David A. Fairfax, Retired Railroad Employee, Dies

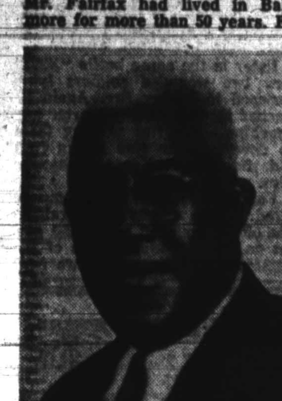
Confined to his home for two years, David A. Fairfax, 68, retired railroad company employee, died Dec. 22 at his home, 2017 Madison Ave.

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning at Douglas Memorial Community Church, where Mr. Fairfax had served as president of the stewards' board for nearly 20 years.

Burial was in Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

Retired in 1949

A native of Essex County, Va., Mr. Fairfax had lived in Baltimore for more than 50 years. For



DAVID A. FAIRFAX

30 years, he was employed by the B. and O. Railroad, having retired in 1949.

He was organizer and president of the Fairfax Improvement Association and had held high positions in the Allen Lodge of the Knights of Pythias.

Wife Survives

Besides his wife, Mrs. Mary Fairfax, he is survived by a son, two daughters, two stepdaughters, and a granddaughter.

They are John W. Fairfax, who is serving in Korea; Mesdames Beatrice Martin and Olivia Hargrave, daughters; Mesdames Gladys Clark of NYC and Myrtle Lee, stepdaughters; and LaNita Thompson, granddaughter.

AFRO Manager's Father Dies

WASHINGTON

James H. Garvin, 91, 1849 Alabama Ave., SE, father of Roy Garvin, general manager of the Washington AFRO-AMERICAN, died in Freedmen's Hospital after a prolonged illness, on Christmas. He had been a member of the Mr. Garvin had lived with his son in Washington since 1947, having come from Kansas City, Kans., where he had resided for over 60 years.

A Kentuckyian

He went to Kansas City, Mo., from his birthplace, Hart County, Ky., during the mass exodus of colored Southerners to northern areas back in 1882. A year later he moved to Kansas City, Kans.

Mr. Garvin was retired in March of 1947 by the Board of Public Utilities in Kansas City.

Former Deputy Sheriff

Earlier he had served as deputy sheriff of Wyandott County, Kans., in the early 30's. He had also worked for the old Kansas City Home Telephone Company for 30 years.

He had been a member of the Prudence Masonic Lodge, for more than 50 years.

His remains will be taken back to Kansas City, Kans., for burial in the family lot. Thatcher's mortuary will have charge. Interment will be in Westlawn Cemetery.

List of Survivors

Mr. Garvin is survived by his son, Roy; three brothers, A. L. Garvin of Louisville, Ky.; J. M. and Charles of Detroit; several nieces and nephews in Detroit and other relatives in California and Ohio.

Hall Johnson Choir Thrills Americans in Vienna

"They crucified my Lord and He never said a mumbling word.." so sang the Hall Johnson Choir (top photo), during its recent appearance at Vienna, Austria's largest music hall. At bottom: An unidentified listener, Mrs. Wingate Lucas, Walter J. Donnelly, U.S. High Commissioner for Austria; Mrs. Donnelly, and Congressman Lucas, of Texas, applauding the concert singers. Following the concert, the Donnellys accompanied the visiting group to a party in the outskirts of Vienna. Fourth from right on bottom photo is Clarence Henderson, a Baltimorean.

In Our Churches

The Missionary Society of Union Bethel AME Church, Randallstown, Md., distributed food baskets to the sick and shut-ins of the community on Christmas Eve.

At a Dec. 23 service, the Rev. H. R. Tomlin presiding elder of the Hagerstown AME District, was guest speaker.

The Rev. W. N. Edwards, pastor of Union, journeyed to Norfolk, Va. for Christmas.

At St. James Episcopal Church, special prayers were offered for servicemen now on active duty. Among St. James members in the armed forces are:

Dr. Bernard Christmas, Stuart Douglass, Ralph Finney, William Flowers, Lewis Gwynn Jr., Nathaniel Hoff, William Holiday, Charles Johnson, Robert Larkins; William L. Lee, Harold Macklin, Aubrey Marshall, James Reed, Johnson Robinson, Horace Shipley, Howard Smith, Junius Strayhorn and Leo Williams.

The Rev. Cedric E. Mills is pastor.

CHILD DRANK VARSOL

WASHINGTON

Wendell Anderson, three-year-old son of Mrs. Biola Anderson of 820 Springman Ct., SW, drank a portion of varsol about 12:35 a.m., last Friday and is in serious condition at Gallinger Hospital.

MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
CAROLINE and PRESTON STREETS

9:30 A. M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
10:30 A. M.—PRAYER AND PRAISE SERVICE.
11:00 A. M.—BAPTISMAL SERVICE.
3:00 P. M.—UNION MISSIONARY SERVICE at Mt. Sinai Baptist Church.
6:00 P. M.—Baptist Training Union.
8:00 P. M.—EVENING WORSHIP. Music by the Men's Chorus.
MON., DEC. 31—Beginning at 10 p.m.—Watch Night Service.
ALL ARE WELCOME REV. C. EDWARD BROWNE, Pastor

NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
DOLPHIN ST. and FREMONT AVE.

9:30 A. M.—Sunday School.
11:00 A. M.—Preaching by the Pastor.
3:30 P. M.—The Past Officers Council of the National Ideal Benefit Society worships here.
6:30 P. M.—Baptist Training Union.
8:00 P. M.—Evening Worship — Preaching.
Monday, December 31—9 P. M.—Watch Meeting and beginning of revival services.
WE WELCOME YOU : : REV. W. N. STOKES, Pastor

CONCORD BAPTIST CHURCH
FRANKLIN AND POPPLETON STREETS

9:45 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL. Rev. Montague Bracket, supt.
11:00 A. M.—MORNING WORSHIP. Preaching by the pastor from the theme: "The Old Year and the New." Every one is cordially invited.
3:00 P. M.—MISSIONARY will present a group of singers from the Eastern Shore in a program. You are invited to hear these Gospel Singers.
6:00 P. M.—B. T. U.
8:00 P. M.—The Evangelistic Hour.
FRIDAY (Tonight) The Sunday School will have a Christmas Program and Tree.
MONDAY, DEC. 31—10:00 P.M.—Watch Meeting. Everyone (member and friend) is invited.
Wishing everyone a Happy and Prosperous New Year.
REV. J. M. RAYNOR, Pastor

Boys Choir Gives Benefit Concert For St. Katherine's

A program of Christmas choral music was recently presented at Douglas Memorial Church by the Baltimore Boys Choir, with Miss Helen M. Armstrong as soprano soloist.

With Meredith H. Birche Jr. conducting, the program was a benefit concert for the St. Katherine's Chapel building fund. The devotionals were handled by the Rev. Guy Kagey, vicar of the chapel.

Medley Of Carols

In addition to Miss Armstrong, the program featured Joseph Johnson and Donald Colburn as soloists. For the candlelight presentation of "Christmastide," a medley of carols, featured violinist Charles Breese, and percussionists, Richard G. Richardson Jr. and Otho Thomas.

St. Katherine's Mission was founded about 1892 by Father Clapp, Mrs. Sargeant and Sister Petronella. Services were held in a house at 1352 N. Calhoun St. and later at 1362 N. Calhoun St.

In 1900, the church was established at the corner of Gilmor and Presstman Sts. in an old colonial house which was built before the Civil War.

In 1905, the church moved to the building it now occupies at Division and Presstman Sts. which was formerly St. George's P.E. Church.

Committees Named

The St. Katherine Building Committee includes Robert H. Diggs, general chairman; Mrs. Evelyn Van Hook and Arthur Creigler, co-chairmen; Mrs. Mabel Henderson, financial secretary; Mrs. Rowena C. Diggs, recording secretary.

The House Committee includes Bernard Nelson, chairman; Arthur Williams, Randolph Tate, Dr. Charles Jackson, and William Anderson.

The activities Committee includes Mrs. Lucille T. Williams, chairman; Mrs. Beatrice Wright, co-chairman; Bernard Young, Mrs. Gertrude Weaver, Mrs. Rosa Hall, Mre. Caroline Derricks.

The Public Relations Committee includes William H. Stanley, chairman; Mrs. Constantia W. Jackson, secretary; Mrs. Lucille T. Williame, S. Orrin Nixon, Bernard Nelson, Arthur Creigler, Dr. Charles Jackson and Robert H. Diggs.

Select D.C. Youth Scholar Of Year

TUSKEGEE INSTITUTE, Ala. Lanxter D. Webber, 704 Fifth St., SE., Washington, D.C., has been selected by the Student-Faculty Council of Tuskegee Institute as being one of the "Institute Scholars" for 1951-52.

An "Institute Scholar" is that senior, junior or sophomore with the highest scholastic average or the highest grade point average in each of the nine degree-granting schools and departments of the Institute, during the preceding school year.

Webber is a sophomore in the School of Veterinary Medicine.

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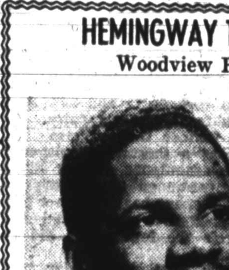
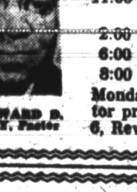
Cherry Hill



CHARLES WATKINS
IN A
GOSPEL SONG FEAST
assisted by Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Person and The Ivory Gospel Singers
Sunday, Dec. 30, 1951
3:30 P. M.

PERKINS SQUARE BAPTIST CHURCH
GEORGE AND OGSTON STREETS
MISSIONARY DAY



REV. WARD D. TERRY, Pastor

10:30 A. M.—Open Heart Service.
11:00 A. M.—Sermon by the Pastor. Subj.: "Make Your Choice."
2:00 P. M.—Sunday School.
6:00 P. M.—Baptist Training Union.
8:00 P. M.—Special Service.
Monday Night—Watch meeting service—Pastor preaching. Tues., Jan. 1 through Sun., Jan. 6, Revival Week.

New School, Church At Hendersonville

By LULA M. DUNBAR

HENDERSONVILLE, N.C. — A new $200,000 consolidated school was recently dedicated here by Dr. Clyde A. Erwin of Raleigh, the State superintendent of public instruction.

The school principal, John A. Marable, presided over the exercises, which were attended by approximately 800 people.

Other notables on the program included the Revs. C. W. Walker of the AME Zion Church and J. H. Suber of the Union Grove Baptist Church, A. D. Kornegay, the city superintendent of schools, Bruce Drysdale, chairman of the City school board; and James Pilgrim, school board chairman.

Construction work has begun on the new church of the Star of Bethel Baptist congregation. They plan to occupy the structure in May. The Rev. George E. Weaver is sparking the building drive.

The church board of deacons is composed of Mills Campbell, chairman; W. B. Barnette, C. T. Cooley, Charles Giles, Harvery Owens, George Graham and James Pilgrim. Trustees are George B. Byrd, chairman; Cecil Powell, Edgar Mooney, Adam Charles Thompson and Neal Woodson.

Odell Hooper was severely burned last week when a five-gallon can of kerosene exploded at the home of Lucius Parks on W. Caswell St.

Mrs. Hattie E. Lynch was recently buried in the Shaws Creek Methodist Church Cemetery. The Rev. C. W. Walker officiated.

Cleveland McBeth of First Ave., died recently at a local hospital. He was a native of Union, S.C., but had lived here for 47 years.

Currently on the sick list are the Mesdames Finnie Lyons, Juanita D. Bennett, Maude McBeth, Jean Austin, Willie M. Williams, Jessie Brown, Otis Skinner, Silvia Jackson, James Pilgrim, Harriet Foulk, Misses Willie M. Cooley, Gussie Gash, Willie Rankins, George Pullins, Frank Mooney, Harvey Owens, Bob Henderson, Harry Morrise, Henry Lowans.

Ex-White House Butler Buried

GREENSBORO, N.C. — A former butler for the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt, James Reynolds, 65, former Greensboro resident, died Dec. 16 in Freedmen's Hospital, Washington, D.C., and was buried here Dec. 23, after funeral services at Brown's Funeral Home.

The Rev. J. J. Greene, rector of the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, officiated, and burial was in the Maplewood Cemetery. Members of the Old North State Lodge, Order of the Elks, participated in the rites.

Reynolds, who formerly lived at 247 N. Gilmer St., here, served as butler in the White House until Roosevelt's death in 1945. After that, he was employed by the Bureau of Ships in the U.S. Navy Department, until his retirement Nov. 30.

Survivors are a brother, Mack Reynolds, and a sister, Mrs. Ida Reynolds Turner, both of Greensboro.

YMCA To Begin Bible Discussions

The Druid Hill YMCA will open its 1952 Bible discussion series, Tuesday evening, January 8, at 7:30 p.m.

The Rev. V. T. Williams, pastor of First Baptist Church, will lead the first discussion period on the topic, "Is Public Vulgarity a Blot on Society?" A number of young people have been invited to participate.

The second meeting has been set for January 15, when the Rev. W. H. Waters, pastor of Emmanuel Christian Church, will lead the discussion, "Have We Outgrown Solomon's Advice For Rearing Children?"

A committee under the direction of the Rev. W. W. Clarke is extending an invitation to persons who participated in the 1951 series and to other interested persons of the community.

Rev. Reynolds Heads Baptists

NEWARK

The Rev. Luke G. Reynolds was elected president of the Baptist Ministers Conference during the meeting last Monday.

Other officers are the Revs. W. L. Clayton and N. H. Toyer, vice presidents; I. C. Reddie, recording secretary; W. L. Pitts, assistant; E. W. Williams, treasurer; H. E. Smith, critic; B. L. Matthews and J. L. Tilley, Sunday school lesson commentators; and James L. Moore, news commentator.

The nominating committee, whose recommendations were unanimously received, included the Revs. J. T. Boddie, chairman; James A. Moore, R. C. Williams, G. M. Harris, L. B. Davis, L. J. Crawford and N. H. Wicks.

DEATHS

MATHIAS COLEMAN

Funeral services were held Thursday, Dec. 27, for Mathias Coleman at his home, 1843 Druid Hill Ave.

Mr. Coleman, who had lived here for about 40 years had worked at a sign company until his recent illness. He died on Dec. 23.

A nephew, Merrick Jackson, survives him. Internment was in Arbutus Memorial Cemetery.

MRS. JESSIE LEE

Funeral services for Mrs. Jessie Lee, of 518 W. Cross St., who died Dec. 22, were held at St. Monica's Church on Dec. 27.

She was the wife of Henry Lee and is also survived by a daughter, her mother, three sisters and four brothers. Internment was in Mount Auburn Cemetery.

MRS. EMALINE W. NICKENS

Mrs. Emaline Wood Nickens, wife of the late John Nickens, of 1721 N. Carey St. died on Dec. 23 and funeral services were held at St. John's Baptist Church, Kilmarnock, Va. on Dec. 26.

She is survived by two sons, Cephas and Tyler; two daughters, Amelia Lee and Ora Foote; nine grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Internment was in Whitestone, Va.

THOMAS A. RANDOLPH

Funeral services for Thomas A. Randolph, husband of the late Rachel Randolph, were held at Providence Baptist Church on Dec. 27.

He is also survived by a son.

SEASON'S GREETINGS!!!!!
Orchard Street Methodist Church
Orchard Street near Druid Hill Avenue
Sunday, December 30
11:00 a.m. Sermon by Pastor
1:30 p.m. Church School
6:30 p.m. Youth Fellowship Hour
8:00 p.m. Sermon
MONDAY, DECEMBER 31ST
8:30 p.m. Watch Night Service
ALL ARE WELCOME
Rev. J. J. Barnes, Pastor

Jerusalem Bapt. Church
254 W. BIDDLE STREET
REV. P. D. DOUGLAS, Pastor

10:00 A.M. Church School. 11:00 A.M. Sermon by the Pastor. 6:30 P.M. The GOLDEN LIGHT QUARTET. Mrs. Douglas, Sponsor. Beginning Monday Night — WATCH NIGHT — 2 WEEKS OF OLD FASHION REVIVAL MEETINGS. Rev. Parker, Speaker.
Every 4th Sunday Communion Service. All Are Welcome.

Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church
Preston, Gay St. and Rutland Ave.

SEASON'S GREETINGS

to the officers, members and friends of Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church and best wishes for the New Year . . . Many sincere thanks to all of you for the many kindnesses extended me over the years.

REV. H. J. TUNSON, Pastor

NOTICE
Monday, Dec. 31—8:30 p.m.
WATCH NIGHT SERVICE
WE WELCOME YOU

Rev. H. J. Tunson

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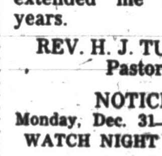

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Ebenezer Baptist Church
GUILFORD AVE. and 23rd ST.

9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—MORNING WORSHIP AND SERMON.
6:00 P. M.—B. T. U.
8:00 P. M.—EVENING WORSHIP.
MONDAY, DEC. 31—9 P.M. Watch Meeting and beginning of Revival. Rev. F. S. Smith of Winston-Salem, N.C. will conduct the revival.
REV. EDWARD T. JORDAN, Pastor

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH
DRUID HILL AVE. AND McMECHEN ST.

9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR. SUBJ.: "GOD, THE REWARDER OF RIGHTEOUSNESS."
6:00 P. M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
8:00 P. M.—SERVICE BY THE MISSIONARY SOCIETY. MUSIC ALL DAY BY THE SENIOR CHOIR
MONDAY NIGHT — WATCH MEETING SERVICE STARTS 10 P. M.
WE WELCOME ALL REV. V. V. K. STOKES, Minister

METROPOLITAN METHODIST CHURCH
LANVALE STREET AND CARROLLTON AVENUE
BALTIMORE 17, MD.

10:30 A. M.—Young Adult Fellowship — Anita Henson, President.
10:45 A. M.—Class of Instruction — Henry U. Ayers.
11:00 A. M.—Sermon: "Spiritual Residue." Anthem, Girl's Choir.
1:30 P. M.—Church School — Mrs. Bessie Harmon, Superintendent.
6:00 P. M.—Youth Fellowship.
7:45 P. M.—Evangelistic Services.
MONDAY NIGHT—Watch Night Services 9:45 P.M. to 12 A.M.
Coffee Hour: 12:05 A.M. to 12:30 A.M.
KELLY L. JACKSON, Pastor

ENON BAPTIST CHURCH
EDMONDSON AVE. AND SCHROEDER ST.
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1951

6:30 A. M.—PRAYER & PRAISE SERVICE.
9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL — Mr. J. Lincoln, Superintendent.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON by the Pastor. BLESSING OF BABIES.
3:00 P. M.—The Epsilon Omega and Alpha Delta Chapters of the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority will have SPECIAL SERVICES.
8:00 P. M.—SPECIAL EVANGELISTIC SERVICES. BAPTIZING will follow.
You are cordially invited to attend all of these services.
Miss Esther Dinkens, Organist
Professor J. O. B. Moseley, Choirmaster
Dr. Arthur J. Payne, Minister

ST. JAMES METHODIST CHURCH
Formerly St. Mark's Methodist Church
MONROE AND LEXINGTON STREETS

9:30 A. M.—Church School.
11:00 A. M.—Sermon By the Pastor. Subj.: "The Everlasting."
2:30 to 7:00 P. M.—Tea, sponsored by the Spiritual Life Committee.
6:30 P. M.—Methodist Youth Fellowship.
8:00 P. M.—Rev. Joseph Carroll, Choirs and Congregation of Mt. Zion Methodist Church, worship here.
Mon., Dec. 31—Watch Night Service begins at 9:30 p.m. Pastor's Subj.: "At Midnight."
A Hearty Welcome to All Rev. A. H. Hammond Sr., minister

THE MT. LEBANON BAPTIST CHURCH.
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HEAR REV. JAMES WILLIAMS
A VERY ABLE EVANGELIST
of Philadelphia, Pa.
Who serves the National Baptist Convention and is widely known for his preaching ability. The Rev. Mr. Williams has served the Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church on serveral occasions and is in high favor of the congregation.
MEETING WILL BEGIN
MONDAY NIGHT, DEC. 31st—9 P.M.
Nights Thereafter—8 P.M.
THE PUBLIC IS INVITED

FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH
"The Praying Church"
BOND STREET AND ASHLAND AVENUE
MISSIONARY DAY

9:30 A. M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
3:00 P. M.—SPECIAL MISSIONARY DAY PROGRAM. Mrs. Celia McLeod and Mrs. Olive Walters, program directors.
6:30 P. M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
8:00 P. M.—A PLAY entitled: "Home for Christmas" presented by Senior Choir No. 2.
Monday—9:30 P.M. Watch Meeting Service.

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ORDER OF SERVICES
Sun., Dec. 30th
8:45 A. M.—Sunday School.
10:30 to 11:00 A. M. — Broadcast over Station WSID.
11:00 A. M. Morning Worship.
8:00 P.M.—Evening Worship.
Come out MONDAY, DEC. 31 and attend our annual watch meeting services which begin at 10 p.m.

ELDER C. GREEN, Pastor

Stewart Learns French Excel In More Things Than Cookery

An American With A Toothache In Paris Gets Painless Dentistry

By OLLIE STEWART
Special AFRO Writer In Europe

PARIS—"No matter where an American goes and no matter how much he may like another country, when he gets sick or something hurts him, he starts looking for an American hospital.

"That's when you find out what he thinks about his country!"

I don't like sermons except in church. I dislike them especially when I'm propped up in the bed with my eyes shut, with aspirins on the night table and with the ancestor of all toothaches digging for oil in my left jaw with a pneumatic hammer.

Lecture Not Appreciated

It was the week after Thanksgiving, and instead of doing something sensible (like hitting me over the head to take me out of my

misery), the man I considered my best friend in Paris was grinning at me and giving me a lecture on patroitism.

"Shall I call the American Hospital," he continued, "and make an appointment for tomorrow?"

"Make an appointment with St. Peter," I snarled. "I'll be seeing the Pearly Gates if this keeps up."

another aspirin and a glass of water," I yelled. "They're breaking some more rocks in my jaw!"

To make a short story longer, I managed to live through the night. And my bad tooth, being the unpredictable so-and-so that it is, quieted down like the war front in Korea. It really was an angel.

It was so nice and harmless the next morning (harmless like dynamite) that I decided to keep it with me for a few more days.

Torture Begins Again

But that night, right after dinner, the artillery started pounding away in my jaw again. This time, all the big guns were brought up and mixed with the machine guns in the roots.

They threw everything at that abscess at point-blank range. You ever had a toothache? Okay, okay. So you know what I mean.

I got up with visions of a dental office on the brain. Now, I'm a man who likes dentists more than somewhat; some of my best friends are dentists, and I was raised by one.

But in my heart of hearts, a dentist is a much nicer human being when I'm winning his money in a poker game, or interviewing him at the dental convention at Atlantic City.

Indeed, he's a good guy at any time—except when he puts on a white coat, comes near me with a fistful of tools, puts his knee on my chest and tells me to open my mouth real wide.

Shuns American Hospital

But on this day I'm telling you about, I had to do something—but fast. And I was determined that I was not going to the American Hospital at Neuilly.

Their policy of hiring only certain people with a certain color as doctors and nurses hurt me worse than my tooth. To hell with the American Hospital and their dentist. I would try a French dentist.

I phoned a French friend and but I do know that when Dr. Mil got the address of a young French dentist. This was at noon.

I found out that he would not be at his office until 4 p.m. That left me four hours to kill. How I killed them, I don't remember — but I got to his office, he found me waiting.

He had a patient at 4, but said he would see me in half an hour. It turned out to be 45 minutes, and two or three times I started to leave. But each time I got up I thought about those hammers breaking rocks in my jaw at night and sat back down.

Impatient Patient

Well, finally Dr. Mileff got me where dentists get us all sooner or later—in that up and down chair. I pointed to a tooth in the back of my mouth and he tapped it with a little bitsy hammer.

When I almost tore the arm off his chair and called him a couple of names I learned from AFRO make-up men, he smiled happily and said, "Voila!"

I love the French language, but I never heard a Frenchman utter a word in his mother tongue that sounded so much like doomsday!

Begs for Anesthetic

"Doc," I muttered, when he took his almost bitten finger out of my mouth, "do you usesomethinglike the American dentists—something to make it stone cold dead when you yank it?"

He smiled in a superior manner and began clanking his instruments of torture. I began to sweat. I was sorry I had spoken. Maybe he didn't like Americans. Maybe—

Ouch! In went the needle and I almost went out like a light. I tried to hum. I tried to pray, but my jaw was fast becoming a block of ice. Ten minutes passed. And in went the needle again.

By this time I didn't care what happened to me. Let the AFRO get another European correspondent. Let the tourists get somebody else to meet them and show them a cheap restaurant or a medium-priced hotel.

I didn't even open my eyes when the yanking and clanking began—and I didn't even know when it was all over. All I know was when the Doc touched my hand and handed me a paper cup full of water.

Technique Admirable

There wasn't much blood. He flushed something like dry powder into the hole (I took it to be penicillin) and told me I could go. No washing out. No packing with gauze. No advice about warm salt and water. Just, "Five dollars, please — and thank you very much."

The most remarkable thing happened when I got back home that night. I just knew that when the novocaine went away, the pain would come. Always, in America, after a tooth was pulled, the aftereffects were terrible.

But my French dentist told me that I would have no pain—and by golly, I didn't have any pain. I sat up most of the night waiting for it to start, but it never did. Hooray!

I love French dentists. I say this after I have had to go through the shadow of death with one. When the time comes for me to lose the few remaining bicuspids in my face, I won't worry (not too much) If I have to lose them in France. Never again will I assume that only Americans have the latest dental technique.

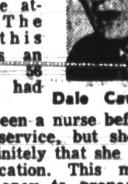
Dale Carnegie

★ Author of "How To Stop Worrying And Start Living" ★

ONE PROBLEM AT A TIME
Author of "How to Stop Worrying And Start Living"

Sonia Kosta, New York City, had more than one problem to solve when she was discharged from the WAC after the war was over.

But, first, she had to rid herself of an inferiority complex for that would stand in the way of anything she attempted. The crux of this trouble was an additional 56 pounds she had gained.



Dale Carnegie

She had been a nurse before entering the service, but she had decided definitely that she wanted another vocation. This meant spending money to prepare herself for other work, and all she had was her "mustering-out-pay" amounting to $200.

Taking a temporary job while preparing for new work meant she had to spend money on new clothes, for none of her old civilian clothes were now large enough. If she spent her money on new clothes, they would be come less and less suitable as the got rid of her excess weight.

Maybe this seems little to worry about, but not to one who has had to tackle it. So worry she did, until she didn't sleep at night and her nerves were on edge. In making addition, she was fast making enemies of her entire family.

Suddenly she thought of how much the Army's rehabilitation centers had done for the army. She went to see one of the doctors.

Nothing she had to say was a surprise to him. Hers, he told her, was a common case of postwar adjustment — and he suggested a common method of cure: to go to the foundation of her trouble, and to tackle one problem at a time.

She found the matter of reducing down deep at the bottom. So she spent some of her moeny on a success school to which she could wear her uniforms

When she had lost 31 pounds, she could then wear some of her civilian clothing. There was enough money to enroll in a business school where she took a junior executive course.

Now, doing work she enjoys, she says she accomplished her aim because she got at the bottom of her trouble, and then tackled one problem at a time, instead of wandering around in confusion as she had started out doing.

FBI To Probe Dynamiting Of Miami Projects

WASHINGTON —(ANP) — The Federal Bureau of Investigation has been directed to look into the recent outbreak of dynamiting of Colored and Jewish property in Miami, Fla.

The blasts were directed against Carver Village, an unoccupied housing project, and a Jewish Synagogue. The former suffered property damages of some $20,000. Miami authorities have offered rewards totaling $9,000 for the arrest and conviction of those responsible for the explosions.

Good Paying Civil Service Jobs Open

WASHINGTON

A civil service examination for the positions of Investigator (Trainee), GS-7, and Investigator, GS-9, in the Federal Government is now open. The basic entrance salaries are $4,205 and $5,060 a year.

The examination is being held by the Fourth U.S. Civil Service Regional Office in Washington to fill positions with that office.

Will Work in Area

The location of positions will be in Washington, in the States of Maryland, North Carolina, Virginia and West Virginia.

Applications will be acepted by the office of the Regional Director, Fourth U.S. Civil Service Region, Temporary "R" Building, Third and Jefferson Dr. SW, Washington, D.C., until Jan. 14. A written test will be required.

D. S. Vance Speaks At Baptist School

NASHVILLE — A pageant, "Thanksgiving In Her Heart," given by the Senior Class of the National Baptist Missionary Training School, climaxed the celebration of Founder's Day recently. Mrs. D. S. Vance, civic leader and religious worker of Memphis and Humboldt, was the guest speaker.

"Next Door" By TED SHEARER

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"I Was Framed"

Edgar Wells, Detroit House of Correction guard who was alleged to have pulled the faked $9,300 Bethlehem Temple robbery in the Motor City last March. Wells denied the charge. He told a AFRO reporter, "I was framed."

Gilmore Exposed In Detroit Court

White Church Secretary Tells How Colored Lover Got $25,000

DETROIT — Cleve Gilmore, 34, who allegedly blackmailed a white church secretary out of thousands of dollars in church funds, and Edgar Wells, ex-House of Correction guard, are being held for trial under $5,000 each.

An overflowing crowd, including Gilmore's white wife, Henrietta, crowded the court room before Recorder's Judge John J. Maher, Wednesday, to hear the secretary, Miss Doris Keller, tell of her relationship with Gilmore and of how she stole almost $25,000 of the funds of Bethlehem Temple for him.

Under the threat of exposing their love affair, Miss Keller testified that she gave Gilmore as much as $800 per month and agreed to stage a fake holdup from which Gilmore got $9,300.

Dirty Work $700

Wells was allegedly paid $700 by Gilmore to execute the holdup.

Miss Keller said Gilmore first asked her about planning the fake robbery in April, 1950, but she refused. She said again in December, 1950, Gilmore told her "I want you to let me take hold of the money in the office."

She said after many other demands by Gilmore she agreed to the fake holdup, which was planned for, and executed, March 29, the off day for her co-worker in the church office.

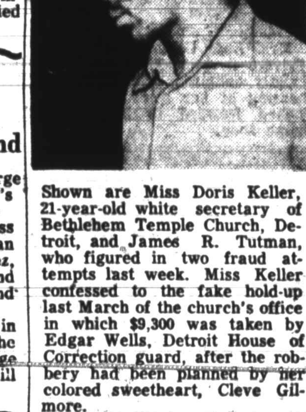
Miss Keller said in additional to the $9,300 robbery, she gave Gilmore about $15,000. She said that she handled and counted all of the funds of the church, and the money was not missed over a period of months because it was never counted and placed on record.

Not Charged

There are no charges against Miss Keller. She is being held as a police witness.

Angry, Gilmore refused to talk to reporters. His only statement was "The newspapers have started a lot of mess. I ain't got nothing to say."

Judge Maher denied a motion made by Attorney Summers for a seperate examination for Gilmore. He was returned here for the examination from Terre Haute, Ind. where he is serving a two-year sentence for white slavery.



Shown are Miss Doris Keller, 21-year-old white secretary of Bethlehem Temple Church, Detroit, and James R. Tutman, who figured in two fraud attempts last week. Miss Keller confessed to the fake hold-up last March of the church's office in which $9,300 was taken by Edgar Wells, Detroit House of Correction guard, after the robbery had been planned by her colored sweetheart, Cleve Gilmore.

Widow Asks 'No Burial' Balm, 180G's

SIOUX CITY, Ia. (ANP) — An $180,000 damage suit has been filed in district court against Memorial Park Cemetery, here, for its refusal to bury Sgt. John R. Rice, veteran of the Korean war.

Filed by the widow, Mrs. Evelyn Rice, of Winnebago, Nebr., the suit asks compensation for injuries and humiliation she said she suffered when the cemetery refused to bury the Indian last August because he was "not a member of the Caucasian race."

The news of the cemetery's refusal to bury the dead hero made headlines throughout the country. Many persons were outraged and expressed sympathy for the widow.

In response to a general feeling that something should be done about such an extreme expression of racialism, President Truman interceded and had Sgt. Rice buried in Arlington Cemetery.

Jesus Found Guilty In Detroit Court And Held Under $500 Bond

DETROIT—Jesus was charged with drunkeness in Recorder's Court Monday.

Found guilty of drunkenness and threatening a policeman with a knife, Jesus Rodriquez, 27, of 2457 Beaubien, was found guilty and held under $500 bond and one surety.

Jesus was arrested Dec. 14 in a bar at 911 Michigan Ave. The case was heard before Judge George Murphy. Rodriquez will be sentenced Dec. 23.

Dr. Irwin, Educator Of The Blind, Dies

NEW YORK—(ANP)—Dr. Robert B. Irwin, an outstanding authority on work with the blind, died last week at his home in Port Orchard, Washington.

Blind from childhood, Dr. Irwin was an example of what a handicapped person can achieve. He was a pioneer in the education of partially blind children, and for 15 years he was in charge of public school classes for blind and partially blind children in Cleveland.

CENTURY-OLD WOMAN DIES IN VIRGINIA

ROANOKE, Va. (ANP) — Betetourt County lost one of its oldest citizens last week with the passing of Mrs. Ella Early Choice, 100, who would have been 101 Dec. 28. Born a slave, Mrs. Choice resided at Choicetown.

About People

IN NEW YORK

Ethel Waters stars in "Sixteen Sticks in a Bundle," the warm and moving story of a sharecropper family's struggle to educate their fourteen children, on "Cavalcade of America," Tuesday night, Jan. 1, at 8 o'clock over NBC.

The story begins in 1907, when newly married Leah Young (Ethel Waters) and her husband start life on their sharecrop farm in Southhampton County, Va. As the years pass, the farm prospers, there is a tidy nest egg in the bank—and best of all—a growing brood of healthy children. All of them, Leah vows, would have an education—maybe even go to high-school. Then disaster strikes.

One night the farm is totally destroyed by fire. Then, as the Youngs strive to rebuild from the ruins, their life savings are swept away in a bank failure.

How this undaunted family triumphs over these twin catastrophes and, despite depression times, manages not only to send their 14 children to high school—but also to put most of them through college—is revealed in a heart-stirring climax.

The annual Christmas party for more than 2500 Harlem kids was held Saturday morning at Loew's Victoria Theatre, sponsored by the 28th District Police Athletic League.

This year's program was emceed by Willie Bryant. It featured such stars as Sarah Vaughan, Roy Campanella, Sandy Saddler, Sugar Ray Robinson, the Orioles, Harlem's "Son-of-fun" Nipsey Russell, and many others.

The year's annual PAL Awards were made at the theatre. Trophies had been donated by Joe Louis, Louis Armstrong, Larry Steele, Radio Station WLIB, Miss Vaughan, Ray Robinson, and others, for outstanding leadership, best athlete, and other phases of work and activity in the PAL program.

When it comes to vocals, the Loumell Morgan Quintette takes a back seat to no group. The Morganites, who consists of Newell (Johnny) Johns, guitar; Jim Jam Smith, bass; Jesse Powell, tenor sax; Johnny Davis, drums, and the leader, piano, offers a variety of song stylists.

ERROL GARNER NIPSEY RUSSELL

Smith and Johns lead the novelty department, with Jim Jam specializing in blues and Johnny in bop. Davis handles most of the romantic ballads and the combo has a great number of vocal arrangements for the entire ensemble. The Morganmen are currently at Snookie's Cafe in Manhattan.

Friday night, Dec. 14, was the time of Ram Ramirez's opening at Wells' Music Bar in Harlem, and also the occasion of much classical piano music at the popular uptown spot.

Principal performer in this direction was Jean Valse, French pianist, who knew Ram intimately when the latter toured Europe with Dizzy Gillespie.

Ram is being supplemented by Dickie Mitchell at the Hammond Organ at Wells'. Mitchell, a WLIB staffer, is making his night club debut.

Erroll Garner opened a month's engagement at Cafe Society in New York last week. During his New York run, Erroll will cut more sides for Columbia under the direction of Mitch Miller.

A contralto voice of rare beauty was heard in the recital presented by Mrs. Katherine P. Ray Sunday afternoon at First AME Zion Church, Brooklyn.

The wife of Cornerstone Baptist Churches' pastor, the Rev. Sandy Ray, and a former student at the New England Conservatory of Music, she has ignored the offers of concert representatives to follow her hobby as director of a music studio for youth.

The singer showed a fine sense of musicianship in the use of her rich and mellow voice to present an artistic recital of well known songs from Schubert, Handel, Lehman, Verdi, Burleigh and other immortal composers.

Beautiful bouquets were presented Mrs. Ray by the Silver Lining Guild of First AME Zion, sponsors, the Hospitality Committee of the same church, and the Ladies Ushers Board of Cornerstone. Mrs. Ray received excellent accompaniment by Helen Ruth Jones.

18 Students Rate Among College Elite

CHICAGO—(ANP) — Eighteen students from two colored colleges have been elected to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities.

North Carolina College has 14 representatives, and Lincoln University (Pa.) has contributed four students to Who's Who.

Students elected are:

Lincoln — James Bell, Jersey City, N.J.; James A. Scott, Ardmore, Pa.; Ngwobia Uka, Nigeria, West Africa, and Walter T. Webb Jr., Baltimore.

North Carolina—Misses Joyce A. Daughtery, New York; Alethia Dixon, Asheville; Gloria Grant, Windsor; Gwendolyn Haywood, Raleigh; Cecilia Isham, Jacksonville, Fla.; Frances R. Peele, Ahoskie; Frances E. Reynolds, Cofield; Berlie M. Ray, New Bern; Doris J. Scipio, Chadbourn; Carrie D. Thomas, Ahoskie; Howard Love, Jr., Gastonia; Calvin Norman Jr., Jamaica, N.Y.; Elwood J. Streeter, Greenville; and Johnnie M. Wooten, Durham.

Students from American colleges and universities throughout the country are selected on the basis of scholarship and leadership ability.

NEWS FROM HOME

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VISITING IN TENNESSEE

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Dr. E. Gates Morgan, who is doing resident work in surgery in New York City, has arrived in Nashville to spend the Christmas holidays with his wife.

PRE-CHRISTMAS NUPTIALS

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Miss Amelia Myers, who recently returned to the music department of Fisk University after studying piano for some time in Paris, and George W. Goodman, dean of men at the university, were married here on Dec. 14.

YMCA FELLOWSHIP URGED

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. —Dean George L. Johnson of Winston-Salem Teachers College recently told members of the Patterson YMCA that Y fellowship is vital in our "bewitched, bothered and bewildered world."

MERRIEST CHRISTMAS

HEMPSTEAD, Texas — M/Sgt. J. L. Henderson, 24th Infantry Regiment vet, is looking for his happiest Christmas of all—he was recently released by the Communists after 8 months in a Manchurian prison camp.

HAPPY HILL GARDENS

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. —Happy Hill Gardens, the Twin City's first colored public housing project opened its 178-units for occupancy this week.

BODY HEADED FOR STATES

HENDERSON, N.C. — The body of Pfc. John T. Peace who was killed in action in Korea during the past Spring, is being returned to the United States and is expected to arrive here for funeral services at an early date. The parents of Private Peace are Mr. and Mrs. James A. Peace of the Watkins Section.

WORKS FOR PET MILK

COLUMBIA, S.C. — Miss Elizabeth Rivera, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Rivera of Winston-Salem, N.C., has began work as the first colored representative in the public relations department of Pet Milk Company. She is a graduate of Palmer Memorial Institute, Bennett College, and the Atlanta University School of Social Work. Miss Rivera did field work in the Union Settlement, New York City. Her headquarters will be here in Columbia.

ALUMNI OFFICERS

SALISBURY, N.C. — Mrs. Narvie P. Larke has been elected president of the Livingstone College Alumni Chapter of Winston-Salem. Others elected were Misses Naomi C. McLean, vice-president; Dorothy Ellis, secretary; Mesdames A. H. McDaniel, assistant secretary, and Mildred Knox, chairman of the program and social committee, and Fred D. Parker, treasurer.

TWIN NUPTIALS

GOLDSBORO, N.C. — Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ross have announced the marriages of their daughters. Miss Mary Elizabeth Ross is the bride of Robert Harris, while Mrs. Lillie Mae Greene is wed to Herbert Lewis.

HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

GOLDSBORO, N.C. — College students home for the Christmas holidays are James E. Green and James D. Everette of Tennessee State; Misses Mattie Hatcher and Geralding Best of Fisk University.

LEAVE FROM WAR FRONT

GOLDSBORO, N.C. — Cpl. Albert McClain recently spent a 30-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vinson McClain of 415 Miller St., after being in Korea for 10 months with the 24th Infantry Regiment.

HOSPITAL GETS $465

WARRENTON, N.C. — The Warren County Home Demonstration Club donated $465 to the Warren General Hospital, Mrs. Annie Branch, home agent, announced last week.

A LITTLE LOOK-SEE

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. — Dr. P. M. Brandon, newly-elected president of the local branch of the NAACP, said the organization will "look into" the selection of workers from Civil Service lists to see if colored citizens are bypassed in appointments.

VA. OLDSTERS FETED

DANVILLE, Va. — The 'Golden Age' party, an annual project to bring happiness and cheer to those in the community past the age of 50, was attended by 28 invited guests Sunday at the YMCA Building, with members of the committee of management as hostesses and sponsors.

HEADS DICK TRACYS

HOT SPRINGS, Va. — Sgt. John W. Essex heads Travis Air Force Base's Dick Tracy Boys — a club of 20 Ninth Air Force air policemen.

TOP EASTERN STAR

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Mrs. Jessie Inman was recently elected worthy matron of the Deborah Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Hampton Choir In 25-Minute Concert

HAMPTON INSTITUTE, Va. — The 106-voice Hampton choir gave a 25-minute holiday program over CBS last week, emanating from Ogden Hall on the campus.