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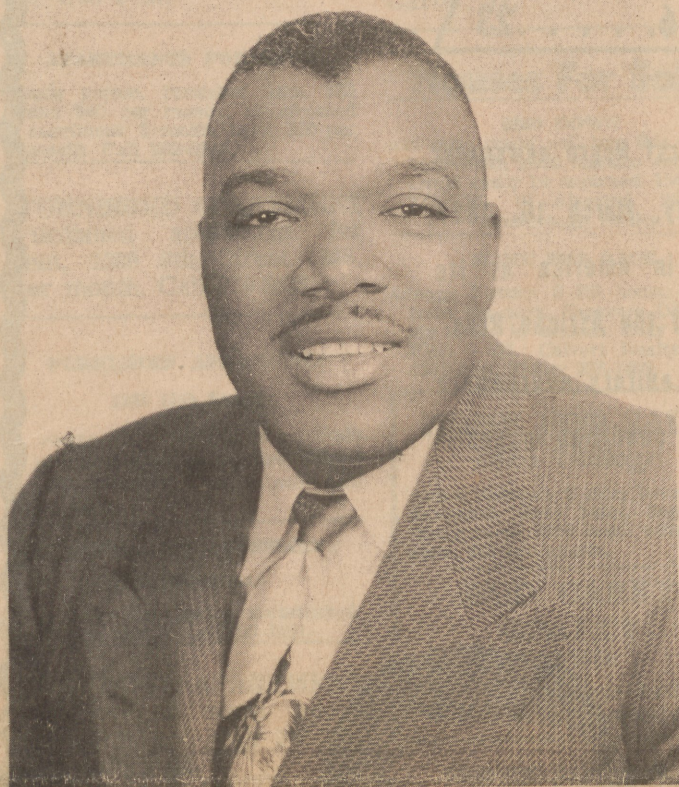
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Negro Press Observe 142nd Year

Russell Bell Is Dead At 59

Was Assistant
Chief At Pharmacy
at Broadlawns Hospital



William Bell

Russell Bell, 59, 1300 Jefferson Avenue, long time druggist and later pharmacist at Broadlawns Hospital, died Sunday, March 16, of an apparent heart attack in Minneapolis, Minn. while visiting friends. He had gone to Minneapolis Saturday morning as had been his practice for several years. Apparently in good health. Mr. Bell was stricken as he sat at the breakfast table.

Born in Mississippi
Born in Water Valley, Mississippi, Mr. Bell came to Waterloo at an early age. He attended Iowa State Teachers College and studied pharmacy at Drake University.
Mr. Bell came to Des Moines after World War II and soon after formed a partnership with Frank Holbert in the operation of a drug store at 1200 Center Street. The store was closed last year when the City Urban Renewal

Administration took over the building.

He opened the Bell's Prescription Shop at 815 E. 14th St. and at the same time served as assistant chief of pharmacy at Broadlawns Polk County Hospital.

World War II Vet
He was a World War II veteran, a member of Doric Lodge, F & A-M Lincoln Post, the American Legion, The Roosevelt Club Inc., and Corinthian Baptist Church. Survivors include a brother, Harry T. Bell, Jr. of Des Moines, and a sister, Mrs. Betty Allen of Waterloo. The family suggests memorials go to the Russell Bell Memorial Scholarship Fund at Drake University.

Services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. at Antioch Baptist Church in Waterloo, with burial at Waterloo.

"Violences Is No Answer" — Wilkins

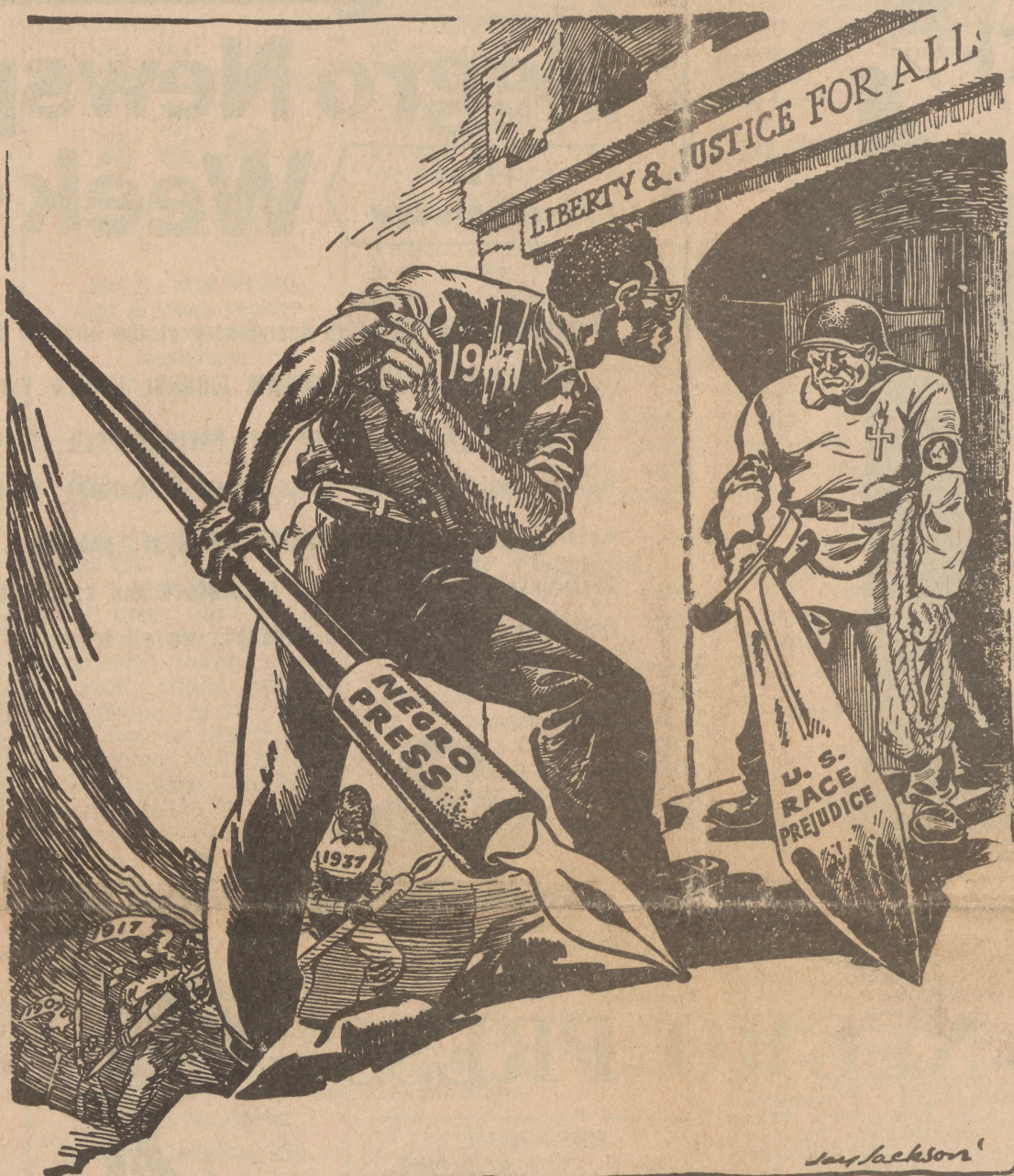
ATLANTA. — "Violence as a weapon, as a technique as a major instrument of social change," does not lead to success, Roy Wilkins, executive director of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, told the 250 delegates attending a national conference on the Church and Violence here.

Addressing a session of the four-day conference, March 11, the NAACP leader noted that "our political office-holders and, lately, our educators have been vying with one another in giving in to naked violence and acts of not only aggression, but of destruction. Even our churchmen, caught up in their religious tenets, have rationalized the bowing to a stick-up type of demand. The popular excuse with all of these has been the umbrella contention of deprivation.

Small Minority
This capitulation, Mr. Wilkins added, "has been all the more remarkable when it is remembered that every important poll of

public opinion—Fortune, CBS Harris, Gallup, Newsweek—has shown the black extremists to be but a tiny minority of the total Negro population. The polls reveal, also, that a goodly percentage of young people under 30 believe progress is being made and want to go on to better schools, better jobs and better neighborhoods."

Long Struggle
He recalled the Negro's long struggle for equality and advancement in this country, citing particularly the NAACP role. "Whenever has been accomplished," he pointed out, "has been through non-violence. This track did not require the meek turning of the other cheek. It required an inner conviction of the righteousness of the cause, a sense of the dignity of the human person, a fierce determination to hold the nation to its tenet of individual freedom, and a dedication to the use of any weapon of persuasion and competition in the democratic arsenal that was suited to the task at hand."



Starvation in Florida Product of Conspiracy States NAACP Head

IMMOKALEE, Fla. — Testifying before a U.S. Senate Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs, Marvin Davies, NAACP Florida field director, stated unequivocally: "I have reached the conclusion...that the 100,000 seasonal agricultural workers in the State of Florida are victims of the most extreme abuse and exploitation to be found anywhere in the United States."

"In fact, it is my opinion that farm labor conditions in this state constitute a serious national disgrace, if not a deliberate conspiracy involving the U.S. Congress, U.S. Government agencies, state, county and local business and public officials."

Speaking from direct experience when he was a teacher in the public school system, Mr. Davies said, "There were white lips on black children, a sure sign of hunger. I witnessed 'pot bellies' which made constant sounds of distress."

Glanton — Wright

Municipal Judge Luther T. Glanton, Jr. has reprimanded Atty. Robert A. Wright for failure to protect the interest of his client and barred further court appointment of him to defend in criminal cases. He has recommended that district judges do likewise.

Glanton took the action after Clovis Alburn Cooper, who was to be represented by Wright at a preliminary hearing at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, told the judge he had paid Wright \$90 to represent him but had never talked to him concerning his case. "This kind of action puts a black mark on the whole legal profession," Glanton told Wright.

Appearing before the committee here, March 10, Mr. Davies called upon the government to contribute as

much to correct the living and economic conditions of seasonal and migratory farm laborers as it contributes to its space programs, and its war of liberation."

It is generally known that for years, county officials in Collier County, Florida, have thwarted all attempts to bring in federally aided food programs, such as surplus commodities and food stamps for the poor.

In his conclusion, Mr. Davies urged that such programs be instituted immediately as a top priority need.

Northern Universities Need Help in Negro Culture Field

THE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA NEWS RELEASE
Iowa City—Large northern universities are now seeking help from the small southern colleges they began to help a few years ago, Dean Philip G. Hubbard of The University of Iowa said in a WSUI radio broadcast Monday (March 17).

Dean Hubbard, speaking on "Black America's Relationship to Higher Education," said northern schools now vigorously seek Afro-American faculty members and consultants for new courses in Black culture. To meet their need, they are turning to some of the nation's 103 predominantly black higher education institutions, many of which accepted help from them toward bringing faculty members, libraries and teaching techniques up to standard

Support for Suit Against Sen. McClelland

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Support is growing for Alan and Margaret McSurely in their defiance of an investigation by Sen. John McClelland, Arkansas Democrat. Protests against the senator's actions have continued to pile up since the McSurelys refused to surrender their books and records at a hearing on March 4.

More and more senators have received letters and phone calls about the treatment of the McSurelys, who are field workers for the Southern Conference Educational Fund (SCEF).

This is an interracial organization based in Louisville, Ky., which seeks to end racism and poverty in the South.

Hospital

under the U.S. Higher Education Act of 1965.
Hubbard, who is dean of academic affairs at the U of I, recently heard a proposal from the Center for the Study of The Culture and History of Black people at Jackson State College in Mississippi that a 1969 Higher Education Act should be passed to aid northern institutions trying to bring their programs up to new standards.
Mercy Hospital; Tom O'Neil.
Veterans Hospital; Lewis Metcalf and Fred Bell.
Northwest Hospital; Rev. Guy Sanders, Room 203.
Des Moines General; Mrs. Earline M. Mosby, Room 214.

NEWS In A Nutshell

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. — Formation of a Negro owned Black and Brown Trading Stamp Corp. was announced Monday. It will feature a picture of singer James Brown on each stamp.

Art Powell, former professional football end, is president. He said the firm will begin stamp distribution Apr. 1 and has signed about 40 merchants, both Negro and white, in the San Francisco area.

WASHINGTON — President Nixon, taking a step toward the "black capitalism" he spoke of in his campaign, has created an office in the Commerce Department to expand and promote business ownership among minority groups.

About 40 representatives of the Black, Puerto Rican, Mexican and Indian minorities attended the ceremony at the White House.

FRANKFORT, Ky. — The Kentucky Un-American Activities Committee (KUAC) is about to go out of business. Gov. Louie B. Nunn has cut off its funds and the staff is looking for other jobs.

WASHINGTON, D.C. — The Rev. Fred L. Shuttles-

Early Beginners Had Little Experience; Now Some

By CHAS H. LOEB

During the week beginning March 16, 1969, Negro editors and publishers throughout the nation will mark the 142nd anniversary of the founding of the first Negro newspaper, "Freedom's Journal" on March 16, 1827. It was on that day that John B. Russwurm, a student at Bowdoin College, and the Rev.

worn, president of the Southern Conference Educational Fund (SCEF), now holds some sort of record in the U.S. Supreme Court.

He recently won his sixth appeal from criminal convictions growing out of his civil-rights activity. He has lost one such case, for which he served 5 days in jail.

SAN FRANCISCO. — Through West Coast Regional Director Leonard H. Carter, the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has expressed sympathy to Richard Watts of Anchorage, Alaska, in the recent passing of his wife who for six years was secretary of the Anchorage NAACP Branch.

In a telegram, dispatched March 13, Mr. Carter lauded Mrs. Watts as "one of our most ardent workers and supporters. Because of her efforts life is a little bit better for all of us," he said.

Are Outstanding

Samuel Cornish met in the home of Bostin Crummell to launch their two-man enterprise.

In setting forth, in their first editorial, the objectives which prompted the publication, the editors said:

"In presenting our first number of our patrons, we feel all the diffidence of persons entering upon a new and untried line of business. But a moment's reflection upon the noble objects which we have in view by the publication of this Journal; the expediency of its appearance at this time, when so many schemes are in action concerning our people—encourage us to come boldly before an enlightened public. For we believe that a paper devoted to the dissemination of useful knowledge among our brethren, and to their moral and religious improvement, must meet the cordial approbation of every friend of Humanity."

"We wish to plead our own cause. Too long have others spoken for us. Too long has the public been deceived by misrepresentation in things which concern us dearly, though in the estimation of some mere trifles; for though there are many in society who exercise towards us benevolent feelings, still (with sorrow we confess it) there are others who make it their business to enlarge upon the least trifle which tends to the discredit of any person of color..."

"In the spirit of candor and humility, we intend by a simple Continued on Page 2

U.S. Navy Offers Careers and Jobs



Captain Parham speaking to Des Moines audience.

Speaking at a luncheon at the Fort Des Moines Hotel Monday, Captain Thomas Parham of the U.S. Navy, now stationed in Omaha, told his audience that the navy was trying hard to erase the concept that Negroes had no chance for promotion.
Parham, assistant to the chief of naval personnel for human relations, heads a special effort to attract minority group members to the Navy, and he pointed to some successes in overcoming Negro suspicion of the Navy.

"Clampdown"
Parham said Negroes made up about 50 per cent of the Navy during the Civil War. However, a "clampdown" came between World War I and about 1943, a time during which about the most a black sailor could expect

Opportunity

was to become a steward serving food.
Now, he said, "the major obstacle is an attitude in the minority community that the Navy is a chicken outfit—that once you've signed the papers it will be a different story and you really won't get a break."

Parham said his best weapon in combatting this attitude is "to show up in the minority community wearing four stripes (Captain's insignia)."

He said there are three other Negro captains in the Navy.
The Navy recently took a popularity poll among Negroes and found itself at the bottom of the preference list among services, he said. Only 5 per cent of Navy enlisted men and only 4 of one per cent of the officers are black.

Parham said 50 other officers are now involved in speaking tours, trying to improve the service's image as part of a five-year program to attract minorities to the Navy.

He said the Urban League also has a program of finding jobs for Negro Navy veterans.

Parham emphasized that there is a great opportunity now for Negroes in the Navy, both as enlisted men and as officers.

A former Presbyterian minister, he first served in the Navy as a chaplain in World War II. He received a bachelor's degree from North Carolina College at Durham and theology degrees from Western Seminary at Pittsburgh, Pa.
The luncheon was sponsored by the Navy Recruiting Unit in Des Moines.

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representation of acts to lay our case before the public, with a view to arrest the progress of prejudice, and to shield ourselves against the consequent evils."

Like many of the Negro journals to follow, "Freedom's Journal" was largely a one-, and endeavor with extremely limited circulation, and seldom, if ever, profitable.

It served a purpose in an age when the black man's quest for freedom upon the spoken word; the flaming rhetoric of black orators, of which the great Frederick Douglass was the

most superb. Negro historians have broken down the field of Negro oratory into three periods. The first from 1819 to 1832; the second from 1833; and the third from 1863 to the present. Douglass, whose activities on the platform occurred in the second - and most glorious period - is regarded as the finest of a group that included Charles Lennox Remond, Samuel Ringold Ward, J.W.C. Pennington, Henry Highland Garnet, William Wells Brown, Sojourner Truth, Lunsford Lane and others.

The smoother platform presentations and better diction had been preceded by an illiterate but powerfully eloquent group of black preachers who

crusaded for freedom from the pulpit. A few of the outstanding ones included Uncle Jack, Lemuel Haynes, Andrew Bryan, Henry Evans, Black Harry, John Stewart, Loti Carey, Absolem Jones, and Richard Allen, founder of the African Methodist Episcopal Church. With no established Negro Press, few of their speeches were ever recorded, and the South's reaction following the Nat Turner insurrections, so rigidly curbed religious organizations and preaching that none of these first-period orators had Douglass' chance to reach a national audience.

Douglass, better than his contemporaries, had a keen sense of awareness of the physical

limitations of a one-man crusade. He was one of the earliest of great American Negroes to appreciate the power of the press, and it was this instrument, which spread his philosophy throughout the nation and the world, and which brought him into possession of political influence.

Douglass entered the newspaper field on his return from England, determined to dedicate his life to the anti-slavery movement. He settled in Rochester, N.Y., and edited the "North Star" in which he wrote for the enduring record, powerful editorials against slavery.

Combining his newspaper propaganda with his matchless arguments from public plat-

forms during the Civil War, Douglass worked for the broadening of the aims of the struggle against slavery, defended the Union, and urged the enlistment of Negro soldiers in the

Northern armies. As the leading figure among the Negro people, he was called into conference by President Lincoln several times. Finally the president agreed to enlist Negro troops, and Douglass issued his famous clarion call to the Negro people to take up arms. They responded in great numbers and Douglass' two sons were among the first to enlist in what was later to become the famous 54th and 55th Massachusetts Regiments. While today most Negro news-

papers are profit making ventures, most of them printed in modern plants and employing thousands of trained journalists and technicians, the motivation of the press and its crusading spirit is still molded in the pattern of Russwurm and Douglass.

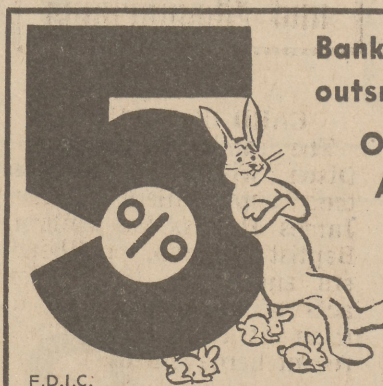
Negro newspapers are read regularly by nearly four million Negroes each week, most

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Bishop H. Thomas Primm, Bishop of the fourth Episcopal District of AME Church was guest of Payne AME on March 11, Rev. Basil A. Foley, host pastor. Bishop Primm was greeted at airport by the Ambassadors of the Waterloo Chamber of Commerce and presented the key to the city. While here a tour was made of John Deere Tractor Works after which the tour group was taken to dinner by representatives of the company. Activities of the day were concluded with a reception at Payne AME at which time he was introduced by Dr. C. Wesley Ellison, presiding Elder of the district, who resides in Minneapolis.

Women of the Missionary Society of Payne AME Church presented Miss Mary Berdell, social worker in Waterloo school system, as guest speaker at the annual tea. Many Church women of various denominations of the city attended. Interesting and informative question and answer period followed the talk. Special piano music was rendered by Mrs. Percy Burt. Tea table hostesses were Mmes. Adelaide Tanner and Zelma Franklin. Registrars were Mmes. Sarah Thompson

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NEWS AROUND IOWA

and Louise Carnie. Mrs. Lottie Berry is president of the Society.

It is always gratifying to get letters from our readers. They are the ones we have in mind as we search for something of interest. Harry Bell, Jr. of Des Moines writes that he looks forward to our column. Mr. LeRoy Bird often writes from Denver, Colo. that he is keeping up with us here.

Mrs. Mary Henderson, 715 Cottage, who broke a hip in a fall on the ice, is now at home and has been for a few weeks. She progresses and is using crutches, though she cannot go up and down the stairs.

Mr. Jess Harris, 1000 Beech rests comfortably at home after a long stay in the hospital.

Word has been received of the sudden passing of Russell Bell, Des Moines pharmacist, formerly of Waterloo. We have no details here.

Council Bluffs

BY INEZ WARE
2427 5th Avenue
Phone AD 2-3274

Jennie Edmundson and Mercy Hospital held joint graduation exercises, Friday, March 14th, 2:00 P.M. at the Jennie Edmundson Hospital for a class of Nurses Aides Graduates who have completed the training course. After graduation a social hour was enjoyed by the students, their relatives and friends. Mrs. Stella Turner was one of the graduates and will be employed at the Jennie Edmundson Hospital. At

ORIGINAL NOTICE
EQUITY NO. 73590

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF IOWA IN AND FOR POLK COUNTY HOME FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF DES MOINES, Plaintiff,

vs. JOSEPH E. FITE AND PHYLLIS A. FITE, EMPLOYMENT SECURITY COMMISSION, STATE TAX COMMISSION OF STATE OF IOWA, THE MORRIS PLAN CO. OF DES MOINES, EUGENE R. SEEVERS, d-b-a MACMILLAN OIL CO., HERBERT W. BUTZBACH, TASTE RITE MEAT CO., ORVILLE J. MEACHAM, PEGLER & CO., JOHN LAUGHMAN, KARP, DIEHL, CLAYTON AND CLEVERLY, OMAHA PUBLIC POWER DISTRICT, INTERSTATE BAKERIES, INC., HAROLD W. HIGGS, d-b-a HAL HIGGS INSURANCE AGENCY, ROBERT L. GILMORE, POLK COUNTY, IOWA, RICHARD W. BERGLUND, Defendants.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS: YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a petition of the above named plaintiff is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa in and for Polk County, claiming judgment against the defendants, Joseph E. Fite and Phyllis A. Fite, in the sum of \$10,852.57 with interest at 6 1/2 percent per annum from January 31, 1969, on the promissory note of the above named defendants, executed and delivered to the plaintiff, who is the sole and absolute owner thereof, and said note together with the mortgage given to secure the same is due and payable by reason of the failure of the defendants, Joseph E. Fite and Phyllis A. Fite, to pay the installments of principal and interest, when due, and asking for the foreclosure of said mortgage of even date with said note of November 2, 1962, on the following described real estate, to-wit:

The East 297 feet of South 88 feet of North 217 feet of West 1/4 of Southwest 1/4 of Northeast 1/4 of Southeast 1/4 of Section 19, Township 78 North, Range 24 West of the 5th P.M., now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Iowa;

and also asking that said mortgage be declared a prior and superior lien to that of each of the above named defendants, for appointment of a receiver, for the amount paid by plaintiff for attorney's fees, abstract expense, costs and accruing costs of this action, and for such other and further relief as may be just and equitable.

Personal judgment is asked against the defendants, Joseph E. Fite and Phyllis A. Fite.

FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS SEE SAID PETITION NOW ON FILE: You are further notified that unless you appear at the District Court in the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on or before April 18, 1969, default will be entered against you, and judgment and decree rendered as prayed in said petition.

HOWE AND HOWE
205 Home Federal Bldg.
Des Moines, Iowa
ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF.
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tending the affair as guests of Mrs. Turner were: Mmes. Emma Turner, Marybelle Teague and Inez Ware.

Dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Haynes were Mrs. Josephine Carbin, her daughter and great daughter Dana Mixon and Bessie Ruth Colwell.

Atty. and Mrs. Alvin Hayes, Sioux City, Iowa visited Mrs. Sylvia Brown Sunday.

Mrs. Lillian Haynes is leaving by plane Friday for Indianapolis, Indiana to visit her parents and attend the wedding of a friend. She will be away one week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Ellis and family of St. Louis, Mo. are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Banks, Sr. Mrs. Ellis is the former Joyce Banks.

Shut-ins: Mmes. Carrie Breshers, Mary Ellen Ross, St. Joseph Hospital, Omaha, Nebraska, Council Bluffs; Edgar Minor, Emanuel Minor, Eliza Baker, Gilmore Rest Home; Clara Jones, at home.

CHURCH NEWS

Bethel A.M.E. Church, Omaha, Neb., its pastor Rev. Fowler, choir and members were the guests of the Bethel A.M.E. Church of the city, Sunday afternoon. Host pastor, Rev. Sterling Taylor.

The Western District Convention will convene March 19 at the Zt. Wheel Baptist Church, Omaha, Neb. Host pastor Rev. J. H. Webb.

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE OF REAL ESTATE CONTRACT

TO: Ralph E. Hays and Sally Jo Hays, husband and wife (Vendee and party in legal possession) 2740 Cottage Grove, Des Moines, Iowa.

You and each of you are hereby notified: (1) That the written contract dated July 31, 1963, and executed by Daniel J. Roth and Donna C. Roth as Vendors and Ralph E. Hays and Sally Jo Hays, husband and wife as Vendees for the sale of the following described real estate: East 50 feet of Lot 3 in Subdivision of Lots 263, 264 and 265 of UNIVERSITY

SIoux CITY

Mrs. Albert Smith
217 W. 14th Street

Mrs. Etta Grider, past president of Sioux City Chapter NAACP presented certificates to Mrs. Wayne Farley and Mrs. Grady Blufford for their roles in promoting the study of Afro-American history in the public schools in Sioux City.

A call for Christian Maturity was voiced by the Rt. Rev. H. Thomas Primm of Denver, Wednesday night at the 82nd Anniversary Banquet of Malone A.M.E. Church at Sanford Center.

The Rt. Rev. Mr. Primm is presiding bishop of the Fourth Episcopal District of A.M.E. Church, serving 85,000 members from 283 parishes in the seven midwest states of Iowa, Minnesota, South Dakota, Wisconsin, Michigan, Illinois and Indiana.

The church parsonage at 512 Cook Street was dedicated by Bishop Primm prior to the evening banquet and service. Pastor Johnson voiced a prayer for peace to the house. He also expressed appreciation for both Mrs. Johnson and himself to the church members whose confidence in the ministry and faith in God made the acquisition of the parsonage for its ministry possible.

Mrs. James McLamb has returned from Fulton, Mo. where she visited her mother and sister.

LAND COMPANY'S FIRST ADDITION, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, has not been complied with in respect to the terms and conditions of said contract in the following specific particulars:

(a) Payments due January 1, 1967, and monthly thereafter through February 1, 1969, \$3,380.00. Total \$3,380.00. (2) That said contract will stand forfeited and cancelled as by its terms and provisions it may be, unless the parties in default within 30 days after the completed service of this notice, shall perform the said terms and conditions in default, and in addition pay

Mrs. Ella Murphy lost her son, George in San Diego, Calif. last week. She brought the body to Sioux City for burial. Rev. James E. McLamb officiated.

Bonne Bouche Club Meets

The Bonne Bouche Club met on Sunday, March 16, with Mrs. Marie Kiser, 1106 School Street. Out of town guests were Mrs. Willie B. Buice and Mrs. Gwendolyn Davis and son, Herbert Davis, Jr. of Chicago, Illinois. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harbon Merritt, Mrs. Gladys Reeves, Ruth Moore, Dora Mackay, Mary Hardaway, Elroy Cox.

the reasonable costs of serving this notice.

Daniel J. Roth
Donna C. Roth
Vendors

CHAPTER 656
CODE OF IOWA
By A. Roger Witke
Attorney

1400 Central National Bank
Des Moines, Iowa 50309
Printed and published in the Iowa Bystander March 6, 13, and 20, 1969.

NOTICE OF PROBATE OF ADMINISTRATOR AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the District Court of the State of Iowa
In and for Polk County
Probate No. 60212

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
Russell Bell, Deceased.
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ABOVE ENTITLED ESTATE:

You are hereby notified that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the above entitled estate; that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and creditors having claims against said estate shall file them with the clerk of the above named district court, as provided by law, duly authenticated, for allowance, and unless so filed within six months from the second publication of this notice (unless otherwise allowed or paid) such claim shall thereafter be forever barred.

Dated this 17th day of March, 1969
HARRY T. BELL, JR.
820 18th Street
Des Moines, Iowa
BETTY M. ALLEN
636 Mobile Street
Waterloo, Iowa
Administrators of said Estate

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Where to Attend Church in Des Moines

PHILADELPHIA SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST
1150 13th Street
ELDER D. J. DIXON, Minister
Sabbath School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 8:00 P.M.
Devotional 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.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

St. Paul A.M.E. Church
13th and Crocker Street
Rev. Henderson Davis
Church Service 9:30 A.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Vespers Service 8:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.
Prayer Service, Wed. 7:30 P.M.
Youth Fellowship 8:30 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 7:30 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
807 13th Street
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:30 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 8:30 P.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service, Wed. 8:00 P.M.

Forest Ave. Church of God in Christ
1191 Forest Avenue
Rev. A. S. CARTER, Pastor
Sunday School 9:15 A.M.
Sunday morning worship 11:00 A.M.
P.P.W. (Sunday) 7:00 P.M.
Sunday evening worship 8:00 P.M.
Tuesday evening Bible Band 8:00 P.M.
Thursday evening service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer service (daily) 9:30 A.M.

Bethel A.M.E. Church
1228 East University Ave.
Rev. L. B. JOHNSON, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Wed.-Mid-Week Service 11:30 P.M.

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

First C.M.E. Church
28th and Maury Streets
Rev. H. P. PETTIES, Minister
Pastor's Phone 228-4981
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Business Meetings - Wednesdays

CHURCH OF GOD
1 Cor. 1:2 (7th Day) Acts 30:25
1133 ENOS AVE.
Services 2 p.m. "Sabbath" (Saturday)
Elder Henry A. Lee, Pastor, 244-4091
Mr. Roy L. Brown, Deacon, 282-3274

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

Maple Street Baptist Church
E. 10th and Maple Street
Rev. E. J. FARRIS, Minister, 6-8810
Sunday morning worship 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School 10:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class 8:45 P.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service Wed. 8 P.M.

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

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 choir, 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 Tuesday at 5 o'clock.

Evangelistic Missionary Church
1540 E. 13th Street
ELDER EUGENE A. FOUNTAIN, Pastor
Sunday School 11:30 A.M. and 8 P.M.
P.P.W. 10:45 A.M.
Sunday Evening Worship 7 P.M.
Tuesday Prayer and Bible Study 8 P.M.
Wednesday .Consecration and Healing 8 P.M.

MACEDONIA MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
2585 Center Street
Rev. AVANCE HARDEN
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 10:45 A.M.
P.P.W. 6:00 P.M.
Mrs. Gladys Trombone, Directress
Evening Service 8:00 P.M.
Prayer Services - Wed. 7:00 P.M.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH
1213 Scott Street, Rl. 4-9533
Rev. WILLIAM HEATH, Pastor
BISHOP E. A. TINDRELL, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
P.P.W. 6:00 P.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Wednesday Night Prayer Service 7:00 P.M.

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BISHOP E. A. TINDRELL, Pastor
ORDER OF SERVICES
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
P.P.W. (Sunday) 7:00 P.M.
Evening Service 8:00 P.M.
Weekly Evening Services (Tuesday and Friday) 7:30 P.M.

Calvary Apostolic Church of God
2261 Onawa, Des Moines, Iowa
Minister, G. REID
Sunday School 10:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 8:00 P.M.
Weekly Services 8:00 P.M.
Wednesday & Friday 8:00 P.M.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Worshipping at Union last Sunday were Mrs. Susan Vaughn of Mason City, Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Payne and son of Albany, California, grandson and great-grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hackney.

Saturday at 4:00 P.M. a carnival will be held in the lower auditorium sponsored by Mrs. Delona Hackney. Sunday at 3:30 P.M. the Mothers Board will have a program. At 7:00 P.M. Sunday the Old Ship of Zion will be sponsored by the building fund.

Rev. Thomas' sermon subject for Sunday morning will be "Christ, the Repairer of Wrecked Souls". Sunday, April 6, the Deacons will be serving Easter breakfast in the lower auditorium. James Stuberfield, chairman.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The pastor brought the message, March 23 at 7:30 P.M. the senior choir will have their regular request program. Robert Dixon, Sr., president; Alvin Hubbard, pianist.

Rev. James M. Harris, pastor; Mrs. Irene Swink, church clerk.

FOREST AVENUE GOSPEL TEMPLE NEWS

Visiting minister last Sunday was Rev. Parker Williams. A bible band is held each Tuesday at 7:00 P.M. Thursday night regular worship service is held. The Pastor's Aid Society of Forest Avenue Gospel Temple sponsored a heaven and hell social Monday night.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

"Washing with Wrong Kind of Soap" is the sermon topic to be delivered by Rev. F. W. Strickland for this sacrificial service on Sunday, March 23, at 11:00 A.M.

On Friday, March 21, 8:00 P.M. Pastor Strickland would like to meet all male members at the church. So, come out men, we think you will be interested in what the pastor has in store for you.

Saturday, March 22, the Altar Guild is sponsoring a porch rummage at 1421 Goddard Court. Children's clothes will be featured. Regular Sunday evening services at 7:00 P.M. Pastor Strickland will preach.

COMMUNITY CHURCH NEWS

The mission meeting will be Friday, March 21, at the home of Rev. Reid, 2561 Onawa.

MORNINGSTAR BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Bishop Tindrell and his congregation will be at Morningstar Sunday, March 23, at 4:00 P.M.

A musical and talent program will be given by Yvonne Crawford, Sunday at 8:00 P.M.

An Easter musical program will be held at the Morningstar Baptist Church Sunday, April 6, 4:00 P.M. given by the Truelight Singers and sponsored by Elijah Jones, Rev. Alex Crawford, pastor.

FOREST AVENUE MISSION NEWS

Forest Avenue Gospel Temple Mission is open from 1:00 to 6:00 P.M. Hot meals are served from 3:00 to 6:00 P.M. complete with beverage and dessert. Children are served free if accompanied by their parents.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The missionary society will sell dinners, March 22, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lockridge, 2517 Woodland.

Mrs. Ozelle Williams is presenting a fashion show sponsored by the Young Matrons, March 23, 1969, at the Macedonia Baptist Church Sunday, March 23, at 7:00 P.M. The Evangelistic Board is presenting a program. Rev. Harden's message subject, "Fair Ladies of Samaria".

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Parrish's sermon title for Sunday, March 23, will be "Yesterday, Today, Tomorrow".

A surprise appreciation service will be held Sunday March 23, at 4:00 P.M., given by Usher Board No. 2. On Mothers Day, May 11, Usher Board No. 2 will present Memorial Candle-light and prayer service at 7:00 at Maple st., in honor of your loved ones whom have passed. Come and light a candle in their name in remembrance of them.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH NEWS

E.E. Cleveland, one of the nation's outstanding preachers, will speak again Sunday, March 23, over Radio station KDMI-FM from 12:12:30. Pastor Cleveland speaks on the Trinity "Are there Three Gods or One?"

If you want to know the truth on this subject, listen. Hear truth that is all truth. And music that is God inspired. Hear God's message for black and white Americans.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The Mount Olive Baptist Senior Choir will present a Sermon in Song, Sunday March 23rd at 6:00. Mrs. Evelyn Green will be the narrator and other talent will appear. Program Chr. Mrs. Roberta Pack, Pres. of Senior Choir, Mrs. Myrtle Thomas Saturday March 29 the Junior Choir will have a Bake Sale at the Hinky Dinky Market 19th and Carpenter.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Henderson S. Davis will leave Tuesday, March 25, for the remainder of the week to attend a convocation in Davenport, Iowa.

EAST SIDE MISSION SOCIETY NEWS

The East Side Union Mission Society will hold its Sunday services March 23 at 2:30 o'clock at the First CME Church in Chesterfield. Rev. Wayland Heath, pastor of the Pilgrim Baptist Church, will be speaker and the Pilgrim choir will furnish the music. Mrs. Marguerite Bailey is president of the East Side Union Mission Society and Rev. H. P. Petties is pastor of the First ME church.

BURNS METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

The Women's Society of Christian Service of Burns United Methodist Church is sponsoring a choral concert by the Boggs Academy Chorus of Keyville, Georgia, on March 23, 1969 at 7:30 P.M. at Burns United Methodist Church.

Laymen's Sunday at St. Paul

The public is invited to attend the observance of Laymen's Sunday, March 23 at St. Paul A.M.E. church. Laymen will have charge of the services for the day. At 10:45 A.M. the speaker will be Mrs. Catherine Williams, a steward of St. Paul and Staff Development Specialist in the State Department Social Services. Other participants in the service will be Arthur Propes, pastors steward, Mrs. Jeanne Morris, superintendent of St. Paul Sunday school, Jessie Jones, Chaplain of the Laymen's Organization, Louvenia Henderson, Dorothy Campbell a solo by Mrs. Musette Perkins, Mrs. H.D. Johnson, Stewardess.

A check from the Laymen's Organization will be presented by the president Mrs. Helen D. Wimberly to Lester Benning treasurer of the Fund Committee representing receipts from the Founders Day banquet of February 28th. The climax of the day will be a Twilight Recital from 5 to 6 P.M. given by the Richard Allen chorus whose talents and joyous music have gladdened the hearts of their listeners for many years.

All financial activities sponsored by the Laymen's Organization this year will be for the benefit of the Building Fund of St. Paul.

SHILOH USHER BD. FEATURE KING FILM

A 16 MM sound motion picture film of "Martin Luther King, Jr.—A Man of Peace." The film provides an intimate look at this man's philosophies, and his teaching. He addresses himself to the possibility of his violent death and reaffirms his belief in Non-Violence as the only means to accomplish social justice. Featured soloist—Mrs. Carolyn Hardaway; Oralatrical—Arthur Wolder; Featuring—Mrs. Marguerite Butts, on Organ. Participating Choir—Shiloh Youth Choir. President—Mrs. Shirley Johnson.

ROCK ISLAND BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school and morning worship had as guests Rev. A. C. Hall of Alton, Tabernacle Baptist Church, who preached.

Rev. Donald Robinson of Burlington, Iowa Union Baptist Church and his choir were afternoon guests, climaxing the 6th Anniversary. Rev. A. B. Collins is the pastor and Rev. R. H. Cheers is the assistant pastor.

THIRD M. BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school was well attended. Sunday at 3:00 P.M. Rev. L. J. Jordan and his congregation of the Union Baptist Church of Waterloo will open the 23rd Anniversary of the Senior Usher Board. Services will be held all week.

Evening Song at E. 17th St. Church

The Church of God in Christ, 1639 East University, was the setting for a magnificent song program on Saturday night, The Y.P.W.W. Choir of Western Missouri presented "An Evening of Song" featuring the Barker Temple Youth Choir.

Excellent Voices The fifty-member choir could easily have performed in Veterans Auditorium for it possessed the excellence of voices, the vastness of range and volume for this edifice. Their varied and talented directors such as,

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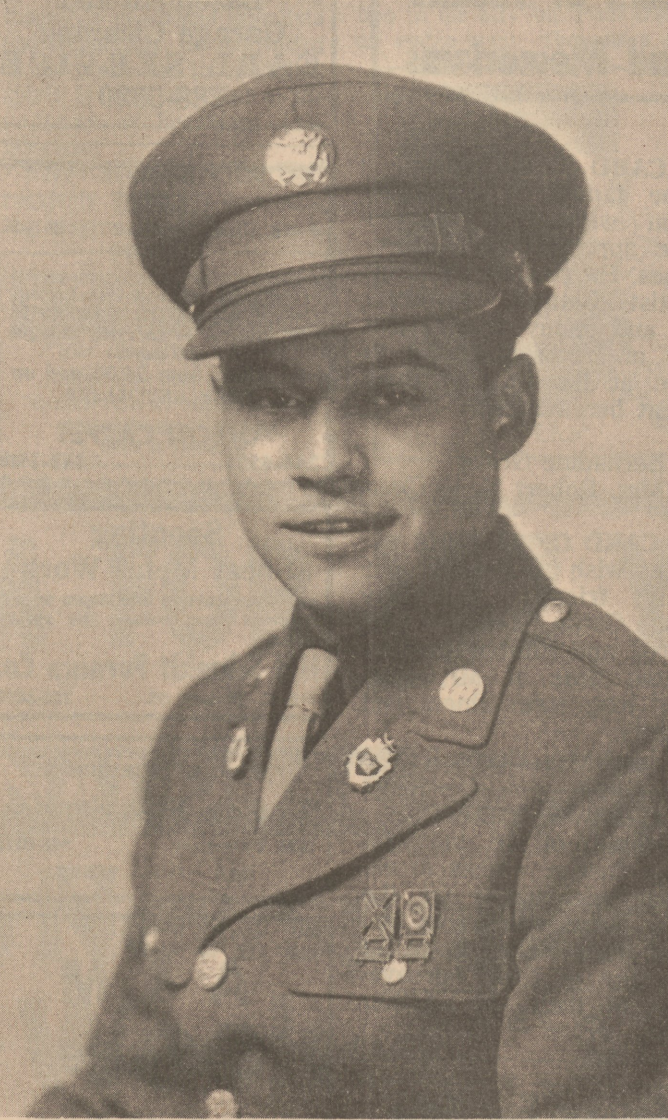
Eddie Rollins, Carolyn Fuqua, Deborah Reliford and Minister Johnny Macklin and others added to the splendor of the singing. These leaders display unusual skill and are most dynamic.

The choir's treatment of such songs as "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen" and its featuring of Minister David Brown singing "He Lifted Me" brought to these songs new dimensions of meaning and beauty.

Officials including Elder B. Jones, State President of YPWW of Western Missouri, Mrs. Lorene Fuqua, Sponsor, Mr. Courtney Frazier, President, Mrs. Rosie Carter, Minister of Music State of Iowa, Mrs. A.B. Jones, State Supervisor and Director, Mrs. Irene Frazier, Assistant, Bishop J.E. Abernathy, State Bishop and Host Pastor, and Elder G. W. Jones, Assistant Bishop gave Des Moines a memorable evening.

In short, today's Church of God and Saints of Christ surpasses its own saga of having the best in song. Saturday night's youthful choir brought to Des Moines some of the best singing to be heard anywhere in the whole wide world.

Arthur Carter Jr. Dies in California



CARTER

Compton, Calif. Services were held March 10 for Arthur Carter, Jr. 44, a former Des Moines resident who lived here until he moved to Compton, California. Mr. Carter

died in Veterans hospital in Long Beach, California. He was survived by his wife, Barbara Jean and four sons; Mother, Odessa Bookers, step-father, Hobie Bookers, and three brothers.

Isabelle Mattes, Deceased. TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Isabelle Mattes Deceased: You are hereby notified that on the 17th day of March, 1969, the Last Will and Testament of Isabelle Mattes deceased bearing date of the 7th day of July, 1967, was admitted to probate in the above named Court and that Joseph Mattes was appointed executor of said estate.

Notice is further given that any action to set aside said Will must be brought in the District Court of said County within one year from the date of the second publication of this notice, or thereafter be forever barred.

Notice is further given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and creditors having claims against said estate shall file them with the Clerk of the above named District Court, as provided by law, duly authenticated, and unless so filed within six months from the second publication of this notice (unless otherwise allowed or paid) such claim shall thereafter be forever barred.

Dated this 17th day of March, 1969.

JOSEPH MATTES
Executor of said Estate
1035 Grove Terrace,
Dubuque, Iowa 52001
Duncan, Jones, Riley & Davis
Attorneys for said Executor
222 Equitable Building
Des Moines, Iowa 50309
Printed and published in the Iowa Bystander the 20th day of March, 1969 and date of second publication 27th day of March, 1969.

The officers are elected at the annual meeting which is held on the first Monday of February of each year. The following are Directors of the corporation:
Irene B. Ernst
Al Gordon
Stanley W. Morgenstern
President, Irene B. Ernst
Executive Vice President, Ronald Bernon
Vice President, Donald Baker
Treasurer, Al Gordon
Secretary, Bonnie M. Baker

NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR, AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the District Court of the State of Iowa
In and for Polk County
Probate No. 60210
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Your Pharmacist's corner

By: MARION WILLIAMS R.Ph.

Take Your Medicine

If men look shorter when they sit down these days, it's because they're sitting on flat wallets.

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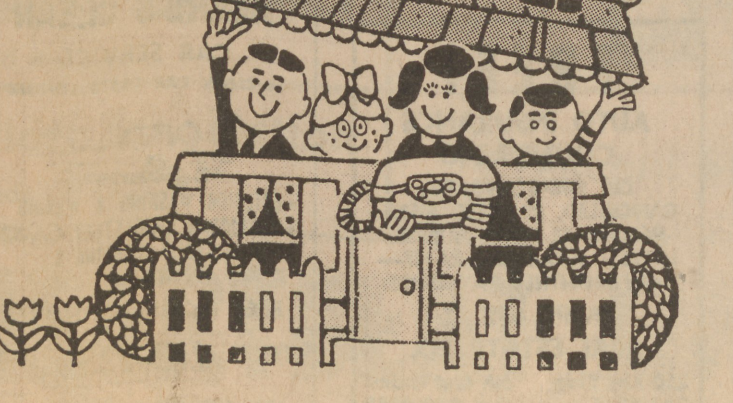
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LINES

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SP. 4 ACY TAYLOR, of the 173rd Airborne Unit arrived in Des Moines Friday after a few days stop-over in Kansas. Taylor returned to the States March 4 following a month's hospitalization in Tokyo, Japan, for injuries received in Vietnam. A June '68 graduate of Des Moines Technical High School, where he participated in track and football. Acy had served seven months in Vietnam. He is the son of Mrs. Martha P. Taylor and grandson of Mrs. Frances Spencer. He has a younger brother, Harold Lee.

MAXINE SUBOTNIK, the 13 year old daughter of the Leo Subotniks, who formerly resided here but are now in Avon, Minnesota—I wrote of having visited them in January—caught her mother, Lenore Subotnik, completely by surprise recently when she gently nudged her back into a teaching career, if only briefly. It was like this! Finding a substitute teacher was needed for her social studies class, she informed the principal that her mother was qualified for the job, and that lovely was promptly put to work. Lenore is presently working on her Masters Degree in evening classes, at Minnesota State! Maxine's quick thinking and action gave her mother an early sample of what life as a career-mother will be like! Nice work, Maxine!

MARY LOU COOK INFORMS US OF "THE CENTER FOR CREATIVE INTERCHANGE", 602 Center Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50309, located in space provided by the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery. The Center was established to increase understanding between persons and the opportunities for them to participate in a type of inter-personal relationship described by Dr. Henry Nelson Wieman as creative interchange. Single speakers or a mini-lab demonstration can be scheduled for groups and organizations. Mary Lou Cook or someone suggested by her to answer inquiries, may be contacted Monday through Friday at 243-5692. (OK, ML?)

GUITARIST EDDIE DAVIS AND DRUMMER CHUCK GREEN were planning their individual combos when each heard of the

Rock Island continued from Page 4
Rev. C. B. Westbrook, Community Church of God in Christ, E. Moline; Wednesday, Rev. Z. McDowell of New Hope; Thursday, Rev. R. H. Cheers, Olivet Baptist Church, Rock Island; Friday, Rev. R. A. Allen of Tabernacle Baptist Church of Moline; Sunday, March 23, Rev. C. Hightower of Morning Star Baptist Church, Peoria, Illinois.

THIRD MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

The Usher's Joy is the titled theme of the Usher's Board of Third Missionary Baptist Church in their 23rd Anniversary, March 16-23 inclusive.

Reverend Dr. L. J. Jordan, pastor of Union Baptist Church, Waterloo, and president of the Sunday school and B.T.U. Congress of the Iowa Missionary and Educational Baptist State Convention, accompanied by the choral

other's efforts. They agreed to unite and so Des Moines has a brand new group. With them is Steven Wade, lead guitar; Evans Parker, bass guitar; Dell White, horn; Fred Owens, horn; and Russell Day, singer.

TAMMY FLIPPING was thrilled to meet Cartoonist Frank Miller at the Easter Seal Center's Sunday afternoon affair, and to receive one of his cartoons. Tammy and her mother, Mrs. Harry Flipping, had been guests of 3 year old Randy Flipping who is enrolled at the Center. What a handsome fellow he is!

MET ROOSEVELT AND ALPHA CRAWFORD, 1113 11th Street. Young as can be, they are a fine pair, and the ambitious parents of Robert 13, Mary 12, Darva 8, Roosevelt, Jr. 7 and Rochelle 6. Alpha is enrolled at Area XI where she will soon complete the Key Punch Operator Course. Roosevelt, a former North High football player, works for Ridley Construction Company. At home he is an interior decorator, can do cabinet and carpentry work and has many creative pursuits. He is sometimes involved with work of this type for friends—if his busy schedule permits. Their home is most attractive and reflects his artistry. His little family is most proud of the beauty he creates.

THE CHURCH OF GOD skating party held Sunday night at the Terrace Roller Rink was in reality a festival. The girls were so very pretty in their varied sportswear—all the girls from tiny skating-dancer "Monica" to the loveliest of the lovelies. The fellows, all ages, swirling the skating rink with such enthusiasm and skill were smart-looking, too. All types of garb make up the merry throng colorful outfits.

FRIDAY, MARCH 28, is scheduled for the very young crowd to skate at The Terrace Roller Rink beginning at 3 o'clock or whatever time each youngster is free from school for Spring Vacation. Skating will be from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.

group of the church and ushers will give the introductory sermon. Monday through Friday local churches will be guests; ministers, Rev. W. M. Frison, Rev. A. B. Collins, Rev. R. A. Allen, Rev. C. B. Westbrook and Rev. Zeddie McDowell.

Sunday, March 23, the annual message by the Rev. Calvin Hightower, pastor of the Morning Star Baptist Church, Peoria, Illinois. He will be accompanied by his 100 voice choir.

Some of the brief accomplishments of the Usher's Board are the operating of an owned bus for the Church's school and services of the church, refreshment center, new tables and chairs and presently engaged in a \$1,200.00 project of tailored cushions for the pews.

Warren H. Williams is the illustrious president and there are several youth units included in the organization. Chair lady of the program general is Mrs. Mary Simms, ably assisted by the secretary, Mrs. Alpha Boyd and treasurer, Mrs. Roscoe Williams.

Tawasi Club To Present Fashion Show

Tawasi Federated Club presents Beautiful World of Fashion and the J. P. Models of Des Moines.

Beautiful World of Fashions come your way with a salute to exciting new models. Fashions... A Go-Go. The mod look and exciting new color combinations will be the order of the showing for the 1969 Fashion Fair. Designs return to earth, with graceful, beautiful and wearable clothes that are sheer elegance.

Beautiful World of fashion will feature creations by Mrs. Zoe Mitchell, one of Chicago's leading fashion designers and who will also narrate the show. The 1969 Fashion Fair is produced and directed by James Piggee, nationally known model.

Beautiful World of Fashion will be a brilliant and memorable event, one that your city will not want to forget. Fashions will be shown by twelve top selected models.



Ada DeKruyff

Models featured in the Easter Sunday Show case: Mary Hobbs, Muriel Boggs, Wanda Griffen, Laurie Mosby, Karen Piggee, Penny Spriggs, Joan Baker, Pat Johnson. Guest models from Alladin's Court of Charm School will be Ada DeKruyff and Jode Brown. Male Models will be James Piggee, nationally known model, Don McKee and Brian Lewis.

The show will be held at Hoyt Sherman Place, 1501 Woodland, Easter Sunday, April 6, 1969, 5:00 to 7:00 P.M.

Beautiful World of Fashions is sponsored by Skeffingtons Formal Wear, Stern's, Wolf's, Feldmann's, The Formality Shop, Herman Kucharo's and Frankel's.

The pastor, Rev. T. Spencer Patton, Jr. and officials of the Church with membership and well-wishing friends become one with this great anniversary of the Established Board of Ushers in and for the church.

Tawasi Club

Tawasi Federal Club will hold their next meeting March 27 at the home of Mrs. Helen Duke, 1609 Walker Street.

Darrell Austin at New Orleans Club

Darrell Austin of Los Angeles, California, is appearing as a singer at the New Orleans Club. Mr. Austin, known as "Mr. Fantastic" has appeared in clubs in Miami Beach, Florida; Memphis, Tennessee; Los Angeles, California; Chicago, Illinois. Mr. Austin is the nephew of Mr. Sy Forrester, 703 28th Street.

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Crescent Beauty

Crescent Beauty School's "Open House" held jointly with a Two-Day Workshop was neither the beginning of a beauty business nor a culmination of one, but a milestone reached as of February 1969, and a forecast of that yet to come. The school's beginning is of necessity at one with the life of its creator, Owner-Operator Pauline Humphrey, a native of Des Moines. To those who knew our City's early settlers, she is remembered as Pauline Robinson, a youngster reared by her grandparents, Frank and Julia Diggs. The name, "Diggs" is known from this town's earliest days. To an early marriage, Pauline's daughter, Barbara Jean Brown, was born and is now Mrs. James, wife of Dr. Lewis James, a well-known Des Moines dentist. Their children, Stanley, a Spelman College (Atlanta) coed, Lewis, Jr., a Callanan Junior High student, then Julie, of Kirkwood Elementary School, are the source of Pauline's greatest joy.

Joint Enterprise
Pauline's marriage to Major Humphrey, who grew up in Des Moines, continues to be an important influence in her beauty culture business. It became a joint enterprise, a husband and wife team, long before such an arrangement became the thing to do.

Crescent Beauty School organized in February 1939 has enrolled students from Texas, Michigan, Kansas, Illinois, Missouri, Minnesota, both Carolinas, Texas and Nassau to name a few. Georgia, Arkansas and Tennessee are represented in its present enrollment.

Stressing the careers to be enjoyed in the field of beauty culture Pauline stated that the techniques of beauty work are so much cleaner, are so modernized, specialized and financially rewarding, that the interest and attraction of the role of a beautician holds for the very young is readily understood. The School serves as the setting of the beauticians' organizational activities.

Sponsors Youngsters
Through Crescent Beauty School as a business, Mrs. Humphrey could realize the pleasure of bringing and sponsoring a high school youngster from Kenya. She helped him complete high school where he was given a scholarship, completed college and is now enjoying a fellowship at Howard University's Law School. Another student from Davenport's Annie Witmire Home, completed beauty culture training and is now serving in the military service in Vietnam.

Enthusiastic Crowd
At its Open House Crescent School was filled by many friends who came to tour the excellently planned and furnished modern classrooms. Beautiful floral gifts were to be seen throughout the building. Favors were given and refreshments served.

And so Open House will be remembered as a milestone reached and the forecast of even greater accomplishments by way of training and augmenting of Black Beauty businesses.

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CITY FEDERATION

The monthly meeting of the City Federation will be Friday, March 21, 7:30 P.M. at the YMCA. Final plans for the Feast of the Tables will be made.

Mrs. Georgie Jones, program chairman of the month, will present Mrs. Betty Lou McAliley, vice president of the Goddard Court and 14th Street Model City Neighborhood Block Club. Mrs. McAliley will discuss the activities and progress of the club.

PATRONESS

The Patroness Club will meet Sunday, March 23rd, 4:00 P.M. at the Crescent Beauty School, 1118 University.

Perry Hooks, Chrm. of Human Rights Comm., will be guest speaker. Each member is asked to bring a guest.

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Speakers will be Mack A. Butler of Waterloo and Lola Rhem of Mason City. Dinner will be served at 12:30 P.M.

Saturday, March 22, at 2:00 P.M., Lodges and Courts will meet at 2715 Woodland Avenue for a wild game dinner.

Olive Branch

Olive Branch Chapter no. 32 OES will hold its regular meeting March 24 at the Masonic Temple at 8:00 P.M. Josephine B. Stewart, Worthy Matron.

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Mrs. Katherine Jackson, 939 23rd Place, honored her by his aunt, Mrs. Marie husband, Charles Louis, Brown, 1162 13th Street, on his 49th birthday, Tuesday, February 11, 1969, at family and friends from a party held in their home. 9:00 to 12:00.

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THE NEGRO PRESS;
142nd ANNIVERSARY

This week, the Negro press is celebrating its 142 anniversary. Most cities boast at least one paper but the life of such publications has been short.

The first paper was published by John H. Russwurm in 1827. In recent years efforts have been made to honor this lowly beginning and look back over the years to see how far they have come.

The life blood of a newspaper is its subscription list. Advertising, the backbone, does not come without it. In earlier years, there have been some excellent Negro newspapers; to name a few were the Atlanta (Ga.) Independent; New York Age, Indianapolis (Ind.) Freeman, Topeka Plaindealer, Boston Guardian, Chicago Bee. Most of them have ceased publication greatly because the owners were unable to pass on to their successors a business which has become more competitive each year.

In recent years, some excellent papers have come on the scene and by organization and know how they have pretty well convinced the big as well as little advertisers that they are valuable as an advertising medium.

Like all class papers; labor, foreign born or capitalist, Negro papers are more or less propaganda organs for the race. This was made necessary by the failure of the daily papers to print news about Negroes or to employ them in other than menial jobs.

But the inequities are disappearing and no doubt class papers will pass off the scene.

The Negro press has made a great contribution to the struggle for equality and progress within the Negro race. It has helped white people and Negroes understand the problems facing the Negro and helped devise means of solving them. All in all it has justified its existence and demonstrated that Negroes can make a highly competitive business succeed.

WE DO BETTER
WORKING TOGETHER

The Kernes report states that the white and Negro population was farther apart now than when the first report was made. And this, in spite of the fact that strong intelligent efforts are being made by individuals and organizations to rectify some of the evils that needed it.

At times, Negroes themselves are to blame for such of this deviousness, based, in part, upon the belief that they can do better off to themselves. And yet they call on white people to help them do everything they undertake including building "our churches".

Much of this deviousness can be traced to the foolish theory that Negroes can help themselves by cussing the white man out for what his forefathers did a hundred years ago.

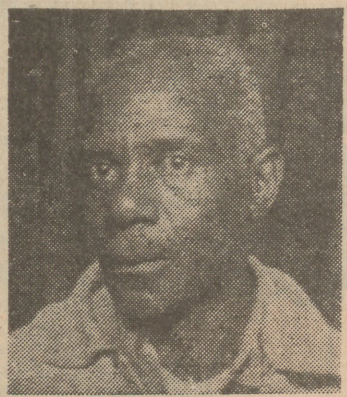
Much may be traced to those people, many of them speaking before white audiences, who remind them that young people will burn and burn if their demands are not met.

Much of it is due to those who misstate to white audiences that all Negroes are uneducated, poor, don't have a chance, live in squalid homes and are mistreated no matter who they are.

Such foolish statements make one wonder what is happening to the thousands of college graduates and tradesmen who, under less favorable times than exist now, are making substantial contributions to every phase of American life. And many of these people come from down behind the tracks as well as up on the hill.

We do better in the long run by emphasizing the things we agree upon. And while no one should be content to live in the dirt and beg for a living, most people want to live the life of a substantial citizen sharing

SPORTS



With Allen Ashby

Drake

When Drake's basketball team blew those three in a row in mid season, most of us were ready to write them off as title contenders in the Valley let alone National race. Well, here they are and for the third time they can be at least number two by the time this comes out. This is written on Tuesday and we have had a sneaking hunch that U.C.L.A. won't make it three national crowns in a row so when you pick up this you will know how right or wrong we were. We were discussing the Drake team with our leading pool hall coach. He seemed unimpressed. "They could have had just as good a team last year if he, Coach John, had played his best lineup. But he always waited until the game was way out of reach before going to his best". The coach said the best lineup consisted of five black players. He might have been right, but they would have had to go some to beat this outfit.

Davidson vs. N.C. While we were waiting for the Drake game to come on we had to watch that scuffle between Davidson and North Carolina. We thought here were two schools from the real South and each had a black man as its big star. Why, five years ago those black youths had better not been caught within a half mile of those two college campuses. But then time does work some mighty changes. We looked at the lineup of high school teams who will compete for the Illinois State crown this week end and of the sixteen teams only two didn't have any color. The others had from two to all black players.

Then you watched that Drake game Saturday and at least seven of the ten players out there were black. And it isn't even news any more. Golden Gloves We talked with one of the officials of the Golden Gloves bouts last week and he was mad. He said "do you know that only one Negro made the team this year?" We did. Then there were three more who could have made it had they been in shape according to this fellow. They were the best in their division, but they just didn't get into any sort of shape. We have known that for years. One of the reasons we quit going to the bouts was because we got tired of seeing fellows who could be champions run out of gas and look so sorry in the last round or round and a half. Condition is an athlete's best insurance against injuries, but so many of these kids don't know it.

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TRI-HARD WOMEN'S
BOWLING LEAGUE

Lu Martin had a 201 high game and a high series of 555 on March 11 at the Capital Bowling Lane for the Tri-Hard Women's League. Frances Morrison had a 214 high game and a 529 high series. Deloris Davis had two high games, 212 and 201, and a high series of 586.

Gwen Stubbs is the president of the league.

40-and-1 MEN'S

Monday night, Grand Lanes, LeRoy Kaiser, 609; John Kinsey, 608; Don Burrell, 233 - 622; Al Brewer, 231. Elmer Tolson, president.

Hawks Pick
Johnson

MONTICELLO, IA. - John Johnson was named the most valuable player on the University of Iowa Basketball team at a banquet honoring the Hawkeyes here Monday night.

The 6-7 junior forward from Milwaukee, Wis., averaged 19.7 points to lead the team in scoring, and was tops in rebounding with 256. He was playing his first season with the Hawkeye after transferring from a junior college in Powell, Wyo.

Johnson set a single-game scoring record of 46 points against Wisconsin-Milwaukee in the third game of the season. He twice equaled the school one-game rebounding record of 23.

Johnson is now eligible to win the silver basketball awarded by the Chicago Tribune each year to the most valuable player in the Big Ten. Iowa's Sam Williams captured the honor last year.

Fielding Draffen, Mrs. Harry Flipping, Mrs. Lorraine Harris, Mrs. Eujetta Reed, and their husbands and children gathered for the occasion. Additional guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morrow, Sr. and Mr. Gertrude Harris. Mrs. Jones enjoyed many lovely gifts and a long distance call from Mrs. Delores Young and her four children, residents of Minneapolis, Minnesota.

LINCOLN POST

Lincoln Post No. 126, American Legion held its 50th Anniversary dinner at the post home, 1625 8th, Saturday evening, March 15.

The dinner was followed by a program explaining the organization and operation of the American Legion. District Commander and Vice Commander spoke followed by the presentation of last year's State Representative at Boys' State, Jerome Clinton, and his father Mose Clinton who attended before him.

The Cosmetiste, Iowa Local 102 met last week at the Crescent School of Beauty Culture with the president, Mrs. Pauline B. Humphrey, presiding. Plans were made to meet with the Rho Chapter of the local and state sorority members to gear the program toward the annual education, state and national meeting in the summer and fall.

The beauticians represented include: Sharp's Beauty and Barber Shop; Edith Spates Beauty Shop,

Six Negro Basketball Stars
Named to Look All America

Alcindor and Murphy are Repeat Selections New York, March 16 - Six black college stars - including repeat selections Lew Alcindor of UCLA and Calvin Murphy of Niagara - were named today to Look All America basketball team.

The 10-man squad, chosen by the United States Basketball Writers Association, is announced in the current issue of Look Magazine.

Other black players chosen are: Jim McMillian, Columbia; Charlie Scott, North Carolina; Mike Maloy, Davidson and Spencer Haywood, Detroit.

The balance of the team is comprised of Rick Mount, Purdue; Dan Issel, Kentucky; Pete Maravich, LSU

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Cedar Rapids

By Mrs. Julian Carlton
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Charles F. McMillian has resigned as executive director of the Jane Boyd Community House in Cedar Rapids. McMillian's resignation, effective April 1, was accepted by the Jane

and Bud Ogden, Santa Clara.

Two Seniors

Alcindor and Ogden are the only seniors on the squad. Olympic star Haywood is the lone sophomore. The rest of the members are juniors.

A three-time selection for All American honors, Alcindor is still the great intimidator, says Look. A mild man for such a large person, Alcindor gives the impression of not going all out through a game sometimes, but Look says he can turn it on when it counts.

Murphy, the diminutive, rapid-fire shooter, won acclaim despite the fact that his team did not post a good record. The selectors were impressed with his speed, dexterity and scoring power.

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Boyd board Wednesday. Plans have not been finalized as to a successor. McMillian, 29, has accepted the directorship of the Economic Opportunity Authority in his home town of Savannah, Ga. He joined Jane Boyd Dec. 4, 1967, succeeding Miss Elizabeth Bender.

Sunday, March 23, the Rev. LeRoy White will deliver the message at 11:00 A.M. in Mt. Zion Baptist Church. The youth choir will furnish the music. Rev. White was guest speaker March 19 at The Emricana Nursing Home.

The Silver Light Gospel Singers presented a service in songs at Union Baptist Church at Quincy, Illinois, March 19. The Rev. T. R. Edwards, pastor. Fred Martin is president.

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By Mrs. R. E. TOOMES
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Mrs. Frances Pearl is a patient in St. Joseph Hospital.

Mrs. Virginia Parsons was hostess to the Self Culture Club Monday, March 10.

Mrs. Betty J. (Toni) Carter, Carleton College senior from Keokuk, was among the students preparing the latest issue of "Manuscript", campus magazine of creative art and writing. Miss Carter served as a member of the art board, which selected work to be pictured, and contributed one of her own pictures, a print entitled "After Ours".

She is a studio art major. A graduate of Keokuk Senior High School, she will receive her B. A. this June. She is the daughter of Mrs. Carolyn Carter.

Mrs. Mamie Tolliver has returned to her home after spending a month in a nursing home in Burlington.

As a part of its nationwide program to "Recognize Police Achievement" the American Legion Post 41 honored Patrolman LaVerne Carter of the Keokuk police department on Saturday evening, March 15, at the Eppers Hotel.

Patrolman Carter was selected to receive the special American Legion Certificate of Achievement by Post No. 41 with the cooperation and approval of appropriate officials of Keokuk.

The dinner at the Eppers Hotel marked the Legion's 50th Anniversary.

The Sunday School of the Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church will have a Pew Rally Sunday, March 23, at 3:00.

Word has been received in the city of the death of Samuel D. Jordan on Thursday, March 13, in Ottumwa, and a dinner was served.

WANNAWAKA

The Wannawaka Club held a pre-St. Patrick's party Saturday, March 15, at the home of Mrs. Marnie Taylor. Secret pals exchanged

The club held their first meeting at the home of Mrs. Luberta Taylor and newly elected officers are as follows: Mrs. Carmen Johnson; vice president, Mrs. Marnie Taylor; secretary, Mrs. Marcella May; social chairman, Mrs. Luberta Taylor; treasurer, Mrs. Janie Miller; critic, Jean Pinson.

On February 18 the meeting was held by Mrs. Carmen Johnson. The March 3rd meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Janie Miller and the March 11 meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Marcella Mays. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Jean Pinson.

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