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Profile Of A Black Pharmacist

Marion Williams made up his mind to pursue a certain profession, and pursue he did, even though he knew it wouldn't be an easy process.

From Lawrence High School in Lawrence, Kansas to Drake University and then the University of Kansas, he sought an education in Pharmacology. The Korean War interrupted his studies, and in 1954 he was able to return to Drake to finish his education. Upon graduation he worked as an analytical chemist for the Iowa Dept. of Agriculture. About a year later he interned as a pharmacist at Mercy and Methodist Hospitals in Des Moines.

1960 was the year he'd been looking forward to. It was in this year that he was able to open his own pharmacy, appropriately named Williams Pharmacy, at 10th & Center Sts. in Des Moines. Three years later he moved his business to 1103 University Ave., where he would be better able to serve the city's Black community.

By 1966, Mr. Williams was doing well, his customers were satisfied, and life looked as though it promised prosperity and harmony.

Action + Reaction

It is important to understand that from the moment he established his pharmacy, certain elements of the city

were looking to close him down. Their chance came in 1967, seven years after he had begun operation.

Only the Beginning

It seems that a long-time customer chose to cash a money order in his pharmacy. When it was discovered that the money order had been stolen, Mr. Williams was visited by a Des Moines policeman, who requested that he turn over the money order for evidence. He agreed to this, but asked that he be given a receipt. The policeman refused, and when the smoke had cleared, Williams found himself under arrest for "interfering with the duties of a police officer". The charge was dismissed and Williams filed a false arrest suit against the policeman. When he won it, hassles were inevitably here to stay.

And Then...

In 1968, the result of an audit taken by the Iowa Board of Pharmacy of Williams' records eighteen months earlier came to the fore. He was indicted for failing to keep proper records of a narcotic drug. This was the only State Supreme Court ruling in the U.S. of a pharmacist being charged with "failure to keep proper records".

You'll note the interesting progression; the indictment was prepared shortly after he had successfully sued the policeman, and not soon after the audit was taken. With this knowledge, one no longer wonders why the state waited 18 months to indict Mr. Williams.

Williams was then convicted on the charge of failing to keep proper records. He appealed to the Iowa Supreme Court to no avail. He then appealed to the U.S. Supreme Court but the case was never accepted. He was the first pharmacist since 1936 to appeal a case to the U.S. Supreme Court. The case was so rare that the New York Times carried a story regarding it.

Who Cares About the Judge?

Without consulting the trial judge, the State Attorney General's office had Mr. Williams picked up and taken to

Ft. Madison penitentiary. Williams calls this "kidnapping", since the trial judge had not ordered his incarceration. He spent four days in the penitentiary before being released by a "stay of execution" issued by U.S. Supreme Court Justice Byron White.

His next arrest was a state and federally sponsored affair - they charged him with 19 separate counts and the state charged him with failure to keep accurate records. In Jan. and Feb. 1974, both the state and federal cases were acquitted. Mr. Williams has filed a \$1.3 million law suit against the State Board of Pharmacy Examiners charging that he was harassed and humiliated because of his race.

Williams has this to say about the situation, "Some of the most flagrant violations of Iowa and federal drug laws have been committed by some of the largest pharmacies in Polk County. None of these people have ever been prosecuted. In the last seven years I am the only pharmacist in the state who has not been given the courtesy of a hearing before the 'Board' prior to any charges being filed."

Post trial interviews with several jurors indicated that in their opinion, the case should never have gone to trial.

Setting Records

It is interesting to note that Williams has set a few records for being the "first". Besides being the first pharmacist in the state brought to trial for alleged violations and the first pharmacist since 1936 to take a case to the U.S. Supreme Court, he is also the first person to have been acquitted of federal and state charges within a 30 day period. He was the first Black Iowan to take a case to the U.S. Supreme Court.

If Williams law suit has a positive outcome, he will acquire another set of "firsts". With a track record like his, justice should come in the form of a \$1.3 million settlement.

"One Who Is Worthy Of Praise"

The Honorable Elijah Muhammad, will be honored by one hundred Black Businessmen and Civic Leaders from Chicago and around the country at the Conrad Hilton Hotel March 29, 1974. Plans were announced by spokesmen for the Guaranty Bank and Trust Company. Proceeds from the \$50.00 per-plate dinner will go to The Honorable Elijah Muhammad Hospital Fund, for building the first privately financed hospital by Blacks in the country.

Mr. Muhammad, the leader of the Chicago-based Nation of Islam, will be cited for his 43 years of constructive leadership in the Black community, the profound effect his work has had on the Black masses. Initial response to the Testimonial to Mr. Muhammad, has been encouraging, dinner organizers report, citing several

community leadership awards already presented to Mr. Muhammad, by churches, college groups including Olive-Harvey College, National Association of Black Police Officers and the Howard University Dental School.

Dinner sponsors point proudly to Chicago Southside successes achieved by Mr. Muhammad's leadership which include; restaurants, bakeries, grocery supermarkets, facilities for clothing stores, medical offices, a \$1.5 million dollar office building under construction and a handsome Temple and school, formerly a Greek Orthodox church. In addition, Muslims have acquired farmland in Michigan, Alabama and the British Honduras and they are presently developing a modern airtransport system in Gary, Indiana to complement the fleet of overland trucks in operation nationally.



Marion Williams

Northwestern's Belle

Mrs. Ardeth Fair, 3400 Hillsdale Dr., has been named an engineer for Northwestern Belle here. She will be involved with long distance facility planning.

The daughter of Musette and Edward Perkins of Des Moines, Mrs. Fair graduated from Valley High School in 1951. She attended the University of Iowa on a scholarship awarded to her by the Improved Benevolent and Protective Order of the Elks of the World. She graduated in 1955 with a bachelor's degree in liberal arts.

Mrs. Fair joined Bell here in 1970 as an engineering assistant and in 1972 was appointed engineering associate, the job she now leaves. Prior to 1970 she worked for Pacific Northwestern Bell in Portland, Oregon, as a directory assistance operator and an engineering technical associate.

The Fairs have two children: Karen, 17; and Scott, 13. Mr. Fair (Frank) is an advisor at North High School.



Ardeth Fair

National News Briefs

NATIONAL NEWS BRIEFS

Austin — The first tri-ethnic bank will be built in Austin, Texas. Called the Union National Bank, it will be the first bank to be located in East Austin, and will have a Board of Directors composed of Black, Chicano and white members, with an equal number of each.

New York — Mayor Abraham Beame of New York and Mayor Kenneth Gibson of Newark called for an end to intergroup confrontation and a renewal of Black-Jewish cooperation in obtaining federal assistance for the nation's ailing cities.

Detroit — A 64 year-old Black woman has been named to a top post with the city's bus commission by Mayor Coleman Young. She was appointed because she lives in a city housing project and rides the bus whenever she needs to go somewhere. She is said to be the only regular bus rider appointed to the commission, whose purpose is to set policy for the bus line.

Atlanta — A portrait of Martin Luther King, Jr. now hangs in the state capitol Rotunda in Atlanta. He is the first Black person to be represented in the official portrait gallery.

Boston — Navy Captain Gerald E. Thomas has been named the second Black admiral in American history.

Atlanta — The Georgia Senate turned down a proposal to include castration as a penalty for rape. Under the defeated proposal, a person convicted of rape would have had to be castrated.

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IEWS and REVIEWS

by James B. Morris

Unworkable Campaign Financing

The large political contributions during the 1972 campaign have been charged with all the problems of Watergate. Frankly, the real problem has been the manner in which the money was collected. Many of the criticisms were justified.

However, many individuals, in and out of Congress, are calling for legislation which would finance political campaigns for President, Vice President and members of Congress. Some would include primary elections. The bill would limit the amount each candidate could spend in the primary and in general elections.

I have little faith that the proposals will work. The system would build another federal bureaucracy which would be almost impossible to enforce. Also, federal elections would cost a lot of money in view of the almost unlimited number of candidates that may run for positions.

These elections would be financed by tax dollars but what about candidates for governor, lt. governor, state legislatures, county and township offices. All these candidates spend money and unless the states undertook to finance them as the federal government would, what would happen to most of these candidates.

Sponsors of these measures are those who have found it difficult to raise money.

I think a better way would call for volunteer contributions to political campaigns with limits placed on the amount individuals and organizations can give. It takes a lot of money to run a political campaign, even more than most senators who are sponsoring the measure realize.

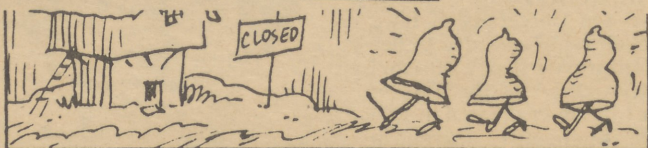
Politicians: Democrats and Republicans

Simeon Booker, Washington Bureau Chief of the Johnson publications, writing in his column appearing in Jet Magazine February 25, chides the Black Caucus in congress, I quote the following:

The question many political experts are asking is why leaders of the Congressional Black Caucus did not demand that Democratic Senate Leader Mike Mansfield mention any of the problems facing Blacks in his response to President Nixon's State of the Union message. Blacks are 90 percent Democratic and the Caucus is all Democratic. Mansfield has refused to meet with the full Caucus. To Caucus chairman, Harlem's Congressman Charles Rangel, demanding equal TV time to answer the President on grounds that they are not party-oriented, indicates that the Capitol Hill representatives may be considering taking a non-partisan position in the months ahead."

This is politics of course, in its highest degree. It was in 1972 that this same Black Caucus was scolding President Nixon for refusing to meet with them; later he did. Now their own party leader gives them the cold shoulder and yet Negro vote helped to make him a majority leader in the Senate.

Ungrateful, yes. But it only proves that the time to shear the wool of the politician is when he needs help.



In Medieval Europe, the people believed that all church bells made a pilgrimage to Rome on Good Friday. The people stayed indoors so as not to see them go!

Letter To Editor

TO THE EDITOR

In the February 19th issue of the Des Moines Tribune there appeared an article entitled, "Racial - Balance Busing: 'Un-American' ". It was written by Mr. James J. Kilpatrick.

Mr. Kilpatrick attacked busing as insulting to Blacks, racist, and unsupported by any tangible evidence. I shall pass over the supreme arrogance of Mr. Kilpatrick in presuming to know what is "insulting" to Blacks. I shall instead concern myself with the last two charges of which I have some small knowledge.

As a child, I attended several all black schools, in San Francisco, California, and I have also attended 2 all white schools. The schools which were attended by Blacks, were

invariably housed in old, severely deteriorated building. Those who taught there were usually student teachers, teachers nearing retirement, and many whose every qualifications to teach could be seriously questioned. We as students were tolerated instead of taught.

The white school was a new structure, covering a two block area. There were labs, fully equipped, for many of the science courses. Shop classes had the latest equipment including a printing press, there were no shop or science courses being offered in the black schools. The teachers were the best that could be found many working toward higher degrees in education. This school was integrated through racial-balance busing.

The reason for busing is not "the ... assumption that black children will be improved if they sit beside white children", the reason for busing is that Black children's education will be

improved if they sit in white schools.

I agree with Mr. Kilpatrick that busing is wrong, however our children should be able to get a decent education in our own black schools. The plain fact is that they cannot. Busing is our only effective alternative.

I should like to point out that while defacto segregation may not be the result of official action as in the South, it is nevertheless REAL. It is no less vicious, no less racist, and certainly no less damaging to its victims. Perhaps one day "black and white parents will rise up together", not against busing, but the insanity that makes busing necessary.

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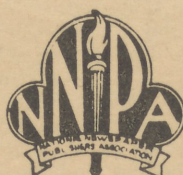
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For Black Students:

East High Afro Club

By Diane Banks

The black students at East High School are faced with a dilemma — whether or not to continue with the black student organization "The Afro Club".

We feel strongly about the relevance of the group for the morale of the students involved

as well as the affect it will have upon the student body. This organization has provided a sense of belonging to the black students in this predominately white school. To abolish the organization now could create a feeling of defeat and worthlessness among the students.

We strongly suggest the continuation of the Club with new ideas and goals which are appealing and pertinent to black culture.

Public Black Colleges Reflect Heritages Of Higher Education

ATLANTA, GA. — The year 1837 is a particularly significant one in the annals of higher education. That is the year a Quaker group opened a school in Philadelphia, Pa., and sanctioned the education of the state's black citizens at what was to become Cheyney State College.

Almost 30 years were to pass and a cruel, divisive war was to be fought before the states themselves recognized a responsibility to this emerging segment of the population, free and ready to make an intellectual contribution.

This month when many people are focusing attention on the heritage of black people in the United States, the Office For Advancement of Public Negro Colleges, located in Atlanta, is drawing attention to the heritage of the traditionally black public colleges that dot the southern and border states.

Today there are 34 historically black colleges and universities maintained and partially supported by state educational systems. Located in 19 states, the majority are more than half a century old, with founding dates between the 1860's and the early 1900's.

The founding of one of the institutions, Langston University, 1897, in fact, predates that of its home state Oklahoma by 10 years. Only three of the institutions are less than 50 years old: Norfolk State College, founded in 1935; Texas Southern University, 1947, and the youngest, Mississippi Valley State College, 1950.

All of the colleges have exciting histories. Many of the founders were ex-slaves, born in a time when southern lawmakers forbade the education of Negroes. But their backgrounds appear merely to have spurred them on to greater achievements for their own race and for higher education.

Hiram Revels, for example, the first black man elected to the U.S. Senate, served his state equally well as the first president of Mississippi's Alcorn A & M College. Elizabeth City State University traces its creation to black legislator Hugh Cale, who introduced the bill to establish the school in 1891 to the North Carolina legislature.

Many of the histories indicate profound changes since

establishment of the institutions. The roots of Alcorn A & M are traced ironically to Oakland College, an exclusive school for white males which closed at the onset of the Civil War. A president of Oakland was reportedly shot on the campus for his stand on the slavery issue.

Several of the colleges started as secondary schools. Nearly all have had many names since first opening their doors, perhaps reflecting the states' inability to decide just how to approach higher education for black persons.

Alabama State University, for instance, has at different times been the State Normal School and University for Colored Students and Teachers and Alabama Colored Peoples University. Likewise, North Carolina Central University has been known at various times as the National Religious Training School and Chautauqua, Durham State Normal School, and North Carolina College for Negroes.

Some of the colleges were branches of existing private institutions. Ohio's Central State University began as a department of Wilberforce University. South Carolina State College was originally a part of Claflin University, as North Carolina A & T State University was a part of Shaw University and Norfolk State College a part of Virginia Union University.

About 40 per cent of the schools were founded by private groups, many of them religiously oriented. Georgia's Albany State College, for example, originated as Albany Bible and Manual Training Institute, with financial backing from Rhode Island's Hazard family as well as local supporters.

Black and white citizens joined together to establish Fort Valley State College, also in Georgia. Miss Anna T. Jeanes of Philadelphia, Pa., contributed substantially to the school's early finances. Lincoln University of Missouri cites as its original benefactors the soldiers and officers of the 62nd U.S. Colored Infantry. The efforts of members of the American Baptist Home Mission Society led to the opening of Jackson State College, then known as Natchez Seminary.

Fifteen of the public traditionally black colleges are land-grant institutions. Some of these originated under land-grant acts; others were given the status often so that the states under the "Separate but equal" philosophy could justify the same status for their white institutions.

With teaching the most open profession for blacks for many decades, the colleges over the years concentrated on teacher education programs, adding other curricula as needed.

Up-to-date information on the public colleges with a black heritage will be available in March when the Office For Advancement of Public Negro Colleges publishes its 1974 edition of "Historically Black Public Colleges: A Fact Book". For copies of the new publication and information on this group of colleges, write OAPNC, Suite 577, 805 Peachtree St. NE, Atlanta, Ga. 30308.

The Gateway Dancers

by Diane Banks

One of the most beautiful arts of self expression is the art of dancing. An experimental contemporary form of dancing is being expressed by the Gateway Dance Theatre, Incorporated. The Theatre organized in October of 1972 is sponsored by the Iowa Arts Council and under the direction of Penny & Lee Furgerson.

The Gateway Dance Theatre having 25 to 30 members, strives to be both popular and artistic with their dancing. They intend to incorporate various ethnic dance movements with Modern Interpretive Dance to create a totally new concept of dancing.

Mrs. Furgerson says, "we are developing experimental forms that combine classical, modern, popular, and folk dancing. We are trying to create a new concept in dance."

Some of the Group's outstanding accomplishments include appearing on stage in "Artist in the Park" at Council

Bluffs, Iowa, participating in the Annual International Folk Festival in Bettendorf, Iowa, and the First National Congress of Blacks and Dance at Indiana University.

The rehearsal of the Dancer's is held each Tuesday and Thursday evenings (7:30-9:00) at Moulton Elementary School, located at 8th & College. They welcome anyone who is interested in dancing, working with costumes, or technical skills to participate with them.

The Gateway Dance Theatre has been invited to participate in a master class with Walter Nicks. Mr. Nicks, an outstanding artist taught and choreographed at the Katherine Dunham School of Dancing.

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The Elizabeth Tolleyer Missionary Society will present a program on the first Sunday, March 3, 1974 at 4:00 p.m. featuring Mrs. Frealy Garrison as guest speaker. Mrs. Garrison's home is in Perry, Iowa, she is a member of Kyles A.M.E. Zion Church. Mrs. Garrison is active in both the local and connectional Missionary Society. She writes a column for the Missionary paper and she's a General Officer for that same Society. And last but not least she is a committed Christian with a burning desire to do God's Will.

Others appearing on program will be the incomparable Mr. Irvin White. Mrs. Ruth Archibald, Mrs. Robert G. Clay and Mrs. Dorothy Taylor. Mrs. Ivan J. Johnson is Chairman.

The 4th District Mid-year Convocation, of which Bethel and St. Paul are a part, will meet in Detroit, Michigan on the 27th of March at Vernon Chapel A.M.E. Church. The Reverend Joseph Brockington host pastor. The Rt. Reverend Howard Thomas Primm is the Presiding Bishop of the 4th District.

Sunday Services include, Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. and Divine Worship at 11:00 a.m. Holy Communion will be administered by the pastor and associates.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

REV. H. I. THOMAS
The Youth Choir thanks all the guest choirs that appeared on their Tenth Anniversary program last Sunday. Diedra Thomas President. Friday March 1st, the senior choir will sponsor a fish fry at 7:30. Deloris Clayvon is president. At 7:30 Friday, church business meeting. Sunday March 3rd, at 3:30 the Central District

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Women's Association will meet at Union, appearing on the program will be the Richard Allen Chorus under the direction of Lauretta Reeves. Lillie Mae Seigh is president. Sunday March 10th, after A.M. services the senior ushers will have a dinner. Everyone is welcome. Tom Smith is president. At 4:00 P.M. God's Army of Youth Black Chorus will be our guest. Chrm. Rev. H. I. Thomas. At 7:00 P.M. the Old Ship of Zion will be presented by Dorothy Snyder.

MT. HEBRON CHURCH NEWS

The East Side Gospel Choir will present a festival of songs on next Sunday afternoon at Mt. Hebron, 3:30 p.m. Mrs. LaVenia Jones is President, Mrs. Mary Clark is director of the group of singers.

On March 10th, Ms. Gillie B. Reed will present The Highway To Heaven for the Mother's Board at 7:00 p.m. This is a lovely way to spend the evening so come out.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Our morning service is at 11:00 am. Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.

On Sunday March 10th at 3:30 pm, the East Side Community Choir will present a service in song with Sister Mary Clark in charge.

Also, on Sunday, March 3rd at 6:30 pm, the fellowship service with the Community Baptist Church will be at Mt. Zion. Rev. Guy Sanders will bring the sermon.

Pastor, Rev. Henry Simmons, Ass't pastor, Rev. Willie Bumpus.

PILGRIM BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

At the 11:00 am service, our pastor, Rev. W. B. Heath will preach and Holy Communion will be served. The fellowship program will meet at 2:30 pm with Elder Robinson in charge. On Wed. night at 7:30 Bible Class with Elder J. Blakely. Everyone is welcome.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Reverend Parrish will preach a "Communion Sermon" on Sunday, March 3. The Combined Choirs will furnish the music for Morning Service.

Usher Bd. No. 2 will have a Bake Sale at the Hinky Dinky Store, 19th & Carpenter, on Saturday, March 2, beginning at 9:00 A.M. Shirley Green, President.

The "Des Moines Gospel Harmonettes" will be presented in a musical program, along with other talents, on Sunday, March 3, at 3:00 P.M. Program chairman is Myrtle Powell. The public is cordially invited to attend.

MESSIAH TEMPLE CHURCH NEWS

The Holy Spirit was high last Sunday as the Reverend Lloyd Buchanan gave us the message on power in the churches. Sunday school starts at 10:30

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Bible Class 6:30 P.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service, Wed. 8:00 P.M.

Centennial Kickoff Of The Women's Missionary Society

The Centennial Kickoff and Creative Arts Festival was held February 16 to 19, 1974 at the Ramada Inn. The affair was attended by Mrs. Robert Clay and Mrs. Charles Peguese.

This celebration is a centennial affair and is not

with services beginning at 11:30. The Life of Christ is taught every Sunday evening at 7:00. This class is truly interesting. Prayer meeting is held on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. Visitors are always welcome at Messiah Temple. Come and hear what the Lord is doing for you today.

Reverend Jacob Reed, Pastor

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

After an exhilarating, morally and spiritually uplifting attendance at the Bishop's Winter Session in Kansas City, last week, The Rev. Robert G. Clay will preach Sunday, March 3rd on the title, "IN REMEMBRANCE."

All choirs will sing at the morning service, this will be Communion Sunday and everyone is asked to come and worship en masse.

Mrs. Bertie Hogan, our Woman's Day chairman has some interesting plans to announce for the colossal May Affair.

Watch for the St. Paul Hunters' Wild Game Dinner coming soon!

OUR SAVIOUR BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Next Sunday, the 11:00 am message will be delivered by the pastor, Rev. T. R. Brown. There will be testimonial and devotional services. Holy Communion will be served at the morning service.

Prayer meeting will be at 7:30 Wed. evening. You are welcome to attend.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. F. W. Strickland will conduct a special recognition service at the 11:00 am worship, Sunday, March 3rd to honor older members who were members prior to and including 1930. Holy Communion will be served following morning worship. At 6:00 pm church study hour will be held.

Sunday, March 10th the Corinthian Youth Chorus will present their anniversary program. Mrs. Barbara Williams is the organist. Mr. Robert Riley, the director.

Two candidates were baptized last Sunday. They were Mrs. Mary Lynn Jones and Scott Monroe.

KYLES A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

Sunday morning services begin with choir devotions at 10:45. Rev. Joseph Jones, pastor, will deliver the message. Holy Communion will be administered and the senior choir will render the music.

"The Fashion Wagon" will be presented Sat. March 9th at 3:00 pm at the church. Styles for the entire family will be shown and orders can be placed for merchandise...there will be refreshments. Sponsored by the Women's Day Committee.

The Third Quarterly Conference will be held Friday, March 8th. All members are urged to attend. Presiding Elder Samuel L. Hopkins will officiate.

The Young Adult Choir will appear in a series of 4 15-minute programs "The Voice of Consolation", beginning March 3rd at 7:45 am on Channel 8.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. William S. Heath will preach, baptize and serve communion at the morning worship. Misses Lisa, Mona and Gloria Bradley united with the church and are candidates for baptism.

limited to Feb. 16 to 19, 1974 but is held year-long. It will be celebrated from February 1974 through June 1975.

There was new stress placed on creative arts. It was said that "creative arts" encompasses the manual and manual arts and crafts, music drama and the dance.

Contests will be held in the following categories:

A. Two-dimensional Art (Posters, Stencil Art, Painting, Drawing, Sketching, and Painting for pleasure.)

B. Three-dimensional Art (Scripture, Mobiles, Ceramics and Photography.)

C. Hand Crafts (Stitchery, Macramés, Dolls made and dressed, embroidery, sewing, crocheting, knitting, needlepoint, finished novelties, in cotton, silk, etc., banners)

D. Creative writing (Plays, Pageants, Prose, Poems, Songs and Musical Acts around the theme of 100 years of service.

"And David danced unto the Lord" Open your eyes that you may see, open your ears that you may hear, open your hearts that you may feel God's closeness in His Creative Artistry.

Gospel Harmonettes

The Des Moines Gospel Harmonette Singers will appear March 3rd at 3:00 pm at Maple Street Baptist Church. There will be other musical talents appearing as well. The program is sponsored by Miss Myrtle Powell.

God's Army Of Youth

The God's Army of Youth will be presented in concert, March 3rd at 5:00 pm at Our Saviour's Baptist Church, 1555 Des Moines St. Appearing on the program will be the East 17th St. Choir, Heavenly Mediators, the Gospel Messengers and others. Mrs. Nellie Gaithers is chairman. Pastor, Rev. T. R. Brown. Everyone is welcome!

CDWA Annual Program

Central District Women's Auxiliary of the Iowa Missionary and Educational Baptist State Convention will hold its annual program at Union Baptist Church Sunday, March 3rd at 3:30 pm. Presenting the Richard Allen Chorus of St. Paul A.M.E. Church. The public is welcome to come and enjoy this wonderful chorus. Mrs. Lillie Mae Seigh, president, Rev. F. W. Strickland, moderator, Rev. H. I. Thomas, host pastor.



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All news of a social nature such as parties, teas, club meetings, weddings, family reunions, fashion shows, etc. must be submitted to our social news correspondent, Marri Johnson. You may mail your typed or printed news to her at 2407 Garfield, 50317, or call her on Monday & Tuesday mornings at 262-4695. All social news must go to Mrs. Johnson. She will be able to see that your news gets to the office. Your cooperation will be appreciated.

OUR BLACK AMERICAN HISTORY CLASS at the Urban Center closed the semester in a big celebration last Wednesday night. We were to prepare projects, themes, or big reports. Now was the time. The class room was turned into a Black community, really. Our class is mixed but it was a Black community that night and everyone had a happy, glorious time.

SOUL FEAST

ONE STUDENT DECIDED TO PREPARE A PROJECT in the form of a soul feast. She served exactly that, a soul feast. There was a large platter of golden, crisp brown chicken, a jar of diced beets, a jar of pickle lily and a covered tray of corn bread in the form of long fingers and a pot of greens composed of mustard, collards and a third green! The table cloths were red and green and before the table was a round, handmade rug, green, red and black in color. Many of the rest of us girls wondered why we hadn't thought of the idea of serving a soul dinner as our semester project. Everyone was so excited and so pleased to be able to enjoy a feast!

During the meal four other students presented a project of music. They had dictated their stories about jazz music, blues, gospel and spiritual on tape recorder and had recorded some records of some artists. This was so enjoyable played in the background of our feast. It was very enjoyable. The coordinator, Mr. Zack Hamlett, always ready with a word of encouragement, offered to make available to the four girls a proper room for recording and better instruments. In this way their project could become a permanent one. They were much encouraged by his offer.

ART EXHIBIT

Artist Justine Whiteside gave a one-woman art exhibit of some of her work. The work was most beautiful. None were for sale as they had all been purchased. Again Zack Hamlett came forth with encouragement. He discussed with Justine her leading a group of artists so that others may be encouraged to develop their skills. She was attracted to his suggestions and we are all awaiting developments in this regard. Sounds appealing!

Going on during the evening was our plan for a trip to Chicago this weekend. A school van was going to be used with Mr. Hamlett driving the van. We were all excited. The purpose of the trip was for black

experience. We hoped to visit Malcolm X College and the Johnson Publishers and a number of other Black agencies. As it turned out the weather changed and though we started out on Friday morning as planned, we could scarcely see the roads and had to turn back. But we will pursue that project another time. It is too good to miss.

Our Black American History class has been very inspiring to each of us. We are closely united and have developed some new friendships. I think we have the best teacher possible, Mr. Zack Hamlett. He inspires us to make attempts to undertake efforts. We create our own experiences. This class is one in which we learn our past and make way for the future. We are made to live and to undertake broader living.

Theodosia Court No. 5

Theodosia Court No. 5, R.E.O.A. met on Sunday Feb. 17 at the Masonic Hall 1121 Clark Street. Mr. James Newsome, Royal Patron of the Court directed a ceremony honoring the presiding Grand Royal Matron, Past Grand Royal Matrons, the presiding Royal Matron, past royal Matrons and the oldest members in terms of service to the court.

Past Royal Matron Mrs. Albertha Grace was marshal while Past Royal Matron Mrs. Henrietta Coates presented white carnations to the following — Grand Royal Matron Mrs. Mildred Graves, Past Grand Royal Matrons Mesdames Lessie Garrett and Emma Williamson, Past Royal Matrons Mesdames Dorothy Collier and Jessie M. Jones.

Mrs. Mildred Graves gave a brief history of the court and Mrs. Lessie Garrett pinned white carnations on the following member who were honored for their years of service to the court. Past Grand Royal Matrons Mesdames Leona Jordan and Gladys Brown, Past Royal Matron Mrs. Osceola Sims, Mrs. Jessie Newsome and Mrs. Mary Green. Past Royal Matron Mrs. Elizabeth Jackson presented Amaranth Administrative Degree Certificates to the following members — the present Royal Matron Mrs. Barbara Palmer, Mesdames Gladys Brown, Dorothy Collier and Leona Jordan. Following the ceremonies refreshments were served by the entertainment committee. The next meeting will be March 17th at the Masonic Hall.

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Miss Spencer is attending Drake University and is employed by American Republic Insurance Co. Mr. Hunt has attended Muscatine Junior College and is presently enrolled at Iowa State University, Ames.

Tawasi Federated Club

The Tawasi Federated Club met Sunday, February 17th, at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Daniel, 1023 Prospect Road for a Valentine Party.

Guests were Mrs. Lena Smith, Mrs. Pearl Daniel, Mrs. Beatrice DeVan, Mrs. Darline Greenfield, Mrs. Burnice Burnes, from Kansas City, Missouri. Club members present were Sadie B. Jones, Minnie Jones, Violet Johnson, Helen Dukes, Laura Warden, Albirtha Daniel and Judy Daniel.

Elk News

The Elks Annual Oratorical \$1,000.00 Scholarship Contest is now open to any junior high or senior high student. For any information, contact Mrs. Berniece Carter, 255-2638.

Subject sheets are posted at the schools and churches.

Rev. Robert Sims On Program

Rev. Robert Sims, of the Tabernacle Baptist Church, Los Angeles, California, formerly one of the Raspberry Gospel Singers and a gospel song writer will be presented in a gospel recital at 6:00 p.m., Sunday, March 3, at Union Baptist Church by Mrs. Dolores Clayvon.

ROSA L. GRAGG CLUB

The Rosa L. Gragg Club met Sunday, February 17, 1974, at the home of Miss Helen Bolden. Election of officers were as follows:

President, Mrs. Vivian Pruitt; Vice President, Mrs. Ruby Spencer; Secretary, Mrs. Margaret Sorrell; Treasurer, Mrs. Mildred Dysart; Savings, Mrs. Helen Wood; Sargent at Arms, Mrs. Gertrude Oscars; Benevolent, Mrs. Helen Bolden; Reporter, Mrs. Thelma Calderon.

A delicious repast was enjoyed by all.

The next meeting will be March 10.

D. M. Chapter Of Jack & Jill Installs New Members

Four new members were installed into the Des Moines Chapter of Jack and Jill of America, Inc., on Saturday, February 9, by Mrs. Peter Hawthorne, Jr., National Editor of the organization, at her home, 1223 10th Street.

Installed were Mrs. Valerie Weaver, Mrs. Robert Conners, Mrs. Delbert Jones, and Mrs. Al Collier. Mrs. Lewis James was reinstated into the chapter.

Following the candlelight ceremony, Mrs. Al Correll, president, welcomed the new members and then presided over a brief orientation-business meeting. Other officers are Mrs. Nathaniel Morton, Vice-President; Mrs. Ernest Boyd, secretary; Mrs. William Rollison, treasurer; Mrs. Robert Parks, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Leonard Manley, program chairman.

Group chairmen are Mrs. Albert Brewer and Mrs. Morton, teen advisors; Mrs. Hawthorne and Mrs. James, 11 to 13; Mrs. Parks, 8 to 10 and Mrs. William

Wells, 4 to 7.

Mrs. Dorothy Jones, 989 27th Street will be hostess to the next meeting on Saturday, March 9, at 1:30 p.m.

The April meeting will be held a week earlier than scheduled. The date is April 6 at 1:30 p.m. and will be held at the Statesmen Club on the 12th floor of the Des Moines Savings and Loan Building downtown. Mrs. Coleman Lawrence, St. will be hostess. A scholarship program will be presented with a guest speaker and scholarship information display. All teen members will attend.

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How's Your Black I. Q.?

QUESTIONS

1. In what year was it reported that there were no lynchings for the first time in 71 years?
2. What famous Black man was once arrested for heckling Booker T. Washington about his accommodationist policies?
3. Who invented the automatic traffic light and the gas mask?
4. In what year was Marcus Garvey deported?
5. What established Black organization successfully blocked the confirmation of a known racist as a Supreme Court judge?

ANSWERS

1. In 1952 it was reported that there were no lynchings in the U.S. for the first time in 71 years.
2. William Monroe Trotter was arrested for heckling Booker T. Washington.
3. The automatic traffic light and the gas mask was invented by Garrett A. Morgan.
4. Marcus Garvey was deported in 1927 as an undesirable alien.
5. The NAACP successfully blocked the appointment of a racist to the Supreme Court in 1930.

A Big "Week" In March

An especially urgent call for community action in support of National Communications For Freedom Week, which begins on March 10, has been put out by the sponsoring School of Communications at Howard University in Washington, D. C. It is conducting a nationwide campaign to enlist the support of individuals and organizations to educate the public about communications and its use on a greater-than-ever scale.

There are at least three reasons why this year's National Communications for Freedom Week has special significance. First, it is the first event of its type. This promotional idea was conceived by Tony Brown, Dean of Howard University's School of Communications, who is a strong advocate of community involvement in communications.

Second, the week is dedicated to a single purpose: to spread the word about the nature of mass media and its use in solving the problems of the Black community.

Third, the Congressional Black Caucus is being asked to introduce a bill into the House of Representatives calling for a Presidential Proclamation that will officially and permanently designate the second week of March as National Communications for Freedom Week.

There is actually a fourth reason why this year's National Communications for Freedom Week is "special." It will mark the incorporation of the National Newspaper Publishers Association's "Black Press Week" and the School of Communication's "Third Annual Black Careers in Communications Conference" under the same umbrella. A great deal of attention has been directed to this careers conference which brings together Blacks who are qualified for mass media jobs and recruiters from the communications industry.

In other "advance-guard" activities designed to build widespread interest in the National Communications for Freedom Week, the School of Communications is conducting workshops and seminars led by leading Black communicators. They are open to interested members of the Black

community and many from across the country are expected to travel to Washington, D. C. and participate.

IEBN

Cancer, the disease that will strike two out of every 3 American families, will be examined on the fifth program in "The Killers" series, "Cancer: The Cell That Won't Die." The 90-minute program will be telecast on Monday, March 11, at 7:00 P.M. on the Iowa Educational Broadcasting Network (Channel 11, Des Moines; Channel 12, Iowa City; Channel 24, Mason City; Channel 32, Waterloo).

The program will examine all kinds of cancer, but will focus on the kinds that can be detected early and treated. For example, the program will show the work of doctors and researchers at St. Jude's Hospital in Memphis, where young leukemias are being successfully treated by radiation.

In addition, the documentary will visit a therapy session where women who have had mastectomies talk with a therapist about their surgery. Also, there will be a demonstration of how women can check themselves for breast cancer — a first for national television.

The program will also include

a candid conversation with a housewife with terminal cancer, and a look into a hospital that is successfully treating cancer in animals.

The program will examine diagnostic techniques, existing treatment methods, and the latest cancer research.

"We've learned," Executive Producer David Prowitt comments, "that the country is not making the best use of treatment that's available." The treatment you receive seems to depend upon which part of the country you live in.

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Popular Library is offering a paperback on beauty for Black men. Written by Belle Patterson for Posner Cosmetics, *Belle On Beauty* is full of cosmetic hints for Black women only. For \$1.25 you'll get 160 pages of beauty information-tips on applying eye make-up, handling dry skin, corn rowing and choosing perfumes.

Belle On Beauty includes illustrations and step by step directions. Even if you consider

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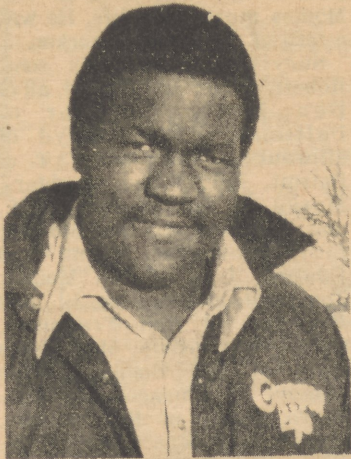
- Louis; the Louis Armstrong Story
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The Library is building a card catalog to provide better access to all of its materials.

If you haven't visited the Model Cities Library lately, stop by and find out what you're missing. Hours: 9 to 5, Monday through Friday; 6:30 to 9 p.m. Monday through Wednesday.

Sprinkler Fitter Apprentice

Dwight Bagby is a first year sprinkler fitter apprentice with Midwest Automatic Sprinkler Company here in Des Moines. As a member of the United Association of Journeymen and Apprentices of the Plumbing and Pipefitting Industry, Dwight is being taught how to install and maintain all types of fixed piping fire extinguishing systems. He is currently helping install sprinkler fitting systems in the new Montgomery Ward store presently under construction in the Merle Hay Plaza.



Dwight Bagby

Black Kaleidoscope IV

The Afro-American Studies Program at the University of Iowa in Iowa City will be presenting the following programs during the month of March:

March 4, 1974

Poetry reading by Gwendolyn Brooks. At Phillips Hall Auditorium, 7:30 pm.

March 19, 1974

Lecture by Peter Nazareth, visiting writer. "An Introduction to the Literature of Uganda". 107 English-Philosophy Building, 7:30 pm.

As a sprinkler fitter apprentice Dwight has five years of on-the-job training to go through before he can be classified as a journeyman sprinkler fitter. In addition, he must successfully participate in a correspondence course administered by Pennsylvania State University that is directly related to his trade. This correspondence course will enable him to learn those facets

of the trade that he normally wouldn't be able to master on the job.

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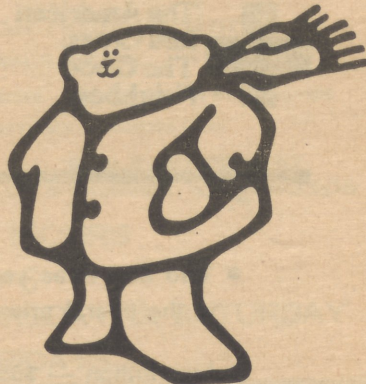
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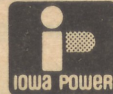
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Miss Diane Stone Graduates



Diane Stone

Miss Diane Stone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Stone, Sr., of 721 38th Street, graduated from Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa, Saturday, February 23rd. She received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Home Economics Journalism at the Winter Quarter Graduation Exercises in Hilton Coliseum.

Miss Stone is currently employed at the Waterloo Daily Courier, Waterloo, Iowa.

Black Women's Political Caucus

The Polk County Chapter of the Black Women's Political Caucus is in the process of assessing some particular problem areas that are pertinent to minority people. Determining priorities and approaches to goals to which the organization is addressing itself has thus far been the primary function of the group. Steps will be taken by the group to implement any and all objectives that pertain to the local scene and will support other related, state-wide efforts.

Plans for a platform conference of all Iowa chapters are underway with a tentative late Spring target date. For further information you may write: Black Women's Political Caucus, 1126 26th Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50311.



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OBITUARIES

JAMES L. McGUIRE

Services for James L. McGuire, 76, a retired detective with the Des Moines Police Department, will be at 1 p.m. Monday at St. Paul A.M.E. Church. Burial will be at Glendale Cemetery.

Mr. McGuire, of 1101 Eleventh St., died Thursday at Veterans Hospital of a stroke.

Born in Oklahoma City, Okla., Mr. McGuire lived in Des Moines for 65 years. He served with the police department for 34 years and as a Polk County deputy sheriff for 10 years before that. He was a veteran of World War I and was a member of the American Legion Post 126.

Survivors include his wife, Minnie; a sister, Mrs. Harriett B. White of Chicago, Ill.; a brother, Louis of Des Moines; and three grandchildren.

The Estes and Son Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.



JAMES McGUIRE

Caldwell-Brien-Robbins Funeral Home with burial at Glendale Cemetery.

Mr. Massey was born in Buxton and had lived in Des Moines most of his life. He was a retired construction worker.

Survivors include six sons, Robert, Roger and Donald, all of Des Moines, Victor of Baltimore, Md., Lloyd of Milwaukee, Wisc., and J. T. of Detroit, Mich.; two daughters, Marva of Sacramento, Calif., and Vondean, of Des Moines; four brothers, Frank and Edward, both of Des Moines, Toussaint, of Evanston, Ill., and Richard of San Francisco, Calif.; four sisters, Mrs. Erma Carr of Des Moines, Nadine Massey of Chicago, Ill., Mrs. Clara Davis of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. Queen E. Francis, of San Francisco, Calif.; and eight grandchildren.

Pyramid Joins In Easter Seal Campaign Kickoff

A public Open House was held Sunday, February 24, at the Easter Seal Center, 2920 Thirtieth St., Des Moines, from 1:30 to 3:30 pm which was the official 1974 Easter Seal Campaign kickoff.

Four-year-old Cindy Nunez of Des Moines, who was born with cerebral palsy has been named the 1974 Easter Seal Child because of her active participation and success in the preschool and treatment program at the Polk County Easter Seal Center.

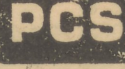
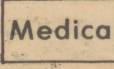
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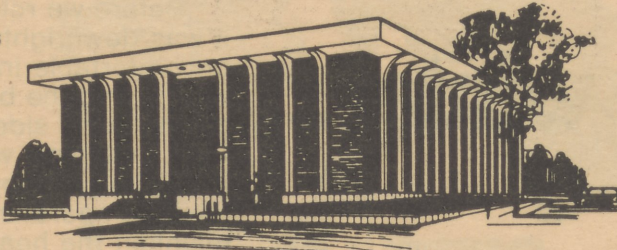
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Pyramids Give Service To Community

The Pyramid Pledge Club of Delta Sigma Theta, Phi Chapter of Des Moines helped to develop programs to be given to parents and participants at the Child Development Workshop.

This In-Service Workshop will be held March 9, 1974 from 9 am

to 4 pm at Gateway Opportunity Center, 1000 College

Those participating in the service project were Sande Bell, Frances Colston, Henrietta Huddleston, Vera Jones, Edith Sharp and Diana Williams.

Iowa Diabetes Association

A meeting of mothers of diabetic children will be held from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Richard K. Burns, 1150 Garden Avenue, Des Moines on Friday, March 8th.

Mrs. Burns, Chairman of the Parents Committee of the Iowa Diabetes Association stresses that all mothers in the area are welcome and that membership

in the Iowa Diabetes Association is not required. Topic of discussion will be "Fund Raising Ideas" and coffee and refreshments will follow the meeting.



Following are some of the people who unselfishly made contributions to guarantee the success of the "Race Relations" seminar, TOWARD THE YEAR 2000:

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W	7:00-10:00 PM	Peoples & Cultures - Mexico	3
M	7:00-10:00 PM	Prin. of Bank Operations	3
W	7:00-10:00 PM	Installment Credit	3
TH	4:00-7:00 PM	Bank Management	3
M	7:00-10:00 PM	Introduction to Business	3
S	9:00-12:00 AM	Introduction to Business	3
TH	7:00-10:00 PM	Prin. of Marketing	3
T-TH	7:00-9:30 PM	Prin. of Accounting I	4
M-W	7:00-9:30 PM	Prin. of Accounting II	4
TH	7:00-10:00 PM	Business Law I	3
S	9:00-12:00 AM	Business Law II	3
T	7:00-10:00 PM	Economics I	3
S	9:00-12:00 AM	Economics II	3
TH	7:00-10:00 PM	Economics III	3
M	7:00-10:00 PM	Personnel Supervision	3
T	7:00-10:00 PM	Business Mathematics	3
W	7:00-10:00 PM	Basic Report Principles	3
T-TH	4:00-5:15 PM	Principles of Child Develop	3
T	7:00-10:00 PM	Expository Analysis	3
M	7:00-10:00 PM	Mass Media Analysis	3
T-TH	3:45-5:45 PM	West Civ. - 1300 to 1815	4
TH	7:00-10:00 PM	Afro. American History I	3
M-W	4:00-5:15 PM	Personal & Commun. Health	3
W	7:00-10:00 PM	Personal & Commun. Health	3
S	9:00-12:00 AM	Salesmanship	3
T-TH	4:00-5:15 PM	Intermediate Algebra	5
S	9:00-12:00 AM	Ethical Problems	3
T	7:00-10:00 PM	American National Govern.	3
M-W	3:45-6:00 PM	General Psychology	5
T-TH	3:45-6:15 PM	General Psychology	5
S	9:00-12:00 AM	Real Estate Principles	3
W	7:00-10:00 PM	Marriage & Family	3
T-TH	4:00-5:15 PM	Intro. to Human Services	3
M-W	4:00-5:15 PM	Fundamentals of Speech	3

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PUBLIC NOTICES

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ORIGINAL NOTICE

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

Equity No.
BANCO MORTGAGE COMPANY
Plaintiff
Vs.
JIMMIE FLOYD McDONALD
a k a
JIMMIE F. McDONALD
Defendants.

TO Jimmie Floyd McDonald a k a Jimmie F. McDonald the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause of action is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County, asking judgment against the defendant named in the caption hereto, and against the mortgaged property hereinafter described, for:

(1) The sum of \$11,858.57 with interest at 7% from February 1, 1974, being the amount due plus interest upon the promissory note in the principal sum of \$12,100.00, dated November 8, 1971, which note was made and executed by the defendant, Jimmie Floyd McDonald a k a Jimmie F. McDonald payable to this plaintiff, which note this plaintiff has declared due and payable forthwith because of the default of the defendant in failing to make payment of monthly sums of principal and interest due. The said sum includes delinquent interest and advancements to and including February 1, 1974, and represents the total sum due after allowing defendants all just credits; also asking for judgment for any further or future advancements plaintiff may be required to make for continuing abstract of title or for any other purpose authorized by the terms of said note and mortgage and by Iowa law.

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

(3) Also asking as against the defendants above named a decree of foreclosure of the mortgage made and given by the defendant, Jimmie Floyd McDonald a k a Jimmie F. McDonald, which mortgage is dated November 8, 1971, recorded in Book 4266, Page 795, of the records of the office of the Recorder of Polk County, Iowa, said mortgage being given to secure the above mentioned note and other sums claimed, which mortgage covers the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 13 in Burkhardt Heights, an Official Plat, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa.

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

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

For further particulars see the petition now on file.

You are also hereby notified to appear before said court at the Polk County Court House, Des Moines, Iowa by March 21, 1974, and that unless you so appear before said court at the Polk County Court House, Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, by March 21, 1974, your default will be entered against you and judgment and decree rendered therein as prayed.

Dated this 13th day of February, 1974.

GRANT, FLYNN & LOZIER,
Attorneys for Plaintiff
By Richard W. Lozier, Jr.
902 Liberty Building,
Des Moines, Iowa
244-8325

Published and printed in the New Iowa Bystander February 14, 21 and 28, 1974.

NOTICE OF PROOF OF WILL WITHOUT ADMINISTRATION

In the District Court
Of the State of Iowa
In and for Polk County
Probate No.
IN THE MATTER
OF THE ESTATE OF
LLOYD PALMER MICHELSON
Deceased.

TO ALL PERSONS
INTERESTED IN THE
ESTATE OF LLOYD PALMER
MICHELSON, Deceased.

You are hereby notified that on the 19th day of December, 1972 the last will of Lloyd Palmer Michelson, deceased,

bearing date the 19th day of February, 1974 was admitted to probate in the above named court and there will be no present administration of the estate.

You are further notified that any action to set aside said will must be brought in the district court of said county within one year from the date of the second publication of this notice or any such action thereafter will be forever barred.

Dated this 19th day of February, 1974.

Frank W. Leonardt, Clerk
by LaVaun Gilbert
Deputy

Morris & Morris
Attorney for said Estate
221 Locust Street
Des Moines, Iowa 50309

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NOTICE OF FORFEITURE OF REAL ESTATE CONTRACT TO MARTHA L. WISEMAN Mingo, Iowa

You and each of you are hereby notified:

(1) That the written contract dated November 8, 1971, and executed by George C. Chapman and Thelma Chapman, husband & wife, as Vendors and Martha L. Wiseman, as Vendeees for the sale of the following described real estate:

Lots 296 and 315 in GRAY'S WOODS, an Official Plat, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, and known locally as 1259 East 36th Street, Des Moines, Iowa, has not been complied with, in respect to the terms and conditions of said contract in the following specific particulars:

(a) monthly contract payment due - 11-8-73 - 55.00
(b) monthly contract payment due - 12-7-73 - 55.00
(c) monthly contract payment due - 1-8-74 - 55.00
(d) monthly contract payment due - 2-8-74 - 55.00
Total \$220.00.

(2) That said contract will stand forfeited and cancelled as by its terms and provisions it may be, unless the parties in default within 30 days after the completed service of this notice, shall perform the said terms and conditions in default, and in addition pay the reasonable costs of serving this notice.

George C. Chapman
Thelma Chapman
Vendors (or Successors in Interest)

MORRIS & MORRIS
By James B. Morris, Jr.
Their Attorneys
221 Locust Street
Des Moines, Iowa 50309

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the District Court
of the State of Iowa in and for
Polk County
Probate No. P-4-1153

IN THE MATTER
OF THE ESTATE OF
KATIE M. GUTUSKIE
Deceased.

TO ALL PERSONS
INTERESTED IN THE
ESTATE OF Katie M. Gutuskie
Deceased:

You are hereby notified that on the 6 day of February, 1974, the undersigned was appointed administrator of said estate. Notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and creditors having claims against said estate shall file them with the clerk of the above named district court, as provided by law, duly authenticated, for allowance, and unless so filed within six months from the second publication of this notice (unless otherwise allowed or paid) such claims shall thereafter be forever barred.

Dated this 19 day of February, 1974.

John P. Gutuskie
Administrator of said Estate
4767 NE 57 Ct.
Altoona, Iowa

John H. Hartung
Attorneys for said Administrator
313 Merle Hay Tower
Des Moines, Iowa 50310

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the District Court
of the State of Iowa, in and for
Polk County
Probate No. 5-1203

IN THE MATTER
OF THE ESTATE OF
MARGARET M. LANGBEHN
Deceased

TO ALL PERSONS IN THE
ESTATE OF MARGARET M.
LANGBEHN Deceased:

You are hereby notified that on the 19th day of February, 1974, the undersigned was appointed Administrator of said estate. Notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and creditors having claims against said estate shall file them with the Clerk of the above named District Court, as provided by law, duly authenticated, for allowance, and unless so filed within six months from the second publication of this notice (unless otherwise allowed or paid) such claims shall thereafter be forever barred.

Dated this 19th day of February, 1974.

CARL A. LANGBEHN
Administrator of said Estate
Walnut, Iowa 51577

DUNCAN JONES RILEY
& FINLEY

Attorneys for said Administrator
222 Equitable Building
Des Moines Iowa 50309

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NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF LAMAIR-MULOCK-CONDON CO.

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2. The corporation was organized March 26, 1965 and has perpetual existence.

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4. The corporation has authority to issue 200 shares of stock of the par value of \$100.00 per share.

5. The address of the initial registered office of this corporation is 906 Walnut Street, Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, 50309, and the name of its registered agent at such address is G. A. LaMair.

6. The initial directors of the corporation are G. A. LaMair, C. Ben Condon, and G. A. LaMair II.

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By G. A. LaMair II
Incorporator

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Davenport NAACP

By Glenn E. Perkins

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The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People was created in 1909 by a group of black and white citizens who were appalled at the grave injustices some Americans were suffering because of their race.

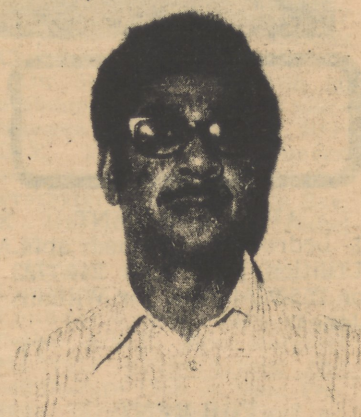
Since its creation, the association has experienced steady growth and today is the largest and most influential civil rights organization in the country. The basic strength of NAACP derives from its historic victories in the courts, Congress, and state legislatures. Its membership numbers over 500,000 and covers the country with nearly 1700 branches in all 50 states and the District of Columbia. There are thousands of volunteers who carry the burden of the NAACP mission.

Locally the Davenport branch of NAACP is making a vigorous effort toward the goals of the national association.

The branch is a resource organization to the federal and city government, employers in the private sector, and the educational system. The branch has been instrumental in the settlement of numerous discrimination complaints in various areas at the informal level.

It is the responsibility of the Davenport branch to give input and decisions affecting the community and to provide feedback to its membership. One of the tools used to accomplish this task is the monthly newsletter that is mailed to the membership, other community organizations, and supporters of NAACP goals. Another is through the monthly membership meetings, which are open to the public.

The Davenport Branch is committed to an advocacy role, to bring the problems of people to the attention of those in the



Glenn E. Perkins is a metal surface treater foreman in SARRI-PF and president of the Davenport branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

community who can effect a change. We are even alert to see that the spirit as well as the letter of laws ensuring equality for all people are enforced.

The Davenport branch is totally voluntary. Its operating funds derive from the branch's share of membership fees and periodic fund-raising projects conducted for specific purposes. Membership in NAACP is open to all who support its goals and objectives.

The Davenport branch is proud of its history and that of the national association. For over six decades NAACP has been the standard bearer of justice, pressing America to honor the letter and essence of its constitution. While considerable progress has been made, until every vestige of discrimination and bigotry is eliminated, the need for NAACP will exist and the association will be equal to the challenge.



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Beatrice VanDevier
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St. John A.M.E. Church - Rev. A.C. Wright, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 am, morning worship, 11:00 am. The Sunday school would like to thank everyone who helped make their skating party a success.

Union Baptist Church - Rev. W.B. Hornaday, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 am, morning service, 11:00 am, evening service, 7:30 pm.

Greater Hope Missionary Baptist Church - Rev. Donald Robinson, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 am, morning service, 11:00 am. Greater Hope's Black History Tea last Sunday was very beautiful, well attended and a huge success.

JoAnn Thomas will become the bride of Larry Gaudy Sunday, March 2nd at 3:00 p.m. The wedding ceremony and reception will be at the residence of the bride-to-be's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thomas.

Francine Benhart Attended the SNOJAKE III A.J. Management Conference on Sat. and Sun., Feb. 16th and 17th at the Clayton House in Davenport. Francine is vice-president for business management. The purpose of the conference was to provide an opportunity for delegates to meet achievers from other companies in the eleven county Junior Achievement Quad City area.

DAVENPORT

By Cecile Cooper
225 W. 11th Street

This Is Where It's At

By Andrew R. Edelen, Jr.

Looking back 10 years ago to the early 60's, we wonder what has happened to the civil rights movement. There are many answers, however, and more importantly, we might ask what has become of the black political movement — and we're speaking nationally.

Local political gains have been made all over the country, in large cities and in small. But nationally, where it counts the most, the loss of the 60's has never been recovered.

Ten years ago there was an abundance of black leaders in the national arena — Martin L. King, Jr., A. Phillip Randolph, Whitney Young, Roy Wilkins, Ralph Bunche, Dick Gregory, Thurgood Marshall, Adam Clayton Powell, Floyd



Andrew R. Edelen, Jr., an information specialist in AMSAR-IN, is president of the Davenport chapter of the Catholic Interracial Council. He is also a member of the Davenport Human Relations Commission.

McKissick, Stokely and Malcolm X, to name those who were in the fore-front.

Today, only one in this group carries on as before, Roy Wilkins, executive secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. Marshall is now a supreme court justice; Gregory is on a lecture kick; McKissick has personal problems; Carmichael left the country; Randolph is now 84 and inactive; the other five are dead.

We might also mention others who were in the battle of the 60's — James Farmer, H. Rap Brown, Eldridge Cleaver — they no longer are doing their thing.

What happens now?

Out of the demise of the leadership of the decade of the 60's there must emerge a new and more lasting leadership, perhaps a collective leadership. A group that would not have to make sensational front page news all the time to maintain their image. A group that would not have the color or drama of the individual leaders of the past but would possess the strength, the authority, the abilities to take the reins of authority and become the leadership of today.

The day is coming, sooner than we may realize, when there will be sufficient blacks in Congress to give them the balance of power on certain issues, as well as committee or subcommittee chairmanships.

The local leadership of 10 years ago has expanded to where more than 2600 blacks serve in every capacity from mayor to county clerk.

It does not take too much imagination to project some of these same individuals into the national power structure in the coming years.

This is where it's at.

Interracial Council Presentation Dinner

Simon Roberts, Quad-City television moderator, will be the Master of Ceremonies for the Davenport Catholic Interracial Council's 1974 Pacem in Terris award presentation and dinner, Friday, March 1. Andrew Edelen, CIC President announced today.

Iowa's Senator Harold Hughes is the recipient of this year's Pacem in Terris award. The Senator has confirmed plans to be in Davenport, March 1, to accept the award in person.

The award presentation and dinner are scheduled for 7 p.m. in the cafeteria of Assumption High School, Davenport.

Individual tickets may be obtained at the following outlets: the Public Service Desk of the Davenport Times-Democrat; the Religious Supply Center, 320 Harrison Street; the Social Action Department, 2706 Gaines Street; Mrs. Cecile Cooper, 225 West 14th Street; and The Catholic Messenger, 407 Brady Street, all in Davenport.

All the proceeds from ticket sales will go toward charitable purposes. One-half of the proceeds will be given to the charity of Senator Hughes' choice.

The other half will be divided equally between the free walk-in medical clinic of the Eastside Neighborhood Development Corporation, and the international project to aid the starving people of Africa.

Reservations for groups of ten

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Mrs. Albert Smith
217 W. 14th Street

Rev. George Bokin, Malone A.M.E. Church announced that Rev. Charles Glover will be guest speaker for "Budget Rally Sunday" on Feb. 24th.

Ernestine Boykin, presented the Sioux City City Council with a petition signed by over 133 citizens opposing West 7th & Hamilton Blvd. as the relocation site for the Iowa State Liquor Store. Many houses have been demolished on the west side and nothing has been constructed that would benefit the citizens in that area. Now, Gary Martin, real estate developer wants to build at \$100,000 building to house the liquor store. Citizens are opposed because the proposed location is surrounded by 2 elementary schools, one junior high school and a proposed park. They feel that progressive innovative redevelopment must take the place of vacant lots, not liquor stores or taverns.

Keokuk

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

Mr. Charles Wathers is a patient in Graham Hospital. A large crowd attended the

may be made by calling 324-1911.

Members of Spirit, Inc., local teenage, ecumenical singing group, will provide entertainment for the award presentation and also wait on tables for the dinner.

Davenport NAACP

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According to Aesop, bats fly at night to avoid their creditors!

Founder's Day Banquet of Bethel A.M.E. Church held in the banquet room of St. John's Church on Sat. evening, Feb. 23rd. Guest speaker was Rev. Donald E. Baustian.

The Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church observed Brotherhood Sunday on Sunday, Feb. 24th. Guest speaker was Rev. Terry R. Halstead of First Christian Church.

On Sunday, Feb. 24th an exchange of ministers took place between many churches. Rev. D.E. Johnson conducted services at Second United Presbyterian Church while Rev. K. Darlson conducted Bethel A.M.E. services.

Mrs. Clyde White of Burlington attended the Founder's Day Banquet of Bethel A.M.E. Mrs. Margaret Merritt entertained the Self-Culture Club on Sun., Feb. 24th. Mrs. Parsons had an interesting paper on Haviland China.

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Second Baptist Church had their regular Sunday morning services with the pastor Rev. W.J. Laster in charge. They had B.T.U. in the evening. Rev. Fred Staling delivered the evening message on Sunday, Feb. 17th.

Mrs. Roy Carl gave Mrs. Harold Richmond a surprise Birthday dinner on Feb. 8th. Mrs. N. Morgan of Burlington made the birthday cake and assisted with the dinner. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Paige and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Woods.

Mr. Arthur Woods is in Cedar Rapids Hospital. John Johnson has been released from the Sacred Heart Hospital. Mrs. James Mallory has also been released from Sacred Heart.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carter of Minneapolis, Minn. spent the week-end with Mr. Carter's mother, Mrs. Hattie Carter on Sat. and Sun. of last week.



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sports



by Allen Ashby

The big news is the hunt for a new basketball coach for Drake. As we read the news stories, there are a few black coaches in the running, including the one at Coe, probably the winningest college coach in the state. I was discussing this with another fellow, and he said that he didn't believe the Drake alumni would go for a black coach. I was a little surprised, because the fellow is a white man, and I would like to see him come out wrong. I would think that Drake would try to pick the best man available, regardless of color or anything else. Maybe they will. People can't live forever in the 1870's. This same fellow argued that a successful black coach would probably attract too many black athletes to the school, and they could create a social problem. If he were not white, I wouldn't be surprised, but to hear this from a guy who has been a supporter of Drake athletics, as well as a former athlete himself, was just a little bit surprising, to say the least. It might be that the fellow was merely speaking his feelings on the matter, and then again, he could be mirroring the thinking of lots of other people. But, I still hope he turns out wrong.

Illinois U.

The cage coach of Illinois U. is in big trouble because it has been said that he didn't want any black players. Coach Schmidt has resigned, and that may have inspired the Illini to beat Iowa U. last weekend. This thing about blacks at that school came about when there was an investigation into the Illini athletic setup that resulted in some heads rolling, and several black cagers leaving school. And the white boy who triggered the investigation also left school. He charged that at least two black basketball players had new cars, and that was disrupting the team morale, because the white players were jealous. I recall something about a black boy from Chicago not having an overcoat in the dead of winter, and the assistant coach bought one for him as a loan. This was in violation of the NCAA rules, so both men had to go. The kid could have been considerate enough to have frozen to death, and that might have made it a hardship case. They could have said that he really needed that coat. I have to concede that there isn't the fine relationship among people that I would like to see, but maybe, just maybe. Perhaps the Bulldogs can do a little about it.

Heavyweight Champ

As Heavyweight champ George Foreman gets ready to take on Ken Norton, you don't

hear very much about it. Some fellow was quoted as saying that Foreman would destroy Norton. If he does that, things look bad for Muhmmahd Ali, who will likely be the big guy's next challenger. But, of course, if Ali wants to, he can be awfully hard to hit, and he had better be, because Big George can hit you on the elbow and kaye you. But, wouldn't it be a bit of a surprise if Ken got the decision over Foreman? Could happen, you know. The fellow is big enough, and fast enough to do it, if he can take a good lick on the chin

or around the head. Well, we will know all about it come late in March.

Season About Over

Our local cage season is just about over, except for the tournaments. Hoover won all the marbles in the city high school race, and the others fought it out for second, with North just a shade behind Lincoln, I think. East had a shot at second if they could have kept their team intact. At Tech about all they could say is wait until next year, but it will likely be a while before they put together a team like the two they had that nearly won titles for the Engineers. Another fellow has noticed that Hoover is getting the headlines now instead of Roosevelt. I said that was probably because they

seem to be winning all the titles, but he doesn't think so. You can likely guess at his reasoning, and it might be that he is on the track of something the rest of us hadn't noticed, but again I hope he is wrong.

Black College scores

Bethune Cookman 106, Savannah St. 100. Fla A&M 96, Albany State 91. J.C. Smith 76,

No. Carolina Central 71. La. College 87, Dillard 85. LeMoyne 79, Iona 74. Shorter 89, Barry 74. Southern 117, Grambling 101. Wiley 93, Bishop 87. Okla. Baptist 87, Langston 81. Va. Union 102, Livingston 94. N. Carolina A&T 72, N.C. Central 66.

Ran short this week, and I don't know why.

Men's Clothing Class Starting Next Week

Myrtle Proctor, sewing instructor for the Callanan Community Cultural Recreation Activities Program (CCRAP), has announced the formation of an adult class on sewing menswear to meet on Tuesdays from 7 to 10 p.m. beginning March 5 at her home, 685-34th

Street in Des Moines. Women — and particularly men — who are either new to sewing or experienced are encouraged to attend the classes. The course, which will run indefinitely, is free.

There are also several openings in the women's dressmaking class which meets at the Proctor home on Tuesdays from 9 a.m. until noon.

To sign up for either class, call the CCRAP office (255-7639) or Myrtle Proctor (277-0381).

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Laura Carson		513
Glyndoria Williams		549
Mildred Bayles		512
Francis Morrison		512
Mary Caldwell		508
Birdie Hogan	215	500

Hospital Drive

Broadlawns Hospital Guild annual membership drive starts March 1st. The drive chairman is Mrs. Norma Jurgens, 4114 11th St. Place., Des Moines. Memberships can be mailed to Mrs. Jurgens or inquire at the hospital. Minimum membership is \$1.00. Life Membership is \$100.00. This year's membership money will go towards the purchase of equipment to be used in the remodeled Intensive Care and Coronary Care units.

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