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NAACP's Hooks Highlights Drake Black Emphasis Week

Benjamin Hooks, executive director of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), will speak Wednesday, Feb. 4 at Drake University's Olmsted Center, Parents Hall, at 8 p.m.

Hooks' appearance is sponsored by the National - International Awareness Committee in conjunction with "Black Emphasis Week" Feb. 1-7 organized by the Black Student Organization at the University. Admission is free, and the public is welcome to

attend.

Hooks has combined careers as a lawyer, minister and businessman and in 1972 became the first black to be sworn in as a member of the Federal Communications Commission. He assumed his position with the NAACP in 1977. Hooks holds a J.D. degree from DePaul University College of Law and has been the recipient of numerous honors and six honorary doctorate degrees.

Black Emphasis Week at Drake begins Sunday,

Feb. 1 with a Gospel Choir Extravaganza at Olmsted Center, Parents Hall, at 7:30 p.m. There will be a tribute to black athletes prior to the Drake versus Bradley University basketball game Monday, Feb. 2 at Veterans Auditorium at 7:35 p.m.

On Tuesday, Feb. 3, a presentation of the "Historical Moments of the Black Struggle From Slavery to Freedom" is scheduled in Parents Hall at 7:30 p.m.

A talent show for high school and Drake students is planned

Thursday, Feb. 5 in Parents Hall at 7:30 p.m. A soul food dinner at Drake's Hubbell Dining Hall on Friday, Feb. 6 will be followed by a fun night at the Black Cultural Center, 31st and Carpenter. The Week's activities wind up Saturday, Feb. 7 with a "Celebration of Black History" at the Taste of Class, 24th and University, beginning at 9 p.m.

Theme for Black Emphasis Week is "We've Come This Far by Faith Keeping Our Heads to the Sky."



Benjamin Hooks

Residents Eligible For Utility Bill Aid

Many residents of Des Moines who normally don't consider themselves eligible for federal programs may, in fact, qualify this year for help with their home heating bills.

According to the city's Neighborhood Development Office, (the local CSA Community Action Agency) over 5,000 people have already applied for assistance under the low income energy assistance program (LIEAP). But city officials say there are many more eligible residents who may not have applied because they don't realize that program guidelines allow residents to have higher incomes than last year's program and still be eligible.

This year's program

allows the city to determine benefits based on one of three income categories: 100% of poverty, 125% of poverty, or the Bureau of Labor's Lower Living Index.

FAMILY SIZE	ANNUAL INCOME LIMITS		
	100% POVERTY	125% POVERTY	LOWER LIVING INDEX
1	\$ 3,790	\$ 4,738	\$ 4,738
2	5,010	6,263	7,430
3	6,230	7,778	10,210
4	7,450	9,313	12,600
5	8,670	10,838	14,870
6	9,890	12,363	17,390

A family of four, for example qualifies under the first category if its income is at or less than \$7,450 a year. If the same family made more than that, but less than \$9,313 a year, it would still qualify

— at somewhat reduced benefits, however. Even if income for this same family was more than \$9,313, it would qualify for some assistance, under the Lower Living Index, which allows \$12,600 for a

four member household. But the Neighborhood Development Office points out that the guidelines allow a household's income to actually exceed these limits and still be eligible — if its income for the 90 days preceding application is at or less than the following amounts:

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FAMILY SIZE	90 DAY LIMITS	
	1	2
1	\$ 1,185	\$ 3,718
2	1,858	4,348
3	2,553	4,978
4	3,150	5,608

Seasonal and other workers whose income is reduced during the winter and spring months should take note of this. "We want to make sure that everyone who is eligible understands the program guidelines," city officials say. "We assisted some 4,700 residents last year, and we believe we can help

more than twice that many this year."

The program is designed to provide the most assistance to those most in need. And while persons in the higher income brackets do not receive as much as lower income applicants, there aren't very many people these days who couldn't use some relief from the high costs of home heating.

Benefits are paid to eligible residents in the form of a credit on their heating bill, (or the grant is applied to the rent if the rent includes heating costs).

The LIEAP Program is funded by the Federal Department Of Health And Human Services, and is being administered by the Community Services Administration Community Action Agencies across the state. This year the city has a contract with the state for \$2.7 million for

Easton Blvd. 283-4096, Logan - E. 17th St. Ct. & Garfield 283-4149, Model City - 1000 College 283-4104, Pioneer - Columbus - 2100 S.E. 5th 283-4120, Southeast - 2501 S.E. Maury 283-4565, Woodland-Wilkie - 859 - 17th St. 283-4038, Central Office - 102 E. Grand 283-4068.

Applicants should bring their most recent utility bill and any records documenting income for the past 90 days. Applicants who are not

able to provide such documentation will need to sign a release form allowing the office to obtain the necessary verification of income.

Residents have until May 1, 1981, to apply but the Neighborhood Development Office is encouraging all persons who think they may be eligible, to apply as early as possible. The city has an Energy Hot Line which residents should call for further information: 283-4793.

Posters Of Protest

The Carter G. Woodson Center for Human Achievement located at 1325 16th St. will open its gallery with a show titled "Posters of Protest"

This is a collection of posters and prints from 60 and 70's. They represent an art form that developed as a form of communication about conditions in America that grew out of the turbulent 60's.

Some items are very rare having never been sold in Iowa. Two of the posters are signed by the artist, Buck Brown. He is an artist who regularly appears in the Playboy

magazine.

This art form has no legitimate category in Traditional Art terms. They represent a significant outpouring of concern for the survival of Black Americans by artists throughout the country.

The Center hours are from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and 7:00 pm to 10:00 Monday thru Friday and during Black History Month (February) from 11:00 am to 4:00 pm on Saturdays.

Admission is free. All are welcome. Please call ahead if you expect to bring a large number of persons.

Moulton Health Fair

An open invitation is extended to the Moulton School Community to participate in the Health Fair to be held in the school cafeteria February 27, 8:30 - 3:30.

The whole family, from child to grandparents, is invited to participate at the Moulton School, 710 College Avenue in dental, blood pressure, sickle cell anemia, lung and eye checks. Hearing checks will be for pre-school children only.

Volunteers from the following organizations

will participate: Polk County Mental Health, American Cancer Society, Heart Association, Des Moines Health Center, Dairy Association, Iowa Society for the Prevention of Blindness, Planned Parenthood, Parents Anonymous, American Lung Association and the Kidney Foundation.

These Volunteers will be donating time, information, and materials for a healthier community.

Thoughts and Comments

By James B. Morris III

The first civil rights case decided after the effective date of the Iowa Civil Rights Act of 1884 was *State v. Hall*, ruled upon by the Iowa Supreme Court during the October term of 1887. You must keep in mind when reading this case that barber shops were included specifically in the original Act, and that a violation of it was punishable as a misdemeanor (simple), with a maximum penalty of 30 days in the county jail and/or a \$100 fine.

The defendant was a barber who carried on his business in a shop located in Oskaloosa (Mahaska County). He was indicted (charged), tried and convicted for refusing to shave an individual in his shop, and from that he appeals. The indictment (charge) read as follows:

"The said Ben Hall, on the first day of March, in the year of our Lord 1886, in the county aforesaid, was the owner of, and had in his possession and under his control, a barber shop, in the city of Oskaloosa, in said county; said barber shop being then and there a public place, resorted to by diverse persons for the purpose of having their hair dressed and being shaved therein by said Ben Hall, whose trade and occupation was that of a barber, and who was on said date pursuing said

trade in said barber shop; and, while thus employed therein, one C. R. Bennett entered said barber shop, seated himself in one of the chairs therein, and requested said Ben Hall to shave him; and the said Ben Hall then and there knowingly, willingly and unlawfully refused to shave said Bennett, and would give no reason therefor, contrary to and in violation of the provisions of chapter 105 of the Acts of the Twentieth General Assembly of the state of Iowa." (The Iowa Civil Rights Act.)

There was a motion filed disputing the legal sufficiency of that indictment, to the effect that the charge and facts set forth in the indictment do not constitute an offense punishable by law. That motion was overruled by the trial court and the trial held, but the Iowa Supreme Court was of the opinion that it should have been sustained upon the ground specified.

The Court agreed that on March 1st, 1886, the defendant knowingly, willfully and unlawfully refused to shave Bennett, and gave no reason for that refusal. This allegation, however, is more in the nature of stating a legal conclusion than an allegation of fact. It was further alleged that defendant would give no reason for his refusal, but this still is insufficient to allege a criminal offense.

There should have been, they stated, an allegation that there was no good reason and that at the time and immediately after the alleged refusal he proceeded to shave others. For all that the indictment indicates, there may have been good reasons for the refusal. The law cannot, the Court felt, be construed so as to compel a barber to shave every one who presents himself for that purpose. Therefore, the indictment did not charge facts sufficient to show that the defendant was criminally guilty of discriminating against Bennett and in favor of others.

As there may have been good reason for the refusal, the defendant would perhaps be lacking in politeness in not giving the reason for his refusal, but that would not constitute a criminal offense.

As they felt that the case must be reversed upon the grounds listed above, no further proceedings were necessary in this case. It was alleged by the defendant that he is not liable under a proper construction of the statute, and that, if liable, the statute is unconstitutional. The Court felt, however, that there will likely be a time in the future to determine these questions when a case is presented with the necessary allegations to indicate that the statute has been violated.

Several things seem important about this case. Although several articles that I looked at which refer to this case indicated that Bennett was black, there is no mention whatsoever of that fact in the Iowa Supreme Court's opinion. Although it is perhaps likely that Bennett was black in view of the circumstances, the statute is written so as to cover anyone discriminated against.

Further, the Court avoids looking to the constitutionality of the statute (although specifically raised by the defense in argument) and refers instead to the facts alleged in the indictment, which is, perhaps, indicative of a desire, which survives to this day, to avoid reaching that level of inquiry if at all possible.

This case is not really indicative of any change in approach to situations of this type following the passage of the statute, but clearly shows the method of approach which the Iowa Supreme Court continued to use in civil rights cases proceeding and subsequent to the First World War.

Strokes And Folks

Edna Griffin

Among Black guests and possibly some white guests attending the Gala Inaugural the night before President-elect Reagan was sworn in, there was general agreement that Charlie Pride and Ben Vereen, Black performers, were less than 'cool' to put it mildly.

The discomfort among Black guests was such that an editorial appeared in the Washington Post, *Inaugural Message That Got Lost*, written by William Raspberry. I think it worthwhile for us all to take a

second look at reasons for the objections to Charlie Pride's lack of sensitivity and Ben Vereen's unfortunate choice of material for the occasion.

I know little of the background of Charlie Pride other than he is the only Black person known in the field of country music. This is what happened at the Inaugural Gala, Monday, Jan. 19. When Pride completed his performance, he tanked 'Miz' Nancy for inviting him.

This gesture is outside the usual custom of facing the President and his wife and bowing. Perhaps Charlie Pride wanted to let the world know he was there at the personal request of Mrs. Reagan. Understandable even if somewhat out of place.

The embarrassment and shock to Black guests arose from the phrase, "Miz Nancy". That phrase automatically established a servant-mistress relationship which was uncalled for at this special occasion. The "Miz Nancy" is a throw back to slavery when slaves were required to address the youngest

white child in the household as Master, Missey or Miz plus the first name.

The slave, regardless of age, was referred to by first name or any nickname that came to mind. The shock felt among Black guests must be understood within this bit of dark history. On the other hand, Charlie Pride's insensitivity must be understood as his survival technique on the 'slippery slopes' of integration.

He works in an all white world that does not include the upper levels of society, Black or white. Poor Charlie is likely to be stunned when hit from all sides with indignant criticism!

Ben Vereen is a superb dancer, well known both in America and Europe. You will recall that he played 'Chicken George' in *Roots* and played well. It is his great interest in the life and work of Bert Williams, the black comedian of the '20s that got Vereen into a hornet nest of criticism. The truth is, he does, I've read, an excellent re-creation of Williams.

Black Folk In American Civilization

Carter G. Woodson:
Father of Black
History Month

February is celebrated as Black History Month. It received this designation as a result of the dream of one man who was able to work with a number of other persons to make this dream a reality. This seer was Carter G. Woodson.

According to Dr. Woodson, "not to know what one's race has done in former times is to continue always a child." "If a race has no history, if it has no worthwhile tradition, it becomes a negligible factor in the thought of the world, and it stands in danger of being exterminated."

Carter Godwin Woodson, who expressed the above thoughts, was born at New Canton in Buckingham County, Virginia on December 19, 1875. He was the son of former slaves, James Woodson and Annie Eliza Riddle Woodson.

His family was large and poor, and he, consequently, was unable to attend the local school during much of its five-month term because he was needed by his parents to work on the farm. However, by the age of seventeen, he had by self-instruction mastered the basics of common school subjects.

It was also during this year that he moved with his family to Huntington, West Virginia. Here he went to work as a miner in the coal fields.

In personality, Dr. Woodson has been characterized as having been a lone-wolf who was persistent and almost dogmatic. This is understandable when one recalls that here was a man with a mission.

At the age of twenty, he entered Douglass High School of Huntington, West Virginia, and in less than two years completed his courses. He went on to earn both a Baccalaureate and Master of Arts Degree from the University of Chicago.

The next year, he began studying at Harvard University. So that he could do research for his dissertation at the Library of Congress, in 1909, he began teaching French, Spanish, English and History in the public schools of the District of Columbia. In 1912, his dissertation, "The Disruption of Virginia," was accepted by Harvard and he was awarded the

degree of Doctor of Philosophy.

Afterwards, he served as Dean of the School of Liberal Arts at Howard University, but left because he did not agree with certain administration policies. He, eventually, gave up teaching altogether for this same reason.

One of Dr. Woodson's major contributions to the historical profession came in 1915. On September 9, 1915, Dr. Woodson met with four other persons in the office of the Executive Secretary of the Chicago Y.M.C.A. and organized the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History.

It was incorporated on October 3, 1915, under the laws of the District of Columbia. The Association was organized "to treat the records of race scientifically and to publish the findings to the world."

On January 1, 1916, Woodson published the first issue of the *Journal of Negro History*, the official organ of the Association. The cost of this first issue was about \$400.00 which was personally financed by

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

A February calendar of Community Events and activities is being compiled by the Carter G. Woodson Center. February is recognized as Black History throughout America.

Any one wanting to either list an activity with the Center or wanting to know what activities are being held, should call the C.G.W.C. at 280-7510.

Dr. Woodson. During his tenure as editor of the journal, it never missed a single issue.

Dr. Woodson was also responsible for the establishment of "Negro History Week." Working with the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., he launched this annual celebration in 1926. Out of this venture grew the need for a popular periodical on black history. He met this need by beginning the publication of the *Negro History Bulletin* in October of 1937.

Dr. Charles Wesley eulogized Carter Godwin Woodson by saying, "here was a man who was a scholar but he was more than this. He was a discoverer, a contributor, an organizer, a disseminator, and a defender, all in the cause of truth." Even being all of these, he still died without realizing his life ambition of writing an *Encyclopedia Africana*.

Perhaps he had foreseen this when he wrote, "...a man has but so much energy to spend in this life. If he has to work always against handicaps he must finally fall short of his possibilities, and the country which hampers him for the apparent benefit of the privileged class is hanging a mill stone about its neck."

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African-American History—What Does It Mean To You?

While thousands of years of history or even 425 years of history of people of African decent living in America can hardly be touched in 28 days — We yet are about to enter that period of time initiated by the late, Afro-American Historian Dr. Carter G. Woodson and approved by Congress in 1926 set aside to give recognition to the African American people for their contribution to American life.

We, the American people and in particular the African American people should not allow the month of February to pass without engaging ourselves in studying and remembering our heritage. Time should be taken to gain knowledge of our extended family background and if possible establish or re-

establish those ties.

We should do this however, painful it might be. The Black family is the institution that got us where we are today; however fragmented, and to know your own family heritage is to know yourself and you will find that this knowledge will bring a sobering, humble and dignified effect on you.

For you will find that while our people suffered many indignities, they still endured always striving for dignity. This knowledge should be passed on to our young and preserved by photographs and tape recordings.

Knowledge of our history in the state of Iowa is also important and for too long has been neglected in our school system and will continue

to be neglected unless we work to preserve and promote it. Herbert R. Wright received a law degree from the University of Iowa Law School in 1901 and practiced law in Des Moines until he was appointed to the United States Consul serving at Utiilla, Honduras from 1903 to 1908 and at Puerto Cabello, Venezuela where he served until 1918.

Or Archie A. Alexander who was born in Ottumwa in 1888 and grew up in Des Moines and received a B. S. degree in engineering in 1912 at the University of Iowa. Mr. Alexander built several bridges, and viaducts throughout Iowa.

He built the heating system for the expanding campus at the University of Iowa in 1928. He also designed many of the

freeways around the country such as the Whitehurst Freeway in Washington D.C. Afro-Americans in Iowa have a history full of accomplishment and we would all be greatly benefited in its pursuit.

Finally, the study of Afro-American History from a national and international perspective will serve to give us a much broader concept of ourselves, destroy stereotyped myths that have fostered self hatred among Afro-Americans and fueled the fire race prejudice among others.

Afro-American history is inextricably bound to achievement, for if you don't know you ever did anything you can never do anything. Dr. Carter G. Woodson, wrote "The aspiration and the spark of genius that we find in all people is crushed in the Negro, when Negroes are made to feel that our race doesn't amount to much and never will measure up to the standards of other people." "Those who have no record of what their forebearers have accomplished, lose the inspiration which comes from the teaching of biography and history."

Let us remember

ourselves (our people) this month of February and throughout the year — It is the vitamin A to our egos, our mind and soul. Get involved with activities at the colleges throughout the state, the

churches and community centers sponsoring programs during African-American History month.

Shahid A. Muhammad
Director, Woodson Cultural Center

ACTIVITIES FOR AFRO-AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH THROUGHOUT IOWA

- Feb. 1 Posters of Protest - Woodson Cultural Center 3-6 p.m. on display throughout Feb.
- Feb. 4 Benjamin Hooks, Executive Director of N.A.A.C.P. Drake University - Olmstead Hall 8 p.m.
- Feb. 6 Gateway Dancers at Area XI 12 noon.
- Feb. 12 Historian Dr. Yusef Ben Jochanan - Iowa State University - Carver Hall 8 p.m.
- Feb. 14 Comedian Franklin Ajoye (Stir Crazy) at Coe College - Sinclair Auditorium 8 p.m.
- Feb. 15 Movie "A Hero Ain't Nothing But A Sandwich" Coe College at 8 p.m. - Sinclair Auditorium
- Feb. 16 Dr. Ralph David Abernathy - Coe College Sinclair Auditorium 8 p.m.
- Feb. 19 Marsha Gillespie (Former editor of Essence Magazine) Coe College - Sinclair Auditorium 11 a.m.
- Feb. 21 "Our Black Shining Prince" A tribute to Malcolm X - 7 p.m. Irving Multicultural Center. Also Film on the life of Malcolm X (16th & Forrest)
- Feb. 22 Grand Opening of the Carter G. Woodson Cultural Center For Human Achievement, 16th & Forrest, 3 p.m.
- Feb. 26 Dr. Arthur Thomas of Central State University - Area XI at 12:30 and Urban Campus at 6:30 p.m.
- Feb. 27 Dr. Arthur E. Thomas - Irving Multicultural Center 16th & Forrest at 7 a.m.
- Feb. 28 Afro-American Family Workshop "Reconstruct The Family Life" Irving Multicultural Center - 16th & Forrest at 8 A.M.

Retirement Dinner For Catherine Williams

A Retirement Dinner Dance will be held Friday, February 13th, 1981, at 6:00 p.m. at the Hilton Hotel in recognition of Catherine Williams.

The affair is sponsored by the Iowa Department of Social Services.

Friends and Colleagues of Catherine are invited to attend.

The cost of the Dinner is \$12.50. Reservations

should be sent to Marguerite Cothorn, 1249-43rd, Des Moines, Iowa, 50311, by February 4, 1981.

Entertainment for the dance will be provided by Rose Marie Webster.



The Des Moines Branch NAACP is planning a tribute to Catherine Williams (above), retiring deputy commissioner of the Iowa Department of Social Services. The tribute will be Feb. 15 at 1 p.m. at St. Paul A.M.E. Church, 1201 Day. For more information about the program call Sande Bell 288-3939.

STROKES AND FOLKS

The Inaugural Gala was not the place. Who among the white audience had ever heard of Bert Williams. There were probably only a handful of Blacks present who saw beyond the make-up of a buffoon which embarrassed them in the Gala setting. For those unfamiliar with the comedian, Bert Williams, a bit of history may be useful.

Bert Williams was a genius in the world of comedy. The only Black to appear in the plush entertainment world of the Zeigfield Follies in spite of the shackles of racism in the first quarter of this century.

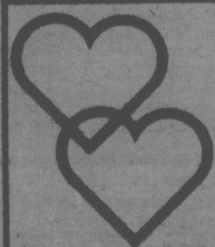
Williams was not provided a dressing room. The white chorus girls might have objected.

The myth of the Black man as an animal was portrayed in the film, Birth Of A Nation. Williams was required to wear black-face, exaggerated white lips and white gloves. An anonymous clown—acceptable to the white audience. Bert Williams portrayed the human condition.

He was a master of gesture. Before microphones were available, his comments were half spoken and partly sung.

"I ain't got nobody, and nobody cares for me. Who says, come in and have a beer? Nobody. Not a soul". When the lavish and expensive entertainment of the Follies disappeared, Bert Williams found himself limited by racism. He died hungry and broken-hearted.

The guests at the Inaugural Gala came to be entertained. "The Inaugural message that got lost" (William Raspberry) was lost because who cares to look back at a shuffling clown in black-face. "Let the good times roll!"

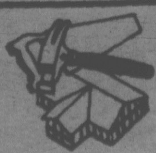


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The Church Page

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH

Church theme for Jan.—"The Word Of God Our Best Beginning." (Meaning: When you start with God, you can only have a good ending.) Church School—9:30. Morning Worship—11:00. Last Sunday's music provided by the Corinthian Aires and Youth Choir. (Footnote:) The Candlelight was missed. Looking forward seeing them next fourth Sunday.

Last Sunday's morning prayer and responsive reading was led by Rev. Beaty.

The Corinthian Fellowship Chorus will present an outstanding musical Sunday, Feb. 22, 4:00 p.m. at the church. Theme: "Music In Our Culture and Its Meaning."

In observance of Afro-American Month all of the choirs and musicians will participate; Mrs. Mary Clark and Mrs. Donna Woods special soloists and a very unique group, The Instrumentalists, will be a part of the program. If you like music, please keep this date circled on your calendar.

Leon King, Pres.
Charles Robinson, Dir.

Extreme emphasis on Wed. night prayer meetings. Time: 7:00 p.m. Prayer is the answer for things seen and unseen...to know for sure, we have to go.

Needed, singers—For the Corinthian Choir, Inspirational Chorus and Fellowship Chorus. We know there are a lot of folk in the church with talent. We are offering you a chance to use it for the glorification of God. Contact Barbara Williams, Corinthian Choir; Doris Wade, Inspirational Choir; Dee Charles Robinson, Fellowship Chorus.

Let's sing together about the wonders of God's love.

Jeana Best did a wonderful job last Sunday on her solo "Precious Lord."

Jeana is a member of the Corinthian Youth Choir, a very spiritual singer. Enjoyed by everyone immensely.

Keep the pledges coming Corinthian members. We've come along way, but we still have to reach our goal.

Please remember Feb. 22, 4:00 p.m. Musical sponsored by the Corinthian Fellowship Chorus.

Think good thoughts; remember those less fortunate than you. Have a good week.

Rose M. Webster
Church Reporter
Rev. I. W. Strickland
Pastor

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH

Together, We Love Together, We Serve Together, We Build Sunday was without a doubt one of the most enjoyable January days, in terms of weather, that I o w a n s have experienced. Bethel was blessed on this beautiful day with a beautiful congregation. We were indeed pleased to see so many out for the worship service, and we invite you all back again.

Rev. Jones used as his text "What Time Is It?" Pastor Jones elaborated on the fact that it is later than we think. If you're wondering about the 60 degree temperatures in January, remember Jesus said "There will come a time when you won't be able to discern the change of the seasons, but by the budding of the trees." What time is it?

The scriptures tell us before the end there will be many signs indicating the end is near. Many of the predictions are coming to pass.

With a very effective sermon, Pastor Jones expertly pointed out the various signs that indicate the end is near. What time is it? It is definitely later than we think.

Bethel members are reminded of the Quarterly Conference scheduled for January 31, at 7:30 p.m. P. E. Richard Smith will officiate.

February 1, at 4 p.m., the Missionary Society will honor Mrs. Nancy Hickman. All missionaries and friends are encouraged to come out and honor a worker

for a job well done.

The Usher Board is sponsoring a skating party Sunday, Feb. 1, at Terrace Fun Spot. The time is 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Cost for skating is \$2.00.

On Saturday, Feb. 7, 1:00 to 5:00 p.m., the Ushers will be selling chicken and fish dinners. Donation for each dinner is \$3.00.

The Missionary Society will have its annual "Feast of the Seven Tables" Sunday, Feb. 15. Donation: \$5.00.

Mrs. Dorothy McCurn will present "The Voices of Soul," Iowa City, Iowa, Sunday, Feb. 22.

On March 8, the Sr. Choir will present "The Old Ship of Zion," a spiritual pageant. Narrator for the evening will be Mrs. McCell Clinton. Chairperson is Mrs. Dorothy Taylor.

We're praying for the success of each of these special projects.

Remember the sick and shut-ins in your prayers.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH

This Sunday February 1, 1981, the Inspirational Choir will sing and Rev. Brown will bring the message.

Last Sunday Rev. Brown's message was entitled "Why Not Give God a Chance."

Mid-Week Service on Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m. with the Mission and the Brotherhood followed by Prayer Service and Bible Study.

On Saturday February 21 at 6 p.m. Sis. Alice Boyd will show slides from her trip to Korea in the Fellowship Hall. Korean refreshments will

be served. Presented by the Mission Department.

FROM THE PASTOR Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God. Hebrews 12 Chapter 2 Verse.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor, Rev. H.R. Fields Sunday, January 25th devotions were under the direction of the Mt. Olive Deacons. The 11:00 a.m. message, delivered by the Pastor, was taken from 11 Hebrews, 1-5, on "Faith". The Pastor stressed the many aspects of faith necessary of the Christian believer.

Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p.m., the Pastor and Choir rendered service for the East Side Union Mission Society at Mt. Hebron Baptist Church. The subject: "Let's Get Our Battery Charged", based on the scripture, Acts 1:8.

Sunday, February 1, the Pastor and Choir will conduct a service at Royal View Manor at 7:00 p.m.

Candidates for Baptism, to be held the second Sunday, February 8, are Ted Burkett, Jr. and Michelle Houston.

The Mt. Olive Mission Society will present Miss Monique McMickle in Recital Sunday, February 8, 4:00 p.m. at the church. The Shiloh Baptist Church Choir will also appear on the program.

A reminder that Mt. Olive Family Day is

coming up the third Sunday in February. We'll be looking for all persons who are, or who have been, a part of Mr. Olive to come share the day with us. Afternoon speaker will be the Reverend Fred B. Green, His choir and congregation from Macedonia Baptist Church.

Please remember to pray for the sick and shut-in everywhere. Our known members in this category include: Sis. Beulah Powell, Sis. Anna Edwards, Sis. Tanya Guthrie, Bro. and Sis. James Duffy.

MORNINGSTAR BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor Alex Crawford, Reporter I.M. Swink On Feb. 1, 1981, the East Side Missionary Society will honor Mrs. Nancy Hickman with an appreciation service at the Bethel A.M.E. Church at 4 p.m. All missionary societies and their members are encouraged

to attend this service along with all the friends of Mrs. Hickman.

On Feb. 1, 1981 at 5 p.m. the Morningstar Sr. Choir, and the Gospel Neville Bros. are presenting the Gloraires of Chicago, Illinois. This promises to be a gospel song-fest. Please support the sponsors.

On March 8, 1981 Morningstar Bapt. and its pastor and choir are to be the guests of Mt. Zion Bapt. Cedar Rapids, Iowa, for the anniversary of Rev. and Mrs. Charles E. Glover. Look for further details. You may call Mrs. Doris Woods for ticket information 243-3616.

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NEW FRIENDSHIP CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST 1317 Forest Pastor Elder R. L. Daye Sunday Services Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Church Worship 11:30 a.m. Y.P.W.W. 6:30 p.m. Weekday Services Tues. & Fri. 7:30 p.m.	TRUE BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH 1440 DeWolf Street Rev. Esell 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.
MESIAH TEMPLE 2603 Center Elder Jacob J. Reed, Pastor Order of Services Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship 11:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal Sat. 2:00 p.m. The Book of Acts 7:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:00 p.m.	CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH 9th & School Streets Rev. F. W. Strickland Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Service 7:00 p.m. Prayer Service Wed. 8:00 p.m.
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ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH 1201 Day Street Rev. Lewis F. Grady Church School 9:30 a.m. Church Service 10:45 a.m. Vespers Service 6:30 p.m.—7:30 p.m. Prayer Service, Wed. 7:30 p.m. Youth Fellowships 5:30 p.m.	

Patricia are in charge. Supt. Ting Jenkins also assists in these programs.

Prayers for the sick are for: Helen Broadus, T.L. Hickman, Deloris Fields, Marian Nichols.

The following are all the newly baptized members of Morningstar Bapt.

Harold Harper, Yolanda Smith, Amos Holt III, Ebony N. Clinton, Mavis Alcott, Larry Andre Crawford, Alvin Lee Killion, Sonja Marie Baker, Jamie Louise Jewett, Jody Lynn Jewett, Willie Neville, Jr.

Members who have newly joined by Christ Experience are: Karen Brown by letter, Christ Ex. Jacinta Jewett, Tim Jenkins, Frankie Johnson, Robert Hamilton, Jr., Carla Harris, Liza Harris, Sharon Harris, Rev. Harvey Goudeau, Etta Griffin, Agnes Thompson, Rose Marie Moore, Keith Rankin, Pearl Daniels.

Morningstar welcomes everyone of these spiritually inspired persons and we pray all will find delight in working for the master, out of this vineyard, overseen by Pastor Alex Crawford.

Prayer releases the word of God, praise releases the presence of God, and the Word releases the power of God. So when I am asked the question "When is the church big enough?" I answer when everyone in our city has accepted Christ. Then and only then is the church big enough.

MAPLE ST. BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor: Rev. B.H. Parrish

Greeting from our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Sunday, Jan. 25, 1981 Rev. Parrish message was, "Preparation Of A Candidate for The Kingdom". He said, "The kingdom was a reality, there must be some preparation for the kingdom. You must be born again. Preparation requires being called aside for direct teaching." It requires a self-examination, and being humble.

It requires being concerned about those who are far from the kingdom.

It requires glorifying God's name.

It requires being compassionate.

It requires learning how to live with others.

It requires having a pure heart.

It requires having something with - in.

We thank God for our pastor and him coming to us with the fullness of the blessing of the Gospel of Christ.

Sunday Feb. 1, 1981. There will be night service at Maple St. Baptist Church at 6:30 p.m. There will be preaching. The Senior Choir will be singing.

Friday Feb. 6, 1981. Black History movie 7:00 p.m.

Sunday Feb. 8, 1981, 4:00 p.m. The Sunday School Black History Program. Mr. Vince Chapman as our guest speaker. Sis. Linda Clark - Supt.

Official Board will be Feb. 3, 1981 at 7:00 p.m. All Deacons and trustees please be present.

Each Wed. night at 7:00 p.m. is Prayer meeting and Bible Study. There is a universal need of prayer.

Sunday School - 7:30 a.m. Morning Worship Service - 10:45 a.m.

Reporter Dea. Tommie L. Calhoun

NEW FRIENDSHIP CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. We are yet rejoicing over the beautiful service we had on Sunday morning, it was Women's day and our message delivered by our Pastor's Wife, Sis. Carol A. Daye. Her subject was "A Need to Increase our Faith".

Truly God did come and bless our souls, she gave us food for thought. We praise God for five visitors who came to our service, one of whom was Missionary Wade. There were remarks by her which was enjoyed by all. Tuesday nite will be our Bible Study service, we cordially invite you and you to join with us in this delightful and enlightening Bible discussion.

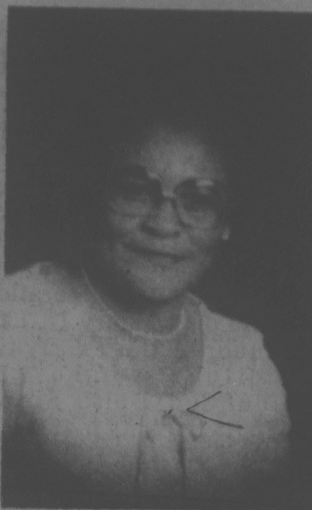
On Thursday nite, Pastor Daye will do the invocation during the dedication of the newly remodeled Willkie House on 17th St. Friday nite is family nite, Pastor Daye would like for all members of New Friendship to please be present. On Saturday morning January 31, from 7:00 AM until 11:00 AM, a delicious breakfast will be served at New Friendship, sponsored by Sis. Jessie Jenkins.

This delicious breakfast will only be \$2.25, it will include: Waffles, sausage patties, eggs, juice and coffee. The public is cordially invited to come and help us and enjoy a marvelous breakfast. Sunday morning, our Sunday School will be in session at 9:45 AM; morning worship is 11:30 AM.

On Monday nite, February 2, the D.W. SMITH DISTRICT will have a setup meeting at New Friendship at the hour of 7:30 PM. We are praying for our sick and shutin which include Mother Fannie Wyatt, at home, Mother V. Perchman, Atlanta Georgia.

EAST SIDE UNION MISSION SOCIETY TO HONOR MRS. NANCY HICKMAN

On Sunday, February 1, 1981, 4:00 p.m., the East Side Union Mission Society will hold an



Nancy Hickman

appreciation service for Sister Nancy Hickman at Bethel A.M.E. Church.

Mrs. Hickman has been an active member of East Side Mission for over twenty years, serving the past twelve years as President of the organization.

The public is invited to join us as we spend "An Afternoon With Nancy Hickman" to thank her for her dedication and service.

SIS. FRAZIER HONORED AT SHILOH

Deaconess Roberta Frazier was recently honored by the members of Shiloh Baptist Church during Watch Night Services. Deaconess Frazier who is the First Vice President of the State Women's Department, is a Charter Member of the Shiloh Baptist Church, and one who continues to be very active in the church and community.

Pastor Sherman Brown

presented Sis. Frazier who gave a brief testimony and spoke of the goodness of God in her life. Sis. Shirley Daniels pinned a beautiful corsage on her and Sis. Frazier cut one of two beautifully decorated cakes she received and refreshments were served.

Sis. Frazier has contributed much to her church and has been instrumental in the development and growth of individuals who have had the privilege of meeting her. Besides her many involvements she is the mother of six children, five of whom are living and is kept busy by her many grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Sis. Frazier believes in what she is doing and in the words of the songwriter, "I don't feel no ways tired, come too far from where I started from; nobody told me the road would be easy, I don't believe He brought me this far to leave me. I don't feel no ways tired."

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Deaconess Roberta Frazier

our good
And unblest good is ill;
And all is right that seems most wrong.
If it be His sweet Will."
F. W. Faber

Last Sunday was a beautiful and inspiring Missionary Emphasis Day. The Pulpit guests were lovely ladies: Sisters Wilberforce Minter, Anna R. Jones, Laura S. Grady, Linda Carter, Linda Walker-Webster, and Musette Perkins, Master of Ceremonies, all dressed

in white.
We missed Brother Gad B. Tucker dressed in his white suit, but Rev. Felix Dickerson was an apt replacement. Inspirational was to see and hear 9-year old Collette Rene Scales giving the Call To Worship, charming teenager Michelle Carter's essay on the First Missionary—St. Paul.
The message of the morning, "Mission Is", was excellently rendered in dialogue between

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Sisters Linda Carter and Linda Walker-Webster with the objectives of: defining Mission; expanding Second Commandment; reevaluating our duty as a Christian; and, exemplifying acts of Mission as individuals. Their duet, "Lead Me, Guide Me", was most appropriate and well done.

Rev. Grady's sermon for this Sunday will be, "The Grace of God".

Presiding Elder Richard D. Smith will hold his 3rd Quarterly Conference Saturday, January 31st at 6:30 p.m. All reports must be in. February will be a full month of activities; the NAACP ACT—SO YOUTH GROUP'S BAKE SALE, February 15; the Laymen Organization's Founder's Day Banquet, Friday, February 20; and, State Pride Rally Sunday, February 22. Also, hopefully the rehearsals for the Easter Cantata will be in full swing.

No more can we anticipate eating Sister Albertha Grace's cooking. She's gone "home".

Look up at God's smile, when you do His will toward your neighbor. Happy?

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UNION BAPTIST CHURCH

Reverend H.I. Thomas
Pastor

THOU SHALT HAVE NO OTHER GODS BEFORE ME

Last Sunday morning's dynamic inspirational message was offered by the Reverend D.L. Reasby. Assisting in the ministry was the Reverends H.I. Thomas, A.C. Crawford and L.L. Harris. Morning litany Psalm 8.

Music by the Angel and New Creation choirs. After the 6 p.m. service the following persons birthdays were celebrated: Diedra and Anthony Hoffman, Kennary, Alton and Karla Lilly, Alonzo Smith, Stephanie Calister, Charlotte Taylor, Eddie Thompson, Mary Wallace, Henry Griffith, Geraldine Massey, Danielle Sanders, Anderson Wilder, Ruby Wilson, Ann Harris, Lucian Wyant Sr., Tammie Bibbins, Jeri Jewett, Tyrone Steward, Toni Wilder, James Wiseman Trina and Leon Creighton, Paul Hauser, Roni Caldwell, and Mother Florence Gunn.

Tutoring sessions are held each Monday at 7 p.m.

PRAYER AND BIBLE STUDY EACH WEDNESDAY AT 7 P.M.

Our known hospitalized are Sisters Mable Jackson room 792 and Geraldine Williams room 817, both at Mercy Hospital Medical Center. Recently dismissed from Mercy was Sister Mildred Watkins.

Sunday February 1st at 4 p.m. the Pastors Aid will sponsor "It Could Be You". Sister Regina Smith is President.

Evening services are held at 6 p.m.

Think about it "IF I CAN AID ONE IN DISTRESS, IF I CAN MAKE A BURDEN LESS, IF I CAN SPREAD MORE HAPPINESS, LORD SHOW ME HOW".

HEAVENLY TEMPLE COGIC NEWS

2110 Carpenter Avenue
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Bishop A. B. Carter Sr. pastor

Life through DEATH! was the subject Bishop Carter used on Sunday morning ... and the glory of GOD's presence filled the room, so much so until men and women lined up for prayer ...

His text was taken from Galatians 2:20. I am crucified with Christ ... never the less I live: yet not I, but Christ liveth in me: and the life which I NOW live in the flesh I live by the FAITH of the son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me ... Saints ... he went on, ... except a grain of wheat falls into the ground and die, it will not grow again ... except you die out to self ... your ways ... your ideas ... your selfish ways ... your evil surmising ... your ways ... take upon you the ways of Christ ...

You cannot live again ... Jesus is coming again soon saints, ... and you don't believe it ... no he said sadly, "you don't believe it, or you would be making preparation to meet the Lord ... he is coming back again to receive us unto himself just as he said he would ... make ready saints", seek souls ... just one soul ...

Tell them of the love of Christ ... and how he has no respect of persons ... he loves us all ... he said in his word, all souls are mine ... but the soul that sineth it shall die ...

When Bishop Carter finished the message the power of God's presence was felt so great ... that it was an inspiring ... uplifting ... glorious determined people that left the auditorium for home ... and all who returned Sunday evening were refreshed and revived ... the lingering power of God seemed to hover over the saints all day Sunday ... and on Sunday night it burst forth with such joy and exuberance, that the house went up in thunderous refreshing rain.

Bishop Carter walked the floor, throwing his hands up toward heaven, blessing saints, and praising God ... What Joy! What victory! ... for all the saints! You missed a treat! If you missed this service, a most refreshing rain! ... A young man came running down to the front.

Treat! If you missed this service, a most refreshing rain! ... May God bless you ... join us

this Sunday ... The 1st Sunday is Pastors special day ... and we are going to have a time in the praise of God ...

May God bless you ... and may heaven smile upon you ... when you think of heaven ... think of Heavenly Temple ... and we'll be praying for you ...

KYLES A.M.E. ZION CHURCH

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Message of hope by Rev. Dr. James E. Milton.

Music by the Senior Choir, Sis. Katheleen Spriggs on Organ, Sis. Alberta Hunter on piano. Sunday, Feb. 1st — The Parent Body Missionary Society is having a pound rally. They are asking everyone to put in a penny per pound. You can get envelopes from any Missionary member. Sis. Erdyne Whiteside will be collecting the envelopes next Sunday.

Saturday, Feb. 7th — The Buds will be selling chicken dinners starting at 11:30 a.m.

Saturday, Feb. 7th — The second check-up meeting will be held at Kansas City, Mo.

Remember the sick and shut-in all over the world. Our sick and shut-in members are: Edna Morris, Ozella Moten, Katherine Mulin.

It is for the devil and his limbs to be sad, but for us, always to be cheerful and happy in the Lord.

St. Francis of Assisi

Founders' Day Celebration

Phi Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc. recently held their 56th annual Founders' Day Celebration at the Holiday Inn on 6th Avenue. The celebration, held on January 17, 1981, honored the twenty-two college women who founded Delta Sigma Theta Sorority in 1913.

"Tell the Children"

ZEID CORNER

First off in this entry we have our sick and shut in list. Bill Weathers is at Methodist Hospital and is improving steadily. Please continue to send cards and letters. Sam Bell is at Northwest Hospital, room 211C and would appreciate visits from friends. Lynn Lewis and Walter Humphrey are both recuperating at home.

Next we have a few announcements. There will be a Leadership Seminar at the Savory Hotel in the Iowa Room, 9:00 AM to 1:30 PM, Saturday January 31st. All Masonic bodies please be present for this informative meeting. Later that night at the Fort Des Moines Hotel in the Drake Room we will have "Las Vegas Night" from 9 p.m. until.

This is our first entry of "Zeid Corner" and we will continue to inform you in further issues.

William Riddley
Publicity Chairman
Zeid Temple

was the theme of the inspiring keynote address given by Dr. Queen Dunlap Fowler, Superintendent of Schools for the Wellston Public Schools in St. Louis, Missouri. "Tell the Children," said Fowler, "they can be anything they want to be, and they will succeed in what ever field they choose." "It is your job, parents," Fowler continued, "to instill in your child a sense of pride and self-worth so that he will aspire to do great things and attain success."

Honored guests at the celebration were Adah Hyde Johnson, one of Phi Chapters founders, and

the members of the Patroness Club.

The officers of Phi Chapter are: Carolyn King, President; Laureen Hall, First Vice President; Vallery Griffiths, Second Vice President and Dean of Pledges; Murlean Hall, Recording Secretary; Mary Johnson, Corresponding Secretary; Gloria McCrorey, Treasurer; Eleanor Archer, Parliamentarian; and Greta Jackson, Sergeant-At-Arms.

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Ames Charity Ball

The Ames Few, an organization of women dedicated to promoting multi-cultural awareness in the city of Ames, is sponsoring the Second Annual Mardi Gras Charity Ball at the Starlite Village (13th St. exit off I-35N), Ames, Iowa on Saturday, February 7, 1981, 9 p.m. until 1 a.m.

Donations for the charity event are \$15.00 per couple and \$7.50 for singles. During intermission at the ball prizes will be given for best costumes.

All proceeds for this event will go to the Iowa State University Alumni Achievement Fund for the benefit of the Black Cultural Center.

The Black Cultural Center began in 1969 as a center to promote racial understanding and cultural awareness in the Ames community. It has remained a private non-profit center committed to interracial understanding.

In addition to housing the Jack Trice Memorial Library containing 1,200

books about black American and African culture, the center sponsors lectures and workshops, is involved in community outreach, publishes a bi-monthly newspaper produced by college students and co-sponsors with the local YWCA a Saturday multi-cultural education program for young children. Cultures of the world are presented to

the children through slides, stories, music, crafts, games, dance and food. Resource people from other countries as well as world travelers are invited in to share with the children.

The members of The Ames Few are pleased to sponsor its second Mardi Gras Charity Ball on behalf of the Black Cultural Center. The General Chairwoman of this year's ball is Mrs. Charles Samuels.

COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor, Rev. Guy Sanders

Last Sunday, the Rev. Henry L. Simmons, delivered a great and dynamic message. His subject was "we can never escape the cost for our Saviour". Text taken from the 2nd chapter of Hebrews verses 1-3.

Sis. Ruby Williamson, recently released from the hospital, favored the Church with a special solo. "How Great thou Art". The pastor and members were very glad to have Sis. Lillian Haynes back into presence.

Sis. Haynes, spent the holidays vacationing in San Francisco and Wastonville, California, where she visited her sons, Mark and Graig Haynes. Sis. Charlene Stanley re-united with Community Baptist.

Also re-united were Mrs. Gary Carter and Children, Sidney, Jackie and Roger Carter. Next Sunday the ordinance of the Lord's Supper will be observed. Following morning services, the installation of officers will be held. The pastor and members extend their deepest sympathy to Sis. Edna Wilson, who recently lost her brother in Texas.

From the Pastor's Desk: Ia. 38-1st Verse

"In those days was Hezekiah, sick unto death, and Isaiah the Prophet, the son of Amoz came unto him, and said unto him, 'Thus saith the Lord, set thine house in order for thou shalt die, and not live.'"

CHURCH WOMEN UNITED IN THE DES MOINES AREA

Evening Session - February 2, 1981 - 5:30 p.m.

Meeting at Calvary Baptist Church, East 9th and Des Moines Street. Speaker will be Sister Eve Kanavagh, from Hospice. The Chairperson for the meeting will be Sister Margaret Drain. For reservations call Miss Helen Wilkin 279-4219.

Afternoon Session - February 9, 1981 - 1:00 p.m.

St. John's Catholic Church, 19th and University. Speaker will be Jean Baysinger, from Inside Korea. Harriett L. Scales, Publicity Chairman

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH

Feb. 1 Fellowship week Faith at 7:30 p.m.

Feb. 8 Appreciation program for Rev. John H. Williams. Guest Elder Johnson & choir from New Bethany C.O.G.I.C. at 4:00 p.m.

Feb. 15 Mt. Hebron here at 7:30 p.m.

Feb. 22 Fellowship week Mt. Hebron at 7:30 p.m. Candidate for baptism Kim Rivers

Sermon given by Rev. Fred Stein titled "God Is a Sustain" Scripture from 1st Peter 1:1-8 verse Thought For Today All loves should be stepping stones to the love of God.

SBA ORGANIZES BLACK MANAGEMENT COURSE

A five week, 30 hour business management training course for Black business persons has been organized by the U.S. Small Business Administration's district office in Miami, Florida. The course could serve as a model for the Agency's 100 other offices around the country, according to SBA officials here.

The Miami course, which is free, will provide established and potential Black business owners with instruction in basic managerial skills. According to District Director Bernard Layne and Public Information Officer Carole Ann Taylor, Black speakers, trainers, and lecturers have been recruited both nationally and locally for the program.

Topics to be covered in the course include self evaluation profiles, development of personal financial statements and business plans, business site selection, leases, where to find capital, accounting, start-up and operating costs, advertising, promotion and merchandising techniques, insurance, taxes and inventory controls.

Taylor said, "The idea for a Black training program came during a conversation with Bernard Layne, SBA district director in Miami, and Dr. Bill Perry, president of the NAACP chapter there."

"Since one of the major problems of Black business persons in addition to financing, is one of not being

adequately prepared to actually manage and run a business, and since more than 90 percent of all business failures are due to poor management... both Layne and Perry felt that a training program in business management would be a great service to the Black communities of Miami."

Under SBA's Management Assistance Program, a variety of business clinics and counseling are offered to small firms. These services are available without charge. Information on SBA clinics, workshops, and counseling services are available from any SBA office. These offices are in most major cities and are listed in local telephone directories under "U.S. Government."

Breath Of Spring At Botanical Center

Spring officially arrives at the Des Moines Botanical Center on February 4, 1981. Though the north winds may be blowing, and the frozen landscape covered with snow, inside the dome Breath of Spring fills the air with intoxicating fragrances and the eye with Mother Nature's many - hued, multi-colored coat.

Tulips, daffodils, and Dutch hyacinths headline the show. Featured varieties include the dwarf Peeping Tom daffodil. Seldom exceeding four inches in height, Peeping Tom is a miniature form of the larger Trumpet daffodil. Direct from Holland, Gypsy Queen, a new orange variety of Dutch hyacinth makes its debut in Iowa.

The regal Spanish squill, bright pink fairy primrose, uniquely - hued cineraria, and floriferous azaleas all win kudos as members of the supporting cast.

A diverse assortment of bromeliads and orchids, quaint temple bells, and wax begonias provide a touch of accent.

On display for the first time will be the recently donated sculptured apple tree. The work of Ms. Karen Strobein, Drake University graduate and resident of Charter Oak, Iowa, the eight foot tall apple tree holds its fruit year around. If Sir Isaac Newton had sat beneath Ms. Strobein's tree, the Law of Gravity might never have been stated.

NAACP ESTABLISHES "KLAN WATCH"

As a result of the growing incidents of racial violence against persons of color at the hands of the Ku Klux Klan and other violent groups, a National "Klan Watch" will be launched by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People immediately.

Benjamin L. Hooks, Executive Director of the NAACP, announced the nationwide "Klan Watch," at a recent news conference in New York City. The "Klan Watch" will be a three-part program which encompasses:

- * monitoring, cataloguing and reporting any and all incidents involving Klan and Klan-type activities.

- * a cooperative strategy involving the development of research and public information programs with Human Rights Commissions at the City and County levels and Human Rights State Agencies.

- * information centers in our Seven Regional offices and our National Headquarters.

The former Federal Communications Commissioner said, "From where I sit in the National office and on the basis of my traveling

Breath of Spring will be on display through April 1.

The Botanical Center is open Monday through Tuesday, 10 a.m.—6 p.m.; Friday 10 a.m.—9 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday 10 a.m.—5 p.m. Admission is 50 cents for adults; and 25 cents for students, senior citizens, and children over 6.

For information on group tours and space rental, please call the Botanical Center office at 283-4148. The office is open Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

across this country, I have been receiving alarming reports of the resurgence of racial bigotry and physical racial assaults on Black citizens."

"What has brought on this sad state of affairs? Whatever the cause, I fear many decent American citizens have become captives of bigotry. They have been intimidated, brow-beaten, lied to, manipulated and dragooned into conformity with segregation as a way of life in America. We in the NAACP cannot desert the real majority of Americans. We must be determined to call them out of their hibernation and awaken them to reality."

1981 NEW OFFICERS - EAST SIDE UNION MISSION SOCIETY

Newly elected officers for the East Side Union Mission Society are as follows: President, Beverly Burkett; Vice President, Nadine Veasley; Secretary, Marguerite Bailey; Assistant Secretary, Frances Headspeath; Treasurer, Dolores Peguese.

ELECT OFFICERS



Lewis James

William Frank Powell Consistory No. 46, held its election of officers December 26, 1980, for 1981. Ill. Charles Peguese, 33 degree; Past Commander - In - Chief, was the Election Officer.

Officers Elected: Commander - In - Chief - Lawrence O. James 32 degree; 1st Lt. Commander - Loyd F. Hairston 32 degree; 2nd Lt. Commander - Joseph L. Jones 32 degree; Ill. Grand Secretary - James E. O'Day Sr. 32 degree; Ill. Grand Treasure - Elbert H. Durden 32 degree.

Deputy of Iowa, Ill. Lewis A. James 33 degree, was the presiding officer for the installation of the elected officers, January 24, 1981.

After installation the Commander - In - Chief, Lawrence O. James 32 degree, gave a report of his stewardship for the year 1980, and presented Ill. Charles Peguese a plaque for outstanding services to the William Frank Powell Consistory. After adjournment there was a small repast.

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NAACP Announces Election Of New Board Members

Former baseball star Hank Aaron and New Orleans Mayor Ernest Morial were among the six at-large members whose election to the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People's (NAACP) national Board of Directors was announced at the Association's Annual Corporate Membership Board Meeting in New York City. Mrs. Margaret Bush Wilson, who won election once again to the Board, was also re-elected as Chairman.

Other persons who were elected as at-large members include: Max Delson, a New York City attorney and Vice President of the NAACP; James Kemp, a business representative for the General Service Employees, International union in Chicago and Dr. Robert W. Gilliard, President of the Mobile, Alabama, NAACP branch.

Mrs. Margaret Bush Wilson, a native of St. Louis and a senior

partner in the law firm of Wilson Smith & Smith, will enter her seventh term as Chairman of the Board after having served in that position since 1975. She has always been involved in the work of the NAACP through her father, James T. Bush Sr., who was a pioneer real estate broker and the moving force behind the Shelley v. Kramer case which led to the landmark U.S. Supreme Court decision in 1948 outlawing racial, restrictive housing covenants.

As a newly elected member of the Board, the Honorable Ernest "Dutch" Morial has worked closely with the Association for many years serving at one time as President of the New Orleans Branch. During that period, Morial was not only the highest ranking elected Black judge in the South, but also received distinction as the first Black democrat elected to the Louisiana legislature since Reconstruction.

Nationally acclaimed sports figure Hank Aaron, another newcomer on the national Board, is currently Vice President of Player Development and official spokesman for the Atlanta Braves baseball team. Aaron, who retired from his illustrious career in 1976 as the foremost home run hitter in the history of major league baseball, has been instrumental in supporting the Association's fundraising drives as well as being an active member of the NAACP Atlanta chapter.

Max Delson also retains his seat on the Board, a position which he has held since 1967. In addition to serving as Vice President of the Association for seven years, he was the founder and first president of the Mid-Manhattan Branch NAACP. He is a native New Yorker and Counsel to the firm, Delson & Gordon.

James Kemp is a life member of the Association and former branch treasurer for the

Chicago NAACP, who gained prominence as a Commissioner with the Illinois Fair Employment Practices Commission (FEPC) during the '60's. In addition to his current position as business representative for a major labor union in Chicago, Kemp also serves on the Executive Board of the Chicago Federation of Labor.

Dr. Robert Gilliard is serving his first term on the Board and is a practicing dentist. He has also been a longstanding member of the Mobile, Alabama, Board of Education.

There were also 14 regional elections held for seats on the national Board that were won by the following individuals: Nat Colley, Sacramento, Ca.; Charles Butler, Philadelphia, Pa.; John Johnson, Louisville, Ky.; Dr. Evelyn H. Roberts, St. Louis, Mo.; Thomas Reed, Tuskegee Institute, Al.; James Stewart, Oklahoma City, Ok.; and Rev. Edward Hailes, Washington, D.C.

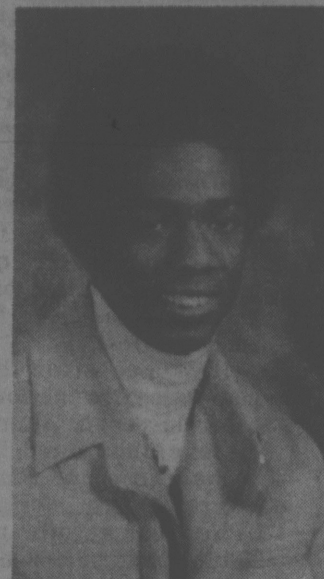
In addition, Rev. A. C. Sutton from San Antonio,

Texas was elected to fill the unexpired term of the Rev. Emerson Marcee.

There was also an NAACP Youth Division election for Board seats. Winners of that election include: Packy White, Oakland, Ca.; John Davis, Bronx, N.Y.; Jocelyn Travis, Cleveland, Oh.; Rhonda Simmons, Shawnee Mission, Ks.; Victor Brown, Atlanta, Ga.; Keith Johnson, New

Orleans, La.; and Juan Pierce, Richmond, Va.

NAMED TO DEAN'S LIST



Richard Dyer

Columbia, Mo.—Richard M. Dyer, the son of Samuel and Rosemary Howard of 1153 19th, Des Moines, Iowa, has been named to the Dean's List at Columbia College.

The Dean's List is an honor reserved for those Columbia College students who have attained a 3.5 or better scholastic average on a 4.0 scale this past semester while enrolled in a minimum of 14 credit hours of study.

In addition to this honor, Richard was also named to the Dean's List during the Spring semester of 1979-80, and has started on the Columbia College basketball team for four years.

Columbia College is a private, coeducational liberal arts college with a strong emphasis on Career Education. It awards the Associate in Arts degree and Baccalaureate degrees in Arts, Science, Fine Arts, and Social Work.

Infant Care Task Force

The Executive Coordinating Board, a consortium of human service funders, is forming a task force to deal with the problem of lack of available infant day care. The first meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, February 4, 1981 at 7:00 p.m. at 1237 8th Street in West Des Moines.

All community agencies and programs that presently have some

form of program for infant care or are interested in a program for these children are encouraged to attend this meeting. Family Day Care Providers, parents and other interested persons within the community are strongly encouraged to attend and become involved in order to ensure a successful project.

The Task Force will be examining problems

surrounding the lack of availability of infant care, investigating potentials for increasing the level of infant care, examining factors involved in the provision of quality infant care programs, and completing a study which will include recommendations and theories for implementation as to infant day care in the Polk County area.

Infant Day Care can be defined as a developmental child care program for children age four weeks to two years which provides support for the child's total growth and supplements the child's home environment. There is a growing need for this type of care as 45% of mothers with preschool children are in the labor force and the need for child care services is expected to double by 1990.

There is a definite shortage of infant care. The issue has gone beyond whether or not to provide it, but how to provide infant care.

If you desire to be on the Task Force, please contact Mary Ann Juhl at 286-3424.

DM HOUSING CORP. OFFICERS ELECTED

The Des Moines Housing Corporation which is an affiliate of the Greater Des Moines Chamber of Commerce Federation held its annual meeting on January 20, 1981 and elected William Stauffer as president.

The Housing Corporation has been instrumental in support for the Centremetro project which has provided for new construction on vacant lots in the Logan area and will continue to work in the other prime service areas to provide decent, safe and sanitary housing in the Greater Des Moines area.

The Corporation was founded in 1946 for the sole purpose of providing housing for the returning GI's from World War II. In subsequent years, it has been involved in other housing programs such as 235, and 236 Programs of HUD. The current role of the Des Moines Housing Corporation is to assist and support the construction and delivery of affordable housing in

the core city.

The other officers elected were: John Taylor, Vice President; Monroe Colston, Secretary-Treasurer.

The Directors elected were: Richard Bryan, Midland Financial Savings; Lloyd Clarke, Omega, Ltd.; Loren E. Door, Midland Financial Savings; Nolden Gentry, Scalise, Scism, Gentry, Brick & Brick; Kenneth Grandquist, Ken Grandquist & Associates; Dean Hannam, Valley National Bank; John Leachman, Leachmann Lumber Co.; Donald Payne, United Federal Savings & Loan.

David Hawkins, The Mid-America Group; Nolan Rumbley, American Federal Savings & Loan; Gene Stanbrough, Stanbrough Realty; Dwight Swanson, Iowa Power & Light Co.; George L. Towne, Retired; S.G. Winberg, William Knudson & Son, Inc.; Fred W. Weitz, The Weitz Company; Jerry Welker, Bankers Trust Company; William Landholt, Iowa - Des Moines National Bank; William Knapp, Iowa Realty Company.

ELK NEWS

Hawkeye Lodge No. 160 will meet Sunday, Feb. 1, at 2:00 p.m. Thursday evening, 8-10, is Ladies' Night. Food on week-ends.

Antlered Guard will serve you breakfast Saturday morning, 7:00 a.m., and Rose Temple No. 33 will serve you dinner starting at Noon until. Get your ticket for the Afghan Raffle ending soon.

Shut-ins Thelma Calderon and Sadie Witt are steadily improving and Calvin Pruitt is home! All are grateful for your concern and your response.

We will have more information on the local Oratorical Contest next week, but contestants enter now! We can fill you in almost immediately on particulars. We only need to confirm a couple of things not affecting your entering. We hope to have your continued support. Contact Ron Carter or Bernice Carter any time.

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LISTING OF SERVICES AVAILABLE

Traveling Library/Resource Center

Energy for Iowans has a display and resource center available for loan. Designed for use in shopping centers, schools, libraries and other locations, the exhibit contains energy information hand-outs, models, solar project examples, book display and film library. In addition, a resource person will accompany the exhibit to provide individual consultation on

energy questions.

Speakers Bureau

Speakers will be made available for meetings or special events. Knowledgeable resource persons can be scheduled for a group's chosen topic.

Mini Workshops

For in-depth instruction on specific energy subjects, Energy for Iowans provides assistance in the planning of evening or half-day workshops. Program offerings include conservation and energy efficiency, solar heating, solar hot water, earth-sheltered / underground housing, wind energy, and passive solar for existing homes. A special feature of these workshops is individualized attention to participants' own energy project ideas and plans.

Hands-On Workshops

Energy for Iowans can set up a limited number of hands-on training

sessions for solar collector or greenhouse construction. These workshops provide information on the basics of active and passive solar energy principles as well as actual construction procedures. A charge for materials may be necessary.

Community Home Contacts

Many people who are unable to attend workshops or meetings want access to energy information materials. In cooperation with local community

organizations, Energy for Iowans can assist with door-to-door contacts.

Community Energy Planning Resource

Information about and examples of the way communities around the country are solving their energy problems is available from Energy for Iowans. A program specialist is available also to help communities begin planning their energy futures. Information is provided on transportation, building code revision, housing rehabilitation,

and other subjects, tailored to suit a particular community.

Special Events Resources

Energy for Iowans can provide materials and coordinating and planning assistance for activities such as SUN DAY, May 3, or local energy fairs.

HOW TO ARRANGE FOR SERVICES

For information on

services or scheduling, contact the Energy Research and Information Foundation (ERIF), 3500 Kingman Boulevard, Des Moines, Iowa 50311, phone, 515/277-0968. ERIF is contracted to provide services as a program of the Iowa Energy Extension Service which is funded through a grant from the Iowa Energy Policy Council.

SOFTBALL LEAGUES REGISTRATION

The Des Moines Park and Recreation Commercial and Recreation Softball League applications will be available at the Leisure Sports Office on February 16, 1981, and that date will officially open the registration date for 1981 Softball League entries.

The Recreation entry fee is \$95 per team. Application and entry fee must be turned in by person at the Leisure Sports Office and teams will be placed in a league at that time. (Entry fee

does include A.S.A. dues)

The Commercial entry fee is \$170 per team and can be mailed along with application form to Municipal Armory, East 1st and Des Moines Street. (Entry fee does include A.S.A. dues)

Leagues will be filled on first come basis. Deadline for all Softball Leagues entries is Friday, March 13, 1981 at 5:00 p.m. A waiting list will be established for team entries received after March 13, 1981.

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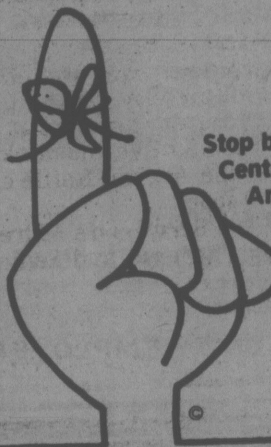
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CARD OF THANKS

The family of Katherine Ann Fristo wishes to thank Pastor Ezell Wiggins, Pastor Clarence Parker, Pastor H.I. Thomas, honorary pallbearers, True Bible Baptist Church, Annie Williams Missionary Society of True Bible Baptist, True Bible Baptist Choir, Finley Elementary School, Ramada Inn Downtown, Air National Guard, Northwestern Bell, Merle Hay Funeral Home, Sister Emma Rivers, Sister Mariah O'Day.

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Emma and Deborah Trumbo, also those who sent telegrams, condolences, resolutions, sympathy cards, floral selections, cars, food, gifts, donations, and the many other expressions of love and sympathy which were sent at the time of her death.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

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Corrected publication of Sections 14-3, 14-30, 14-38, 14-40 and 14-64 of Ordinance No. 9864, said publication having appeared on December 25, 1980.

Sec. 14-3. DELETIONS.

The following sections and numbered paragraphs are hereby deleted from the American Public Health Association, Public Health Service, Recommended Housing Maintenance and Occupancy Ordinance, 1975 Revision, and are of no force or effect herein.

- (1) 1.03 from Section I.
- (2) 2.06, 2.09, 2.10, 2.14, 2.16, 2.18, 2.22, 2.25, 2.27, 2.28, 2.29, 2.32, 2.34, 2.41, 2.42, 2.47, 2.49, 2.51, 2.54, 2.56, 2.57, and 2.59 from Section II.
- (3) 3.14 from Section III.
- (4) 4.06, 4.07, and 4.08 from Section IV.
- (5) 5.01, 5.02, 5.02.01, 5.03, 5.04.01, 5.04.02, 5.04.03, 5.04.04, 5.04.05, and 5.05 from Section V.
- (6) 7.01, 7.02, 7.03, 7.05, 7.05.01, 7.05.02, 7.07, and 7.15 from Section VII.
- (7) 8.01.02, 8.04, 8.05, and 8.08 from Section VIII.
- (8) In its entirety Section IX.

9) In their entirety, Sections XI to and including Section XIX.

(10) Section 20.01 from Section XX.

(11) In its entirety Section XXI.

Sec. 14-30. NOTICE ON SALE OF DWELLING.

Every person owning a rental property under this subchapter shall give notice in writing to the housing code enforcement officer within 24 hours after having sold, transferred, conveyed or otherwise disposed of ownership of, interest in, or control of any dwelling. This notice shall include the name and address of the person succeeding to the ownership or control thereof.

Sec. 14-38. APPROVAL FOR REHABILITATION

The owner of any dwelling which has been declared to be a public nuisance and placarded as unfit for human habitation shall not allow it to be used again for human habitation until approval is secured from and such placard is removed by the housing code enforcement officer. Such officer shall remove such placard whenever the defect or defects upon which action was based have been eliminated.

Sec. 14-40 FILLING IN EXCAVATIONS.

All demolition, whether carried out by the owner or by the city, shall include the filling in of the excavation remaining on the property on which the demolished structure was located in such manner as to eliminate all potential danger to the public health, safety or welfare arising from it.

Sec. 14-64. BREAKING IN TO EXECUTE WARRANT.

The peace officer may break open any outer or inner door or window of a building or dwelling or any part thereof:

- (1) To execute the warrant, if, after notice of his authority and purpose, the officer is refused admittance.
- (2) To liberate a person who, having entered to aid and assist the officer in the execution of the warrant, is detained therein.
- (3) When necessary, for the officer's own liberation.

ORDINANCE NO. 9877

AN ORDINANCE to amend Ordinance No. 7226, passed by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, on July 12, 1965, as amended, being an ordinance to regulate and restrict the location and use of buildings, structures and land for trade, industry, commerce, residence or other purposes; to regulate and restrict the height of buildings hereafter erected or altered; to regulate and determine the area of yards and other open spaces about buildings; to regulate and determine the density of use of land and lot areas and for said purpose to divide the City into districts; to provide for enforcement and a Board of Adjustment, and to prescribe penalties for the violation of its provisions, by rezoning and changing certain property located in the vicinity of Southeast Fourteenth Street and Cummins Road, more fully described as follows:

Lots 4 and 5, Scandia Plaza East, an Official Plat now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, from "M-1" Light Industrial District classification to "R-4" Multiple Family Residence District classification.

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa: Section 1. That Ordinance No. 7226, passed by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, on July 12, 1965, as amended, being an ordinance to regulate and restrict the location and use of buildings, structures and land for trade, industry, commerce, residence or other purposes; to regulate and restrict the height of buildings hereafter erected or altered; to regulate and determine the area of yards and other open spaces about buildings; to regulate and determine the density of use of land and lot areas and for said purpose to divide the City into districts; to provide for enforcement and a Board of Adjustment, and to prescribe penalties for the violation of its provisions, be and the same is hereby amended by rezoning and changing certain property located in the vicinity of Southeast Fourteenth Street and Cummins Road, more fully described as follows:

Lots 4 and 5, Scandia Plaza East, an Official Plat now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa,

from "M-1" Light Industrial District classification to "R-4" Multiple Family Residence District classification.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication as provided by law.

Passed January 19, 1981

Signed January 19, 1981

Form Approved

Pete Crivaro, Mayor

Assistant City Attorney

Attest: Helen W. Barlow, City Clerk

I, Helen W. Barlow, City Clerk of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an ordinance (RC 165) passed by the City Council of said City at a meeting held January 19, 1981,

signed by the Mayor January 19,

1981, and published in the Iowa Bystander January 29, 1981.

Helen W. Barlow, City Clerk

ORDINANCE NO. 9878

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Municipal Code of Des Moines 1979, as amended by Ordinance No. 9849, passed October 20, 1980, by repealing Sections 27-915, 27-991 and 27-1432 thereof and enacting new Sections 27-915, 27-991 and 27-1432, all relating to the regulation of traffic. Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa:

Section 1. That the Municipal Code of Des Moines 1979, as amended by Ordinance No. 9849, passed October 20, 1980, be and is hereby amended by repealing Sections 27-915, 27-991 and 27-1432 thereof and enacting new Sections 27-915, 27-991 and 27-1432, all relating to prohibited parking and limited parking restrictions, as follows:

Sec. 27-915. TWENTY - SEVENTH STREET - TERRACE ROAD TO AURORA AVENUE. (.6786)

Twenty - seventh Street, on both sides, from Forest Drive to Grand Avenue, no parking any time.

Twenty - seventh Street, on the east side, from School Street to a point 400 feet south thereof, no parking any time.

Twenty - seventh Street, on the west side, from Kingman Boulevard to University Avenue, no parking any time.

Twenty - seventh Street, on the east side, from a point 50 feet south of Carpenter Avenue to a point 50 feet north of Carpenter Avenue, no parking any time.

Twenty - seventh Street, on the west side, from Carpenter Avenue to Lincoln Avenue, no parking any time.

Twenty - seventh Street, on the east side, from Forest Avenue to a point 100 feet north of Clark Street, no parking any time.

Twenty - seventh Street, on the east side, from Holcomb Avenue to a point 300 feet north thereof, and on any part of the cul - de - sac, no parking any time.

Twenty - seventh Street, on the east side, from Adams Avenue to Boston Avenue, no parking any time.

Twenty - seventh Street, on the west side, from Euclid Avenue to a point 50 feet south thereof, no parking any time.

Twenty - seventh Street, on the east side, from Shawnee Avenue to Aurora Avenue, no parking any time.

Sixty - first Street, on the west side, from Grand Avenue to Walnut Hill Avenue, no parking any time.

Sixty - first Street, on the west side, from Woodland Road to Pleasant Drive, no parking any time.

Sixty - first Street, on the east side, from Clark Street to Crown Lane, no parking any time.

Sixty - first Street, on the west side, from College Avenue to Franklin Avenue, no parking any time.

Sixty - first Street, on the east side, from Franklin Avenue to Douglas Avenue, no parking any time.

Sixty - first Street, on the east side, from Douglas Avenue to a point 100 feet south thereof, no parking any time.

Sec. 27-1432. SHAWNEE AVENUE - FIRST STREET TO BEAVER AVENUE. (.3763)

Shawnee Avenue, on the south side, from First Street to Sixth Avenue, no parking any time.

Shawnee Avenue, on the north side, from Twelfth Street to Fifteenth Street, no parking any time.

Shawnee Avenue, on the north side, from a point 500 feet east of Twenty - seventh Street to Lynner Drive, no parking any time.

Shawnee Avenue, on the north side, from Thirtieth Street to Thirty - third Street, no parking any time.

Shawnee Avenue, on the north side, from Aurora Avenue to Beaver Avenue, no parking any time.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication as provided by law.

Form approved

Assistant City Attorney

Passed January 19, 1981

Signed January 19, 1981

Pete Crivaro, Mayor
Attest: Helen W. Barlow, City Clerk
I, Helen W. Barlow, City Clerk of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an ordinance (RC 173) passed by the City Council of said City at a meeting held January 19, 1981, signed by the Mayor January 19, 1981, and published in the Iowa Bystander January 29, 1981.

ORDINANCE NO. 9879

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Municipal Code of Des Moines 1979, adopted by Ordinance No. 9616, passed July 23, 1979, by repealing Sections 21-38, 21-39, 21-41 and 21-44 thereof and enacting new Sections 21-38, 21-39, 21-41 and 21-44 and by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 21-39.01, all relating to sewer rentals. Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa:

Section 1. That the Municipal Code of Des Moines 1979, adopted by Ordinance No. 9616, passed July 23, 1979, be and is hereby amended by repealing Sections 21-38, 21-39, 21-41 and 21-44 thereof and enacting new Sections 21-38, 21-39, 21-41 and 21-44 thereof and by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 21-39.01, all relating to sewer rentals, as follows:

Sec. 21-38. BASIC CHARGES.

Except as hereinafter noted, each contributor whose property lies within the corporate limits of the city shall pay to the city, through its collection agent at the agent's office, at the same time payment for city water service is made, a basic sewage service charge computed on water consumption on the following rates:

For the first 5,000 gallons per day \$.49 per 1,000 gallons
For the next 10,000 gallons per day \$.33 per 1,000 gallons
For all over 15,000 gallons per day \$.29 per 1,000 gallons

The foregoing rates shall apply if the sewage meets the standards for domestic and commercial sewage, which are as follows:

Suspended solids not to exceed 400 P.P.M.

Biochemical oxygen demand not to exceed 400 P.P.M.

Contributors whose properties lie outside the corporate limits of the city and are served pursuant to contract with the city, and the City of Clive, City of Urbandale, City of West Des Moines, City of Windsor Heights, Urbandale Sanitary Sewer District, and Urbandale Windsor Heights Sanitary District as purchasers of sewer service under interim contracts, shall pay to the city such percentages of the above charges as are now or may hereafter be provided by such contracts.

Sec. 21-39. SURCHARGES.

If sewage is contributed which does not meet the above standards, there will be a surcharge where suspended solids are in excess of 400 P.P.M. or the biochemical oxygen demand in excess of 400 P.P.M. Such surcharge shall be computed at the rate of \$.07 per 1,000 gallons of such sewage contributed. Contributors whose properties lie outside the corporate limits of the city and are served pursuant to contract with the city, and the City of Clive, City of Urbandale, City of West Des Moines, City of Windsor Heights, Urbandale Sanitary Sewer District, and Urbandale Windsor Heights Sanitary District as purchasers of sewer service under interim contracts, shall pay to the city such percentages of the above charges as are now or may hereafter be provided by such contracts.

Sec. 21-39.01. SPECIAL SEWER MAINTENANCE FUND CHARGE.

Except as hereinafter noted, each contributor whose property lies within the corporate limits of the city shall pay to the city, through its collection agent at the agent's office, at the same time payment for water service is made, a special sewer maintenance fund charge computed on water consumption on the following rates:

For the first 5,000 gallons per day \$.37 per 1,000 gallons
For the next 10,000 gallons per day \$.25 per 1,000 gallons

For all over 15,000 gallons per day \$.22 per 1,000 gallons
Such charges shall be in addition to those charges specified in sections 21-38 and the surcharges specified in section 21-38.

Funds derived from such charges shall be credited to a special sewer maintenance fund to be expended for sewer maintenance fund projects of the city and to retire principal and interest of revenue bonds and pledge orders issued in connection therewith.

Sec. 21-41. MINIMUM CHARGE.

If sewage service is provided and the quantity of water consumed is such that the minimum sewage charge is less than \$8.82 per quarter, a minimum charge of \$8.82 shall be made and billed as a minimum service charge. If billings are provided monthly, however, the minimum monthly service charge shall be \$2.94.

Sec. 21-44. EFFECTIVE DATE OF RATES.

The rates, service charges, rentals or fees provided in sections 21-38 to 21-43 of this code, shall be applied and computed upon each contributor's water usage during the customary billing periods as to all bills mailed by the city's collection agent from and after April 1, 1981 and such rates, charges, rentals or fees shall thereafter be paid and collected as provided in this subchapter.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication as provided by law.

Passed January 19, 1981

Signed January 19, 1981

Form approved

Pete Crivaro, Mayor

City Solicitor

201 / 208 Programs

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People Of Des Moines Pay Tribute To Martin Luther King, Jr.

On January 15, at St. Paul A.M.E. Church, approximately 300 Des Moines Community residents participated in one of the many memorial tributes to Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., held throughout America, commemorating the 52nd

Anniversary of the late civil rights leader's birth. The program, sponsored by the Carter G. Woodson Cultural Center featured the excellent talents of Ms. Rose Marie Webster of the Mid City Library, Ms. Mary Turner, a vocalist from the Progressive

Union Baptist Church, Ms. Niambi Webster an administrator from the University of Iowa and highlighting the evening musically, the Westbrook singers, East Moline,

Illinois, whose selection "I Have A Dream" brought a standing

ovation from the appreciative audience.

Testimonials come from Mr. Wayne Ford, Director of the Model Cities Recreation and Cultural Center, and Mr. Ako Diallobe, Imam (Minister) of the American Muslim Mission Islamic Center.

Mr. Ernest Baty the keynote speaker, delivered a stirring message entitled "How Can Freedom Ring" which outlined the critical problems of the day and proposed concrete solutions for their elimination.

Petitions were available for signature in guest of making Dr. King's Birthday a

national Holiday. Mrs. Edna Griffin commented on this noble effort as she represented the drive along with Mr. Hugh Boston, Jamal Long and others to gather over a thousand signatures to sent to the Washington D.C. Dr. King Birthday rally sponsored by renown entertainer Stevie Wonder.

The program was dedicated to a man who was committed to excellence and high ideals and with that as the backdrop, the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Award for Excellence in Community Service went to Mr. Zoek E. Hamlett Sr., Dean of the Des Moines Area XI Urban

Campus for his outstanding contribution in community service as an administrator and educator, one who gives his time unselfishly to educate young people as well as college students.

Thanks went to Rev. Lewis E. Grady, pastor of St. Paul A.M.E., Rev. Wilbert Coleman, Rev. Marion Eppright, Mrs. Joann Diallobe, Wayne Ford, and all others who helped in making the program a success.

It is a blessing to know that this community is not about to let the memory of our hero, one of America's greatest sons be drowned in the sea of apathy.

Shahid A. Muhammad

NW Bell Recognized By Minority Business Association

The Minority Business Association presented Northwestern Bell of Iowa with an award to recognize the company as the Outstanding Minority Purchaser in the private sector for 1980. The Association believes Northwestern Bell has done the most to promote increased business volume for minority vendors in the private sector marketplace during 1980.

Other awards were made by the Association to recognize institutions chosen as having distinguished themselves among members of the Minority Business Industry during 1980. West Des Moines State Bank received recognition as having done an outstanding job in improving access to capital for minority entrepreneurs.

Iowa's Department of Transportation was chosen as the governmental agency that had provided more purchasing opportunities for minority enterprises in the public sector marketplace during 1980 than any other.

Dr. Prem Sahai was selected as the one person, during 1980, who had been most valuable to minority business industry growth. Dr. Sahai is helping the Association to start a Small Business

Investment Corporation (SBIC). He provided capital, personally, to certain members of the Association during many critical cash flow

situations. Thomas Gassberry of "Gass Clean Cars," was selected as the Minority Entrepreneur of the Year for 1980.

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SEN. JEPSEN ANNOUNCES NAVAL ACADEMY NOMINEE

WASHINGTON — Senator Roger Jepsen (R-Iowa) has selected Derrick Rico Nichols as a nominee to the United States Naval Academy.

Nomination does not ensure appointment, which is made on the basis of merit by the individual academies.

Nichols, a graduate of Des Moines Technical High School, is the son of Mrs. Pearlene Nichols of 1530-16th Street in Des Moines and currently serves in the United States Marine Corps. He is one of 40 Iowans nominated by Senator Jepsen for appointment to the Naval, West Point and Air Force academies.