

Atlantans Attack Bus Segregation With Federal Suit

ATLANTA, GEORGIA—(SNS)—Two Atlanta ministers—the Revs. Samuel W. Williams and John T. Porter—filed a suit in Federal Court Monday asking an injunction against segregation on Atlanta public buses.

Robeson To Sing In Los Angeles

Paul Robeson, who has been banned by the U. S. State department from traveling to foreign countries, has been engaged to sing at the Seventh Annual Festival of Nationalities in Los Angeles, Sunday, June 23. The announcement was made last week by the Los Angeles Committee for Protection of Foreign Born.

Police Seeking Man Robbed Drug Store Of Around \$2,000

Police were seeking an unidentified hold-up man who robbed a drug store of an estimated \$2,000 Monday morning. Owner of the drug store located at 1288 Latham St. told police that a slender, Negro man about 35 years of age walked into his establishment, drew a revolver, and ordered him to open a safe which was located at the rear of the store.

PVT. Murrell In Japan

KOREA—(AHINC)—Pvt. Charlie Murrell, whose wife, Izetta, and mother, Mrs. Elvora Tappin, live at 166 Monte Verde, Memphis, recently arrived in Korea and is now a member of the 24th Infantry Division.

Rail Men Attack Brotherhood Bias

CLEVELAND, O.—(ANP)—Court action directed toward knocking out racial restrictions in the brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers (AFL-CIO) union got underway here in a federal court last week when more than a dozen Negro railroad men challenged the right of the union to ban Negroes from membership. The court petition requested U. S. District Court here to compel BLFE to lower its racial bars and invalidate a code which in effect, limits union membership to whites.



YOUNG REPUBLICANS—O. W. PICKETT, left, RALPH LOFTON will represent the Young Republican division of Lincoln League at the League's banquet at Club Ebony tonight.

Pickett, And Lofton To Represent Republicans

Members of the recently organized Lincoln League Young Republican club were told that an organization cannot be built strong simply by meeting during the night. "One must work both day and night to build an organization," said Lt. George W. Lee during a Monday evening meeting, at the Elks Rest on Beale Ave.

Woman Fulfills Vow; Remembers Hospital With Gift

NEW YORK CITY—A woman sculptor who was treated at Mount Sinai Hospital while on relief here several months ago, recently fulfilled a vow when she presented a bronze statue of a woman with her child to the hospital.

Widowed Mother Shoots Sons, Then Kills Herself

LITTLE ROCK, Ark.—(INS)—A 36-year-old widowed mother—apparently still grieving over the death of her husband year ago, shot her three young sons Tuesday then killed herself.

American Friends Defend NAACP

PHILADELPHIA—The American Friends Service Committee has defended the rights of the NAACP against current assaults upon the Association in the South. In a statement approved by its Board of Directors, the Quaker Committee said here last month: "We strongly defend the right of the NAACP to work for justice within the law, to maintain interracial membership, to organize and to speak out for social change."

Atlanta Business Man To Address Funeral Directors

A nationally known businessman from Atlanta, Ga. has been chosen as guest speaker for the National Negro Funeral Directors Association's Annual Awards Banquet, scheduled to be held in St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 6.

HOUSE KILLS ATTEMPT TO AMEND RIGHTS BILL

NORTHERN DEMOS JOIN GOP IN VICTORY VOTE

WASHINGTON—(INS)—The House rejected by a 127 to 88 vote Tuesday the first of a series of amendments designed to water down the administration's Civil Rights Bill. The Amendment, offered by Rep. H. R. Gross (R) Iowa, would have knocked out of the controversial legislation a provision authorizing President Eisenhower to set up a Commission on Civil Rights.

Jimmy Dorsey, Band Leader Dies Of Cancer

NEW YORK—(INS)—Band leader Jimmy Dorsey, whose smooth as silk swing music thrilled millions of Americans, died of cancer Wednesday, less than seven months after the sudden death of his brother Tommy.

3,200 CIVILIANS EMPLOYED AT MALLORY AIR FORCE STATION

Nearly 3,200 civilians are employed at Mallory Air Force station reported Col. Charles A. Piddock, depot commander, this week. He said the depot is at its peak of civilian employees, making it the second largest employer in Memphis.

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THEY COMPLIMENT EACH OTHER—C. Eric Lincoln, winner of a John Hay Whitney Fellowship, is being congratulated by his son, C. Eric, Jr. in turn the senior Lincoln congratulated junior for receiving a perfect report card (all A's) at Alonzo Locke school.

C. Eric Lincoln Receives John Hay Whitney Award

A former faculty member and graduate of LeMoyne College has been awarded a John Hay Whitney Foundation Opportunity Fellowship according to an announcement by the foundation in New York, earlier this week.

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GHANA PREMIER GETS RUTTER'S CREDENTIALS

ACCRA, Ghana — (ANP) — Felix Rutter, a former first secretary of the American Embassy in London...

Toledo Man Harassed After Home Purchase in 'New' Area

TOLEDO, O.—(ANP)— This city remained in a tense state last week as white hoodlums in South Toledo continued their harassment of a 39 year old man who purchased a home in a lilywhite neighborhood.

High Spirited, Alert, Likes TV; She's Only 115 Years Young

ATLANTA, GEORGIA.—(SNS)— She watches TV "shoot 'em up" with the attentiveness of a seven-year-old; she eats ice cream as enthusiastically as a girl 10; she speaks and thinks like a matured woman of 40; her hair is silvery grey, and her eyes blink mute testimony of many years of experience.

Cutting Educational Funds Unconstitutional

NASHVILLE, Tenn.— (SNS) — A Federal District Judge said Wednesday cutting of educational funds to cause a state to integrate is "unconstitutional in its face value."

Major Crimes Drop In New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS.— (SNS) — Major crimes in New Orleans during the first five months of 1957 dropped 12.3 per cent from last year's figures for the same period.

Neighbors had previously attempted to purchase the house, but the previous owner refused to sell to him at a loss. This neighbor has been suspected of fomenting hostility among the neighborhood residents...

Ike Calls On Congressmen To Pass Foreign Aid Bill



MISS JACQUELYN M. HENDERSON BETROTHAL TOLD — Mr. and Mrs. James N. Henderson of 1404 University Avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Jacquelyn Marlene, to Joseph L. Roberts, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Roberts of Detroit, Michigan.

RESEARCH SCIENTIST SUGGESTS DIET CHANGES

NEW YORK.— (SNS) — A leading research scientist has cited four things "wrong with the American diet" and suggested four changes: In the June issue of Town and Country Magazine, Dr. Jeremiah Stamler, an American Heart Association investigator, said recent findings indicated that "the habitual diet is a decisive factor responsible for increased heart disease."

Plan Steps To Curb Influenza Epidemic

WASHINGTON — Dr. Leroy E. Burney, Surgeon General of the Public Health Service, is establishing an advisory committee of physicians and health officers to consider precautionary steps in the United States against the current influenza epidemic in the Far East.

Belafonte Told 'Keep Quiet' About Romance Theme In Film

NEW YORK — (ANP) — Harry Belafonte admitted last week that 20th Century-Fox officials have told him to "keep quiet" about the interracial romance depicted between Joan Fontaine and him in the film "Island in the Sun."

SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION BILL ALSO CONSIDERED

WASHINGTON.— (SNS) — President Eisenhower, rebounding from his brief illness, fed a group of GOP House members bacon and eggs Wednesday to launch a breakfast table campaign for congressional support of his legislative program.

Cigarette Smoking 'Hastens Deaths,' Cancer Expert Says

NEW YORK.— (SNS) — Cigarette smoking "hastens death," a U. S. American Cancer Society researcher reported Tuesday. The scientist told a convention of the American Medical Association in New York that they had found a "spectacular relationship" between cigarette smoking and lung cancer deaths.

Choice Facing World Is Clear Atomic Scientist Tells MRA

MACKINAC ISLAND, Mich.— (SNS) — An Atomic scientist said Friday the choice facing the world is clear, "Atomic destruction, world dictatorship or world renaissance through moral rearmament."



MODERN FARMERS (HONORARY) — Several prominent North Carolina citizens were honored last week by the New Farmers of America, holding its annual State convention at A&T College. The honorees, awarded honorary Modern Farmer degrees included from left to right: S. D. Williams, president of Elizabeth City State Teachers College, Elizabeth City; Dr. W. E. Reed, dean, School of Agriculture, A&T College; L. R. Johnson, Johnston County farm agent, Smithfield; J. C. McLaughlin, Greensboro, professor of Rural Sociology at A&T College; W. A. Goldsborough, Vocational Agriculture teacher at the Dudley High School, Greensboro; Dr. Rudolph Jones, president of Fayetteville State Teachers College, Fayetteville and William F. Draughn, Sr., a Whitakers farmer.

Norfolk, Newport News In Appeals On School Ruling

ASHEVILLE, N. C.— (SNS) — The cities of Norfolk and Newport News, Va., made a combined appeal Tuesday of a U. S. District court ruling which knocked down their public school racial barriers.

Extradition Case To Michigan Governor

LANSING, Mich.— (ANP) — A Negro resident here last week who was the central figure in an extradition case, saw his petition against extradition to Alabama for rape go into the office of Governor G. Mennen Williams for final decision.

Loyalty Test For Haiti Officers

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti — (ANP) — In a series of steps aimed at preserving unity and discipline in this nation "a army provisional President Daniel Fignole last week ordered a loyalty test given to every army officer from the rank of captain to colonel."

