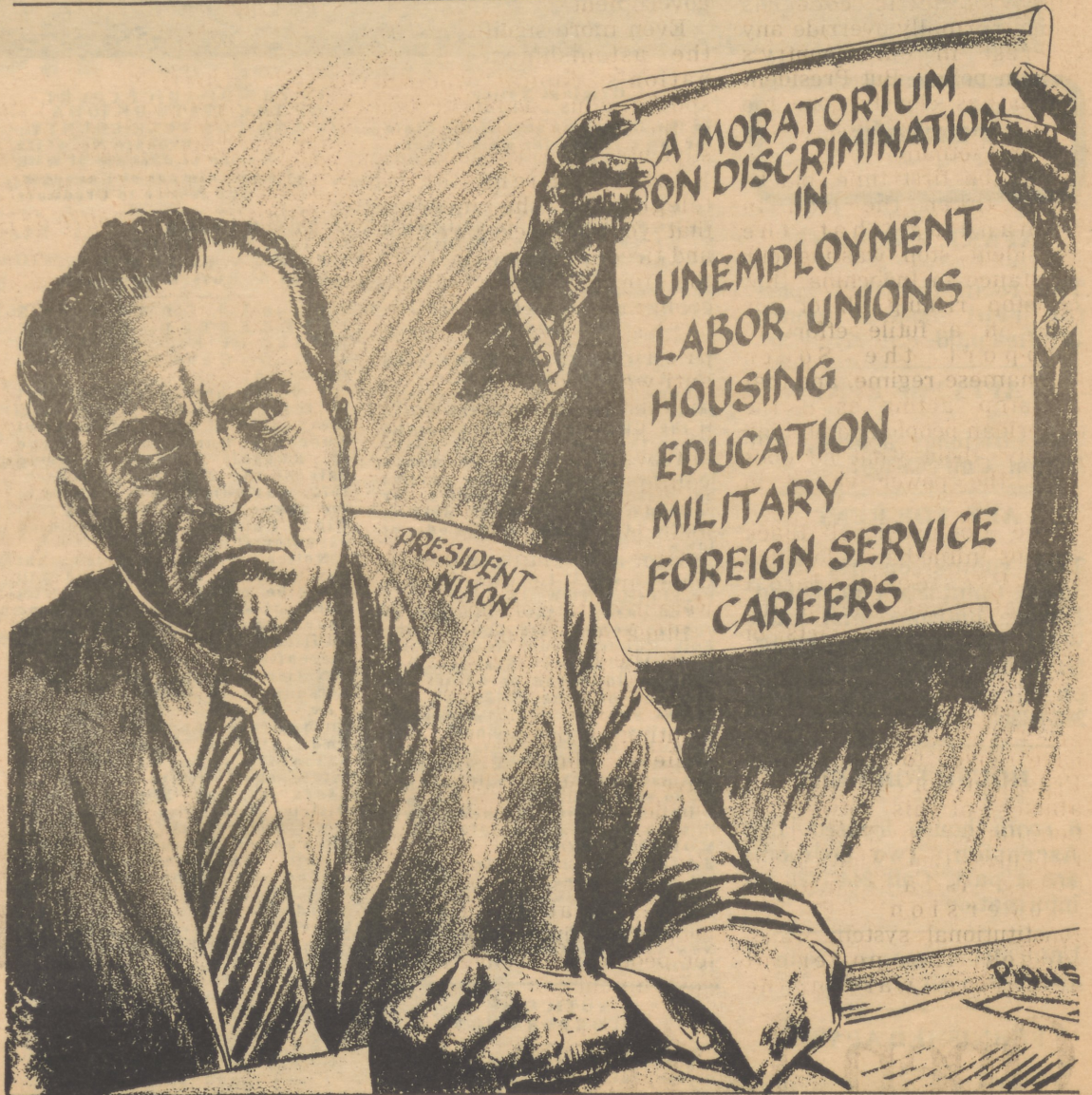


Richard E. Kauffman

RICHARD E. KAUFFMAN, former Special Agent, Office of Special Investigations, Department of Air Force, an announced candidate for Polk County Sheriff, today filed his nomination papers consisting of more than 1700 signatures.

KAUFFMAN, 38, retired from the Air Force in January, 1972. Prior to retirement, he was in charge of the local Field Office of Special Investigations. KAUFFMAN stated that he has 20 years experience in Management, Intelligence, and Law Enforcement. Over 9 of these years have been as Special Agent for the Office of Special Investigations. During one year of this period (1969-70) KAUFFMAN was on assignment to Vietnam, working in narcotics and black market investigations. KAUFFMAN'S experience includes criminal, counterintelligence investigations, and protection of high ranking government officials.

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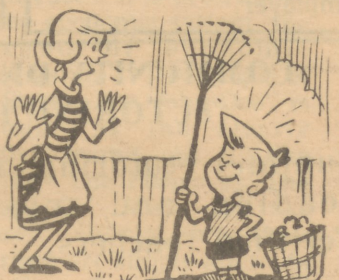
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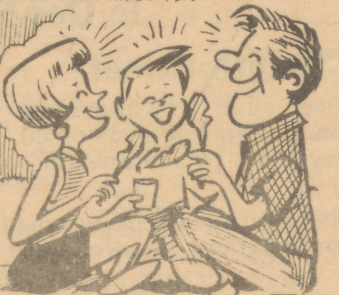
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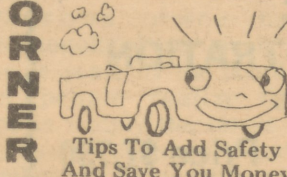


WHEN A BOY OR GIRL CLEANS UP THE YARD, IT IS ONLY NATURAL TO COMMENT ON HOW HARD THE YOUNGSTER HAS WORKED, AND ON HOW GOOD THE YARD LOOKS. BUT AVOID GROSS OVERSTATEMENT OF YOUR SATISFACTION. WORDS OF PRAISE SHOULD MIRROR FOR THE CHILD A REALISTIC PICTURE OF HIS ACCOMPLISHMENTS.



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TO: RICHARD K. KANE, the above named Respondent. You are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk in the above named Court the petition of the above named petitioner which prays that the marriage of the parties be dissolved and annulled for reasons set forth in Section 598.29 (4) of the 1972 Code of Iowa.

FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS SEE PETITION NOW ON FILE.

You are further notified to appear before said Court at the Polk County Court House, Fifth and Mulberry Street, Des Moines, Iowa, on or before the 15th day of June, 1972, and that unless you so appear in person, in writing, or by counsel, your default will be entered and judgment or decree rendered against you for the relief prayed for in said petition.

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 5th day of April, 1972. MORRIS & MORRIS By James B. Morris, Jr. 221 Locust Street Des Moines, Iowa 50309 Attorneys for Petitioner Printed and published in the New Iowa Bystander on May 11, 18 and 25, 1972.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

NOTICE is hereby given of the incorporation of "McClure and Lull, Inc."

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JACK G. LULL, President ROBERT K. McCLURE, Vice President

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TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Eugene A. Russell a k a Gene A. Russell Deceased:

You are hereby notified that on the 26th day of April, 1972, the Last Will and Testament of Eugene A. Russell a k a Gene A. Russell deceased bearing date of the 27th day of March, 1972, was admitted to probate in the above named Court and that Olga Palmieri was appointed executor of said estate.

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OLGA M. PALMIERI Executor of said Estate 1321 E. 33rd St.

N. E. HYLAND 3011 A Ingersoll Attorney for said Executor Printed and published in the New Iowa Bystander on May 11, 1972 and date of second publication May 18, 1972.

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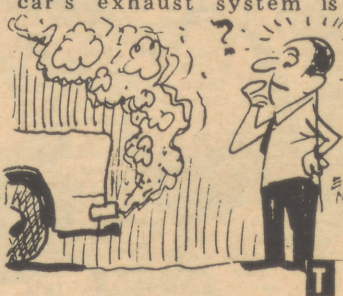
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"All black prisoners, wherever they are, whatever their crimes, even crimes against other Blacks, are political prisoners because the system has dealt with them differently than with whites. Whitey gets the benefit of every law, every loophole, and the benefit of being judged by his peers — other white people. Blacks don't get the benefit of any such jury trial by peers. Such a trial is almost a cinch to result in the conviction of a black person, and it's a conscious political decision that blacks don't have those benefits" (Howard Moore Jr., attorney, official "of" the court, but not "for" the court — he's in a position to know — he's honest, black, and dedicated enough to tell).

"The purpose of the chief repressive institutions within the totalitarian capitalist state is clearly to discourage and prohibit certain activity, and the prohibitions are aimed at very distinctly defined sectors of the class - and - race - sensitized society. The ultimate expression of law is not order — it's prison. There are hundreds upon hundreds of prisons, and thousands upon thousands of laws, yet there is no social order, no social peace. Anglo - Saxon bourgeois law is tied firmly into economics. One can even pick that out of those Vital Statistics. Bourgeois law protects property relations and not social relationships.

There are more prisons of all categories in the United States than in all other countries of the world combined.

Prisons were not institutionalized on such a massive scale by the people. Most people realize that crime is simply the result of a grossly disproportionate distribution of wealth and privilege, a reflection of the present state of property relations. There are no wealthy men on death row, and so few in the general prison population that we can discount them altogether. Imprisonment is an aspect of class struggle from the outset. It is the creation of a closed society which attempts to isolate those individuals who

disregard the structures of a hypocritical establishment as well as those who attempt to challenge it on a mass basis. Throughout its history, the United States has used its prisons to suppress any organized efforts to challenge its legitimacy — from its attempts to break up the early Working Men's Benevolent Association to the banning of the Communist Party during what I regard as the fascist takeover of this country, to the attempts to destroy the Black Panther Party.

The hypocrisy of American fascism forces it to conceal its attack on political offenders by the legal fiction of conspiracy laws and highly sophisticated frame - ups. The masses must be taught to understand the true function of prisons. Why do they exist in such numbers? What is the real underlying economic motive of crime and the official definition of types of offenders or victims? The people must learn that when one "offends" the totalitarian state it is patently not an offense against the people of that state, but an assault upon the privilege of the privilege few.

Could anything be more ridiculous than the language of blatantly political indictments: "The People of the State ... vs. Angela Davis and Ruchell Magee" or "The People of the State ... vs. Bobby Seale and Ericka Huggins." What people? Clearly the hierarchy, the armed minority.

We must educate the people in the real causes of economic crimes. They must be made to realize that even crimes of passion are the psycho - social effects of an economic order that was decadent a hundred years ago. All crime can be traced to objective socio - economic conditions — socially productive or counterproductive activity. In all cases, it is determined by the economic system, the method of economic organization. "The People of the State ... vs. John Doe" is tenuous as the clearly political frame - ups. It's like stating "The People vs. The People." Man against himself. Official definitions of crime are simply attempts by the establishment to suppress the forces of progress.

Prisoners must be reached and made to understand that they are victims of social injustice.

Monopoly capital is the enemy. It crushed the life force of all of the people. It must be completely destroyed, as quickly as possible, utterly, totally, ruthlessly, relentlessly destroyed."

...George Jackson
"Blood In My Eye"

Junk (forget) about reform; let's deal with doing away with jails and prisons in American society.

The killing of George Jackson and the massacre at Attica have turned a real

concern about prisons into a sizable movement.

To veterans of the antiwar drive, the past year in regard to prisons rather resembles the fall of 1964, and the winter of 1965 in regard to Vietnam. George Jackson's death and the so - called mystery that surrounds it recall the lie of Tonkin Gulf; Attica, the massive February 1965 bombings of North Vietnam. Just as those events of 1964-65 turned a scattered half - community of liberals and radicals who were worried over U.S. troops in Vietnam into the wave of Vietnam tech-ins and a

now intersects with the "prisonization" of the middle class through the law's response to drugs, protest, and youth life - styles. So it becomes politically imaginable to build a broad antiprison movement. That movement is being built and Des Moines Black Youth are definitely a part of helping to build this movement. Already all over the Black Communities in Des Moines there is long discussions concerning prisons, prisoners and a deep search for meaningful ways to adequately support and respond against their will as "Prisoners of War" with this



strong anti-war movement, so San Quentin - Attica and other prisons around the country have made the prison issue live.

The analogy runs deeper. Prisons in America in 1971-72 have become the bloodiest, most intense, most revolting version of the worst aspects of American society at home, just as Vietnam had, even by the mid-1960s, become the worst case of American arrogance abroad. Racism? Prisons such as Attica exhibit the most naked and degrading subjection of the black and Puerto Rican communities to white power. Exploitation? The labor of prisoners is paid for in pennies, less even than migrant farm workers or Southern cotton pickers made. Dehumanization? Try solitary — or even just separation from friends and family.

The politicization of long - time prisoners — the poor —

corrupt dog - eat - dog dehumanizing system. The call to organize to actually change the world is the new cry of many many Blacks in the Des Moines Area. A new stand is now being taken — Fighting for Our Democratic and Human Rights with no compromise and to organize secretly against fascist repression. The Battle Cry is being heard all over Iowa and soon other receptive Brothers & Sisters will begin to make stern commitments to actively deal with the hideous problems that we are faced with in a relentless manner.

We call on Brothers and Sister held in the modern concentration camps (Prisons) to forward us poems, letters, etc. as to keep an active line of communication open. Address all letters to the EDITOR, Bystander 1016 Forest Avenue.

Remember Malcolm

Part I

1st of a series of articles on Malcolm X.

By Glenn T. McKinney

Today is El - Hajj Malik El - Ahabazz (Muslim name) birthday better known as Malcolm X. It has been seven years, four months since our shining black prince has fallen, slain by a hail of assassin's bullets

while in the line of work. Much to the regret and dismay of the reactionary circles of America, his spirit still dwells in our hearts and the struggle of black masses across this accursed land.

What these men, who hold back the wheel of progress, fail to understand is that Malcolm arrived at the truth

perpetuated by the sins and iniquities of white America. Truth is Light and they will never be able to conceal his spirit in the darkness of vicious lies, and distortions, that characterize America's thought process.

We at Black Theology feel it is necessary to review the life and works of Malcolm in honor of his birthday. Too many times in the past we have allowed black men and women and history to be buried in the past or given a false image, and allowed our children to respect, worship, love; "slavemasters" and men who never really had our interest at heart.

Malcolm is the use - to - be Negro's black saint and eloquent teacher in the likes of Jesus, Ghandi, Mao and other men akin to other races and creeds.

Just like oppression, bondage, and injustice produced those great men, it took four - hundred years of the most object slavery (chattel and economic) to engender our saint.

Many white people will frown on our elevating Malcolm to sainthood, but after reading his autobiography, writings, speeches and the works of his disciples, they take on quasi - spirituality context.

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Metcalfe Breaks With Daley System

CHICAGO — (NBNS) — Chicago's police have radicalized another supporter of the system.

Police abuse of two dentists in the same week on Chicago's South Side has breached the political alliance that has existed for more than two decades between Mayor Richard Daley and first term Congressman Ralph H. Metcalfe.

Prior to succeeding the late William Dawson in Congress two years ago, Metcalfe spent 15 years on the Chicago City Council and was chosen by Daley to be President Pro Tem.

Now Congressman Metcalfe has boycotted a meeting Daley called in the Council chambers and is demanding that "the Mayor come to the ghetto, that he must come to us in the community, to get first hand information as to the problems."

The decisive event in this crack in Daley's political dominance in Chicago was the recent arrest of Dr. Herbert Odom, Metcalfe's close personal friend and congressional campaign manager.

Dr. Odom, on his way home from a meeting to discuss the shortage of hospital facilities in South Side Chicago, was stopped by two policemen for failing to have a light over his license plate.

Two white policemen pushed him up against his car and attempted to frisk him. When he protested he was handcuffed, taken to the police station and charged with resisting arrest, striking a police official and driving without a light over his license plate.

Within a week, another black dentist, Dr. Daniel J. Clairborn, was held by police for six hours on suspicion of drunk driving. In fact, he had suffered a stroke just before his arrest and died two weeks later.

Congressman Metcalfe had previously been concerned with the problems of crime and law enforcement in his area. He had organized the Third Ward Committee on Crime Prevention, where he served as the ward's Alderman.

"I had wanted to concentrate on the Second Police District," he said, "but when Dr. Odom had a very unpleasant experience with the police, then we decided to go to the Superintendent of Police (James B. Conlisk, Jr.) and out of that came a series of conferences. We were in the process of meeting with the superintendent when he cut off the conferences."

After the Police Superintendent had first postponed and then cancelled meetings with Congressman Metcalfe and citizens groups, Mayor Daley called a meeting at city hall. The Mayor, however, had not taken the trouble to respond to an appeal sent by 39 civic,

religious and business leaders asking "that he come to the community and discuss these problems with us."

"The Mayor did not answer and did not appear at our meeting," Metcalfe said. "Then he had his own meeting which we boycotted."

The result is that Congressman Metcalfe does not feel as warmly as he once did toward the political organization which nurtured his career. He does not feel any obligation to try to bridge the gap between the Daley organization and the community.

"I'm not in between," he said. "I'm definitely not in between. The people of the First Congressional District sent me to Washington to represent them. They expect representation and I am representing them. They come first."

Congressman Metcalfe believes that what happened to Dr. Odom is not an isolated incident with the Chicago police.

"It's a general condition. It's universal. There is hardly a family living in the black neighborhoods that have not had some unpleasant experience with a policeman or some policemen in regard to the violation of their civil rights."

He is now pressing six demands to deal with the situation and his deadline for a favorable response from the Daley administration is May 31.

The six demands are:
"First, that they discontinue the task - force type of operation which ostensibly goes into high crime areas to reduce crime, but which in fact are just concentrating in the black community, instead of fighting crime, on stopping motorists for minor infractions or no violations at all."

"Two, that there be a civilian board set up in each police district reflective of the racial composition of that police district."

"Three, that there be black personnel in the policy - making positions of the police department, where there are none now."

"Four, that there be upgrading of black police personnel in the police department."

"Five, that there be an intensive drive for the recruitment of black policemen, and"

"Six, that all these demands be complied with by May 31st."

Metcalfe is not saying what will happen if the deadline is not met.

"We are not publicizing what we are going to do if the demands are not met. We are still in the process of meeting and organizing."

Ralph Metcalfe, after a long career in the political establishment, is now an angry community organizer.

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