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Food Stamp Program Faces Cutbacks; Needs Support

News Briefs

BOSTON MARCH

Boston, Mass. — The national, peaceful and legal march on Boston April 24 to support school desegregation and busing to achieve and to demand an end to the racist attacks against black students was announced recently.

'ZEBRA' MURDERS

San Francisco, Ca. — Four Black Muslims convicted of the so-called 'Zebra' murders and assaults on whites, which terrorized San Francisco two winters ago, were sentenced Monday to life in prison.

"These were vicious and terrifying crimes," said San Francisco Superior Court Judge Joseph Karesh as he imposed the maximum sentences allowed by law.

HONOR WILKINS

Detroit, Mich. — Roy Wilkins, a leader in the civil rights movement for nearly a half century, will be honored April 2 at a dinner in Washington, D.C. recognizing his 20 years as executive director of the NAACP.

More than 1,500 persons are expected to attend the dinner at the Sheraton Park Hotel.

BLACK DIES

Chicago, Ill. — Julian Black, manager of former world heavyweight boxing champion Joe Louis, died Monday after a long illness at age 79.

Black, and co-manager John Roxborough, discovered Louis in 1932 when Louis was working on a Detroit assembly line. Under Black's direction, Louis first won the world championship in 1937.

BLACK BUSINESS

Cleveland, Ohio — A black congressman says the future of black business depends on increasing the size, number and capability of black manufacturing firms.



John Estes



Mrs. Elizabeth Jackson



Mrs. Jeanette Jennings



Dave Pickett

Neighborhood Service Awards

The first annual Neighborhood Service Award Tea will be given April 4 at 6 p.m. by the Gateway Board at the Gateway Opportunity Center, 801 Forest Avenue in Des Moines. Receiving awards for service done in the Des Moines community are John Estes, a professional mortician; Mrs. Elizabeth Jackson, Model Cities Senior & Citizens director; Mrs. Jeanette Jennings, director of Great Opportunities, a program of multiple services to the poor; and Dave Pickett, chairman of the Model Cities Board. Speaker for the event will be Rep. William J. Hargrave of Iowa City, Iowa. Hargrave is one of two black Iowa legislators.

Hawkeye Airs Royals Games

Des Moines — Hawkeye Cablevision, Inc., cable television operator in the Des Moines area, announced its two distant stations, WTCN-TV, Minneapolis, and KBMA-TV, Kansas City, will carry a combined total of 85 major league baseball games this summer.

The Kansas City station will broadcast 35 Kansas City Royals away games beginning April 11 against the new Iowa Oaks' parent club, the Chicago White Sox.

WTCN-TV in Minneapolis welcomes former Twin star, Harmon Killebrew, who joins Joe Boyle, as announcers. The Minneapolis station will televise a total of 50 Minneapolis Twins home and away games.

Coalition of Senators Plan Amendments To Measure

The food stamp program is in desperate trouble, describes a recent memo from the Leadership Conference on Civil Rights.

A measure which would eliminate some three million needy people from the food stamp program and reduce the benefits of an additional three million was expected to reach the Senate floor this week.

A majority of those affected would be the unemployed, low wage workers and strikers, according to the memo.

The communicate states that the "current recession has hit minority group Americans especially hard. Their unemployment is twice and sometimes three times greater than the general statistics."

"These deprived men, women and children depend upon the food stamp program to provide their very basic nutrition," the LCCR memo stated.

Led by Senators Robert

Things You Should Know



Charles Ray McCauley will resign as editor of the New Iowa Bystander, effective April 2, to assume duties as a reporter for the Shreveport Times in Shreveport, Louisiana. McCauley, a Louisiana native, served nine months as editor of Iowa's only black weekly newspaper. (See letter on editorial page.)

Dole (R-Kan.), George McGovern (D-S.D.) and Hubert Humphrey (D-Minn.), a bi-partisan coalition of senators plan to offer a series of amendments to correct the injustices of the Senate bill.

They would, for example, eliminate the purchase price from the food stamp program and update some income eligibility factors semi-annually in line with the cost of living.

Also, the memo adds, they would assure that unemployed and other eligible families would have to wait no longer than 30 days for food stamps and prevent the Ford Administration from changing the assets test for eligibility until Congress has had a chance to study the matter.

The amendments would:

- * Enable an eligible family to get stamps without going through a cash transaction — for example, instead of paying \$100 for \$166 in food stamps, it would get \$66 worth of stamps.

- * Eliminate any abuse of the program by vendors, streamline administration of the program and reduce operating costs.

- * Change two income eligibility factors twice a year to reflect the increase or decrease in the cost of living.

- * Cut down the waiting period from 60 days as in the bill to 30 days for individuals who are unemployed or have suffered recent income losses.

- * Stop the U.S. Agriculture Department from requiring recipients to file monthly reports on their incomes and resources.

- * Require households to report promptly any change in their circumstances and penalize those that fail to do so.

The memo suggested citizens urge their senators to support the food stamp amendments that will strengthen the bill.

ADS DON'T COST, THEY PAY!

VIEWS and REVIEWS by James B. Morris

Basketball Teams Demonstrate Togetherness

During the NCAA championship basketball game I watched the players, black and white, who demonstrated a togetherness which demonstrates how they were able to reach the top. They worked together, played together without either of which they could not have accomplished what they did. Seldom has a team made such an expression of thanks to God for their success due, no doubt, to the attitude of one of the players who all along had expressed his confidence in his closeness to God.

As I watched the players, I was reminded more and more that athletics play a great part in the process of education in the schools for it teaches youngsters to work together and to learn to win or lose without rancor as must be the case as years go by.

These players bring great credit to their schools and as they pass from the campus the alumni have responsibility of cheering them just as they did on the athletic field while they were in college.

More and more athletes of all races are finding responsible jobs in industry, in communications and in education, not only because they have been good athletes, but also the requirements for better grades today is a must.

Supreme Court Continues To Help

The U.S. Supreme Court decided this week that employees seeking jobs or upgrading may gain seniority by such application even though they may be turned down by the employer.

This ruling recognizes security rights, but insists that it must not be used as a blockage against sex and race.

No doubt this may penalize some employers who have been powerless to do otherwise; it makes some employers who have collaborated in maintaining this system which the court has held unconstitutional, change their policy.

Maybe some rough spots will be encountered as time goes on, but they will eventually, like all just pronouncements, people will have learned to live with.

No doubt there would be those who contend that this opinion violates a person's rights but, if it does, it balances the denial of opportunity of a person for reasons not his fault.

Business In Government Is Important

The Iowa Legislature is toying with the idea of forcing tax embodies to hold their budgets within a certain increase over previous years.

Cities and counties in particular are opposing the idea complaining that their situation is different and that it is impossible to anticipate what changes may inevitably arise.

In recent years, the federal government has poured lots of money in each of the states in the form of revenue sharing, sharing antiproverty and other programs all designed to return to the states some of the tax money their citizens send to Washington. Most of these programs have been beneficial while others have been a complete "flop." This happens because insufficient guidelines have been laid down for the distribution of these funds; many because jobs have been made for old "cronies."

New York City taught the country how not to run a government all because pressure groups rather than elective officials run the city.

Why Remind of the Troubles?

Many writers today thrive on scandal some 100 years old; some from day to day.

A recent book published about the last days in office of former President Nixon is a classic example. They are a disservice to the country. There are loads of pressing problems that need to be dealt with and which the news media and book publishers should remind us about.

Announces Publication Of Who's Who Volume

NORTHBROOK, ILL. — Ten thousand black Americans are recognized in "Who's Who Among Black Americans", the most comprehensive reference work of its kind, published recently.

According to Editor William C. Matney, "The publication of this volume represents the most complete first-hand documentation of black progress ever published." "Who's Who Among Black

An Open Letter From The Editor

Dear Readers:

I vacate the editorial position of the **New Iowa Bystander** with the purpose of meeting a better challenge in the journalistic field. As a reporter for the **Shreveport Times** in Shreveport, Louisiana, I hope to obtain professional skills necessary for the future.

Secondly, I like the idea of working in an area where I am familiar with the people and the environment. Many of us wish for the opportunity to work near home (our original environment).

Des Moines is a nice city, in some respects, depending on what you wish to find. I have found many friends in Iowa in the past eight months. The few enemies, if any, I have found are those who seek to live in the past and are not easily

susceptible to changes.

I owe thanks to the church with which I united; working with the young people at Maple Street Baptist Church was most enjoyable. Special thanks to my Des Moines high school reporters, Around-the-State reporters, church reporters, Allen Ashby and my employers who gave me a freehand with the newspaper.

As I depart from the State of Iowa, I hope to return someday and find the black press as a major force in the community; unlike the conditions existing when I migrated to this northern state and far better than I leave it. The black press needs support.

The black community in Des Moines has been apathetic too long. The black press is the major bond holding our communities together. We should seek to inform our neighbors,

Americans" contains biographical information on ten thousand blacks, all living, who have attained high levels of achievement in government, business, education, religion, journalism, civic affairs, fine arts, law, medicine, civil rights, sports, contemporary art, the performing arts and science.

"More than three years of research have gone into the preparation of this book, which we believe is a landmark publishing event," Matney said.

To make the volume as comprehensive as possible, a wide variety of organizations and individuals were contacted, including black organizations, governmental bodies at all levels, civic groups, religious denominations, sports organizations and teams, corporations, trade associations, educational associations and institutions, unions.

To increase the volume's reference value, two indexes list biographees by state and city and by occupation.

"The fact that the first biography in the book is that of 'Aaron, Henry L., professional athlete' is an accident — but a symbolic one, we think," Matney said. "It is followed by the biographies of 9,999 blacks, all of whom have made equally significant contributions in their own occupations, whether as insurance executives or

sculptors.

"We believe 'Who's Who Among Black Americans' reflects the dynamic growth of Black achievement and involvement in all areas of American life over the past several decades — growth that never has been adequately documented."

The volume will be published every two years.

"Any effort of this scope and depth, we acknowledge, cannot avoid omissions," Matney said. "In several instances, institutional and corporate sources declined to provide requested identification by race on the basis of policy. In other instances, particularly in federal agencies, the critical question of invasion of privacy raised problems of access to information. Finally, there were a few outstanding black Americans in the non-public sector who preferred non-inclusion in this directory to inclusion by race. While we regret these difficulties, we respect these decisions," he said.

Matney, editor of "Who's Who Among Black Americans", is a national radio and television news correspondent for the American Broadcasting Company.

"Who's Who Among Black Americans" is published by Who's Who Among Black Americans, Inc., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Educational Communications, Inc., Northbrook, Ill.

brothers and sisters of its existence and efforts to solidify our small population in the State of Iowa.

Why, you may ask, should we support the black press?

In a 170-page thesis, Virgil V. Hollingsworth, found that the white press limited its news concerning blacks and the black community. His efforts show that the black press is needed.

In his words, the white press "did not give adequate coverage" and "blacks could not expect the local white press to be sensitive to the issues facing the black community."

In many cities, the black press has received the support of the community. Instead of complaints, compliments have helped other black newspapers to obtain some degree of success. What are we doing in Des Moines and Iowa for our black press?

"The black community needs a newspaper which can not only help it interpret the standards set by the greater local community but also help it formulate its own desires and express these to the greater community," according to Hollingsworth.

We do not seek to demean the black communities of Iowa but seek to issue a challenge to re-evaluate the existence of our near-defunct system of communication within our community. How much was lost when the only black radio station in Des Moines ceased operation? How much further behind will black folk in Iowa become if the **New Iowa Bystander** or **Waterloo Defender** cease to publish?

With its many handicaps, I personally feel the **New Iowa Bystander** has progressed tremendously within the last six months. More black businesses, organizations and readers are aware of its existence now than in June 1975. As editor, I have tried to make our black newspaper more readable, interesting and informative to the majority of minority people. It is impossible to please everyone.

Some of the goals projected were reached, but many were left idle because of the lack of support. There are many areas to improve upon before the **New Iowa Bystander** can become the community newspaper it once was and should be as envisioned by its founders.

Thus, I leave a challenge of making the **New Iowa Bystander** a newspaper for the black community. It is your newspaper, USE IT.

Later,

Charles R. McCauley
Editor

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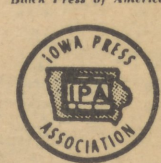
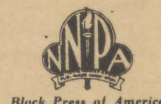
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GOP Proposed Platform Faces Delegates Adoption

DES MOINES — A proposed platform recommending several policy statements for adoption by delegates from the 10 counties in the Fourth Congressional District will be presented at the Republican District Caucus in Des Moines this Saturday, April 3.

District Committeewoman Pat Bain of Des Moines and Committeeman John Tone of Ottumwa said 570 delegates, who were elected at county conventions in late February, are expected to participate in the district caucus. The caucus is scheduled to begin at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Hotel Fort Des Moines in Des Moines.

Discussion of the district platform is expected to highlight the convention activities, but delegates also will elect two representatives to the Republican State Central Committee, three representatives to serve on the State Platform Committee and members to serve on committees for the State Statutory Convention in July.

Mrs. Bain said that since the district platform will be

developed from the discussion at the January precinct caucuses and February county conventions she is "confident that the final product will reflect the opinions and sentiments of Fourth District Republicans on the vital issues of the day."

She said the proposed platform, drawn by the district platform committee chaired by Sam Scheidler of Des Moines, has been distributed to delegates for consideration prior to Saturday's convention. Mrs. Bain noted, however, that the proposed platform is subject to change and may be amended at the convention.

Among the key topics covered in the proposed platform are support for modernization of the Iowa Criminal Code, a call "continuing examination and revision" of the state tax structure to ensure equity, support for the Iowa Tuition Grant Program, support for a land use policy "administered at the county level with state guidelines," and support for retention of the state's single factor corporate tax.

Blacks Must Not Become "Just Spectators" To Their Own Doom



"BLACKS WHO WANT TO FIGHT CRIME BY BLACKS AGAINST BLACKS MUST NOT BE INTIMIDATED."

DR. CHARLES COBB
DIRECTOR, COMMISSION
FOR EQUAL JUSTICE

National Advisory Commission on Civil Disorders 1967-1968.

In 1967, Wilkins was presented with the Freedom Award by Freedom House; and in 1970, as one of his last actions in office, President Lyndon Johnson awarded Wilkins the Medal of Freedom, the country's highest civil honor.

In announcing the award, Rabbi Arthur Hertzberg, president of the American Jewish Congress, said:

"It is an honor for us to have this opportunity to pay tribute to one of the great leaders of the cause of civil rights in America."

"Roy Wilkins is not only a pivotal figure in the fight for racial justice, he has also been an enormous influence for understanding and mutual respect between the black and Jewish communities. For he recognizes that only by working together for full employment, health care and all the goals of full equality in a free society for all Americans."

Clark Purchases Optical Dispensary

Van Clark, Jr., has assumed ownership of Modern Optical at 206 Euclid. He recently purchased the optical dispensary from Armand J. Gottlieb, who started the business in 1959.

Tom Johnston has been added to the personnel staff replacing Gottlieb. Eddie Billsteen and Clark are other personnel at Modern Optical Company.

AJC Pays Tribute To NAACP's Wilkins

WASHINGTON — The American Jewish Congress will conclude its Biennial Convention in Washington, D.C. April 4 with a tribute to Roy Wilkins, executive director of the NAACP.

The tribute will take place at a luncheon at L'Enfant Plaza Hotel in the nation's capitol, where the four-day meeting is being held. Wilkins, who is retiring from

his post this year, will be presented with the American Jewish Congress 1976 Civil Rights Award by Judge Justine Wise Polier, noted jurist and human rights activist.

Wilkins has had a distinguished career in the NAACP since 1931. He was elected executive director in 1955. In May of 1965, Wilkins served as a representative of the State Department, lecturing in Berlin, London and Paris. He served as member of the President's

Department Of Justice Obtains Consent Decree

The Department of Justice obtained a consent decree recently requiring the owner of nine apartment buildings in Denver, Colorado, to adopt a fair-housing policy.

Attorney General Edward H. Levi said the decree was filed in U.S. District Court in Denver, resolving a housing discrimination suit against Gerald J. Starika.

Starika was one of five defendants named in the suit, which was filed on August 8, 1975, charging them with refusing to rent to

prospective tenants because of their race or color.

The consent decree, which Starika signed without admitting any violation of the Fair Housing Act of 1968, permanently enjoins him from engaging in any discriminatory practice in the rental of apartments.

The decree requires him to post fair-housing signs, to use equal-housing symbols in advertising, and to make periodic reports on rental practices.

The suit remains pending against the other defendants.

increase the time it takes to receive a refund," Porter points out.

"Check your return before mailing to be sure you attached all W-2's and schedules, sign the return (both spouses if filing jointly), take the \$30 personal exemption credit and most importantly, be sure there are no mistakes in mathematics."

Names Rollison As Freshman Scholar

Karen Anne Rollison of 1109 Nineteenth Street in Des Moines has been chosen to be a Presidential Freshman Scholar during 1976-77 at Drake University, Des Moines, according to Dr. Wilbur C. Miller, president of the University.

Miss Rollison is in the top 10 per cent of the senior class at North High School.

The Presidential Freshman Scholarship awards are presented each year to students who are graduated in the top 10 per cent of their high school class and who score well on ACT or SAT entrance examinations. The awards



College Prez

Dr. Mable Parker McLean will be inaugurated as the ninth president of Barber-Scotia College in Concord, N.C., Friday, April 2, at 2:30 p.m. in the College Convocation Center. Dr. McLean is the only black woman in the United States who is the president of a senior liberal arts college.

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Tax Deadline Not Far Away

April 15 is getting closer — less than three weeks away. And with it, the deadline for filing your federal individual income tax return.

Donald J. Porter, IRS district director for Iowa, urged taxpayers who have refunds coming to file their return as soon as possible. The sooner they file their return, the sooner they will get their refund.

"We expect approximately 317,000 Iowans who have refunds coming to file returns between now and April 15," Porter said.

The length of time it takes for a tax return to be filed in the Kansas City Service Center and get a refund mailed to the taxpayer increases as the April 15 deadline approaches. Taxpayers who filed accurate returns now can reasonably expect a refund in about six to seven weeks. By mid-April this will increase to eight to ten weeks.

"Mistakes on a return can

Cleanup Campaign Set For April 4-10

The second annual Metro City Clean-Up has been officially set for the week of April 4 through April 10 by Des Moines Mayor Richard Olson.

Clubs, schools, businesses and individual citizens are encouraged to join in the community-wide effort to pick up small litter, separating littered cans and bottles for recycling. Sponsors include the Church Women United of the Des Moines Area, the Des Moines PTA Council and the Metro Solid Waste Agency Recycling Center.

During the Metro City Clean-Up, three groups from Drake University the Residence Hall Association, the Pan-Hellenic Council and the Intra-Fraternity Council will be involved in clean-up and recycling projects as part of a

National College Pitch-In Week, April 5-9.

Littered cans and bottles should be collected in sacks and delivered to special clean-up collection points. On Friday afternoon, April 9, a vehicle from the Metro Recycling Center will be on the Drake campus to collect recyclables.

Saturday, April 10, a recycling truck will travel on University Avenue from Windsor Heights to the east-side recycling center, picking up cans and bottles collected as part of the clean-up campaign. Specific schedules will be announced.

Littered paper, plastic and miscellaneous trash should be placed in containers for regular garbage pick-up.

Call the Metro Recycling Center at 265-5626 or Church Women United at 255-6666 for more information

Justice Department Files Civil Suit In Houston

The Department of Justice filed a civil suit recently charging the manager of a night club in Houston, Texas, with refusing to admit black men without dates.

Attorney General Edward H. Levi said the public accommodations suit was filed in U.S. District Court in Houston against Second Office Club, Inc., and its president and general manager, Cecil H. Helderman.

The suit charged that Helderman and the

corporation violate the Civil Rights Act of 1964 by discriminating against black men.

The suit said black men without dates are refused admission to the club while white men without dates are permitted to enter.

The suit asked for a court order enjoining Helderman and the corporation from engaging in any racially discriminatory practice and requiring them to post a public notice stating that the club is open to all persons.

Fiscal Year 1975, as compared with about \$2.9 million in FY 1974.

Under Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, the EEOC is responsible for the elimination of employment discrimination on the bases of race, color, religion, sex or national origin.

What's New From ISU?

by Ann Harrison
Cedar Rapids Area

Windows with a built-in shade are now being marketed by an Iowa company. The windows are double glass and the space between the windows is filled

with a very narrow blind. These blinds can be dialed open, shut, or to any angle. Because they are encased between glass they are dust-free.

When the blinds are closed at night, the heat loss through the window may be reduced by as much as 62 per cent. And in summer if closed in the daytime, they will surely cut the amount of heat coming in the house. These windows are more expensive than the ordinary glass styles, but less money might be needed for draperies.

Iowa State University Applied Art Specialists offer these suggestions for



Former fighter Rubin "Hurricane" Carter (right) listens as Southern Christian Leadership Conference president Ralph Abernathy tells a press conference at New Jersey's Clinton Prison he will set up a tent city in Trenton, N.J., the state's capital, if

Carter is not freed on bail pending a retrial for a 1966 triple murder. The state Supreme Court granted Carter the retrial based on the recantation of testimony from an earlier trial. Carter was released last week. (UPI)

Civil Rights Lectures Feature Derrick Bell

Derrick A. Bell, Jr., professor at the Harvard Law School, will discuss "Racial Remediation: A Re-analysis of motivation and Benefit" during the fifth annual Civil Rights Lectures sponsored by the University of Notre Dame Center for Civil Rights Lectures.

The lectures at 8 p.m. April 8 and 2 p.m. April 9 in the Center for Continuing Education are open to the public.

Bell's topic for the opening lecture is "Bicentennial Dangers and Civil Rights Values." He will discuss "Reformulating Racial

Strategies for Survival and Accommodation" at the afternoon session.

Previous speakers in the series have been former Chief Justice Earl Warren, Sen. Philip Hart, Sargent Shriver and Rev. Jesse L. Jackson. Their themes involved the judicial, legislative and executive leadership of the civil rights movement and the need for social justice.

A native of Pittsburgh, Bell attended Duquesne University where he received a bachelor's degree in political science in 1952. He received a law degree

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Spots may be removed with dry cleaning fluid. Neat's foot oil will leave a dull finish. For a glossy or polished leather apply lanolin or castor's oil.

from the University of Pittsburgh in 1957 and worked for two years in the Conscientious Objector and Civil Rights sections of the U.S. Department of Justice.

He was a member of the NAACP Legal Defense and Education Fund staff until 1966 when he joined the Department of Health, Education and Welfare as deputy special assistant to the secretary for civil rights. Since 1969 he has been a member of the Harvard faculty.

He is the author of "Race, Racism and American Law," published in 1973 by Little Brown and Co., as well as several articles in scholarly publications. Bell participated in several precedent making cases including Meredith vs. Fair, the University of Mississippi desegregation suit; and supervised the docket of over 150 school desegregation cases.

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**FEP's Receive
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Kansas City, Mo. — Lowell W. Perry, chairman of the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC), announced Monday that funds totaling \$444,200 will be distributed among five state and local fair employment practices (FEP) agencies in the Kansas City Region. These grants are part of an aggregate \$6 million earmarked for FEP funding throughout the nation.

Fair employment practices (FEP) agencies funded in the Kansas City Region are:

Iowa Commission on Civil Rights, (Des Moines), \$133,350; Kansas Commission on Civil Rights, (Topeka), \$110,000; Nebraska Equal Opportunity Commission, (Lincoln), \$76,850; Omaha (Neb.) Human Relations Department, \$50,000 and St. Louis (Mo.) Council on Human Relations, \$74,000.

The \$6 million is the largest funding to date for FEP's. The EEOC funds these agencies for the purpose of assisting it in processing and resolving charges of employment discrimination. Approximately \$3.4 million went to such agencies in



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ENTERTAINMENT WORLD



New York and Other Points

By Win Wilford

Gladys Knight has just completed filming her first movie "Pipe Dreams." The film cost \$2 million to make and will be released in August, preceded by Gladys' soundtrack LP and two singles from that score: "I Miss You" and "No Sad Songs For Me."

"Pipe Dreams" is a story about the people on the Alaskan pipe line and how their lives are touched by that project. Gladys plays the wife of a pilot who has gone to Alaska to fly in the bush because he couldn't find a job in the more populated parts of the United States. She reluctantly joins him, and the couple find themselves caught up in a battle with the environment and some bad people. Gladys Knight & The Pips will leave April 1 for a European Tour....

I received the new Marvin Gaye album in the mail this morning and immediately went to my player to put it on. As I sat back to enjoy the sounds, I glanced over the album jacket to get an idea of some of the cuts I'd hear. The title of the LP is "I Want You."

The sounds are mellow and sexy; reminiscent of "What's Goin On" and "Let's Do It Again." Cuts I like are "Come Live With Me Angel," "I Want You," and "After the Dance." The album is produced by Leon Ware, who has been making a name for himself, on the West Coast as a singer-songwriter.

Double Grammy Award winner Natalie Cole is preparing audiences for her next album's May release by previewing some of the material during her present tour ... The nine-member family singing group The Sylvers were on stage performing "Boogie Fever" when a dozen young girls flung themselves on stage and tried to pull the male Sylvers into the audience.

Poet Gwendolyn Brooks, the first black woman to win a Pulitzer Prize (1950) has now become the first black woman elected to the 250-member National Institute of Arts and Letters. ... Cicely Tyson will be one of the narrators for the Seattle Symphony's production of Arthur Honegger's "Jeannie 'D Arc.'" She replaces Mia Farrow, originally scheduled for the part.

Foxy Jane Kennedy has teamed with Muhammad Ali on a kiddie album titled "Muhammad Ali Fights Tooth Decay" and speaking of Ali, it's a wild rumor that the champ is negotiating to buy the famed Fontainebleau Hotel in Miami Beach. The Hotel is currently in a financial bind...

Broadway Tips...

There are only three "black" shows now on Broadway. They are all hits... "Bubblin Brown Sugar," "Me and Bessie" and "The Wiz."

Album Shopping List...

Olympic Runners "Don't Let Up," Bloodstone "Train Ride to Hollywood," Choice Four "On Top of Clear," The Brothers "Don't Stop Now" and Internal Blues Machine "Adios Amigo."

Symphonic Soul Salutes Famed Black Composers

Singers Diahann Carroll and Francois Clemmons, conductor James Frazier and other distinguished musicians celebrate the varied sounds of such composers as Quincy Jones, Stevie Wonder, Gamble and Huff and Beethoven on "Symphonic Soul," the "Special of the Week" on Monday, April 12 at 9 p.m. on the Public Broadcasting Service.

The hour-long concert/documentary portrays the efforts of the innercity Philadelphia Zion Baptist Church whose dynamic youth and adult choirs highlight the tribute to the music of prominent black composers.

A symphony orchestra was specially assembled for the

concert, which was taped before a live, standing-room-only audience at Philadelphia's venerable Academy of Music on May 8, 1975.

It is under the baton of James Frazier-Minister of music at the Zion Baptist Church and the first black conductor ever to lead the Philadelphia Orchestra that "Symphonic Soul" comes to life.

The concert segments of "Symphonic Soul" feature Diahann Carroll singing the spiritual "There is a Balm in Gilead;" the Festival Symphony Orchestra performing Quincy Jones's "Ironside;" the Zion Baptist Church children's and young adult's choirs in the Kenneth Gamble-Leon Huff

"Second Half of Your Life"

Most folks in the second half of life — the years past 40, 50 or 60 — have some sort of dream for their retirement. They may see themselves traveling to far-away places ... or living in a comfortable new home ... or just enjoying the old home more.

They may dream about enlarging an old hobby or starting a new one. But whatever those dreams are, it'll probably take money to make them come true.

So think a bit about the money you're laying aside for those dreams.

Have you started making financial plans so you can live the way you want later on?

Financial planning for retirement is the subject of the second program in the Iowa State University Extension television series "The Second Half." You can learn more about budgeting, predicting retirement income and expenses, and ways to cut spending — plus a lot more money-related information.

There's still time to get the workbook that goes along with this television series. It's also called "The Second Half of Your Life" and is free to all viewers. The workbook has space for you to do your own financial retirement figuring, plus ideas on estate planning and record keeping.

This program will be shown Sunday, April 4 at 6 p.m. on IEBN, Channel 11.

Spinners

Decline Offer

The Spinners, already booked for a heavy concert schedule, have declined an offer to tour with the Rolling Stones later this year.

composition "Love Is the Message" and, with highspirited audience participation, in Stevie Wonder's "Higher Ground."

The concert also features pianist Horatio Miller's world premiere performance of George Walker's "Piano Concerto." And in the grand finale, the Zion Choirs' and Symphony Orchestra's rendition of the Fourth Movement of the famed "Ninth Symphony" of Beethoven (whose Moorish origins have long been a topic of scholarly debate), with sopranos Josephine Morris and Joy Simpson, bass Earl Grandison and tenor Francois Clemmons (star of public television's "Mister Rogers' Neighborhood").

The concert was a presentation of the Music Department of Zion Baptist Church. The television production of "Symphonic Soul" was produced for the Public Broadcasting Service by WHY-TV/Wilmington-Philadelphia, under a partial grant from the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.



Marcia Gillespie

Essence Editor Discusses Service Magazine Style

The editor of a black women's magazine talks about her philosophy of women's magazines and her view of the relations between blacks and whites in American society on *Woman* Tuesday, April 13 at 10 p.m. on the Iowa Educational Broadcasting Network.

Marcia Ann Gillespie, editor-in-chief of *Essence* Magazine and a board member of *Essence* Communications, talks with moderator Sandra Elkin about the new type of "service magazine" into which she has formed *Essence*, previously a high-fashion publication.

A journalist with a strong sense of history and identity, Ms. Gillespie left her position at *Time*, Inc., and the white publishing world when "I really came to the conclusion that I'm sick to death of having everybody else tell me my life."

When she took the reins of *Essence*, she felt that the publication could speak to a

larger readership if it combined informative articles and features with fashions and make-up. She is attempting to enhance the average black woman's image of herself, and to encourage more awareness of a woman's power as consumer, family member, employee, citizen.

She is devoting one upcoming issue to black women's and white women's images of each other. When she was growing up, she relates, "my images of white women were basically that they were very lazy and indolent ... I couldn't understand what these white women were doing all day who didn't go to work and didn't do anything. I'd like to look at myths — myths that we, meaning black women, have fostered about white women; myths that white women have fostered about black women."

Woman is a production of WNED/ Buffalo; producer is Sandra Elkin

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EAST

by
Myra "Sissy" Green

I have read that there is a higher percentage of poor blacks than poor whites willing to go to college after graduating from high school.

I think that is pretty good for this shows that blacks are willing to go all the way in life. In black families with low incomes of about \$3,000 annually, 41.6 per cent of high school graduates are black females who went to

college.

For poor white families in the same low income bracket, there is a low percentage of 30.2 per cent males willing to attend college and 38.4 per cent white females willing to pursue a secondary education.

An estimated 41.1 per cent black male group is willing to attend college.

Rep. Chisholm Speaks At Simpson April 12

INDIANOLA, IA. — U. S. Rep. Shirley Chisholm (D-N.Y.) the first black congresswoman in the United States and 1972 U.S. presidential candidate, will speak on "America's Impoverished Spirit" at 11 a.m. Monday, Apr. 12, in the Brenton Student Center at Simpson College.

Ms. Chisholm's speech, which is being sponsored by Simpson's College Activities Board and Concerned Black Students, is open free to the public.

Ms. Chisholm, who has gained a reputation as a political "maverick," represents her native 12th Congressional District in New York, which has a 70 per cent black and Puerto Rican population.

A specialist in early childhood education and child welfare, she earned a bachelors degree from Brooklyn College and a masters degree in education

along with certification in administration and supervision from Columbia University.

A former school teacher and day nursery director, Ms. Chisholm first entered politics in 1964 when she ran successfully for the New York State Assembly on the Democratic ticket.

Since becoming a member of the U.S. House of Representatives, Ms. Chisholm has served on the Veterans Affairs and House Education and Labor Committees as well as on subcommittees for Select Education, General Education and Agricultural Labor. She also is a member of the Congressional Black Caucus.

An author and recipient of numerous honorary degrees, Ms. Chisholm has been listed in the Gallup Poll's list of the ten most admired women in the world for three years.

American Poet Reads Works At Drake Univ.

The distinguished American poet, Stanley Kunitz, will read from his works at Drake University at 8:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 13, in room 101 of Meredith Hall, 28th St. and Carpenter Ave.

The reading, which is sponsored by Drake's Department of English, is free and open to the public. High school literature teachers are especially invited to attend.

Kunitz won the Pulitzer Prize in literature in 1959 for Selected Poems: 1928-1958. He received the Brandeis Medal of Achievement in 1965. He is consultant in poetry to the Library of Congress and was recently elected to the American Academy of Arts and Letters to the seat of the late John Crowe Ransom.

His recent books include A Kind of Order, A Kind of Folly; The Terrible Threshold; and The Testing-Tree. He also has translated the works of some major Russian poets. Since 1969, he has been editor of The Yale Series of Younger Poets.

A native of Worcester, Mass., Kunitz was graduated summa cum laude from Harvard University, where he received the Garrison Medal for Poetry.

Presents Three One-act Operas

Opera Theatre of Drake University's College of Fine Arts will present an evening of American opera at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, April 2 and 3, in the Hall of the Performing Arts of the Fine Arts Center, 26th St. and Carpenter Ave.

Three one-act operas will be presented, "The Dress" by Mark Bucci; "Many Moons" by Celius Bougherty; and "A Hand of

Bridge" by Samuel Barber. In addition, scenes from "The Tender Land" and "Don Carlo" will be performed.

The Opera Theatre will be directed by Dr. Marion Hall, professor of Voice, Chairman of the Voice Department, and director of the Opera Theatre and Drake's Chamber Chorale.

The presentation is free and open to the public.

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Tuesday, April 6
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Wednesday, April 7
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Cabbage Confetti Salad
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Chocolate Milk
Friday, April 9
Oven Browned Fish in Buttered Bun
Buttered Vegetables
Tossed Salad with French Dressing
Sunshine Bar
Milk

Tuesday, April 6
Cheese Beefburger on Bun
Buttered Corn
Apple Crisp
Milk

Wednesday, April 7
Baked Spaghetti w/ Meat
Cole Slaw
Sliced Vienna Bread & Butter
Peach Halves
Milk

Thursday, April 8
Chicken Fried Steak
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Wednesday, April 7
Cheeseburger
French Fried Potatoes
Green Salad
Applesauce Cake
Milk

Thursday, April 8
Oven Fried Chicken
Mashed Potatoes
Schoolmade Roll
Red Gelatin Salad
Milk

Friday, April 9
Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich
Cheese Cube
Carrot Sticks
Apple
Ice Cream Cup
Milk

DMACC Enrollment Shows Steady Increase

Enrollment continues to climb at Des Moines Area Community College, according to a report released this week from the office of Paul Lowery, superintendent. And the increase is steady, with each quarter showing a greater headcount enrollment than the same quarter one year ago.

Using the three quarters for which data is available this year—fall, 1975; winter, 1975-76; and spring, 1976—cumulative headcount to date for 1975-76 is 13,420. Total headcount for the same quarters during the previous year was 11,379 for an increase this year of 2,041 or 17.9 percent.

Fall quarter enrollment showed an increase of 625 headcount—4,082 in 1974 compared to 4,707 in 1975—for a percentage increase of

15.3.

Winter quarter reflected the greatest growth—20.1 percent. Some 3,540 students were registered for that quarter in 1974-75 compared to 4,252 this past winter.

Registration for spring quarter has now closed with 4,461 students enrolled in credit courses compared to 3,757 during the same quarter in 1975. Percentage increase is 18.7.

Statistics released cover all campuses and post-secondary attendance centers in the 11-county district. Not counted are those who were enrolled in adult education classes or short courses.

Lowery further reported that although a record number of students registered for the current school year, 1975-76, some

1,450 could not be admitted to the career education program of their choice for fall quarter, 1975, because program enrollment was already at capacity.

The superintendent says that in these cases the student either has to make a second career choice in a program not filled, wait on a standby list until another section is accepted in the respective programs, most often offered one year later, or decide to something else.

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Around the State

Keokuk

Mrs. Kenneth R. Douglas
Reporter

All are welcome to Sunday morning service at Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church: Rev. J.H. Mims is pastor. The scripture read last Sunday was Genesis 26:17-20. Subject of the sermon was "Let's dig more Wells."

A very inspiring musical portion of the service consisted of the Junior Choir singing two selections with Mrs. Ora Bates as pianist. Mrs. J. H. Mims was at the piano and Mrs. Jackie Jackson of Quincy, Ill., was at the console of the organ.

An addition to the church was Mrs. L.D. Pearl. Other visitors attending the service were Rhonda, Wendell and Samuel Jackson and Carla Scott all from Quincy.

Among those attending the funeral of Rev. L.D. Pearl held in Quincy on Tuesday of last week were Mrs. Frances Pearl, Mrs. Evelyn Bailey, Mrs. Kay Dawson, Dayo Grimmett, Rudolph Grimmett and John Clay.

Mrs. Mary Wallace spent the past weekend in Canton, Mo., visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Parsons, Sr., visited in Vandalia, Mo., over the weekend where they helped Mrs. Mary Leonard celebrate her 78th birthday.

Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Margaret Merritt were in attendance at the funeral of Mrs. Bernice Pleasant held in Canton Wednesday afternoon, March 23.

LaVerne Carter and Lawrence Dawson left the latter part of last week for Los Angeles where they plan to spend a fortnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and daughter Katrina of Monmouth, Ill., are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams and family.

Ms. Debbie Parsons and her brother John, Jr., spent the past ten days visiting their sister, Pvt. 2 Mary Beth Parsons in Fort Collins, Colo. Ms. Debbie Parsons has remained for an indefinite stay in the Colorado city.

On the "Hiland Tater Quiz" last Thursday morning, Mrs. Arthur Weldon was one of the lucky ones called with \$25 or more in the jackpot. Mrs. Weldon was unable to give the correct recipe so the jackpot was missed.

Mrs. Hattie Carter of Fort Madison, who celebrated birthday number 84 on March 29, was honored and pleasantly surprised at dinner at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Carter last Sunday afternoon. Attending from out-of-town were Allen, Clarence and Carl Carter, Mrs. Clarissa Moore, Mrs. Frances Pryor and daughter Angie and Ms. Rose Hickman from Minneapolis; Mrs. Beatrice Bratton, Mr. and Mrs. Melton Taylor and daughters Eartha and Isabell of Excelsior Springs, Mo.

Mrs. Rupert Conn motored

to Rock Island, Ill., over the weekend where she visited with her daughters Mrs. Mary Louise Clay and family and Ms. Pamela Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald McCane are parents of a daughter born Sunday evening, March 28 at KAH West.

Rev. D. Eugene Johnson was in his pulpit at Bethel AME Church on last Sunday. His sermon was from Job 14:14 and the subject was "If a Man Dies, Does His Soul Die?" On Sunday, March 28, Rev. Johnson and choir from Bethel presented church service at the Lee County, Home.

The infant grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Walker is a patient in University Hospital in Iowa City.

Ms. Pat Walker is confined to KAH West at this writing; her condition is not considered serious.

Les Stewart who has been in serious condition in the hospital in Iowa City has been returned to Keokuk and is in KAH East.

Ms. Jan Flack was called to Carlinville, Ill. because of the illness of her mother.

The musical concert given in Burlington, Sunday, March 21, by Rev. and Mrs. Johnson was quite a success. Making the trip were Mrs. Judy Redinbo, who graciously assisted by driving her car, thus helping those who had no transportation. Others helping were James Glenn, Mrs. Mary Allen and Mrs. Arletta Hardin.

Rev. and Mrs. Johnson had as guests last week Mrs. Grace Warner from New York City and Mr. and Mrs. Beauford Johnson, from Galena, Ill.

Rev. Johnson has been elected by the mayor and council to a four-year term on the Lee County Plan Commission.

Bethel AME Church will bring a portion of the Quincy Symphony Orchestra to Keokuk May 6. The Concert will be held at Trinity United Methodist Church. The orchestra features Thom Ritter George as conductor and Merle Young of Keokuk as soloist.

Davenport

Cecile Cooper
Reporter

The Missionary Society of Bethel AME Church in Davenport will present "Women of the Bible" at 3:30 p.m. Sunday.

Churches participating in addition to Bethel are Progressive Baptist, Temple Baptist, and Third Missionary Baptist, all in Davenport; Wayman AME Church of Rock Island, Gaines Chapel AME Church of East Moline, Ill.; and Tabernacle Baptist and St. Paul AME Church, both in Moline, Ill.

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Waterloo

Mrs. James Page
Reporter

Enthusiasm was at an all-time high at Payne Memorial AME Church this year as the men and women observed their days, March 21 and March 28 respectively.

Men's day co-chairpersons were Monroe Stevens and William Moorehead. The Payne Men's Choir provided music for the morning service with James Tanner as guest soloist.

Special guests for the afternoon program were Rev. Artic Harris and his choirs from St. Paul AME Church of Des Moines. Basil Wynters and Mary Bates, an Iowa State University student, presented special numbers.

Women's day chairpersons were Mary Theorith and Joan Stigler. Featured speaker for the morning service was Mrs. Luana Franklin Clayton of Jackson, Mississippi. Mrs. Clayton, coordinator for the Academic Skills Center and teacher of English and American Literature at Jackson State University is daughter of Mrs. Zelma Franklin and the late Homer Franklin, formerly of 610 Glenwood Street in Waterloo and former official board member at Payne.

Mrs. Clayton was guest of honor at a potluck dinner Saturday at 6 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Delores Lee, 745 Vinton Street. Among Mrs. Clayton's many

Ft. Madison

Mrs. Dessie Burt
Reporter

Rev. W. J. Laster delivered the message Sunday morning at Second Baptist Church in Fort Madison.

Audrey Carter, pianist, and Sunday School assistant had a birthday March 14. The church took a collection for the 19-year-old female who graduates in June.

Mrs. Ina Bates had a birthday on St. Patrick's day. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Carter, 3405 Avenue E, hosted a birthday dinner March 17 in honor of Mrs. Bates. The St. Patrick's day theme was used in the decoration.

Guests were Mrs. Bates' grandchildren Michelle and Audrey Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Carter and Noelle Carter and Mrs. Hattie Carter. The honoree was presented gifts. Several of her children from Rock Island, Illinois, spent March 13 with her. Two daughters, Lola and Gladys, a granddaughter Sallie and a great granddaughter.

In honor of her birthday, John Valentine escorted his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Marsh, Mrs. Lurena Woods and Mrs. Helen Wyatt to the Nawvoo Family Hotel for dinner March 24. The rest of the evening was spent in the Valentine's home.

Mrs. Valentine was a birthday honoree when the Booster Girls Club met



Giant Termites?

Giant termite mounds, found in the verdant hills near the new Hotel Inter-Continental Ocho Rios, Jamaica, attract many curious visitors. Here, pert Zita Allen, senior editor of Travel and Leisure, points to some of the tunnels burrowed into a mound.

accomplishments is being listed in "Outstanding Educators of America," "Personalities of the South," "Dictionary of International Biography," "Who's Who of Women," and the "World Who's Who of Women."

Mrs. Clayton is a graduate of Wilberforce University of Wilberforce, Ohio and earned a masters of art degree from Ohio State University in Columbus.

Fun night will be sponsored by the Palestine Chapter No. 28 Order of the Eastern Star, April 2. Lanell Riley, 415 Newell Street, will act as hostess to the event starting at 7 p.m.

Sponsored by the Ways

March 25, with Mrs. Finis Webster. A decorated cake centered the dinner table. Mrs. Valentine was presented a potted flower and congratulatory cards.

Whist followed with Mrs. George Harper, Sr., first and Mrs. Hollis Clark low. Both were guests. Mrs. Webster was granted a 90-day leave of absence because of ill health. Tentative plans were made to meet April 8 with Mrs. Arthur Woods.

Mrs. Elmore Benhart and Morris Brown of Burlington were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Marsh. The guests were taken out to dinner March 27 to the Palm Supper Club.

Ottumwa

by
Mrs. Mack Baugh

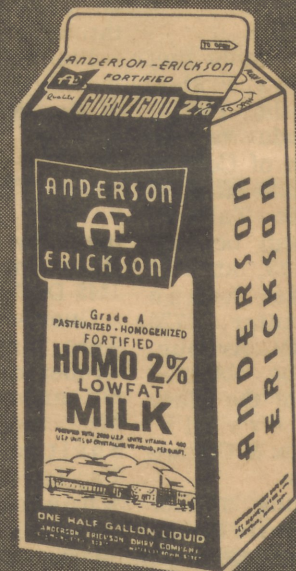
Rev. W. E. Hornaday, congregation and 75-voice choir of Union Baptist Church will participate in the installment of Rev. Irving J. Scales, Sr., as pastor of Second Baptist Church in Ottumwa, April 11 at 4 p.m.

Rev. Scales is a "son" of Christ Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church in St. Louis, Missouri. He acknowledge his call there under the late Dr. E. R. Williams and was ordained by Dr. Williams. He is also an associate minister at the Union Baptist Church in Burlington.

Rev. Scales was recently called by Second Baptist Church and the congregation is looking forward to the installation day with anticipation. The minister resides in Burlington and hopes to move to Ottumwa soon.

He is the father of two children Irving, Jr., 7 and Inez, 2.

Sunrise services will be held at 7 a.m. Easter Sunday morning with Mt. Zion Church at Second Baptist



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CLUB ACTIVITIES

ELK NEWS

There will be a bus leaving from the club Sunday morning at 7 p.m. for Sioux City where the state council will be hosted by Savoy Lodge and Eureka Temple. For more information call 266-9269.

Hawkeye Lodge No. 160 will meet Sunday afternoon. Exalted ruler Gilbert Randle and his committee are spearheading a building fund project.

Rose Temple No. 33 had its regular meeting Friday evening. An initiation ceremony was held and a repast followed.

Oratorical contestants keep in touch with Mrs. Bernice Carter for necessary information on the local oratorical contest April 30. The contest will be held at Union Baptist Church.

Lafayette "Gink" Fowler, Jr., is still in Younkers No. 821. Mae Shetworth has made it out of Des Moines General. Shut-ins appreciate phone calls and cards.

CITY ASSOCIATION

The City Association met at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, March 19, at the YWCA. Plans were made for the Iowa Association of Colored Women Club's annual "Feast Of The Tables" dinner, which will be held Sunday, April 25, at 1:30 p.m. at the Logan Opportunity Center, 1725 East University Avenue. Tickets may be obtained from members of the Mary Church Terrell, Parliamentary Law & Culture and Tawasi clubs.

At the meeting a door prize and also a prize for the club member bringing the most guests was given. Guest speaker was Mrs. Shirley Steele, a Drake University law student.

Sick members are City Association president Mrs. Minnie Jones, Mrs. Clara Johnson, Mrs. Goleatha

Trotter and Mrs. Martha Wheels.

Next meeting will be held on Friday, April 16.

ENTRE NEU CLUB

The Entre Neu Club held its February meeting in the home of Mrs. Ann Chapman. Elections of officers for the year was held.

Elected were Lydia Merritt, president; Martha Parkey, vice president; Grace Wade secretary; Edith Holt, assistant secretary; Elizabeth Thomas, treasurer; Maude Wells, courtesy chairperson; Dorothy Holmes, ways and means committee chairperson; Ms. Holt, social chairperson and Alice Sloan, critic.

The March meeting held at the home of Bessie Campbell, netted an initiating of an exciting program for the year—one honoring the black female historians of the United States, in tune with the Bicentennial celebration throughout our land.

Plans for April also will include a social at the home of Mrs. Mary Hardaway.

Birthday Honored

Guy Pollard was honored with a surprise birthday party by his daughter, Mrs. Ruby Spencer, March 20, at 1445 DeWolf.

Guests sharing the honor were Mr. and Mrs. Loydd Grobes of Edwoville, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Pruitt, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Shelton, Mrs. Martha Taylor, Mrs. Mildred Wheaton, Mrs. Lillian Griffis, Mrs. Louise McQuerry.

Bob Noble, Mrs. Blanche Scales, Mrs. Margaret Sorrell, Kimberly Taylor, Jack Spencer, Mrs. Anna Mae Luckett.

A full course dinner was served. Pollard received many gifts.

PRINCESS OZIEL NO. 9

On March 25, Princess Oziel No. 9, OES met at Doric Lodge Hall, 1409 Forest. Mrs. Maxine Price was initiated into the order.

Following the meeting, two baskets of groceries were raffled off. The winners were Beverly Wolf and Mathew Price. A delicious dinner was served in the chapter dining room. Mrs. Dorris D. Wilson is worthy matron and Edgar L. Palmer, Sr., is worthy patron.

THEODOSIA COURT NO. 5

Theodosia Court No. 5, REOA will meet on April 4 at 4 o'clock at the Masonic Hall, 1121 Clark Street. All members are urged to be present as there is business of importance to be transacted.

Mrs. Janice Riddley is royal matron and James Newsome is royal patron.

MINISTERS'—WIVES

The Interdenominational Association of Ministers' Wives will have their annual talent service April 11, at 7 p.m., at Union Baptist Church, East 16th and University. Rev. H.I. Thomas is pastor.

The program chairperson and her committee have planned a very outstanding program for that evening.

The proceeds from this special project, will be used toward a scholarship for some individual going to college.

The public is invited.

ROSA L. GRAGG CLUB

The Rosa L. Gragg Club February meeting was spent discussing world affairs and general business.

A lovely full course dinner was served by hostess Martha Taylor.

The March meeting included regular business and plans for Bicentennial activities. Hostess Helen Bolden served a lovely repast.

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Willkie House Calendar

April 1 — April 7

Willkie House will present another public forum in the series "Issues in the Community" with the topic for tonight's panel being the Department of Social Services with speakers on such topics as public aid, title XIX, SSI and the other services offered through D.S.S.

This program will begin at 7 p.m. at Willkie House. Other activities this week at Willkie House: Monday, April 5, macrame for adults

at 5:30 p.m. and parent effectiveness training (P.E.T.) at 7 p.m. At 8 p.m., short films and a movie are shown.

Tuesday, April 6, ceramics for adults (\$8 fee) 6 p.m.-8 p.m. Wednesday, April 7, Willkie House offers ceramics for elementary ages, 4-5:30 p.m.; ceramics for secondary ages, 6:30-8:30.

Karate for all ages, 6-7:30 p.m. and Yoga (\$8 fee for 10 wks.) at 7:30 p.m. are other classes held.



Consumer Survival Kit Aims

Comedian Irwin C. Watson guest stars on "Auto Repairanoia II: Auto Body Work" on this week's Consumer Survival Kit. Tips on finding a good auto body shop before an accident and repairing your car yourself are just two of the areas covered this Saturday, April 3 at 10 p.m. on the Iowa Educational Broadcasting Network.

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ISAP Holds 7th Meet

The seventh annual convention of the Iowa State Association of Parliamentarians (ISAP) will be held 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m., Saturday, April 10, at the Des Moines Hilton Inn, 6111 Fleur Drive, Des Moines, Iowa.

ISAP is a chartered member of the National Association of Parliamentarians. The NAP was organized in 1930 with headquarters in Kansas City, Missouri and now has a total membership in excess of five thousand persons. The aim of NAP is to be of use to deliberate assemblies in this country and throughout the world.

The NAP grants the rank of Registered parliamentarian (a professional) to members attaining a high degree of knowledge in parliamentary law (by written examination). Registered Parliamentarians in the Des Moines area are Mrs. Dwight C. Wirtz, Mrs. F.W.

Capper, Mrs. Frank D. Rubel, Dr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Hines and LaMar Stanley.

Mrs. Wirtz was instrumental in organizing the ISAP and served as its first president. Mrs. Arron H. Hein of Davenport is now the president.

The primary purpose of the convention is the conduct of the ISAP business and secondary purpose is the training program offered by the members with the help of the national officers of NAP.

The convention is open to the public for a registration fee of \$1 or for a total cost of \$10 including fee and luncheon.

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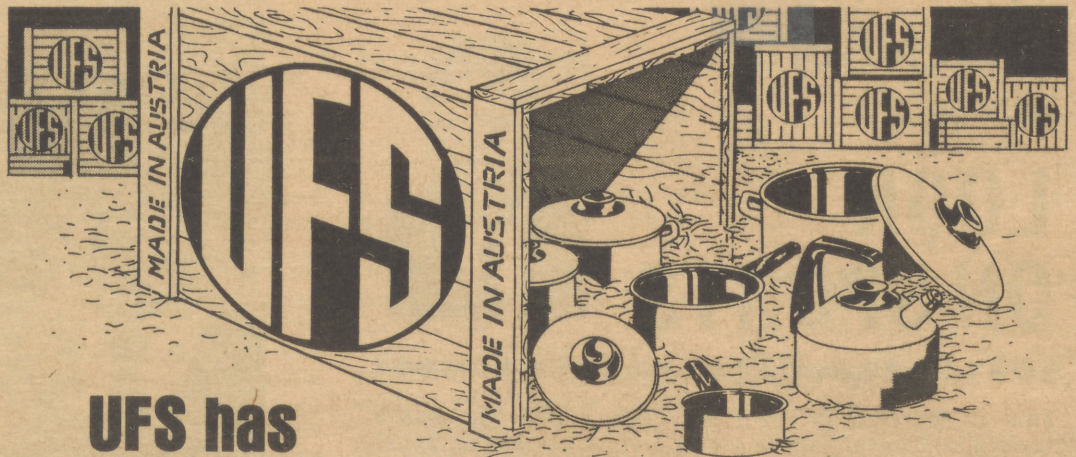
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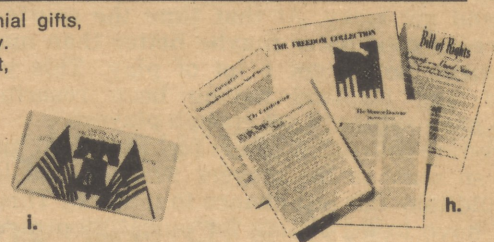
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LOOK ON SPORTS



This is the time of the year when a guy who has a column like this one has to scramble for something to put in it. The basketball games have all been played, the winter sports program is about over, and there is the dead spot between the spring games and summer. The cage tournament was a Jim Dandy. I always have argued that the NCAA has the best method for determining champions in just about every sport except football that can be devised.

In all of the other sports the top team is the one surviving the sectional and final playoffs, and that makes them definitely number one. So much for that. Maybe the NCAA will get around to choosing a football champ in somewhat the same manner if they can figure some way to get around the million (so it seems) bowl games. Last year's deal made one wonder. There were three teams with 11-1 records, and who could say that any one of them could have beaten the other two. Then there was one club with a perfect mark, but folks said they didn't play anybody; but neither did some of the others by that standard. They did beat Nebraska, a club that could hardly be called a patsy.

The end of the basketball year was super. Just about everyone I knew was hoping for Michigan to beat the big team from Indiana, but the third time wasn't the charm. And so now you must rate them- Indiana one, Michigan two, UCLA three, and Rutgers four. That would be about right.

I wonder if the Wolverines could really beat the Uclans. And Missouri came within a whisker of taking Michigan, so you would have to rate them five. The all-american clubs have to be funny. There are so many fine players in the country that there is no way to pick five and say those are the best. A guy could go into just about every part of the country and come up with five all-star players, and they could well be the best in a series of games with some teams from the rest of the country. I would rather see a roll of the top players, and let it go at that. You could pick an all-american team from the players in that final meet, and what would you do with players from the rest of the teams? Oh, well, I have this gripe every year, so what else is new?

And here at home, I was sure that Dowling's Tim Lee would get on one of the all-state teams. I would like to see some of the boys who beat him out play. But I still hope he gets to some college or at least some junior college for his own sake. It seems that Iowa was just about the only state around here close with no black players who were outstanding. Why? I don't know. Of course, Illinois and Indiana have always had those tough all black clubs, and sometimes they don't win either, but they are there. In Illinois it has been a big step from the first time Phillips made it to the state meet finals, and claimed they were officiated out of the title game. Now at least one of the Windy City schools gets to the final meet even if they don't win. Morgan Park came through this time.

Tennis, Anyone?

I recently received my kit for the second annual Younkers- Kodel Mixed Doubles Tennis Meet. It seems that you have to have at least eight teams in your meet to qualify. Last year I was scrambling around for the magic number and got lucky. At that time the courts at Good Park were as good as or maybe better than most of the public courts. So we got a lot of play. This year with Waveland and Birdland having been resurfaced, we expect to have suffice to get enough players.

I figured to have my meet on the final qualifying weekend so some of the players who lost out in earlier meets could take this last chance to make it. This ought to help. We have to get rolling for our Hilltop meet. There has been some talk of staging a summer long program at the park. This might be good, and might help our club when the big show comes in August, for we will need all the help we can get. Somehow, I expect this to be a year when we are going to have to really be on the ball with our meet.

Watch it, Ali

I was amused at the story that the heavyweight champ, Muhammad Ali is going to take on the Japanese mat champ. That was popular in the twenties and early thirties for a boxer to tackle a wrestler, and about four fifths of the time the wrestler won. So Ali had better look out or he may wind up wearing his feet for a hat.

Black news is good news



Heavyweight great Joe Louis stands between ex-heavyweight champions George Foreman (left) and Joe Frazier, at the St. Regis in New York recently,

where the two pugilists signed for a 12-round rematch. The date was set for May but a site has not been agreed. (UPI)

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Sports Poll Names Greatest Athletes Of All Time

New York—Muhammad Ali and Joe Louis ran a close race for top spot among boxers in the "Greatest Athletes of All Time" poll conducted by Cutty Sark among over 500 sports editors, writers and broadcasters across the country.

With the tabulations completed this week, Ali was named number-one man in boxing, with Joe Louis a close second, followed in order by Jack Dempsey, Sugar Ray Robinson, and Jack Johnson.

Others among the "Greatest" according to results announced here by Edward A. Horrigan, chairman of the board of Cutty Sark, were:

Baseball's Babe Ruth was named the overwhelming winner in the voting, followed by Ty Cobb, Joe DiMaggio, and a tie between Willie Mays and Hank Aaron.

in football, Jim Brown, the hard-hitting runner of the Cleveland Browns, was selected as top in his sport.

Next came: O. J. Simpson, Red Grange, Jim Thorpe and Johnny Unitas.

Bill Russell, the offensive-defensive thrust that brought the Boston Celtics 11 of 13 NBA championships during their heyday, was hailed as the greatest in basketball. Runners-up were Wilt Chamberlain, Kareem Abdul Jabbar, with a tie between Jerry West and Bob Cousy.

Tennis' Bill Tilden earned top honors, followed by Rod Laver, Billie Jean King, Pancho Gonzales and Jack Kramer.

The "Big Bear", Jack Nicklaus, who has already earned the distinction of being the all-time high money-winner in golf, won in his field, followed by Arnold Palmer, Ben Hogan, Bobby Jones, and Sam Snead and

Byron Nelson in a tie.

Gordie Howe, still active in the WHA, was selected as hockey's leading player. After Howe came Bobby Orr, Maurice Richard and Bobby Hull (tie); and Eddie Shore.

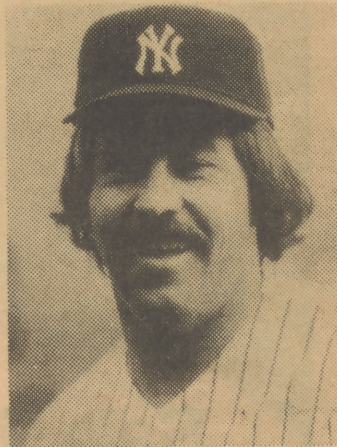
In track and field, Olympic champion, Jessie Owens, was singled out. Runners-up were Jim Thorpe (also a runner-up in football), Bob Mathias, Rafer Johnson and Roger Banister.

Winner of four Gold Medals in the 1972 Olympics, Mark Spitz was chosen as greatest in swimming. Following Spitz were Johnny Weismuller, Don Schollander and a three tie with Tim Shore, Buster Crabbe and Debbie Meyer.

The sports writers and broadcasters polled also singled out A.J. Foyt as tops in auto racing, and Pele as greatest soccer player.

Horrigan said that Cutty Sark has long been involved in the world of sports, sponsoring purses for both tennis and golf tournaments, as well as establishing special prizes for various sporting events around the country.

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Jean Lipscomb, a high school student employed part-time at the NASA—Marshall Space Flight Center, recently took first place in a District VI typing contest sponsored by the Future Business Leaders of American Club. In taking first place in the contest, Lipscomb competed with students from 25 schools throughout the northern half of Alabama. She will compete in a statewide contest in April, from which winners will go to Washington, D.C., in May for nationwide competition. She attends Johnson High School in Huntsville, Alabama.

Honors For Spinners

Atlantic recording stars, the Spinners recently completed a week of activities in Los Angeles which found them being honored at a posh dinner-dance hosted by Atlantic Records' Board Chairman, Ahmet Ertegun.

Among the 400 guests were Soul Queen Aretha Franklin, Joan Baez, Ryan O'Neil, Alice Cooper, actress Sally Kirkland and a host of other celebrities from the

entertainment world.

Celebrating their 20 years in show business, the Spinners were presented with plaques depicting their four gold albums and five gold singles on the Atlantic label.

Spinners producer, Thom Bell spent much of the week rehearsing material with the group for their upcoming album and appeared with them on a special Dinah Shore show.

Spring Provides Chance For Cleanup Campaign

As is usually experienced during the rites of spring, gentle rains and mild weather will produce, among other things, weeds and unsightly debris.

Although no area in Des Moines is immune to the wild surge of dandelions, lambs quarter, three sprouts and plain old abominable bushes, some sections of town may be particularly vulnerable to the jungle-like growths that emerge on empty lots or where unoccupied houses are located.

And the sight of debris that's collected in yards throughout the winter (or left from years before) may be additional headaches to residents whose neighborhoods' futures are crucial.

Near-northside residents, for example, became concerned last year as abandoned houses and empty lots increased — havens for vermin, snakes and maybe a mugger or two.

This year, however, if residents utilize city and county programs available this month, they may get a headstart on weeds and potential health hazards.

Between rehearsals, television tapings and parties honoring them, the Spinners prepared for their concert at LA's famed Forum. Tickets had been sold out weeks in advance and the Spinners did not disappoint the 18,000 fans. After appearing for an hour, as a second encore they sang "Mighty Love". The audience roared its approval and rose to their feet dancing and clapping acknowledging the Spinners as the top group of its kind today.

Residents who make complaints about weed-strewn lots are technically required to make complaints in writing to the county's week commissioner's office located in the Polk County Courthouse.

But, "By the time the month of June gets here," said commissioner George Stokesberry, "we usually just take it (complaint) over the phone."

Callers should give their addresses (if near such lots) or those of the lots (if known), as well as a description of their conditions.

Complaints about garbage or rats should be made at the Des Moines-Polk County Health Department. Complaints about unoccupied, run-down houses — which last year were also major fire hazards — should be made to housing inspection offices.

Stokesberry said his office will check the condition of the lot, determine whether the weeds are in violation of local ordinances and, if so, will send a seven-day notice to the owner of the property.

If the owner does not maintain the lot (and chances are that he, she or the company may not), the commission will take steps to get the weeds cut and assess the costs to the owner.

Although a proposed "neighborhood" cleanup campaign scheduled for this spring apparently has been postponed until this fall, the city's public works department hopes to have a free, one-week city wide bulk material pickup program later in April.

Jim Westover of the public works department said

Tuesday that his department hopes to begin the pickup throughout the city on April 19 and continue through April 23.

"We'll pick up bulk waste like refrigerators, chairs and couches," said Westover, "but it's got to be all at the curb, and it will be for one week only."

All items to be discarded during the pickup must be placed at the curb even if some items are from persons whose garbage is regularly picked up at the alley, Westover said.

Persons should place bulk materials at the curbside on the day that their regular garbage is picked up. Normal garbage pickup also will be made.

Residents are asked to call 283-4595 or 283-4156 if they have especially large articles, as couches or stoves. The pickup, which is to be in conjunction with the regular solid waste program, is free.

The public works department cleanup is to be considered as "an additional service" only, said Westover, "an opportunity for people to get their basements and garages cleaned out. We're really hoping that the citizens will cooperate."

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Church News

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MAPLE STREET BPATIST CHURCH

On Sunday, April 4, Rev. Parrish will deliver a "Communion Sermon," the Combined Choirs will be singing. Communion will be served.

At 4 p.m. Sunday, April 4, the Annual Choir Day Program will be held. Various outstanding choirs of Des Moines will participate on the program. The public is cordially invited to attend.

On Sunday, April 11, at 3:30 p.m., the Little Projects Club will present a musical program. At this time they will close out their "Baby Contest" also. If you would like to enter a baby, please contact any of the members of the Little Projects Club.

Plan to attend the "Nellie Frye Scholarship Fund Dinner" on Saturday, April 10. All proceeds will go toward helping a student from Maple Street attend college. Your patronage would be appreciated.

The Sunday School Easter Program will be held at 9 a.m. on Easter Sunday morning. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Linda Clark is Sunday School superintendent.

KYLES AME ZION CHURCH

Sunday morning, April 4, services will begin with Devotions at 10:30 a.m. The message will be delivered by Pastor Osofo L. H. McDonald. Holy Communion will be served. Music is furnished by the Senior Choir.

Monday evening, April 5, the fourth quarterly conference will be held at the church at 7 p.m. Immediately following the quarterly, the pastor will have a meeting with the members of the church.

Prayer service is each Tuesday 6 a.m. - 6 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

Plan to attend Bible Study Wednesday evenings, 7-9 at the church.

Thursday evening, April 15, Bro. McDonald, Senior and Young Adult Choirs, and members will fellowship with Morning Star Baptist Church.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, April 4, Rev. William Heath will preach and the Senior Choir will sing.

Last Sunday, Rev. B. Jamison brought us a very fine message taken from the Nehemiah 6:3. Topic was "Nehemiah and the Great Work."

The deacons meeting will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 3. The church business meeting will follow at noon.

This Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p.m., our Gospel Choir and members will be at the Morrisburg Community Church in Stuart, Iowa for the installation service of Rev. Mark Tuinstra. Our Gospel Choir will sing and our pastor, Rev. Wm. Heath, will be conducting the installation service.

One of our members, Donald Bland, has been elected president of the Iowa Chapter of Jack & Jill Inc.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor Thomas' sermon last Sunday morning was "Something Better Than Gold." Psalm 19 and Acts 3 preceded the sermon. Inspirational prayers were given by William Jackson. The Angel Choir and the New Creations offered soul-stirring musical selections.

Friday, April 2, 5 p.m. - 7 p.m. the Pastor's Aid Club will serve dinners. President is Mary Hawkins, chairlady is Regina Smith. At 7 p.m. a church business meeting will be held at 8 p.m. the New Creations will sponsor the Amos Hiatt Chorus. President is Tyrone Stewart, Chairlady Sister Evelyn Thomas.

Sunday, April 4, at 4 p.m. Billie Jean Moore will sponsor a "Tom Thumb Wedding" for the Angel choir. Little Dana May is the bride.

MESSIAH TEMPLE

Rev. Jacob Reed spoke last Sunday from Judges 11. His lesson, "Jephthah's Rash Vow," told of a price that was bigger than Jephthah expected to pay. But instead of giving up at life's cruelties, Jephthah made the most of it. He didn't allow bitter treatment make him bitter. Jephthah was a man of his word, and he made his word to God good.

Today, we hinder God from keeping His vows to us because we will not keep ours with Him. We should be more like Jephthah, and keep our vows no matter what the cost is.

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MORNING STAR BAPTIST CHURCH

Friday evening, April 2 at 7:30 p.m., there will be fellowship services on behalf of the Pastor's Anniversary. Anniversary chairladies Doris Woods and Charlotte Crawford.

Saturday, April 3 at 11 a.m., the Senior Choir will sponsor a dinner. For information, call 274-2060 or 280-9046.

Sunday, April 4 at 4 p.m., the Senior Choir will sponsor a musical program with Mrs. Mary Clark and the Eastside Gospel Choir, on behalf of the building fund.

Sunday evening at 8 p.m., we will have our regular fellowship program with Mount Hebron Baptist Senior Choir. Bessie Welch and Lavenia Jones are the presidents. Rev. Alex Crawford, Jr., and Rev. James Harris are pastors.

OUR SAVOUR'S BAPTIST CHURCH

Church business meeting will be held this Friday at 7 p.m. Union fellowship service among Our Saviour's Mt. Zion, Community and St. John's Baptist Churches will be held at Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Orlabor. Rev. H. Simmons is the host pastor.

Rev. T. R. Brown will bring the message and Our Saviour's Baptist Church Choir will render the music. The union service will commence at 7:30 p.m. this Sunday.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH

A musical program will be given Sunday, April 4 by the Heavenly Meditators at 3:30 p.m. at Macedonia Baptist Church, 920 Thirty-first Street in Des Moines.

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Prayer Service Wed.	7:30 p.m.

MT. HEBRON BAPTIST CHURCH

This Sunday, the pastor, Rev. James Harris, will serve Holy Communion at the 11 a.m. service and the Senior Choir will sing.

The Junior Usher Board will present Rev. Jeremiah Reed and his choir from Calvary Church of God April 4 at 4 p.m.

Our ill members are Mary Wilson and Thomas L. Hickman.

Spare Time Series

Features Slide Show

A slide presentation "Romance of Early Des Moines" will be given by Paul Ashby, Tuesday, April 1 at First Baptist Church, 8th and High Streets.

The program, scheduled for the main lounge at 1:15 p.m., is another in the series "Making Your Spare Time Worthwhile" sponsored jointly by the Downtown Kiwanis Club and the Department of Community and Adult Education of the Des Moines Public Schools.

All programs in the series, held weekly on Tuesdays through April 29 are free.

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Prayer Meeting Wed.	7:30 p.m.

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Morning Worship	12:00 a.m.
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Tuesday Bible Study	7:30 p.m.
Thursday Worship	7:30 p.m.

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1150 W. 13th Rev. Alex Crawford, Pastor	
Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Sunday Broadcast	9:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH	
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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.

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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.

Public Library Events

A Bicentennial Limerick Contest will be held starting April 5 at Main Library and all the branches of the Des Moines Public Library for children in grades 2-6; entry blanks may be picked up at the libraries; prizes will be awarded and the deadline for entries is April 26.

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The Book of Acts	7:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting Wed.	7:00 p.m.

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Wednesday Prayer Service	7:00 p.m.
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EVANGELISTIC MISSIONARY COGIC	
1340 E. 18th Street Elder Eddie Davis, Pastor	
Sunday School	10 A.M.
Sun Worship	1:30 AM and 8 PM
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.

TRUE BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH	
1440 DeWolf Street Rev. Ezell Wiggins, Pastor 266-8212	
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.

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OBITUARIES

CLARENCE DIGGS

Services for Clarence Diggs, 68, of 1420 Carpenter Ave., who died Thursday at his home following a heart attack, at 1 p.m. Wednesday were at Estes and Son Funeral Home, with burial at Glendale Cemetery.

Mr. Diggs, a native of Newelton, La., lived in Des Moines 26 years. He was a retired custodian for the Des Moines Medical Center.

Survivors include his wife, Lucreeasie; four daughters, Lillie Mae Robinson of Los Angeles, Calif., Clara Mae Lloyd of Chicago, Ill., and Gertrude McCullin and Delish Miller, both of Des Moines; a son, Clarence of Wilmott, Ark.; five sisters, Priscilla Davis of Omaha, Neb., Pearl Terry, Viola Holmes and Ophelia Motton, all of Chicago, Ill., and Lucille Diggs of Dermott, Ark.; 41 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

CECILE M. HILL

Services for Cecile M. Hill 60, of 1449 Fremont St., who died Saturday of leukemia at University of Iowa Hospitals in Iowa City were at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at Maple Street Baptist Church. Burial was in Glendale Cemetery.

Mrs. Hill, who had been ill 2½ years, was a lifelong resident of Des Moines.

She is survived by her mother, Dorothy Mash; two sons, Air Force Master Sergeant Norman Hall, Offutt Air Force Base, Neb., and Air Force Sergeant Richard Hill of Tokyo, Japan; two daughters, Dorothy Washington of Waterloo and Margaret Hill of Des Moines; four brothers, Robert and William Mash of Des Moines, Kenneth Mash of Los Angeles, Calif., and Norman Mash, with the Air Force in Japan; two sisters, Dorothy Talbert and Frances Bonwell, both of Des Moines, and three grandchildren.

RUSSELL K. JACKSON

Services for Russell Kimble Jackson, 77, of 1101 Crocker St., who died Friday at Mercy Hospital of a heart ailment, were at 1 p.m. Monday at Corinthian Baptist Church, with burial at Glendale Cemetery.

Mr. Jackson, a native of Fort Madison, lived in Des Moines 47 years. A retired employe of the Pinkerton Detective Agency, he was a member of the Corinthian Baptist Church and the church's fellowship choir, combined choir and laymen's league.

Survivors include his wife, Sadie; three daughters, Gwyneth Hardiman and Lela Sparks, both of Los Angeles, Calif., and Norma Dawson of Des Moines; three sons, Russell of Des Moines, Phillip of Los Angeles, Calif., and Melvin of Las Vegas, Nev.; 23 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.



Attend MABC Meet

Mt. Hebron Baptist Church of West Des Moines was recently welcome into the Mid-American Baptist Churches Conference. Delegates of Mt. Hebron attended the Area IV annual meeting of the MABC in Ames, Sunday, March 28. Officially welcomed were Helen Carver (left), Eva Young, Edna Mash (center) and Edmon Triplett (right) all of Mt. Hebron. Others pictured are Wilmar Gambill (second from left), area moderator; and Rev. Telfer Epp (second from right), area minister. Photo by Rev. Glenn Hammer, associate region minister.

Bailey Tries For NBA Crown

Chauncey Bailey of 1211 Twelfth St. has been selected to the Des Moines chapter of the National Bowling Association NBA candidate for king of the NBA "King and Queen" contest, a highlight of NBA Week to be held May 21-30 in Atlanta, Ga.

Bailey is among the dozens of candidates across the country vying for the 1976 NBA crowns. The king and queen will be crowned during a coronation ball at the Atlanta Civic Center May 28.

NBA Week will also feature its national bowling tournament, its national convention as well as tours, balls and other festivities.

The king and queen contest winners will be based on the greatest number of votes (tickets) sold. The tickets have been sold in Des Moines by local NBA members. All Des Moines votes, or tickets, will be used to aid Bailey.

The 1976 NBA king and queen will receive 10 per cent of the gross receipts brought in from his and her campaign, wearing apparel,



Chauncey Bailey

a silver loving cup and, among other prizes, the right to reign over the upcoming year and travel to national bowling tournaments.

Last year, the contest, which is one way that the association can raise funds to provide scholarships, support its junior bowling program and other activities, brought in a total of \$41,975.

In turn, purchasers of tickets have the chance of winning a \$1,200 trip to Hawaii or money as a first-place prize; a \$500 trip

to the Bahamas or money as second-place prize, or \$300 as third-place prize.

The National Bowling Association was established in 1939 after white bowling organizations refused to admit black members. By now there are more than 13,232 NBA members, 39 chapters (or senates) and five additional affiliate groups around the country.

The Des Moines chapter, of which Bailey is a member, was begun last year and has 80 members.

A chartered bus for local NBA members as well as for non-members, will leave from the Gateway Resale Store parking lot at 1817 University Ave. at 7 p.m. Friday, May 21 and depart from Atlanta on Saturday, May 29.

Students Invade Hollywood

Being close to the Hollywood scene may be an advantage for Occidental College students in Los Angeles.

At least for two brothers and their friends it has paid off. Ken Wheat and David Madsen, with Ken's brother Jim as producer, have won the Gold Medal Special Jury Award for short subjects at the Virgin Islands International Film Festival.

Their title? "Stuck on the Screen," the hilarious tale of a 1920's vaudeville song-and-dance man and would-be inventor who has created motion pictures with sound. He forsakes career and girl to demonstrate his Rube Goldberg-type invention to Hollywood moguls, only to have a freak accident involving a mouse disrupt his audition.

Critics say if this recent winner is indicative of the future, the world of Hollywood will survive.

Space is still available on the bus for anyone wishing to go. Round-trip bus fare is \$63.10 per person. Those wishing to go should contact Des Moines NBA president Richard Henderson at 287-2025 or Zack Hamlett, Jr., at 282-1363 before April 8. For more information about the trip, lodging, tours and other details, contact Henderson.

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ORIGINAL NOTICE

In the Iowa District Court
In and for Polk County
Equity No. CE 5-2634
UNITED FEDERAL SAVINGS
AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF
DES MOINES,
Plaintiff,

vs.
RICHARD J. KENNEDY,
DENISE D. KENNEDY,
DONALD L. HAWES, THE
THIRD NORTHWESTERN
NATIONAL BANK OF
MINNEAPOLIS, and POLK
COUNTY, IOWA,
Defendants.

TO Richard J. Kennedy and
Denise D. Kennedy
You are hereby notified and
required to serve upon Grant,
Lozier & Sarcone, Plaintiff's
attorneys, whose address is 902
Liberty Building, Des Moines,
Iowa 50309, an appearance,
motion or pleading to the
Petition which is now on file on
or before the 3rd day of May,
1976 and within a reasonable
time thereafter to file a
duplicate with the undersigned
Clerk of Court.

If you fail to do so, judgment
by default will be taken against
you for the relief demanded in
the petition.

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

(1) The sum of \$1,301.72 with
interest at 7% from January 15,
1976, being the amount due plus
interest upon the promissory
note in the principal sum of
\$14,500.00, dated May 21, 1968,
which note was made and
executed by the Defendant, John
W. Nichols, Mary Anne Nichols,
Henry A. Hayes and Freda
Hayes, now payable to this
Plaintiff, which note this
Plaintiff has declared due and
payable forthwith because of the
default of the Defendants in
failing to make payment of
monthly sums of principal and
interest due. The said sum
includes delinquent interest and
advancements to and including
January 15, 1976, and represents
the total sum due after allowing
Defendants all just credits; also
asking for judgment for any
further or future advancements
Plaintiff may be required to
make for continuing abstract of
title or for any other purpose
authorized by the terms of said
note and mortgage and by Iowa
law.

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

(3) Also asking as against the
Defendants above named a
decree of foreclosure of the
mortgage made and given by
John W. Nichols, Mary Anne
Nichols, Harry A. Hayes and
Freda Hayes, which mortgage is
dated May 21, 1968, recorded in
Book 3945, Page 323 of the office
of the Recorder of Polk County,
Iowa, said mortgage being given
to secure the above mentioned
note and other sums claimed,
which mortgage covers the
following described real estate,
to-wit:

Lot 37 in T.E. Brown's
Addition to Des Moines, now
included in and forming a part
of the City of Des Moines, Iowa.

Plaintiff waives its rights to a
deficiency judgment and prays
the court find the property to
have been abandoned and that
Plaintiff is entitled to have the
period of redemption reduced to
60 days.

Plaintiff also asks for the
appointment of a receiver to
take charge of the mortgaged
premises and to collect the
rents, issues and profits arising
or which may be had therefrom
and to apply them as by Court
directed.

For further particulars see the
petition now on file.
Dated this 24th day of March,
1976.

Clark R. Rasmussen
Clerk of Polk County District
Court

Polk County Courthouse
Sixth and Mulberry Streets
Des Moines, Iowa 50309

By Janis M. Chase-Deputy
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and April 1 and 8, 1976.

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Iowa,
Polk County,
ss.
Anthony A. Dullard and
Linda M. Dullard
Plaintiff
vs.
Glen S. Lester and Frances
Lester
Defendant

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information to exercise their right to access to
public records and public meetings.

No. CE 4-1966

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,
That by virtue of a execution, to
me directed by the Clerk of the
District Court of Polk County,
Iowa, against the goods,
chattels, lands, tenements, etc.,
of Glen S. Lester and Frances
Lester defendant in favor of
Anthony A. Dullard and Linda
M. Dullard Plaintiff, I have
levied on and will offer at public
sale, to the highest and best
bidder, for cash, at the East
front door of the Court House,
5th & Mulberry in the city of
Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa,
on the 30th day of April, 1976,
between the hours of 9 o'clock
A.M., and 4 o'clock P.M., on
said day, all of the right, title
and interest of said defendants
in and to the following described
property, situated in Polk
County, Iowa, to-wit:

The West 252 feet of the East
323 feet of the South 210 feet of
the South (one-half) 1/2 Lot 3 in
South Acre, an Official Plat,
now included in and forming a
part of the City of Des Moines,
Iowa.

Sale to commence at the hour
of 10 o'clock, A.M. of said day.

Witness my hand, this 15th
day of March, 1976.

Dick J. Clemens
Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa
By Nadine Hall
Deputy

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March 25 and April 1, 1976.

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-16-47 67

IN THE MATTER
OF THE ESTATE OF

HAROLD JAMES CREE,
a/k/a

HAROLD J. CREE
Deceased

TO ALL PERSONS
INTERESTED IN THE
ESTATE OF HAROLD JAMES
CREE, a/k/a HAROLD J.
CREE Deceased:

You are hereby notified that
on the 24 day of March, 1976, the
Last Will and Testament of
Harold James Cree deceased
bearing date of the 8th day of
July, 1964, and Codicil dated
July 2, 1968, was admitted to
probate in the above named
Court and that Ethel Marie Cree
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 six
months from the date of the
second publication of this notice,
or thereafter be forever barred.

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 24th day of March,
1976.

Ethel Marie Cree
Executor of said Estate
4019 - 3rd Street
Des Moines, Iowa 50313

HAROLD J. CRAWFORD &
ASSOCIATES

701 Insurance Exchange Bldg.
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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-16-4765

IN THE MATTER
OF THE ESTATE OF

GEORGE S. GOLDSMITH,
Deceased.

TO ALL PERSONS
INTERESTED IN THE
ESTATE OF GEORGE S.

GOLDSMITH, Deceased:

You are hereby notified that
on the 24th day of March, 1976,
the Last Will and Testament of
George S. Goldsmith deceased
bearing date of 4th day of
September, 1975, was admitted
to probate in the above named
Court and that Chessely Perry
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 six
months from the date of the
second publication of this notice,
or thereafter be forever barred.

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 31st day of March,
1976.

S / Chessely Perry
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The Second Forty

(A forum about
mature women)

by Margaret Brookfield

Have you a problem as a
mature woman, or with one?
For advice write Margaret
Brookfield, Information Center
on the Mature Woman, 515
Madison Avenue New York,
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Her Own Business

Dear Margaret Brookfield:

I need help badly. I am 49
and have four grown
children who are living with
their father in a northern
state. My five-year-old son is
with me in the South. I
needed to get away from my
husband from whom I am
separated so I came down
here for my health, to try to
work and live more cheaply
(my son and I live in a
mobile home).

For the past ten years,
while living in the North, I
ran, an arts and crafts
consignment business from
late May to early
September. I handled crafts
produced by 150 people and
also ran classes in painting,
macrame, etc., with the help
of only one clerk and a few
teachers. It was a successful
business and I earned a good
reputation.

Now I want to open a
similar business here in the
South, which I can probably
keep open year 'round
because of the weather.
However, I don't have
enough money on hand to get
started.

I've heard of people
getting a loan from the

government to start their
own small businesses, but I
don't have any idea whom to
contact. Can you supply this
information?

D.Q.

Dear D.Q.:

The Federal Government
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deserving individuals at a
low rate of interest, and
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to two banks and see if they
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either on their own, with
SBA putting up part of the
loan funds immediately, or
with SBA guaranteeing part
of the loan. If the banks
won't help, the person may
apply to SBA for a direct
loan, documenting the
banks' refusal.

For further information
write to the Small Business
Administration, 1441 L St.
N.W., Washington, D.C.
20416. You will undoubtedly
be referred to the SBA field
office nearest you.

Helping Others

Dear Margaret Brookfield:
I liked your answer to H.V.
about volunteering vs. paid
work. I happen to be a Red

Cross volunteer. I am a
widow of less than one year
who is on Social Security and
barely makes ends meet
financially. So I, too, have
been criticized for not
working for pay instead of
being a volunteer.

But, Margaret, I get great
pleasure by making someone
who is lonely a little happier.
If the people who criticize
me could see the faces light
up when I deliver mail and
flowers, or even say, "Hi!
Can I do anything for you?"
or "How are you today?"
they would feel differently.

The Red Cross can use
more people in jobs other
than as desk hostesses. If
people would only get off
their duffs and stop talking
about the money problem,
they, too can be as useful as
I am.

Thanks for letting me get
this off my chest.

F.B.

Dear F.B.:

Right on! We need more
people like you.

Those who share F.B.'s
attitude about volunteering,
might contact their local
American Red Cross
Chapter and offer their
services for wherever they
are needed. And, remember,
they have a blood donor
program, too.

Black History Flashbacks

APRIL 1

On this day in 1965 Francis S. Rivers became
president and chief policymaker of the NAACP
Legal Defense and Education Fund. He graduated in
1922 from Columbia University Law School. First
World Festival of Negro Arts officially opens in
Dakar, Senegal, 1966. Augusta Baker, innovative
librarian, winner of numerous awards for library
work with children; author, *The Black Experience in
Children's Books*, born in Baltimore 1911.

APRIL 2

In 1895 black inventor J. Lee received a patent for
a bread crumbing machine. The Second Brigade,
Second Division of the all black 25th Corps was
among the first union troops to enter Vicksburg,
Mississippi on this day in 1865.

APRIL 3

James Madison Bell, famed poet, born 1826. In
1883 black inventor Jan E. Matzeliger revolutionized
the shoe industry with his invention of the shoe
lasting machine which sewed the upper part of the
shoe to the sole. Thus he initiated the mass
production of shoes. Birmingham Manifesto, issued
by Birmingham community following a peaceful
demonstration in 1963, was written in the hope that
law, order and peace would somehow prevail. Carter
G. Woodson, author historian, founder of the
Association for Study of Negro Life and History, died
1950.

APRIL 4

Assassination of Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr. in
Memphis, Tenn., 1968. Adam Cayton Powell was
elected to Congress in 1944 from New York's 18th
District and served on the House Committee on
Education and Labor.

APRIL 5

Capt. Robert Smalls, Civil War Hero; served
through five Congresses as representative from
South Carolina, born 1839. Birth of educator Booker
T. Washington, founder of Tuskegee Institute, 1856.

APRIL 6

Black explorer Matthew Henson, a part of the
Admiral Peary expedition, was the first to set foot
on the North Pole, 1909.

APRIL 7

Booker T. Washington 10-cent stamp goes on sale,
first U.S. stamp to honor a black person, 1940. On
this day in 1925 Roland Hayes was presented the
Spingarn Medal in recognition of his outstanding
achievement as a concert singer. William Monroe
Trotter, civil rights leader and editor of the Boston
Guardian in 1902, born 1872.

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We want to thank each and every one of you for the lovely flowers and cards sent to the home and chapel for Mrs. Mary Lankford. Also we wish to express our appreciation to Mrs. Annabell Bradley and Mrs. Ruby Thomas for the lovely songs that were sung at the services, Elder Eddie Davis, Rev. Albert Fox and Supt. Elder Grady Johnson of Cairo, Ill.

Signed by
Freddie Lankford
Harrison Bush
Rev. Arthur Bush
and daughter

A THANK YOU

I, Jamason Coates, wish to thank my many friends of various organizations for their visits, calls and prayers. God Bless all of you.

Signed by
Jamason Coates

CARD OF THANKS

My sincere thanks to God for all my lovely friends for their visits, cards, flowers, phone calls and prayers, my pastor, Rev. H. Simmons and all other ministers of the city for their visits and prayers for me, also my roommate. I just cannot express my feelings of thankfulness to everyone during my illness in Lutheran Hospital.

Signed by
Stella Moore

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Russell K. Jackson, Sr., wishes to thank Rev. F. W. Strickland, Rev. Albert Fox, Rev. H. R. Field, pallbearers, Corinthian Baptist Church, ladies who served dinner and Estes & Son for 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 all of you.

Signed by
Mrs. Sadie M. Jackson
Mrs. Gwyneth Hardiman
Mrs. Lela Sparks
Mrs. Norma Dawson
Melvin, Phillip and
Russell Jackson and
all their families

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mr. Clarence Diggs wishes to thank Rev. Wayland Heath, other ministers, pallbearers and ladies who helped at home, Estes & Son for 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 all of you.

Signed by
Mrs. Luecreasie Diggs
Mrs. Lillie M. Robinson
Mrs. Clara M. Lloyd
Mrs. Gertrude McCullin
Mrs. Delish Miller
Clarence, Jr.
Sisters and all their families

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IRS Taxpayer Assistance Available In Des Moines

When it comes to federal income tax problems which need personal attention the people at the IRS office in Des Moines are ready to help.

"Taxpayers who have questions or need help with their returns are cordially invited to visit the local office for assistance," said Donald J. Porter, IRS district director for Iowa. "Trained taxpayer service representatives are available to answer questions, supply forms or publications and assist people in preparing federal income tax returns."

The IRS taxpayer assistance area in Des Moines is located at the Federal Building, 210 Walnut Street. It's open for walk-in assistance from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. each weekday.

People who come in for help should remember to bring their financial records, including all their Form W-2 wage and tax statements and tax package if they received one. This material will make it much easier for IRS employees to provide

necessary assistance.

Taxpayers seeking this type of free assistance should come in as soon as possible to avoid the rush in April, suggests Porter. By coming in now with questions help can be obtained quicker. As the April 15 deadline draws near, more and more people come in for help and there may be a longer waiting period for those wanting assistance.

For those who cannot visit the IRS office in person, there are toll-free telephone numbers they can call for help with federal tax problems. The numbers are: Des Moines, 284-4850; Cedar Rapids, 366-8771 and elsewhere in Iowa, 800-362-2600.

The best times to call are 10 a.m.-11 a.m. and from 1 p.m.-2 p.m., when the lines are least busy. The lines are open from 8:15 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.

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Gregory Joins Brown As Black Journal Guest

NEW YORK — Comedian-activist Dick Gregory is the special guest on the April 4 edition of Black Journal.

Gregory joins Black Journal host and executive producer Tony Brown; this week's co-host Melvin Van Peebles; music co-host Dr. Billy Taylor; and game co-host Adam Wade, who moderates this week's session of "Can You Dig It?", a quiz pitting two contestants against questions culled from the black historical and cultural experience in America.

Black Journal is produced by WNET/13, New York, with the assistance of a grant from Pepsi-Cola Company. Black Journal can be seen on the Iowa Educational Broadcasting Network Sunday, April 4, at 6:30 p.m.

Co-host Van Peebles has been successful in a variety of artistic careers — actor, author, filmmaker, composer, playwright, producer and director. With host Tony Brown he discusses his new book, *The True American*, and he joins in the questioning of special guest Dick Gregory.

Gregory opens with a brief monologue, discussing the wave of "Jaws" fear in America and the economy. "Those of you who had a good Christmas dinner, I sure hope you took a picture of it," he said.

With Brown and Van Peebles, Gregory discusses his recent appointment as a "Mississippi Colonel" by Mississippi Governor Cliff Finch; how young people have been affecting change around the country; and the continuing development of Africa.

"Africa will control the fate and destiny of Western Europe and America for the next 5,000 years," he said. "The tricks are over. African nations understand wealth and power."

Gregory also discusses his plan to run from Los Angeles to New York to "dramatize the critical problem of food in the United States and the world," he said. "Eating isn't a privilege, it's a right."

Dr. Taylor discusses the influence of Latin rhythms on American jazz and performs "Titoro." "The common bond between the two musical concepts is their African ancestry," Taylor said. "Because of this shared cultural heritage, their compatibility is assured."

Wade's two contestants on this week's "Can You Dig It?" are Milton Allen, assistant manager of a Washington, D.C., FM radio station; and Takisha Kumbo,

a teacher from Houston, Texas.

Also on Black Journal: on film, actor Arthur Burghardt, portraying abolitionist Frederick Douglass, discusses Douglass' views on women's rights.

This week's edition of Black Journal is dedicated to The New Pittsburgh Courier newspaper chain, a member of the "crusading black press" serving Pittsburgh, the twentieth largest black community in the United States, and six other communities around the United States.

California Official Lauds Wine Industry

MONTEREY — Affirming that "The economy of California needs a strong and prosperous wine industry to survive," Lt. Governor Mervyn Dymally toasted the state's wine growers with a glass of California wine at a meeting of the Board of Directors of Wine Institute this week.

In reviewing the lingering effects of the recession, Dymally stressed the need for government and business cooperation and planning to improve prospects for the economy and employment. "Every grape grower and



Lt. Gov. Mervyn Dymally

wine-maker must look to the

future to determine where they will fit in the grand design," he said.

The lieutenant governor is also chairman of the state's Commission for Economic Development, a far-reaching agency which aids established as well as developing industries.

He commended the California wine industry for its recent growth rate of nearly ten per cent, but warned, "The wine industry must take care in these times of economic peril to ensure its survival." However, he concluded, all was not bleak: "Wine, fortunately, is here to stay."



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