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Citizens Complain Bitterly;

Sue Drug Raid Officers

Citizens Charge Violation of Civil Rights: Ask \$250,000 Damages

Following an extensive investigation, meetings and conferences by the Community Action Counsel and the Des Moines Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, a group of citizens who claimed to have been subjected to unlawful search and arrest at Roberts' Lounge and Ebony Lounge and in the area of 11th and University Avenue, filed a damage suit in Federal Court here against the participants and/or their associates.

Plaintiffs

The following named parties are listed in the petition as Plaintiffs.

Greg Greenfield, Reginald Holt, Rubben Jones, Diane Craddock, Thomas Pinson, George Brewer, John Manuel,

Diane Morrison, Ella McDonald, Rosalind Miller, Roberta Terrell, Fred Burrell, Marva Williams, Lee Cunningham, Mary Fowler, William Jewett, Tony Wilson, Ila Flanigan and Barbara Williams.

Defendants

The defendants named in the petition are:

Dennis Harker, Federal Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs, St. Louis, Missouri; Romaine G. Thornton, Agent in Charge, Federal Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs; Richard Lamb, Lieutenant, Des Moines Police Department, Metro Area Narcotics Squad; Wendell Nichols, Chief, Des Moines Police Department; Colonel Howard Miller, Chief, Iowa Highway Patrol; Harold Grindle, United States Marshall, Southern District of Iowa; George H. Maher, Director, Narcotics and Drug Enforcement Division of the Iowa Department of Public Safety.

The defendants are accused in the petition of "such arrests and searches without legal warrants; that no charges were filed against plaintiffs and no evidence of criminal acts was found or taken as a result of such arrests and searches."

Legal Basis

The petition further states "that in the events and activities the defendants acted under color of law but that such activities were in fact designed to embarrass, denigrate the black community." The action was brought for damages arising under the 14th and 15th Amendments to the Constitution of the United States set forth 42 USC ss 1983, 1985 (3), 1987, 1988 (1970).

The petition further states that "defendants' acts constituted a conspiracy against plaintiffs and was a violation of their rights without proper cause."

They asked the sum of \$250,000 damages.



Edward H. Cooper

Meritorious Medal To Des Moines Man

RANTOUL, ILL. — U.S. Air Force Master Sergeant Edward H. Cooper, son of Mrs. Clarabelle Caswell, 1322 E. 17th St. Court, Des Moines, Iowa, received the Meritorious Service Medal during his retirement ceremonies at Chanute AFB, Ill.

Sergeant Cooper, who retired with more than 21 years of service, was cited for his outstanding duty performance as an operations and training officer with the 3345th Student Group.

Sergeant Cooper, whose father is Aulie Cooper, 2504 Melvin,

Everette, Wash., graduated from Des Moines Technical High School in 1951 and received his B.A. degree in history in 1971 from the University of Nebraska at Omaha.

U.S. Air Force Master Sergeant Edward H. Cooper receives the Meritorious Service Medal and accompanying certificate during his retirement ceremony at Chanute AFB, Ill. Major General Frank W. Elliott Jr., commander, Chanute Technical Training Center, makes the presentation. (U.S. Air Force Photo)

Black Women Organize For Political Thurst

National News Briefs

San Francisco — A "first" in the field of education has occurred in this city. "Peter Doe" has filed a law suit against the S.F. school system charging that he had been given a high school diploma even though he was barely literate. The case could open the door to many such suits against the American educational system.

Little Rock — Plans are underway here to establish Arkansas' first minority-owned bank. The bank will serve the Black community and at least 51% of the stock will be Black-owned.

Washington, D.C. — A white suburban bank has agreed to cease making loans to the white supremacist government of South Africa after Montgomery County officials threatened to withdraw county funds. The county maintains a deposit of about half a million dollars a day.

Washington D.C. — A priest in this city has been fasting for two weeks and vows to continue until the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Washington commits \$10 million a year to aid the poor.

New York — The membership drive "100,000 More In '74" is progressing well as Region III reported their ability to pledge 25,000 members, and Boston, Mass. announced an additional 1,000 NAACP members.

Washington, D.C. — Two white Mississippi teachers fired from their jobs four years ago have won a suit the Starkville school system which they charged with firing them for their concern for the Black community.

"Seek Ye First the Political Kingdom and All Things Shall Come Unto You" (Nkrumah)

The Polk County Black Women's Political Caucus has developed its foundation as an organization with the election of officers, the appointment of committees, and the forming of the 1974 agenda.

Persons filling the official positions are Lynnda White and Lucille Jamison, Co-Chairwomen; Corliss Williams, Secretary; Carrie McQuay, Treasurer; and Maude White, Parliamentarian.

Several committees were formed including Rules, Finance, Public Relations or Publicity, Community Relations, and Program Committee. These committees will assure that the Caucus operates effectively.



Corliss Williams, Secretary

Ms. Lynnda White, an Insurance Underwriter, is more concerned about the actions of the Caucus as opposed to the rhetoric.

Ms. Jamison, a Social Worker in the Psychiatric Department at Broadlawn Hospital feels there is a need for political involvement by Black people.

Ms. Maude White, Affirmative Action Program Director for the Iowa Civil Rights Commission feels Black women should have functional roles in the political process.

Ms. Williams, an instructor at Des Moines Area Community College considers the political processes very important, therefore, she sees political education a necessity.

Ms. McQuay, an accountant at

Bankers Life sees Black political organization not only for women but for Black men too.

Agenda

The Caucus is involving itself



Carrie McQuay, Treasurer

in pertinent issues within the Black community locally as well as on a state-wide level. The guidelines of the Oakridge

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Maude White, Parliamentarian

VIEWS and REVIEWS

by James B. Morris

Support The NAACP Drive

The Des Moines Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has commenced its annual membership drive which lasts until the middle of June.

Most people know something about the NAACP; less are acquainted with the great contribution which it has made to the cause of Civil Rights in America.

Organized in New York City in 1909 by an interracial group of outstanding citizens who had become incensed about the number of race riots which had occurred capped by one in Springfield, Ohio the home of Abraham Lincoln.

The NAACP has grown to be the most forceful and useful Civil Rights organization in America with 1700 branches and more than 400,000 members scattered throughout the nation.

The organization has engineered cases which wound up in the Supreme Court, including housing segregation, equal public accommodations, equal jury services, equalization of teachers' salaries according to education and experience, voter rights, education for graduate students in the home state if desired and many others including the 1954 school desegregation case.

While most of these restrictions did not exist in Iowa, some did and it was the Iowa branches of the organization that caused their demise.

The NAACP is radical only to the extent that it has opposed all classes of Civil Rights violations and it is conservative only to the extent that it has insisted on accomplishing results through the courts and other legal means.

At one time most public officials in Des Moines as well as Negroes were members of the NAACP.

Some no longer belong because of the riots during the '60s fearing that defending legitimate protest would be tagged radical. Some minorities are no longer members because they have apparently solved their personal problems and have little interest in those of others.

We should have a renewal of interest in the NAACP in Iowa, certainly in the Des Moines Branch for it has helped to surmount many of the obstacles which existed over the years.

It takes money to carry on and it is from memberships that the NAACP has drawn funds to accomplish its objectives.

Des Moines is trying for 1000 members, you should become one.

Program For Willkie House

Willkie House is closed. Nothing seems to be done to reopen it on a basis acceptable to its Board or the Community Chest Board.

Here in Des Moines most Federal funds channeled to minorities have gone to social activities, entertainment and a minimum amount of construction programs barring that of the Davis Health Center. On the other hand, while we are gaining ground for minorities in some areas and losing in others, there is no organization whose prime objective is working in the labor field.

At one time the Urban League explored the possibility of setting up a branch here but the idea fell through because the Community Chest felt that it could not afford the project in view of the expense required to maintain Willkie House.

Now that Willkie House is closed it would be a fine idea for the Willkie House Board to approach the Community Chest board with the proposal of reopening Willkie House as a branch of the Urban League.

The Community Chest Board has complained that the Willkie House Board has failed to come up with a program which would involve neighborhood residents, we do not agree. However, it seems to me that an Urban League would be just the thing to help, not only the neighborhood but, also serve all the areas of the city.

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Laws Of The Land: Defining "Trial By Peers"

by Habiba

The right of the accused to be tried by a jury of his "peers" is a much discussed question. What is often vague and ill-explained is the legal, not colloquial definition of the term "peers."

The concept of trial by peers began in England. It was originally established to benefit the upper class at a time in England's history when distinctions between persons were drawn solely along economic lines. Monied persons were guaranteed the right to a jury of their peers, thus ruling out the possibility of being convicted by persons of the lower class who had labored so that the defendant might live his life of luxury.

Transferring this concept to the American legal system creates problems. This particular society is so stratified that the question of peers is open to the interpretation of the accused. A young Black man on trial may be heard by an all-white jury. Logically, his claim that the jury is not composed of his peers is correct. Legally, however, the situation is acceptable. In transferring the peer system to contemporary American society, someone forgot to modify its meaning, and as a result, the Black defendant must accept the legality of an all-white jury on the basis that all involved are "American citizens and taxpayers."

If the situation seems hopeless, it isn't. Two remedies exist, one constitutional and one civil, one less likely to occur than the other. The best solution would involve a Supreme Court ruling. If the High Court were to re-define the term "peers" on the basis of American society's political and racial variances, a Black defendant would be legally entitled to a Black jury comprised of individuals sharing a political philosophy somewhat similar to his own.

A second solution exists in the individual courtroom at the time the jury is chosen. If the attorney for the same Black defendant is honestly intent upon seeing justice done, he will arm himself with knowledge of the Civil Rights Act and insure proper jury selection. Because both the prosecution and defense lawyers must O.K. each juror, the attorney for the defense has the right to question the selection of a juror chosen by the prosecution. By the same token, the defense attorney may call upon the judge and object to the rejection of a juror if he feels the prosecution is in violation of the Civil Rights Act. In other words, if four Black jurors are readily dismissed by the prosecution, the defense attorney may object on the grounds that they are being dismissed by reason of race, a violation of the Civil Rights Act. If the judge sustains the objection, the juror is seated and a racial balance begins to occur, providing a Black defendant with a jury of his

peers, defined not constitutionally, but civilly.

Obviously, this second solution depends upon the integrity of the defense attorney and the judiciousness of the judge. If defense lawyers representing Black defendants remain silent in the face of discriminatory jury selection, can you place all of the blame on a racist prosecutor? Black defendants would be well-advised to sound their lawyers out on the question of jury selection and the Civil Rights Act. Ignorance has never been bliss, especially for the Black defendant.

Rights & Realities Rap Session

What should parents tell their children to do if they are ever stopped and questioned by the police? Can a policeman search a home without the owners present? What happens when a parent is summoned to juvenile court? Where can parents get good legal help?

These and other civil rights questions will be discussed in a Rights & Realities Rap Session at Irving Junior High School, 16th & Forest, Des Moines, on Thursday, May 2, 1974 at 7:30 p.m.

People from the Iowa Civil Liberties Union, the Des Moines Police Department, Juvenile Court, and the Black Law Student Association of America will be at the rap session to talk and answer questions. Any person having questions about the law & how it works is urged to come.

This meeting is being sponsored by the Irving Community School staff and parents.

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Housing Project is a topic of special interest, especially because there are persons eligible to live there who are not being admitted. The present Iowa Criminal Code is another topic under scrutiny because in one of its sections it does not give the same choices regarding confinement to women as it does men. The Caucus has planned a Polk County Political Workshop to be held May 11th. Workshop topics will include the Legislative Process, Parliamentary Procedure, Local Politics, How to Run A Campaign, and Offices Elected & Appointed.

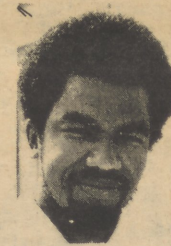
The success of the Caucus will be assured by your participation.

DMACC RECEIVES ACCREDITATION

Paul Lowery, superintendent of Des Moines Area Community College, announced this week that the college has been officially notified that the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools voted to grant full accreditation to the college at its spring meeting held in Chicago recently.

According to Lowery, the action was based on the evaluation report and discussions held before the Committees of the Commission at the Chicago meeting. The College will be added to the published list of accredited institutions that will appear in the Summer, 1974 issue of the North Central Association Quarterly.

Full accreditation covers the total institution, according to the superintendent.



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For Black Students:

Black Students Charge Drake Professor

Several Black students enrolled in Drake University's Black Literature course have expressed dissatisfaction with the course instructor, David Foster.

The students charge that Foster is a racist, and that his racism permeates the Literature

course. The students cite an example from a classroom session examining the work of Langston Hughes. Hughes' poem, *The Same In The Blues*, consists of conversations between Black people. Foster's only comment regarding the poem is "people don't normally

go around talking like that." The students took issue with the comment, but Foster refused to acknowledge that Black people might have a better understanding of their language than he does.

A second issue raised by the students is the inability of any

white person to properly teach a Black course. That Foster is white and racist renders the course totally invalid for Black students.

In a "Letter to the Editor" published in the April 24th issue of the Des Moines Tribune, Foster responds to the charge that he is incapable of teaching the course because he is white. "Art is a profound sharing of human experience ... if we cannot respond to the freedom it offers by freely sharing the insights it gives, then we are all diminished."

The students feel that Foster is missing the point, as they are not objecting to sharing their first-hand knowledge of the Black experience with white people, but rather they are objecting to being taught about themselves by white people. In essence, Foster is qualified to learn Black Literature, but he is not qualified to teach it.

The most important charge raised by the students, that of racism, is not acknowledged by Foster in his letter. Racism however, is the primary issue. In the previous academic year, Black Literature at Drake was taught by another white instructor, and although the students were not overjoyed

with the idea, no charges of racism were raised because the students felt he was not imposing racist attitudes on the class.

As a result of the student outcry, Drake's English Department is seeking a Black instructor to teach Black Literature and Freshman English on a part-time basis. The students feel the gesture is "too little, too late." The possibility of finding an instructor willing to forfeit a full-time position elsewhere to come to teach at Drake on a part-time basis is slim. Why, students ask, when the English Department has 22 full-time positions must the only Black instructor be hired on a part-time basis? The old hue and cry about the scarcity of qualified Blacks assumes different proportions in this situation. The students state that they are not requesting a martyr to the cause of Black education, but they are asking for a individual qualified on all counts. "The Drake Administration would never hire a sociologist to teach botany," says a spokeswoman for the students, "all we ask is that Black literature be given to same consideration."

Iowa Gets \$121,300 To Battle V.D.

*The Department of Health, Education and Welfare will spend almost \$25 million next year on venereal disease control. The announcement was made in Kansas City today by Max M. Mills, HEW regional director.

Almost \$1 million will go to the states of Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas. Two-thirds of this amount will be spent in an effort to reduce the number of undiscovered, untreated cases of gonorrhea among women of child-bearing age.

Missouri will receive \$304,600, Iowa \$121,300, Nebraska \$103,300 and Kansas \$115,300.

Dr. Holman R. Wherritt, HEW Regional Health Administrator, commenting on the grants, said, "With gonorrhea at the highest

level ever recorded in this country, control of venereal disease stands out as a national health priority. Here in HEW we have set a goal of 250,000 examinations of women in our four-state region. They will be made not only at VD clinics, but a non-VD locations such as family planning centers, both private and public, cancer detection clinics, and through private physicians, student health centers, hospitals, etc."

Dr. Wherritt pointed out that the examination is not painful, but extremely important in the fight against VD.

LIFE-SUPPORT UNIT FOR RELAY MISHAPS

Mr. Edward Tate, Chairman of the Iowa Heart Association's Life-Support Committee announced today that a fully staffed life-support unit will be available during the Drake

Relays to insure that virtually any medical emergency can be met.

The Unit will be staffed with physicians, anesthesiologists, nurses and ambulance attendants so that Relay participants and spectators can be treated should the need arise.

Educational Observation

by Diane Banks

Many teachers are not emotionally free to teach Black students. They fear discipline problems with Blacks.

A teacher that has been teaching since 1941 admits to employing the same principles and ideas without modification or bending those rules, because of her fears of dealing with Black students on a more personal level.

As one teacher said, "When we leave the new young teachers can take over and bring to the children something invaluable."

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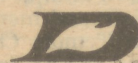
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Anniversary Issue "Competition"

BLACK CHURCHES AND ORGANIZATIONS IN IOWA will have an opportunity to be "spotlighted" in the 80th Anniversary issue of the New Iowa Bystander scheduled to be published in June 1974.

A full page of the special issue will be dedicated to the church or organization that sells the most subscriptions to the Bystander by May 31, 1974. The page will feature photographs as well as information concerning the history of the church or organization. Members, officers and special activities will be well covered; leaders of the industrious group will work with a Bystander staff member to see that the page is as inclusive as possible.

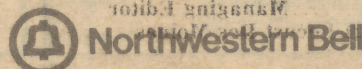
Details regarding this offer are available from the Bystander office. Call us at (515) 277-8736 or write to the Editor, New Iowa Bystander, P.O. Box 491, West Des Moines, Iowa 50265. Remember, you could have a page of your own in the 80th Anniversary issue coming this June!!



Bob Gibson
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Wednesday Night Prayer Service 7:00 P.M.

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Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
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Wed. Mid-Week Service 7:30 P.M.

FAITH CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
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Sunday School 10:00 am
Morning Service 11:00 am
Sunday Evening 8:00 pm
Tues. Bible Study 8:00 pm
Friday Pastor's Night 8:00 pm

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.

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.

St. Paul A.M.E. Church
1201 Day St.
Rev. Robert Clay
Church School 9:30 A.M.
Church Service 10:45 A.M.
Vespers Service 6:30 P.M. to 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wed. 7:30 P.M.
Youth Fellowships 5:30 P.M.

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Rev. Ezell Wiggins, Pastor
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Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
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Evening Service 7:45 P.M.
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Rev. Henry Bevel
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CHURCH NEWS & RELATED ITEMS

Church news submitted to the Bystander should be submitted neatly typed or printed. Future items will not be printed unless they are submitted according to this method. We thank you for your cooperation and hope you'll continue to send your news.

MESSIAH TEMPLE CHURCH NEWS

After prayer service Wednesday, Evangelist Zora Reed brought us a lesson on "How To Cultivate Christian Virtues."

Sunday morning sermon was delivered by Reverend Lloyd Buchanan. We were blessed with seven visitors; may God bless you. Mr. Vincent Lewis is a candidate for baptism. Reverend Jacob Reed charged and instructed Carl Turner Jr. on the upbringing of his son and blessed the baby.

Sunday school is at 10:30. Morning worship is at 11:30. The Life of Christ is at 7:00 Sunday evening. Wednesday night prayer service is at 7:30 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Reverend Jacob Reed, Pastor

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. F.W. Strickland will deliver the message at the 11:00 a.m. worship service, Sunday, April 28th. At 6:00 p.m. he will conduct the church study hour. Members and friends who are interested are invited to come. Current topic of discussion is the "Ministry of Visitation."

At 7:00 p.m. the Corinthian Deacon Board will sponsor a "Family Night Program." Several talented church families will be presented in a musical program of praise.

Mrs. Ardene Strickland will be the guest speaker at Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church at 4:00 p.m. in the afternoon.

Sunday, May 5th the

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Wed. Pray & Tary 8:00 P.M.
Fri. Evan Services 8:00 P.M.

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Prayer Service Wed. 8:00 P.M.

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Assistant Pastor Minister E. Bell
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Evening Services Tuesday and Friday at 8:00 P.M.

Corinthian Inspirational Chorus will present their annual musical festival program at 7:00 p.m. in the evening. "Hands to Serve the Lord" will be the theme. Mrs. Doris Wade, is the director. Mrs. Olivia King and Mrs. Barbara Williams are pianist and organist. The 80-voice North High Choir will be special guests. Mrs. Donna Emmons will conduct. Mr. Irving White has also been invited to recite.

ST. JOHN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

On Sunday, April 28, our pastor Rev. Phillip Tindrell will deliver the morning message at the 11:00 service. The St. John Gospel Choir will furnish the music.

Sunday at 3:00 the pastor and church members will be attending the Area IV Annual Meeting of the Mid-American Baptist Churches being held at Calvary Baptist Church here in Des Moines.

St. John's members wishes to extend our congratulation, sincere prayers, and best wishes to the Rev. Jessie Daniels who will be installed Sunday as pastor of Second Baptist Church in Ottumwa.

Let's remember to attend the Eastside Mission Service at 4:00 Sunday if you are not committed to attend elsewhere.

Ramona Burns joined St. John last week as a candidate for baptism and will be baptised at next Sunday's Morning Service. We are indeed happy and proud of her.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The "Des Moines Harmonettes" will be in concert at Bethel A.M.E. Church on May 12, 1974, 7:00 p.m. This night will be in honor of mothers both living and deceased. Anyone wishing to have his or her mother's name placed on either the memorial or active roll, please contact any officer or call 266-3676.

The Elizabeth Tolliver Missionary Society will observe its annual "Missionary Day" on May 5, 1974. They will have as their guest speaker Mrs. Robert G. Clay the wife of the Reverend Robert G. Clay, pastor of St. Paul African Methodist Episcopal Church here in Des Moines.

Sunday services includes Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. and Divine worship at 11:00 a.m. The pastor's sermon subject will be "The Seeds and the Soil" The Youth choir will furnish the music.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

After many years of singing as an especially talented lyric soprano, Mrs. Myrtle Paige thrilled us again on Easter Sunday morning as her bell-like tones filled the church with her rendition of "Lift Up Your Heads" assisted by all choirs.

Tickets are now on sale for the Women's Day Banquet, to be held on Mother's Day, May 12th

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at 1:30 pm at St. Paul A.M.E. Church. Our speaker's name will be announced next week. Rev. Clay will be preaching at Union Baptist Church at 4:00 pm Sunday, April 28th. The St. Paul Choir and the New Life Ensemble will accompany him, also our new usherettes will serve as hostesses. At St. Paul on Sunday morning, Pastor Clay's sermon subject will be "Make Thee An Ark".

Bethel A.M.E. Church has asked our Mrs. Patrick Ann Clay to be their Missionary Day Speaker on the first Sunday in May.

KYLES A.M.E. ZION CHURCH NEWS

Miss Yvonne E. Holt and Mr. Wayne E. Sompson will be united in marriage by our pastor Rev. J. H. Jones Saturday, April 27, at 7:00 p.m. at the church. The couple will leave for California, where they plan to make their home. May God always bless you with every good thing that life at its best can possibly bring. Your pastor and members of Kyles.

Our 4th and final quarterly conference will be held Saturday evening at 7:30 p.m. All organizations must turn in their quarterly and annual report. Presiding Elder, Samuel L. Hopkins will be in charge.

Sunday morning services will begin with choir devotions at 10:45 a.m. Rev. Joseph H. Jones pastor will deliver the message, the Young Adult choir will sing.

"Kyles Choirs in Concert" will be presented Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p.m. The Senior, Young Adult, and Pre-teen choirs will be featured in this annual program. Plan to attend ... enjoy the sermon in song they have for your listening pleasure.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE will be held May 14-19 at Washington Metropolitan Church in St. Louis, Mo.

DON'T FORGET THE BAKE SALE ... Saturday, May 11, Hinky Dinky 19th & Carpenter.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Wm. S. Heath will preach at the morning worship. Rev. Heath, the choirs and members will leave for Ottumwa following the morning worship. Rev. Heath will install Rev. Jesse Daniels, associate pastor of Shiloh at the Second Baptist Church there.

MT. HEBRON BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Next Sunday, April 28th the Mt. Hebron Senior Choir and the Morning Star Senior Choir will have their Fellowship Musical program at 7:30 pm. Mrs. LuVenita Jones, Pres. Rev. James Harris, pastor.

BURNS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, April 28th at 4:00 pm, the women of Burns United Methodist Church, 811 Crocker, will present Rev. R. C. Pfaltzgraff in an hour of religious music. All are welcome.

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Evening Worship 7:00 pm
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MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

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Sunday, April 28th the Mt. Zion Baptist Church will travel to Ottumwa for the ordination Service for Rev. Jesse Daniels. Therefore, Mt. Zion will not hold services that day.

Sunday, May 5th Mt. Zion will have combined Morning Services with Our Saviour Baptist Church, pastor Theodore Brown.

Sunday, May 12th Rev. Jesse Daniels of Second Baptist Church of Ottumwa will be our guest speaker at 4:00 pm. The Shiloh Gospels will render music accompanied by their pianist, Mrs. Margaret Butts.

Sunday, May 19th Rev. Ivan Johnson of Bethel A.M.E. Church will be our guest speaker at the 11:00 am service.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Reverend Parrish's sermon title for Sunday, April 28, will be "A Turned Off Church In A Uptight World." The Gospel Choir will furnish the music.

Reverend White, of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Cedar Rapids, Ia., will be with us on Sunday, April 28, at 3:00 pm to help us celebrate our Annual Usher Day. All Ushers as well as members and friends are cordially invited to attend this service.

The Maple Street Senior Choir will be sponsoring the "Wings of Grace Gospel Singers" on Sunday, May 5, at 4:00 pm. Myrtle Powell, Program Chairman, Reba Sloan, Pres.

If you are interested in joining the Maple Street Bowling League, please see Deloris Davis or any member of the Senior Usher Board.

The Nellie Frye Scholarship Com. will have the unveiling of the Nellie Frye Scholarship Plaque on May 29, 1974. All who wish their names engraved in metal and put on a walnut plaque can do so for \$25.00. Your name and money must be in by May 20, 1974. Contact Tina House or Henrietta McKee and make the necessary arrangements.

The Annual Mother's Day Breakfast will be held on Sunday morning, May 12 (Mother's Day). This year we will hold the Mother's and Father's Breakfast together. The men of the church will be serving. Maxine McNair Supt.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The Mt. Olive Baptist Junior Choir will be presenting a Youth "Old Ship of Zion", on Sunday evening, April 28th at 7:00.

Youth members from various Churches in the City will participate.

Everyone is welcome.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Friday April 26th, at 7:30 p.m. Elder McNair and members of the Mission Temple Church of God in Christ will be in service at Union for the Deaconess Board. Sister Winifred Banks is President.

Our annual Fifty State Rally Fund Drive will climax Sunday, April 28th at 4:00 p.m. Rev. Robert Clay and members of Saint Paul A.M.E. will be special guests.

At 7:30 p.m. Sunday, the Angel Choir will have a skating party at the Carousal Rink. A bus will leave the church at 7 p.m. Every one is welcome.

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Hawkeye Lodge No. 160 and Rose Temple No. 33 observed Thanksgiving on Sunday, April 21, at Union Baptist Church. This is an annual observance for Elks all over the world this day of Thanksgiving. The organization gathered at the Church with the Daughter Ruler, Mrs. Vivian Pruitt escorted by the Colonel of the Antler Guard John E. Roberson leading the women members into the Church, followed by the Brother members.

Pastor Henry I. Thomas welcomed the gathering in a warm loving way that set the tone of the service. He called on Chaplin Ronald Carter, as representative of the Elks, to set in order the procedure of activities which the organization needed to carry out. Daughter Ruler Vivian Pruitt was presented and asked that Daughter Olivia Williams be brought forth that she might be presented a thirty-year plaque a life membership in Rose Temple No. 33, a token of love from herself, and a bouquet of dark red roses, and the Grand Daughter Ruler wishing her the best. The Exalted Ruler Gilbert Randle was presented a red rose from Rose Temple No. 33, a meritorious award for the many hours spent in keeping Rose Temple together. Both she and the Chaplin thanked Rev. Thomas for permitting the group to enjoy the tabernacle on this special occasion. Two lovely brass collection plates

The Three Purpose Club Meets

The Three Purpose Club met with Mrs. Helen Martin as hostess. Mrs. Gwen Turner, florist, at Boesen The Florist, gave us instructions on how to make terrariums. Each girl brought her own special container. It was a very informative and enjoyable evening.

April 17, we had an evening of SKD (Something kind of different) with dinner starting with Mrs. Dorris Wilson serving appetizers and drinks. Next we enjoyed a salad at Mrs. Helen Martin's. Next we enjoyed a casserole with Mrs. Verline Propes. Dessert was served by Mrs. Grace Wade after which we played Hollywood. This was a great deal of fun and it was such a lovely evening outside, we enjoyed the ride to the different homes.

Our next meeting will be with Mrs. Dorris Wilson as hostess.

were given the Pastor's aid by the Elks.

AFTER THE CLOSE OF SERVICE the Elks grouped themselves for pictures to be made. Among the officers noted were Dtr. Ruler Vivian Pruitt, Vice Dtr. Ruler Frances Hayes, Asst. Dtr. Ruler Dtr. Beverly Winfrey, Escort Dtr. Elsie Robinson, Financial Secy Thelma Calderon, Treasurer Dtr. Norva Jean Terrell, Organist Dtr. Gladys Tobin, Doorkeeper Dtr. Beulah Hunter, Gatekeeper Dtr. Daisy Edwards, Grand District Deputy Dtr. Helen Carver, Special District Deputy Dtr. Willa Mae Rowe, State Directress of Education Dtr. Bernice Carter.

Mrs. Graves Honored



Mrs. Graves

Mrs. Mildred Graves, Grand Royal Matron of Iowa Grand Court Royal Exalted Order of Amaranth was elegantly entertained at a banquet on Sat. evening, April 20th at the Ramada Inn, Davenport, Ia. Naomi Chapter No. 1 and Court No. 1 were hosting. Mrs. Almeda Dickerson P.G.W.M. - P.G.R.M. served as Mistress of Ceremonies.

Other Honorees receiving recognition were Mrs. Willella Fluellin, Davenport Grand Worthy Matron of Electa Grand Chapter O.E.S.; Mr. Charles H. Jenkins, Davenport Grand Worthy Patron Electa Grand Chapter O.E.S.; Mr. Vernon Baker, Burlington Most Worshipful Grand Master of Price Hall Grand Lodge of Iowa; and Mr. Jake L. Nelson, Burlington Grand Royal Patron of Iowa Grand Court.

The Grand Worthy Matron and Grand Royal Matron were presented with beautiful white corsages. All honorees were presented with lovely gifts.

The Worthy Grand Matron of Illinois, Mrs. Ethel Shurlock was present, brought greetings from the Illinois Jurisdiction, and



Ruth H. Freeman

Ruth H. Freeman To Wed

Mrs. Ruth H. Thomas Freeman, daughter of Mrs. John I. Thomas and the late Rev. John I. Thomas will be married to Mr. Ezekiel O. Abanishe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abanishe, of Nigeria, Africa, in June, 1974. The second ceremony will be performed in Nigeria.

The bride-to-be is a Training Coordinator of the Occupational Upgrading Program and attends Area XI and Drake University, majoring in Business Administration. She plans to complete her education in Nigeria. Mr. Abanishe is a graduate of Wartburg College and now a junior at the Des Moines College of Osteopathic Medicine and will practice in Nigeria.

Social & Civic Club

Members of the Daughters of Des Moines Social & Civic Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Virgil Carr, Sunday, April 28th at 6:00 pm. Mrs. Alonna Shade, president.

THE BROWN'S EASTER VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Brown of 1108 Crocker had visitors for the Easter weekend. Mr. Brown's son, O. D. Brown of Rock Island, Ill. and the son of Mrs. Brown, Mr. Al McNeal and friend Miss C. Valrie, of Omaha, Neb. Another visitor was Mrs. Leona Clarke of Cedar Rapids who was visiting her sister, Mrs. Ann Ashby of 700 E. 5th St.

presented the two Iowa Grand Matrons with a beautiful orchid and a lovely gift.

Those accompanying Mrs. Graves from Des Moines were her husband Lawrence A., Mrs. Mary Parker Worthy Matron of Princess Oziel No. 9 Order of Eastern Star also Grand Esther of Electa Grand Chapter O.E.S., and Mrs. Haley O. Houston, Grand Associate Conductress of Electa Grand Chapter O.E.S.

The Gala Affair was climaxed with beautiful music for dancing and entertainment from the "Three Steps" of Milwaukeee.

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Mrs. McQuerry Honored At Oakwood College

Mrs. Isabelle McQuerry, of 1501 Sampson, has just returned from a trip to Huntsville, Alabama, where she received honors as Parent of the Year from Oakwood College, National Alumni Association. The banquet was held Saturday night, April 13 1974, where she received a beautiful engraved plaque.

Enroute to Huntsville, Mrs. McQuerry spent a week with her son-in-law and daughter, Elder and Mrs. N. G. Simons of Nashville, Tenn. Six of her children and five grandchildren have attended Oakland.

Mrs. McQuerry resides with her daughter, Mrs. Josephine

Dixon, who was also present along with daughters, Anne Simons and Oletha Scott, of



Mrs. McQuerry

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Child Care In Action

By Mikel Johnson

Child Care In Action was the title given the annual meeting of the Seventh Region of the Day Care and Child Development Council of America, held at the Ramada Inn in Downtown Des Moines on April 19, 20, and 21. The conference brought together 217 representatives from Iowa, Nebraska, Missouri, and Kansas for a three day series of workshops and meetings on child care.

One hundred members attended opening night activities, which included a banquet with the keynote address given by Dr. Kenton Williams of Kansas City, Missouri. Delegates were welcomed to the state by Cora Douglass a member of Governor Ray's staff.

Saturday activities opened with a presentation of a key to the city of Des Moines by David Walker, a representative of the Mayor's office. Following this, brief remarks were made by Robert Hoskins, the Associate Director of Field Services from the Washington office of DCCDCA, who acted as facilitator for one of the nine workshops conducted around such subjects as Title IV-A funding, the Male in Child Care, Parent Involvement, Child Care '76 and the Para-Professional in Child-Care. Still other aspects of issues facing those in child care were treated in five round table discussions held at a noon poolside luncheon.

Following the workshop activities, Theodore Taylor, executive director of DCCDCA, spoke on prevailing attitudes which have effected the decisions on the provision of quality child care both past and present. Mr. Taylor, explained that one must first of all, evaluate where the responsibility for caring for children lies. He continued, "If we feel that it is totally the responsibility of the family, then we must throw out the school system. But if we decide this is a social responsibility, then where is the system." This then is the task left to the child care advocates — to advocate for just such a system and to set a climate for it.

Taylor further explained that a successful system requires that those who advocate for child care must drop petty grievances among themselves and function together as a solid unit in order for a system to evolve.

The next step, Taylor pointed out, is full and active support for the Child Care '76 program which has been launched by DCCDCA to activate awareness of the need for the development of a parentally involved, comprehensive, universally available system of quality child care services for all families who need and want them by 1976. Those who support the action must show others the need for it and not take it for granted that all other people share a commitment to children. Community education will be the key. Failure to sufficiently inform the public resulted in the demise of prior child care legislation.

Following Mr. Taylor's remarks, individual states held state caucuses where state officers and board members were elected. Those elected from the Iowa delegation were as follows: Evelyn Davis, Chairperson, Des Moines; Ms.

Koontz, Vice-Chairperson, Indianola; Margaret Gappa, Secretary, Des Moines; and Shirley Baird, Treasurer, Ottumwa. Board Members elected were Doris Tucker, Des Moines; Ms. Koontz; Shirley Baird; and Lola Rehm, Mason City; with Linda DeWild and Debbie Green to serve as alternates.

The Iowa Caucus also passed three resolutions urging support for: Senate File 434 (funding bill) and SF 569 (licensing bill)



Robert Hoskins
Associate Director
Field Services

both currently locked in the House of Representatives; Secondly the creation of a state-wide task force by the Governor to study short and long range needs for child care by Iowa children and their families; and finally for active support and implementation of Child Care '76, which will be launched with a "Birthday party for kids," in the Statehouse Rotunda this week.

In conclusion, the DCCDCA is a private, non-profit membership organization committed to child advocacy. Membership is open to all.

The National Convention for DCCDCA will be held in St. Louis in Mid-October.



Theodore Taylor
Executive Director

church

New Members Of God Squad

Nineteen new sixth grade boys were inducted into the God Squad of St. John Catholic Church Sunday. The new young men were inducted by the senior members of the Squad. The God Squad is composed of sixty sixth, seventh and eighth grade young men dedicated to serving at the altar at St. John's, during the week and on Sundays.



Christopher Burke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Burke of 1223 Stephenson Way, is presented his wooden cross by Michael McQuarry, 1124 17th, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McQuarry. In attendance L. to R. are Paul Brietbach, Tim Harrington, and Steve Sangston, who along with McQuarry are senior members of St. John's God Squad.

EAST UNIVERSITY CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST NEWS

This coming Sunday there will be a baby contest sponsored by Captain Number-4 Mrs. Clemetine Bell for the church building fund. The two Contestants are Miss Betty Bell and Miss Denise Woods. There will be a guest speaker from Cedar Rapids, Iowa, one of the greatest men of God you will ever hear, Elder H. Bassett. The Special Building fund service will begin promptly at 4:00 p.m. April 28, 74, 1639 University.

PILGRIM BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Revival will be at Pilgrim Baptist beginning April 26th at 8:00 pm, 1732 Walker St. Come out and hear the soul stirring and dynamic preaching of father and son. If you missed them last year, come out this year for sure. The Rev. J. Millingtree and Bro. Richard Millingtree from Oakland, Calif. Everyone welcome. Host pastor, Rev. W. B. Heath.

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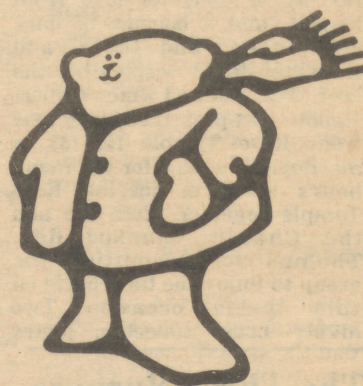
"We have also found the house to be cooler in the summer too."

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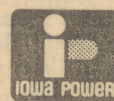
Check your insulation. If you don't have at least 6 inches above the ceiling, it's a good idea to add more. It's also a good idea to ask a registered insulation contractor to check the insulation in your sidewalls. Adding insulation is an investment that will pay for itself in just a few years. That's why we call insulation the year 'round money saver.

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Bloodwhispers / Blacksongs, C. Gene Drafts, Broadside Press, 12651 Old Mill Place, Detroit, Mich. 48238, June, 1974, \$1.50.



Stephanie (left) and Tamera Diggs are shown with just a few of the thousands of pounds of newspapers they've been collecting to help raise \$600.00 for the Windsor 4th Grade Campfire Girls. The Bystander was able to donate close to a ton of paper to help the girls raise enough to purchase marching group uniforms.

Free Blood Pressure Screening Clinic April 28th

The Health and Welfare Department of the Philadelphia Seventh-Day Adventist Church in Des Moines is sponsoring a free blood pressure screening clinic at the Hinky Dinky Supermarket, 19th Street and Carpenter Avenue, Sunday, April 28th from 1 to 3 p.m. The clinic is co-sponsored by the Polk County Heart Association and the Des Moines-Polk County Health Department.

The Health Van is being loaned for this project by the Seventh-Day Adventist Church, Central States Conference Headquarters in Kansas City, Missouri.

Dr. Elizabeth Proctor from the Iowa State Department of Health and Dr. Julius S. Conner, Director of the Des Moines-Polk County Health Department will be on hand to counsel clients. Three registered nurses have volunteered their services as well as members from the Philadelphia Seventh-Day Adventist Church of Des Moines.

Next On Black Journal

Tuesday evening, April 30th, BLACK JOURNAL will present "Black Films, Rip Off or Right On?" Appearing with host Tony Brown will be Tamara Dobson (Cleopatra Jones), Ron O'Neal (Superfly), and Ossie Davis, motion picture director. BLACK JOURNAL airs at 8:00 pm on KDIN-11 in Des Moines.



Glenn Whiteside (Left)

Glenn Whiteside Named Manager

Glenn Whiteside has been named manager of the Steak Ranch Restaurant and Bar of Hotel Fort Des Moines. Whiteside credits this success to on the job experience achieved when he worked at the Des Moines Club under Frank Dowlie, Jr. who is now director of catering for the Fort Des Moines Hotel. He worked for fifteen years under Mr. J. Q. Masteller at Fort Des Moines Hotel. Masteller is currently general manager of the Boss Hotel Company.



THE THIN MAN MEETS TAVARES. Veteran singer Eddie Kendricks took time out at a recent gig in New York City to stop by the club where Capitol Records recording stars, Tavares, were playing to say hello and offer a few words of advice. Tavares, five young brothers from New Bedford, Massachusetts, are currently riding high on the charts with their single "That's The Sound That Lonely Makes."

Survival Education Association Winners

Mrs. Gloria McCraey of 6002 Rollins Ave. has won a \$25 grocery gift certificate as first place winner in the Survival Education Association raffle.

Second place winner in the drawing, held Apr. 12 at the Center for Study and Application of Black Theology, 1016 Forest Ave., was Terry Knox of 1237 Fourteenth St., winning a \$15 gasoline gift certificate.

In addition to the raffle, community children selling raffle tickets participated in a raffle ticket sales contest. First prize, a camera, went to Valesta Wiggins, 8, of 643 Twenty-seventh St.; second prize, a transistor radio, to Vernon Johnson III, 8, of 4323 Sixty-seventh St., and third prize, \$5 to Diane Hamlett, 17 of 1816 Allison Ave.

The raffle is part of a series of fund-raising activities sponsored by the Survival Education Association, a non-profit Black organization, and its affiliate, the Sixth Pan African Support Committee, to raise funds in connection with the Sixth Pan African Congress. The Congress is to be held in Dar Es Salaam, Tanzania, from June 19 through June 27, 1974.

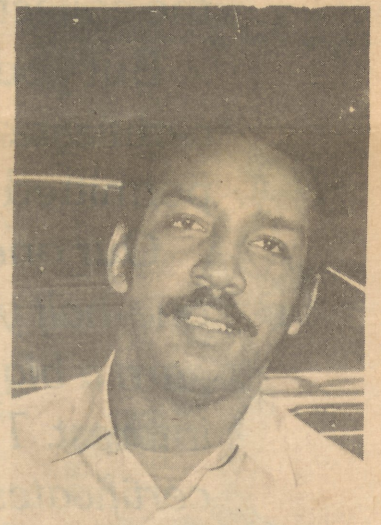
Leadership Training For Women

The University of Iowa School of Social Work is co-sponsoring with Drake University, Women's Programs, and other community organizations, a Women's Institute for Leadership Training.

The purpose of the program is to train women for leadership roles in community service. The women, at the completion of an 8 week training program and internship, will be expected to assume decision-making positions in organizations or public, private or governmental agencies. The program will begin the week of September 30 and recruitment of twenty women for inclusion will begin by July 1. Applications for directorship of the program are being accepted now. For further information, contact the Des Moines Training Center, University of Iowa School of Social Work which is located on the Drake Campus.



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

Equity No. CE-2-750

NORTHLAND MORTGAGE COMPANY,

Plaintiff,

Vs.

ELEANOR ROSALIE REECE,
VICTOR G. CAMILLE,
DORSEY D. CAMILLE,
CLARENCE A. PIERCE,
LOUISE PIERCE,
HERB W. BUTZBACH,
ROADSIDE SUPER MARKET,
INC.
HAROLD VAN VOORHIS
BUDGET FINANCE CO.,
POLK COUNTY, IOWA.

Defendants.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS:

You are hereby notified that the Petition of the Plaintiff in the above entitled action is now on file in the Office of the Clerk of the District Court of Iowa in and for Polk County, claiming personal judgment against Eleanor Rosalie Reece, and judgment in rem against the property hereinafter described in the sum of \$7,869.47, with interest at the rate of 8 1/2% per annum, from and after October 1, 1973, on the promissory note of Clarence A. Pierce and Louise Pierce, executed and delivered to the Plaintiff, who is the absolute owner thereof, and said note and mortgage given to secure said note are due and payable by reason of the failure of the Defendants to pay the installments of principal and interest when due. The Petition further asks for foreclosure of said mortgage of even date and the note of October 13, 1970, on the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 36 in North Park, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa,

and also asking that said mortgage be declared a prior and paramount lien to that of each and all Defendants and further praying for the appointment of a receiver, and for the amount paid by the Plaintiff for legal attorney fees, abstract expenses and all accruing costs of this action, and for such other relief as may be just and equitable in the premises.

You are further notified that the mortgage herein provides that in the event of foreclosure and sale of the property by Sheriff's sale, the time of one year redemption shall be reduced to six months provided that the mortgagee waives any right to take a deficiency judgment. Plaintiff reserves the right to waive all rights to a deficiency judgment prior to Sheriff's sale.

You are further notified that the mortgage herein provides that in the event the Court finds in the Decree that the titleholders who are personally liable on the mortgage have abandoned the premises and the mortgagee has waived any right to a deficiency judgment, the redemption period shall be reduced from one year to sixty (60) days.

The foreclosure Petition of the Plaintiff prays for a writ of possession in the event that any part of the mortgaged premises by sold under foreclosure decree and not redeemed from Sheriff's sale as provided by law without any other additional proceedings.

You are further notified to appear before said Court at Des Moines, in Polk County, Iowa, on or before May 23, 1974 or 9 o'clock of said day and that unless you do so appear, your default will be entered and judgment or decree rendered against you for the relief demanded in the Petition.

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By Louis R. Hockenberry

600 Hubbell Building

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NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF

R. L. FRIDLEY THEATERS,
INC.

Notice is hereby given that a corporation named R. L. Fridley Theaters, Inc. has been incorporated under Chapter 496A, 1973 Code of Iowa. The corporate existence of said corporation began April 1, 1974, and the period of its duration is unlimited.

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and to do any lawful act concerning any or all lawful businesses for which corporations may be organized under said Chapter.

Said corporation has authority to issue 10,000 shares with a par value of \$100.00 each.

The address of its registered office is 1207 - 25th Street, Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa 50311. The name of its registered agent at such address is Robert L. Fridley.

The names and address of its Directors as designated in its Articles of Incorporation are: Robert L. Fridley, 1207 - 25th Street, Des Moines, Iowa.

Myrna F. Fridley, 3603 Davison Road, Des Moines, Iowa.

Dated this 23rd day of April, 1974.

R. L. FRIDLEY THEATERS,
INC.

BY: ROBERT L. FRIDLEY,
PRESIDENT

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ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of the State
of Iowa, in and for Polk County
Equity No. CE-2-797

JOYCE F. SALES,

a k a Flora Joyce Sales,

Plaintiff,

Vs.

MARGIT I. MATTIX,

ZELMA MATTIX,

FLORENCE MAY SALES,

JUDITH ANNETTE SALES,

RONALD EUGENE SALES,

and all unknown claimants, and all persons unknown claiming any right, title or interest in and to the following described real estate, to-wit:

The East 110 feet of Lot Twenty-six (26) in Broadacre, an Official Plat, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, and all the heirs, spouses, assigns, grantees, legatees, devisees and beneficiaries of each and all of the above named defendants.

Defendants.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS: You and each of you are hereby notified that the Petition of the Plaintiff in the above entitled cause is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, claiming that the Plaintiff is the absolute and unqualified owner in fee simple of the following described property, to-wit:

The East 110 feet of Lot Twenty-six (26) in Broadacre, an Official Plat, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa and that the Plaintiff is credibly informed and believes that the Defendants make some claim adverse to the title of the Plaintiff in said property and that the said unknown claimants to said premises claim some interest in or to the said real estate as the Plaintiff is informed and believes, but that the Plaintiff has no knowledge of information and does not know how said interest as claimed by said unknown claimants was derived or claimed to have been derived or the method of obtaining the same and the Plaintiff avers therein that the names and residences and mailing addresses of the unknown persons are unknown to Plaintiff and that Plaintiff has sought diligently to learn the same and the Plaintiff in said Petition sets out certain instruments of record which cloud the title of this Plaintiff to said real estate and to the pretended claims or questions which have arisen with reference to said title and you are referred to said Petition for a more particular statement thereof. The Plaintiff in said Petition states that none of the said Defendants or unknown claimants have in fact any right, title or interest in or to the above described premises of any part thereof or any color of right, title or interest therein and that the Plaintiff and her immediate grantors have been in the sole, complete, open, notorious, actual and undisputed adverse possession of the said premises for more than ten years last past under claim of title and ownership thereof and have been the undisputed and unqualified owners thereof for over ten years, and that by reason thereof and of the lapse of time and the laches of the Defendants in failing to assert any pretended claim thereto and in permitting valuable improvements to be made thereon relying upon such possession and ownership, the Defendants are estopped from

asserting any right, title, claim or interest therein adverse to the Plaintiff. The Plaintiff in said Petition prays for the establishment of her estate and title against the adverse claims of the Defendants and that each and all of them and all unknown claimants and all persons unknown having or claiming any right, title or interest in or to said premises and all persons claiming by, through or under them, be barred and forever estopped from ever having, asserting or claiming any right, title or interest in or to the said premises or any part thereof adverse to the Plaintiff or the Plaintiff's title therein and that the Plaintiff's title to the said premises be quieted, established and confirmed and that the Plaintiff have all such other and further equitable relief as to the Court may seem just.

You are further notified that unless you appear and defend before said Court at Sixth and Mulberry Street, in Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on or before the 31st day of May, 1974, your default will be entered against you and judgment and decree rendered thereon as provided by law.

Dated this 19 day of April, 1974.

William M. Carron

Attorney for Plaintiff

719 Empire Building

Des Moines, Iowa 50309

Phone 288-0251

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NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF

CAPITOL INVESTMENT CO.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 52 of the Iowa Business Corporation Act, the undersigned corporation does hereby publish the following notice of incorporation.

1. The name of the corporation is Capitol Investment Co. and is incorporated under Chapter 496A, the Code of Iowa, 1973.

2. The beginning of the corporate existence of the corporation was April 12, 1974, and the period of its duration is perpetual.

3. The purposes for which the corporation is organized, as stated in its Articles of Incorporation, are as follows:

"The corporation shall have unlimited power to engage in, and do any lawful act concerning any and all lawful businesses for which corporations may be organized under this Act."

4. The aggregate number of shares which this corporation is authorized to issue is 5,000 shares of the par value of \$100.00 each, and all of which shall be common stock.

5. The registered office of the corporation as stated in the Articles of Incorporation is 500 Stephens Building, P.O. Box 1735, Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is Robert E. Dreher.

6. The name and address of its sole director as designated in its Articles of Incorporation is:

Robert E. Dreher, 500 Stephens Building, P.O. Box 1735, Des Moines, Iowa.

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 22nd day of April, 1974.

CAPITOL INVESTMENT CO.

By Robert E. Dreher,

President

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ORIGINAL NOTICE

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

Equity No. CE 2-733

UNITED FEDERAL SAVINGS
AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF
DES MOINES

Plaintiff

Vs.

JERRY LEE SCOTT,

JACKIE LEE SCOTT,

GENERAL FINANCE

INDUSTRIAL LOAN

COMPANY OF IOWA, GLOBE

LOAN

COMPANY OF IOWA, GLOBE

LOAN

COMPANY, CASH CREDIT

CORPORATION

AND POLK COUNTY, IOWA

Defendants.

TO JACKIE LEE SCOTT.

You are hereby notified that the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause of action is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County, asking judgment against the defendants named in the caption hereto, and against the mortgaged property hereinafter described, for:

(1) The sum of \$10,749.50 with interest at 7 1/2% from March 1, 1974, being the amount due plus interest upon the promissory note in the principal sum of \$11,300.00, dated August 26, 1969, which note was made and executed by the defendants, Jerry Lee Scott, Jackie Lee Scott payable to this plaintiff, which note this plaintiff has declared due and payable forthwith because of the default of the defendants in failing to make payment of monthly sums of

principal and interest due. The said sum includes delinquent interest and advancements to and including March 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 defendants, Jerry Lee Scott and Jackie Lee Scott, which mortgage is dated August 26, 1969, recorded in Book 4059, Page 353, 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 15 in Martha Hall Heights, an Official Plat, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa

Plaintiff waives any deficiency judgment and asks that the period of redemption be reduced to six months.

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

For further particulars see the petition now on file.

You are also hereby notified to appear before said court at the Polk County Court House, Des Moines, Iowa, on or before May 23, 1974, Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on or before May 23, 1974, your default will be entered against you and judgment and decree rendered therein as prayed.

Dated this 15th day of April, 1974.

GRANT, FLYNN & LOZIER,

Attorneys for Plaintiff

By James V. Sarcone

902 Liberty Building,

Des Moines, Iowa

244-8325

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ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of the State
of Iowa, in and for Polk County
Equity No. CE-2-789

POLK COUNTY FEDERAL
SAVINGS AND LOAN
ASSOCIATION OF DES
MOINES.

Plaintiff

Vs.

PAUL J. BERRY,

BETTY N. BERRY,

CASH CREDIT

CORPORATION,

STATE OF IOWA,

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE,

UNITED STATES OF

AMERICA,

INTERNAL REVENUE

SERVICE

AND PATRICIA L. BERRY,

Defendants.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS PAUL J. BERRY, BETTY N. BERRY, CASH CREDIT CORPORATION, STATE OF IOWA, DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE AND PATRICIA L. BERRY

YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Iowa in and for Polk County, the petition of Polk County Federal Savings and Loan Association of Des Moines, claiming a personal judgment against Paul J. Berry and Betty N. Berry for the sum of \$3,306.91 with accrued interest from February 1, 1974 at 7%, \$154.00 for continuation of abstract,

together with interest thereon, and for statutory attorney's fees on account of a certain promissory note executed and delivered by Paul J. Berry and Betty N. Berry, said note being made to Polk County Federal Savings and Loan Association of Des Moines in the face amount of \$5,300.00 dated the 12th day of August, 1963.

That the defendants Paul J. Berry and Betty N. Berry have failed to make the payments due on said note and mortgage, and plaintiff in accordance with the terms thereof, has elected to declare and now elects to declare the entire balance of \$3,306.91 due on said note and mortgage and for \$154.00 for the cost of continuation of abstract preparatory to foreclosure.

Said petition also prays for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage of even date with said note and executed by Paul J. Berry and Betty N. Berry, husband and wife, securing said note by a mortgage on the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lots 34, 35 and 36 in Block 21 in York's Choice, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa.

That no personal judgment is asked against any defendants except Paul J. Berry and Betty N. Berry, but the plaintiff claims that the rights of all defendants are junior and inferior to the plaintiff's mortgage and plaintiff's rights and title thereunder.

FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS, SEE SAID PETITION NOW ON FILE.

YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE ALSO NOTIFIED TO appear before the District Court of the State of Iowa in and for Polk County, at the Polk County Court House, Des Moines, Iowa, where said Court is convened and held, on or before the 31st day of May, 1974, and unless you so appear, your default will be entered and judgment and decree will be rendered against you for the relief demanded in plaintiff's petition.

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BELIN & HARRIS

By Allan A. Herrick

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DAVENPORT

By Cecile Cooper
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The Semper Fi Delis Federated Club held its third annual scholarship banquet at Bethel AME Church where Rev. A. T. Chester welcomed more than two hundred guests to a delicious rib roast dinner and a delightful evening with Powell (Sonny) Owens.

Borrowing the idea from the Dean Martin T.V. Show, Cecile Cooper coordinated the "Roast Sonny" portion of the program which included many experiences and anecdotes, many of them humorous, from his activities in labor relations, politics, as the first black Alderman in Davenport, Civil Rights, past president of NAACP, member of the Human Rights Commission and dedicated worker for community progress.

"Roasters" included Davenport Mayor Kathryn Kirschbaum, State Senator Bill Gluba, Alderman Tom Hart, Charles Tony, Carroll Wright, Ralph Beale, Glenn Perkins, Jim Fluellin, Father Francis Duncan, Father John Smith, Leonard Davis, Sylvia Roba, Cozie Dias, Bernice Burke, and Mrs. Ginna Owens.

Present for the festivities were all the Owens children, Mr. Owen's mother, Mrs. Henry Owens from East Moline, his sister Abbie Davis from Milwaukee, State Scholarship Chairman Mrs. Emma Turner, Anne Turner and Vivian Smith, all from Cedar Rapids.

General Chairman for the event was Mrs. Dannie Edwards.

DISCRIMINATION AND PREJUDICE by Bernice Jones

Discrimination, first of all is both morally and legally wrong; for centuries Blacks have been denied the basic freedoms by the racist practice of discriminating against blacks to keep them poor, uneducated, and confined to ghettos. All other problems arise from the two-sided reality: lack of education, lack of empathy.

Discrimination has caused much agitation and frustration to grow up in Blacks, leading to the riots, sit-ins, demonstrations, and marches, to project to the American public that we as a race have been denied jobs, opportunities, employment, education, and a part in the political process.

Discrimination has reduced Blacks to second class citizens as compared to whites. All the systems in our society are geared to whites, so you see discrimination has been institutionalized into the very fiber of our country.

Discrimination has caused many Blacks to be denied jobs, thus forcing Blacks to resort to the welfare system, thus becoming a liability to America instead of an asset.

To step in the right direction would be for the Whites in America to realize that the Black citizen is indeed an individual and has the same likes, dislikes, desires and ambitions that he himself has; that Black people mean to have a stake in America in the policy making, the economic wealth, and the power to help chart his course for the future.

The majority of people of each race are opposed to violence to solve the problems of discrimination and wish non-violent solutions could be found to retard racial problems which could destroy our nation.

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

Funeral services for Granville Cooper who passed away April 15th were held Friday, April 19th at the Greaves Mortuary, Rev. John Mims officiating. Burial was in National Cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Wallace attended the Choir Days session held in La Grange, Mo. last week.

Mrs. Mary Majors attended the Regional meeting held in Ft. Madison on April 20th.

Members of the Bethel A.M.E. Church visited the Lee County Memorial Home on Sunday evening, April 21st.

Kim Oliver was confirmed on Sunday, April 21st in a class of eleven at Trinity Methodist Church.

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St. John A.M.E. Church will present the Voices of Freedom Choir of Ferris State College in concert on May 12, 1974 at 3:00 pm. There will be a Birthday Club Dollar and Covered Dish Dinner given at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Redd by Mrs. Eva Nelson. The dinner will begin at 3:00 pm.

St. John A.M.E. would like to thank Bro. Clark and Bro. Roach for the wonderful Easter weekend breakfast.

Visiting here over the Easter weekend with Rev. & Mrs. A. C. Wright, Jr. was Mrs. Wright's mother, Mrs. Earl Eccleston of Elizabeth City, North Carolina.

Mrs. Gladys White, Mrs. Velma Lewis, Mrs. Virginia White and Mrs. Geraldine Brown are back from a trip to Chicago where they attended "An Evening To Remember" honoring Mrs. Ethel Schurlock, Worthy Grand Matron of Eureka Grand Chapter Order of Eastern State State of Illinois P.H.A. This affair was held in the beautiful Sabre Room, 8900 W. 9th St.

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Second Baptist Church had their regular Sunday morning services with the pastor, Rev. W. J. Laster in charge.

Mrs. Glen Tolson of Mt. Pleasant was here Friday, April 12th to attend the funeral of her aunt Mrs. Rosie Toliver, who

died in Muscatine. The funeral was held Friday morning with Rev. Sayer officiating. Fred Prentiss, her brother attended. Mrs. George Harper, Sr. had guests for dinner. They were Mr. & Mrs. Harold Richmond, Mr. & Mrs. Louis Dade, Jack Holden, Mr. & Mrs. Edward Paige, Mr. & Mrs. Tom Marsh, Mr. & Mrs. Orville Woods, Mr. & Mrs. Ira Wyatt, Mr. & Mrs. George Harper, III, Mr. & Mrs. Milton Dade, Betty & Harold, Mrs. Josephine Brunier and Mr. & Mrs. Finus Webster.

NAACP Warns: Cease Random Search

SAN FRANCISCO. — Mayor Alioto's order authorizing random search by police of young Negro males, allegedly in an effort to detect the killers of 12 white persons, "gives license to official abuse," Nathaniel R. Jones, General Counsel of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, said in a telegram to the San Francisco mayor.

Further, Mr. Jones warned, "we are prepared to seek judicial intervention to protect the constitutional rights of persons who may find themselves victimized by police excesses."

The NAACP counsel was in San Francisco, attending the funeral of an NAACP staff member, at the time the order was issued. The full text of Mr. Jones' telegram follows:

WHILE WE SYMPATHIZE WITH THE FRUSTRATION FELT BY ALL OVER THESE HORRIBLE OFFENSES WE MUST AND DO STRONGLY OPPOSE ANY MEASURE THAT OPENS THE WAY FOR THE POLICE TO HARASS ANY AND ALL BLACK CITIZENS. WHAT IS CALLED FOR BY THIS ORDER IS IN EFFECT A SUSPENSION OF THE BILL OF RIGHTS. WE CANNOT ACQUIESCE IN ANY MEASURE THAT WILL SUSPEND THESE VALUABLE CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS. THE SO-CALLED STIPULATIONS SET FORTH IN THE ORDER, WHICH PURPORT TO DESCRIBE THE TYPE OF NEGRO WHO WOULD BE STOPPED, WILL NOT SERVE TO ADEQUATELY PROTECT THE CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS OF BLACK CITIZENS. IN OUR VIEW IT IS A HIGHLY IMPRACTICAL ORDER AND SERVES MERELY TO GIVE LICENSE TO OFFICIAL ABUSE. WE ARE PREPARED TO SEEK JUDICIAL INTERVENTION TO PROTECT THE CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS OF PERSONS WHO MAY FIND THEMSELVES VICTIMIZED BY POLICE EXCESSES.

Meanwhile in New York City, Dr. John A. Morsell, NAACP

assistant executive director, wired a similar protest to Mayor Alioto, the full text of which follows:

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED PEOPLE PROTESTS THE ILLEGAL STOP AND SEARCH PROCEDURE INSTITUTED BY YOU AGAINST BLACK SAN FRANCISCANS IN EFFORT TO DETECT THE ZEBRA KILLER. WE UNDERSTAND AND SYMPATHIZE WITH THE FEAR AND FRUSTRATION THESE SENSELESS AND BARBARIC KILLINGS HAVE PRODUCED, BUT THE WAY YOU HAVE CHOSEN TO COMBAT THEM IS A CLEAR VIOLATION OF CIVIL RIGHTS. THE DESCRIPTIVE ELEMENTS ARE SO BROAD AND VAGUE THAT SAN FRANCISCO POLICE HAVE IN EFFECT BEEN LICENSED TO STOP AND FRISK VIRTUALLY ALL NEGRO MALES AT THEIR OWN DISCRETION. WE CALL UPON YOU AS MAYOR TO PUT AN END TO THIS SHAMEFUL EPISODE IN THE HISTORY OF YOUR CITY.

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by Allen Ashby

Last week I was a week ahead of myself talking about the Drake Relays. Do you know, that is one way to discover your readers, especially the ones looking for errors. There must have been a dozen people who reminded me of that. I have goofed before, but never so glaringly. Oh, well, I ought to be sorry about it, but I think it was funny. Now, this is the week you will be out there seeing the fellows in short pants chasing each other around the track by the time this hits the street. I think this event was responsible for me wanting to see only the best in sports. My older brother Lucius, used to take me to these races in the days when the various teams had their headquarters in tents on the infield, each section having a part of the ground. Lucius used to go from tent to tent and talk to the athletes, and I tagged along in open-mouthed wonder. He talked only to the stars, and I wondered how he knew so many of the greats. Maybe he was just putting on a show for me, but if he was, it was a good one. So I came to look for the best when I went out there, and that just sort of carried over into other sports.

This will be a big year. There will be a black Relays queen for the first time, and this should make the schools like the black colleges want to be winners, too. But they don't need any inspiration to make them show their heels to the rest of the field. Trouble is now that so many good black runners are in other colleges that they couldn't possibly all be under one or two banners, and that makes for tough competition. There won't be any Rod Milburn running away with the hurdle race this time, so that deal should be wide open, and some black runners from out of the country may make things a bit warm for the schools here in the college division. I recall that I got a picture of Wilt Chamberlain when he was high jumping for Kansas. Well, I got the lower three quarters of his body, so I went back the next day to get the rest of him, and put the two shots together. It was some picture. Brother Bill would have laughed his head off, and maybe he did, wherever he was.

We had to be mildly excited about Lee Elder's win that qualified him for the Masters golf meet and the tournament of champions. The folks who run the masters used up their full bag of tricks to keep blacks out. First it was those who made so much money, then it was the top twenty or such, and then it came down to only the winners in major meets and they picked the meets. Well, Lee beat 'em by their own rules. They must have known that sooner or later some black golfer was going to qualify, no matter how much they changed the rules. I knew that, but I wanted it to be someone like one of the veterans, and not one of the fellows who came out of school last year or this year. I don't think they would have appreciated the struggle that the oldsters made in keeping the door open so they could get in a

good one. Right now I think that is Arthur Ash's chief function, to keep the door open for some promising young black player to do what that kid from Sweden is doing. So it has been with fellows like Pete Brown and Charley Sifford, not to mention Curtis Sifford and Elder. The guy may finish dead last in the Masters, but the door has been broken down, and maybe the next one will take all the marbles.

There wasn't too much to say about Iowa University football team in their spring game. There were too many potential starters out to really evaluate the team. They hit hard, but a lot of the main cogs weren't there. With Butch Caldwell out, one of our local boys got a chance to show what he could do, and now, watch the local papers make him into a star before he has played a game. Trying to read between lines in Comming's interview, I sort of wondered if the boys who try to dictate the Iowa gridiron policy hadn't been trying to get to him. Couldn't help but feel that the former Iowa coach knew who his best quarterback was all last year, but he was trying to please some people so he stuck with his first choice as long as he could, even tho it cost him a game or two that he had a slim chance to win. Hope the present Hawkeye coach doesn't paint himself into that corner.

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	Games	Series
Ethel Lewis	218	
Alice Hart	213	525
Jane Brown	210	581
Helen White	212	529
Glyndoria Williams		505

Relays Queen Is Black & Beautiful!



Miss Gloria Jean Watson of Wichita, Kans., a 22 year-old senior at Wichita State University, has been chosen the 1974 Drake Relays Queen.

Miss Watson, the first black queen in Drake Relays history, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Silvan Watson, 1849 N. Green, Wichita, and one of nine children in her family.

A journalism and minority studies major, Miss Watson aspires to be a creative writer and is this year's editor of her college yearbook, *Parnassus*.

On the Wichita State campus, she has participated in leadership roles in student journalism organizations and was named to Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities.

She is a student member of the Board of Student Publications and a member of Women in Communications, national professional society for journalists; Society of Professional Journalists (Sigma Delta Chi) and Mortar Board, the leadership, scholarship and service honorary.

Miss Watson has received a YWCA scholarship for three years, and during her junior year was awarded a Kansas Press Women scholarship.

AN accomplished violinist, she received a scholarship for her musical ability.



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