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FORMER DES MOINES RESIDENT:

Chas. P. Howard Dies in Baltimore

Pruitt New D.M. Veterans Administration Head

Duties Here Include
V.A. Hospital and
Regional Office

Alton L. Pruitt last week assumed duties as the new Director of the Veterans Administration Center in Des Moines, succeeding E. W. Christensen, who transferred to a similar position in San Juan, Puerto Rico.

In his new position, Pruitt will direct the 358 bed general medical and surgical VA Hospital in Des Moines as well as the VA Regional Office located in the new Federal Building, Des Moines. Pruitt has been em-



MR. PRUITT

ployed by the VA for more than 22 years. His federal service began in November 1942 when he enlisted in the Marine Corps.

Employed in Chicago

After serving until October 1949 as a personnel classification specialist, he was employed by the VA regional office in Chicago as a personnel officer. During the next 10 years, he remained in the personnel field at the Chicago West Side Hospital as well as in the regional office and in the VA central office in Washington.

In January 1959 he became assistant director of the Oakland VA Hospital in a training capacity, and he later served as assistant director at the Spokane and Chicago VA hospitals before transferring to the Bronx in April 1966.

Loyola Univ. Graduate

Pruitt is a 1952 graduate of Loyola University in Chicago with a BA degree in Personnel Management. He has also done graduate work in Social and Industrial Relations at Loyola University.

Pruitt, born in Chicago, is married and has three children living at home. There is also a daughter who is a speech pathologist, teaching in Flint, Michigan. Pruitt is a member of the American College of Administrators and the American Legion.

He is the nephew of Mrs. James A. Bailey at 1211-12th St. in Des Moines.

GET ACQUAINTED LUNCHEON

An informal luncheon was held last week at Veterans Hospital for the purpose of acquainting Mr. Alton L. Pruitt, new Center Director of the Veterans Administration Center, Des Moines, with several other citizens of the Des Moines area who are concerned with human rights and equal employment opportunities for the disadvantaged.

An Equal Employee

The Veterans Administration, a leader in the field of equal employ-

Dr. Abernathy Comments on Rev. Bevel And Assassination Case

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 23 — Dr. Ralph David Abernathy, successor to Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. as President of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC), today issued the following statement for the organization from his Atlanta office:

"For eight years I have known James Bevel as an outstanding strategist and organizer in the nonviolent movement. I have absolute confidence in his judgment and integrity.

"In offering to defend James Earl Ray, he is trying to move nonviolence into a new dimension of American life. Rev. Bevel is speaking to the real issue — namely, that it is not who killed Dr. King but what killed him. One man should not be made the scapegoat for this monstrous crime. The American public must have all the information about the guilt for this murder. If a conspiracy exists, and I believe it does, it must be fully exposed. Going beyond a conspiracy, Americans must understand the broader guilt of a society which has been killing off its best young leaders — including John F. Kennedy, Medgar Evers, Malcolm X, Robert F. Kennedy and Martin Luther King Jr.

"It would be well for the American people to seek the justice Dr. King worked for, rather than the murder of Mr. Ray. Rev. Bevel, in the best tradition of nonviolence, is looking past the question of killing to the question of life in his offer to defend Mr. Ray's life."

Ralph McGill Speaks at Area Church Meeting

Ralph McGill, publisher of the Atlanta Constitution told an audience of the Des Moines Area Council of Churches at the Veterans Auditorium Monday night that he sympathized with and could understand why Negroes have become so militant in their quest for equal opportunity but cautioned that violence was not the best way to accomplish it.

He said such conduct was in line with the times of distrust, delusion and disappointment with what we have lived with and was under pressure for a change. This pressure is on the church, the school and the accepted organizations that America lives by.

Much of this discontent is brought about by Negroes and ignorant whites as they crowded into the

ment, had a chance to discuss their programs with local community leaders and to express their interest in continuing to fulfill the obligations of the federal government in maintaining equal rights. In attendance at the meeting, in addition to Mr. Pruitt, were U. E. Wells, Assistant Director; Dr. Henry G. Decker, Chief of Staff, Veterans Hospital; Judge Luther T. Glanton, Perry Hooks, Exec. Director, Des Moines Human Rights Commission; John Mapp, Jr., former Director, Wilkie House; James B. Morris, Jr., Attorney; Margaret Cothorn, United Community Services; James Bowman, Des Moines Public Schools; David Pickett, Model Homes Program; William Cropp, Polk County Mental Health Program; James B. Morris, Sr., editor of Iowa Bystander, Vel Turner, reporter for KIOA, and from Veterans Hospital, Dr. S. J. Williamson, Jr., Chief, Psychology Service, and Clarke R. Bennet, personnel officer.

Hails Court's Ban on Restrictive Housing Vote

New York — Roy Wilkins, executive director of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, has hailed the United States Supreme Court decision limiting the authority of cities to repeal fair housing laws through popular referendums.

In a statement released here, Jan. 20, following announcement of the Court's decision, Mr. Wilkins said, the "ruling banning the use of a local referendum to maintain segregation in housing is another forward step in the struggle to make housing available to persons irrespective of their race, color, religion or national origin."

Akron, Ohio

In nullifying a charter amendment adopted by the voters of Akron, Ohio, in 1964 for the purpose of repealing a fair housing law, the Court's 8-1 ruling said that the Akron referendum placed an unusual legal stumbling block in the path of Negro citizens by requiring them to win a popular referendum before a fair housing law could be restored to the books.

The majority opinion, by Associate Justice Byron R. White, said: "Even though Akron might have proceeded by majority vote at town meeting on all its municipal legislation, it has instead chosen a more complex system. Having done so, the state may

no more disadvantage any particular group by making it more difficult to enact legislation in its behalf than it may dilute any person's vote or give any group a smaller representation than another of comparable size."

The dissenter, Justice Hugo L.

Black Dissents

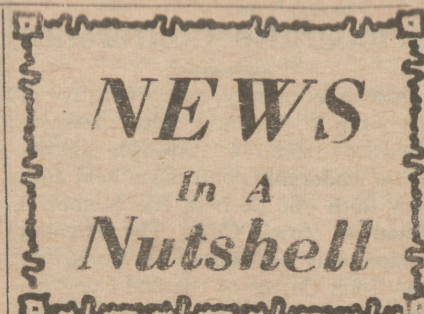
Black, insisted that the majority opinion amounted to holding that a city may not repeal a fair housing law, once passed.

In the case, entitled Hunter vs. Erickson, the appellants attacked the amendment which had been upheld by both an Ohio appeals court and the State Supreme Court before Mrs. Nellie Hunter, the wife of an Akron chemist, took it to the U. S. Supreme Court. Mrs. Hunter was represented by former NAACP General Counsel Robert L. Carter and Associate Counsel Lewis M. Steel of New York and Norman Purnell and Bernard R. Roetzel of Akron.

Other cities which have held such a referendum include Berkeley, Calif.; Seattle and Tacoma, Wash.; Toledo and Springfield, Ohio; Jackson, Flint and Birmingham, Mich. Also the states of California and Maryland. In Dayton, Ohio, Detroit and Milwaukee efforts to hold similar referendums were thwarted by legal action. California's notorious Proposition 13 was earlier invalidated by the Supreme Court.

Red Cross Offers Post-natal Instruction

Mother and Baby Care, a twelve hour Red Cross course in pre and post-natal instruction will be offered at Franklin Junior High School beginning February 6 at 7:30 p.m. The class will meet two hours for six consecutive Thursday evenings and husbands are encouraged to attend with their wives. There is no fee.



Washington, D.C.—The U.S. Supreme Court declined to follow a suggestion by attorneys for the House that it dismiss an appeal by Adam Clayton Powell challenging his exclusion from the Ninetieth Congress. Instead, the court said, it would press ahead on the Powell case and hold a hearing on the New York Democrat's claim that the House had no right to exclude him in March, 1967.

Des Moines—A bill to eliminate the requirement to post bond before filing complaints under Iowa's fair housing law was filed in the Iowa Senate Tuesday.

Mrs. Minnette Doderer (Dem., Iowa City), principal sponsor, said the repeal would remove "one more red flag" from minority groups.

Washington, D.C.—The Nixon administration's top civil rights lawyer, Jerris Leonard, already under fire for membership in one whites-only organization, has quietly cut ties with two more all-white clubs.

Leonard, 38, a former Wisconsin legislator, is expected to face questioning on the issue today when Senate hearings begin on his appointment by President Nixon to head the Justice Department's civil rights-enforcement branch as an assistant attorney.

New York City, January 20, 1969 —Panther House, Ltd., a new publisher located in New York City announced today that GHETTO '68 has now gone into its second printing.

GHETTO '68 consists of the stories and poems of twelve new black and Puerto Rican writers of Harlem, all of whom had never before.

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Active Supporter of Civil Rights Movement; Wrote Newspaper Column

Charles P. Howard, formerly of Des Moines, died in Baltimore, Md., Saturday, Jan. 25, following a lingering illness.

He was born in Atlanta, Ga., March 19, 1895, attended Morris Brown College in Atlanta, Ga., graduated from East High School and Drake University law school in 1922 where he starred in football.

He entered the 17th U. S. Provisional Training Regiment at Fort Des Moines, in June, 1917, and was commissioned a first lieutenant in 1918. Assigned to the 366th Infantry, 92nd division at Camp Dodge, he later served in France and was discharged in 1919.

Trial Lawyer

He practiced law in Des Moines for several years where he built an enviable reputation as a trial and civil rights lawyer, famous among which were the Joe Williams murder case and the Katz Drug Store civil rights case.

Howard served as legal advisor to the Polk County Sanitary Commission and as City Prosecutor.

Left Des Moines in 1958

Mr. Howard left Des Moines in 1958 and was associated with the Moral Rearmament organization. Later he did public relations work in New York City for several of the small nations at United Nations and syndicated a column which appeared in several Negro newspapers.

At one time he published the Iowa Observer and newspapers in Milwaukee, Wis. and Gary, Indiana.

He was very active in Republican circles in Des Moines and later the Progressive Party, nominating Henry A. Wallace for President.

Active in Organizations
While in Des Moines, Mr. Howard



CHARLES P. HOWARD

was active in the NAACP, American Legion, a member of St. Paul A.M.E. Church, and one of the organizers of the National Bar Association.

Howard was married to Maud Lewis who died in 1953. He is survived by 3 sons, Charles, Jr., a lawyer and Judge Joseph C. Howard of Baltimore, and Dr. Laurence C. Howard with the Danforth Foundation in St. Louis.

Funeral services were held Thursday, January 30, at Heritage United Church of Christ, Baltimore, Md.

His son, Judge Joseph C. Howard asks that instead of flowers, a donation for a memorial fund should be sent him at 1901 E. Chelsea Road, Baltimore, Md.

NAACP Awaits Nixon Civil Rights Plans

New York — The inaugural address of President Richard M. Nixon "lacks specificity in regard to civil rights," Roy Wilkins, executive director of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, said here following delivery of the new President's first official pronouncement in Washington, D.C., Jan. 20.

However, Mr. Wilkins' statement pointed out, the address "revealed an awareness of the seriousness of the racial crisis confronting the nation." The President "indicated that action will be taken by his administration to bridge the gaps that have developed between black and white, rich and poor in this nation."

"We await," the NAACP leader concluded, Mr. Nixon's "specific recommendations to open up new opportunities to Negroes and other minorities and to halt the dangerous polarization which has been accelerated by extremists of both races."

Reports on Negro Voting in '68 Election

Washington, D.C., January 22 — During the past election, Negro campaign activity in the South approached the level of northern areas for the first time in this century, reports the Democratic National Committee.

In his final report to members of the committee, outgoing Deputy Chairman Louis Martin cites significant victories in state and local contests in the South. He points out that "over 75 new elective posts were won by Negroes, including seven additional members in Southern state legislatures. All of the winners were Democrats."

Martin attributes this increase in activity to the 1965 Voting Rights Act which "helped swell black registration to 3.2 million" in Southern states.

Elect 3 Congressmen

Martin states that in the North "the most significant victories . . . were the election of three new Negro Democratic members of Congress and the re-election of the six Democratic incumbents." Mrs. Shirley Chisholm of Brooklyn, N. Y.; William Clay, of St. Louis, Mo., and Louis Stokes, of Cleveland, Ohio, are the three new members.

Martin notes that the 1968 election returns reveal that of the 7.2 million registered Negroes, approximately 80 percent voted on November 5th "The returns indicate further," he states, "that the Humphrey-Muskie ticket received between 90 and 92 percent of the national Negro vote."

HONORED AT RIGHTS DISTINGUISHED AWARD BANQUET



The Des Moines Commission on Human Rights and Job Discrimination honored eight Des Moines citizens for outstanding service in the field of human rights during 1968.

The awards were made at a banquet at Hotel Fort Des Moines which was attended by 285 guests.

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John L. McKnight, director of the

midwest field office for the United States Civil Rights Commission, was guest speaker.

Award winners are, from left: James E. Olson, Watson Powell, Jr.,

Photo Courtesy Des Moines Register. State Representative A. June Franklin (Dem., Des Moines), Edward Smith, Mrs. Kate Goldman, the Rev. Robert L. Keck, Glenn E. Buhr and John Estes, Jr.

Iowa U. Sponsors Afro Amer. History Program

Iowa City — A seven-day program of drama, music, poetry, dance, and historical discussion is being planned in observance of National Afro-American History Week at The University of Iowa Feb. 9-15.

The U of I Afro-American Student Association is sponsoring the observance. All events are open to the public, most of them free, and times and places are to be announced.

The program is to begin Sunday (Feb. 9) with a presentation of dramatic art, poetry and dance from the black experience led by thespian Pearl Blacklock.

Chambers is Speaker

Ernest Chambers, social critic from Omaha, is scheduled to speak Feb. 10 on "Three Hundred Fifty Years of Afro-American History" and conduct

a dialogue with students Feb. 11.

The film "Nothing But a Man," starring Ivan Dixon and Abby Lincoln, will be shown Feb. 12. It is the story of the Negro man's plight to maintain his integrity and raise a family in America.

Negro artists from the U of I campus will perform on Feb. 13, and the Fifth City Ensemble, a high school group from Chicago, will be here Feb. 14 for a program of dramatic art, music, and dancing depicting the history of the black man in America. A fashion show will also be presented.

The program will conclude Saturday (Feb. 15) with Val Gray's presentation of dramatic readings and poetry of Negro artists.

A series of programs on the week's theme is expected to be broadcast over radio station WSUI.

Rowan on Washington Journalism Board

Washington — Carl T. Rowan, syndicated columnist and television commentator, has been named a member of the Board of Trustees of the Washington Journalism Center.

Newbold Noyes, Chairman of the Center's Board of Trustees and Editor of The Washington Star, announced that Rowan was one of four new members of the Board.

The other new members are: Frank Batten, Publisher, Norfolk-Portsmouth Newspapers Inc., Norfolk, Va.; John E. Ryerson, Senior Editor, The Kiplinger Washington Editors, Inc., Washington; and Richard S. Salant, President, CBS News, New York.

Mr. Rowan, winner of numerous awards for journalistic achievement while he was a reporter for the Minneapolis Tribune, is a former Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Public Affairs; former Ambassador to Finland, and former Director of the United States Information Agency.

John H. Johnson, president of the Johnson Publishing Company in Chicago also is one of the 20 members of the Center's Board of Trustees.

Has 40 Scholarships

The Washington Journalism Center, an independent, non-profit institution awards approximately 40 fellowships each year to young professional journalists, journalism students who have had professional experience, and young Negroes interested in careers in journalism. Each fellowship provides for 16 weeks of study and work in Washington.

The center has a three-year \$295,500 grant from the Ford Foundation for a program to recruit and train 20 Negroes a year for careers in journalism. Under the program, the Center seeks men and women who have majored in such areas of study as political science, history, economics, sociology, and English, and who have indicated an interest in journalism through work on a school or community publication.

TAX

Q—Do the new tax forms explain how to figure the surtax?

A—Yes, the tax surcharge is explained in both the 1040 and 1040A instructions.

Q—I had my 65th birthday in 1968. Will that make any difference when I file my tax return?

A—Yes, there are various benefits the law provides for taxpayers 65 years of age and over. These are explained in our Publication 554, "Tax Benefits for Older Americans."

For one thing, taxpayers 65 and over are allowed an extra exemption because of age. If you are presently employed and have taxes withheld from your wages, you may want to file a new withholding statement, Form W-4, with your employer to claim this extra exemption. Doing so will reduce the amount your employer withholds.

Your employer should be able to provide you with a copy of the Form W-4.

Q—I went into business for myself this year and have several employees. Is there any deadline for me to issue their withholding statements? One of my people already asked about it.

A—The law requires employers to issue withholding statements by January 31. Many employers try to issue them as soon as possible after January 1 so their employees may file tax returns early.

Q—Who has to file a tax return?

A—A return must be filed by every

Nixon's Rights Aide To Resign from Club After NAACP Protest

Washington, D.C. — Jerris Leonard of Milwaukee, newly appointed chief of the Justice Department's Civil Rights Division, intends to resign from the lily-white Eagles Club, Attorney General John N. Mitchell announced here, Jan. 22.

The announcement followed a protest against his appointment by the Milwaukee NAACP Youth Council. In a telegram to President Richard M. Nixon, Lawrence Friend, president of the youth council, said that Mr. Leonard was "not qualified for the job because of his membership in a discriminatory club . . . the Eagles."

The Eagles Club of Milwaukee has been a longtime target of the NAACP youth council because of its exclusion of all non-whites. In past years the club was frequently picketed by the council.

Wimberlys Attend Democratic Conference

Joseph Wimberly, representative of the John F. Kennedy club, was invited to attend a statewide Democratic leadership conference held January 25th and 26th in the Memorial Union at Iowa City. The opening session was addressed by Congressman John Culver of the 2nd Congressional District, after which more than 150 persons from the seven districts of the state attended one of six workshops held concurrently for one and one half hour group discussions.

During the two days, every person in attendance had an opportunity to attend each of the six workshops. Summaries of the discussions were given at the closing session. A task force committee was named from each of the six workshops. Mr. Wimberly was named on the committee on issues and research. The committee will report at a conference to be held early in the spring. Mrs. Wimberly attended the Conference and participated in the workshop discussions.

Medal of Freedom Awarded Wilkins

Washington — Roy Wilkins, executive director of the NAACP, was awarded the Medal of Freedom by Lyndon Johnson in one of his last official acts as President. Mr. Wilkins was one of twenty persons who received the country's highest civil honor.

Three of the recipients were Negro. In addition to Mr. Wilkins, awards were bestowed upon Whitney M. Young, Jr., head of the National Urban League, and Ralph Ellison, author. Among others thus recognized were: W. Averell Harriman, Henry Ford, 2nd, McGeorge Bundy and Laurance S. Rockefeller.

The Medal of Freedom recognizes exceptionally meritorious contributions to the security or national interest of the United States, world peace, or cultural or other significant public or private endeavors.

DAVENPORT

BY CECILE COOPER
225 W. 14th Street

Rev. H. Burnette held the 2nd Quarterly Conference at Bethel AME Church, Davenport, Sunday, Jan. 26, at 6:30 p.m., after which he visited the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith III in their home at 2112 E. 13th St., the newly purchased parsonage of Bethel.

Cecil A. Reed of Des Moines will be the guest speaker at Bethel's Founder's Day banquet, February 14, at 6:30 p.m.

Mrs. Kathy Kirschbaum, Davenport's first lady alderman, will be honored February 1, at a ball given at the Black Hawk Hotel.

HEALTH FOR ALL

TB: Global Experts to Meet Here
One of the penalties of being poor is that you are more vulnerable to disease than your better-off neighbors.

This is true of nations as well as individuals. It is lamentably true as regards tuberculosis, a disease that thrives upon conditions associated with poverty.

While the United States and many other nations in the comparatively affluent West have managed to get TB more or less under control, 15 to 20 million people around the world still have the active disease. TB is particularly rampant in undeveloped and impoverished areas of Asia, Africa and South America where the environment is fertile for its spread.

Hope for an ultimate solution nevertheless remains very much alive. In recent years hope has been reinforced by significant improvements in preventive measures that medical science has developed against TB. Dramatic results have been obtained with the drug isoniazid not only in obtaining cures but in preventing in-

fection from developing into active disease. BCG, a vaccine known since early in the century, also is highly effective in immunizing large numbers of people in high risk areas.

The drug war against tuberculosis, possibilities for extending it, and many other aspects of global defense strategy will come in for thorough discussion later this year when the International Union Against Tuberculosis, formed in 1920 with the U.S. as a vanguard force, meets in New York for its XXth International Conference on Tuberculosis. About 3,000 attendants, including leading chest physicians and health scientists from all over the world, are expected. Officials of our own National Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association, the host organization, predict a strengthened and reinvigorated global struggle against TB resulting from the conference. "Your Christmas Seal Organization" Polk County Tuberculosis & Health Assn., 208 Flynn Building, Phone: 288-3349, Des Moines, Iowa 50309.

ago and left me with two small children. I received only a lump-sum death benefit when she died and was told the children would not receive any benefits because my wife had not worked for several years before her death and was not contributing to their support. Has there been any change in the law which might allow my children to be eligible for benefits?

Answer: Yes, Since you received the lump-sum death benefit the law has dropped the requirement that a mother must have worked recently in order for the children to be entitled. Take the children's birth certificates to your nearest social security office to file an application for the children. Some retroactive benefits may be due so do not delay in filing a claim.

Question: Does the social security office have people available to speak to groups and explain social security benefits?

Answer: Yes, Social Security representatives visit communities. Through talks, films, and other planned activities they will assist groups in informing their members about their rights and responsibilities under social security.

Social Security

Health, Education
Welfare

Question: I am getting ready to file an application for social security benefits. What do I need to bring with me when I visit your office?

Answer: When you apply for your benefits, you should take your social security card, birth certificate or other evidence of your age, and information about your earnings for last year and this year. However, if you do not have all of these documents, do not delay filing your application. Any evidence needed can be furnished after your claim is made.

Question: I signed up for social security benefits in June 1968 but kept on working. My 1968 earnings were higher than any previous year. What must I do to have my benefit refigured to include these earnings?

Answer: You need take no action. The Social Security Administration will automatically refigure your benefit to include these earnings. This will be done late in 1969 when your complete 1968 earnings have been entered on your social security record.

Question: My wife died four years

SIOUX CITY

Mrs. Albert Smith
217 W. 14th Street

Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Rev. James E. McLamb, pastor. Morning service, 11:00 a.m.

Mrs. Arnold Davis, superintendent of Sunday school, 9:45. Sunday, Jan. 26. The Annual Youth Week Observance got off to a good start. The theme—"Mastering Life's Mysteries". The Rev. Norman S. Piddmont was the guest speaker. He is pastor of Mt. Washington Baptist Church, Parkville, Mo.

Rev. Norman S. Piddmont will speak for the youth at 7:30 p.m.

The women of Mt. Zion are invited to attend the Ecumenical tea at Mayflower Congregational Church, 18th and Rebecca Sts., Friday, Feb. 14, at 1:30 p.m., in observance of Brotherhood month. The program will be an inter-faith, inter-racial panel. All west side women are welcome.

Rev. McLamb and the senior choir were invited to Malone AME Church this afternoon at 3:00 p.m.

The Rev. Stewart, pastor of Mt. Olive Baptist Church, will bring the message for Malone 3rd Annual self-denial program. The Mt. Zion Senior Choir will sing.

Council Bluffs

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CHURCH NEWS

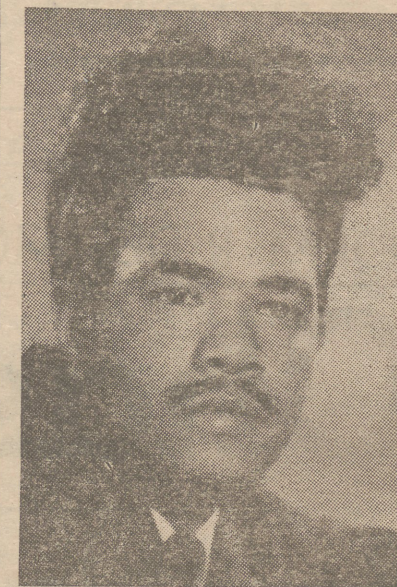
Beulah Baptist church will host five nights of evangelistic services beginning Monday at 7:30 p.m. Churches participating are St. Peter Rock Baptist Greater Macedonia Baptist, Mount Hebron Baptist, all of Omaha, Neb. The host pastor is the Rev. C. W. Wiggins.

The Four Church Union will meet at the Tabernacle Baptist Church, 3:00 p.m. Feb. 2nd. Churches participating are: Pleasant Green Bapt., St. John Baptist and St. Paul Baptist. Host pastor, Rev. E. Rhodes.

The Rev. Peter Harris, Omaha, Neb. was seriously injured by a hit and run driver Sunday as he was

Tawasis to Present Fashion Show

James Piggee, nationally known model, will present an Easter fashion show sponsored by the Twasi Federated Club Sunday, April 6, 1969.



JAMES PIGGEE

All male or female models over the age of 18 are asked to contact Mr. Piggee, 911 26th Street, 277-5443, on Saturday, Jan. 25 between 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. or Sunday, Jan. 26, between 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. or 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Mr. Piggee will be glad to train those models qualifying who are without experience.

getting off the city bus. Rev. Harris is the former Bible class instructor of the Tabernacle Baptist Church. Shut-ins: Mmes. Leona Baker, Clyonne Brown, Maud Simmons and Mollie Stewart.

Glen King, 71, resident of Clarinda, Iowa, passed away last week and was buried Saturday. Mr. King was a member of the St. Jacob Methodist Church. Rev. Sterling Taylor, pastor of the St. Jacob Church, officiated. The Rev. Alvin Moore, Des Moines, Iowa former pastor of the Bethel AME and St. Jacob Churches gave the eulogy.

CORRECTION

In the report of the murder at the University of California (L. A.) last week it was stated that the crime was committed by the Black Panthers when it should have read the victims were Black Panthers.

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CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank everyone for their
prayers, flowers, cards, calls and
visits during my hospitalization and
recovery. Your thoughts were
deeply appreciated.

Sincerely,
William Sharp

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Elaine Booker
wishes to thank their many friends
for telegrams, cards, flowers and
other acts of kindness at the time
of the death of our beloved wife
and mother.

La Mar Booker
and family

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mrs. Mary L. Taylor
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their sincere appreciation to various
units, ministers, friends and many
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Mrs. Drucilla Robinson, organist
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sented in recital there on Sunday
afternoon. Miss Mary Berdell was
chairman of the sponsoring commit-
tee. The program consisted of
hymns, classical and semi classical
compositions and spirituals, some of
which were organist's own arrange-
ments. "Listen To The Lambs" by
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ano accompaniment — Mrs. Phyllis
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range, was highlighted by voice
of Elizabeth Roberts and other ar-
rangements of Mrs. Robinson were
of "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot",
"What A Friend We Have In Jesus"
and "Lonesome Valley". Rev. Wil-
liam W. Parker served in absence of
the Rev. E. Williams, pastor. Mrs.
Maggie Johnson made presentation
of bouquet of red roses.

Rev. Percy Burt, 1015 Mobile, is
pastor of newly organized Mt. Cal-
vary Missionary Baptist Church.
First service was held Sunday, Janu-
ary 26, 10:00 a.m. at the YWCA.
Rev. Burt is former pastor of Mt.
Zion Missionary Baptist Church in
Cedar Rapids where he served 16
years until his resignation in 1967.
The Rev. Burt is also president-elect
of Black Hawk County Branch
NAACP.

Two births have been reported to
me which are in immediate neigh-
borhood. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reed,
945 Sumner, are very proud parents
of a boy, Franklin Lloyd, 7 lbs., 4
oz. born January 13. To the Herb
Cox family, 806 Beech, Becky,
weighing 8 pounds arrived on Jan.
23. Needless to say, all are very
happy.

International Arts Bazaar was
held at Waterloo Recreation Center
on Sunday. The affair is spon-
sored by "Friends of The Center"
a civic organization. Proceeds are
used to help enrich the arts program
for children, teen-agers and adults,
at the Center. Crowds came and
went during the afternoon and
proved to be gay shoppers of ob-

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In the District Court of the State of Iowa
In and for Polk County
Equity No. 73478

THE PRUDENTIAL INSURANCE
COMPANY OF AMERICA, Plaintiff,

vs.
HALL, JR. RATTON, JR.,
LILLIE M. RATTON,
BILLY R. COVINGTON,
DANIEL ANTHONY HUMESTON,
MADONNA MAE HUMESTON,
JACQUELINE RATTON,
H. M. COCKE, et al., Defendants.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS:
You are hereby notified that the Pet-
ition of the Plaintiff in the above en-
titled cause is now on file in the Office of
the Clerk of the District Court of Iowa in
and for Polk County, claiming personal
judgment against Billy R. Covington,
Daniel Anthony Humeston, Dwight Anthony
Humeston and Madonna Mae Humeston
and judgment in rem against the property
hereinafter described in the sum of
\$11,336.08 with interest at the rate of
5 1/2% from and after October 1, 1968 on
the promissory note of Billy R. Covington
and Sandra L. Covington, husband and
wife, executed and delivered to the Plain-
tiff, who is the absolute owner, thereof,
and said note and mortgage given to se-
cure said note are due and payable by
reason of the failure of the Defendants
to pay the installments of principal and
interest when due. The Plaintiff further
asks for foreclosure of said mortgage
of even date and the note of October 1,
1963 on the following described real es-
tate, to-wit:

Lot 39 in Rhoads Heights, an Offi-
cial Plat, now included in and form-
ing a part of the City of Des
Moines, Iowa.

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

No personal judgment is asked against
any of the Defendants herein except as to
the Defendants, Billy R. Covington, San-
dra L. Covington, Dwight Anthony Hum-
eston and Madonna Mae Humeston. For
further particulars, see Petition now on
file.

You are further notified that the mort-
gage herein provides that in the event of
foreclosure and sale of the property by
Sheriff's sale, the time of one year redem-
ption shall be reduced to six months pro-
vided that the mortgagee waives any
right to a deficiency judgment. Plaintiff
reserves the right to waive all rights to
a deficiency judgment prior to Sheriff's
sale.

You are further notified to appear be-
fore said Court, at Des Moines, in Polk
County, Iowa, on or before February 28,
1969 and that unless you so appear your
default will be entered and judgment or
decree rendered against you for the relief
demanded in the Petition.

WISDOM, SULLIVAN & GOLDEN
By Wm. Wheatcraft,
Attorney for Plaintiff
600 Hubbell Building
Des Moines, Iowa 50309
Telephone 284-1094

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Preliminary applications for resi-
dents are being taken each Satur-
day at old President Hotel site, now
known as under management of
Elders, Inc. and to be known as
Park Towers, when remodeled. The
registration hours are Saturday 10
a.m. to 3 p.m. I will be there again
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nary and necessary.

Spring must be one the way or
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playing during recess and swinging
outside, I wonder if they ever get
cold. I live near an elementary
school.

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St. John AME Church made it's
2nd Quarterly report in January to
Presiding Elder Wm. Burnett. The
officers were complimented on the
continuing renovating program; wall
to wall carpeting and new pulpit fur-
nishings having been installed. Old
wiring and lighting fixtures are now
being replaced. A rededication pro-
gram is in the making upon the com-
pletion of the project during the
month of April

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Missionary Volunteer 4:30 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:00 P.M.
Dance Society 1st Sunday 1:00 P.M.

Corinthian Baptist Church
9th and School Streets
Rev. F. W. Strickland
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
4: T. U. 7:00 P.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

St. Paul A.M.E. Church
12th and Crocker Street
Rev. HENDERSON DAVIS
Church School 9:30 a.m.
Church Service 10:45 a.m.
Vespers Service 6:30 p.m.
Prayer Service, Wed. 7:30 p.m.
Youth Fellowships 5:30 p.m.

East University Church of God in Christ
East 17th and University
BISHOP J. E. ABERNATHY
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Wed. Eve. Mission Circle 8:00 P.M.
Weekly evening services
Tuesday and Friday 8:00 P.M.

Kyles Temple A.M.E. Zion Church
Rev. OSCAR PEAVY, Pastor
901 15th Street
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

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

Community Baptist Church
1108 8th Street
Rev. GUY SANDERS, JR., Minister
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class 6:30 P.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service, Wed. 8:00 P.M.

Forest Ave. Church of God in Christ
1121 Forest Avenue
Rev. A. B. CARTER, Pastor
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Sunday morning worship 11:00 a.m.
Y.P.W.W. (Sunday) 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday evening worship 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday evening Bible Band 7:00 p.m.
Thursday evening services 7:30 p.m.
Prayer services (daily) 9:00 a.m.

Bethel A.M.E. Church
1628 East University Ave.
Rev. L. B. JOHNSON, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P.M.
Wed. - Mid-Week Service 7:30 P.M.

BURNS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
811 CROCKER STREET
Rev. J. M. SHOPSHIRE, Minister
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.

First C.M.E. Church
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Morning Service 11:00
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Mr. Roy L. Brown, Deacon, 262-3274

To Church Reporters and Pastors

Please see that only one person reports the news as it is confusing to have material coming from more than one source.

Do not list meetings of the choirs, clubs and organizations unless some special feature is reported.

Don't run advertising as news, and additions to the church or visitors unless from out of town. The sick should include only those in hospitals, which should be separate from the church news.

Dead-line for news is Tuesday at twelve noon and dead-line for advertising is Wednesday at twelve noon.

St. Paul Laymen's League Program

The Laymen's Organization of St. Paul A.M.E. Church under the direction of the president, Mrs. Joseph Wimberly, has planned a program of activities through June beginning with the annual Founder's Day banquet, Feb. 28, at Younkers Tea Room; Laymen's Sunday will be observed March 23 ending with a Twilight recital by the Richard Allen Chorus. In April the Ways and Means Committee will give a spring dinner. In May, a mother-daughter tea will conclude the Women's day activities on Mother's Day. In June an all church picnic will follow the morning services at the Birdland Park shelter house.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. William S. Heath, pastor will preach Sunday, February 2nd at 11 and the senior choir will sing. Mrs. Alice Boyd, pianist. Communion services will begin at 6:00 p.m. with the deacons in charge of devotions.

On Sunday morning, January 19th Dwan Susie Shetworth united with the church as candidate for baptism. The children's choir will practice Saturday afternoon from 2:30 to 4:30. Mrs. Violet Douglas and Mrs. Darlene Sayles, supervisors. Visitors last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Jammal, Eleanore Jammal, Montgomery City, Missouri and Werren Williams, Chicago, Illinois. May Green Brenton, Alabama, Dorothy Simpson, New Jersey, students of Central College of Pella, Iowa.

Cost of a \$10,000 Servicemen's Group Life Insurance policy is only \$2 to the serviceman because the extra hazard cost is paid by the U.S. government.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Friday, January 31, at 8:00 p.m. the monthly business meeting will be held. Saturday, Feb. 1, a fried chicken, ham and bean dinner will be held. You may eat at the church or call for delivery, 262-1785. Mrs. Dencie Drain, is chairman.

Pastor Thomas will speak at the 11:00 a.m. service, Sunday, about "The Green Eyed Monster". The senior choir will furnish the music. Sunday from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. the parsonage fund committee is sponsoring an all nations tea in the lower auditorium. At 6:00 p.m. Sunday joint communion services will be held at Maple Street Baptist Church. Weekly choir rehearsals: Tuesday, 7:00 p.m., H. I. Thomas Singers; Thursday, 7:00 p.m., Pulpiters; Friday, 7:30 p.m., Senior Choir; Sat., 3:30 p.m., Angel Choir, Sat., 5:00 p.m. Youth Choir.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The sermon subject for Sunday morning, Feb. 2, 1969, to be delivered by Rev. Henderson S. Davis will be "New Power". Holy Communion will follow.

Meeting of the Christian Education Workers will be held February 2, 5:00 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Jeanne Morris.

Soon, thee will be a series on African Heritage — watch for the opening date.

The Layman's will have a banquet February 28. Mr. Frank Clark will be guest speaker. Committee members for the banquet are Mrs. Helen D. Wimberly, Mrs. Mary Ruth Simmons, Mrs. Thelma E. Wallace and Mrs. Aurelia Rhodes.

Following Sunday morning service, men and women of the church will meet to plan for our spring programs. All youth are invited to participate.

The Missionary society will meet Tuesday, February 4, at 2:00 p.m. with Mrs. Margaret McCracken, 1050 16th Street, hostess. Mrs. Wilberforce Minter, President.

MORNINGSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, February 2, at 7:30 p.m. Macedonia and Morningstar Baptist Church will have joint baptism at Morningstar. After baptism the choir will have their musical talent program. Mrs. M. Jenkins, president. Sunday, February 9., Macedonia Youth Choir and the Morning Star Youth Choir will have a program at Morningstar.

The bus trip previously scheduled to go to Minneapolis, Minn. has been re-scheduled for the fourth Sunday in April.

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Bowles to Give Christian Science Lecture

"Who Is Your Brother's Keeper?" is the title of a Christian Science lecture by Neil H. Bowles, C.S.B., who will speak in Des Moines on Saturday, Feb. 1 under the sponsorship of First Church of Christ, Scientist, Des Moines.

The lecture will begin at 11:00 a.m. in the Plaza Theater, Merle Hay Plaza, Merle Hay Road and Douglas Avenue.

Mr. Bowles is on tour as a member of the Board of Lectureship of The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts. A native of Chicago, Illinois, Mr. Bowles withdrew from business in 1942 to devote his full time to the public practice of Christian Science healing. Since becoming a member of The Christian Science Board of Lectureship in 1958, he has traveled widely in Europe and other areas as well as the United States and Canada. His present home is Atlanta, Georgia, where he is also a recognized teacher of Christian Science.

KYLES CHURCH NEWS

Sunday Morning, February 2, Rev. O. M. Peavy's Communion day message will be "Will You Serve". The Men and Women's Day Committee will serve chicken and chitterlings dinner Saturday, February 1st at 11 a.m.

MOUNT HEBRON BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The Young Adult choir sang last Sunday morning. Rev. A. C. Crawford brought the message. On January 31, at 7:30 p.m., the Senior Choir will rehearse. Robert Dixon, Sr. is president. Alvin Hubbard is pianist.

Sunday, Feb. 2, the pastor will serve communion in the morning service. At 4:00 p.m., the Spiritual Keys will be presented in a musical program sponsored by Mrs. Luvenia Jones and Rev. James Harris.

Church clerk is Mrs. Irene Swink. Rev. James M. Harris, pastor.

Nationwide Drive To Pay Powell Fine

Washington, D. C. — A group of 15 Washington Negro clergymen announced Sunday it is launching a nationwide drive to pay a \$25,000 congressional fine assessed against Rep. Adam Clayton Powell (Dem., N. Y.). The "Washington Ministers' Leadership Training Program," headed by the Rev. Jefferson P. Rogers, pastor of the Presbyterian Church of the Redeemer, here, said the group's immediate goal will be the raising of funds among Negroes to pay the fine imposed on Powell by the House as one condition for his readmission to Congress.

MAPLE STREET CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, February 2, Rev. Parrish semon title "Christ our Hope" Rev. Arthur Duke Veterans' Hospital.

Joe Calhoun Dies In Auto Accident

Joe Louis Calhoun was killed in an automobile accident, January 12, 1969, in Wynnewood, Oklahoma. Mr. Calhoun is the uncle of John R. Calhoun, Jr. of Des Moines. Mr. Calhoun, Jr. joined his father, John R. Calhoun, Sr., of California, his uncles, Clayton Calhoun, John Calhoun and Brice Calhoun of California, his brother, Tommy Lee Calhoun of Des Moines and his cousin, Robert Carson of Des Moines, at the funeral services in Oklahoma.

Joe Louis Calhoun was the son of Mrs. Margerite Calhoun Avant, 1182 11th St., and the grandson of Mrs. Mattie Avant, 1182 12th St., Des Moines, Iowa.

Seek Charges in Iowa Rights Law

Since the enactment of civil rights legislation in Iowa it has become increasingly apparent that enforcement of civil rights laws is difficult. It is necessary to make all citizens aware of the scope of our laws and the specific acts of discrimination that are covered. Possible victims of discrimination need information about how and where to complain. Civil rights groups, commissions, churches, synagogues, and law enforcement officials need training in enforcement procedures as suggested by Russell Nash of Dubuque and Williams Cribbs of Davenport.

Furthermore as we use our laws we discover serious defects in them. New legislation is needed to improve the laws—to make them more comprehensive and enforceable.

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Many of those who attended the civil rights meeting in Des Moines on Jan. 11 by the Civil Rights Commission felt the need of a state conference in the near future to emphasize civil rights law enforcement and to plan legislative strategy and a strong legislative program for 1969.

Such a conference meeting will be held in Des Moines on Feb. 22 for Iowa legislators, the press, and concerned citizens. A planning session for the conference will be held in Cedar Rapids on Feb. 1 under the chairmanship of Mrs. John Ely Jr.

Advertising Campaign By R. J. Reynolds

New Orleans — Plans for a major institutional advertising campaign in Negro-oriented newspapers across the country were announced here today by R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company. Reynolds, which manufactures three of the four best-selling brands of cigarettes in the U.S. (Winston, Salem, and Camel), made the announcement at a news conference during the Mid-Winter Workshop of the National Newspaper Publishers Association — the trade association of the nation's black press.

"Who is your brother's keeper?"

Should it be you?

In a time when it's 'every man for himself,' to love your neighbor as yourself may seem to carry a hollow ring.

But to do so can be vital to each of us. To love even our enemies is to discover something of the richness of love itself. It can open the way to greater accomplishment in our lives: restoring health and blessing others. And the way is to begin to see our true nature — and that of our fellowman — as fashioned in the image and likeness of God.

You are invited to hear this subject explored in a challenging lecture by Neil H. Bowles, C.S.B., of Atlanta, Georgia. Mr. Bowles is a member of The Christian Science Board of Lectureship. Admission is free and all are welcome.

Christian Science lecture

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Swanson Heads Iowa Power

Dwight H. Swanson, 49, of Plainfield, Indiana, was elected president and a director of Iowa Power and Light Company, Des Moines, Iowa, at a meeting Monday (January 13) of the company's Board of Directors.

Swanson, who is presently vice-president—marketing of the Public Service Company of Indiana, Inc., will assume his duties as president and chief executive officer of Iowa's largest electric and gas utility February 1, 1969.

Swanson, an electrical engineering graduate of Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind., was an executive with Commonwealth Edison Company, Chicago, Ill., for 13 years.

Mrs. Sarah Davis Bryson Dies in Toledo, Ohio

Word was received here Friday, Jan. 24, of the death of Mrs. Sarah Davis Bryson, age 83 who lived with a niece, Mrs. Henry Diggs in Toledo, Ohio.

Mrs. Bryson was a resident of Des Moines for many years. After the death of her husband, Will, she moved to Chicago, Ill. to live with her daughter, Mrs. Lucille Seaver, also deceased. The Brysons were formerly members of Union Baptist Church, Des Moines.

Mrs. Bendia Steward, who was a member of the Mt. Olive Baptist Church preceded her in death.

Surviving Mrs. Bryson are a brother, Bert Henderson; a son, Ernie Davis; two nieces, Mrs. Gladys Robinson, Sr., Mrs. Beatrice VanDeVier; three nephews, Willard, Rev. Guy E. and James Sanders; 15 grandchildren and a host of grand and great grand nieces and nephews.

Services were held Wednesday at 1:00 o'clock at the Macedonia Baptist Church of Toledo, Ohio, of which she was a member. Rev. Elijah Hicklin, pastor.

Mrs. Bryson visited here during the Christmas holidays.

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Wake up to the values at Williams Pharmacy, 1103 University Avenue, Phone 243-1253. See us soon for all standard aspirin products.

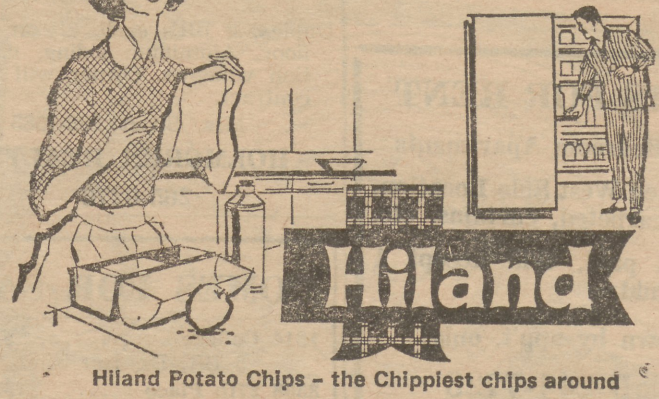
Winter Adult Classes To Begin February 3

The winter-spring term of classes for adults, sponsored by the Department of Adult Education, Des Moines Public Schools, will begin the week of February 3. An extensive program of over 350 classes has been scheduled, offering courses in several areas.

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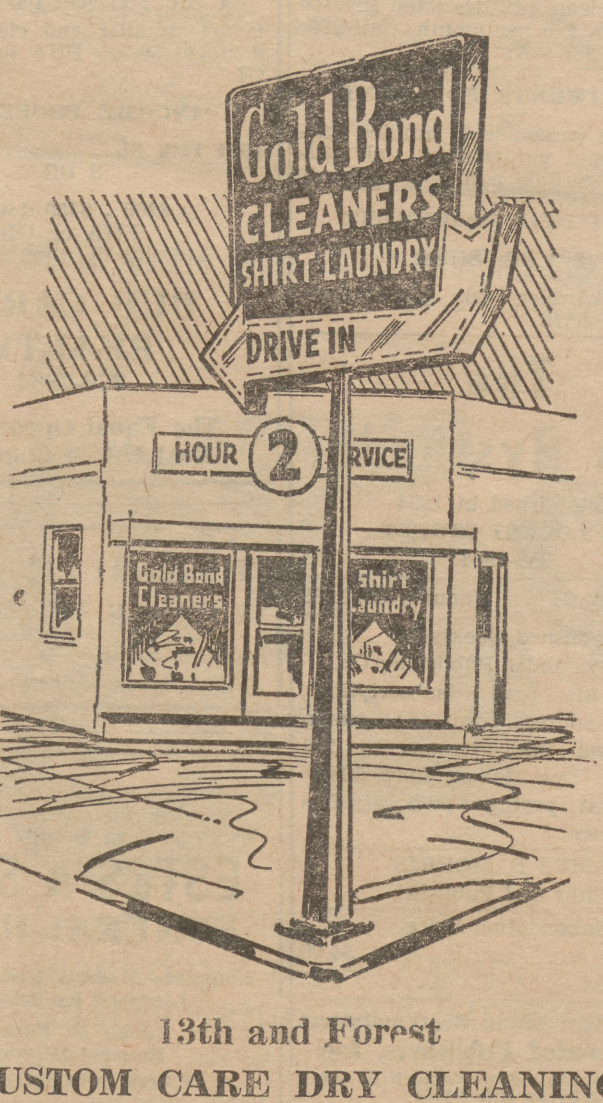
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Guest Columnist
Marjorie E. W. Smith

You might call me a three button, or rather I should say, a three pin gal. First there is my equality pin—the pin worn by those supporting the Big March on "Washington, D.C. where Martin Luther King, Jr. gave his moving "I Had A Dream" speech. Remember? A solid black circle centered by a white mathematical equal sign. You know how easy it is to break those plastic mass movement buttons. I never thought I'd be able to get one again, (even thought of having black onyx inlaid with ivory or some other amateurish likeness) until at the State Civil Rights Conference two weeks ago, Father Marvin A. Mottel, of Davenport, and had a pocketful, gave me one. This goes to a jeweler to be permanently attached to a safety clasp. Second—there is my olive wreathed symbol of Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, founded by James Addams, well over fifty years ago. (Young people, strange how many good things have been going for us for so long).

Third—MY FAVORITE— which I have ordered and vow to wear boldly upon all occasions is my gold row of NAACP letters. My favorite, because NAACP is basic, fundamental to equality, fundamental to peace, at home and abroad. Henceforth I shall declare loudly and unequivocally that I believe in the goals and methods of NAACP as much as I believe in the Constitution of the United States and in the way of democracy.

I believe in and honor those of the NAACP who through the past 60 years have steadfastly and thoroughly built the foundation upon which today we are beginning actually to realize true freedom for all. I pay tribute to those of the Des Moines Branch, like the J. B. Morris families, A. P. Trotter, Bessye Greene, Clara Bayles, and others who today are honored by seeing newcomers carry on and forge ahead.

Most of the eight who were honored Monday night by the Human Rights Recognition Committee belong to NAACP. Those who don't, as yet, will hear from MEWS. It was especially fitting that a northerner and a Negro, editor James B. Morris, Sr., publisher of the Iowa Bystander, should introduce the white southern editor of the Atlanta Constitution and Pulitzer prize winner Ralph McGill at the annual meeting of the Des Moines Area Council of Churches Monday night at the Veterans' Memorial Auditorium.

When the weather got so bad I thought if the Monday night meetings had to be cancelled it would be less expensive to cancel the potluck at Veterans Memorial than the Human Rights dinner at the Fort Des Moines! Fortunately, passable weather prevailed permitting some 285 to dine at Tenth and Walnut, while some 1500 (at least ten from each local church) feasted on home cooking at the fifth avenue edifice! The one, required housewifely skills with pot and pan, the other a \$5 ticket! We had some unprogrammed excitement at the hotel—a trash fire—the area swarmed with firemen—hose—trucks—trucks—smoke—just as guests were trying to park. Everything under control instantly! The excellent dinner was not burned one bit!

Every Iowan, white and black, I am thoroughly convinced, should read the Iowa Bystander. Only through its columns can we know what is up coming. For instance: February 28th St. Paul AME Layman's Organization is having a banquet at Younkers. FRANK CLARK, the creator of Country Parson, is to speak. Open to public. Easter Sunday afternoon at the Julia B. Mayer Community Center Twasi Federated Club will sponsor a style show. Guess who's coming to town! Zoe Mitchell with her fabulous creations and glamorous models, men and women. I know, because I thoroughly enjoyed her presentations staged at the Des Moines Grand Ballroom some three years ago. Formerly of Des Moines, now of Chicago, this national prize winning designer brings originals that makes your eyes pop. Such quality, texture, novelty! James Piggee national professional model is framing up the event from this end.

Then, the first Sunday in May (the fourth) at 7 p.m. Corinthian Baptist

Church, is the annual concert of the Inspirational Chorus. All these things I now know BECAUSE I READ THE IOWA BYSTANDER WEEKLY. My calendar is marked for these dates already. Mark yours!

Were Dr. Carter Godwin Woodson alive today he would rejoice over the fruits of his early efforts to publicize Afro-American history!

Don't let the name PIC (Presbyterian Interracial Council) fool you. It's really interdenominational, just founded by Presbyterians, bless them. You who, and surely you all do, wish to be on a list of persons who will help with eliminating the causes of poverty and racism by letter writing, phoning, and exerting group feeling on influential persons, send your name to Glenn E. Burh IMMEDIATELY. By the way, let's see you at NAACP meetings, HEAR? And don't forget CAAAA, Caucasian and Afro-Americans Associate. Visit one another churches. Get acquainted. "The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above."

Host Afro-American Doll Exhibit

A children's tea will highlight the opening of a unique exhibit of Afro-American dolls on Sunday, February 2, at the Des Moines Art Center. Beta Gamma chapter of the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority will be hostesses to all children and their parents at the center from 2:00-5:00 p.m.

Some thirty dolls from such places as the West Indies, Senegal, and Mexico, as well as the United States, will be on display throughout the month of February. Many are made of interesting materials: dried fruit, nuts, wax, leather and rubber. Dolls in the collection from the Brooklyn (N.Y.) Children's Museum include a Louisiana character doll, several fisherman dolls, a Bahia "Esu" figure, West Indian market figures, and a Senegal leather doll.

Socialites Organize At Willkie House

A newly organized club for Junior High School girls at Willkie House has chosen as its purpose, "BETTER SOCIAL LIFE AMONG TEEN AGERS. Calling themselves "SOCIALITES" the girls held their first business meeting on Saturday afternoon, January 25 and elected the following officers:

Delona Thompson, President; Gail Austin, Vice President; Jean Rhone, Recording Secretary; Nancy Coil, Corresponding Secretary; Robin Greenfield, Treasurer.

Others present at the charter meeting were Roberta Cavil, Theresa Collier, Venita Day, Jeanice Rhone, Vicki Turley, Sydney Williams, Theresa Williams and Patricia Willis.

Club meetings will be held at Willkie House on alternate Saturday afternoons. Miss Paula Heariold is leader for the group, which is first groups planned for the 1969 program year.

Des Moines NAACP

Holds January Meeting

The Des Moines NAACP held its January meeting at Willkie house Tuesday, Jan. 28. A. L. Garrison, second vice president presided in the absence of Malcolm Hogan who is out of the city.

Organizational plans for the 1969 program were deferred to the February meeting.

Princess Oziel No. 9

OES Holds Election

January 23, Princess Oziel No. 9, OES held election of officers at the Masonic Hall, 1121 Clark St. Newly elected are Worthy Matron, Mrs. Evelyn Carter; Worthy Patron, Marcus McCraven; Associate Matron, Mrs. Ruby Wilson; Conductress, Mrs. Ella Mae Burks; Associate Conductress, Mrs. Verona Cheatom; Lecturer, Mrs. Gladys Brown; Secretary, Mrs. Lessie Garrett; Treasurer, Mrs. Haley O. Houston.

Mrs. Carter will announce the appointed officers and committees at the next meeting February 27th. The retiring Worthy Matron, Mrs. Olivia Cooper was presented with a gift by the Chapter. Initiation will be held at the February meeting.

Paul L. Green, Jr. and Annette Truss Exchange Vows In Ceremony



Some of the immediate family: back row: Mr. Alphonza Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Greene, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Green, Jr. (The Bride and Groom) and the bride's aunt. Front row: Mrs. Ida Greene, grandmother, Mrs. Helen Wheeler Hubbard, grandmother.

At Columbus, Ohio in a recent ceremony, Paul L. Green, Jr. the son of Paul L. Green, Sr. and the late Mrs. Theresa Hubbard Johnson was married to Miss Annette Truss of that city.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hawthorne Reed, Radford, Virginia.

The bride chose a three piece ice blue silk suit with matching ruffled blouse. Her veil was blue illusion

Mary Church Terrell No. 2 Jet Set

IT'S HAPPENING BABY... The Mary Church Terrell Club #2 "JET SET" was hijacked in Des Moines, December 22 so held a "Masked Christmas Party" at the Hotel Fort Des Moines in the Granada and Seville Rooms—All of Spanish Motif

Red Carpeting. Built in Bar, Wrought Iron Tables and Chairs... Christmas Tree, Candles, hanging Chandeliers and Mistle Toe. With Trays of Sliced Turkey, Ham, Hors d'oeuvre, and spirituous flavors, members and guests were "Hooked Up". All participated in Games and everyone "DID THEIR THING."

Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Monte Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. Marsh Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Herndon, Mrs. Clifford Bayles, Mrs. Hazel Owens, Mrs. Felice Rhoads and Mrs. Alberta Grace.

The Pilot and Maintenance Crew took off on Flight #7 as scheduled, January 17 to the home of Mrs. Sherwood Brown, 1303-12th Street. Mrs. John Davis, is president.

Editor's Note:—this article was overlooked and should have appeared in an earlier edition.

SPEND HOLIDAYS IN DES MOINES

Mrs. Joann Saines and Mr. Lonnie Brooks flew to Des Moines from their home in Los Angeles, California, to spend the Christmas holidays with their father, Mr. Joseph Brooks; grandmother, Mrs. Adelaide Brinker; and sisters, Lessie Brooks and Elaine Williams. Mrs. Saines was the houseguest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Williams.

Among the many courtesies shown, Mrs. Saines was guest to dinner with the Onanas Club at Johnny & Kays; Mrs. Rhoda Turner's guest to breakfast; a New Years Eve party with friends in the Williams home; dinner

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with petals of seeded pearls. She carried a prayer book covered with white and yellow orchids.

Maid of honor was Miss Muriel Jordan. She wore a street length after five dress of blue and yellow carnations.

George Parker served as best man. The ceremony and reception, took place at the lovely and spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Green, 1392 Richmond Ave. of that city.

Hostesses

Hostesses were Mesdames Rose Libby, John Simms, Florence Howard, Duvall Granger, Misses Jennie and Charlene Jackson. About one-hundred guests were present, and many gifts were received.

Mrs. Francis Johnson Entertains Breakfast Club

The Civic Breakfast Club met at the home of Mrs. Frances Johnson 722 25th St. January 20, 1969. The table was laden with good things to eat. Devotion was led by Mrs. Ruth Moore, current events were discussed. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ruth Moore at 905 Lural, February 17th. Mrs. Meleida Deck is president.

guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bradley and, also, their guest to the Holiday Inn for a cocktail party. Lonnie was entertained by friends and several parties were given in his honor.

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French Influence in This Cheese-Onion Pie

The idea for this dish came from the famous French dish, "Quiche Lorraine." Serve it for lunch or with bacon slices for a dinner main dish. Here, a subtle, curry-flavored sharp cheese and custard mixture is baked in a crumb crust.

A layer of tender cooked onion rings is spread over the crust. Then comes the quickly made filling. For this filling, cooked rice, grated sharp cheese, eggs and milk are mixed and poured in the crust.

INGREDIENTS:

1 1/3 cups water
1 teaspoon salt
2/3 cup uncooked white rice
1/4 teaspoon curry powder
1/2 cup melted butter or margarine
1 1/4 cups cracker crumbs
3 tablespoons butter or margarine
2 cups thinly sliced onions (half large slices)
1 cup milk
2 eggs, beaten
1 1/4 cups grated sharp cheese
1 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon curry powder
1/4 teaspoon black pepper

METHOD: Put the water, 1 teaspoon salt and rice in a 2-quart saucepan. Bring to a vigorous boil. Turn the heat down low.

Cover and simmer over this low heat 14 minutes. Remove the saucepan from the heat and leave the lid on until ready to use, at least 10 minutes.

While the rice cooks add 1/4 teaspoon curry powder to the 1/2 cup melted butter. Pour over and through the cracker crumbs. (Crumbs are easily made by rolling crackers between layers of waxed paper or putting through a fine bladed food chopper.) Press the crumbs over the bottom and sides of a greased deep 10" round pie plate holding about 6 cups.

Melt the 3 tablespoons butter or margarine in a saucepan. Add the onions and cook slowly until tender and slightly yellow. Spread over the bottom of the pie plate.

After the rice cooks, stir in the milk, eggs, cheese, 1 teaspoon salt, curry powder and black pepper. Pour over the onions. Bake in a pre-heated 325°F. oven for 45 minutes or until a knife inserted in the center comes out clean. It is important that the oven is at 325°F. and not too hot.

Allow to stand several minutes before cutting into wedges. This recipe makes 8 servings.

as a result of the ISEA racial crisis meeting in October, will meet in Des Moines at ISEA headquarters Saturday. Elmer Gast of Keokuk, immediate past president of the ISEA, will serve as chairman. Other members of the committee include Walter Galvin, Des Moines; Jesse High, Waterloo; W. L. Roy Karlson, Coon Rapids; Dwayne Olsen, Ankeny; and Mrs. Barbara Woodward, Davenport counselor from Iowa City.

About 85 per cent of home loans guaranteed by the Veterans Administration now go to veterans discharged after January 31, 1955.

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CHANGES BY SURE
AND EFFECTIVE METHODS

When the Veterans hospital was occupied in Des Moines, the then manager stated that he did not wish any Negroes in the institution either as patients or employees. He was taking a lot on his shoulders for it was difficult to see how he could carry out his wishes but he did for a while.

Lincoln Post No. 123, American Legion, dispatched a committee to lodge a protest and received the backing of Argonne Post and the Des Moines NAACP in its campaign to change this rule. Succeeding managers beginning with Beck changed this rule and since not only are Negro patients hospitalized freely but many are employed including some responsible jobs.

This change has reached the pinnacle now that a Negro is manager of the hospital.

This is only one of the many instances where Negro organizations, individuals and friends have succeeded in bringing about changes that have helped Des Moines be a better community.

TEST OF OBEDIENCE
TO LAW AND ORDER

During the course of the program of aid to education, some public schools have refused and some drag their feet in putting into operation a program to integrate the schools. The government has withheld funds from some of these schools in an effort to force them to comply.

In spite of the fact that failure to comply with orders is disobedience to law and order and in view of President Nixon's campaign for law and order, it is difficult to see how he can be any different in this instance. It is one thing the southerners complained about under the last administration.

The new head of H.E.W. has agreed to give these rebellious school units additional time to comply with the directive. Of course, this is no more than is being done in other fields. And if, after affording these rebellious schools and boards an opportunity to comply within a reasonable time, they should be cut off.

It is then that the test will come whether the new administration believes in law and order or whether for just some occasions.

IS THIS ANOTHER
GIVE AWAY?

The City of Des Moines has been ducking and dodging the acquisition of Grays Lake for a long time.

This is one of the few natural bodies of water in this area capable of being put to such use as to provide recreational facilities for the people which once lost would be terrible.

Young people complain so often about no place to go, nothing to do for recreation and yet Gray's Lake is a possible answer to many of their complaints.

All kinds of objections are being thrown up now which have existed all along by now they become excuses.

Is this going to be another instance where some foreign outfit is to take over, collect the money from Des Moines citizens and send it to some owner in New York or elsewhere?

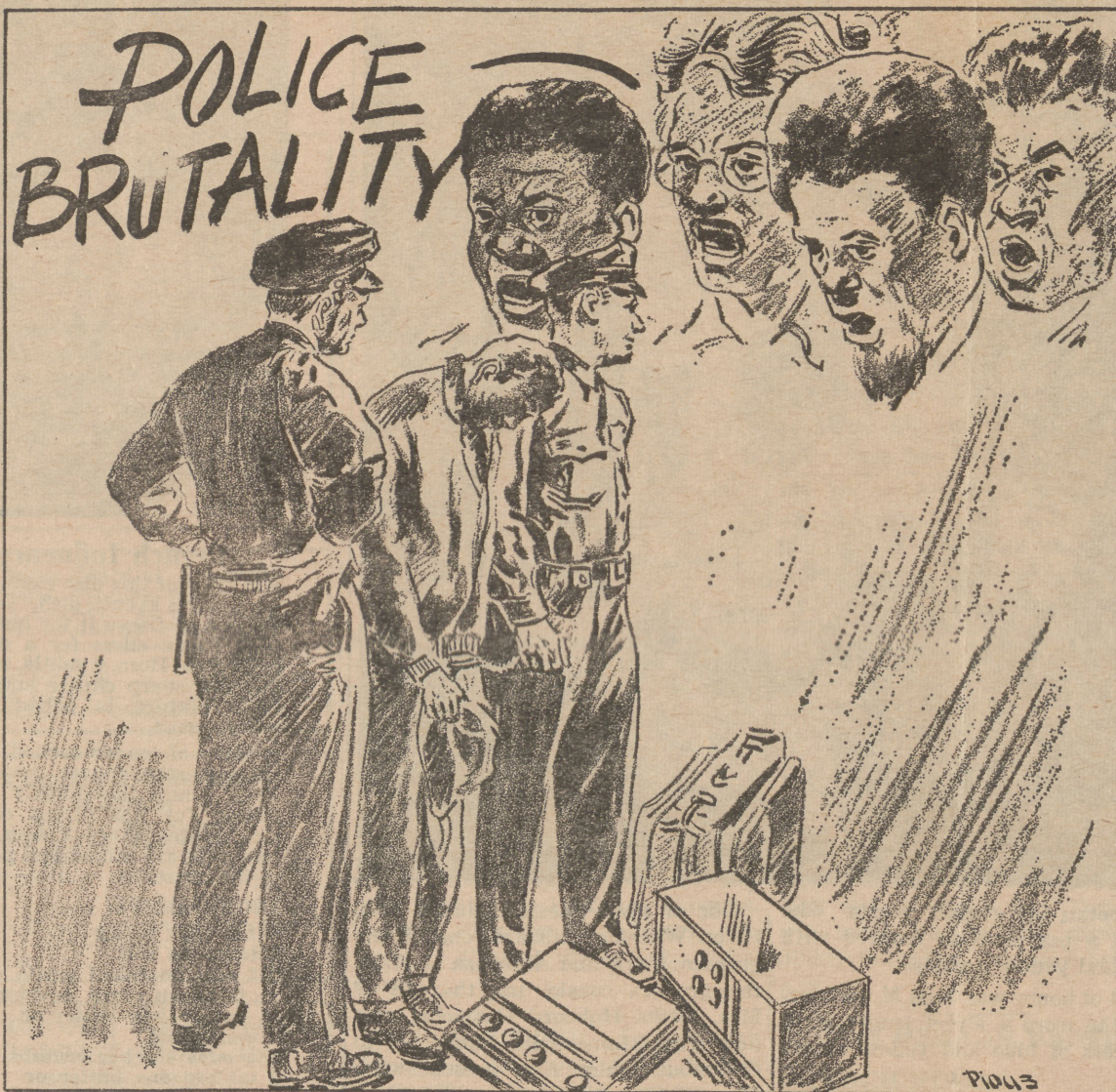
The dialogue bears watching.

Art Classes to
Begin February 4

The 16 week Spring term of studio classes for adults and children at the Des Moines Art Center will begin on Tuesday, February 4.

Highlighting the adult program will be the classes taught by John Gordon, Artist-in-Residence. His classes will meet on three mornings and evenings a week and include beginning or advanced instruction in drawing and painting. David Counts, Ceramic Artist-in-Residence, will teach two day and three evening classes for adults and a special class for teenagers on Saturday mornings in ceramics. Classes for beginning, intermediate or advanced adult students are being offered in drawing and painting, watercolor, sculpture, printmaking, photography weaving and stitchery. Adult courses are arranged so that interested persons may enroll in more than one session a week during the Spring term, for more intensive study.

SAFETY IN THE BLACK COMMUNITY . . . LAW ENFORCEMENT!



SPORTS



With Allen Ashby

Charles P. Howard

A few years ago we wrote of the death of Charles P. Howard. That was a bit premature. This one is for real. According to the news the big fellow passed after a short illness. Whatever shortcomings the guy may have had, he was one of the better athletes in Iowa during his time at Drake.

Lettered in football, baseball and track is as good enough in baseball to cause Drake to refuse to play a game in St. Louis unless Howard was allowed to play. Charley later said that anything that came within a foot of the plate was a strike when he batted. Personal prejudices kept him from becoming the first Negro judge at the Drake Relays. On his athletic record he certainly deserved the honor. The guy was a pioneer for Negroes in golf and tennis meets around here. His theory was to get in there and keep the door open for the good players who were sure to come later. But they didn't get there yet. He used to lecture to your's truly and rave that his stuff was good and we passed it on to kids we taught in later years. Learn the rules of all the games you play. Never show up

for any sort of match without the proper equipment and always be well groomed and clean when you step out on any athletic field. Those things really applied to tennis. Chet Williams and late brother Bill and others never went on a tennis court without looking as if they had just stepped out of an ad for tennis wear. We have to say we didn't pick up much sportsmanship from Howard. His philosophy was win, not really by cheating but by any legal means and we didn't always apply that to tennis although it came in handy in football and basketball.

The big guy had his personal ups and downs but through it all we liked him and it was a tough choice when we had to choose between his Observer and their sheet for our sports column. But we figured that but for Mr. Morris there would have been no column and we would not have been in demand by anybody. So we told Charley that and he said "I hate to admit it, but you are right".

Just think what he would have done in these days of fast wheeling and dealing politics.

Basketball

Iowa State won a double header they claim. They won the basketball game against Nebraska and Jenkins claims he won the fight. Drake apparently lost a double header the game and the fight at Louisville. Those home crowds that come right down to the floor are something basketball for some reason really generates sound emotions and they can literally intimidate an official whether the guy realizes it or not.

Be on hand when Louisville plays here.

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Thirty-Fifth Annual
Marble Tournament

The thirty-fifth Annual Marble Tournament sponsored by the Des Moines Recreation Commission is open to all youth fourteen years of age and under. All matches will be played indoors on the official marble ring. The schedule of practices at centers on the official ring has been sent to elementary and junior high schools. Practice on the official ring at the centers is scheduled from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. week days and 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon on Saturdays, starting February 6.

40 and 1 Men's
League Scores

Grand Lanes, Monday night, Church Bennett, 233; Bob Trumbo, 232; Jim Caldwell, 605. Elmer Tolson, President.

Students Off to
Peru State College

Marvin William Allen Jr., son of Mrs. Betty Frazier and Mr. Marvin William Allen Sr. and stepson of Mr. Edward Frazier, left January 19, for Peru State College in Nebraska. Marvin was a graduate and a great athlete of Des Moines, Tech High School and will now major in Physical Education at Peru State.

POST EXCHANGE

Letters from Our Readers

A bit of prose . . . a line or two of poetry . . . a letter now and then to express thoughts in the minds of our many readers.

Send Yours Today

Captain Taylor Gets
New Assignment

Lon Binh, Vietnam (AHTNC) — Army Captain Grady E. Taylor, son of Mrs. Rena Johnson, 1219 11th St., Des Moines, Iowa, was assigned, Dec. 13, to Headquarters, 1st Signal Brigade near Long Binh, Vietnam.

His wife, Shirlene, lives at 133-D Wickham St., Schofield Barracks, Hawaii.

Winter Cover —
Pheasants Greatest
Need

Des Moines, Iowa — After every severe winter storm, many people clamor for an extensive feeding program to "save the pheasants."

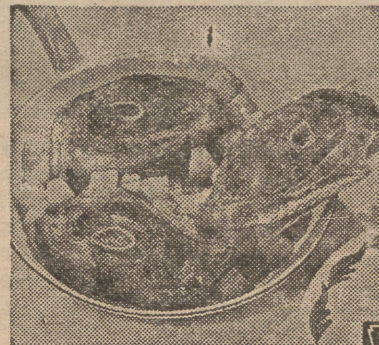
gram to "save the pheasants."

"Actually, winter feeding is of little value," points out Robert Barratt, superintendent of the Conservation Commission's Game Section. "Pheasants die of exposure, not starvation, just like humans in similar situations. A single blizzard may kill more pheasants in 24 hours than will be lost through actual starvation in ten years."

What birds need to survive during a severe cold spell or blizzard is protection from the elements, emphasized Barratt. Ringnecks have gone 19 days without any food at all, lost 40 percent of their body weight and still recuperated when returned to normal rations. However, extended exposure to severe weather can kill them. Blizzards kill both fat birds as well as starved ones and the healthy as well as the weak.

Suffocation

Many pheasants are lost when their heads and nostrils are covered with ice, causing suffocation. Others die when trapped beneath snow drifts and freeze. Obviously, no amount of food could save these birds. But good cover areas could very well make the difference. Food is not the problem in Iowa. But protective cover is! Food is plentiful, but good cover is not.

LAMB STARS
IN SKILLET MEAL

Like to relax a bit before dinner? Take the long-time partners—lamb chops and pineapple; add a covered skillet — old favorite heavy iron, colorful new porcelain-coated cast aluminum, or versatile automatic electric skillet; and there you have it—thirty precious minutes of freedom from the kitchen at a time you are usually chained to the range.

This easy-to-do skillet meal makes use of low-cost, meaty, full-of-flavor shoulder lamb chops. Tender enough to be oven-broiled or pan-fried, accommodating as oven and casserole meals, these shoulder chops are a good buy any time of the year.

LAMB SKILLET MEAL

Using 1 lamb shoulder chop for each serving, melt small amount of butter in heavy skillet and brown chops over moderate heat, turning once. Sprinkle with salt, pepper, a dash of powdered thyme, minced parsley. Add half slices or cut pieces of canned pineapple, and, if desired, raw carrots cut in finger-sized strips. Pour in ¼ cup of the pineapple syrup, more if liquid cooks low. Cover tightly and cook very slowly until fork-tender, about 35 minutes for ¾-inch thick lamb chops. Serve hot with steamed rice and a tossed green salad.

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