Bridegroom of 72 to wed woman, 35

ROCKVILLE, Md. — A total of 180 persons applied to the Marriage Bureau for licenses to wed within a period of three months. They included boys and girls age 15, mostly from Washington, and a 35-year-old bride-to-be who will wed a gentleman, 72.

The list of applicants recorded are:

JOHNSON-BLAND — Warren, III., 18, Washington; Alberta, 15, Washington.

PINN-SLAUGHTER —Michael P., 21, Washington; Mary, 19, Washington.

DEANE-MILLER — Joseph H., 36, Washington; Elnifra, 34, Washington.

BOYD-McCULLOUGH — Ran, 48, Bethesda, Md.; Blanche, 41, Washington.

WASHINGTON-MAYO — William, 34, Shipman, Va.; Elsie, 29, Shipman, Va.

McKNIGHT-INGRAM — William, 50, Washington; Idella V., 38, Washington.

FAMMER-WILLIAMS — Frank, 19, Washington; Rowena A., 16, Washington.

FAIRFAX-BAKER — James R., 21, Herndon, Va.; Mary A., 21, Stafford, Va.

DINKINS-HAMILTON — LeRoy S., 35, Washington; Lillie M., 29, Sienbenville, Ohio.

TURNER-SMITH — Willie W., 54, Washington; Mattie D., 46, Washington.

SHIELDS-HOGAN — Harry T., 21, Washington; Lou A., 22, Washington.

GAINES-TWYMAN — James W., 28, Washington; Emma, 19, Washington.

PRATT-JOHNSON — Raymond J., 23, Washington; Olivia, 23, Arlington, Va.

BLACK-HARDMON — Frank, 37, Washington; Dores, 32, Washington.

HINES-BROMKES — Napoleon, 34, Washington; Elizabeth, 28, Washington.

RICHARDSON-MEREDITH —August W., 34, Washington; Evelyn, 29, Washington.

WILLIAMS-MILLS — Billy, 21, Alexandria, Va.; Patricia, 19, Alexandria, Va.

PERRY-WIGGINS — Benjamin, 18, Washington; Mattie, 17, Washington.

MATTHEWS-GREENE — Robert M., 71, Washington; Sarah V., 59, Washington.

MILLS-HENSON — Edgar, 49, Washington; Creola, 53, Indian Head, Md.

THOMAS-JACKSON — Francis, 21, Pettsville, Md.; Nellie L., 23, Upper Marlboro, Md.

CUNNINGHAM-THOMAS — John D., 19, Washington; June E., 17, Washington.

LEVINGTON-WINTERS — Thomas, 20, Washington; Octavia V., 19, Washington.

DUNCAN-CLARK — Raymond J., 21, Washington; Diane M., 15, Washington.

MORRIS-LUCAS — Steward, 48, Washington; Martha, 41, Washington.

BEASLEY-HARRIS — James M., 27, Rockville, Md.; Ida, 20, Rockville, Md.

SCOTT - JORDAN — James, 38, Washington; Aletha, 34, Washington.

ROACHE-STOKES — Andre B., 16, Washington; Myrtle, 15, Washington.

RAMSEUR-SWEATON — Marcus, 23, Washington; Gladys, 18, Washington.

TERRELL-BULLERT — Emanuel H. Jr., 20, Washington; Betty G., 18, Kensington, Md.

BUTLER-SCOTT — Daniel, 54, Washington; Mabel, 53, Washington.

LOVELACE-BARKLEY — Joseph, 41, Washington; Geraldine, 31, Washington.

ADDISON-REED — Frances M., 26, Washington; Montee, 25, Washington.

BRATTON-ROBERTSON — Henry, 25, Washington; Catherine, 45, Washington.

JAMES-CRAWFORD — Perry, 45, Washington.

HOWARD-ARCHIE — Horace, 29, East Orange, N.J.; Betty T., 19, Newark, N.J.

KELSON-WARE — Ernest, 40, Washington; Doris C., 32, Washington.

VINES-HAKINS — Walter, 22, Washington; Patricia D., 24, Washington.

JACKSON-DEAN — Harold I., 20, Washington; Romaine, 19, Washington.

SHIELDS-HILL — Markion L., 43, Washington; Eva, 30, Washington.

STITHE-MEDLEY — Ralph B., 28, Washington; Jewelle L., 21, Washington.

CARTER-KENDALL — George W., 21, Dumpsries, Va.; Sylvia M., 21, Dumpsries, Va.

GILES-LITTLETON — Lewis, 25, Arlington, Va.; Grace, 23, Arlington, Va.

WINSTON-MOORE — John, 46, Washington; Joyce, 36, Washington.

STEWART-SMITH — Frances E., 38, Washington; Carrie B., 36, Washington.

DMES-DIGGS — George T., 29, Germantown, Md.; Lillian H., 33, Rockville, Md.

LEE-WOODRUFF — General, 54, Washington; Mary, 37, Washington.

JOHNSON-BLANKUMSEE — Clarence, 24, Florence, S.C.; Fannie M., 19, St. Petersburg, Florida.

JONES-HAMM —Anthony B., 22, Washington; Thaddens L., 33, Washington.

TWYMAN-MOORE — Frank R., Jr., 26, Rockville, Md.; Thelma B., 19, Byrd, Md.

BARNES-LEWIS — Cicero, 33, Goldsboro, N.C.; Maggie, 37, Washington.

BAILEY-WOODEN — Walter, 26, McLean, Va.; Katherine, 21, Vienna, Va.

WATSON-JOYNER —James, 65, Washington; Ethel, 23, Washington.

CAMPBELL-HOWARD — Robert D., 44, Washington; Nan H., 38, Seat Pleasant, Md.

PETERSON-WILSON — Jay D., Washington; Faye F., 23, Washington.

COLEMAN-STATON — Don J., 21, Washington; Cynthia, 19, Washington.

DORSEY-WILLIAMS — Herman, 21, Mt. Airy, Md.; Eleanor, 24, Potomac, Md.

ALLEN-DANIEL — Lewis A., 32, Washington; Ruby, 24, Washington.

SCOTTMORMAN — Nathaniel, 35, Washington; Helen, 35, Washington.

LATHA-TINSLEY — Garland F., 24, Mirack, N.Y.; Mary J., 21, Mirack, N.Y.

JOHNSON-CURTIS — William, 41, Philadelphia; Lunabelle, 39, Philadelphia.

DAVIS-GRIMES — John, 28, Fairmount Heights, Md.; Sneely, 21, Washington.

GLOVER-MORGAN — Solomon, 39, Dayton, Ohio; Dorcas, 36, Washington.

SIMMONS-PITTMAN — James, 40, Washington; Lucille, 43, Philadelphia.

WELLS-MASON — Donald R., 21, Washington; Stella A., 17, Washington.

CAMPBELL-RAYNOR — Alexander, 32, Washington; Mary, 30, Washington.

JONES-WESLEY — Hiawatha, 30, Detroit, Mich.; Leeverda, 41, Washington.

JAMES-PASKLER —Charles A., 36, Sandy Spring, Md.; Beatrice, 30, Norbeck, Md.

WILSON-KING — Charles A., 48, Arlington, Va.; Ruth, 45, Arlington, Va.

PETERS-DOULING — Ronald, 20, Washington; Renee, 18, Washington.

HORNE-PETERS — Gilbert M. Jr., 39, Washington; Shirley A., 18, Washington.

TOWLES-FLACK — Arthur, 43, Alexandria, Va.; Emily, 34, Washington.

BROWER-STEVENSON — Charlie, 54, Washington; Lillian, 44, Washington.

CARROLL-ZEIGLER — Norman, 22, Frederick, Md.; Evelyn, 18, Damascus, Md.

EDWARDS-CURTIS — Clifton, 27, Washington; Yvonne, 22, Washington.

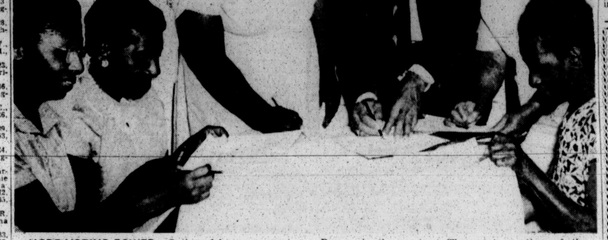
LANE-WALDELL — Dudley, 60, Washington; Lucenia, 56, Washington.

HERRON-WARDLEY — Elijah C., 27, Washington; Amanda, 22, Washington.

LANE-DRUMGWEET — Getty Jr., 22, Washington; Amelious, 16, Lawrenceville, Va.

COPELAND-STEVENSON —Charles H., 20, Gaithersburg, Md.; Edna M., 17, Gaithersburg, Va.

NEAL-BUTLER — Sylvia, 38, Arlington, Va.; Annie, 29, Arlington, Va.



MORE VOTING POWER—Gathered here are members of the Register and Vote Committee of the Mt. Nebo Baptist Church in the 1300 block N. Calhoun St. Second from right is the pastor, the Rev. William Brown is the pastor. The next meeting of the Register and Vote Committee will beheld at the church on Wednesday, August 27, from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

BOOKER T. ALEXANDER

Shriners re-elect Booker Alexander

CHICAGO—Booker T. Alexander and Mrs. Ercelle Harmon Moore have been re-elected unanimously as imperial potentate and imperial commandress respectively of the Shriners and Daughters of Isis.

A convention will meet in Los Angeles in 1959.

Winner of the beauty pagent and talent show at the year's convention was Miss Alma Elaine Sisco. She was voted queen and sponsored by Syria Temple No. 31, Boston.

Miss Renna Sue Crewtestants was voted by the 22 contestants as the most congenial.

In the parade on Wendesday, two hours passing the reviewing stand, there were 26 patrols, 38 bands and 41 marching clubs representing 51 temples.

There were 25,000 Siriners, their families and friends in town for the convention.

Noble Corneal Davis was chairman of the committee on the host club.

In the competitive drill Marracci Drill No. 3 won with a 96.8 mark. Number two was Mecca Temple, Washington, D.C., former three-time champion, with 96.2 per cent.

Medina No. 19, New York City, was third with 94 per cent. Others were All Baba No. 53, 93.6; Egyptian No. 5, Los Angeles, 92; No. 46, Pershing Temple, Indianapolis, 89.9; Arabic No. 44, Chicago, 85; Kabala No. 77, 84.6 per cent.

Arabic Temple No. 44, Chicago, was the host temple to the convention of which Benjamin A. Gore is the illustrious potentate.

Integrated County school posts for 13

Baltimore County announced late yesterday (Thursday) that 13 colored instructors would be integrated into the public school system.

The instructors, eight with master's degrees, have from four to 17 years tenure in the system.

The following schools will open in the fall with desegregated faculties:

TOWSON JUNIOR High School will get three colored teachers; Sudbrook Junior High, three; Golden Ring Junior Hich, one; Dundalk High, two; Kenwood High, one; Milford Mill High, one; Catonsville Junior High, one, and Arbutus Junior High, one.

Five of the teachers formerly taught at Carver Junior-Senior High; the other eight taught at Sollers Pt.

James gets top post of Nazarites

Fleming James, 1106 W. Fayette St., was elected to the top post of grand worthy shepherd at the recent convention of the Grand Order of Nazarites.

A former AFRO employee and presently a teacher of mathematics at Booker T. Washington Junior High School No. 130, Mr. Fleming is the youngest leader to serve the 104-year-old Order.

Mr. James was a member of the Order's Ewe department in his youth and later became a member of the King Melchizedek Pasture in which he served ten years as financial secretary.

HE HAS been a member of the Order for approximately 22 years and his recent election was unanimous.

A Morgan graduate (June 1956), Mr. James is a capable musician, a member of the Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, secretary of the Morning Star Baptist Church and an instructor of Civil Defense at City Hall.

He is married to the former Miss Erma Hamlin.

Others elected to offices were:

Clarence Brown, deputy grand worthy shepherd; Nathan Bryan, grand clerk of records; Claiborn Cochran, grand guide; Eddie Russell, grand treasurer.

CHARLES MADE, grand inspector; Blanche Cesare, grand chaplain; Beulah Hines, grand armour bearer;

Rebecca Watkins and Emma Jackson, grand left and right hand supports; Josephine West, Edward Jones, grand outside and inside porters; Jessie Wells, grand guardian shepherdess.

John Jackson

Final rites were held for John J. Jackson, 58, 1600 Poplar Grove St. at a Brantley Ave. funeral home Wednesday.

Mr. Jackson died after a long illness.

A native of Richmond, Va., he has lived in Baltimore the past 15 years.

He is survived by three sisters, Misses Louise Jackson, Mrs. Emily Jackson and Ellen Jackson; three brothers Bright Branch Jackson, Jr., James Jackson and Roy Scott; five nephews and seven nieces.

Diamond Cabs pleased with newest drivers

"They are getting along very good. We are well pleased with them."

Plus J. Adams, personnel manager of the Diamond Cab Association, gave the AFRO that statement on Wednesday in connection with the company's colored drivers.

Diamond Cabs added colored drivers this May after refusing to employ them for years.

"WE NOW hire about 60, including the parttime drivers," Mr. Adams said. He said there were about 50 regulars.

"We have no limit on their employment. As long as we can get the type of men we have now we will hire as many as we need," he said.

The company's decision to hire colored drivers was announced in May by the president, Albert Weinstein.

67th ANNIVERSARY
ISRAEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Preston and Chester Sts.
SUNDAY, AUGUST 24, 1958
9:30 A.M.—Church School
11:00 A.M.—Religious Decision by the Pastor Featuring History of the Church.
3:00 P.M.—Family Pew Rally, Guest Speaker, Dr. Vernon Johns, Dean of Maryland Baptist Center.
8:00 P.M.—Discussion Topic—Religious Decisions by Heads of various groups.
ALL ARE WELCOME
H. MUSGROVE, Clerk; E. D. MEADE, Pastor

WE ARE HAPPY TO ANNOUNCE
That an out of court settlement has been reached in the controversy between the two factions in Ebenezer Baptist Church. Rev. W. D. Leighton, supply Pastor, and Pastor of Elizabeth Baptist Church also moderator of the Maryland General Baptist Association, Inc. was instrumental in bringing about this settlement, Monday, August 18, 1958. Rev. Leighton, presided over the meeting.

Rev. W. D. Leighton

Sunday Services August 24th,
Opening at 10:30 A.M.
Preaching at 11:30 A.M. Music by the Choir

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
CAROLINE AND McELDERRY STS.
SUNDAY, AUGUST 24, 1958
9:30 A.M.—Sunday School—Mr. Wardelle T. Richardson, Supt.
11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship Rev. Ernest Moody, preaching.
7:30 P.M.—Evening Worship
A CORDIAL WELCOME TO ALL
REV. VERNION T. WILLIAMS, Pastor

1912 1958
46th ANNUAL SESSION
OF THE WOMEN'S AUXILIARY TO THE MOUNT BETHEL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
CONVENING WITH THE
PSALMIST BAPTIST CHURCH
Druid Hill Ave. & North Aves.
Rev. F. C. Atkins, Minister
Wed., Thurs., Fri. August 27, 28, 29
THEME: "CHRIST FOR THE WORLD TODAY"
Wed.: 8 P.M.—Guest Speaker—Mrs. Lena K. Lee, Attorney at Law.
Thurs.: 11:15 A.M.—Panel Discussion. Theme: "Winning the World for Christ"
2:00 P.M.—President's Annual Address—Mrs. Anna M. Jordan.
8:00 P.M.—National Trade and Professional School Night. Guest Speaker: Mrs. Sarah Williamson Coleman, returned Missionary from Africa.
Friday—Program of the Youth Department.

ST. PAUL METHODIST CHURCH
1000 W. SARATOGA ST.
9:30 A.M.—Church School
11:00 A.M.—Sermon: Rev. Mrs. Laura Edwards
8:00 P.M.—Evening Service
A CORDIAL WELCOME TO ALL
Rev. RICHARD L. BALL, Minister

SHARP ST. MEM. METHODIST CHURCH
DOLPHIN AND ETTING STS.
SUNDAY, AUGUST 24, 1958
8:00-11:00 A.M.—GUEST SPEAKER: REV. J. D. A. DYSON, NORTH BALTIMORE DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT
TOPIC "THE INFLUENCE OF CHRISTIAN CHARACTER"
NO EVENING SERVICE
REV. EDWARD G. CARROLL, Pastor

ST. JAMES METHODIST CHURCH
MONROE and LEXINGTON STS.
9:0 A.M.—Sunday School
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by the Pastor
Subject: "Good Listener"

ORCHARD STREET METHODIST
Orchard St. near Druid Hill Ave.
9:45 A.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL
11:00 A.M.—MORNING SERVICE.
GUEST SPEAKER, REV. MRS. HILL
6:00 P.M.—METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP
NO EVENING SERVICE
A CORDIAL WELCOME TO ALL
REV. V. T. KEY, Pastor

AMES MEM. METHODIST CHURCH
CAREY AND BAKER STREETS
SUNDAY, AUGUST 24, 1958
Morning Service 11:30 A.M. — Sermon by Rev. Samuel Green. Music by the Senior Choir.
Evening Service 8:00 P.M.—Evangelistic Hour Sermon by Rev. Mrs. Grace Hill. Music by the Senior Choir.
A CORDIAL WELCOME TO ALL
Will See You in Church
FRANK J. FRYE, Minister

MT. ZION METHODIST CHURCH
RIGGS AVENUE and GILMOR STREET
ORDER OF WORSHIP
9:20 A.M.—Church School, Mrs. Margaret White, Supt.
10:20 A.M.—Testimonial Service.
11:00 A.M.—Sermon
8:00 P.M.—Coppin Chapel Methodist Church from Preston, Md., will worship here with us. Sermon by the Rev. Wilson, Pastor.
8:00 P.M.—M.Y.F. Maurice Sewell, President
WE WELCOME YOU. O. ST. CLAIR FRANKLIN, Minister

FLASH
Piracci Construction Company was the lowest bidder, $872,000 for Morgan's new Auditorium-Music-Arts Building.
Morgan officials were overjoyed, because the new building, sorely needed, can be erected within the state's million dollar appropriation. Construction time 365 days. Location Hillen Road adjoining Morgan Chrihtian Center.
Effective August 23rd, Robert C. Tarter, regular Post Office carrier, was promoted to route examiner, according to announcement by Postmaster William F. Laukaitis.

College will honor Northwest pastor
WASHINGTON
Northwestern College will hold its summer convocation at 11 a.m. Sunday at the Greater First Baptist Church, 13th and Fairmont Sts., N.W.
The pastor, the Rev. Edward Thomas, will be honored by the institution for "having distinguished himself as leader and pastor," according to Dr. Davis W. Board, Northwestern chancellor.

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REV. W. A. SHOWELL, Pastor

THE JERUSALEM BAPTIST CHURCH
107 W. PRESTON STREET
REV. P. D. DOUGLAS, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
11:00 A.M. Sermon by The Pastor
3:30 P.M. Communion Service
Fri., 8 P.M. Rev. Merritt Preaching
ALL ARE WELCOME

GRACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
One of Baltimore's Friendliest Churches
DOLPHIN AND ETTING STS.
SUNDAY, AUGUST 24, 1958
9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL
10:30 A.M.—WORSHIP SERVICE. GUEST PREACHER, THE REV. LEVI MILLER, Christian Education Secretary, Washington, - Baltimore Conferences, Methodist Church.
We Welcome You Rev. Robert T. Newbold, Jr., Pastor

LAFAYETTE SQUARE
SUNDAY, AUGUST 24th, 1958
Youth Hour from 5 P.M. thru 6 P.M.
The Message by a Youth Minister
Rev. Harold Hayman
Sponsored by the
Community Evangelistic Association
of North West Baltimore
Mrs. MARY LEE STEWART Director
Rev. ALBERT H. HAMMOND SR., Chairman
Rev. MATTHEW SAUNDERS and Rev. JAMES WISE, Co-Chairmen.

DOUGLAS MEMORIAL COMMUNITY CHURCH
"The People of the Way"
LAFAYETTE and MADISON AVENUES
SUNDAY, AUGUST 24, 1958
IDENTICAL SERVICES
8:30 A.M. — 11:00 A.M.
"The Peril of Being Waylaid by The Lord"
REV. BASCOM PREACHING
MUSIC
SENIOR CHOIR: "Is It The Crowning Day" —Marsh; "Never My God To Thee" —McPhail; "Left Up Your Heads" —Ashford
YOUNG ADULT CHOIR: "My Task" — Ashford; "Mighty Spirit All Transcending"—Mozart; "Great Day" —Hall Johnson
GOSPEL CHOIR: "What a Friend We Have in Jesus"
REV. MARION C. BASCOM, Minister

Come And Visit
The Blue Ridge Mountains, Hume, Va.
—Where There Will Be—
A GREAT CAMP MEETING
(THE ASSOCIATION)
ON SUNDAY AUGUST 24, 1958
AT MT. MORRIS BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. J. Baltimore, Pastor
Buses leave 1033 W. Fayette St. 7 a.m. Return at 6 p.m.
Round Trip $5.00 . Children Half Fare
Mary Wicks Edith Allen

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"THE PRAYING CHURCH"
ASHLAND AVENUE and BOND STREET
9:15 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL
10:45 A.M MORNING WORSHIP — SERMON BY REV. KITT JORDAN
7:00 P.M.—EVENING WORSHIP—PROGRAM BY THE GOSPEL JEWELS.
7:00 P.M.—EVENING WORSHIP — PROGRAM BY THE MALE CHORUS
WE WELCOME YOU
REV. WALTER E. PAIGE, Pastor

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9:00 A.M.—Sunday School.
10:30 A.M.—Prayer and Pray Service
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by the Rev. A. A. Smith.
3:00 P.M.—Deacon and Deaconess Day. Fountain Baptist Church, Pastor and Congregation, Guest.
6:00 P.M.—B. T. U.
8:00 P.M.—Program: Prepared and conducted by Mrs. Gertrude Lloyd.
CHURCH WITH A HEARTY WELCOME
REV. C. EDWARD BROWNE, Pastor

Perkins Square Baptist Church
EDMONDSON & WARWICK AVENUES
MANNS MEM. CIRCLE-DAY
9:15 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL
10:30 A.M.—OPEN HEART SERVICE
11:00 A.M.—SERMON: REV. CLINTON FRANKLIN
3:00 P.M.—SPECIAL SERVICE IN MEMORY OF BRO. ADDISON AND SISTER ELLEN MANNS
MISSIONARY WEEK
Monday, August 25 thru Sunday, August 31
REV. WARD D. YERBY, Pastor
REV. WARD D. YERBY PASTOR

MASSIVE CONFUSION IN OLD VIRGINIA

Va. school war in critical stage

By CHESTER M. HAMPTON

What may be the last round of court battles before the September school term is scheduled in Virginia this week.

The NAACP is relentlessly hammering away at the crumbling pillars of "massive resistance."

Here are the current developments throughout the state:

ARLINGTON

Here, the situation has resolved into a tug-of-war between the State Pupil Placement Board and 31 colored children seeking transfer to previously all-white public schools.

Last week, the children and their parents were scheduled for interviews by the state board.

They boycotted the interviews on the basis of Federal Judge Albert V. Bryan's ruling that the seven original plaintiffs must be admitted to school without submitting to the Placement Act.

The students and their parents said, however, that they would follow any "reasonable" procedure required by the local school board.

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THE LOCAL SCHOOL board then announced that its representative would be present at the state board's interviews.

At the same time, the state board rescheduled the interviews for Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Although the school board is the agency under federal court direction to admit the pupils, its officials say that all assignment power is in the hands of the state Pupil Placement Board.

In reference to Judge Bryan's order ruling this body, the local school board replies that its original law has been changed since that time, so; the judge's ruling does not apply.

Despite this 'brave' front, this week's end found the local and state officials on edge—wondering if this week's interviews would be boycotted also.

TWO WHITE children, applying for admittance to previously all-colored schools, did show up for the state board's interviews. Their applications, sponsored by the segregationist Defenders of State Sovereignty, are aimed at closing two colored schools.

Virginia law requires the closing of any federal court school. The Defenders reasoned that if any "white" schools were closed, the "colored" schools should be closed too.

NAACP lawyers, meanwhile, kept in close touch with the Arlington developments. Oliver W. Hill and Spottswood W. Robinson 3rd, chief Virginia NAACP counsel, conferred with Frank D. Reeves at midweek.

ALEXANDRIA

This community was jolted out of its placid observation of Arlington's dilemma last week when it received applications from 14 colored students for admittance to four "white" schools.

T. C. Williams, school superintendent, sent letters to the applicants' parents advising them that state law required assignment by the Pupil Placement Board.

Their reason for going into state Supreme Court is all the more obvious in view of the fact that the federal court for the district (Judge Walter E. Hoffman, presiding) has already declared the placement act invalid.

The same couple had received short shrift last week in a local court when Circuit Court Judge Clyde Jacob denied the injunction petition against the schools boycott.

His reasoning was a lot like Judge Paul's reasoning in the Charlottesville case—the board had not taken any action yet, so no damage was done.

Almost 60 per cent—89—of the 151 Norfolk applicants took the tests set up by the school board. They are now to be interviewed and subjected to evaluation on Norfolk's ten "standards" which include such things as health and physical development, social development and the like.

NEWPORT NEWS

This week, Newport News will also be in federal court. The city recently incorporated a suburb, Warwick. Under federal court orders to desegregate, the city school board said the order no longer applied since Newport News was not exactly the same city it was at the time of the order.

One of the NAACP lawyers, said that whether the schools will desegregate in the fall is up to Federal Judge Walter Hoffman.

FRONT ROYAL

This Warren County community received the applications to the state Pupil Placement Board with the recommendation that they be refused.

Colored high school students in Front Royal must go 21 miles to Berryville or 50 miles to Manassas for their schooling. The boards plan to erect a new school for colored elementary and high school students.

Court orders bond for men accused of bombing residences

MONTGOMERY, Ala. — The Alabama Supreme Court ordered bond fixed at $5,000 for the three men accused of bombing the home of a colored family and that of a nearby white family.

The decision reversed a lower court ruling against freeing the men pending grand jury action. Bombing inhabited dwellings in Alabama is punishable by death.

The men are Eugene Wilcutt, 25, Ellis Lee, 42, and Cranford Neal, 28. The defense argued that bail can be denied only when the proof is evidence and the presumption is great that the offense merits capital punishment.

Housewife found dead in kitchen

A 35-year-old housewife who collapsed in the kitchen of her home after complaining of chest pains, was pronounced dead on arrival at Provident Hospital Monday.

Northwestern District police reported that Mrs. Mamie Miller was found unconscious at 1402 Bruce St., around 11:25 a.m. by a neighbor, Miss Shirley Smith.

Miss Smith, according to police, stated that she was visiting in the home of the deceased and had walked into the yard after Mrs. Miller had complained of the pains.

Upon her return she found Mrs. Miller lying on the concrete floor with her head under a sink.

In an effort to summon a doctor for the dying woman, Miss Smith walked to the intersection of Fulton Ave., and Lorman St., where she reported the incident to Patrolman Edward Szewczyk and an ambulance was called.

William Gross

A 63-year-old head-waiter died Sunday in Perkins Square Hospital after a long illness.

William Cross, of 1700 Whitelock St., was operated on by the late Dr. Grant E. Ward, well-known Johns Hopkins Cancer specialist, who himself died of Cancer in January.

Mr. Cross was the headwaiter of the Timonium Hotel in Ocean City, Md. for the past 13 summers. He expected to return there this summer, but his failing health prevented it.

He was also employed as a waiter at the Emerson Hotel, Calvert and Baltimore Sts. for the past 30 years.

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A NATIVE of Howard County, Md. Mr. Cross has lived in Baltimore the past 40 years.

He is the husband of Mrs. Bertha Webb Cross, a Baltimore public school teacher.

He was a member of Douglas Memorial Community Church, Madison and Lafayette Aves., during his Baltimore residence.

He was also a member of the Phi Delta Neers, an associate organization of the national sorority of Phi Delta Kappa.

Also surviving is one sister, Mrs. Connie Baker, of Elliott City, Md., two nieces and three nephews.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at the church were he held membership. The Rev. Marion C. Bascom officiated, assisted by the Rev. J. J. Barnes, of Easton, Md.

James Wilcox

A 54-year-old Bethlehem Steel Company employee died last Thursday at his home 1029 N. Kenwood Ave. after a year's illness.

Mr. James Wilcox, the husband of the late Mrs. Ella Mae Wilcox; was born in Thelma, N.C. He came to Baltimore in 1928.

He was employed by the Bethlehem Steel Company for the past 30 years. He retired a year ago because of failing health.

He was a member of Union Baptist Church, 900 block of J. St.

He is survived by a daughter, Miss Leola Wilcox; two sons, Donald and Cornelius Wilcox; three brothers, Albert Eugene and George Wilcox; and five sisters: Mesdames Elnora Moody, Mary Pierce, Mareen Perkins, Christine Wilcox, and Minerva Purnell.

He is also survived by one grandchild, and a step-mother, Mrs. Florence Wilcox of Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. B. Jackson

Funeral rites were held Wednesday at the George G. Kelson funeral home, 1348 N. Calhoun St., for Mrs. Beatrice Jackson, 56, 1929 Clifton Ave.

Mrs. Jackson died in Lincoln Memorial Convalescent Home Sunday. She had been there 14 days.

A native Baltimorean, she is the widow of Arthur J. Jackson, who died three years ago.

She was a member of Church of God in Christ, 400 block of Ebert St., for 20 years.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Mary Mitchell, 1929 Clifton Ave., and Mrs. Bella Cargo, 911 N. Fulton Ave.; and a son, Arthur Jackson, Jr. who resided with her.

Also surviving are four brothers, James, Willie, Charlie, and George Gaither, all of Baltimore; two sisters, Mrs. Belle Simms, Mrs. Bert Bassaville, Sr., Baltimore; four grandchildren, a great-grandchild, five nieces and a nephew.

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The Afro-American
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GETTING AN EARLY START—The youngest student in Columbia University's history sits in front of Low Memorial Library. He's George Miller, who is 13, already plans a diplomatic career. He has received a personal invitation from Prime Minister Nkrumah to visit Ghana with his mother Mrs. Geneva Miller. Young Miller was admitted as a special student for the summer session on the recommendation of his high school principal and Columbia U. officials.

Report From Haiti

By LYNN GROSSBERG

PORT-AU-PRINCE — Miss Phillipa Schuyler played for the President of the Republic and his wife at the now famous Dessaline Caserne. Surely everyone is familiar with her amazing dexterity, her feeling for every possible mood on the keyboard.

This half brow was never so moved by a piano rendition, above all her rendition of Clair de Lune, a Beethoven sonata which literally gripped the emotions — undoubtedly of President Paulis — too, as he is lover of that masterful composer.

Living opposite him when he stayed in Jean Claude Estime's house (wife of his spiritual predecessor, President Dumarsais Estime) who was exiled by Paul Magloire to New York where he was poisoned) during the exile period, every night one could hear the strains of Beethoven's Fifth Symphony floating over the darkness.

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LOVELY Miss Schulyer appeared the following night on the enchanting outdoor terrace of the El Rancho Hotel, where a reception was held for her.

Curfew has been rolled back to midnight which is usually a sign it's on its way out. That shall be most welcome to all Haitians as well as the tourists as the repeated attempts by the government operations to seize power have considerably damaged the night life here throughout the year.

It is rumor of Deputy Franck Seaphin for attempting, through his attacks in Parliament, to help prepare for a coup two months ago was temporarily discontinued due to the absence of the military prosecutor Jacque Larouche, recently promoted from captain to major.

His trial, as that of the others, for attempts against the security of the state becomes considerably more grave since the seige in the Palace.

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LT. CHAUSSAGNE, who was charged with being the army contact man for Arthur Payne in a discovered plot which brought on the State of Seige two months ago, after a bomb explosion implicating ex-presidential candidates Dejoie and Jumelle, was let off with only a year's sentence.

The presiding head of the court tribunal was Col. Louis Roumain, who was captured by the invaders from America and held all night in the barracks. He managed to catapult through the window when a grenade exploded.

Prosecutor Major Larouche had petitioned for an appeal on the grounds that the sentence didn't fit the crime. Now that Arthur Payne has proven to all the world his complicity, leading the American mercenaries to their death it surely will be hard for Chaussagne.

That is undoubtedly an understatement for the sentence that will be meted out to Louis Dejoie who has not of course come back to the country for trial.

PEOPLE

MRS. WICKHAM MR. JONES MR. ANDERSON MR. DICKERSON

P.O. VET RETIRES

CHARLESTON, S.C. — **James William Anderson, 69,** retired recently after 39 years with the post office here. He was the first to drive a mail truck when it replaced the horse and wagon.

BEAUTICIANS CITED

MIAMI, Fla. — When the Beauty Culturists League met recently in Miami, the president, **Mrs. Katie Whickam** of New Orleans, received an award for the organization from the National Foundation (for Infantile Paralysis). The League endorsed the work of the Foundation during the convention.

LEAD LEADERS

CHICAGO — Two officials of the Supreme Liberty Life Insurance Company are leading a group of 30 industrial, business and professional men on a "Goodwill Tour" to Russia and Europe.

They are **Earl Dickerson,** president, and **Theodore A. Jones,** vice president of the firm. The group is spending 12 days in Russia.

AFRICAN SPOKESMAN

LONDON — Britons received word from **H. M. Nkumbula,** president-general of the African National Congress of Northern Rhodesia that Africans want their elected representatives to equal the total number of official and elected European representatives.

He declared that Africans "no longer have any confidence in Colonial Office officials at the ruling voice in future legislation."

Alfred Minor

Funeral rites were held yesterday (Thursday) for Alfred Minor, 66, 2446 McCulloh St., the husband of the late Bessie Minor, from the Holland Funeral Home, 1631 Druid Hill Ave.

Mr. Minor died in City Hospitals Sunday after a brief illness.

A native of Virginia, he has lived in Baltimore the past 30 years.

He was formerly a member of New Metropolitan Baptist Church, Mosher and McCulloh.

Surviving are four daughters: Mrs. Albrosia Carter, Mrs. Sarah Johnson, Mrs. Ruth Holland and Mrs. Mildred Minor, all of Baltimore; and two sons Raymond and Richmond Minor, also of Baltimore.

He is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Mabel Gaines, and Mrs. Mary Lewis, both of Philadelphia, and nine grandchildren.

—Minneapolis Tribune

'THIS PACE IS KILLING ME'

Politicians still defy U. S. courts

(Editor's Note: This is the first of two articles on Virginia's explosive school segregation controversy. Rufus Wells, editor of the Richmond AFRO, has covered the school situation since the first suit was filed, from Prince Edward County, in 1951).

By RUFUS WELLS

A dark cloud of confusion hangs low over the Old Dominion State—cast by Virginia's stubborn refusal to accept the U.S. Supreme Court's mandate to desegregate its public schools.

A white minister was ousted from his church because he made a speech at a neighboring colored church.

Another white minister was fired by his trustee board because he dared to speak out in support of the high court ruling.

A COLORED tenant farmer lost his job and was evicted from his home shortly after he filed his intention to run for public office.

A white teacher in Covington, Va., was fired because he spoke out against racial segregation.

This is Virginia, 1958, the state that prides itself on being the cradle of Democracy.

The political mach