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ARMOUR ACTS TO END BRUTALITY

800 Youngsters To March Sunday For Goodwill Homes

More than 800 volunteers from high school clubs will stage a door-to-door march throughout the city this Sunday, April 16, seeking contributions for the Goodwill Homes building fund.

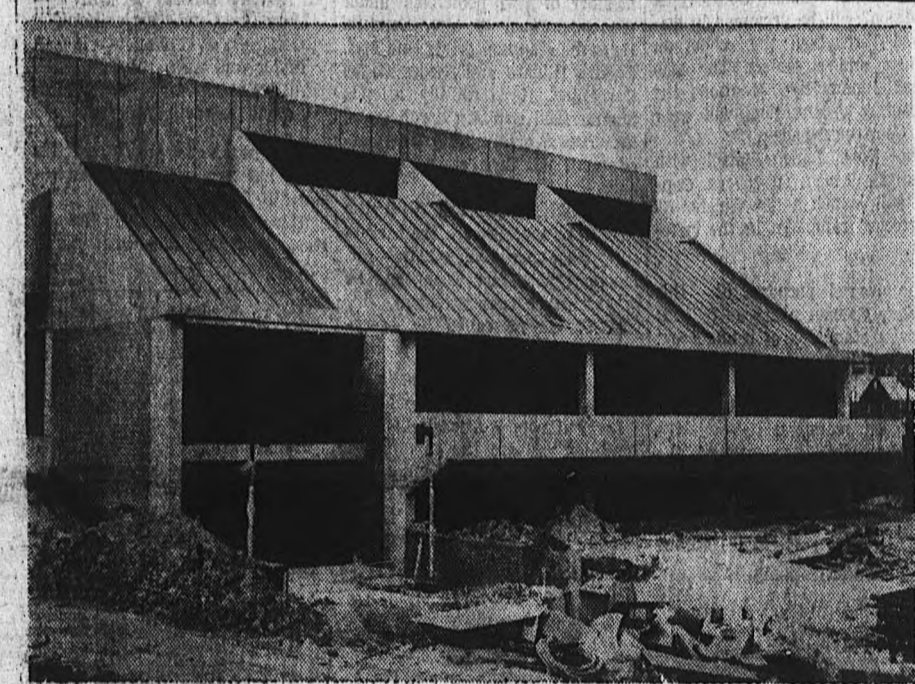
The march takes place from 4 to 6 p.m. and will be known as Goodwill Sunday, according to Mrs. Jewell Speight who is serving as chairman.

Committee members working with Mrs. Speight are Mrs. Lois Tarpley co-chairman, and Mesdames Thelma Davidson, Nell Northcross and Dorothy Tuggle.

The march is part of a campaign to raise \$100,000 for Goodwill Homes for Children, located near Geefers High School in the Lakeview Gardens area.

Trustees of Goodwill Homes hope to raise enough to cover the cost of two new cottages, one for boys and one for girls, and an office building.

National Headquarters Of CME Church Is Moving To Memphis



DEDICATION IS NEAR - Dedication of the Alma C. Hanson Student Center on the LeMoyné College campus is near. The ultra-modern building will be dedicated on the evening of May 28. The view shown here is facing Saxon Avenue. The two-level edifice is costing more than a half-million dollars.

Big Operation To Be Located On So. Parkway

The Christian Methodist Episcopal Church is moving its national headquarters to Memphis, it was announced this week by Dr. C. D. Coleman, executive secretary of the CME General Board of Christian Education.

He said the move will start next month and should be completed by the end of the year.

Eight denominational administrative departments make up the church's national headquarters, now located in six different cities.

The new headquarters will be at what is now Boulevard Baptist Church at 531 South Parkway East. The white Baptist congregation sold its plant to the denomination for \$225,000 in a transaction completed this week. Boulevard Baptist already has begun construction on a new \$300,000 plant at 2124 Holmes Road, which will be completed before the CME move is complete.

When the headquarters is established in Memphis it will become the third national denominational center in the city. The Cumberland Presbyterian Church and the Church of God in Christ already maintain their national offices in Memphis.

Dr. Coleman said the move was approved unanimously by the denomination's governing College of Bishops at a recent meeting. The

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Art Exhibit In LeMoyné Library

Highlighting LeMoyné College's annual Spring Arts Festival this week is the University of Iowa Faculty Art Exhibit which is on display in the Alumni Room of the Hollis F. Price Library.

Dr. Paul Hayes, chairman of the festival, said the public is in-

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Patrolman Is Shot In South Memphis

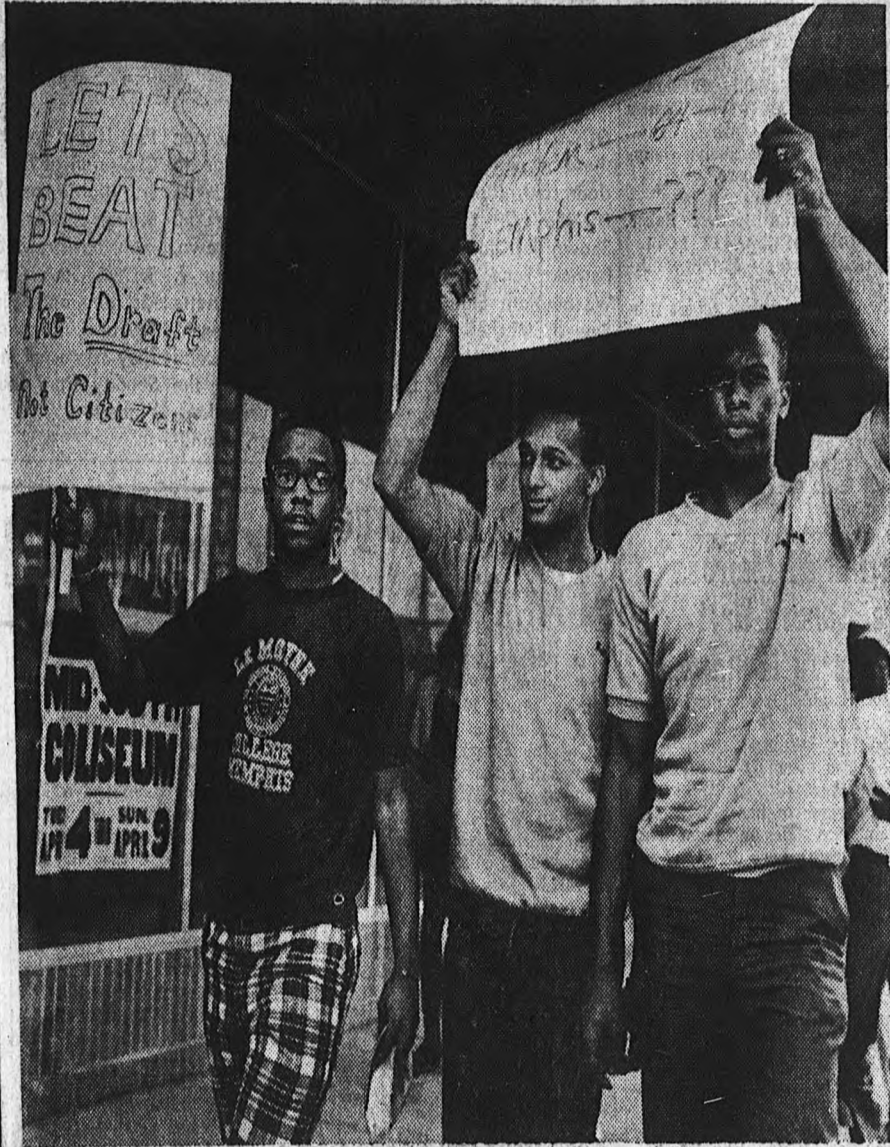
Violence erupted in South Memphis around 8:30 Saturday night, resulting in the wounding of two policemen and two civilians. All involved are Negroes.

Trouble started when Patrolmen Houston Bailey Jr., 27, of 635 E. McLemore, and J. A. Stittman, 30 of 4884 Ortle Drive, stopped at Florida and Desoto to investigate a noisy crowd of young men.

Shot three times in the left arm and both thighs, Patrolman Bailey was admitted to St. Joseph Hospital in serious condition. He was wounded with his own pistol.

Clubbed on the head was Patrolman Stittman. He was treated and dismissed.

Robert Jones, 22, of 798 South Main, brother of James Eddie Lee Houston, 17, of 21 West Colorado, Apt. 7, was in critical condition at John Gaston Hospital after surgery. He was hit in the chest by a bullet believed fired by Patrolman Stittman. The officer shot at



LEAD MARCH ON CITY HALL - Leading the protest march of 300 college students on City Hall last week were these three LeMoynites, left to right, William Meggett of Manhattan, N.Y., Wade Hardy of Memphis and Willie Taylor of

Byhalia, Miss. Meggett and Taylor are LeMoyné basketball stars. The march grew out of a police brutality case in which a LeMoyné senior, Clinton Jamerson, was the victim.

Churches Push NAACP Drive

The Church Work Committee of the NAACP, chaired by the Rev. Edward Brown, has finalized plans for an intensive membership drive to be conducted in all of the churches in Memphis and Shelby County.

The Committee is asking all churches to seek 100 per cent membership from their members in the NAACP drive on or before May 17. The official kick-off was held

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Teacher Shift Is Announced

The Memphis Board of Education this week announced the following changes in personnel:

Bobby L. Collins from a teaching position at Booker T. Washington High School to the Central Office as a Science Van instructor.

Edgar M. Young from a teaching position at Melrose High School to coordinator of the Neighborhood Youth Corps.

Joe Young from a teaching position at Klondike School to guidance counselor for the Neighborhood Youth Corps.

President Price Protests Beating Of LeMoyné Student

President Hollis F. Price of LeMoyné College last week addressed a letter to Claude A. Armour, commissioner of fire and police, protesting the beating of a LeMoyné student, Clinton Jamerson.

Mr. Jamerson, 21-year-old senior of 1397 Davis, was beaten by several police officers on the morning of March 26.

President Price's letter to Mr. Armour follows: "I am writing you to express my concern about the beating of one of our students, Mr. Clinton Jamerson, on March 26.

"It is obvious that Mr. Jamerson was beaten as indicated by the bruises on his body. He has stated that these wounds were inflicted by police officers. I have no reason to doubt his word on this score.

"The question I am raising is not one of guilt or innocence of charges, but rather the necessity of physical abuse attending arrest. Cooperation between the police and community is of utmost importance in maintaining law and order. Cooperation flows from mutual respect. It is important for the citizenry to respect police; it is equally important for police to respect and protect the persons of the citizenry.

"I realize that members of our police force are often faced with difficult problems in their efforts to keep this a quiet and peaceful city, but they should not beat citizens in carrying out their assignments."



BTW CHAMPION RIFLE TEAM - The Booker T. Washington High School ROTC rifle team, coached by Staff Sergeant J. E. Beckley, captured top honors recently in the Memphis Invitational Outdoor Rifle championship meet at the Memphis Rifle and Revolver Association shooting range off Highway 64. The BTW championship team, left to right: Sergeant Beckley, Dell Gill, Joe Dolley, Jewell Mathis, Michael Gibson and Freddie Anderson.

Orders Will Be Issued To Police

Action is being taken by Commissioner Claude A. Armour to put an end to police brutality, it was learned this week.

The commissioner of fire and police promised the local NAACP that he will take positive action through written directives to every member of the police force.

An NAACP committee, composed of NAACP officers and student representatives from LeMoyné and Owen colleges, poured out their complaints before City Commissioners during a closed meeting for nearly three hours last week. The city attorney also attended the session.

The meeting with the Commission grew out of the beating of a LeMoyné senior, Clinton Jamerson, suffered Easter Sunday morning at the hands of several policemen. Several other police brutality cases were cited during the NAACP-City Commission session.

The NAACP committee also called for the formation of an independent Citizens Review Board.

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Picket Harlem House

Pickets took up a stand in front of Harlem House No. 10 on Chesapeake at Tunica over the weekend seeking the job of the Harlem House manager. Mrs. Billie Jean Barrett who testified in behalf of two policemen in the most recent police brutality case.

At times, there were more than 20 young placard-carrying pickets marching in front of the North Memphis eatery.

The two accused policemen, William M. Moseley and Johnny Forrest Wilson, were acquitted in City Court on charges of beating Clinton Jamerson, 21-year-old LeMoyné College senior.

During the trial, Mrs. Barrett testified that Harlem House No. 10 is a trouble spot; that young men gather there and use profanity. She said some of them have threatened her because she advocated police protection.

The boycott was proving effective because no one would cross the picket line.

The NAACP and North Memphis civic and political organizations have joined in the protest against police brutality.

Arnita Is Star At Mitchell Road

They're still celebrating this week at Mitchell Road School and they've got a good reason for doing it.

One of the school's 8th graders, Arnita Faye Hill, 13 is the Shelby County Spelling Bee champion. She won the championship by spelling "carnuretor," which was misspelled by Donna Waller, 12.

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4 LeMoyné Coeds Visit Mo. Campus

Four of LeMoyné College's coeds are visiting the campus of Stephens College at Columbia, Mo. They left Memphis last Saturday by bus and will be guests of the Missouri college throughout this week.

Visiting Stephens are Miss Cynthia Anderson, a freshman; Miss Valeria Ann Blount, a sophomore, and Misses Gloria Knox and Mary Elizabeth Holmes, juniors.

Student Center At LeMoyné Will Be Dedicated May 28

LeMoyné College's half-million-dollar Student Center, which is nearing completion, will be dedicated Sunday, May 28, it was announced by President Hollis F. Price.

The dedicatory program will replace the traditional baccalaureate service but will follow very much the same pattern, Dr. Price said.

There will be the usual procession of faculty and candidates for graduation from the library to the platform in front of Brownlee Hall.

The program will get underway at 5 p. m. instead of at 5:30, the customary starting time for baccalaureate events.

Another change will be the elimination of the Presidents Reception for members of the graduating class. This is being done because a larger reception will be held in the new Student Center for visitors, faculty and the 1967 seniors immediately following the program.

At the close of the dedicatory program, all visitors, faculty and seniors will go directly to the new Student Center where they will witness a brief ribbon-cutting ceremony and then be taken on guided tours of the building.

The ultra-modern Center will be named for the late Miss Alma C. Hanson, long-time treasurer of LeMoyné.

The dedicatory address will be given by Dr. Walter Gibson Sr., veteran member of LeMoyné's faculty and chairman of the college's division of natural sciences.

Memphis Killings Show Big Jump

Two Memphis men were stabbed to death over the weekend, pushing the homicide total for the year to 18. There were 4 this time last year.

Willie Lee Clark, 34, of 364 Vance, was stabbed at 700 Hendon Friday night and died at

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Electricians May Take Federal Exam

The Interagency Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners for Tennessee at Memphis has announced an examination for journeyman electrician. Salaries of \$3.14, \$3.47 will vary depending upon the prevailing rate in the area where the vacancy exists.

No written test is required. Applicants will be rated on a scale of 1000 according to their skills and abilities to perform the duties of this position.

Applications and further information may be obtained from the Interagency Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners for Tennessee, 107 North Main Street, Memphis, Tennessee 38103.

Inside Memphis

TRUSTEES OF GOODWILL HOMES for Children are looking for a director for the institution. Mrs. Mildred Heard, longtime director of Goodwill Homes, moved to New York recently to be with her mother who is ill.

MEMPHIS CO-ETES are looking around for a "big name" to address their annual Graduation Dinner which honors members finishing high schools. They are thinking of personalities like the U.S. Senator from Massachusetts and the youthful State Representative in Georgia, both headline makers.

LEMOYNÉ'S BASKETBALL Captain James (Sweetpea) Sandridge received honorable mention All-American on the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics cage team.

WHEN PRESIDENT HOLLIS F. PRICE of LeMoyné addresses the Men's Fellowship of Second Congregational Church, Tuesday, May 18, at 7:30 p.m., his subject will be: "My Two Years as Moderator of the United Church of Christ."

KENNETH O. COLE, science teacher at Lincoln Jr. High, has been granted sabbatical leave for the 1967-68 school year to study at Fisk University in Nashville.

