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Bridgewater Cites Robinson



Tom Robinson

Mr. Earl Bridgewater, principal of East High School in Des Moines has chosen Senior Tom Robinson also attending East Kiwanian for the month of March.

Tom is active on the Senior Board and has participated on the wrestling and football teams.

Everett

Newcomb

is Scout

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Everett Newcomb of 3532-27th Street is the Vice President of Operation for the Mid-Iowa Council-Boy Scouts of America. Everett is a member at large of the National Council with full voting status. Representing volunteers and professionals in a twenty-five (25) county area.

Mr. Newcomb is an officer of the Central National Bank and Trust Company and is the first Black to hold a National Position with the Boy Scouts of America from this area. He has served as a Troop Chairman-sustaining Membership Chairman-Member of the Executive Board and Finance Chairman.

NIXON APPROVES SCHOOL LUNCH AID BILL

San Clemente, Calif. — (NBNS) — President Nixon has approved a school lunch grant program which requires the federal government to give cash to schools if the supply of surplus food runs short. He signed the measure into law without comment from the Western White House.

Can Spring be Far Behind?



The New
Iowa
Bystander
Officially
Declares
Spring

Des Moines and the bulk of Iowa was virtually paralyzed Sunday night and Monday by the worse blizzard in Iowa history. By Wednesday warmer temperatures had moved in and the snow was receding rapidly. The storm left numerous scars in it's wake chiefly in lost revenues to business which were forced to curtail operations Monday and Tuesday. Of course, the loss of the six lives was inestimable.

The New Iowa Bystander as you can see is the smallest it has been in a number of years. That is necessary to maintain printing, delivery and mailing schedules.

But after all memories of the blizzard fade, we can look at the young lady above and take heart **SPRING IS HERE!**

Black Contractor Turns Producer

Howard Ransom, 37 year old black contractor who unbeknownst to most studied the laws of the motion picture industry while still maintaining his business has graduated the course and just completed the first phase of shooting on his motion picture, "Baby Needs a New Pair of Shoes."

The film, shot in over 60 locations in and around Los Angeles stars Paul Harris, former Broadway thespian and Reginald Farmer who played the irate juror in the Huntington Hartford acclaimed stage dramatization of "Trials of A. Lincoln."

"Baby Needs a New Pair of Shoes" will make it's mark in history as the 1st community financed major film production and the first film using a supporting cast who, 'normally wouldn't get a chance to be seen.' Howard Ransom gave me and alot of other cats out there a break", says the Farmer, "his gamble was bigger than anybody's. I loved every minute of it and got a lot of encouragement from the rest of the cast.

There's still alot of question marks — but the dice is rollin'... I'm betting Howard Ransom wins."

The release date is scheduled for early May.

CHUCK TAYLOR DIES

Charles (Chuck) Taylor, broker for Model Cities Real Estate for two years, died Wednesday, April 11, of a massive heart attack. Mr. Taylor, of 1701 Lyon, was born in Canton, Mississippi, spent most of his life in Iowa.

He leaves a son, Craig Taylor, and an adopted daughter, Anna Ruth Russell.

Taylor was a member of Hawkeye Elks Lodge No. 160 and many other civic organizations. He was 60 years old and a veteran of World War II. He served under General Patton at one time.

Fowler and Son Funeral Home will handle arrangements. The wake will be Friday at 7:00 o'clock at the Funeral Home. The funeral will be held Saturday at 1:00 o'clock at Rest Haven Mausoleum, 1720 Ashworth Road, West Des Moines, Iowa.

Judge Says Community Must Make Up for Past Discrimination

By Jeanne Fox

National Black News Service Detroit — (NBNS) — A Federal judge has ordered the city of Hamtramck to build 530-560 housing units and change its zoning regulations to help make up for its past discrimination against blacks.

In effect, the order by U.S. District Judge Damon Keith makes the city of Hamtramck do the same thing many school systems are required to do in desegregation cases.

Judge Keith, who has been involved in landmark cases before, said the city must change its zoning laws and give 4,000 black residents, who were forced out of the community by urban

renewal, an opportunity to move back there if they wish.

Last week's photo of Roger Maxwell courtesy of Burgess Shields.

Photo and story of Dorsey Willis courtesy of Villisca, Iowa, News.

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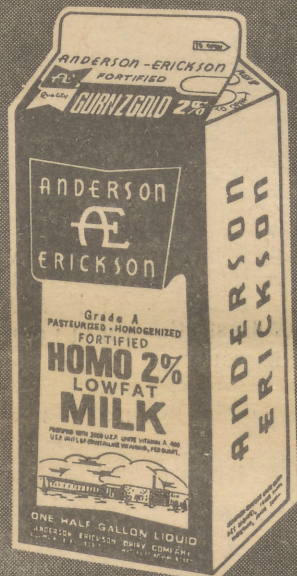
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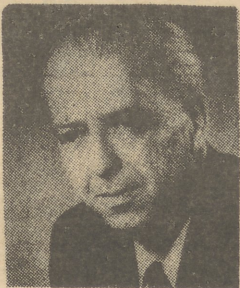
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by marri johnson



Perry-Parker Marriage

Miss Raoulyn M. Parker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Parker, and Gregory Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Perry, repeated their marriage service on Sunday afternoon, March 11 in the Leon Smith Room of the YMCA before Rev. H.I. Johnson, pastor of Union Baptist Church. The service was originally exchanged on February 14, 1973.

Miss Ricky Perry, sister of the groom was maid of honor and Mr. Bruce Taylor was best man. Ushers were Jerry Clark and Floyd Epton.

The bride was radiantly beautiful in a long puffed sleeve, street length empire style white crepe dress, the fabric of which was embedded with pearls. Her veil was white, finger length net. The groom was striking in a white adventurer style, three quarter length, three buttoned, wide black leather trimmed tuxedo with matching flared slacks. His shirt was white with ruffled trimmed in black piping on the front and sleeves. He wore white boots.

The bridesmaid wore a red and white flecked crepe

dress with a larger carnation bouquet, of two red and one white carnation.

The bride carried a small bible atop which was a small bouquet of red roses. Streamers trimmed with red hearts fell from the roses.

Mrs. Richard Perry wore a pink dress with burgundy accessories. Mrs. Ralph Parker wore a hot pink dress. Each wore a white carnation.

The setting was most exotic, carrying out the Valentine's Day motif, the couple's original marriage date. The couple was married beneath a heart trimmed arch situated by the southwest end of the Leon Smith room. A pot of red carnations and white spider mums stood at the left entrance to the arch. At either side of the arch stood a gold candelabra, which held eight tall white candles each. Each candelabra was tied with a red ribbon in a bow.

At the north end of the room stood the reception table covered with a white tablecloth trimmed with interspersing red ribbons tied in bows. Serving as centerpiece was the seven-tiered pettifore cake atop which stood a black couple. To the right of the cake was a crystal bowl of red punch and a heart shaped cake of ice decorated with red flowers. The silverware was tied with red bows. To the left of the serving table was a small table which held serving trays and extra silver tied with red ribbons. Candles were red and white hearts.

The east wall of the room was trimmed in red hearts again repeating the Valentine motif. Before it stood a long gift-laden table.

The napkins were red and white and inscribed with "Raoulyn and Gregory" with

an arrow piercing a heart and dated Feb. 14, 1973.

Mrs. Mary Clark was responsible for the entire decorating scheme of the occasion. She carried out the Valentine Day motif. She cleverly dealt with the occasion of "tying the knot", the marriage vows, with the use of red ribbons tied in bows throughout her decorations. She was hostess in charge of the gift table.

Mrs. Alice Boyd, the former Alice Clinton, played the piano throughout the afternoon. Her piano held a vase of red carnations.

The hosts and hostesses were clothing with pink or red and white carrying out the bride's color scheme. They wore boutonnieres of variegated carnations, red and white.

Head hostess for the serving table was Mrs. Mary Hawkins, the bride's godmother. She was assisted by Mrs. Florence Lockett, Mrs. Margaret Sorrell, Mrs. Thelma Calderon, Mrs. Ella Mae Burks, Mrs. Clara Wade, Mrs. Elizabeth Lawrence and Mrs. Faye White.



Hostesses for the guest table were Mrs. Jennifer Epton and Miss Beverly Taylor. The guest book was filled by the use of a red pen. Thank you's were tiny white scrolls tied with white or red ribbon and red books of matches inscribed with "Raoulyn and Gregory".

At the gift table were hostesses Valerie Bruce, Marha Powell, and Barbara Taylor.

The bride's bouquet was caught by Miss Marsha Powell.

Men serving as hosts were Chuckie Perry, Mark Perry and Keith Hawkins.

Hostesses and helpers were Meliam Claidan, Alice Bruice, Deira Thomas, Shella Hawkins, Guna Perry and Ambra Perry.

There was one out of town guest, Mrs. Reuben Broome, the former Miss Fragelia Gross, of Gary, Indiana. She is the daughter of the late Mrs. Pansy Parker Gross, and the niece of Mr. Ralph Parker, father of the bride.

L.T. CLUB NEWS

The L.T. Club will meet Wednesday night, April 18, with Mrs. Mary Parker, 1326 DeWolf Street.

Mrs. Maggie Jones is home from the hospital convalescing.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. Lillian Haynes had a birthday dinner for Mrs. Ethel Baxter and Mrs. Haynes' daughter Lynette Sunday afternoon. Those sharing courtesies were Mrs. Ruby Cooper, Mrs. Phyllis Michaels, Mrs. Alma Morris and Mrs. Haynes' family.

Alstons Celebrate

Mr. and Mrs. Bookert Alston, 1326 Eastern Avenue, Davenport, Iowa, celebrated their twenty-second anniversary March 24. A dinner was given at the El Rancho Villa, Bettendorf, Iowa. Following dinner, friends gathered at their home.

The former Henrietta Covington and Mr. Alston were married March 24, 1951 in Davenport. Mr. Alston will retire in May after 44 years' employment with Martin Marietta Cement Company, Buffalo, Iowa.

TOB Club

Mrs. Bessie Campbell, 908 Laurel Street, entertained the TOB Club on April 6. The evening was spent with current events and games. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Muriel DeSleet.

Terrell Club

The Marcy Church Terrell Club No. 1 met Monday, April 2, at the home of Mrs. Clara Johnson, 1707 East 9th Street. The regular routine of business was followed. The next meeting will be in May.

NROTC Scholarship

Forty-three minority students and 14 women are included in those who were selected as principle candidates. Additionally, 114 minority students and 10 women were also selected as alternates.

The NROTC scholarship students, selected from



Mrs. Marie Williams

Celebrate Anniversary

The Mt. Olive Mission Society will be honoring their past president of thirteen years, Mrs. Marie Williams, at a Silver Tea to be held Sunday, April 15, 1973, between the hours of 4:00 and 6:00 p.m. at the home of the present mission president, Mrs. Beverly Burkett, 1656 East Lyon St.

Mrs. Williams has been a very active mission president, and has done her best to support all of the mission societies of the various churches.

All officers, members and friends of hers from the various churches in Des Moines are invited to share with the Mt. Olive Mission Society in honoring Mrs. Williams.

10,000 finalists, will be appointed midshipmen of the United States Naval Reserve, by the Secretary of the Navy. During their college training the Navy will provide uniforms, tuition, textbooks, instructional fees and a subsistence allowance of \$100 per month — for a maximum of 40 months. Total value of each

scholarship averages between \$12,000 to \$15,000. Upon graduation the men and women are commissioned as regular officers in the U.S. Navy.

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ROUND CITY HALL

By Ken Warren

This week I like to stray somewhat from the format of my column because there is another matter that merits some discussion. In my other articles I have discussed the THEMES but this week let's concentrate on the other factor involved namely US, WE, or whatever identity we as a group of people wish to adopt. Much is said as to what the MAN is doing to us, against us, and depriving us of. To seriously analyze this theory let's explore some avenues of thought. I wonder if we aren't using some of this rhetoric as a crutch in justification of our own failures to act on or perform our duties to one and other. In our ranks we have some OREOS who in their prestigious safe middle class havens known as JOBS forget from whence they came. Those of you who fit this mold (and you know who you are) have long forgotten or are desperately trying to forget the struggles you had to confront to attain the goals you desired. I can't understand if you are so disturbed with the MAN, how it is so easy for you to be bought by that same person. Every day there is a new rip off of one of our brothers or sisters without any concentrated effort to forestall or eliminate these actions by the black folks of this community. When there is a hue and cry from the black masses, we break off into small incoherent groups that border more on a social clique than a progressive action apparatus. The criteria for belonging to one of these groups is your economical standing, your socialability factor or your so called acceptance as a leader of us black folks. By these maneuvers the MAN has divided and almost conquered us without exerting too much effort. Until we learn that we must accomplish togetherness in a common cause we will always be under the heel of oppression. I am aware that it is difficult to put your neck on the chopping block for the sake of another but drastic times dictate drastic measures. The art of automation has really come of age as of late, it seems we now have a phenomenon that is called a computerized nigger who for the sake of being the MAN'S picture window dressing are selling themselves and their counterparts down the proverbial river. Blacks have been so busy playing the "I'm your color but not your kind" or the "rip off your brother" game that they have missed the freedom boat when it came by. Now the MAN is systematically wiping out all the agencies and employment opportunities that could have been the vehicle by which Blacks upgraded themselves both educationally and economically with dignity. The MAN is replacing these viable opportunities with humiliating programs such as those which carry the conjecture that we are so lazy or dumb that we cannot function on our own and must be made do so by restrictions of legislation. The cycle of events is turning back to the pre civil rights era and the freedoms gained by the

sweat, tears, and sacrifices made by valiant black folk are being made null and void. This is the shame and burdens history will record for this generation of black folk unless we begin to make great strides towards that illusive image known as TOGETHERNESS.

**Fine Print**

By Michael Morrow

The city of Des Moines did it again. This time it was bad. For those of you that live outside of Iowa we had a spring snow that was a monster...a foot of snow is more than enough.

The street cleaners had about as much problems getting stuck as did most motorists. What makes it worst is that after the storm struck the Mayor finally asked the businesses to tell their employees to stay home.

The downtown businesses and the Mayor should get together. They should decide that if there is a large storm brewing that early in the morning when it hits an announcement should be made telling the worker to stay home.

Not only would that help the problem faced, with this last gasp of winter, by the city crews—the abandon cars. There were more cars sprawled every which way than a dog has fleas. Also it would save lives—because no matter what there are some hardy fools that will go out and freeze to death.

All-in-all I hope that the Mayor and the City Council can come up with some emergency plan for the workers.

There is a song on the radio that is causing some people to worry. It's Lew Reed's "Walk on the Wild Side". Well, what makes it so fingernail biting is that it mentions the phrase "colored girls".

Now, the song is about this white man is walking through Harlem—which takes guts in the first place. So he's giving his impressions of Harlem as they come to him. Naturally, the words colored girls would come into the scene. They have a habit of calling black folks colored most of the time anyway. Personally, on the street I wouldn't want it but in that song it's in context with the rest of the song—if it wasn't I'd be the first to demand that it be off the air.

An interesting thought came to me through, how would a song be like if a black man was walking through suburbia?

More on that later...
Des Moines

As usual in situations like these people helped people. There are times there could be a perpetual snowstorm so to show that people can care...but the sun comes out and so does peoples ignorances.

correction:

We apologize for naming Udel Cason as a member of CBS. Also, Carol Williams is the Treasurer of that GVC organization.

African Report**U.S. Says Portugal Not Waging War Against Rebels**

Geneva — (NBNS) — The United States says a report by a group of experts on conditions in the white-ruled countries of Southern Africa were "largely unsubstantiated."

A U.N. team of experts visited the African countries bordering on the Portuguese territories and said the Portuguese were using aircraft to drop napalm and defoliants against rebels in her African territories.

"There is no convincing evidence whatsoever that poisonous and chemical substances are being used in the liberated areas of the Portuguese territories," said Clarence Clyde Ferguson, a deputy assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs.

Ferguson made his remarks to the United Nations Human Rights Commission meeting here.

Zambia Airlifting Supplies to Avert Mine Shutdown

Lusaka — (NBNS) — The Zambian government has decided to airlift strategic supplies to avert a disastrous shutdown of the country's vital mining industry after the closing three months ago of the Zambia-Rhodesia border.

President Kenneth Kaunda said the government would begin airlifts "for certain mining equipment and spares in order to avoid closing down the mines temporarily, which would have been costly and disastrous."

Kaunda said he hoped the U.N. would help it secure \$130 million to build alternative transport routes. The U.N. has already endorsed support for Zambia, in light of the embargo against the racist Rhodesian government.

Amin Tells Tanzania He wants Countrymen Released

Kampala, Uganda — (NBNS) — Uganda President Idi Amin has made it clear to Tanzania that he wants more than 50 Ugandans imprisoned there released or brought to trial or they face "drastic action." Amin did not say what the drastic action might be though.

South Africa Panel Approves Castration as Penalty

Cape Town — (NBNS) — A study commission has recommended that the South African government consider castration of men convicted of sex crimes. The commission included a judge, psychiatrists, psychologists, and sociologists.

INNIS PRAISES UGANDA'S AMIN

Kampala, Uganda — (NBNS) — CORE Director Roy Innis says he has "witnessed a miracle"

Mistrial in Magee Case

By Charlie Cobb

National Black News Service

Washington — NBNS — The long and tortuous trial of Ruchell Magee, accused of murder and kidnapping in a 1970 escape attempt, has ended in a mistrial. The jury deliberated more than 60 hours and came out five times stating that it was unable to reach a verdict.

Four times, Presiding Judge Morton C. Colvin sent the jury back insisting that it must reach a verdict. On the fifth time, Morton declared with obvious reluctance that a mistrial had occurred.

"It is regrettable," the judge said.

Magee's battle, waged literally by himself and often in the face of obstructions by the court, could end with the dismissal of charges against him in a hearing slated for April 6. "In the light of the vote count by the jury, I would be surprised if the state pursues the case any further," Magee's defense attorney Robert Carrow said.

The jury voted 11 to 1 for conviction on the kidnapping count and 11 to 1 for acquittal on the murder charge.

Moses Sheppard, a black postal employee, held out against "tremendous pressure" for acquittal on the murder charge. "The state did not prove its case. I don't think Magee was guilty of anything," Sheppard insisted after the trial.

Sheppard also pointed out that the other jurors "felt the murder charge was a flop." Implying and active racism in the almost all-white jury, he noted that "they felt he should get

something."

The prosecution has indicated that it will press for re-trial at the April 6 hearing to further consider the case.

Magee, in a gracious statement, thanked the jurors for the "pain and trouble spent trying to determine the facts through all the state's camouflage device."

Observers note that there is still a "fantastic" amount of political pressure to hang the charges on Magee in a new trial. One person close to the case noted that Huey Newton was brought to trial ten times before he was released. "They can bring Magee up 10 times unless the political climate aimed at destroying him alters."

The trial costs the taxpayers of California more than \$1 million and the accounting is still incomplete. Fearing an "incident," Magee was transported from the San Quentin prison by helicopter to the courthouse daily.

Magee's defense was based on his testimony that he had merely been "swept up" in the 1970 escape attempt which resulted in the death of Jonathan Jackson, the younger brother of murdered George Jackson. The younger Jackson led the attempt in anger over the oppression of his brother and others in the notorious California prison system. Angela Davis was accused and acquitted of having plotted the escape attempt.

Supporters of Magee are now mounting a nationwide campaign for telegrams in Magee's behalf.

during his two-week stay in Uganda. Innis was made a citizen of Uganda along with three other CORE officials during the visit.

"Let it be recorded that Uganda is the first African country to take decisive action," declared Innis in referring to President Idi Amin's efforts to put control of the country's economy into the hands of the black majority.

Innis' message was part of a farewell letter to Amin from the CORE leader which was read over Radio Uganda.

He said that before coming to the country, he had been misled about Amin's expulsion of more than 40,000 Asians a number of months ago. He has also taken over a number of shops and businesses owned by western businessmen. Innis said he would work hard to counter "the poison being spread by the British and American Press."

U.N. PANEL CALLS APARTHEID A CRIME

Geneva — (NBNS) — The United Nations Human Rights Commission has okayed a draft of a statement that says apartheid, which is practiced in South Africa and may be soon practiced in Rhodesia, is a "crime against humanity."

By an overwhelming

margin of 21-2, the group asked its parent body, the Economic and Social Council, to approve the resolution for adoption by the U.N. General Assembly.

The United States and Britain voted against the measure, declaring that legal and technical reasons, including duplication with other U.N. resolutions against racism. France, Italy, the Netherlands, Austria and Norway abstained on similar grounds.

The measure would commit any nation ratifying the pact to take legislative and other action needed to "combat all manifestations" of apartheid. They would also have to bring to trial and punish those guilty of acts committed for the purpose of establishing and maintaining domination by one racial group.

RHODESIA

Salisbury — (NBNS) — The management of a mine that exploded and killed 427 men, most of them black Africans, was blamed by a commission of inquiry into the Wankie Minning disaster.

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Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
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Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service, Wed. 8:00 P.M.

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Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wed. 8:00 P.M.

MOUNT HEBRON BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

On Saturday evening, April 14, at 7:30 p.m. the Mothers' Board and Pastor's Aid Club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Flax, 702 25th Street.

Presidents are Mrs. Gillie Reed and Mrs. Helen Carver. On Sunday, April 15, at 3:00 o'clock the Three Keys, Rev. Alex Crawford, Rev. Samuel Wade and Rev. James Harris will present a musical program for Mrs. Mary Wilson for the Usher Board's car drive which will climax the first Sunday in July at 3:30 p.m.

On Thursday, April 19, at 7:30 p.m., "the Book of the Seven Seals" will be given by the Dean Board.

Mrs. Mary Wilson is president of the Usher Board, Mr. Sydney Warren is chairman of the Deacon Board. Rev. James M. Harris, is pastor.

THE EASTSIDE UNION MISSION SOCIETY

The Eastside Union Mission Society will hold its Board Meeting at noon, Wednesday, April 18, at Bethel A.M.E. Church.

The Sunday services will be held April 29 at 2:30 p.m. Bishop D. H. Cranshaw will be guest speaker and the Eastside Union Missionary Choir will furnish the music. Devotional services start at 2:30 a.m.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

On Palm Sunday, April 15, Rev. Henderson S. Davis' sermon will be "King of My Life". After the service, the Federated Club Women of Des Moines are having their annual Feast of the Seven Tables in our downstairs dining room. All kinds of delicious foods will be served at 1:00 o'clock.

On Good Friday, April 20, St. Paul joins other churches of the City at Union Baptist Church for a special Holy Week Service. The time is from 12:00 Noon to 3:00 p.m.

Mrs. Wilberforce Menter, Missionary Area Chairman, is attending a meeting Saturday, April 14, at Ottumwa, Iowa.

KYLES A.M.E. ZION CHURCH

On Saturday, the Women's Day Committee is sponsoring a chicken and roast beef dinner. For deliveries call 288-2391.

At 7:30 PM Saturday evening, the Fourth and Final Quarterly Conference of the Year will be held at the church. Presiding Elder G. W. Whisonant will officiate. All secretaries and treasurers should have their monthly reports in.

On Sunday morning, the children's choir will be singing. All members should be in attendance so that a delegate to the annual conference could be elected.

On April 22, 6:00 o'clock morning Easter Sunrise service will be held at the church. Breakfast will be served immediately after service. This is being sponsored by the Senior Usher Board. Donations will be received. There will also be a regular service at 11:00 am on Easter Sunday with the senior choir singing.

THE MORNING STAR CHURCH NEWS

On Sunday, April 15, at 5:00 PM Mrs. Barbara Cavill, Mr. Cleveland Thompson, and others will present a musical recital at the Morning Star Baptist Church in behalf of the Senior Usher Board. Mrs. G. Ingraham, president. Rev. Alex Crawford, pastor. Everyone is invited.

On Sunday, April 29, the "New City" will be presented at Morning Star Baptist Church at 4:00 PM. It is sponsored by the Morning Star Missionary Society. Miss Ida Weston, President, asks the cooperation of all the missions.

On Sunday morning, April 8, at 11:00 AM Rev. J. L. Ingraham led the meditation service. Rev. Horace Williams brought the altar prayer. Rev. Alex Crawford brought the morning message to the congregation. He talked from Acts 5: 1-16. His subject was "It Doesn't pay to Lie or to Steal". It was truly inspiring and enlightening.

We had one visitor, Rev. Horace Williams to worship with us. We had on candidate for baptism, Master L. Turner.

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CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

A Seventy-fifth Anniversary observance of Corinthian Baptist Church organization will be recognized on Sunday, April 15, 1973.

Special guests will be the Eighth Street Baptist Church, of Kansas City, Kansas, their pastor, Rev. I. H. Henderson will deliver the message at the 11:00 am service.

At 3:00 PM the Eighth Street Baptist Church choir will present a musical program.

Members and guests are invited to dress in the styles of 1890's for both services if desired.

Nursery will be available during the morning service.

On Tuesday, April 17, Corinthian General Missionary Society will hold its monthly meeting at 7:00 p.m.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The Project Club will sponsor a "Ham Give-away" on Friday April 20th, donations of \$5.00 will be required for one to be eligible to win. Tickets can be secured from any member of the Project Club, and the members names can be obtained by calling Mrs. Ethel May at 266-6101.

The Sunday School will present it's annual Easter program on the 22nd of April at 6:00 p.m. The primaries and beginners will give recitations and sing, and the teenagers will present a pagent entitled "The Mark of The Carpenter" a comedy-drama in three acts. The Project Club will serve it's annual Easter breakfast in the Fellowship hall at Bethel following the sunrise services at Union Baptist Church.

The Easter Egg hunt that the Sunday School was to have in Union Park, has been changed, it will be on the grounds of Amos Hyatt Junior High School at 1:00 p.m. Saturday afternoon. Mark your calendar for the 3rd Sunday in June, thats the date when the Senior Choir will present a concert. Watch for more on this later.

Sunday services, Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. and Divine worship at 11:00 a.m. This is Palm Sunday, commemorating the triumph entry of Jesus into Jerusalem. The pastor's sermon subject "On Being A Christian."

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Reverend Parrish's sermon title for Sunday, April 15 will be "The Plam and The Righteous". The Young Adult Choir will furnish the music for Morning Service.

The Maple Street Gospel Choir Request Night Program will be held April 15 at 6:00 PM. Contact any choir member to request your favorite songs. The Maple Street Sunday School Easter Program will be held on Friday, April 20, at 7:00 PM Maxine McNair, Superintendent.

The Maple Street Mission Society will be presenting the very spiritual "Highway to Heaven Pageant" on Sunday, April 22, at 7:00 PM. Sis. Ruby Cooper, President of the Mission Society.

Reverend Parrish, Choirs, and congregation have been invited to worship with the Reverend Z. W. Williams and members of the Morning Star Baptist Church in Omaha, Nebr. on Sunday, April 29. Roundtrip fare is \$6.50. Contact Ruth Brown or Nellie Frye to make reservations.

OUR SAVIOUR'S BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, April 15th, at the 11:00 AM service, Rev. Jesse Daniels of Shiloh Baptist Church will bring the message. Come on out at 7:30 PM Wednesday evening there will be song and prayer service. All members be sure you get your \$4.00 gleaners and fill them for our (Revival Fund) and turn them in on May 6th, Sunday.

Last Sunday there were two visiting worshippers, Mrs. Valerie and Michelle Corbert.

Rev. T. R. Brown encourages sinners, friends, family, backsliders, the weak, the weary to feel free to come on out to the morning worship service and prayer meeting. We are located at 16th and Des Moines Streets.

THE MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

On Sunday, April 15, at 3:00 p.m., there will be a Council Meeting for the deacons, mothers and stewards. Rev. J. A. Jones will be speaking. His choir will sing.

On Sunday, April 29, there will be a musical program given by Mrs. Ozell Williams for the Usher Board.

Prayer meeting is on Wednesday at 7:00 o'clock and choir practice is on Thursday at 7:15 pm.

The "Seven Words" will be preached by seven preachers at Macedonia Baptist Church on Good Friday at 7:00 pm. Rev. Vance Hardin, host pastor.

MORNING STAR BAPTIST CHURCH

There will be a big musical program at Morning Star Baptist Church April 21st, at 7:00 PM.

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THE FISH OF THE TABLES

The Fish of the Tables will be given Palm Sunday, April 15 at St. Paul A.M.E. Church on 13th and Day Streets. It is sponsored by the City Association of Colored Women's Clubs. The hours are 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Mrs. Minnie Jones is president.

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The family of Ellen Forbush Headspeath wishes to thank those who were so kind and helpful in the loss of their loved one, Ellen.

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Washington — (NBNS) — The National Urban Coalition has created a national award in Human Rights in the memory of the late President Lyndon B. Johnson.

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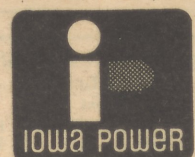
Passed 86-45, the bill is given little chance of passage in the Senate. Earlier this year, the Senate killed another anti-busing bill after a group of black senators filibustered for weeks.

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 4. The aggregate number of shares which the corporation shall have authority to issue is 10,000 shares of par value of \$1.00 each.
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 6. The name and addresses of the initial board of directors are:
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Jarrold R. Bachmann, Denver, Colorado.
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CLEAVER SEEKING ASYLUM IN FRANCE

Paris — (NBNS) — Black Panther leader Eldridge Cleaver is seeking political asylum in France, reported Roland Dumas, his attorney.

A petition for asylum has already been sent to Premier Pierre Messme and it cites the French constitutional provision that "any man persecuted because of his action in

favor of liberty has the right to asylum in the Republic."

Cleaver is reportedly already in Paris after leaving Algeria headquarters for the international section of the Panthers. He left the United States five years ago after allegedly being involved in a shootout with police in Oakland, Calif.

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Washington — (NBNS) — An AWOL sailor has been charged in the murder of a Washington gambler by a grand jury, it was learned this week.

Bruce Henderson Shreeves, who has already been charged in the murders of four men from a Washington northern suburb, was believed to have been seeking funds to buy weapons for a "radical anti-police movement," according to informed sources. The gambler was believed to be carrying \$10,000.

Only \$4 was found on the gambler, Charles Raymond (Bubble Eye Ray) Miles.

SECOND BLACK RUNS FOR MAYOR OF ATLANTA

Atlanta — (NBNS) — Black vice mayor Maynard Jackson has become the second black to seek the mayor's seat here in the Oct. 2 nonpartisan city election.

Earlier, State Sen. Leroy Johnson had announced that he would seek the seat now held by Mayor Sam Massel, who is expected to seek re-election.

Graham Retracts Statement On Penalty for Rapists

New York — (NBNS) — Evangelist Billy Graham has admitted that he made an "offhand, hasty, spontaneous remark at a news conference that I regretted almost as soon as I said it" when referring to the penalty rapists should receive.

Saying that he believed that convicted rapists "should be castrated that

would stop them," Graham made his remarks during his recent visit to South Africa.

"I realize it is not the responsibility of a minister of the gospel to go around setting penalties for crime...I unfortunately used a word, which, in our sex-oriented culture, was emotionally charged and did not really clarify my true thoughts."

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With Allen Ashby

A couple of fellows were talking about boxing and wrestling when we were kids and young men. (that wasn't yesterday). We recalled the old auditorium located just south of the old YMCA on fourth and Keo. The best known fighters we saw there were a couple of local fighters. Kid Lawson and Percy Owens. They were middleweights, and they were always matched for from four to six rounds. And in just about every fight, and they must have had a dozen, one or the other got knocked out. Then there was Kid Eggie, whose name so I was told was really Eggie Tillman. Eggie was a clever boxer and was to later become one of the best boxing coaches in the city. He and George Bourland made some of our Golden Gloves coaches look good, because they did the actual work of working with the men, and the name boys did the talking to the papers. There was the old Coliseum where the new YMCA is now. It was sixty feet to the roof of that thing, and we kids used to climb up the fire escape and look down on the fighters and wrestlers through the skylights. If those things had ever given way, folks would have thought it was raining kids, and we would have probably all been killed. But childish luck prevailed. In that building we saw some of the best around. There was a middle weight named Louie Mays who used to beat just about everybody. But he never did beat Kid Lawson, although the papers would always give the decision to Mays. But Louie knew he had lost, and he would often come out of the ring muttering that he just

A look at sports in retrospect

couldn't beat that man. Since boxing was illegal in Iowa, the only decisions that were allowed were newspaper decisions, that is, the opinion of the sportswriters. And if you were black or happened to be fighting a local favorite, you can see what your chances of winning would be. Some magazines used to list the newspaper decisions in a fighter's record separately, because they figured they really weren't true verdicts.

Do you know, it is funny, but I can't recall very many black fighters appearing here unless it was to be in a preliminary. And there were some good ones around the country. Black fighters didn't began to really feature in main events, except for one or two until after the Golden Gloves bouts of the forties. Fellows like Bill Heath and Morton Graves set up natural rivalries with each other and a couple of the local white Golden Glovers who were supposed to be pretty good. Their followers came to see them do battle against each other and they drew some good crowds. I can see the headline, or rather the opening line of the story when Morton won the lightweight title of the state from I think, Billy Cornwell. The writer made much of Morton's age, thirty two, and the fact that he was the father of four children, as if he had no business beating this fine young boxer. Then Bill Heath featured in some battles in the place. He and Morton had a rivalry going from their Gloves days, and they drew a tremendous crowd when they met. Bill suffered a cut eye and had to quit. But they really went to it while it lasted. Another boy who might have made it big was Bobby Carew. Bobby was a hard hitting good boxing lightweight who could have gone places if he had got into another boxing town. He trained hard, but I

out of town news

Bury Kenneth Bell in Iowa City

Funeral services for Kenneth Bell of Iowa City were held Thursday, April 5th at the Presbyterian Church of which he was an elder.

The Bell family operated a shoe shop in Iowa City for many years enabling many students to help with their own expenses. The Bell home was long a meeting place for returning students and their friends.

Besides his widow, Hulett, he is survived by a son, Haywood of Chicago and a daughter, Audra Wharton of Washington, D.C.

James Brown Says He Hasn't Really Received Recognition

Rio De Janeiro — (NBNS) — Soul Brother No. 1 James Brown says he doesn't believe he has received the recognition that he feels he deserves although he has sold more records than the greatest composers.

"I have sold more records than Bach, Beethoven, and Brahms put together, but because of the racial problems in the United States nobody emphasizes this," Brown said in a news conference here.

was told that his handlers wanted too much money for his services before he had a chance to prove himself, which everybody agrees he could have done. This was the story I heard later, and I can't vouch for the accuracy of it.

But there were places where boxers could work out, such as the gyms above the building on fourth and Locust, and the one in the building where KWKY used to be. The good pro fighters used to drop in to workout, and a fellow could learn a lot from watching them and listening to them talk as they discussed their trade. Maybe we have that now, but I seem to be out of touch with it.

SHIRLEY RAPS PRESIDENT FOR BUGGING

Washington — (NBNS) — Calling alleged surveillance of her Congressional office by Republican campaign workers as "one of the foulest acts of man," Rep. Shirley Chisholm said she believes White House Chief of Staff should step down since he "probably" knew about the bugging.

"It is indeed a sad day in America when one cannot campaign for public office in a free and unintruded manner," Mrs. Chisholm said.

A Republican Senator, Lowell Weicker, of Connecticut, had said earlier that Mrs. Chisholm was among nine Democrats and Republican critics whose offices were spied upon by Nixon campaign workers.

She said the surveillance was "...shocking, insane, and ...one of the foulest acts of man."

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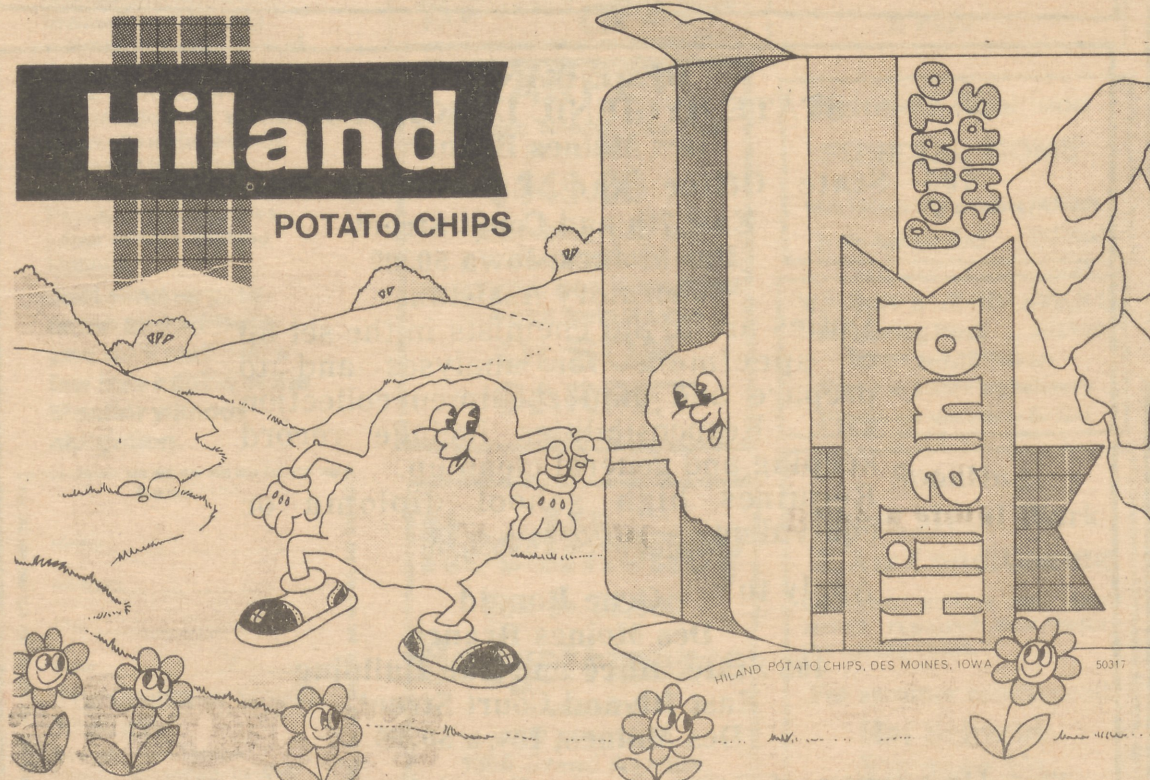


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