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Union Leader Asks for 'Equal Rights' Week

General Ike Not Right Yet, Says Current

The question of where General Dwight D. Eisenhower stands on the Civil Rights issue seems to have been somewhat clarified Wednesday night when Gloster B. Current of New York, N. Y., declared that the General has not favored non-segregation in the armed forces in Europe except above the platoon level.

Current addressed members of the Des Moines branch of the Na-

provements in housing for colored people, but he warned:

"We can't yet trust racial questions to a secret ballot. Too many Americans are not willing to extend civil rights unless they know they must stand up and be counted."

Current paid tribute to early N.A.A.C.P. leaders who now are "getting up in years."

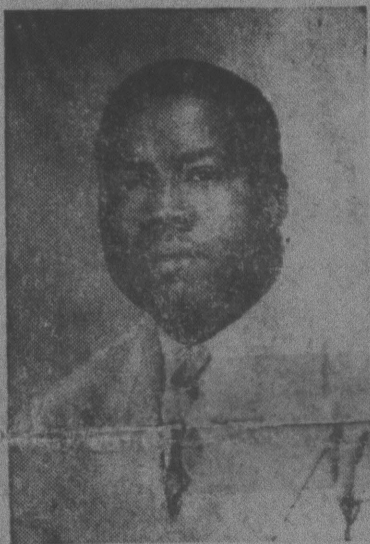
"They fought a good fight in days when it required great sacrifices. Many of them did a lot of work at their own expense and they got nothing out of the N.A.A.C.P.," Current said.

"Job Not Yet Done"

He criticized younger members who seem to be willing to make some of the same sacrifices, although they are benefiting from earlier work.

"Our job is not done," Current declared. "We still are suffering at the hands of Jim Crow, and everytime we become complacent, old man Jim Crow raises his head."

Current complimented the Des Moines branch on its activities, and expressed confidence that its quota of 1,000 will be met in a membership drive to start in May.



Gloster B. Current

ional Association for the Advancement of Colored People of the Crocker branch, Y.M.C.A. Gloster is Director of Branches of the N.A.A.C.P. and seems much younger than his age which is 38.

President Truman, Current said, "recently is keeping quiet" on the racial issues and has not been doing much "pushing". Thus far, however, Truman has not announced his candidacy.

Senator Estes Kefauver of Tennessee is "definitely not a proponent of civil rights, but is an opportunist," stated Current. "He is popularizing the word 'coon' for something else". (Reference to Kefauver's hat).

Senator Robert A. Taft of Ohio, Gloster said, might as well be one of the southern governors from the stand he has taken on the state's rights in the matter of segregation and the elimination of segregation in schools.

The one man who seems to have done "every thing which a governor should have done" is Gov. Adlai Stevenson of Illinois. His action was commended in the Cicero and Cairo incidents.

Sees Improvements

He also cited five examples of anti-colored voting by Iowa Senators and some Representatives, but primarily, Current declared, "opinions are changing in America."

He cited numerous cases, even in the south, where segregation in schools is being eliminated without unfavorable "incidents."

In one case, he said, psychiatrists testified that segregation of colored children was "warping their minds and doing permanent damage, which accounts for their difficulties when they later are thrown into mixed societies."

Housing Situation

Current said he "rejoices" at im-

Man Charged With Carrying Gun

James Thomas, 206 Oneida Street, was free on \$1,000 bond, Monday, March 31st, after having been charged with carrying a concealed weapon. Thomas was arrested Saturday night, March 29th, after a call had been sent in that a man had shot a revolver in a crowded business place on Oneida Street.

City To Pave Mobile And Cottage Streets

Tuesday, March 25th, the City Council of the City of Waterloo approved a resolution, calling for the paving of Mobile Street, from the north line of Independence Street, to the south line of the present paving on Sumner Street. It was also deemed necessary and advisable to pave Cottage Street, from the west line of Mobile Street, to the east gutter line of the existing pavement on East Fourth Street. Ash Street, from Douglas to Albany street, was also included.

These streets will be of six inch thick reinforced concrete pavement, twenty one to twenty five feet wide with integral roll-type curbs.

Several petitions had been received by the city council, requesting such improvements, and the council after studying the situation, deemed that such improvements were necessary and advisable.

This resolution will be considered by the city council for passage at a meeting to be held on the 22nd day of April, 1952, at 8 o'clock p.m., in the council chambers, at the City Hall, at which time the owners of property subject to assessment for the proposed improvements may appear and make objection to the cost of the improvements, to the amount proposed to be assessed against any lot, and to the passage of said resolution. And at which time, resolution may be amended, passed as amended, or as proposed.

True Friends Singers At Union Baptist

The Union Baptist Church is expecting a capacity crowd on Sunday, April 6th, when the mid-west singing sensations, the TRUE FRIENDS SINGERS from Des Moines are presented in a concert of spiritual and gospel songs.

Organized 22 years ago in Memphis, they group was made up of four members. A few years ago, the group became established in the north and western parts of Iowa.

After becoming so very popular, three new voices were added, bringing the number to seven soul stirring voices. However, the group retains the name quartet, consisting of Robert Dixon, Al William, Victor Coleman, Lester Jurnigan, Alfred Bruce, Wendell Chapman and J. L. Parker. Since their arrival in Iowa in 1944, the group has been under the supervision of Deacon Cannon.

Russell Lasley Seeks Action By Stevenson of Illinois

Chicago (ANP) — Russell R. Lasley, vice president of the United Packinghouse Workers of America, CIO, and also head of the union's anti-discrimination department, last week called on Governor Adlai Stevenson to proclaim an "Equal Rights Week" for Illinois.

Purpose of the week is to combat race discrimination and to emphasize the democratic aspirations

"So that the race riots of Cicero and the bombings in Cairo do not become more symbolic of Illinois than the traditions of Abraham Lincoln and Gov. John Peter Altgeld, we strongly urge that you proclaim an 'Equal Rights Week' for this state, during which time the majority of its citizens and religious, civic, labor and industrial organizations may join in observances and practices to strengthen those democratic aspirations which today are the only sure way to freedom and peace."

The union also asked the governor to start a scientific survey of the actual conditions, nature and causes of racial discrimination in Illinois.

The UPWA now is near completion of a nation-wide survey conducted by Fisk University, Nashville, Tenn., of racial practices within its own organization.



Russell Lasley

of the American people. In appealing upon Gov. Stevenson to set aside the week, Lasley said in part:

"Look Rape" Trial Postponed; Court House Burns

Yanceyville, N. C. (ANP) — The second trial of Mack Ingram, Negro tenant farmer accused of assaulting a white girl last summer in a "look rape" case, although he never came within 75 feet of her, was postponed last week because a fire destroyed the courthouse here.

Ingram, 42, and the father of nine children, is free on \$1,500 bond. He first was sentenced last summer to two years by a Recorder's court. He appealed this sentence and a Superior Court trial last November ended in a mistrial.

The case was listed among the 10 top news stories in North Carolina during 1951.

Pearl Bailey Quits "Shuffle Along"

New York (ANP) — Pearl Bailey, the musical comedy songstress, has left the cast of "Shuffle Along" which has been struggling to get ready for a Broadway opening, March 24th.

It is reported that Miss Bailey did not like the part assigned to her. There are plenty of people eager to take her place, according to reports.

Thelma Carpenter, another top bracket performer is said to be available. There have been so few opportunities to get on Broadway that despite its frail financial backing the producers of the revival have been able to pick and choose from many performers seeking tryouts for various roles.

Dolores Martin who took the job Miss Bailey surrendered in "Arms and the Girl" is also being considered.

Shoots At Friend Over \$4 Loan

Detroit (ANP) — John Lewis may have been a friend in the time of need when he loaned Thomas Andrews \$4, but Lewis used the wrong method in an attempt to collect his money.

Lewis, 22, last week was brought before Recorder Judge John J. Maher on the charge of careless use of firearms.

Police said Lewis went to the home of Andrews, 32, and fired several shots into the wall of the bedroom when Andrews refused to pay him. Lewis said that he was only trying to scare his money out of Andrews.

Judge Maher placed Lewis on six months probation.

Atlantic City Preacher Accused of Rape

Atlantic City, N. J. (ANP) — Junius Manuel Mickey, 57, was arrested in Harrisburg, Pa., by special agents of the FBI where officers said he was living under the name of E. Manuel.

S. K. McKee, special agent in charge of the FBI, for New Jersey, announced the arrest of Mickey on a charge of unlawful flight to avoid prosecution for rape.

Mickey was indicted by the Atlantic County Grand Jury on Dec. 5, 1951, on charges of carnal abuse of a 13-year-old girl of Atlantic City.

The family of the 13-year-old girl resided in an apartment owned by Mickey.

At the time of his arrest, police reported Mickey said he had been a travelling evangelist for more than 20 years. He claims to be a minister of the Pentecostal Holiness Church in Atlantic City.

OVER THE BACK FENCE

WITH BOB

Several months ago, a fellow told me that he couldn't get used to being single after having been married so long. He missed so many of the nice little things that went with married life, that single bliss could not compensate for. And so he was going to get himself a wife. And so he did. . . . Monday, March 24th, Joe Curry, Jr. was united in holy matrimony with Miss Janie Hickey, to love, honor, and worry with the rest of their natural lives. . . . I know how Mr. Curry felt. I, too, sort of miss those little comforts of married life. . . . It's great to wake up in the morning, and smell the wonderful aroma of coffee boiling, of bacon frying, and biscuits burning, and then sit down to a fine breakfast—or is your wife the kind that sends you to work without breakfast? It's also great to come home from work at night, and find a nice warm meal waiting for one—or does your wife leave a note saying, "Honey, there's some cold meat in the refrigerator. I've gone to the movies—or to a club meeting—or to Cliff's Supper Club. . . . Well. Anyway, Mr. and Mrs. Curry, we congratulate you, and wish you many and many happy anniversaries.

In helping three different young ladies make out their income tax statements, a couple of months ago, I noticed one strange similarity—they all named the same fellow as a dependant.

At the Elk's Style Show, while the bathing beauties were parading, a very queer noise was heard, that caused a lot of wonder. The mystery has now been solved. That was a very prominent brother Elk's eyeballs popping.

Why is it that our people like to fight each other so much. Do they think it smart? Don't they know that it's better to act like human beings than like animals.

When one of these Waterloo girls start working on you, you need a whole lot more than will power. You need a great deal of won't power.

Promises, promises, promises! They can get you into a whole mess of trouble. Many a girl has had to run all the way home at night, and many a man has had to duck around corners, through alleys, and across fields, because of promises. Am I not right, little girl? Take my advice, "Don't make them, and you won't have to break them."

I was thinking—some women are like a cocktail. They need shaking up.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Weems are the proud parents of a new income tax deduction, having recently given birth to a lovely young one. Keep up the good work.

Have you ever heard of the "Waterloo Switch"? Well, it's a term originated by Mr. Lazell Forney—the well known "Trader Horn". If you would like to know what it means, ask him. He'll be glad to tell you.

One of our better known playboys, and men-about-town, fell in love recently, to such an extent, that he got a job, and went to work. . . . He was even heard to say, "Sure I don't mind morking. Work never kills anyone." To which Mr. Merle Cole is alleged to have replied, "And loafing aint never caused any casualties either." But this young man soon recovered from this spell, and is back at his usual haunts, and his usual occupation—doing nothing. He's still in love—but not with work.

Speaking of work, Brothers Merle Cole says that that is one thing that never bothers him a bit. He can lie right down beside work, and never give it a thought.

There's a gentleman (?) who objects to his girl friend going into any of the so-called joints. He's afraid that she might run into him there.

Why is it that so many young fellows with no responsibilities at all, are always broke?

It is said that some people marry for love, in June. While some marry in December, because of the loving they did in June.

This is to a young lady I know—and a lot of others could profit by it. "Always keep an eye on your enemies, and two eyes on your friends, especially your best friend." Don't be misled by sweet words and flattery. You know, sometimes when your good friends are patting you on the back, they're just feeling for a soft place to stick a knife.

To all and sundry, I wish to make this statement, I AM NOT "SNOOPIN' SMITH". Our styles are different. He's the brass knuckle type, while I'm all "soft lights and sweet music". As far as I know, he's an anonymous contributor to this periodical. If you wish to know any more you'll have to go further down the line than "yours truly".

A mother spends twenty hard years trying to make a man of her son, and then some little skirt comes along and makes a fool out of him in twenty minutes. Ain't that a blip? I should know.

Speaking of men fools, there are a lot of female fools too, you know.

Before I depart, let me remind you of this saying, "If you drive, don't drink. If you drink, don't drive." Mayoe you don't care anything about your life, but there are a lot of other people who are very much concerned about their lives, and the lives of their loved ones.

Take care of yourselves. And until I am with you again, be good. But if you can't be good, for heaven's sake, be careful. And now, until we meet again over the back fence, I'll be seeing you.

Robert Robinson.

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Mr. Tommie Green is convalescing at home after under-going surgery at St. Francis Hospital.

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Miss White, who reigned as queen last year, ranked sixth in national competition. Her successor will represent Waterloo at the Imperial council's national contest in Indianapolis.



BILLY ANDERSON

Billy Anderson, aged 12, Waterloo's youngest organist, played several numbers on his own Hammond Studio Organ, that had been carried to the hall from his home. Billy, who has gained wide fame as an organ prodigy, especially pleased the audience with his rendition of "Old Man River."

Music for the entire show, and following dance, was furnished by Howie Curtis and his Quintette, a very fine little band, playing a George Shearing type of music.

Mr. Vivret Norman, Imperial Potentate, acted as master of ceremonies.

This show, and contest, is given annually by the Shriners, with the entire proceeds of the affair going to their National Tuberculosis and Cancer Research Fund.

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LORRAINE BAKER WINS SHRINER'S STYLE AND BEAUTY CONTEST

Miss Lorraine Baker, of 745 Vinton Street, won the title of "Miss Bashir Temple", and the right to represent the Waterloo Shriner's chapter at the national contest of the Imperial Council in Indianapolis, Indiana, after competing against two other contestants, the Misses Fannie Baskerville, and Jewell Townsend, who were runners-up in the order named, at the Shriner's Annual Charity Style and Beauty Contest, at The Electrical Park Ballroom, Friday night, March 28th.

The contest was a very close one between Miss Baker, and Miss Baskerville, the latter losing by just about one point. In fact, all three of the young ladies were so lovely, and they did such a competent job of modeling, it was very difficult to judge just who was first, second, or third. Any one would have made a creditable representation for Waterloo at the Indianapolis convention.

Indeed, the judges, namely: Mr. Leonard Siegal, of the Cutler Clothing Store, Miss Beverly Paulson, of the Waterloo Daily Courier editorial staff, and Mr. Hal Croak, a photographer, were in an exceedingly tough spot, and did well to come out alive.

After the judges ballots were counted, and the debris of battle cleared away, Miss Lorraine Baker, dainty and delectable, was announced winner of first prize. Miss Fannie Baskerville, with a shape that would put Venus to shame, was a close second. And Miss Jewell Townsend, a newcomer, who immediately started the fellows to wondering "Who is she", placed third.

Three prizes were awarded to the contestants by the Tennebaum's Jewelry Store, 208 East Fourth Street. First prize, which went to Miss Baker, was a lovely Bulova wrist watch. The second prize, awarded to Miss Baskerville, was a beautiful rhinestone set of necklace, bracelet, and ear-rings. The third prize, given to Miss Townsend, was a brilliant pair of ear-rings, and necklace.

Entertainment for the program was provided by Mrs. Louise Reed, who sang "Please Mr. Sun", Mrs. Frieda Anderson on the ivories, playing "The Creole Love Song", and Mr. Thomas Cooper, singing "Trust In Me".

Tenenbaums Furnished The Prizes New York Fashions Furnished The Styles A Good Time Was Had By All At The Shriners Ball



Left to Right: — Mrs. Paulsen, Waterloo Courier, Photographer, Gladys Gress, N. Y. Fashion; Anita White, Mrs. McDonald, N. Y. Fashion; Lorraine Baker, Fannie Baskerville and Jewell Townsend.

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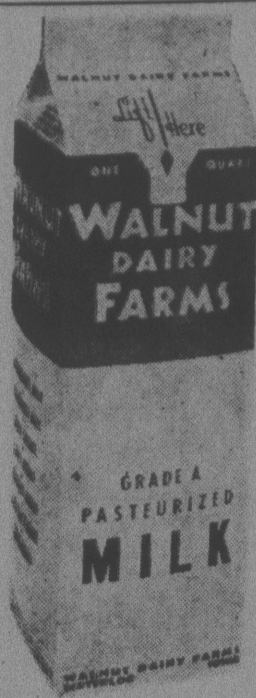
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CHURCH and CLUB NEWS

"HOLY WEEK SERVICES"

April 7th, through 12th — Monday through Saturday

Union Baptist Church

Topic: THE SEVEN LAST SAYINGS OF CHRIST.

Monday—First Word . . . "Father Forgive Them"

Rev. I. Battle and Choir

Tuesday—Second Word . . . "Today Shalt Thou Be With Me in Paradise"

Rev. J. W. Collins and Choir

Wednesday—Third Word . . . "Behold Thy Mother"

Rev. A. N. Fox and Choir

Thursday—Fourth and Fifth Word . . . "My God, My God Why Hast Thou Forsaken Me"

"I Thirst"

Rev. Samuel Davis and Choir

Friday—Sixth and Seventh Word . . . "It is Finished"

"Father Into Thy Hands I Commend My Spirit"

Rev. P. W. Burt and Choir from Cedar Rapids

Saturday Evening—Candlelight Service . . . Union Baptist Choir.

Rev. A. N. Fox, Pastor

IOWA ASSOCIATION OF COLORED WOMENS CLUBS

The District Meeting of the Iowa Association of Colored Womens' Club was held at the First Presbyterian Church in Marshalltown, March 30th. The principal speaker was Mrs. W. Aves, President of the third district. Her topic was "Mobilization of Women".

Attending from Waterloo were Mrs. Lydia Page, Mrs. Emma Shephard, Mrs. Carrie Bright and Mrs. Valetta Fields. They were accompanied by Mr. Bishop Burt, Associated Grand Patron of Electa Grand Chapter O.E.S. Mrs. Fields was elected Vice President. Mrs. Bright was elected Corresponding Secretary.

YA-WA-CA CLUB

The Ya-Wa-Ca Club meets the first and third Wednesday of each month. New members are welcome to attend meetings which start at 7:30 P.M.

Mrs. Nadine Furgesen, President, announces that plans are being made for their annual spring tea, to be held in April. They hope to have a speaker from Iowa City.

COMMUNITY CHARITY CLUB

The Community Charity Club met last Sunday, March 30th, at the Payne Chapel A.M.E. Church. The principal speaker was Dr. R. F. Harvey. Chairman was Miss Thomas Flemmings. Solos were rendered by Mrs. Griggs Woods, accompanied by Mrs. Leon Therioth, Mrs. Charles Oliver, accompanied by Mrs. Liza Baxtrom, Mrs. Cuba Tredwell, accompanied by Mrs. Therioth.

There was also a duet by Mrs. Shingle Hayes and Miss Minsie Butler. A instrumental solo was offered by Mrs. Vera Woods.

The Club was formed in 1950 with the specific purpose of helping the sick and needy in the community. President of the Club is Mrs. Dorothy Simms.

ELKS EDUCATIONAL BOARD

The Elks Educational Board held a quarterly meeting, March 23rd, at Waterloo, Iowa.

ELK MEETING IN WATERLOO

The Past Exalted Rulers Council, a branch of the Improved, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the World, met in Waterloo, Iowa, Sunday, March 23, 1952, and held its Annual Election of Officers. Those officers elected were:—

Chief Antler.....	William Hubbard, Des Moines, Iowa.
Vice Chief Antler.....	George Smith, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
Right Antler.....	Herman Russell, Waterloo, Iowa.
Left Antler.....	C. E. Shepard, Waterloo, Iowa.
First Scribe.....	R. A. Jackson, Des Moines, Iowa.
Bursar.....	John Williams, Des Moines, Iowa.
Inner Guard.....	George Curry, Waterloo, Iowa.
Tyler.....	Robert Oden, Waterloo, Iowa.
Esquire.....	David Cret, Fort Dodge, Iowa.
Trustees.....	E. T. Smith, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
	Chas. Poindexter, Des Moines, Iowa.
	Alonzo Potter, Des Moines, Iowa.

The Past Daughter Rulers Council, also in session at Waterloo, joined with the Exalted Rulers Council in the establishment of a State-wide Civil Liberties Department and selected Chas. P. Howard as Temporary Chairman and Dtr. Geneva Robinson, Temporary Secretary and the following members: — Dau. Hilda Baker, Waterloo, Iowa; Dau. Beatrice Oden, Waterloo, Iowa; Dau. Emma Turner, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Bro. Charles Parker, Waterloo, Iowa; Bro. E. T. Smith, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Chief Antler Hubbard stated at the close of the session that the purpose of the creation of a State-wide Civil Liberties Unit was to make it possible to extend Civil Liberties activities to areas in the State not having Elk Lodges. Judge Hobson Reynolds of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, is the Grand Commissioner of Civil Liberties.

The meeting, which lasted the entire day, was adjourned to convene again in Des Moines, Iowa, on the Third Sunday in June.

Geneva Robinson, Publicity Directress,
1223 Dixon Street, Des Moines, Iowa.

"Christian Family Week" Observed May 4-11

New York (ANP) — Protestant and Orthodox Churches related to the National Council of the Churches of Christ in the U.S.A. will observe "Christian Family Week" May 4-11.

Theme of the week will be "Brotherhood Begins at Home".

The observance will be "both a challenge and an opportunity to strengthen the homes of America", according to the NCCC.

Religious Workers Undergoing Change

Chicago (ANP)—Young men and women going into jobs with the Christian Churches today probably won't be wearing clerical collars or religious bonnets, according to Richard G. Belcher in the March issue of the International Journal of Religious Education.

Instead, he adds, they may be dressed in printers' aprons, surgeons' gowns, nurses' uniforms, farmers' overalls, academic gowns or business suits.

Commenting on the reasons for this change, Belcher in part:—

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ZIPPY CHEESE

Serves 6-8

1 1/2 cups milk
2 eggs
1/2 tsp. dry mustard
1 1/2 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. cayenne
1 cup onions (chopped)
2 cups grated American cheese
1 cup crushed "Fritos" corn chips
(measured after crushing)

Directions:

Add heated milk to slightly beaten eggs and seasonings. Mix onions, cheese, and corn chips together and place in a greased baking dish. Pour milk and eggs over this and bake at 325 degrees for 20 minutes.

CHEESE FLUFFS

Serves 6-8

1 cup milk
1 cup grated American cheese
1 tsp. flour
2 egg yolks
2 egg whites
dash salt
dash cayenne
1 cup "Fritos" corn chips

Directions:

Mix flour and milk, heat slowly until it thickens. Add grated

cheese, seasoning and slightly beaten yolks. Fold into stiffly beaten whites. Pour into buttered casserole. Top with corn chips. Bake at 250 degrees for 15-18 minutes. Serve at once.

EGG RAREBIT

Need an unusually good main course that's low in cost and can be prepared in minutes? This delicious egg rarebit is your answer.

Serves 6

6 hard-cooked eggs
1 tsp. prepared mustard
3 tbsp. evaporated milk
1/4 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. pepper
1/4 cup finely crushed "Fritos" corn chips
(measured after crushing)
2 cups cheese sauce:
4 tbsp. margarine
4 tbsp. flour
1/2 tsp. salt
2 cups milk
1 cup grated American cheese

Directions:

Slice hard-cooked eggs lengthwise and remove yolks. Add milk, seasonings, and corn chips to eggs. Blend and fill halves with egg mixture. Pour cheese sauce over eggs and serve.

ETHEL WATERS TO APPEAR IN RICHMOND

Richmond, Va. (ANP) — Ethel Waters, popular Broadway actress and singer will star in "Member of the Wedding", four nights and a Wednesday matinee, with an engagement beginning Monday, April 7. Plans for Miss Waters' appearance were released by the WRVA Theater.

"Member of the Wedding" made a big hit with critics during its run of 15 months on Broadway. The cast is now on a tour that will carry them to several southern spots. The cast won the coveted New York Drama Critics award as the best American play of the year. It also took four Donaldson Awards, and pulled in \$1,112,000 at the box office. It was sold to Hollywood for \$110,000 for motion picture rights.

Miss Waters will appear in the same play at Center Theater in Norfolk, Va., April 11, for two nights, and a Saturday matinee performance. The cast also includes Betty Lou Holland as the 12-year-old girl; Robert Mariotti, as the 9-year-old cousin next door; James Maloney, James Holden, Virginia MacMahon, Louis Peterson and others.

Speeding Charge For Cab Calloway

Leesburg, Va.—Orchestra Leader Cab Calloway was arrested on charges of speeding and attempting to bribe a police officer.

Calloway, 45, was arrested by State Trooper Roy S. Smith who said the band leader was driving his car 65 miles an hour. Smith said Calloway offered him \$10 in an effort to "influence his act and decision regarding arrest."

Calloway said he was on his way to the race track.

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