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Ballot League Moves To Rally Non-Voters

4th District Political Unit In Door-To-Door Canvassing

The hard-working, government-conscious Ballot League of the 4th District rang door bells this week.

Working on the individual level by talking to housewives and homemakers personally, key members of the League began a concentrated effort to recruit workers and get non-voters registered and eligible to vote.

According to a League spokesman, community reception of the organization has been "more than encouraging."

"Persons we have talked to seem delighted to welcome us into their homes and to hear what we have to hear what we have tom,h have to say. We have been amazed at how conscious of politics people seem to be," one of the League field workers asserted.

Some of the political awareness, it is believed, is resultant of the television broadcasts of recent omission of certain groups from the local political picture.

Our rolls are growing by leaps and bounds," Harry A. Cole, president, said Thursday.

"We are getting calls daily from groups and individuals interested in joining us. A meeting of the officials has been scheduled to consider these requests."

Membership Open To All

It has been pointed out that the League is designed to rally all voters and, in its final makeup may include all types of groups such as neighborhood clubs, social and church clubs, fraternities and sororities as well as individuals not associated with any organization at all.

"Within the next two weeks we plan to run our first buses between the neighborhoods and the office of the supervisor of elections," Mr. Cole said. "We expect to increase the voting races considerably at the same time we unify the voting strength."

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Love Proves Still The Tie That Binds

Standing before Magistrate E. Everett Lane in Northwestern Police court Monday, Miss Geraldine Skinner, 1500 block Moreland Ave. glanced from behind her dark glasses over at her boy friend, John Doyle of the 1300 block Myrtle Ave.

She had just finished testifying that he had beaten her earlier in the day, and had exhibited two black eyes to prove it.

Love Unshaken

Magistrate Lane wanted to know if she still loved Doyle.

Yes, she did.

Did she want the magistrate to send him away to jail for awhile?

No, she didn't.

"You certainly can take it," Magistrate Lane commented.

As a warning not strike her in the future, the magistrate fined Doyle $50 and costs.

Playmates See Youngster Drown

Two playmates watched in horror as their 10-year-old playmate drowned while swimming in the Light Street harbor, Tuesday afternoon.

Funeral services for Lawrence Perry, 10, 126 S. Eden St., will be held from Elroy Wilson's Orleans St. funeral home on Sunday, at 1 p.m. Interment will be in the Mount Calvary Cenetry.

The drowning victim had gone to the foot of the harbor at Light and Barre Sts. with Charles McCoy, 11, 128 S. Eden St., and Ronald Pugh, 10, 111½ E. Lombard St.

The latter named boys told polic they were seimming in the harbor waters when young Perry dived and never re-appeared.

The police boat Charles D. Gaither recovered the boy's body shortly after 10 p.m., Tuesday night. He was pronounced dead on arrival at the Sough Baltimore General Hospital.

Man Fined $50 For Cruelty To Mule

A $50 fine, and a lecture by the SPCA on being kind to dumb animals, was received by Joseph Ross, 25, of the 300 block of E. 41 st., Tuesday in Northeastern police court.

He was arrested Monday, after an SPCA member stated that she saw him "beating a horse unmercifully."

According to Ross, the horse bolted while he was taking a watermelon from the wagon, therefore it was "necessary" to administer the beating.

Ross pointed out further that the animal in question was, "not a horse but a mule just out of the country."

The only possible way to break a mule in he said was by beating. Besides he stated, "that mule was responsible for the loss of 40 watermelons."

After the penalty, Ross insisted that he was a "muleskinner" and naturally knew more about such matters than the court.

Bystander Victim As 2 Cars Collide

An innocent bystander suffered ankle and knee bruises Monday in a collision of two trucks at the corner of Madison Ave. and Dolphin St.

Mrs. Lettice Ford, 34, of the 1300 block W. Lanvale st., was injured when the two trucks, one driven by Lansey A. Fitswater, 30, and the other by Walter F. Leader, 29, both white, ran together about 8:45 a.m.

The police report states that Fitzwater's truck was southbound on Madison Ave. when it struck the one driven by Leader, traveling east on Dolphin St., causing the latter to spin around, jump the curb and stike Mrs. Ford.

Decorated For Gallantry

A Silver Star is presented to Pfc. Charles E. Washington Jr. (right) during ceremonies on Okinawa. Washington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Washington of Lanham, Md., won the decoration for gallantry in action with the 24th Division's 19th Regiment on Okinawa. His wife, Shirley, lives at 235 12th St., Washington. Col. Ralph T. Simpson, 29th Regiment commander, makes the presentation. (U.S. Army Photo).

Grandmother Testifies Policeman Beat Grandson

Charges of police brutality were voiced in Northeastern District Court Tuesday, by a grandmother who claimed that her 25-year-old grandson was beaten by a patrolman.

In a hearing before Magistrate Samuel Gaboff, Mrs. Mildred Butler of the 1600 block of Bond St., stated that Patrolman George Kelly had beaten Earl Lomax "unnecessarily" on July 29.

Charged with disturbing peace, Lomax was arrested when the officer found him "loitering" with a group of boys in a restricted block.

Loitering Restricted

The area, the corner of Bond and Barnes Sts., had been put off limits due to a protest filed by merchants.

According to formal charges, Lomax and a group of boys were standing on the corner when the officer approached. Before he could question any one of them, the gang ran.

Patrolman Kelly said that Lomax was the only one that he could get his hands on.

Lying On Floor

After the arrest, Mrs. Butler stated that she went to the Northeastern District station to see her grandson, and found him "lying on the floor in pain."

Due to her "persistance" in the matter she stated, Lomax was taken to Johns Hopkins Hospital where he was treated for bruises and cuts.

Officer Kelly stated that in an attempt to arrest Lomax, the prisoner cursed and attempted to hit him.

Fined $50

At the conclusion of Tuesday's hearing, Lomox was fined $50 and cost. Mrs. Butler stated that witnesses in his behalf, failed to appear because they were "part of the gang."

Mrs. Butler said that witnesses residing within the neighborhood, failed to appear because they were all "at work."

She stated that the matter would be taken up with the NAACP.

Key-Snatching Charge Wins Divorce For Mrs. Jefferson

Charges that Albert W. Jefferson snitched her door keys and then refused her admission to their Rupp st. home, won a divorce for Mrs. Helena Jefferson, city school teacher, here this week.

Mrs. Jefferson, represented by Brown, Allen and Watts, attorneys told the court that her marriage in 1950 lasted only from January to November, when her husband became violent and put her out.

Her maiden name, Hall, was restored.

Beating Charged

Charges that Roland Hardy beat her, broke her teeth and caused her face to be swollen, won a divorce for Mrs. Ruby Hardy of 1522 N. Fulton Ave. this week.

They were married on June 25, 1949 and separated on August 28, 1950.

Mrs. Hardy also resumed her maiden name, Greene.

Roy S. Bond was her attorney. Mr. Bond also represented Norman Veney of 1304 N. Bentalou st., who divorced Mrs. Elizabeth Veney on grounds of voluntary desertion.

Had Other Interests

William Forbes of 1633 Ashland ave., who divorced Mrs. Idell Forbes of 645 Sterling st., said that his wife left him after telling him that she was interested in someone else.

Lafayette Ave. Lot To Become Play Areas

Efforts by the Community Protective association to have two city-owned lots in the 2000 block of W. Lafayette Ave. developed as play areas were rewarded this wee by an announcement that the development has been approved by the Board of Estimates.

Mrs. Thelma S. Faulcon, association corresponding secretary, revealed the decision in a letter to the AFRO which declared:

"For quite some time this organization has been working to get such action by the City, and now feels very proud of this accomplishment."

Letter From Callowhill

Accompanying Mrs. Faulcon's letter was an announcement of the approved development by H. S. Callowhill, superintendent of recreation.

Officials of the association, in addition to Mrs. Faulcon, include: Jodie Vance, president; John T. Redd Jr., vice president; George Hans, second vice president; Mrs. Martrie Bunch, recording secretary, and Miss Sarah Osborne, treasurer.

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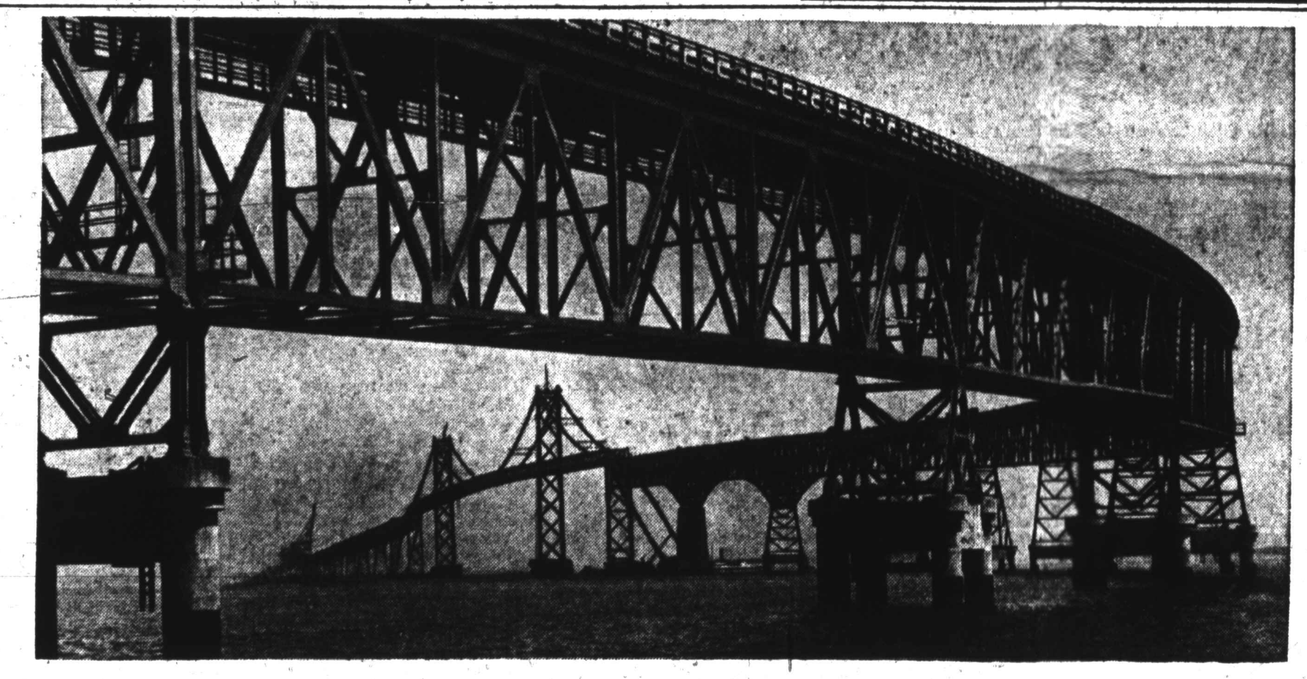

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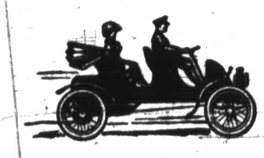

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