WHEN YOU FINISH READING YOUR AFRO PASS IT ALONG TO A FRIEND

Mayor's aide explains letter's wrong greeting

The mayor's executive secretary on Monday described an incorrect salutation on a letter sent to the Rev. Marion C. Bascom, committee chairman of the Interdenominational Ministers Alliance, as an error committed by a stenographer.

The letter was addressed "Dear Rev. Holmes" and contained the mayor's refusal to see a group of ministers interested in the fate of the Civil Rights Bill now before the City Council.

Such a meeting had been proposed in a telegram sent the mayor after a secretary had told committee members Mr. D'Alesandro would not see them.

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IN HIS refusal Mayor Thomas D'Alesandro said: "While I know that you are anxious to present your views to me, I am sure you will appreciate the desirability, in the interest of orderly governmental procedures, of awaiting the completion of public hearings and the presentation of all sides of the question."

Following receipt of the letter, the Rev. Mr. Bascom made the following statement:

"I have no idea why the mayor's office is sending me a letter addressed to Rev. Marion Bascom, should, in the letter address me as Rev. Mr. Holmes."

Richard Lidinsky, the mayor's executive secretary, issued this statement on Monday:

"There is an explanation to the salutation of the mayor's letter which read 'Dear Rev. Holmes.'

"The mayor's reply was properly addressed to the Rev. Marion C. Bascom Sr., president, Interdenominational Ministers Alliance, 1325 Madison Ave., Baltimore 17, Md. and also correctly addressed to the Rev. Mr. Bascom on the envelope in which the letter was mailed.

The stenographer who wrote the letter inadvertently typed in 'Holmes' instead of 'Bascom.'

"She indicated that the word Holmes could have been carried through in her mind since she had sent a copy of the letter to Dr. Logan Kearse, secretary, who resides at 3515 Holmes Ave."

Mr. Lidinsky also said there was no indication that the mayor would issue any additional statement on the refusal to see the clergymen who minister to the needy to more than 125,000 Baltimore citizens.

THE MAYOR'S refusal to see them was condemned by a number of ministers last week.

The Rev. A. J. Payne, pastor of Enon Baptist Church, said:

"It is the mayor's duty to see us. It would not refuse to see a group of Catholic priests if they were sent to see him."

The Rev. Isaac M. Gray, pastor of St. John AME Church, said:

"I know of no instance before in which a mayor has refused to see the clergy."

—Mayor still

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the Alliance the committee represented.

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THE REV. MR. BASCOM listed the names of pastors on the inter-church committee to confer with the mayor as follows:

The Rev. Isaac M. Gray, St. John AME; the Rev. A. J. Payne, Enon Baptist; the Rev. I. A. Miller, Trinity AME; the Rev. Harrison J. Bryant, Bethel AME; the Rev. Willard L. Clayton, Macedonia Baptist;

The Rev. J. Timothy Boddie, Shiloh Baptist; the Rev. Julius Carroll, Sharp Street Methodist; the Rev. Frank L. Williams, Metropolitan Methodist; the Rev. T. M. Edwards, AME, Randallstown;

The Rev. Edmond Meade, Israel Baptist; the Rev. J. R. Butler, Mt. Lebanon Baptist; the Rev. Frank J. Frye, Ames Methodist; the Rev. W. B. Nash, Waters AME; the Rev. J. Logan Kearse, secretary and the Rev. Mr. Bascom, chairman.

In addition to the ministers who already voiced their feelings on the matter, the following comments came in this week to the AFRO:

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THE REV. REGINALD DANIELS, pastor of Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church remarked: "Any man in his office should give audience to all citizens regardless of their purpose.

"The refusal of these ministers seems to have been a great discourtesy.

"This is contradictory to the Mayor's usual attitude of respect to members of the clergy."

The Rev. Baxter L. Matthews, pastor of Union Baptist Church stated:

"I am not at all surprised at the mayor. Personally, I have never been impressed with him. I don't think he means us much good."

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—Power

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each block with a worker on each side of the street and selected children to ring door bells.

According to Mrs. Adams: "A special, human touch is needed to get out the vote and have a hand in this election which is the most important one in our history.

"Women are powerful. Our job is to get out the vote.

"Whether we are Democrats or Republicans, we will stick together and elect qualified officials who will protect our neighborhoods.

"We will be almost equal to a police force when it comes to watching over our rights."

MRS. ADAMS also announced that the Woman Power pre-election program begins immediately and includes a campaign to register every citizen to vote before the books close on Sept. 22.

Through an association of women's clubs, individual adult and children workers, the group plans to touch every block and every home with special emphasis on the Fourth District, she said.

The group plans to distribute literature, send out speakers to complish the task of "telling the story" to all Baltimore clubs and churches and to citizens.

A telephone crusade, a conference of leaders in all local communities, letters to editors, press notes as well as block parties, luncheons, banquets and work shops are listed.

Highlighting the schedule of events is the Sunday, Sept. 21 luncheon to be held at the Sheraton Belvedere Hotel.

In addition to talks by prominent speakers, the 2 p.m. meeting will include a fashion show.

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ON SUNDAY, Nov. 2, the women also plan to send speakers into every church with a brief message to the congregations to "get out and vote."

Special prayers and sermons are also planned, according to Mrs. Adams who stated "we have God with us on our project."

The register and vote campaign the Woman Power organization schedules is also to be "side-by-side" with the NAACP sponsored effort which is headed by Atty. Gen. John Tilley, it was announced.

The Tuesday meeting was held in the Gallagher Bracken law offices where Christopher Foreman attorney, is a firm member.

Mr. Foreman is president of the Greater Baltimore Bipartisan Voters' Association which has endorsed the Woman Power effort.

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IN ADDITION to Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Rich, other officers are: Mrs. Jaqueline Watts, parlimentarian; Mrs. Mary Adams, luncheon chairman; Mrs. Clarice Brooks, historian; Mrs. Lillian S. Watty, chaplain; Mrs. Serena G. Forehand, secretary; Mrs. Loretta Watty, speakers bureau chairman; Mrs. Marguerite Harmon, treasurer; Miss Brenda J. Thomas, youth committee chairman; Mrs. Bettye M. Phillips, publicity and Mrs. Harry Cole, legal committee chairman.

Members of the steering committee are:

Mesdames Gladys Barbour, Clarice Brooks, Anita Pleasant, Vernice Wynn, Yvette Murphy, Ida M. Smith, Myrtle Burns, Vashti Jude, Julian Jones, Bernice White, Grace Jude, Queenie Lane, Ruth Black, Sam Sterline, Pauline Stewart, Violet C. Scales, Pauline Blanchard, Myrtle Johnson and Miss Mayme Tilghman.

—City taxes

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that an additional minimum revenue of $20,075,648 would be required for 1959, regardless of the cuts.

He noted that several of the larger general fund requests are required by law or ordinance and cannot be reduced.

This category would include pensions and social security ($2,4,12313); debit service ($1,330,772); and workmen's compensation ($45,000).

A second category of increases, Mr. Benton noted, are necessary to carry out in 1959 certain policies of the Board of Estimates.

These would include normal increments to classified employees, teachers and others ($1,378,339); positions authorized for part of 1958—Education and Police Departments — requested for entire year ($1,052,860).

Also, a 56-hour-week for Fire Department ($912,865); 100 additional patrolmen for 1959 and related expenses ($400,000).

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MR. BENTON called attention to a third category of increases which are necessary for staffing and maintaining new facilities.

He included facilities for 5,500 additional pupils, new facilities at the City Hospitals, new branches of the Enoch Pratt Free Library, additional recreation centers and new police station houses.

The total increases of these three categories amounts to $9,233,849.

The Department of Education has requested funds for increases in the salaries of teachers, he noted, which would cost about $3,400,000.

Also, that there are other essentials, such as Public Works, Public Welfare, Health and Urban Renewal, which will necessitate increases.

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AMONG THE 1959 budget requests are:

Department of Education — $59,001,276, an increase of $8,239,209 over the 1958 appropriation;

Department of Public Welfare — $22,416,762, an increase of $3,340,228 over that of $19,156,534 for 1958;

City Hospitals—$6,791,306, an increase of $1,502,329 over the $5,288,977 for 1958;

Equal Employment Opportunity Commission—$38,128, an increase of $3,200 over $34,928 for 1958;

Urban Renewal and Housing Agency — $7,439,937, an increase of $3,738,998 over the $3,700,939 for 1958;

Department of Health — $4,298,382, an increase of $351,667 over the $3,946,715 for 1958;

Fire Department—$13,274,229, an increase of $1,381,463 over the $11,892,766 for 1958;

Police Department — 21,075,868, an increase of $1,321,521 over the $19,754,347 for 1958;

Department of Recreation and Parks — $5,290,494, an increase of $357,203 over the $4,933,902 for 1958.

Largest requested increase, with the exception of the Department of Education, is the Department of Aviation of $11,560,847, an increase of $10,882,270 over the $678,577 granted in 1958.

—Dr. Gilkes

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$300 a month to $236 a month in 1956.

She also noted that a further request from the physician for a cut in support had been denied in April.

Through her attorney, George D. Soltar, Mrs. Gilkes asked that Dr. Gilkes submit a six-months report on all papers, documents, deeds, mortgages, leases, settlement, memoranda and other writings to his present interest in the 2304 Ashburton St. residence and property at 1316 Edmondson Ave as well as the Arundel-on-the-Bay resort home.

In addition, it was requested that he submit profit and loss statements for the first six months operation of his medical practice and the operation of a beauty parlor in the 1300 block of Edmondson Ave.

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PAPERS LISTED among the court documents report that the physician earned from his practice the sum of $3,593.95 from January to June, 1958.

Office expenses amounted to $2,127.17, he stated in reply.

Balance from office income was listed as $1,466.83.

Income from the beauty shop was listed as $2,040.80 from January to June. The balance net income was listed as $1,650.

SUN FLOWER, 17 ft. tall at 2304 Annapolis Ave., near Mt. Winans. Mrs. Maggie Pope is owner. With the flower is her husband, Zeddie Pope. (See story on Page 1).

'Rent slaying' suspect held

WASHINGTON

Mrs. Hazeline Hopper, 23, was ordered held by a coroner's jury Thursday for grand jury action in the fatal stabbing of Mrs. Velma Palmer, 48, over rent money last Sunday in the 1100 block 8th St., NW.

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IN THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT Court of Appeals when one side files a motion for a stay, the other side is given five days in which to reply.

Judge Gardner ruled on the motion to stay the 5 to 1 decision before the court notified the NAACP that the motion by the other side has been filed.

ACCORDING TO ROBERT TUCKER, clerk of the Appeals Court, the 50-year-old judge phoned the court from his home in Huron.

At the same time, Tucker stated that a motion filed by the NAACP would be denied.

The NAACP's motion asked that the Appeals Court issue its mandate immediately on its decision reversing Lemley's "Cooling off" decision.

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—Asked by the AFRO why the court would rule 6 to 1 to permit the Little Rock children to return to school and then grant a stay of the order for 30 days, legal sources explained only one justice was responsible.

They pointed out that the stay was granted by Justice Gardner, the sole member of the seven-judge court who voted in favor of delaying integration in Little Rock for 2½ years.

The AFRO informant, further pointed out that in dissenting with the majority opinion, Justice Gardner said integration should be accomplished through evolution, not revolution.

Wilkins

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ins had wept as he protested to the President against his ouster.

At his news conference, Mr. Eisenhower was asked to comment on newspaper stories that the White House had asked Mr. Wilkins to resign as Assistant Secretary of Labor in order to make the position available to Mr. Lodge.

"No, I haven't heard that," the President said. "I will say this. I have had some talks with Secretary Wilkins, who was talking about the possibility that he might resign from that particular position in the Labor Department.

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"I HAVE never urged him to nor asked him to, or anything else. I have had a very—as a matter of fact, very—congenial talk with him about it.

"He is also, as you know, a member of the Commission on Civil Rights, and I did remember that I said to him that if ever he decided he wanted to resign there, that he would, I hope he would, keep his other position."

Dinah's views on the city's men in blue

At the club Wednesday night, Dinah injected;

"Baltimore's finest in blue stink. I'm ready to go home now. I'm very tired and humiliated. They were very discourteous to me.

"The five of us were discussing business concerning the arrangement of lights and the stage microphone.

"But the officers said they heard piano music. If that is the case, why didn't they arrest the musicians? It's because there were no musician's there."

Dinah said she considered her arrest an illegal one.

Asked the outcome of a conversation with the NAACP in connection with the matter, she declined to comment.

DINAH hinted that she wasn't pleased with the way "a desk sergeant at the station" talked to her when the arrest occured.

Insisting that the 5 a.m. discussion centered around business and not drinks, Dinah took place between him and judge Allen:

Q—You have examined the defendant?

A—Yes, sir.

Q—What is your opinion as to her mental condition?

A—In my opinion, she was insane at the time of the crime.

Q—I want to know her mental condition now — to determine if she should stand for trial.

What is her mental condition now?

A—My opinion of her mental condition is that she is now mentally insane.

JUDGE ALLEN—On the basis of that, I am going to commit her to Crownsville State Hospital for further examination, and subject to the order of the court.

POLICE RECORDS in the case showed that Officers Timothy Watts and Dominic Matteo were called to the Rosedale St. home at 11 p.m. May 27, and found the baby boy lying in a rear yard.

The infant was taken to Lutheran Hospital and pronounced dead at 10:51 a.m. the next day.

A medical report stated the infant had a fractured skull.

—Sitter's trial

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len and Dr. Lynch, at the start of the proceedings.

Mr. Cohen then read a prepared statement, charging:

"That she (the accused) was legally insane or legally lunatic at the time of the commission of the alleged crimes, offenses and misdemeanors."

MR. ROMANO then called Dr. Lynch to the stand. The following brief exchange then

said heatedly:

"It is criminal to talk to my employer about business at 5 a.m."

Miss Washington was visibly disturbed up to several hours before she stepped onto the stage to sing before a curious crowd of enthusiasts.

Changing the lyrics of songs jokingly to fit her experience, she informed the audience of the incident, then went on to bring thunderous ovation from the crowd with her songs.

The bitter singer talked nearly an hour with an AFRO reporter before going onto the stage.

—Juke box queen

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was reported in local papers.)

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IN NORTHWESTERN Police Station the quintet was charged with disorderly conduct.

Mr. Dixon posted $51.45 collateral for each and all but Mr. Robinson left the station about 7 a.m.

By court time Wednesday morning a charge of unlawful (after hours) consumption of alcohol had been placed against Miss Washington, Mr. Bruton and Mr. Robinson.

Also, charges of permitting unlawful consumption of alcohol had been placed against Mr. Dixon and Mrs. Green.

The arrests were made by Lt. Walter Hoffmeister, Sgts. Charles Stefan and Bernard Coll and Officer Jack Cook.

At Wednesday morning's session before Magistrate Linwood G. Koger Sr., which Miss Washington said she bypassed on advice of her manager, the hearing of the case was postponed until 9 o'clock this (Friday) morning.

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COLLATERAL on the disorderly charges were continued at the morning session for Mr. Dixon, Mr. Bruton and Mrs. Green.

On the other charges, bail was set at $500 for Mrs. Green and $500 for Mr. Bruton while Mr. Dixon was released on his own recognizance.

Mr. Robinson, who chose not to make bail Wednesday morning, was freed in $2,000 bail in the afternoon on the consumption charge and on his own recognizance on the disorderly charge.

A technical warrant was issued for Miss Washington and she, accompanied by Ike Dixon, professional bondsman, and Howard Dixon's brother, surrendered at Northwest Police Station at 3:25 p.m.

She was held in $2,000 bail on the consumption charge and released on her own recognizance on the disorderly conduct charge.

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OFFICER COOK reported he heard drums and piano playing in the club and the voice of a man singing at 4 a.m. Wednesday.

Both Mr. Dixon and Miss Washington denied a party for her was being held.

"If it was a party, where were the people?" Miss Washington asked. She opened her engagement here Tuesday.

Next she released a barrage of her own.

"They're ridiculous.

"I called the NAACP to look into the matter because it's prejudice.

"We were sitting here just talking business if you can't sit and talk with your manager after a night's performance, if that's disorderly, then it was disorderly."

Miss Washington said her lawyer, Allen Saunders, was flying in Thursday night for the Friday morning hearing.

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ATTORNEY ROBINSON, the manager appeared more angry than anyone else.

"It's a gross, flagrant miscarriage of justice," he told the AFRO Wednesday afternoon.

"I've been in Baltimore 18 hours and I've been in jail 10 of them, all because I'm working.

"We were discussing business, contract terms and what not. At 4 this morning four officers came in the club . . . they booked us on disorderly charges . . . then they came up with another charge.

"And I don't drink," the lawyer said. "I haven't had a drink in his place yet."

Mr. Robinson said he advised Miss Washington not to show up for the Wednesday morning hearing because she had been up all night and at the station until about 7 a.m.

"We're being taken as a result of something they're doing to Mr. Dixon," he declared.

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AFTER HER afternoon appearance at the police station Miss Washington said:

"I'm a bundle of nerves. My throat is giving me a fit. I don't know if I'll be able to sing tonight or not.

"I never ran into anything like this in Baltimore before, or any place else."

Later that evening she did appear at the club before a capacity audience.

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MISS WASHINGTON'S appearance at Northwest Police Station in the afternoon will probably linger long in her memory.

During the nearly 2½ hours she was there, her expressions changed from jocular when talking to Ike Dixon and others, to surprise when she was "patted down" by a police woman, and to amusement when the desk sergeant asked her whether she sang or danced.

She wore a tan chemise-trapeze style dress and black slippers.

It was 3:25 p.m. when she walked in with Ike Dixon. She laughed as she answered questions at the railing before the desk sergeant.

Policewoman Majorie Arnold patted her down at 3:37. This included her stepping out of her slippers, by no means was Miss Washington appeared genuinely surprised but offered no protest at all.

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AT 3:38 P.M., two minutes to roll call time for the station house, she was ushered upstairs.

She entered the courtroom at 4:46 p.m., again accompanied by Ike Dixon.

She stood leaning against the wall between Mr. Dixon and Attorney Robinson until 5 p.m. when Dixon was able to get a seat for her.

While the bail bond papers were being completed, Sgt. Dominic Roach asked her, "Are you a singer or a dancer?"

I'm a singer," she answered with a smile.

Magistrate Koger added:

"She's a singer of renown, famous the world over."

Miss Washington's unusual voice has sold records by the millions.

For years, she has reigned as Queen of the Juke Boxes.

Her latest releases are "Blues From Down Home" and "Never Again."

She also has several albums going well now. "Dinah Washington Sings Bessie Smith," and "Dinah Washington Sings Fats Waller."

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'You've got to work for it,' says Chapin to Frontiers

"Mrs. Daisy Bates was not supported in her stand in Little Rock as she should have been."

"At times she stood alone."

"Those who believed in integration did not work as hard with her as those who believed in segregation worked against her."

Highlighting the meeting of the Frontiers Club held at the YMCA, 1619 Druid Hill Ave. Tuesday, Arthur Chapin, assistant to the chairman of the Democratic National Committee, spoke on the "Colored Person's Role In Politics."

He used Mrs. Bates' stand in the Little Rock crisis to illustrate his statement that:

"You can't just say you're opposed to something.

"You've got to work to get rid of it.

"And unless you work 365 days a year, you'll find yourself losing out on election day."

MR. CHAPIN, the first colored person to hold any position in the National Democratic Party, emphasized the fact that the colored person's role in politics should not be any different from the role of any other group of citizens.

"The difference is caused by the fact that heighter party has accepted its responsibility to the entire citizenry."

The, colored person is often forgotten so far as political responsibility is concerned."

He emphasized the necessity of gaining a political education and understanding of political machinery.

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"POLITICAL machinery," he explained, "is the result of a group of people getting together to determine the kind of politics they would like to have.

"It is interesting to note that 13 families, an even dozen, contributed 213 million dollars to the Democratic political campaign of 1956.

"And you can bet they had something to say about the party's platform.

"You may say at this point that you don't have that kind of money.

"But you have something more important than money—you have the votes.

"The old adage, 'my vote don't count' has been proven wrong many times.

"Richard B. Hayes was elected in 1876 by a single vote.

"Just recently in the New Jersey Senator Case won by three thousand votes.

"There are 3,000 election districts in New Jersey; a change of one vote in each district would have meant another person elected."

"I won't try to tell you how to vote," he went on to say.

"However I would like to point out that Baltimore has the largest concentrated sections of colored people in the state.

"With this kind of voting power, you should be thinking in terms of political machinery.

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POLITICAL organization starts with a small group of people, and like a snowball gathers material as it progresses.

"It means getting the people registered. . .getting them to know their responsibility. . . getting them to accept their responsibility to society. . .teaching them what this responsibility entails. . .

"Pride" he stated "the fear in the minds of the political leaders today is that colored people are beginning to learn the technique of operating the political machinery which controls votes in this two-party system."

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IN THE five-minute question-and-answer period which followed the speech, Howard Murphy pointed out to the speaker the fact that the NAACP has made considerable progress recently along the political lines which he had mentioned.

Daniel Spaulding, acting president, presided over the luncheon, with the Rev. Howard Cornish, director of the Morgan Christian Center giving the summation.

More doctors than ever at Provident Hospital

With the July 1 entry of 18 new doctors, the ranks of Provident Hospital's staff swelled, making the largest group of colored physicians ever to practice there.

At present, 28 interns and resident doctors are on the hospital staff.

Hailing from nine states and five foreign countries, some of them are fresh out of medical school, some transferred from other hospitals, and others are rounding out a second year of practice at the hospital.

Among the seven new rotating interns are the following: Dr. Felix Banzon, of Cebon, Philippines; a graduate of the University of Santo Tomas; Dr. Clarence Beverly, of Washington D.C., a graduate of Howard University; Dr. Rodrigo Garde of Kalibo, Aklan, Philippines, a graduate of the University of Santo Tomas; and Dr. Henry Pope of Athens, Georgia, a graduate of Meharry Medical College.

Also among the new interns are Dr. Joshua Mitchell of Baltimore, a graduate of Meharry Medical School, and Dr. George Wilkens of Alexandria, La., a graduate of Howard University.

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AMONG THE new resident physicians, that is, those who have completed their internship and are full fledged practitioners, are the following:

Dr. Mevlut Kear of Kayseri, Turkey, a graduate of Andara University; Dr. Feodor Caguid of the Philippines, a graduate of the University of Santo Tomas; Dr. Earl Clay, from Little Rock, Arkansas, a graduate of the University of Arkansas; and Dr. James Dixon of Sparta, Georgia, a graduate of Meharry Medical College.

Also included are Dr. Ignacia Garcia of the Philippines, a graduate of the University of Santo Tomas; Dr. Ligaya Gonzales, also from the Philippines, a graduate of Manila Central University; Dr. Edward Holt of Atlanta, Ga., a graduate of Howard University; Dr. Asuncion Palafox, of the Philippines, a graduate of Manila Central University.

Dr. Joseph Payne, of New York City, a graduate of Howard University; Dr. Rosaria Rellosa of the Philippines, a graduate of the University of Santo Tomas; Dr. Oldren Stinson, of Woodbury Ga., a graduate of Meharry Medical College; Dr. Charles Venter, a graduate of Providence, R. I., a graduate of Howard University, are also among the new resident physicians.

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RESIDENT doctors on the staff who have already completed a year of practice at the hospital are the following:

Dr. Felix Banzon, of the Philippines; Dr. Sydney Barnwell of British Giana, Dr. Feodor Caguid of the Philippines, Dr. Williams Carter of Philadelphia, Dr. Irfan Esendal of Turkey, Dr. Francisco Pascual of the Philippines, Dr. Oakley Royston Scott of British Guiana, and Dr. Saip Kolp Parker of Turkey.

Dr. Scott, Dr. Carter and Dr. Saunders are also affiliated with University Hospital.

Masons told Christ has cure for world

HOUSTON, Texas — "In these hours of orbiting missiles in outer space and world crises, including the Middle East situation, the world is forced to admit that it is a sick world, but Jesus Christ wrote the prescription for this sick world 2,000 years ago."

ALTHEA GIBSON

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Advice-seeking driver jailed on weapons charge

A 25-year-old chauffeur who allegedly carried a butcher knife into the home of a blonde woman where he had gone to seek advice at 3 a.m., was sentenced to 30 days in jail Tuesday.

In addition, Eddie Dutts of the 2800 block N. Chapel St., was fined $25 and costs in Northwestern District Police Court for disturbing the peace.

Dutts was found not guilty of threatening Miss Betty Kline, 20, of the 2200 block W. Lanvale St.

He was arrested after Miss Kline, an employee at the Fellowship House at 21 W. Preston St., reported that she became frightened Monday, when the defendant turned toward her with a knife in his hands.

In the excitement that followed, both Miss Kline and Dutts ran for the door, police said.

Investigating officers stated the defendant went to the woman's home for the name and address of a lawyer because he was in trouble.

Dutts was arrested when he telephoned Miss Kline to apologize for bringing the knife into her home and police traced the call.

Tipsters work against time—and they win!

Speed was the keynote last week as tipsters called in their Newstips soon after the occurrence of the event.

Top tipster of the term was the caller who "phoned immediately following the discovery of the death of Mrs. Mayme Dorsey, well-known Baltimore teacher. A $5 check is on the way to the caller.

Second honors $3.50 go to the caller who gave an early report of a fatality in an altercation at Central Ave. and Monument.

Another $3.50, tying for second place, goes to the caller who gave the tip about the 10-year-old boy who smothered to death during a seizure.

A Newsphoto check of $3 is being paid for the photo of an automobile accident at Argyle and Lanvale Sts.

Another accident, this one at Lafayette and McCulloh Sts., rewards the tipster with a check for $2.

A $2 check goes to a caller who saw a sunflower 17 feet tall and called to tell the AFRO about it.

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New Ala. group seks $120,000

MONTGOMERY, Ala. — The Christian Working Union, Inc., has launched a fund-raising campaign to build and maintain a home for the blind, needy and aged. Its goal is $120,000.

The group is asking all civic and religious organizations and churches for support. Officers urge that donations be sent to the First National Bank here for deposit in the account of the Christian Working Union, Inc.

The purpose of the Union is not only to build and maintain the home, but to receive gifts and legacies and make gifts and appropriations from any or all of its resources from time to time.

The AKA Boule holds its 50th Aniversary Banquet Saturday night at eight.

Commission asks joint girls' school

The Maryland Commission for the Prevention and Treatment of Juvenile Delinquency has recommended that the Montrose School for Girls be enlarged in order to shelter girls from the present Barrett Training School.

A segregated institution for colored girls, Barrett is expected to be abandoned in the near future because of plans to improve nearby Friendship Airport in order that it may serve jet planes.

It has been proposed that both colored and white girls be confined at Montrose, but plans for this have been hampered because of a legal ruling that the charter of the all-white school, authorizing segregation, can only be changed through court or legislative action.

In the same report about Barrett, the Commission also recommended the establishment of a new vocational training school for boys and a regional detention center.

It also approved a proposal calling for adequate probation officers for every juvenile court within the state's eight judicial circuits.

Girl , 13, reads newspaper, 67

Thirteen - year - old Rosetta Stith walked up to the AFRO city desk Tuesday morning with an old and yellowed paper which, upon closer inspection, was recognized as a newspaper clipping.

The clipping turned out to be from a Baltimore American Newspaper dated July 1, 1886.

Rosetta, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Stith, 2533 WM Fayette St., revealed that her brother, Dwight Stith, had found the paper in a buffet while looking for a table cloth.

She said that the paper had originally belonged to her great-grandfather who gave it to her grandfather, Frank Butler, who in turn gave it to her mother, who put it away and forgot about it.

HER GRANDFATHER, she added, had kept the paper just to see how long he could keep it.

She revealed that the newspaper clipping, which was about the inauguration of Cardinal James Gibbons in the old St. Marys Cathedral which was once located on N. Paca St., had interested her great-grandfather because of his being a Catholic.

Rosetta plans to use the clipping in her history class next school term.

Local men get Armed Forces posts

Airman Third Class Warren Daniel, the son of Mrs. Annette T. Moody of 1320 Mosher St., has completed his basic training and has been selected to attend the technical training course for radio intercept operator at Keesler AFB, Mississippi.

William A. Byrd, the son of Mrs. Bessie Byrd of 2216 Remley St., has been stationed at Fort Jackson, S.C. for his basic training.

Also stationed at Fort Jackson for basic training is Cleveland L. Shelton, the son of Numus Shelton, 730 E. North Ave.

Fort Jackson is one of the largest infantry training centers in the United States.

Miss Coates jailed on account charge

Miss Patricia E. Coates, 21, 1904 block Madison Ave., a former University of Maryland student, was sentenced in Criminal Court Tuesday to a year in the State Reformatory for Women on a false pretense conviction.

Miss Coates, Judge Anselm Sodaro was told, used the charge account of Mrs. Melinda Robinson, 2700 block Riggs Ave., without permission to purchase $673.10 worth of clothing from a downtown store between May 9 and June 11.

Rise in jobless, rise in hiring— trend continues

The job - jobless' puzzle continued last week in the state as employment and unemployment figures both showed increases over the previous week.

Robert B. Kimble, executive director of the Department of Employment Security, said that 38,980 persons filed unemployment claims and 18,785 persons were hired in industry.

The figures for the previous week were 37,729 and 16,680.

Matron, man, 78 jailed for lottery

A matron and a 78-year-old man drew fines and prison terms on lottery convictions in Criminal Court Tuesday.

Mrs. Florence Williams, 41, 500 block Norris St., was fined $1,000 and costs and sentenced to three months in the State Reformatory for Women.

The man, Clarence W. Jackson, 1500 block Vine St., was fined $1,000 and costs and sentenced to a year in the House of Correction.

Three men score under AF's new 'quality system'

Three Maryland men were accepted under the new "Quality System" of Air Force recruitment.

They are Ronald Felton, Michael Long and John Jordan. They made high scores in a group of 25 applicants.

A former Poly student, young Felton qualified for the aviation cadets.

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