

- James F. Speers, M.D., M.P.H., Commissioner, Department of Health, Des Moines
- George W. Sutton, D.O., Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, Mount Pleasant (7-1-72)**
- Mrs. A. C. Westerhof, Iowa Association for Mental Health, Carlisle (7-1-72)**
- Member, Iowa Psychological Association (7-1-72)**

*Date of Board Term Expiration.

**Date of Mental Hygiene Committee Term Expiration.

The Iowa Mental Health Authority was designated by the Sixty-first General Assembly as the agency to receive and administer funds available under the Federal Mental Health Act of July 3, 1946, and a Committee on Mental Hygiene was created to establish policies for administering such funds. Seven members serve on the committee because they hold certain positions designated by the statutes; the other eight are appointed by the governor from the memberships of organizations designated in the statutes. Funds are disbursed under supervision of the state board of regents.

Civil Rights Commission

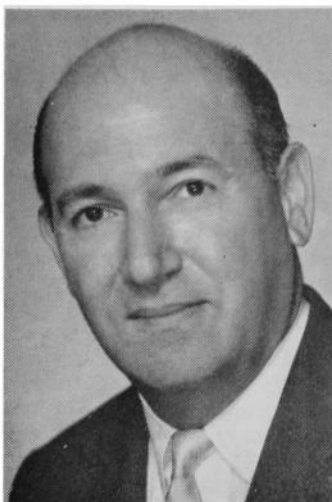
(Office located at 1209 Executive Hill, Suite 306)

Term Four Years

Appointed by the Governor.

- ABE D. CLAYMAN, Des Moines, Democrat; (interim) term expires June 30, 1973.
- HARRY D. HARPER, M.D., Fort Madison, Republican; term expires June 30, 1971.
- ELIZABETH (Mrs. David) KRUIDENIER, Des Moines, Democrat; term expires June 30, 1971.
- MADONNA (Mrs. Cliff) SKOGSTROM, Algona, Republican; term expires June 30, 1973.
- LAWRENCE S. SLOTSKY, Sioux City, Republican; term expires June 30, 1971.
- JOHN E. STROTHER, Waterloo, Democrat; term expires June 30, 1973.
- LAFAYETTE J. TWYNER, D.D.S., Davenport, no party; term expires June 30, 1973.
- ALVIN HAYES, JR., Des Moines, Executive Director.

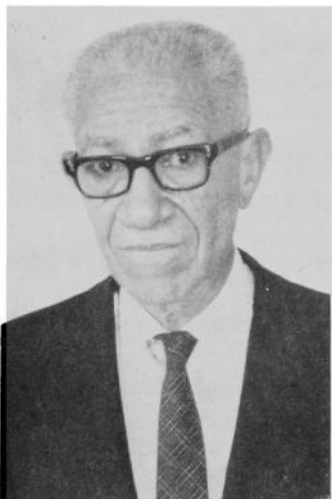
Under the act of the Sixty-first General Assembly as amended, the Civil Rights Commission is charged with investigating, holding hearings, and rendering decisions on any complaints of unfair or discriminatory practices in public accommodations, employment, housing, apprenticeship programs, on-the-job training programs, and vocational schools; and with planning and conducting programs designed to eliminate racial, religious, cultural, and intergroup tensions. The commission consists of seven unpaid members appointed by the governor to staggered terms of four years each, subject to the advice and consent of the senate. No more than four members of the commission shall belong to the same political party and its membership shall represent as wide a geographical diversity as practical. Hearings are provided for in the event of failure of efforts toward conciliation, and orders resulting from such hearings are subject to judicial review. Commission officers are elected by the members, and serve for one year starting on July 1.



CLAYMAN, Abe D., Des Moines

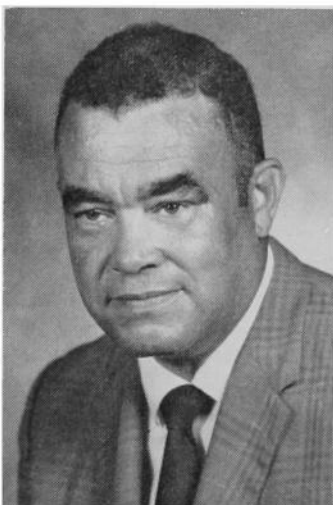
Commission Member

Born June 1, 1912, in Des Moines, Iowa. Son of Mendel and Rae Clayman. Graduated Des Moines North High School. Married Sophie Gordon Rutman, and they have five grown children: Howard Rutman, Mrs. Jack Resnick, Mrs. Alan Givant, Mrs. Kenneth Silverstein, and Ronald H. Clayman. Jewish. Board member of: Jewish Welfare Federation (also past president), Tall Corn Area Boy Scouts, B'nai B'rith Foundation of U. S., Des Moines lodge of B'nai B'rith, and Anti-Defamation League of U. S. Chairman of Polk County Cancer Society Crusade, 1968-1969. Member of Ninth District Judicial Nominating Commission, 1963-1969. Recipient of B'nai B'rith "man of the year" award for 1965, Alpha Epsilon Phi "master builder of the year" award in 1967-1968, and Beth El Jacob Synagogue service award for 1966. A national vice chairman of Hubert Humphrey's presidential campaign in 1968. President, Louis Corporation; Director, United Federal Savings & Loan; President and Treasurer, Quality Printing Company; Secretary, Oak Creek Park, Inc.; Treasurer, V.I.P. Motor Homes, Inc.; Trustee, Betty Clayman Trust. Interim appointment to Iowa Civil Rights Commission in 1969.



HARPER, Harry D., M.D., Fort Madison
Commission Member

Born February 12, 1900, in Fort Madison, Iowa. Son of George and Rhoda Harper. Graduated Fort Madison High School. Graduated University of Iowa, B.S. degree in pre-medicine in 1923 and Howard University, M.D. degree in 1926. Interned at Freedmen's Hospital in Washington, D. C. Married Lillie Grinage and they have five grown children: Frank G. Harper, M.D., Harry D. Harper, Jr., M.D., Mrs. Lois Ann Eichacker, Mrs. Geraldine Carter, and Miss Lillie Virginia Harper. Catholic. Member of Iowa Medical Society, American Medical Association, National Medical Association, Lee County Medical Society, Fort Madison Medical Society, Kappa Alpha Psi, Kappa Pi honorary society, Chamber of Commerce, Kiwanis, National Association for Advancement of Colored People (past president). Past president of Freedmen's Intern Society. Member of Governor Hoegh's 1955 Study Commission on Discrimination in Employment. Senior member of Harper Clinic in Fort Madison; president of Mid America Building Corporation. Appointed to Iowa Civil Rights Commission in 1965, reappointed in 1967. Commission chairman, 1968-1969 fiscal year.



TWYNER, Lafayette J., D.D.S., Davenport
Commission Member

Born February 22, 1919, in Davenport, Iowa. Son of James E. and Ruby Twyner. Graduated Davenport High School. Graduated St. Ambrose College, B.S. degree in biology in 1943 and State University of Iowa, D.D.S. degree in 1947. Participated in Army Specialized Training Program in 1943; and served in U. S. Army, Dental Corps, in 1951. Married Rosemary Roberts, and they have four children: Cheryl, Lafayette, Jr., Brenda, and Kathy. Methodist. Member of American Dental Association. Dentist in Davenport for the past twenty-two years. Appointed to Iowa Civil Rights Commission in 1969.

KRUIDENIER, Mrs. Elizabeth, Des Moines
Commission Secretary

Born April 1, 1926, in Des Moines, Iowa. Daughter of Reece and Ruth Stuart. Graduated Des Moines Roosevelt High School, and attended State University of Iowa. Graduated Connecticut College, B.A. degree in philosophy in 1948. Graduate work at Drake University. Married David Kruidenier, and they have one daughter, Lisa. Member of the Citizens Advisory Committee to the U. S. Community Relations Service since its founding in 1964, "Know Your Neighbor" panel, League of Women Voters, and Founders Garden Club. Previously active in Iowa Association for United Nations and Des Moines Child Guidance Center. Recipient of Jewish War Veterans Americanism Award. Member of Governor Hoegh's 1955 Study Commission on Discrimination in Employment, and a member of the various Governors' advisory commissions on human relations until her appointment to the Iowa Civil Rights Commission in 1965. Reappointed in 1967. Commission vice chairman, 1965-1967.



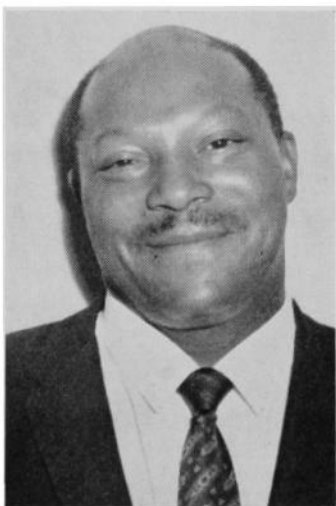
SKOGSTROM, Mrs. Madonna, Algona
Commission Member

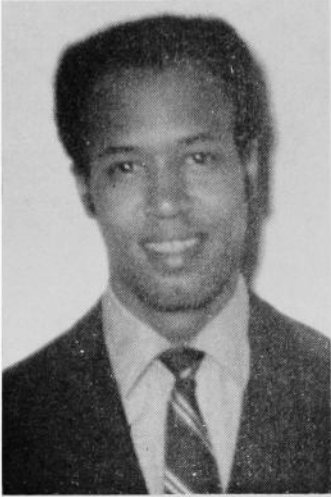
Born December 19, 1933, in Algona, Iowa. Daughter of John T. and Zelda McGuire. Graduated Algona High School. Attended Cornell College and Drake University. Graduated State University of Iowa, B.A. degree in speech pathology and audiology in 1956. Graduate work at University of South Dakota. Married H. Clifford Skogstrom, and they have two daughters, Jane and Joan. Methodist. Member of Iowa Speech and Hearing Association, American Association of University Women, Order of Eastern Star, Kossuth County Republican Women (finance chairman), Delta Gamma, and W.S.C.S. church group. Director of United Fund, 1968-1970, and chairman of local church's commission on education. Previously active in St. Ann's Auxiliary, and as a Girl Scout leader and Playground and Park Commissioner. Speech therapist for Kossuth County. Appointed to Iowa Civil Rights Commission in 1969.



HAYES, Alvin, Jr., Des Moines
 Republican
Executive Director

Born April 11, 1932, in South Sioux City, Nebraska. Son of Alvin B. and Josephine Hayes. Graduated South Sioux City, Nebraska High School. Graduated Morning-side College, B.A. degree in pre-law in 1958 and University of South Dakota, L.L.B. degree in 1961. Served in U. S. Army, 1953-1955. Married Julia Wilburn, and they have no children. Baptist. Member of Iowa Human Rights Coalition executive board, National Association for Advancement of Colored People, William Frank Powell Consistory, Share-Through-Adoption, Woodbury County Peace Officers Association, International Association of Lions Clubs, Decatur Lodge No. 14, and Zeid Temple No. 90. Formerly in private law practice in Sioux City, and the assistant Woodbury County Attorney (1964-1969). Hired as executive director of Iowa Civil Rights Commission on April 1, 1969.





STROTHER, John E., Waterloo
Commission Vice Chairman

Born March 17, 1941, in Des Moines, Iowa. Son of Clarence and Lavonia Strother. Graduated Des Moines Technical High School. Graduated William Penn College, B.A. degree in education and psychology in 1965. Graduate work at University of Northern Iowa. Married T. Ella Anderson, and they have no children. Catholic. Member of Big Brothers of America, National Association for Advancement of Colored People (treasurer), Black Hawk County Community Action Council board of directors, Jesse Cosby community center board of directors, East Side Waterloo recreation center board of directors, and Hawkeye Institute of Technology advisory committee. Was 1969 recipient of Civitan Club award for service to youth. Former school teacher and assistant principal. Assistant Director of Urban Education Center at University of Northern Iowa. Appointed to Iowa Civil Rights Commission in 1969.



SLOTSKY, Lawrence S., Sioux City
Commission Chairman

Born January 15, 1921, in Sioux City, Iowa. Son of William and Kate Slotsky. Graduated Sioux City Central High School. Graduated State University of Iowa, B.S. degree in commerce in 1942. Served three years U.S.A.F., World War II, Western Pacific Theatre. Married Charlotte Liebling, and they have three children: Jeffrey, Don, and Marilyn. Jewish. Member and past president of Jewish Federation of Sioux City, co-chairman of advanced gifts division of United Campaign, president of Mt. Sinai Temple. Past chapter chairman of Nat. Conf. of Christians and Jews and of United Jewish Appeal. Past director of Better Business Bureau, and past president of Sioux City Concert Course. Member of board of directors of Associated Credit Bureaus of America and of St. Lukes Medical Center. Executive vice president of Sioux City Credit Bureau, and publisher of The Daily Reporter. Appointed to the Iowa Civil Rights Commission in 1965, reappointed in 1967. Commission vice chairman 1968-1969.

Commission of Aeronautics

(Office at Des Moines Airport)

Appointed by the Governor with approval of the Senate. Term six years.

The Fifty-first General Assembly created the aeronautics commission and prescribed its duties and powers; also prescribed registration of persons engaged in aeronautics and operation of aircraft and aeronautics facilities; prescribed penalties and repealed old sections of the laws which authorized a commission of limited power. Commission membership carries no salary. Expenses and \$20 per diem, when engaged in duty for the commission, are authorized, with a maximum of \$950 a year per member. The Director serves at the pleasure of the Commission Board. The Commission numbers five and the following have been appointed by the governor.

LAURENCE A. STRALEY, Clinton; term expires June 30, 1973.

RAY NYEMASTER, Des Moines; term expires June 30, 1973.

BRUCE H. VAN DRUFF, Red Oak; term expires June 30, 1975.

NORBERT D. BALTES, Charles City; term expires June 30, 1975.