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Social Concern Leads Cole to Action



Mrs. Amie Cole, 112 4th St. NW, takes a positive approach to civic affairs.

Something To Honk About

People are definitely up in arms about the country's latest bout with paranola. The "energy crisis" exists, whether it does or not. In other words, anything that exists in your mind or my mind or our collective minds becomes a fact. There may or may not be a shortage of fuel, and Arab countries and their allies may or may not have reduced their exports of oil to this country. That's really irrelevant since you and I are responding to the pleas of slow down, slow up.

As I look around I see the effect that the so-called crisis is having on people emotionally. I, for instance, run around my house shutting off lights that are not in use. As I dash from room to room, only to return and need to use the light, I work myself into a frenzy. How emotionally healthy is it to suddenly demand that a nation of people, accustomed to traveling at top speed, suddenly slow down by 20 or 30 miles per hour? We have been weaned on hurry, nourished on quick and buried by fast. Just because I slow my car down doesn't mean I can adjust psychologically to the abrupt change. The lack of consistency will become a problem because telephone calls can still be made in 30 seconds, and we can still fly from coast-to-coast in less than 6 hours' time. Have we been offered anything to compensate for this upheaval? You bet.

Your compensation comes in the form of "nail your neighbor". The best way to relieve certain kinds of pressure is to put it on someone else. We all do this to some extent, but we don't generally encourage it.

We are now urged to do this in the form of honking horns and toll-free anonymous telephone calls. You're uptight and hassled about this crisis recently unleashed. You could react by responsible questioning and intelligent research. But you might make some people uncomfortable if you approached the problem that way, so they're going to make sure you don't. Instead you're going to be provided with a means of absolving yourself from intelligent behavior. You're going to be provided with a method of "doing your share" for the avertment of further energy crisis. You're going to honk your horn, make righteous phone calls, and feel just great. And you're going to be the subject of a fantastic joke because the people who instigated this form of instant emotional gratification will have been placing bets on how quickly you jump.

So what does it matter about a REAL responsibility on your part? As long as you can soothe the wrinkles from your brow and remove the doubts from your mind, who cares who you turn on in the process? Love thy neighbor as thyself, unless of course, somebody tells you there's a crisis going on.

Mrs. Amie Cole is socially concerned — and she does things about it.

A full-time Food Aide for Iowa State University Extension Service, Mrs. Cole is also Cub Scout den mother, Boy Scout worker, church supporter, and is the first black woman appointed to the Fort Dodge Public Library board of trustees, Aug. 28 of this year.

Her past record is equally impressive. She served two years on the City Council-Parent Teacher Association Board, is a past president of the Hillcrest School P.T.A. and also served on the Webster County Day Care Center Board. From 1968 to 1970 she was a teacher's aide with Head Start.

She is past president of the Fort Dodge Interracial Commission and is serving a three-year term on the Urban Ministry board of directors.

Born and raised in Meridian, Miss., she moved to Fort Dodge with her husband Joe W. Cole, in 1955. Mr. Cole, now with Iowa Beef Processors, was employed as a laborer for Kalo Brick and Tile upon arrival in Fort Dodge. Mrs. Cole's first job here was with a Central Avenue dress shop, no longer in business in Fort Dodge.

In 1968 she joined the federal Head Start program, and in 1971 began her present work with Iowa State University Extension.

As a "food aide," Mrs. Cole goes into homes and shows families how to cook and how to provide themselves with proper nutrition. She is now working with 52 families, five of which are black.

"This involves going with them to the grocery store, and doing other shopping with them," she said. "I take them to the food stamp center,

sometimes to the doctor, and help them to find a place to live."

Mr. and Mrs. Cole have one son, Wayne, 12, a seventh grade student at North Jr. High School. They also raised Mrs. Cole's younger sister, Mrs. Ernestine Benson Tyson, now a secretary for a Des Moines insurance company.

Mrs. Cole knows something about the problems of raising large families, as she is the oldest daughter in a family of 10 children.

"I'm interested in youth," she said. "I've been working with Cub Scouts and now with Boy Scouts, but what we need locally is more adult leadership. More men should take an interest in this sort of work."

Mrs. Cole discussed both the good and the bad of being a woman, being black, and being in Fort Dodge.

"I am not a women's libber, but I think if a woman wants to try a job she should have the right to do so and not be held back because she is a woman."

"I wouldn't want the headaches and the problems connected with running for political office, especially in state or national politics. We do need more minority race representation in local government. This is the place to start to make progress."

"One of the hardest things about being black here in Fort Dodge is to get a good home and to get it under the GI bill. My

husband is a war veteran who never used his GI loan, but when we went to look at houses, the real estate men usually ended up leading us down to the flats.

"But Fort Dodge is a nice place to raise a family. I don't think we have the warfare among youths, the gangfights, that people have in larger cities. My younger sister Ernestine was raised here, went through high school and two years of college here, and is now happily married in Des Moines with a good job."

Urban League

Vernon E. Jordan, Jr., executive director of the National Urban League, charged tonight that black citizens had been victimized by federal policies amounting to "a Black Watergate" that left "the hopes and aspirations of black people to 'twist, slowly, slowly, in the wind,' and called on Congress to take steps in three major areas to 'avert a disastrous vacuum.'"

Mr. Jordan spoke at the National Urban League's annual Equal Opportunity Day Dinner at the New York Hilton Hotel. The Dinner Chairman was David Rockefeller, Chairman of the Board, Chase Manhattan Bank and NUL President Donald H. McGannon presented the Equal Opportunity Award to former NUL President, James A. Linen. Mr. Linen, formerly President of TIME Inc., was honored for his outstanding contribution to the League during his five years as President, from 1968-1973.

Referring to the continuing crisis in Washington, Mr. Jordan stated:

"Black people insist that the current crisis be resolved, for while we lack the vindictiveness some people would consider understandable, we know above all that we have a stake in a government that is stable, that can govern, and that will reverse those policies that have been harmful to us. The reforms we seek and the goals we are fighting for depend in large part upon governmental stability, public faith in the governing process and in the integrity of the courts and the governing institutions. Weaken these and you weaken the prospects for change."

"With the Administration in a state of paralysis and incapable of offering constructive initiatives in the area of equal opportunity, it becomes the responsibility of the Congress to act on behalf of America's minorities and her poor — the very people who have been excluded from the rewards and responsibilities of our nation."

Gwendolyn Brooks At Drake



MS. Brooks

Gwendolyn Brooks will be at Drake University on Wednesday, Nov. 28th at 8:00 pm in Old Main Auditorium.

Ms. Brooks' autobiography was published in 1972 by Broadside Press. **Report From Part One** has been widely acclaimed by critics and contemporaries alike.

She will be reading her own poetry, the public is invited. The event is sponsored by the National/International Awareness Committee and the Drake Afro-American Society.

Quote Of The Week

"...When white men deride the manhood of those they degrade, what they mean is this: men do not beg for freedom; men take their freedom. Only fearful fools confuse real manhood with slapping backs and guzzling booze and the elemental power of a hard shaft in a warm sack. These are games children also play."

(From **The Turning of the Wheel**, By Hoyt W. Fuller)

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VIEWS and REVIEWS

by James B. Morris

Thanksgiving Day 1973

Thanksgiving Day 1973 is one of the most unusual we have had in peacetime. Originally it was observed by the Pilgrims to give thanks for abundant crops in spite of the ravages of bad weather and difficulty of living with the Indians at that time.

Similarly, with all the turbulence this country has suffered in the last few years, Americans have more money, more leisure, more good living, and more of everything than ever before. True, there is some misery, some unemployment and some hunger. But cities, counties, states and the federal government are all helping to provide for the unfortunate and the disadvantaged with a great deal of success.

But from the standpoint of moral value we have failed miserably. In an effort to placate the rabble rousers, most of whom disregard decent conduct and flout the law, our schools, religious organizations and civil advisors have gone beyond reason to satisfy these people and as a result they have lowered those values that helped make this country great.

These practices they have been allowed in this land of plenty. They have helped reverse the trend of progress of the type adopted by the Pilgrims. These principles helped the American people become a leading nation in the world.

But we should be thankful.

Why Rehash Watergate?

Last week, the U.S. Senate authorized one million dollars to study impeachment proceedings against President Nixon.

The Senate Watergate Committee has been holding hearings for several months. It is headed by an able constitutional lawyer and a number of other able Senators (Democrat and Republican) and has as its advisor a capable lawyer with a large staff. Witnesses have appeared before the committee and testified about Watergate, campaign contributions and political influence. Altogether, it seems to me that if they have not been able to gather the information sufficient to bring impeachment proceedings, they have spent a lot of taxpayers money conducting a glamorous investigation.

Those found guilty of misconduct should be punished. But investigations should not be allowed to drag on indefinitely because this prevents the

country from presenting a unified effort to solve our domestic problems and often points a finger at people who have had no part in the misdoings that have developed.

The Kennedy Family

The son of Senator Edward Kennedy has survived an operation removing part of one of his legs in order to prevent the spread of bone cancer. This family has suffered almost unbelievable misfortune.

The sympathy of every American should go out to this courageous family in their latest misfortune.

NAACP News

WASHINGTON — Veteran civil rights advocate Clarence Mitchell sharply criticized the civil rights voting record of House Minority Leader Gerald R. Ford during hearings by the Senate Rules Committee on the nomination of the Michigan Republican to replace Spiro T. Agnew as Vice President of the nation.

Appearing before the committee on Wednesday, November 14, Mr. Mitchell, who heads the NAACP Washington Bureau, noted that the non-partisan Association does "not support or oppose candidates." However, he demonstrated, it was the duty of the NAACP to reveal to the committee areas of Rep. Ford's voting record that are of importance to the nation.

Mr. Mitchell submitted to the committee a detailed analysis of

America Questioning Fuel Shortage

By GEROME GRIER

Americans are coming to question if the country's so-called fuel crisis is as crooked as the Committee to Reelect the President.

The biggest reason to surface yet is the disclosure that three major oil companies donated at least \$100,000 a piece to the committee. The contributions leave at least two important questions unanswered.

Do they leave the administration obligated; and is that why the administration is going all out to convince America, and the world, that a serious shortage of fuel is on the horizon.

Fact is, on paper there does appear to be a fuel shortage, but it was this same kind of paperwork that brought America the Russian wheat deal, the many confusing and consumer-damaging phases of

Mr. Ford's voting record on civil rights but read from a brief summary. He said there were "three instances in the NAACP's record on Mr. Ford which show that he has a narrow-gauge approach to civil rights."

In 1970, Mr. Mitchell said, Mr. Ford supported the Nixon Administration's efforts to weaken the highly effective 1965 Voting Rights Act when it was up for extension. Only after Mr. Ford's diluted substitute bill was defeated in the Senate did he vote for the original bill.

In another instance, Mr. Ford supported efforts to weaken the 1968 Fair Housing Act before it was finally passed by the Senate. Again, Rep. Ford voted for the strong bill only after his efforts at weakening it had failed.

Mr. Ford has also supported anti-busing amendments which were aimed at nullifying favorable Supreme Court decisions on school desegregation.

Mr. Mitchell concluded his testimony by comparing Mr. Ford's civil rights stand with the "moral implications of matters connected with Watergate. He said:

wage-price controls, and lastly, beef shortages that were caused at the stock-yard level.

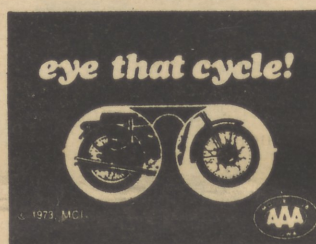
It is difficult to believe that the very officials who are paid enormous salaries to protect the good of the American people can be short-sighted enough, or incompetent, to leave families out in the cold this winter.

It is also difficult to believe that legislators would allow postponement of the Alaska pipeline development and drilling off the coast of California until Americans are quite willing to settle for any alternative, at any price, to have fuel.

Some of this would be credible if gas prices were not forced to rise with the gas shortage; or if oil companies had not given such large illegal donations to the Committee to elect the President.

"It is ironic that some of those who condemn President Nixon because of some early refusals to cooperate with the Federal courts on tapes and other White House documents have been in the forefront of efforts to defy or even deprive the courts of jurisdiction in school desegregation cases.

"We cannot have it both ways in our country. If we want those who hold the highest offices in our country to uphold the law and respect the courts, we must put a stop to unfair tactics used in Congress to demean the judiciary for upholding the rights of minorities."



Phillips Petroleum, Ashland Oil, Inc., and Gulf Oil each dropped \$100,000 in the deal.

What is left is almost total despair among congressmen and senators who are forced to answer to their constituencies. They don't have answers because they have waited too long to ask questions. And the President, he doesn't have to answer to anyone, as already proven.

Since spring, Americans have forked over 20 percent more for gas and oil, and not far away are predictions that gas will eventually cost in excess of a dollar-a-gallon.

Under the threat of useless cars and iced-over homes, Americans are now having to soften their criticism of the administration, hoping that it will soon find a solution to the energy crisis.

That solution will be found, and quickly, but with the solution will come almost unaffordable prices.

But in the end, the administration has come to satisfy its obligation to big oil company campaign donors and at the same time has satisfied the energy needs of the American public.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Sir:

My name is Lafayette Smith and I am an inmate at the London, Ohio Correctional Institution. I am asking that you print my request for correspondence from the outside. I would like to correspond with women from 24 to 40 years old, someone that's interested in giving a helping hand.

Yours truly,
Lafayette Smith
S/N. 120-956
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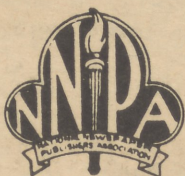
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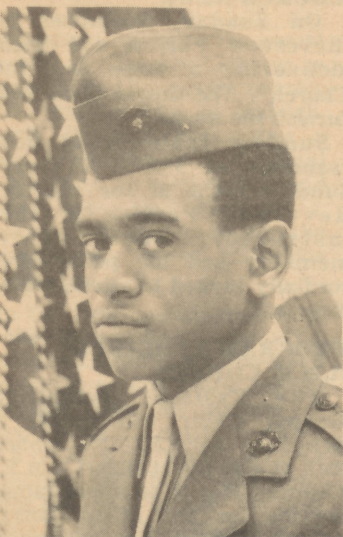
Black Press of America

Credo of the Black Press

The Black Press believes that America can best lead the world away from racial and national antagonisms when it accords to every man regardless of race, color or creed, his human and legal rights.

Hating no man, fearing no man, the Black Press strives to help every man in the firm belief that all are hurt as long as anyone is held back.

Mike Williams Returns



Mike Williams

Des Moines, Iowa. Marine Lance Corporal Mike Williams has returned home after thirteen months with the Fleet Marine Force. Corporal Williams saw service in Okinawa and Japan. Williams attended East and Des Moines Technical high schools and is the son of Mrs. Ruth Williams of Des Moines.

COUPON ALLOTMENTS INCREASED FOR FOOD STAMP RECIPIENTS:

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) announced today that food stamp coupon allotments will increase on Jan. 1, 1974 for all participants in the food stamp program in the 48 contiguous states and the District of Columbia. The Food Stamp Act, as amended by the Agriculture and Consumer Protection Act of 1973 (Public Law 93-86), requires that coupon allotments be adjusted semiannually to reflect changes in the prices of food as published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

The allotment increases are based on the cost of the USDA economy food plan as it is computed from Bureau of Labor Statistics food prices. The cost of the economy food plan through Aug. 31, 1973 was \$141.60 for a family of four with school children. Accordingly, USDA will raise the value of the coupon allotment from \$116 to \$142 for a family of four and make appropriate adjustments for other household sizes.

The maximum income eligibility standards are increased to the level at which the new coupon allotments equal 30 percent of income for all household sizes, except the one-person household. The one-person standard retains the higher poverty income cut-off. The maximum income standard retains the higher poverty income cut-off. The maximum income standard for the four-person household will increase from \$387 to \$473.

Separate allotments and eligibility standards for Alaska and Hawaii will be implemented when costs of the economy food plan in those states are available.

Maximum eligibility standards by family size starting Jan. 1 are:

One.....	183
Two.....	260
Three.....	373
Four.....	473
Five.....	560
Six.....	646
Seven.....	726
Eight.....	806

For each additional household member over eight add \$67 to the eight-person eligibility level.

*In Michigan and Wisconsin the maximum eligibility standard for a one-person household is \$210 which is consistent with their regular public assistance program standards.

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INCOME OF BLACK AMERICANS IN 1972 WAS 51 BILLION DOLLARS, SAID DR. ANDREWS BRIMMER, BLACK MEMBER OF FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD.

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DOUGLAS C. GLASGOW, DEAN OF HOWARD UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK.



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ELECTION OF NEIGHBORHOOD OPPORTUNITY CENTER BOARD MEMBERS FOR GATEWAY

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- Precinct No. 1: James O'Daye
- Precinct No. 2: Queen Dennis, Herman Richard
- Precinct No. 3: Mary Moore
- Precinct No. 4: Rev. George Parrish

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Mort's Barber Shop-12th & University
Hinky Dinky-19th & Carpenter
Highland Center-1413 6th Ave.
Gateway Center-1000 College
Polls Are Open 10 am-7 pm



At-Large Adult Candidates:
Evelyn Davis,
Edward Dial,
Kenneth Warren.

At-Large Youth Candidate:
Bobby Holmes

For Voters Convenience The Gateway Van Will Be At The Following Places.

Allison & 16th ST. 11 am-12 noon
18 TH & Clark-12 noon-1 pm
13th & Univ.-1 pm-2 pm
6th & Univ.-2 pm-3 pm
4th & Clark-3-4
13th & Forest-4-5
11th & Univ.-5-6:45

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Vote for one (1) only in the precinct in which you live.
Vote for two (2) at large adult representatives if you live in the Gateway area.
Vote for one (1) youth at large representative if you live in the Gateway area.
Space will be provided on ballots for write-in candidates.

ELECTION DAY: SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1973

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10:00 AM to 7:00 PM

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Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion Church
 REV. J.A. JONES, Pastor
 907 15th Street
 Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
 Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
 Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
 Prayer Service Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

PHILADELPHIA SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST
 1150 13th St.
 GABE H. TAYLOR JR. Pastor
 Sabbath School 9:30 A.M.
 Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
 Missionary Volunteer 3:00 P.M.
 Prayer Meeting, Wed 8:00 P.M.
 Dorcas Society 1st Sunday 1:00 P.M.

JACOB TEMPLE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
 1104 9th St.
 Elder A. C. Carroll, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
 Sunday Worship 11:00 A.M. and 8:00 P.M.
 Evening Services Tuesday and Friday at 8:00 P.M.

NO. 2 COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
 (Formerly Lewis Temple)
 SUPERINTENDENT
 West Brook Pastor
 He will be preaching the 2nd and 4th Sunday each month
 Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
 Morning Worship 11:30 A.M.
 Evening Worship 7:30 P.M.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH
 1213 Scott Street BL 5-6333
 REV. WILLIAM HEATH, Pastor
ORDER OF SERVICES
 Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
 Morning Service 11 A.M.
 B.T.U. 6:00 P.M.
 Evening Services 7:30 P.M.
 Wednesday Night Prayer Service 7:00 P.M.

MORNINGSTAR BAPTIST CHURCH
 1150 W. 13th
 REV. ALEX CRAWFORD, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45
 Morning Worship 11:00
 Sunday Broadcast 9:30 A.M. to 10:00 A.M.

FIRST CALVARY APOSTOLIC CHURCH OF GOD
 2561 Onawa
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship 12:00 a.m.
 Sunday Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
 Tuesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
 Thursday Worship 7:30 p.m.
 Minister G. Reid

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

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

FIRST CALVARY APOSTOLIC CHURCH
 2561 Onawa Street
 Minister: Rev. G. Reid
 Sunday School 10:30 A.M.
 Morning Worship 12:00 Noon
 Evenings Tuesday & Thursday 7:30 P.M.

St. Paul A.M.E. Church
 1201 Day Street
 REV. HENDERSON DAVIS
 Church School 9:30 A.M.
 Church Service 10:45 A.M.
 Vespers Service 6:30 P.M.
 Prayer Service, Wed 7:30 P.M.
 Youth Fellowships 5:30 P.M.

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

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

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Union Baptist Church News. Rev. H.F. Thomas Pastor Clara Wade Reporter. The Anniversary Committee is deeply grateful to the Grinnell Gospel Choir, and all the members and friends of Union who made the sixty-first anniversary service a success. Sisters Smith and Wilson, Chrm. Sunday Nov. 25th. After morning services Pastor Thomas and members of the youth choir will worship at Community Church at Omaha, Nebr. make reservations with Diedra Thomas if you would like to go. Fare is \$6.00.

Brother Ralph Parker is convalescing at Iowa Methodist Hospital, Brother LeRoy Owens is at Mercy Hospital.

Pastor Thomas and family extend to the membership and friends a Happy Thanksgiving.

KYLES A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

On Sunday morning there will be a guest minister who will deliver the 11:00 am sermon. The "Young Adult" choir will sing.

Miss Marjorie LaMay united with the church last Sunday and is a candidate for baptism.

Visitors were Mrs. Helen Davis, Mr. Ricky Clayton, Mrs. J.L. Ingram and Mr. Henry Mason of Junction, Kansas.

We were sorry to learn of the passing of Br. Jerry Wigham's mother who lived in Chicago. Services were held last week.

Remember the King & Queen Pageant on Sunday, Dec. 16th. More details at a later date.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. William S. Heath will preach at the morning worship. The Gospel choir will sing. Service will start at 11:30 am.

The pastor and gospel choir will be seen on "The Church of the Air", KRNT TV at 11:00 am on Sunday, Nov. 25th.

MACEDONIA MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
 930 31st St.
 REV. AVANCE HARDEN
 Home 277-5445
 Church 255-4286
 Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
 Morning Worship 10:45 A.M.
 B.T.U. 6:00 P.M.
 Elsie Chancellor, Director
 Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
 Prayer Serves Wed 7:00 P.M.

East University Church of God in Christ
 East 17th and University
 BISHOP J.E. ABERNATHY
 Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
 Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
 Evening Service 8:00 P.M.
 Wed Eve Mission Circle 8:00 P.M.
 Weekly evening services Tuesday and Friday 8:00 P.M.

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

MT. HEBRON BAPTIST CHURCH
 131 - 9th St.
 West Des Moines, Iowa
 REV. JAMES HARRIS, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:00 A.M.
 Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
 Prayer Meeting Wed 7:30 P.M.

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

BURNS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 811 Crocker Street
 Rev. R. C. Pfaltzgraff
 Rev. Henry Bevel
 Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
 Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.

Mrs. Cortez Wade united with the church. Visitor last Sunday was Mrs. Mattie White from Plummerville, Ark.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The Elizabeth Tolliver Missionary Society will have their annual "Harvest Night" for the pastor and his family on Tuesday night, November 27, 1973. Services will begin at 7:30 p.m. The Reverend Robert G. Clay will be the guest speaker. Reverend Clay is the pastor of St. Paul African Methodist Episcopal Church. Also featured on that night, the Richard Allen Chorus, that incomparable musical group of St. Paul.

The Project Club will serve a spaghetti dinner on Saturday night, December 8, 1973 the hours are from 6 til 9 p.m. Donation \$.50. Tickets can be secured from any member of the Project Club and their names can be gotten from Mrs. Ethel May, phone number 266-6101.

There will be a Church conference held immediately following morning worship of the first Sunday in December. All members are asked to be present.

Sunday services includes, Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. divine worship at 11:00 a.m. and the Community singers in support of Miss Diane Banks, organist, at 4:30 p.m.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The Sunday School is having a "Record Party" on Nov. 23rd from 4 to 6 p.m. in the lower level of the church, honoring Miss St. Paul 1973-74, Miss Amber Jo Perry. Games will be played and delicious beefburgers will be served. Committee chairperson is Gina Perry.

The New Life Ensemble has postponed its anniversary celebration. The program will be Dec. 2nd rather than Nov. 25th.

Plans are being made for a Smorgasbord on Dec. 15th by the William Sampson Brooks Missionary Society. A Missionary night unit No. 1 has been organized. Ms. Patrick Ann Clay is chairperson of the new unit. An all-male fashion show is being planned.

On Sunday morning Nov. 25th, Rev. Robert Clay's sermon will be "To Whom Shall We Go". Rev. Clay is preaching at Corinthian Baptist Church on Wed. night at 7:00 pm. He will be accompanied by the St. Paul Choir and many members of the church. Rev. Clay also has a speaking engagement at Bethel A.M.E. Church on Tuesday, Nov. 27th in the evening. The Richard Allen Chorus will sing. Come and fellowship with our sister church.

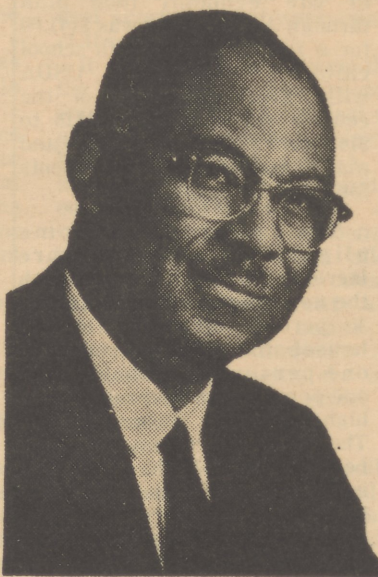
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African Crusade 1973



Rev. Strickland

Rev. Frederick W. Strickland, pastor of Corinthian Baptist Church, will participate in an African Crusade for Christ beginning November 23, 1973. He was selected to join with thirteen other ministers from the United States in a two week evangelistic meeting in Liberia, Africa.

Pastor Strickland will preach twenty (20) sermons in the urban and rural areas of the country. He will spend eight (8) days in the bush area of Maryland County, some 475 miles Southeast of Monrovia, Liberia's capital city. Rev. Strickland will live in the villages with the people, eat native food and preach each night through an interpreter. A number of people will be hearing the Word of God for the first time, since only 16% of Liberia's population is Christian.

The members of Corinthian Baptist Church wish to express their appreciation to the other churches in Iowa and the Midwest who made financial contributions to the Crusade. Sponsors of the Crusade are the Montserrado County Ministerial Association and the Liberian Baptist Association.

Rev. Strickland will leave for Africa on Thanksgiving Day. Members of the contributing churches are grateful for the opportunity to share their blessings with the people of Liberia during this Thanksgiving Season.

FOREST AVE. COGIC CHURCH NEWS

The members of the Forest Ave. Church are very jubilant for the return of our pastor Bishop A.B. Carter Sr. from the International Holy Convocation of the Churches of God in Christ Inc. The Convocation was held in Memphis, Tenn.

As our Bishop spoke to us Sunday morning, he told of the wonderful time he had in Memphis. He said he wished that all the church members could have been with him.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

On Sunday, November 25, Reverend Parrish will begin delivering a series on "The Church". The Gospel Choir will furnish the music.

Sunday Bible Study has resumed at 5:30 PM every Sunday night at the church. Reverend Parrish is the instructor. Maple Street members and the public are cordially invited to attend these classes.

PROGRAM AT BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH

The Eastside Community Gospel Choir will render a program Sunday, November 25th at 4:00 pm at Bethel A.M.E. Church. This is an appreciation service for Ms. Diane Banks, church organist. Your patronage will be greatly appreciated.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. James A. Green will deliver the message at the 11:00 am service on Sunday, Nov. 25th. At 7:00 pm the Corinthian Fellowship Chorus will be presented by the Courtesy Committee of Corinthian in a musical program.

Sunday Dec. 2nd Rev. William Scott will fill the pulpit during Rev. Strickland's absence for the African Crusade.

MESSIAH TEMPLE CHURCH NEWS

Our guest speaker was the Reverend George Turner. His message was on love.

Sunday school begins at 10:30 a.m. with services starting at 11:30 a.m. The Life of Christ is taught on Sunday at 7:00 p.m. Prayer meeting is held on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. Our new class called Youth for Christ is taught at 1001 E. 17th Street at 7:00 p.m. All are welcome to attend any of these services.

Reverend Jacob Red, Pastor

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Wake Up Afro-Iowa

Atlanta, Georgia — The recent election of Clarence Lightner as mayor of the predominantly white capitol city of Raleigh, North Carolina exemplifies a new trend toward political coalitions which transcend racial lines, says John Lewis, Executive Director of the nonpartisan Voter Education Project, Inc.

In the first municipal election of the mayor by popular vote, Clarence Lightner, who has been the city's second black council member, won the support of nine predominantly white precincts and eight predominantly black precincts. Lightner had served for two terms in the city council and, in the last term, had been elected by fellow council members as mayor pro-tem.

"To people outside the South," observed Lewis, it may be surprising to see black officials elected by coalitions of black and white southerners. The election of Clarence Lightner in Raleigh and Maynard Jackson of Atlanta are but two recent examples of a new trend which the Voter Education Project is attempting to foster in the South. These successes are the result of an infusion of black political participation where

little political power existed only a few short years ago."

In Raleigh, only 22.7 percent of the population is black and blacks constitute 15.5 percent of the registered voters. According to unofficial returns, Lightner won 17,348 votes or 52.9 percent of the ballots while his white opponent, G. Wesley Williams, polled 15,476 or 47.1 percent of the total vote.

Black candidates in Raleigh also won two of four Board of Education seats which were filled in the November elections. In the Raleigh city council, Bill Knight won election as the only black member of the seven seat governing body. Knight was the third black elected to the council in the history of the city.

"In the midst of national political scandal, the people of this country want to see change," stated Lewis. "Apparently, there are many whites who feel a sense of hope and faith in the ability of black officials to govern with greater sensitivity and compassion. There is an apparent appreciation for the inner strength of black candidates who have known exclusion and oppression and, despite negative conditioning, demonstrate a very positive and human perspective."

Oil-Alaska & Eskimos, (Watch It!)

The discovery oil in Alaska and the impending construction of the trans-Alaska pipeline have caused Alaskan natives to plunge headlong into the unfamiliar and hazardous world of corporate finance, according to the November issue of the **Race Relations Reporter**.

In an article by **Reporter** staff writer Anthony Griggs, the magazine reports that the terms of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act, passed by Congress in 1971, leave Alaska's Eskimos, Indians and Aleuts little choice except to move away from their traditional lifestyles and into the arena of the oil business.

The Congressional Act, Griggs' article explained, set up 12 native corporations, each of which will decide how to invest its portion of the one billion dollars and 40 million acres of land that Alaskan natives received under the act.

The act was passed to clarify title to Alaskan lands after oil companies sought to either buy or lease land whose ownership was in dispute.

Prior to the passage of the claims act, Alaskan natives had claimed several hundred million acres, and the **Reporter** explained that the reduction of the natives' land base will make it nearly impossible for them to pursue their traditional lifestyles.

"Natives have had to quickly assume the business acumen of oil executives," Griggs reported, "as well as the trappings of land surveyors and the expertise of investment speculators."

Leaders in the native corporations are enthusiastic about the future, the Griggs article continued, but they are aware of a number of obstacles. Some of the bigger ones include the following:

—Land title disputes with both the federal government and the State of Alaska;

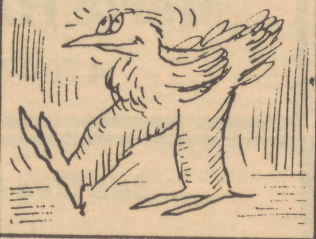
—Vast distances and bitter weather that make communication among natives extremely difficult;

—Land disputes among the 12 native corporations;

—And finally, the oil industry itself.

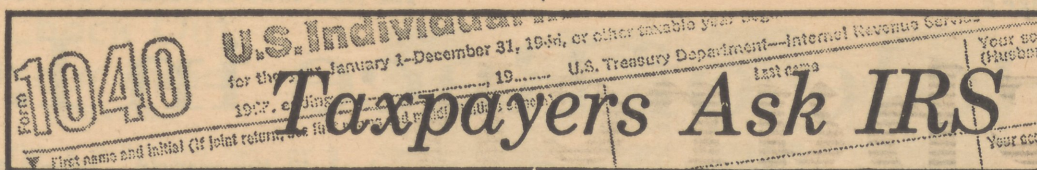
"Observers have cautioned," Griggs wrote, "that the natives will be up against an industrial giant (the oil industry) with tentacles reaching into every facet of the business and political world."

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Q) Can you deduct contributions to foreign charities?

A) No. However, you may deduct contributions to a U.S. organization that transfers funds to a charitable foreign organization if the U.S. organization controls the use of the funds or if the foreign charity is merely an administrative arm of the U.S. organization. Also, contributions made directly to certain Canadian charities are deductible. The organization itself can tell you whether it qualifies.

Q) Can a foster child qualify as a dependent?

A) Yes. A foster child may qualify as your dependent if your home is his principal residence, he is a member of your household for the entire year and the other dependency tests are met, including your furnishing more than half of the child's total support.

Q) I'm a salesman. Every year, I give each of my customers a little present. Can I deduct these business gifts on my income tax return?

A) Expenses for business gifts made to an individual are deductible only to the extent that the total business gifts

during the year to that individual do not exceed \$25.

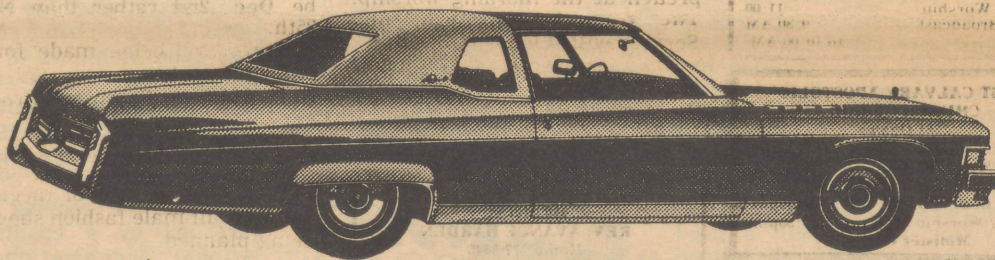
Not subject to this \$25 rule are general business gifts to individuals of identical items costing you \$4 or less, on which your name is clearly and permanently imprinted.

Q) What are the rules for deducting prepaid interest?

A) In general, most individual taxpayers who pay interest in advance for a period extending more than 12 months beyond the end of their current tax year must deduct this amount proportionately over the tax years involved. Interest paid in advance for a period not in excess of 12 months following the end of the tax year may be deducted in the year paid if the deduction does not cause a material distortion of income.

The Egyptians believed that every day the sun sailed across the sky in his boat. Every night, he disappeared into the underworld in the west. In the underworld was another Nile River. The ruler of the underworld had the sun's boat pulled along this river until at last it crossed the horizon and rose again.

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Role of Race in I.Q. Test Score

Intelligence tests given by white examiners may substantially under-estimate the intelligence of black children, an Iowa study indicates.

This may mean that a lot of black children put into special education classes don't belong there.

Changes in intelligence test scores were linked to the race of the person giving the test in a study by Clifford L. Moore of Guilford, Connecticut, as part of his work for a doctor's degree in education at Iowa.

The study involved 42 five-year-old black children from a low-income neighborhood in the Davenport area.

Half of these children took an intelligence test first with a white examiner and later with a black examiner. The other half took the test first with a black examiner.

There was a significant increase in the children's scores when they were tested by black examiners, Moore said.

When tested by black examiners, 50 per cent of the children made scores con-

sidered to be in the range of normal intelligence.

When the same children were given the same test by white examiners, only 16 per cent of them achieved scores in the normal range.

Sixteen per cent of the children in Moore's study would have been assigned to special classes on the basis of scores they made when tested by white examiners. When tested by black examiners, those who would be sent to special classes dropped to 2 per cent.

The test used in the study was a short form of the Wechsler Preschool and Primary Scale of Intelligence.

Moore's study did not seek to explain why the children's test performance was poorer when they were tested by white examiners.

It might have been that the black children were hostile or fearful of being judged by a white person, he said, or the white examiners may have interacted with the children in some way that made the children less interested in doing well.

New Yam Festival In Iboland Wash., D.C. Gets

BY ADAURE OHAEBOSIM



I guess every community, society or nation has a time when they give thanks to whoever or whatever they regard as their God. Thanksgiving celebration in the U.S. reminds me of the New Yam Festival at home - Iboland in the East Central State of Nigeria.

New Yam Festival is an annual celebration which takes place during the second week of August, just before yam harvest commences. This occasion has some of the vital characteristics and functions of Thanksgiving. It is a time of eating and drinking when families get together to make generous sacrifices to the God of Sun and Sky for giving them a good harvest by sending rain instead of drought. (I would like to point out here that the New Yam Festival has the same fundamental principal for all of Iboland, however, there are variations in the actual celebration regarding time and

intensity just as you have some people feasting on chicken instead of turkey dish or families eating out on Thanksgiving.)

Usually, the celebration begins on the eve of the big market day for each community. For instance, our big market day is "Afo" but we start celebrations at sun-down, just before supper on "Oye" market day. As the sun starts to go down in the west, the elders of the village gather at the house of the oldest male among them. They eat kola nut and drink palm wine as they entertain themselves with stories of how well the crops have done during the year. Most of the stories are told in idioms and proverbs handed down by their ancestors and for the wise to understand. After the evening fun, everybody goes home.

The next gathering of the elderly males takes place the next day at the shrine, where the eldest male or the local priest offers a fowl to the ancestors following some prayers. As the singing and dancing goes on, the priest sprinkles the blood of the fowl on the shrine and a piece of the new yam is also placed on the shrine. At this point, every resident may go into his/her garden to harvest the first yam of the year.



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Part Time Home Rule

Capitol News Service—WASHINGTON, D.C. - Thanks to the effective leadership of Rep. Charles C. Diggs, jr., and intensive lobbying, the citizens of the nation's last colony, the District of Columbia, now have home rule, at least in part.

It was through the calm, sagacious negotiations and political maneuverings of Rep. Diggs, as chairman of the House of Columbia Committee, that saved the home rule bill from certain death. A j2pelming passage came after a hotly contested floor debate. Diggs and supporters of the home rule bill had to fight off last-minute attempts by opponents to amend the bill "to death."

Diggs, who is the ranking Black Congressman on Capitol Hill with 18 years of service, became chairman of the House District of Columbia Committee last January, after the election defeat of staunch home rule foe, Rep. John McMillan of South Carolina.

Not openly mentioned by opponents of home rule for D.C. was the fact that the city is 70 percent Black.

The intensive lobbying efforts were led by a coalition of national organizations, including Common Cause, National League of Women Voters, AFL-CIO, UAW, Leadership Conference on Civil Rights, the National Council of Churches, and the D.C. Self-Determination Coalition, headed by Richard Clark, also of Common Cause.

D.C. Delegate-at-large Walter E. Fauntroy was also active in garnering support for the bill.

However, congressional leaders and the Washington newspapers have attributed the success of the home rule legislation to the personal leadership and political savvy of Rep. Diggs.

The Washington Star-News stated in an editorial, "...This (the passage of home rule) was an immense legislative achievement, for which the city

is indebted chiefly to District Committee Chairman Diggs..." The Senate passed a home rule bill earlier this year, and now the House passed the bill goes to a joint House-Senate conference committee to iron out differences between the respective home rule measures.

Under the new bill, D.C. residents would have the right for the first time to elect a mayor and 13 city council members. However, a provision in the bill allows Congress to retain its control over the D.C. budget.

Mayor Washington, D.C. present Black mayor, was jubilant over the home rule victory. And so were thousands of other D.C. residents who have waited for so long for their own "self determination."

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How's Your Black I. Q.?

Questions

1. Malcolm X was the founder of what organization?
2. Who is the famous Black Carthaginian who conquered Rome?
3. Who was the leader of the mutiny on the slave ship Amistad?
4. Robert G. Clark is an important Black man in Mississippi. Why?
5. Isaac Hayes won what award for his theme from "Shaft"?

ANSWERS

1. Malcolm X was the founder of the Organization of Afro-American Unity.
2. Hannibal was a Carthaginian who conquered Rome and controlled Italy for more than 20 years.
3. Cinque was the leader of the revolt on the slave ship Amistad.
4. Robert G. Clark is important because he was the first Black person elected to the Mississippi House of Representatives since Reconstruction.
5. Isaac Hayes won a "Grammy" award in 1972 for the theme from "Shaft".

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Monroe Forms Production Co.

Earl ("The Pearl") Monroe, New York Knicks' superstar, announces the formation of Earl Monroe Productions Incorporated, a firm that will serve its clients in the areas of artist management, music publishing, public relations and record production.

Monroe, president of the newly formed organization, has already signed three talented groups: Ghetto Fighters, a four-member vocal and instrumental group, Juliette, a female vocalist and Personal Touch, a three-member female vocal group.

Last year during one of his finest seasons as a basketball superstar, Monroe was also

WHERE THERE'S HOPE

Walter "Stymie" Beard, who was famous as Stymie in the "Our Gang" comedies, has resumed the career he started 47½ years ago. He was first seen on the screen as a 16-month-old child in "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

"Truck Turner," the new American International drama starring Isaac Hayes, Yaphet Kotto and Alan Weeks, will have Stymie playing the jail guard in scenes with Hayes and Weeks.

After five years in the "Our Gang" series (now seen on television as "The Little Rascals"), Stymie acted in such films as "Jazabel," "Captain Blood" and "Return of Frank James." Later he dropped out of acting because of what he refers to as "addiction problems." For 20 years he "disappeared," but in 1966 he was admitted to Synanon Foundation, Inc., where he now resides. At the Foundation he found the way to deal with his difficulties.

Now in "Truck Turner," Stymie is starting his comeback as far as theatrical films are concerned. When he completes his day's acting he goes home to Synanon, in Santa Monica, where the wife that he met and married there awaits him. A "new" career seems to have begun for Stymie, almost half a century after his first film. Stymie was only temporarily stymied.

Director of Special Events for Spring Records, where his activities included working with racks, one-stops, disc-jockeys, program directors and music directors, bringing new talent into the company and helping in the production of their sessions. He was also involved in work with Millie Jackson and Joe Simon releases.

Monroe is currently negotiating a recording contract for Ghetto Fighters and plans a New York showcase for the group in the near future.

Movie News

"Five On The Black Hand Side," the black breakthrough motion picture, continues to do towering business, grossing a combined \$179,383 in the first 18 days of its premiere engagement at the Cinerama and RKO 86th Street Twin No. 2 Theatres, it was announced by James R. Velde, United Artists Senior Vice President.

Setting a new style for black films, "Five On The Black Hand Side" has received unprecedented acclaim for its warm, family comedy and drama, a departure from the customary ingredients of crime, drugs and violence.

Clarice Taylor, Leonard Jackson, Virginia Capers, Glynn Turman and D'Urville Martin are starred.

Based on Charlie L. Russell's American Place Theatre hit, the motion picture is presented by Michael Tolan and Brock Peters for release by United Artists, an entertainment service of Trans-america Corporation. Oscar Williams directed from a screenplay by Russell. Peters and Tolan produced.



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Check Out Your Mind

by HABIBA

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The text of **Malcolm X on Afro-American History** is comprised of speeches made by Malcolm. In addition, you'll find 12 pages of drawings and pictures supporting his view of the world's history and the role that Black people have played from the beginning of time.

You ought to buy this book and let it be the first in a series of books you'll read to learn your true history. It is a shame that the most advanced people on earth, some of whom happen to reside in this country, do not know enough about themselves to stem any tide or tirade of racism, verbal or otherwise. Malcolm knew the power inherent in knowledge; he died trying to pass it on to others.

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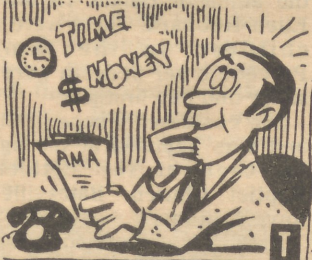
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LEONARD JACKSON (Mr. Brooks), left, listen as son D'DURVILLE MARTIN (Booker T.) discusses a plan that would thwart the liberated movement undertaken by Mrs. Brooks, portrayed by CLARICE TAYLOR, in the United Artists release, **FIVE ON THE BLACK HAND SIDE**, the film version of the hilarious off-Broadway hit of the same title.

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In the District Court
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Equity No. CE 1-313

H. & VAL J. ROTHCHILD,
INC.,
Plaintiff
vs.

LOUISE TURNER, formerly known as RUTHIE MAY LOUISE JEFFERSON, a single person; Polk County, Iowa; D'ARCY DEAN, single; JACKIE BRUNO, single, and LINDA GREEN, single.
Defendants.

TO LOUISE TURNER, formerly known as RUTHIE MAY LOUISE JEFFERSON, a single person; POLK COUNTY, IOWA; D'ARCY DEAN, single; JACKIE BRUNO, single, and LINDA GREEN, single;

YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that there is now on file the petition 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 of you judgment in the sum of Seventeen Thousand Three Hundred Sixty-six and 34/100 judgment in the sum of Dollars (\$17,366.34) with interest thereon at the rate of eight and one-half per cent (8 1/2%) per annum, from October 31, 1973, on the first mortgage note, made, executed and delivered to Iowa Des Moines National Bank by the defendant Louise Turner, formerly known as Ruthie May Louise Jefferson, on or about the 3rd day of March, 1971, which said defendant agreed to pay and subsequently thereto had been duly and legally assigned to this plaintiff, which amount includes interest, 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 of all such sums in judgment be found, determined and decreed to be a first and valid lien on the following described property, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to wit: Lot 117 and 170 feet East of and adjoining Lot 117 in East Capital Park, now included in and forming a part of the City of

Des Moines, Iowa, subject to restrictive covenants of record, by virtue of a first real estate mortgage made, executed and delivered to Iowa Des Moines National Bank, by the defendant Louise Turner, formerly known as Ruthie May Louise Jefferson, a single person, dated the 3rd day of March, 1971, which has been legally assigned to this plaintiff on or about the 20th day of April, 1973, that the same be established and confirmed and foreclosed and sold under execution in quantity and manner sufficient to pay plaintiff's said debts, together with costs and accruing costs in full, and that any right, title or interest that you or each of you might have or claim to have in and to the same be found, decreed and determined to be junior and inferior to plaintiff's mortgage lien; that your equity of redemption be forever barred and foreclosed, except the statutory right of redemption and that a Receiver be appointed to take possession of the above-described premises 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 period 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 is also asking for all general and other equitable relief.

YOU ARE ALSO HEREBY NOTIFIED to appear before the District Court of the State of Iowa in and for Polk County, Iowa, located at the Court House in Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on or before the 21st day of December, 1973, and unless you so appear, default will be entered and judgment and decree rendered against you for the relief demanded in this petition.

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 14th day of November, A.D., 1973.

CRAWFORD & CLARKE
Attorneys for Plaintiff
701 Insurance Exch. Bldg.
Des Moines, Iowa 50309
Phone: 243-4254

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OBITUARIES

MRS. HELEN WAGNER

Services for Mrs. Helen Wagner, 63, of 7630 N.E. Nineteenth Lane, who died Thursday of an apparent heart attack at Broadlawn Polk County Hospital, were at 1 p.m. Monday at Estes and Son Funeral Home with burial in Glendale Cemetery.



MRS. HELEN
WAGNER

Born in Exline, she lived in Des Moines 40 years. She attended Iowa State University and was a member of Church of God in Christ.

Survivors include her husband, Kaster; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Anna Love of Minneapolis, Minn., and Mrs. Rudie Bruce of Des Moines; two stepsons, Glenard and Virgil, both of Des Moines; a sister, Mrs. Stella Anderson of Grinnell; three brothers, Perry Mikels of Moravia, Sigle Mikels of Moulton and Harvey Mikels of Phoenix, Ariz.; 56 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren.

JOSEPH D. WELLINGTON

Services for Joseph David Wellington, 91, of 907 Grove St., were at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Estes and Son Funeral Home with burial at Glendale Cemetery.



JOSEPH D.
WELLINGTON

Mr. Wellington, a retired mechanic for the Des Moines Clay Company, died Friday at Northwest Hospital after a long illness. He was a member of the Corinthian Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Lucy, a son, Wilbert of Chicago, Ill., and three grandchildren.

MRS. ESTELLA POWERS

Mrs. Estella Taylor Powers died Wednesday, November 7, 1973 at 9:17 at Westwood Manor Convalescent Home, Los Angeles, California.

She was born in Batesville, Arkansas, August 15, 1896 from the union of Dennis Taylor and Ellen Hubbard. There were nine children in the family. Preceding her in death were one sister and two brothers.

She confessed a hope in Christ and was baptized at the age of fourteen at the Bethlehem Baptist Church, Batesville by Rev. Williams.

Estella was married in 1938 in Arkansas to Dennis Powers. From this union one daughter was adopted; Donna Lee.

In 1943 Estella and Dennis moved to Des Moines, Iowa, where she immediately found a Church home as she joined West Des Moines Baptist Church, where she was a member of the Deconness Board. In her desire to be a part of the new community she joined the Eastern Star.

In 1954 Estella and Dennis moved onward to Minneapolis, Minn., where she was a member of Zion Baptist Church and a active member of the Deconness Board.

At the wish of their daughter, now grown up, Donna, Estella and Dennis moved to Venice, California in 1960 where she united with Friendship Baptist Church under the pastorate of

Rev. Taylor. While a member of Friendship Baptist Mrs. Powers joined the Mother's Board where she was a faithful member until her disablement.

The loss of our dear mother, sister and relative is a great shock, but to remember her last words "You've gone with me as far as you can go; now I'm ready to go to my eternal Home to rest in Peace, I have given up my daughter and grandchildren in Jesus' name."

Surviving members of the family are her daughter, Mrs. Donna Moore of Venice; one brother, Lee Taylor of Batesville, Arkansas; four sisters, Mrs. Beulah Owens of Venice, Mrs. Lula Scott of Venice, Mrs. Genevieve Crawford of Los Angeles, Miss Arkie Taylor of Los Angeles, four grandchildren as well as a host of other relatives and friends.

LESTER JEFFERSON

Services for the Rev. Lester F. Jefferson, 56, of 1730 Lyon St., who died Saturday at Veteran's Hospital of emphysema, were at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the Maple Street Baptist Church with burial at Glendale Cemetery.

The Rev. Mr. Jefferson was minister at the Second Baptist Church in Ottumwa and former



LESTER F.
JEFFERSON

pastor of St. John's Baptist Church in Mason City. He was public relations director for the Iowa Missionary Educational Convention of Baptists Conference; corresponding secretary of the Eastern District of the Iowa Missionary Educational Convention and the Des Moines Black Ministerial Alliance, and post 126 of the American Legion.

Survivors include his wife, Mertilla; four daughters, Mrs. Carol Lewis, Mrs. Sherrill Jones, Racheal Jefferson, and Lavenia Jefferson, all of Des Moines; two sisters, Mrs. Blance Miller of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. Rose Hutchinson of Des Moines; five brothers, Harold of Denver, Colo.; George of Minneapolis, Minn.; Leonard of Des Moines, the Rev. Phillip of Omaha, Neb., and Arthur of Des Moines, and three grandchildren.

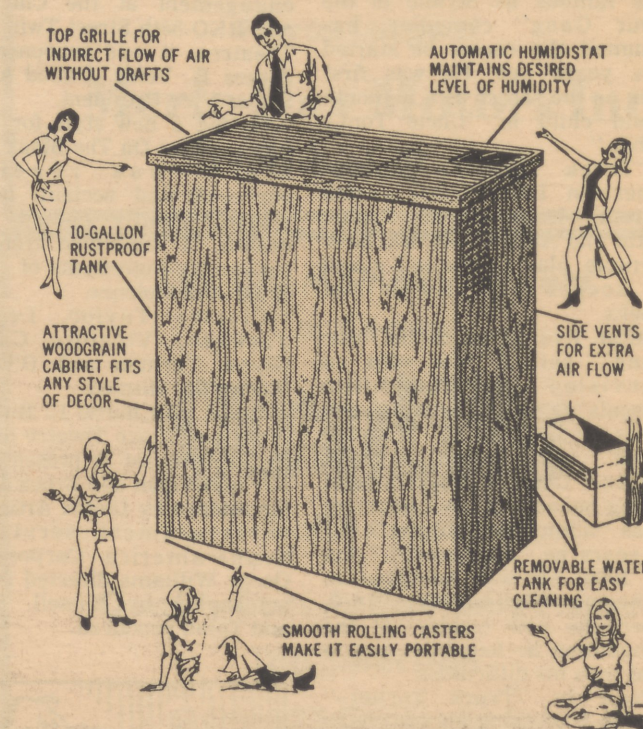
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In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Iowa to be affixed. Done at Des Moines, this 16th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred seventy-three.

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N.C.R.A. MEETING: Mrs. Willa M. Parker, Clinic Assistant, Reading and Study Skills Clinic, Drake University, attended the North Central Reading Associations 16th Annual Meeting which was held at Kent State University, Kent, Ohio, along with two graduate assistants, Mrs. Martha Ragland and Miss Ann Southwick. They accompanied Dr. Joseph A. Fisher, Director of the Reading and Study Skills Clinic. The meeting was held October 26-27.

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WILLIAM CONRAD WHITE, 2 year old Tiny Tot student and son of Mrs. Irene White, woke his mother at 3:00 o'clock the other a.m. singing and clapping his hands to the song "If you're happy and you know it," clap your hands. Having completed

each verse of that song, he n began "One Little Indian, two little Indians" and on to ten little Indians, but was stopped by his mother. She suggested that he leave her bed and return to his brother's in the adjoining bedroom. He did very briefly because he not only joined them but was heard to be telling them to wake up. Needless to say his mother interrupted and brought him back to her room and back to sleep.

Julia B. Mayer Center

Classes for diabetic will be conducted at the Julia B. Mayer Center, 809 Forest Avenue for anyone interested. The classes will be held from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. on November 27, December 4, 11, 18, 1973. Nutritional and Health aspects of a diabetic will be discussed. The classes are free and everyone is welcome. For further information, call 243-5263.

Socialite Queens Meet

On November 10, the Socialite Queens met at the home of Mrs. Jacqueline Randall with Mrs. Felice Rhodes as co-hostess. Plans were completed for the club's Christmas Party to be held at Dominos on December 8th. The club awarded two baskets of groceries that were won by Mrs. Eva Winston and Mrs. Ruth Doyle. A question and answer period was conducted by Social Chairman, Mrs. Catherine Durden. Prizes for the most correct answers were won by Mesdames Felice Rhodes and Emma Williamson. The next business meeting will be January 12, at the home of Mrs. Martha Wheels with co-hostess Emma Williamson.

Voguettes Club News

Mrs. Ethel Lewis was the lucky winner of the Thanksgiving basket. The Voguettes recently completed payments on a \$25.00 pledge to churches representing the members. The following churches were recipients, Kyles, Bethel, St. Paul, Corinthian and Union.

The Christmas party is planned for members and husbands Saturday, December 8th. At Charlies Show Place. After dinner and a show the club will gather at the home of Catherine Moore for a gift exchange. Dorothy Taylor is President, Ella Mae Burks is Secretary and Clara Wade is the Reporter.



Ida Boston, Model Cities' Library, with display at Irving's CCRAP program.



Polk County Extension services nutrition booth at Irving's CCRAP program.

Irving's Women's World

Monday evening, Nov. 19th found many women enjoying Irving Junior High School's CCRAP presentation. From 6:30 to 9 pm, women who visited the school saw a number of timely displays including those sponsored by the Model Cities' Library, the Police-Community Relations Board, the Irving CCRAP Homemaking Staff and the Polk County Area Extension office.

Sewing tips, nutrition hints and Christmas decoration making were among the

displays presented by the participating agencies. Following the displays, a fashion show was given, with the models wearing clothing they had made. A door prize of a \$25.00 gift certificate for food was given.

CCRAP (Community Cultural & Recreational Activities Program) is a community education project funded by Community Development and the Des Moines Public Schools. Lawrence Robinson is the coordinator of the CCRAP project at Irving.

Theodosia Court No. 5 Meets

Theodosia Court No. 5, R.E.O.A. met on November 18, at the Masonic Hall 1121 Clark Street. Following the business meeting a social hour was held honoring Mrs. Bertie Hayter who served as Royal Matron of the court for the past two years. Grand Royal Matron Mrs. Mildred Graves presented Mrs. Hayter a gift on behalf of the court.

The court's Christmas Party will be held on December 16, at 4 o'clock at the Masonic Hall. Mrs. Barbara Palmer is Royal Matron and Mr. James Newsome is Royal Patron.

American Airlines To Serve Soul Food

American Airlines has recently signed a contract with New York based Afro-American Food Services to provide soul food for its New York to Dallas flights. Beginning in early December, travelers on the flight will find an addition to the usual menu. Roast beef and chicken will have to move over to make room for chili and barbecue.

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Social Security

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QUESTION: My social security benefit is \$96.00 per month. I understand that the Social Security Administration will increase my payments to \$130 in January 1974. Is that true?

ANSWER: Not necessarily. The Supplemental Security Income program which starts in January will provide separate payments. These payments will be to persons who have limited resources and income generally less than \$150 per month. You must file an application for these payments.

QUESTION: I have teen age children and am receiving benefits for them and myself

since their father's death. How long can I receive these benefits?

ANSWER: A mother can receive benefits for the months she has a child under age 18 in her care. As soon as the youngest child reaches 18 the mother's benefits stop until she is at least age 60. A child may continue to receive benefits until age 22 if he is still a full time student, has not married and his earnings do not exceed the limitation.

QUESTION: Why do some widows get the same amount that their husbands were getting and why don't I?

ANSWER: Widows that are getting the same amount that their husbands were receiving did not receive any benefits on their husband's account before age 65 and their husbands did not receive any benefits before age 65. If you are not receiving this higher amount, it is because either you or your husband received benefits before age 65.

QUESTION: What is the limit of resources which I may have and still receive Supplemental Security Income?

ANSWER: Generally, resources are limited to \$1500 for an eligible individual and \$2250 for an eligible couple. Certain categories of resources are not included in this limitation such as homes, autos, and life insurance of reasonable value. For details concerning your specific case, contact your social security office.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday to our mother, Mrs. Louise Williams. We love you, Marie, Joseph and Howard Williams.

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Mr. Kaster James Wagner & Family

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Joseph M. Wellington wishes to thank Rev. Frederick Strickland, Rev. James Green, Rev. Albert Fox, Wesley Tindrell, Estes & Son, the ladies who served dinner, for the telegrams, flowers, donations, sympathy cards, food and all other kindnesses shown to us during a time of our greatest loss.

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The Second Baptist Church had their regular Sunday morning services with the pastor Rev. W. J. Laster in charge. In the afternoon the B.T.U. met. In the evening Rev. Freddie Starling, delivered the message. On Sunday Nov. 18, Rev. & Mrs. W. J. Laster, Mrs. Mollie Rudd, and Mrs. Hattie Carter, visited Mr. & Mrs. Louis Dade, after which Mrs. Hattie Carter took the three of them to the Lincoln Hotel for dinner.

Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Brooks spent a two week vacation in Wisconsin, Chicago, and Gary Ind. visiting friends and relatives, Oct. 15 to 27.

BURLINGTON

Mrs. Velma L. Lewis
418 South Starr Ave.

Greater Hope Baptist Church services were conducted by Rev. Samuel Cannon for Rev. Donald Robinson who was hospitalized last week. Rev. Robinson is home convalescing. Mr. Bobbie Lewis will preach his trial sermon on Nov. 25th at Greater Hope Church at 7:00 pm. The members of Greater Hope gave a shower for Harriet Heath.

Rev. Hornaday, pastor of Union Baptist Church presided at the Memorial Services held for the late Rev. Wm. Smith Sr. A scholarship fund has been established to perpetuate the memory of Rev. Smith. Contributions may be made to Mr. Burton Prugh, who will hold the funds in escrow until a permanent trustee has been appointed.

St. John A.M.E. Church and Sunday School had as visitors students from Macomb, Ill. College.

The Concerned Couples Club met at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Winston Cooper. Out of town members attending were Mr. & Mrs. Earl Cosby of Iowa City. Mr. & Mrs. Gregg Williams will soon be leaving the city as the phase-out program of the I.A.A.P. continues. The city feels the loss of this fine young couple who have made many civic contributions in the past few years.

OTTUMWA

Mrs. Mack Baugh
Reporter

Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church will have morning service at 11:00 am Sunday, Nov. 25th. Rev. Watts is pastor. All members are asked to be present to answer the Roll Call. This is to be a membership drive ceremony.

Rev. Lester Jefferson, Pastor of the Second Baptist Church in Ottumwa passed away on Sat. Nov. 17th at Veterans Hospital in Des Moines.

DAVENPORT

By Cecile Cooper
225 W. 14th Street

The Davenport Branch of the N.A.A.C.P. held its Annual Banquet, Thurs. Nov. 15, at the Clayton House. Considering the population of Davenport, the quantity of the gathering left something to be desired, but the quality of the participants was most impressive. The guest speaker was Margaret Bush

Wilson, Attorney at law from St. Louis, Missouri, and the enthusiastic listeners included the newly re-elected Mayor of Davenport, Kathryn Kirschbaum, State Senator Bill Gluba, Col. Thomas Agnor, Jr., Commander of the Rock Island Arsenal, regional officers, past-presidents, including Bill Crips, who is now an aide to Congressman Mezvinsky in Washington, D.C. ministers and priests representing many denominations. Impressive also is the fact that most of the above are long-time members, friends and supporters of the A.A.A.C.P.

Keokuk

Mrs. B. H. Toomes
423 - N. 10th Street

Mr. Charles Wathers was recently discharged from Keokuk Graham Hospital. Mrs. Eugene Davis was called to Chicago because of the illness of her sister.

Sunday, Nov. 18th was Open House for the merchants of Keokuk. The day was beautiful and many people crowded the stores buying and registering for the gifts to be given away by the merchants.

The Self-Culture Club celebrated its 60th anniversary on Sunday, Nov. 18th at the home of Mr. & Mrs. F. Merritt. The club was organized for the purpose of individual self-improvement in art, music and literature.

Marshalltown Retailer Disqualified From Food Stamp Program

Chicago, Nov. 15 — Winrow's Produce at 715 East Main Street, Marshalltown, Iowa, has been disqualified from the Federal Food Stamp Program for violations, the U.S. Department of Agriculture announced today.

The store, owned by Janet R. Butters, was charged with accepting food coupons in exchange for cash and repeatedly accepting food coupons for ineligible items, including tobacco products and household cleaning products. Charges also included violations of the program's change-making regulations by returning cash change in food coupon transactions.

Disqualification will last for six months starting November 9, 1973.

The owner may apply for reinstatement of the store in the Food Stamp Program to take



Clark Rasmussen

Who is Rasmussen?

Clark R. Rasmussen, 39, Iowa Assistant to Senator Harold E. Hughes for the past two and one-half years announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Governor on November 8, 1973.

Rasmussen, a leading figure in Iowa Democratic politics for the past decade served in the Iowa House of Representatives in 1965-1966.

From June of 1966 to 1970, he served as state chairman of the Iowa Democratic Party.

Rasmussen, now a resident of West Des Moines, was born and raised in Kimballton in Audubon County. He was graduated from Elk Horn High School in nearby Shelby County in 1952. His parents still reside in Kimballton where his father retired as superintendent of the

Municipal Water and Light Plant.

Rasmussen attended Grandview College in Des Moines and was graduated from Drake University in 1958 with a major in business administration. He spent two years in the United States Army's first cavalry Division, returning to civilian life in 1956.

He married Joanne L. Disterhoft of Marengo in 1956. They have four sons — Gregory, 16; Dan, 14; John, 12; and Matt, 11, and a daughter, Amy Jo, 2. They are members of St. Mark's Lutheran Church in West Des Moines.

In 1965, Rasmussen was appointed by Governor Hughes to the Second Judicial District Nominating Committee created by the Court Reorganization Bill.

In 1960, he was appointed executive secretary of the Young Democratic Clubs of Iowa and was elected national committeeman. Later that year, he was named "Outstanding Young Democrat of Iowa."

In January, 1966, after nearly eight years of business experience with the Travelers Insurance Company of Des Moines, he became executive secretary of the Iowa Democratic Central Committee and in June was named state chairman. In 1968, the Committee unanimously re-elected him.

Prior to joining Senator Hughes' staff, Rasmussen spent a year in his own private consulting business.

Rasmussen served as campaign coordinator for Robert Fulton's bid for the Governorship in 1970. Fulton won the primary that year and lost in the fall to Governor Rav in a photo finish by only about one per cent of the vote.

As a state legislator, Rasmussen served on the Ways and Means, State Government, and Commerce Committees of the House. He was a vigorous backer of the Hughes programs in the 1965-66 General Assembly that produced or paved the way for such historic gains as area vocational and technical schools, the first statutory state commissions for the Aging and for Civil Rights, uniform

commercial code, property tax relief for the elderly equitable agricultural land tax credits, the abolition of capital punishment, and merit system employment, and many other historic advancements.

Simpson College News

Indianola, Ia. - Simpson College will suspend its academic and co-curricular program for one month from mid-December to mid-January as part of an effort to reduce its fuel consumption by 25 percent.

In making the announcement today, Simpson President Richard B. Lancaster said this decisive step is a portion of a three phase program which has been initiated by the College to reduce energy consumption in the face of a potential nation-wide fuel shortage, and to meet requests from the state and federal government for cooperation.

Vet Ads: "A Hype"

Except for a peak period in September 1971, there has been a downward trend in veterans unemployment. Since last June, the seasonally adjusted rate for vets was at par with nonveterans at 5.6 percent.

James P. Oates, Jr., appointed by President Nixon in October 1970 to head up the newly formed National Committee. Jobs for Veterans, recently told a DOD audience that the "only long-term solution is adoption of a policy whereby no one will be discharged from military service without a civilian skill."

Carl McCarden, Commissioner of Veterans Affairs for the city of New York, said his main concern is for the urban unemployed — the vet from the inner city. "That dude out there coming into the service believes the ads he sees," McCarden said.

"They say education and training. In the eyes of an inner-city youth, the military provides legitimization, but the legitimization doesn't work as access. It doesn't get him off the street," he said.

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sports retrospect



by Allen Ashby

Next week we can all go back to speculating about the job of Iowa University's head football coach. I have read a couple of stories on the matter. One says that his chief assistant is in disfavor with the bigwigs on the campus. It seems that he was an innercity boy and uses some of the language that he picked up then. This naturally displeases people who aren't used to hearing that stuff, because sometimes it used to get to me when I was around it eight hours a day. So they figure this will be a good excuse to get rid of the guy. "Come up with a new staff of assistants and you can stay." But what they mean is get rid of one in particular. But, as one writer points out, it isn't the fault of the coaches or the system in that Iowa has fallen to a new low. Football brings in money to carry on other activities and sometimes means new courses. Now, if your team doesn't win, you won't draw many fans, and that money won't come in. That is Iowa's situation now. It takes about forty five thousand people to break even. They have just about done that this year, but what about next year? A new coach or assistant coach won't solve it. Only some football players will. Now it will be hard to get good players because they will be told that the school is losing one, and "You don't want to be stuck with a loser, do you?" Guys like Dowling's Gunderson, and Central Davenport's fine runner Jackson along with the fellow from East Waterloo, won't go to the Hawkey school. They might go to Iowa State, for the Cyclones are coming out with exciting football, nearly winning a lot of close ones, and not looking bad even when they do lose. So, what now? If I knew the answer to that one I might apply for the job of head coach at Iowa.

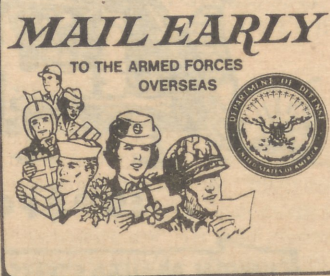
It was good to see Iowa State win one instead of blowing it as they have done so often, even when it wasn't always their fault. As the end of the game drew near, and State was ahead by three points, one couldn't help but wonder just how they would manage to blow this one. When they got down to the goal line on their final TD drive, I thought "I hope they don't go for the field goal because of

touchdown could beat them, but a TD puts the game out of reach. So they went for it and made it. I recall that Matt Blair was all star material in his first year, and he proved it by being named to Kodak's All American team. And he wasn't on a winning ball club.

To Drake and the rest of the local high schools. Wait till next year. Drake seems to think they will get back on the right track then, and now that the Dowling football has proved not to be able to beat the Minnesota Vikings, maybe the other schools will think twice about booting them out of the conference. They might say, if Central Davenport can do it so can we, and maybe one of them will. Since they have contracts for next year, they may as well try it again. A Dowling fan was mad that only two of the Dowling boys were chosen on the all city teams, but I think he overlooked a few things. Teams like North had success mainly because of the efforts of individual players, and the Maroons owed their winning to teamwork. They worked as a unite on defense and offense, and no one boy got to stand out much. In fact, if the whole team didn't click Dowling was in trouble because each man had to do his job in order for the machine to click. How do you like that?

Black Schools

Now we have to pull for Tennessee State to win the small college title. They rolled over Alabama State 35 to 7 for their ninth win. And they ain't lost yet. Other scores. Gramblin, back on the winning trail, 19, Southern 16. Langston 67, N.W. Oklahoma O. Central State (0) labar a A & M 20, Miles 14, Laune Cookman 25, Tampa 24 (Whew!). Fisk 35, Morehouse 3, Livingston 23. Shaw 0. N. Carolina Central 16, N. Car. A & T 6. Virginia Union 35, Texas Southeran 41, Pairie View 14. Trinity 16, Bishop 13.



Black Guard Who Opened "Watergate" Can't Find Job

WASHINGTON, D.C. — The man who blew the whistle on the Watergate burglars and in so doing led to the uncovering of one of the nation's greatest political scandals is now unable to find a job.

Frank Wills, former security guard at the Watergate apartments where the Democratic National Committee once had its offices, has been drawing a \$65 a week unemployment check for nearly two months.

"I've looked all over but employers seem afraid to hire me. I don't know if they are being told not to hire me or if they are just afraid to hire me," said Wills.

It was Wills who, on June 17, 1972, discovered masking tape over a door lock late at night at the Watergate. Thinking someone had been moving items that day and forgot to take off

the tape, Wills removed it and fastened the door.

Fifteen minutes later he returned to find the lock taped again. He called police and the Watergate story has been front page news ever since.

"Lot's of people tell me I should have kept my mouth shut. I'm beginning to think they were right, even though I know I would do the same thing today. If you're on a job to do something, you do it," he said.

Wills quit his guard job at the Watergate, he said, when another guard was promoted over him who had less seniority. "I never missed more than one day of work and then I was sick. I did a good job, but they promoted this other fellow just because he was white." He was fired from his next job when he took two days off to visit his South Carolina home and hasn't been able to find a job since.

Roosevelt High-Basketball

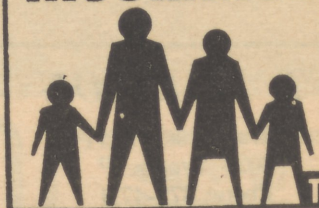
BOYS BASKETBALL

Name	White	Blue	Pos.	Height	Weight	Class	Letter
Don Elliott	10	11	G	6'0"	155	12	0
Eric Lemke	54	55	G	6'4"	215	12	0
Jeff Edwards	24	25	F-G	6'0"	175	12	0
Mike Brooks	32	33	F	6'1"	163	12	0
Mike Bloomberg	42	43	F-G	6'3"	195	12	0
Ben Ely	12	13	G	5'9"	158	12	0
Walley Jones	20	21	G	5'9"	148	11	0
Steve Haynie	44	45	F	6'0"	200	11	0
Steve Silk	22	23	F	6'1"	168	11	0
Dean Andrews	14	15	G	5'10"	151	11	0
Tony DeCarlo	40	41	F	6'1"	167	12	0
Greg Burnett	52	53	G	6'2"	174	12	0

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Name	White	Blue	Pos.	Height	Class
Carol McDaniel	10	13	F	5'8"	12
Janet McCracken	30	33	F	5'9"	10
Carol Ruby	14	15	F	5'6"	11
Kathy Burch	44	45	F	5'7"	11
Teri Tilton	42	43	F	5'7"	11
Dorothy Claytor	54	55	F	5'5"	11
Mel Kacena	34	35	F	5'7"	12
Margo Hestbeck	40	41	G	5'8"	12
Kathy Green	24	25	G	5'7"	12
Darlene Neff	12	11	G	5'6"	11
Jule Luts	50	51	G	5'5"	11
Alisa Robbins	20	21	G	5'6"	12
Stephanie Sparks	32	31	G	5'6"	11
Becky Settlemeyer	52	53	G	5'11"	12
Becky Morgan	22	23	G	5'11"	11

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