Additional Facts Add to Doubt of Edwards' Guilt in Slayings

Although Thomas A. Edwards has been convicted and sentenced to die for the Glen Burnie double murders, there is still doubt in the minds of many observers as to his guilt.

These doubts are sustained by the following facts:

1. Police made no attempt to check statements in the confession with known facts, though this would have been implicit in police work.

2. Edwards's fingerprints were not found on the murder automobile.

Watch, Wallet Missing

3. Police have never accounted for the missing wallet belonging to the slain youth, or the girl victim's watch. In his confession Edwards said he did not disturb these objects.

As the public ponders the missing links in Maryland's most famous murder case, learned judges of the appellate court are weighting arguments made before them, last week.

Briefly, the defense attorneys contended that Edwards could not have committed the crime as was stated in the confession and that the confession itself should not have been admitted into evidence in the trial court, because it was obtained by inducements.

On the other hand, State's attorneys argued that Edwards confession of the crime fits in with earlier theories as advanced by the police; and that while "persuasion" was used to obtain the confession, no inducements were offered.

Meanwhile, Edwards, a 23-year-old Anne Arundel County youth, who suddenly gained nation-wide publicity, sits in the death house of Maryland's penitentiary awaiting the decision of the Court of Appeals.

Maintains Optimism

His family, the only persons allowed to visit him, report that he "is the same as ever," talkative and confident that "everything will be all right."

Edwards, a sugar refinery worker and war veteran, does not know that officials of the union to which he belonged are now investigating the case and may soon throw their weight into the battle for his freedom.

At present, the brunt of this fight is being carried by his court-appointed attorneys, William J. McWilliams and J. Ridgely Melvin, and the Baltimore and Annapolis NAACP.

John H. Mahlan and Miss Mary Kline were victims in the double murder of Sept. 17, 1948.

Citizens Want Garrett to Quit

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from Weston B. Scrimger, absent seventh member, was recorded.

Move Indicates Break

Close observers foresaw the board's latest move as the final break from the dominant influence of Mr. Garrett, whose antiquated racial attitudes have been reflected in the board's decisions for longer than two years.

Avidly opposed to any racially integrated activities, Mr. Garrett has held that segregation is normal and that it is within the power of the board.

Garrett's "Agin It"

Since the board's appointment by Mayor D'Alesandro in 1947, Garrett has opposed:

Use by colored players of tennis courts designated for whites, interracial basketball teams in the recreation league, admission of a colored citizen to a city-owned golf course set aside for whites (this led to the court suit which opened all courses);

Indiscriminate use of all golf courses by all citizens; use of white facilities in Clifton Park by Dunbar High School pupils; interracial tennis matches on city courts, and admission of a colored high school teacher to a course in greenhouse husbandry in which all other students were white.

Leadership Waning

On all issues but that of the greenhouse course, the board's majority voted with Garrett.

But two months ago, on Nov. 1, he cast the only negative vote to the admission of Herbert Frisby, Douglass High School science teacher, to the course in question.

It was then that the first evidence was seen of a defiance of the adamant president by the rest of the board.

Now Goes Along

Since then, with other members of the board taking the initiatives, Garrett went along with the decision allowing Morgan State College's football team to play in the city stadium next fall.

It will mark the first time that a colored team has played in the stadium.

Significant, too, is the fact that J. Marshall Boone, whose reappointment to the board on last July was bitterly opposed by liberal groups, has seen fit since then to vote against Mr. Garrett, with whom he was aligned formerly on racial matters.

Boone voted against Garrett on the matter of the greenhouse course and advanced the resolution advocating use of the stadium by the Morgan team.

Boone also made the motion on the Cohen matter that caused Garrett to quit.

Drag on Progress

A man in his 70's, Mr. Garrett has been associated with the recreation movement in Baltimore for nearly half a century.

His theory about integrated sports calls for what he terms "careful study and planning."

When civic groups protested the board's suspension from the Recreation League of an interracial basketbal team, Mr. Garrett told them that he saw no reason why segregation should be "hurriedly overthrown."

Rationalizations Ludicrous

On the issue of integrated golf, Mr. Garrett maintained that if colored persons used all of the courses indiscriminately, nobody would use the jim-crow course set aside for them.

When the request for use of Clifton facilities for Dunbar pupils was made, Garrett suggested that separate facilities be constructed, because "there might be other implications."

Here he admitted that use of white facilities would be "undesirable and quite impossible."

Fear and Trepidation

And when the board voted against him on the greenhouse course issue, Garret warned that there might be "serious effects."

Without his resignation, Mr. Garrett's term on the Park Board would extend to July, 1953. That is a long way off.

Macer Doesn't Appear to Answer Charges

Golden Macer, real estate agent, forfeited $26.45 collateral by failing to appear in Northwestern police court Monday afternoon.

Mr. Macer was charged with disturbing the peace Monday morning following a dispute with a policeman over whether he was in condition to drive his car.

Digit Purge Still On, 2 More Fined

One man was fined a total of $200 and costs, and another $100 Thursday, in lottery cases before Judge Michael Manley at Criminal Court.

Arrested by Sgt. Wade Poole of the lottery squad, Cleveland Brown of the 500 block Chapel St. drew the $100 fine for an operation in the 1600 block S. Clinton St. on Jan. 10.

The $200 amount went to John Butler of the 1100 block E. Lombard St, who according to Captain Alexander Emerson, had numbers evidence at his home covering five days play in November and December.

Mutual Society Club Elects New Officers

The Mutual Benefit Society Club of the Druid Hill YMCA elected officers recently for 1950. Plans have been made for meeting once a month.

Officers elected were:

Nolan Wise, chairman; Mrs. Naomi Wiggins, co-chairman; Miss Velma Trippe, secretary; F. C. Smith, treasurer; and William N. Turks, co-ordinator. These officers, with the addition of Robert Wright, Osborne Carroll and Mrs. Elsie Porter, will make up the social activities committee.

The first club social was held this week at the Y. Movies, card playing, checkers, ping pong and dancing took place. On Feb. 22 the group will give a George Washington party. The club consists of employees of Mutual Benefit Insurance Company.

Friends of Music Present Program

The Friends of Music Club presented a program last Sunday at Douglas Memorial Christian Community Church under the auspices of its Women's Christian Service group.

Miss Shirley Portee presided over the program which had as participants:

The Revs. Willis Byrd and William Lyles, Dr. Enoch Dickerson, Mesdames Reba Reid, Anna Williams, Susie O. Dickerson, Alethia Gray, Hattie Hawkins, Annie Baltigar, Annie Miles; Misses Shirlen Williams, Carolyn Thomas, Mary Lyles and Geneva Billings; and Henry Watkins.

Mrs. Lucy Howard is president of the women's group, while the Rev. Marion C. Bascom is pastor.

Maryland's Welfare Cost Rises $100,000 in 12-Month Period

With increased total payments for all types of assistance, the State Welfare Department reported that its program cost $100,652 more last month than it did in December of 1948.

The 1948 total was $1,179,766; in 1949 it was $1,280,418. Both totals, however, include burials and other special payments.

Old age assistance, according to the report of the department, cost $434,759 in December of 1948 and $445,538 in the last month of 1949.

Corresponding figures for aid to dependent children totalled $436,593 and $504,120; for aid to the blind, $18,325 and $19,320; for general public assistance, $196,136 and $210,805; and for boarding home care, $93,953 and $100,635.

6,202 Families Aided

In December of last year, 11,930 individuals received old age assistance; 6,202 families received aid to dependent children; 473 persons aid to the needy blind; 4,810 cases, general public assistance; and 2,323 children boarding home care.

Throughout the State in December, 11,930 individuals received welfare funds for old age. In Baltimore the total was 5,665, and their payments totalled $240,533 of $442,455 spent in Maryland.

Average grant per individual in this category was $42.46 in Baltimore and $37.09 for the State. Baltimore received 162 applications for old age relief within the month, and took on 118 of these.

In the State, 353 applications were received, and 261 of these added to the old age caseload.

Average Was $85.44

In aid to dependent children, 4,098 families, representing 12,274 children, were assisted in Baltimore last month. The State totals were 6,202 families and 18,585 children.

Baltimore's payments in this category totalled $350,112 and the States $504,120. Average grant per family in Baltimore was $85.44 and for the State $81.28. Baltimore received 308 new applications and added 246. The State accepted 410 out of 523.

Assistance to the blind was given 303 individuals in Baltimore in December and 473 throughout the State. For this service, Baltimore paid $13,194 of the State total of $19,319. Average grant per person in the city was $43.55 as compared to the State average of $40.84. Of 10 new applications, Baltimore added seven.

General public assistance in December cost Baltimore $162,506 of the State total of $210,805. Average grant in the city for the 3,394 cases handled was $47.98. Baltimore accepted 131 of 306 new applications for this type of assistance.

Library Service Set Up for City TB Patients

A library service is being established for tuberculosis patients at City Hospitals.

Dr. G. Canby Robinson, executive secretary of the Maryland Tuberculosis Association, stated that the service is an important factor in the treatment and ultimate cure of patients confined for long periods.

He added that library facilities teach patients how to adjust themselves to their physical limitations and to remain well after they are released from the hospital.

The library project has been approved by the advisory board of the Welfare Department, and will be directed by the division of library extension, Maryland State Department of Education.

Newark Attorney to Address Y Men

Oliver T. Randolph, noted civil rights attorney of Newark, N.J., is scheduled to speak at the Druid Hill YMCA Feb. 14 in the first in a series of forums sponsored by the Y Men's division program committee.

Mr. Randolph, who aided in drafting the new constitution for New Jersey recently, will speak on "Civil Rights and You." Also speaking on the topic will be Dr. F.H. Dedmond, head of the Morgan State College language department.

The sponsoring committee includes Milton A. Dugger, chairman; Dr. Dedmond, Dr. A. U. Forte, Charles Fletcher, Charles Lawson and the Rev. Eugene T. Grove. A question and answer period will follow the general discussion.

Casket With Corpse Inside Catches Afire in Mortuary

An alert floral designer averted a possible fire tragedy at the Katie R. Williams Funeral Home, in the 300 block of N. Schroeder St., on Tuesday.

Western District Police report that while delivering a floral design to the funeral parlor, George A. Rohlfing, white, discovered a casket with a body in it, on fire.

Officers said the fire was put out by Mrs. Williams and some of her employees, with the aid of a fire extinguisher. The cause of the fire was not revealed. Police say the damage totaled about $300.

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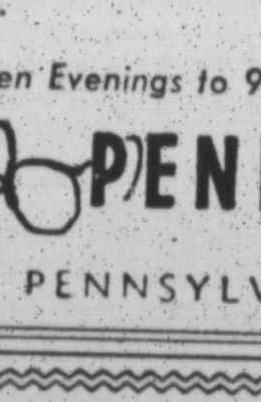

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New President-Elect Hints University Status for Virginia State College

Great Things Expected of Students by Dr. Daniel

Founder's Day Speaker Pays Tribute to Predecessors, Given Real Ovation

PETERSBURG, Va.—A hint of future plans for development of Virginia State College into a university highlighted an address by Dr. Robert P. Daniel, president-elect, during the 68th Founders' Day exercises at the institution Friday evening.

Dr. Daniel was given an ovation by the nearly 2,000 persons present as he strode to the speakers' stand to begin his address.

He was principal speaker on the evening program which was one of a day-long series that was concluded with a reception for faculty, students and visitors in Jones Hall.

Pledging to work in harmonious co-operation with Dean J. H. Johnson, vice-president and acting president at the time, and other members of the faculty, Dr. Daniel also issued a stern warning to students that he frowns on snobbishness from a person who "has a little education."

Speculating that some of the student body are already wondering "how he stands on the social privileges," he warned that he will expect a hard-working, hard-studying student body—one that is interested primarily in the serious task of acquiring an education.

Warning to Students

"Too many people," he asserted, "have been teaching their children to pray 'Now I lay me down to sleep,' when they should have been teaching them to pray, 'Now I get me up to work.'" "Students should come to college to work," he said, "not to go to sleep."

Paying tribute to the founder, A. W. Harris, Dr. Daniel asked whether we as a group are to continue to be beneficiaries of notable achievements or whether the exploits of the pioneers shall stimulate us to become creators of greater things for the common good.

"Labels" Predecessors

After viewing the life and works of his four predecessors, the speaker tacked a "label" onto each, John M. Langston — statesman; James Hugo Johnston Sr.—humanitarian; John M. Gandy—pedagogue, and Luther H. Foster—business man.

Describing the spot in the old Virginia Hall (which occupied the site on which the building in which he was speaking stands), Dr. Daniel said he was born in a second-floor room "just a little to the left of the center of the balcony" (in the new building).

Other speakers on the program were Jerome W. Jones, representing the student body; Bernardin F. Dabney, who presented a gold watch to Dr. Johnston on behalf of the faculty, and Mrs. Georgia D. Tyler, representing the alumni association of which she is president.

Dr. Johnston Presides

Acting President Johnston presided and introduced the speakers. Music was provided by the a cappella choir of the college, Harold Montague, directing, and Dr. Samuel L. Gandy, director of religious education, offered the invocation and benediction.

Thunderous applause greeted the stirring address given by Mr. Jones, representative of the student council, of which he is president. He is the highest ranking senior and will graduate with the 1950 class. He is a Norfolkian.

Serving as ushers—all ranking students of the 1950 class—were Delmar Barnes, Bertha L. Bradby, Vivian D. Butts, Mildred L. Copeland, Calvin C. Fleming, Harrietta L. Foreman, Evorn C. Gilmore, Mary E. Johnson, Antoinette L. Lomax, Thurman W. Lyles, Robert Sandidge, Elois D. Scott, Lois J. Wilson and Vell R. Wyatt.

Wreaths Placed on Graves

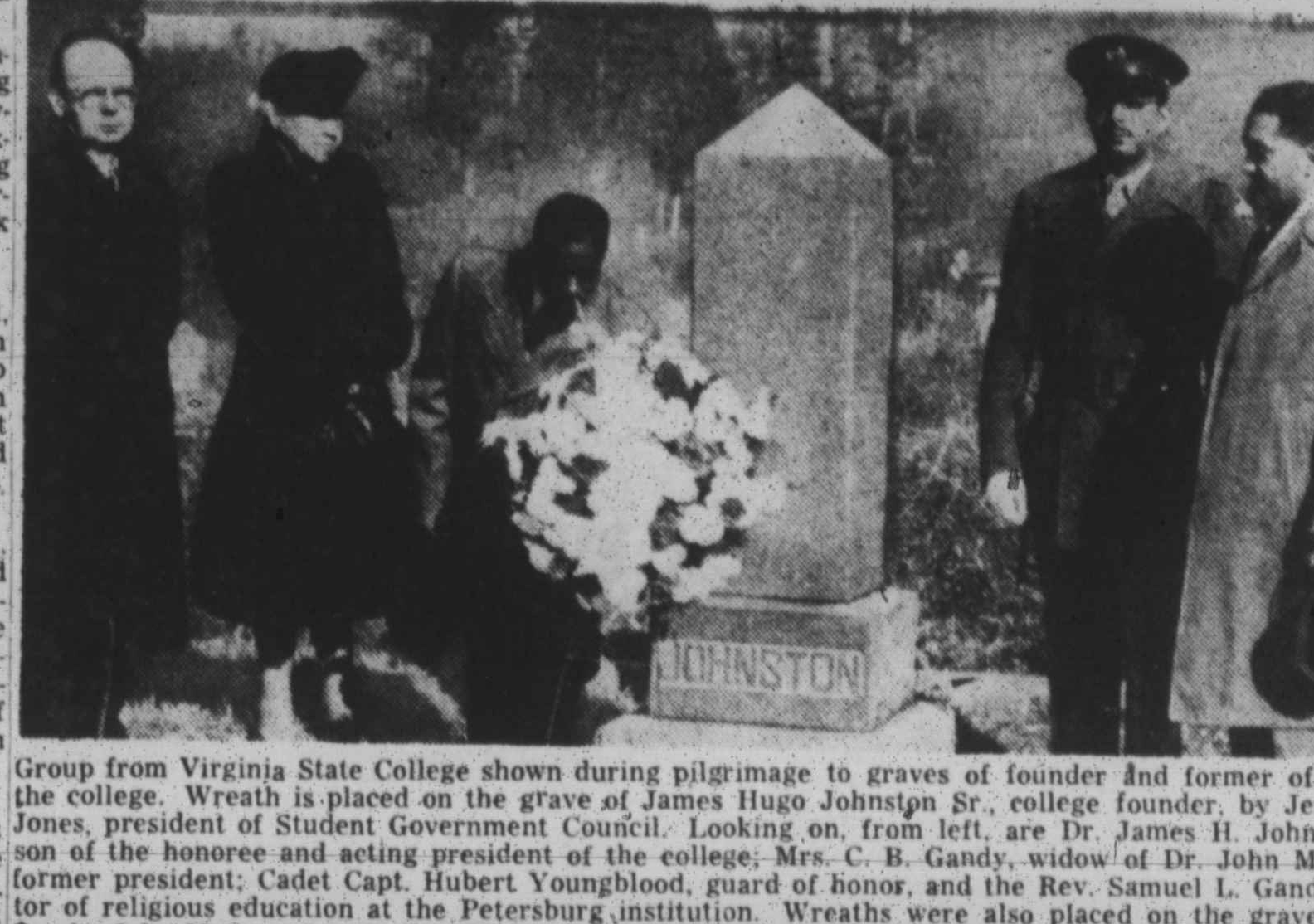
Early in the afternoon a motorcade consisting of representatives of the administration and families of the former presidents and founders, buried in the Richmond-Petersburg area, laid wreaths on their graves.

In the morning wreaths were laid on the grave of Dr. J. H. Johnston, Sr., who was president of Virginia State from 1888-1914. The wreath was placed by Jerome Jones, Student Council president.

In the afternoon, wreaths were placed on the graves of A. W. Harris, founder of the College, by Dr. Daniel; James Major Colson, principal in 1885, by Dr. Edna M. Colson; John M. Gandy, principal, 1914-1942, by Mrs. C. B. Gandy, widow; Luther H. Foster, president, 1942-1949, by Mrs. D. O. Foster, widow.

The Rev. Mr. Gandy offered short prayers at each grave. Mrs. Alfreda Ledbetter, daughter of the late A. W. Harris, accompanied the group.

Homage Paid to Virginia State Founder



Group from Virginia State College shown during pilgrimage to graves of founder and former officials of the college. Wreath is placed on the grave of James Hugo Johnston Sr., college founder, by Jerome W. Jones, president of Student Government Council. Looking on, from left, are Dr. James H. Johnston Jr., son of the honoree and acting president of the college; Mrs. C. B. Gandy, widow of Dr. John M. Gandy, former president; Cadet Capt. Hubert Youngblood, guard of honor, and the Rev. Samuel L. Gandy, director of religious education at the Petersburg institution. Wreaths were also placed on the graves of Dr. Gandy, John M. Langston, Luther H. Foster, A. W. Harris and J. J. Colson.

Murray Brothers Suit Against AFRO Dismissed

WASHINGTON

Suit of the Murray Brothers Printing Company against the AFRO - AMERICAN for $150,000 was dismissed in U.S. District Court Thursday afternoon.

Murray Brothers charged that the AFRO purchased from them the Washington Tribune in 1945 "for the purpose of scuttling it" and eliminating competition in the city.

The trial lasted two weeks before Judge Charles McLaughlin, who gave a "verdict for the defendant, AFRO," saying that he had allowed widest latitude in the introduction of evidence.

Judge James A. Cobb and George Hayes of the law firm Cobb, Howard, and Hayes, represented the AFRO.

Henry Lincoln Johnson conducted the case for Murray Brothers. Associated with him was Belford V. Lawson.

Mr. Hayes examined the witnesses and both he and Judge Cobb presented the concluding argument to the court Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Johnson examined the witnesses and gave both the opening and closing arguments for the Murray Brothers.

Bought Stock

Witnesses testified that the AFRO purchased 60 per cent of the stock of the Washington Tribune Corporation from Mrs. Ethel Murray, August 20, 1945 at $158 a share. The same week Mrs. Murray had purchased 42 of these shares from other stockholders, including Freeman Murray, at $50 a share.

The contract between the AFRO and the Murrays obligated the former to pay a purchase price of $9,500 and to advance additional sums to expand and develop the editorial, advertising, and circulation departments of the newspaper.

An inherent part of the contract was that the Murray Brothers Printing Company was to print the paper.

Joseph Shephard, and later Woody Taylor, were hired as editors; Lloyd Genus as advertising manager, John Murphy 3rd, as general manager and circulation chief and other part-time workers were engaged to raise their weekly payroll from $70 to $320 a week.

Blame Workers

The Murrays testified that some of the workers were ineffective and that on August 6, 1946, the AFRO-AMERICAN began publication of its Red Star AFRO on Tuesday; that this paper competed with the tribune and covered the field so completely that the Tribune folded on November 30, 1946, after operating 65 weeks.

The Murrays claim that the AFRO acted in bad faith, had never intended to make the Tribune a real newspaper and put out its own Tuesday edition of the AFRO for the purpose of scuttling it.

Howard Murphy, AFRO business manager and comptroller, exhibited cancelled checks to show that the AFRO advanced the Tribune $16,500 in loans in addition to the purchase price of $9,500.

Mr. Hayes said no one profited from the sale except the Murray Brothers Printing Co., which in 1942, had purchased the Tribune, then in bankruptcy, from the late Robert Pelham and others for $800 or $900.

The paper, he said, had changed hands several times and its failure was laid to the bad name thus acquired.

Conflicting testimony was given as to the Tribune circulation figures quoted by Mrs. Murray at the time of the purchase.

No Circulation

D. Arnett Murphy states Mrs. Murray told him the Tribune circulation was between 8,000 and 10,000 but that the first edition after the AFRO purchased 60% of the Tribune showed only 1800.

John Davis of Our World, summoned as a witness for the Murrays, told Judge McLaughlin that he had offered $5,000 for the Tribune plus a loan of $15,000 to improve the plant and a lease. He said that Mrs. Murray also told him that the circulation of the Tribune at that time was between 8,000 and 10,000.

Mr. Johnson argued that the new Tribune corporation had failed to follow up the successful Griffith Stadium circulation promotions conducted in 1944 and 1945 by Alexander Barnes.

Carl Murphy testified that the use of mass revival metings to sell newspapers was frowned upon by the new Tribune management as bad circulation practice.

In Good Faith

Judge McLaughlin, after hearing the testimony Wednesday, reserved the decision until 1:30 on Thursday. In it he said he found no evidence of bad faith before the AFRO purchased an interest in the Tribune, during the 65 weeks of its operation, or after it was closed down.

Witnesses for Murray Brothers were:—Mrs. Murray, Freeman Murray, and Alexander Barnes, representative of the Roberts Printing Company.

Witnesses for the AFRO were:—D. Arnett Murphy, Lloyd Genus, John Murphy 3rd, Carl Murphy, and Howard Murphy.

Dr. Posey Made W.Va. Planner

INSTITUTE, Va.—Dr. Thomas E. Posey, professor of economics at West Virginia State College, was appointed to the West Virginia State Planning Board for a three-year term.

This board is composed of 12 members; five appointed by the Governor with the consent of the Senate and seven ex-officio members, namely:

Commissioner of Agriculture, Director of Conservation, State Geologist, State Road Commissioner of Health, State Superintendent of Schools and chairman of the Public Service Commission.

The major duties of the board are to prepare a master plan for social, economic and physical development of the State, and to propose a long-term program of major improvements of the natural and artificial resources of the State.

The Governor in making the appointment stated that he considered this board one of the most important boards in West Virginia and in his opinion Dr. Posey was eminently qualified because of his training and experience.

Graduate of Syracuse U.

Dr. Posey is a graduate of Syracuse University where he received his A. B. and M. A. degrees in economics. He recently received his PH. D. in economics and in labor from the University of Wisconsin.

He is the author of a book, "THE NEGRO CITIZEN OF WEST VIRGINIA" and is a recognized authority in the field of labor relations in West Virginia.

Dr. Posey has been active in the civic, social and political life of the State for many years.

Y to Open Annual Forum Thursday

The public affairs committee of the YWCA will open its annual forum at 8:30 p.m. on Thursday with a panel discussion.

Clarence Mitchell, labor secretary of the NAACP, will serve as moderator. The subject is "Ecomic Welfare—A Place to Live, Enough to Eat, Clothes to Wear, a Job."

Speakers will be Miss Frances Morton, Citizens Planning and Housing Association; Dr. Naomi Richards of the Social Security Board; Alexander J. Allen, Urban League; and Thomas J. S. Waxter, of the Department of Public Welfare. The forum is open to the public.

6 Medical Scholarships Asked in Assembly Bills

RICHMOND

Five medical and one dental scholarships for colored students are provided for in two bills introduced in the General Assembly last week.

Last year, a delegation of colored citizens appeared before the Commission on Medical Education here and asked that State medical schools be opened to all qualified students.

Requested by Commission

The bills provide for 10 additional medical and eight dental scholarships. They follow up recommendations of the Commission which was appointed by the last General Assembly.

Under the measures, introduced in the Senate, a maximum of 25 medical students who pledge to practice in rural areas would be granted scholarships in the Medical College of Virginia and the University of Virginia.

In the past, each school has granted a total of 10 scholarships.

Meharry Designated

The bills provide, however, that white scholars be permitted to attend colleges in the State, while colored scholars would be required to attend Meharry Medical College in Nashville, Tenn.

White dental students would attend dental school at Medical College here.

Both bills were sponsored by Senator Walter C. Caudill, Pearisburg physician, who headed the 1948 Commission, with State Senators Charles R. Fenwick and James D. Hagood of Arlington and Halifax, respectively, as co-sponsors of the dental bill.

Co-sponsors with Senator Caudill on the medical scholarships bill are Senators Hagood and Lloyd C. Bird of Chesterfield county. The scholarships would be valued at approximately $1000 per year.

Area Must Be Approved

In order to qualify, recipients would have to be natives of Virginia and would be required to sign contracts stipulating that they will, upon completion of their training, practice in a rural area of the State of their own selection.

Another string attached to the scholarships, is the fact that the State health commissioner and the State Board of Health would have to give their approval before the graduate could practice in the area of his choice.

Old-Age Program Explained to P-TA

Several hundred persons attending the P-TA meeting of Carver Vocational School, Thursday, heard an address on the old-age and survivor's insurance program.

The speaker was Ben Forman, field representative of the Social Security Administration. An open forum period followed his address.

Mrs. Ida Berry is P-TA sponsor. Mrs. Clara Gwynn is president; and Mrs. Gertrude Quarles, secretary. Carver School principal is Saul M. Perdue.

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NEW YORK, N. Y.—Miss Vivian Ford, pictured above, owner of the Vivian Ford Shop, 736 St. Nicholas Avenue, New York City, stated that she used full strength Kotalko for a period of six weeks on one of her customers, whose hair was dry, cracking off, and brittle due to lack of sufficient natural hair oils. With the scalp and hair conditions normal, using Kotalko regularly to supplement these natural oils, she was amazed with the results achieved.

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Dawson, Powell Votes Compared

WASHINGTON(NNPA) — The votes of Rep. Wiliam L. Dawson, of Chicago and Rep. Adam C. Powell of New York, both Democrats, on important roll calls in the House last wek were as folows:

On the motion of Joseph W. Martin, (Rep., Mass.) to adjourn the House last Friday to delay action on the proposed rules until FEPC had a chance to be brought up under the rule permiting legislation to be taken away from the Rues Commitee after 21 days, defeated, 160 to 255: Dawson, nay; Powell, yea.

Together in One Case

On the resolution of Rep. Gene Cox, (Dem., Ga.,) to restore control of legislation to the coalition dominated Rules Commitee, rejected, 183 to 236: Dawson and Powell, nay.

On the motion of Rep. John M. Vorys, (Rep., Ohio) to recommit to the Foreign Affairs Committee the bill authorizing an appropriation of $60,000,000 for continued economic aid to the South Korean Republic, defeated, 190 to 194: Dawson, nay; Powell, yea.

On the passage of the bill to provide $60,000,000 in economic aid to the South Korern Republic, rejected, 193 to 191: Dawson, yea; Powell, nay.

Ex-Carverite Stars With Hampton 5

HAMPTON, Va.—Philbin Scott of Baltimore, Md., sophomore at Hampton Institute, is a member of the college basketball team, which won seven out of its first ten games.

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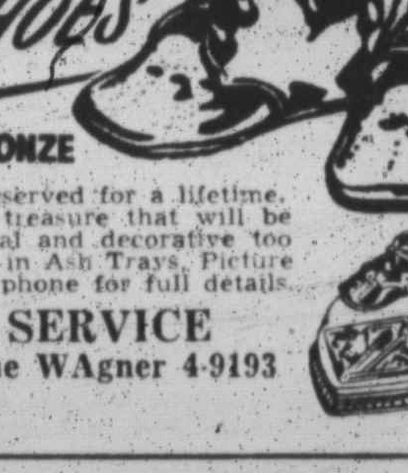

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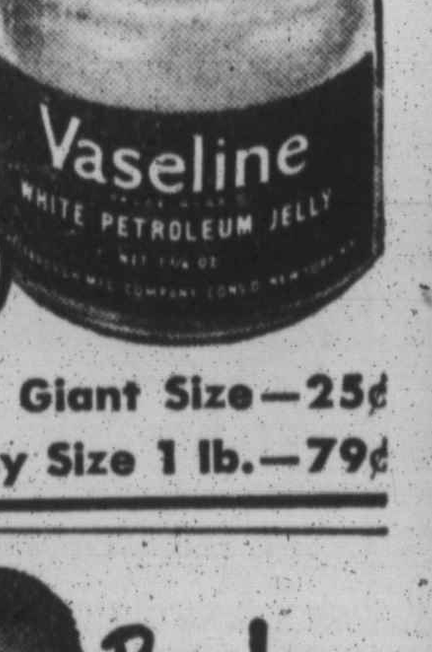

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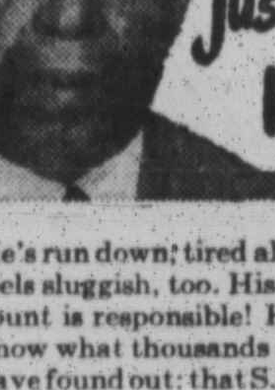

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