

Honor Top Baha'ian At Chicago Reception

Amoz Gibson, educator and member of the National Assembly of the Baha'is of the United States, was honored at a reception in the home of Mrs. Juliet Buford, director of the Greater Lawn-dale Conservation Commission.

Now living on a Navajo reservation in Arizona, Gibson is working on a governmental educational project among the Indians.

Formerly a resident of Washington, he moved to Arizona seven years ago when Baha'i members voluntarily relocated in new areas to make the basic teachings of this new world religion more widely known. When the first Baha'i House of Worship on the continent of Africa was dedicated at Kampala, Uganda, in 1961, he was an official representative of the American Baha'i community.

His interest in Africa was

so stimulated by that visit that he and his family will make East Africa their permanent home.

Along with hundreds of members of the American Baha'i community, the churchman will attend the worldwide jubilee meeting of Baha'is in London, England, this week. The meeting marks the centennial of the establishment of the Baha'i Faith, which teaches that all religions share the basic truths, and differ only in the specific teachings for the age in which they were revealed.

Believing that all the peoples of the world have been sent guidance and a promise of eventual world peace, Baha'is are welcoming many new members into the faith among the people of Africa and the Indian tribes of North America. The Chicago Baha'i center is located at 116 S. Michigan ave.