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## NEW ANGLE IN KING SLAYING!

Harold Weisberg of Frederick, Md., author of a series of books on the assassination of President John F. Kennedy, has accused the Justice Department of withholding evidence in the Memphis slaying of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. He said he was filing suit in a U. S. District Court accusing the Justice Department of withholding evidence showing it could not have proved James Earl Ray killed

Dr. King. He said the suit would ask that the Justice Department and the State Department be required under the Freedom of Information Act to release evidence, mainly ballistics and medical tests, as well as affidavits from witnesses. Mr. Weisberg said the evidence was presented at extradition hearings for Ray in London, but that all records

of the proceedings, and the evidence, were sent to the State Department in Washington which eventually sent it to the Justice Department.

Mr. Weisberg now says the Justice Department claims not to have the information and has told him it would not release it even if it did. Therefore, he said, the public court of an American citizen has been taken from the

court and hidden. Mr. Weisberg said that from the accounts he had received of the London court proceedings, "the government evidence does not prove Ray fired the shot and comes close to proving he didn't." Ray has pleaded guilty to killing Dr. King and is serving a life sentence in Nashville.



MELROSE NO. 2 IN STATE --- Here are some of the Melrose Golden Wildcats who fought their way to the finals in the State High School Basketball Tournament at Knoxville only to lose, 62-52, to Cameron of Nashville. Front,

let to right: Hill Mallory, Benton, Thompson and Marris. Back row, left to right: Barnes, Walker, Watkins, Palmer and Caldwell. Benton and Thompson were named to the All-State Team.

## A Big Salute To Melrose!

This is a salute to the Melrose Golden Wildcats, the team that almost made history for Memphis.

Finishing second in the state basketball tournament is not to be sneezed at. The Golden Wildcats had to be good to make it to the finals.

Of course, Memphis wanted the championship. Bluff City teams had gone to the state tournament 45 times before and failed. Last week, they thought Melrose could bring the bacon home.

But, as good as they were and are, the Golden Wildcats

had to contend with Nashville Cameron's 6-8 junior, David Vaughn. The long-legged Vaughn was just too much and Melrose bowed 62-52 in the championship battle.

Even though defeated Saturday night in the finals, the Wildcats performed brilliantly in the tournament at Knoxville and throughout the season and heaped new fame upon Melrose and Memphis.

So to Principal Melvin Volney, the teachers, the cheerleaders and Coach Verties Sails and his mighty Golden Wildcats, we salute you.

## Dr. King's Film At New Daisy

On Tuesday evening, March 24, the most extraordinary movie "theatre-party" every to take place will be attended in more than

300 cities simultaneously by one million persons.

A part of that huge motion picture audience will participate in the unprecedented event at the New Daisy Theatre starting at 8 p.m. The single showing of the film they will see is expected to raise \$5,000,000 to help support organizations dedicated to the war on poverty, illiteracy and social injustice through non-violent methods.

## Orgill Says We'll Make It

The goal of LeMoyné-Owen College's development fund has been increased by \$48,000 because of rising costs in the building industry, but campaign leaders are optimistic of reaching the mark within a few weeks. Edmund Orgill, co-chairman of the college's development fund, said: "We'll reach the new goal. I'm sure we'll get there."

The original goal of \$1,608,000 has been increased to \$1,656,000 because the lowest bid for construction of a new science-mathematics center was slightly higher than projected last year.

Nearly \$40,000 in gifts and pledges was reported last Friday at a luncheon honoring Dr. Hollis F. Price, president of the college. This included about \$17,000 solicited by T.R. McLemore from LeMoyné-Owen Alumni in New York and Washington, D. C.

Speaker at the luncheon was Wallace E. Johnson, vice chairman of the board of Holiday Inns. He praised Dr. Price for a lifetime of extraordinarily fine work at the college and the community.

The campaign last week-end had reached the \$1,506,498 mark.

Entitled "KING: A Filmed Record... Montgomery to Memphis," the full-length motion picture traces the work of Dr. King from 1955 until his death in 1968 and includes special performances by such stars as Harry Belafonte, Ruby Dee, Charlton Heston, Anthony Quinn, Burt Lancaster, Paul Newman, Sidney Poitier, Sammy Davis, Jr., Joanne Woodward, Benn Gazzara, James Earl Jones, Leslie Uggams, Clarence Williams, III and Diahann Carroll.

## Mrs. McAfee Found Guilty

Mrs. Beverly Glover McAfee, 27, of 1498 Marjorie, has been found guilty by a federal jury on eight counts of embezzlement from the Tri-State Bank of Memphis.

Mrs. McAfee, a former teller at the bank, was charged with embezzling a total of \$1,515 from February through June in 1968.

The verdict was returned on the second day of the trial.

Maximum penalty on two of the counts is five years. CONTINUED ON PAGE 6



MISS COLETTE and COURT pose for the photographer at the Memphis Co - Ettes Ball in the Camelot Room of the Holiday Inn Rivermont. Left to right Gail Gosset, second alternate; Rosalyn Wright, "Miss Co - Ette of 1970," and Paris Brown, first alternate.

## 'Breadbasket' Is Underway Here

Jess Epps, special assistant to the International President of the American Federal State County Municipal Employees union, spoke Monday at the opening ceremonies of a three-week consumer education course called Project Moneywise-Breadbasket. Classes are meeting at Patterson Early Childhood Development Center, 4911 Sanderlin Road. Although inadequate income and low educational levels are readily recognized causes of poverty, lack of knowledge and information about the various programs to help disadvantaged citizens also contribute to the problem.

The agenda for project emphasizes the importance of good nutrition, meal planning, food buying, and stretching the consumer dollar. It also stresses the

limited-income person's market place and his consumer patterns, budgeting, self-help cooperatives, consumer counseling, and skills in communication. Participants, who are chosen because of their community activities, are expected to return to their neighborhoods and pass along the knowledge and information they have gained. CONTINUED ON PAGE 2

## Mrs. Broome Is Buried

Funeral services were held in Cleveland, Ohio, March 11, for a former Memphian, Mrs. S. W. Broome. She died there March 6.

Mrs. Broome was the wife. CONTINUED ON PAGE 2

## Teacher Laid To Rest

Funeral services were held Sunday for Collins Chapel CME Church for Ronald Gene Foster who died March 8 at his residence, 186 First Ave.

Burial was Monday morning in Elmwood with T. H. Hayes & Sons in charge. Mr. Foster, 34, was a teacher for eight years at Caldwell Elementary School. He was a steward of the church. CONTINUED ON PAGE 2

## Mrs. Myra Dreifus Will Be Honored At Banquet, Mass

The Roman Catholic bishops of Tennessee and Mississippi will participate in the Eucharistic Celebration and banquet honoring Mrs. Myra Dreifus and her work with the Fund for Needy School Children, Saturday, March 21.

The Most Rev. Joseph B. Brunini, of Natchez-Jackson (the entire diocese of Mississippi), will speak on "Religion and Civil Rights

in the 70's" at 7 p.m. banquet in the West Hall of the Auditorium, 74 Poplar. The Most Rev. Joseph Durick, of Nashville (the entire diocese of Tennessee), will concelebrate at the Eucharistic Celebration (Mass) at 6 p.m. in the Auditorium Music Hall.

The Eucharistic Celebration and banquet honoring the person who has given outstanding service in the area of human relations in Memphis is held annually by the Memphis Catholic Human Relations Council.

Dr. James Wax, rabbi of Temple Israel, where Mrs. Dreifus is a member, will deliver the sermon at the Eucharistic Celebration.

Mrs. Selma Lewis, who aided Mrs. Dreifus in starting the Fund for Needy School Children six years ago and who is now chairman of the group of some 200 volunteers, will read from Moses Maimonides, 12th century Jewish philosopher, during the first reading of

the Eucharistic Celebration. The Epistle will be read by council member Frank Lockhart and the Gospel by the Rev. James Lyke, pastor of St. Thomas Church. Palms, symbols of brotherhood in the Jewish tradition, and a basket of food, a reminder of Mrs. Dreifus' concern for the hungry, will be offered at the presentation of the gifts during the Celebration along with the unleavened bread, water, and wine.

Dr. Frances Loring, chairman of the department of theology of Christian Brothers College, will serve as commentator for the celebration, the first time a woman has filled that role at a public Eucharistic Celebration in Memphis.

Mrs. Allegra Turner, president of the Catholic Human Relations Council, will present the 1970 award to Mrs. Dreifus.

The Rev. E. L. Currie, pastor of Christ Missionary Baptist church, will give the invocation at the banquet. Mrs. Ann Shafer, council member and state officer in Church Woman United, will be mistress of ceremonies.

Banquet chairman is Mrs. Mary Kay Tolleson. Reservations for the \$4-per-plate banquet may be made through individual council members or by calling 682-4550 or 362-6019.

Priests representing the four religious order in Memphis as well as the diocesan clergy will concelebrate with Bishop Durick.

Bishop Brunini is the first native of Mississippi to become bishop of that state's 90,000 Catholics. He made nationwide news when his Christmas sermon this year called for a meeting of Mississippi Christian and Jewish leaders to prevent further racial polarization over his state's public school integration crisis.

## Inside Memphis

ONE - FIFTH OF GOAL --- NAACP Special Finance Committee, headed by A. Maceo Walker and Ben L. Hooks, has raised \$3,000 of its \$15,000 goal. Money will cover cost of legal projects not included in regular budget.

WEATHERS PROMOTED --- William (Bill) Weathers has been elevated to manager of Foote - Cleaborn Homes. Jack Roberts succeeds him as manager of Dixie Homes and Mrs. Rosie Pittman takes over Roberts' old post as manager of Oates Manor.

NEW FIRM --- Eldridge (Pete) Mitchell and Ed Currie are getting their feet wet in the field of business. They have come up with Business and Pleasure Travel Service and Ed Currie And Associates at 3071 South Third. The two units will deal in travel reservations, marketing, promotions, counseling and advertising.

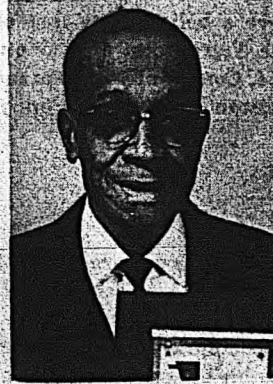
OK CHURCH MEMORIAL --- Sesquicentennial, now going out of business after a successful year, is leaving in the care of the Memphis Housing Authority a handsome, bronze plaque commemorating contributions to Memphis by Robert R. Church Sr. and Robert R. Jr. It will contain busts and short biographic sketches of both men and will be mounted in the new community center to be erected in Church Park in connection with the Beale Street renewal project.

TO PEACE CONFERENCE --- The Rev. James M. Lawson Jr., pastor of Centenary United Methodist Church, leaves soon for Baden, Austria to attend the April 3-9 Consultation on Christian Concern for Peace.

CUTTING DOWN --- The Rev. Ezekiel Bell, pastor of Parkway Gardens Presbyterian Church and head of the local chapter of SCLC, is cutting down on his speaking engagements to devote more time to "house-keeping functions" at his church. Meanwhile City Judge Ray Churchill continued for two months a charge of threatening a breach of peace against Rev. Mr. Bell. When the minister failed to appear in court last week to answer the Dec. 31 charge, the judge warned there would be no more continuations. The charge grew out of a verbal clash between the minister and a policeman outside the courtroom.

BUILDING MAY STAND --- Historic Beale Street Elks Building may escape destruction when urban renewal's block-busters move through the area. George W. Lee is leading the fight to save the old building.

HONORS COMING --- Mallory Knights Charitable Organizations' anniversary celebration April 30 at the Sheraton - Peabody will honor Mrs. Maxine A. Smith, Judge Odell Horton, The Rev. H. Ralph Jackson and photographer Ernest C. Withers Sr.



SHELLY S. RUSSEL

## I. C. Railroad Man Retires

Shelly Samuel Russell of 1307 S. Parkway East retired Feb. 23 from the Illinois Central Railroad after more than 50 years of outstanding services. He earned eight Case Awards for his suggestions, and was given the nickname "Seab" by the late G. D. Toombs, manager of the Stores Dept.

The only employer Mr. Russell has ever known, Illinois Central hired him as a laborer in the mechanical department of the Stores Dept. CONTINUED ON PAGE 2

## Boys' Club Celebrating

Dixie Homes Goodwill Club, a unit of Boys' Clubs of Memphis is located at 919 Delmar. The club is celebrating its first birthday. CONTINUED ON PAGE 2



STUDENT GOSPEL SINGERS --- The student-organized Gospel Choir at LeMoyné Owen College is attracting city-wide attention. The singing group is very much in demand and has filled several engagements on and off campus. The gospel singers are shown here rendering

a program during chapel hour at the college. Calvin Coleman is the director and Fred Mosbey is pianist-organist for the group. Coleman and Mosbey, who organized the choir, are also church musicians.



# Reaching the Quality Negro Market Through Negro-Oriented Newspapers

## Why there is a growing interest in Negro-Oriented Newspapers

Negro newspaper readers are interested in the media that's interested in them!— the media that brings them news and information that they can't find anywhere else. That's why every copy of a Negro-oriented newspaper is read by Negro families where each reader spends up to three hours reading what they consider their newspaper as compared to 40 minutes for daily white-oriented newspapers. Like a weekly magazine, the Negro newspaper stays in the home from week to week.

The Negro newspaper reader is a customer that your company may be overlooking . . . he has more to spend and he spends more on consumer goods than do Negro non-readers.

### The Negro Market

28% of the entire Negro market . . . 1 out of every 4 Negroes . . . are regular readers of Negro oriented newspapers.

### AGE

30% of all Negroes 18 to 29 . . . 2,290,000 Negroes newspaper readers. The most prosperous segment of market.

## 3,828,000

Negro readers . . . 61% of them are females and they make the buying decisions for most products.

There are 1,457,000 males and 2,371,000 females who are in many cases uncommitted to any particular brand because they have not been sold by advertising which they accept as being sincerely directed to them. Advertising in Negro-oriented newspapers has the believability necessary to turn those 3,828,000 prospective consumers into your customers.

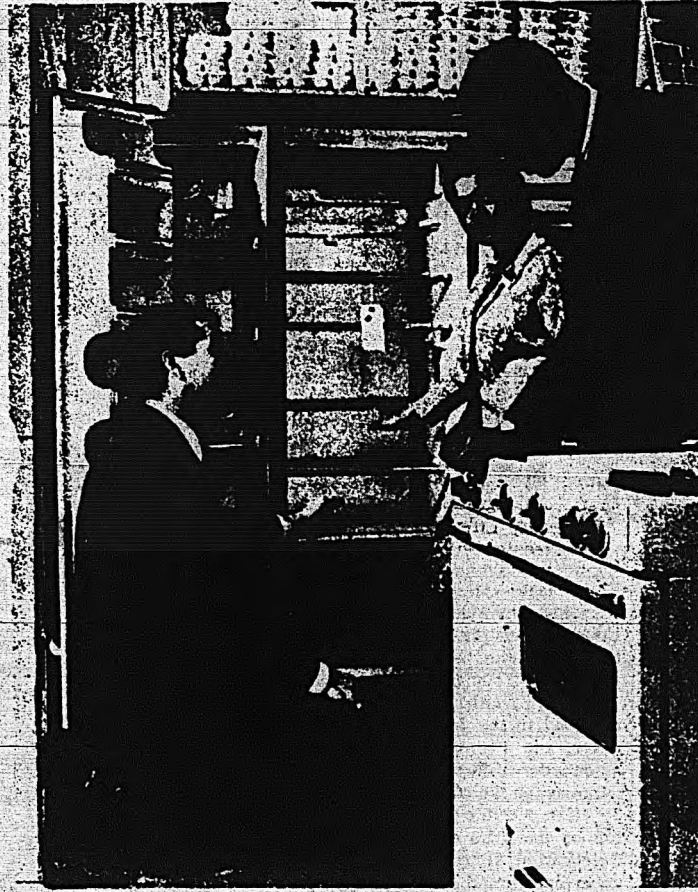
### INCOME OF READERS

32% of all Negroes earning over \$5,000 . . . 40% of all Negroes earning over \$8,000.

## 1,804,000

readers earning over \$5,000  
1,145,000 homeowners

These are the middle and upper income families who should be your first market target and whose buying decisions do influence the less-educated Negro. You can sell this influential group through Negro-oriented newspapers. Over 70% of all Negroes believe that Negro newspapers contain more trustworthy and helpful advertising than either radio or major daily newspapers.



## 1,677,000

young readers . . . forming new families and new purchasing habits

Sixty percent of all regular readers of Negro newspapers are between ages of 18 and 46 . . . primary consumers. Aside from representing over a third of all Negro families with three or more members — a vast market for daily household items — they include the newly-married, "first-purchasers" as well as the "now-that-the-children-have-grown" buyers of major items such as automobiles, furniture, travel, and clothing.

### POTENTIAL

Income of all households reading Negro-oriented newspapers equals \$8.80,000,000

## \$8 1/2 Billion

Negro newspaper market

Since readers of Negro newspapers are younger, more affluent, and more likely to be buying for larger families, they buy more of a wider range of products. More and more often, this vital young market looks to Negro newspapers for buying guidance.

## Why they read Negro Newspapers

### Jobs

Negro newspapers are a primary source of information in the all-important area of employment. According to a recent study by the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration, "most Negroes never read the want-ads appearing in 'white' dailies of the community."

### Housing

Patterns of discrimination in housing still persist in most areas of the country, so that the normal channels of home and apartment finding, such as real estate brokers and classified ads in white-oriented dailies, are closed to the Negro. Only when advertisements for homes, apartments, and mortgages appear in Negro newspapers, can the Negro reader be confident that they are open to him.

### Social and religious

Negroes rely completely on their newspapers for social and religious news that is almost completely excluded from white-oriented newspapers and certainly from all other media.

### National and community affairs

Negro newspapers have a believability that other newspapers do not have. They are the only media that expresses the Negro point of view on community affairs which is recognizable and acceptable to this audience. Community leaders such as Jackie Robinson, Whitney Young, and leading writers such as Langston Hughes and Poppy Cannon are syndicated features in Negro newspapers.

### Negro achievements

Negro newspapers are the major source of positive news about the Negro's accomplishments and the Negro's contributions to the American way of life. We devote more space to Negro progress than all Negro media combined. Where else could a Negro read with pride about the Negro's role in American history and his contribution to national affairs? Who can make the Negro more aware of his responsibilities to his country and to himself? Who can make the Negro more aware of his responsibilities to his country and to himself? Only the Negro newspaper.

The Negro newspaper, as the primary source of news and information to over one quarter of all of the nation's Negroes, is the most effective means to reaching this vital market.

## Here is our audience:

1. Large \$8 1/2 billion market . . . 3,828,000 readers
2. Young, with average income of \$5,106 . . . preferred customers because they spend more in the most important



# Bluff City Society

By JEWEL GENTRY HULBERT

**J-U-G-S CHARITY BALL IS SCHEDULED FOR FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 27.**

J-U-G-S will present their 16th Annual Charity Ball Friday evening in "Holiday Hall" of Rivermont. Usually the first two months after New Year, Memphians like to recuperate from the heavy holiday schedule. But the month of March brings on a desire for parties...and we all look forward to the J-U-G-S Charity Ball, always a glittering affair. This year again the "Ball" will present 50 pretty young Sub-Debs who will model costumes to represent various business firms and organizations.

"The Age of Aquaris" is the theme for the ball. Proceeds this year again will benefit the Recreational Program at Goodwill Homes for children according to Mrs. O' Ferrell (Ann) Nelson. Other members from whom you can get bids are Mrs. Joseph Atkins (Barbara)...Mrs. Anderson...Bridges (Jo)...Miss Marie Bradford...Mrs. Horace Chandler (Sarah)...Mrs. Longine Cooke (Helen)...Mrs. Walter Evans (Dot)...Mrs. John Gordon (Pearl)...Mrs. Leon Griffin... (Norma)...Mrs. John Johnson (Joan)...Mrs. Harold Lewis (Delores)...Mrs. William Little Mrs. Albert Miller (Hester) and Mrs. James Smith (Nedra).

REVEREND CURRIE, that well liked personality, is again in the News. Hundreds attending the opening of his new business, Ed Currie and Associates on Third Street. Executives from all over town were there...Driving up from Clarkdale for the spectacular occasion was his close friend, Mr. Aaron Henry (a pioneer in the Civil Rights program of Mississippi. Incidentally Rev. Currie received telegrams from Senator Ed Brooks of Massachusetts and Senator Kennedy.

JO BRIDGES is in Los Angeles, New York or Chicago every weekend. Week before last she gave a Press Party at the New York Hilton for DAVID PORTER... The next few days she gave one for David in Chicago at the Executive House for his new release...Also going up to Chicago with the Stax Family was the one and only Issac Hayes who wore and (fascinated) the crowd in a full length black diamond fur coat and a Russian fur hat.

**SIGMA MEN MAKE PLANS FOR EASTER WEEKEND MEETING**

Plans are shaping up for the Sigma's Regional Meeting to be held in Memphis Easter Week-end...with...cocktail parties, dances and was teaching in the school system...He could always

be seen with his aunt, Mrs. Deannie Mae Banks Johnson who taught at Manassas. The beautiful flowers at T. H. Hayes and Sons and the many seen going in and out of the stately funeral home, revealed the high esteem in which he was held...Ministers who spoke were the Rev. P. Gonyea Hentzel, Collins, minister...the Rev. William Smith, Bishop Victor Williams and the Rev. D. S. Cunningham. Burial was in Elmwood. Many of Mr. Foster's relatives came to Memphis from Chicago, Grand, (Rapids, Michigan, and other northern cities for the last rites. Also speaking were Prof James King, Mr. B. Bates, Mr. Herbert Robinson, Jr., Serving as active Pallbearers were Mr. Ernest Tennis, Mr. D. J. Thomas, Mr. Marvin Harris, Mr. Julius Isabel, Mr. O. C. Suttles, Mr. James King, Mr. George Gilchrist, and Mr. John Stokes...Honorary Pallbearers were Stewards of Collins Chapel C. M. B. Church...and the faculty of Caldwell School. dinners are being planned for visiting Sigma Men...According to Mr. Samuel Peace, president of the chapter and Mr. John Outlaw who is serving as chairman of the social committee.

Taking part are members of the graduate chapter...and chapters at LeMoyné College and at Memphis State. Other graduate members are Mr. A. B. Bland, Mr. I. S. Boden, Mr. Sam Brown, Mr. Wm. P. Brown Mr. I. Davis, Mr. W. D. Callan, Mr. E. A. Cole, Mr. Felton Baris, Mr. Leon German, Mr. C. D. Goodlow, Mr. L. B. Hobson, Dr. B. F. McCleave, Mr. Tevester, Merlweather and Mr. A. G. Qds.

Mr. Ernest Riley, Mr. Melvin Robinson, Mr. Sherman Robinson, Mr. Joseph Simmons, Mr. J. D. Springer, Mr. Taylor, C. Ward Dr. P. Phelps, Mr. William "Bill" Weathers, Mr. Joseph Wilkerson, Mr. S. M. Wyatt, and Mr. Willie Ware. Assisting Mr. Outlaw on the Social Committee are Mr. Louis B. Hobson, and Mr. Taylor Ward.

Dr. Alvin J. McNeil, National President, will come from the Coast for the Meeting. Other national officers expected are Mr. William Doar, Jr., National Executive secretary who will come from Texas...and Mr. Ulysses McPherson. South Western Regional Director will come from A. & M. Co lege at Pine Bluff.

We in Memphis are saddened and shocked over the passing away of a great man Dr. G. W. Stanley Ish, Sr. prominent nationally known surgeon who has received much distinction as being one of the first Negro physicians to graduate from Yale University...Not only will be missed in Little Rock where he was genuinely loved by the people of both races...and where a school

bears the name Ish (for his late father and the Ish family)...and where he has served for years as head surgeon and Medical Director of a hospital. Dr. Ish had two sons to follow in the field of medicine, the late Dr. Stanley Ish Jr., whom Memphians knew and loved who followed his father as a surgeon...and Dr. Jeff Ish, a pediatricist in Rockford, Ill. He is survived by a devoted wife the beautiful Mrs. Ersell Ish...one son and two daughters, Mrs. Maceo Walker of Memphis whom he often visited...and Mrs. Lucille Ish. A supervisor for the State of Illinois in the field of Medical Social Work who came to Memphis three weeks ago to join her parents Dr. and Mrs. Ish who were also the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maceo Walker. Dr. Ish was well known and much liked in Memphis.

We were all saddened over the passing away of MR. RONALD GENE FOSTER, a teacher for the past eight years at Caldwell School. I remember Ronnie (as we loved to call him during her young days at Manassas) and admired and loved to him as did everyone who came in contact with him. Really did not know that he

## Big Day At Metropolitan

When Metropolitan Baptist Church, Walker at McDowell St., culminates its United Associates Month, Sunday, Mar. 22, at 3 p.m. the Rev. E. J. Caldwell, pastor of Monumental Baptist Church in Chattanooga, will be guest speaker. The Youth Choir will render music.

The month's theme is: "To Serve The Present Age." The public is invited. Miss Hazel Chamberlain is the general chairman; Miss Lydia Boykin, publicity chairman, and the Rev. S. A. Owen, pastor.

## Sorority Plans Fete

Alpha Beta Chapter of Alpha Pi Chi Sorority presents its annual "Spring Fiesta" Sunday, Mar. 29, at Holiday Inn, 980 S. Third St. The affair, from 5 to 9 P.M., will feature the latest styles in spring fashions, exhibited by professional models.

Alpha Pi Chi composed of a group of business and professional women and is philanthropic in scope. Associated with the Porter-Leath children's Center, it also gives scholarships. Mrs. Thelma Davidson is the president, and Mrs. Lucille Gist, publicity chairman.



**SIGMAS PLAN REGIONAL** Some of the members of Tau Iota Sigma (graduate chapter), Beta Zeta and Delta Nu under-graduate chapters of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, who will be hosts to the Southwestern Regional Conference in Memphis, March 27-29. Headquarters for the conference will be at the Sheraton - Peabody Hotel. Seated (L TO R) Taylor Ward, T. Mayweather, Samuel Peace, president; Argel Oatis, W. C. Weathers, and Percy Norris. Standing (first row) John Davis, Rev. Joseph Simmons, L. V. Rhodes, John Outlaw, C. Cleaves, Cecil D. Goodloe, James Abbott, Louis B. Hobson and Samuel R. Brown. (Back row) Emmett A. Cole, Joseph Wilkerson, Harold Hendricks, Melvin Robinson, James Perkins and B. R. Terrell.

## Phi Beta Sigma Awaits Regional

The Southwestern Regional Conference of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. will be held in Memphis, March 27 - 29, with graduate chapter Tau Iota Sigma chapter and under graduate chapters, Beta Zeta of LeMoyné-Owen College and Delta Nu of Memphis State University as hosts. Headquarters and all business sessions of the conference will be at the Sheraton - Peabody.

The first general session is scheduled for Friday afternoon March 27 with District Director Ulysses McPherson, presiding. The appointment of committees after the preliminary-scheduled.

Saturday's sessions call for a workshop at 9 a.m. with discussions centered around the subject, The Effects of Integration on Black Fraternity Life. The afternoon session will deal with problems confronting New and Reactivated Chapters; Bigger and Better Business Forum, with speakers discussing banking, insurance and other business areas. The final session will concern committee reports and election of officers.

Several entertainment events are scheduled for the delegates and visitors during the conference, including a motor tour of Memphis, a Get Acquainted Dinner courtesy of the Sigma Shadows (wives of Sigma Men) Pan Hellenic Cocktails and All - Campus Dance in Continental Ballroom opening night.

Some Saturday events will include a Hospitality Breakfast at 7:30, courtesy of zeta Phi Beta Sorority and Sigma Shadows Luncheon for visiting wives and friends. Other events include the Sigma Recognition Banquet and the Grand Orchid Ball at the Skyway Ball room.

More than a hundred delegates and visitors are expected, including representatives from all the chapters in the region-Kansas City, Mo. Nashville, Oklahoma City, St. Louis, Pine bluff, Ark., Little Rock, Ark, Jackson, Tenn, Langston, Okla., East St. Louis, Ill., and Jefferson City, Mo.

## Hon. Judge Odell Horton To Speak At Beulah Baptist

When annual Men's Day is observed at Beulah Baptist Church, 2407 Douglass, the Honorable Judge Odell Horton will be guest speaker at 3 p.m. The program will be geared to the theme: "Good News for Modern Man." The public is invited.

The pastor, the Rev. W. C. Holmes, will preach at 11 a.m. City Councilman Fred Davis is the chairman.

## MY WEEKLY SERMON

By REV. BLAIR T. HUNT, PASTOR, MISSISSIPPI MVD. CHRISTIAN CHURCH, MEMPHIS, TENN.

**TEXT:** (Read The eleventh Chapter of Mark) In Churches of Liturgical Slant, Sunday before Easter is known as Palm Sunday. A reminder of that Sunday in Jerusalem in 30 A. D. When Jesus was about to say farewell to the world of flesh.

Thousands, from every quarter of the Jewish world, had flocked to the holy city, Jerusalem. It was the time of the passover, the greatest celebration of the Hebrew race, commemorating that night when the Lord God almighty smote the first born of Pharaoh's Host, The Egyptians and yet passed harmlessly over the homes of the Israelites.

Soft, balmy spring held sway over the ancient city. The birds were chirping. The little flowers were pointing their petals to the sky. Nature was warmly and tenderly kissing the hills and valleys.

On that bright day, Jesus sitting astride an unridden ass, a symbol of Jewish Kingship rode triumphantly to Jerusalem. When he appeared thousands began to chant and shout with joy, crying, "hosannah, blessed is he that cometh in the name of the lord, Hosannah in the highest."

The Mammoth, Surging crown was under a spell. Some cast their robes, their garmets down on the dusty highway for him to ride over. Stew the ground with blankets of bouquets and wild flowers. The people had gone wild as if on holy fire.

Terror lurked in the breasts of the Pharisees and the upper classes.

They were Jealous, fearful. As Jesus moved through the city gates, the children took up the cry, "Hosannah to the son of David." The blind, the halt, the cripple,

came spilling with the crown through the gates as best they could.

The streets were carpeted with greenery, with palms, with flowers. The air was filled with shouts of "Hosannah." This was Jesus' last Sunday in the flesh of supreme popularity.

Soon, in a few days, other were to cry, "Crucify him!" So in life today, we have our days of praise, our days of condemnation, one day a crown, the next a cross.

What means it all to us today? Several ideas are expressed. Many lessons are learned from it. Just three or four may we mention.

First: Disciples, we Christians, must prepare the way for Jesus, "He has need of us." Jesus cannot march Triumphant into the lives of men and women unless we, who are Christians, go before and blaze a path.

Second: This preparatory Service is costly, it is a sacrificial cost. Things that are precious and dear to us, our time, our talents, our prayers, our energy, our money, must be the "Jesus pathway." Nothing is too costly to become a pathway for Jesus into human hearts.

Third: It should be a pathway of beauty...A pathway with a "carpet of stardust spun from a loom ever spinning...So carpeted that humanity may see it as a pathway of peace and pleasantness.

Fourth: it must be a procession of enthusiasm. "Hallelujahs" and "AMENS" Must fill the very air.

Christians must be on holy fire, Christians must go wild in their enthusiasm for Jesus. Let not our shouting evaporate. As long as we have breath, let us praise the Lord!

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# EDITORIALS

## Military Appointments Open

Fifth District Congressman Fletcher Thompson announced Thursday that he has been successful in persuading the U. S. Military Academy at West Point to re-open its period for application for its beginning session in 1970. However, Cong. Thompson said he was not able to get the Air Force and Naval Academy to reopen their application list for this year.

Mr. Thompson also said that any high school graduate from the Fifth District who would like to enter the U. S. Military Academy in June of 1970 should contact his office immediately in order that they will receive full consideration. The men to be selected must pass vigorous physical and mental examinations which will be given by the Academy for Admissions.

He added that reopening the nominations would not detract nor interfere with any of those who have already taken the exams. This is simply an additional opportunity in a national pool which has been created by the Academy.

## Good For The VA

According to a news report we carried in our Tuesday's edition, the Veterans Administration has an unusually high percentage of its employees who are members of our racial group nearly 30 per cent.

And the item significantly stages many of these employees have advanced to upper levels at an accelerated pace during the last two years. V. A. Administrator Donald E. Johnson said a recent survey of employees in his department reveal that 38,205 of the total number of 146,523 are Negroes.

The VA Administrator emphasized that "equal employment is a matter of highest priority, and Negroes are represented in most occupations and career levels."

For example, he said, "five are hospital or center directors and five others are assistant hospital directors. At least 21 are in top level positions for which appointing authority is reserved to the Administrator."

Johnson said for sometime his agency has been sending representatives to the various Negro colleges. This is proof the best way to get people is to go where they are.

## Our Country

Every reader of this editorial, every American, should be—and probably is—concerned about the future of his country. And it is appropriate that one is concerned today, for the United States system of government and the functioning of our society is experiencing a crisis.

The crisis, which is worst in some ways than that of the thirties during the depression, has been produced this time by an unpopular war, a generation of undisciplined children (the don't say no to junior generation), racial differences and discriminations among the melting pot U.S. population and a well organized and financed communist plot to overthrow the U.S. system of government by revolution and chaos, exploiting all these conditions.

That conditions inside America today are tragic cannot be denied. An Englishman, a German or an Irishman arriving in the United States today, for a visit, or to make a new home, can hardly believe the scene which confronts him. On many college campuses there are thousands of heroin addicts! Crime and drug addiction in cities like New York, where he might arrive, are at a scandalous level. Violence is everywhere. Television is rotten with violence and sadism. Millions of young people are smoking marijuana. Militants, rights crusaders, communists and anarchists are rioting, throwing bombs, lighting fires, disrupting both education and government processes.

This is a grave crisis measured by any standard and President Nixon and Vice President Agnew are doing their best to stem the tide of misguided lawlessness. But many are doing their best to discredit them, and the country's system of government and courts, and calling for revolution. Even William Douglas of the Supreme Court seems to condone revolution in his latest book!

What we are now experiencing, as a result of the chaos, is a turn to the right by the majority, inevitably and naturally enough, because the majority supports the President and believes in the American system. In Germany after World War I the same sort of street scenes prevailed, as militants—communists and fascists—roamed the streets and struggled to gain control of the state. Hitler followed and brought order.

There will be no successful revolution in this country. Communism hasn't a chance. The nation's future, however, does hang in the balance, as between a continuing democratic society as we have enjoyed it in the past and a more repressive society, with majority backing, if the revolutionaries and militants continue to aggravate public sentiment and defy the majority will.

The great test for us all—and many Europeans and others in homogeneous countries think we might fail it—is whether the diversity of races which make up our democracy can achieve and maintain a degree of harmony and sustain the lawful processes of democracy. Austro-Hungary fell apart under the stress and crisis of military defeat, a once-great empire of diverse races. Will this country dissipate its strength, its union, in the developing crisis, like the Hapsburg monarchy in 1919?

The future for America depends upon the actions and counter actions of all Americans, so many of whom today fail to appreciate the many blessings of the American Republic and attack its imperfections with such vehemence, violence, impatience and radicalism.

## NOTES.COMMENTS

The man who knows it all is as dangerous as the man who knows nothing.

People rarely get mad with anyone who says nice things about them.

Those who profess tolerance should be wary about calling other people names.

While government is designed to serve the people, it cannot support them.

Human progress can be boiled down to the mastery of emotions by men and women.

Despite the short route and quick cures, there is no easy way to anything that is worthwhile.

Worrying about little things is largely a result of having nothing important to worry about.

## BRASS TACKS

By Thomas T. Sabin

.....Freedom Now.

The complexion at City Hall has changed. This is in keeping with tenor and tone of the time. Not only has the complexion at Atlanta's City Hall changed, the change has or is taking place in most of the progressive cities of the nation. This is the greatest change since Reconstruction Days.

During Reconstruction Days the change was too sudden. As a candid fact, the black man was victimized by the action. He was an ignorant being with a slave mark in his forehead. Jettisoning him into public office was ill-timed, because, in the vast majority of cases, he was not intelligent enough to protect himself nor the electorate he was to have represented. He eventually became a "thing" hated, tracked down and murdered.

Negroes elected and appointed to City Hall presently are a far cry from his predecessors. Today's black man, generally speaking, is a highly intelligent, suave person, attired in Fifth Avenue garb who is capable of matching wits with any public figure who addresses himself to current issues for better government for all.

He is far removed from the water-melon-eating, head scratching, inarticulate, laughing "happy" Negro like he was symbolized for many decades. Rather, he is a serious minded individual who laughs when the situation is laughable; who is serious when conditions demands; and militant when diplomacy is dissipated at the conference table.

The America black man has a great stake in this nation and he is not afraid to make the supreme sacrifice to protect that stake.

Yes, the black man is much better prepared educationally and psychologically to hold public office with dignity and contributions than the Negro "put into office" under Yankee pressure immediately after the Civil War, which no doubt accounted for the relative short tenure in elective offices.

Today's black man wins and

holds office on his merit—not because of some Federal force to prove a point in a political war. He is far more capable or rendering a service to the overall community. He has a greater stake in the future of the city.

For an example, the future of Atlanta is intricately tied up with the investment Black man has made in the future of Atlanta. What is more—they are prepared to serve and contribute to the overall progressive good of the city. They know what it means to be denied an opportunity to live a normal, peaceful life; they know what it means to be hated because of creed and color; they know what pain that can be caused by denial of equal opportunity; they know the pangs of being relegated to the ghettos; they know what it means to be denied an education; they know the misery of being ill-fed, ill-housed and ill-treated.

But most of all they know the value of patience; to have undying hope that right will prevail; to believe in this ill-practiced democratic form of government and to love a country with every fibre. They know these things....they have these qualities.

This accounts for their unwillingness to stand idly by for another 300 years to put them into practice. They are unwilling to sing "We'll Overcome someday" for the next 300 years. They are not going to hold their desire to get into the mainstream in abatement for the next 300 years.

This is why their battle cry is "Freedom Now." (3-19-70)

## Kites & Wires

This is the season of the year when youngsters of various ages delight in flying kites.

Some of the youngsters with gray hair and many years have to enjoy their kite-flying by proxy.

It is well to warn youngsters to stay away from electric power lines and highways.

We know very few who actually fly kites each spring will read this editorial. However, retired kite-flyers are reminded to caution youngsters. A few words of warning might save a young life.

## Three Of A Kind

A reader has asked the difference between a lobbyist, a public relations man and a lawyer, when all are working to secure benefits for the same corporation in return for accepting cash.

A lobbyist, in a sense pernicious, is usually a secret employee. He may pose as a patriot or a disinterested citizen, but he peddles propaganda, for which he is paid. He may be sincere, but the suspicion arises, often justly, that he will sell out to those who pay the most.

A publicity man, on the

## You And Your Housing

### EQUAL OPPORTUNITY IN HOUSING

Q. I want to buy a house for my family out in the suburbs, but I am a Negro and I have had trouble with discrimination in trying before. I know I can go to court under an old law, but I don't like going to court. Is there anything I can do if I feel I am being discriminated against?

A. You file a complaint with the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development under Title VIII (Fair Housing) of the Civil Rights Act of 1968. Until this year, this law applied primarily to federally assisted housing and privately financed multi-family housing and new sub-divisions. About 20 million housing units in the nation were subject to the law. On January 1, 1970, the law went into its final stage, bringing in most single-family homes owned by private individuals. This increased coverage, by an estimated 34 million units, brought total coverage to some 53 million housing units in the country.

Q. What happens when I file a complaint?

A. The department refers your complaint to a state or local agency if the state or locality where the complaint

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## NEWS REPORT FROM WASHINGTON

## WHO KNOWS?

## Yes, We All Talk

### Bussing Opposed—Leftwingers Defeated—

Washington, D.C. — After more than a year of bitter infighting integrationists—at-all-costs have lost their battle to force the Nixon Administration to follow the most liberal court interpretation of the methods required to integrate schools.

Their leader had been Leon Panetta, who crusaded against all opposition up to the White House level to continue to have the Department of Health Education and Welfare use the progressive guidelines for integrating schools.

These guidelines had been based on the Green case, decided by the Supreme Court in May of 1968, which said that school districts would have to go beyond placing minority children in all-white schools. H.E.W. officials (then under President Johnson) took this to mean that all schools would have to be mixed, with massive bussing if necessary.

### On Good Will

Needed in our country today, as always, are men of good will. We are daily reading about strife, militants, tensions, forced integration lawlessness, etc.

And yet, among our 200 millions, there are millions of incidents of good will and brotherhood (which go unpunished) for every ugly incident which makes headlines. There are millions of Americans, white and black, who have and are exhibiting good will and good citizenship daily.

At this time thoughtful Americans must keep their heads, control their emotions and maintain the faith—in the American dream. We have enough citizens of good will to make the American dream come true. But the majority must exercise a calming and democratic influence on extremists, though this great force exerts its influence without headlines and sensations.

### The School Fight—Up To Courts—

felt all-white schools should be integrated but that neighborhood patterns, both in black and white schools, need not be forcibly changed by massive bussing if minority students in the districts who wished to enter these schools were allowed to do so and the districts had not been designed to achieve segregation.

This approach would mean many schools outside the South would not likely be the object of massive bussing, and was a slower approach to integration than that of the Supreme Court. But the fight in H.E.W., involving Robert Finch, the new Secretary, was only recently resolved.

Finch first accepted the progressives' viewpoint, followed the same approach as his predecessor. When Robert Mardian was named, counsel at H.E.W. he was effectively ignored by the progressives—because he recommended an approach to guidelines close to the Nixon 1968 campaign position.

But as the progressives continued to have their way, those who felt the Nixon Administration was playing into the hands of George Wallace and the Democrats, continued to apply the pressure. And more and more fence sitters began to see what was happening as a result of highly progressive orders in more difficult areas—schools were being closed, or white students were leaving en masse.

President Nixon and a majority of his close supporters knew this was self-defeating. They didn't want schools closed, and they didn't want the whites to leave en masse like they did in Washington, D.C. some years ago. They wanted as much integration, and as little dislocation and strife, as could be accomplished while maintaining quality education.

In the end this view has prevailed and Secretary Finch then made it clear he was opposed to bussing plans such as courts had proposed for Charlotte, N.C. and Los Angeles and other areas.

1. What is "cynophobia"?
2. Who led the fight to keep the U.S. out of the League of Nations?
3. Who proposed the present system of standard time?
4. When did the U.S. recognize standard time?
5. Name the four time zones in the U.S.
6. Who was Robert Todd Lincoln?
7. Name the Attorney General before Robert F. Kennedy.
8. What famous sea captain lost a leg to a whale?
9. Name the capital of Montana.
10. What was Paul Revere's vocation?

### Answers To Who Knows

1. The fear of dogs.
2. Henry Cabot Lodge.
3. William R. Allen, in 1833.
4. In 1918, after it had been in use 35 years.
5. Eastern, Central, Mountain and Pacific.
6. The oldest of your sons is Abraham Lincoln and the only one to live to adulthood.
7. William P. Rogers, of Maryland.

By Marcus H. Boulware

### YES WE ALL TALK

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. rode the wings of speech onto leadership. What he said and did were one and the same thing. He preached in his church, or any church. Afterwards he led them on a march or a demonstration.

He did tell his followers what to do, but he showed them what and how to do. His training in theology gave him vital knowledge a speaker must have.

He did not use a dialect, but leaned toward the best prevailing usage as recorded in our best dictionaries. With this physical equipment, he persuaded men to love those who hate you. It is easy for a man to love his friends, but it is more difficult to love your enemy.

The classic oration of the late Dr. King is entitled: "I Have a Dream," which he said freed him at last.

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## Things You Should Know



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So True  
Girls who talk baby talk seldom want one.  
-Gospot, Pensacola, Fla.

Political Joke  
There is nothing wrong with a political joke unless it gets elected.  
-Review, Plymouth, Ia.

Definition  
Hollywood: Where the girls cross the streets carefully and their legs recklessly.  
-Beehive, Kodiak, Alaska.

Coincidental  
America is building bigger and faster cars and is also constructing new and more modern hospitals.  
-Democrat, Davenport, Ia.

Old Age Secret  
Hardening of the heart ages people more quickly than hardening of the arteries.  
-Citizen, Prichard, Ala.



## Nat'l Leaders Back Red Cross Campaign

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Leaders of government, the Armed Forces, and veterans joined today in praising the services of the American Red Cross to U. S. military personnel and the American people as a whole.

The Red Cross this month through many of its 3,200 local chapters, is conducting an appeal for a minimum of \$22.7 million to meet its total financial requirements of nearly \$134 million for the fiscal year 1970-71. The remaining \$111 million was raised through United Way fund campaigns last fall.

In his statement of Feb. 28 proclaiming March as Red Cross Month, President Nixon said, "Nowhere is the compassionate feeling for mankind, and his welfare, better exemplified than in the mission of the Red Cross. The humanitarian work of the Red Cross is recognized by all nations. For eighty-nine years the American Red Cross has served this nation and its people unselfishly, while constantly striving to do more."

Secretary of State William P. Rogers commended "the good work of the American Red Cross at home and abroad."

"Red Cross programs have helped our servicemen in Vietnam and have brought food to the hungry in the civil conflict in Nigeria."

"We are especially grateful this year for the American Red Cross' efforts to call attention to the plight of American prisoners of war in Southeast Asia. Over 1,400 Americans are missing or captured, most with no word ever to their families. This is a humanitarian problem, separate from the political or military issues of the Vietnam war, which has caused great concern for the families of the men, and for all Americans. We hope the American Red Cross' efforts help speed the day when all our men are released and returned to their families."

"Since its chartering by Act of Congress in 1905, the Red Cross has established a splendid record in rendering aid to citizens everywhere, and especially to the servicemen and their families," said Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird.

"During the past year more than one million men and women of our Armed Forces have received assistance from the volunteers and staff that comprise the dedicated work force of the American National Red Cross. Because this service is based entirely on voluntary contribution, it is my sincere hope that members of the Armed Forces will be generous within their means in support of this year's annual fund drive."

Said General Earle G. Wheeler, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff:

"The selfless work of the Red Cross is known to me, both by personal experience and through the many accounts told me over the years by members of the military community whose lives were enriched—and in some cases literally saved—by the healing and compassionate work of the largely volunteer Red Cross. On behalf of the men and women of our Armed Forces, many of whom are standing up to our country's foes, I urge all Americans to support the American Red Cross."

Through its National Commander, J. Milton Patrick, the American Legion, one of the nation's major veterans' organizations, extended "its sincere good wishes" to the Red Cross. "The American Legion and the American Red Cross have cooperated on many projects and at the present time we work actively together in disaster relief and in blood donor activities as well as many of your safety programs."

"We know too of the excellent work which the American Red Cross carries on in behalf of the members of our Armed Forces. I know our members will join millions of our fellow Americans in responding generously to your current appeal."



"FREE, FRANK AND PRODUCTIVE." That's how Presidential Assistant Robert Brown described the 90-minute meeting of 35 Black officials of the Nixon Administration with the President last week (5th). The discussions ranged from school integration to other major issues of the day.

## White House Memorandum From Moynihan "Leaked"

WASHINGTON UPI—The White House acknowledged with displeasure today that another memorandum from White House adviser Daniel P. Moynihan to President Nixon had been "leaked" to the press.

Press Secretary Ronald L. Ziegler said publication of the January 1969 memorandum in the New York Times was "unfortunate."

And although confirming authenticity of the document, Ziegler refused to issue the text which was published in full by the Times.

Moynihan's memo, addressed to Nixon about two weeks before his inauguration, dealt with the unpopularity of the Vietnam War, racial tensions and violence in American life.

He urged at one point that the Negro lower class be "dis-solved" by being brought up to a higher economic and job level.

A similar Moynihan memorandum—also "leaked" to the Times—used the term "benign neglect" as a useful approach to ease the tense Negro problem.

In acknowledging the latest publication of a Moynihan memo, Ziegler said: "It is unfortunate in certain instances

that members of the President's staff cannot feel free to communicate with the President without appearing in print."

In response to reporters' questions, Ziegler said, "It is difficult to find our how this material finds its way to the press."

## Police Hold White Woman

By RALPH OSTERBURG  
CAMBRIDGE, Md. — UPI—Authorities have taken into custody an unidentified white woman Wednesday as the chief suspect in an early morning bombing that caused \$100,000 damage to a courthouse where black militant H. Rap Brown originally was to have been tried, the governor's office announced.

A spokesman for Gov. Marvin Mandel said three witnesses had given information about an alleged getaway car and its license plates which pointed to a woman suspect. State police Lt. Col. Thomas Smith confirmed this and said the "white female had been seen in the courthouse at a late hour in the afternoon yesterday just before closing."

Earlier a spokesman for Mandel and local officials said a white woman had been taken into custody, but this was later denied.

Rumors and confusion swept Dorchester County after the blast rocked the circuit court building only 24 hours after two Negro men, one of them an associate of Brown, were killed by an explosion in a car near Bel Air, Md. 85 miles away. Brown's riot trial was moved from Cambridge to Bel Air because of racial tensions here.

Mandel ordered the historic state house in Annapolis surrounded by state police, then flew to Cambridge to confer with State's Attorney William Yates, local officials, Congressman Rogers C. B. Morton and Sen. Charles Mathias, R-Md. Morton's Congressional District contains Cambridge.

Yates, who is the prosecutor for the Brown trial, said he thought the latest bombing was linked to the trial, but he did not elaborate. The explosive device apparently was planted in a lady's lounge on the second floor of the stone building.

## Georgia League Of Women Voters Present Awards

The Georgia League of Women Voters presented awards at its Annual Awards Dinner Friday night at the Butler Street Y.

Receiving trophies were Mrs. Lucille M. Scott, Lorimer D. Milton, Citizens Trust Bank, W. B. Maynerd and Mrs. J. B. Clayton, Business College director.

Speaker of the evening was Benjamin Perry, news commentator for Radio Station WAOX. The subject of his address was "The Time Has Come and The Time is Now."

Mrs. Mable Sanford Lewis spoke briefly about why she desired a seat in the House of Representatives. Mrs. Geneva Haugabrooks gave remarks.

The musical program consisted of a piano soloist, Miss Sandra Fouch, playing Beethoven's Sonata No. 10. The girls ensemble sang "No Cross, No Crown." Benjamin McLaurin was toastmaster. Mrs. Ruby Blackburn, president.

Miss Michael Coggins presented to her grandmothers, Mrs. Emma Coggins and grandfather Thearon Duncan a trophy each for their birthday anniversaries.

## 2 Atlanta Men

Two former Atlanta men are among six graduates nominated by the Yankton College Alumni office for inclusion among selections for the 1970 edition of Outstanding Young Men of America, according to an announcement from the editors.

Named were Roosevelt Weaver, class of 1962, Cambridge, Mass., and Tommy L. White, class of 1966, Los Angeles, Calif.

Weaver is a former Peace Corps worker in Senegal, West Africa. Now a doctoral candidate at the Harvard Graduate School of Education, he was selected recently to teach a course in "The Black Experience" at Cambridge High and Latin School.

White is a teacher in the Los Angeles area and was a strong contender as a "high hurdler" for the 1968 U.S. Olympic track team.

Both young men are graduates of Henry McNeal Turner high school in Atlanta and starred in athletics at Yankton College.

## Don't Eat The Flowers Health Official Warns

Spring brings flowers of all sorts. Beautiful flowers and some just so-so. Flowers that smell good, some that don't. Big flowers, little flowers.

But, an official of the State Health Department warned parents today that many flowers which grow in Georgia, as well as other states, are poisonous and if eaten by a child or adult could prove fatal.

"A child playing out in the fresh spring air might decide to chew on a flower or plant or taste the seeds and that action could produce a serious illness or even death," cautioned Roger N. Justice, injury control officer for the Department.

"The smaller the child, the more likely he will eat or taste a flower or plant—that's just natural curiosity coming out," Justice said.

The health official also said that even the bitter taste of a flower or plant might not stop the child from eating it. "The taste senses of children are different from adults," Justice added.

"Around anyone's home or garden could be growing any number of poisonous plants—some of the most common are the most dangerous if eaten," he said.

"Parents should learn particularly which plants and flowers are the most harmful," he said, "and if they suspect that a child has eaten a poisonous plant or flower, then the parent should contact their physician or local hospital immediately."

"Try to tell the physician which flower or plant the child ate, if you know," he added. "If you're not sure what the plant or flower is, bring along a sample to the physician so that it can be identified and the proper antidote treatments started immediately."

Jeffrey Williams of 32 Delmore Drive, S.W., Atlanta, both of whom are Negroes, and Scott D. Kingrey of 250 Corinth Court, Roswell, Georgia.

"Although our usual deadline for accepting candidates to attend the academies has passed," Thompson stated, "it is my desire to see that all de-

serving students from the Fifth District of Georgia, regardless of race, creed or color, are given consideration. Therefore, because of the quality of these candidates and the interest of the Academy in them, I am pleased to nominate these fine students."

The Atlanta Area Congressman reported that the Military Academy is the only service academy accepting late nominations. "These young men must pass a rigorous physical and mental examination given by the Academy for admission as must all service academy nominees," Thompson explained.

At my request, the United States Military Academy will accept further nominations from the Fifth District as part of the effort to interest more young men of all races in making the military a career.



GLADYS KNIGHT IN Special Ed Sullivan Show for Vietnam Vets. Gladys Knight sings to Vietnam GPs during the Ed Sullivan Show which will be telecast on March 29th, 8-9 p.m. EST over the CBS-TV Network. The special Ed Sullivan Show which starred Gladys Knight and the Pips, Bobbi Gentry, Buck Owens and the Buckaroos, Nancy Ames, George Kirby, David Frye, Marty Allen was filmed at two army medical centers, Brooke General Hospital in San Antonio and the Fitzsimmons General Hospital in Denver.

## Nixon To Tell About Area Of Desegregation

WASHINGTON UPI—The White House said Tuesday that President Nixon would issue a statement within a week on "this entire area" of school desegregation, a matter on which Nixon's actions have provoked perhaps the heaviest criticism of his administration.

Press Secretary Ronald Ziegler said Nixon has spent much time reviewing the issue and "how it relates to our society today."

The President met with close White House aides Monday night, Ziegler said, and has consulted with Attorney General John N. Mitchell and Secretary Robert H. Finch of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

Ziegler said Nixon's statement might be issued by the end of this week or sometime next week.

Meanwhile authorities positively identified the badly mangled second body in Monday's car explosion as William H. Payne of Atlanta, Ga., an organizer for the Student National Coordinating Committee SNCC and a veteran civil rights worker in Alabama and Mississippi.

Authorities said Payne and Featherstone were killed when an explosive they were transporting probably nitroglycerine blew up.

Local authorities have theorized the bomb was prematurely triggered, possibly by short-wave radio waves from state police cars or by the victims trying to set its fuse.

Brown's attorney William Kunstler, said he thought the two men were murdered.

The two deaths precipitated five day postponement Tuesday of Brown's trial which had not yet gotten to the jury selection stage. He is charged with arson and inciting to riot in Cambridge where two blocks were burned after Brown spoke to blacks there in 1967.

The trial started Monday and Brown slipped out of sight the same day in New York, saying he was going to Maryland.

There were no injuries in the courthouse blast, which happened at 12:01 a. m. EST. The explosion tore out a huge chunk at the top corner of the 100 year old building and hurled debris 100 feet into the street.

Gov. Mandel's office in Annapolis distributed Wednesday copies of a revolutionary poem, "To America," a copy of

which was found on the body of Featherstone. The poem says in part:

"I am playing heads up murder, and I'm playing for keeps. . . . Dynamite is my response to your justice. . . . Mandel characterized Kunstler's statement about dropping charges against Brown as "blackmail."



"NEW" SOLUTION—Roy Innis, national director of the Congress of Racial Equality (CORE), says in Washington that neither segregated nor integrated schools has worked for black children, and calls for racially separate schools run by predominant races in their districts.

### ON BASE CUTS

Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird reports that over 100 bases in the United States will be closed or reduced substantially. The new base actions are said to be related to the planned outback and withdrawals from the Vietnam war.

Nixon budget seen as tight rein on economy.

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## Is peroxide needed to color unwanted gray hair?

Hair care and beauty experts know that the first traces of gray hair—and even slight fading of natural color after chemical relaxing—can dull a woman's appearance and make her look older than she feels. While most women hate these premature aging effects, many are hesitant about using permanent peroxide haircoloring which may change the natural hair color while coloring gray.

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# Stage Set For Broadway's Best

Alpha Eta Zeta chapter of Zeta Phi Beta sorority continues in its effort to fulfill its cultural responsibility to the community with its presentation of "The Best of Broadway" on the Auditorium Music Hall stage Friday, March 20 at 7:30 P.M.

"The Best of Broadway" is under the direction of Clyde Turner, international known for his work in the field of music and drama.

Along with Mr. Turner the production will feature Miss Margaret Harris, a child prodigy who has since fulfilled the lofty productions which critics made at her public piano debut at the age of three.

Other members of cast include Cleo Quitman, danseuse Choreographer; Dolores Godwin, soprano; Marvin Wallace, Tenor; Leonard Hayward, Bass-baritone and Dave Brown, baritone.

Proceeds from the "Best of Broadway" will benefit the Eyeglass Project for indigent children through the Sight Conservation services of Junior League of Memphis, scholarship grants and various other welfare, health, education services.

"Miss Blue Revue" will be selected from several contestants during the preliminary presentation of "The Best of Broadway". Tickets may be purchased from any member of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority or Goldsmith's Center Ticket Office.

## Track, Golf On L-O Bill

LeMoyne-Owen College's spring program -- track, golf and baseball -- is underway.

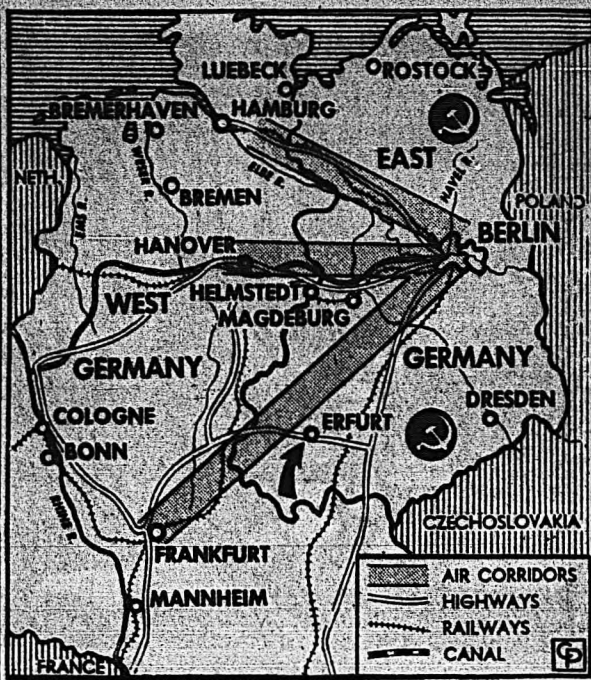
The track and golf teams will be busy this weekend. The track, coached by Robert Manning, are off to New Orleans to participate in the Dillard University Relays, and the golf squad, coached by Justin Reed Sr., hosts Fisk University at Riverside Park. Both events are scheduled for Saturday.

The baseball nine, coached by Robert Grider, will play three games in Memphis next week, going against Harris Teachers College, Monday and Tuesday, and against Tougaloo College on Saturday.

The golf team will be at Belmont in Nashville, Friday, March 27; the track squad will go to Fisk University in Nashville, April 2, and the Magician baseballers will host Belmont, April 4.

## Mrs. McAfee

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1 in prison and \$5,000 fine. On another count it is one year and 5,000, and on the others one year and \$1,000.



"REASONABLE RESULTS" are the aim of West German Chancellor Willy Brandt (left) in talks March 19 with East German Prime Minister Willi Stoph. They meet in Erfurt, an East German city, in the first such parley between leaders of the divided German nation. Said Brandt, "The rule that every long march begins with a small step or a small trip applies here . . ."

# Hanley PTA To Presents Styles

"Orbiting Into Fashions" is the theme of the fashion show which will be sponsored by the Hanley School Parent Teacher Association, Sunday evening, March 22, from 5 to 7.

Program chairman of the event is Mrs. Barbara Perry Wright, an active member of the P. T. A. and popular hostess of the Party Time Radio Program over WDLA.

Mrs. Lela Pondexter, general chairman of the style show, is especially interested in the section where da-

rents, who are members of the Hoanley Sewing Class, model garments made by them.

Prominent among the models are Mrs. Vivian Ford, Mrs. Mary Ann Wallace, Mrs. Arthurine Briggs, Miss Sandy Holmes, Mrs. Bobbie Jones Bullard, Mrs. Thelma Davidson, Mrs. Joan Miles, Mrs. Edith Hurt, Mrs. Margaret Toler, Mrs. Joan Mrs. Edith Hurt, Mrs. Margaret Toler, Mrs. Judy Ellard, and Mrs. Elizabeth Rod. Mrs. Davison will serve as coordinator of fashions. Mrs. Callie Lentz Stevens will be the commentator.

An interesting between-the-scenes program, featuring Barbara Perry Wright soloist and other, will be furnished.

Publicity is in the hands of Mrs. Ercille Jackson, Chairman of decorations is Mrs. Joan Miles. Mrs. Alcine Arnett is president of the Hanley P.T.A. Mrs. Beulah M. Williams is principal of the school.

## Men's Day At Greenwood

Greenwood C. M. E. Church will celebrate its annual Men's Day, Sunday, March 22. Programs are planned for Sunday School at 9:30, the 11 o'clock service, and at 3:00 p.m.

Speakers for the day are laymen, Howard Thompson, Rev. N. Charles Thomas and Rev. E. L. Brown. Raybon Hawkins will serve as master of ceremonies for the 3 p.m. program.

Rev. Jeff D. Arwater is pastor of the church with Glen Foust serving as chairman of Men's Day.

## EATS DRIVER'S LICENSE

Folkestone, England - When asked to show his driving license to a policeman, John Brunt became excited and ate it. The 29-year-old man explained he was in a "happy mood" having just left a party. A \$57 fine changed his mood.

LETTER FROM HANOI-HELD HUSBAND - Mrs. Raymond Schrupp, wife of Maj. Raymond Schrupp, captured by the Viet Cong nearly two years ago, talks with Viet Cong spokesman Ly Van Sau in Paris, where he unprecedentedly gave her a copy of a letter reportedly written by her husband. She had gone to Paris from home in Fayetteville, N.C., to try for some contact with him. In the middle is Murphy Martin of the United We Stand Association.

## SPELMAN COLLEGE GLEE CLUB TO APPEAR HERE MARCH 29

A fund raising committee of the American Baptist Theological Seminary, Nashville, Tenn. is sponsoring Spelman College Glee Club of Atlanta in a concert Sunday, March 29, at the Carver High School Auditorium, 1591 Pennsylvania, at 3 p.m., and at the Douglass High School Auditorium, 3200 Mt. Olive Ave., at 8 p.m.

This group is also sponsoring the Gospel Harmonetts of Birmingham Friday night, March 27, at 7:30, at the CME Publishing House, 631 S. Parkway East.

The Rev. Isaiah Rowser, the chairman, said "these concerts are to benefit the American Baptist Seminary and Spelman College."

The public is invited. For information and tickets, call 948-9798 or 274-3123.

The Rev. Mose Johnson is co-chairman.

## Lula Byas Club Meets

The Lula C. Byas Service Club held its regular meeting Feb. 21, in the home of Mrs. Annette McFields with the newly elected president, Mrs. Hatye Harrison, presiding.

The meeting was very well attended. Two new members were added to the roster of the club, Mrs. W. B. Brooks and Mrs. Carolyn L. King. Visitors were Mrs. Marie Burke and Mrs. Lottie Dorcht.

Next meeting will be March 21 at the Lella Walker Clubhouse with hostesses Mesdames Corine Currie, Magnolia Howard and Luvenia Cardine. Plans will be made concerning the City Federation Tea which will be at the Clubhouse on Easter Sunday, March 29th.

The hostesses were Mrs. Edwine Patrick, Miss Mary Range and Mrs. Annette McFields.

## Supervisors In Confab

A conference was held at the Defense Industrial Plant Equipment Center on Airways Blvd., March 3-4, to train supervisors in the Defense Supply Agency Equal Employment Opportunity program.

Emphasis on the program was stressed by Navy Cap. Hugh D. Byrd, DIPEC commander. Dr. Hollis Price, president of LeMoyne-Owen College, discussed the impact of the program on black citizens. Dr. Wilson R. Hart, chief of the EEO Office of the Defense Supply Agency, spoke on the operation of the program in Federal service.

He was followed by William R. Miller, DIPEC controller, who told the supervisors the process of the program at DIPEC, and James A. McDaniel, project value counselor for the Memphis Area, who pointed out the need for communications between the races.

The Defense Industrial Plant Equipment Center is a major field activity of the Defense Supply Agency. Its idle industrial plant equipment in order to obtain its maximum reutilization by the military services.

## Riverside Club Meets

The Ladies Community Club of Riverside Subdivision met at the home of May-Jee Avant, with the president, Mrs. T. J. Colston, presiding. Mrs. Lella Crawford led the devotion, after which reports from committees were received.

After the business meeting a tasty repast was enjoyed by all.

Members present were: mesdames Jessie Johnson, Mias Watkins, Adeline Henry, Hannah Holloway, Fannie Clark, Louise Smith and Mrs. Ester Lyons, who thanked the hostess.

Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Mary Byrdoff, 130 West Dixon Ave., Tuesday, March 24, at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Mylas Watkins, secretary.

## Mrs. J. Therrell Principal Speaker At Tabernacle Church

When the Junior Choir of Tabernacle Community Church, 303 Cynthia sponsors its monthly program, Sunday, March 22, at 3 p.m. Mrs. Josephine Therrell well-known church and club woman, will be the principal speaker. An eloquent speaker, the public is invited to hear her.

Mrs. Margarets Quim is president of the choir, and Mrs. Annie Lee Quim, director. Bishop P. L. Johnson, minister.

## CHURCH NEWS

Open Door Baptist Church 1537 Florida Reverend W. R. Grandberry Minister

Sunday School 9:30 A.M. with Brother L. McKinney, superintendent and his fine staff of teachers in charge. At 11 A.M. the sermon will be given by the Reverend Grandberry with appropriate music by the Male chorus and the Gospel chorus. The public is always invited to worship at Open Door. Prince of Peace Baptist Church 1558 Britton Street Reverend James Trueheart, Minister

Sunday School 9:30 A.M. with Mr. Willie Stewart, superintendent and Mr. Alfred Norris assistant in charge. At 11 a.m. the sermon will be given by the Reverend Trueheart. At 3 P. M. Annual Benevolent Club Day is being observed. The Reverend Lawrence C. Chambers of the Trinity Baptist Church will be guest speaker; his congregation will join him and his choir will render music. Mrs. Nettie B. Rogers, a dynamic, well-known civic and church leader will serve as Mistress of Ceremonies. Mrs. Rogers is a member of the Grace Baptist church. The public is invited to always worship at Prince of Peace.

New Tyler A.M.E. Church 568 Carpenter Reverend John C. Miller, Minister

Sunday School 9:30 A.M. with Brother C. W. Bowen, superintendent in charge.

At 11 A.M. the sermon will be given by the Reverend Miller with music being presented by the senior choir; Miss Lois Patrick at the piano and Miss Mattie Holmes at the organ. At 5:30 P.M. the A.C.E. Fellowship meets with Miss Edna Harris in charge. All of the young people of the church and community are invited to participate in this fine fellowship.

New Salem Baptist Church 955 South Fourth Street Reverend Willi G. Williams Minister

March 15th was an historic day in the church history at New Salem. Mort-

gage Burial Services were held at 3 P.M. with the theme: "Aim Accomplished." Mr. Ernest Donelson, a member of the congregation served as MC after a warm introduction by Mrs. Lorene Thomas. Mrs. Kate L. Williams served as devotional leader. The welcome was extended by Mr. James Hawes, Jr. The church's history was beautifully and interestingly given by Mr. Jeffries who is one of the "old timers" of the congregation. Miss Mary Lucy Davis gave a beautiful, and moving solo "Give Thanks". Serving in various capacities were: Finance, Mr. James Welton, Joseph Neloms and Henry Pryor; Program, Mrs. Naomi Hardimon, Mrs. Marie Jones, and Mrs. Alice B. Martin; Group Captains, Mrs. Emma Nunnally, Mr. Ernest Marshall, Mrs. Mary Lomax, Mr. John Hubbard and Mr. Ben Jeffries; Secretary, Mr. Frank Smoots; Chairman of Trustee Board, Mr. David Pearson; Burial committee, Mr. Charles J. Patterson, Jr., Mr. Alphonso W. Davis, and Mr. James Hawes, Jr., Chairman and co-chairman, Mr. Robert W. Malone and Mrs. Lucille H. Brown. Guest speaker was the Reverend L. Harris and his congregation and choir.

A moving, eloquent sermon, "Therefore, Give Me This Mountain" was given by the Reverend Harris. The pastor, the Reverend Williams and the chairman were profuse in their expressions of gratitude for the excellence of the occasion, spiritually and financially.

First Baptist Church 379 Beale Street Reverend James A. Jordan, Minister Sunday School 9:30 A.M. with Brother Harry Bridges, Sr., and Sister Ruth Harris superintendent and assistant in charge. At 11 A.M. the message will be given by Reverend Jordan with music by the Youth choir. Sister Deborah Lofton is director and Ralph Lofton, Jr. is at the organ, Sister Ruth Harris president. At 6:30 P.M. Youth Talent night is sponsored by Brother Sammy Davis Jr. and Ralph Lofton, Jr. Sister Sadye C. Ambrose is church secretary.

# One man. One night. One thousand theatres.

He had a dream.

But he was no dreamer. He moved. Where no man had moved before. He had a courage that men dream about.

He had a wife. Children. He was warm. When he smiled it was ear to ear. Like when he listened to Mahalia sing "Jericho." If he had run for president, it would have been interesting.

But he didn't want to be president. He wanted to be free.

Let my people go.

One night in Tennessee, it ended for Martin Luther King. Everybody looked around and said, "When will there be another like him?"

Perhaps never. Martin Luther King was an original. On March 24th at 8 P.M., in 1000 theatres across the country, a movie about this incredible man will be shown.

Tickets are \$5.00, and all the money goes to the Martin Luther King, Jr. Special Fund for the war against poverty, illiteracy, and social injustice. All the money. With no deductions for any kind of expenses. You pay \$5.00-\$5.00 goes to the Fund.

This is the only time the movie will be seen theatrically. It is a film of power, impact, warmth, emotion. Like the man himself. You will never forget it. Because it is something more than a movie. It is an experience. Since it is only for one night, you should act quickly in purchasing your tickets at the boxoffice of a theatre near you. And join with millions of people across the country to "Say to all the world, 'This was a man!'"



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# MARION JACKSON Views Sports of The World

## Bob Hayes - The 22 Shops

EVERYTHING COMES OUT IN THE NEWS—Pigeon, the scattershot bomber of the bird kingdom, might be banned from the 1970 Winter Olympics in Sapporo, Japan. Get Ready! Plan you day. The 11th Annual Atlanta 500, Sunday, March 22 at the Atlanta International Raceway. Try and join Oscar Hall Jr.'s party. Incidentally the Rollers and Rollets were a swing ding last Sunday.....

Robert (Bob) Hayes, former All-American Florida A&M University, under A. S. (Jake) Gaither and Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Conference; Penn Relays and NCAA, and Olympic champion has repeatedly done me a favor by coming to Atlanta.

I never asked Bob to come to Atlanta that he refused. Bob came her for our 100 Percent Wrong Club, the SIAC track and field meet and other invitations under considerable risk. Hayes was sort of the late Willie Gallimore, Charles Blyvins and let me say right now, it was Alvin Neason, who called my attention to so many All-Americans. Alvin would sit down with me and point out moves he dammed of a player. He was an all-time coach under the late Edward J. (Ox) Clemons, Major Powell and for his alma mater Morris Brown.

MOST PEOPLE SUSPECT that "Ox" Clemons the 105 yard run against Kentucky but I know that it might have been Neason's play. There was only 1.10 left on the clock and the Purple Wolverines plotted it while the Thoroughbreds were still celebrating.

Solomon Bramon never came out again on the field. After he threw the ball in the end zone he kept right out of the field for the dormitory. He knew he had scored on that run.

George Atchinson was another one of Neason's great players and he had to write me a letter to get the Savannah native some attention.

SO MUCH FOR THAT, but I have Raymond Williams, who is out at Northside High School coming up, but I want to bet coming up, but I want to get

back to Bob Hayes, who is opening his store here next week.

This is Bob's fifth season as a flanker with the Cowboys and in four of those years, '65, '66, '67 and '69 he was named All-Pro.

In the 1964 Olympics in Tokyo Bob earned the title "The World's Fastest Human" when he broke the world's record in the 100 meter dash with a time of 10 seconds. The highspot of the Olympics, however, was when Bob overcame a 10 yard deficit to place first in the 400 meter relays for the United States team.

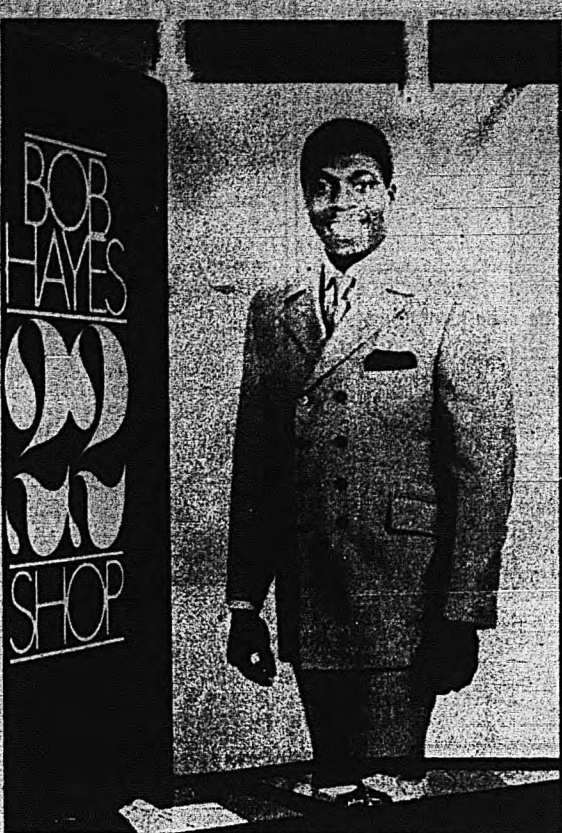
His track and football careers began in high school in Jacksonville, Fla. and they won him an athletic scholarship to Florida A&M where he graduated in 1965. In college he set three world's records in the 100 yard dash, the 70 and 80 yard dashes.

## Joe Frazier set for nitery debut

LAS VEGAS — Joe Frazier, newly crowned world's heavyweight boxing champion following his victory over Jimmy Ellis in Madison Square Garden earlier this month, will open a three-week engagement as a song-and-dance man at Caesars Palace in Las Vegas, March 20.

Frazier and his eight-man rock group, the K'nokouts, will appear in the plush hotel's Negro's Nook Lounge.

The Caesars Palace engagement will be Frazier's first appearance as an entertainer since his championship fight.



## Black Men's Clothing Market Offers Excellent Potential

The market for men's wear among the nation's Black population was a shopping \$340 million according to a 1963 Study of Consumer Expenditures by Alfred Politz. "Two factors, increased population and increased spending power, have undoubtedly increased this figure considerably," reports George Wales, president of the newly founded men's wear franchise operation, Bob Hayes 22 Shops.

"The 1963 figure breaks down to \$220 million for suits, coats and jackets, \$110 million for shirts and \$9.5 million for ties. Among Black consumers we know that the age bracket Bob Hayes 22 Shops will be aiming at, the 18 to 35 age group, is spending an even higher percentage of their income on clothing needs. They tend to shop style rather than price," Wales said.

Black consumers, both male and female, according to Wales, spend on the average 30 per cent more of their income for clothing than do white consumers. The average Black spends 13.8 per cent of his income for apparel, compared with 10.6 per cent for the average white.

"In lightweight suits, according to a recent Starch study, the rate of purchase by Black males was 15.9 per cent greater than that in the white and other markets. In overcoats the Black rate of purchase was 38.7 per cent greater and Black buyers also led in such classifications as all winter or all year suits, sport shirts and lightweight overcoats," Wales reported.

The Atlanta based Bob Hayes 22 Shops are gearing operations to the Black consumer via franchise men's wear stores. Bob Hayes, former gold medal olympic sprinter and All-Pro player for the Dallas Cowboys, is a stock holder member of the board of directors and will take an active part in the promotional activities of the firm.

Six pilot Bob Hayes 22 Shops will be opened in Dallas, Atlanta, Chicago, Washington, D. C., New York and on the west coast. The Dallas

## AYALA WINS LIGHTWEIGHT DECISION

HONOLULU — (UPI) — Javier Ayala, 196, of Mexico, scored a unanimous 10-round decision over Ray Adigun, 135, of Los Angeles. There were no knockdowns.

In another 10-rounder Mustang Goda, 125, tenth ranking featherweight of Japan, won a unanimous decision over Bernabe Fernandez, 125, of the Philippines.

Pete Koegel, put on a display of power hitting.

## RAMS TACKLE OILERS

LOS ANGELES — (UPI) — The Los Angeles Rams will play in the Rose Bowl for the first time in 1970 in one of their six exhibition games.

The Rams announced that they will face the Houston Oilers at Pasadena Sept. 5. The National Football League club also will meet the Oakland Raiders for the first time this year. The teams tangle at the Coliseum here Aug. 22.

## One Minute Sports Quiz

1. What was Ty Cobb's lifetime batting average?
2. Who is Jeff Burroughs?
3. Who is Austin Carr?

## The Answers

1. .367.
2. Ted Williams selection as best hitting prospect in baseball.
3. Star Notre Dame basketballer.

## Aggies Bow To Guilford 80-72 In NAIA Playoffs

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. — Nationally ranked N.C. A. And T., hampered by mediocre play for most of the game, perked up in the last six minutes to edge Elon College 72-71 and then bowed to Guilford College 80-72 in the finals of the District 26 NAIA Playoffs.

The win boosted the Aggies' season record to 19-7 but the loss knocked them out of contention for a berth in the NAIA National Tournament scheduled this week in Kansas City, Mo.

SOPHOMORE Chucky Evans and freshman Al Carter, sparked the Aggies' comeback against Elon. A. And T. trailed 62-54 with 6:39 left in the game.

At this point, Evans, a native of Atlanta, pumped in three quick goals, the last one at 3:18 to put the Aggies ahead for the first time in the game, 65-63.

THE CHRISTIANS tied the count at 65-65 with two free throws seconds later, but Lonnie Kluttz drove in for a goal to make it 67-65 and the game was out of reach for Elon.

It was Carter's fine outside shooting in the second half that enabled A. And T. to overcome a 36-30 deficit. The 5-10 former high school All-American finished the game with 18 points.

KLUTTZ, who has already established himself as a possible pro prospect, pulled down 16 rebounds and Evans chipped in 18.

## Hampton Gridders Open Drills

HAMPTON, Va. — Conditioning is the name of the game for football players at Hampton Institute who have already begun spring training Practice sessions, which began last week and will run for six weeks, are held on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday of each week.

LACK OF spring drills played a major part in the Pirates' having a dismal 1969 season (0-9). Coach Whitney Van Cleve, however, refuses to use this as an excuse for his team's poor showing. With his eye on next season the HI coach has decided that "now is the time to prepare for next year."

Although some 40 students are participating in the spring

drills, Coach Van Cleve noted there is a player problem. Several of last season's players are engaged in spring sports.

BOTH quarterbacks, Tillman Sesse and Alred Chesborough, are on the Pirate baseball team along with running back Larnie Owens.

## CALL's Black Sports Quiz

1. What All-American griddler received a big bonus to play pro football and never played?
2. Which of these players holds the all time pro football rushing title? (a) Jim Nance, (b) Jimmy Brown, (c) Joe Perry.
3. Who was the first black All-American griddler?
4. What black major league pitcher has pitched two no-run, no-hit games?
5. Name the black players in Baseball Hall of Fame.
6. What woman was black baseball's first official?
7. Who was the first black rodeo rider?
8. Who was the first black boxer to be managed and trained by a black?
9. Who was the first black female to win the U.S. National Tennis crown?
10. What black was the world's first fastest human?

## Sports Quiz Answers

1. Harold G. Drew of Southern California.
2. Jim Nance.
3. Joe Louis.
4. Roy Harris.
5. Jackie Robinson and Roy Campanella.
6. Dora Wilton for Houston Astros in 1951.
7. Kithia Davis of Syracuse who died in 1906.
8. Eddie Robinson and Tommie Smith.
9. Billie Jean King.
10. Jesse Owens.

## S. C. State Advances To NAIA Meet

SPARTANBURG, S.C. — S.C. State College pumped in 52 points in the second half to defeat Appalachian State University 90-50 in the finals of the NAIA District Six basketball playoff in the Wofford College gymnasium.

The Bulldogs thus earned the right to represent the district in NAIA national competition this week in Kansas City. The trip to Kan-

## Wilk's Workout First Since Nov.

LOS ANGELES — (UPI) — Wilk Chamberlain, the Los Angeles Lakers' center who has been sidelined since Nov. 8 with a ruptured tendon in his right knee, practiced with the team, March 5.

It was Chamberlain's first workout since the injury but he won't be able to see league action until March 18 against the Boston Celtics.

## Griddler Adman

NEW YORK (UPI)—Clinton Frank and John Pingel, both former All-American gridders at Yale and Michigan State, each heads his own advertising agency.

## 1970 American League Schedule... Clip and Save

	AT OAKLAND	AT CALIFORNIA	AT SEATTLE	AT KANSAS CITY	AT MINNESOTA	AT CHICAGO	AT DETROIT	AT CLEVELAND	AT BALTIMORE	AT WASHINGTON	AT NEW YORK	AT BOSTON
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## NBA Signs New 3-Year Contract With ABC-TV

NEW YORK — Chris Schenkel, the wacky, witty sports-caster, said with a trace of a smile, "I don't know how much the American Broadcasting Company is paying for this new contract, but last year I flew to all games first-class and now I fly tourist."

The assembled crowd of newsmen at Gallagher's Restaurant laughed heartily. It was a happy occasion this afternoon of Feb. 17 ABC and the National Basketball Association were jointly announcing a new three-year contract, starting with the 1970-71 season.

This exclusive contract will increase the NBA's television coverage from a minimum of 18 games annually to a minimum of 26. Last year, ABC televised 21 games including three playoff games in prime-time viewing hours.

NBA Commissioner Walter A. Brown and Boone Arledge, president of ABC Sports disclosed that 17 regular season games on Sundays will be televised in 1971. Completing the package will be the NBA All-Star Game San Diego, three games to be selected by ABC and telecast during the fourth quarter of 1970, plus seven play-off games, the majority of which will be shown in prime time.

Mr. Kennedy said, "Our growth over the five years, during which we have more than doubled our attendance, with a current 18 per cent increase over a comparable period last season, was directly related to the telecasting of NBA games by ABC."

Mr. Arledge added, "The NBA's four new markets, the league's constantly growing attendance and the always-improving quality of professional basketball play makes us at ABC highly optimistic about the next three years."

ABC has good reason to feel buoyant. NBA telecasts have become a hot property. The Boston Phoenix telecast Christmas Day, 1966, attracted more than 30 million TV fans, a record for any regular season NBA game.

## Sports Briefs

BUENOS AIRES — (UPI) — Oscar Bonavena says he has turned down a bid to fight Californian Jerry Quarry.

Bonavena said he turned down a \$35,000 guarantee to fight Quarry because he wants a shot at heavyweight champ Joe Frazier instead.

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## Adults Asked To Register

Registration for the Adult Evening Program, sponsored by the Memphis City Schools System, will begin for the spring quarter April 1 and April 2.

The program will offer courses in typing, shorthand, bookkeeping, data processing, basic electricity and electronics, auto mechanics, welding, machinist, radio and television and upholstery.

Classes will be from 7-10 p.m. to 7-9 p.m. Interested people should go to the Adult Education Center and Northside, April 1, 7 P.M. and go to Southside, Tech, Westwood, Overton, Treadwell, Frayser, and Booker T. Washington Schools, April 2, 7 p.m.

Persons seeking further information should call the Adult Education Center, 527-6521.

## Boys' Club

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day this week.

The Club was begun through the generous donations of \$40,000 from W.D.I.A. Goodwill Fund and \$5,000 from the Phoenix Club of Memphis. Shelby United - Neighbors helped support the club during its first year.

Friday, there will be a contest for boys 8-11.

On Saturday, the boys will do their own thing as they enter the club with a soulful look because this day has been set aside as Crazy Hat Day where the boys in each age group will be judged for the most hilarious hat. The day will also include a marble tournament for eight and nine year olds, as well as a spinning top contest.

The club will welcome visitors between 3 - 9 Friday, and 10 - 4, Saturday.

## Mrs. Broome

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of the late Rev. S. W. Broome who was prominent here and in Mississippi for many years as a minister and educator.

Mrs. Broome is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Mary B. Akerg of Buffalo and Mrs. Radie B. Clark of Cleveland, and a son, Simon Broome, also of Cleveland.

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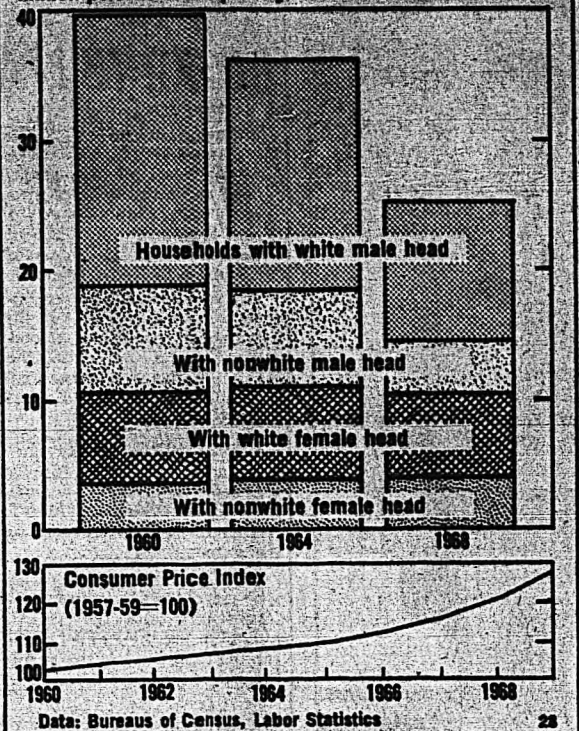
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## POVERTY DECLINES DESPITE INFLATION



By CARL M. MADDEN, CHIEF ECONOMIST  
 Chamber of Commerce of the United States

MEASURED by a Bureau of the Census "poverty line" of roughly \$3,500 for a nonfarm family of four and \$3,000 for the same size farm family, the number of people living in poverty in America has declined substantially since 1960. In that year, 40 million persons were impoverished. By 1968 the number had declined to 25 million, despite population growth. Households headed by white males fared best. Those headed by females, both white and nonwhite, fared worst. Since the study took into account the 17 per cent increase in cost of living, even more families would have escaped from poverty had inflation not offset gains in dollar income.

**NEGROES & GUARD**

The National Guard Bureau reports that the low rate of Negro enlistment remains almost unchanged despite a two-year effort to improve the ratio.

## I. C. Railroad

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department in 1914 at Hara, La. During his tenure of service he worked as chauffeur, caboose serviceman, and stockman. He enjoyed the latter job more than any other "because he had a chance to become acquainted with all classes of material used by the railroad."

Mr. Russell says that during his 56 years with the company, he never received a "reportable personal injury."

A steward at St. Andrew AME Church, he is also president of the Senior Usher Board and organizer of the Junior Usher Board.

He lives with his wife at the South Parkway address.

## BREADBASKET

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Project Moneywise-Breadbasket is funded by the Emergency Food Program, Office of Economic Opportunity, and conducted by the Bureau of Federal Credit Unions. In the Memphis area, the program is sponsored by the War on Poverty Committee.

## Laid To Rest

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He was the son of Mrs. Willa Foster Ingram and stepson of Jack Ingram, both of the First Avenue address. Honorary pallbearers were members of the Caldwell faculty.

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## Peace Corps Director Views "Crisis Of Youth"

Society must not over-react to headlines indicating we are facing a "crisis of youth," Peace Corps Director Joseph H. Blatchford said today.

Addressing the Commonwealth Club of San Francisco, Blatchford noted that current news is fraught with coverage of student dissent and campus turmoil.

"Indeed," he said, "it often seems--that the 'crisis of youth' had an ironclad grip on us. But, it's easy to be led to extremism of your own in response to the extremism of others."

Blatchford noted that facts surrounding student dissent in the United States belie the tendency to equate dissent with riot. He pointed to a statistical report prepared by the Urban Research Corporation of Chicago that says 76 per cent of 292 protests on 232 campuses resulted in no violence or destruction of any kind.

The Director said, "I think that survey is compelling proof of why we must beware of indicting an entire generation because of the excesses of the few."

He endorsed the plan set forth last year by the Rev. Theodore Hesburgh, president of Notre Dame University. His plan suggested the government should consider underwriting a year's education in return for a year spent in some form of national service by a university student. The type of service rendered would be determined by the university and given academic recognition.

Said Blatchford, "Such a program would provide the nation with thousands of young men and women to go to work on the nation's problems, make universities more exciting places to be and give every student an opportunity not only for an academic education, but also for achieving the maturity that such a service experience can bring."

Blatchford concluded, "I think this generation of young Americans is intensely aware that there is building to be done in each of us and in this nation and across the world. That building will enrich the lives of those who do it. This will give hope to the generations to come."

## So. Memphis Unit Meets

When the South Memphis District Missionary Institute met March 9 at Providence AME Church, Mrs. Sarah Walker led a touching devotional service after which the president, Mrs. M. R. Todd, was in charge.

The lesson theme, "Reconciliation in a Broken World" and "Under-standing China and Chinese people," was taught by Mrs. Connie Turner, after a general discussion was held.

## Weaver Sch. In Program

Weaver Elementary School observed Black History week with an inspiring chapel program. The speaker was the Rev. W. Herbert Brewster, pastor of East Triggs Baptist Church. Rev. Mr. Brewster talked from some of his own compositions--"The ABC of Black History." He started by letting the boys and girls call out the first letter in the alphabet. Then he mentioned a famous Negro or place significant to black heritage.

He was introduced by one of his own members, Mrs. Ruby Bankhead. Other activities around the school was an art exhibit

presented by members of grades 4 through 6.

There were three prizes given. The first place prize went to Anthony Pearson, also a sixth grader. The third place prize went to Shelby Dorsey, a fifth grader. Each child received a monetary award along with a certificate.

The program sponsors were Mrs. R. L. Watson coordinating the chapel program and Miss I. Taylor, art instructor. Leonard Holley is principal.

## New Era Will Hear McGhee

When the New Era Baptist Church, 797 Laurel St. observes annual Men's Day Sunday, Mar. 22, the guest speaker at 3 p.m. will be the Rev. L. D. McGhee, pastor of St. John on Deadrick St.

St. John's Make Chorus, along with male choruses from New Hope and Macedonia Baptist churches will furnish music. Public invited.

Joe Jackson is the chairman and the Rev. Frank Briscoe, pastor.

## Rev. Bland Improves

The Rev. R. B. Bland, pastor of Madison Light Baptist Church in Madison, Ark., is convalescing in Baptist Hospital Memphis, after undergoing surgery last week. He expects to return to his home soon.

## NAACP Will Meet Sunday

Memphis Branch NAACP will hold its monthly meeting Sunday, March 22, 4 p.m. at Mt. Olive CME Church, Linden at Lauderdale. Public is invited.

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