PROMOTING GUNTHER CONTEST—Bill Alexander, Gunther Brewing Company public relations representative, is encouraging entries in the company's current contest. Grand prizes include six automobiles such as the one pictured.

GOP meeting cites lack of qualified candidates

The local Republican party issued a clarion call for candidates at a political meetings, Thursday night.

At the same meeting, a long-term machine Republican, hinted that the "gambling element" was out to abolish the "sitting judge" policy as revenge for recent goo-goo policies by Criminal court judges where gamblers are concerned.

There were six speakers at the meeting of the Citizens Republican Club, incinding Dr. Malcolm Moss, Hopkins University professor who was recently elected as chairman of the Republican City Committee.

Only one of these speakers recognized the colored voter as a possible candidate in the coming election.

Big Loss Noted

Sam Hopkins (R. Third) only Republican in the House of Delegates, warned the group that there was a big loss of the colored vote by the Republican party in the last election.

"My firm opinion is that as far as the 5th Legislative district is concerned we should ask the colored Republicans to offer a fine colored candidate," Mr. Hopkins declared.

"Then we should back him," Mr. Hopkins is reported to be seeking the nomination for the 4th Congressional seat.

When he made his statement concerning the colored candidate he the only applause among the 100-odd members of the audience came from Dr. Robert Gill, Morgan College political science professor.

Dominant Theme

The appeal for party members to run for office was the dominant theme at the meeting. The Citizens Republican Club was organized for the express purpose of selecting candidates for office from the 3rd and 5th Legislative districts.

The club members were joined in the appeal for candidates by Deely K. Nice, a life-long Republican, and present chairman of the State Tax Commission.

Mr. Nice lauded the formation of the Citizens club as "encouraging." "If there is anything that the Republicans need more than anything else, it's more Republicans," he said.

He reminded the club members that candidates should be screened in as well as screened out. He was referring to the formation of screening committees by the Citizens Republican club in the 3rd and 5th Legislative districts.

Sitting-Judge Policy

After delivering this advice, Deely Nice gave a 30-minute off-the-cuff talk on the "sitting Judge" policy.

He openly endorsed the three judges who will be on the slate in the June primary.

Then Mr. Nice hinted at an impending "all-out" drive to defeat the previous policy of returning sitting judges to the Bench. According to Mr. Nice, the gambling element has been dissatisfied with the "get-tough" policy of the present judges on the Bench.

"They may feel they have been cruely treated because they've been sent to jail. Hence this concerted effort to unseat the judges.

"They (the gamblers) have money, too, for I've seen some signs of it displayed," Mr. Nice charged.

Judges In The Running

The Supreme Bench judges who will run in the primary are Judges Emory K. Niles, James K. Cullen and Joseph L. Carter.

The only man so far to file for one of the judgeships is Marion K. Miller, former magistrate at Southwestern police station.

Dr. Moss, who arrived at the meeting late, was the last speaker on the program. He firmly supported the policy of the Citizens Republican club in getting candidates for the offices named as in the Legislature.

"The way to win on top is to get candidates on the ground floor in local offices," said Dr. Moss.

"Those of us here have something in common in believing in Eisenhower's program, or we wouldn't be here tonight." Dr. Moss then urged those present to cultivate the independent voter and the registered Democrat.

Egg-Head Problem

"The Democratic party is beset by the egg-head problem," Dr. Hopkins political science professor said. "We don't have that kind of division.

"But I want to call attention to the problem currently facing the Republican party of the 'station-wagon' set. It's something that has been happening for a long time.

"The old party system of political patronage has vanished."

Dr. Moss then attributed this patronage as being the cohesive factor in holding organizations together.

Sam Hopkins in his call for candidates to run for office on the Republican ticket, declared the coming elections would be a "showdown" for the Republican candidate.

Eisenhower's Popularity

Mr. Hopkins said the position that Eisenhower's popularity would result in the voters wanting to return more Republicans to office.

Dr. Moss took issue with that part of Sam Hopkins speech concerning the elections being a "showdown."

"We can do it," said Dr. Moss, but it's going to be an incredibly hard job."

In addition to Hopkins, Deely Nice, and Dr. Moss, Paul Parsons, president of the Citizens Republican club; Ed Sparrow, vice president, and Betty Thompson, secretary, also spoke.

Dr. John Woodland, member of a prominent Republican family, is the only colored officer of the interracial club. He was seated at the speaker's table but did not speak.

Baseball tickets among prizes in Gunther contest

Gunther Brewing Company has purchased 36,000 tickets to Baltimore Oriole home games this season, the largest single purchase of tickets in the advance sale campaign, club officials said.

According to LeRoy S. Cohen, president of the company, Gunther previously purchased 4,000 tickets, making 40,000 tickets in all, almost one fifth of the total paid admission for the Orioles' 1953 season.

Tickets as Prizes

The 36,000 tickets will be awarded as prizes by Gunther in a contest which will see 750 winners each week all season, with a pair of coupons to go to each winner.

These coupons are redeemable for tax-paid tickets to 1954 Oriole home games of the winner's choosing.

Gunther will award grand prizes every fourth week to winners who will be selected from among the ticket winners of the previous four weekly contests.

Grand prizes include six automobiles (Chevrolet Corvettes), six eight-cubic-feet refrigerators (International Harvester), six 21-inch TV sets (Admiral), 18 Roto Broil "400" Rotisseries, 36 watches (Gruen), and 18 toasters (Camfield).

Only to Residents

The Gunther contest is open only to residents of Maryland, 21 years of age or over, except Maryland alcoholic beverage licensees, Gunther employees, the advertising agency, judging staff, and their families.

Entries will be judged in each week's contest as received by Reuben H. Donnelley Corporation.

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Contestants may enter as often as they please, may use official entry blanks or plain paper, but must send three Gunther neck labels with each entry.

Public relations unit plans second meeting on integration picture

At the request of those who attended the first meeting of the Public Relations Committee, a second meeting on "integration" will be held April 5, in the auditorium of Booker T. Washington junior high school.

Edgar Ewing, assistant to director of management, Baltimore Housing Authority, will be the speaker; Dr. Furman Templeton, executive director of the Baltimore Urban League, will be the discussion leader and meeting late, was the last speaker on the program. He firmly supported the policy of the Citizens Republican club in getting

POLITICS: Another Republican Viewpoint

By J. L. JASPER

Republicans are aghast at the unwillingness of orator McKeldin, honored time and again by colored voters — mainly Republicans — to direct Major General Reckord, Maryland National Guard Adjutant General, to end separate guard units in this state.

On the other hand, the Democratic governor of Ohio, Frank J. Lausche, has signalled the end of separate Guard units in that state, stating that there was no justification for "separate units based upon color, religion, creed or otherwise."

What justification can there be for our voluble Republican Governor of Maryland remaining silent on this vital topic?

It is sad that the voice which is heard endlessly on insignificant topics should not now be heard loudly for his election.

His aide reports that McKeldin is not ready to make a statement on the subject, a most unusual admission on behalf of a man who has benefitted so many times from colored votes.

Yet this man deludes himself into expecting to again receive the support of the 450,000 colored Republicans of Baltimore.

The same is true of Senator Butler and the other big wheel Republicans of the Republican Party who think the 48,000 colored Republicans are in the bag for them.

What an awakening is in store for these short - sighted politicians, who have so far ignored every Republican in Baltimore who can control votes but instead have elevated to high office registered Democrats, and Republicans in name only.

Does Washington Know?

One wonders whether Mr. Leonard Hall, the Republican national chairman, knows anything about conditions in this state.

He could hardly learn of it from the Maryland representatives on the National Committee, McKeldin and Miss Bertha N. Adkins, the woman member.

The former is directly responsible for the conditions which prevail and Miss Adkins is in Washington most of the time and would hardly know what is going on here. However, she will learn, as will McKeldin, Butler, Beall and the others who are now riding so high.

But it will be too late after the election in November when, I believe, every Republican, including all candidates for congress, except possibly the Sixth District, will be defeated.

And the sad part of it is that it is possible for the calamity to be avoided, if those who have ruined the party will step aside and permit the workers, as distinguished from talkers, to carry on:

Unwilling

Again I recur to the National Guard matter. McKeldin must be forced to take action, and if he doesn't, then we must take the matter to court and try to compel him to do the right thing.

It might be wise to start, but at any rate it will focus the attention of the people all over the land to the unwillingness of a so-called Republican Governor to intervene on behalf of a great segment of the people of this state, who have always befriended him..

Iroquois Park was lost in the Supreme Court.

However last week, again the director of the public parks system voluntarily decided that it was "economically wise" to open the public parks amphitheatre to all.

No small credit in this changing social pattern is due Louisville's last two mayors. Liberal to the core, Charles Farnsley, who ended his six year term last fall, set the stage.

Broaddus Continues

When his successor, Andrew Broaddus, identified with the Capital Laundry family, came into office, he took up where Farnsley left off.

His first move was to open nurse training at Louisville's City Hospital to colored. Four girls are now living in the nurses' home, at his order.

Next, Mayor Broaddus eliminated separate civil service lists and advised all city department heads to hire applicants "on the basis of ability without regard to race."

Another sign of the times came when the local Urban League held its recent banquet in the Seelbach Hotel. This is a typical Dixie hostelry that has long been closed to us.

Perhaps most of all, the signal progress being made in Louisville is the fact that we have representatives on all policy-making boards in the city, except the board of education.

We could have a colored school board member, too, if we did not divide our votes among too many candidates. This year, already, two persons have filed for the election.

There is still more work to be done in Louisville. They have yet to "crack" the hotels, theatres and parks. But, they are on their way.

The moral in the Louisville situation is obvious. In the first place, everyone has worked together without giving up too soon.

They Use Votes

In the second place, they have used their votes to get city officials in office who support their causes.

Mention should be made also of young "liberals" who are rising up to take the place of "diehards" who are passing from the scene.

HYACINTH — The social club met with Mrs. Mary Jones at 1709 W. Lexington st.

Next meeting will be held with Mrs. Mary Largree at 1707 W. Lexington st.

Mrs. Bessie is president and Mrs. Emma Day, editor.

Democratic Viewpoint

By ROBERT B. WATTS

Down Turner Station way the Democratic group that has produced the vote in the past has decided on its slate. Talked with Dan Reddick, a power in Democratic politics in Turner Station and he gave us assurance that his group is going all out with the Birmingham-Turnbull faction.

This is the incumbent group, led by Mike Birmingham, county commissioner and John Granson Turnbull, state senator.

I spoke on a program with both of these men back in the 1950 fight and they promised if they got in, there would be colored police in Turner Station. We now find colored police in that section of Baltimore county.

Could Insure Election

If the Democrats of Catonsville, under the leadership of George Kipp, would line up with Dave Reddick and the Turner Station Democrats, they could really insure the election of the Birmingham - Turnbull faction.

Incidentally, Gordon Boone is connected with this faction. I have talked with him often down at the legislature and find him a real leader.

This same group led by Dave Reddick has indorsed George P. Mahoney for Governor. They have been with him before and know the man personally.

Here's hoping that Dave Reddick and the Democrats from Catonsville can join forces to present a solid colored vote behind Mike Birmingham. If they do, you can bet they will show the voters in Baltimore City how to get things done.

National Guard Question

There seems to be growing dissatisfaction among the Republican ranks over the National Guard Situation.

The officers of the Guard are up in the air because McKeldin has failed to answer two of their letters and when he invited the Guard officers to Annapolis each New Year they were left out. They have gone to the Republicans for an answer. It's hard to say to these men, who are the only National Guardsmen who fought actual battle in the Korean campaign, that there is no room for them in the National Guard except in a jim-crow unit.

This may turn out to be the issue in this next campaign. It will be interesting to see how the Democratic candidates will treat this issue. It may not cost us a political campaign.

Think I'll try to discover the Democratic viewpoint with respect to the Guard situation. Should be interesting.

Judge Foster Files

Dulany Foster has filed for reelection to the Orphans Court. We lawyers refer to Judge Foster as the "Lawyers' Judge." Whenever an intricate problem arises with respect to testamentary law you will hear "Let's go over and ask Judge Foster."

Not only does he can know a profound knowledge of the Law and Orphans Court Procedure, but he has what, I think, should recommend him to all voters: an understanding appreciation of each problem and a cordial willingness to help all those who come before him.

He greets the litigants with a smile, sometimes a joke, and then with a keen attention to detail, he advises and performs his duties.

I recommend him to all the voters of the city, Democrat and Republican.

Blames stabbing on jealous rage

After admitting that she stabbed her sweetheart four times with a paring knife because of jealousy, Miss Edna Gross, 18, of the 1400 block Harlem ave. was sentenced to six months in prison on Wednesday.

Magistrate E. Everett Lane imposed sentence in Northwestern police court, following Miss Gross' admission that she stabbed Willie Dovitin, 20, of the 1400 block N. Mount st., when she saw him walking with another girl.

"I was going to show him that he wasn't too big for me walking with that other girl," Miss Gross testified.

The stabbing took place in the 1400 block Lorman st. on March 9. Dovitin was confined to a hospital for five days with wounds in the chest, leg, arm and back.

Lane frees man in lottery case, after illegal arrest

The recovery by police of several alleged lottery slips and tapes from a garbage can resulted in the arrest of a housewife and an interior decorator on Tuesday.

Appearing in Northwestern police court on Wednesday, Mrs. Bertha Walker, 50, of the 1700 block Ruxton ave. was ordered held for action of the grand jury in $2,500 bail on a lottery charge.

Alvin Payne, 50, of the 1300 block N. Gilmor st., who listed his occupation as "interior decorator" was dismissed by Magistrate E. Everett Lane, after his attorney, Milton Allen, argued that the defendant had been arrested illegally.

Found Canvas Bag

Mr. Allen said that even though police testified that they found a canvas bag containing number slips pinned to Mr. Payne's underwear, the evidence could not be used against the defendant since it was discovered during an illegal search.

The attorney argued that Mr. Payne had agreed to the search because he believed that he was under arrest.

Since police had no warrant for Mr. Payne and had not seen him commit any illegal act that would justify an arrest, they could not use any evidence obtained from the search against him, Mr. Allen said.

The chain of events leading to the arrest of the two defendants was set in action early Tuesday afternoon when plainclothesmen from the Northwestern station saw Mr. Payne enter the Ruxton ave. house by the rear door and leave from the front.

The house had been under observation for several days, Officer Wilbur Rose said, and when Mr. Payne came out of the home, he was questioned as to the reason for his visit.

Mr. Payne told officers that he was doing some painting for Mrs. Walker and the housewife backed up his story.

After leaving the front of the house, Officers Rose and Willie Cheeks went to the alley behind the building, where they looked through a hole in the fence and saw Mrs. Walker put something in the garbage can.

She then took the garbage can to the back yard of a home two doors from her house, and left it there. Officer Rose said. He opened the garbage can, found the number slips and tapes, and then went back to Mrs. Walker's home where he placed her under arrest.

Acting on orders of Officer Rose, Officer Cheeks hurried down Presbury st., and stopped Mr. Payne as he was about to enter a taxicab. The officer said he asked Mr. Payne to go back to the house and that he agreed.

Mr. Payne was searched at the house and the canvas bag with $114 in plays, representing seven numbers stations, was found pinned to his underwear, Officer Cheeks said.

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