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Teacher Accuses AFRO In Loveless Wedding Suit

Adams Gets 7 Yrs. Rouse Draws 3 Yrs.

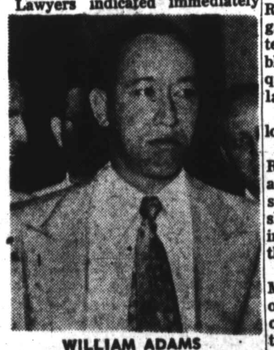
Judge Mason Hands Down Stiff Terms; Lawyers Will Appeal

William (Little Willie) Adams was sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary and fined $2,000 by Judge E. Paul Mason in Criminal Court this (Tuesday) morning.

Walter Rouse, with whom the State contended Mr. Adams conspired to violate lottery laws drew a 3-year prison term and a $2,000 fine.

Judge Mason said Adams had not repented and Rouse was his "stooge, front and puppet" in one of the largest lottery operations in Baltimore which was a "substantial, defiant, continuous" violation of the law.

Lawyers indicated immediately that they will appeal the sentences to the Court of Appeals.



WILLIAM ADAMS

The chain of events which brought Mr. Adams and Mr. Rouse to face sentence today began three years ago with a lottery raid on a house in the 2000 block W. North ave. called "headquarters for one of the city's largest syndicates."

These events occurred as follows:

NOVEMBER 19, 1949 — Mr. Rouse and 16 other persons were arrested. Captain Emerson's vice squad confiscated 24,373 betting slips and 47 numbers tapes showing bets totalling $43,201 which they said represented 900 writers.

While the raid was in progress, Mr. Adams had come to the door of the house, but upon seeing the officers, he fled, and was overtaken about three doors away.

Keys Fit Boxes

However, keys found in his pocket were able to unlock strong boxes found in the house.

NOVEMBER 20, 1949—At the police court hearing, Mr. Adams was dismissed when the magistrate ruled that his arrest was illegal since he was not caught inside the house.

NOVEMBER, 1949—The following week, the police department submitted a "special" case against Mr. Adams to the grand jury which indicted him for lottery operation at the raided house for the period Nov. 14 to Nov. 19, 1949.

MARCH, 1950—Mr. Adams was freed by Judge Michael Manley who ruled that the search warrant used in the raid could not include Mr. Adams because he arrived on the scene nearly two hours after the raid was in progress. The State appealed this

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Businessman Hit By Trolley Dies

Rueben N. Colley, 52, prominent appliance store businessman, died at 6:45 a.m. Monday in Provident hospital of injuries received Saturday morning when he was struck by a Baltimore Transit Company trackless trolley.

Mr. Colley was running to catch a taxicab in front of his store at Pennsylvania ave. and Mosher st. about 10 a.m. when he was hit by the vehicle, which was driven by Frank Meyers, 30, of the 2700 block W. North ave.

The No. 30 trolley, eastbound on W. Mosher st., had just discharged passengers on the west side of Pennsylvania ave., and travelled about 90 feet east on Mosher st.

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Mrs. Clara Barnes Jenkins, North Carolina teacher, who on Sept. 15 filed suit for divorce from Hugh M. Jenkins, also a teacher, charging that he beat her, failed to fulfill the duties of a husband and made her pay for her own room and board. Mr. Jenkins, a World War II veteran, answered that she is "obsessed with fanatical ideas about her legal rights, gained from reading the AFRO-AMERICAN."

Man Charges Wife Given Fanatical Ideas

She Seeks Divorce On Grounds That He Mistreated Her

HENDERSON, N.C. — A Fayetteville, N.C., school teacher, in a 14-page answer to his wife's suit for divorce, charged that she is "obsessed with fanatical ideas about her rights, gained from reading the AFRO - AMERICAN Newspaper."

Hugh M. Jenkins, a World War II combat veteran and teacher at Newbold Training School, Fayetteville, made the unusual charge in reply to the suit filed Oct. 15, 1951, by his wife, Mrs. Clara B. Jenkins, a former school teacher.

Mrs. Jenkins charged that her husband beat her on several occasions and that he made her pay room rent and half the food bill but they never lived together as man and wife. They never had a honeymoon she said.

Wife Asking Support

The case is slated to be aired Dec. 3 before Judge F. J. Frizzelle in Superior Court of Halifax County.

Seeking a limited divorce, Mrs. Jenkins also asked the court to set the amount of money her husband should pay for her support. Mr. Jenkins denied that he struck his wife and contended that he "reluctantly agreed" to marry her in Fayetteville Dec. 16, 1949, after she told him that she was expecting a child. He said the

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Four Persons Killed During Holidays

Death struck angrily in four Baltimore homes over the long Thanksgiving week end.

A marriage of 30-years' duration has ended with the fatal knifing of the 53-year-old wife, a mother of two young girls is charged with another stabbing, and the parents of 8 children have been found dead in a closed garage in what may have been a death pact or a horrible accident.

The 30-year marriage ended in sudden death early Monday morning for Mrs. Jessie R. Smith, 53, of the 2200 block Druid Hill ave.

Held in connection with the fatal

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471 DAYS

since charges were filed and sustained against the Superintendent of

Boys' Village

The January grand jury recommended that no State employee should be named to the Board of a State Institution.

UN Debates Probe Of Jim Crow In South Africa

Brig.-Gen. Carlos Romulo, left, Philippine representative in the United Nations, photographed with Mrs. Edith Sampson, United States delegate. His country voted to investigate and abolish racial segregation in South Africa. Her country abstained—sat on the fence, did not vote either way.

Harrison Case Files Opened

Appeal Planned In Paternity Case

WASHINGTON

The cloak of secrecy that enveloped the celebrated Harrison paternity case was lifted this week as a statement of the proceedings held Aug. 4 and 5 in District juvenile court was filed in the municipal court of appeals.

The papers were filed in the appeals court in connection with an appeal petition filed by the Rev. Mr. Harrison through two of his attorneys, Foster Wood and Belford V. Lawson.

The statement concerned the summary of the testimony, copies of the birth certificate and a complaint filed by Miss Olivia Holmes against the Rev. Earl J. Harrison, pastor of Shiloh Baptist church.

Titled "D.C. vs Earl Leonard Harrison, Case No. 1299," the record discloses that Miss Holmes filed a complaint on March 21, stating that Diane Antoinette Harrison, born out of wedlock Oct.

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United Nations Assembly Warned 3rd World War Will Be Against Communism and 4th To End World Segregation Of Colored Peoples

By JAMES L. HICKS

UNITED NATIONS, New York—Although the eyes of world statesmen today are turned towards the shooting war and the fight against communism in Korea, in their mind's eye these same statesmen are casting backward glances all the way around the world to Africa, where a struggle of white man against colored man threatens to entirely upset whatever peace there is left in the world.

One only has to come within the shadows of the magnificent United Nations building in New York to get the feeling that despite the horrors of Korea, the nations of the world are more concerned about what is happening, and what might happen in Africa, than in any other place in the world today.

And one only has to walk down the corridors of the UN building to know that the tap root of all the trouble is race—the struggle of the colored man against the white.

Not Anticipated

It's a struggle that the big powers did not anticipate when they set up the UN a few years ago. It's a struggle that they were not prepared for. But it's a struggle which they all realize they must give their attention to—and now!

In the official press releases handed out at the UN, they

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call it the "colonial issue." In the carpeted conference halls the delegates speak of it as the "problems of dependent areas."

But at the UN's liquor bars, across the lunch tables, and down the long corridors, everyone speaks of it as exactly what it is—"the race problem."

Any day now a plenary session of the UN will be called on to face part of "the problem" squarely. It's the last thing that the big powers wish to do.

Must Face It

But they either must face it or let the UN die a slow death like the League of Nations did.

The problem breaks down into four parts and resembles a shotgun with four barrels, all pointing in the direction of England, France, the Union of South Africa and a few other major powers whose very existence is closely tied in with the preservation of the supremacy of the white man over the colored man.

Indirectly, the United States is also sitting in the target area, for every clerk at the UN knows that any shotgun blast fired in the direction of England's John Bull and his racial discriminations will also hit the coattails of America's Uncle Sam and his color problem.

South Africa Explosive

Probably the most highly loaded barrel of the shotgun is the one aimed at the head of the Union of South Africa. Briefly stated, the powder in this highly explosive shell is this:

There are 12 million people in South Africa of whom

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TEST OF SECOND-CLASS BEACH BEGINS:

Lawyer Questions State Workers About Sandy Pt.

The latest action in the NAACP lawsuit against segregated facilities at Sandy Point Beach was the pre-trial deposition hearing, last week of state officials charged with operation and maintenance of the state park.

Summoned to give testimony as sworn witnesses were Nathan L. Smith, Sidney D. Peverley, Garrett O. Billmire, Joseph F. Kaylor and Joseph Henderson.

NAACP Attorney Linwood G. Koger Jr., conducted the questioning on behalf of the plaintiffs, assisted by Jack Greenberg, special NAACP counsel from National Headquarters.

Robert M. Thomas, assistant Attorney General for Maryland, acted on behalf of the defendants.

July 4 Incident

The NAACP based its suit on the refusal of state officials to admit five adults and three children to Sandy Point's South Beach —designated for whites only — last July 4.

Mrs. Marian Downs, Mrs. Beatrice Martin, Alvin Graham, Milton Lonesome, and Bowen Jackson, the adults, Karleen Downs, Lillie Mae and Christine Jackson, the children, are the plaintiffs in the lawsuit.

Nathan L. Smith, State Director of Public Improvements, gave first testimony.

Q What connection has the Department of Public Improvement with Sandy Point State Park and Beach?

A The Department of Public Improvements has directed the erection and development of the facilities at the park since it was acquired.

Q Does the Department of Public Improvements have any au-

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