In Our Churches

(Editor's note: deadline for church news is Wednesday, 3 p.m.

High School graduates who are members of Sharp St. Methodist Church, will be honored with a special program and reception, Sunday, at 8:30 p.m.

Sponsoring the affair are The Mid-week Prayer Group, the Home Department of the Church School and the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

Featured on the program will be the Great Hymns choir, directed by the Rev. Daniel Ridout. The Rev. J. O. Williams is pastor.

Youth Day

Youth Day was observed at Union Bethel AME Church, Randallstown, Sunday, with the morning sermon delivered by Leroy Pinder, boy preacher of Metropolitan Methodist Church.

The Community Club of Mt. Pleasant AME Church, Owings Mills, met Thursday, in the Rachel Clark Hall, adjoining the church.

The Rev. and Mrs. Wayman Norris, Church Lane, Randallstown, will host the Missionary Society of Union Bethel Church, tonight (Friday) at their home.

The Vacation Church School at Sharp St. Methodist Church will begin Monday, June 28, ending July 16. Classes will be held from 9 a.m. to noon for children 5-years-old to 15-years of age.

Musical Program

A musical program will be presented at St. Matthews Methodist Church, Sunday, at 8 p.m., in celebration of Youth Day, sponsored by the Youth Choir. Mrs. Oleta Burrell is the director. The Rev. F. F. King is pastor.

The Rev. W. J. Sanders will sponsor program, Sunday, at Love Temple. The Rev. Mrs. T. J. Kein is pastor.

At a recent affair, the Rev. Mt. Bouwdere presented Joseph Patts, Dr. Robert Gill, d. Theodore Hare and the Rev. David Mitchell.

Daily Vacation Bible School will begin at Grace Presbyterian Church, Monday, June 21. The Rev. Robert T. Nebolsi is pastor.

The Baptist Training Union of Providence Baptist Church will present a program, Sunday, at 3 p.m. The Rev. Marcus C. Wood is pastor.

Candlelight baptizing will be held at Knox Presbyterian Church, Monday, June 28 at 8 p.m.

Daily Vacation Bible School will begin at Knox Church, Monday.

Convention Delegates

Baltimor, will be delegates of the international convention of minister's wives meeting in Detroit, June 29 to July 2.

Lotoh, Spencer Johnson, Goldie Green, Ulher Taylor, and James M. McFarlan.

Featured on a program at Noble Temple Baptist Mission, 400 Wilson St., Sunday, at the pastor, the Rev. J. C. Noble, and the sunset Bailey Gospel Singers. Communion was served at 3 p.m.

The Pilgrim Church choir and junior choir will sing Sunday night at Noble Temple Baptist Church. The Rev. J. C. Noble is pastor.

Save Storer campaign set

Baltimore minister heads alumni group

HARPERS FERRY, W. Va.—The Save Storer Campaign Committee held its regular meeting here at the campaign headquarters on the campus of Storer College, last Friday night.

Practically all members of the committee were present and plans were made for a nation wide campaign to run from July 1-31.

The goal of the committee is to raise $75,000 in this drive which will clear the college of its indebtedness and make necessary minor repairs.

The Committee received favorable reports from various alumni of Storer in regard to the number of students expected for the fall term. It is hoped that the public will respond in a fine way to the July campaign, which will prevent the sale of Storer College.

The campaign is headed by the Rev. Marcus Garvey Wood, pastor of the Providence Baptist Church, Baltimore, and president of the General Alumni with Lois Temple. The Rev. Mrs. T. J. Kein is secretary.

MORTGAGE PAYOFF—William Polk, right, president of the Trustee's Aid at the Star of Bethlehem AME Church in Mt. Winan, is shown presenting credit card for $1,050 to Trustee George W. Hill to pay off church's mortgage. Looking on in center is the Rev. W. R. Chew, pastor.

Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam gets in the last word

WASHINGTON

According to a report from the Methodist Information Service, Dr. D. M. Pleasants of the Orchard Street Methodist Church, Baltimore, paid glowing tribute to Bishop Oxnam, when the delegation from the Conference brought greetings to the Baltimore Conference from their bishop and members.

Said Dr. Pleasants:

"Africa has the greenest laurel but none green enough to twine a chaplet for the brow of the author of 'I Protest'; South America has quarries of finest marble, but none white enough on which to write the name of this embattled prelate:

"Asia has sky-kissing mountains with snow - capped peaks that rise up to tickle the angels' feet, but none high enough on which to erect a monument to this exemplar of truth.

"Memphis has her Thebes; Paris her pantheon; London her Westminster Abbey; Washington her Arlington, but no tombs of earth are rich or gorgeous enough to enshrine the deathless deeds of this worthy bishop, deathless deeds of this Galahad, this St. George, this Gabriel, this Michael, this Raphael—Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam!"

After expressing his sincere appreciation, Bishop Oxnam said "When I picture a laurel wreath on my head and my feet tickled by the Himalayas, I can just see Mrs. Oxnam in excruciating laughter. I did note also, that he put me in a tomb before he got through with me."

200 attend dedication of Dr. Nixon library

ANNAPOLIS—Over 200 persons attended special ceremonies here yesterday when a new medical library, named in honor of the late Dr. Ethel L. Nixon, was dedicated in the recently opened Adolph Meyer Building at Crownsville State Hospital.

Dr. Nixon had been director of psychiatric education at Crownsville for seven months when she died of a rare blood disease in February of 1953.

A plaque bearing Dr. Nixon's name was placed on the door of the library. This was made possible through a memorial fund from Johns Hopkins Hospital, where she had been resident physician for two years prior to coming to Crownsville.

H. U. Class Of '34

The Howard University Medical Class of '34, Dr. Nixon's graduating class, presented $350 to the library to supplement the some 250 volumes already purchased.

Making the presentation was Dr. Louis E. Harmon, who recalled how Dr. Nixon was the only woman in the Class of '34, and spoke of the high esteem in which classmates held her.

A bookplate bearing the inscription: "Crownsville State Hospital: Ethel L. Nixon Memorial Library," and designed by Mrs. Philip Butchey, wife of the Morgan State College professor, was presented the library.

Portrait Unveiled

Dr. Nixon's portrait, donated by her family, was unveiled by her 16-year-old daughter, Mera.

Present were members of her family and her Howard University graduating class; a representative from Washington's Freedmen's Hospital, and other friends of the late doctor.

Dr. Jerome Frank, of Phipps Clinic; Dr. E. Y. Williams, of Howard, and Dr. Jacob Morgan, chief, of the State Department of Mental Hygiene, were principal speakers at the ceremony.

The Rev. James O. West, Calvary Episcopal Church, Washington, the late doctor's pastor, gave the invocation and benediction.

Baptist church conducts survey

The Johnsie Jones Memorial Circle of the Ebenezer Baptist Church is conducting on Sunday, a survey of the community.

Several members of the congregation, including members of the sponsoring circle, will begin the survey at 2 p.m. to determine:

The number of people in the area who do not belong to any church;

Who belong to churches outside the area; those who are sick Christians, and those whose children do not attend any Sunday School.

Group Entertained

Mrs. Virginia Stokes, president of the circle, named in memory of the founder of Ebenezer, reports that her organization is enthusiastic over the possibilities of this survey.

The Rev. Dr. Logan Kearse, pastor, stated that a survey of this nature was helpful in determining "the extent to which a church may make its program felt in the life of the community."

Floyd Gee, hotel man, dead at 51

RICHMOND

Floyd Gee, well-known hotel man, died suddenly at his home, 740 N. 4th St., at 3 a.m. Tuesday, shortly after returning from work. He was 51.

A native Richmonder, Mr. Gee had been employed at the King Carter Hotel for 34 years. He was a member of the Mt Carmel Baptist Church and the Astoria Beneficial Club.

Mr. Gee is survived by his wife, Mrs. Virginia Hill Gee; a sister, Mrs. Winnie Clark and other relatives.

Funeral services will be held 1:30 p.m. Thursday at Mt. Carmel Church with burial in Woodland cemetery.

Boddie, Spaulding on September Grand Jury

The Rev. J. Timothy Boddie, pastor of New Shiloh Baptist Church and Daniel W. Spaulding, head of the Spaulding Realty Co., have been named to the grand jury for the September term which was selected by the Supreme Bench on Monday.

The 24 members of the September grand jury are called for Tuesday, Sept. 14, when the local courts will convene for the September term.

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11:00 A. M.—Preaching
3:00 P.M. — MISSIONARY PROGRAM, sponsored by Mrs. Nannie Harris.
7 to 8 P. M.—Young People's Hour.
8:00 P.M. — Preaching.
Thurs. 8 p. m. Regular Service and Prayer for the Sick.
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Rev. Mrs. Grace Lewis, Chairman.
ALL ARE WELCOME.

Mt. Zion Methodist Church
Riggs Ave. near Gilmor St.
9:30 A.M.—Church School
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by the Pastor
4:00 P.M.—Worship at St. Paul AME Zion Church, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania. Sermon by the Rev. J. J. Barnes. His Male Chorus and congregation will accompany him.
8:00 P.M.—Sermon
REV. J. J. BARNES, Pastor

UNION MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
HARLEM & WARWICK AVENUES
REV. N. B. CARRINGTON, Minister
Sunday, June 27
9:30 A.M.—Church School.
11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship. Subject: "Spare True Religion or Reserves of the Soul"
7:00 P.M.—"Religion of Escape, or Running Away From Life."
Second Week of Daily Vacation Bible School. 10:00 A.M.—1:00 P.M. Daily—Worship—Study—Recreation. Send all of the children. Over 100 registered last week.

Mt. Olivet Christian Church
FULTON AVE. AND PENROSE ST
9:30 A.M.—Bible School for all ages.
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by Rev. J. W. Frye of Indianapolis Ind. Baptizing.
3:30 P.M.—School of Missions.
7:30 P.M.—Address by Rev. J. W. Frye, Music by the joint choirs.
YOU ARE INVITED AND WELCOME
REV. C. L. WHITFIELD, Minister

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH
DRUID HILL AVE. and McMECHEN ST.
9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR—Music by the Gospel Chorus.
6:00 P.M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
8:00 P.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR—Music by the Gospel Chorus.
All Are Welcome Rev. V. V. K. Stokes, Pastor

FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH
"THE PRAYING CHURCH"
BOND STREET AND ASHLAND AVENUE
8:00 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—BAPTISMAL SERVICE AND PREACHING.
7:00 P.M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
8:00 P.M.—EVENING WORSHIP—PREACHING.
WE WELCOME YOU
REV. SIMON WILLIAMSON, D.D., Pastor

WAYLAND BAPTIST CHURCH
"The Friendly Church on The Corner"
MONROE AND FRANKLIN STREETS
All Services Today Are Affectionately Dedicated To The Late Rev. E. H. Reynolds, The Second Pastor Of Our Church.
9:30 A.M.—Graded Church School.
10:45 A.M.—Morning Worship—Sermon by the Pastor. Music by Senior Choir No. 2 and Gospel Chorus.
3:00 P.M.—Special Services sponsored by the Deacons and Deaconesses.
7:30 P.M.—Special Services sponsored by the Deacons and Deaconesses.
ALL ARE WELCOME
REV. W. W. PAYNE, Pastor

SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH
Bond and Preston Sts. "The Friendly Church"
9:15 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR. Music By Senior Choir No. 2 and Gospel Chorus.
3:00 P.M.—SERVICES sponsored by the Deacons & Trustees
6:00 P.M.—B.T.U.
8:00 P.M.—MUSICAL PROGRAM BY THE GOSPEL CHORUS
REV. J. R. GRANT, Pastor

Christian Community Church of God
1115-17 W. SARATOGA STREET
ORDER OF SERVICE
9:00 A.M.—Sunday School, Elder Wm. Roberts, Supt.
10:30 A.M.—Broadcast over Station W.S.I.D.
6:00 P.M.—Young Peoples Meeting.
8:00 P.M.—Evening Worship.
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11:00 A.M. Morning Worship Sermon by the Pastor
3:30 P.M. Consecration Service, Presiding
7:30 P.M. JULY 2nd 8:30 P.M.—Prayer for Sick

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10:00 A.M.—General Class.
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11:00 A.M.—Sermon by the Pastor. Subject: "Repentence: A Factor in World Redemption." Music by Senior Choir & Girls Choir.
1:30 P.M.—Church School. Mrs. Bessie Harmon Supt.
6:00 P.M.—Youth Fellowship. Subject: "An Evening Under The Star" on the church green. Miss Frances Jefferson, Pres.
8:00 P.M.—Evangelistic services.
REV. KELTY L. JACKSON, Pastor

MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
CAROLINE AND PRESTON STREETS
ANNUAL YOUTH DAY
9:30 A.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE REV. RANDOLPH E. BARNES, JR.
3:30 P.M.—PANEL DISCUSSION—Waddell Richardson, Moderator.
6:00 P.M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
8:00 P.M.—PAGEANT and REPORTS. MISS HELEN POWLKES, President MRS. EMMA POULSON, Directress
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Denies 'Angel' had authority to bank Calif. church funds

PHILADELPHIA

A spokesman at Father Divine's Philadelphia headquarters, Tuesday, issued the following statement concerning the $175,000 California suit involving one of Father's followers:

"Mrs. Irene Prattis, or Purity Love, had no authority whatsoever to sell any property of the Circle Mission Church in California whose officers are prosecuting her.

"She is a former president of the California church and allegedly took donations for the church and applied them to purchases of personal property.

"She did not represent Father Divine, who is only the spiritual adviser, in any capacity."

Guild supports six candidates

At the last meeting before the election held Wednesday, The Democratic Ladies Guild, with nearly 200 members, met at 2304 Whittier Ave., and pledged full support to George P. Mahoney for governor.

They also pledged support to these candidates in the Fourth Legislative District:

House of Delegates: Ernest Perkins and Turly Hatchett.

State Central Committee: W. C. Flippen.

Delegates to Convention: Lloyd Randolph, William B. Dixon and Dr. W. L. Boykin Sr.

Speaking at the meeting Mrs. Viola Tlott said the aim of the Guild is better government and "we are pledged to support the candidates we feel will make the state and city a better place in which to live."

Miss Kitty Young is president of the group and Mrs. Gladys Terry is secretary.

Simmons Memorial Baptist Church Incorporated
PENNSYLVANIA AVE. & CUMBERLAND ST.
Come With Us and We Will Do Thee Good.
SUNDAY, JUNE 27, 1954
9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL—Deacon Stephen Biddle, Superintendent.
11:00 A.M.—MORNING SERVICE—Sermon by Rev. F. J. Frye. Music by Senior Choir and Gospel Chorus.
3:30 P.M.—MEN'S USHER BOARD—Sermon by Rev. Barnes. Music by Senior Choir and other singing groups. Mr. J. Petkerins, President.
6:00 P.M.—Baptist Training Union, Mrs. Estelia Rush, Director; Nettie Jones, President.
8:00 P.M.—OLD FASHION REVIVAL SERVICE and Baptising. Sermon by Rev. J. Saunders. Music by Senior Choir, and Gospel Chorus. Come and hear the songs of Zion. Last service before choirs vacation. Mrs. Fannie Gross, Director; Mrs. Agness Partlee, President. Deacon Willie F. Booker, Chairman.

Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church
752 George Street
SUNDAY, JUNE 27th
9:00 A.M.—Sunday School — Mrs. Catherine Rogers, Supt.
11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship Sermon by the Pastor—Rev. Hiram E. Smith.
6:00 P.M.—B. T. U. Mrs. Thelma Hudson, President
8:00 P.M.—Evening Worship
ALL ARE INVITED
REV. HIRAM E. SMITH, PASTOR

Perkins Square Baptist Church
GEORGE AND OGSTON STREETS
YOUNG PEOPLE'S DAY
9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
10:30 A.M.—OPEN HEART SERVICE.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY REV. HAROLD I. WILLIAMS
6:00 P.M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
7:30 P.M.—EVENING WORSHIP MON., JUNE 28 THROUGH SUN., JULY 4—"REVIVAL WEEK"
REV. WARD D. VERBY, Pastor

Sharp Street Memorial Methodist Church
DOLPHIN and ETTING STREETS
9:30 A.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR — Subj.: "OUR UNBELIEFS".
6:00 P.M.—YOUNG PEOPLE'S "GREATER HYMN" CHORUS in CONCERT at LAUREL MOTOR CO., Baltimore Boulevard, Dept. of the Balto. Area, Directed.
NOTICE: Daily Vacation Bible School Begins June 28th at 9 A.M. to 12 Noon.
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1640 BRADY AVE., FAIRFIELD, MD.
9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
3:00 P.M.—REV. V. T. WILLIAMS, pastor, CHOIRS, and CONGREGATION of First Bapt. Church of Baltimore, will worship here.
8:00 P.M.—MESSAGE BY THE PASTOR. EVANGELISTIC SERVICE.
17th Anniversary Services of the Pastor Continuing Each Night.
WE WELCOME YOU
REV. E. W. WILLIAMS, Pastor

Orchard Street Methodist Church
Orchard Street Near Druid Hill Avenue
9:45 A.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON by the Pastor.
8:00 P.M.—EVENING WORSHIP—PREACHING.
ALL ARE WELCOME
REV. D. M. PLEASANTS, Pastor

GRACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
DOLPHIN AND ETTING STREETS
9:30 A.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR—Topic: "A PROPHET FULFILLS GOD'S DESIGN" YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHOIR.
WED. 8 P.M.—COMMUNION PREPARATORY SERVICE.
FRI. 7:30 P.M.—CLOSING SESSION of the DAILY VACATION SCHOOL.
You Are Cordially Invited To Attend These Services
THE REV. ROBERT T. NEWBOLD JR., Pastor

CONCORD BAPTIST CHURCH
FRANKLIN AND POPPLETON STS.
17th Annual Men's Day
9:45 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL. Rev. Montague Brackett, Supt.
11:00 A.M.—Sermon By the Pastor. Music by the Male Chorus.
3:30 P.M.—Guest Speaker, Rev. Marion C. Bascom. Pastor of Douglas Memorial Community Church.
6:30 P.M.—B. T. U.
7:30 — 8:30 P.M.—Program. Several guest speakers will appear 8:30 P.M.—Invincible Co. No. 11 Uniform Rank K of P of Md., will turn out in the interest of Men's Day. Mr. Willie Lee Scott, chairman of Men's Day. Meals will be served all day by the men of the church.
THE PUBLIC IS INVITED
REV. J. M. RAYNOR, Pastor

COOPERATION NEEDED — Clean Blockers of the 900 blocks of Franklin and Pierce Sts., have dedicated themselves to improving the appearance of these backyards and alley this summer. Captain Marjorie Ford complains the work is made doubly hard by the uncooperative attitude of the neighbors. Come on, let's give the youngsters a break, folks!

Clean Blockers compete for first Honor Flag

Additional captains file workers' list

Second week of drive underway after McCulloh Homes meeting

Captains, co - captains and their advisors, their first week of work behind them, related their experiences and aired their troubles at the weekly Clean Block meeting in the McCulloh Homes assembly room Friday morning.

Their problems all solved, the youngsters returned to various sections of the city with renewed determination to have their blocks place in the top of the competition this year.

Honor Flag Next

The principal aim right now is to qualify for the first Honor Flag which is to be awarded next Friday, July 2.

New captains received their flags and window cards Friday. Also work kits were distributed to late comers. It's not too late to register for this year's campaign, Clean Block officials said.

It takes only two weeks to get a block cleaned and painted, it was pointed out.

Additional blocks which have completed their registration by sending the name of the captain and the full list of workers as are follows:

Captain Brenda Jones 1000 W. Lanvale St.

Vivian Green, co-captain; Bobby Collins, Samuel Rogers, Annette Hackett, Carl Carter, Vincent Rogers, Ann Carbin, Alanzo Hackett, Billy Collins, Debra Collins, Timmy Collins, Venetta Carter, Jamie Greene, Sandra Jones, Debra Ross, LaVenia Ross, Brenda Lindsay, Frazier Lindsay, Mrs. Hilda Cotton, Mrs. Bertha Greene, Mrs. Violet Lindsay, Mrs. Lillian Lawrence, Mrs. Lois Kyler, Mrs. Mary Waters, Paul Lucas and Mary Lucas; captain of 1100 W. Lanvale St.

Captain Regina Williams 600 George St.

Barbara Eley, Patricia Henry, Jerry Brittle, Hazel Adams, Charles Adams, Marion Adams, Lenda Battle, Nathon Battle, Bernard Leggs, Stanley Leggit, Alvin Barry and Isaac Gray.

Captain Delores Baity 2800 Denham Circle

Peggy Wallace, Shirley Green, Barbara Wallace, Petrola Williams, Dorothy Batty, Robert Williams, Milton Green, Robert Randarl, Fields Wallce and Mrs. Thomas Baity, advisor.

Captain Amary Redwine 1590 Smallwood St.

Anna Towler, Brenda Womack, Delores Jones, Shirley Jones and Joyce Ann Parker.

Captain Josephine Baker 2200 Riggs Ave.

James Sea Brooks, Loistene Jones, Barbara Carter, Patricia Miller, William Coby Brooks, Leonard Goodson Jr., Delores Clemons, Mrs. Florence G. Jones, Ciola Anderson, Norris Jones, Mrs. Minnie Faison, Cornelia Newson, Clifford Fields and Mrs. Bernard Armstrong, advisor.

Captain Arthur B. Brown Jr. 800 Druid Hill Ave.

Shirley Dickerson, Lillie Mae Dickerson, Florence Dickerson, Darlean West, Arlean West, Charles Dickerson, W. Lillian Brown, Catherine Harris, Delores Ann Harris, Dorothy Harris, Arlene Boyer, Barbara Boyer.

Also Mary Boyer, Charles Boyer, Robert Bennett, Roberta Coffee, Catherine Owens, Robbie Williams, Mary Lee Williams, Charles Owens, Doris Williams, Willie Ruth Williams, William Dickerson, Horace Williams.

Also Evelyn Mackaight, David T. Hand Jr., Elnora Mackaight, Kenneth Pitts, Leslie Pitts, Mary Anthony; adult workers, Beatrice Reichlyn, Charles Waters, Caroline Clearens and Hattie Carter.

Issue urgent plea for lagging fund

Contributions far behind total of last year; goal set at $2,500

Please! Please! Please!

That's the urgent call that went out from the Clean Block Campaign Committee Friday morning to generous - hearted Baltimoreans, who in the past have donated liberally to the Prize Fund, but thus far have neglected to do so this year.

Contributions were running far behind last year when a total of $1,243 was donated. Every penny of this money is used to provide prizes for the winning blocks at the end of the Clean Block Campaign on Aug. 27.

Need Greater Now

The need for financial assistance is greater this year than last for the simple reason that a greater number of blocks and youngsters are participating in this year's campaign.

The goal has been set at only $2,500. But the contributions have been coming in so slowly, that only $257 has been collected.

The report last Friday showed $243 had been given. Seven days later this has decreased a paltry $14 to only $257.

Thousands of letters have been mailed out to business firms and civic-minded individuals, many of whom in the past have always responded.

Unless they help this year, many enthusiastic Clean Blockers who are working hard to keep the street and backyards clean all summer, will find no reward at the end of the campaign.

Donors Listed

The complete list of donors thus far is as follows:

$56.25
Joe Paul

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The Calvert Distilling Co.

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Frolic Cafe
Dr. H. C. Byrd
Samuel W. Sullivan Jr.
E. Everett Lane
U. Theodore Haynes

$2
School 131—Faculty

$1
Mrs. Adah K. Jenkins

CLEAN BLOCKS PROCLAIMED—Acting Mayor Arthur B. Price is shown handing the proclamation he has just issued designating June 21 through August 27 as Clean Block Time to Clean Block Director M. Francis Mackay. Assistant Clean Block Director Edith Weaver is at left.

2 neighborhood clubs to back Clean Blockers

Two neighborhood clubs pledged full support to the 20th annual AFRO Clean Block Campaign last week.

The Neighborhood Club comprised of residents of the 1900-2000 blocks, Bentalou St., in their last meeting of the summer, heard Clean Block Director M. Francis Mackay explain how the club would benefit by encouraging youngsters to enroll in this year's drive.

She also pointed out how they could get the complete cooperation of the Bureau of Sanitation in getting rid of rubbish and trash which has accumulated during the winter months.

Blockers Entertained

Members of the Friendly Neighbors Association who live in the 1000-1100blocks of West Lanvale St., entertained Clean Blockers at a kickoff party Tuesday as they launched their clean-up activities for the summer.

A total of 22 youngsters under the leadership of Captains Brenda Jones and Mary Lucas, after being encouraged to do a prize-winning job this summer, were served refreshments.

Mrs. Lillian Lawrence is president of the association. Other members include Mrs. Eunice Halland, the Rev. A. R. Powell, vice president; Mrs. Violet Lindsay, recording secretary; Mrs. Vivian Hackett, financial secretary;

Also Mrs. Lois Kyler, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Hilda Cotton, treasurer; Mrs. Fannie Marsell, chaplain; Dr. C. Mansell Lawrence, advisor; Mrs. Bertha Greene, Mrs. Roberta Roberts, and Mrs. Mary Waters.

Neighbors Present

Members of the Neighborhood Club of Bentalou St. present at their meeting were:

Miss Inez Redmond, Mrs. Minerva Williams, Mrs. Frances Williams, Mrs. Lucille W. Bailey, Mrs. Elsie Weatherby, Mrs. Elsie Rogers, Mrs. Hortense Frank lin and Mrs. Lenora Williams.

Mayor issues proclamation

Praises work of block campaign

It's official now! Acting Mayor Arthur B. Price, Monday issued an official proclamation designating the period from Monday, June 21 through Friday, August 27 as "AFRO AMERICAN Clean Block Campaign" time.

Mayor Price places the document bearing the gold seal of the City of Baltimore in the hands of Clean Block Director M. Francis Mackay and wished her much success with this year's campaign.

Aided Improvements

"Whereas, for the past twenty years the AFRO AMERICAN Newspapers have sponsored and arranged a Clean Block Campaign in the City of Baltimore, and the afore-said campaign has resulted in great improvement in health conditions, reduction of fire hazards, and materially aided in raising the standards of community life by the development of good citizenship; and

"Whereas, the AFRO AMERICAN Newspapers are rendering a valuable service to the City of Baltimore through the medium of sanitation and the creation of a greater awareness of the necessary for cooperation by all segments of our population in helping make Baltimore a cleaner, happier, and healthier place in which to live; and

Period Set Aside

"Whereas, the period of June 21 through August 27, 1954 has been officially set aside as AFRO AMERICAN CLEAN BLOCK CAMPAIGN and do urge all our citizens to give thought to the importance of sanitation in our daily lives, and to further urge community support of this worthy cause."

Will 20th campaign top 19th?

Officials of the 20th annual AFRO Clean Block Campaign are working hard to better the record made last year, the most successful in the history of the Clean Block movement.

With registrations pouring into the Clean Block office, 417 Druid Hill Ave., this week at unprecedented rate, all indications point to the fact that they will achieve their aim.

Here in a nutshell are the records made in the 1953 drive, which Clean Blockers hope will be topped this summer:

8,018 persons participated.
187 block captains.
3,149 yards cleaned.
466 marble steps cleaned
963 wooden steps painted.
728 houses painted.
875 houses had woodwork painted.
928 woodork cleaned.
421 flowers in painted pots.
631 flowers in window boxes.
191 alleys cleaned.
758 cellars cleaned.
827 flowers planted in yards.
1,317 families participated.
2,265 houses participated.
564 fences painted or white-washed.
101 prizes given out worth $1,252, of which $500 came from the city.
13 large flags distributed.

APPLICATION BLANK
AFRO's Clean Block Campaign
NAME .....
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CITY ..... STATE .....
I would like to be captain of a block. Here are names of ten persons in my block to help me keep it clean and beautify it with flowers.

Special appeal made for ex-Clean Blockers to register again

Clean Block directors are issuing a special invitation to former Clean Blockers to get registered again this year. Monday and Tuesday have been set aside as special registration days for these vgteran workers.

"Don't let 'Homecoming Month' (the month of June) go past without letting us hear from you," the Clean Block officials said Friday in a joint appeal to those who have worked in past campaigns.

These experienced Clean Blockers are badly needed to help train and direct the work of thousands of new recruits, it was pointed out.

SUMMER VACATION

LINCOLNTON, N.C. — Miss Dorothy B. Holland, was graduated recently from Livingstone College with honors, is spending the summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Holland of 1312 E. Main St., here.

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