Gets 1 year for assault

Convicted of assaulting another man so badly that he required 40 stitches, Jerry Blandshaw, 38, of the 500 block W. Franklin St. was sentenced to a year in the House of Correction by Magistrate E. Everett Lane on Monday in Northwestern Police Court.

According to police the cutting of Sylvester Robinson, 35, of the 300 block W. Hoffman St. occurred on Sunday afternoon and was motivated by Blandshaw's desire to obtain revenge.

Several hours before the stabbing took place, police said, Bernard McSwain, 35, of the 1500 block of Mosher St. had been injured in an altercation with four men in Blandshaw's apartment.

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MCSWAIN was taken to University Hospital where he was admitted with a fractured skull and placed on the critical list.

A short time later, police siad, Blandshaw went to Robinson's home and stabbed him because of his alleged role in the injury suffered by McSwain, a close friend of Blandshaw.

Robinson was treated at Maryland General Hospital and swore out a warrant for Blandshaw after being released by hospital officials.

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BIRTHDAY SALE—Mrs. Lee Drye, left, of 1810 Ellamont St., and Miss Margaret Broadway of 707 Roundview Rd., point attention to the signs on Pennsylvania Ave. which identify stores participating in the Lincoln-Douglass Birthday Sale and Celebration Saturday, Feb. 12. Signs are all along "Avenue" and in Lafayette Market. Celebration is sponsored by Pennsylvania Ave.-Lafayette Market Associates.

150 at rally for Randolph

Blue Room filled at kickoff meet

More than 150 persons filled the York Hotel Blue Room on Monday night to attend the kick-off rally given by the Lloyal Randolph for Council Committee.

Mr. Randolph, Elk leader and manager of the York Hotel, is seeking the Democratic nomination for the City Council from the Fourth District.

Also on his ticket are Morton Perry and Richard Rombro, local attorneys.

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AMONG the speakers at the rally were Dr. Bernard Harris, Mrs. Mayme Tilghman, Mrs. Victorine Adams and Dr. Thomas Pitts.

Another speaker at the rally was Harry Weiss, independent candidate for the Council in the 2nd District.

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MR. RANDOLPH, who is running on an anti-Pollack ticket, spoke Tuesday night before a League of Women Voters group at the home of Mrs. Mildred Atkinson, 1760 Fulton Ave.

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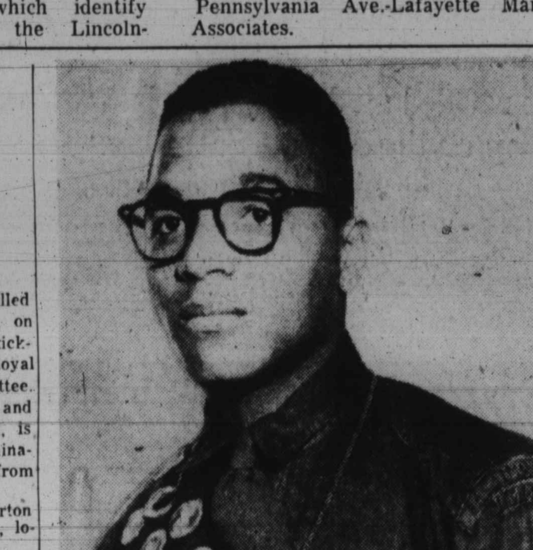

TOMORROW'S LEADER—Typical of the millions of Boy Scouts throughout the nation who are honored this week in the celebration of "Boy Scout Week," is Melvin Truiett, 17, of 3103 Belmont Ave., an Eagle Scout, the top rank in the organization. Melvin has been a Boy Scout for nine years and has earned 24 of the coveted merit badges. He is a member of Post 279 at the Enon Baptist Church.

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Gigantic sale to feature hundreds of bargain items

The Lincoln-Douglass all-day sale and celebration, sponsored by the Pennsylvania Ave. - Lafayette Market Associates, will begin at 8:30 Saturday morning and continue until 9:30 Saturday night.

Preparations for this sale have been going on for the past month, noted Herman Katkow, chairman of the sponsors group.

"Merchants have been taking stock and marking down regular merchandise as well as clearance items to ridiculously low prices.

"We decided to make this the biggest bargain sale in Baltimore", he said, "and the page ad in today's AFRO in addition to the hundreds of items you will see posted on store windows with the red, white and blue Lincoln-Douglass signs, will bear this out.

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"THIS IS the first time such a sale has been tried anywhere", he stated. "And, although we have tried to anticipate everything that could possibly take place in each store during a sale of this size, we ask the cooperation of our customers to help make this truly thrilling event. "The eyes of Baltimore will be on Pennsylvania Ave. this Saturday. We want this celebration, honoring two outstanding Americans, to be one we can look back on with pride and forward to again next year."

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THREE OF Baltimore's favorite radio personalities, Hot Rod, Chuck Richards and Bill Alexander will visit the Avenue at different times during the sale and conduct street interviews the shoppers.

A formal program, honoring the birthdays of Abraham Lincoln and Frederick Douglass will begin at 3 p.m. in the Lafayette Market Square, Pennsylvania Ave. and Laurens St.

The speakers will be Mayor D'Alesandro, Mrs. Juanita J. Mitchell of the NAACP and Dr. Furman L. Templeton of the Urban League.

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A MUSICAL program will be presented by the St. Peter Claver's Choir under the direction of Sister Carmen. The Re. Levi Miller Jr. will give the Invocation and the Rev. Alphonsus J. O'Riley, S.S.J., the Benediction.

Prizes won during the various contests conducted under the joint sponsorship of the AFRO ferent times during the sale and and the Pennsylvania Ave.-Lafayette Market Associates will be awarded during this program.

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STORES participating in this sale and celebration are located in the 900, 1500, 1700 and 1800 blocks of Pennsylvania Ave. and in Lafayette Market, Mr. Katkow pointed out. "Look for the red, white and blue Lincoln-Douglass sale signs. They will be your guarantee of real bargains."

Two free buses will run along North Ave. from Walbrook Ave. to Penna. Ave. and down Pennsylvania Ave. to Franklin St. and return the same way back to their starting point.

They will begin running at 8 a.m. Saturday and continue until 9 p.m.

WMAR-TV news cameramen will take pictures at the stand Saturday and televise them at 7 p.m. and midnight Monday night.

These buses will be decorated with the Lincoln-Douglass sale signs as well as other painted signs to tell shoppers they can ride to the sale stores free of charge.

"Stand at any corner along the route" said Mr. Katkow." and wave to the driver. He'll stop for you."

Widow administers T. E. Kelson estate

Mrs. Elizabeth Kelson, 1303 Presstman St. obtained the sanction of Orphans Court to administer the estate of her husband, Thomas E. Kelson, undertaker, who died on Feb. 23, 1954.

Mr. Kelson made a will in 1952 under which he appointed George W. F. McMechen, attorney, and his brother, George Kelson, administrators. The latter renounced this week, in favor of the widow.

In her request for the right to administer the estate, Mrs. Kelson indicated that her late husband, who was ill over a long period, left debts in excess of his possessions She listed the estate to be worth approximately $3,000 and debts, $5,000.

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IN HIS will, Mr. Kelson bequeathed $50 to Emanuel Christian Church $25 to John Wesley Methodist Church and $100 each to Mrs. Mildred Newton and Thomas H. Butler, employees.

He had, the will stated, provided for two nieces, Misses Marie Kelson and Charlee Jones, by designating each as beneficiaries in life insurance policies.

The will provided for his brother, George, to carry on the undertaking business and to pay his wife $50 per week for her and their child Jeanette's support.

Residue of the estate, including property in Prince Georges County, Md. is to be divided equally among Mrs. Kelson, Jeanetta and a son, Thomas E. Kelson Jr.

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8 officers arrest two men in separate lottery cases

"We haven't had this much action in months. Eight officers brought them in."

That was the expression a Northern District patrolman used over the weekend to describe the activity around the station house following the arrest of two men on a lottery charge.

The first person to get into hot water with the law was John H. Jackson, 33, of the 3400 block Auchentoroly Terrace.

His bail was set at $2,500 by Magistrate Reuben Caplan when two officers testified that they found lottery slips at his home indicating 33 plays.

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OFFICERS THOMAS Knott and Stephen Ellwood said they visited Jackson's home to question him about another matter when they found the equipment.

They said he had two telephones in operation and was accepting only one dollar bets.

Within 18 hours after Jackson made bail, Theodore Robinson, 44, of the 500 block N. Arlington Ave., was brought to Northern on a similiar charge.

SIX OFFICERS, three from the headquarters vice squad and three from the Northern District arrested Robinson at Cloverdale and McCulloh Sts., and booked him on three numbers counts.

His bail was set at $4,000 Saturday when he told Magistrate Caplan: "I don't know how to plead."

Robinson admitted that when the officers arrested him he had a numbers book in his pocket but claimed that two men in a neraby shop had written in it.

Law attacks rezoning acts of City Council

Charles R. Law, Democratic candidate for City Council in the Fifth District, attacked the Planning Commission and Zoning Board, this week.

Charging that the transposal of residential areas to first commercial districts was a detriment to surrounding communities, he inferred that both groups were neglecting their duty to protect the citizens homes.

He cited the newly acquired Diamond Cab property in the Walbrook area and said the land "could have been used for many other pruposes."

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MR. LAW held the same view for the property at Warwick Ave. and Gwynns Falls Pkwy. now being sought by a trucking company. An ordinance for this act has been introduced into the City Council and is now before the zoning committee.

"These acts of inconsideration are proof that we need representation in the City Council," Mr. Law said. "We need the type of representative who will feel a keen responsibility to his district."

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Judge overrules vote list objects

Judge E. Paul Mason, of Superior Court, overruled a petition objecting to providing candidates with official voters' list, Thursday.

The petition was filed by Attorney General C. Ferdinand Sybert in response to a suit ordering that election officials supply the lists. Judge Mason has given the attorney five days to answer.

Candidates seeking the lists are William Laukaitis, Republican, for Mayor; H. Warren Buckler, Democrat, for City Council President and E. Arthur Hurd, Republican, for the same office.

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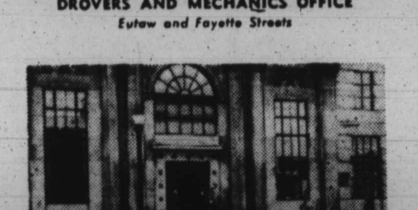
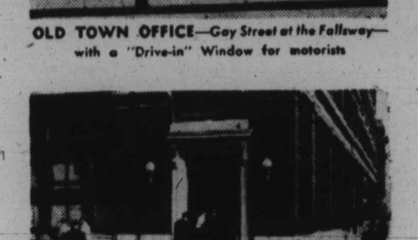


OLD TOWN OFFICE—Gay Street at the Fallsway—with a "Drive-in" Window for motorists



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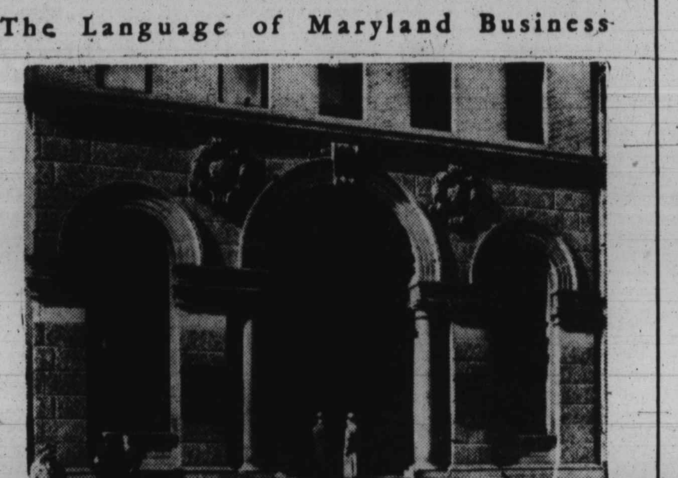

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WASHINGTON

THE QUESTION: Some people think tipping is an evil and should be abolished. Others are in favor of continuing the practice. What do you think?

MRS. JUANITA WALKER, 13 - 16th St., SE: "I think tipping should be continued because waitresses depend largely upon tips for their support."

Mrs. Walker Mrs. Sylvester

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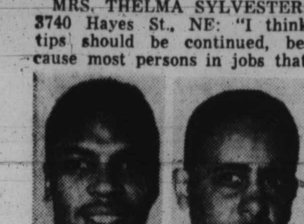
MRS. THELMA SYLVESTER, 3740 Hayes St., NE: "I think tips should be continued, because most persons in jobs that require tipping receive very low salaries so they have to depend upon tips."



A. Pringle W. McCain

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ALFRED PRINGLE, 74 U St., NW, said: "Tipping should continue. In positions where tipping is practiced, the recipients would not be able to survive without the aid of tipping."

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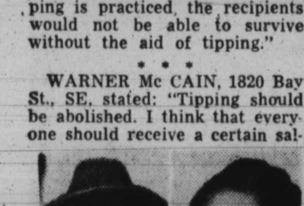
WARNER Mc CAIN, 1820 Bay St., SE, stated: "Tipping should be abolished. I think that everyone should receive a certain salary. It appears that waitresses give you the type of service that is in proportion to your tips."



E. Wortham Mrs. Hazel

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ELIJAH WORTHAM, Waller Hall, Quantico, Va., asserted: "Yes, I think people should tip. Otherwise how would persons like waitresses earn a decent living?"

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MRS. EMMA HAZEL of 1818 S St., NW, said: "I think tipping should continue. I am a waitress and about 75 per cent of my salary comes from tips. If tipping was cut out I don't think service would be as good."

Poet's Nook

Who Am I?

By ARGEL E. PETTIT

I'm always judged,
Though I never judge.
I'm often kicked,
But I never budge.
I get the left overs
Of all that is good.
I never ever refuse,
Though I know I should.
I know I'm not wanted,
But I come when I'm called.
I'm only called when there is trouble,
I don't shone it at all.
Though my little is nothing,
I call it a lot,
Because I had to pay double
To get what I've got.
I milk the cows,
And I feed the hogs.
I prepare the food,
But I eat with the dogs.
I know I'm no beggar,
And neither a bum,
But society's living conditions
Puts me in the slum.
My education is inferior
To my downtown friends and foe.
The schools are inferior
To which I'm compelled to go.
In science I'm a Carver,
I carry the Louis punch,
I'm an Ellington in music,
In state I'm a Bunche.
My going is simple,
I ride in the back.
I push the buggy.
I carry the pack.
With two strikes against me
I am still at the plate.
I think I can homer
And master my fate.

By ARGEL E. PETTIT

Sues for $60,000 for wife's injuries

WASHINGTON

Leroy Ambers, 1444 W St., NW and his wife, Mrs. Jesse Ambers, have filed suit in U.S. District Court for $60,000 damages against the Capitol Cigar and Tobacco Co., 1463 I St., NW.

Mr. Ambers charges that Mrs. Ambers was seriously injured on Aug. 9,1954, when Mr. Amber's car was struck by a truck belonging to the tobacco firm.

Mr. Ambers was driving the car when the accident occured at 2nd and P Sts. SW. He asks $50,000 for his wife's injuries and $10,000 for the loss of her "society and consortium."

Coming Events

FEBURARY 11

Fencing champions from Maryland will participate in fencing matches at Druid Hill Ave. YMCA at 8 p.m.

FEBURARY 12-22

Freedom Week.

FEBRUARY 12

Lincoln Birthday dinner NE Neighborhood Association at the home of Mrs. Ethel M. Sinkler, 1632 N. Caroline St., 1-10 p.m.

Pennsylvania Avenue and Lafayette Market Associates stage program honoring birthdays of Abraham Lincoln and Frederick Douglass at Lafayette Market Square, 3 p.m.

The Baltimore Symphony presents a complete concert performance of Puccini's music drama "Tosca" at the Lyric Theatre at 8 p.m.

EBRUARY 13

The Rev. Russell Roberts of Atlantic City conducts revival service at Gillis Memorial Community Church, Calhoun and Mulberry Sts.

Fellowship House Choir of Philadelphia appears in recital at Booker T. Washington Auditorium, Lafayette and Madison Aves., for the Baltimore Fellowship.

FEBRUARY 15

Annual meeting of Family Welfare and Henry Watson Children Aid Society, Memorial Church near Bolton St.

FEBRUARY 17

Coordinating Council of the Baltimore Public School PTA Organization holds general meeting at Eastern High School, 33rd and Loch Raven Blvd., at 8 p.m. on "Comic Book Publications."

Mrs. June Adams of the anthropology department of the Center for Human Relations at the University of Pennsylvania speaks on "Understanding Racial Differences" at the Enoch Pratt Library, 8 p.m.

FEBRUARY 20

Founders Day program NAACP at Sharp St. Memorial Methodist Church, Dolphin and Etting Sts., Mrs. Anna A. Hedgeman, assistant to New York City's Mayor Wagner, guest speaker.

FEBRUARY 21

Annual Beux Arts Ball, Baltimore Urban League Guild, Erskine Hawkins orchestra, Famous Ballroom, 1717 N. Charles St.

FEBRUARY 23

103rd birthday of Mrs. Addie Biggers of 905 W. Saratoga St.

FEBRUARY 24

Leon Sachs, executive director of the Baltimore Jewish Council, speaks on "How Intergroup Tensions are Intensified and Spread' at Enoch Pratt Library at 8 p.m.

FEBRUARY 24-25

Legislative sessions of the Model Youth Council.

FEBRUARY 25

Fashion show at Coliseum, sponsored by the Gamma Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa Sorority for the benefit of Crownsville State Hospital.

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FEBRUARY 25, 26

E. S. Williams Wesleyan Service Guild presents the Morgan College Players in "Roughshod Up the Mountain."

FEBRUARY 26

Annual cabaret party of Brotherhood Sleeping Car Porters and their Ladies' Auxiliary, at Odd Fellows Hall.

FEBRUARY 27

59th Founders Day celebration for the benefit of Crownsville at Madison Ave. YWCA at 5 p.m.

MARCH 11

National Symphony Orchestra of Washington in concert at Bates High School, Annapolis, to benefit Anne Arundel General Hospital at 12:45 p.m.

MARCH 13

30th annual Urban League dinner meeting, Sheraton Belvedere Hotel, Governor McKeldin speaker.

OBSERVATION POST—L. E. Terrell, president of Storer College, is shown making an Aircraft Flash call from John Brown's fort, located on the school campus. Looking on are Mayor Gilbert Perry of Harpers Ferry, W. Va.; Bradley D. Nash, deputy assistant secretary of the Air Force; Lt. H. E. Bonney of the Baltimore Filter Center.

Historic Harper's Ferry becomes part of national defense system

HARPERS FERRY, W. Va.—John Brown's fort, Harper's Ferry, W. Va., a focal point in America, recently became part of our national defense system.

The historical landmark was officially opened as a Ground Observation Post, reporting in to the Baltimore Air Defense Filter Center, by Bradley D. Nash, deputy assistant secretary of the Air Force.

Mr. Nash personally made the first "Aircraft Flash" call to Baltimore at 2 p.m., Jan. 28, thereby adding new history to a building made famous as the place in which John Brown and his "rebels" defended themselves against Federal troops led by Col. Robert E. Lee.

It was from this building, now standing on the campus of Storer College, that Brown and his men surrendered. Brown was tried for treason, found guilty and hanged in Charlestown, W. Va.

Maj. Lee went on to become the commander of all the Confederate forces in the Civil War.

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ATTENDING THE opening ceremonies, along with Mr. Nash were Maj. Gilbert Perry of Harper's Ferry, L. E. Terrell, president of Storer College; L. D. Johnson, dean of the school; Lt. H. E. Bonney and T/Sgt. R. F. Kennedy, representing the Baltimore Air Defense Filter Center; local press representatives, and students of the college.

A meeting was held later in the evening at the school auditorium where short talks on the need and value of the Ground Observer Corps were given by Secretary Nash; Col. Edgar M. Sites Civil Defense Director of West Virginia; S. H. Stone, Jefferson County Civil Defense director, and Mayor Perry.

AF Academy deadline near

Nominations for appointments to the first class of the U.S. Air Force Academy must be submitted in sufficient time to reach the Air Force Academy appointment Branch, Headquarters U.S. Air Force by 5 p.m., February 18, it was announced this week.

Most of the 300 members of the first class will be chosen by the Air Force from among candidates nominated by members of Congress. Each U.S. Representative and Senator has had the right to nominate ten physically qualified candidates.

Suspended lawyer granted rehearing

WASHINGTON

A rehearing has been granted in the recent one-year suspension meted out to Russell Morris, attorney, of the 2000 block of Ga. Ave., NW., in December, as a result of charges brought by the committee on admissions and grievances of the District Bar Association.

The suspension has not been put into effect, pending this rehearing.

Money in flying the Liberian flag

On any day from three to eight out of the 40 foreign vessels in the port of Baltimore fly the Liberian flag.

There is not a Liberian seaman on any of the ships but the fleet brings the Liberian treasury an estimated quarter of a million dollars a year.

These ships are registered in Liberia because ship owners have found that nation's shipping regulations much less stringent than those in such countries as the United States, particularly in reference to such matters as wages and conditions for the crews.

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ANOTHER SMALL country with a big fleet is Panama. Nine hundred ships fly its flag and the revenue brings in a million dollars a year. Most ships flying the Panamanian flag never turn up in a Panamanian port.

Five ships flying the Panama flag were in port here Monday.

Countries with the biggest merchant fleets are the United States, Great Britian, Norway, Sweden and Germany.

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AMONG THE Liberian ships which have docked in Baltimore this week are:

"Bonito" from Mexico with manganese ore, undergoes repairs; "Ocean Leader" from Puerto Ordaz, Venzuela, with crude oil; "Ionian Messenger" from Las Piedras, Venezuela, with fuel oil;

Ships flying the Panama flag which docked in Baltimore this week included:

"Dioni" from Norway with iron ore; "Messaria" from San Juan, Puerto Rico, with iron ore; "Socrates" from Antwerp, Belgium, in ballast to load grain; "Tiha" from San Juan, Chile, with iron ore; "Vori," damaged en route to Germany, returned to Baltimore for repairs; and "Ionian Leader" from Dutch Guiana, intransit, with loads general for Bermuda and Venezuela.

Ice Revue to host 500 boys of PBC

WASHINGTON

Approximately 500 members of the Police Boys Club will be guests of the Coliseum during the 11-day stay of the Ice Revue of 1955, to the city, it was announced this week.

The ice revue is booked into the Coliseum February 10-20.

Legislative Roundup

By SHIRLEY KYLE

ANNAPOLIS — The rhubarb between management and personnel at the Barrett School for Girls has brought action from the House of Delegates and now the Ways and Means committee is studying a resolution suggesting the investigation of the matter.

The resolution, introduced by John C. Luber (D-5th); Lloyd L. Simpkins (D-Somerset) and A. Gordon Boone (D-Baltimore), advises that a joint committee of ten members from the Senate and House be appointed to probe into the management and administration of the school.

If the resolution passes, it is expected that the committee will report to this session "the principal reasons for any unsatisfactory personnel situation or for any personnel problems" at the school.

The resolution also asks the committeee to make recommendations to the assembly for "the enactment of any remedial legislation necessary to correct such unsatisfactory situation."

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THE CONTROVERSY at the school came to a head in January, when Dr. Eugene D. Byrd, dentist, resigned from the Board of Managers of the school due to "problems" which he said continue to exist at the institution.

The crux of the matter reportedly rests with Mrs. Magaret P. McCane, superintendent, and her alleged disagreements with other members of the staff.

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IN A report, last fall from the Department of Public Welfare, it was stated that while she was a capable person for the job, "there is serious disagreement between (her) and various members of the staff which has lowered the morale of the total personnel and, hence, the effectiveness of the institution."

At that time, the report pointed out that the controversy would have to end for the good of the school.

Mrs. McCane submitted her resignation to the boar, but it has not been accepted although four of the nine-membered board are among the protestants.

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DELEGATE TRULY Hatchett (D-4th) introduced a bill this week to establish an auxiliary police force in Baltimore. The legislation is now before the Baltimore City Committee.

The bill stipulates that the 300 - 500 man force would be appointed by the police commissioner on a voluntary basis to assist regular policemen.

Members of the auxiliary force would not be permitted to carry firearms, but could have other weapons such as a nightstick.

IN THE Senate, this week, a bill to correct the alleged ghost voting in Baltimore was introduced by Sen. Anthony DiDomenico (D-2nd) providing for voters to renew their registration every five years.

Sen. Harry Cole (R-4th) introduced a bill stipulating that during election campaigns, registered voters lists be issued to all candidates, free of charge and as a public service.

Both bills were instigated by Vito Marino, Democratic candidate for City Comptroller.

Along with Senators Thomas Dempsey (D-3rd); Louis Goldstein, (D-Calvert) and Harry Phoebus (R-Somerset), Mr. Cole has also introduced a bill authorizing Morgan State College itself to finance the building of its dormitories.

The legislation would give Morgan the same powers now held by the University of Maryland in that it would borrow money for the constructions and pay it back through fees and other charges to students.

TSU to present Broadway hit

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — The Players Guild of Tennessee State University will stage "Junior Miss," Broadway success by Jerome Chodorov and Joseph Fields, Feb. 14-15.

Members of the cast are Misses Rosary Harper and Jean Mells, William D. Cox, William Pryor, and George Parker of Nashville; Frank Frazier, Montreal, Ont.; Burnham Robinson and Miss Cora Campbell, Austin, Tex.;

Norman Clayton, Detroit; Hyburnia Williams, Indianapolis, Ind., Mrs. Katherine Crowder, Gary, Ind.; James Whitlock, Evansville, Ind.; Arthur Griffa, Buffalo; Miss Margaret Scott, Knoxville; Miss Rose Burnett, Herman Jenkins and Ernest McNeil of Memphis, and Joe Steele, Jackson, Tenn.

Jamaicans reduce flow to England

KINGSTON, Jamaica (NNPA) — The Italian steamer Auriga left Jamaica Tuesday with 250 Jamaicans going to Great Britain to seek jobs. On previous trips she has carried from 500 to 600.

There are signs that the flow of immigrants from Jamaica is dwindling because of the winter weather in England. It is believed it will increase again in the Spring.

—POLITICS—

Democratic Viewpoint

By LLOYAL RANDOLPH

POLITICAL POTPOURRI: Dal Rasin bolted the Pollack organization after 16 years of loyalty.

The Hampton section of the Fourth District has endorsed the whole colation ticket of Perry-Randolph-Rombro. My two running mates are waging a vigorous campaign in the districts and will continue to do so right down to the wire.

I was reminded this week that T. Barton Harrington, Democratic candidate for mayor, voted for abolition of Maryland's jim crow law when he was speaker of the House some years ago. He is also chairman of the State Democratic Central Committee.

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I NOTE after checking election returns of 1951, that Arthur B. Price, Democratic candidate for mayor, pooled some 1,009 votes in the Fourth District to Claypoole's 6,000. Claypoole was backed by Jack Pollack. Price was an unknown, and had no orginazational help.

But in the general election in May 1951, Price had gained enough popularity and people's confiedence, that he polled 8,900 votes to Carter's 12,000.

Carter, a Republican was backed by Jack Pollack. Price was elected president of the City Council. Again he had little or no organizational support.

Ed Smith is working for Price in both the Fourth and Fifth Districts.

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LAST WEEK the Mayor made a trip up to Polytech and gave out the diplomas to Douglass High graduates. This marked the first time he has taken part in graduation exercises in more than two years.

This election is a wonderful opportunity to elect our own representation in the City Council. The big question is to get out the vote.

Every large city in this country has local colored representation. We need it, too.

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THE MAYOR has a representative of every race and religion working out of office as a secretary. We have no representation in this branch of the local government or in the legislative branch, the City Council.

Now is the time to remedy these inequities and send one of your own to the Council.

The coalition ticket of Perry, Randolph and Rombro is a good government ticket. it will represent all of the people. I urge voters to vote for all three on March 1 in the primaries.

Another Democratic Viewpoint

By ROBERT WATTS

As the last weeks of the campaign approach, the activities of the various candidates have increased.

Ernest L. Perkins' group is carrying on weekly meetings at the Kleeco Club and the workers seem to be full of enthusiasm. Many of his group represent men and women who worked closely in the Mahoney campaign.

Mr. Perkins promises greater activity in the weeks to come so be on the lookout for this change.

Charles Law, with the backing of Arthur Price, candidate for mayor, is also speeding up his campaign.

"Doc" Woingoist, Algernoon Prestwidge, and others are doing a terrific job for Charlie. Charlie is counting on a split vote for the other candidates and solid backing from us.

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ARNOLD Herman, a candidate for the City Council in the Fifth District had a wonderful luncheon last Friday. Special guest was Jersey Joe Walcott himself.

Mr. Herman has traveled widely with "Jersey Joe" and they are good friends.

Seen about was Joe Phillips, a staunch Mahoney supporter; Evinger Tribble, the Rev. N. B. Carrington, "Cappy" Goldstein Dennis O'Keefe and many others prominent in politics.

Mr. Herman is also counting on strong colored support.

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IN THE Second District, Harry Weiss, candidate for City Council is also counting heavily on a strong colored vote.

He is one of the few, if any, candidates who are actively seeking the colored vote and the voters of that district should not forget him.

He is not only working for himself, but is giving a lot of help to Lloyal Randolph and Charles Law. He has a poster he is putting out with these two candidates on it and is footing the bill.

Ernest Perkins, Josiah Henry, and Lloyal Randolph are all supporting Barton Harrington for Mayor.

Senator Della is supporting H rington, but many of the other mayoralty candidates have equally dangerous men on their side and certainly one unacceptable persons on the side of a candidate is no reason for refusing him support.

DOWN AT THE Emerson Hotel at the ADA dinner, Leon Abramson was telling Bill Dixon, Melvin Callaman and yours truly that he doesn't see why he can't expect the colored vote since he voted favorably on FEPC.

Mr. Abramson is a candidate for the President of the City Council. His chief opposition will come from those who dislike his chief backer, James (Jack) Pollack.

George Sellmayer, another candidate for president of the City Council, on the Harrington ticket, has always been a stauch Mahoney supporter and wants all of the friends of Mahoney to know this.

Lloyal Randolph and Melvin Callaman, both candidates for the City Council from the fourth district, have been endorsed by the fourth district Political Organization. This is the group that supported Truly Hatchett and Harry A. Cole. It's quite an endorsement.

These are just some of the things I thought you ought to know about the doings in the political world. Pass them on to your friends.

Republican Viewpoint

By HARRY A. COLE

With all the talk about the coming election, I think each of u should stop to become aware of certain basic facts.

First of all, we should realize that March 1 is the date of the primary election. A primary election is one held within the party, that is, different candidates of the same party vie with one another for certain offices to represent the party in the general election.

For example, there are 10 candidates in the Democratic primary for mayor and for the same office there are three Republican candidates.

The one who gets the most votes of the 10 Democrats will be the standard-bearer for the Democrats and the one who gets the most votes of the three Republicans will be the standard-bearer for the Republicans.

These will be the two candidates opposing one another for mayor in the general election on May 3.

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NOW THE cardinal rule to remember about primaries is that if you're a Democrat you can vote only for a Democrat in the primary and you can't vote for a Republican. The same is true for the Republicans.

The next fact to keep in mind is what offices there are in this election that have to be filled.

Each party will nominate in the primary one candidate for each office by giving him the highest number of votes.

against one another in the general election and the ones getting the highest number of votes will be elected.

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THERE WILL be elected on May 3 one mayor, one president of the City Council, one city-comptroller, and 20 members to the City Council.

The mayor, president of the City Council, and city comptroller are citywide jobs and anyone who lives and is registered to vote in Baltimore City will be able to vote for one of the candidates running for these offices.

For purposes of electing members to the City Council, the City is divided into six councilmanic district.

The First, Second, Fourth, and Sixth districts elect three members each to the Council and the Third and Fifth elect four members each. This makes the total of 20.

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NOW FOR members to the City Council you can only vote for those candidates who are running in the district in which you're registered to vote.

That is to say, if you live in the Fourth District you can only vote for those City Council candidates running in the Fourth.

Remember in the primary if you're a Democrat you can vote only for Democrats though you may like a Republican better. You have to wait until the general election to vote for him.

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ONE FINAL thing to keep in mind, there may not be persons running for certain offices in the Republican primary.

This may be so because of one of two reasons:

1. No person may file as a candidate for the office at all, or (2) no more than the number of persons to be elected for the office has filed, in which case the person or persons having filed are automatically nominated and have no primary.

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AN EXAMPLE of this can be found in the Fourth Councilmanic District among the Republicans. only three seats in the City Council can be filled from the Fourth District.

Only three Republican candidates remain in the race, Brensfield, Koger, and Lansey. Therefore, there will be no Republican primary for City Council in this district and their names will not appear on the voting machine on March 1.

However, if you're a Democrat you must vote, for there are 13 candidates for these same three council seats.

Africa cradle of human race—Hansberry

WASHINGTON — Africa is the cradle of the human race and of the world's oldest cultures, according to William L. Hansberry, associate professor of history at Howard University.

Dr. Hansberry, who has recently spent some time in Ethiopia and other African countries studying the early cultures of these lands, gave a brief account of his findings before the Capitol Press Club Monday night.

Africa, sometimes referred to as the "Dark Continent," is really the richest of all continents in minerals, according to Hansberry.

IT PRODUCES 98.5 per cent of the world's diamonds and its gold production has reached as high as 62 per cent of all the gold produced in the world. Around 85 per cent of Africa's income is derived from diamonds and gold.

In 1946, about 60 per cent of the world's uranium came from Africa but since that time the amount of production has been kept secret. The continent has about 41 per cent of the world's potential hydre-electric power.

Africa leads the world in the production of rubber and equals the United States in the production of cotton. It also produces large quantities of ivory, dyes, mahogany, peanuts, bananas, citrus fruits, tea, cocoa, coffee, palm oil, cane sugar, rice and maize.

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DR. HANSBERRY was favorably impressed with the temperatures to be found in Africa. The amount of rainfall in certain areas is ideal, he said. Of the 65 million square miles comprising this continent, around 11 million have an average of 20 inches of rainfall annually.

The climate and adequate rainfall makes Africa capable of becoming the world's greatest industrial continent, he concluded.

By means of slides, he continued to show the early cultures of Africa as indicated by antiquated statues, sculpture, pottery and other handicraft found in that continent.

He explained how those early cultures had been carried into other countries many centuries ago, and gave scientific reasons for the migration of Africans into other lands.

Health clues for 'tired teens'

Does your teen-ager sleep till noon on Saturday to the tune of the vacum cleaner and other assorted bedlam?

Does he (including she, of course) do his geometry stretched out on his bed? Does he carry on his telephoning sprawled on the floor? Is he always too tired to help with the dishes?

He may be ill, but he's more likely to be normal. And he isn't faking either. Teen-agers tire easily for one or more of a dozen reasons, doctors tell us. It's just natural for them to need extra rest and sleep.

FORTUNATELY, it's one more of those periods of life about which parents can say hopefully, "They'll grow out of it." Wise parents can help them get through this period with the least fatigue.

First, of course, it is important to be sure that there is no illness causing your teen-ager's tiredness. He should have a thorough physical examination and chest X-ray as often as the doctor advises.

Unhappiness and worry also can cause fatigue. It isn't always easy for parents to get to the bottom of the anxieties from which adolescents sometimes suffer seriously. The family doctor can often be of great assistance.

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THE MAJOR reasons for normal fatigue are rapid growth, too little sunshine and outdoor exercise, an overloaded schedule of social and school activities, poor diet, and overweight.

You can't slow up your teen-ager's growth, but you can make sure that he gets plenty of outdoor exercise and a proper diet with the extra protein he needs.

You can help him budget his time so that he can get his work done, have fun, and still get to bed at a reasonable hour. And let him sleep late on Saturday morning.

Meeting offers help to problem parents

Is your child entirely satisfied with you as a parent?

Does the social program you plan for him make him happy?

Does he enjoy being molded into a model child?

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IF THE answer to any of these questions is no then perhaps you are a problem parent!

But there is still time to get on the right track. Come and listen with the Stork Club to a panel discussion, "Are we Problem Parents:" to be held at Enoch Pratt Library, Branch 17, North and Penn. Ave., on Tuesday evening February 13, at 7:45 p.m.

You will be happy you did not miss this opportunity.

The moderator for the discussion will be Mrs. Pearl Cole Brackett, Supervisor of Elementary Education. Panel members will be Dr. Talmadge Pinkney, pediatrician; Mrs. Mercedes Douglass, parent education instructor;

Edward Murray, principal of School No. 137, and the Rev. Van S. Bird, rector of the Chapel of the Holy Trinity.

Miss Ruth Greene, instructor in the Department of Psychology of Morgan College, will serve as consultant.