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Whitewash Col. U. Prof Slaying

Bonnie Franks Is Miss Black D.M., Iowa

Verdict Says "Accident, Self-Defense"; Group Formed to Reopen Case

Wins \$1000 Grant; Festivities Closes Week Long Events

BY FRANCES E. HAWTHORNE
Saturday night, Aug. 8 was a star studded evening for 20 Des Moines Black beauties, but 18-year-old Bonnie Jean Franks, emerged the brightest star in the Galaxy as she walked off with the first Miss Black Des Moines title.

In the history making



MISS FRANKS

event which climaxed week-long activities for all contestants, Miss Franks, like a comet on its predestined course, continued from the local honor, and almost in the manner of Cinderella, was crowned Miss Black Iowa, just 20 minutes before midnight. (See separate story)

\$1,000 Grant

As Miss Black Des Moines, lovely, poised, Miss Franks received a \$1,000 scholarship to the school of her choice, a trophy and crown, as well as a beautiful bouquet of red roses. She was crowned by Pete Townsend, director of the United Black Federation sponsor of the pageant, held at North High auditorium.

So Surprised

From the beginning when she walked down the ramp during the casual wear presentations, many in the audience had clasped her with several others as a possible winner. But when she was announced winner, she was so obviously surprised, so stunned, and yet so pleased; as she paraded in her new found title and crown, tears of joy poured down her face and she shook as a sapling in the wind. But like a queen she did not fall.

Held Her Up

Later she told a TV audience, "All the other 19 Des

Takes State Title In Field of Eight Lovely Contestants

BY FRANCES E. HAWTHORNE
They all had special class for each had been crowned local winners in their respective cities. But Bonnie Jean Franks, who was crowned Miss Black Iowa 1970 Saturday night had extra special class. There were few who would argue that it takes someone extra special to participate in two contests over a five hour period, back to back with just 30 minutes break in between.

To U. S. Pageant

As the first "Miss Black Iowa," Miss Franks will go on to represent the state in the 1970 Miss Black America pageant Aug. 28 in Madison Square Garden, New York City.

Miss Franks, 19, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Latnie of Markham, Ill., is a sophomore, majoring in religion and education at Tarkio College, Tarkio, Mo. She is employed this summer in Des Moines with American Republic Insurance Co.

Mother

Miss Franks who had wept tears of joy two hours earlier when she was crowned Miss Black Des Moines, cried again in unabashed happiness; and her mother who was brought to the stage cried with her, in pride and equal joy. Hardly were the festivities over when fabulous offers began pouring in for the winner.

Finalists

Other finalists were first runnerup, Connie Garr, 18, "Miss Ottumwa," who also was voted Miss Versatility; and second runnerup, 20-year-old Patricia Jones, "Miss Waterloo," who was voted Miss Congeniality.

Miss Franks received a personal TV set, radio and trophy; Miss Garr received a telephone radio and luggage; Miss Jones received luggage. All contestants were presented a necklace, engraved with "I Am Loved," on one side and "I was the Finest," on the other from a Des Moines jewelry store.

Talent

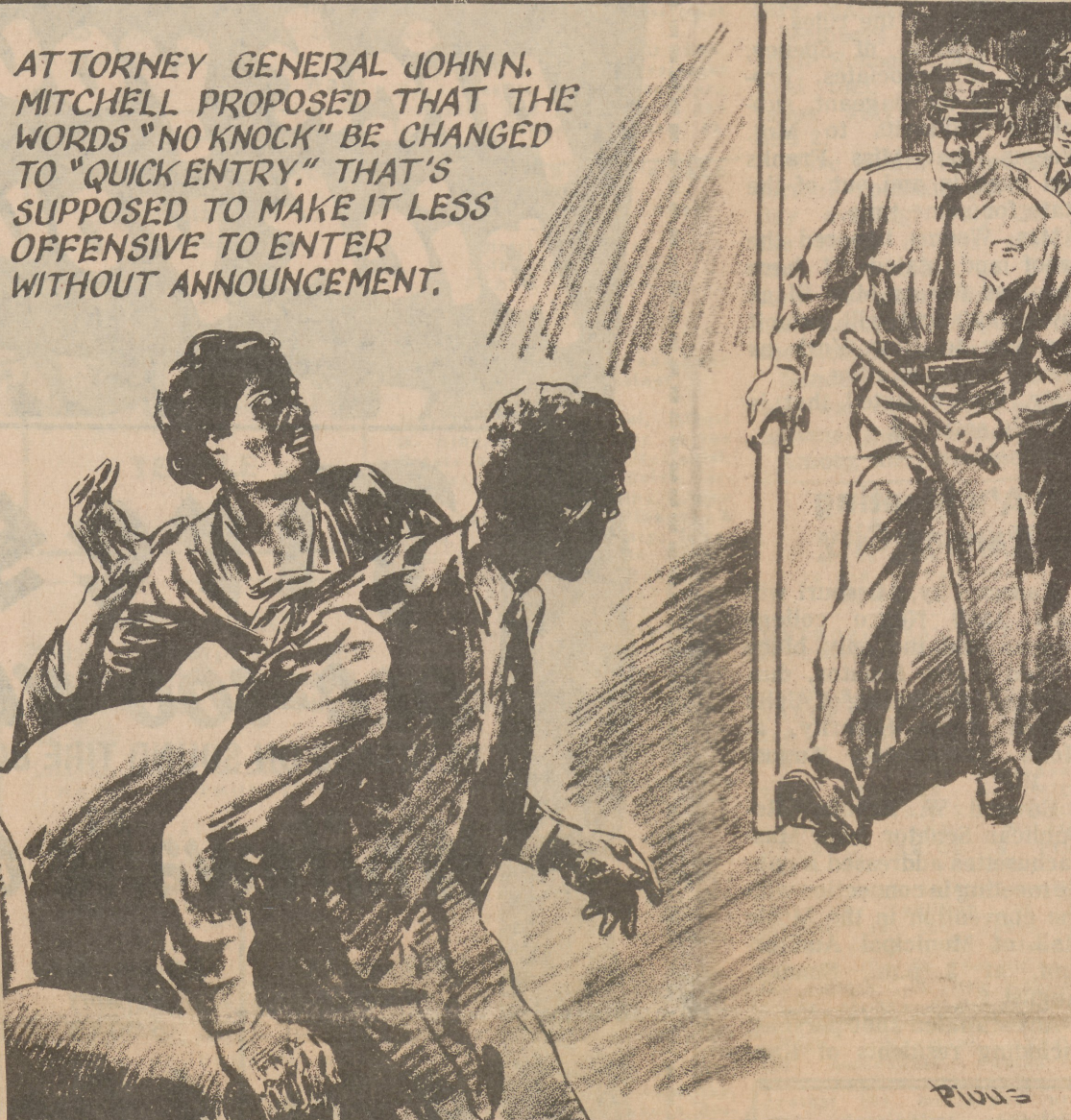
For talent presentation Miss Franks sang, "How Great Thou Art," and received a standing ovation and applause from the packed house of 2000 persons. Miss Garr, in a stunning two-piece costume danced "I'm Cool, I'm Cool"; and Miss Jones in a blue cape gown

Miss Ia.

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"DON'T WORRY, THIS IS 'QUICK ENTRY'!"

ATTORNEY GENERAL JOHN N. MITCHELL PROPOSED THAT THE WORDS "NO KNOCK" BE CHANGED TO "QUICK ENTRY." THAT'S SUPPOSED TO MAKE IT LESS OFFENSIVE TO ENTER WITHOUT ANNOUNCEMENT.



Newton Furnish Troops to V C

San Francisco — Huey Newton, Black Panther leader, after his release from prison on a \$50,000 bond following the reversal of his conviction for murdering a policeman, said he plans to recruit his followers to help the Viet Cong in Vietnam.

Newton set no timetable and did not elaborate on the plan, but repeated the pledge of troops when questioned by newsmen. He said other revolutionary groups also will participate.

For more than two years, his militant black followers had made "Free Huey!" a national rallying cry. When he left Alameda County jail Wednesday, a crowd of about 350 greeted him with chants: "Huey is free! Huey is free!"

Newton climbed on a car roof, gave clenched fist salutes, and the customary "Power to the People" greeting. Newton also called for an all-out effort to free Bobby Seale, the other Panther co-founder who is on trial in New Haven, Conn., on murder charges.

Mistreated

He was bitter about his treatment during the 22 months at California's San Luis Obispo Men's Colony. He said, "Blatant racists are controlling the prison. Prisons are not providing rehabilitation. They are concentration camps."

Attorney Charles Garry had sought to have Newton released on his own recognizance, but Superior Court Judge Harold Hove refused and also rejected a later recommendation that bond be \$3,500.

Hove said he will set a new trial date on Sept. 25.

Newton's 1968 conviction for voluntary manslaughter in the death of officer John Frey was overturned last May by the state Court of

Harold Carr Gets Associated Contractors Development Job

Harold Carr, 54, Des Moines, has been named director of manpower development and training for the



HAROLD CARR

Associated General Contractors of Iowa.

He will seek trainees throughout the state interested in learning the various jobs involved in heavy construction.

The association has a federally approved training program designed to emphasize training, upgrading and employment of disadvantaged persons and minorities. At present, 76 trainees are receiving on-the-job training from 28 contractors throughout the state.

Carr has been working for three years in job development for underemployed and unemployed persons, and those difficult to place in jobs.

Appeal. He had been serving a prison term of 2 to 15 years. The reversal was upheld last week by the California Supreme Court.

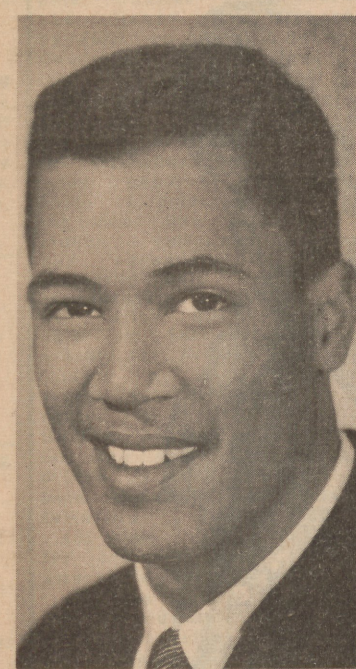
Reversal

The conviction was reversed on grounds the trial judge failed to inform the jury of the defense possibilities in Newton's claim he was unconscious from a bullet wound when Frey was killed on Oct. 28, 1967. Frey and another officer had stopped Newton's car.

The first trial was on a first-degree murder charge, but under state law the retrial charge cannot exceed involuntary manslaughter.

John Strother to U. of Northern Ia.

John Estes Strother, formerly of Des Moines, will be an instructor in education



JOHN ESTES STROTHER

at the University of Northern Iowa in Cedar Falls this fall. He received his Bachelor of Arts Degree from William Penn College in Oskaloosa in 1965 and received his Master's Degree in Arts and Education from the University of Northern Iowa on July 31, 1970.

Mr. Strother is currently chairman of the State Civil Rights Commission.

His wife, T. Ella Anderson Strother, received a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Northern Iowa in 1967 and is presently a speech teacher at Hoover High School in Waterloo. Mr. and Mrs. Strother now reside at 1112 Melrose Drive, Cedar Falls, Iowa.

Mr. Strother is the son of Mrs. Lavonia Craddock of 1013 W. 25th St., Des Moines, and his grandmother is Mrs. Clarence Strother of Des Moines.

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NEWS In A Nutshell

LONDON, ENGLAND — Home Secretary Reginald Maudling called Monday for an immediate report on black power violence in Britain, following a riot in which 17 police were hurt Sunday.

LINCOLN UNIV., Pa. — Lincoln University has received a \$50,000 award from the Richard King Mellon Foundation for the assistance in the construction and equipping of the new library to be built on its campus near Oxford, Pa.

BAMBERG, S.C. — Seven Black students convicted last week of 'common law rioting' in conjunction with a student demonstration last April at Voorhees college in Denmark, S.C. have been granted limited, temporary freedom to try and raise \$60,000 worth of bail and appeal bond funds.

WASHINGTON, D.C. (AP) — The Nixon Administration sued the State of Texas and 26 individual Texas school districts Friday, asking for court orders dismantling separate educational systems for whites and non-whites.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. — A grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities to establish a national Black Music Center at Indiana University was announced today by Wilfred C. Bain, dean of the I.U. School of Music.

Hits Evers With \$1 Million Slander Suit

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — Black political leader O. Z. Evers has filed a \$1 million suit against Fayette, Miss., Mayor Charles Evers Tuesday, charging the mayor slandered him twice in statements made prior to the election here last week.

The suit was filed in Shelby County Circuit Court by John Colton Jr., O. Z. Evers' attorney.

The statements in question were made in connection with the Shelby County Sheriff's race.

Charles Evers, who was in Memphis to campaign for Sheriff's candidate Melvin Robinson and black hopefuls in other races, returned to Mississippi, Robinson said.

Efforts to reach Evers were unsuccessful, but Robinson said he was expected back in Memphis.

In the suit, O. Z. Evers charges Charles Evers with slandering him by "making the statement that O. Z. Evers is on the take" and by telling newspaper reporters that, "any black man who would say such a thing (that a black man cannot win the race) is not worthy to be part of the community and should be destroyed politically and economically."

O. Z. Evers is head of the Unity League Democrat Council, which has endorsed white candidate Roy Nixon for sheriff.

The two Evers are not related.

COLORADO SPRINGS — A racially mixed crowd of about 90 persons met here Saturday in Carpenters Hall and formed a committee to attempt to find a nationally prominent attorney to fight for a reopening of the Roosevelt Hill Jr. case.

Hill, 33, of 2690 Niagara St., Denver, a black educator, was fatally shot here July 14 by a part-time service station attendant during an argument over a gasoline credit card.

An El Paso County Grand Jury Thursday ruled Hill was killed "accidentally and in self-defense" by the attendant, Army Spec. 4 Ellis Leon Little, 21, of Ft. Carson, Colo., and Richmond, Ky.

Ted Martin, Colorado Springs, a black student at Colorado College, and Leslie Rainey, director of the Colorado Springs Black Repertory Theatre, proposed the committee work with a similar Denver committee to find an attorney in New York, Chicago, Los Angeles or San Francisco who would be interested in handling the case.

Dist. Atty. Bob Russel of Colorado Springs said Saturday the Hill case is closed and that he will abide by the grand jury decision.

Comment Made

James F. Reynolds of Denver, executive director of the Colorado Civil Rights Commission, who also spoke at the two-hour meeting, urged El Paso County citizens "to get Russel to reopen the Hill case or get rid of Russel."

Reynolds said he talked with Russel about the case—before it went to the grand jury — and recommended that he not take the case to the panel "in the interest of justice and public welfare of Colorado Springs and Colorado."

Russel could have convened a coroner's jury, a grand jury or filed a murder charge against Little in district court, Reynolds said.

"Strangely enough, the district attorney chose the secret method of a closed jury . . . and played to the bigots, haters and racists of El Paso County," Reynolds said.

The civil rights director said he doesn't think it'll do any good to make a plea to Duke Dunbar, Colorado attorney general, to try to get the case reopened.

"He's a politician, just like Russel," Reynolds said.

Several persons suggested that U. S. Atty. James Treece of Denver be contacted to see if the Justice Department would enter the case.

Suggestion Made

John F. Bennett, a white Colorado Springs attorney, suggested the committee contact Mrs. Myrtes Hill, the slain man's widow to see if she desires to file a wrongful death suit against Little.

Bennett said this wouldn't preclude criminal charges being filed against Little if the case is reopened.

About 25 black youths left the meeting after their leader, Don Ritchie, Colorado Springs college student, made an unsuccessful attempt to get white persons in the audience to leave the room.

Open to All

Mrs. Suzanne Rodgers, president of the local chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, who called the meeting, turned down Ritchie's request and said the meeting would be open to members of all races.

Mrs. Rodgers urged El Paso County residents to investigate the district attorney's office and Russel.

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Homes are as good an investment as diamonds or rare stamps—and more useful. One study indicates 75 million new living units will be needed in the next 30 years—or 15 million more units than exist in this country today.

Dr. Herman R. Branson Named 10th President Of Lincoln University

Dr. Herman R. Branson has been named tenth president of Lincoln University, the oldest predominantly



DR. BRANSON

black university in the nation.

Dr. Branson will leave his post as president of Central State University in Wilberforce, Ohio, to assume the Lincoln helm.

In accepting the post, Dr. Branson said, "It is much more than an honor to be

asked to come to Lincoln University as President. It is almost a command from history voiced by the record of Lincoln's 116-year involvement with the expansion of educational horizons to embrace students of every clime and complexion as set forth in its charter."

Dr. George D. Cannon, president of the Lincoln Board of Trustees, in announcing the appointment said, "The Board of Trustees has been searching for over a year for the extraordinary man needed to fill the Lincoln Presidency."

Dr. Branson is also president of the National Association for Equal Opportunity in Higher Education, an association of presidents of predominantly black colleges.

Dr. Branson was appointed president of Central State University in 1968. Prior to his appointment to the Ohio institution, he had been Chairman of the Department of Physics at Howard University, Washington, D.C.

Mitchell Asks Probe of Disorders in Hartford

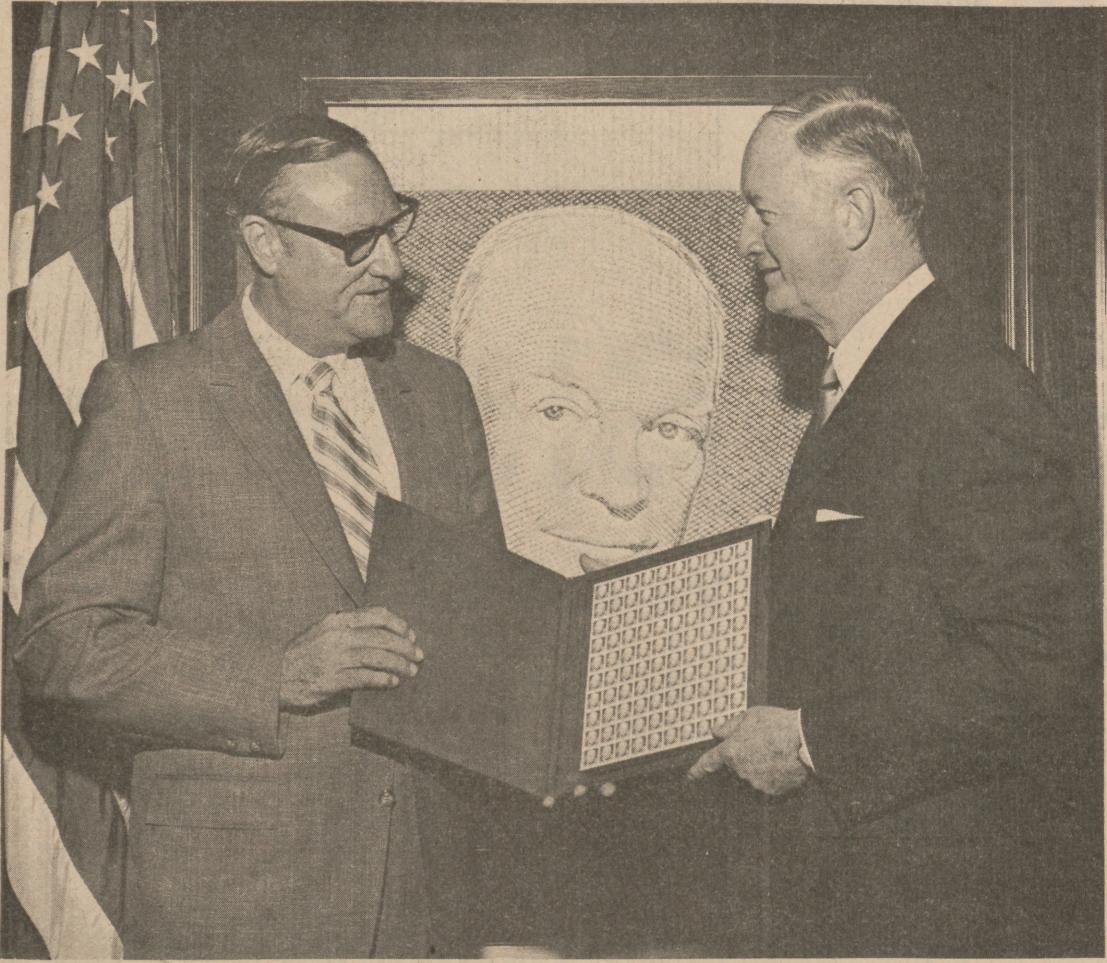
NEW YORK — The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has called upon the Justice Department to investigate charges of police abuse in connection with efforts to quell disorders in the Negro and Puerto Rican neighborhoods of Hartford, Conn.

In a telegram to Attorney General John N. Mitchell, Aug. 3, NAACP Executive Director Roy Wilkins cited "repeated instances (by police) to deprive Negro citizens of Hartford of their civil rights." In a follow-up telegram the next day, the NAACP leader said that the Hartford situation has been "made more serious

by the recent shooting of two Puerto Ricans and the special persecution of the Puerto Rican community by the authorities and especially the police of Hartford."

One Killed; 25 Wounded
Hartford, capital of the State of Connecticut, was in the throes of a week-long period of civil disorder ending Aug. 4 during which one man was killed and 25 others wounded by police buckshot. More than 550 persons were arrested on charges ranging from violation of curfew to looting. Mayor Antonina P. Uccello said that small children were deeply involved in the disturbance.

Present New Eisenhower Stamp To Rep. Kyl



Postmaster Winton M. Blount is shown presenting Congressman John Kyl, Iowa Fourth District, with an album containing a sheet of the new six-cent stamp honoring former President Dwight D. Eisenhower. This stamp was issued in Washington, D.C. on August 6.

Congressman Kyl pointed out that this new stamp augments the Eisenhower commemorative stamp issued last October. He added that only 145 million commemoratives were printed, but the new "work horse" stamp will be printed by the billions for the everyday use

of the mailing public. Having purchased a number of "first day covers" of the stamp, Congressman Kyl stated that residents of Iowa's Fourth District may receive one by contacting his office in Washington, D.C.

Assistant to Dean At Marine Academy

In the summer of 1963, Joe Scroggins, Jr. graduated from the United States Merchant Marine Academy. He received the Bachelor of Science degree, a commission as Ensign in the United States Naval Reserve and his license as a deck officer of the American Merchant Marine. He was one of the two black Midshipmen of the 1963 graduating class. The Kings Point graduate has returned as Assistant Dean for Recruiting and counseling with the rank of Commander, U. S. Maritime Service.

Transport Service
Following his graduation from the Academy that is under the direction of the Maritime Administration, U. S. Department of Commerce, Commander Scroggins sailed with the Military Sea Transportation Service on Troop ships, oceanographic survey vessels and heavy lift ships. He joined United States Lines in 1966, sailing to the Far East, Southeast Asia and Europe. During his six years of sailing, Commander Scroggins raised his license from Third Mate to Chief Mate, travelled to 30 countries around the world and received the Vietnam Service Award of the Maritime Administration.

Events

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Moines contestants held me up. It's as if we all won it in me.

First runnerup was Deborah Jean Hill, who was awarded a \$500 scholarship; second, Pamela Taylor, \$225 scholarship; third, Deborah Page, \$175 scholarship and fourth, Belinda Butler.

Other Awards
Ruie Jean Seals was voted "Miss Congeniality" by the other contestants. The judges voted Miss Hill, the "Best Poised," and Miss Taylor, "Best Figure." There was a triple tie for "Best Talented," with honors going to Miss Franks, Crystal Jackson and Clydette Drain. The talent of contestants had been prejudged on Friday evening. Only the five finalists presented their talent for the audience on Saturday night.

Program
In addition to the casual presentation, the program included swim suit, evening gown, talent and fish bowl questions, as well as musical renditions, by Des Moines

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vocalist Joann Jackson, the Sam Anthony Trio and the Richard Allen chorus.

For talent presentations Miss Franks sang, "The Look of Love," Miss Butler and Miss Hill danced, and Miss Taylor and Miss Page gave recitations on black themes.

Fish Bowl
During the fish bowl questions just prior to the selections of the finalist and her court, the finalists came back on stage in evening gowns, with the other 15 arranged on the risers in the background. Miss Franks was, queenly in a pale pink gown; Miss Hill was poised in deep yellow; Miss Taylor, statuesque in soft orange crepe; Miss Page regal in a stunning blue cape gown with gold medallion and Miss Butler lovely in green formal pants and vest with white long sleeve blouse.

Emcees
Even the emcees were professional — in Miss Joyce Brock, who was a fashion-plate in black pant suit and huge gold medallion chain, hailing from Hartford, Conn., and Des Moines own local sportcaster and TV personality, Dolph Pulliam. Promoters were Spence, Ewing and Associates, Inc., headed by Silas Ewing and Associate, Mrs. Yvonne Richardson.

Judges
Backers for the pageants drew a distinguished panel of judges including Gwendolyn Kee, executive secretary, Joe Black, vice president, Greyhound Corp., and Linda Sayers, (wife of pro-football player Gayle Sayers,) all from Chicago, Ill.; Hugh Robinson, Lybrand, Ross Bros. & Montgomery, New York, N.Y.; Roy V. Hill, assistant director of finance and admissions, Washington University, St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. Minnie Taylor, Atlanta, Ga.

Miss Iowa

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Burlington,; Vivian Woods, gave a recitation, "Pride, My People."

Other Contestants
Other contestants were Dorly Smith, "Miss Black Cedar Falls"; Betty Sue Turner, Miss Black Cedar Rapids,; Sylvia Brookshire, "Miss Black Fort Dodge," and Caren Williams, "Miss Black Keokuk."

Two TV personalities who handled the emcee chores with aplomb were Ken Bradley, producer of Soul Unlimited, and his assistant, Murlean Fielding, of St. Louis, Mo.

Regional Director
One of Iowa's most dynamic women leaders, Anna Marie Weems, regional director for 21 states for Miss Black America Pageant, gave acknowledgements during a lull in the program. Her

daughter of Mr. Reed. Celebrities

In addition to performance by Ken and Murleen, organ selections were given by Dr. James Ruffins, editor of Everybody's Magazine and producer of Miss Black Nebraska pageant.

Among celebrities introduced were "Miss Black Nebraska."

Miss Iowa Is A Resident

Early Monday, Mrs. Anna Mae Weems of Waterloo, regional director of the Miss Black America pageant, announced the circulation of a petition, in response to complaints from a number of citizens, that Bonnie Franks, winner of the Miss Black Iowa pageant, was not a resident, alleging that she was not a resident of Iowa for three months prior to the date of the pageant as required by the rules.

Silas Ewing, of Spence, Ewing & Associates, producers of the pageant, submitted affidavits to Mrs. Weems, that Miss Franks had been in and out of the state for some time.

Mrs. Weems honored the proof and stated "I have endorsed her as Miss Black Iowa 1970 and will submit her now to New York as Iowa's representative."

Mr. Ewing stated that is entirely satisfied.

AKA's Meeting In Kansas City

Kansas City, Missouri will host 1000 Negro college women and the only black United States Senator, during the 44th meeting of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, at Hotel Muehleback, August 9-15.

Edward W. Brooke, Republican Senator from Massachusetts addressed a public meeting in connection with the convention in the Music Hall of Municipal Auditorium, at 3 p.m., Sunday, August 9.

An estimated 2000 persons, including residents of Kan-

sas City, delegates and their families is taking part in the public meeting.

Dr. Larzette G. Hale, outgoing president of Alpha Kappa Alpha, said that the six days of business meetings and lectures dealt with the business of the sorority, including presentations concerning a seven-target program. Components of the program are Scholarship and Travel Grants, Negro Heritage, Social Action, Job Corps, Leadership School, Federal Information and Projects, and Career Guidance.

The sorority, oldest and largest Greek-letter college sorority founded by Negro women, was chartered at Howard University, Washington, D.C. in 1908. Presently, it has more than

40,000 members in 347 undergraduate and graduate chapters, on college campuses and in cities throughout the country and West Africa.

Main Purpose

The main purpose of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, according to Dr. Hale, is to encourage excellence and personal development for service in an atmosphere of sisterly affection. She holds a doctor of philosophy degree in economics, and is a certified public accountant.

At the close of the convention, Dr. Hale will relinquish the leadership of the organization to the president-elect, Mrs. Mattelia B. Grays, chosen at the 1968 convention to lead the sorority for the next four year term.

Mrs. Grays, currently serving her second term as Regional Director of the South Central Region, is the Principal of Houston's Golfcrest Elementary School for the 1970-71 school year. She holds a B.A. in Elementary Education, an M.A. in Special Education, and a permanent certificate in School Administration granted by the Texas Education Agency.

Most of the sorority's members are career women as well as homemakers, primarily in the field of education.

The Sorority has since 1949 maintained a professionally staffed office in Chicago, Illinois, located at 5211 Greenwood, where its affairs are directed by an executive secretary, Mrs. Carey B. Preston.

Appointed Post by Davenport School Board

DAVENPORT, IA. — The Davenport Community School District has named its first black school administrator.

Thomas Smith, Jr., 40, will become principal of Lincoln Elementary School, an inner-city school with a high percentage of minority group children enrolled.

Smith — appointed to the post Monday night by the Davenport School Board — is currently principal of Carver

High School in Chicago. He has 13 years experience in education and has served as a teacher, counselor, drama coach and assistant principal.

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Clean-Up Week Announced by Des Moines Postmaster

Postmaster, John P. McNerney, has announced "CLEAN-UP WEEK" for the Des Moines Post Office as part of a nation-wide postal activity announced in Washington by Postmaster General Winton M. Blount. The week of August 16-22 has been designated.

The Postmaster General announced the program "to establish post offices as a symbol of good housekeeping and as a credit to every community in the nation."

Busy Activities
"Our Post Office is one of the busiest and most visible activities in Des Moines and whatever we can do to improve it is of special value to our community."

The Postmaster pointed out that, in addition to improved appearance for postal facilities, the national "CLEAN-UP WEEK" is designed to provide practical values, removal of safety and health hazards designed to reduce accident and illness, and repairs wherever feasible.

Mr. McNerney, noted that more than 200 post offices, stations and branches in the Des Moines Sectional Center are joining in the "CLEAN-UP WEEK" proclaimed by the Postmaster General.

Black Forum Culture Exhibition This Week

Two of the most popular Soul Music groups in the country, the Emotions and the Funkadelics, will appear in Des Moines Saturday night at a Black Forum Cultural Exhibition.

After overcoming a number of obstacles, primarily of financial support, organizers of the exhibition last Friday started selling tickets for the event, to begin at 7:30 p.m. at the Drake University Stadium.

Tickets, costing \$3 each, are on sale at the Model City Planning Center, 703 7th St. Soul Village, 1409 Forest Ave., Al's Barber Shop, 1312 University, Basin Street Lounge, 1310 Keo Way, and Ebony Lounge, 1101 University Ave.

Sponsors
The Exhibition was planned by the Des Moines Model City agency, the United Black Federation of Des Moines, and Drake University.

A recording by the Emotions, "So I Can Love You," is 19th in the Top 50 recording across the country. For the last 20 weeks, "Funkadelics" by the Funkadelics, has been in the Top 50 albums. It is presently 26th.

Between performances of the two professional music groups, Model City young people will present an Afro-American style show, model clothes they have designed and made themselves.

The purpose of the project is to make available to residents of Des Moines, and especially to young black residents of the Model City neighborhood, some of the highest quality and most popular professional talent available.

Also, the project intends to symbolically represent the contributions of the black man in America, particularly in the field of music. By presenting the contemporary music performed by popular professional black musicians, it will seek not only to entertain, but also to heighten awareness of Des Moines residents, black and white alike, of the contributions being made to contemporary music by Afro-Americans.

It is hoped the exhibition will help develop pride in the black community as well as provide a vehicle for educating the total community.

Business Men Skeptical
Organizers of the exhibition said that many local businessmen have been reluctant to support the event because of the unfavorable publicity emanating from the recent rock festival at Wadena.

Many of the businessmen

regarded Saturday's Soul music Exhibition as "another rock festival" and said they didn't want to become involved with it.

Sufficient Des Moines Model City funds earmarked for Black cultural activities have been transferred to the United Black Federation to cover half the \$5,500 cost of bringing the professional entertainers here. Also, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has said that additional Model City funds can be pledged to underwrite the cost of the event. The Model Cities program is financed through HUD.

Sales of tickets are expected to cover the costs of the Exhibition.

Many complimentary tickets will be distributed to young people who cannot afford to buy them, the organizers said.

Plans are to reschedule the outdoor festival Sunday, August 16, if rain causes cancellation Saturday evening.

Red Cross Seeks Aid For Texas Flood Victims

Sixteen Red Cross Shelters are now in operation on the Texas Gulf Coast and have been providing shelter for more than 10,000 persons. Well over 50,000 people have been fed by the Red Cross since operations swung into effect before Hurricane Celia plunged into the area, ripping a path of death and destruction. It is now expected that the Red Cross will spend in excess of \$6,000,000. on the care, clean-up, and rehabilitation of Hurricane Celia's refugees, before the organization's work is complete, in the Gulf Coast area.

15,000 Families
Early reports indicate that more than 15,000 families could appeal to the Red Cross for one kind of aid or another. It is estimated that 65,000 families suffered some kind of loss. Surveys of the devastation, of course, are still incomplete, but early totals show that almost 9,000 homes were destroyed and nearly 14,000 more suffered major damage. In addition, over 41,000 suffered some minor damage. Winds and waves alone destroyed over 450 mobile homes. As the damage becomes more apparent, still more professional Disaster Staff are assigned to the Texas Rehabilitation Operation and still more are expected to go. Nearly sixty such persons have been sent to the area already.

The nation responded generously during the devastating Iowa tornados that struck Belmont, Charles City, and Oelwein - now Iowans may help by sending contributions to American Red Cross - Hurricane Celia, Box 1775, Des Moines, Ia.

According to the new Dun & Bradstreet Metalworking Directory, California continues to lead all other states with 4,902 listed major plants that buy, produce or work with metal. Unchallenged at the other end of the scale is Alaska, which despite a 50% one-year increase, shows just three firms with over 20 employees, all connected with shipbuilding or repairs.



THIRST-QUENCHER
3 fresh limes
2 quarts chilled apple juice
5 (8-oz. each) bottles lemon- or lime-flavored soda

Cut one lime into thin slices, then in half-circles or quarters. Place one piece in each compartment of ice-making tray. Fill tray with apple juice and freeze. Cut peel from other two limes into long strips; reserve. Squeeze juice from limes; measure 1/4-cup. When apple juice is frozen into cubes, remove from tray and place several cubes in each tall beverage glass. Combine remaining apple juice (about 5 cups), carbonated beverage and lime juice in tall pitcher. Pour over cubes in glasses and garnish with strips of lime peel.

Inside Rhodesia

Hotels, Restaurants Reverse Policy, Turn Blacks Away

by Justin V. J. Nyoka
SALISBURY, Rhodesia—In my last column I wrote about the multi-racial University College of Rhodesia as one of the brain-children of the now defunct Federation. Today it is the only institution in the country where Africans can stand up and say what they want without fear of receiving prejudicial treatment from the white officers of the law. Even now under the laws that make the country a virtual police-state, the black students at the university college are able to carry out peaceful demonstrations against the racial laws without getting arrested.

But the government is worried about this free island in a sea that is raging with violent racial waves.

Where it could the Smith regime has put down its foot on institutions which had gone multi-racial during the days of Federation. A number of private schools, nearly all of them sponsored by church organizations, had opened their doors to students of all races. Peter House outside Salisbury, the Dominican Convent in Salisbury, just to mention a few that had gone multi-racial as a result of the policy of partnership between the races.

Recently the government ordered that these institutions should not take any more Africans. It, however, graciously allowed those already enrolled to complete their courses of study. The Minister of education, Mr. Philip Smith (no relation of the Premier), has also ordered a ban on multi-racial sports. In simple terms, it means that an African school cannot compete in athletics with a white school. "Why do all these things?" you may ask. In Rhodesia - white Rhodesia I mean, thinking, and I reckon it is all very crazy, races must not be allowed to mix freely, because this brings about friction. Oddly enough, whites here point to the United States and Britain as places where non-racial policies have brought racial unrest. You will be surprised to know that the whites here, and in South Africa, think that one day the rest of the free world will come round and follow their racist policies.

Because of the continued shift to the right of government policy, and the general acceptance of this by the white public, hotels and restaurants have all adjusted their policies.

The hotels had opened their doors to Africans during Federation, because of the possibilities of receiving black dignitaries from the newly independent Afri-

can states like Nigeria and Ghana in West Africa. And because one black is as good as the other, local Africans were also made welcome in these hotels.

Today the picture is different. In the whole country only one hotel, The Ambassador in Salisbury, can be said to be truly multi-racial. The others turn away blacks under the pretext of "Right of Admission Reserved." This vague policy leaves the proprietor or manager with the option to admit or refuse non-whites. This is where South Africa differs from this country. In South Africa the policy of segregation is boldly spelt out everywhere. All public places in South Africa are clearly marked: "NET NIEBLANKES" - NON EUROPEAN ONLY. At least the white South Africans are sincere about their segregation. Hypocrisy is almost a virtue of the White Rhodesians.

A black may be admitted to a "Whites Only" hotel or restaurant in Salisbury to impress visiting Americans or western-Europeans.

Recently visiting journalists from the Netherlands asked my wife and I to dinner at one of the most exclusive restaurants in Salisbury. We had a delightful meal, with the manager impressing my wife: "Mam, are you enjoying your steak?"

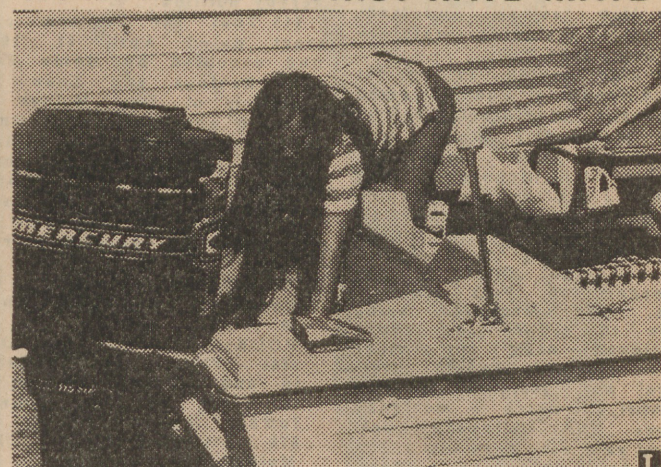
We started talking about how difficult it was to find places where one could have a good meal of one's choice. The manager, anxious to impress our white visitors said the restaurant was non-racial, so long as the guests were properly dressed. Only the other day, I thought I should take my wife to dinner to the same place. We were told the place was not multi-racial. I argued that we had had a meal there a few weeks earlier. "But then you had your white friends from the Netherlands," they said.

Of course now I am getting used to my white compatriots' hypocrisy. I can laugh at it and even tell jokes about it to visiting white friends.

There are institutions, however, which have stuck to the old policy. In Salisbury all the cinemas are still non-racial. But then the writing is on the wall. Such practices will not continue for long, because of the Municipal Amendment Act. This Act bars the use of the same facilities by people of different races.

The trend is clearly towards South African-type apartheid. Where officialdom used to deny this there is now reticence which means acknowledgement. (August 21, 1969)

HOW TO BE A FIRST-RATE MATE



Ever since old man Noah introduced all those gals to the romance of shipboard life, more and more wives have become first-rate mates and lovers of the sea. If you're a female—and your instincts are nautical—here's what you should know to give your man a deck full of helping hands—singlehandedly.

First, before departing on a boat trip, let someone responsible know where you are going, when you expect to return, and advise him of any possible changes in your cruise plans. This way, if you run into any trouble, he'll be able to tell the Coast Guard where to look for you. But, be sure to let that person know when you've returned safe and sound—to prevent any false alarms.

Taking the kids along? They should wear their lifesaving devices at all times—after being checked out for proper fit and performance in the water on each individual child. And, never hesitate to have "all hands" wear their preservers whenever circumstances cause the slightest doubt of safety in

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H. O. Parry (left), supervisor of college recruiting and management training for sales, discusses a wheel with (from left), Dennis Jackson, Florida A. & M.; James Walker, Florida State; and George Anderson, also of Florida A. & M. The young men were part of the Akron management training class which met at Firestone's corporate headquarters for sessions about sales and selling techniques. The class is composed of recent college graduates from all parts of the country who are hired by the Akron personnel representatives. After training, they returned to Firestone stores and retail shops.

your mind. The old maxim about "better being safe than sorry" is quite true when you're boating.

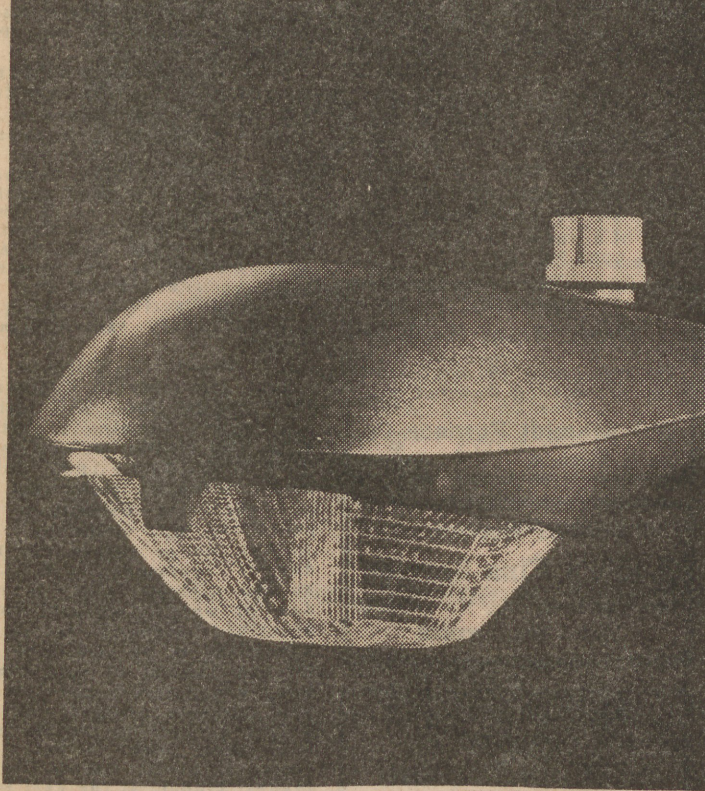
If you don't know all the various distress signals—learn them. One recognized signal used on small boats is to slowly and repeatedly raise and lower the arms outstretched to each side.

Will you be cooling off under the afternoon sun with a nice cold soft drink? If so, take the advice of the folks at Pepsi-

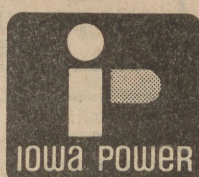
Cola—and save your empties for proper land disposal. Littering the marine highways is not only discourteous, it's dangerous—to you, your boat and the ecology.

When passing through anchorages, travel at minimum speed to prevent creating a wake strong enough to capsize small craft and cause damage to other boats or property ashore. You are, incidentally, financially responsible for any such damage.

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PERSONAL INVOLVEMENT is one of the keys to Wilford Smith's success managing the A & P supermarket in Philadelphia's Progress Plaza, the nation's first Negro-owned shopping center. Mr. Smith is shown adding up the weekly sales performance turned in by his all-black staff of 70 employees.

With the help of a new booklet, the Mark Of Convenience, you'll discover countless handy ways to make living simpler, easier and more convenient through the use of a new broad tip marker for home, school and workshop. It's free from Papermate and available by writing to Dept. M, The Papermate Company, 444 Merchandise Mart, Chicago, Illinois 60654.

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DOLLY PARTON
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Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Missionary Volunteer 3:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 8:00 P.M.
Dorcas 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.
B.T.U. 6:00 P.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

St. Paul A.M.E. Church
12th and Crocker Streets
Rev. Henderson Davis
Church School 9:45 A.M.
Church Service 10:45 A.M.
Vespers Service 6:30 P.M. 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service, Wed. 7:30 P.M.
Youth Fellowship 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 8:00 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
907 15th Street
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

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 Meetings - Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

Community Baptist Church
1108 8th Street
Rev. Guy L. Sanders, Pastor
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.
Sunday 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
1528 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 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.

Maple Street Baptist Church
E. 16th and MAPLE STREET
REV. GEO. PARISH, Minister, 6-8910
Sunday morning worship 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class 6:30 A.M.
Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service, Wed. 8:00 P.M.

First C.M.E. Church
28th and Maury Streets
REV. W. P. PETTIES, Minister
Pastor's Phone 288-4991
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
Business Meetings - Wednesdays

Union Baptist Church
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REV. HENRY THOMAS
1340 McCormick
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Evening Service 7:45 P.M.
Prayer Service Wednesday All Day

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

Evangelistic Missionary Church
1340 E. 18th Street
ELDER E. A. TINDRELL, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Sun. Worship 11:30 A.M. and 8 P.M.
Y.P.W.W. 7 P.M.
Sunday Evening Worship 8 P.M.
Tuesday Prayer and Bible Study 8 P.M.
Thursday Consecration and Healing 8 P.M.

MACEDONIA MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
2603 Center Street
REV. AVANCE HARDEN
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 10:45 A.M.
B.T.U. 6:00 P.M.
Elder Chancellor, Director
Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Services - Wed. 7:00 P.M.

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Church School 10:00 & 11:00 a.m.
Worship Services 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.
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SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH
1213 Scott Street
BL 5-6333
REV. WILLIAM HEATH, Pastor
ORDER OF SERVICES
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service 11:00 A.M.
B.T.U. 6:00 P.M.
Evening Services 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.
Y.P.W.W. (Sunday) 6:30 P.M.
Evening Services 8:00 P.M.
Weekly Evening Services (Tuesday and Friday) 7:30 P.M.

EMANUEL FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
REV. G. C. TURNER
801 S.E. 28th Street
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Worship 11:00 A.M.
Prayer Service Wed., 8:00 P.M.

MAPLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Parrish's sermon title for Sunday, August 16, will be "Strangers in a Strange Land".

MT. HEBRON BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. James M. Harris, pastor, and his wife left for Hampton, Virginia, on August 7 to conduct a week's revival for Rev. Seymour Gaines. They will return on August 15.

Paradise Baptist Church of Kansas City, Missouri, will be with Mt. Hebron all day on August 16. This is the 11th year of unbroken fellowship with them. Rev. L. B. Jones is the pastor. He will speak at 3 P.M.

PILGRIM BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, August 16, Rev. Wayland Heath's sermon subject will be "Mixed Flavours and Wounded Birds". At 3 P.M. Mrs. Lola Manson will present a recital.

AFRO CARNIVAL AT KYLES CHURCH

Saturday, August 15, an Afro-Carnival will be held from 3:30 P.M. to 6 P.M.; admission free. Those attending are asked to wear dashiki's. A prize will be awarded to the best dressed person.

Sunday, August 16, at 11 A.M. services Rev. A. Bush will deliver the message, "Do You Believe?" The senior choir will sing.

ST. PAUL A.M.E. CHURCH NEWS

The sermon subject for Sunday, August 16, worship hour to be presented by Rev. Henderson S. Davis will be "Program for Heroes".

The building fund chairman and committees and all interested members are to meet at 7 P.M. Monday, August 17, in the lower level of the church. James B. Morris, Jr. is the chairman. When auxiliaries and clubs activities begin please telephone news for the Bystander to Mrs. Bessye Greene on Monday mornings early. Telephone news in until 1:00 P.M.



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CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

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UNION BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Friday, August 14, at 7:30 P.M. the senior choir and the H. I. Thomas Singers will have a combined rehearsal.

At 11 A.M. Sunday, August 16, Pastor H. I. Thomas will preach.

MORNINGSTAR BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The morning broadcast has been changed to 7:45 A.M. on Station KSO.

Sunday school will be held at 10:00 A.M. this Sunday and the senior choir will sing. The pastor, Rev. Alex Crawford, will bring the message at 11 A.M.

MUSICAL PROGRAM AT MORNINGSTAR

Sunday, August 23, at 5 P.M. there will be a musical program at Morningstar Baptist Church, 1150 W. 13th St., with the Spiritual Travelers of Omaha, Neb., for the Pastor's Anniversary sponsored by Mrs. Justina Yeager. Other groups of the city will be present. Rev. Alex Crawford, pastor.

COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Sanders will preach at the 11 A.M. service Sunday, August 16. His sermon subject will be "Tangled Web of Sin".

The BTU will meet at 6 P.M. Sunday, August 16. The Rev. Peter Harris is on vacation. The Rev. Advance Harden will be the instructor in the absence of Rev. Harris.

HOLY CONVOCATION AT NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST NEWS

The 15th Annual Holy Convocation of the Churches of God in Christ, Diocese No. 2, concluded Sunday, August 9, at New Jerusalem Church of God in Christ. The theme of this convocation was "Helping Others to Help Themselves." Many delegates, adults and youths from throughout the state attended.

Daily Devotionals

The meeting had many and various activities. Among them were daily devotional services, educational Bible Institutes, healing services and youth revival services. Beatrice Lot, International foreign missionary from Africa and national missionary Q. T. Williams of Richmond, Calif. were speakers for the special Women's Day Program, Friday, August 7 with Mother Elizabeth McGill presiding.

Youth Program

Special emphasis on the youth program was present throughout the meeting. On Saturday, August 8, Youth Day activities included a picnic and recreation at Birdland Park. One hundred fifty children attended and a lovely dinner was enjoyed. Gifts for each child were presented by Bishop E. A. Tindrell. On Sunday, August 9, Bishop E. A. Tindrell gave his annual message that was spiritual and intellectual. An ordination service for two ministers was conducted Sunday afternoon.

Evangelistic Youth Meeting Set

The Evangelistic Inspirational Youth meeting will begin August 17 through the 23, beginning each night at 8:00. The meeting will be held at Forest Avenue Church of God in Christ, 1121 Forest Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa. The featured special guest will be Rev. M. P. Jackson, Topeka, Kansas, on August

17. Bill Mass and the Celestials, famous gospel recording artists of Detroit, Michigan, will appear Thursday, August 20.

Rev. C. N. Rucker, pastor of the Greater Holy Temple and Margaret Richardson of Kansas City, Mo. will appear Thursday, August 20.

Rev. Helbert Lambert and choir of Kansas City, Mo., will appear on Saturday, August 22.

The meetings are to be conducted by the Rev. Robert M. Smith, president of the Evangelistic Inspirational Youth of the Church of God in Christ. Rev. Smith will be assisted by Hostess, Rolma Jones of Kansas City, Mo., Assistant Hostess, Marie B. Rudison of Des Moines, Iowa and State Hostess, Getha L. Scott of Waterloo, Iowa.

FAITH TEMPLE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST NEWS

There will be a special morning service Sunday, August 16. Elder E. W. White, pastor.

Health Emphasis Week At Philadelphia S.D.A.

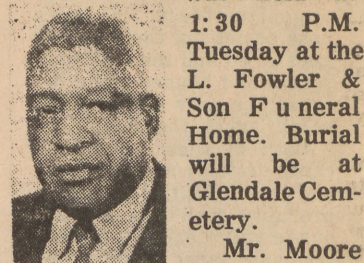
Free noon meals are the fare of the week at Philadelphia 7th Day Adventist church within the dates of August 10 - 14.

This was the time that the Health and Welfare Society of the church selected to promote a "HEALTH EMPHASIS" week. On each day well-balanced nutritious meals are being prepared for children in the Model Cities area. Many hours of labor and many dollars worth of food supplies are being donated by concerned individuals and firms.

According to the Pastor, D. J. Dixon, plans are made to serve at least 50 children per day.

Services For Hardy Moore Set

Services for Hardy Moore, 80, of 1923 Olive St., who died Friday at Mercy Hospital,



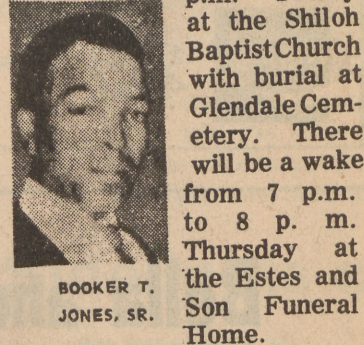
was held at 1:30 P.M. Tuesday at the L. Fowler & Son Funeral Home. Burial will be at Glendale Cemetery.

Mr. Moore was a native of Centerville and lived in Des Moines 70 years. He was an elevator operator and a member of the Hawkeye Elks Lodge 160.

Surviving is his wife, Mary. A wake was held at 7 p.m. Monday at the funeral home.

Last Rites for Booker T. Jones

Services for Booker T. Jones, sr., 69, of 1425 Eleventh St., will be at 1:30 p.m. Friday at the Shiloh Baptist Church with burial at Glendale Cemetery.



There will be a wake from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday at the Estes and Son Funeral Home.

Mr. Jones died Monday of cancer at the Americana Nursing Center. Born in Missouri, he had lived in Des Moines 40 years.

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.

Things You Should Know

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A SCHOOL FOR NEGROES THAT LASTED 100 YEARS, THEY USED THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE AS AN ARGUMENT & IN JAN., 1777, ABOLITIONISTS PRESENTED A PETITION TO THE MASS. STATE GOVERNMENT DEMANDING EQUAL RIGHTS, — IT WAS SIGNED BY SLAVES THEMSELVES!

CONTINENTAL FEATURES

Survivors, all of Des Moines, are three daughters, Mrs. Cecile Burrell, Mrs. Olive Harris and Mrs. Barbara Oakley; five sons, William, Melvin, Joseph, Merriam, and Booker, Jr.; three sisters, Mrs. Elsie Morrison, Mrs. Kitty Strothers and Mrs. Arthelia Wheels, 32 grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

SUMMER SLUMP GOT YOUR LAWN LOOKING TIRED?

Do you accept a tired, dead lawn as part of an inevitable summer slump? Don't. It's true that many grasses, especially "northern perennials" do most of their growing during the cool, spring days. In summer, when it warms up, growth slows up.

But too little food and too many bugs are a summer lawn's worst enemies. Frequent, thorough watering, especially during dry periods, will do wonders for most lawns. And a good, slow release fertilizer will keep them looking green longer, too. Summer is bug time. Even if grass plants don't always like hot weather, bugs do. Frequent watering is one good way of keeping bugs in check, because insects like it dry. A more reliable insect control is regular spraying.

Select an insecticide which will control all lawn pests. Spectracide, containing Diazinon, is one product often recommended by the National Audubon Society as a "broadly effective, short-lived" garden chemical.

Irregular dry, yellow patches or a generally ragged lawn are two tell-tale signs of insects. Chinch bugs top the list of destructive lawn pests. Other problem insects are sod webworms, Bermuda mites and armyworms.

Although only a tiny rascal—barely 1/6 inch long—the chinch bug can cause great havoc if not curbed. It sucks plant juices but is rarely noticed until the grass begins to yellow.

troublesome because some strains have developed resistance to certain insecticides. Laboratory tests have shown, however, that all strains can be controlled with Diazinon.

Sod webworms are tiny caterpillars that feed at night, chewing grass blades. By day they sleep in silk-like tunnels they spin under the grass. Sod webworms will eventually pupate and become lawn moths.

SUMMER BUGS can give your lawn that brown, tired look. Control them with regular applications of a non-persistent spray like Spectracide.

Bermuda mites are a big problem in southern states, as are Southern armyworms. The fall armyworm is a late summer problem throughout the country. Armyworms are caterpillars and, like sod webworms, love to chew grass blades.

Regular spraying—or applications of granular insecticides—should control all of these lawn pests. What's more, a broad-spectrum chemical will also eliminate those bothersome biting insects like chiggers, fleas, ants and ticks. Don't let insects get the best of your lawn this summer.

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By: MARION WILLIAMS R.Ph.

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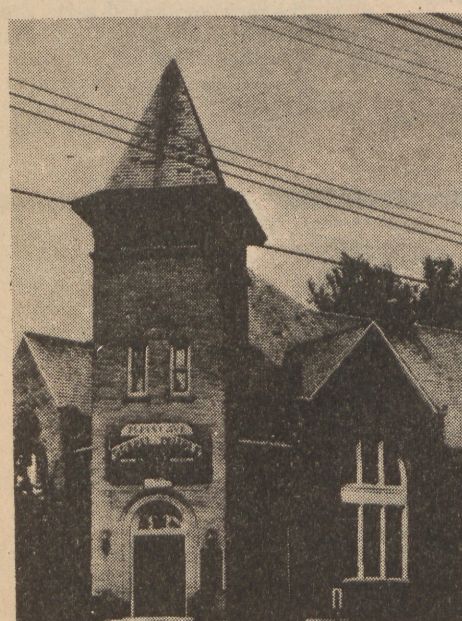
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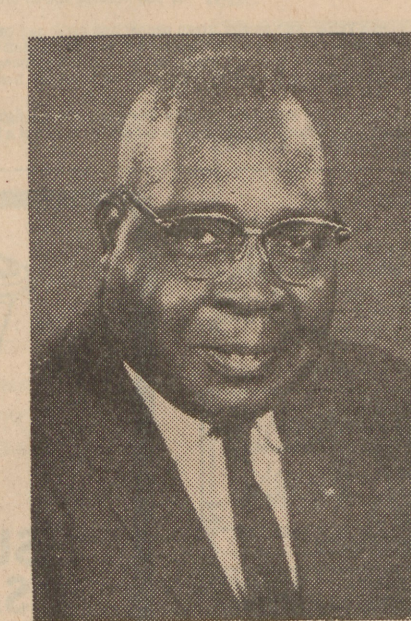
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Gulf men who were recently promoted to sales representative. From left to right are Mr. Lemmon, Daniel W. McLaurin, Louis Boykins, Jr. (rear), Jerold W. Anderson,

George Brantley, Jr., and Wayne Stewart. The men have been assigned to work for Gulf in districts from Boston to Washington, D.C.

Ghettos Tired of Being Studied

IOWA CITY — Questioning residents of Midwestern racial ghettos is not so easy, or fruitful, as it once was, a University of Iowa researcher has discovered.

William E. Hulbary of Iowa City, a Ph.D. candidate in the U of I political science department, is conducting research by questionnaire in the black sections of South Chicago; Muncie, Ind.; and the Gary-Hammond metropolitan area in Indiana.

Iowan's Object — Hulbary says he abandoned plans to gather information in Waterloo because teachers and students there "are tired of being studied."

He is afraid that the responses given to his questionnaire may not be completely frank, since increasing experience with welfare workers and other government questioners has trained ghetto residents to give the answers they feel are expected of them.

Even though he has insisted that black citizens be interviewed by other blacks, the fact that the interviewers are middle-class has meant communication between them was "turned off" in some cases because of basic hostility between lower-class and middle-class blacks, he said.

In one city an interviewer took considerable heat from local militants who opposed cooperation with the project on grounds that social action would be more fitting than continued studies.

protections against harmful rays is Givenchy's Sun Lotion. It has the advantages of being unscented and containing moisturizers that help retain natural skin oils. Working on that perfect tan is great only if you protect yourself from harmful sunburn.

There's a new way to pick up tired, wilted summer spirits! Orange Flower Skin Freshener is a lightly scented liquid that removes clogged dirt while stimulating circulation. It's a trick to look fresh at the end of a hot day, and this is one way to beat the heat.

SIPPERS MORE SOPHISTICATED

There was a time, not too far distant, when little thought was given to coffee "accoutrement." That was back in the days when coffee was coffee.

All that's changed now, say experts at The West Bend Company, a pioneer and leader in the manufacture of automatic coffee makers.

West Bend began manufacturing percolators 20 years ago and since then has observed a growing sophistication on the part of consumers shopping for a coffee maker. Affluence, education and consciousness of changing fashion have all contributed to this sophistication.

Formerly, maximum attention was paid to finding simple serviceable ware. Today, however, the most-requested perks are the new multi-feature electric units, designed for a fashion conscious homemaker. Big sellers in the West Bend line are coffee makers with handsome porcelain color finishes.

EIGHT POINTS FOR CAR CARE

NEW YORK (ED) — Americans own more cars than ever before. Last year, the U.S. Motor Vehicle Bureau registered over 80 million passenger cars. And by 1985, it's predicted that there will be more than 114 million cars on the road. Rising numbers of cars are matched by rising costs for car care. And families try to save on maintenance wherever they can. Now, Turtle Wax in new consumer convenience packaging makes it possible to do-it-yourself—easily—for all exterior and passenger interior car care.

1. **BODY** — Waxing is the only way to effectively protect the finish of your car! Hard paste wax is still best for gleaming shines. Now this big headache of a job is almost fun with a new aerosol spray wax for easier than ever application. Just spray it on, and buff with soft cloth for a long-lasting, durable finish.

2. **MAG WHEELS** — They're great looking, but harder to clean than ordinary hub caps. For best results hose down, then apply cleaning agent made specifically for these covers, polish with soft cloth.

3. **WINDSHIELD** — When cleaning windshield, don't forget the inside. Tobacco smoke can put a film of residue on glass which distorts vision. Special cleaner with ammonia is best for a clearer, brighter glass. Again, polish with a soft, lint-free cloth.

4. **WHITE WALLS** — Nothing looks worse than graying white walls. This tiresome job is now actually easy with special whitewall cleaner that cuts grease, scuff marks. Brush is suggested for application.

5. **UPHOLSTERY** — Aerosol foam cleaner is the solution

for this cleaning job. Spray on, let foam set, then just brush or vacuum away. Most cleaners can be used on both fabric and vinyl upholstery.

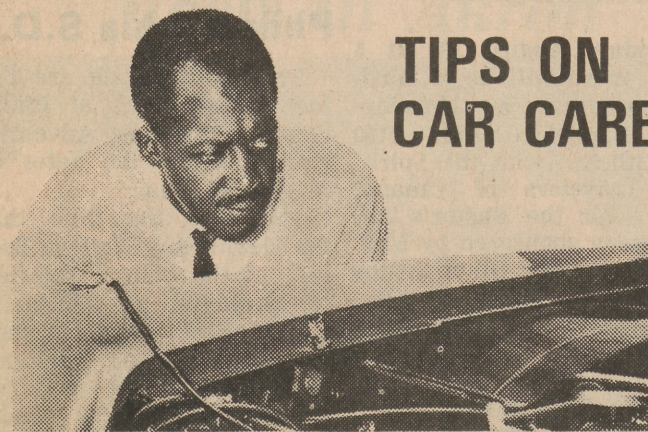
6. **CAR FRAGRANCE** — Stale odors are just as common on the road as they are in the home. Now you can guard against unpleasant auto odors with an aerosol air freshener—made just for the car.

7. **VINYL TOP** — Best treatment for vinyl top is easy to apply. Special vinyl wax goes on with cloth to weatherproof and protect against weather. And it's self-polishing.

8. **CHROME** — Getting chrome to shine like a mirror used to take hours of rubbing. Now a new chrome wax cuts the time in half. Wax also protects the chrome from dulling.

Giving your car the attention it deserves will, of course, add to its life—besides giving you great satisfaction in a beautiful looking machine. Consumer convenience packaging by Continental Can makes possible these years of enjoyment with the least time and effort on your part.

TIPS ON CAR CARE



More Bounce To The Ounce Can Be Dangerous

Have you ever ridden down a bumpy street and watched the vehicle in front of you bounce along like a basketball being dribbled by a Globetrotter?

That bouncing effect is caused by worn or broken shock absorbers. Shock absorbers are a key part of your car's suspension system. They prevent dangerous shifts in your car's weight when it accelerates, stops, turns or changes lanes, according to B.F. Goodrich engineers.

Stopping without a good set of shock absorbers results in the car's nose pushing down while the rear comes up, putting all the car's weight on the front tires. Accelerating has the opposite effect. The car's nose comes up, the rear goes down and the rear tires squeal and bounce along because the rear shocks can't hold them on the road.

Both of these conditions cause unnecessary tire wear and lessen control, but they probably aren't as hazardous to your health as having to change lanes in a hurry at turnpike speeds with inadequate shock absorbers.

Why? Because as you change lanes quickly at high speeds your car's weight will shift to the side to which you're turning. As you try to correct for the shift and try to straighten out in your new lane, the car heels heavily over in the other direction. Overcorrection can worsen the condition and the

ultimate result can be total loss of control at turnpike speeds.

The danger can be prevented by a simple test you can perform yourself. While the car is parked, give each fender a hard, fast shove down. If the car bounces like a rubber ball... well... don't go into any fast curves on the way to your service store for a new set of shock absorbers.

Shock absorbers, like cars, come in different models. When you buy them, make sure you get the type that best suits your needs. For everyday driving, standard shock absorbers are fine. However, if you intend to do a lot of trailering or carry heavy loads frequently, you'd better get the heavy-duty variety.

Of course, heavy-duty shock absorbers cost you some of that soft ride that Detroit cars are noted for, but they are worth it. The best route, if you're the "have your cake and eat it too" type, are the adjustable shock absorbers. These have a valve on them that allow you to adjust them "hard" for loads or "soft" for just loafing along on a Sunday afternoon.

Legal Abortion Guide Published

New York, August 10 — Planned Parenthood-World Population announces today the publication of "Legal Abortion: A Guide for Women in the United States," a 16-page booklet believed to be the first of its kind, written by Drs. George Langmyhr and Walter C. Rogers, Medical and Associate Medical Directors, respectively, of the organization.

Efforts are being made to gain the widest possible distribution of abortion booklets through cooperating and participating organizations. They will also be available through Planned Parenthood-World Population, 810 Seventh Avenue, New York, New York 10019, and through its Affiliates across the country. Individual post-paid copies are 25¢; quantity orders at nominal cost.

Planned Parenthood Book Sale At State Fair

The 10th anniversary Planned Parenthood Charity Book Sale will be held for the first time at the Iowa State Fairgrounds, Friday, September 25, through Sunday, October 4. The sale has outgrown its previous downtown locations. More than 250,000 new and used books, records, magazines, puzzles and art prints will be on sale.



Men Stick to Their Knitting

This year, men will stick to their knitting with fashion's newest natural for menswear—knits in everything from underwear to tailored suits. American women already appreciate the fine qualities of knits—their comfort stretch, fit, excellent wrinkle resistance and minimum care. In fact, it's estimated that half of all women's coats, suits, dresses and sportswear are knits.

And now, men can take advantage of knits in an entire wardrobe created from yarns and fabrics especially engineered for male taste and male styling. Tailoring will be the key word in the new knitted men's fashion. The fabrics, for the most part, will act like knits in terms of comfort and stretch. Some of the newest knit fashions will be tailored slacks and trousers; tailored sport coats and blazers; sport shirts; sweaterjackets and suits—the ultimate in the knitting art.

The fibers behind these fashions are predominantly the result of modern textile technology. They include textured polyester filament yarns, such as Fortrel, alone or combined with spun blends of polyester and cotton, rayon or wool. No-iron, and wrinkle resistant qualities are built right into the man-made polyester fiber so the suits resist wrinkling and hold a crease well. Other man-made fibers for the knits include Arnel triacetate, Arnel plus nylon and textured

FOOD BUDGETING BLUES? CATCH 'EM AND COOK 'EM



NEW YORK (ED) — Perhaps the luckiest, and smartest, budget-watchers these outdoor days are the legion of fishermen. They're not only having a good time, they're bringing dinner home, too.

Tender fighting fish, the kind the casters catch, are best broiled or popped into a frying pan—quick, quick cooking, with perhaps a lemon and butter garnish.

The widely-caught, meaty, white-fleshed bottom fish freeze particularly well—just the beginnings good cooks need to create an American version of classic Mediterranean bouillabaisse. Canned ingredients, with the long cooking already done, are the easy-do secret. For the authentic flavor, try Zuppa di Pesce—adapted for American kitchens by the Italian cooks at Progresso.

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| 3 medium onions sliced | 1 can (1 lb., 4 oz.) Progresso minestrone soup |
| 1 large green pepper coarsely chopped | 3 cloves garlic crushed |
| 1 pound any white fish, fresh or frozen (two or more different kinds of fish may be used) | 1 1/2 tbsps. salt |
| 3/2 cups water | 1/4 tsp. freshly ground black pepper |
| | 1/2 tsp. sweet basil |
| | 1/4 cup flavored Italian bread crumbs |

Heat olive oil in a large kettle. Add onions, green pepper and garlic and cook five minutes. Cut fish into bite-size pieces and add to the kettle, together with all the remaining ingredients except the bread crumbs. Bring to a boil, cover and simmer fifteen minutes. Add bread crumbs (the distinctive Italian thickening ingredient) and simmer five minutes more. Makes about eight cups.

Serve with Italian bread, spread with garlic and herb-flavored butter and lightly oven-baked. Allow plenty of bread for "dunking." Salad may be served to round out a full meal.

acetates, such as Celara. Because knits made of these fibers require very little special care, the men who wear them—and their women who take care of them—will have a happier and easier time of it this year.



by Carol Bennett

NEW YORK (ED) — Summer-time and the living really is easy. But it can also be harsh — those days at the beach, picnics, barbecues, and just summer heat have a way of drying out skin. A woman needs a special night cream to replenish moisture, and one of the best is Satura Algene's Conditioning Face Cream. The skin absorbs it within minutes, and almost as quickly wrinkles are minimized and your skin is smoother looking. Beat the summer heat and dryness!

Wigs may be a top fashion item, but there are times you have to wear your own hair. With the new soft hairstyles, like the Gibson, your hair needs more body to hold the style. Ogilvie has a Conditioning Setting Lotion that will give a long-lasting set, while conditioning your hair. It protects against snarls, tangles, even humidity, and it's a great way to look your best in the new '30's hair styles.

Sun and fun are equivalent. More than once, however, I've found myself with more of a tan than I bargained for. It's only realistic to know you can't get a three-months tan in one day, but everyone tries. One of the best



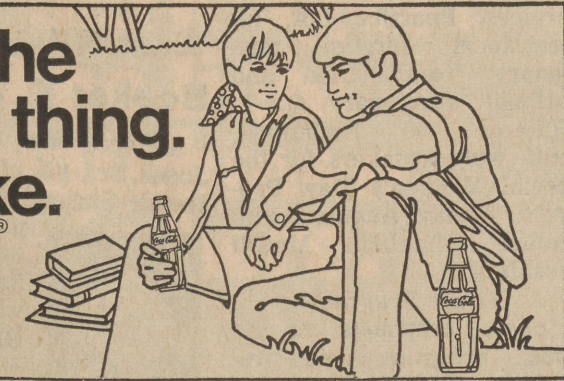
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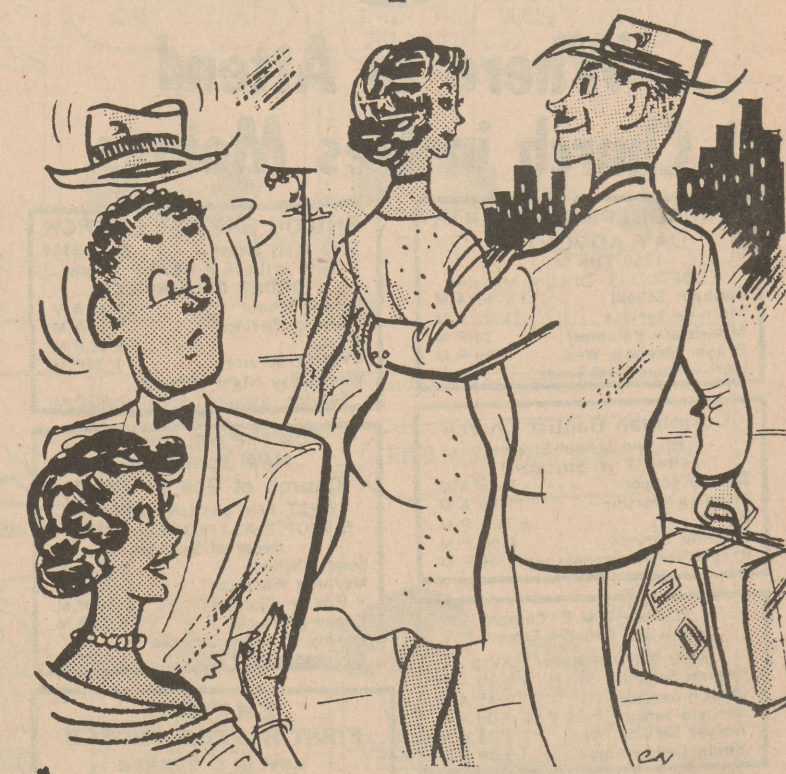
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Social Whirl + Club Calendar

by marri johnson

MODEL CITIES HOUSING FUNDS remain a local issue, which needs the active interest of all individuals and groups. This column some months ago credited Gov. Robert Ray's personal telephone call to George Romney, Housing and Urban Development head, making a plea for our Model Cities Program. This call netted \$2.6 million grant for the preliminary programming. HOUSING was to come later. LATER IS NOW!! Let's not sit back and wait for Gov. Ray to achieve still another brilliant, single-handed feat in seeing to it that Housing Funds are channeled into HOUSING NOW!! He at least would like a little support!

FLORA MAE DANFORTH IS FULLY CONVERSANT with what's happening in Denver, Colorado, and her verbal accounts backed by Volume 3-Number 8, July 33, issue of the Denver Chronicle published by monthly proved a rich informational source. Add to this The Denver Post dated Sunday, July 26, 1970, she provided.

CURRENTLY UPPER-MOST IN THE MINDS OF DENVER'S BLACKS was the July 14 slaying of 33 year old Roosevelt Hill, Jr., acting director of black studies at the University of Colorado Denver Center, on the occasion of a return trip from the Colorado State Penitentiary in Canon City. Hill was shot at a filling station by a parttime employee, Army Spec. 4 Ellis Leon Little, 21, of Ft. Carson, Colo. and Richmond, Ky. It is said "the two men argued over Hill's state of Colorado credit card -- the Mobil Station reference book did not designate acceptance of this card. Blacks are objecting to the DA's findings that Hill had choked Little who bore slight abrasions and bruises in the muscle of the neck; a slight cut lip and one bruise in the area of the right collar bone. Hill is alleged to have declared "Nobody pulls a gun on me." According to Little, Hill grabs the left arm and a shaking fashion then occurs and the gun goes off. The grand jury returned no true bill of indictment; it ruled that Little acted in self-defense during a scuffle and the gun discharged accidentally." It is said seven persons were in Hill's party, including Mrs. Hill, on this occasion. The group had talked with penitentiary inmates encouraging them to attend the black studies program at Colorado University after their release.

ON SATURDAY, JULY 25, A RACIALLY MIREd crowd of approximately 90 persons met in Carpenter Hall and formed a committee to attempt to locate and engage a nationally prominent attorney to seek reopening of the Hill case. James F. Reynolds, Denver's executive director of the Colorado Civil Rights Commission urged El Paso County citizens to get Dist. Atty. Bob Russel, Colorado Springs, to reopen the Hill's case or get rid of Russel. Lt. Gov. Mark Hogan sup-

ported the stand taken by the Colorado Civil Rights Commission. Members of Black United Denver (BUD) led by its Chairman, Roy Bracken, met and elected to hold a larger session to discuss possible action regarding the Hill case.

PARK NAMED FOR HILL URGED. An unnamed city park at 23rd and Welton Streets was selected to be named for Hill in a proposal by Denver City Councilman Elvin B. Caldwell, who declared to do so "would be a very positive way to recognize Hill's accomplishments." Caldwell stated further: "I believe that Mr. Hill's exemplary life deserves a permanent memorial, demonstrating to the public in a tangible way the honor due to him for his outstanding work."

BRENDA HUMBARD, DES MOINES BEAUTY was a contestant in the Denver Chronicle's presentation of the Miss Black Colorado Beauty Pageant held Friday evening, July 31, 1970, at the Grand Ballroom, Cosmopolitan Hotel. This occasion was a preliminary to the national Miss Black America Beauty Pageant to be held in Madison Square Garden on August 28, 1970. Brenda, one of our loveliest girls, deserves our praise for succeeding in winning a spot in the Colorado event! She is both talented and aggressive! We wish her the best in her life efforts!



BRENDA HUMBARD

American Legion Lincoln Post Installs Officers

Lincoln Post No. 126 met at headquarters and installed the following officers for 1970-71: Commander, David C. Dukes; 1st Vice Commanders, Leslie H. Johnson; Adjutant, Lawrence O. James; Finance Officer, Compton V. Chapman; Service Officer, Hale Snyder; Public Relations, James D. Newsome; Historian, Emanuel Davis, Sr.; Sergeant at Arms, Clinton T. Carter. The trustees are Clarence W. King, Arthur P. Trotter, James W. Rhone, Theodore E. Daniels and Gudus L. Leath.

Curtis E. Murphy, District Commander of the Sixth District, presided over the installation of officers on August 4, 1970. The district meeting will be held this month in Corning. Those in attendance will be Commander David C. Dukes, Past Commander, James W. Rhone, service officers, Hale Snyder and Public Re-

lations officers, James D. Newsome.

Mrs. Dorothy Robinson Has Guests

Mrs. Dorothy Robinson of 1262 Dixon St. had as her house guests her relatives from New York and Minnesota, Mr. and Mrs. William Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ragin and daughter, Pat of Huntington, New York and Mrs. Primit Cook of Minneapolis, Minn. They had an enjoyable week meeting old friends and relatives.

Wilkie House Campout Closes Program

The concluding event of the eight week Wilkie House summer program will be an overnight campout for Junior high and older grade school age boys and girls. The group will go by bus to Springbrook State Park on Thursday morning and return Friday afternoon. Adult staff members, in a ratio of one to four children, will be in charge. Sleeping in tents, cooking on wood fires, frog racing, fishing, swimming, following nature trails and singing around an evening campfire - all promise two days and a night of high adventure.

Hobbs Family Vacations In California

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hobbs and family recently returned from a one week trip to Los Angeles, California. They had lunch with Joann (Brooks) Saines, formerly of Des Moines and Mrs. Elaine Williams of Des Moines. Mrs. Saines served the famous Golden Bird chicken.

While in Los Angeles they visited with several former Des Moines residents including Mrs. William Fields, Mrs. LaGertha Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams, Floyd Christopher and Lonnie Brooks.

They also visited Alonzo Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. James Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. John Childress.

The Hobbs family made enjoyable sightseeing trips to Disney Land, China Town and the Watts Festival.

The Harry Millers Entertain Guests

Mr. and Mrs. E. Payne of Lawrence, Kansas, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller and family of 740 26th Street. Also visiting in the Miller home were Mr. and Mrs. David Rowe, and Mrs. Doris Porter.

Graham, Californians, Visit in Des Moines

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graham and children, Alisha, Joyce, Danine, Shelton and Disaree were house guests from La Puente, Calif. for two weeks with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Graham, 1317 Stewart St. They also visited with his sister, Mrs. Jennie James, 1418 12th St. and many other relatives and friends of the city. While visiting Mrs. Robert Graham worshipped at Union Baptist Church and Maple Street Baptist Church. Mrs. Helen Cooper and Robin gave a steak dinner for the Grahams, a Sunday dinner at the Gold Buffet in Winter-set, Iowa.

Miss Holmes and Mackey Visit Minneapolis

Mary Holmes and Dora Mackey spent a few days in Minneapolis, Minn. visiting relatives and friends.

Other Contestants for Miss Black Iowa



These seven young women were contestants for the Miss Black Iowa title and competed in the pageant at North High last Saturday night. From left are Betty Turner, Cedar Rapids, 19, student

at University of Northern Iowa; Vivian Woods, 19, Cedar Falls, math major at U.N.I.; Dorly Smith, 20, Burlington, planning to be interior decorator and free lance artist; Sylvia Brook-

shire, 20, Fort Dodge, graduate of Fort Dodge High school; Connie Garr, 18, Ottumwa, sophomore at Ottumwa Heights College and voted first runnerup; Caren Williams, 18, Keokuk, stu-

dent of U.N.I. and Pat Jones, 20, Waterloo, parks and recreation supervisor, and voted second runnerup. Photo courtesy of Des Moines Register.

Lovely Contestants



Bonnie Jean Franks, Miss Black Iowa, (right) and her two top competitors (from left) Pat Jones of Waterloo and Connie Garr of Ottumwa, display their trophies from Saturday's beauty pageant here. Miss Franks, 19, will represent the state in the Miss Black America Pageant Aug. 28.

Sidelights on Pageants

BY FRANCES E. HAWTHORNE
From beginning to end, the history-making Miss Black Des Moines Pageant was a black community effort. A conglomeration of varied talents were pooled to make the pageant a production success and one to remember.

Chairmen
Mrs. Barbara Gentry was honorary chairman and Mrs. Joanna Cheatom, general chairman. Thirty applicants were pared down to a field of 20 by preliminary judges, Mrs. Willie S. Glanton and Mrs. Kay Shopshire. Music consultant was Mrs. Lauritta Reeves.

Stage Scenery
C. Frank Franklin was responsible for the elegant stage scenery which included a black background on which was written in white styro-

foam script, "Eloquence in Black," with a white styrofoam silhouette of a female head, flanked by two white Grecian columns. In the state pageant the Grecian columns were replaced by ferns arrayed in tall gleaming gold holders.

Modeling
James Piggee, of JP Modeling Agency, trained the contestants in modeling and charm sessions. He was assisted by Barbara Mann, and

his wife, Mrs. Piggee.

Promoters
Much of the success for the pageants can be attributed to Spence, Ewing and Associates, Inc., especially to Associate Mrs. Yvonne Richardson, who in addition to handling much of the public relations for the pageant, also appeared on a special televised highlights program the following day, along with Miss Black Iowa and two judges.

Mrs. Luther Smith Visits in Omaha

Over the weekend Mrs. Luther H. Smith, Sr. of 901 23rd St. and grandson, Jeffrey Kaiser, visited in the home of Lois Gordon and Mrs. Edith Campbell of Omaha, Neb.

Other guests were Mrs. Smith's daughter-in-law, Mrs. Luther H. Smith, Jr. and grandson Gordon Smith of Villanova, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Smith's, Jr. daughter, Deborah L., is attending high school in Japan as an exchange student.

The visitors were also the guests of Mrs. Vera Cowen of Omaha, Neb.

BURLINGTON

Mrs. Velma L. Lewis
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A baby shower honoring Celeste Newman, Tommy Roach and Jennifer White was held last Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at the home of Mrs. Gladys White.

The wedding of Claudette Wilson, daughter of Mrs. Charlotte Wilson and the late James Wilson to Joe Parham, son of Mrs. Gertrude Parham and the late Mr. Parham, will take place Saturday afternoon, August 15, at the home of the groom's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Redd.

Candra Cheers left Saturday for Davenport, Iowa, where she will spend two weeks visiting her father, Homer Cheers.

Guest of Mrs. Doris Johnson for the past two weeks has been her little four year old granddaughter, Sheryl Doris Walkup of Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Roxie Wheeler is a patient at St. Francis Hospital. She would appreciate a visit or cards from some of her old friends.

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PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE

Ebony Magazine has featured the routes of segregation, integration and liberation this month which are discussed by several able Negro leaders in the field.

Among them are Lerone Bennett, Jr., senior editor of Ebony Magazine; Roy Wilkins of the NAACP; Whitney Young, Jr. of the Urban League; Robert S. Browne, founder and executive director of the Black Economic Research Center; Hans J. Massaquoi for Elijah Muhammad; Andrew Bremmit, Member of the Federal Reserve Board; Robert Weaver, former secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Senator Edward Brooke of Massachusetts and others.

It is easy to identify the advice these authors give as those of experience as drawn from theory and what might come if Negroes would separate on the one hand and those based on practical experiences and the hard knocks of life which too many ignore.

Those people who advocate separatism seem to forget that it takes money to achieve these fantastic ideas of Negro states and Negroes going their own way in a community none of which can be done without money.

Bremmit, of the Federal Reserve Board, cites the latest official figures on the relative wealth of white and Negroes that are astonishing. And it is for these among other reasons that Negroes must cooperate with the whole society in the advancement of any program they undertake. On the other hand, white people are not going to give Negroes a state in order for them to have one.

And the article points out how foreigners have kept his identity in the new world and Negroes strive to maintain it. This is not true of the Germans, Swedes, Italians, Dutch, Japanese and other strains who display their homeland dress, food, recreation and the like but they use them on special occasions and don't carry them around on their heads or shoulders.

In fact, the longer these foreigners have been here the more one can see that they are just Americans.

SLIPS ARE MADE BY PRESIDENT

Answering questions at a press conference in California, President Nixon omitted the word "alleged" in describing a defendant, Mausm, on trial. It was a serious slip up as far as this particular trial is concerned and yet the news media blew it all out of proportion.

He also said the news media glorified criminals and crime all out of proportion which has led a lot of neo-criminals to get in the limelight.

The news media said little about this and yet it is one thing which has made criminals feel very important; that in an effort to protect their civil rights and has led them to the idea that the law rather than they are the ones who are violating the law.

It often happens that the wrong thing makes the headlines simply because the public will look and listen.

EVAN NEWTON HESITATES

Huey Newton, Black Panther Leader, has been released from jail on a \$50,000 bond pending a new trial for the murder of policemen after the California Supreme Court reversed his earlier conviction.

At the time of the release, Newton stated that he planned to recruit soldiers to join the Viet Cong liberation front in their struggle against South Vietnamese and the imperialists.

Asked by a reporter if he planned to fight against America, Newton because almost speechless making an answer which was difficult to understand.

The question caught him by surprise; he was not prepared for an answer because

Standard Oil Supports King Foundation

Princeton, N. J., August 5, 1970 — Standard Oil (Indiana) Foundation, Inc., has made a grant of \$7,000 to the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation for its Martin Luther King, Jr. Fellowships. Mr. Raymond Richardson, director of the program, announced the grant, stating that the money will be used to provide a King fellowship for Mr. Steven H. Pugh, Jr., to study law at Loyola University in Chicago. A Chicagoan by birth, Mr. Pugh has returned to that city after spending almost five years in the U.S. Air Force. He is currently assisting Black community projects designed to relieve racial tension.

Social Security Health, Education Welfare

QUESTION: How bad does my vision have to be before I am automatically considered "blind" under the Social Security Law?

ANSWER: The law describes statutory blindness as having vision no better than 20/200 even with glasses or having a limited visual field of 20 degrees or less. You should check with social security if you have a serious vision problem which prevents your working even though you do not meet the legal definition of blindness.

QUESTION: As a college student, I work part time each semester and full time during college vacations. The social security contributions coming out of my pay could help me meet expenses. Why deduct from my earnings now, considering the number of full-time years in the future I'll have to pay? Will I really get my money's worth over the long run?

ANSWER: You and other young workers — part time or full-time are earning valuable social security retirement, survivors, and disability insurance protection worth more than the social security contributions you pay. If you have 1½ years or more of recent work in your social security record, you and your family may count on monthly benefits if you become disabled. And your family would get monthly benefits if you died. Earnings of as little as \$50 in any 3-month calendar quarter will assure you of credit toward this valuable insurance protection.

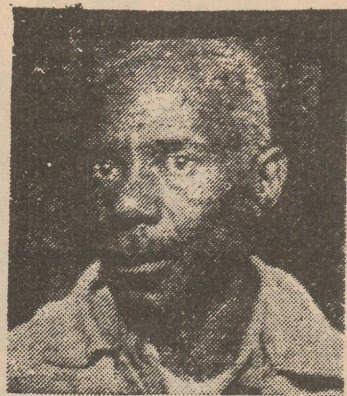
QUESTION: My wife and I have both worked full time since our marriage 10 years ago. We are both concerned over the social security contributions she must pay, especially since she can get payments on my work record. Why deduct from my wife's earnings when she can get payments whether she works or not?

ANSWER: It's true that your wife could qualify for payments on your social security record whether she works or not. However, an important consideration is the valuable protection she has built up as a result of her own work. Now that she worked 10 years, she can be assured of a benefit on her own record at 62 or later. She can receive this benefit even if you can continue to work after her retirement. Also, the chances are that the benefit on her own record will be higher than the benefit payable as a dependent wife.

deep in his thinking he is "not prepared to fight America."

With all his complaints about mistreatment of minorities and the poor, Newton was not prepared to say he planned to fight America. This explains that Newton knows that American is his home and that he finds it uncomfortable to choose the Viet Cong over his own country.

SPORTS



With Allen Ashby

The baseball season is just beginning to heat up, the tennis season is approaching its climax with the Davis cup finals, and the national all star game was the first blow. And after the strike which we never did think would cancel out the 1970 season, things have begun to roll in earnest. With less than a week's practice, the teams are playing exhibition games. They have been working out on their own all summer, and so the only thing they really had to get is their timing and execution of their plays.

Training Camps

Makes one think that all of this ballyhoo about training camps is just more smoke to lure in the cash customers. We recall one time a fight critic said that most of the training camps of fighters were merely to build interest in the fight. There was a great cry that the fellow didn't know what he was talking about.

Joe Louis

Then we thought of Joe Louis and his fights a month and how little he actually trained for them. Then, too, we also had in mind a great fighter of his day who went to a small town to train for a fight that was to be held in that town. Well, the fighter went to the gym every day and belted hell out of the bags and sparring partners. Then every night he would go to a neighboring town and take in a night spot where he could consume enough whiskey to float a small ship. And when the fight came off, he kayaked his opponent in about four rounds.

Of course, the local papers were full of stories about how hard the fellow had trained for his bout, and everybody came away happy. Now, you say, the pro football players do no such thing. Of course, they have bed checks, and such, so they had better not get caught off base. But after the events of the last three weeks, we aren't sure the training season isn't so much frosting on the cake.

Why All Star Games

A fellow who happened to be born after 1940 asked us why this all star business started. We thought everyone knew that, but we forgot that the beginning of the game is a bit of ancient history. Way back in the thirties,

Maybe man can control his body to an undreamed-of degree.

Recent experiments have produced extraordinary results. At Rockefeller University in New York, for example, Dr. Neal Miller and his associates have trained rats to regulate a whole series of visceral functions not previously thought to be under voluntary control. To raise or lower the amount of blood flowing to their stomach walls. To boost or limit the amount of their gastric secretions. To increase or decrease the rate of urine formation. To raise or lower their blood pressure.

Now at Baltimore City Hospital, humans have been trained to raise their blood pressure and drastically modify the rhythm of their heartbeat. Just how they do it is still something of a mystery, even to the researchers. But Dr. Miller is not convinced of that explanation.

At any rate, Dr. Miller be-

perts used to pick an all American team. These, it was claimed, were the eleven best football players in the country. Then some guy would come up with the idea that it would be a grand treat to see them all together to play at least one game.

Arch Ward

So Arch Ward of the Chicago Tribune got the idea of having the professional champions play the all American team with the proceeds going to charity. Of course, the all Americans had to have some subs, so the team was originally chosen by the fans.

Good Start

For a while, the college boys held their own with the pros, but as the big boys became better organized, and had longer playing seasons, they soon left the college boys in the dust.

Coaches Choose

Then the coaches began to choose the team, and they tried to pick the biggest and best collegians anywhere. That worked pretty well for a while. At least, it was a respectable game. But then some of the college stars had already signed with the pros, and they didn't want to be late reporting to their new teams, and thus jeopardizing their chances of making the ball club.

1969 Season

Last year's game was played with a bunch of the headline stars sitting out. So the college boys never had any sort of chance. So it was this year. The Kansas City Chiefs, with less than a week's practice, made the name stars look like so many high school boys.

Black All Stars

Oh, yes, there was one fellow who thought that there ought to be a game between the black college all stars and a pro team. Well, the team was chosen. Your's truly was actually named to

Health for All

lies this may be just the beginning of some exciting developments. He thinks it might be possible to exercise willful control over a host of bodily functions and regulate them as a symphony conductor directs his orchestra, signaling softer tones from some sections and a faster tempo elsewhere.

Visceral learning may ultimately mean that man can use his mind to conquer many of the illnesses of his body, says Dr. Miller.

In the meantime, however, you can find out more about one of your vital organs — your lungs — and how they function by checking with your local tuberculosis and respiratory disease association. That's a first step. And it's a matter of life and breath.

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select some guys. We declined, saying that we hadn't seen enough black teams to know what we were doing. Anyway, the team chose as opponents the New York Giants. The game was cut short, the quarters were cut short, and yet the score was 73 to 0 in favor of the Giants.

Too Small

The blacks just had too many little 140 and 150 pound guys to have any sort of a chance. After the game, F.A. Young of the Chicago Defender, said it had set Negro football back fifty years. But, really, it did the black teams a favor. They then knew what they had to do to

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

have a chance a big time football, and some of them did it. They went out and got the biggest and fastest guys they could find. Now you hear of them as they come up to the pros from Grambling, Florida A & M, Tennessee A & I, and other such schools that people had never heard of before.

V.A. Warning to G. I. Bill Students

Veterans who attended classes during the spring and summer sessions under the GI Bill should make sure their Certification of Attendance cards are returned to the Veterans Administration immediately.

The VA explained that unless the cards are returned, veterans cannot be paid the educational money for their last month of training. Neither can they be paid for their first month of training when they return to school this fall.

A veteran attending college should fill out and sign the card he received with his next to final check, and mail it to his regional VA office, VA explained.

College Level

A veteran training below college level should fill out and sign the card he receives with his monthly check, and return it each

month to his regional VA office. The card also must be signed by a school official. The veteran who has lost his attendance certification card should request another from his nearest VA office. He should then return the completed card to his regional VA office, the VA advised.

Veterans intending to go to school this fall who do not have a VA Certificate of Eligibility are urged to contact their nearest VA office immediately.

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WARDROBE WISDOM BY JANE DONALSON

There's a new way to stitch together an exciting fashion wardrobe . . . it's called sew-and-go.

"Sew" because you whip it up yourself, of course. "Go" because it's fashioned of Ban-Lon® knits, the care-free wrinkle haters that go, go, go. Leading designers insist on these soft, drapery easy-care print and solid fabrics.

To help you stitch your way to success, here are some simple rules to follow when sewing with this fabric. Select a simple unlined pattern without intricate seaming. When preparing your fabric for cutting, apply as little tension as possible. And always use a flat blade or pinky shears.

THE PUSHBUTTON CONSUMER

Americans like to push buttons, especially when a button is attached to one of the nearly three billion aerosols used each year in this country ranging from whipped cream to shaving cream, from lemon flavoring to lemon oil furniture polish, and from hair dye to paint spray.

According to Barr-Stallfort, a leading contract packager of aerosols, the aerosol-psychology is based on consumer preference for these conveniences: ready to use without preparation or cleanup; streamlined packaging; elimination of waste; purity of dispensed product, including medicinals, allowing use of the

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