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FRONTIERS CLUB'S LUNCHEON MEETING: Club members and their guests were photographed during a meeting at which City Commissioner Stanley Dillard was guest speaker.

Left to right: William Atkins, Colorado B.

State Baptist Convention Convenes Here For 5 Days

An estimated 350 delegates from all parts of Tennessee arrived here Monday, the first day of the five-day Tennessee State Baptist Missionary and Educational convention which is convening at First Baptist church, 682 Lauderdale St. The State Organization is the owner and operator of Owen College on Vance Ave. The delegates are representing

various auxiliaries—Missionary Society, the Brotherhood, Ushers, and Choirs. Annual election address, said Rev. S. A. Owen, president of the organization and pastor of Metropolitan Baptist church. The college was named in his honor. The convention will conclude with the Friday session.

Hold Rites For Former Memphis World Carrier

Funeral rites for Mrs. Geraldine English of 744 Commerce were conducted Sunday evening at Tabernacle Baptist Church. Interment was in Mt. Carmel Annex Cemetery Monday morning under direction of the Hollywood funeral home. Officiating was Rev. T. W. Sewell. Mrs. English, until a few years ago had been a newspaper carrier for the Memphis World for more

than 15 years. She died at John Gaston hospital Oct. 18, after a lingering illness. She had been hospitalized last year. Her age was given as 80. She was a member of Tabernacle church and a member of its Mothers' Board. The only known relative of Mrs. English is a cousin, Mrs. Mandy Robinson of 553 N. Second St.

Louisiana Law Denies Girl Chance To Sing With N'Orleans Symphony

NEW ORLEANS — (ANP) — The 1956 state law banning interracial activities will deny Barbara Ann Reno, 12, a chance to sing with the New Orleans Symphony orchestra. Barbara won the chance to appear with the sympathy group in the Louisiana Youth concert as a result of winning a statewide audition.

will not be able to do as we had planned and have you take part with us. This decision has been made solely because we have been

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The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andres Remo of Baton Rouge, Barbara received a letter from Dr. J. C. Morris, president of the youth concert, advising her of the decision. The letter read:

"I regret to inform you that we

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- Only 9 Days before deadline for Hospitalization Insurance
- Give To Goodwill Home Orphanage.

They Came In Doubles

Among the 77 children born at John Gaston hospital between Oct. 12 - Oct. 18, there were twins. The twin daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. James A. Patterson of 1487 E. Waldorf St. They were named Janice Mae and Jeanetta Lovey. Among the total births, 40 were girls and 37 boys. (See inside for other births).



ELECTED AT ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF CME CHURCH, which was held at Mt. Olive Cathedral Oct. 16-17. They are, left to right: first row; Mrs. Lena Exum, Mrs. Robbie Flemmings, secretary of supplies; Mrs. Lottie Story, secretary of ministers' wives; Mrs. Ozella Johnson, finance committee. Second row; Mrs. Henrietta Conley, president of the North Jackson district; Mrs. W. L. Hill, secretary of Christian social relations; Mrs. Ruby Minor, president of South Memphis district; Mrs.

Vivian U. Robinson, president of the Missionary Society; Mrs. Georgia K. Wilson, president of Jackson-Oakland district. Third row: Mrs. Priscilla Howard, chairman of Bible and mission study; Mrs. Eliza W. Mins, treasurer; Mrs. A. B. Roe, secretary of Mattie E. Coleman circles; Mrs. Nelda Williams, secretary of status of women; and Mrs. Edna Burnetta, secretary of literature and publications.

Regional Housing Clinic To Stress Citizens' Role

ATLANTA, GEORGIA — (SNS) — Dr. Rufus E. Clement and Q. V. Williamson announced Saturday that the primary emphasis of the Housing Clinic called for November 14 and 15 will be to enlighten the general public, particularly the non-white segment of the community on problems and procedures in conservation, Urban Renewal, rehabilitation, and slum clearance. The two-day clinic will convene at Atlanta University and is being co-sponsored by The Empire Estate Board and The Atlanta University Center which includes Clark, Morehouse, Morris Brown and Spelman Colleges, Gunston Theological Seminary, as well as Atlanta University.

Mr. Williamson points out that there is considerable misunderstanding about "this new idea — Urban Renewal" many of our citizens are wondering what this thing is all about. In the metropolitan area of Greater Atlanta one workable program affecting three areas already has been approved. Moreover in the state of Georgia there are more than fifty workable Urban Renewal Projects approved. These are scattered in communities throughout the entire state. TO HELP CITIZENS The program for the Housing Clinic is being organized so as to help the citizens to understand the complexities of the Urban Renewal Program. In order to under-

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Tenn. Congress PTA To Meet At Owen College Oct. 26th

A School of Instruction will be conducted by the 10-A District of the Tennessee Congress of Colored Parents and Teachers Saturday, Oct. 26, at Owen College, 687 Vance Avenue. The program will begin at 9:30 A. M. until 3 P. M. The District comprises Bluff City and Shelby County P. T. A.'s. The meeting will be open to everyone interested in the education and welfare of children and youth. Qualified consultants and P. T. A. workers will be present for general discussions. Names to be announced later. Mrs. Laura R. Tyus — IC-A District president.

FOOTBALL SCORES

S. I. A. C.	
FLORIDA A&M	27
MORRIS BROWN	0
CLARK	
S. C. STATE	25
19	
ALABAMA STATE	
MOREHOUSE	12
0	
RUST	
LANE	26
14	
DILLARD	
FISK	13
0	

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Los Angeles Church Severs Link With National Baptists

LOS ANGELES — (ANP) — The Second Baptist Church, led by its pastor, the Rev. J. Raymond Henderson, voted at a called meeting recently to immediately sever its connections with the National Baptist Convention, U. S. A., Inc.

The action came as a result of a full and complete report given the church by Rev. Henderson on the recent meeting of the convention in Louisville, Ky., to which he had attended as the official delegate from Second Baptist Church. TO ALIGN WITH ABC

In severing its relationship with the NBC group, the church voted to align itself with the American Baptist Convention, an integrated body; and to do its missionary work through the Lott Carey Foreign Mission Society.

Second Baptist was one of the leading financial supporters of the National Baptist Convention, and its pastor was considered one of the convention's best and most active workers. In 1950, Rev. Henderson suggested and led a 10-minister commission to West Africa to inspect mission stations. In 1951 and 1952, he made trips to Nicaragua, Central America, to construct a church in that country for the convention. Second Baptist contributed over \$7,000 to the project.

PASTOR REPORTS TO CONGREGATION

The break with the NBC occurred after Rev. Henderson reported to the church on the recent Louisville convention, and also upon actions of the national body during the past 29 years that he had been attending. He reported that at this year's convention, he was without voice or vote, even as a recognized delegate, and was the recipient of various insults from pro-Jackson (Dr. J. H. Jackson, Chicago, president of the convention, and pastor of Olive Baptist Church) forces. He reported also that he felt he could not in good conscience turn over Second Baptist's check for

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SUIT ATTACKING USE OF TROOPS IN LITTLE ROCK THROWN OUT



QUIET DAY AT LITTLE ROCK — Two six-year-old first graders stand at the curb, as a jeep with troops move down the street during a quiet day at Little Rock. Other troops are shown looking in the background. Things were also quiet at Central High School, where nine Negro students were attending. (Newspress Photo).

No Substantial Issue Is Raised Judge Declares

By GENE SCHROEDER
LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — (INS) — A federal judge Thursday threw out of court an injunction suit attacking the use of army troops at Little Rock's integrated Central High School and Gov. Orval Faubus termed the action "no laughing matter."

In an order filed in District Court this morning, Federal Judge Ronald N. Davies dismissed the suit "for lack of jurisdiction, upon the ground that it raises no substantial Federal constitutional issue."

Formerly, the suit was filed by Mrs. Faubus at first court tests of integration—has been the target of criticism by Faubus, who described him as an "imported" jurist using "high-handed and arbitrary" methods.

ORIGINAL PETITION Dismissal of the injunction suit was termed "highly irregular" by Attorney Kenneth Coffelt, who filed the original petition on behalf of Mrs. Margaret Jackson, leader of the segregationist Central High School Mother League. Coffelt said he would appeal the case to a higher court. Thursday legal action appeared to throw a roadblock into the path of an early settlement of the tan-

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Flash Fire Leaves Hollywood Family Of Seven Homeless

A Hollywood father and mother and their five small children were left homeless when a flash fire destroyed their one-story, three-room

frame home at 2327 Shasta Street, last Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Florida Mae Brooks, 30, and three of her children escaped uninjured. Her husband, William Brooks, 30, who is employed by the Gulf-Atlanta Compressing Company, was on his job, and the other two children were in school. The fire completely destroyed all the Brooks' possessions, leaving them with only what they were wearing.

Mrs. Brooks said some of her neighbors had given her children a few clothing. She said they need clothing, furniture and other household supplies. "We have obtained another house to live in on the same street, but we don't have anything to furnish the house with, she lamented. I suppose we need beds and mattresses worse. However, I would appreciate anything I could get."

With such an expression of sadness, Mrs. Brooks reflected, "It is true my husband is employed, but we have a large family and he is the only member of the family employed."

Brooks doesn't have a high paying job.

The five children are: Blanche Loue, 11, a fourth grad-

er; Ollie Mae, 8, a third grader; Walter, Jr., 6, a first grader, all at Hyde Park School; Charles Douglas, 4, and Rosie Marie, 3.

Mrs. Brooks said she believes the fire started by an oil kitchen range. She said she was seated in a front room reading the Bible when her daughter, discovered the fire when she went to the kitchen.

Firemen responded to a call within 10 minutes but the flames had almost gutted the house before they

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Deadlock Remains In Little Rock Crisis

By GENE SCHROEDER
LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — (INS) — Little Rock's tangled school integration problem appeared no closer to settlement Saturday than when Federal troops moved in 25 days ago to protect nine Negroes at Central High School.

Despite a noticeable lessening of tension at the school—where mob violence once ruled—there was no

sign of a compromise solution in the near future between President Eisenhower and Gov. Orval Faubus, the Chief Protagonist in the Federal State impasse.

"STAND PAT"

Faubus, in Fayetteville to attend the Arkansas-Texas football game, reportedly was determined to maintain his "stand pat" position that federal troops have no right to interfere with what he regards as a state problem.

And the White House apparently had no intention of backing down from its stand that Federal Court integration orders must be obeyed even if it takes bayonet-wielding paratroopers to do the job. Efforts of a group of Little Rock business leaders to find a solution acceptable to both sides continued. But Walter C. Guy, chairman of a six-man subcommittee which met with Faubus earlier in the week, said no new meeting of the business-pledged to uphold law and order, was scheduled for the present.

TWO-MAN PATROLS

As the weekend quiet settled, Federalized National Guardsmen maintain two-man patrols around the four-story Central High School. (Continued on Page Six)

Howard May Win Over Secret Pact To Take His GOP Post

By LOUIS LAUTIER
WASHINGTON, D. C. — (NNPA) — A secret agreement to get rid of Perry W. Howard as Republican National Committeeman in 1960 may be killed by the rebellion of lily-white Republicans over President Eisenhower sending Federal troops to Little Rock.

Mr. Howard, who confirmed that a secret agreement to oust him was signed at the Republican national convention in San Francisco last year, appeared unworried. He said Friday that a similar agreement was made in 1952 but it did not work.

"Not only that," he added, "one national convention cannot be the hands of a future one, much less an unofficial committee."

The contents of the secret agreement, signed by representatives of the Republican National Committee and the lily-white faction of the

party in Mississippi, were first disclosed by Anson Sheldon, of Greenville, Miss., vice chairman of the lily-white group.

OVERTURES TO HOWARD He said the agreement is in the possession of Judge John Minor Wisdom of the Fifth United States Circuit Court of Appeals, Judge Wisdom, a resident of New Orleans, 0246, the Butler Street YMCA. He is the former Republican National Committeeman for Louisiana and reportedly made several overtures to Mr. Howard to quit the National Committee for a Federal job.

At the 1956 convention, eight of the delegates from the Howard faction and seven from the lily-white faction were seated in the convention. Under Republican rules, precedents and custom, in a contest the winning side is recognized as the

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