

# Memphians Urge Tenn. Senators To Back Rights Bill

## BUNTON HITS ENEMIES OF RACIAL GROWTH

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### Telegrams Sent To Kefauver And Gore By Citizens

The Bluff City-Shelby County Council of Civic Clubs is reported to have sent telegrams to the two U. S. Senators from Tennessee and the Republican leader in the U. S. Senate, following a meeting last Sunday afternoon.

Telegrams were sent to Senator Estes Kefauver and Senator Gore, urging them to support the Administration's civil rights bill, which is the major business before the senate.

A telegram was also sent to Republican Senate Leader, Senator Knowland (R. Cal.), congratulating him for his stand on the civil rights legislation proposed. The message also urged him to continue his fight for the passage of the bill in the senate.

Aside from the telegrams going out for the Council many individual members revealed that they were sending personal telegrams to the lawmakers. The organization of more than 30 clubs represents more than 10,000 persons.

The Council's telegrams were signed by James Walker, president.



**LAST SURVIVOR** — Sim Webb, 83, fireman for Casey Jones during the famed "Cannonball" train wreck at Vaughn, Miss., during early morn of May 1, 1900, died Saturday night, July 13 in a local hospital. The renowned fireman is shown with his granddaughter, Miss Eddie Mae Wills, the daughter of Mrs. Velma Wills of Chicago. Photo was taken nearly 10 years ago. Mr. Webb was the last living survivor of the wreck which for the last 57 years has been immortalized in song. (See story on Page 2)

## Bunton Hits Enemies Of Racial Growth In Vets Benefit Speech

Three men who were termed "Negro spies for pro-segregationists" in a news story last week, were severely criticized in an address delivered by Rev. Henry C. Bunton, pastor of Mt. Olive CME Cathedral, who was the principal speaker at the second anniversary celebration of the Veterans Benefit, Inc. last Sunday afternoon. The celebration was held at Mt. Olive.

Rev. Bunton said "In all ages and among all people there have been and are two recognizable forces at work. One force seems to work for the benefit of the people and one against it." If the premises are carried to its logical conclusion it will cause us to sympathize with the Negro spies for the pro-segregationists' cause in Mississippi. He named Rev. H.H. Hume, Rev. Ozell Mason and Percy Green, editor of the "Jackson Mississippi Advocate."

However, "if we use the same line of reasoning it would cause us to soften up toward State Senator Sam Englehardt of Alabama, U.S. Senator James O. Eastland of Mississippi."

He also referred to Tuskegee, Ala., which recently shrank its city

boundary to minimize the total number of Negro voters within city limits. He also recalled how a Montgomery jury returned a verdict of "not guilty" in a recent church-house bombing.

Striking out at Memphis State University, the speaker accused the institution of evading the Supreme Court's decision on segregated schools.

Rev. Bunton went on to point out that "we are living in a time which presents unimaginable opportunities. The very social order in its travail" Help is needed to deliver the new child of freedom. But we can't do it until we are willing to stand upon our feet.

"In spite of these guarantees embodied in the Constitution of the United States, the Negro is denied many of the elementary rights. And it does not motivate good will when we hear some of our would-be leaders say otherwise," said the minister.

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**SCHOLARSHIP WINNER** Alger Vernon Boswell, Jr. of Nashville, is being congratulated by Mrs. Betty Steele Turner of Tuskegee, Ala., while Lt. George W. Lee (left) and Dr. H. Council Trenholm (right) two high officials of Elk Lodge, look on. Boswell won \$1,000, first place, in the district oratorical contest sponsored by the Elks at Progressive Baptist church, Sunday.

# SENATE DEBATES "RIGHTS"

## Solid Republican Vote Sends Measure To Floor

**BY ROSE MCKEE**  
WASHINGTON — (INS) — The explosive civil rights bill cleared a major hurdle Tuesday when the Senate voted to bring up the measure for official floor action.

The key vote -- the first taken on the administration bill -- was 71 to 18 and means that the House passed legislation is now the "official business" of the Senate after a week of preliminary debate.

All 18 opposing votes were cast by Southern Democrats.

Of the 71 votes for taking up the bill, 42 were cast by Republicans and 29 by Democrats.

Not a single one of the 46 Republicans voted against the motion. Four Republicans were absent. If present, two of them Senator Frederick G. Payne, of Maine, and Senator Andrew F. Schoepel, of Kansas, both of whom were ill, would have voted for the bill.

The other two Republican absentees, Senators Styles Bridges of New Hampshire and Milton R. Young of North Dakota, were uncommitted but probably would have voted against the motion if they had been present.

The unanimous vote of the Republicans for the Knowland motion was a tribute to the determined leadership of Senator Knowland.

**ABSENCES NOTED**  
There also would have been two additional Democratic votes for the Knowland motion except for the absences of Senators Thomas C. Hennings, of Missouri, who is ill, and Joseph S. Clark of Pennsylvania, who was absent because

of the death of his brother.

All 18 votes against the Knowland motion were cast by southern Democrats from nine states of the Deep South.

Senators from two states of the deep South broke away from the anti-civil rights bloc and put their states back into the Union. They were Senators Lyndon B. Johnson of Texas, the Senate Democratic leader; his colleague, Ralph Yarborough, and Estes Kefauver and Albert Gore, both of Tennessee.

On the roll-call vote, a number of Senators who voted for the Knowland motion to make the bill the pending business voted for the Morse motion to send it to the Judiciary Committee.

**PLAYING BOTH SIDES**  
Capitol observers regarded such switches as playing both sides of the street—being both for and against civil rights legislation.

Of the 54 votes against the Morse motion to send the bill to committee, 16 were cast by Democrats and 38 by Republicans. Of the 35 votes for the motion, only four were cast by Republicans and 31 by Democrats.

The four Republicans who voted for the Knowland motion and for the Morse motion were Senators Carl T. Curtis, Nebraska; George W. Malone, Nevada; Karl E. Mundt, South Dakota; and John J. Williams, Delaware.

Democrats who voted for the Knowland motion and the Morse motion included Senators Alan B. E. Nease, of Texas; Albert Gore, Tennessee; Carl Hayden, Arizona; Lyndon B. Johnson, Texas; Estes Kefauver, Tennessee; Robert S. Kerr, Oklahoma; Mike Mansfield, Montana; Mike Monroney, Oklahoma; Wayne Morse, Oregon; James E. Murray, Montana; Joseph C. O'Rourke, Wyoming; and Ralph Yarborough, Texas, total, 13.

After the Morse motion was rejected the Anderson-Aiken amendment to strike out all of Part III of the bill was called up. The amendment is sponsored by Senators Clinton P. Anderson, Democrat, of New Mexico, and George D. Aiken, Republican, of Vermont.

Southerners contend that Part III of the bill would give the President the power to employ Federal troops to enforce court decrees requiring integration of public schools in the South.

**READY FOR SHOWDOWN**  
The Senate immediately prepared for a showdown on a proposal to send the bill to its Judiciary Committee for seven days of study. Civil rights advocates were confident they will defeat the move, setting the stage for immediate

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R. J. TURNER



WENDELL L. ROBINSON

## Two Negro Policemen Suspended From Force

Two of the first Negro policemen hired by the city of Memphis in October 1948, were reported "suspended from the force" last Monday by Chief MacDonald.

The officers were reported to be R. J. Turner and Wendell L. Robinson. Neither could be contacted for comment.

Chief MacDonald gave the cause of the suspension as "inefficiency in duty." Complaints were filed by Lt. J. W. Slaughter and Inspector Lee Quianthy.

Officers Turner and Robinson were assigned to the Beale Street beat.

The total number of Negro policemen currently on the active force is seven which is about a half the number of the all time high.

When Turner and Robinson were suspended it came as a surprise.

Another Negro policeman, Nelson New, resigned in June. He refused to comment on his reason for resigning.

"So far from a Negro officer severed from the force for one reason or another, he has not been replaced by another Negro officer, which has given rise to inquiries.

Turner resides at 1660 Latham St. and Robinson at 1387 Menzies.

## Police Chief Names 10 In Clinton "Riot"

**BY BENNO ISAACS**  
KNOXVILLE, Tenn. — (INS) — The Clinton Police Chief positively identified Wednesday all but four of the 14 segregationists on trial with John Kasper in Knoxville, as being present and unruly the day Rev. Paul Turner was beaten.

Chief Francis L. Moore, 38, who was directing traffic near the integrated Clinton High School testified many of the defendants waited on foot or in parked cars near the school for several days, prior to an including the day of the attack.

**DAY OF BEATING**  
Moore said on the day of the beating, December 4th, of last year he approached defendant Alonzo Bullock and told him to leave "before there's any trouble." The police chief said Bullock answered, "Oh, no, then they'd go ahead and bring colored children around."

Moore emphasized that on Saturday and Sunday, Non-School days the "crowd" was not around the school.

The chief dramatically and tersely pointed to ten of the defendant he said were on the scene and were unruly. Only W. H. Till, John B. Long, and J. S. Cooley were not identified. Long and Cooley have not been mentioned at all during the eight-day long trial.

**SHOWED FILMS**  
The prosecution converted the courtroom into an impromptu movie theatre yesterday as it showed films taken during the December integration riots. The government was further attempting to identify the defendants.

Kasper and the 14 others are charged with criminal contempt of court for refusing to obey a Federal injunction calling for the peaceful integration of the East Tennessee High School.

**TV MAN TESTIFIES**  
A New York television reporter, Bob Allison, 37, testified for the prosecution earlier that Clinton was a town "completely without law" after a fiery speech by Ala-

abama white citizens council leader Asa (Ace) Carter.

Allison said the two people were "whipped—into a frenzied pitch" and ripe for a lynching.

Allison denied defense allegations that he was "sensationalizing" the events, and that he was a staunch integrationist. He declared:

"I'm a newsman trained not to take sides."

He added that this was the reason he didn't go to the aid of Rev. Turner when he was being beaten.

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## COUNTY GIVEN 2 WEEKS TO ACT ON LAND FOR PARK

The county was given two weeks to act upon a proposal to obtain property at Alcy and Warren for a park, said Chancellor Manker, Monday.

Hearings had been held concerning developing the land for a Negro housing subdivision by Blaylock and Brown Company, which had obtained building permits but were revoked after the neighborhood citizens complained about Negroes being housed there.

During the lawsuit hearings before Chancellor Manker, the building company petitioned to have the county reinstate the permits.

Manker said if the land is going to be used as a park it would be foolish to issue building permits.

## Rabid Fan Leaps Stage And Socks Ella Fitzgerald

ATLANTIC CITY — (AP) — Jazz went to the head of William Edward Fitzgerald as he sat in the audience at the Warner Theatre where the Lionel Hampton Band, Louis Armstrong and Ella Fitzgerald were appearing.

Fitzgerald, who is not related to Ella, suddenly leaped upon the stage crying out, "you've got another man" and swung heavily on the right side of Miss Fitzgerald's jaw.

Miss Fitzgerald reeled back under the blow. Policemen and musicians rushed from the wings and hit and grabbed the man while the 2,000 people in the audience sat shocked.

The man was later identified by police as a narcotic addict, 30 years old. Police physician Oscar Harris called him a mental case and sent him to Ancora State hospital for examination.

Miss Fitzgerald did not lodge any charges saying she would await the outcome of the examination and a conference with her attorneys.

## GIFT TO PHILIPPINES

In a salute to Philippine independence, President Eisenhower hired legislation handing back valuable historical documents and records seized during the Philippine insurrection in 1898. The papers, in 100 file cases, will be sent to the Philippines after they have been microfilmed by the National Archives.

## Nashville Lad, 16 Winner Of \$1,000 Oratorical Contest

A 16-year-old lad from Nashville was the winner of a \$1,000 oratorical contest sponsored by the 27th region of the Improved Benevolent Protective Order of Elks of the World, at Progressive Baptist Church, last Sunday.

First place winner was Alger Vernon Boswell, Jr., son of Dr. Boswell, a mathematics instructor at Tennessee State University in Nashville. The younger Boswell is a junior in high school.

Other contestants included Homer L. McCall of Montgomery, Ala.; Sammie Hawthorne, El Dorado, Ark.; Paul L. D. Robertson, New Orleans; DeCalvin Hughes, Forest, Miss.; and Miss Jo Ann Lewis of Beaufort, Texas.

Boswell spoke on "The Negro and the Constitution." Since he is just a high school junior, he will not be eligible to use the scholarship award until he had completed his high

school work and ready to enter college.

The youthful winner will be eligible to compete in the national Elks oratorical contest which is scheduled to be held in Philadelphia in August during the Elks' annual national convention.

Guest speaker after the contest was Edward J. Meeman, editor of the Press-Scimitar. He spoke on Moral Re-Armament.

Dr. Trenholm, president of Alabama State College and educational director of the region which consists of six states, Alabama, Tennessee, Arkansas, Mississippi, Louisiana, and Texas, presided.

The guest speaker was introduced by Lt. George W. Lee, grand educational commissioner for the Elks.

Before this, the last time the annual contest was held in Memphis was in 1939, one year after it started in Birmingham, Ala.

## Approximately \$16,000 Pledged In Drive For Children's Homes

Approximately \$16,000 was pledged to the Goodwill Homes For Children, Inc. building fund during a luncheon-meeting of the Negro division Monday at the Pentecostal church on Wellington Street.

The amount pledged was more than 50 per cent of the \$30,000 expected to be raised by the Negro Division, which held its last meeting Monday.

Total amount to be raised has been set at \$180,000 which is earmarked to build a structure to house and care for about 36 Negro children. There are six orphanages in Memphis and Shelby county for whites but not any for Negro children.

Making the initial plea at the luncheon was Atty. Bailey Brown, chairman of the fund-raising committee and director of the board

of the Goodwill Homes, who said "we have long known about the need of this orphanage but nobody has done anything about it."

He went on to relate what Judge Elizabeth McCain, of juvenile court said about, "a lot of time I have had to send Negro children to jail, not because they were guilty of violating a law, but because they were orphans or their parents were not able to care for them."

Bailey went on to explain that an option had been obtained for a site for the future home which would cost about \$6,000. He said WDA Radio Station gave the money-raising project an initial boost by pledging \$40,000. He said white citizens have promised to raise \$110,000 of the total amount.

Bailey said a white citizen group of about 150 persons have agreed (Continued on Back Page)

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# Simon Webb, Casey Jones Fireman, Passes On Sat.

**LAST SURVIVOR OF "CANNONBALL" WRECK WON INTERNATIONAL RENOWN BY ALYSON E. WISE.**

Simon Webb, 53, the man mainly responsible for the immortal Casey Jones and incident, died in a local hospital here Saturday night after having been stricken with cancer.

Mr. Webb, who was Casey Jones' fireman during the historic "Cannonball" ride and eventual wreck, although injured, survived to dedicate the remainder of his life toward focusing the rays of immortality upon the doughty engineer Jones.

**TRIP UP TO WEBB**

The writer, while interviewing Mrs. Pearl Webb, widow of the renowned fireman, Monday learned that Jones and Webb had just completed a long freight run when the engineer was asked to take the "Cannonball" run from Memphis to Canton, Miss., on the night of April 3, 1925.

According to Mrs. Webb, Jones is said to have told officials that he would take the run if his fireman (Webb) would agree to make the trip with him. Mrs. Webb said that her husband volunteered to go.

**OVER ONE HOUR LATE**

Mrs. Webb went on to say that the engineer of the "Cannonball" had taken sick and that the train had been delayed for one hour and ten minutes when Jones and Webb volunteered to take over the scheduled operation.

The wreck is said to have occurred at Vaughn, Miss., after Webb is said to have recalled that Casey had the train roaring between 65 and 100 miles per hour. The train had made up its lost time.

It was in Vaughn that part of a freight train overtook the main line over which the "Cannonball" was racing.

The tale goes on to relate the Casey, with one hand on the whistle ordered Webb to jump, which he did. Sim found himself in a hospital. Although the immortal Casey died at the helm, it is said that he had slowed the train sufficiently to avert any further fatalities.

**FRIEND COMPOSES SONG**

History in connection with the "Cannonball" wreck further relates that a Negro, twin-wiper, Wallace Saunders, who had once received a favor from Casey then

composed the song in honor of his engineer friend.

Mr. Webb was featured prominently thru out the lyrical theme in requesting Casey to slow the train in its mad dash southward.

According to records, Mr. Jones' death occurred May 1 at 3:52 a.m. Mr. Webb left railroading in 1919, later becoming a brick layer. Accidentally injured while digging a well in Stuttgart, Ark. forced his retirement from this type work.

In order to forestall those who believed the Casey Jones story to be only a legend, Mr. Webb joined Mrs. Casey Jones in counteracting the belief that Jones lived only in the song.

Webb made numerous appearances in behalf of this cause over radio and other media of communications.

Credit for the Casey Jones Home and Railroad Museum in Jackson, Tenn. must be given to the arduous and relentless tasks by both Mrs. Jones and Mr. Webb.

Webb, appearing on a dedication program for Casey there last year, is reported to have said that the indomitable engineer lived and died a fast driver.

Altho Saunders is credited with having immortalized the two men, one questions what might have been the turn of events had Mr. Webb not volunteered to have aided in the train's operation on that fateful night?

For a number of years, Mr. Webb and his widow, Mrs. Pearl Webb have resided at 1639 Ellow with their daughter Mrs. Agnes Thompson. He was a life long member of Flowery Mount Baptist Church in McComb, Miss., his birthplace.

He also leaves Mrs. Velma Willis and Mrs. Vivian Montgomery, daughters, both of Chicago, 14 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in Southern Funeral Home with the Rev. Blair T. Hunt, pastor of Mississippi Boulevard Christian Church and the Rev. W. Herbert Brewster, pastor of East Trigg Baptist Church, officiating.

Palbearers were former associates and friends of the local Brick Layers Union.

Interment took place in New Park Cemetery.

## Club News

**ROYAL TWENTY SOCIAL CLUB** will meet at the home of Mrs. Sally Rodgers, 652 Ayres St. at 8 p.m. Monday, July 22. All members are urged to attend. The club held its annual "Tea" at the Vance Avenue YWCA, on July 14. Mrs. Manda Rowland was mistress of ceremony for the program. Mrs. Irene Cotton is president and Mrs. Elsie Blanchard is club reporter.

**DEL RIO'S FUN CLUB** went to Little Rock, Ark. to hear Bill Dwyer and the Phineas Newborn, Sr. Band at a Rock 'n' Roll Show recently. The club also sponsored a picnic at Fuller State Park. The Jockey Social Club members were guests. Miss Joyce Berry is president and Miss Dorothea Jackson is club reporter.

## Personals

Mrs. Addie Crawford, 1020 Leath, left recently to attend the National Florists Convention in the nation's capital. Mrs. Crawford a member of several well known local Christian organizations, is an active member of St. Stephen Baptist Church.

Mr. Johnny Keefer of Chicago, Ill. is the house guest of his niece Mrs. Bernice F. Leatherwood of 881 Annie Pl. where he will spend several weeks of his current vacation. Several social events are being planned in his honor during his stay here. Mr. Keefer is the brother-in-law of Mrs. Victoria F. Payne.

Mrs. Mary Reeves, 1044 Randie, left recently for Detroit, Mich. where she will spend her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Blanche Morgan, and her sister, Mrs. Reeves also plans to visit several other northern cities during her sojourn.

## Nebraskans Visit Here

Mrs. Esther Luster Woods and Edwin A. Luster of Omaha, Nebraska are here visiting their brother, C. H. Luster, 488 Beale Street, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brinkley of 579 Crump Blvd., friends of the Luster family.

The show headlines Cab Calloway, Lonnie Saitin, George Kirby, Abbey Lincoln and Norman Miller and her dancers. The cast also includes Will Gaines, Joe Chisholm, the An-Joel trio, Savar dancers, Cotton Club beauties and Cab's orchestra.

## Traffic Troubles For Detroit Man

A 35-year-old motorist from Detroit, Mich. visiting in Memphis was fined a total of \$140 for five traffic violations and bound over to the state court, Tuesday.

Ernest Roberts, a former resident of Memphis, was accused by officers of traveling at 80 miles an hour in the city limits; driving while drunk; resisting arrest; driving with one headlight; running a red light.

Officers accused Roberts of kicking them when they attempted to arrest him. He denied going faster than 35 miles an hour.

A charge of reckless driving was dropped.

## Crivens' Kindergarten Slates Story of Jesus

Graduates of Crivens' Kindergarten will stage "The Story of Jesus" at Mary Wayne Center Friday night, July 26. It has been announced by Mrs. Hortense Jones Crivens, principal and operator of the institution.

Staged in three phases, the play will feature Christ's birth, life's work, death and the resurrection.

The continuous musical score which runs from the beginning thru out the entire length of the play, will be produced by pianists, Mrs. Alice Porter, Gerda Mitchell, Alva Crivens, and Carol Brown.

Narrator for the event will be Mrs. Hortense Brown Crivens. The public is invited.

Miss Gibson for she is proof that all America cannot be judged by the irrational, spiritual and socially impoverished south whose frantic efforts to stay progress are pitiable in this time of the nation's struggle for world survival.

Mrs. Daisy George and Mrs. Jennie M. Walburg, Regional Directors of Regions I and II, respectively, are conducting summer "Know Your Council Institutes." Mrs. George's area council presidents and other officers met at Yonkers, New York and Mrs. Walburg's group in Richmond, Virginia. Policies, program methods and new membership techniques were discussed and presented by NCNW personnel.

A new group, "Friends of the National Council of Negro Women" is preparing for an evening of fun, pleasure and relaxation on a cruise down the Potomac on July 29. The ride will have a Caribbean atmosphere where guests will dance to the music of a celebrated Calypso band, be entertained by a Calypso dance group and wear Calypso costumes. Miss Viola E. Meekins and Mrs. Wilma Coates, co-chairmen of the cruise, have a committee of one hundred women hard at work.

## Prophet Jones Seeks Angel City Kingdom

LOS ANGELES — (ANP) — Self styled Prophet Jones whose kingdom crashed with a thud in Detroit has set up shop in Los Angeles, City of the Angels.

Jones has announced a grand revival meeting at Universal Triumph Church. According to three ways being distributed throughout the community.

## SICKNESS COSTLY

Prolonged sickness costs the average worker in private industry 13 per cent of his annual income, according to a five-year study of non occupational illness recently conducted. The average wage of the employees covered by the study was \$3,485 a year. Lost wages cost the average worker \$323 and in addition to this, he spent \$129 in medical costs. Benefits from group insurance plans do not cover the costs of illness to the worker. Almost 71 per cent of the benefits go for hospitalization and a little over 24 per cent for surgical care.



## FOSTER PARENTS OF CHILDREN'S BUREAU ARE HONORED AT ANNUAL RECEPTION

Given at the Branch YWCA early this summer, a few members of the Colored Case Committee of Children's Bureau are seen with the Staff Members of Children's Bureau: Seen on the front row (left to right) Mrs. Mary Douglas, Children's Bureau; Mrs. Mary E. Adams, Mrs. Minnie Lee Allen, Case Committee; Mrs. H. Mitchell, director of case work at Children's Bureau; Mrs. Mildred Hurd, case worker with the agency; Mrs. Gussie Day and Mrs. Lucile Joyner, members of the case committee.

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## EASTERN ALL-STARS DEFEAT WESTERN ALL-STARS 5-1

The Eastern All-Stars defeated the Western All-Stars 5-1 Friday night at Martin Stadium in the 15th annual All-Star game of the Semi-Pro League, before a crowd of more than 1100 enthusiastic fans.

Casey Jones, manager of the Eastern team, started the sensational left hander Harvey Branch who worked the first three innings. Branch hurled hitless ball and fanned seven the last seven he faced. The first two batters were

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# Along The Sports Trail

BY SAM BROWN

**VERDEL MATHIS**

Verdel Mathis former Memphian and outstanding player of the Memphis Red Sox for approximately 10 years, was back in town for a few days last week. Now residing in New York City, Verdel came in for a visit with his mother and his thousands of friends and admirers.

During the war-torn forties when Negro baseball was such, was at its best, Mathis was rated among the top players and one of the leading pitchers of the game. He was one of the most versatile players that ever wore the uniform of the Red Sox, and considered one of the best pitchers in baseball. He was a good outfielder, a dangerous batter and daring base runner.

Many times when he wasn't pitching he was used as an outfielder or pinch hitter. Several times he filled in at first base, where his spectacular fielding earned the praise of the fans. We cannot recall any player that excelled him in all round ability. He was well liked by the fans, both on the field and off, and seldom had a bad day.

**SUNDAY BASEBALL**

Baseball was more or less a one day a week affair during his career, with Sunday being the big day, and often Verdel was saved for the Sunday game. Of course there were smaller cities that had large turnouts during the week days, but fans from far and wide looked forward to the Sunday games to see Mathis pitch.

"Candy Jim" Taylor, former outstanding manager of Negro American League teams and good judge of baseball talent once stated to the Red Sox management that "you should forget about Verdel as a pitcher and put him in the outfield and let him stay there." He added, "he is too good a ball player to be on the bench, but I know that's hard to do, as you must have someone around whom you can build your Sunday crowd." He continued,

"I've pitched out the first ball to the game off to a good start. As Queen of the Semi-Pro she will represent the league at the annual East-West Game of the Negro American League at Comiskey Park, Chicago, July 28th."

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Branch, Thomas, Dalley, Thompson and C. Jones, Clark, Mims, Matthews, Bolden, Miller, Orr and Davis R. Jones, Brown.

**SCHEDULE**

Friday, July 19—Lincoln Park, Greyhounds vs Hardwood Stars.

Saturday, July 20:

Lincoln Park 1:30—Old Timers vs Hunter Fan

4 P.M.—Letter Carriers vs Ellendale

Klondyke Park 1:30—Trojans vs Black Caps

4 P.M.—Hyde Park vs South Memphis Chicks

Orange Mound Park 1:30—Humko vs Tate Red Sox

4 P.M.—Dermon Gems vs Mallory AP

Sunday, July 21:

Lincoln Park 3 P.M.—Goldsmiths vs Memphis Rams

Klondyke Park 3 P.M.—Compress Blues vs Magnolia Eagles.

**BOYS' LEAGUE**

"Fred Bankhead, our second baseman led off the bottom of the eleventh with a line drive down the right field, and his great speed carried him to second base for a double, a sacrifice walk hit to third, an intentional walk set up the stage for a double play, but Neil Robinson hit a lone fly ball to left field, and Bankhead scored the winning run, the only one of the game." "Was it a thrill?"

Mathis spent all his baseball career with the Red Sox, played in most of their major league Park and was a favorite of the fans wherever he played. He is now in the plastering trade in New York, the father of three girls and a boy, now 17 years old, who he hopes will go all out for baseball. He is also, manager of a boys baseball team in the Boys League of New York, City, sponsored by the Police Department of New York.

As a parting word for young ball players, Mathis states, "give all you have when in the game, as major league clubs with their long range programs are looking everywhere for talent, specifically among the teen-agers. Also, watch your conduct and deportment both on and off the field."

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## NCNW URGES WOMAN TO POST OF JUVENILE COURT JUDGE

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Much interest is being centered in the forthcoming appointment of a juvenile court judge in the District of Columbia. The National Council of Negro Women is conducting an all out campaign for the recognition and appointment of a Negro woman judge in this important post. There has never been a Negro woman judge in the District of Columbia although there is one white woman judge and there have been others.

No President of the United States has ever appointed a Negro woman judge. The one now serving was appointed by Mayor LaGuardia twenty years ago and has been since reappointed at the expiration of each term. Judge Jane Bollin is well known in the New York area for her skill in handling family problems in the Domestic Relations Court where she sits.

Negro women throughout the United States are eyeing the scene in Washington with keen interest and concern. They note that there are several qualified Negro women attorneys who have exceptional backgrounds for the juvenile court, who are active in social work, leaders in the community, in civic and welfare activities, prominent in women's organizations and with exceptional law experience. Negro women and others regard this as one of the most strategic appointments that this administration could make. Negro women are becoming vocal as citizens and want their able women given proper recognition.

The National Council of Negro Women battles with great pride and appreciation the dogged hard won victory of Althea Gibson, the new women's tennis champion of the world. "This feat of skill, technique, endurance, idealism and will should be a lasting spring of courage for youth everywhere," and especially Negro youth," stated Mrs. William T. Mason, National President, from her home in Norfolk. "Miss Gibson's triumph brings joy to women, to America and to the world of sports, for here is again demonstrated that given the opportunity — even the edge of opportunity — those who have it in them can make good. America is universally indebted to

Miss Gibson for she is proof that all America cannot be judged by the irrational, spiritual and socially impoverished south whose frantic efforts to stay progress are pitiable in this time of the nation's struggle for world survival."

Mrs. Daisy George and Mrs. Jennie M. Walburg, Regional Directors of Regions I and II, respectively, are conducting summer "Know Your Council Institutes." Mrs. George's area council presidents and other officers met at Yonkers, New York and Mrs. Walburg's group in Richmond, Virginia. Policies, program methods and new membership techniques were discussed and presented by NCNW personnel.

A new group, "Friends of the National Council of Negro Women" is preparing for an evening of fun, pleasure and relaxation on a cruise down the Potomac on July 29. The ride will have a Caribbean atmosphere where guests will dance to the music of a celebrated Calypso band, be entertained by a Calypso dance group and wear Calypso costumes. Miss Viola E. Meekins and Mrs. Wilma Coates, co-chairmen of the cruise, have a committee of one hundred women hard at work.

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Bill and I call it "the night that Grandpa came to dinner." It was a comedy of errors. Bill was to make a speech that night at his men's club. And I'd be alone all evening with the baby. So we got the bright idea of asking Grandpa Ballard over to dinner.

He and I were just sitting down to dinner when the telephone rang. Good grief, Bill had forgotten the notes for his speech. Grandpa Ballard is definitely not the baby sitting type of granddad. Still, there was nothing to do but go. I explained patiently.

"Grandpa, thanks to a new product called the Keko Boater, you won't have to worry a bit about Juniors." Made of waterproof nylon, this wonderful diaper cover will hold up to three diapers at once, and Juniors is made all three—this minute. Just take a look. See the adjustable snaps instead of elastic or pins? That makes it comfortable so it doesn't bind him anywhere and allows his natural circulation to function. So don't worry. The Keko Boater keeps both his clothes and the bedding dry and saves me lots of washings. It's panties and diaper in one. If he gets the diapers wet, that is all that gets wet... so you leave him until I get back.

When I got back I found Grandpa leaning over Juniors' crib. The baby was smiling. Grandpa was chuckling.

"I see now what you mean," he said. "This young man is wet, but because of that interesting contraption you were telling me about—he doesn't mind at all."

I changed Juniors, and put fresh diapers into the "Dry Magic" Keko Boater. Grandpa watched with interest, and after Juniors had gone back to sleep, I told him about the woman who took down her shower curtain to design for babies a comfortable new type of pants, and how she sold the patents to the Keko Boater Company of Kankakee, Illinois so they could mass produce them. "No pins, no tight elastic; it ends the danger of rash on abdomen and back."

Grandpa laughed.

"I'll baby sit again, Winnie."

So, thank goodness I wrote for the booklet about Keko Boater as Dr. Sloan suggested—now I have a marvelous free baby sitter. Next time Bill makes a speech, maybe I can go to hear it. Keko Boater and Grandpa Ballard will "sit out" Juniors' showers.

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**IN AND OUT OF TOWN**  
MRS. LEONARD ANDERSON and her mother, Mrs. Pauline Dixon, will arrive here Thursday from their home in Wilmington, Delaware to attend a reception to be given by Bishop and Mrs. J. O. Fatterson honoring her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Fatterson, at 8 p.m. Monday, July 22. The Fattersons were married in Delaware late in June and were given a reception by Dr. and Mrs. Anderson before going on their wedding trip.

"YOUR COLUMNIST" took a side trip to the races Monday evening with Mrs. Ethel Venson who was accompanying her friends, Captain and Mrs. Thomas Bailey, visiting their mother, Mrs. Gertrude Trubart. The Baileys will leave Chicago where they have been stationed for the past three years early this summer for Ft. Leonardwood where he will get his orders to return to Germany where he and Mrs. Bailey previously spent four years. Mrs. Bailey will be remembered by the Memphis women for the display of her fine sterling and china that she allowed the Dental Ladies to display.

MRS. MARY BRISCOE left last week by plane for Minneapolis where she is the house guest of a friend, Mrs. Kathryn Elliott and her sister, Louise. Mrs. Briscoe will return by the way of Chicago where she will visit another friend, Mrs. Josephine Lang. Before going away the Memphis matron was honored at a dinner party by Mrs. Jerry Eddings at 744 Baltimore Street.

MR. S. L. JONES is just back from Canada, Chicago and Detroit. The Jones' young daughter, Miss Dorothy Jean Jones has returned from a visit to Dallas and Colorado. You may also like to know that the son, RUFUS, a Booker Washington graduate, is getting his things together to enter the University of Michigan this fall.

MR. HAROLD JOHNS, president of the Southern Funeral Home, is now in Cleveland visiting his parents. Mr. Johns will later go on his usual deep fishing trip with friends up in Canada.

MR. CLIFTON BONDS arrived from his home in San Francisco to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Darthula Bonds on Nicholas Street. Mr. Bonds, who is a Manassas graduate, is an interviewee for the State Department of Employment for the state of California.

MRS. JANET ARNOLD SEYMOUR, City teacher, is working for the summer at Camp Algonquin, Ill. where she is a counselor.

MISS GWENDOLYN THOMPSON is back after spending three years in Germany where she was stationed in the Air Force. Miss Thompson, who is the daughter of Mrs. Agnes Thompson and the maternal granddaughter of the famed Mr. Samuel Webb (Casey Jones' fireman) will leave early in September for the University of Denver. She was graduated from Hamilton High School in Memphis in 1952 with honors.

MRS. HELEN WEST is spending the summer in Buffalo where she is visiting relatives.

MISS GERALDINE BURKE, instructor of physical ed. and music at St. Augustine Catholic high, is spending the summer in California.

MRS. SADIE GURNEY will leave for Cleveland this week for a visit with friends and relatives.

A note from Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ford (she the former Miss Vivian Graffen) found them in Washington, D. C. touring the White House and several other government buildings. From Washington the Fords will go to West Virginia.

MRS. MINNIE WILLIAMS former Memphis, who now resides at Milan, Tenn., has been in town

for the last two weeks and has been the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Jones at their residence in the large Jones settlement, just back of the Dr. J. E. Walker Homes. Three of her days were spent at our house with my mother, Mrs. Gertrude Armstrong.

THE REV. J. B. BOYD, a top official with the C. M. E. Church, spent last week in Hot Springs resting.

MRS. C. C. SAWYER and her mother, Mrs. Minnie Smith are in Greenville for a visit with relatives.

MR. AND MRS. FLOYD CAMPBELL are the house guests of Mrs. Campbell's mother in Long Island, N. Y.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN COX and their aunt, Mrs. Katie Tipton have

had at their house guests several of their relatives for the past two weeks. Here now are Mr. and Mrs. John Evans of Gary (she, the former Mrs. Minnie Harris and sister to Mrs. Tipton) and Mr. Charlie Hall, who heads the Christmas Savings Department of the Excellent Credit Union of Gastonia, N. C. Visiting with the Coxes and Mrs. Tipton over the 4th of July holidays were Mr. Frank Hill, Mrs. Tipton's nephew and Mr. Clyde Walker of Chicago.

MRS. I. A. WATSON, JR., left Saturday for Birmingham where she will visit Mrs. Dorothy Jackson who has been her house guest here for the past two weeks.

MRS. CORA PATTERSON and her mother are visiting friends in California and other points on the West Coast.

who helped make plans but were unable to attend were Mrs. C. C. Sawyer and Mrs. G. S. M. Young. Guests included the following: Mrs. Marie L. Adams, Mrs. Lulu Brown, Mrs. A. V. Buldrige, Mrs. M. M. Boyd, Mrs. Broyle, Mrs. E. J. Campbell, Mrs. Oberia Cox, Mrs. O. C. Clivens, Mrs. B. E. Calloway, Mrs. Rosie L. Black, Mrs. Lillian Crowder, Mrs. Adel Dudy, Mrs. Minnie Douglas, Mrs. G. Dodd, Mrs. Emma Davis, Mrs. Amelia Dale, Mrs. E. J. Ester, Mrs. Bernice Flemming, Mrs. Jennette Flynn, Mrs. Ida Flynn, Mrs. Isabel Flagg, Mrs. Lida Greer, Miss Irene Gleeden, Mrs. Juanita Grandberry, Mrs. Lewis Greenwood, Miss Elizabeth Goldsby, Mrs. Martha Gordon, Mrs. Hasoleen Greene, Miss Jolene Westbrook, Mrs. S. A. Hammon, Mrs. Wallace Humphries, Mrs. Nancy Harding.

Mrs. H. Buntton, Mrs. Elizabeth Harris, Mrs. Oma Harding, Mrs. Lida Halley, Mrs. Jamie Irwin, Mrs. Christine Jackson, Mrs. Laura Jones, Mrs. Gertrude Johnson, Mrs. Hazel Lee, Mrs. Elizabeth Maisey, Miss Birdie Lemar, Mrs. Sarilla Moore, Mrs. Evelyn Mcbane, Mrs. Florence Miller, Mrs. Hanna Murphy, Mrs. Eliza Mims, Mrs. Zettie Miller, Mrs. C. L. Martin, Mrs. Joseph Mason, Mrs. Parthenia Silmon, Mrs. Eye Mitchell, Mrs. J. C. Mickel, Mrs. Carolyn Maddock, Mrs. Rosie Lee Norfleet, Mrs. Nellie Osborn, Mrs. Eleanor Oglesby, Mrs. Cleone Pilot, Mrs. Manie Pamphlet, Mrs. Bell Pettigrew, Mrs. Stella Raynor, Mrs. Fuyero Ross, Mrs. Harry Ralcliffe, Mrs. Sara Roberts.

Mrs. Mary Willis Robinson, Mrs. Isabelle Rouhick, Mrs. Annie Shepherd, Mrs. Omega H. Shieto, Mrs. Bessie Rice, Mrs. Irene Sanders, Mrs. Frances Sharpe, Mrs. Johnnie Tockens, Mrs. Manuette Taylor, Mrs. Evelyn Triplett, Mrs. Ruth Thompson, Mrs. Peggy Wilkison, Mrs. Loubia Williams.

Mrs. L. Bridgeton, Mrs. Carrie McCLOUD, Mrs. Mozeta Vaughn, Mrs. Mary H. King, Mrs. Estelle Daniels, Mrs. Mary Lou Taylor, Mrs. Sabina Day, Mrs. Amantia Gaston, Mrs. Bertha Stegall, Mrs. Willie Albridge, Mrs. Ruth Reeves, Mrs. Maud D. Bright, Mrs. Addie G. Owen, Miss Alice Ruth Adams, and Miss Maurice Swanson.

time and place of the annual Young Peoples Day Program. Mrs. Lida Alexander, church reporter, Earl Bogan, church clerk. Vacation Bible School session at St. Stephen Baptist Church.

St. Stephen Baptist Church, Vacation Bible School started Monday with sessions scheduled thru Friday. It has been announced. Ages of children attending range from 4 thru 12 years. Instructor's staff include Mrs. Ruby McCall, principal, Mrs. Ivory Felton, Mrs. Willie Lee Branch, Mrs. Irene Covington, Mrs. Hortense Jones Crivens, Mrs. Mattie Wilson, Mrs. Bernice Leatherwood, organist, Miss Hattie Jackson, register, and Mrs. Mary Lewis, devotions leader.

MARTIN MEMORIAL CME Men's Day will be celebrated at Martin Memorial CME Temple, 65 S. Parkway West, Sunday, July 28. Rev. L. A. Story, the pastor, will deliver the main address at the annual affair.

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**MR. AND MRS. ROBERT LEWIS, JR. AND DR. AND MRS. LELAND ATKINS COMPLAIN NEWLY MARRIED COUPLE:** The two Memphis couples honored their nephew and his young bride, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Patterson Wednesday evening at the Atkins' Arnansas Street home where they gave a buffet supper. Seen on the front row (left to right) are the bride and bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson. Second row: Miss Peggie Ann White, Miss Elene Ward, Miss Caroline Rhodes, Fredric Latcher, Miss Bartha Morris, James Williams and Miss Marie Brittenum. Back Row: Hollis Price, Jr., Walter Gibson, Jr., Edgar Cole, Jr., Mrs. Edgar Cole, Jr., Augustus A. White, II, Miss Lily Patricia Walker, Miss Lula McEwen, Maurice Bullock, Joe Car, all members of the college set, Mrs. Leland Atkins and Dr. Atkins, honorees. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis do not appear on the picture.

## Use It Or Lose It "WOMEN'S DAY" SLATED AT ST. ANDREWS AME CHURCH SUNDAY

Annual Women's Day will be celebrated at St. Andrew AME Church 246 E. Calhoun St., Sunday, July 28. The women of the church will take over the reins of leadership and preside over the activities of the day.

Active participation begins with the Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. Miss Lucille Hawthorne will serve as superintendent for the morning. Women will take over the classes usually taught by men. The Sunday School lesson will be reviewed by Miss Harry Mae Simon, principal of Magnolia School and an active member of Collins Chapel C. M. E. Church.

Evangelist Jessie Robinson will be acting pastor for the day. She will direct the 11 A. M. worship service. Evangelist E. R. Hooks will deliver the first of her two sermons for the day.

The afternoon program starting at 3:30 P. M. will feature outstanding local talent. Music will be rendered by a combined choir of Saint Andrew women. This will be highlighted by vocal, instrumental and recitative selections.

Evangelist E. R. Hooks, graduate of Wilberforce University and Payne Theological Seminary will again deliver a sermon. She is an impressive, inspiring and forceful speaker.

The M. A. Club of Ripley held its regular monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. Sarah Carter, Monday, July 15. The meeting was to have been a garden party on the beautiful lawn of Mrs. Carter's home but inclement weather caused the meeting to be held in Mrs. Carter's living room. Some of the guests present were Mrs. Lavera Seals Avant and Mrs. Odeal Prather all of Lane College Jackson, Tenn. Mrs. Lucile Thurmond of Halls, Tenn.

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The Choir Union in the upper division of the county held its regular Choir Union Meeting at Springfield Baptist Church, Sunday, July 14. The meeting was in charge of the president, Prof. J. W. Halliburton. The choir seemed to have been at their best. Mrs. Camena McKinney of Morning Star Baptist Church has received many compliments for her interpretation of the song "Only a Look" as a Special for Morning Star Baptist church. The music furnished by all the choirs was good.

Canon Baptist Church, and Rev. Burkley of Memphis, Tenn., began a Vacation Bible School Monday, July 15. The teacher, helpers and other workers consisted of the following: Mrs. Rosa Watkins, nursery, Mrs. Emma L. Reed, beginner, Mrs. Mable C. Mortan and Mr. Al Jones, primary, Mrs. Emmie Jones, intermediate and Miss Wiggins (Millie Maude) Mrs. Fair Amber Shafer and Mrs. Ganevny, tutor, Mrs. A. C. Cherry and Mr. Frank Cherry, cafeteria.

Mr. Albert Lockard, adult class, Mrs. Jones, superintendent, Miss Spivey and Miss Lackey, supervisors. Seventy five had been enrolled by the second day. The classes were not too large for each child to receive the individual care of each teacher.

VACATIONING Mrs. Ophelia Conley of Chicago, Ill., is in Ripley visiting her cousin Mrs. D. Herman Adams Annie Wells in Detroit, Mich., visiting her son Mrs. Gussie Mabon of Detroit, Mich., is in Henning Tenn., visiting her sister and niece, Mrs. Tooms and Mrs. Elvira Harris and other relatives and friends. Mrs. Tooms had been in Detroit, and returned with her sister.

## Japanese Visits YWCA

When Mrs. Haruko Hane, wife of a Japanese provincial governor visited the Young Women's Christian Association at Memphis, she visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sawyer, 141 Parkway East, with Mrs. Marie J. Adams, chairman of the Vance Avenue Branch YWCA. Mrs. Addie G. Owen, Branch Ex-

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Mrs. Hane's visit to the United States Department's Foreign Land Exchange Service. Her husband is governor of Fukui prefecture.

She was accompanied by Miss Nagiko Sato, her interpreter and Mrs. E. P. Richardson, chairman of the Y. W. C. A. World Fellowship committee on her tour of Memphis. Mrs. Sawyer is an active member of the YWCA Branch World Fellowship Committee.

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### Memphis New Parents Are:

- JULY 1**  
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew King, 127 Capitol, a boy, Adrienne Michele.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lee S. Parson, 1008 Florida, a girl, Adrienne Nadine.  
Mr. and Mrs. James C. Case 931 Cadoma, a boy, Lofton Darnell.  
Mr. and Mrs. Elrich Johnson, 1625 Godoy, a girl, Norrie Stein.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Douglas 1014 Rickert, a girl, Deborah Penita.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Banks, 1312 Florida, a boy, Patrick Lewis.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Threst, 3650 Shannon, a boy, Daniel.  
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Peters, 3238 Norton, a boy, Ira Lynn.  
Mr. and Mrs. Chester H. Harrington, 2238 Eldridge, a boy, Ernest Keith.  
Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Alexander, 779 Louisa, a boy, William.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Farmer, 1592 Minnie, a boy, Robert Earl, Jr.  
Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Baker, a boy, Elijah, Jr.  
Mr. and Mrs. Preston Benton, 356 Avery, a girl, Jacqueline Louise.  
Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bradford, 1313 Henlock, a boy, Allen Burton.
- JULY 2**  
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bond, 251 Venturine, a girl, Hattie Aue.  
Mr. and Mrs. Willis J. Hunt, 395 LaCade, a boy, Kyle Anthony.  
Mr. and Mrs. Aultry Brantley, 2558 Shannon, a boy, Frank Varnard.  
Mr. and Mrs. Mack W. Thompson, 1536 Castalia, a girl, Carolyn Denise.  
Mr. and Mrs. Percy M. Phillips, 2965 Airways, a boy, Percy Marshall, Jr.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clay, 1670 Hayes, a boy, Basil Penay.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Anderson, 277 Tillman, a girl, Phyllis Kay.  
Mr. and Mrs. Don Lee Brown, 944 Mississippi, a girl, Jo Ann.  
Mr. and Mrs. Willie M. Davis, 1461 Minigar, a boy, Alonzo.
- JULY 3**  
Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Allied, 755 Fendleton, a boy, Michael Anthony.  
Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Williams, 1313 Washington, a girl, Beverly Ann.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cole, 486 Washington, a boy, Curtis.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Lee Smith, 518 Avery, a girl, Vanessa Lynn.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt Haywood, 763 Tanglewood, a girl, Yvonne.  
Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Williams, 1079 Bammel, a boy, Johnny Earl.  
Mr. and Mrs. James Gathright, 669 Ayers, twins, Rolanda and Ray Carl.  
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Butler, 1663 McMillan, a boy, Andrew Martindale.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Rodgers, 2262 Hunter, a boy, Kenneth Ray.  
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Alexander, 108 West McKellar, a girl, Barbara June.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Egan, 2187 Jinnie McCrackin, and his red hot senders have "wowed" the audience at every engagement in this section they have played.
- Lowell Fulton is also teamed with Jimmie's orchestra. The musician never sits while he plays the piano. "I am the one," one of his recordings was hit across the nation as reported by Fulton in an interview. He also promises to be a big hit by some of the great music critics.
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VIE FOR "MISS A & T SUMMER SCHOOL" — These concluding last week. They are from left to summer school students at A & T College vied right, Misses: Shirley Carvin, Gastonia; Catherine recently for the title, "Miss A & T Summer Brice, Hickory, the winner of the title; Margaret School," a contest conducted at the college and Neville, Chapel Hill and Mozelle Ritter, Carthage.

# Post-Dispatch Says Ike Can't Find Dixie-Satisfying Rights

ST. LOUIS—(NNPA)— President Eisenhower cannot find a civil rights compromise that will satisfy the Dixiecrats because they want no bill at all, The St. Louis Post-Dispatch declared editorially Thursday.

Under the heading "The Limits of Compromise," The Post-Dispatch said:

"By hearing Senator Russell's argument against the civil rights bill, President Eisenhower deprived the opposition of any claim that the bill is being put over without his full knowledge of what it involves.

"Having previously discussed the measure with Attorney General Brownell, its chief draftsman, Mr. Eisenhower must now be presumed to know precisely what is involved and to be fully identified with the Administration position. Whether the Administration will accept modifications or a compromise bill is definitely up to him.

"There could be no objection, of course, to amendments that genuinely clarify the intent of the bill, or permit some of its opponents to save face. But substantive changes that sacrifice the essential spirit are something else.

"How can the Administration conscientiously accept an amendment

to be sought only where voting rights have been abridged, but generally whenever "equal protection of the laws" has been denied.

"The Southerners view this as a 'winning' move to enforce the Supreme Court decision on school desegregation under color of protecting voting rights. But the Supreme Court itself left the final decisions on when and how to enforce school desegregation in the hands of federal district courts — that is to say in the hands of Southern judges.

"The civil rights bill would not change the situation in any way. It might give the Department of Justice a new legal tool with which to approach widespread violations of the law and Constitution, but the final word would remain with the judges — Southern judges.

"Compromise is a noble art, but the truth is that President Eisenhower could not find a civil rights compromise which would satisfy Senator Russell and his colleagues. They do not really want a modified bill. They want no bill at all. We hope the President will cling fast to the determination that there shall be one."

# Miss. Governor's Report Shows Three Paid For Probes And Ads

## Money Paid From Funds Of Sovereignty Group

JACKSON, Miss.—(ANP)—Negroes in Mississippi are wondering if certain of their leaders are not cooperating with forces opposing integration within the state.

This uneasy speculation resulted from the recent disclosure that three Negroes—two ministers and the editor of the local weekly newspaper—had received a total of \$1,746.91 for assistance given the powerful state sovereignty commission, which was set up two years ago to preserve segregation.

After two years' operation, the commission has spent about \$50,000 of the \$250,000 appropriated by the legislature to carry out its Jim Crow program, despite the group's vast investigative authority.

As important as that is to Negroes, a much more important point is the mystery surrounding payments to some well-known Negroes by the commission, mostly through "blind" checks made out to Gov. J. P. Coleman.

### REPORT THREE "GOT MONEY"

Though the warrants for the expenditures do not identify recipients by race, at least three of them are known. They are Rev. H. H. Hume of Greenville; Rev. Ozelle Mason of Jackson; and Percy Green, Jackson editor.

Receipts held by the committee show that Rev. Hume, identified also as a newspaperman, was paid \$290.78 last August, and \$175 last March for investigations. He also drew \$150 last February for travel purposes. According to Gov. Coleman, Rev. Hume is a Negro preacher who has taken a public stand for segregation.

### FOR "ADVERTISING AND INVESTIGATIONS"

Rev. Mason received \$496.15 in February for "advertising," and also drew \$50 warrants last July and August, for "investigations."

Green has drawn money in several categories. Under travel last September, he received \$35; under advertising, he received \$300 last February. In addition, a \$200 warrant, given him last October, was made out to "National Association of Colored People of the South, care of Percy Green."

### Librarian Crowned NC College Queen

DURHAM, N. C. — A pretty Florida librarian was crowned Queen of the North Carolina College Summer School here Friday.

Miss Annie L. Houser, an alumna of Johnson C. Smith University, is the new queen. She was a librarian last year at Ocala, Florida.

Other summer coeds finishing high in the final voting were Miss Ruby Thomas of Sanford and Miss Carolyn Brower of Cheraw, S. C.

Coronation ceremonies highlighted a full-packed outing featuring the annual watermelon fete, card games, and a closing square dance.

Mrs. Willa W. Lewis was in overall charge of arrangements.

### Chapel Hill Board Spurns Integration

CHAPEL HILL, N. C. — (ANP)— Without saying why it did so, the Chapel Hill school board here last week turned down the bid of a Negro student for transfer to an all-white school this fall.

The integration petition was brought by 12-year-old James V. Weaver through his father, Preston R. Weaver, a shoe repairman.

The older Weaver said he had not made up his mind whether or not he would appeal the decision. Unless he does and is successful, the local schools here will be completely segregated next year.

The school board made no public statement in its denial of the Weaver application, but the board unanimously rejected the bid.

### Cornetist Don Jacoby In Two-Day FAMU Clinic

TALLAHASSEE — The noted cornetist Don Jacoby will conduct a two-day clinic on brasswind instruments and will serve as guest artist with the summer session band in concert at Florida A. and M. University according to Dr. William P. Foster of the A and M music department.

Dr. Foster said that a two-day clinic in brasswind instruments will be held at the university Wednesday and Thursday (July 17-18) for band directors and instrumental

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### RESOURCE USE WORKSHOP TO HEAR ATA PRINCIPALS

DURHAM, N. C. The above members of the Summer Resource Use Education Workshop are pictured here with Dr. J. R. Speigner, RUE director and president of the American Teachers Association scheduled to meet at NCC July 28-30. "Conserving Human Resources through Adequate, Equitable and Effective Education is the theme of the ATA's 46th annual session. RUE workshopers enrolled at NCC this summer are left to right Mrs. G. J. Cheek, Dur-



ham; Mrs. G. M. Smith, Jacksonville; Mrs. M. Campbell, Mooresville; Mrs. R. J. Tillman, Roxboro; Mrs. R. G. Smith, Key West, Florida; Miss G. C. Craig, Milledgeville, Ga.; S. E. Hemy, Winterville; Mrs. I. B. Dickens, Farmville; Mrs. W. B. Martin; Mrs. M. E. McLaughlin, Wagram; Mrs. D. D. Morrow, Effland; Mrs. D. M. McCaskill, Shelby; Miss O. Hargrove, Greenville; Mrs. V. R. Johnson, Durham; Mrs. L. B. Howard, Henderson. Not shown are Miss J. Hill and Miss E. L. Ward.

## Federal Agencies Help Youth To Get Jobs And Transfers

BY THE NNPA NEWS SERVICE

There are a number of Federal agencies directly concerned with the preparation of youth for employment and the transition of youth from school to work.

These agencies include offices, bureaus and division in the Department of Health, Education and Welfare and the Labor Department.

The Office of Education in the Department of Health, Education and Welfare is responsible for the stimulation of educational standards in the various states. It has added responsibility for administering Federal funds provided for aiding and stimulating certain educational programs at the state and local level.

The Labor Department has the responsibilities for developing child labor standards and advancing young people's opportunities for beneficial employment through the Bureau of Labor Standards.

Its Wage and Hour Division is responsible for enforcement of Federal labor laws affecting youth.

### PROGRAM RESPONSIBILITY

The Bureau of Employment Security is responsible for administering the program of the United States Employment Service which offers support, aid and counsel to the state employment services in the 48 states.

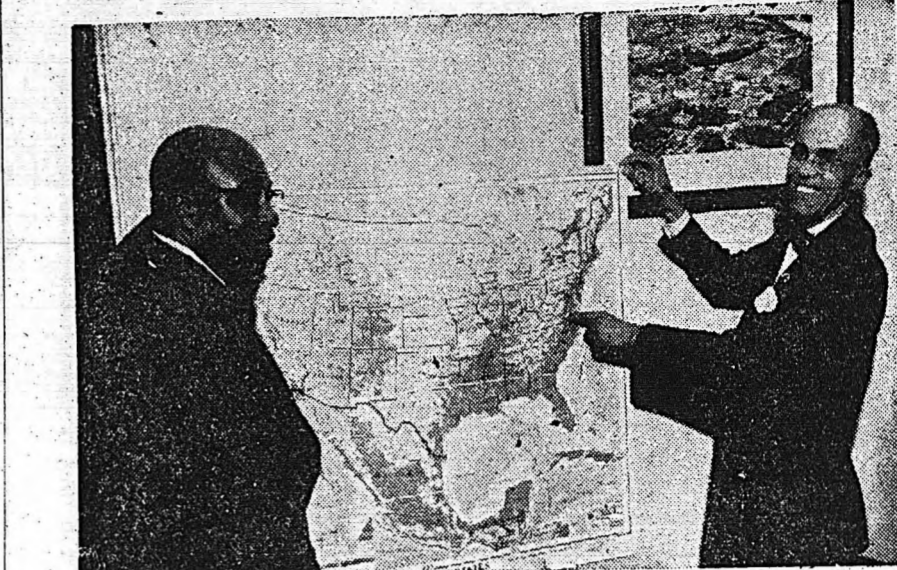
Since the end of World War II, the trend has been toward increased school enrollments of young people of high-school age, both in actual numbers and in percentage.

The trend also is reflected in the reduced numbers of out-of-school youth in the full-time labor market. Many of those attending high school hold part-time jobs and the number holding such jobs has been increasing.

The upswing in school attendance of boys and girls is reflected in a census survey which reported that of the 16 and 17 year-old group, 78 per cent were enrolled in school. It is also reported that of the 14 and 15 year old group, 96 per cent were enrolled in school.

This indicates that a smaller percentage of the 14 to 17 year olds have dropped out of school than was the case five or 10 years ago.

The decline in the extent to which youth have dropped out of school has been accompanied by a decrease in employment opportunities among out-of-school youth.



DURHAM IS ATA HEADQUARTERS JULY 28-30 — 28-30. Durham, N. C. — North Carolina College at Durham, shown pin pointed on the map above, is by H. Council Trenholm, executive secretary of ATA, will be headquarters for the American Teachers Association's 46th annual session July 28-30. Some 2,000 representatives are expected from all parts of the U.S.A.

# American Teachers Meet In Durham, N. C. July 28 - 30

DURHAM, N. C. — Plans for the workshop sessions of the 46th annual American Teachers Association meeting at North Carolina College July 28-30 were announced here this week by Dr. Theodore R. Speigner, ATA President.

Mrs. Ruth Lawrence Woodson, State Supervisor of Elementary Schools, Raleigh, N. C., will chair the opening session in Room 210 Education Building at 2 P. M. July 29.

The theme for this year's session is "Conserving Human Resources through Adequate, Equitable, Effective Education."

Consultants for the session which will be concerned with "Conserving All Our Human Resources Through Improved Techniques of Instruction in the Elementary Schools" are Dr.

W. A. Stumpf, Professor of Education, Duke University; Mrs. Gladys F. White, Supervisor, Wake County Schools, Raleigh; Mr. J. H. Gilchrist, Professor of Education, Alabama State College, Montgomery, Ala. Mrs. Norma E. Snipes of Chapel Hill is the recorder.

Dr. Robert C. Hatch, State Supervisor of Secondary Education, Montgomery, Ala., and R. J. Merlin, Principal, Ballard-Hudson Senior High School, Macon, Ga., will be co-chairmen of a session devoted to "Improved Techniques of Instruction."

## Berlin Acclaims European Premiers Of Film 'Freedom'

BERLIN — Berlin was alive with color, gaiety and enthusiasm at this week's European premiere of "Freedom." It was almost impossible to halt the applause at the end of the film to allow the distinguished Africans to be introduced.

At a dinner before the premiere, Mr. Bernhard F. Schmidt, Chairman of the Berlin Film Industry declared, "I have been commissioned by the Executive of the German Film Industry to tell you with what satisfaction we have received your entry of 'Freedom' in this Festival. I want to tell you, as a film expert myself, that the photography was absolutely superb and tops. The direction, too, was brilliantly handled and acting by the Africans was sincere and done by entirely convinced men. You will get the applause not only from the public but from the technical film men for the job you have done."

The sparkling new Festival cinema, Zoo-Palast, was ablaze with its gleaming cream and silver facings. Across the road the gilt hands on the clock of the famous Gedächtnis-

niskirche showed nine o'clock; where old meets new, where East meets West, history was about to be made. A thousand people — film producers, actors, and pressmen of every continent were in the theatre. Outside the cinema, hundreds of people demanded autographs of the African leaders who had come to Berlin. The theatre doors swung open and every head turned. Applause swept the huge hall and people rose to their feet as these distinguished African guests entered the theatre.

MRA PIONEERING — Dr. William Nkomo of South Africa mounted the stage to introduce the European premiere of the first full-length color film made by the people of Africa. "What we portray in 'Freedom,'" declared Dr. Nkomo, as the spotlight played on his colorful robes, "is what the world now needs. Moral Re-Armament is pioneering in this film to-day what the leadership of the film world will follow tomorrow. It is portraying a positive ideology instead of the decadence of the past. This is Africa's voice, giving the world the greatest thing ever." And as Dr. Nkomo resumed his seat the lights went down, the throbbing of drums filled the theatre, and the premiere was on.

After the performance the Festival Committee presented all leading Africans and Mr. Richard Tegstrom, the Walt Disney cameraman who had filmed "Freedom," with massive bouquets of roses and carnations as they lined the stage.

The Berlin radio stations are featuring "Freedom" in broadcasts reaching East and West Germany. In this session are Dr. J. C. Parler, Administrative Principal, Orangeburg City Schools, Orangeburg, S. C.; Dr. Nelson H. Harris, Director, Teacher Education, Shaw University, Raleigh; and Dr. Allan S. Hurlburt, Professor of Education, Duke University, Durham.

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## Door-to-door Selling

It is interesting to learn that door-to-door selling accounts for only two per cent of the total retail business in the United States today. This is in marked contrast with the figures of just a few years back.

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## WHO KNOWS?

1. What does the name of the fifth book of the Old Testament mean?
2. Who was Postmaster General when Mr. Truman left the White House?
3. Who was Secretary of State when George Washington became President?
4. What was George Washington's wife's maiden name?
5. How many children did George Washington and his wife have?
6. Did Woodrow Wilson have any other name?
7. What does the S. stand for in former President Harry S. Truman's name?
8. When did the United Nations adopt an official flag?
9. Describe the U. N. flag.
10. What particular sweet is designated as "the only Nectar of the Gods?"

(See "The Answers" on Page Eight)

## Two-Day Home Food Freezing Course

TALLAHASSEE — Twenty persons learned to improve the quality and appearance of home frozen foods during a two-day course in home food freezing here at Florida A and M University last week.

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## Pilgrimage Walking Minister Not Unfrosted By Church

NEW YORK — (ANP) — Rev. Milton Perry, the young evangelist who walked from Jersey City, N. J. to Washington, D. C. to help dramatize the recent Prayer Pilgrimage to the nation's capital, said that although he drew the wrath of a presiding Bishop of the Church of God in Christ he wasn't unfrosted and put out of the religious order.

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# SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

**CALEB: DAUNTLESS FAITH**  
International Sunday School Lesson for July 21, 1957  
**MEMORY SELECTION:** "Even the youths shall faint and be weary, and the young men shall utterly fail; but they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength."  
—Isaiah 40: 30-31.  
**LESSON TEXT:** Numbers 14: 66-9; Joshua 14: 66-14.

Probably one of the best known stories of the Old Testament is that concerned with the twelve men whom Moses sent out to spy out the land of Canaan not long after the Hebrew children crossed the Red Sea into the wilderness of Sinai.

As a preparation for an attack on an unknown territory, the commanding officers usually dispatch spies into the area to discover the strength of the people within it, the fortifications and defenses of it, so that the weak points may be found and plans made to take it. This Moses did in regard to the land of Canaan. He selected a man from each of the twelve tribes—every one a leader—and gave them specific instructions concerning the information which would be most valuable to the people in entering an unknown area. They were to obtain information about the land itself, about the people who lived there, how many there were and how strong or weak, about the cities, whether they were just camps or fortified strongholds. They were also to observe whether there was

food in the land, and to bring back some samples of the fruit of the land.

The twelve men spent forty days carrying out their assignment traveling the length and breadth of the land. They brought back bunches of grapes so large it required two men to carry them on a pole. They also brought pomegranates and figs as evidence of the variety of the fruits and the fertility of the land. While the men were delighted with the land itself, and its fertility, their report concerning the people who lived there was most discouraging. They said that the people were very large and very strong, and that the cities were large and strongly fortified.

### FAVORABLE REPORT BY TWO

Only two of the twelve men brought back a favorable report. These men were Caleb, the son of Jephunneh, and Joshua, the son of Nun. They realized that it would not be an easy task to conquer the land, but they had faith and confidence in God, that if it was God's will that they should possess it, He would help them in their attempt to do so.

The other ten men, thoroughly disheartened by what they saw in Canaan and lacking the courage and faith they forgot the promising features of the area and so elaborated upon their pessimistic report, that the people themselves became convinced that the task was impossible. They began to murmur

against Moses and Aaron for having brought them out of Egypt at all and seriously considered appointing themselves another leader and going back to Egypt.

Hearing them, Joshua and Caleb were deeply concerned, and appealed to the people to have faith in God. Their argument is beautifully worded—an evidence of their deep faith in the guidance of God. Their urgent appeal fell on deaf ears. The people were panic-stricken and would have stoned their leaders had not "the glory of the Lord appeared in the tabernacle of the congregation."

Because of the unbelief of the people God declared that he would smite them with pestilence, disinherit them, and make of Moses a greater and mightier than they. Moses pled with God on behalf of his people and, in response to the appeal of Moses God announced pardon for the people, but declared that of all the men who had seen the glory and the miracles which he had wrought in Egypt and in the wilderness, only two—Caleb and Joshua—would be brought into the Promised land. All those who were twenty years of age and older and who had murmured against Him would die in the wilderness. And it was so.

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The secret of Caleb's life and his courage was his complete surrender to the will of God. The motto of his life was "I wholly followed the Lord" (v. 8). Where others would not see the vision, Caleb, through faith, could see God's way. God can and will use a completely dedicated life. What the world needs today is more Albert Schweitzers, more M. J. O'Connell, more Grenfell's. These comments are based on the International Uniform Sunday School Lesson outlines copyrighted by International Council of Religious Education and used by permission.)

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FOUR VIE FOR MISS SUMMER SCHOOL TITLE—The Miss Summer School Contest, which is held annually to benefit the Athletic Association, is in progress at Fort Valley and will extend throughout the month of July. The contest will climax in the Coronation Ball to be held at the college on July 26. Contestants for the 1957

title are from left to right: Miss Louise B. Chubb, a member of the senior class who teaches at the Georgia School for the Deaf at Cave Spring; Miss Jane Antoinette Mariano, a teacher in Floyd T. Carry High School in Greensboro; Miss Ira Passmore, a senior from Griffin; and Miss Carolyn Kelsey, sophomore from Eastman.

# Nichols Trial To Draw Top Churchmen; Connectional Import

## Jury Will Not Be Selected Until Morning Of Trial

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. — Important leaders of the AME Church emphasized this week that when Bishop D. Ward Nichols' trial opens here at historic Mt. Zion AME Church, on July 30, that it will not be merely Rev. M. M. Lindsay's charges against Bishop Nichols, but rather it will be the entire African Methodist Church against him. "Much misunderstanding exists about this case," a well placed official said. "When a Bishop is accused of breaking a law it is the Church law not that of an individual. Therefore, if Bishop Nichols has erred he has done so against the entire Church; if he has not, the Church must find him not guilty. "While the specific charges have been leveled by Presiding Elder Lindsay, the AME Church itself will probably push to ascertain the complete facts," it was stated. It has been revealed by the Rev. E. M. Johnson of Hot Springs, Arkansas, who was attorney for the AME Church, that it was highly probable that on the basis of certified reports by a staff of auditors evaluating Edward Waters College that Bishop Nichols would have been charged by the General Board of the Church had not charges been lodged against him first from Bishop Nichols' own District.



MISS BARBARA BROWN — Back home after a year's study in France on a Fulbright Scholarship Miss Barbara Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond R. Brown (749 Diagonal road) Akron, Ohio, disembarks from the SS Statendam in New York City. Miss Brown is a graduate of Bennett College, Greensboro, N.C. one of the 31 member colleges of the United Negro College Fund.

## Methodist Women Urged To Back Filibuster Fight

LAKE JUNATAUSKA, N. C. — (ANP) — Methodist women, attending the annual School of Missions of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church's southern jurisdiction, were urged here last week to petition their senators to prevent the filibuster of the civil rights bill currently before the U. S. senate. The request came from Miss Thelma Stevens of New York City, executive secretary, department of Christian Social relations of the Methodist Women's Division of Christian services. This department administers a program for about 1,800,000 members of the WSCS throughout the country. Miss Stevens said, "The civil rights legislation is so important that it should receive immediate action in the senate, with reasonable time for debate. "The filibuster, which serves special interest groups, is time wasting and undemocratic and should be opposed not only in connection with the civil rights issue, but with any issue."



CERTIFICATE OF MERIT— Dr. Alf Thomas (left), Detroit physician, accepts certificate of merit from Roy Wilkins, NAACP executive secretary. The scroll was presented to Dr. Thomas in appreciation of his "successful promotion of the pioneer \$100-a-plate dinner in Detroit, April 15, 1952," which "enlisted the moral and financial support of hitherto untapped sources in the Fight for Freedom." Presentation of the certificate was made in Detroit at the Association's 48th annual convention.

# Ambrose Caliver Heads National Effort To Stamp Out Illiteracy

BY ALICE DUNNIGAN

WASHINGTON—(ANP)—There are ten million Americans of adult age who are functionally illiterate i.e., who cannot read or write, and an alarming number of them are Negro. This fact adds interest to the announcement that Dr. Ambrose Caliver who holds the highest post reached in the U. S. Office of Education, will serve as consultant to the newly formed National Commission on Illiteracy.

## SIX POINT PROGRAM

- 1. The 35-member independent Commission plans to help create a national awareness of the magnitude, seriousness, and urgency of the problem of illiteracy.
- 2. It aims to assist in developing an understanding of the significance and implications of illiteracy to (a) our national security, (b) our national economy and prosperity, (c) our social and cultural development (d) the individual worker in an age of rapidly increasing mechanization and automation and (e) the growing need for personal adjustment and growth.
- 3. The commission expects to bring together the salient facts about illiteracy and to interpret and present them dramatically to the Nation.
- 4. It will take the leadership in promoting community action in eradicating the blot of adult illiteracy.
- 5. It will promote and encourage school and community programs designed to prevent the recurrence of the problem.
- 6. And it will provide information helpful in the technical assistance program.

## COMMISSIONER DR. CALIVER'S "BRAINCHILD"

Although this commission was organized and is operating completely independent from government it is actually the brainchild of Dr. Ambrose Caliver, chief of the adult education section of the U. S. Office of Education, and assistant to the Commissioner.

This adult illiteracy is the factor underlying most of our major social ills such as poverty, ignorance, disease, occupational inefficiency, poor citizenship and personal, family and group maladjustment.

## THE ANSWER

- The second law.
- Jesse M. Donaldson.
- Thomas Jefferson.
- Martha Dandridge, who later became Mrs. Curtis and was a widow when Washington married her.
- None.
- Yes; his baptismal name was Thomas Woodrow Wilson.
- Mr. Truman uses the initial E, but has no middle name.
- On October 20, 1947.
- Light blue in color, emblazoned in white in its center is the United Nations symbol, a polar map of the world embraced by two olive branches.
- Maple syrup.

## AUDITORS CRITICAL

Bishop Nichols as the head of the Eleventh District (Florida) served as Chancellor of Edward Waters College and the report by the auditors was very critical of the Bishop's tenure of office.

Meanwhile it has been announced that Bishop R. R. Wright, Jr., head of the Council of Bishops, will preside at the trial, and a jury of five Elders of the Church, one of whom will be a Bishop, will serve as the jury. The selection of this panel which will be made by Bishop S. L. Greene will not be until the morning of the trial.

Almost every Bishop and most important leaders of the Church are expected to attend. The trial, which will be held at the Mt. Zion AME Church, will be held on several days before the panel of Elders hands down its findings. There is no appeal from these findings except at the General Conference. The next General Conference of the AME Church is at Los Angeles, in 1960.

The panel of Elders is expected to find Bishop Nichols either guilty as charged, in which case he is suspended as a Bishop pending final approval of the General Conference in 1960, or not guilty, and he would then be immediately restored to active duty.

Meanwhile because of the approaching trial, much interest surrounds the forthcoming summer meeting of the Council of Bishops, slated for July 24 through 26, in Baltimore, Maryland. AMEs will leave this session and proceed to Jacksonville where four days later the trial of Bishop Nichols opens.

## Publishers Sue Country Club For \$500,000, Charge Racism

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y. — (ANP) — The publishers of the Westchester County Press, a Negro weekly newspaper, filed a \$500,000 damage suit against a country club here last week for allegedly discriminating against their daughter and canceling a party because of the girls race.

The suit names the Beacon Hill country club as defendant in the case claiming it discriminated against the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alger Adams, publishers of the Negro newspaper.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams said they made reservations for a "Sweet 16 party" for their daughter last June 28, informing the club of their daughter's race.

They said that five days before the event was to be held, the club cancelled the affair "because some of the directors didn't like the idea."

The manager of the club, Mrs. Francis Holzheimer had denied discriminating against the Adams. — Beacon Hill Country Club is in Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.

## Two Die In Blazing Arkansas Gun Duel

TURRELL, Ark. — (ANP) — A 46-year-old deputy sheriff here and a 28-year-old Negro farmer died last week in West Memphis hospital after a shotgun blast hit the face of one man and five bullets were pumped into the body of the other during a blazing gun duel.

Dead in the maze of gunfire are Crediton County deputy sheriff Bartlett Phillips and Edgar Grice, both of Turrell.

According to reports of Sheriff Ivan Dickson, he and Phillips answered a call to a store where Grice was allegedly threatening several persons with a shotgun. Upon their arrival, Dickson said, Grice jumped into his pick-up truck where Phillips ordered him to throw out his shotgun.

Dickson said Grice replied to Phillips' command with a single blast from the shotgun that struck the deputy sheriff full force in the face.

Both Phillips and Grice died a few hours later in the hospital.

## Church Council Asks Labor To Help Solve Moral Problems

NEW YORK — Organized labor was called upon Monday to help solve the many moral dilemmas arising out of the nation's current booming economy.

In a Labor Sunday message, to be read from thousands of Protestant church pulpits, Sept. 1, the National Council of Churches states that America's economy of abundance, "far beyond the dreams of the past," presents a situation "full of peril."

"New and heavy demands are placed on the Christian conscience: to seek Christian perspective on the distribution and use of increasing material abundance and a true sense of stewardship of its mounting benefits," says the statement. "Labor can be made a unique and necessary contribution in the quest for solutions to the problems which this era poses for all."

## Toledan To Run For County Judge

TOLEDO, Ohio — (ANP) — Sam Peterson, a justice of the peace in nearby Spencer Township, will become a candidate for a Lucas County judgeship in the November election.

Peterson will seek election under a provision of a law passed earlier this year by the Ohio Legislature which abolished the justice of the peace courts, effective next Jan. 1.

The law permits those who held office of justices of the peace to run in the coming election, even though they might not be lawyers.

Six judges will be elected in Lucas County on a county-wide basis, and if Mr. Peterson is successful, he will become the first Negro jurist in the county.

## 'Dead' In Delivery Room, Woman Is Revived, Bears Son

CHIPLEY, Fla. — (ANP) — A strange real-life drama, fit for Ripley's "Believe It or Not," was enacted here last week when a woman suffered a heart attack in the delivery room, was pronounced dead, then revived by two doctors and gave birth to a 6-pound boy.

She is Mrs. Nellie Atkins, 25, whom the physicians — Drs. Hugh Thompson and Walter Shepley of the Washington County Hospital — said she suffered the fatal attack following two days in intense labor. Her heart had stopped beating and breathing ceased when she got into the delivery room, the physicians stated.

The doctors said they immediately opened her chest and massaged her heart. Three minutes later she was revived. They then proceeded to deliver the infant by Caesarian section.

Both mother and child were reportedly "doing fine."

## Pasadena Publisher Jails Ad Manager, Exposes Fraud

LOS ANGELES — (ANP) — Pasadena, beautiful sister of Los Angeles, just 14 miles away, and with a large progressive Negro population, was all agog last week over the second of two daring exposes by J. Robert Smith, editor-publisher, "The Crown City Press."

Smith, who some years ago was travelling representative for The Associated Negro Press, launched the Press, a well-printed tabloid, less than a year ago, and immediately it began making itself felt in the famous Rose Parade city.

With repercussions that are expected to reach nation-wide proportions, Smith virtually upset the apple-cart with the second expose by his paper, charging false leadership of a fund raising campaign, which has been using the name of the late scientist, George Washington Carver.

He openly accused Dr. Robert D. Hobbday, president of the "George Washington Carver, Memorial Institute For the Advancement of Art, Science and Education," with acting

without authority. Headquarters for Hobbday were given as 422 Washington Building, Washington, D. C.

To date Smith's efforts headed off a big celebration that was to be held on July 14, following a proclamation by the Pasadena City Council, when City Manager McMillan was to be presented an honorary membership in the Carver organization, as an award for his efforts in better race relations. In tracing down the reasons for Hobbday selecting Pasadena for his plans, Smith learned that he had gained contact through Mrs. Millie Robinson, mother of noted Jackie Robinson.

Although Hobbday had listed her on the committee, she nor anyone else could say what became of the monies he had been collecting for the Carver movement.

George Garner, formerly celebrated concert artist, now a minister, had hurriedly withdrawn his support of the movement, as soon as the Hobbday expose had been made by Smith.

In the first of exposes made by the paper, Smith had caused the arrest of his own advertising manager, a man named Fred Frost, when he learned he had past political records in Chicago and Los Angeles, and was wanted by the F. B. I.

## Rights Rallies In Six Cities

NEW YORK — Working in cooperation with other organizations, local branches of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People have scheduled a series of mass meetings across the country to mobilize support for the civil rights bill now being debated on the floor of the Senate.

Led by Senator Richard Russell of Georgia, Dixiecrat senators, with the support of a few others, are trying to weaken the bill by tacking on crippling amendments. The mass meetings have been called to counteract the southern assault upon the bill which is designed to protect the right to vote and to assure other constitutional rights.

Meetings have already been scheduled for Sunday afternoon, July 21, in Boston, St. Louis, Cleveland, Philadelphia, Seattle and Albuquerque, N. Mex. The senators from these states have been invited to join civil rights leaders from the NAACP and other organizations in addressing the rallies.

Mrs. Katie Mack Carter and Mrs. Sara Locklear, both of Tuskegee Institute are the general chairman and the housing chairman, respectively for the convention.

Presidents of the other seven states in the Southeastern Region are Mrs. Myrtle H. Davis Miami Fla.; Mrs. Eddie Ravey Susan Gullim Ga.; Mrs. A. M. Lovelace Jackson, Miss.; Mrs. Rose D. Aggrey Salisbury, N. C.; Mrs. Pauline McLeod, Georgetown, S. C.; Mrs. Cora B. Robinson Chattanooga Tenn.; and Mrs. Juanita Peyton Newport News, Va.

Serving with Mrs. Ruby E. Flatts Lyells, Regional President are the following officers: Mrs. Maud Reese, Albany, Ga., Vice President; Mrs. Esther D. Moore, Hickory, N. C., Second Vice President; Mrs. Daisy Murrell Belle Glade, Fla., Recording Secretary; Mrs. Hathe Floyd, Ga., Asst. Secretary; Mrs. Pecchie Jackson, Charlottesville, Va., Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Mable L. Neely, Birmingham, Ala., Statistician; Mrs. M. L. Carroll, Selma, Ala., Financial Secretary; Mrs. Sadie E. Wright, Tuscaloosa, Ala., Treasurer; Mrs. L. H. Gott, Caxington, Va., Chairman Executive Board; Mrs. Pauline McLeod, Georgetown, S. C., Historian; Mrs. Cora B. Robinson, Chattanooga, Tenn., Auditor; Mrs. T. Barnes Laurel, Miss., Parliamentarian; Mrs. Joyce Johnson, Utica, Mass., Supervisor S. E. Association of Colored Girls; Mrs. Myrtle Gray, Tuscaloosa Ala., is hostess supervisor for the SEAGG's meeting in conjunction with the adult convention.

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Dr. Charlotte Hawkins Brown, Founder and President Emeritus of Palmer Memorial Institute, Sebalia, N. C. was among the founders of the Southeastern Association. Among the names of longstanding connection with the S. E. are Mrs. W. A. Scott, Sr., Atlanta; Mrs. Annie Foster, Pinehurst, N. C.; Mrs. H. M. Gibbs, Tuscaloosa, Ala.; Mrs. Wanza Webb, Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. F. M. Walker and Alice Mickens, W. Palm Beach, Fla.; Mrs. M. D. King, Memphis; Mrs. L. E. Miller and R. O. Hubert, Miss.; Mrs. A. L. Higgins, Memphis; Mrs. Amanda D. Douth and Ida Henderson and Dollye Alexander, Ga.; Mrs. Mamie K. Fields Charleston, S. C.

# Southeastern Regional Meeting, Colored Women's Clubs At Tuskegee

The 19th Biennial Convention of the Southeastern Association of Colored Women's Clubs will be held at the Tuskegee Institute, Tuskegee, Alabama, August 4 — 6, 1957. This announcement was made by Mrs. M. J. Lyells, Jackson, Mississippi, President of the Southeastern Region of the National Association of Colored Women's Clubs, Inc. with headquarters in Washington, D. C. The Alabama State Association under the leadership of Mrs. Mabel L. Neely of Birmingham will be hostess to the Regional Convention.

The theme of the Convention, The Southeastern and the New South, will be developed by speakers, discussions, displays, and other program features. The Convention opens with a mass meeting at the Greenwood Baptist Church Sunday afternoon August 4th, The Parade of States, a traditional money-raising activity, will be held Monday evening August 5th. The Bertha L. Johnson Trophy, honoring the Co-founder and President of Prentiss Institute (Miss.) who is a past president of the Southeastern Assoc. and an outstanding alumna of Tuskegee will be awarded the winner in the Parade ceremony. An arts and crafts exhibit at which prizes will be awarded for outstanding works will be under the direction of Mrs. Ruby Bell, Hattiesburg, Miss., and Mrs. Willie G. Floyd of Tuskegee Institute.

Mrs. Myrtle H. Davis Miami Fla.; Mrs. Eddie Ravey Susan Gullim Ga.; Mrs. A. M. Lovelace Jackson, Miss.; Mrs. Rose D. Aggrey Salisbury, N. C.; Mrs. Pauline McLeod, Georgetown, S. C.; Mrs. Cora B. Robinson Chattanooga Tenn.; and Mrs. Juanita Peyton Newport News, Va.

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## American Teacher To West Nigeria

IBADAN, Nigeria — (ANP) — Chief J. A. Odebiyi, Minister of Education for the Western Region of Nigeria, announced this week that an American teacher had arrived and been employed at the K. I. Memorial College at Ibadan.

Charles Zimmerman, 35, of science master was accompanied by his wife.

The appointment was arranged by the Institute of African and American Relations of Washington, D. C. Another white American teacher is expected next month arranged by the same group.

## FAMU Commencement Scheduled August 10

TALLAHASSEE — Commencement exercises for the summer session at Florida A. and M. University will be held Saturday evening, August 10, at seven o'clock, according to an announcement by President George W. Gore, Jr. Dr. F. D. Patterson, director, Phelps-Stokes Fund of New York City will deliver the commencement address.

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**Church Council Asks Labor To Help Solve Moral Problems**

NEW YORK — Organized labor was called upon Monday to help solve the many moral dilemmas arising out of the nation's current booming economy.

In a Labor Sunday message, to be read from thousands of Protestant church pulpits, Sept. 1, the National Council of Churches states that America's economy of abundance, "far beyond the dreams of the past," presents a situation "full of peril."

"New and heavy demands are placed on the Christian conscience: to seek Christian perspective on the distribution and use of increasing material abundance and a true sense of stewardship of its mounting benefits," says the statement. "Labor can be made a unique and necessary contribution in the quest for solutions to the problems which this era poses for all."

**CONTINUING PROBLEMS**

Under the theme, "To new levels of dedication," the message urges labor to join with other leading segments of the nation's life to grapple with such new or continuing problems as:

1. Giving people in their daily work a sense of purpose and individual participation.
2. Elimination of discrimination in social educational service.
3. Wiping out persistent poverty, slum living, disease and delinquency.
4. Eliminating the dangers of "extreme inflationary or deflationary swings" within the framework of economic freedom.
5. Finding ways to share abundance with peoples in under-developed world areas.

**Williams College Takes New Step To End Fraternity Bias**

WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass. — (ANP) — Another step toward eliminating discrimination in elections to fraternity memberships was taken here last week by Williams college.

By direction of the board of trustees, college president James P. Baxter, sent a letter to the heads of 15 undergraduate fraternities on the campus requesting written assurance before next January 15, that each chapter is free to select its members on the basis of merit as individuals.

This is the third move made by the board of trustees toward eliminating discrimination in fraternal organization on the campus. In 1946 and again in 1955, the board issued statements of policy on discrimination.

The request for written assurance came as a result of a report by a committee of the trustees board, which suggested trustees make it clear that freedom of action of fraternal groups could not be violated in any manner, whether by written or unwritten agreement or otherwise.

The date of Jan. 15 was set as the deadline so that undergraduate chapters might have reasonable time to clarify their positions with parent fraternal and alumni groups.

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Some time ago a young man of 22 engaged to be married wrote a letter to Dr. Geo. W. Crane asking him if he knew of any formula by which he could possibly avoid having his marriage wind up in divorce. In Dr. Crane's reply he included in his letter the following:  
"Yes, my home is a happy one. I know enough to prevent a divorce. The first rule for a happy home is to pick wisely and get quality matrimonial merchandise. It was in a young people's meeting at a church where I first met Mrs. Crane. I fell in love at first sight. I exercised my love. Of course that doesn't mean that I haven't argued with Mrs. Crane or barked at her sharply under tension.

they money - no allowances or family "dole". Mrs. Crane and I go on a date occasionally. She is my secretary and confidante.  
She is the treasurer of our family too, for she is a smart and talented woman. She had a business college course before I married her, and had worked for several years as office secretary and also as a traveling sales-woman. She can still do more office work than any two secretaries that I have ever had.

And she meanwhile, must run the house, keep up correspondence with all the children who are away from home and fill out the income tax forms even for our grown children, who impose on her talents as much as I do.

**LOVE FLOURISHES**  
At night, when I go to bed, Mrs. Crane, snuggles down against my shoulder. However she first kneels and says her prayers. She is a good looking woman too. We kiss when we say farewell and when I return from trips.

Our children know that there is nothing "forced" about our affections for ourselves, and for them. Our home is tosy-turvy most of the time because so many of us are in it, and we are always backing some new project; but it is a happy and hilarious place because we practice what I preach in my columns."

Those characteristics of the average husband are evident in the best regulated homes. But I never let a quarrel persist until night. I always make up and apologize.

### GO TO CHURCH

Mrs. Crane and I always go to church and I have taught a Bible class for 35 years. Our children go with us on Sunday. We don't send them; for parents should set a strong example.

We have also taken an active interest in their school problems and athletics. We have seen that they join the H.Y. (H-Y) Boy Scouts. We have sent them to summer church camps every summer. And we have sent them to work for

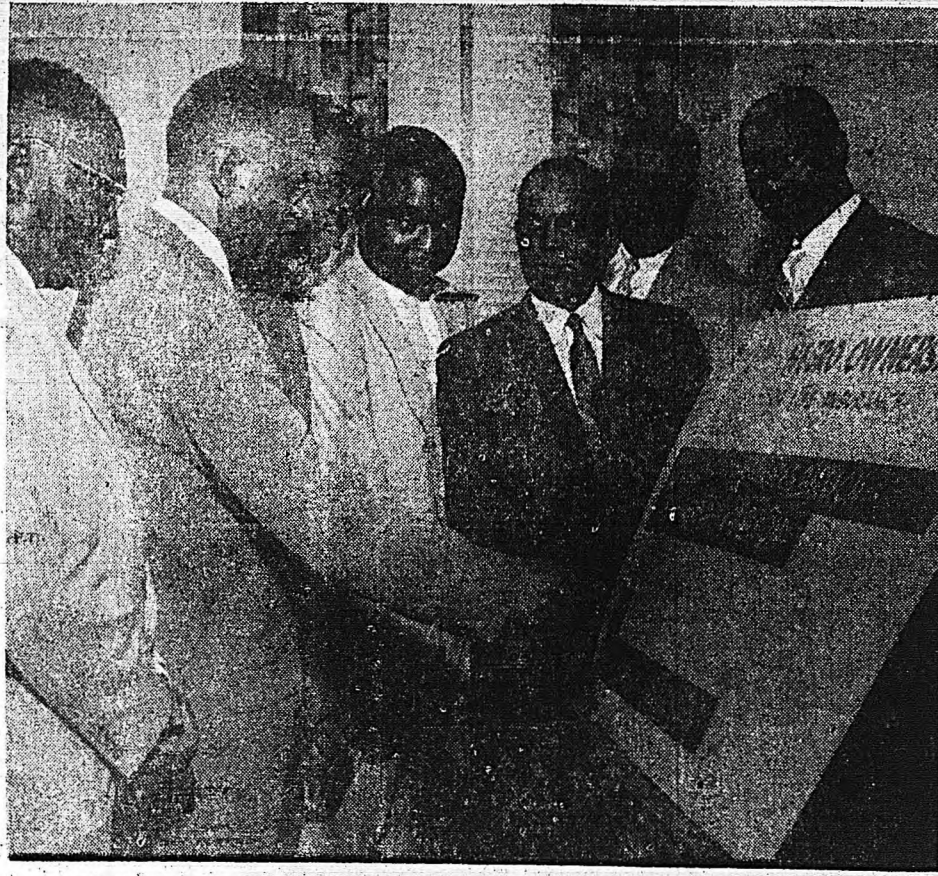
## Several Hundred Attend Final Rites For Ex-Gov. Cox

DAYTON - Several hundred persons were at Memorial services for James M. Cox, former Ohio Governor and head of several newspaper radio and television enterprises in Christ Episcopal Church here after private burial in Woodland Cemetery.

Ohio Gov. C. William O'Neal was among the large group which came to pay final tribute to the Ohio farm boy who rose to the highest ranks in politics and journalism. In 1920, Cox was Democratic presidential nominee. He served as Governor of this state for three times and as a U. S. Congressman for two terms.

When he died in his home Monday, the 87-year-old Ohlan was publisher of the Dayton Daily News, Dayton Journal-Herald, The Springfield Morning Sun and The Daily News, The Miami Daily News, The Atlanta Journal and The Atlanta Constitution.

His radio and television holdings included WHIO and WHIO-TV in Dayton, WSB and WSB-TV in Atlanta and with the Knight interests WCKT and WCKR radio and TV in Miami, Fla.



**"TO RAISE THE NEGRO LIFE INSURANCE OWNERSHIP LEVEL"** is the objective of the third National Insurance Association institute in session for the second week at Tennessee State University at Nashville. The chart here shows that with an annual income of \$18 billion, Canadians have \$26.5 billion in life insurance in force; while the American Negro market with the same annual income has only \$1.6 billion in life insurance in force. Studying this comparison are (L. to R.) National Insurance Association President Joseph A. Faison of Philadelphia, Pa.; Wil-

liam F. Savoy, educational director, Supreme Liberty Life Insurance Co.; L. J. Gunn, CLU, NIA institute dean and district manager of Atlanta Life, Nashville, Tenn.; C. O. Hollis, CLU, assistant agency director, Pilgrim Health and Life, Augusta, Ga.; Tennessee State University's president, Dr. W. S. Davis, H. A. Caldwell, educational director, Universal Life, Memphis, Tenn.; and Lonzie L. Jones, assistant agency director, Golden State Mutual, Los Angeles, Calif. With the exception of Dr. Davis, these are the institute faculty members. — (Clanton III Photo)

## Stevenson, Jr. Fears For Africa

LOUISVILLE — (ANP) — Adlai Stevenson, Jr., on his way back from his trip accompanying Adlai Stevenson, Sr. former Democratic presidential candidate on his recent journey to Africa, came to Louisville to pick up their eight month old son Adlai IV, who has been staying with this mother's parents here.

The elder Stevenson who made a swing around the African continent which he described as partly an opportunity to learn more about Africa and partially inquiries in behalf of some of his clients who have interests there, visited Ghana, Nigeria, Liberia and South Africa among other points. In South Africa he became embroiled in a newspaper tilt with Eriv Louw, Minister of foreign affairs who accused Stevenson of criticizing South African internal affairs as they concerned "the despicable treatment accorded minority groups in the Union."

**NOTES "DEEP-SEATED HATRED"**  
But young Stevenson was totally outspoken as he gave an outline of his impressions. He predicted bloodshed in South Africa and thinks it may not be too far away. He was appalled by the deep-seated hatred between the whites and the blacks.

"No white man dares go outside his house at night now," Stevenson said. "The whites by their policies are making their extinction almost inevitable."

"The trend is toward even more inequality between the whites and the natives who outnumber them many times," he said. "The whites attitude is understandable. They are trying to maintain their property and their leadership."

"There is the same sort of fear only to lesser extent here in the deep South of the United States," Stevenson continued, "but here at least there is one trend toward equality."

Stevenson expects to take the bar examination in Illinois this fall. He indicated he hoped that finally he might have chance to enter politics.



ADDED TO FORT VALLEY GRADUATE FACULTY — President C. V. Troup has announced that Dr. W. Bruce Welch has been appointed Professor of Educational Psychology in the Graduate School of Fort Valley State College. Dr. Welch received his A.B. degree at Livingstone College. His M.A. and Ed. D. were earned at Indiana University. Dr. Welch is head of the Department of Psychology and Education at Virginia State College. While at Virginia, Dr. Welch was granted a leave to serve as Special Consultant in Education, F.O.A. in Iran. Before joining the Virginia State faculty, Dr. Welch had served in Georgia as a principal at Sandersville, principal in Greene County, and principal of the Albany State College Demonstration High School.

Dr. Welch's doctoral dissertation was "An examination of the usability of test scores for prediction when used with typical group in terms of socio-economic status". In addition to his work in Educational Psychology, Dr. Welch will assist in the testing and guidance laboratory at Fort Valley.

### KITCHEN REMODELING

Remodeling the kitchen while the family is away on vacation is ideal timing. The family dining routine isn't thrown off schedule and the contractor has complete freedom of action during the day without interruptions. A new kitchen, complete with modern facilities arranged under one stainproof, waterproof ceramic tile countertop will make returning much less like a chore to the housewife.

In the office for a couple of hours and then phones him.

The article reveals that the home life of Hagerty is of necessity somewhat sketchy. The job is exacting, confidential, sensitive. A minor slip can cause world-wide repercussions. The pace is brutal, for Hagerty must be informed on all kinds of subjects and be able to inform the President of them. He manages the President's entire press relations; collects material for his speeches; supervises Presidential press conferences; holds two press conferences of his own each day; time the release of Administration news; and sits in on all Cabinet meetings.

The Hagertys who have two grown sons live in a modest, comfortable colonial house in Chevy Chase. Mrs. Hagerty selected it herself while her husband was in Korea before the President's inauguration. She handles all details of the house hold, including paying of taxes and all bills. Before she became an ardent golfer she also did most of the gardening.

Hagerty himself, a man of simple tastes usually stays home evenings with his family. He almost always gets several phone calls before going to bed and anywhere from two to ten during the night.

## Robinson Calls On Every American To Support "Rights"

CHICAGO — (ANP) — Jackie Robinson former Brooklyn Dodger star told an audience of more than 500 Sunday night, that the eyes of the country and the world are on Chicago as the chief receiver of Negroes fleeing the prejudice and brutality of the South. In the keynote address of the \$25 a plate dinner, Robinson assured his audience that now is the time for every American to speak out for civil rights.

The former Dodger second baseman was addressing the 1957 Freedom Fund Dinner in the Terrace Casino of Hotel Morrison.

**MOST EFFECTIVE WEAPON**  
He cited the NAACP as the most effective weapon at the hands of the Negro to assist him in overcoming second class citizenship.

Robinson, 1956 winner of the Spingarn medal for outstanding achievement described the NAACP as "an organization working for the betterment of all Americans" and stated that its goal is the making of the promise of democracy into a reality for Negro Americans.

Robinson is Chairman of the NAACP 1957 Fight For Freedom Fund Drive.

Appearing on the program along with Robinson were Willoughby Auner, president Chicago Branch of NAACP, Rev. Morris Tynes, pastor of Monumental Baptist Church; Franklin Williams, West Coast regional counsel for NAACP and Dr. T. R. M. Howard, refuge from Mississippi now a prominent Chicago physician.

## Says Lung Cancer Traced To "Excessive" Smoking

WASHINGTON, D. C. — The Public Health Service said Friday there is increasing evidence that excessive cigarette smoking is one of the factors which can cause lung cancer.

The statement by Surgeon General Leroy E. Burney modified some what the previous official position taken by the Public Health Service in 1954 on the question of cigarette smoking and lung cancer.

At that time, the Service noted there was some evidence of a statistical association between cigarette smoking and lung cancer but left open the question of whether there was a cause and effect relationship.

In today's statement, Dr. Burney said many independent studies have confirmed beyond reasonable doubt that there is a high degree of statistical association between lung cancer and heavy and prolonged cigarette smoking.

Although this evidence is still largely statistical in nature, Dr. Burney said, some laboratory studies also support the concept of a cause and effect relationship.

**SUPPLEMENTARY DATA**  
Dr. Burney noted that many important public health advances have been developed on the basis of statistical or epidemiological information.

Copies of the Surgeon General's statement, together with supplementary data, will be made available to State health officers and others in the health professions as a further step in bringing the matter of smoking and lung cancer to public attention.

Dr. Burney said it is clear that cigarette smoking is not the only causative factor in lung cancer. Further, he said, the precise factors in cigarette smoking which can cause lung cancer are not known.

**MORE RESEARCH**  
He said more research is needed to identify and try to eliminate these factors. He also called for more research into other probable causes of lung cancer, including air pollution.

The United States now has more than 25,000 deaths each year from lung cancer. How many of these persons were heavy cigarette smokers is not known. Altogether, deaths from cancer make up about 250,000 of the 1.6 million total deaths in the United States each year.

The Public Health Service issued the statement after completing its review of the report of a Study Group on Smoking and Health. The Study Group was established one year ago to appraise available scientific evidence and recommend further needed research.

Dr. F. M. Strong of the University of Wisconsin Medical School,

## Bishop College Opens Drive To Aid Sports Teams

MARSHALL, TEXAS— There's plenty of activity these days at Bishop College in the Department of Athletics. The purpose of all the activity is to streamline and improve the Athletic Department and thereby provide more winning "Tiger" teams in all of the sports.

Chief spark of the "new look" in Bishop's Athletic Department is the new Athletic Director, Dwight H. Fisher of Oberlin, Ohio. Mr. Fisher comes to Bishop College from Alcorn A and M College, where he spent the past nine years compiling an enviable record as football and basketball mentor. His Alcorn football teams ruled from October 1948 to October 1955 without a single conference loss.

His teams piled up 27 wins in a row while being rated among the top ten Negro Colleges in the nation four times. A veteran Coach with more than twenty years of coaching experience, Mr. Fisher has made known his intention of putting Bishop teams back in the limelight if given proper support.

And from the way things are buzzing around the Bishop College campus, it looks as if Mr. Fisher is going to get that support. About three weeks ago, faculty, staff, students, alumni and friends of the college welcomed Mr. Fisher to the conference and pledged their support. An Athletic Finance Committee was set up to raise \$30,000 to pay for additional athletic scholarships and pay for new equipment. The Athletic Finance Committee is headed by Mr. J. K. Haynes of Baton Rouge, La.; Mr. C. Emerson Jackson of Wichita Falls, Texas is Co-Chairman. Mr. Mack H. Hannah, Junior of Port Arthur, Texas is treasurer. The Reverend Mr. G. C. Stephens of Marshall is Vice-Chairman of Bishop's Athletic Committee.

The Athletic Committee is in the process of mailing 3,000 Activity tickets to alumni and friends of the college. The ticket will sell for ten dollars each, and entitles the bearer to attend all athletic contests held at home, as well as cultural programs.

Mr. Fisher says plans for a great athletic season are in motion. He says he hopes to be able to field three football teams this fall and, says Mr. Fisher, "We're looking forward to the support of all friends of Bishop College."

## Attack-Slayer Gets 199-Year Sentence

CHICAGO — (ANP) — Despite his pleas of innocence, a 29-year-old man here convicted of the rape-slaying of a 62-year-old woman in her home last April 2, was sentenced to 199 years in the state penitentiary for the offense in Judge Harold P. O'Connell's Criminal Court last week.

George Sims, a former University of Chicago janitor, drew the prison term after being found guilty of the rape-slaying of Mrs. Jeannie Johnson. He was convicted of murder at a bench trial by Judge O'Connell but insisted that a confession was beaten out of him by police after his arrest. Mrs. Johnson was found strangled to death in her home here.

Clemency was sought for Sims by assistant public defender William F. Fitzpatrick based on the assertion that the state's case hinged on a confession after some 20 hours of police quizzing. Judge O'Connell's

verdict was met by a statement from assistant state's attorney Louis Gordon that Sims was guilty of a "one man crime wave that had the neighborhood in an uproar." Gordon and the state's attorney's office had asked for the death penalty.

Three charges of rape, three burglary counts and one charge of assault with intent to rape, also pending against Sims, were struck out in the case that caused high tension on the southside before it was solved.

The Public Health Service feels the weight of the evidence is increasingly pointing in one direction: that there is an association between excessive smoking and lung cancer.

Dr. Burney said the Public Health Service statement has been discussed with the Executive Committee of the State and Territorial Health Officers' Association.

### Bring On The Food



Sun, sand and a pretty girl, are wonderful accompaniment to a pleasant day at the beach or lake, but when lunch time rolls around the favorite cry is — "Bring on the food!" This young lady seems to be announcing that she is ready to produce a fast hamburger or cool drink using the plates, cups, cooler jug, portable grill and charcoal bucket which are all protected by a porcelain enamel finish. The glass-like surface on these items assures easy cleaning and will never rust or corrode because it is fused to the underlying metal for life. In view of today's trend toward more and more outdoor living and informal-type meals, porcelain enamel is especially desirable as a finish that will protect cooking equipment destined for outside service. At the beach, home or on vacation this colorful finish means lifelong protection for your cooking and serving products.

W. V. Johnson Appointed Public Accountant

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. — (SNS) Mr. Willis V. Johnson, head of the Johnson Employment Agency located at 600 1/2 Ninth Street is now a public accountant having successfully passed the state requirements in that field May 6, 1957.

Mr. Johnson is a native of Dallas, Texas but has resided in Chattanooga for a number of years. He received his education in the public schools of Dallas, Prairie View University and his commercial training was received from Phillips School of Commerce in Dallas.

He is a member of the First Baptist Church on E. Eighth Street and a Mason. For a number of years he was recruiting officer for the U.S. Army and Air Force here. He will now be actively engaged in the practice of taxation and auditing.

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## Ft. Valley College Launches Graduate Work in September

FORT VALLEY, Ga.—President C. V. Troup of Fort Valley State College has announced that the program in graduate instruction will start at Fort Valley with the beginning of the fall quarter on September 23, 1957. The first graduate work will lead to the M. S. degree in Elementary Education. Dr. Troup says "The aim of the college in initiating this program is to produce master teachers and to send to the State of Georgia people who are qualified to do a superior job."

Dr. Wesley J. Lyda, presently Dean of the School of Education and Director of the Summer School at Atlanta University, has been appointed Dean of the Graduate School. Dean Lyda is eminently well qualified by training and experience to direct the graduate program at Fort Valley. Dr. Lyda's undergraduate work was done at DePauw University where he studied on a Rector Scholarship for four years, graduating with high distinction with a major in mathematics. At Indiana State Teachers College he received his Kappa Delta Pi. He earned his Ph.D. degree at Indiana University, "Summa Cum Laude," with a major in Secondary Education and minors in Mathematics and Educational Psychology. At Indiana he was elected to membership in Phi Delta Kappa (A graduate Scholastic Honor Society in Education). While he was a student at Indiana University, Dr. Lyda served in the capacity of Graduate Assistant in Education.

Dr. Troup states that some assistantships are available in amounts ranging from \$300 to \$500 for students holding the A. B. or B. S. degree can qualify for an assistantship. Persons desiring to enter the graduate school and who wish to apply for an assistantship should write: The Dean of the Graduate School, Fort Valley State College.

widely as a consultant in matters educational and has published articles in numerous journals.

The graduate program will center in the newly completed William M. Hubbard Education Building, a modern structure.

The building has facilities for a curriculum laboratory, library service, audio-visual aids, testing and remediation, an all-conditioned branch library, and a demonstration school for pre-school children.

Members of the current faculty who will assist Dean Lyda in specific aspects of the graduate program are: Dr. C. J. Duncan Berry, Dr. Thelma Taylor Murray, Dr. Gladys B. Collins, and Dr. Eldridge Seales.

## GI Loan Activity Near Record Low

GI loan activity during June reached record or near-record lows for the month in all categories, Veterans Administration announced Wednesday.

VA received 20,911 home loans applications in June down 84 percent from May's 126,834 and the lowest June since World War II.

Appraisal requests for proposed structures during June reached 13,736, a drop of 172 percent from May's 16,584, and the lowest of any month since September 1951.

Appraisal requests for existing structures during June were off 6 percent to 10,264 compared with 10,922 during May, and were the lowest for any month in the seven years VA has kept figures for this category.

GI housing starts reached 12,993 for June, up 78 percent from May's 12,042, but down 51 percent from June 1956, and 67 percent from June 1955, and the lowest June since 1951.

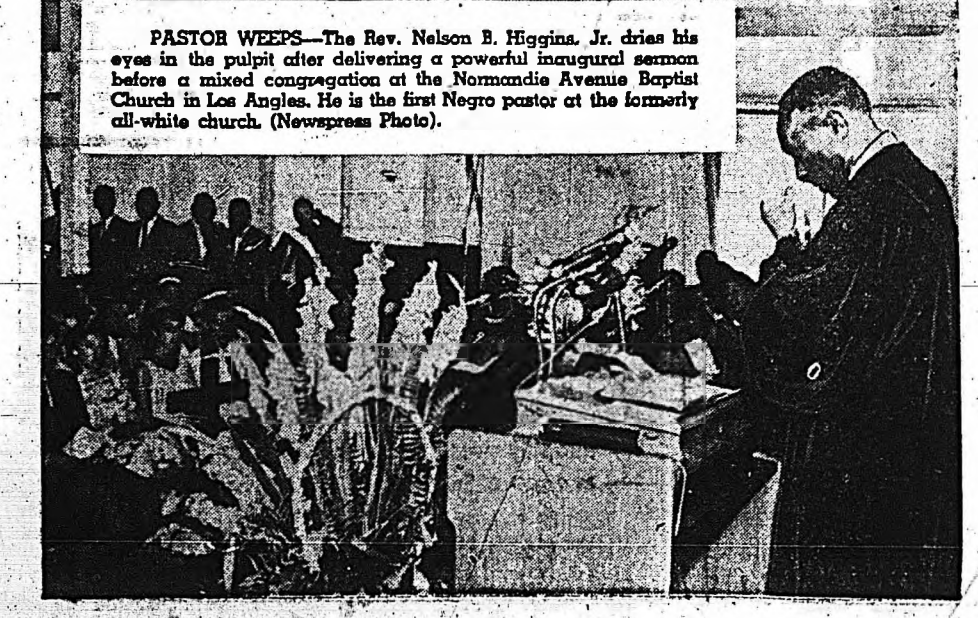
## Toledo Councilman To Seek Re-election

TOLEDO, Ohio — (ANP) — Councilman James B. Simmons, Jr., will seek re-election to City Council here in the fall elections.

This was announced this week after petitions to qualify him for nomination in the October primaries were taken out by Frances Eichele, a newspaper editor.


Mr. Simmons will be seeking his sixth term as councilman and presently is out-ranked in the point of service by only two other Council Members.

A lawyer, Mr. Simmons also is grand master of the Ohio Masons completing his second term in that capacity.



PASTOR WEEPS—The Rev. Nelson B. Higgins, Jr. dries his eyes in the pulpit after delivering a powerful inaugural sermon before a mixed congregation at the Normandie Avenue Baptist Church in Los Angeles. He is the first Negro pastor at the formerly all-white church. (Newspress Photo).

## Things You Should Know



**William Henry BROOKS**

BORN IN SEPTEMBER, 1859, —

LATER, A GRADUATE OF MORGAN COLLEGE, HOWARD UNIV, UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY AND NEW YORK U. / HE WAS ORDAINED MINISTER IN 1884 — HE WAS THE HOLDER OF, NOT ONE, BUT TWO DR. OF DIVINITY DEGREES! / IN 1910 THE CHURCH SENT HIM TO A WORLD'S CONFERENCE AT EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND!

CONTINENTAL FEATURES

# WORLD OF SPORTS

BY MARION E. JACKSON, ATLANTA, GA.

O. A. Moore, baseball coach at Florida A&M University, is giving laudable comment from throughout the SIAC regarding having obtained the highest possible earned academic degree, Ph.D. He is the second SIAC baseball mentor to be so honored in the past two months. The other was James E. Haines of Berea College. Nashua was the world's leading money winning race horse last year when he retired with earnings of \$1,288,565. Baseball is courting disaster with so many unbalanced pitches. Frank Robinson was the latest to be felled.

Althea Gibson is now an unqualified success. There is a near article in circulation telling how she snubbed American Tennis Association biggies. Nowadays, a man can be sure he has reached the top rung when the character assassins begin to hear him down. It's a pity there are so many folks in this world with garbage can minds.

TIPOFF — Washington Senators baseball club drew half as many admissions as the Cleveland Indians last year, yet the club showed a profit while the tribe lost 167,000.

Congressional probers are interested in why salaries are so overblown. Cleveland executives drew enormous salaries. In contrast, Washington had one of the lowest payrolls in the American League.

HERE AND THERE — It is ironic that the Brooklyn Dodgers should have a shortage problem when they have collected throughout the year approximately a half million dollars for an over supply of men qualified to play the position and to wind up with Charley Neal a second-sacker, as successor to Pee Wee Reese. Neal's biggest weakness is the spot is his inability to make the double play. At second, it was Charley's forte.

Don't take all of this fabulous money paid bonus players to sign major league contracts seriously. The youngsters don't get that loot in one bundle. Prime reason for the owners scattering the money over a period of years is the story of Bob Chappuis, the former Michigan tailback, who collected a king's ransom from Branch Rickey's ill-fated swoop into professional football. Chappuis collected \$80,000 from Rickey although he quit the sport.

Now, the majors protect themselves against bonus kites, by staggering the payments over a period of years. In the players quit the bonus clause is null and void.

Chappuis' father forced compliance with terms of the bonus pact with such exactness that he complained to the Brooklyn Dodgers that the club had withheld in excess of \$1.27 in taxes. The old man was an accountant.

Minnie Minozo, Chicago White Sox outfielder, who scintillated in the recent all-star game in St. Louis, Mo., entered the '57 season with a life time batting average of .307 seventh best among the active American Leaguers. He was sixth in the league in 1956 with .316.

## Hall Of Fame Baseball Game, Monday, July 22

NEW YORK—The annual Hall of Fame game between two chosen major league clubs again will highlight the "GAME OF THE YEAR" to schedule this year. The game is to be played next Monday (July 22) at Cooperstown, N. Y. and will pit the St. Louis Cardinals against the Chicago White Sox.

Air time for the MBS play-by-play is to be 1:55 NYT direct from Memorial Stadium in baseball's natal city.

Both prior to and immediately following the Hall of Fame classic MBS sports director Art Gleason and sportscasters John MacLean and Rex Barney will be covering first division play in both major league circuits as the clubs head into the backstretch of the '57 drives. This Saturday (July 20, 1:55 p. m., NYT) the GAME is from Cleveland where the New York Yankees meet the Indians and Sunday's (2 p. m. NYT) clash is from New York's Polo Grounds where the Milwaukee Braves play the Giants.

Next Tuesday (July 23, 1:55 p. m. NYT) the GAME covers the Kansas City-Boston tilt at Fenway park with the Chicago White Sox New York Yankees clashes in Yankee Stadium set for Wednesday and Thursday (both 1:55 p. m. NYT). Friday's ball game is from Chicago's Wrigley Field where the Cubs host the high-flying Philadelphia Phils (July 26, 2:25 p. m. NYT), and the week-end is completed by airings from New York's Yankee Stadium as the Detroit Tigers meet the world champions on Saturday and Sunday (1:55 and 2 p. m. NYT respectively).

## Herb Score Rejoins Cleveland Indians

CLEVELAND — (INS) — Herb Score will don his Cleveland Indians uniform today for the first time since May 7th — seven weeks after being struck in the right eye by a line drive.

Cleveland eye specialist Dr. Charles Thomas examined Score's eye today and Wednesday and said he was fully pleased with his progress. Dr. Thomas said Score should be ready to pitch for the Tribe in four to six weeks, "depending on how fast he can round into shape." Dr. Thomas pointed out that although spring training is only six weeks long, most players condition themselves for the spring grind, and that Score is probably in better physical shape now than he is in the spring.

## ALTHEA GIBSON MAY APPEAR IN NAT'L DOUBLES

BY SAMUEL P. PERRY, JR. BOSTON, Mass. — (ANP) — Althea Gibson, Wimbledon victor and first Negro to win a major tennis championship, may make her first appearance at Longwood Cricket Club in the National Doubles in August.

Mrs. Hazel H. Wightman said, "Althea definitely promised me last Fall that she would play here. "I haven't been in touch with her since she arrived home from England. I know she has been very busy. But I hope to talk to her soon.

"I sent her a cable of congratulations when she won the final at Wimbledon, but, of course, did not mention the tournament."

Miss Gibson, the recipient of a tremendous welcome celebration from New York City officials and her neighbors this past week, has never played in a New England tournament.

According to Mrs. Wightman, Miss Gibson indicated last Fall that she not only would play in the doubles, starting August 19 but might first play in the annual women's tournament at Essex Country Club, starting August 18.

There is a strong possibility that Miss Gibson will take part in the Wightman Club matches scheduled to be played on clay courts for the first time on August 10-11 at Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mrs. Wightman is reported to have mentioned another reason why Miss Gibson may agree to play in the National Doubles for the first time.

"She has a regular partner now," commented Mrs. Wightman, "something she never had before. She and Darlene Hard have been teaming up and of course they won at Wimbledon."

## Sugar Ray Signs To Meet Carmen Basilio Sept. 23

NEW YORK—(INS)—The International Boxing Club announced Tuesday that the Sugar Ray Robinson-Carmen Basilio middleweight title fight scheduled for Yankee stadium on September 23 will be screened by theatre network television, Inc.

There will be no home television.

IBC president Jim Norris said Nathan Halpern, head of the theatre TV Company, estimates "at least 25,000" more seats will be available than the 375,000 that the Rocky Marciano-Archie Moore Heavyweight title bout in 1955 the biggest closed-circuit audience of any fight.

The Marciano-Moore bout was shown in 133 theaters in 93 cities and netted \$282,000.

Norris also announced that ringside seats for the bout will be scaled from a \$40 top price and will go on sale August 5.

The announcement was made despite reports that the fight may be jeopardized by a dispute between Robinson and Ernie Braca, an assignee of his managerial contract, over a share of the purse claimed by Braca.

New York State athletic Commission chairman Julius Helfand was scheduled a meeting Thursday morning to try to arbitrate the disagreement. Robinson, who has not yet formally signed a contract, reportedly has threatened to withdraw if Norris or the commission "don't get Braca off my back."

and Frank McCullum, pitchers, and James Vallentine, third baseman. Rufus Ligon, Memphis coach, also has been chosen to serve the East squad in the same capacity.

Named only last Tuesday, July 16, are three Kansas City Monarchs. They are catcher Ira McKnight, rightfielder Frank March, and the league's winningest pitcher, William Jones, a 20-year-old right hander, who had won all of his eight starts thus far.

The West leads this long rivalry, 15 victories to nine.

## KITTY LOOKS INTO CAUSE OF YAWN



"SAY AH," might be words that put Suki, a five-week-old kitten, in this predicament as her tiny head rests on the shiny white teeth of Rinty, a full-grown Alsatian. Actually the tiny feline is a cozy kitty as she plays with her protective big brother. Rinty and Suki are the pets of Mr. E. Jones of London, England. (International)



IT'S WONDERFUL — Wimbledon champion Althea Gibson cries "It's Wonderful" to her mother Mrs. Daniel Gibson, as New York City gave her a ticker tape welcome Thursday after winning the All-England Women Singles Championship. Miss Gibson is the first of her race to win the international title.

## "Simpson's Big Bat Keeps Yankees On Top"—Stengel

CHICAGO — (INS) — Harry (Suicase) Simpson, who never quite made the grade with the Cleveland Indians, was another good example Monday of what happens when a player puts on a New York Yankee uniform.

We'd be in pretty bad shape," explained manager Casey Stengel of the Yankees, "if we didn't have him with us. He's won three games outright and has been a sparkplug in nearly every other game."

Simpson came to the Yankees last June 15 from Kansas City for right hander Ralph Terry and second baseman Billy Martin. "I sure had to give up a young pitcher like Terry," Casey said and added:

"He's been great with Kansas City even though he's had tough luck against us. But we needed another left-handed hitter and the only one around was Simpson. It was a question of giving up a good pitcher for a seasoned ball player who I knew could play well for us."

Stengel has been playing Simpson in left field, right field and at first base.

SIMPSON'S BIG BAT KEEPS YANKS ON TOP

His big bat has kept the Yankees on top the last two weeks. He has not played regularly but he hit in the clutch, a factor that is becoming a Yankee trademark. Sunday, he hit a ninth-inning single to drive in the first New York run of the second game and kept alive a rally that blossomed into six runs.

Simpson, a slender six foot, two inch player who Slendon talks was the big man in the Kansas City attack last season. He contributed 21 homers and drove in 106 runs. But Simpson was labeled "another ball player who hits well with a second division club but could not make the grade with a pennant contender."

Simpson, 31 of Dalton, Ga., got his start with Cleveland seven years ago before but was shifted back and forth from Cleveland to the Minors before the Indians finally got rid of him.

STARS AS PINCH-HITTER

Stengel recalled an event game in Yankee Stadium against Kansas City and said:

"This young Terry had us 1 to 0 in the bottom of the eighth. What's more, he hadn't given us a hit. But then some storm clouds gathered and it looked like it would rain."

"I called Simpson up to hit after we got two runners on and he came through with a tremendous double of the force to win the game. "Last Friday in Kansas City, we were down, 2 to 1, and this same guy Terry, had got us pretty good. What happened? Simpson hit it out of the park with two men on and we won, 4 to 2."

Some of the Yankee players did not share Stengel's enthusiasm of Terry.

"He's still pretty wild," right fielder Hank Bauer said. He added:

"He's been coming pretty close to all of us the two times he's faced us. The other night, I got dusted nine times. When the 10th pitch came close I took one step forward but I thought better of it and let it go."

Three years later Bobby Jones hogged virtually all the sport pages by winning the British and American amateur and open tournaments, a grand slam still unequalled.

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## ALTHEA GIBSON WINS IN CLAY COURT TOURNAY

RIVER FOREST III (INS) — Herb Flam of Beverly Hills, Calif., the nation's second-ranking tennis player, defeated Roger Werksman, a UCLA sophomore in straight sets, 6-3, 6-3, Wednesday to move into the fourth round of the National Clay Court championships.

Flam, defending Clay court titleholder is the domestic seeded favorite to win the 47th annual tourney at River Forest.

Second-seeded Vic Seixas kept pace into the fourth round by beating Carl Eltholtz of El Cajon Calif., 6-3, 6-1.

In the women's division Wimbledon champion Althea Gibson of New York, scored a quick victory in the second round of her division by downing Sally Bockwinke of River Forest, 6-0, 6-2.

The No. 2 seeded woman, Darlene of Montebello Calif., blanked Doris Mitchell of Chicago 6-0, 6-0.

## KID GAVILAN TO TAKE ON GASPER ORTEGA, JULY 31

MIAMI BEACH—(INS)—Former world welterweight champion Kid Gavilan, a veteran of 136 bouts, takes on 21 year old Gasper Ortega, named Mexican Badger, in a 10 round nationally televised bout at the Miami Beach Auditorium July 31.

Gavilan, who lost the 147 pound crown to Johnny Saxton in 1954, is on the comeback trail. The durable Cuban has won 102 bouts and fought six draws.

Ortega, a professional fighter for the past five years, has won 40 of his 49 contests and fought one draw. Gavilan has scored 27 knockouts for 17 of his youthful opponents from Mexico, Mex.

The bout will be televised by ABC (at 10 P. M. EDT)

## S. C. Floggers Escape Prosecution

CAMDEN, S. C. (ANP)—Following anti-U. S. Supreme Court exhortations here by a judge, the Kershaw county grand jury last week refused to indict six white men accused of flogging a high school bandmaster for alleged pro-integration statements.

## Held For Aluminum Theft In Toledo

TOLEDO, O.—(ANP)—Accused of stealing \$10,000 worth of cast aluminum dies and patterns James W. Harris, 46, was indicted last week by the Lucas County grand jury on the charge of burglary.

Authorities said that Harris broke into a warehouse of the Toledo Scale Co. They said he broke down the door into 270 pounds of worthless metal before disposing of them.

The Philippines as it is in this country, it has only begun to find acceptance elsewhere.

Perhaps we could gain a little more international good will if we used a little of those billions we are spending so lavishly around the world to foster international sports events.

American football has failed to catch on anywhere else and while baseball is as much the national game in Japan and

The United States is about the only civilized country in the world where soccer is not a major sport. And the crowds the game draws in all other countries make our football crowds fade into insignificance.

Even a little South American country like Uruguay consistently draws soccer crowds of 70,000 or more.

The handsome little maharajah kept American society girls happy by handing out loose diamonds, rubies or emeralds as little gifts to those who pleased him. The only fly in his ointment was the fact that Tommy Hitchcock and Co. swalloped his British officers, who may have been wonders on the playing fields of Eton but not so hot on the polo fields of old Westbury.

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JOIN VICE SQUAD — Former patrolmen J. D. Hudson and Ernest H. Lyons receive their detective badges from superintendent I. G. Cowan after being assigned to the vice squad. Hudson and Lyons, who began duties Wednesday, are the only Negroes of the 18 member detail which will be assigned to anti-lottery duties. — (Perry's Photo)

## Officers Begin Work With Detective Rank

ATLANTA, GEORGIA — (S N S)—Police officers Ernest H. Lyons and John D. Hudson received badges, shortly before 4 P. M. Wednesday, which gave them the rank of detectives, and attended their first roll call-lineup as members of the department's new vice squad.

They promptly went to work as an integral part of efforts to "clean" Atlanta of the stain of lottery operations which have been under fire some four months.

FINAL INSTRUCTIONS

The two men, dressed in freshly pressed summer suits, a contrast to the navy blue uniforms they had worn the previous evening, reported to the office of Chief of Detectives I. G. Cowan at approximately 3:30 p. m. for final instructions.

Supl. Cowan welcomed them to the force and admonished them to keep a clean record and continue to work as effectively as they had as patrolmen. He instructed them to work diligently on the vice squad.

LOTTERY, BOOTLEGGING

Lyons, 36, has served with the police force since March 8, 1948. Hudson, 30, joined the force Sept. 29, 1949. Both men are married and have families.

The vice squad handles cases involving lottery, bootlegging, dope peddling, etc. It is the first time Negroes have been used as members of the Atlanta department's vice squad.

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Arrest Warrants Sought For Nine In Detroit Brawl

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Builders Start Work Of Model Home In BTW And Bonny Oaks

DEVELOPMENT PROJECT FOR COLORED PEOPLE

CHATTANOOGA Tenn. (SNS)—The above picture marks the actual starting of the building program in the new BTW and Bonny Oak sub-division project that is being developed by the Mountain City Land Co., with Mr. E. K. Slaughter as the guiding genius of the organization for colored people.

Early Monday morning, July 15, van loads of material were received by the project developers which will be used for model home in the project. Mr. Slaughter said, "since we have been able to get material, it won't be long until the first home in the project will be completed and the public will have an ample opportunity to inspect the home and see for themselves the type of homes that will be in the new development."

This project is in close proximity to the BTW county high school and also the Bonny Oaks school.

"All lots will be cleared and landscaped as they should and ought to be. Those who have not seen the new sub-division are in-

vitied to come out to visit and someone at the office that is directly across the street from Book or T. Washington school, will be glad to carry you on a tour through the project and explain all of the details."

BELIEVE OF ACTIVITIES

The new project being developed for colored people, is fastly taking on shape in the Booker T. Washington and Bonny Oaks section.

Men were working building houses, bulldozers cutting streets and knocking down trees—in reality, it was a beautiful sight to be held and within a short space of time, if the activities continue as was shown on July 15 when the writer was there, many families will be able to gain admittance to their homes in the new future.

All homes are built in keeping with F.I.A. specifications, that means that they are modern to every detail. You must see the new project area to appreciate its beauty.

"The many colored families affected by the Freeway and the Westside Urban Renewal program are especially invited to visit the new sub-division," said Mr. Slaughter.

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Sometimes Ideas Are Born

Some weeks ago a dark picture came out of Tuskegee, that Alabama black belt that Booker Washington put on the map in another era.

Those who frown on the boycott and feel that it is often a two-edged sword that cuts both ways, in taking a second look at the picture of progressive people, hurling the challenge, "we won't trade where we can't vote," will find that a few cooperative business organizations are swiftly taking shape in Tuskegee.

It has been seen all along that there was a thriving possibility of Negro cooperative stores and department clothing stores manned by Negroes.

Over at Montgomery, Alabama, the bus passive crisis resistance method bore fruit. The contagion occasioned by a certain representative in the Alabama General Assembly, who devised a strategy to cut Macon County into five parts, change the city limits of the town so as to put most of the Negroes outside, is causing those who effected a boycott on the neighboring town by trading in Opelika, Montgomery and other points, to look around and see why Negro establishments cannot be operated in Tuskegee.

So out of stormy skies bright ideas are born. There is a bountiful possibility around Tuskegee and Macon county, and there are no reasons why the Negroes should not hear that ringing cry that once made Atlanta famous, when Booker T. Washington shouted - "LET YOUR BUCKETS DOWN WHERE YOU ARE."

A Perspective On The NAACP

The basic legal groundwork for ending racial inequality in the United States has now been laid, says Dr. Channing H. Tobias. It now behooves the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People to stress a program of action aimed at winning friends to the Negro's cause.

Dr. Tobias is a Methodist minister who for many years has been head of the Colored Men's Section of the Young Men's Christian Association and has served also as an American delegate to the United Nations General Assembly. He is currently chairman of the NAACP board of directors. And it was this organization's 48th annual convention which afforded him the occasion to express these policy views a few days ago.

The convention also offered Americans an occasion to get a perspective on the NAACP. There were speeches on either side of Dr. Tobias'. There were rebukes to both major parties and to several congressmen for more words than action. There was the call to persist in the struggle for Negro rights by the use of non-violence and "with love in our hearts" from Montgomery's Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Laying the groundwork for the Negro's legal rights is the task that long ago devolved upon the NAACP. Such a task frequently calls for initiating litigation which has earned much hostility in the Deep South and the epithet of "outside agitator." It is doubtful, however, in many localities whether infringement of Negro voting and other rights could be seriously challenged except by an organization with a nationwide base for its support.

As to filling the chasm between the races with a sense of brotherhood and mutual respect - such organizations as the Southern Regional Council, the Urban League, the YMCA, and the churches in the South are by function better fitted for this part of the task.

South Africans Oppose Indian, Chinese Traders

JOHANNESBURG (ANP) - In near-by Alexandra, African business men are winning their war against East Indian and Chinese traders. The latter are closing their stores, packing up their belongings and leaving town.

The moving of the Indians and Chinese is the result of a long war which has been waged by the Alexandra Traders Association, a body of African business men. The stores formerly occupied by the oriental businessmen are now available for Africans.

There are some disturbing interracial aspects to the happenings in Alexandra. All over South Africa, sharp Indian and Chinese merchants are the principal merchants in African areas. Frequently the charge is made that the orientals

Senate Debates

Only four times since the stormy reconstruction days following the Civil War has a major bill to protect the rights of Negroes being called up in the Senate for direct debate.

OTHER BILLS KILLED Filibusters killed the other three bills, one in 1838 and two in 1946. A talkathon could still block the current bill but negotiations for a compromise are gathering momentum and are expected to succeed this session.

The vote to call up the legislation came after a bitter attack on the Supreme Court's school integration decision and on Chief Justice Earl Warren. Sen. Harry F. Byrd (D-Va.), accused Warren of engineering decisions which would destroy

the American system of government.

Senate Democratic leader Lyndon B. Johnson joined civil rights supporters in voting to take up the bill. But the Texan said part three of the legislation is "intolerable" and he will vote for an amendment to eliminate it entirely.

FEDERAL TROOPS Section three is in hot dispute with Southerners contending it would permit the use of federal troops to impose school integration on their states.

Johnson said he also will vote for an amendment to provide for jury trials in civil rights cases where questions of fact are in dispute. TO HALT VIOLATIONS The legislation would permit the Attorney General to obtain injunctions to prevent or halt violations of rights of minorities. As the bill



"WHEN WILL THEY BE TOLD TO TAKE THE LAW OF THE LAND SERIOUSLY?"

IN THE NATION'S CAPITAL

BY LOUIS LAUTIER Washington Correspondent, Atlanta Daily World and NNPA News Service

COLORED PEOPLE are always the pawns, and victims, in compromises involving fundamental rights. The Missouri Compromise of 1820 admitted Missouri into the Union as a slave state.

The compromise of 1850 tightened the law for the return of fugitive slaves to their masters. Now there is talk of compromise on the Eisenhower Administration's civil rights bill.

In the first place, a compromise involves mutual concessions. Spokesmen for the South have repeatedly said it makes no difference what changes are made in the bill, it will remain unacceptable to them.

Senator James O. Eastland, Democrat of Mississippi, chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee, said that after his committee adopted the Ervin amendment to the Senate version of the House-approved bill.

At the White House, after his conference with President Eisenhower, Senator Richard B. Russell, of Georgia, the undisputed leader of the southern bloc, was asked whether the bill would be more acceptable to him if it were restricted to the right to vote.

SENATOR RUSSELL avoided a direct answer to this question, but said colored people in Georgia enjoy the stands, those accused of ignoring the injunction could be fined or jailed by a Federal Judge without a jury trial.

Byrd's attack on Warren was the severest speech sounded thus far in the civil rights debate. Senate GOP leader William F. Knowland defended Warren. Knowland said the "clear implication" of Byrd's charges is that "the Chief Justice had in effect entered into a conspiracy with liberal organizations."

SEN. JACOB JAVITS (R-N.Y.) also took sharp exception to a statement by Byrd that Warren induced unanimous decisions in the school integration case.

Javits told Byrd that it was the Supreme Court that "saved the South after the Civil War by its decisions."

SEN. STROM THURMOND (D-S.C.) joined Byrd in the attack, declaring that the court "has handed down decisions that are calculated to undermine the confidence of the citizens of the country in government in general."

There is not a single provision in the bill to which they do not object. They object to the provision which would establish a six-member civil rights commission in the executive branch of the Government to investigate charges that citizens are being deprived of their right to vote, to study and collect information concerning legal developments constituting a denial of equal protection of the laws under the Constitution, and to appraise the laws and policies of the Federal Government with respect to equal protection.

This provision is objectionable because the commission would be clothed with subpoena powers. Senator Allen J. Ellender, Democrat of Louisiana, contends that the proposed commission would be a "roving grand jury" and gather evidence to be used in the prosecutions authorized by the bill - "prosecutions criminal in nature but masquerading in the robes of equity."

APPROXIMATELY 16,000

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Mayor Matthew Orgill, one of the key speakers urged the Negro churches to make a substantial contribution. He also called upon Negro businessmen to contribute to the drive as well as individuals. He recalled how successful the

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National Deacons' Convention Holds Meeting On July 23-26

PRE-CONVENTION MUSICAL TUESDAY NIGHT CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. - (SNS) The 1957 annual session of the

drive for the Collin Chapel CME Hospital had been. And how they went over the goal. He called for a duplication of that effort.

The mayor suggested that the larger Negro churches donate a minimum of \$1,000.

Another speaker, M. A. Lightman, Sr., manager of the Malco Theaters, Inc., and board director of the Goodwill Homes, promised to work with the Negro division two weeks.

Urging the group into action he said "nothing is more important than this project before you. You can do a good job if you wish. Because the Negro today is a far cry from 1865. There is no racial segregation."

Lightman continued. "Delinquency is born out of conditions like this. It is more important than hospitals and churches to have homes for orphaned children. And if I were a Negro I would not tolerate this condition. I would call my people together."

Rev. Henry C. Bunton, pastor of Mt. Olive CME Cathedral started the pledges by saying his church would contribute \$1,000. Other ministers who also pledged their churches were:

Rev. Roy Love of Mt. Nebo Baptist Church, \$1,000; Elder Blair T. Hunt, Mississippi Boulevard Christian Church, \$1,000; Rev. D. D. Cunningham of Collins Chapel C. M. E., \$1,000; Rev. D. W. Browning, Mt. Pisgah Methodist, \$1,000; H. A. Gilliam of the Universal Life Insurance Company, \$1,000, (this is not a pledge from the company); B. T. James, Jr., president of the Quo Vadis (recently organized social club for young people) \$5,000; Bluff City-Shelby Council of Civic Clubs, \$500; Rev. J. A. McDaniel, Bethel Presbyterian, \$500; Rev. J. H. Thompkin, Union Grove Baptist, \$500; Rev. McGhee, Great Mt. Zion Baptist, \$500; Rev. D. M. Grisham, Centenary Methodist, \$500; Rev. G. Hentzell, Trinity Methodist, \$500; Pilgrim Rest Baptist, \$500; Rev. J. E. Clark, Oak Grove Baptist, \$250; Lake Grove Baptist, \$250; Rev. William L. Bell, Clayborn Temple A.M.E., \$200; J. Ashton Hayes, retired principal of Manassas high school, \$100; Rev. W. L. Varnado, Jackson Avenue Baptist, \$100 (personal pledge).

The convention proper will open Wednesday morning, July 24, when Deacon Ross will sound the gavel at 9 o'clock calling the 23rd annual session to order.

Mrs. Priscilla Ross is the executive head of the Woman's Auxiliary and will call the women to order Thursday morning, July 25, at 8 o'clock at the Westside Baptist Church where the Rev. Julius C. Bonner is pastor.

A special sight seeing tour has been planned for Tuesday, July 23, at 1 P. M. The tour will end at the official headquarters, Second Baptist Church, at 4:30 P. M. Deacon Borah Bradford is chairman of the tour committee.

The national president will deliver his annual message Wednesday afternoon. Mr. W. H. Whiteside is publicity chairman; Neven Cummings, co-chairman.

removal from this court. Sit down!" When this order had been obeyed, he spoke to Jocelyn. "Captain, will you be good enough to explain this withdrawal of charges?"

"Yes, sir. It's true that Captain Schwabacker relieved me of my command, and at the time I objected in the most strenuous manner, but was motivated by a severe wound aggravated by a fever condition. The regimental surgeon at Fort Philip Kearny will testify, if need be, to the truth of that statement."

"We're not doubting your word, Captain," Sherman said. "You admit now, before this court, that you mischarged Captain Schwabacker?"

"I do, sir," Jocelyn's voice was firm. "He did me a great service, and for any unpleasantness I have cost him, I offer my most humble apologies." He looked down at Schwabacker, and the ice in his eyes melted. A smile lifted his lips. "I'm sorry, Emil. Somehow, I could never say it before."

"I understand, sir," Schwabacker tipped his head down and studied his hands, warmth filling him, crowding out every other feeling. He knew that he never again would compete with this man, would never need to, for they were equals.

"Very well, Captain," Sherman said sternly. "The charge against Captain Schwabacker is dropped."

"My charges against Sergeant Major Finnegan are also dropped," Jocelyn said. "Sergeant Finnegan prevented me from committing murder." Sherman's eyes opened a bit wider; the other generals sat a bit straighter. "I was ready to shoot Captain Schwabacker when Sergeant Finnegan disarmed me. He performed a soldier's duty, and I'm sorry for mistaking his intent."

"This leaves me no alternative," Sherman said. "Colonel Ashford, you will secure the immediate release of Sergeant Finnegan from the post stocks." He looked at the two busy clerks. "So ordered in the records." Eastwood stood erect. "May I speak, sir?" "If you think you can sift the profanity from your remarks," Sherman said. "He was a deceptively man, until aroused, then his eyes left little doubt in a man's mind as to his character."

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General Sherman rapped with the gavel. "This military court will now come to order."

The first charge, that of Lydia Kincaid, was presented. Colonel Ashford read the charges, and the deposition, which was entered on the record by two indistinguishably writing clerks.

"May it please the court," Ashford said, after surrendering the documents, "Captain Schwabacker is not represented by counsel."

"I'm aware of that, Colonel," Sherman said. "However, the matter has been taken care of. Orderly, will you summon her counsel for the defense to this court."

There was a long period of silence, of waiting, while the orderly was out of the room. A large clock on the wall ticked with maddening regularity, then the door opened and Captain Temple Jocelyn entered the room, his cane thumping solidly on the floor at each step. He took a seat at Schwabacker's table and this brought Lieutenant Eastwood to his feet.

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