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D.M. Unit Will Help Process Delinquent State Cases

National News Briefs

Kansas City — Acting executive director Joseph W. Walker announces that the Inland Area Urban League recently received a \$236,250 Manpower Training contract from the Inland Manpower Association. This contract will enable the agency to continue its nine-year-old On-The-Job Training Project with expanded supportive services to clients.

Washington, D.C., Mar. 20 — Changes in Federal aid to college students proposed by Chairman James G. O'Hara (D-Mich.) of the House Subcommittee on Education will have a devastating effect on student aid in general and could destroy the independent colleges of the country in particular, charges a spokesman for more than 1000 independent colleges and universities.

Chicago, Ill. — First Deputy Police Supt. Michael Spiotto declared Thursday that undercover policemen who infiltrated five community organizations, including Operation PUSH, were not there to disrupt, but only to keep the police department informed of planned demonstrations and other activities.

Washington — Hundreds of thousands of jobless workers are not collecting unemployment compensation even though they are now eligible under new emergency legislation, Labor Secretary Peter J. Brennan said.

Chicago, Ill. — Two red-haired black men were being sought for questioning in the slaying of Willis Brown, 25, who was gunned down as he and his wife were walking to their apartment in the Chicago Housing Authority complex at 1440 W. 13th.

Rep. Metcalf Accused Of Bribery

U.S. Rep. Ralph Metcalf (D-I) said Thursday it is now clear the federal government is "zeroing in" on him, as speculation mounted that he may soon be indicted by a grand jury for accepting kick backs when he headed the City Council's zoning committee in 1968 and 1969.

Metcalf has been directly accused by State Sen Donald Swinarski (D-25) of taking bribes, including a \$5,000 payment on one occasion. Swinarski pleaded guilty last week to an income tax fraud charge and is talking loudly to federal investigators about his activities when he was 12th Ward alderman.

Clean-up Week In Des Moines

Mayor Olson of Des Moines has proclaimed the week of April 6th-12th as "CLEAN-UP WEEK".

This project is sponsored by the Des Moines Church Women United. The women will walk the streets and pick up paper, cans, bottles, anything that disfigures the beauty of our city to stuff into their large garbage bags.

This year they are asking schools, churches, scouts, etc. to join them. Some may help by organizing groups, making posters, getting other people involved.

All are asked to help make Des Moines look beautiful when the daffodils begin to bloom.

For further information, call Gladys Burkhead, 1107 - 27th Street, Des Moines, 255-6666.

Des Moines City Council To Amend Present Ordinance

The Iowa Legislature has authorized the Civil Rights Commission to utilize local commissions in an effort to clean up and keep abreast of the claims many of which are extremely old.

The National Civil Rights Commission has long had a policy of using state commissions to handle some of their cases including the legal expenses wherever the courts have been resorted to settle complaints.

In 1974 the commission prepared guidelines for conducting activities for local commissions. However, only those commissions which maintain staffs are authorized to participate in this arrangement. These rules have been filed with the Secretary of State and

become official authority for the commission to act.

Tate, Executive Director of the commission, stated that this would help solve the accumulation of cases at a state level and involve more citizens in the enforcement of civil rights laws.

Monday night, the Des Moines City Council voted to amend the Human Rights Commission Ordinance to conform with the State law which permits local Civil Rights Commissions to handle some of the backlog of the Civil Rights cases.

Russ Levine, the proverbial opponent of every Civil Rights proposal, objected to the amendment declaring that it would be prompted to dig up a lot of unwarranted complaints by almost anyone. He feels that such a proposal would interfere with the police department.

Voting for first-reading approval were Olson, Nahas, Wallace Buss and Tim Urban. Voting against it were LaVine and Robert Scott, Jr. Woods abstained.

Pressure On White House

WASHINGTON (NNPA) March 19, Clarence Mitchell, chief of the Washington Bureau of the NAACP and Dr. Maurice A. Dawkins, director of government relations for Opportunities Industrialization Centers (OIC) are opposing pressure on the White House to fire John L. Powell, Jr., chairman of the Equal Employment Opportunities Commission.

In separate letters to the Washington Post, which has in effect asked President Ford to remove Powell from the EEOC chairmanship, Mitchell and Dawkins have urged a correction of total administrative problems of the agency rather than the "mere replacement of one individual."

Each of the two national leaders have submitted suggestions to the Post. They both think the probable tendency not to consolidate cases, because the agency's budget is based on caseload, can be overcome.

Confer On Business Among Minorities



WHITE HOUSE "THINK TANK" ON MINORITY BUSINESS — More than 200 minority business entrepreneurs shared their views with top officials of the Ford Administration on how the federal government can give better assistance toward minority business development. Stanley S. Scott, Special Assistant to the President, chaired the six-hour meeting which probed alternatives suggested by the Office of Management and Budget and a number of recommendations made from the floor along with various position papers. Berkley G. Burrell, President of the National Business League, is pictured making his presentation. Government officials participating included: John K. Tabor, Under Secretary of Commerce; Thomas S. Kleppe, Administrator, Small Business Administration; William J. Baroody, Jr., Assistant to the President for Public Liaison; Alex Armendaris, Director, OMBE; Samuel Cornelius, Deputy Director, OMBE; Connie Mack Higgins, Associate Administrator for Minority Small Business, SBA; Louis Laun, Deputy Administrator, SBA; Walter Scott, Associate Director for Economics and General Government, Office of Management and Budget; Mr. F. Lynn May, Domestic Council of The White House; Carl Hystead, Chief of the Commerce Branch, Office of Management and Budget.

VIEWS and REVIEWS

by James B. Morris

Unnecessary Investigations

The aftermath of Watergate has left public officials a new weapon to display their powers. Everyday some arm of the government, National and local, is being investigated. No doubt they will find some defects from time to time or some short comings, all of which should be corrected, of course.

In my thinking, we talk too much; the press blasts many things that don't justify the attention given them. I, for one, believe that the CIA has made some mistakes which should be stopped. On the other hand charges that they engaged in collaborating in the assassination of foreign heads and dignitaries is dangerous publicity to throw around. It involves serious relations with the governments.

The Russian submarine we found at the bottom of the sea was a daring job but it is the type of news, it seems to me, that should be kept secret. What good will it do to Americans to know that we found a Russian submarine. Naturally it embarrasses them but had the situation been reversed they would have said nothing about it.

The FBI has been checking private citizens often for no other reason than to embarrass a person who might be aspiring for a job, or for some type of business. In my opinion this is no business of theirs and is the type of operation that should not be tolerated.

On the other hand, there are people who display an attitude of opposition to their own country and are dangerous to our safety. On the other hand, it is ridiculous to investigate a citizen simply because he uses his constitutional rights to stand up for himself.

The Rock Island Delimma

Considering a decision about the problems which brought the Rock Island Railroad to its terrible financial condition, only one person has mentioned that work rules have been one of the main defections. For instance instead of the number of hours worked in a day the trainmen are paid on the basis of mileage. In the days of the old steam engine a passenger train could not make the trip to Chicago in the hours which the modern 7 a.m. train did as exemplified when one leaves Des Moines at 7 a.m. and arrives in Chicago at 1:00 p.m. But two crews were used for this eight hour job while the old crews took ten hours using the same number of men.

The same situation prevailed in the short runs which prevents the company from making money on them. I heard a former retired employee on a radio show say that the Rock Island officials had bungled their job and the company should be allowed to die. However, while he is safe himself, he gives no thought to the thousands of men who will lose their jobs or the taxes the company pays which helped many a taxing body to balance their budgets.

Like anything else, the Rock Island officials and employees have made some mistakes. Who hasn't? I believe an intelligent effort should be made to save the Rock Island and that like the mortgagee who insists that you keep the property in good condition during the term of the mortgage so the Rock Island should be scrutinized so as to give the best service throughout the system.

Excessive Organization

A group of students in Boston has organized The National Student Coalition Against Racism. They are planning a mass involvement of students over the country to be held on May 17th. The Student Mobilizer, a publication printed to dramatize and spread the objectives of the organization, is being published.

Much as we desire that young people take responsibility of helping themselves, I am wondering if we are over organizing and thus find it necessary to solicit funds from other than their members to carry on operations. Today we have far too many organizations that are finding it difficult to keep going. Some are phasing out because of lack of funds. Thus a hard look should be taken by any group when it must look to the public to keep it going.

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Civil Rights Public Forum

The Iowa Civil Rights Commission will hold a Public Forum on Mandatory Retirement on Wednesday, April 9, 1975 at the Ramada Inn Downtown which is located in Des Moines, Iowa. The purpose of the Public Forum is to allow the citizens of Iowa - whether employee or employer - to make presentations to the Commission regarding the pertinent and relevant facts which affect the issue of mandatory retirement. The information which is presented will be used by the Commission in making future decisions on this very complex subject.

Each person who makes a presentation will be allowed fifteen (15) minutes to make this oral presentation. After each oral presentation, the Commission will have the opportunity to ask questions of each presenter. Each presenter should provide to the Commission a written copy of their testimony. All presentations, questions, and answers will be transcribed by a certified court reporter.

Anyone who wishes to make a presentation must contact Mrs. Sue Zylstra at 515/281-3286 immediately. The time which has been scheduled for you to make your presentation will be confirmed in writing.

The Iowa Civil Rights Commission encourages YOU to participate and share your knowledge and experience with them.

Sessions on Retirement

Drake University will offer a seven-session program titled "Planning for the Rest of Your Life" for persons of any age who are concerned with planning a fulfilling retirement.

The program, offered by Drake's Pre-Retirement Planning Center, will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesdays beginning April 1 and continuing through May 13. All sessions will meet in the Olmsted Center at 29th Street and University Avenue on the Drake campus.

Topics to be covered include changing life style, privileges, problems and special housing needs of the retiree, estate planning, Social Security and Medicare benefits, special health problems, how to avoid consumer frauds, tax facts in retirement and making money work in retirement.

The fee is \$20 per person or \$30 per couple. Further information is available by calling or writing the Pre-Retirement Center, Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa 50311, telephone 271-2184. Calls from outside Des Moines may be placed toll-free by calling 1-800-362-2416.

TWENTIETH CENTURY RECORDS SIGNS NEW VOCALIST

Hollywood, California: Hosea Wilson, Vice President of 20th Century's R & B Department announced the signing of Annie Blue, an established performer and entertainer from Houston, Texas.

Senator Clark Says No Too Local Anti Busing Group

Senator Dick Clark of Iowa told a group of Citizens for Rational Education that he would not support a Constitutional amendment which would ban busing to integrate schools.

The remark was made at the conclusion of a meeting with several members of the Des Moines group which is opposed to busing and of which James

Enslow is the chairman.

The group had circularized members of the Iowa delegation in Congress concerning their views on busing and this meeting was designed to find out the position of Senator Clark.

The Senator said he agreed basically with Brown vs the Board of Education decision of the United States Supreme Court that said separate schools for blacks and whites are inherently unequal.

Present D.M. With Bicentennial flag

Frank Harrington, Kansas City, the Regional Director of the American Revolution Bicentennial Administration, and Robert Dillon, Des Moines, State Chairman of the Iowa American Revolution Bicentennial Commission, presented Sam Anania, Chairman of the Polk County Board of Supervisors, and Mayor Richard Olson of Des Moines with the official Bicentennial flag proclaiming Polk County and Des Moines as official Bicentennial Communities. The ceremony took place during the National Farm Institute held at the Ft.

Des Moines Hotel on March 25th.

Mr. Dillon stated that the Bicentennial flag is presented to counties and cities that take an active role in developing programs to help all Americans celebrate the 200th anniversary of our country. Dillon further stated that it is very fitting that Des Moines and Polk County be recognized during the 1st month of the Bicentennial Celebration which started March 1st of this year and runs through December 31, 1976.

For further information contact: Ed Redfern State House, Des Moines, Iowa 50319, 515-281-5149.

Cal. Lt. Governor Airs Views On Open College Concept

California's lieutenant governor Mervyn Dymally characterized his proposed "open college" as the most viable and valid alternative to present traditional higher education, in an address to the 49th Annual Conference of the National Home Study Council held in Hamilton, Bermuda.

Dymally, the first naturalized Black American to hold the second-highest office in the nation's most populous state, proposed the establishment of an open college to the California Senate late in 1974 and it is expected to be voted upon during the present session of the California legislature. The open college program would be made available to students of both resident and correspondence schools.

The California state executive noted that many people are unemployed today not because jobs do not exist "but rather because these persons lack the training and skills necessary to

The multi-talented Annie Blue, who still assists in elementary music education and directs a youth choir when her demanding concerts and engagements with a twenty-two piece orchestra plus three back up singers.

The newly signed artist is known by all her peers, as the most demanding artist in the business with the ability to make the walls sweat, yet as tender as innocence itself.



MERVYN DYMALLY, California's new lieutenant governor, is the first naturalized black American to hold the second-highest office in the nation's most populous state.

perform the jobs available." Dymally urged correspondence schools to maintain high educational standards as part of their role in an open college. He warned that those who didn't would quickly be eliminated from the field.

Dymally served California for four years in the Assembly and eight years in the Senate before his election as lieutenant governor last fall. He has been a long-time advocate of liberalized educational programs, including home study.

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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.

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Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

PHILADELPHIA SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

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

KYLES TEMPLE A.M.E. ZION CHURCH

Rev. J. H. Jones, Pastor
907 15th Street
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service - Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH

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

Bethel A.M.E. Church

1528 East University Ave
REV. IVAN JOHNSON
Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P.M.
Wed. Mid Week Service 7:30 P.M.

Corinthian Baptist Church

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

Evangelistic Missionary Church

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

St. Paul A.M.E. Church

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

TRUE BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH

1440 DeWolf Street (266-8212)
Rev. Earl Watkins, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class 6:00 P.M.
Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:00 P.M.

Mt. Olive Baptist Church

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

BURNS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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

MISSION TEMPLE C.O.G.I.C.

1161 Enos
Elder James McNear, Pastor
Assistant Pastor Minister E. Bell
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
Y.P.W.W. 6:30 a.m.
Evening Services 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday and Thursday nights 7:30 p.m.

FIRST CALVARY APOSTOLIC CHURCH OF GOD

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

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The Sunday School Easter Program will be at 4 p.m. at Union. Sister Mary Wallace is Superintendent.

The Thomas Singers from Omaha, Nebraska will present a program Sunday, April 6 at 5 p.m.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Reverend Parrish's sermon title for Sunday, March 30, will be "Why Seek The Living Among The Dead". The Combined Choirs will furnish the music.

The Sunday School Easter Program will be held on Easter Sunday Morning at 9:30 a.m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend, especially the parents.

On Easter Sunday Afternoon at 6:00 P.M., the Mission Society will be presenting the Mapleleaf Children's Choir in a musical program. Sis. Ruby Cooper, President.

We are in the process of making up a Church Directory, complete with pictures and other information. The date for settings has been changed to April 3, 4 and 5 by appointment only. Members are being contacted, if you are inadvertently missed - please call Hortense Parrish for more information.

We will be celebrating our First Annual Choir Day on Sunday, April 6, at 3:00 P.M. All of the choirs of Maple Street and other choirs and soloists from various churches of the city will be on the program. Please plan to attend.

The Women's Day Committee will be presenting a Tea & Style Show on Sunday, April 13, at 4:00 P.M. The Mapleleaf Choir will parade in their fashions and sing. The Young Adult Choir will fashion as hostesses. There are several other models scheduled to appear on the Style Show.

The Women's Day Committee will be having a Bake Sale on Sunday, April 6, immediately following Morning Service.

PILGRIM MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

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

JACOB TEMPLE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

1501 Fourth St.
Elder A. C. Carroll, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Sunday Worship 11:00 A.M. and 8:00 P.M.
Evening Services Tuesday and Friday at 8:00 P.M.

MORNINGSTAR BAPTIST CHURCH

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

MT. HEBRON BAPTIST CHURCH

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

Maple Street Baptist Church

E. 16th and Maple Street
REV. GEO. PARISH, Minister
266-8910
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
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.

MOUNT OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday April 6th at 4:00 p.m. the Mount Olive Baptist Church Sisterhood will be having their 19th Anniversary. Rev. Robert Clay, Pastor of St. Paul A.M.E. Church will be the guest speaker and his choir will furnish the music. Rosella Thomas is president of the Sisterhood and Rev. H.R. Fields is host pastor.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The Project Club of Bethel will serve Easter breakfast Sunday morning following sunrise services. Menu includes ham and eggs served with Ethel May's piping hot rolls. Donation \$1.00.

Annual Senior Usher Day will be observed on April 20, 1975 at 4:00 p.m. with a program designed to give all who attend an inspirational lift and spiritual growth.

Union Early Morning Easter services will be held at Bethel at 6:00 a.m. Sunday morning March 30, 1975. The Reverend George Parrish will be the speaker of the hour and the combined choirs of Bethel, Union Baptist, Church of God In Christ and Maple Street will furnish the music.

Sunday services includes, Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Divine Worship at 11:00 a.m. Pastor's sermon subject will be "That First Easter Morning."

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

After Palm Sunday, which marks the triumphant entry of Jesus into Jerusalem, we rejoice in presenting, on Resurrection Day, an impressive Easter Sunrise Service at 6:30 a.m. At this time, the Rev. Robert G. Clay will exemplify, "The Crowning Miracle" in his own inimitable way. All music for this service will be accompanied by the Liturgical Meditators. These artists are members of the Y.P.D. a part of the William Sampson Brooks Missionary Society. They are: Resa Bradley, Goldiann Eaves, Gina Perry and Cordie Rhodes. Mrs. Trella Perry is Supervisor, Mrs. Clara Eaves is Instructor, and Mrs. Marian Carter is soloist.

Following the early service, Mr. Chauncey Bailey and Mr. Ed Reeves are serving your favorite Easter Breakfast in the beautifully decorated Dining area.

The Sunday School Program

MESSIAH TEMPLE

2603 Center
Elder Jacob J. Reed Pastor
Order of Services
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:30 a.m.
The Life of Christ 7 p.m.
Prayer Service Friday 7:30 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal Sat 2 p.m.

EAST UNIVERSITY CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

East 17th & University
Pastor Richard L. Daye
266-7039
Sunday School 9:45 am
Reg. Services 11:30 am
Tues. Services 7:00 pm
Fri. Family Nite 7:00 pm

ST. JOHN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Harding & University
Father Jim Kiernan
Father Gene Cunningham
Eucharistic Celebration
Sat 5:30 pm
Sun 10:00 am
11:00 am
Evening Worship 7:00 pm
Weekdays 6:30 pm
Confession, Sat. & after 5:30 Eucharist 3:5 pm

ST. JOHN BAPTIST CHURCH

2548 S.E. Maury
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

at 9:30, deals with the "Seven Ministries of Jesus Christ".

Pastor Clay's sermon subject at 10:45 a.m. will be: "If a Man Dies, Shall He Live Again." Mr. Everett Mays lends his glorious voice in the "Fourth Word", as uttered by Jesus Christ from the cross. We are introducing for the first time, the Cherub Choir, for your enjoyment, also Baptismal services will be held today.

St. Paul African Methodist Episcopal Church invites you to worship with us on Easter Sunday.

MT. HEBRON BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Announcements for Mt. Hebron Missionary Baptist Church for March 30, 1975

At 3:30 p.m. the Sunday School will present a program. Music will be by the JMH Singers. There will be pieces and a style show. The adults will do a short play.

At 7:30 Mrs. Luvenia Jones will present the JMH Singers, the young adult choir, and the senior choir in concert.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Southeast Easter Sunrise Service will be held at Shiloh Baptist church, at 6:00 a.m. Rev. H.R. Fields, Pastor of Mt. Olive Baptist Church will be the speaker. Other churches participating in this service are St. John Baptist church, First C.M.E. church and Sanctified Church of Christ.

Rev. W. S. Heath will bring the Message at the Morning Worship; the childrens choir will furnish the music.

The Sunday School will present their annual Easter program at 4:00 p.m. The childrens choir will sing.

Superintendent: Mrs. Odella Daniels
Pastor: Rev. Wm. S. Heath

KYLES A.M.E. ZION CHURCH NEWS

Easter Sunrise Services will be Sunday morning at 6:00 a.m. After services breakfast will be served by the Senior Usher Board.

Sunday morning beginning at 10:45 a.m., there will be Choir Devotions by the Senior Choir. Pastor, Rev. J.H. Jones, will bring the message.

DATES TO REMEMBER
Sunday, April 13, at 3:30 p.m. the "Seven Seals" will be presented by the Men's & Women's Day Committee. You are sure to enjoy this service.

Saturday, April 19, BAKE SALE Safeway Store (Location will appear in next weeks Bystander)

Saturday, April 19, In the evening there will be a Banquet at Kyles ... Tickets may be purchased in advance or at the door. (sponsors, Senior Usher Board.

Union Baptist Church

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

MACEDONIA MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

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

NEW BETHANY CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

800 Des Moines St.
Pastor Andrew E. Johnson
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:30 a.m.
Sunday Youth Service 6:45 p.m.
Sunday Evening Service 8:00 p.m.
Mid week service Wed & Fri 7:30 p.m.
Everyone Welcome

MESSIAH TEMPLE CHURCH NEWS

Messiah Temple was blessed to celebrate The Seven Voices Around the Cross last Sunday. The voices were listed as follows: The Voice of Unholy Skepticism, The Voice of Unholy Preachers, The Voice of Unholy Repitition, The Voice of Unholy Misinterpretation, The Voice of Unholy Curiosity Seekers, The Voice of Sincere Supplication, and The Voice of Heartfelt Confession. Which voice is Your voice?

Messiah Temple wishes to thank Reverend John Harris, Reverend Earlon Bell, Reverend Theodore Brown, Reverend Brenda Campbell, Reverend Carlotta Turner, Reverend Jacob Reed, and Brother Edward Turner for taking time from their regular duties to make this a meaningful occasion. We also wish to thank Sister Bettie Frazier for her music.

Messiah Temple will be attending Sunrise Services next Sunday at All Nations Church of God in Christ. Also, next Sunday evening we will be having an Easter program at 6:00.

Sunday school is at 10:30 with services at 11:30. The Life of Christ is taught every Sunday evening at 7:00. Prayer meeting is every Friday at 7:30 p.m. Join in our worship of the Lord soon.

Reverend Jacob Reed, Pastor

Congress to Convene at Macedonia Bapt. Church

The Central District S.S. and B.T.U. Congress will convene at Macedonia Bapt. Church at 31st & Ovid, April 1 & 2, 1975. The Pre-Congress musical will be held Monday March 31, at 7:30 p.m. The East Side Community Gospel Choir will be presented in a gospel program.

The Congress will start its class periods at 9:30 am each day.

The Highlight of the Congress will be the address of our president, Mrs. McCeil Clinton Tuesday evening at 7:30 pm.

For recreational activity each church school is asked to have 3 models in a Fashion Fair Wed. evening at 7 p.m. at Lillian Edmonds School at 16th & Crocker. The participants are asked to be at the school (Lillian Edmonds) at 6:30 pm Wed evening.

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Around the State

Keokuk

Mrs. Kenneth R. Douglas

Usual services at Bethel A.M.E. church the past Sunday. Rev. D.E. Johnson pastor.

Rev. J.H. Mims filled his pulpit at Pilgrim Rest Baptist church on last Sunday. A nice crowd in attendance.

The Hi-Notes Social club met with Mrs. Margaret Merritt on Thursday evening, March 20th.

Miss Pamela Conn of Rock Island, Ill., spent the past week visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Conn.

Miss Sheila Kase of Detroit, Mich., is visiting in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Ada Kase.

The League of Women Voters held their annual meeting on Thursday of last week at the Keokuk Country Club. State Senator Minnette Doderer was the speaker. Her subject, "Women in Politics." During the annual business meeting, Mrs. Mary Majors was elected 2nd Vice President of the organization.

Mr. Elroy Galbreath has returned from the Veterans Hospital in Iowa City where he has been a patient for several days.

Mrs. Mary Louise Clay and children of Rock Island, Ill., spent the weekend visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Bates will spend the Easter weekend with their daughter, Miss Alberta Bates in Des Moines, Iowa.

Ft. Madison

Mrs. Dessie Burt

Second Baptist church, had their regular Sunday morning services, with the pastor Rev. W. J. Laster, in charge. He delivered the morning message in the afternoon. The guest speaker was Rev. D.E. Johnson, pastor of Bethel A.M.E. church, of Keokuk, Sunday Mar. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Carter and family of Keokuk were up to visit his mother Mrs. Hattie Carter, Sunday evening, March 23.

Mont Oliver Baptist church had their regular Sunday morning services with the pastor, Rev. Albert Sparks, of New Boston, Sunday March 23.

Mr. John Valentine, entertained a few relatives at the Holiday Inn in honor of his wife's birthday. After dinner they took a ride and returned to the home of the Valentines, where refreshments were served. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Marsh, Mrs. Mollie Rudd, Mrs. Ira Wyatt. Because of illness, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Woods were unable to attend. Mrs. Valentine received several very nice gifts.

Mrs. Margaret Dawson, Mrs. Geraldine Baker, Audrey

Carter, Mrs. Ina Bates, and Mrs. Hattie Carter, all had birthdays in March.

Mrs. Mollie Rudd and Mrs. Hattie Carter went to the Nursing home, visiting Mrs. William Boyd, Monday March 17.

Sioux City

Mrs. Laura Sudduth was appointed Equal Opportunity Officer for the City of Sioux City.

Mrs. Elizabeth Green is still in Kansas City. Her brother, Meredith Ray and wife are both hospitalized.

Ernestine Boykin and Beatrice Johnson presented the Sioux City Council, March 10th, a petition with 57 signatures. What's the problem? Residents in the 1528 Center Street area contacted Mrs. Boykin and Miss Johnson asking for their assistance. Robert Mathison Sr. wants to open Bob's Lighthouse No. 2. The fact that his establishment will offer food, blackjack tables, live entertainment and liquor is every indication that the Lighthouse will generate more patrons and cars then the neighborhood can accommodate. Center Street is a narrow street and there is parking allowed on only one side of the street. Mr. Mathison Sr. does not have adequate off-street parking for his facility. When Pizza King was at that location previously, residents complained about having to park, in some cases, 3 blocks away from home. Mr. Arnold Davis, one of these residents who testified at the Council meeting on March 17th when the license came up again for approval stated that he had to park 3 and sometimes 4 blocks from home and was snowed in, but away from home. If you didn't get parked in front of your home before the Pizza King opened, chances were that you wouldn't get in until the business closed for the night.

The Sioux City Council denied Mr. Mathison's application for a beer liquor license. But the State has the right to over-rule the City Council.

The area is zoned for a tavern but in 1962 the City re-zoned the area without a request from any homeowner, consequently, residents were not aware that they were living in a GENERAL MANUFACTURING zoned area instead of RESIDENTIAL.

People from all parts of Sioux City have contacted Mrs. Boykin and are watching this case with great interest. The power of the City to re-zone leaving an area vulnerable to undesired businesses and traffic congestion and the power of the State to over-rule the City who is familiar with conditions and circumstances.

OBITUARIES

MRS. EARTHEL WARTHEN

Services for Mrs. Earthe B. Warthen, 63, of St. Ann, Ill., a former Des Moines resident, were held at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at the L. Fowler and Son Funeral Home here with burial at Glendale Cemetery.

Mrs. Warthen, who died Friday at an Illinois hospital of pneumonia, moved to Illinois from Des Moines 28 years ago. She was a member of the Greater St. Paul Baptist Church in St. Ann, Ill.

Survivors include her husband, Theodore; a son, Levster Fitzpatrick of Des Moines; a sister, Mrs. Leona Ward of Los Angeles, Calif.; her stepmother, Mrs. Effie Bogey of Des Moines, four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

MRS. CATHERINE C. CURTIS

Mrs. Catherine Carr Curtis, 59, of 805 S.E. Shaw St., died of cancer Sunday at Mercy Hospital after a four month illness.

Services were held at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at Mt. Olive Baptist Church, of which she was a member with burial in Glendale Cemetery.

Mrs. Curtis, a native of Buxton in Monroe County, had lived in Des Moines 52 years and was an employee of Great Plains Bag Corp.

Surviving are four daughters. Mrs. Getch Jaco, Mrs. Ellen Edwards, Rosalind Miller and Myrtle Curtis, all of Des Moines; five sisters, Mrs. Maryetta Singleton, Mrs. Louise Caldron and Mrs. Lillian Clinton, all of Des Moines, and Mrs. Odessa Brown of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. Violet Allen of Waterloo; two brothers, Eugene Carr and Willie Carr, both of Des Moines; 12 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

There was a wake from 7 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at L. Fowler and Son Funeral Home.

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Spotlight On Teachers

by Wanda K. Brownlee
Soph. Simpson College

A few colleges in Iowa boast a number of talented and outstanding black educators like Mrs. Rosalynne Tynes, a recent appointment to the Sociology Dept. of Simpson College.

Mrs. Tynes was born and raised in Harlem, an area of New York City. Following graduation she attended Central State University in Ohio where she majored in English for one semester. Mrs. Tynes spent one summer with the New York domestic Peace Corps as an english tutor to less advantaged young people. She indicated to me that as a result of this experience she became

Grand Marshalls for the Fifth Annual Easter Parade in the South East section of Los Angeles on Sunday March (30).

However Maestro Barry White and Love Unlimited have purchased and donated several motorized chassis bodies for the high school students of South East Los Angeles to build their own Easter Parade Floats for this Fifth Annual Easter Parade.

Additionally and representing 'The Maestro' in this annual event, will be the Little League Baseball Team of "The Maestro Players" sponsored by Maestro Barry White and comprised of future baseball hopefuls between the ages of eight and eleven years of age from the South East section of Los Angeles.



Mrs. Rosalynne Tynes

interested in the social and behavioral problems of people.

Thus, upon her return to Central State she completed a major in the department of psychology. After graduation she worked for the department of Social Services assigned to Spanish speaking clients because of her fluency in Spanish.

She received a scholarship to attend Hunter College where she completed a masters degree in social work. She has worked with various social community services and she states that her training at the psychoanalytical training school was extremely useful.

Mrs. Tynes is married and her hobbies are traveling, photography, knitting, and modern dance. From my contact and conversation with Mrs. Tynes it is apparent that she is compassionately concerned about the welfare of her student and will be a valuable asset to the academic programs at Simpson College.

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Gateway Dancers Charm Audience At Links, Inc. Benefit Performance

A full house at Levitt Theatre, in the Art Center witnessed the classical program presented by the Gateway Dance Theatre on Sunday, March 23rd. The hour long program of 11 dancers included East Indian African and Caribbean dances also modern interpretative dance influenced by these styles.

The program opened "Curried Soul", a blending of classical East Indian Dance and Afro-American dance. This was started by a devotional dance prayer performed in tradition of the East Indian Technique.

The program next moved to a spiritual "Wade in the water" and Lena Horne's version "Being green", "Love Theme", "Rise up Shepard" and Hubert Laws' arrangement of "Amazing Grace" was following by an impression of the lyrical African dance inspired by the dance classes of Charles Moore,

the late Brad Wilson, teachers of the Kathryn Dunham Technique also "So Bad" a blues style dance to the music of James Brown. Moode, a dance influenced by the dance movements of India was performed by Roberta Flack with a composition by Robert Flack, Donny Hathway, accompanist.

The program ended with Jamoca, a lively dance impression reflecting the influence of African groups in the Caribbean Islands.

The five performers were Penny Ferguson, Toni Jones, Gail Watson. The dance numbers were presented as music being a vital part of the dances and that the music and dance complimented each other.

The program was sponsored by the Des Moines Chapter of the Links, Inc. as a benefit performance for the Des Moines Art Center.

American Legion Aux.

The American Legion aux. No. 126 will meet on Tuesday April 1st at 7:00 p.m. We would like all members to be present as we are raffelling off the home that day.

We thank everyone for attending our post's birthday party. It was enjoyed by all. Pres. Lora Warden, Sec. Mary Ratton.

Elk News

Remember, Oratical Students to keep in touch with Mrs. Bernice Carter. Dead line for entering is March 28, 1975.

Remember the shut-ins. Rose Temple No. 33 will meet Friday, March 28 at 8 p.m.

Intiannu's

The Intiannu's met at the home of Darlene Johnson Friday February 28th. Club members plan to entertain their children April 4th with a skating party rather than an Easter Egg hunt.

Next Club meeting will be held at the home of Dee Morris.

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Women's Conference Meets April 26-27th

A unique statewide conference is being planned for April 26-27 by the Iowa Women's political caucus. The conference is called "I'm not a women's libber, but..." and will be held in the Hotel Fort Des Moines in Des Moines. The conference will focus on the concerns that many women share, according to conference coordinator Marijean Brehm.

The workshop titles focus around the conference theme. They are: "Where are the Female Michelangelo's?" (Women in Art); "Why is it so difficult to get Credit?" (Credit practices and discrimination); "My Doctor won't answer my questions!" (Health Care System); "How Does Feminism relate to the Black Movement?" (Sexism and Racism); "Why does everybody have to be a

'He'?" (Politics of semantics; "Why do I always have to do the dishes?" (Marital Cooperation); "Does the Bible say Women Must be Subservient?" (Women and Religion); "I'm sick of Norman Mailer!" (Femininity in literature); "My Children are Grown and my Life lacks Direction." (Empty nest syndrome); "Is Betsy Ross the only Woman in History?" (Herstory); "Why Can't I do a Man's Job?" (Non-Traditional Careers for Women); and "Are there still laws that discriminate against women?" (Laws and Era).

Ms. Brehm said that the conference is open to the public and is specifically directed to women who are seeking education and information on these issues and an opportunity to discuss the issues with experts and other women.

Change in Drake's summer schedule

Friday, July 11.

Drake University has changed its summer schedule to make it more flexible for students who wish to take courses in Summer Session-1975, according to Dr. Donald G. Wallace, Director of the Summer Session.

"About 38 per cent of our graduate students in the summer are teachers in the Des Moines area," Dr. Wallace said. "We have created two four-week terms in addition to our two five-week terms to accommodate them within the limits of their schools' schedules."

The first four-week term will begin Monday, June 16, and end Friday, July 11. The second will begin Monday, July 14, and end Friday, August 8. Classes in the four-week terms will meet for an hour and 50 minutes as opposed to the 90 minutes of the classes in the five-week terms. Four-week term classes will meet only during the day.

The first five-week term of day and evening classes will begin Monday, June 9, and end Friday, July 11. The second will begin Monday, July 14, and end Friday, August 15; which is also the date of Drake's Summer Commencement.

Summer Session students in the Drake Law School will take courses in an eight-week term from Monday, June 9, through Thursday, July 31. Students in Drake's Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.) degree program will take courses in an eight-week period beginning Monday, May 19, and ending

7:00 p.m. on Saturday and will be closed. The music for the closed formal ball will be provided by a renown group from Peoria Heights Illinois and will begin at 10:00 p.m. on Saturday.

North Central Provincial Polemarch Floyd Campbell of Milwaukee, Wisconsin has stated that the following schedule of events for the meeting will make this annual provincial both memorable and beneficial.

Friday, April 4, 1975

Time	Event	Location
8:00 A.M.	Registration	Mezzanine
9:00 A.M.	Placement Center	Wedwood Rm.
10:00 A.M.	Board of Director's Meeting	Governor Rm.
11:30 A.M.	Province Polemarch / Board of Directors Luncheon	Capital Rm.
1:00 P.M.	Business Session	State Rm.
4:00 P.M.	Registration Closed Placement Center Closed Committee Meetings:	
5:00 P.M.	Hospitality Hour	
9:00 P.M.	Cocktail "Mixer"	DM Alumni Suite
10:00 P.M.	Pan-Hellenic Dance	State Rms
Saturday, April 5, 1975		
Time	Event	Location
8:00 A.M.	Registration	Mezzanine
9:00 A.M.	Placement Center Business Meeting	Wedwood Rm.
11:30 A.M.	Group Pictures	State Rm.
12:00 Noon	Undergraduate Luncheon	Capital Rm.
1:30 P.M.	Business Session	State Rm.
3:30 P.M.	Placement Center Closed	
4:30 P.M.	Cocktails	
7:00 P.M.	Banquet	DM Alumni Suite Capital-State-Governor Rms. Grand Ball Rm.
10:00 P.M.	Formal Ball	

Kappa Alpha Psi 25th Anniversary



The members of Kappa Alpha Psi encourage your participation in the events which have been scheduled in which you can participate and hope that you will assist them in making the 1975 North Central Provincial Meeting a memorable one.

THE KAPPAS ARE COMING!

The Des Moines Alumni Chapter will commemorate its 25th anniversary by hosting the 1975 North Central Provincial Meeting on Friday, April 4, 1975 and Saturday, April 5, 1975 at the Fort Des Moines Hotel in Des Moines, Iowa. There are three hundred (300) Kappas who reside in the states of Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Minnesota, and Wisconsin expected for this annual meeting. The provincial participants will be housed at the Hotel Fort Des Moines. Registration will begin promptly at 8:00 a.m. each day.

The theme of this provincial meeting will have emphasis placed on the economic crisis and affirmative action efforts. To further this concept and to facilitate affirmative action efforts Kappa Alpha Psi will have a Placement Center at the provincial. The Placement Center will be located in the Wedgewood Room of the Fort Des Moines Hotel and will be open from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. on Friday, April 4, 1975 and from 9:00 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. on Saturday, April 5, 1975. Some of the companies who will be located at the Placement Center are American Republic Insurance Company, Iowa Power and Light Company, Northwestern Bell Telephone Company, Ruan Transport Company, I.B.M., the Des Moines Public School System, Equitable of Iowa, Blue

Cross-Blue Shield Insurance Company, the Action and Peace Corps, and Executive Opportunities, Inc. of Los

Angeles, California. Any employer interested in participating should contact Brother Joseph White at 515/276-6726 to obtain further details as soon as possible. The service of the Placement Center is available to the public and to all members of the various "protected classes". Each prospective applicant should be prepared to be interviewed by company representatives and submit to these company representatives a typed resume. The information which should be made available to the company representatives on each resume is as follows: name; current home address; current home telephone number; current business address; current business telephone number; current occupational title; past employment history including the employer's name and address, job title, dates of employment, length of employment, and name of superior; past educational history including the name of the school, area of specialization or type of training received, dates of attendance, the type of degree, or certificate received, the date of degree or certificate received, and the location of the school; a history of civic activities; a history of career related activities; professional

organization memberships and union affiliations; a list of awards and honors; and a list of other job related activities. Please help Kappa Alpha Psi make the Placement Center successful by your participation.

The featured activities will be Pan-Hellenic Dance, the Undergraduate Luncheon, and the Banquet and Formal Ball. The Pan-Hellenic Dance will be held on Friday at 10:00 p.m. in the State Room of the Fort Des Moines Hotel. The music for this dance will be provided by the L S Movement and the dance will be open to members of all Greek organizations. The Undergraduate Luncheon will be held at noon on Saturday and the featured speaker will be Senior Vice Provincial Polemarch Westley Chapman. Brother Chapman who is currently Director of Inter-cultural Affairs for the Des Moines Public Schools received his Bachelor of Arts Degree from Washburn University of Topeka, Kansas in 1969 in History and Political Science. Brother Chapman is currently working on a Masters Degree in Education Administration. The banquet speaker will be Brother James E. Bowman who is Executive Director of Elementary Education for the Des Moines Public Schools. Brother Bowman received his bachelor of arts and his master of science degrees from Drake University in Des Moines. The banquet will begin promptly at

He Is Number One

Milwaukee, Wis. March 20th.

A 17 year-old Lincoln high school senior was named Boy of the year by the Boy's Club of America, inc., in Washington, D.C. Tuesday.

Kenneth Ivory, representing the Franklin Place unit, Milwaukee Boys' Club, was installed as Boy of the Year by President Gerald Ford in White House ceremonies Wednesday morning.

Ivory won the honor in competition with nine other regional winners, representing thousands of boys in Boys' Clubs throughout the country. He was presented a \$4,000 scholarship. In addition, the Milwaukee Boy's Club will receive \$2,500 donated to its scholarship fund.

The president of Lincoln's senior class, Ivory is also captain of the Comets' football basketball, and baseball teams. He was an all city selection in football while also enjoying honor roll status in his studies. Ivory enjoys playing chess, takes part in drama, volunteers for the Red Cross, and sings in the choir of the Jordan Missionary Baptist church.

One of 11 children, Ivory is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Ivory of 309 E. Lloyd St.

ENTERTAINMENT

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WORLD

Mahalia Jackson's Last Easter



Mahalia Jackson

The following copy is an edited excerpt from the book, "Just Mahalia, Baby," a biography of the internationally acclaimed gospel singer Mahalia Jackson.

Saturday she walked into the New Otani ballroom for her programmed press conference and confronted some 200 writers and cameramen from all media at the ready: seated, standing, crouching ... Now it was all Mahalia's. And listen to her ...

The question was about her first concert being on Easter. Mahalia had been struck by this herself. It wasn't on purpose, not for commercial purpose, she knew: there wasn't one percent Christians in the whole country. That's nothing but God's work. "I hope I can share this glorious feeling that I feel about Easter with Japan," she said, hands reaching to cup it. "We can share each other's love, you know, and I believe that this is one of the greatest ways to share our appreciation of love — not only Easter Sunday but every day for what Easter stands for ... love of your fellow man ... love for the world. Easter is the redemption — redeem man back to his rightful place, and that place is to be happy between him and his creator."

"Oh ... sometimes we get happy, we get a joyful feeling and we sing and we sing, and we have a great imagination and a great belief about the beyond, tomorrow ... we believe in living after death because we are taught that in death we live eternally. So we make a joyful noise sometimes when we feel that we are oppressed. We say 'It's not going to be like this always. There's a brighter day ahead if I can just hold on; there's a brighter day ahead, not only in death but here where we live.' We keep this hope and build upon that, that life can be

beautiful through all obstacles. The most beautiful flower in the world is the rose and it's full of thorns. So sometimes oppression makes us beautiful ... because there's something that's bigger than you are. It's a force, it's an inner power ..."

She sat back; but there was no stopping. "You can sing it, you can teach it, you can preach it, and you can live it. If the gospel applied, there would be more love, with your brother, your fellow man. But because we have not this real love, we have fallen away from what we really are. We are in the image and the likeness. I was reading in one of your books, from your Bible, the Buddha, that explains the same thing. Love you each other — and when you have this love, it brings this truth, that nothing else in life can do. It

brings this joy. And it gives the satisfaction that is in here," she said, long fingers pressing her heart; "not the lust of the flesh, but in here." The room was hushed. "Without love there will always be wars and confusion. Without love, there will always be discrimination. One nation against another. And who knows how many years, millions of years, we have been having these signals to love even one another? Until we do this, we are going to destroy ourselves."

On, on the questions went, insatiably ... until finally ... her happiest moment? "Oh, there've been so many, I —" She stopped and seemed to be sifting her crowded life. Then she answered slowly, surely, "The only thing I could say, to me, is when I found favor in the sight of the Lord. Then I felt happy. And this was not any big ovation, nor nothing; it was a quiet moment; and to me, in the solitude, by myself, being accepted as a Christian — I consider that the most happy moment in my life."

Two hours, and they were reluctant to let her go. "Can you give us a short personal message for Easter Sunday?" ... Mahalia straightened, eyes glistening. "Ohhhhh yeeeeeess! There's no way for me to have words to express to you what Easter Sunday means personally to me, and to all Christians all over the world because — we believe that Christ died because he loves us, Christ gave his life that we might have life abundantly, while we live, and after death, we shall live on," she said earnestly ... "The world is very small today. Everywhere I go, man wants to be free; he wants to be free. And he has found out that material things does not give you this freedom — you already have it within; but you must pull up on this inner power that your creator gave you and you shall be free ..."

"There have been some very, very intellectual people that have gone around saying 'God is dead.' Well, He's not dead," said Mahalia, voice intimate as if they were sharing a cup of tea, "because I talked to Him this morning. And he tells me He loves me, and He calls me His own and we rejoice because man has a chance to be back in

his rightful place — in paradise. Love the Lord with all your heart, with all your mind, all your soul... God is sooo big. You that don't know me, don't form your opinion about me, 'cause we all one." A Japanese writer rose to thank Mahalia in lilting English. Then Mahalia smiled — tender as a mother with a newborn babe — stretched her arms wide and upward, said softly, "Let's have the blessing," and in utter stillness from the crowded room sang four lines of *His Eye Is On The Sparrow*.



THE ROAD BACK: Pearl Bailey, the victim of three heart attacks, contemplates her experiences and the road back after recovery on "Feeling Good," the television series on health that returns to PBS this spring with a new format. Miss Bailey is looking at a nightgown she was wearing on one of the occasions that she had an attack. In this episode she also talks about what she is doing to help prevent recurrent attacks and sings about the feeling of coming back into the workaday world. *Feeling Good* is a production of CTW and can be seen on the 250 stations of the Public Broadcasting Service (8 p.m. Eastern/7 p.m. Central). This particular episode will be seen on a program focusing on post heart attack recovery which is scheduled for broadcast April 16.

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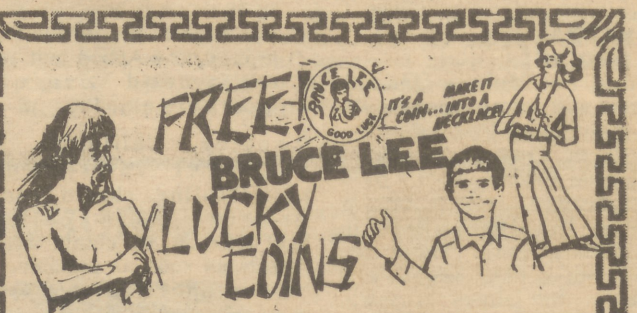
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Joleen Spencer

Ames, Iowa—Joleen Spencer of Waterloo, a junior in journalism and mass communication at Iowa State University, has been voted the Mortar Board Alumnae Award by the ISU Ames chapter. Mortar Board is a women's scholastic and leadership honorary.

Miss Spencer has compiled an outstanding record as an Iowa State student. She has supplemented several scholarships and grants to finance her education by participating in work-study programs at the Black Cultural Center and the student counseling service, has served as a waitress in a supper club, as a highway commission surveyor-inspector, and as student assistant in the ISU advanced preparation project.

Her campus activities include

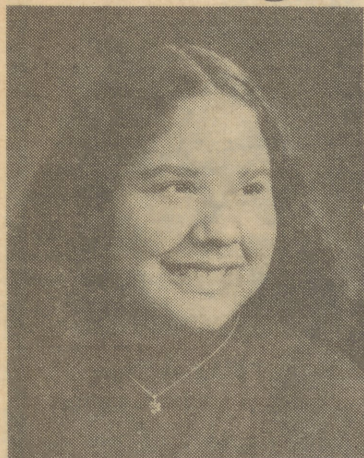
vice president of her residence house; Black Awareness week coordinator; Women's Week central committee; women's gymnastics team 1971-72; Student Alumni Association; Cyclone Days co-chairperson; and ad hoc student grievance committee.

Scholastically she has achieved a grade point average of 3.1. She has applied for admission to the Stanford and Harvard graduate business school programs.

The Mortar Board citation for service and leadership, awarded in honor of the late Susan Brown, an ISU staff member, was presented by Julia M. Anderson, associate dean of the College of Home Economics.

Miss Spencer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Spencer, 216 Oliver St., Waterloo.

Dowling



Cathy Campbell

In the past, you heard me do my thing on the Black Awareness Show. Vel Turner and I brought the most current happenings around Des Moines to you through music, guest speakers and lots of educational rap. Now you will see me put my expressions down on paper. That's right, I'm Cathy Campbell, former radio co-host that has bone newspaper.

I'm a senior at Dowling High School and will be attending Drake University in the fall. And may I comment I'm very proud to be a part of the New Iowa Bystander News team.

My job is to bring you current happenings at Dowling such as black women in sports, what

Courses Offered At DMACC

A course in Custodial "Know How" will be offered in the area by Des Moines Area Community College with classes starting at Norwalk Community High School March 27 and at Johnston Community High School April 1.

Norwalk classes will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. each Thursday night through May 1. Classes at Johnston will be from 7 to 9 each Tuesday night until May 6.

The 12-hour course includes instruction in floor coverings, safety, building maintenance, basic work procedures, detergents and a general session on the qualifications, responsibilities and obligations of custodians.

Sponsored by the college in cooperation with the engineering extension service at Iowa State University, those who complete the course will qualify as Certified Building Custodians-Level II.

Fee is \$10. Pre-registration may be completed by calling Jim Wertz at 964-0651, Ext. 265. Lewis McQuaid will instruct the courses.

Refrigeration Air Conditioning

A short course on Basic Refrigeration and Air Conditioning will be offered at Indianola Community High School, beginning April 3 and ending June 5. It is sponsored by Des Moines Area Community College.

Classes will meet each Thursday night from 7 till 10 through June 5.

George Boothe, Des Moines, will be the instructor. The course is designed to provide introductory information related to refrigeration and air conditioning. Also covered will be the theory of operation, maintenance and trouble diagnosis.

Cost of the course is \$25. To pre-register, contact Jim Wertz at the college.

Public Library Fine-Free Days At Library

Friday and Saturday, April 4th and 5th, will be fine-free days at the Public Library of Des Moines, the second such event in the Library's one-hundred-and-eight year old history. All agencies of the Library will receive overdue books from nine a.m. to five p.m.

Patrons are urged to return all kinds of library materials they may have in their possession - books, pamphlets, art prints, recordings, or film; no fines will be charged; no questions will be asked.

relations exist between the black and white students, and current projects in the Black Student Union.

I also will occasionally be touching on various happenings at Drake University.

If there is any topic concerning Dowling that you would like me to research, please let me know by calling me at 262-1816. Love hearing from you!

Cathy Campbell
Dowling High School



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The poems selected will be published in collected works of poetry by black Iowans in August of 1975. All entries must be typed; or neatly written and two copies of each entry should be sent to Soul Arts Limited, P.O. Box 87, Des Moines, Iowa 50302.

The deadline for all entries will be May 31, 1975. Please include a self-addressed-stamped envelope, with each entry.



By Pamela Spencer

Roosevelt Track Teams Underway

Boy and girl tracksters have begun workouts for the '75' season. Some practice's have been fairly hard and others pretty easy.

Numerous riders are returning again this year, to show a fine performance. Seniors Arthur Lee, Donald Michael, Dorothy Claytor, and myself will be competing in high school events for the last time.

Juniors Carla Riddle, Kim McCracken, Larry Fowler, Twila Greene, and Kim Jackson, are going to be participating again next year. Sophomores

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Knights Of Pythias held Anniversary-Thanksgiving service



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Vice Grand Chancellor Tommie Van Arsdale and chancellor commander of Ferguson No. 5 Sir Donald Austin, Keeper of Records & Seals Stokes Lodge No. 8.



Sister W. Higgins receiving instructions from the Grand Chancellor Commander, Mack A. Butler.



Sir Bell standing at extreme right of Independent Lodge No. 4, Des Moines, Iowa.



Sister Lola Thems, Grand Worthy councilor



Sister Kaltryn Williams, worthy councilor, Symarina Ct. Des Moines.



Sister Pearl Nickols, worthy councilor, Des Moines.



Sir Fredrick Carter, Chairman Youth Education of State of Iowa.

The Iowa Jurisdiction of the Knights of Pythias of North America, South America, Europe, Asia, Africa, and Australia, held its Anniversary-Thanksgiving Service in Fort Dodge, Iowa, Sunday, March 23, 1975. The service was held at the Coppen Chapel A.M.E. Church, Rev. Leroy Patterson, Minister, at 3:00 p.m.

By proclamation of Sir R.A. Hester, Supreme Chancellor, all Pythians and Calanthes are to hold special observances on this date. Sir Hester's proclamation states in part, "Thanksgiving Day is the day on which we assemble in prayerful Thanksgiving to show our gratitude to almighty God for the many blessings He has bestowed upon us. Today, we assemble and re-dedicate ourselves and pledge our continued support and loyalty to the ideals of our Order. We are proud of our rich heritage and ever mindful of our weighty responsibilities. Let us move forward aggressively and continue to build the Knights of Pythias and all of its departments."

Grand Chancellor Butler thanked every member of the Iowa K. P. for attending the Thanksgiving Day in Fort Dodge. The annual Spring Board began at 10:00 a.m. at the Holiday Inn with a joint session of Ladies and Knights. At 1:30 p.m. dinner was served at the Coppen Chapel Church by the Missionary Society. Following the dinner, at 3:00 p.m. the Thanksgiving Service was held in the church sanctuary. Rev. Patterson delivered the message. Sister Dorothy Sallis of Arria Court in Waterloo and members of the Waterloo Lodge provided special music.

Sincere congratulations to Sir McGinnis, who worked faithfully and diligently to make the new G.G. Stokes Lodge No. 8 a reality; and to each of our new Brothers. Welcome to the Pithian family and we are sure your lives will be enriched by the fellowship in our Order.

New Member of Lodges were

chosen in a recent initiation. Furgerson Lodge gave the first degree to Clinton Coley, Willie Goodson, and Mr. Wright.

W. W. Parker Lodge has added two new member, Tony Stevens and Lawrence Bryant.

Independence Lodge No. 4 has two new Knights, Donald Vaughn and James E. O'Daye.

Sir James E. O'Daye was appointed grand Photographer of the state.

The Independent Lodge No. 4 will host the grand lodge of K.P. in Des Moines Iowa in the month of June 1975.

Mary Church Terrell Club No. 11

The Club met on March 14th, at the home of the President Mabel Spencer with Co Host Dorothy Hammitt.

The evening started out with appetizer wine and cheese, which was the beginning of a progressive wine and Cheese Tasting party.

After the business meeting Dorothy Hammitt gave a history on Wine and a Quiz game was played. "What do you know about Wine" and prizes given to the best team.

Sparkling wine was then served with cheese and grapes.

The girls then went to the home of the Co Host for dinner wines and a delicious cheese loaf.

A dessert wine was served with cheese and fruit.

The Atmosphere and evening was enjoyable.

Daughters of Des Moines

The members of the Daughters of Des Moines met at the home of Erma Carr on Sunday March 23rd, with Darlene Woods, Presiding two new members were voted in.

The next meeting will be at the home of Gretchen Jaco, on April 27th.

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Fifth year pipefitter apprentice

It has seemed like a long time for John Hall to be a Pipefitter apprentice but next month he will complete his apprenticeship and become a journeyman. John works for Proctor Plumbing and Heating, Inc., 63 College Avenue. Some of the jobs he has worked on are the Des Moines Area Community College, Holiday Inn and the Airport.

John graduated from Tech High in 1966, where he participated in football and track. John, his wife Marlene and two daughters live at 6319 Hickman. He said he has no problems with his work and likes it very much. He also said it enabled him to raise his standard of living.

In addition to his on the job training he spends eight hours on Saturday in related training classroom work, where among



John Hall

other things he has learned blueprint reading and welding.

Mr. Raymond Sullivan, Business Manager of the United Association of Journeymen Plumbers and Pipefitters Local Union No. 33, said John Hall is one of the best apprentices we have and should be a fine journeyman when he completes his apprenticeship next month.

V.A. Questions & Answers

Q — How many Spanish-American War veterans are there, and what is their average age?

A — There are about 1,000 living Spanish-American War veterans out of 392,000 participants in the conflict that ended in 1902. Their average age is 94.9 years, according to the Veterans Administration.

Q — As a veteran's widow, I was drawing Veterans Administration pension until I remarried. Since my second husband died recently, can I get back on the VA pension roll?

A — Yes. Under current law, a formerly eligible widow may regain her pension if the subsequent remarriage ends in death or divorce—provided her income and net worth do not exceed income limitations.

Q — I am an 18-year-old son of a veteran who has a 60 per cent service-connected disability. Am I eligible for Veterans Administration education benefits?

A — No. Only children of veterans who suffered permanent, total disabilities or deaths from service-connected

causes, or children of military service personnel missing in action or prisoners of war for more than 90 days are eligible for education benefits.

Third in Spring Series Program

A slide presentation program "The Alps" will be presented by Dr. Victor Mastin on Tuesday, April 1, 1:15 p.m. in the Main Lounge of the First Baptist Church, 8th and High Streets.

This is the third in the spring series of programs especially for senior citizens - "Making Your Spare Time Worthwhile" - co-sponsored by the Downtown Kiwanis Club and the Department of Community and Adult Education of the Des Moines Public Schools and is open to the public without charge.

For additional information, contact the Department of Community and Adult Education, 284-7701.

NEWS MUST BE TYPED

We appreciate receiving all the news from various active groups, clubs and churches in the area. However, the Bystander will no longer accept news that is not typewritten. This is for your benefit as well as ours. Thank you.

Easter Sunday Special on ABC

"The Right to Believe"—a one-hour color special on religious freedom in America—will be televised by ABC on Easter Sunday.

The network will broadcast the program at 1 p.m. EDT on Sunday, March 30. (Check local listings for time and channel.)

"The Right to Believe" is a Public Affairs Presentation of ABC News, produced in association with the Film and Broadcasting office of the United States Catholic Conference. Faith groups which have endorsed the program include the National Council of Churches, the Southern Baptist Convention, and the Jewish Theological Seminary of America.

The program surveys the major sources in the growth of religious liberty in this country, from the established churches in the colonies to the emerging recognition of individual moral grounds for conscientious objection today.

According to the Catholic Film Newsletter, the program illustrates that "the history of religious liberty is much more than the sum of past events, an accomplishment to be celebrated occasionally and then treated with benign neglect."

"The slow evolution of religious toleration has many dark chapters reminding us that it was only achieved by the suffering and sacrifice of many individuals of different beliefs," the Newsletter says. "And the cost of that history helps us realize that religious freedom is part of a living tradition, an ongoing process in which each generation learns to respect the moral convictions of their fellow citizens."

Eight Out Of Civil Rights Case In Federal Court

Upon the motion of council for the plaintiffs in the \$250,000 law suit in the Federal District Court of Iowa, eight plaintiffs were permitted to drop out of the suit by order of the United States District Judge William C. Stuart.

The suit was filed in U.S. District Court following drug raids in October, 1972, on the Ebony Lounge at 1101 University Ave. and Robert's Lounge at 1025 University Ave.

However, the order was conditioned that each of those who dropped out would be required to pay the sum of \$227.00 each of court costs which had accrued up until this time.

James B. Morris, Jr. who was one of the attorneys for the plaintiffs told the court that four of the plaintiffs including Ella McDonald, Roberta Terrell, LeRoy Cunningham, Jr., and George Brewer were not in the establishments when they were raided. He also asked that Thomas Pinson, Reginald Holt, Diane Craddock, and Diane Morrison be removed from the lawsuit since they no longer live in Iowa.

Other plaintiffs in the \$250,000 damage suit are Greg Greenfield, Rubben Jones, John Manuel, Rosalind Miller, Fred Burrell, Marva Williams, Mary Fowler, William Jewett, Tony Wilson, Ila Flanigan and Barbara Williams.

All eight of those who were permitted to drop out had signed a consent at the meeting where a group of citizens gathered to protest and decide what course of action should be taken to secure redress.

Defendants

Defendants in the lawsuit are Dennis Harker of the Federal Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs in St. Louis, Mo.; Romaine G. Thornton, head of the Federal Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs

in Des Moines; Lt. Richard Lamb of the Metropolitan Area Narcotics Squad; Wendell Nichols, chief of the Iowa Highway Patrol; Harold Grindle, U.S. marshal, and George H. Maher, director of the Narcotics and Drug Division of the Iowa Department of Public Safety.

Early School dismissal

Des Moines public school students will be dismissed at 2:30 p.m., Friday (March 28) for the annual spring vacation.

The one-week vacation, which comes at the mid-point of the second semester, will end with the resumption of classes on Monday, April 7.

Black Colleges in Bind Says Howard University Pres.

San Francisco, Calif. — Howard University's president says the nation's black colleges and universities are in deep financial trouble and minority youths do not have equal access to higher education.

"There is a prevailing attitude that says black institutions don't need as much money as the white institutions," Dr. James E. Cheek said. "Yale University has approximately the same enrollment and same programs as Howard, but Howard's budget is \$80 million, half that of Yale's."

He said the nation's 8.5 million college and university students include only 350,000 black students. "We have more black men of college age in prison than in college."

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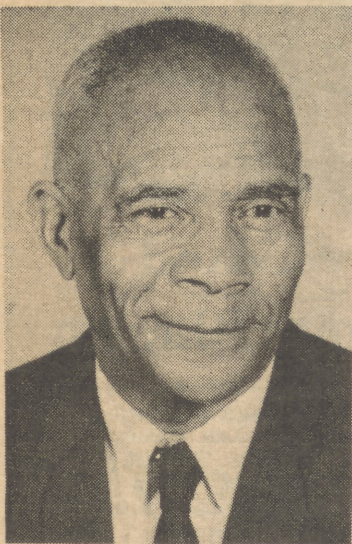
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By Allen Ashby

I was half right over the week end. All year I have been saying that Indiana and Lincoln were going to get it because maintaining those streaks created too much pressure. The Hoosiers did fall in a game that could have gone either way. As I watched the games Saturday, I was impressed by this new UCLA ball club. They don't go to one man as they did when they had Bill Walton, but every man seems to be capable of getting hot and making things rough for the opposition, so you can't defense against the big star because there isn't any. It looked as if Arizona State was going to be in the ball game all the way, but when the Bruins got rolling it was all over. Could be wrong, but I don't think Louisville can handle the Uclans. Kentucky was might impressive last week and this week they did in Indiana, so you would have to give them a shot at the title. They must have some hot shooters at guards, because they wrecked the Hoosiers from far out. Now you don't win too often with shooting like that, and they had better be on when and if they play Wood's club. If they are, they might take it all. Of course I am thinking that Kentucky will handle Syracuse, but those fellows, just don't give up, and may take more beating than most folks think. When four teams get down to the last round, they are all good, and any one of them has a chance to take home all the marbles. Then the guys from the west coast have been there so many times, that they may have a little too much composure for the rest, who are going to be keyed higher than a kite. The UCLANS may have a revenge motive because of last year, when they should have won it all in regulation time. Their coach says he never plans to win a game, but you can bet that he would like to even the score or make it another one.

Lincoln wins in spite of my jinx

I have been saying that the pressure was going to get to Lincoln High in the state meet, but they didn't show it last week end. I thought that when they got behind in the final game that they would lose their cool, but they seemed to know just what to do. Usually, when teams who are used to winning rather big, get behind, they tend to try to change their game plan and usually end up not doing anything right. But the guys from Lincoln didn't do that. They hung in there and got their game in gear for the win they all wanted. I can see why they are happy over there. Remember when people rooted against Roosevelt in the state meet? I don't think they were doing that against the Railsplitters. Roosevelt players used to act so cocky that they irritated one, but the fellows on this team were just some more fellows, and I never heard anyone say that he wished they

would lose.

Now What?

While Lincoln was winning our state title here, Wendell Phillip High of Chicago was winning the Illinois state title. Phillips, a school that was once all black and probably is ninety percent that way now, was more or less expected to take it, but not quite so easily. The thing about the Illinois meet was the number of black players in all of the high schools in the meet. The state has to be a fertile recruiting ground for college coaches. Wonder how many of the Chicago players can cut it in college? But now, with junior colleges to improve on their grades, they all have a chance to make it. Didn't get a look at the roster of the teams in the final meet, but just about every picture showing action was nearly all black. There must have been some non blacks there, but they didn't get into many pictures. Can they claim discrimination? And I don't know how many blacks there were in the Indiana meet, but there usually is a slug of them, and I guess this year was no exception. I have heard fellows tell of players on the big city playground who could play for anybody including the professionals, but they aren't interested in school. You hear that about so many sports. Fellows tell me that the best athletes don't always get to the school so there must be some Jim Dandies out there who don't go to school. How could one motivate those fellows? Might be worth looking into, as if somebody hasn't done it by now. As I look over the list of fine players in the Chicago district, most of the fellows are between six feet and six seven that being tops. No six ten or seven footers, at least in there, but they have to be good. Hope Iowa U gets some of them.

My readers

One of the biggest kicks I get out of recording this drivel is the number of fellow I sometimes don't even know who meet me on the street and tell me I have written something about them that made them do something. Every so often I meet a fellow who tells me that, and I usually have to ask him who he is. I hope I can keep on hearing from those guys, and I promise I won't let it go to my head. Thanks, fellows.

A Gift

The Maple St. Baptist girls won this week's game by forfeit because the other team failed to show. Pat Marshall says the next two weeks will decide the championship of the league with three teams having a shot at it, including his girls. Bud Collins is the head coach with Pat as assistant, I guess that is the way it is. Right, fellahs?



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Standard Oil Increases Deposits In Black Banks

CHICAGO (MARCH 19) — Standard Oil Company (Indiana) in 1974 increased its aggregate short-term deposits in minority-owned financial institutions to more than \$50 million, according to the company's annual report, issued this week.

The funds — \$11 million more than in 1973 — were placed in 30 banks and savings and loan institutions in 22 cities.

The minority bank deposit program is only one element in a broader minority economic development program supported by Standard of Indiana and its wholly owned subsidiaries, Amoco Oil Company, Amoco Production Company, Amoco Chemicals Corporation and Amoco International Oil Company.

The company has programs to increase its utilization of minority suppliers and contractors, and is supporting the development of new minority enterprises through direct investment and also through Amoco Venture Capital Company, a wholly-owned Minority Enterprise Small Business Investment Company (MESBIC).

In 1974, more than 500 minority suppliers received orders totaling over \$12 million, a 20-fold increase since 1970.

Standard also invested \$305,000 in nine minority businesses, bringing the company's total investment in 21 such enterprises to over \$1,100,000. During the year, these minority companies had gross sales totaling over \$11 million and paid wages of more than \$3.7 million to 682 employees.

In addition, Standard's own dealer and jobber force included 929 minority group members at year-end, whose employees in turn numbered in the thousands.

List of minority-owned financial institutions receiving deposits in 1974 is as follows:

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Bank, Kansas City, Kan.; First Plymouth National Bank, Minneapolis, Minn.; Bank of Finance, Los Angeles, Calif.; Illinois Federal Savings, and Loan Association, Chicago, Ill.; Advance Savings and Loan Association, Baltimore, Md.; Memphis Federal Savings and Loan Association, Memphis, Tenn. and Hyde Park Federal Savings & Loan Association of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.

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Some people believe that dropping a bunch of keys is unlucky.

Abernathy Calls For March

ATLANTA, GA. (March 17, 1975) — After carefully analyzing the state and condition of Black America, I have reached the conclusion that we are faced with two very critical and serious problems that the Southern Christian Leadership Conference must address itself to on the 7th anniversary of the assassination of my most dear friend, close associate, and co-founder of this great organization, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

The two most critical issues facing Black America today are: Legal Genocidal Repression and The Depression. The most publicized form of Repression against our people is the case of 20 year old JoAnn Little, a young Black woman facing a charge of murder in Washington (Beaufort County), North Carolina. Miss Little was being held in jail in this small racist county on a charge of breaking and entering. She was the only female in the jail. There were no female guards or jailers. On the night of August 27, 1974 she was raped by 62 year old Clarence Allgood, the only jailer on duty that night. Miss Little fought back and protected herself against this brutal and savage attack.

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