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Cornelius Deputy Director



Samuel J. Cornelius

Samuel J. Cornelius was appointed Deputy Director of the Office of Minority Business Enterprise on January 18, 1974.

Prior to his appointment, Mr. Cornelius was Regional Director of the Office of Economic Opportunity (OEO) in Kansas City, Missouri, a position he assumed in 1970. Previously, he served as director of the Nebraska Technical Assistance Agency and as adviser to Governor Norbert Tiemann, where he directed state-wide economic opportunity efforts including manpower planning, economic development, state youth coordination and the State Indian Commission.

In his new capacity as deputy director, Mr. Cornelius will assist the OMBE Director in policy deliberations and work to strengthen the thrust of OMBE's new decentralized program. Operating through six regional offices, OMBE seeks not only to improve its contract and

Minority Economics Discussed at 74th NBL Convention

WASH., D.C. — The President of the National Business League, Dr. Berkeley G. Burrell, released the resolutions of the 74th Convention of that organization whose constituency comprises the largest and broadest representation of minority business, professional and trade interests in this country.

The NBL was founded in 1900

delivery management, but to provide greater services to minority entrepreneurs through training, loan packaging, pre-locational analysis and identification of high leverage and market opportunities as applicable to the local business situation. In this, Mr. Cornelius hopes to see the profile of minority business shift from that of marginal retail operations to a more meaningful participation in the business community nation-wide.

A native of Kansas City, Missouri, Mr. Cornelius is married and the father of four children. He has served in the United States Navy.

by Booker T. Washington and today is headquartered in Washington, D.C. as the major national advocate for minority business enterprise.

The organization boasts a national individual and corporate membership of 6,000 with 114 affiliate chapters scattered across the country whose individual rosters number in the hundreds in many of the larger metropolitan areas.

NBL's 74th Convention has been heralded as one of the most significant gatherings convened for the discussion of minority economic interests in history. Black politicians, Brown Americans, Red Americans, Black scholars, college administrators and students, clergy and members of all faiths, businesses of every description, people from every walk of life helped to demonstrate that Black America is no longer divided by artificial partitions of age, ideologies, class or caste.

In releasing the 19 resolutions,

Board Won't Be Rushed Says Chairman Gentry

It appears that Des Moines students will not be bused involuntarily next fall according to School Supt. Dwight M. Davis and Nolden Gentry, School Bd. President.

No decision has been made on

Dr. Burrell said:

"In disseminating these resolutions to the executive and legislative branches of the government, to federal agencies, our NBL members, and to the general public, we are particularly cognizant of the critical business that remains before us.

"These resolutions reflect the collective concerns of our membership on the compelling social and economic issues of the day.

"Clearly, it is incumbent upon the League's National Office to direct these resolutions to the appropriate agency or institution for effective implementation.

"We shall work toward that end."

what to do to end de facto segregation in the Des Moines city schools.

Balance of teachers

Gentry and Davis say that another measure to desegregate schools, would be to transfer teachers to racially balance the teaching staff.

It's felt that pupil transfers should be part of the district's desegregation efforts, but there isn't enough time before the beginning of the 1975-76 school year to do so.

PTA Survey

Members of the Citizen's Comm. for advancement of Rational Education, Inc. (CARE) have written a survey letter and are asking Parent groups to distribute them to school children throughout the Des Moines School district. As long as the survey is approved by each school's PTA it makes no difference to school authorities.

CARE's survey letter has been used almost word for word as it was distributed to schools in the city. According to Mrs. Rosetta Green, PTA council president, the PTA as a representative body will not take a stand on the busing issue.

Although the school board hasn't decided what to do about desegregating the schools, a citizens committee has recommended that no school have a minority enrollment of more than 31 percent.

According to committee leaders, that recommendation would require an unknown number of children to be bused.

Busing a tough issue

Nolden Gentry, says that the board won't be rushed into any sort of desegregation plan as it is a tough issue. If the board makes the determination that there is going to be desegregation, it has to provide a reasonable amount of time to plan for it. The possibility of students being shifted second semester of the 1975-76 school year has not been ruled out.

Without a favorable ruling from the State School Budget Review Committee, the district would not have the money to carry out an extensive desegregation program.

Black Journal: A New Format



Tony Brown, Executive Producer and host of BLACK JOURNAL, returns to public television for his seventh season with an exciting new format of conversation, entertainment and an 18-piece band.

Why was the format changed

Many of Iowa residents may be asking why has the format been changed on Black Journal. In a telephone interview with Tony Brown, Executive Producer and host of Black Journal, The question was asked and he answered, "Do you have five minutes or five years."

There are reasons for the format being changed and to go into detail would take sometime. Black Journal was formally an

interview - information show. This season, it's seventh year, it has been changed to an entertainment style format.

The Educational Broadcasting Network is a national station and there are 246 stations in the states. Of those 246 only 42 bought Black Journal. IEBN was one of them. To produce Black Journal it cost \$500,000. With only 42 stations buying the show the remainder of the funds came from the Ford Foundation.

The interview - information format wasn't selling. "Instead of being emotional, I had to be rational and change the show," says Brown.

IEBN wants viewer response

Mark Douglas, a spokesman from IEBN, says that Black Journal cost approximately \$10,500 for thirteen programs. Educational stations have a choice of what programs they purchase. "Black Journal has always been an excellent show and received well by the viewers in Iowa. We'd be interested in a response as to how people like the new format of the show," says Douglas.

The show is still accomplishing what it did formally, but only in a different style says Brown. Hopefully, the change in format will cause more stations to buy it. "Can You Dig It" a new game show is scheduled to appear on Black Journal sometime in the near future. "It's just like any other game show the questions will be about the Afro-American experience," says Brown.

PLEASED WITH IOWANS SUPPORT

He is pleased with the support Iowans are giving the show. "If

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National News Briefs

Raleigh, N.C. — Marguerite Lightner, wife of Clarence Lightner, the first black mayor of Raleigh, N.C., was acquitted of a charge she conspired to receive and dispose of stolen goods. The jury deliberated less than two hours.

FT. HUACHUCA, AIRZ. — Planning continues for the June 12-14, 1975, reunion here of all troops who served at this Southeastern Arizona installation. The reunion will bring together veterans of well-known units stationed here, including former members of the primarily black 9th and 10th Cavalry regiments, the 24th and 25th Infantry regiments and the 92nd and 93rd Infantry division.

NOTRE DAME, IND. — Justice Thurgood Marshall of the U.S. Supreme Court will head a distinguished panel of jurists presiding during the 25th annual Moot Court competition of the University of Notre Dame's Law School. Final arguments at 8:00 p.m. February 1 in the Memorial Library Auditorium are open to the public.

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VIEWS and REVIEWS

by James B. Morris

Solving Inflation And Economic Ills Should Come First

Congress spent a lot of time during the last session investigating Watergate and campaign financing. It got results for many of those engaged in illegal dealings have been sent to prison or driven out of office.

The job consumed most of the early part of the session and little was done until two days before adjournment. The investigations could have been shortened. Everyday tended to drive a wedge between elements of our population.

Now Congress has set about to investigate the Counter Intelligence Agency and the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Of course, charges made against members of these organizations should be investigated not only for the purpose of determining what legislation is needed to prevent future illegal operations but also to put a stop to any that may be going on at this time. The investigation should not hand on indefinitely to satisfy the ego of some members of Congress and yet it should be thorough with no punches pulled. What is wrong now has already been committed.

It seems to me that stopping inflation and setting our economic house in order should be the paramount matter before Congress today. As important as these investigations seem, it appears to me that other items close to everyone should be looked after first.

Congress can give a tax cut but that will not lower the price of sugar and other items which have gone up two and three hundred percent. These necessities must be brought down where the product will be in line with what the average fellow earns.

After all most people should get relief from the inflation pinch. Talk about the possibility of foreign oil nations strangling the country and the use of force to prevent it, who is the public to turn to for relief from this strangulation that exists today. The government is the people and it should protect the people against the abuses of greedy corporations and individuals.

Criminal Code Revision Needs Close Scrutiny

The Iowa legislature is considering a complete overhaul of the Iowa Criminal Code. Like any other legislation, it has to be brought up to date from time to time in order to meet the changes in our American way of life.

The measure was considered in the last session but many legislators were opposed because they had little opportunity to study it particularly because of the technical matters of which most of them had little knowledge in the beginning. The legislative study committee has been studying and talking about revision for a long time and thus the measure should be in unusually good shape at this time. Of course there are many new members in this session and thus much of the grounds already covered must be gone over again.

Quoting from the Des Moines Sunday Register January 26th.

"The bill draft would allow police to break into a private home without first knocking if the officer believes the object of an arrest warrant is inside and might climb out a window if warned."

It is difficult to understand why anybody should propose such a law. First, it is unconstitutional on its face and would serve the purpose of some irresponsible envious officers to use their position to harass and abuse the public. There have been instances where this has been done over the years but since it generally involved some insignificant person nothing was done about it.

In view of the criticism police departments have suffered, especially in recent years, I don't see how responsible officers could support such a measure in that it would provide irresponsible officers a means of disgracing the whole department.

I cannot imagine any member of the legislature posing such a measure, otherwise it would demonstrate lack of understanding of law enforcement.

Des Moines Problems Can Be Solved Peacefully

I have said little about the committee which the Board of Education appointed to study how best to improve the school system and provide quality education for all its students.

I had hoped that the good people of Des Moines would support the committee and help the school board provide recommendations which would achieve its goal. I realize that any recommendation it might make would draw objections. This was to be expected, but I did hope that the good thinking people would support a thorough study of all the recommendations and that in due time evolve a workable program not in haste but "with all deliberate speed".

Opponents of the committee have gone to all kinds of gimmicks to distract the minds of the people and prevent an orderly investigation.

There are some who claim that Negroes are trying to force whites to love them. Rediculous. This is the old cliché that has bobbed up every time an effort has been made to provide the Negro full participation in civil rights under the constitution. Another foolish statement heard here and there is that you can't legislate morals or change the hearts of man by law.

With this I fully agree. But you can legislate against the dirty practices that arise as a result of prejudice against people on the basis of their race or religion. Those people do not know or refuse to recognize that every civil right the Negro enjoys has come about by law and not out of the hearts of prejudice people

Notable Blacks On Nat'l Health Agency

LOS ANGELES, Cal., ... Five distinguished members of the Black community today were elected to leadership posts in the Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA). Elections were held at the Century Plaza Hotel here during the national voluntary health agency's Annual Meeting. Elected to Corporate

Membership in the Association were Pearl Bailey, and Metropolitan Opera star Shirley Verrett. Also elected to MDA Corporate Membership was Frank J. Robinson, president of MDA's Southern Ohio Chapter. Corporate members serve as policy-makers for the Association and elect the Board

of Directors.

Elected as National Vice Presidents of the voluntary health agency were National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) executive director Roy Wilkins and Tony award-winning star Virginia Capers.

Sylvester L. "Pat" Weaver, Jr. was elected president of the national voluntary health agency. Mr. Weaver, nationally noted communications consultant and former president of the National Broadcasting Company, has served as first vice president of MDA since 1973. MDA president Henry M. Watts, Jr. retired after leading the organization for the past seven years. Mr. Watts, a Philadelphia stockbroker and former chairman of the Board of Governors of the New York Stock Exchange, will move into the newly-created position of chairman of the executive committee.

Jerry Lewis serves as National Chairman of the Association; Mrs. Gerald R. Ford is Honorary Chairman.

In his address to the Corporate Membership, Mr. Watts noted that there can be little doubt now that neuromuscular disease will ultimately be conquered. He said that "A major step in this direction has been accomplished with the establishment, during the past 18 months, of six neuromuscular disease research centers. These centers, located at five major medical complexes in this country, with a sixth at the University of London, represent the best hope yet for the answers we are seeking. Teams of scientists at each center employ a multi-disciplinary approach to study specific problem areas in neuromuscular disease. We hope soon to announce — perhaps before the close of the current fiscal year — the opening of several new centers at major universities in a further implementation of our center concept."

MDA maintains a network of free diagnostic and treatment clinics throughout the United States and in Puerto Rico and Guam. Fifteen new facilities were added in 1974, bringing to 145 the total of MDA clinics now in operation.

John J. Gardiner, a Philadelphia accountant, who was reelected treasurer of the agency, reported that, in MDA's most recent fiscal year, essential program activities — including research, patient and community services, and public health and professional education — absorbed 81.1% of the Association's national expenditures. Mr. Gardiner said that 14.5% was spent on fund raising and 4.4% on administration.



Atlanta, Georgia—John Lewis, VEP director, is awarded 1975 Martin Luther King, Jr. Nonviolent Peace Prize by Coretta Scott King. Present for the Ebenezer Church observance of Dr. King's birthday were Atlanta Mayor Maynard Jackson (l) and The Rev. Theodore Hesburgh (r.) (Photo by David Lamothe)

MLK Nonviolent Peace Prize

Atlanta, Georgia — John Leis, Executive Director of the nonpartisan Voter Education Project, was the 1975 recipient of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Nonviolent Peace Prize.

Coretta Scott King, who made the award on behalf of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Center for Social Change, described the Peace Prize as the Center's highest award. In her presentation, Mrs. King honored John Lewis as "one of the great nonviolent leaders of our times." "We feel that this man exemplifies the life, the teachings, and the contributions of Martin Luther King, Jr. and certainly has brought about in his efforts the kind of nonviolent social changes in our society that have moved us forward and will continue to move us toward the dream," stated Mrs. King. "This young man is a very humble man, a deeply committed man, and a man whom I respect, admire, and love very deeply."

The Martin Luther King, Jr. Peace Prize includes a contribution of \$1,000, an engraved citation, and a bust of the late Dr. King. The two previous recipients of the award have been Georgia Congressman Andrew Young and Cesar Chavez, leader of the United Farm Workers.

John Lewis accepted the award "on behalf of the hundreds and thousands of

people who participated and struggled in the civil rights movement." He stated, "I recognize the fact that it is not just a tribute or an honor for me, but because of the movement that Martin Luther King, Jr. led and that I have been a part of for the last few years."

Lewis was an organizer of the first sit-ins at segregated lunch counters and has participated in most major civil rights efforts since that time. He was in the original Freedom Ride of 1961 and, in 1963, addressed the March on Washington. A leader of the first Selma-to-Montgomery march, Lewis was hospitalized with a fractured skull in the efforts which won the 1965 Voting Rights Act. As a practitioner of nonviolent direct action for civil rights, Lewis has been arrested forty times and subjected to more brutal beating than any other civil rights leader. He currently directs the Voter Education Project programs to advance minority political participation, which he sees as a continuation of the civil rights struggles of the 1950s and 1960s.

"I am deeply moved and I hope that in the days, months, and years to come I will be worthy of this honor," Lewis concluded. "As Dr. King said so many times, 'We've come a distance, but we still have a distance to go.'"

voluntarily. True, it would be beautiful to educate people out of these attitudes but no one living today would see that day come.

These people do not realize that their efforts produce hatred and divisiveness in the community as was done in Boston or other cities by some who hope to govern by mob action. The law is against them. It will be true here, so why not work together to make Des Moines an exception to those communities that have tried to achieve their objectives by employing useless illegal methods.

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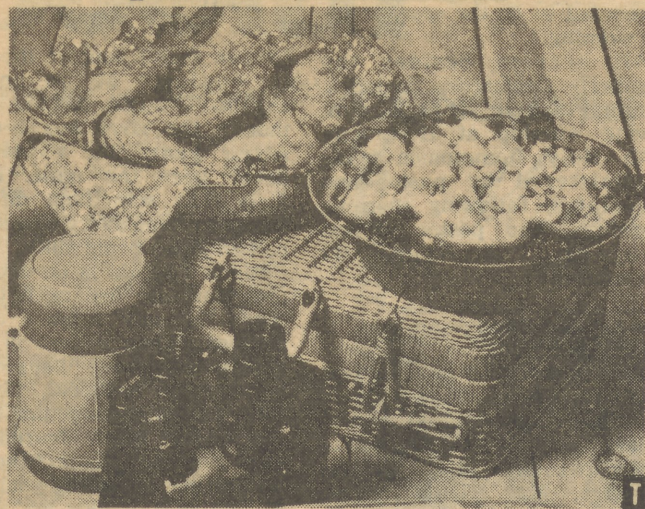
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The Black Press believes that America can best lead the world away from racial and national antagonisms when it accords to every man regardless of race, color or creed, his human and legal rights.

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

Cook's Nook



Whether the bird watching, or counting, expedition is official or just a hobby, hearty refreshments are in order. Rising early and tramping in the woods are guaranteed appetite stimulants. If the weather is cold, it's hard to beat hot soup. Regardless of the weather, crisp fried chicken and potato salad are perfect. Carry the soup in a vacuum bottle, the fried chicken and potato salad in an insulated container.

OLD FASHIONED POTATO SALAD

- 2 pounds cooked, cubed potatoes (6 medium)
- 3 hard cooked eggs, chopped
- 1 cup chopped onion
- 1 cup chopped celery
- 2 tablespoons chopped parsley
- 1/2 cup corn oil
- 1/4 cup tarragon vinegar
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 1 teaspoon sugar
- 1/4 teaspoon paprika
- 3/4 cup Hellmann's or Best Foods real mayonnaise
- Green pepper, cut in rings (optional)

In large bowl mix together potatoes, egg, onion, celery and parsley. Stir together corn oil, vinegar, salt, sugar and paprika; toss lightly with vegetables. Cover and chill at least 2 hours. Just before packing, toss with real mayonnaise. Garnish with green pepper rings, if desired. Makes 8 (3/4 cup) servings.

Veterans May Be Eligible For New Loan

Veterans in Iowa, whose GI home loans have been paid in full, are potentially eligible for new loans guaranteed by the Veterans Administration (VA).

Legislation approved by President Ford on Dec. 31, 1974, will make new loans possible for 4-1/2 million veterans across the nation, according to Robert L. Winters, Director, VA Regional Office, Des Moines. These are veterans who now have loans outstanding after their current GI loan is paid off and the home purchased with it has been sold.

Winters said that the broadened eligibility rules apply to all veterans who have served since the beginning of World War II. He said the recent legislation follows a trend of relaxing eligibility for the VA guaranteed loans set by Congress over the past decade and the changes reflect the continued good credit record set by veteran borrowers.

Other provisions of the law designed to make GI loans more attractive to both lenders and borrowers are:

- / An increase from \$12,500 to \$17,500 in the maximum portion of a GI loan which VA can guarantee. There is no limit on the amount of the loan to which the VA guarantee applies.

- / A provision for loans to purchase lots on which to place mobile home units already owned by veterans.

- / An increase in the maximum permissible loan amount for a single width mobile home unit to \$12,500 and double wide to \$20,00.

- / Removal of the July 1, 1975, delimiting date for guaranteeing loans on mobile homes and mobile home lots.

- / Liberalizing rules for guarantee loans on used mobile homes.

- / Streamlining processing of loan approvals through VA-approved lenders.

- / Broadened possibilities on guaranteeing loans on one-family condominiums by removing link to HUD

insurance.

The new law also closed out VA's farm and business loan program, he said.

Winters said the maximum grant to certain disabled veterans in need of special housing was also increased from \$17,500 to \$25,000 by the December 31 law.

"Cannonball"-He Finally Gets A Speaking Role

Although Julian "Cannonball" Adderley has appeared in several motion pictures, he gets his first speaking role in "Battle Hymn," an episode of the ABC Television Network's "Kung Fu" airing **SATURDAY, FEB. 8** (8:00-9:00 p.m., EST).

"Sure, I've been in a few other films before, Adderley said while on the "Kung Fu" set. "But in the past I've always been just a musician playing my saxophone."

In the episode, "Cannonball" plays an itinerant musician, a major role with lots of dialogue. "Who knows," he added, "this just might open some doors for me. In fact, I've already been contacted about doing another part."

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Fish and Cheese Sandwich
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THURSDAY

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French Bread
Orange Juice Gelatin
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FRIDAY

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Hash Brown Potatoes
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John Wakeland and Juan Valenzuela will teach dance movement at Edmond's Ele. School Feb. 3-13.

Movement Education

At Edmonds

Juan Valenzuela assisted by John Wakeland will be the second dance movement specialist of the Artists-In-Schools program at Edmonds Elementary School, February 3-13. He will stress the inter-relationship teaching of dance movement to academic subjects.

Mr. Valenzuela was born in Mexico of Spanish and Aztec Indian parents. He has performed in opera, musicals, TV, and the concert stage. He has taught at the University of

Utah, Oakland Recreation Department, Stanford University, Santa Fe Headstart program, and is presently teaching at the Institute of American Indian Arts in Santa Fe, New Mexico. He was recipient of a first prize award for his manuscript of "I Am Magic" from the Council of Interracial Books for Children in New York.

You are invited to observe all classes and to participate in the teacher sessions. Please call 243-1174 if you plan to visit or participate.

Richman

Gordman Contest

January 30 and 31st are the dates to submit entries in Richman Gordman's plastic model building contest, which is open to entrants in three age categories: Class A, 16 and over; Class B, 11 to 15; Class C, up to ten.

Models will be judged Saturday, February 1st by Bob Minor, president of the Des Moines chapter of the Plastic Modelers Association and Clifton Rooney, art instructor at Franklin Junior High School.

Trophies will be awarded to first, second and third place winners, with certificates of merit going to all entrants.

Models will be judged on neatness, detail and originality.

Entry blanks are available at the Richman Gordman department stores, 79th and Hickman Road and 2590 Hubbell Avenue.

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Y.P.W.W. 7 P.M.
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Tuesday Prayer and Bible Study 8 P.M.
Thursday Consecration and Healing 8 P.M.

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ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The Rev. Robert G. Clay will preach another soul-stirring sermon, on Sunday morning at 10:45 a.m. All Choirs will sing on this Communion Sunday.

On Monday evening at 7:30 p.m. the Official Board meets at the church on the lower level. All officers should be present.

The St. Paul A.M.E. Church Layman's Organization has scheduled its Annual Founder's Day Banquet for Friday, February 14th, in the church Dining area at 6:30 p.m. This is a once-a-year effort by all the lay people of the church, to further enhance the beauty of our wonderful Constitution and By-Laws of the Layman's Organization.

A celebrated speaker will hold your interest while you enjoy a delightful musical program and delicious dinner. See you there?

KYLES A.M.E. ZION CHURCH NEWS

Sunday morning services February 2, will begin at 10:45 a.m., with Choir Devotions by the Senior Choir. There will be testimonials during worship, after which Pastor, Rev. Joseph H. Jones will deliver the morning message. Holy Communion will be served.

Union Baptist Church Choir will be in Concert in the afternoon at 3:30 p.m. Plan to come and listen to their message in song. Program is being sponsored by the Senior Choir. Ruth Lloyd, Pres.

Date to remember... Sunday, Feb. 9th — 3:30 p.m. — "MUSICAL" Featuring local Soloists, and The Calvary Church Of God Choir... Bake Sale will be in the lower level immediately following the 11:00 a.m. services, Feb. 9th.

MT. HEBRON BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

On Feb. 2, at 11:00 a.m. service, the Pastor will serve Holy Communion. There will also be a program at 4:00 p.m. for the Pastor's Anniversary. Rev. J. L. Ingram will be the speaker, and a guest choir will

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Maple Street Baptist Church
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266-8910
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Sunday morning worship 11:00 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class 6:30 A.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wed. 8:00 P.M.

furnish the music. We are asking all members to come support this program for our pastor and his wife.

Prayer service is Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m.

MESSIAH TEMPLE CHURCH NEWS

Messiah Temple was blessed to hear Rev. Carlotta Turner speak on, "Getting Off the Beam." Just as a pilot must stay on the radar beam to make a safe landing, we must stay on the beam of God's will. We stray from God's will thru our anger, selfishness, pride, impatience, etc. Only by staying in God's will can we rightfully expect to make a safe landing in heaven.

Sunday school is at 10:30 with services at 11:30. Life of Christ is every Sunday at 7:00 p.m. Prayer meeting is Friday at 7:30 p.m. Mission meets this Saturday at 3:00 p.m.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, Feb. 2, Reverend Parrish will deliver a "Communion Sermon." Communion will be served. The Combined Choirs will render the music.

On Sunday, Feb. 2, at 4:00 PM, the Reverend Albert N. Fox is being presented in a recital. The Combined Choirs along with other soloist will also be on the program. The public is cordially invited to attend. Dea. Tommie Calhoun, Program Chairman.

Sunday, Feb. 16, we will observe our "Annual Choir Day". Various choirs of the city will be on the program. We are planning a big musical extravaganza that you won't want to miss. Ruth Brown, Chairman, Rose Edmonds, Co-Chairman.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

Bethel will hold its third Quarterly Conference on Sunday February 9, 1975 with the opening scheduled for 3:30 p.m. Reverend Richard D. Smith, presiding of the Des Moines — Quincy district will preside. St. Paul African Methodist Episcopal Church will also hold its third Quarterly conference

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The Life of Christ 7 p.m.
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Reg. Services 11:30 am
Tues. Services 7:00 pm
Fri. Family Nite 7:00 pm

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Harding & University
Father Jim Kiernan
Father Gene Cunningham
Eucharistic Celebration
Sat. 5:30 pm
Sun. 8:00 am
10:00 am
11:30 am
Weekdays 6:30 pm
8:00 pm
Confession, Sat. & after 5:30 Eucharist. 3-5 pm

ST. JOHN BAPTIST CHURCH
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Rev. Phil Tindrell
Church School 10:00 am
Morning Worship 11:00 am
Youth Fellowship 6:30 pm
Evening Worship 7:00 pm
Wednesday Prayer Service 7:00 pm
Pastor phone 266-5755

jointly with Bethel and the Reverend Robert G. Clay is scheduled to be the speaker for the evening.

All service besides the Quarterly Conference, includes, Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Divine worship at 11:00 a.m. with Holy Communion being administered by pastor and associates following morning worship. The pastor sermon subject, "A Night Of Accounting"

Our Saviour Baptist CHURCH NEWS

Next Sunday at 4 p.m. Our Saviour's Baptist Mission Circle will have a program. Guest speaker will be Ms. Lillie Mae Siegh, president of the Central District, Ms. Sarah Coates, Mission president, Rev. T. R. Brown, pastor.

Church business meeting will be held Friday at 6:00 p.m. All members are urged to attend.

Famous Black Americans On TV Trays

ATLANTA, GEORGIA, JANUARY 24, 1975 — Coca-Cola USA and participating Bottlers of Coca-Cola will feature eight famous Black Americans on special TV serving trays in commemoration of National Black History Week February 9-16, 1975. The trays will be available from January 27 through March 1, 1975.

Each set of two sepia-tone trays features illustrations by Black artist Calvin Jones, of Chicago, Illinois. Trays will be offered to consumers through the mail or locally by participating Bottlers of Coca-Cola. Each tray has a montage illustration of famous Black leaders who have contributed much to the culture and history of the United States and Black people.

Each set comes with thumbnail sketch of the famous Black Americans and their contributions to the development of Black history. One of the trays features the likeness of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., leading a civil rights march; Mary McLeod Bethune in the pathway of her college to higher learning for Blacks; Frederick Douglass, the great orator, lecturing and speaking out for freedom; and Harriet Tubman leading slaves to freedom through the Underground Railroad. The other tray has a montage of Mahalia Jackson singing songs of inspiration; George Washington Carver as a scientist who developed hundreds of uses for peanuts and other products; Sojourner Truth, lecturing for racial equality and human rights; Whitney M. Young, Jr. as an activist for upward economic mobility.

The trays were developed by Coca-Cola USA in cooperation with Burrell Advertising, Inc. They can serve as a permanent reminder of a proud heritage.

Charles H. Boone, manager, Special Markets for Coca-Cola USA, said that the Company's efforts in highlighting the development of Black history through the illustrations on the

Iowans didn't support the show it wouldn't be on another season," says Brown. Even though the show has been on seven years the format has never been the same. Brown feels that something different has been done every season with no two years being alike.

Black Journal is an excellent program and believe it or not there is only a staff of six persons. When a show is being produced more people are brought in technical, lighting, setting, design directors etc. If you enjoy Black Journal and want it to stay, support the show by writing or calling your local Educational Station and letting them know your feelings.

trays "is one example of the Company's continuous participation in the observance of National Black History Week." "For many years now, the Company has developed programs highlighting Black history and the significant contributions made by the Black community to the American way of life. Last year, the Company offered Black American, an Illustrated History Book, a narrative on the Black man's role in the shaping of American history," Mr. Boone added.

Mr. Boone said, "This year, I am especially proud of the selection of these particular eight Black leaders. Their accomplishments focus attention on the outstanding achievements of Blacks and the development of our culture. Dr. King, a Nobel Peace Prize winner, Mahalia Jackson, touching the lives of many through songs, and George Washington Carver whose findings were published by the U.S. Department of Agriculture to aid farmers everywhere; all serve as beacons lighting the way. They are great human symbols and we feel their likeness will serve as a reminder of strength, courage and progress. The faces of these leaders should inspire us to reflect on the resourcefulness of the Black community and on the hopes we share for shaping the future of America."

The trays are offered for \$4.95 per set with the purchase of Coca-Cola from participating stores, or they may be obtained through mail in order forms in EBONY and JET Magazines or local newspapers. The trays are 13½x18¾" and stand 24" from the floor.

Redemption requires proof-of-purchase and will be made through July 31, 1975 or until supply is exhausted. Postage and handling will be \$1.00 extra for mail-in orders. Customers will hear about the trays through newspaper and radio ads, and point-of-purchase displays at the retail outlets where they purchase Coke.

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"Dinner Is Served"

The Elizabeth Tolliver Missionary Society of Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church, will serve their annual "Rainbow Dinner" immediately after you leave church Sunday, February 9, 1975, at Bethel A.M.E. Church, 1528 East University.

Start planning now to attend with your family and friends.

There is no need to go home and cook, when all you have to do is leave your Church, walk into the fellowship hall of our church and take a seat and be served food, well prepared and hot. With Missionary ladies waiting to serve it to you, with love, patients and kindness. See you at DINNER.

Donations Adults \$2.00 and Children \$1.00.

Red Circle Girls

The Jr. Red Circle girls of Corinthian Baptist Church met Saturday, Jan. 18, 1975, at the home of Mrs. Mildred Otis, the counselor. Plans were made for the years program. The girls were fitted in their new uniforms made by Mrs. Otis.

A tasty turkey dinner with all the trimmings was served by the hostess. After which a slumber party was held with games, cookie making, and corn popping. All attended church Sunday with Mrs. Otis. Those present were Lorie Young, Arnesta Manson, Kristie Riddle, Beth Connor and Zina Cheatom.

The next meeting will be with Zina Cheatom on Feb. 11, 1975.

Elk News

The Hawkeye Lodge No. 160 will meet Sunday, Jan. 26, at 2:00 p.m. with the Charity Club. Rose Temple No. 33 will meet at 4:00 p.m.

If you would like a change of pace in entertainment come Thursday evening at 7:00 p.m. and be ready for the "take off" at 7:30. You could be pleasantly surprised.

Model City Branch Library

On Saturday, February 8, 1975, at 10:30 a.m. Model Cities Library will sponsor a program "Send a Valentine to your favorite black author." This will consist of constructing, writing and sending valentines to authors picked from a compiled list. The library staff will mail the cards. Returned letters will be on display in the library. For further information call 282-2124.

Heinz Recalls Baby Cereals- Refund Purchase Price

PITTSBURGH, PA—Heinz U.S.A., division of the H. J. Heinz Company, has announced that as a precaution it is voluntarily recalling all boxes of its instant dry baby cereal.

The company said it is taking this action because a thorough investigation indicated that small metal fragments found last week in two boxes of the cereal could have been introduced during the manufacturing process.

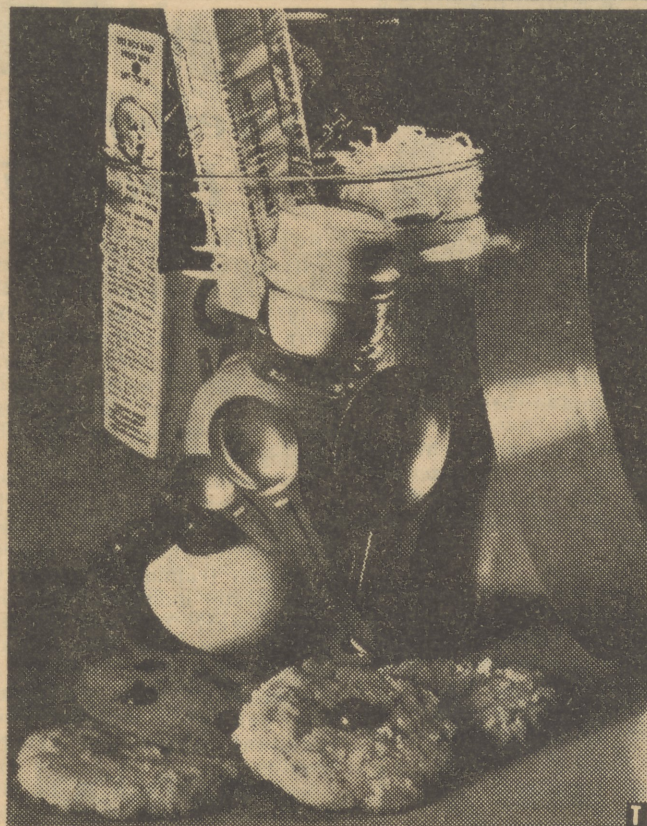
Products involved are Instant Rice Cereal, Instant Barley Cereal, Instant Oatmeal Cereal, Instant Mixed Cereal, and Instant High Protein Cereal. All are dry cereal products produced only at the company's Pittsburgh factory. No other Heinz baby food products are affected.

In announcing the recall, Raymond F. Good, president of Heinz U.S.A., said, "We are

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CEREAL POWERED COOKIES

Breakfast cereals are a nutrition bargain. For pennies a serving they provide significant percentages of the minimum daily requirements of iron, calcium, B Vitamins plus minerals and protein.

Since a bargain is only a bargain when it's used, use enriching cereals in recipes throughout the day. For instance, send the children off or greet them after school with these cookies made with 4 ounces of Quick CREAM OF WHEAT Cereal. Just 1 ounce of this cereal provides more than the established minimum daily requirement of iron.

COCONUT LEMON COOKIES

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| 2/3 cup butter or margarine, softened | 1 1/4 cups all-purpose flour |
| 1/2 cup granulated sugar | 1 teaspoon baking powder |
| 1 egg | 1/4 teaspoon baking soda |
| 1 1/2 teaspoons grated lemon rind | 1/4 teaspoon salt |
| 1/2 cup Quick CREAM OF WHEAT Cereal | 3/4 cup flaked coconut |
| | Confectioners' sugar |
| | Candied cherries or pineapple |

Beat butter or margarine, sugar and egg until fluffy. Stir in lemon rind and CREAM OF WHEAT Cereal. Sift the next four ingredients together and add. Stir in coconut. Roll into 1-inch balls and place on greased cookie sheets, 1 1/2 inches apart. Flatten with bottom of a glass dipped in confectioners' sugar. Press pieces of candied cherries or pineapple into center of each cookie and bake in a preheated moderate oven (350°F.) for 10 to 12 minutes or until edges are golden brown. Makes about 3 dozen (2 1/2 inch) cookies.

CHOCOLATE CHIP LEMON COOKIES

Substitute 1/2 cup semi-sweet chocolate chips for coconut.

Tolson's Family Reunion



From left to right: H. R. Fields, Arthur Tolson, Lora Warden and Rev. George Parrish.

The Ninety-third Family Reunion of the Late Colonel Green Tolson and Mollie Belle Tolson was held on New Year's Day at the Logan Opportunity Center, 1725 E. University Avenue.

Mother and Father Tolson are deceased for over 50 years now. Their children and their families have faithfully carried on the tradition through the years. Arthur Tolson and Lora Tolson, Warden are the last two surviving children out of ten.

This Family Reunion began when the eldest Son, Elmer was one year of age and on the Father's birthday which was New Year's Day. Colonel and Mollie Tolson were devoted Christians and they decided to set this day aside to give each of their children back to God with praise and thankfulness. We children are very grateful and proud of our parents thoughtfulness. We feel that some of our relatives have inspired and will continue the reunion. We are especially glad that some members of the family have been faithful and loyal in attending.

Each year the Reunion begins with Devotional Services. This year Brother Arthur Tolson read the entire 4th chapter of Proverb and Sister Lora Tolson, Warden prayed the first prayer. During the Service, relatives and others present are urged to participate with testimonial, song and prayers. After having a glorious time praising the Lord and elegant dinner was served.

There were approximately 45 children and young adults, Pastors and Friends present. Some of our friends have been with us for years. Relatives present this year were: Eleanor Tolson, Lola Jones, Helen Dukes, Vera Rowland, Gertrude Madison, Elsie Robinson, Elton Warden, Elmer Tolson, Jr. and Russell Crawford. Pastors present were Rev. & Mrs. H.R. Fields, Rev. Albert Fox, Rev. & Mrs. Thomas Pack, Rev. & Mrs. George Parrish and Rev. & Mrs. Willie Bumpus and Rev. Henry Simmons and his family. Friends present were Mr. & Mrs. Hurley Wyatt, Mr. & Mrs. Sexton Dudley, Mrs. Ruby Cooper, Mrs. Beatrice DeVan and Mr. & Mrs. L. B. Weston and Mrs. Lucy Willis and granddaughter, Mrs. Maxciel Clinton, Willie Smith and Roy Moss, etc.

This Reunion has been a guide line for us and we are hoping this will encourage other families to pray together and stay together.

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Lincoln Aux.

Lincoln Aux. 126 will have a meeting Feb. 4, at Lincoln Aux. 126 Hall, 1625 Washington at 8:00 p.m.

SOCIALITE QUEENS

The Socialite Queens met with Mrs. Emma Williamson as hostess and Martha Wheels as co-hostess. Next meeting will be Feb. 8, with Mrs. Ellen Burrell. We will have election of officers. The president wishes all members to please be present. Pres. Mrs. Barbara Palmer, Sec. Mrs. Ellen Burrell.

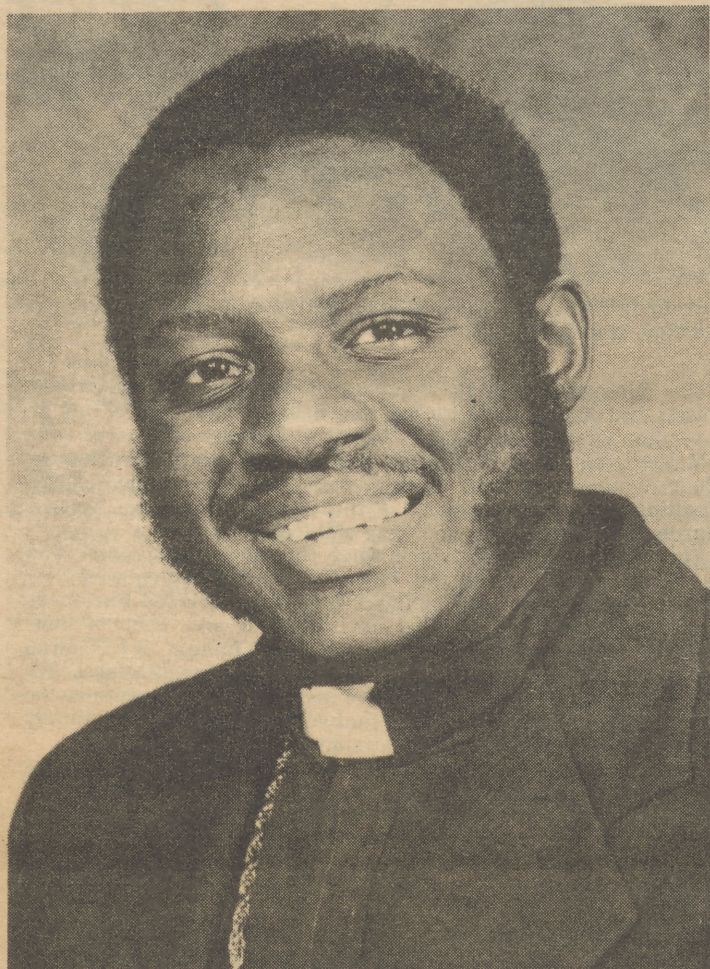
=Who's Who=

in Des Moines

A Young Man

"Doing His Thing"

With God



Rev. Andrew E. Johnson

A YOUNG MAN "DOING HIS THING" WITH GOD

It is very rare to find a young man who has dedicated his life to the Lord. Rev. Andrew E. Johnson, pastor of New Bethany Church of God in Christ, has done so.

STARRED IN FOOTBALL AT TECH HIGH

Rev. Johnson was born in St. Joseph, Mo. and in 1959 he moved to Des Moines from Omaha, Nebraska. He attended Tech High School here in Des Moines where he starred in football, basketball and track. In 1962 Rev. Johnson graduated from Tech and began working at Armstrong Tire & Rubber Co.

While working at Armstrong's some friends urged him to go to college and he enrolled at Grand View Jr. College. There, he made the basketball team and was doing a terrific job both on the team and in his studies. All the while Rev. Johnson was in school he worked a full shift at Armstrong, studied, played basketball, worked faithfully in his church and he had recently gotten married. Having too many irons in the fire he and his wife, Pearl G. Martin, decided that he had to stop somewhere so he left school losing the

possibility of playing professional basketball if he had continued.

CALLED TO THE MINISTRY

In 1967, Rev. Johnson was called into the ministry. September of 1974, he was ordained into the ministry. The Lord has blessed him with his own church at 800 Des Moines St. Rev. Johnson has a community choir and by the end of this month his first album will be released.

Rev. Johnson and his wife, Pearl, have four children: Andrew Jr., Eleesa, Martin and Teri. With a background of religious living from childhood up, and with parents of whom were very blessed of the Lord in this field, he has a mind and soul intentions to be a blessing to Des Moines. "I love the Lord and working with young people as well as working with the older adults of our churches and city, I hope to close the generation gap if one exist between the old and young in the church. My ambition is to be a true Christian in my home, on my job and everywhere I go to bring older and younger people closer together and let them know that God loves them and he cares."

High Blood Pressure In Children

High blood pressure is a problem for children as well as adults, and by age two or three youngsters should receive yearly blood pressure checks, according to a Cincinnati pediatrician.

Studies indicate that between one and 11 percent of all children and adolescents have high blood pressure, according

to Jennifer Loggie, MD, Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Pharmacology at Cincinnati Children's Hospital.

These children can be treated with smaller dosages of the same drugs that adults use, she said. Diets don't need to be restricted unless a child is fat, has kidney disease or consumes large amounts of salt, she added.

Firm Gets FAA Contract

The Federal Aviation Administration of the U.S. Department of Transportation has awarded a \$1,035,762 equipment contract to Soncraft, Inc., a Chicago-based minority business firm.

Under the contract, the firm will provide 150 transmissometer calibrators for use in support of the FAA's Runway Visual Range (RVR) system maintained at most air carrier airports.

The transmissometer is the key element in the RVR system, which measures horizontal visibility along a runway. It is essentially a photoelectric device which records the effects of rain, snow, fog, dust, smoke and other atmospheric conditions on visibility and presents this information to controllers for broadcast to pilots.

The calibrators being furnished by Soncraft under the contract will assure the RVR system produces accurate readings.

The contract award was made in conjunction with the Small Business Administration pursuant to Section 8 (a) of the Small Business Act.

The calibrators will be delivered over a one-year period.

Name-Number Mismatches

Des Moines — The Internal Revenue Service in cooperation with the Social Security Administration is making a nationwide effort to correct and update some Social Security number files for income tax purposes.

James T. Tideoutte, IRS District Director for Iowa, indicated that the IRS will send questionnaires to Iowa residents if a spouse's social security number is not shown on the income tax return or the number does not agree with the name of the agency's records.

Updating of the Social Security files will help ensure that spouses receive credit for making estimated and other tax payments, and for having filed a tax return.

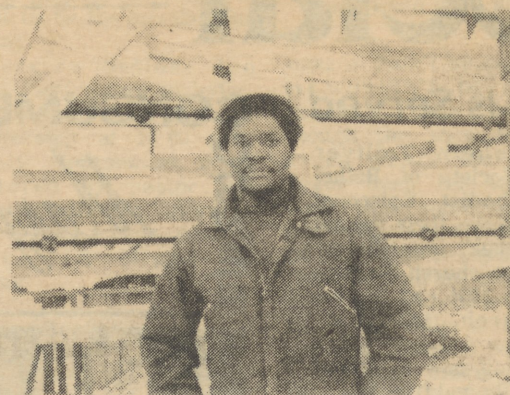
"Although a taxpayer may receive a questionnaire," Tideoutte said, "it will not slow processing of the return or delay any refund due. We are simply trying to validate all social security numbers which are used to identify tax accounts. 'Of course,' he added, 'providing this information on your tax return when you file it will eliminate the need for a questionnaire.'"

Many name-number mismatches occur because women who obtained social security numbers before marriage did not report the change from their maiden to married names to the Social Security Administration but used their married names on tax returns.

Recipients should not attach social security cards or other official documents to validate the information submitted on questionnaires.

"By providing the information requested on the questionnaire," the Director said, "taxpayers and their spouses can also avoid potential problems at a later date when they apply for social security benefits."

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Sylvester Smith Electrician Apprentice

Sylvester Smith, made application to become an apprentice electrician in the fall of 1973 and was accepted by their Joint Apprenticeship Training Committee in May, 1974. He started work for Keith Electric Company, 2216 Valley Drive, Des Moines and is still working for them.

The Electricians' JATC keeps a detailed record of each apprentice in regards to his work achievement and related classroom training. The record for Sylvester indicates that he is doing well in both. After completing his four year apprenticeship he will be a competent electrical craftsman who can work anywhere for excellent wages and fringe benefits.

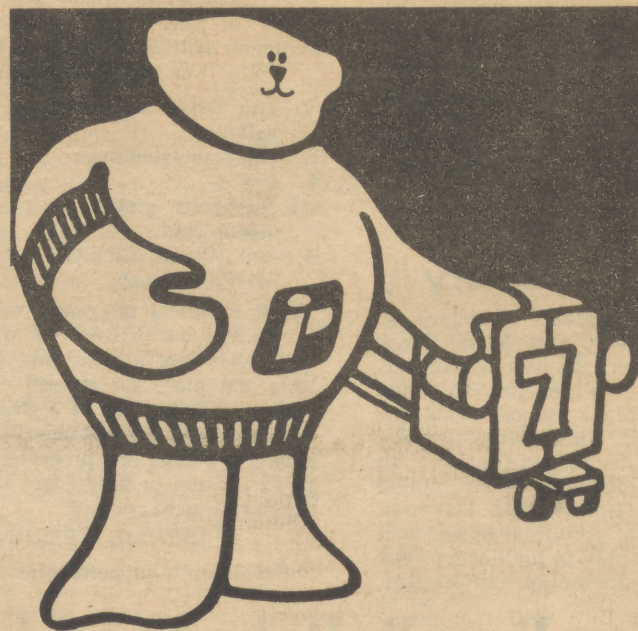
Sylvester was born in Wynnewood, Oklahoma and graduated in 1970 from Wynnewood High School. He then moved to Topeka, Kansas and worked in a Sheet Metal Shop. He came to Des Moines and worked for Jensen Construction Company before applying for the electrician

apprenticeship program. Sylvester, his wife Mary Ellen, and their four children live at 1340 Clark Street in Des Moines.

When interviewed on the Solid Waste Recovery System job at Ames, Iowa, Sylvester said, "Keith Electric is a good company to work for. They do all they can to see to it that an apprentice gets the proper training to become a good journeyman craftsman."

Anyone interested in becoming an apprentice in the construction industry should contact the Des Moines Area Apprenticeship Outreach Program, 1223 Sixth Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa.

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For Black Students:

January Grad. Expresses Mixed Feelings About Leaving Roosevelt

By Pamela Spencer

During this time of year, many seniors are making preparations for the future. There are seniors who will be experiencing adulthood, maybe sooner than their classmates. These seniors will be graduating this month.

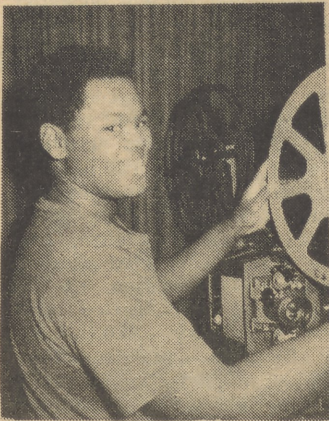
Cathy Jones is classified as a January graduate. Nevertheless she will be included in the Line of March in June, with the rest of her classmates, at Veterans Auditorium. After graduation, she plans on continuing to work at the American Republic Insurance Company, on a full time basis. Cathy feels that now that she is leaving Roosevelt, this will give her more work experience.

Graduating early has its

advantages as well as disadvantages. Cathy feels one advantage she has is working now. That way when she starts school at the University of Iowa, in Iowa City, she won't have to work then.

One disadvantage is leaving all of her friends behind at Roosevelt. But Cathy plans on seeing them even though she is not attending school.

Leaving Roosevelt right now, gives Cathy a great pleasure, but in time she knows she will miss it. Cathy remarked, "When I have an opportunity to do something that I want to do, then I will try to do it. I had a chance to graduate early, so that is what I did."



Rick Thomas, 1711 13th St., is the projectionist for the "Civilization" film series now being shown at the East Side Branch of the Public Library, Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. Rick is a Sophomore at Tech High School.

"My People-My Self"

"My People, My Self", a unique black theatre presentation, featuring black poetry between 1965 and 1970, will be presented at 8 p.m. Jan. 30 and Feb. 2 and at 6 and 9 p.m. Jan. 31 and Feb. 1 in the Studio Theatre of the Black Performing Arts Center at Simpson College.

Lois McQuire, executive director of the Karamu Theatre in Cleveland, Ohio, is directing the presentation. She is artist in residence at Simpson and is teaching an interim course in Black Theatre.

The title of the show is stolen from Ed Spriggs, who has a Studio in Harlem. "It is hoped that through this performance people will have some insight into black poetry," says Lois. She feels that the nature of the literature provides a nice vehicle into the feeling that should be elicited from the poetry. There will be songs, music and movement used as a background for the poems.

There are a total of 66 poems used in the show. The poems are

from many different poets, however, the majority of the poems are those of Nikki Giovanni, Don L. Lee and Mari Evans. The poems will include subjects such as economics, politics, what is soul, manhood, womanhood and a look at some of the heroes and heroines in music.

Tickets are \$1.25 for persons age 12 and younger and \$1.75 for others. Advance reservations may be made through the college's theatre box office.

The members of the cast are: Shelton Johnson, Lavern Hatchett, Lois Davis, Wanda Brownlee, Janice Robinson, Debbie Posey, Cecilia McQuay, Patricia Booker, Larry Johnson, William Carr, Kurt Dotson, Russell Romeo, Larry Gumbs, Denise Garrett, Cathy White, Tension Scott and Wm. White.

Assisting Ms. McQuire are two staff members in Theatre Arts Speech at Simpson, they are Marla Nedelman, Setting and Lighting, Design, Technical Dir. and Pat Graber, Costume Designer.

"Action" Jackson Joins Navy



William Jackson

William (ACTION) Jackson, son of Mrs. Donna Jackson of 1729 Walker Street, is taking the oath of enlistment from LTJG Wendell Hisle. Billy recently enlisted in the Navy's 270 Day Delay Program. After graduation from East High School Billy will report to the recruit training command, Great Lakes, Illinois for nine

weeks of basic training. After basic training, Billy will take a two week vacation before reporting to the class "A" Radioman School, San Diego, Calif. Billy was guaranteed the job of radioman before he took the oath of enlistment. For further information about radioman or other jobs, contact Chuck Andrews at 284-4149.

Dental Hygiene Students Capped

The first 12 students enrolled in a dental hygiene program in a community college in Iowa will be capped in ceremonies at Des Moines Area Community College February 2, at 2 p.m. in the auditorium on the Ankeny Campus.

Capping marks the period in the program that students begin to work with patients.

Austa White, Plainfield, Ia., president of the American Dental Hygienist Association, will be guest speaker. Other participants in the ceremony will be Milfred Rosendahl,

consultant, health occupations education, University of Iowa; Carroll Bennett, director, career education, DMACC; Barbara Johanningsmeier, chairman of the dental hygiene program and instructors Leone Young and Mavis Jugenheimer.

The public is welcome.

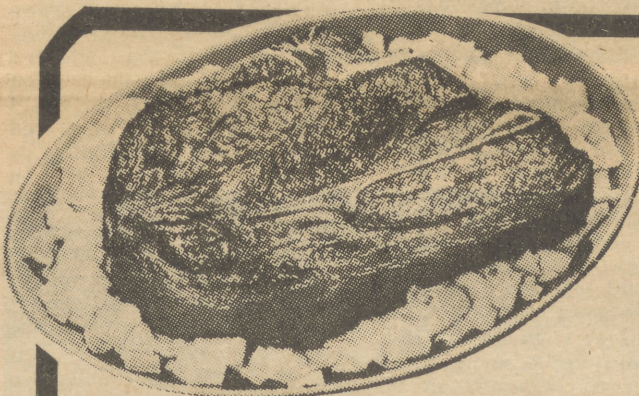
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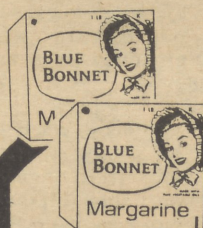
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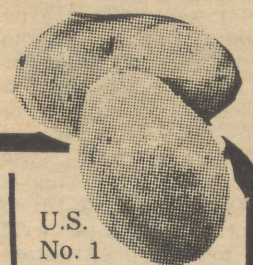
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Iowa Civil Rights Commission Compliance Division

This is the second of a series of articles concerning the organization, and operation of the Iowa Civil Rights Commission which deals with the Compliance provision. Next week, the article will deal with the Procedure of Filing Complaints.

Articles

The initial article which was prepared on the Iowa Civil Rights Commission provided an overview of the Commission's programs and activities. As you will recall the Commission has three (3) divisions; Affirmative Action, the Compliance, and Education/Staff Development. This article will provide more specific information on the Compliance Division.

Personnel

The Compliance Division is the regulatory component of the Commission. The personnel in this division are paid both through State and Federal funds. The Labor Union Project Director, the Patterns and Practices Project Director, the Discharge Project Director and one investigator and three (3) clerical staff members are paid with Federal funds. There are nine (9) staff members in the compliance component who are paid from State funds. This group is composed of the Compliance Director, three (3) Field Representatives, three (3) Civil Rights Aides and two (2) clerical staff members. The following staff members compose the Compliance Division of the Iowa Civil Rights Commission: Michael Bailey, Compliance Director; Vernell Jackson, Field Representative; Angel Cardona, Field Representative; Arthur Galbreath, Jr., Field Representative; Velva Coleman, Civil Rights Aide; Judy Waterstradt, Civil Rights Aide; Dan Meyers, Civil Rights Aide; Leo Karn, Labor Union Project Director; Michael Murray, Discharge Project Director; Terrence Dolphin, Patterns & Practices Project Director; Frank Thomas, Field Representative; Elda Elliott, Secretary I; Lorene Hawkins, Secretary I; Velora Vertz, Secretary I; JoAnn Bragg, Clerk Typist III; and Margaret Holm, Clerk Typist III. Each of the aforementioned individuals plays an integral part in the processing of complaints which have been filed with the Iowa Civil Rights Commission. The Compliance Director and the Discharge Project Director perform a supervisory role in complaint investigation and are responsible for conciliating all cases in which probable cause has been found. Both individuals maintain liaison with the Office of the Iowa Attorney General and the person of Assistant Attorney General, Roxanne Barton Conlin. In addition the Discharge Project Director assists the agency in legal work which must be performed. The Labor Union Discharge Project Director is responsible for the preparation and investigation of individual and patterns and practices complaints which have been filed against labor unions. The Discharge Project Director is responsible for the preparation and investigation of patterns and practices complaints which have been filed against respondents. Each Field Representative is responsible for the investigation of complaints which have been filed with the agency. Each Civil Rights Aide is responsible for assisting individuals who wish to file complaints with the Commission in filing these complaints, monitoring all complaints which have been

filed with the agency which have not been assigned to a Field Representative to investigate, and assisting Field Representatives in the course of investigation. Each of these individuals performs a very complex and time consuming task which require sincere dedication.

Responsibility

The Compliance Division is responsible for the processing of complaints which have been filed as a result of alleged unfair employment practices, unfair housing practices, unfair credit practices and unfair discriminatory practices in public accommodations. In cases alleging employment discrimination, complaints may be filed on the basis of alleged discrimination because of race, religion, color, national origin, creed, sex, mental disability, physical disability or age. Complaints alleging discrimination in housing can be filed on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, creed, sex and either mental or physical disability. Complaints alleging discrimination in public accommodations can be filed on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, creed, sex, mental disability, or physical disability. Complaints which are filed with the agency alleging discrimination in credit can be filed on the basis of sex, race, religion, color, national origin, creed, physical disability, age, and marital status. The Commission is empowered to receive complaints filed on the aforementioned basis, investigate complaints which have been filed on the aforementioned basis, subpoena books, papers, and records during investigation, subpoena books, papers, records and witnesses during public hearing, to condiliate cases in which probable cause has been found, to hold public hearings which are quasi judicial hearings when complaints cannot be successfully conciliated, to issue cease and desist orders, to seek injunctions through the district court, and to enforce final orders of the Commission in district court.

Complaints, Filed Since 1972

From December, 1972 through June 30, 1974 the Iowa Civil Rights Commission received one-thousand one-hundred and forty two (1,142) complaints. Of this number, 93.6% were filed alleging employment discrimination, 2.3% alleging housing discrimination, and 4.1% alleging discrimination in public accommodations. Of this number, 43.6% alleged sex discrimination, 20.5% alleged racial discrimination, 14.9% alleged discrimination as a result of either a mental or physical disability, 4.8% alleged discrimination on the basis of national origin, 1.6% alleged discrimination on the basis of age, 2.3% alleged discrimination on the basis of religion, .7% alleged discrimination on the basis of creed, and, .2% alleged discrimination on the basis of color. There were 12.8% of these complaints which alleged discrimination in more than one of the aforementioned areas.

Commission Decisions

During this period the Commission rendered two-hundred thirty (230) probable cause findings and one-hundred sixty seven (167) no probable cause findings. There were one-hundred two (102) complaints during this period withdrawn, thirty eight (38) complaints in which the Commission deemed that there was no jurisdiction, one-hundred eighteen (118) complaints which were administratively closed by

the Commission, thirty six (36) complaints in which there was a satisfactory adjustment of the complaint and one-hundred twenty (120) matters which were received but not docketed since the Commission lacked legal jurisdiction.

Cases Conciliated

The Commission successfully conciliated one hundred seventy five (175) complaints in which 81.7% were filed on the basis of employment discrimination, 8% on the basis of discrimination in public accommodations, and 10.3% which were filed alleging housing discrimination. Of the one-hundred seventy five (175) cases conciliated, 56.6% were filed alleging sex discrimination, 17.1% were filed alleging racial discrimination, 2.9% alleged discrimination on the basis of disability, 2.9% alleged discrimination on the basis of national origin, 1.7% alleging discrimination in religion, and .6% alleging discrimination on the basis of color. 18.3% of the complaints successfully conciliated were filed on more than one basis.

The Iowa Civil Rights Commission is ready to assist any individual who feels that he has been a victim of discrimination. The next article in the series will relate the duties and responsibilities of the Education/Staff Development Division.

"The Devil's Rain"

The first production collaboration between Sandy Howard ("A Man Called Horse", "Neptune Factor") and Bryanston "THE DEVIL'S RAIN" has now completed casting and will begin filming on location, January 27, in Durango, Mexico.

Ernest Borgnine, Eddie Albert, Ida Lupino, William Shatner and Keenan Wynn are the veteran performers who top the cast list. Exciting newcomers Joan Prather, Tom Skerritt, Lisa Todd and John Travolta will co-star in this occult action thriller being directed by Bob Fuest ("Dr. Phibes").

Adding to the overall authenticity of the production will be the participation of Dr. Anton LaVey, high priest of the Church of Satan, whose international followers number one million.

Further technical assistance involving the areas of special effects, come from Academy Award winner John Chambers, whose makeup was so crucial to PLANET OF THE APES. Also, Film Effects of Hollywood, most recently responsible for AIRPORT and THE EXORCIST will lend their wizardry.

A novelization of THE DEVIL'S RAIN screenplay by Gabe Esso and James Ashton has been purchased by Dell Books for publication this summer in conjunction with the release of the film.

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Around the State

Keokuk News

By Mrs. Kenneth R. Douglas

Regular Services at Bethel A.M.E. Church this past Sunday. Rev. D. E. Johnson, Pastor.

Rev. J. H. Mims was in his pulpit at Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church on last Sunday. A good crowd was in attendance.

The Pastors of the various Churches met during last week, since last week was designated as, "A Week of Prayer for Christian Unity," a different minister was heard on Radio each morning. Rev. D. E. Johnson was heard on Wednesday morning. His comments were very interesting and timely.

Mr. James South entered St. Joseph Hospital on Wednesday of the past week.

Mrs. Mary Wallace celebrated her 79th birthday the last of the week. Her two sons of Chicago, Ill., Stanley and ReRoy Johnson came to spend the day with her. Her daughter, Mrs. John Parsons, will celebrate her birthday on January 28th.

Black Cultural Program

WASHINGTON — Responding to the need for new public television programming in the black cultural area, the Corporation for Public Broadcasting and the Public Broadcasting Service jointly sponsored a conference recently to discuss black cultural programming. A reference point for the meeting was the CPB Board definition: "...a minority program is a program that is closely identified with the social, economic, and cultural experience of a minority group, and focuses on a need, or an interest of that specific minority

Muscatine

Mrs. Othella M. Hughes

Mrs. Willie Conley Chairman of the Muscatine Human Rights Commission wishes to announce their meetings are held the first Wednesday night in each month. Time 7 p.m. in the city council room. The public is invited.

The Iowa Bystander can be bought in Muscatine every week at 317 EAST 2ND St. at Hughes & Hughes Gift Shop.

group."

The seminar, held in New York Dec. 5, was chaired by Charles Hobson, director of mass communications at Clark College, Atlanta, Ga., and participants included Blacks with communications, education and independent film producers, with representatives of PBS and CPB.

The purpose of the seminar was to stimulate proposals for a black cultural series. The series, to be selected from proposals received during the next six weeks, will be directly funded by CPB.

Proposals submitted to CPB should include a twelve month plan, beginning May 1, for planning, development and production of a series to be broadcast during the 1975-76 season. Anyone submitting a proposal should consider extending the series into a second season.

Proposals will be reviewed by representatives of the Public Broadcasting Service, the Corporation for Public Broadcasting and an advisory panel. Individuals interested in submitting a proposal should request guidelines and forms from: Tom Slevin, senior program officer, CPB, or Dave Lacy, director of production liaison, PBS.

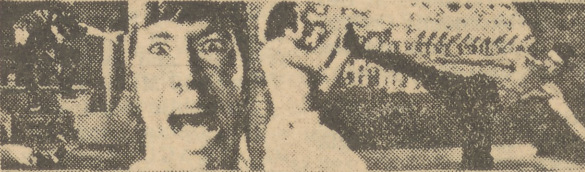
The deadline for receiving proposals is February 15.

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WORLD

"Sunshine and Promises"



"Finishing Touch"

Philly Groove recording artists, the Finishing Touch, are in the final stages of preparation of their premiere Lp for the label tentatively entitled "Sunshine and Promises." The majority of the album's material is written by Philly Groove president Stan Watson and the group's personal manager Herby Harris.

The Lp will utilize the new album concept of continuous music rather than separate cuts, and the interlude between each song will consist of electronic music provided by a Moog synthesizer played by manager Harris. (This process will provide a music format perfectly suited for playing discotheques. By the way, the group's last single "Second Best is Never Enough" scored heavily in discotheque play.) The theme of the album is reflective of the "Sunshine and Promises" tentative title.

Miles Davis

"King Of Jazz"

Most music enthusiasts, with the exception of hard-core jazz people, look upon Miles Davis as some sort of King of Jazz, the type of musician one acknowledges as the best because everyone says he's the best. Many people have never taken the time to listen to the music of Miles. He has become the most unknown King. There are even people who don't like his music who, declare he is the best. Why this mysterious adulation for Miles? Is it because he has never commercialized his music? Is it because he has been the guiding force between the formation of several popular jazz/rock bands of today? Maybe its because of his celebrated lifestyle. Is he idolized because there are so many obvious music impostors around these days. Surely the fact that he was the first jazz artist to use heavy electronic music successfully to create his sound has produced innumerable permanent fans, who forgot that there was a highly creative Miles Davis before synthesization.

Miles laughs at attempts to categorize him, explain his fame or compare him to this musician and that musician. It seems that the greatest compliment to the man is that in reality he cannot be adequately categorized as a jazz musician, Jazz/rock or jazz R&B musician. How can one

categorize the music of "Bitches Brew," the offering from Miles that started an entire new trend in popular music? The closest we can come to a description is a bit putrid and unfair to his creative abilities. He combines many types of music into haunting chord patterns that are unpredictable and seem almost as if they are alive with character that is a bit more than music. There is a communicated feeling that grabs you and says, "Don't try and understand for it may be above you, but listen, you may learn something, or get the feeling you always hope to get from listening to great music, that inner stimulation that rhythm gives your soul."

Miles Davis says that if his music does indeed give that type of stimulation it is because he is 80% music and 20% all of the other things people are made of. In his latest album on Columbia Records, "Get Up With It," Miles lets us know once again what he and his music are made of. From the beautiful ballad tribute to Duke Ellington titled "He loved Him Madly," to the African rhythms of "Mtume," to the blues rock of "Red China Blues," to the special funk of "Honky Tonk" and "Rated X," this album is a work of art by a man who cannot be categorized. If anyone receives any awards, gold records, etc., it should be the public that is finally ready.



Mary Alice stars as Nancy Mannigo, accused on murdering an infant girl on the HOLLYWOOD TELEVISION THEATRE production of William Faulkner's "Requiem for a Nun," Monday, Feb. 10 at 7:00 p.m. on Channel 11 over PBS.



THOMAS FOR SCHLITZ MALT LIQUOR — Popular entertainer Rufus Thomas — well known for his up-beat dances like the Funky Chicken and the Break Down — now stars for Schlitz Malt Liquor. Decker out in his pink hot pants outfit, Thomas is shown here in one of his forthcoming commercials. Thomas will appear in television, radio, print and outdoor ads for Schlitz Malt Liquor and in other promotional avenues.



"As American as apple pie," the saying goes, and the apple pie probably IS the country's favorite. But the apple can be used in many other bakery forms: apple upside down cake, apple dumplings, apple strudel, apple muffins, apple pancakes, applesauce cake and many delicious others. Thriftily, apples require little or no sugar in cooking. Too much spoils natural flavor and makes them mushy.

Imagine picking 270 bushels of apples in eight hours. Harold Oaks, 22, did it on Sept. 30, 1972, at his father's ranch in Hood River, Oregon. It's the best performance on record.



ARETHA FRANKLIN and RAY CHARLES make a rare television appearance together on "The Midnight Special" spectacular celebrating the show's second anniversary on NBC, Friday, January 31. Also performing together on the show, which follows Johnny Carson, are Gladys Knight with B.B. King. Hostess is Helen Reddy and other guests include David Bowie, Bachman-Turner Overdrive, Joan Baez, the Doobie Brothers, Bobby Darin and the Byrds.



Some people believe that if you can be tickled and not laugh, you'll get into heaven.

PUBLIC NOTICES

YOUR RIGHT TO KNOW and be informed of the functions of your government are embodied in public notices. In that self-government charges all citizen to to be informed, we urge every citizen to read and study these notices. We strongly advise those citizens seeking further information to exercise their right to access to public records and public meetings.

NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL, OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR, AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the District Court of the State of Iowa in and for Polk County Probate No. P-10-2792

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Winifred H. Hamilton Deceased

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Winifred H. Hamilton Deceased:

You are hereby notified that on the 23 day of January, 1975, the last will and testament of Winifred H. Hamilton deceased bearing date of the 27th day of July, 1950, was admitted to probate in the above named court and that Alberta Leithead was appointed executor of said estate.

Notice is further given that any action to set aside said will must be brought in the district court of said county within appointed executor of said estate.

Notice is further 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 claim shall thereafter be forever barred.

Dated this 23 day of January, 1975.

Alberta Leithead,
Executor of said Estate
c/o Robert G. Riley
404 Equitable Bldg.
Des Moines, Iowa 50309

DUNCAN, JONES, RILEY & FINLEY
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ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County
Equity No. CE 3 1509

EVANS PRODUCTS COMPANY, Plaintiff,

vs.

EARL D. BLACKFORD, also known as EARL DWIGHT BLACKFORD, divorced and unmarried; MARY J. BLACKFORD, also known as MARY JOANN BLACKFORD, divorced and unmarried; SUSAN LEE BLACKFORD, divorced and unmarried; LEO H. KARN, GILBERT ANDREINI and Jerrine J. ANDREINI, husband and wife; J. SHERMAN WOLFE and BERNICE WOLFE, husband and wife; BEVING SWANSON & FORREST, a co-partnership consisting of DONALD L. BEVING, DON C SWANSON and F. H. FORREST; DALE A. REESER, JR. and LINDA S. REESER, husband and wife, and POLK COUNTY, IOWA, Defendants.

TO: EARL D. BLACKFORD, also known as EARL DWIGHT BLACKFORD, divorced and unmarried; MARY J. BLACKFORD, also known as MARY JOANN BLACKFORD, divorced and unmarried; SUSAN LEE BLACKFORD, divorced and unmarried; LEO H. KARN, GILBERT ANDREINI and Jerrine J. ANDREINI, husband and wife; J. SHERMAN WOLFE and BERNICE WOLFE, husband and wife; BEVING SWANSON & FORREST, a co-partnership consisting of DONALD L. BEVING, DON C SWANSON and F. H. FORREST; DALE A. REESER, JR. and LINDA S. REESER, husband and wife, and POLK COUNTY, IOWA.

YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that there is now on file the petition

of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause of action in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa in and for Polk County, claiming of you judgment in the sum of Thirty-one Thousand Eighty-six and 90/100 Dollars (\$13,086.90), with interest thereon at the rate of Eight per cent (8%) per annum, from January 31, 1975, on the first mortgage note made, executed and delivered to Evans Products Company, by the said defendants Earl D. Blackford and Mary J. Blackford, on or about the 23rd day of August, 1971, which said defendants agreed to pay, and which amount includes late charges and continuation of abstract of title. Plaintiff's petitioner further asks for the costs of this action, including statutory attorney fees, and other items of expense permitted to be paid by this plaintiff, and that the aggregate of all such sums in judgment be found, determined and decreed to be a first and valid lien on the following described property, situated in Polk County, Iowa, to wit:

The South 305.25 feet of the East One-Half of the West One-Half of Lot Three (3) of the Second Addition to Thomas Heights, an Official Plat now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa. Subject to and including easements and right of way of record.

by virtue of a first real estate mortgage made, executed and delivered to Evans Products Company by the said defendants Earl D. Blackford and Mary J. Blackford, husband and wife, dated August 23, 1971, and that the same be established and confirmed and foreclosed, and sold under execution in quantity and manner sufficient to pay plaintiff's said debts, together with costs and accruing costs in full, and that any right, title or interest that you or each of you might have or claim to have in and to the same be found, decreed and determined to be junior and inferior to plaintiff's mortgage lien; that your equity of redemption be forever barred and foreclosed, except the statutory right of redemption and that a Receiver be appointed to take possession of the above-described property, and apply the rents and profits therefrom to pay all remaining amounts on the said sum owing the plaintiff herein under order of this court and possession continue during the year of redemption or until the sums are paid in full.

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

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

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED to appear before the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County, Iowa, located at the Court House in Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on or before the 21st day of February, 1975, and unless you so appear, default will be entered and judgment and decree rendered against you for the relief demanded in this petition.

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 9th day of January, A.D., 1975.

HAROLD J. CRAWFORD
Attorney for Plaintiff
701 Insurance Exchange Bldg.
Des Moines, Iowa 50309
Phone: 243-4254

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DENTAL FACTS

Adults may need as much calcium as children. According to Dr. Herta Spencer of the Veterans Administration Hospital, Hines, Illinois, when the body receives too little calcium, the element will be removed from its storage depots in the bones to meet calcium needs throughout the body. Years of calcium depletion can lead to osteoporosis.

What Happened In The South, 1974?

Atlanta, Georgia—A total of 525 blacks won public offices in the South in the "off-year" elections of 1974, according to the nonpartisan Voter Education Project (VEP).

Highlights of the election year for minorities were the addition of Harold Ford of Memphis to the U.S. Congress; state house races in Alabama, Georgia, and South Carolina where blacks won 46 of the Southwide total of 74 lower house legislative victories; and the election of 226 blacks to city councils and commissions.

Black incumbents fared well despite scattered losses throughout the region as 245 experienced officials were returned to their seats. One setback was in Petersburg, Virginia, where the defeats of 2 of the 4 black members of the 7-seat city council means that blacks no longer constitute a majority and Hermanze Fauntleroy, first black mayor of a Virginia city in this century, subsequently lost reelection by fellow council members.

Black officials elected in 1974 in the 11 southern states included the following breakdown by office: U.S. Congress, 3; state senates, 9; state houses, 74; municipal governing bodies, 226; county governing bodies, 55; school boards, 101; mayors, 8; judges, 4; magistrates, 14; coroners, 4; justices of the peace, 10; vice mayors, 3; city recorder, 1; tax collector, 1; constables, 3; and law enforcement officers, 9.

John Lewis, Director of the Voter Education Project's programs which encourage minority political participation in the South, evaluated the 1974 election results: "The election of 525 blacks in a single year is a small but important step in the long march toward equity of representation in Southern politics."

"While 1974 brought the culmination of exposure of the Watergate crimes against the democratic process, perhaps historians will also record the

positive contributions in the area of minority politics," stated Lewis. "The black officials elected in 1974 are in the spotlight with a mandate and an opportunity to demonstrate responsibility in public office. It may well be that minorities, so long excluded from the franchise, will bring new meaning to the concept of democracy as they exercise more direct control over their lives."

Following is a state-by-state breakdown of minority political activity in the South in 1974:

ALABAMA

The 33 black victories in Alabama included the election of 2 state senators, 13 state representatives, 2 county commissioners, 8 school board members, 4 sheriffs, 3 coroners, and 1 tax collector.

Bullock County joins five other southern counties in which blacks hold a majority of seats of county commissions. Three blacks, H. O. Williams, Fred Crawford, and Benjamin Jordan, are serving on the five-seat Bullock County Commission. Other black-majority commissions are Hancock County, Georgia; Surrey and Charles City Counties, Virginia; and Macon and Greene Counties, Alabama.

ARKANSAS

Of 58 black victories, 43 were city council positions. Other winners were 3 state representatives, 2 mayors, 1 county commissioner, 1 city recorder, 2 school board members, and 6 justices of the peace.

A highlight of minority elections in Arkansas was the city council race in Lake Village, where six black members hold a majority. In Holly Grove, Lula P. Tyler was elected the first black female commissioner of Monroe County.

FLORIDA

The 14 victories included the reelection of 3 state representatives, 3 county commissioners, 6 school board members, 1 city council member, and 1 mayor. A black school board member was elected for the first time in Sarasota County.

GEORGIA

Black gains in the Georgia General Assembly highlighted the election of 101 blacks in 1974. Positions won included 1 U.S. Representative, 2 state senators, 20 state representatives, 47 city council members, 19 school board members, 10 county commissioners, 1 coroner, and 1 justice of the peace.

The historical "firsts" for minorities in Georgia politics included the election of John White, first black from Daugherty County to the state house, and the election of two blacks to the Fulton County Commission, which was reapportioned to include two predominantly black districts; and the election of the first black school board member in Bibb County.

In Walthourville, a newly incorporated city, two blacks were elected to an all-woman city council. The city has a population of 415 and blacks are in the majority. A progressive spirit of unity dominated the election in this municipality where blacks comprise 64.1 percent of the 227 registered voters.

LOUISIANA

With no statewide races in 1974, the 55 victories were highlighted by city council races in which blacks won 44 seats. Blacks also won 1 special election for the state senate, 1 judgeship, 1 school board seat, 3 races for mayor, and 5 police chief positions.

Of historic note were three cities in which blacks won all city council, mayor, and police chief seats — Waterproof, Lake Providence, and Tullulah. Blacks won control of three additional city councils and, in Kaplan, the first black city council member in that town's history was elected.

MISSISSIPPI

School board elections accounted for 12 of the 13 black victories in Mississippi. In a special justice of the peace election, Fred Robinson, Jr. became Jackson County's first black elected official since reconstruction, and Holmes County elected its first black superintendent of education.

NORTH CAROLINA

A total of 34 seats was won by blacks in statewide and county races. Two blacks, John W. Winters and Fred Alexander, became the first black state senators since reconstruction and 4 blacks were elected to the state house. Other victors include 12 county commissioners, 15 county school board members, and 1 judge.

Mecklenburg County not only elected its first black senator, Mr. Alexander, but also its first black county commissioner. The appointment of a black district judge was also a first for the county.

SOUTH CAROLINA

The election of 67 blacks included 13 house seats, 16 city council seats, 16 county commission seats, 8 magistrates, 13 school board members, and 1 mayor.

Juanita Goggins of New County was elected as the first black woman to serve as a representative in the South Carolina legislature.

TENNESSEE

Forty-three blacks elected include the state's first black United States Representative, Harold Ford of Memphis, and the following: State senators, 2; state representatives, 9; city council members, 4; county commissioners, 20; judges, 2; county school board members, 3; and constables, 2.

In the 8th Congressional District race, Harold Ford won by a small margin over an incumbent with approximately 17 percent of the registered white voters. Registration in the district is approximately 55 percent white. Harold Ford's brothers, John and Emmitt, won seats in the state senate and state house respectively.

TEXAS

Sixty-five black elected included 28 city council and commission members, the reelection of Barbara Jordan to the U.S. Congress, 2 state senators, 9 state representatives including Mrs. Exalton A. Delco as a new candidate for that office, 22 school board members, 1 constable, and 2 justices of the peace.

VIRGINIA

City council victories accounted for 30 of 42 political offices won by blacks. The remaining victories included 3 county commissioners, 6 magistrates, and 3 vice mayors. The office of magistrate replaced justices of the peace in 1974.

Two city councils, Charlottesville and Radford, elected from their memberships the first black mayors in the history of the two cities.

The Voter Education Project publishes periodic research data on minority political participation and has worked to advance minority involvement in politics in the South since 1962. When VEP began its work, fewer than 50 blacks held office in the 11 southern states. VEP programs of registration, citizenship education, leadership development, and technical assistance are operated on a nonpartisan basis throughout the region.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON SPECIAL EXECUTION

I District Court of Polk County, Iowa
STATE OF IOWA.

ss Polk County
Northland Mortgage Company
VERSUS

Roger Leroy Casner, Ramona Jean Casner, State of Iowa Department of Revenue

BY VIRTUE OF A SPECIAL EXECUTION TO ME DIRECTED, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, in favor of Northland Mortgage Company, and against Roger Leroy Casner and Ramona Jean Casner, on a judgment rendered by said court on the 10th day of January A.D. 1975, wherein it was ordered, adjudged and decreed that the following described property be sold to satisfy said judgment to-wit:

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NOW, THEREFORE, public notice is hereby given that unless the said defendants appear at my office in Des Moines, on or before the 7th day of March A.D. 1975, at ten o'clock A.M. of said day, at which time said above described property is hereby advertised to be sold and pay off the amount of said execution, with interest and costs, I will sell said property, or sufficient thereof to satisfy said Execution, with interest and costs, at public outcry, to the highest bidder, at the east front door of the Court House, in Des Moines, Iowa, for cash in hand to pay off said Execution.

Dick J. Clemens
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Mrs. Willye Mae Fowler, wife,
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The family of Portee T. Hughes wishes to thank Rev. Ezel Wiggins, Rev. H. I. Thomas, Rev. Clarence Parker, ladies who helped at home, Rose Gather, Rev. Albert Fox, Estes & Son, telegrams, condolences, resolutions, sympathy cards, floral pieces, cars, food, gifts, donations, all other expressions and services rendered our family during our dear loss. God bless you all.

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By Allen Ashby

Guess I will get onto local stuff first. Pat Marshall called the other day and told me about the Maple Street Baptist girls basketball team. As I write this they have won three games, and are playing another that I don't know who won. Pat says the team is coached by Bud Collins who was quite a cager in his days. The guy promised to come up with the names of the players, most of whom are in junior high and grade school. The league rules let each team have one player of high school experience, and that is to keep teams from spiking up for each other. Hope I can hear more about the team. And another thing I would like to hear about is bowling. We used to get the good games and high scorers for each week. What happened? We could use more of them now. I didn't cover the Golden Gloves fights, and from what I heard, I wish I had. So about the only thing I can say about them is that Morton Graves must have worked his fifteenth year as a referee. Morton got his pro recognition a few years ago, and I wonder how much good it has done him in getting work.

My Soap Box

An article I read in Sports Illustrated about one of the all time tennis greats set me thinking. The man had his pictures in just about all of the tennis clubhouses in the east. When he fell from grace, all of his pictures were promptly removed from the clubhouse walls, and the story said that there was nothing marking his career nowhere in the records, or his gravestone. That made me think about some great black athletes I have known about who suffered similar fates. Paul Robeson and Jack Johnson to name a couple. Robeson flew into the face of the established way of thinking and was never recognized for being one of the greatest athletes in Rutgers history. And when the names of great singers are mentioned, he is forgotten, although he was one of the really great baritone singers of his day. Jack Johnson, like Robeson, went against the accepted way of life in America, and you never hear that he was perhaps the greatest heavyweight boxer in the game history. We all have feet of clay, but these men were just what they were, and they should be recognized for just what they were. Babe Ruth and Grover Alexander were no models for boy scouts, but they were athletes, and they have been recognized as that. In my book, it doesn't matter what a fellow has done or how much you might disagree with his way of life, you don't withhold recognition from him for the things he did that were on the positive side, and that is what made me come up with this bit about the late Bill Tilden. No matter what else he may have been, he was a tennis player, and should have been given full credit for that.

High School Cagers

Thought there might be an upset the other night in the North Hoover game won by Hoover in two overtimes. Never

did learn why Bruce Smith didn't start, but came into the game late. Maybe he was late getting there, but whatever the reason, it just might have cost North the ball game. I don't think anyone in the city is going to give Lincoln any trouble, so it looks like the other teams will have to fight it out for third, since I would have to give second place to either Hoover or Lincoln, depending on the outcome of their next game. Hoover might get em, but I would have to bet against it. Tech is having problems, but they could be tough at the end of the season, and just might upset someone they aren't supposed to. They say East has finally gotten it all together, but it didn't look like it last week end when the Railsplitters did them in, or else Lincoln is awfully tough.

Some Scores from the Tough Leagues.

Alcorn 106, Touglou 105(20T). Bishop 85, Dallas Baptist 80, Belmont Abbey 84, Livingston 74. Bethune Cookman 91, Alabama State 76, Campbell 110, Hampton 76, LeMoyn 67, Bethel Tenn. 65, Nicholas 79, Livingston 64, Morgan State 71, Virginia State 65, Morris Brown 84, Alabama A&M 78, Prairie View 100, Texas Southern 98, Tuskegee 77, Stillman 54, Florida A&M 85, Morris Brown 54, Hampden Sydney 85, No. Carolina Wellyan 40, Jackson State 98, Southern 96, Rio Grande 86, Wilberforce 68, Texas Southern 101, Wiley 68.

Hall Of Fame For Black Athletes

February 22nd has been chosen as the date of the third annual Black Athletes Hall of Fame dinner and dance. The theme for the occasion will be "Black Essence in Motion."

Sponsored by the Sportsmen Athletic Club and the Kutania People, this dinner has come to be one of the highlights of San Bernardino's Black History activities and is one of the events that has been drawing statewide attention as well.

Marv Fleming of the Miami Dolphins and Pittsburgh Steeler and Lynn Swann were among last year's many celebrity sports greats in attendance, but his year's group promises to be even larger in number and as well known in stature.

Awards will be presented to many former and current San Bernardino area athletes as well as to some of the nationally known personalities that will be present.

In addition to an appetizing meal, awards, presentations and special entertainment, the evening will conclude with a dance that will feature one of Southern California's most outstanding bands. Last year, entertainment was provided by the Fabulous Infallibles, and the program committee has gone all out to maintain that high level of performance.

The San Bernardino Convention Center will be the site of the affair which will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Taxpayer Assistance Phone

Des Moines Iowa--There has been some confusion about the Internal Revenue taxpayer assistance telephone numbers. J.T. Rideoutte, Directors of IRS in Iowa, explained that a new system was installed this year to accommodate Iowa taxpayers wishing assistance with their tax

Understanding Life Insurance

by Quincy Southers

In this column we will discuss various aspects of life insurance. We'll be examining types of policies, your rights as a policy holder, rights of the insurance company, cash value of policies, loan value of policies, how proceeds from policies are handled upon death of the policy holder, and more.

There are many facets of life insurance, and I'll try to cover

Maple Street Basketball Team

The "Holy Terros" Maple Street Girls Basketball Team came away with another upset on Monday night by beating the Union Park Bapt. Church 50 to 36. After trailing in the first quarter, they were tied 22 to 22 at the half. They came back on fire in the 2nd half to score 28 points and to hold the other team to only 14 points in the entire last half. This was one of their tougher games - they played a good game and remain undefeated. On Monday, Feb. 3, they take on the Evangelical Covenant Church, game time is 6:30 P.M. The Maple Street Team is coached by Charles (Bud) Collins.

questions. However, in some instances the numbers are incorrectly listed and Iowans are urged to note the correct numbers:

Taxpayers living within the Des Moines call area should use the local assistance number 284-4850.

Statewide assistance is provided to taxpayers living outside the Des Moines call area through the toll-free telephone number 800-362-2600.

Rideoutte explained that both numbers reach the Des Moines taxpayer assistance area where trained people are on duty from 8 a.m. to 4:45 p.m., Monday through Friday, to answer the tax inquiries. Under the new system the number of taxpayer service representatives and telephone lines have been increased to handle the volume of incoming calls.

He emphasized that peak periods are between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. daily and callers are urged to avoid calling for assistance during these hours. It is also suggested, Rideoutte said, that calls be placed on Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays to avoid the waiting period which occurs when assistance lines are the busiest earlier in the week.

the majority of them, with emphasis one those facets most confusing to the average person.

INSURANCE AGENTS

In order to qualify to sell insurance, an agent must be trained and then pass a stiff state examination. If he succeeds, he is issued a license.

Beware the self-taught specialist - his advice is often incorrect, and if you've acted upon false or misleading advice in the purchasing of a policy, there's no recourse. By the time you discover you were misled, you've lost a good sum of money.

UNDERSTANDING HELPS

Many people fear life insurance because they don't understand it, even more have a fear of the kinds of questions they'll be required to answer when seeking such a policy.

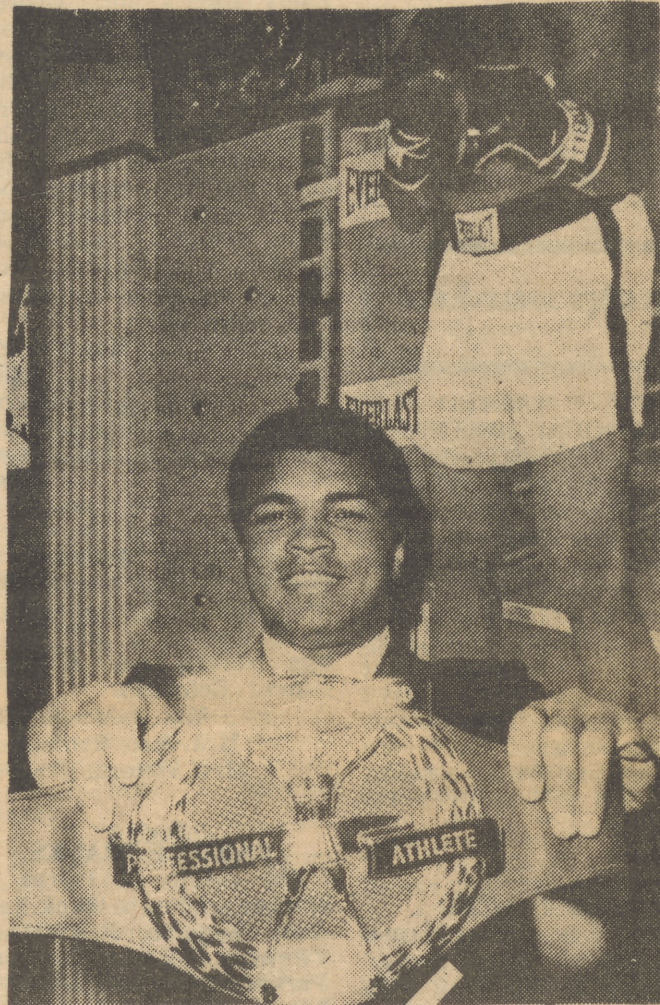
Actually, most of the questions

you'll be asked to answer are no different than those asked when you apply for a loan. And as far as health-related questions are concerned, you'll be asked to give information much the same as that given a doctor when you see him for a physical examination. Of course, all information obtained is considered confidential, not accessible to anyone but the insurance company.

QUESTIONS?

Consider this column yours, and use it to get a better understanding of the importance of life insurance.

If you have any personal questions, feel free to jot them down and send them to me. Enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope. Write: Quincy Southers, 1100 Central National Bank Bldg., Des Moines, Iowa 50309.



DIAMOND BELT—Heavyweight champion Muhammad Ali shows off the \$15,000 diamond-studded belt he was awarded Jan. 14th as "professional athlete of the year." Ali who kayoed George Foreman to regain the title, nosed out homerun King Hank Aaron for the S. Rae Rickok belt.

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