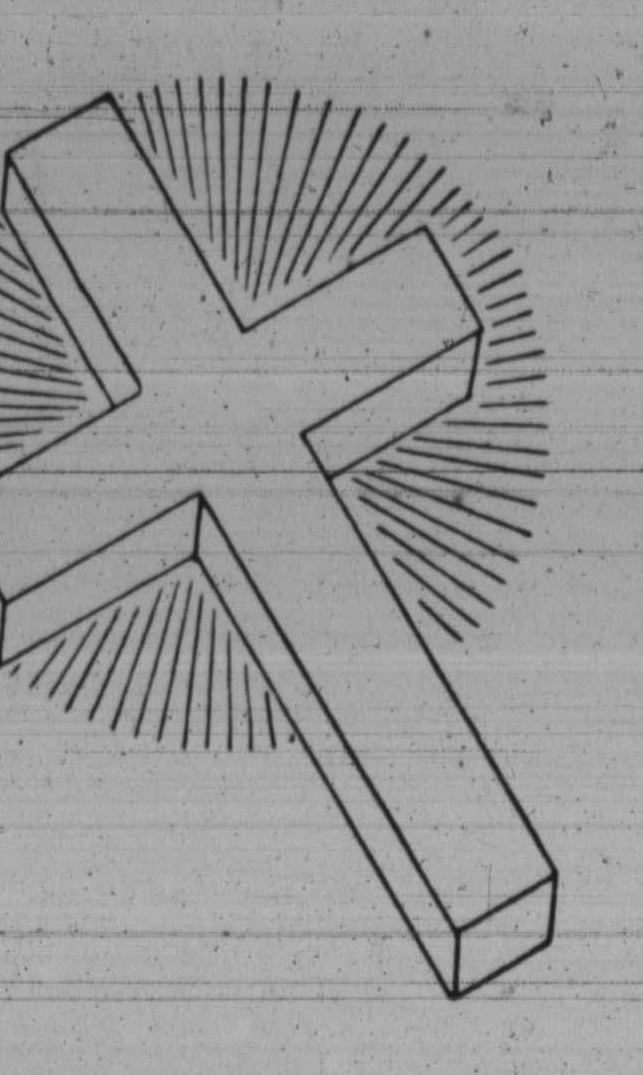

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O GOD, OUR HELP IN AGES PAST

O God, our help in ages past, Our Hope for years to come,
Our Shelter from the stormy blast, And our eternal home—
And our eternal home—

Beneath the shadow of Thy throne Thy saints have dwelt secure;
Sufficient is Thine arm alone, And our defense is sure,
And our defense is sure.

Eternity, with all its years, Stands present in Thy view;
To Thee there's nothing old appears; Great God, there's
nothing new, Great God, there's nothing new.

Our lives thro' various scenes are drawn, And vexed with
trifling cares, While Thine eternal tho't moves on Thine
undisturbed affairs, Thine undisturbed affairs.

In Our Churches

The third quarterly conference of the Randallstown Circuit of the AME Church will meet Sunday at Union Bethel AME Church, Randallstown, with Dr. C. R. Edgehill, presiding elder delivering the 11 a.m. sermon.

Dr. Edgehill will also speak at Mt. Pleasant AME Church at 3 p.m. The Rev. W. N. Edwards, pastor, attended the one-day Philadelphia conference of the AME Church last week.

On Friday, Jan. 28, the Rev. Mr. Edwards will be guest speaker at Bazal AME Church, Cockeysville. Music will be furnished by the Junior Choir of Union Bethel Church.

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OVER $700 has been contributed by the congregation of Grace Memorial Baptist Church, towards the $1,000 needed for the radio programs sponsored by the church. The Rev. Eugene T. Grove is pastor.

The Rev. Marion Bascom, pastor, Douglas Memorial C.C. Church was guest speaker at Union Memorial Methodist Church Wednesday. The Rev. N. B. Carrington is pastor.

Men's Day will be observed at Cherry Hill Community Methodist Church, Sunday. Dr. George Kelsey associate professor of Christian Ethics at Drew University, will be guest speaker.

The Rev. Thomas Davis, pastor, Leadenhall Baptist Church, and his congregation will conduct services at Morning Star Baptist Church, Feb. 13.

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THE MISSIONARY Society of Knox Presbyterian Church, held its first meeting of the year, Thursday, at 7:30 p.m. The Rev. H. Ocatvius Graham is pastor.

The Lydia Circle of Metropolitan Methodist Church will holds its anniversary service, Sunday at 3:30 p.m. in the church auditorium. Guest speaker will be the Rev. J.R. Butler, pastor, Mt. Sinai Baptist Church.

He will be accompanied by his choir and congregation. A fellowship hour will be held after the services in the Social Hall. Mrs. Theodosia Burnett is chairman; the Rev. K L. Jackson, pastor.

Over $500 was raised at the recent rally at Davis Memorial Church. Prize winners included: Robert Smith, 2047 Braddish Ave., television set; Mrs. Virginia Cockerell, 1033 N. Gilmor St., Smithfield ham, and Thomas Watts, 421 N. Carey St., 16-pound turkey.

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DR. GEORGE D. Cole, staff member of the New York Ethical Cultural Society, will address the Baltimore association, Sunday at 11 a.m. in the society's auditorium at 2217 W. North Ave.

Sunday night the Rev. W. I. Snowden, evangelist of the Baltimore and Washington AME Conference, will preach at 8:30 p.m. at Love Temple Church, Madison Ave. and Lanvale St. from the subject of the Painted Face. His Singing Group will be with him. The Rev. F. J. Kelly is pastor.

AT THE St. James Union AME Church in Cedars, Darlington, Md., the Rev. Singleton of Columbia, Pa. will be at the 3 p.m. services Sunday. At 8 p.m. a program will be given by the Junior Daughters of Mike.

The Rev. Samuel E. Burnett is pastor of St. James. Bernard S. Wilson is minister of music and Miss Lucia Smith, assistant to organist.

On Feb. 6 at 3 p.m. at the same church the Quarterly Meeting will be held and at the same time Mt. Calvary Church will come to services.

At 8 p.m., the Haven Senior Choir of Philadelphia will be presented in concert.

Olivet Baptist Church, Riggs Ave. and Woodyear, will hold special services Sunday. The pastor, the Rev. W. L. Evans, will deliver a sermon at 11 a.m. At 8 p.m., the Rev. C. Winston of Georgetown, S.C., will preach and a church group will furnish music.

The Temple of God Pentecostal Church, Washington St. and Madison Ave., will hold its second annual Youth Day, Sunday, Jan. 23. The morning speaker at 11 a.m., will be the Rev. Mrs. A. Chester.

At 3:30 p.m., Joseph T. Durham faculty member of Morgan State College will speak. Music will be by the Boys and Girls Choirs.

Miss Geraldine Stancill is president; the Rev. Leon Price, Junior pastor; Bishop E. W. Stancill, overseer.

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Miss Mame Jackson buried on Monday

Funeral services were held Monday morning at Immaculate Conception Church for Mrs. Mary Ellen Jackson, 77, of 517 W. Mosher St.

Known to relatives and friends as "Aunt Mame" or "Miss Mamie," Mrs. Jackson was a native Baltimorean and the member of an old Maryland family.

Born Mary Ellen Johnson, she attended local schools and made a name for herself as a seamstress. She was the widow of Dolbert Jackson, who died a number of years ago.

She was also the sister of Mrs. Julia A. Carr, wife of one of Baltimore's early physicians, Dr. William T. Carr.

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MRS. JACKSON died at Provident Hospital on Thursday after a month's illness.

The body was on view at the Holland Funeral Home. Burial was in New Cathedral Cemetery.

Surviving Mrs. Jackson are a nephew, Dr. James Carr, and a niece, Miss Elizabeth Carr.

Minister's petition halts sale of Baptist Church

A petition filed against the Rev. Hurley L. Long and Gilbert McGee, pastor and deacon respectively of the Little Mount Hebron Baptist Church, has stopped sale of the church property temporarily.

The suit, filed by other church officials and members, charges that the Rev. Mr. Long and Mr. McGee have placed the property in the hands of Alex Cooper, auctioneer, for sale without consent of the majority of the 200 church members.

The petition also asks for an accounting of $1,016 raised during an anniversary celebration, which the complainants say is being held by the pastor and Mr. McGee.

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THE SUIT was filed by George Jackson, Alberta Jackson, Robert Reed, William Matthews, the Rev. Gabriel Thomas and the Rev. John Duffie.

Judge E. McMaster Duer, before whom the complaint was heard, has ordered minutes of church meetings during 1952, 1953 and 1954, as well as cash books showing all collections and distributions during those years, brought into court for examination.

Elks' ex-Exalted ruler succumbs

WASHINGTON

James L. Watson, 55, past exalted ruler of Columbia Lodge, 85, of the Elks, died suddenly on Thursday at his place of employment in Temporary Building D of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Fourth and David Sts., S. W.

Detective Sergeant A. F. Moe of the homicide squad reported that Mr. Watson went to the men's room where he was found unconscious on the floor by a fellow employee. He was pronounced dead at about 3:37 p.m. by an ambulance doctor.

Joe Tucker buried at Cockeysville

Joseph Tucker, 68, of 1044 N. Eden St., were held Friday at the Waters AME Church, where he had been a member and active worker for many years.

He died at his residence Monday, Jan. 10, after a brief illness.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ida M. Tucker; a son, Christian W. Tucker, his mother, Mrs. Amanda Tucker; four sisters, Miss Grace Tucker, Mrs. Gertrude Hall, Mrs. Elsie Richardson and Mrs. Marie Davenport;

Also three brothers, Fufus A. Tucker, Milton M. Tucker and Alfred E. Tucker.

Burial was in the family plot at Basil Chapel Cemetery in Cockeysville, Md.

Funeral services held for Frederick resident

FREDERICK, Md. — Funeral services for Rùben Butler, of New London, were held on Saturday, with the Rev. William I. Snowden officiating.

Mr. Butler who died last Thursday is survived by a sister, 3 nephews, 5 nieces, 4 grandnephews 6 grand nieces, 1 great grand nephew, and 2 great grand nieces.

Burial was in Woodville Cemetery. The C. E. Hicks Funeral Home was in charge.

Women's Christian Council to observe second anniversary

The Women's Christian Service Council of Shiloh C.C. Church, Fremont Avenue and Warner Street, will celebrate its second anniversary on Sunday, January 23, at 3:30 p.m.

The speaker will be Miss Mazie Rappaport of the Department of Public Welfare and the music will be furnished by the Young-Adult Choir of Emmanuel CC Church.

Mrs. Ella Brown is chairman of this anniversary and Mrs. Elizabeth Roy is president of the Council.

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Rabbi Morris Liberman Frontiers' guest speaker

ARE WE MAKING progress as a Nation in the Third Frontier-Spiritual."

This was the theme of the address delivered by Rabbi Morris Liberman of the Baltimore Hebrew Congregation Tuesday at the Frontiers Luncheon at the Druid Hill YMCA.

"Three ideals declared Rabbi Liberman, will protect the sanctity of personality. They are: Democracy, liberty and peace."

Following Rabbi Liberman's address talks were given by J. R. Lewis, director of the March of Dimes Drive; and Miss Katherine Gaul, executive secretary, Baltimore chapter of the Polio Foundation.

Luncheon guests included George Taliaferro, backfield star of the Baltimore Colts; W. Emerson Brown Jr., attorney; Leroy Taylor, instructor at Dunbar High School; and Frank Jones, secretary, Carver Vocational-Technical High School.

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11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR
6:30 P.M.—YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHRISTIAN LEAGUE.
8:00 P.M.—EVANGELISTIC SERVICE.
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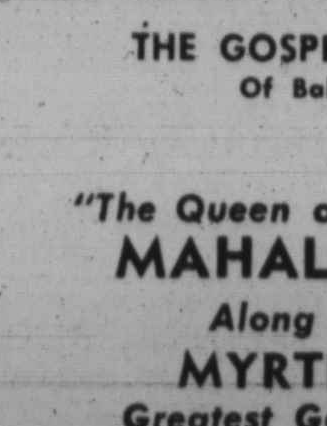
TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH
DRUID HILL AVE. and McMECHEN ST.

9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR. Music by Gospel Chorus.
6:00 P.M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
8:00 P.M.—PREACHING By PASTOR. Music By Gospel Chorus.
All Are Welcome Rev. V. V. K. Stokes, Pastor



MEN'S DAY
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9:30 A.M.—Church School.
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by the pastor.
3:00 P.M.—Preaching.
8:00 P.M.—A musical program by the Famous UNION STAR CHORUS. Prof. Collins Chambers Accompanist.
MRS. C. BLAKE, Directress

Mt. Zion Methodist Church
RIGGS AVE. and GILMOR ST.

9:30 A.M.—Church School.
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by the Pastor.
3:00 P.M.—Downstairs — Union Prayer Meeting under the auspices of the Singing and Praying Bands. Upstairs —Anniversary Service by the McCulloh Club.
8:00 P.M.—Prayer Meeting—Downstairs. Upstairs — Sermon.
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REV. WARD D. YERBY, Pastor

GOSPEL CHORUS DAY
9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
10:30 A.M.—OPEN HEART SERVICE.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR—Subj.: "GOING FOREWARD."
6:00 P.M.—B.T.U. AND MOVIE ENTITLED "EUROPE TODAY."
7:30 P.M.—PROGRAM BY THE GOSPEL CHORUS.
MONDAY, JANUARY 24 Through SUN., JAN. 30— "MISSIONARY WEEK."

Sharp Street Memorial Methodist Church
DOLPHIN AND ETTING STS.

9:30 A.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by the Pastor. Subject: "WHEN GOD TAKES OVER."
6:00 P.M.—METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP
8:00 P.M.—Order of Moses Thanksgiving Service.
A HEARTY WELCOME TO ALL.
REV. JOSHUA O. WILLIAMS, Pastor

SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH
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"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.
6:00 P.M.—B.T.U.
8:00 P.M.—EVENING SERVICE—Senior Choir No. 2 and Gospel Chorus.
REV. J. R. GRANT, Pastor
Mrs. Marie Cannon, Church Clerk

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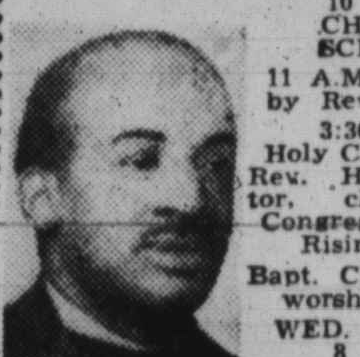

10 A. M. CHURCH SCHOOL.
11 A.M.—Sermon by Rev. Merrill.
3:30 P.M. Holy Communion Rev. Harris, Pastor, choir and Congregation of Rising Sun Bapt. Church will worship here.
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10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.
11:00 A.M.—Preaching.
3:00 P.M.—Anniversary of the Pulpit Aid. Guest speaker Rev. Blackstone of Elkridge accompanied by his Young Chorus.
7:00 P.M.—Young People's Hour.
8:00 P.M.—Platform Services.
THURS., 8 P. M.—Regular Service—Prayers For the Sick.
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FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH
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BOND STREET AND ASHLAND AVENUE

9:00 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE ACTING PASTOR.
6:00 P.M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
8:00 P.M.—EVENING WORSHIP. PREACHING.
WE WELCOME YOU
REV. WALTER E. PAIGE, Acting 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.
6:00 P.M.—METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP.
ALL ARE WELCOME — REV. D. M. PLEASANTS, Pastor

Memorial Baptist Church
CAROLINE AND PRESTON STS.

9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
6:00 P.M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
8:00 P.M.—SERMON BY REV. A. A. SMITH.
We Welcome You — Rev. C. Edward Browne, pastor

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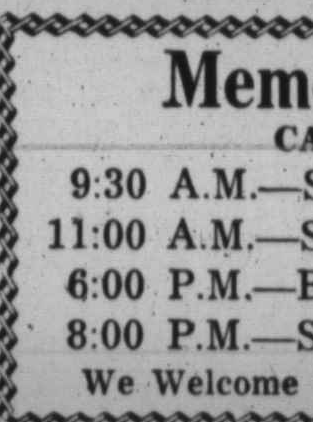

CONCORD BAPTIST CHURCH
FRANKLIN AND POPPLETON STS.

9:45 A.M.—Sunday School, Rev. Montague Brackett, Supt.
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by the Pastor. Subj.: "The World of All Things."
3:30 P.M.—18th Anniversary of the Trustees. Sermon by Rev. W. A. Hall of Nazareth Baptist Church. His Choir and Congregation will worship with us.
6:00 P.M.—B.T.U.
8:00 P.M.—Program sponsored by the Trustees Sermonette by Rev. Montague Brackett
THE PUBLIC IS INVITED REV. J. M. RAYNOR, Pastor

Metropolitan Methodist Church
CARROLLTON AVE. AND LANVALE ST.
SUNDAY, JANUARY 23, 1955

10:45 A.M.—Class of Instructions— Henry U. Ayres, Leader.
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by Pastor. Subject: "Stretch Out on God's Promise." Music by Senior Choir and Girls' Choir.
1:30 P.M.—Church School. Mrs. Bessie Harmon, Superintendent.
3:30 P.M.—Guest Speaker: Rev. J. R. Butler, of Mt. Sinai Baptist Church.
4:30 P.M.—Pastor in Radio Message over Station WWIN. accompanied by Choir and Congregation.
6:00 P.M.—Methodist Youth Fellowship. Frances Jefferson, President.
7:45 P.M.—Special Music by Choir. Sermonette by Pastor.
REV. KELLY L. JACKSON, Pastor

GRACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
DOLPHIN AND ETTING STS.

9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR. Topic: "Members the Church Can Do Without."
WED. 8 P.M.—PRAYER SERVICE
NOTICE—Sunday, January 30th—5 P. M.—2nd Annual Installation. Vesper Service—Guest Speaker, Rev. George Mendenhall. Special Music by the Choirs of Forest Park Presbyterian, Madison Ave. Presbyterian, and Grace Presbyterian Churches.
WE WELCOME YOU
REV. ROBERT T. NEWBOLD, JR., Pastor

South Baltimore Notes

GEORGE W. E. HILL

The Trustee's Aid held its regular meeting at the residence of Mr. Netlie Gardner, 2426 Huron St. on Thursday, Jan. 13.

The Aid made plans for the year of '55-'56. The first effort will be an oyster supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William O. Gardner.

Those present at the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. William Gardner, William Polk, Shirley Price, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Christian, Trilby Wicks, Mrs. Mamie Leggs, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Chinn and Mr. and Mrs. George Hill.

William Polk is president; Mrs. Ernestine Christian, secretary and Trilby Wicks, treasurer.

The group also laid plans for its annual bus excursion to Coney Island in July.

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LAST SATURDAY, Arlene Wimbist, Marie Littles of Cherry Hill and G. W. E. Hill were among the first colored to dine in Reed's Drug Store at Washington Boulevard.

The atmosphere was most delightful. Our waitress was Miss Maire Brooks. There are six very pleasing waitresses working at this store.

All PTA health committees, PTA Presidents and principals are urged to be present on Tuesday, Jan. 25 from 1 p.m. to 2:45 p.m. in Room 303, Department of Education Building, 3 E. 25th St.

A film entitled "School Health in Action," will be shown.

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PANEL members from the City Health Department will be present including the following: Dr. Alan Ford, chief, Division of School Health Elementary Schools; Miss Alice M. Sundberg, director, Public Health Nursing; Dr. H. Berton McCauley, director, Bureau of Dental Care; Mrs. Elizabeth Hipp, chairman, Volunteer Program, Bureau of Public Health Nursing.

From the Department of Education will be the following: Dr. Elmer L. Vernier, director, Health and Physical Education; Dr. D. Wharton Smith, supervisor, Health Services (Secondary Schools).

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FROM COMMUNITY agencies will be:

Mrs Helen K. Vener, Visual Health Education, Maryland Society for the Prevention of Blindness and Lloyd Kirkley, president, Coordinating Council of PTA's.

Mrs. Ruth L. Manll is chairman of the Health Committee.

George W. E. Hill is president of the School No. 162 PTA at Barre and Warner Sts. Mrs. Vivian Bundy is principal.

The Original Democratic Club of Cherry Hill had a dinner party on January 8 at the home of Mrs. Olivia Alexander, 710 Roundview Rd. for the members and their friends.

Mrs. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Casey, Mrs. Lucinda Wright, Frank Hutchinson, Randolph Dent, Mr. Triple, Otto McClain and other guests attended.

Hodge-Podge

By ROBERT MATTHEWS

Have become firmly convinced that all children between the ages of two and 12 have built-in sandpaper on the soles of their feet.

The way they can wear out a pair of shoes in two weeks flat, is nothing short of astonishing. This doesn't count the shoe soles that are ripped off through roller skating.

Thought I would try those extra-thick, rubber cleated sole shoes. After all, it should take a little longer to grind them down to bedrock—HAH! In exactly 12 days they were candidates for the trash can.

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HAPPENED TO BE listening to TV one day and heard the announcer extolling the virtues of a composition plastic shoe sole that they practically guaranteed would positively not wear out.

Naturally, this sounded too good to be true. But with four youngsters galloping through the menagerie every day, it behooves one not to overlook any possible expense-savers.

Next pilgrimage to the shoe store, noticed that the guy had brand new fixtures in the place—must have paid for most of them myself. I specifically asked for shoes with that composition sole.

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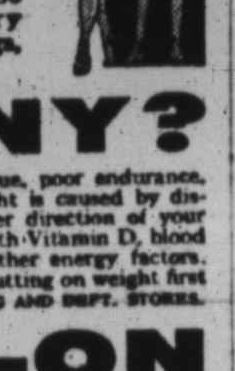
THEY HAD them in stock; purchased three pair, noted the date of purchase and sat back to see whether or not the kids would make a liar out of the advertising claims.

One week went by. Checked the shoes, and sure enough, the soles showed little sign of wear. Two weeks passed—checked the soles again. Still holding their own, 'course the heels were beginning to look a little lopsided.

Let me say right here and now. The announcer was absolutely correct. The kids were unable to wear out those composition soles—But . . .!

In exactly 16 days, the uppers of the shoes were practically disintegrated. Now if they just start making composition uppers . . .!



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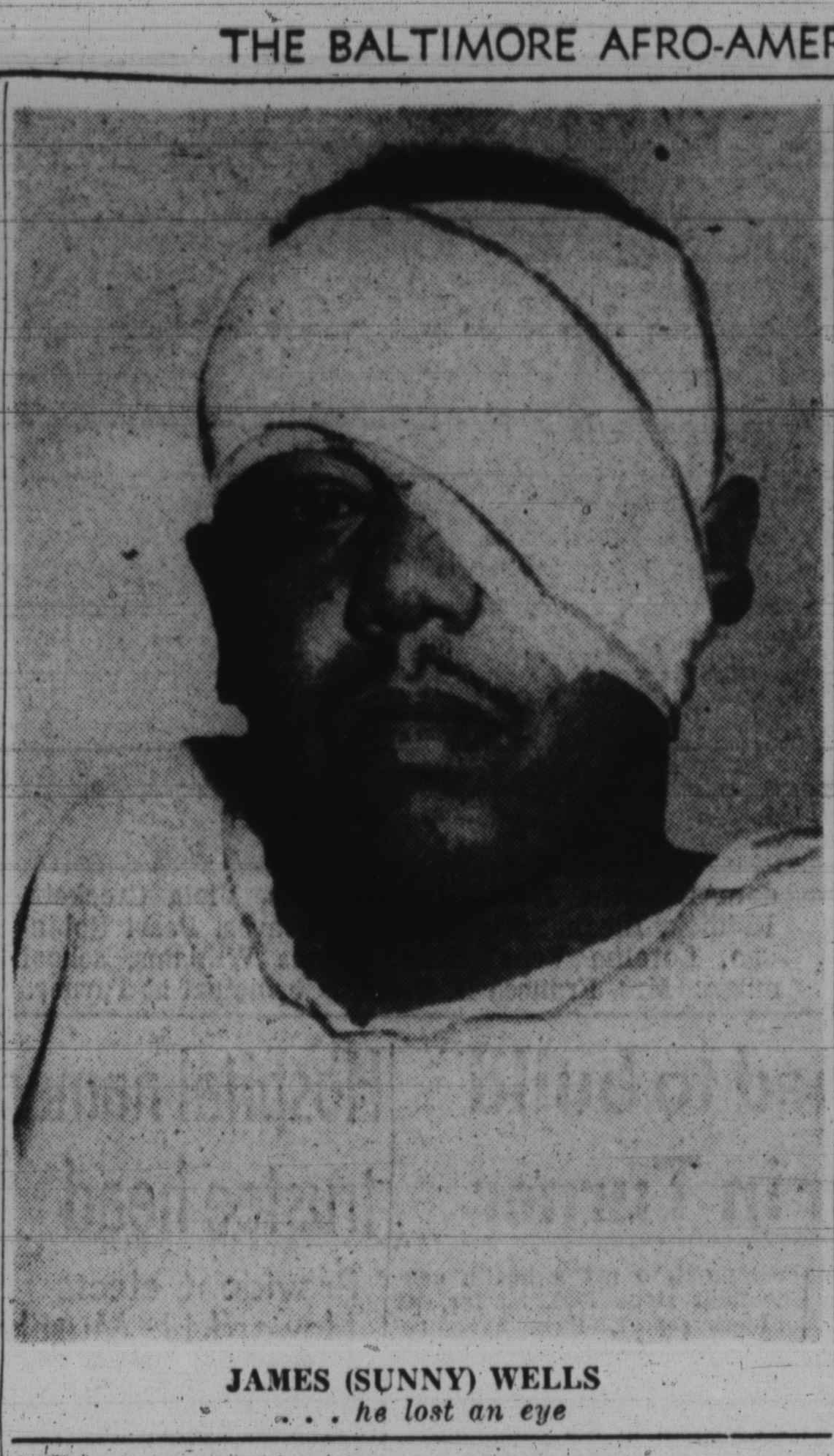

JAMES (SUNNY) WELLS
. . . he lost an eye

Freak accident costs man eye

Hit with glass, but doesn't know why

WASHINGTON

One of those bizarre and inexplainable actions which happen now and then has cost the loss of the left eye of a popular and well liked Recorder of Deeds office clerical assistant.

James (Sunny) Wells, 38, 3807 Minn. Ave., NE, Saturday night was struck in the left eye by a drinking glass held by Mrs. Harriet West, 34, 1126 48th Pl., NE.

As a result, two pieces of glass pierced the eyeball, one piece in the front and the other in the rear of the eyeball.

Surgeons at D.C. General Hospital removed the eye on Sunday morning and Mr. Wells is recovering at the hospital.

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THERE SEEMS to be no apparent explanation for the incident, according to both Mrs. West and Mr. Wells.

Mrs. West said there were no words passed between them, and that she had not known Mr. Wells prior to his coming to her home Saturday night with her uncle and two other friends.

Mr. Wells said that the best way he could describe the incident was that "it was an impulsive action."

There had been no altercation, and there had been no "playing around" which might have brought on angry reactions, he said.

Mrs. West's husband, Raymond, J. West, a foreman at Bolling Field, was present at the time and was standing only four feet from Mr. Wells when the blow landed.

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MR. WELLS, a clerical assistant in the auto liens department of the Recorder's office, is a roommate of J. Franklin Bourne, prominent NAACP attorney.

According to Mr. Wells, Matthew West, and uncle of Mrs. West, came to Mr. Wells' apartment and invited him to accompany him and two friends—Richard Bennett and Francis David—to Mrs. West's home.

A sister of Mrs. West was visiting her from Pennsylvania, the uncle said, and they were going over to extend greetings to her.

They went to the West residence where all were on extremely friendly terms. A few drinks and other refreshments were had, and they chatted for a while.

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AFTER SPENDING some time the group decided it was time to leave and donned their overcoats. They were standing at the door, Mr. Wells said, when suddenly without warning the glass hit him in the eye and was shattered by the impact.

He was taken to D.C. General Hospital where he was treated. Doctors at the hospital said he would be confined there for the remainder of the current week.

"I don't know why it was done," Mr. Wells said," and I don't want to prefer any charge against her. I don't see what good it would do."

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MRS. WEST said Tuesday that she and her husband were going to the hospital Tuesday night to visit Mr. Wells.

"There were no words,' she said, "and I didn't know him before that night."

Beyond that she declined to comment, saying she prefered that her husband make any statement connected with the affair.

Present when the incident occurred were Mr. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. West, her sister, the uncle and the two friends who accompanied Mr. Wells and the uncle to the house.

MR. WELLS accepted his plight philosophically, but it was obvious that it was a great blow to him.

He said he had planned to return to his home in Gray, Ind., this spring for "the 20-year reunion" of his 1935 Roosevelt High School graduating class in Gary.

He came to Washington in 1939 and attended the Robert Terrell Sihool of Law. He did not complete the course there, however. From 1943 to 1946 he was in the Armed Forces, serving in the ETO, Mr. Wells said.

Ft. Meade clerk returned to job

WASHINGTON — Reinstatement of a clerk who was fired from her position at Fort Meade, Md., when she revealed that a supervisor had referred to her as a "d—y" was won by th Washington Bureau of the NAACP this week. Mrs. Rosie B. Adams, the clerk, was represented by J. Francis Pohlhaus, counsel of the Bureau.

Mrs. Adams' difficulties began in August 1954 when she complained about being by-passed on a promotion.

A few days later, she observed on the desk of her immediate superior, an Army officer, a letter in which he referred to her as a "darkie" and stated that she had been given the "run-around" by her superiors.

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UNABLE TO substantiate her charge without proof, she took the page of the letter referring to her in order to present it to the Post authorities with the request that it be considered in evaluating her charge of discrimination.

Instead, her complaint was ignored and she was separated from the service on the spurious charge of taking personal property (the letter) of another employee.

A complaint of discrimination, filed on her behalf by the NAACP, was disallowed by Fort Meade personnel.

On appeal to the Department of Army, however, it was ruled that the dismissal of Mrs. Adams was unwarranted and she was ordered restored to duty. This decision was approved by the Secretary of the Army.

Youths confess

Two teen age boys who admitted that they broke into a W. Franklin St., lunchroom last Jan. 8 and made away with over $25 in merchandise and $25 in nickles, were ordered held in bail of $1,000 each at Northwestern Sunday.

When they were searched at the station house, police said they found some of the missing articles on Maurice Crosby, 17, of the 900 block Pierce St., and Clifton Church, 17, of the 500 block N. Paca St.

Liquor Board grants restaurant change

Over the protests of two civic groups, the "Hilton House" a combination restaurant and bar at 3133-35 W. North Ave., was granted permission to change from white to colored trade Tuesday by the Board of Liquor Commissioners.

The approval by the Board was subject to three restrictions:

1. **No live music or entertainment.**
2. **No separate package goods store or department may be opened. All package goods must be sold over the bar.**
3. A baona fide restaurant must continue in operation.

The licenses, Samuel Lachs and Samuel Halpert were represented by E. Everett Lane and Meyer M. Cardin, attorneys.

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AT A public hearing before the Liquor Board last Dec. 16, protests were lodged by the Walbrook Improvement Association and the New Ashburton Improvement Association.

The Walbrook group was **represented at the hearing by Charles C. Clabaugh and Thomas A. Musgrave. Earl Koger represented the New Ashburton Association.**

The Walbrook group contended that the neighborhood had not changed sufficiently in population from white to colored to the restuarant.

The group claimed that if it were approved, the restauarant and bar would be contrary to the best interest of the neighborhood.

Mr. Koger contended that colored residents who had moved into the area within the past several years did not desire such an establishment and that in his opinion, the change would create many nuisances in the community.

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NO ADDITIONAL protests were sent to the Board by residents nor any business establishments.

Counsel for the licenses submitted a peititon at the hearing signed by approximately 135 merchants and property owners and residents in the community who approved of the change.

Twenty-six of the 135 signers were merchants located within the 3100 block of W. North Ave.

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TWENTY-FOUR residents, including 23 colored and one white, appeared in person and offered testimony to the effect that a restaurant would serve a definite need.

They based their decision on the fact that the nearest establishment was in the 1300 block Poplar Grove St., a distance of about ten blocks.

Inspectors for the Liquor Board reported that the community in which the Hilton House is located is approximately 52 percent colore. d

Their records indicated that the food business there amounts to 45 percent of their total sales.

DR. JENKINS AT CONFAB

President Martin D. Jenkins of Morgan State College attended the conference of the American Association of Colleges last week in Washington, D.C.

This mule belongs to Peter Rabbit

So help us — Peter Rabbit's mule kicked a man on Tuesday night.

The victim was William Goins, 25, of the 500 block W. Hoffman St., who showed up at University Hospital exhibiting a bruised leg the result of a kick from Mr. Rabbit's mule.

According to police, Goins said he rented the mule from Mr. Rabbit, who lives in the 1500 block W. Lanvale St., and the "critter" hauled off and kicked him." After his discharge from the hospital, police said Goins returned the mule to Rabbit.

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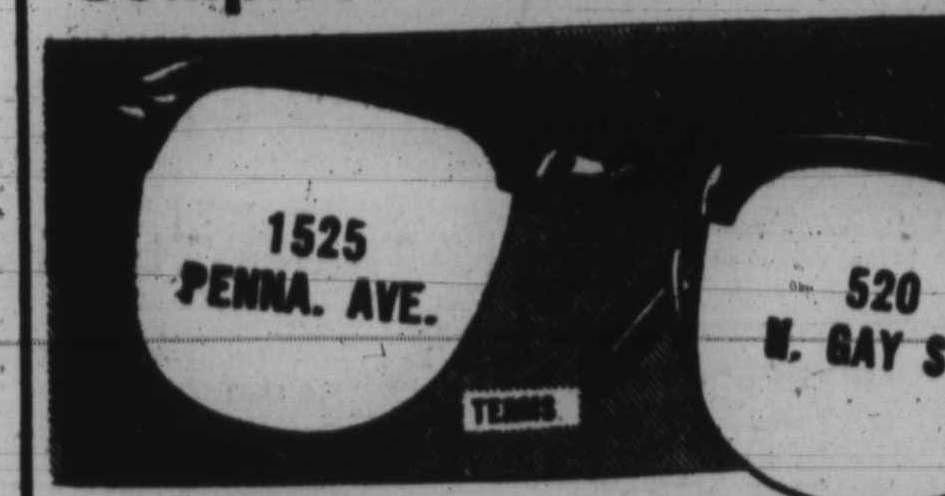
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Baltimore Deaths

Funeral services for Cammie A. Streat of 612 J. St., Sparrows Pt. who died on Friday were held at Tuesday afternoon at the Samuel Sullivan Funeral-Home, 1011 N. Arlington Ave.

Mr. Streat is survived by three sons, seven sisters, and two brothers.

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EDWARD MERRICK

Services for Edward Merrick of 118 N. Poppleton St., who died on Jan. 13, will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday at Mt. Hebron Baptist Church, Saratoga and Mount St. Burial will be in Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

Mr. Merrick is survived by his wife, Mrs. Goldie Merrick; six sons, three daughters, five brothers, a sister and 19 grandchildren.

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AUGUSTUS MARSH

Funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon at Mt. Hebron Baptist Church for Augustus Marsh, 58, 505 N. Gilmor St.

Mr. Harsh died on Sunday in University Hospital where he had been taken earlier in the day. He was employed for a number of years at the Hudson Supply Co.

A World War I veteran, he was buried in National Cemetery. His wife, Mrs. Mary Marsh three nephews survive. The Cooper Funeral Home was in charge.

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MRS. ULA G. JONES

Funeral services for Mrs. Ula Goodrich Jones, of 1902 Dukeland St., widow of Dr. O. D. Jones, a Baltimore dentists for many years, have been scheduled for Saturday at 9 a.m. at St. Pius Catholic Church, Schroeder St., and Edmondson Ave.

Mrs. Jones at one time resided in Washington. She is sur vived by a son, Oscar Jr., and sister, Mrs. Genevieve G. Betz of Washington. Burial will be in Arbutus Cemetery. The Wilson Funeral Home will be in charge.

MRS. F. G. ALLSUP

Funeral services for Mrs. Fannie G. Allsup of 405 N. Poppleton St., who died on Sunday, were held Thursday at the Williams Funeral Home.

Widow of Charles Allsup, she is survived by four daughters, Mesdames Mabel Bethel, Zelda Wilson, Mildred Hill, and Geraldine Boller; and two sisters, Mrs. Ida Barnes and Mrs. Maggie Gray.

Mrs. Allsup is also survived by five grandchildren, and 18 great grandchildren. Burial was in Mt. Auburn Cemetery.

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MRS. ANNIE D. BROOKS

Requiem Mass for Mrs. Annie D. Brooks of 926 Pierce St., who died Sunday, was sung at St Pius Church Thursday morning.

Mrs. Brooks is survived by her husband, William; and three sons, William Jr., Henry S. and Sylvester Brooks.

She is also survived by two sisters, a brother, two grandchildren, and seven great-grandchildren.

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MRS. FARROW CARTER

Funeral services for Mrs. Farrow Louise Carter of 613 Dolphin St., were held on Thursday at the Williams Funeral Home.

Mrs. Carter died last Tuesday. Burial was in Northumberland County, Va.

She is survived by her husband, David; a daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Noel of Grasonville, Md.; two sons, Lewis and David Carter; a sister, a brother, and six grandchildren.

MRS. SUSIE B. SMITH

Funeral services are set for Saturday at 1 p.m. at Perkins Square Baptist Church for Mrs. Susie B. Smith, who died on Thursday at her home, 1226 McCulloh St. The body is at the Arlington Phillips Funeral Home.

Surviving Mrs. Smith are three nieces, Mrs. Mildred Long, Mrs. Susie Hawkins West, and Mrs. Finette Jefferson Hall.

Also, two nephews, James Hawkins and Philip Jefferson of Bluefield, W. Va.

ULYSSES MATTHEWS DIES

Ulysses Matthews, 72, husband of Mrs. Maggie Matthews, died on Tuesday at his home, 1138 N. Fulton Ave. He conducted a car washing business at Harlem near Fulton Ave.

Funeral services were held today (Friday) at Emamanuel Christian Community Church. Burial was in Arbutus.

Besides his wife, he leaves a daughter, Mrs. Nellie Wright; a son, Reginald Matthews; five grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Lincoln-Douglass say contest Feb. 12 sponsored by PALMA-AFRO

The Pennsylvania Avenue-Lafayette Market Associates and the AFRO will jointly sponsor an essay contest for elementary, junior high and high school students as part of the day-long celebration on the Avenue honoring the birthday of two great Americans, Abraham Lincoln and Frederick Douglass, by Arnold Kurland, chairman of the Promotion Committee for PALMA has announced.

The theme for the contest and rules will be announced in the Tuesday, January 25 issue of this paper. A panel of community leaders will serve as judges.

Equal cash awards will be shopper born on February 12 **made in each division. Entries will be judged in age groups so that elementary school students will not have to compete with Junior high or high school students, he added.**

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PENNSYLVANIA Avenue merchants and Lafayette marketmen will celebrate this day with a sensational sale, offering merchandise at prices below cost, Mr. Kurland added.

Other events scheduled for this celebration includes a search to find the oldest and youngest Pennsylvania Avenue and Lincoln head penny guessing contest.

An outdoor program with music and speakers will take place Saturday afternoon in the Lafayette Market Square.

Seaman suicide buried in Chicago

(Special To The AFRO;

CHICAGO — Funeral services for Louis Roach, 41 - year - old merchant seaman who was found hanged in the celler of his aunt's home in Baltimore last Friday, were held here on Wednesday.

Roach, a veteran seaman and a resident of Baltimore for the past ten years resided there with his aunt Mrs. Juanita Rice at 826 N. Carrollton St.

Mrs. Rice, who is ill, was in Chicago at the time of her nephew's death. She has been residing at the home of a sister, Mrs. Camille Wren of 6543 Greenwood St., ince early December.

When contacted by telephone Mrs. Rice said she was too ill to talk to a reporter. A spokesman for the family, however, siad that she had talked with Roach by telephone on the day of the tragedy.

The spokesman said that Roach seemed cheerful during his telephone conversation with Mrs. Rice.

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THE SEAMAN left notes indicating that he had been considering suicide for some time.

Mrs. Rice is the widow of the Rev. David E. Rice Sr., of Baltimore. The Rev. Mr. Rice, who died in August, 1940, was pastor of St. John A M E Church.

Roach, who worked as a steward in the merchant marine, had been living at his aunt's Baltimore home since 1945. He has been ashore since the Christmas holidays when he returned from a trip aboard the S.S. Reading. He was unmarried.

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SURPRISE at his suicide was expressed by Charles Mills, port patrolman for the Baltimore National Maritime Union and a close friend.

"We were good friends," Mr. Mills said. "He seemed in the best of health. I can't think of any reason why he would take his life."

In addition to Mrs. Rice and Mrs. Wren, Roach is survived by another aunt, Mrs. Martha Lester, Jackson, Miss. He was a cousin of Dr. David E. Rice, head of the University of Texas Law School in Houston.

Roach left notes to both Mrs. Rice and Mrs. Wren. Their contents were not revealed.

A third note left to Miss Emalee Washington, a roomer in the house, said: —Don't get excited. I've planned this for a long time. I've succeeded now. Goodbye."

COMING EVENTS

JANUARY 24, 25, 26
Lillie Straus Chapter of B'Nai B'rith, giant rummage sale at the Hollins St. Market.

JANUARY 24
Mass meeting at 8 p.m. in School No. 160 for all workers in Mothers' March On Polio in Cherry Hill.

JANUARY 30
Miss Dorothy Greem in recital at New Metropolitan Baptist Church at 5 p.m., under the sponsorship of the Interdenominational Ministers' Wives Alliance.

FEBRUARY 2
Annual meeting of the Council of Social Agencies, Lord Baltimore Hotel.

FEBRUARY 4
Cabaret party given by the Pixies at Odd Fellows Hall, Lanvale and McCulloh Sts.

FEBRUARY 21
Annual Beaux 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 24-25
Legislative session of Model Youth Council.

MARCH 13
30th annual Urban League dinner meeting, Sheraton Belvedere Hotel, Governor McKeldin speaker.

Mass meeting on polio drive set

A mass meeting for all Cherry Hill workers in the Mothers' March on Polio will be held Monday, January 24 at 8 p.m. in the auditorium of School No. 160.

Kits will be distributed, a speaker presented and an interesting movie on polio will be shown. Mrs. Elizabeth Greer is major of the Cherry Hill Mothers' March on Polio

Edward Brown, Spanish war veteran, dies

Funeral services for Edward Brown, 78, a veteran of the Spanish-American War, will be held today (Friday) at 1 p.m. at the Elroy Wilson Funeral Home, 2008 Orleans St.

Mr. Brown, who is survived

Mr. Brown, who is survived by five sons, two daughters, 24 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren, will be buried in National Cemetery.

He died Tuesday nightohJnisn

He died Tuesday night in Johns Hopkins Hospital after suffering a heart attack on Monday.

His immediate survivors are his sons, Earl, James, Henry, Thomas and Edward Brown, all of Baltimore; and his daughters, Mrs. Loretta Johnson and Mrs. Lillian Mitchell, also of Baltimore. Also a brother-in-law, Abraham Chase.

Elks send baskets to disabled men

A committee from the Brig. Genl's Staff Antlered Guards of the Military Department of the IBPECE of W. State of Maryland, headed by Brig. Gen. Edward C. Wooden, Lt. Col. Gladys E. Johnson, Col. Bertie Brooks, Lt. Col. Rosa Walker, Lt. Col. John Jones and Lt. Col Sarah Williams distributed baskets of cheer to the following disable officers;

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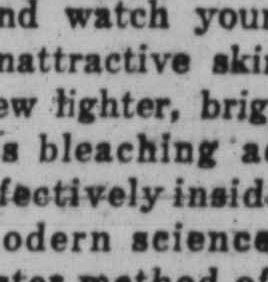

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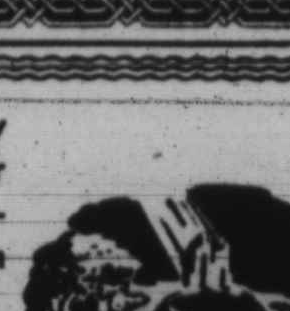

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