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—Dr. Fisher

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where he was clerk of the sessi for 23 years.

A GRADUATE of Virginia State College and the Shaw University Medical School, Dr. Fisher was also a member of the Monumental Medical Association and the Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity. Born in Middleburg, Va. he was 73-years-of age.

Funeral services ave been scheduled for 1 p.m. Sunday at Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church. The body will be on review at the Hemsley Funeral Home, 578 W. Biddle St., on Friday. Burial will be in Mt. Auburn Cemetery.

Dr. Fisher is survived by his wife, Mrs. Rosalee Grimes Fisher, a daughter, Mrs. Jean Turpin; two sisters, Mrs. Evelyn Martin and Mrs. Edna Hunter of Washington; and two grandchildren, Rosalee Rebecca Turpin and J. Edward Fisher Turpin.

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—Convict one

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from 14 to 18, who were taken in the motel raid on Dec. 12.

Their testimony was about intimate relations they had at the motel with sodliers from nearby Fort Meade, and other men.

JAMES F. BOURNE, Washington attorney, who represented Stokes, told the court that his client had married since the raid.

Police reported that Stokes married one of the girls involved in the raid.

According to testimony, Simpson was owner of the motel, but sold the place to Stokes in April of 1954. The selling price was quoted as $30,000.

FURTHER TESTIMONY revealed that prior to the raid, Stokes had paid only $250 on the mortgage and Simpson was going to forclose.

Simpson testified that the only time he went to the place following the alleged sale—was to make minor repairs and to see about collecting money due him.

Among the juveniles taken in the raid were the five girls who had been held as state's witnesses in the Howard County jail. Two of these girls testified against Simpson.

A 15-YEAR-OLD girl testified that on Nov. 18, 1954, between 1 and 2 p.m., at the request of Stokes, she was intimate with Simpson in cabin 11.

The girl said that Stokes had told her to be friendly to Simpson, so that he (Stokes) would not have to meet his monthly obligation.

The other girl testified that Stokes had first asked her to meet Simpson in the cabin, but she had refused.

HOWEVER, LATER on, the girl testified, she peeped in the window and saw the elderly man and the young girl together. Simpson denied all of this.

Defense attorneys Charles E. Hogg and James Clark, produced witnesses, among them Simpson's wife of 35 years, who testified that during the week of the alleged incident, Simpson had a booth in the Food Show at the Fifth Regiment Armory in Baltimore and was there daily.

Simpson, a pompous - looking man, sat quietly as his attorneys asked the jury to return a verdict of not guilty. He was attired in a brown sports jacket, tan pants, red and white bow tie, brown socks and loafers.

FIRST DEFENSE attorney to speak to the jury was Mr. Clark, who until Oct. 24, 1954, was circuit judge in the very same courtroom.

Here in part is what Judge Clark had to say to the all-white jury:

"I always thought that when somebody wanted to sneak off and have a little fun with a colored girl, they would do it at night.

"If you convict him, it will be on the testimony of two colored prostitutes . . . You wouldn't even buy a second-hand wheel barrel on the testimony of these girls."

HIS ASSOCIATE, Mr. Hogg, raised these questions:

"Why would these two little juvenile colored delinquents fabricate a story? I don't know.

"Do you think Simpson was a big enough fool to tell Stokes to let him have a colored prostitute for a month's rent of $150."

Orman Manahan, State's Attorney for Howard County, told the jury that the referral to the girls as "colored prostitutes," was not the issue in the case.

"The only issue," Mr. Manahan said, "is whether Simpson committed the act."

THE JURY went out at 2:52 p.m. A poll by a reporter found no spectator who expected a guilty verdict. They gave various reasons for their beliefs.

At 3:10 p.m., the all-male jury of 12, one of them identified as a neighbor of the accused man, returned the not guilty verdict.

The AFRO learned that the raid on the motel resulted from a complaint lodged by two married sisters of a 16-year-old girl.

ON TWO OCCASIONS, it is reported, the women went to the motel, brought the girl home and warned Stokes that if he sent for her again, they would report the place to police.

The case was brought to the attention of Policewoman Cornelia Lake Smith of the Southwestern District, who with Sgts. Harry Harrison of Howard County police and Wilton R. May of the State police, led the raid on the place at about 2:30 a.m., Dec. 12.

Stokes, who is awaiting trial on the carnal knowledge charge, was still in the Howard County jail, Tuesday afternoon, in default of $2,000 bond.

THE AFRO was told that the girl with whom he is accused of being intimate, is ill with virus.

Police did not indicate what will be done with the five girls still jailed as state's witnesses.

It is reported that the girls were sent to an institution for girls when they were arrested in December, but were transferred to jail, following their participation in a near-riot.

—80 years

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birthday and apparently the last he'll spend outside of the penitentiary walls for quite a spell.

As the judge sentenced Brown to 10 years confinement, Lee patted his youthful partner in crime on the back, as if to say "it could have been worse."

Brown was charged in two robberies and one larceny. Lee was charged in four robberies and one burglary.

THE FOURTH MAN, Joseph Johnson was suspected of having participated in one robbery and being driver of the getaway car.

Police said that the men did not work as an organized gang. They frequented the same pool parlor, police said, and from time to time, would get together on jobs.

Their arrests followed a holdup of a grocery store in the 500 block Laurens St., on Dec. 30, 1954, in which $217.30 in cash and a wrist watch were taken.

It was on this job that Johnson fired a shot at a customer, William Thomas of the 1700 block Etting St., which led to the charge of assault with intent to kill.

The following day, Johnson the 1700 block Pennsylvania Ave. where he attempted to pawn the was arrested in a pawnship in watch. Arrests of the other men followed.

ALL OF THE crimes with which the men were charged occurred in Northwest Baltimore, excepting one which happened on 23rd St.

At preliminary hearings in Northwestern Police Court, the men were held under total bail of $162,000.

In addition to Sergeant Heck, other officers who worked around-the-clock to capture "the lightning bandits," were Sgt. Andrew John and Officers Charles C. Owens, Edward Mezewski, John Brown and Richard Doda.

All of the men pleaded not guilty. Brown and Lee were represented by Ernest L. Perkins, attorney. Linwood Koger Jr., was counsel for Jack Johnson.

Prosecutors were James W. Murphy and James O. Gentry, assistant state's attorneys.

THE CRIMES of which the men were convicted involved robbery of Mrs. Lena Fowlkes at Clifton and Fulton Aves. on Nov. 12;

Robbery on Nov. 14 of Mrs. Evelyn Morris at Harlem and Arlington Aves; Nov. 10 robbery of Star Cleaners at 1418 W. Lafayette Ave., where clothing valued at $607 was stolen;

Dec. 3rd robbery of Mrs. Ruth Alexander in 1000 block Harlem Ave.; Dec. 16th holdup of Thomas Bradley in 700 block N. Mount St.; yoking of James Holton in 500 block Gilmor St., on Dec. 17; liquor store robbery at 506 N. Eutaw St., on Dec. 24; Bolway Food Market holdup at 101 E. 23rd St., Dec. 24; $60 holdup of R. L. Schill in 200 block W. Franklin St., also on Dec. 24.

Other victims of the convicted men were: Dave Baris, Dave's Liquor Store, 1950 W. Lafayette Ave.; Sol Miller grocery, 798 W. Franklin; Aaron Pitluck grocery, 517 Laurens St.; Edward Brown, 500 block Wilson St.

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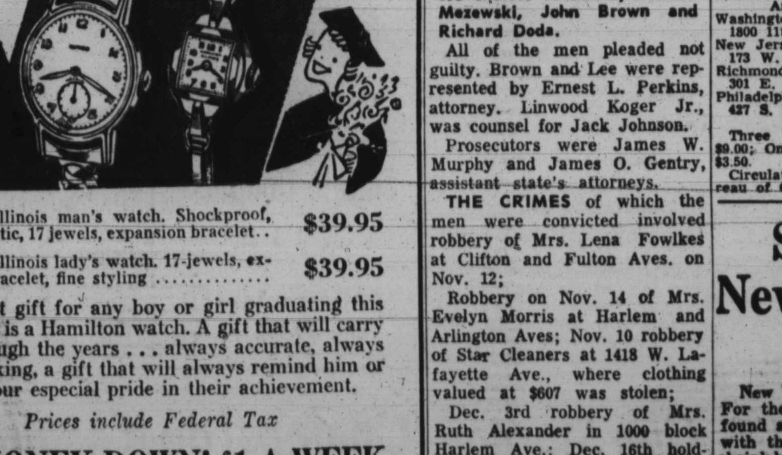

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-Nat Mills

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had invaded the home without a warrant and the arrest was illegal.

JUDGE TUCKER then sentenced Mills to 60 days in jail fined him $1,000 and costs, commenting, "The jail term would have been heavier had Mills not been cooperative with the police."

Then on February 1, Judge Tucker suspended the jail term upon payment of $250 and costs. He said then he had reconsidered the case and felt he should give Mills more credit for aiding the police.

When Mills and his attorney, Maurice Siegel, went to the sheriff's office to pay the fine, it was discovered that he owed $38 in court costs from a prior lottery conviction.

A check with the Probation Department revealed that Mills had been found guilty on a number charge by Judge Joseph Carter on Dec. 3, 1953. He was sentenced on August 27, 1954 to one year in the House of Correction but the sentence was suspended and he was placed on a year's probation and ordered to pay $38 in court costs.

The $38 had been paid to the Probation Department but the receipt had not been forwarded to the sheriff's office.

THE PROBATION Department informed Judge Tucker of the prior conviction and probation, and Mills was returned to court this morning (Friday) where Judge Tucker struck out the probation and resentenced him to nine months in the House of Correction.

In taking this action, Judge Tucker said that the punishment would have been stiffer but he was still taking into consideration Mills' helpfulness and cooperation with police. The jurist added that cooperation with the police department should be encouraged.

A probation officer said that under normal circumstances a violator would receive the original sentence which in the Mills case would have been one year.

Ministers' wives hear Mrs. Kyles

WASHINGTON

The Interdenominational Council of Ministers' Wives met at the home of Mrs. George O. Bullock, 408 T St., NW, with Mrs. Rebecca Bland serving as cohostess.

Mrs. Josephine Kyles, director of Christian Education for the Washington Federation of Churches, spoke on "adjustments in Church Relationships." Members of the council present were:

Mesdames R. Bland, James H. Marshall, J. L. S. Holloman, G. M. Young, R. E. Johnson, Fair J. Jones, G. Jernagin, L. T. Hughes J. M. Cox, J. Cooper Jr., R. Gatewood, N. L. McEaddy, C. M. Bailey, G. D. Bullock, R. L. Jeans. Adeline Kenney, Frank L. White and J. W. Bundrant.

Mrs. Sudie Guess dies in Goldsboro

GOLDSBORO, N.C. — Funeral services for Mrs. Sudie Guess, widow of Henry Guess, who died at her home, 223 E. Vine St., were held last week in St. James AME Zion Church, of which she had been a lifelong member.

Survivors include two daughters, Misses Maggie and Susie Guess of this city; one son, Kennon J. Guess of Wilson; two sisters, Mesdames Annie Cotton of Norfolk and Willie Lewis of NYC, and a brother-in-law, James Guess Sr. of this city.

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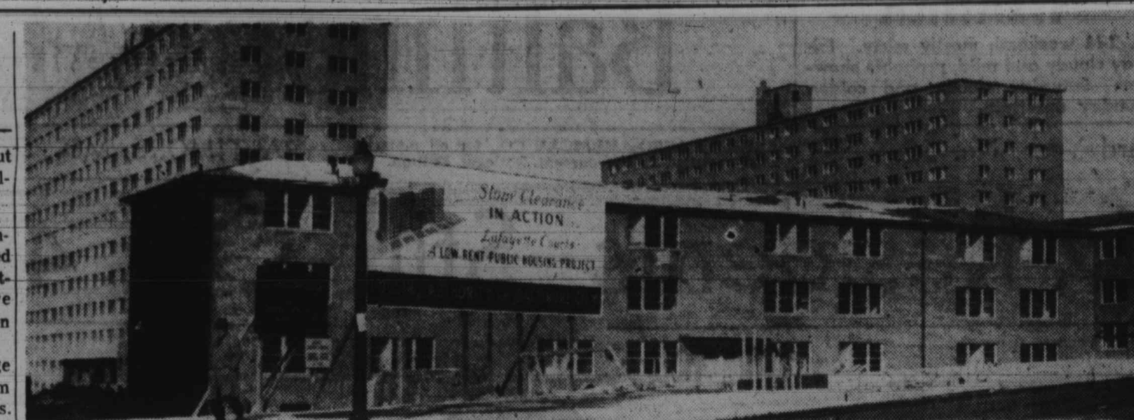

OPENS THIS MONTH — Delayed from an official opening pending the installation of heating systems, the new $7,567,471 Lafayette Courts, which features the first skyscraper apartments for low income families, will receive its first tenants the week of Feb. 21, More than 2,000 applications on a non-segregated basis have been received from families who wish to locate here. The office staff moved in this week.

—Cashier held

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and an employee of the insurance firm for 21 years, was accompanied to headquarters by her husband, Herbert E. Parmes.

LT. HIGGINS said that the shortage in the company's funds was discovered following an audit of the Washington office's books after "a suspiciously large" number of policies were paid up just before they were due to lapse.

Mrs. Parmes, the officers said, admitted having used premium payments over a six-year period "to pay charge accounts and other living expenses."

In her job as chief cashier Lt. Higgins told the court that Mrs. Parmes was able to hide the record cards so that the apparent down payment of premiums would not be discovered by other employees who might have sensed deliquency notices.

Before the policies would expire, however, Mrs. Parmes other payments. Lt. Higgins said.

LT. HIGGINS said that Mrs. Parmers' home showed no evidence of lavish or extravagant living.

Mrs. Parmes was also accompanied to court, Thursday, for arraignment before Judge Thomas C. Scalley by her husband, a former truck driver for a Washington furniture store. They are parents of two sons, 5 and 8.

Due to the inability of her attorney, Wesley S. Williams, to appear, Judge Scalley ordered the case continued until Feb. 25.

Mrs. Parmes, who was wearing a fur trimmed beige cloth coat and a red and blue turban type hat, appeared slightly nervous.

VISITED AT HER home late in the day by an AFRO reporter, Mrs. Parmes declined comment. However, her husband told the AFRO it was the first time his wife had been in any kind of trouble.

"She is a nice person" he said, "and it's too bad the daily press didn't tell some of the good things about her."

He would not comment further, stating that any information would have to be obtained from police records.

"Perhaps the family will make a statement later," Mr. Parmes said, "but we have nothing to divulge at present."

The family lives in a two-story brick home, moderately furnished.

Joseph F. Harris, district manager for North Carolina Mutual in Washington, said that the occurrence had not affected the operations of the company, so far as policy-holders are concerned.

"This will not in any wise affect the interest of any policy. All policy-holders of the company are amply protected," he added.

ON THE JOB—Getting ready to receive the first 23 tenants at Lafayette Courts, Van Story Branch and his staff moved into their new quarters this week. Former manager of the Lyons Homes in Turner Station, Mr. Branch was appointed to his post last October.

—New homes

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at a record pace.

The $7,000,000 project will be under the management of Van Story Branch, former manager of the Lyons Homes in Turner Station.

Mr. Branch and his co-workers moved into their office quarters at Lafayette Cts. this week.

APPLICATIONS FOR apartments, both elevator and walkup are being received by the Housing Authority on a nonsegregated basis.

Originally, the project was planned for colored tenants only. The decision was changed last June when the authority announced that segregation would be eliminated in public housing.

It was then estimated that it would take until the end of 1955 for all projects in the city to complete this plan.

FAIRFIELD HOMES near Chesapeake Ave. was the first project to put the program in operation. Before then, Fairfield had been a wartime housing project.

Lafayette Courts is bounded by Fayette, Orleans, and Caroline Sts. and is built to house 805 families.

It is expected that the elevator apartments will be completed in time to receive tenants around the last of March.

According to housing officials the majority of applicants have shown a preference for the 11-story apartments.

'Giggle' victims buried Thursday

Over 300 persons filled a small funeral chapel in the 300 block N. Schroeder St. on Thursday afternoon, as funeral services were conducted for a mother and daughter slain last Friday because the younger woman "giggled."

At least another 300 persons stood about the chapel under balmy skies, unable to enter and unable to hear any of the services taking place inside for Mrs. Mary Kinsley, 23, and her mother, Mrs. Pearl Adger, 65, both of 804 George St.

Mrs. Kinsley was stabbed to death and her mother suffered fatal wounds last Friday when Mrs. Kinsley's boyfriend, Willie F. Brice, 31, reportedly became angry when his sweetheart laughed at him.

BRICE WAS arrested several hours after the stabbings and has been ordered held on twin homicide charges.

The Thursday services were conducted at the Katie Williams Funeral Home with the Rev. Theodore Sembly as officiating minister. Burial was in Mt. Auburn Cemetery.

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The hem of Christ's garment is still in reach of all thru prayer. When you pray, always ask your prayer in Jesus' Name, because He has given authority to use His name in prayer. God saves us only thru His Son, and He listens to our prayers only thru the name of His Son.
Make prayer important in your life, and your life will become important. If you pray much, your prayers are not only important to you, but also important to others for whom you pray.
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I believe that God who knows every thought and intent of a person's mind can heal the mind.
I believe that God who can make a star can stop a toothache.
I believe that God who gives life to all can heal a person and give that person a longer time to live.
I believe that Jesus, who said: "Come unto me and I will give you rest," can heal a person of insomnia and cause that person to sleep well at night.
I believe that Jesus who looks upon the heart can heal heart trouble.
I believe that Jesus who can move mountains of stone can move the little gallstones from a person's body.
I believe that Jesus who said: "Fear not, little flock," is greater than fear.
I believe that Jesus who cursed a fig tree and caused it to dry up can also cause a cancer or tumor to dry up.
I believe that God who turned the rivers of Egypt to blood can also give a little more blood to a person who has anemia and heal him.
I believe that God who holds the universe together can hold a home together.
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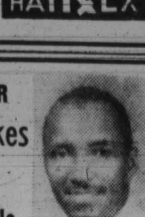

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MRS. COLE—Funeral services for Mrs. Bertha Cole, the member for whom the Order of the Eastern Star contributed funds for an artificial leg last year, were held Tuesday at Shiloh Christian Church. Mrs. Cole died last Friday.

Fathers of 12 sent to jail

Digits count hits two steel workers

Twelve children were left fatherless, when two men were sentenced to the House of Correction following their convictions for lottery violations in Criminal Court, Wednesday.

Sentenced by Judge John T. Tucker were:

John T. Henson, 40, 1658 Bruce Ct., father of seven, who received six months and a $600 fine;

And Augustine Johnson, 29, 1615 Longwood St., father of five, seven months and $750 fine.

Testimony was that the men, both of whom are employed by the Bethlehem Steel Co., were arrested during a raid on Henson's home on Jan. 28.

POLICE SAID that the place was under observation for a few days and then a warrant, describing both men, was obtained.

Officers said that in the house they found 40 slips, 631 numbers and $83.19 in plays. They said Henson told them he worked at Sparrows Point and lottery was a "sideline."

Johnson, police testified, drove up while the raid was in progress. They said that a search of him revealed 37 slips, 1,953 numbers, $284.44 in plays and $137.31 in cash.

POLICE SAID they believed Henson was a "writer" and Johnson was a numbers pickup man. Neither man had any previous record.

A personnel representative from Bethlehem Steel said that Henson had been employed there for nearly 10 years; Johnson, seven years.

Mrs. Henson told reporters that her children ranged in ages from a child of three to a 20-year-old son in the army.

"I guess things will be a little tough with John away," the mother said, "but we'll manage somehow."

Mrs. Henson said that she works as a waitress and earns about $25 weekly. Her husband, she said, was a chipper and head of his gang at Sparrows Point. He made about $74 a week.

MRS. JOHNSON said that she doesn't know what she's going to do. She is not employed. Her husband earned about $67 weekly, she said.

The Johnsons have four boys, ages one, two, four and six; and a girl, seven.

Joseph F. DiDomenico, attorney for the two fathers, pleaded with the court to place the men on probation so that they could support their families. His plea went unheeded.

Infant suffocates while sisters sleep

While his two sisters slept nearby, a 3-month-old baby died of suffocation Thursday morning.

The body of Warner Edward Taylor Jr., was found underneath a pillow by his mother, Mrs. Lucy Gill when she entered the room to awaken the children.

The family, who resides in the 900 block N. Chapel St., reported that the baby was found with the pillow over his face and his 18-month-old sister Patricia asleep on top of it. Another sister, Vivian, 17, was sleeping nearby.

The infant was taken to Johns Hopkins Hospital where he was pronounced dead on arrival. Police said there was no indication of foul play.

Double murder tip week's top winner

The first person to call in the news of a mother and daughter being fatally stabbed is this week's $5 winner in the AFRO Newstip Contest.

A second prize of $3 is awarded to the person who first called about the fire Friday night in the 500 block Oxford St. where several children were rescued.

9 third prize of $2 goes to the person who first notified the AFRO about the fatal shooting of a man by a policeman last Sunday at Chase and Somerset Sts.

OTHER PRIZES of $1 each are awarded to the persons who called in tips on the following:

Auto accident at Winchester and Stricker Sts., fire in the 1300 block Myrtle Ave., school teacher injured in fall on ice, holdup in 2500 block Edmondson Ave., television show shows derogatory film.

The AFRO has money to pay out each week to alert persons who see something happening and call the AFRO first. If you are first to call in a tip you are eligible for a prize ranging from $1 to $5.

It's simple. Whenever you see something that you think is newsworthy, simply pick up the telephone and call MUlberry 5-6015. Ask for the City Desk and tell the person who answers:

"I've got a newstip."

Holy Name Society holds open house

An "Open House," sponsored by the Holy Name Society, will be held at St. Pius Center, 907 Edmondson Ave., Sunday from 3 to 8 p.m.

Chicken or crab cake platters will be offered at the affair.

Christian Kolom is president of the Society. C. Reginald Bennett Sr., chairman of the affair.

Man linked to safe jobs

A former Army sergeant with a liking for pencils, has been ordered held in $4,500 bail for the grand jury in connection with three safe burglaries.

Walter E. Jones, 31, of the 1800 block N. Saratoga St., was ordered held by Magistrate E. Everett Lane in Northwestern Police Court, after police testified they captured the man last Wednesday morning after he had broken into a lumber at Walbrook and North Aves.

Police said they surprised Jones as he was leaving the building and they chased him to the campus of Coppin State Teachers College where he surrendered after one shot was fired over his head.

A SEARCH of the lumber yard revealed that a variety of tools had been taken from the place and 25 pencils. He had also used a 16-pound mallet in a vain effort to break into the safe, police said.

In searching Jones' room, police said they found 12 pencils taken in a robbery at another lumber company in the 400 block N. Stricker St. and tools that were stolen in a third robbery at a business firm in the unit block of E. Franklin St.

Jones admitted taking part in the two lumber company robbieries, police said and added that he had a "weakness" for pencils."

Lincoln called 'Frontiersman'

Club hears noted expert

Dr. Louis A. Warren, a historian who has devoted a number of years to gathering and publishing facts about the life of Abraham Lincoln, was guest speaker on Tuesday at a luncheon meeting of the Frontiers Club.

Dr. Warren is historian of the Lincoln National Life Insurance Co., and director of the Lincoln National Life Foundation.

"Lincoln could no doubt qualify for honorary membership in the Frontiers Club, for he was a Frontiersman if there ever was one," Dr. Warren said.

"CLOSE OBSERVATION of the great president's addresses tend to make you wonder if he selected law or politics as his vocation.

"Throughout his many masterpieces you will find quotations from the Bible, an influence brought about by the teachings at his mother's knee. Many have called his second inaugural address, Lincoln's sermon On The Mount.

"Not many times have great Englishmen cited an American as one of the all-time greats, but the famed H. G. Wells considered him as such, The Gettysburg Address is considered a masterpiece throughout the world.

"There is not doubt but that Lincoln had the colored person in mind when he spoke the lines a new birth of Freedom.'

Guests at the meeting included; Leonard Evans, Chicago, Charles McFarland, Lincoln National Life Isnurance Company; Chief Warrant Officer Cleo W. Jones, just back from three years in Germany.

David Mason, attorney was inducted as new member. A check for $142 was presented to the March of Dimes Fund from the organization.

Frank Winslow heads Cancer Society drive

Frank Winslow, manager of the Baltimore Division of General Electric, has been appointed chairman of the American Cancer Society's 1955 educational and fund-raising crusade in Maryland.

The month-long campaign will begin April 1. Headquarters of the local ACS Unit are at 20 East Eager Street, Baltimore 2.

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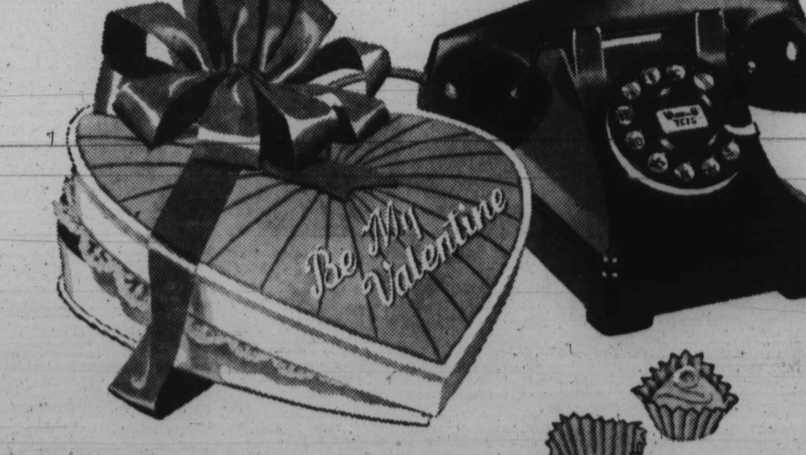

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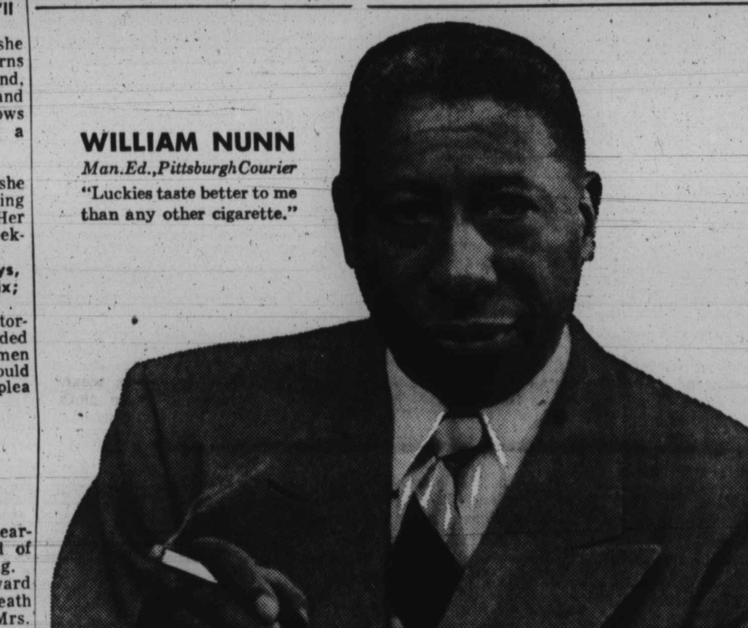

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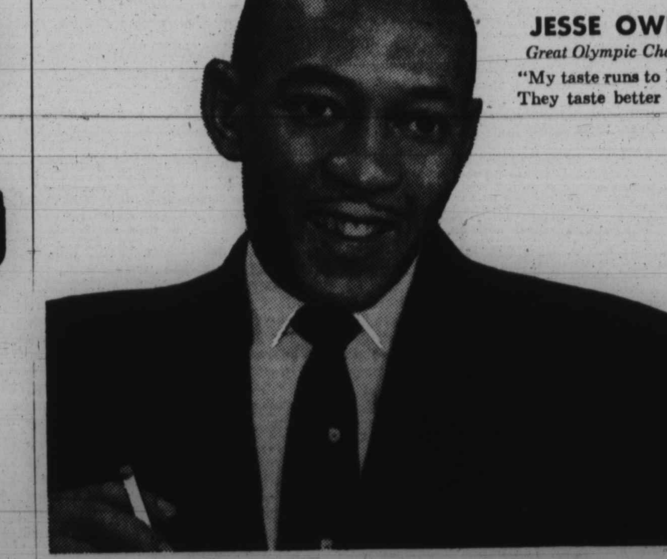

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