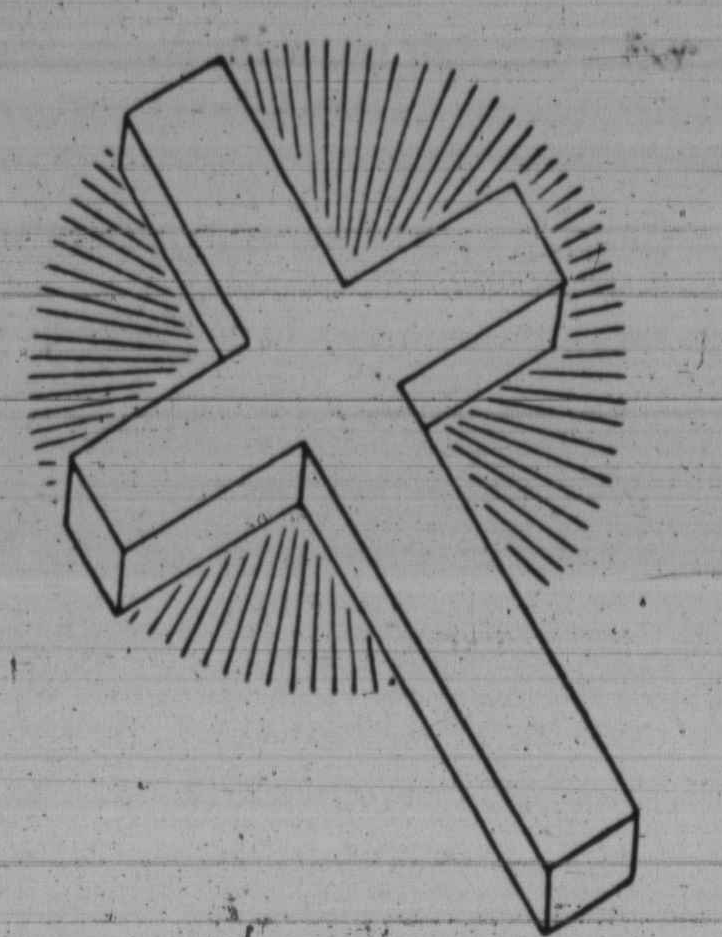

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SILENT NIGHT

Silent night! Holy night! All is calm, all is bright.
Round yon virgin mother and Child!
Holy Infant, so tender and mild,
Sleep in heavenly peace, Sleep in heavenly peace.
Silent night! Holy night! Shepherds quake at the sight!
Glories stream from heaven afar,
Heav'nly hosts sing Alleluia;
Christ, the Savior, is born, Christ, the Savior, is born.
Silent night! Holy night! Son of God, love's pure light.
Radiant streams from Thy holy face;
With the dawn of redeeming grace,
Jesus, Lord, at Thy birth, Jesus, Lord, at Thy birth.

MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

CAROLINE AND PRESTON STREETS
9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
3:30 P.M.—HELPING HAND CIRCLE SERVICE. — SERMON BY REV. JOSHUA GREEN.
6:00 P.M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
8:00 P.M.—EVENING WORSHIP.
WE WELCOME YOU
REV. C. EDWARD BROWNE, Pastor

St. James Methodist Church

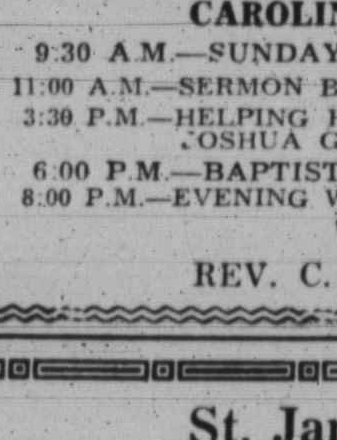
LEXINGTON AND MONROE STS.
9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
Subj.: "DIFFICULTIES OF THE FIRST MILE."
HOLY COMMUNION.
ALL ARE WELCOME
REV. ALBERT H. HAMMOND, SR., Pastor

Orchard Street Methodist Church

Orchard Street Near Druid Hill Avenue
9:45 A.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
3:00 P.M.—The W. SAMPSON BROOKS LODGE and TEMPLE.
6:00 P.M.—YOUTH FELLOWSHIP.
8:00 P.M.—PREACHING.
ALL ARE WELCOME — REV. D. M. PLEASANTS, Pastor

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

& COMMUNITY CENTER
Broadway, Biddle and Gay Sts.
9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—MESSAGE "THE SIMPLICITY OF CHRISTMAS" by The PASTOR.
5:00 P.M.—OUR SANCTUARY CHOIR WITH MRS. MERCEDES DOUGLAS, director, Presents Its THIRD ANNUAL RENDITION of "THE SONG OF CHRISTMAS" by Roy Ringwald.
ADMISSION FREE — COME!
A Hearty Welcome Awaits You Here
REV. H. OCTAVIUS GRAHAM, Pastor



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.
3:30 P.M.—Pastor, Choir and Congregation will worship with the Provident Baptist Church.
6:30 P.M.—B.T.U. Evangelistic Services follows.
THE PUBLIC IS INVITED REV. J. M. RAYNOR, Pastor

Sharp Street Memorial Methodist Church

DOLPHIN AND ETTING STS.
9:30 A.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR—
Subject: "IF JESUS HAD NOT COME."
6:00 P.M.—METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP—
Report on World Conference of Churches, by Miss Barbara Ricks, Conference M.Y.F., Pres.
8:00 P.M.—WORSHIP in the CHAPEL—SERMON—Topic: "GETTING READY FOR CHRISTMAS."
A HEARTY WELCOME TO ALL.
REV. JOSHUA O. WILLIAMS, Pastor

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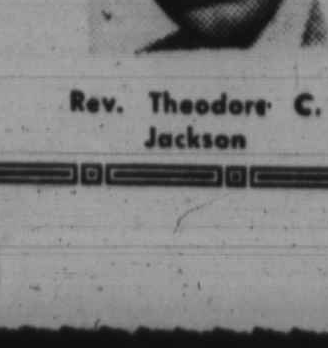

Rev. Theodore C. Jackson

REV. HARRISON BRYANT

Rev. Bryant preaches in Boston

The Rev. Harrison J. Bryant, pastor of Bethel AME Church, represented his denomination as an alternate delegate with voting privileges at the National Council of the Churches of Christ in Boston, Mass., Nov. 28 through Dec. 3.

By the Council's assignment, the Rev. Mr. Bryant preached at the Allston Methodist Church at 11 a.m. Nov. 28. This is predominantly a white congregation with eight or ten colored families who are members.

Choir gives Yule concert

The senior choir of the Pennsylvania Ave AME Zion Church will present a Christmas concert Sunday evening, at 8 p.m. at the church.

The program includes selections from Alfred Wooler's "Hosanna in the Highest," Handel's "The Messiah," and Max Reger's "Virgin Slumber Song."

Soloists will be Miss Marie Owens, singing "He Shall Feed His Flock Like a Shepherd" and Mrs. Helen Bailey will sing "Come Unto Him."

William C. Graham will sing "Hosanna Prince of Peace." Frederick M. Ray is choirmaster; Jerome A. Barefoot, organist and the Rev. G. M. Edwards.

Mt. Zion Methodist Church

Riggs Avenue
and Gilmor St.
HOLY COMMUNION
MORNING AND EVENING
9:30 A.M.—Church School.
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by the pastor.
8:00 P.M.—Sermon.
REV. J. J. BARNES, Pastor

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11:00 A.M.—PREACHING.
7:00 P.M.—YOUNG PEOPLE'S HOUR.
8:00 P.M.—PREACHING.
THURS., 8 P.M.—Regular Service. Prayers for the Sick.
Sun., Dec. 19th—8:00 P.M.—A Beautiful Drama—entitled "GOD SPEAKS TO MEN and WOMEN of the BIBLE."
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147 W. Preston Street

10 A.M. Church School
11:00 A.M. Sermon by The Pastor.
8:00 P.M. SHINING LIGHT QUARTETTE sponsored by Bro. Dickson. Tues. and Fri., December 14th & 17th.
8:00 P.M. PREACHING SERVICE
REV. P. D. DOUGLAS, Pastor

Man's adventure is search for soul

Minster tells of authors, Bible relating constant quest for God

By REV. JAMES L. MOORE

In the beautiful book, "Pilgrims of the Lonely Road," the author tells the tale of the inner adventure of a number of men.

These men were seekers of the invisible regions of the soul. They were not trying to find a political or economic promised land. They were in conquest of the mind and soul.

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THEY WERE seeking a kingdom which remains serene and beautiful amid all the dark vicissitudes of life. Their soldiers were thoughts and ideals clashing in desperate conflict upon the arena of the inner life.

Their campaigns were campaigns of the spirit seeking an invisible peace.

Man is always seeking something. Dale Carnegie, in his famous book, states that every normal adult seeks: life, health, food, sleep, money, love, well-being of our children, the desire to be great, important, appreciated and life in the hereafter.

Here is a growing and unfaltering human hunger, and the rare individual who honestly satisfies this heart hunger will hold people in the palm of his hands and "even the undertaker will be sorry when he dies."

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THE UNWRITTEN biographies of all the everday men and women of the world, if they could be captured in a few words, would each tell the tale of a quest.

All over the world, the game of hide and seek is played. That is as it should be, for children must learn early in life that they must seek if they would know the joy of finding.

When the element of search is taken out of life, little is left. The most characteristic human quality is that which sends men forth upon some quest.

Religion is pictured sometimes as man's quest for God. Sacred literature gives many examples of seekers after God. The millions who gather in the churches around the world are seeking something.

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RELIGIOUS LEADERS and seers of many races and of many cultures have used words like those of Robert Browning's character who cried, "I will get to God."

This desire to move from the passing to the permanent, from the world of illusion to the world of reality, from the temporal to the eternal, is one of the very deepest of the desires which can capture the whole strength of eager men.

The Christmas story centers around Wise men seeking The Christ King.

Fools may discover things by luck, but wise men go out consciously and deliberately to search for their King.

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WISE MEN they were who gladly sacrificed to make the search. They left home and kindred to set out on the long and tiresome journey.

They crossed deserts and forded rivers. They did not find Jerusalem rejoicing and the road filled with singing pilgrims journeying to see the King.

The roads were empty, but with splendid courage they traveled on, for they were wise men who knew their need, and deliberately, desperately, confidently they continued the search.

The heart of the Christmas story tells us that those wise men did not stumble by accident into acquaintance with the Christ King. They put conscious effort into the search.

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THESE MEN found what they were seeking.

You will note that these wise men knew the King even though he was but a new-born child, wrapped in swaddling clothes and hidden in a stable in a lonely back street.

These were men wise enough to know a king when they saw a king. They were not mere beclouded star-gazers, but intelligent seekers who, while others saw nothing but a child in a bed of straw, saw a king because they sought a king.

What are we seeking this Christmas, an opportunity to give and get a few gifts; to eat a little more rich food; to indulge the emotions in a few songs about silent night and open heavens and singing angels?

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OR WILL WE seek the Kingly Christ and bring to him our real gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh?

The story that has changed the world, and will change it, began with a simple cry from a manger and climaxed with a heart-tearing cry from a cross, "It Is Finished!"

O stricken world look up and see;
The God who died upon a tree
Is born a laughing Babe again
To bring new hope to weary men.
Here is a legend never old.
Neither the dark nor the bitter cold
Can stay His coming once a year
To heal the sick and cast out fear.
Bring Him your hunger, bring your thirst
The blind and crippled shall be first.
The most dejected and vile sinner see
They shall lie upon His breast and be made free.

50TH ANNIVERSARY

The Maryland Tuberculosis Association celebrates its 50th anniversary this year, having been organized in December 1904 as the Maryland Asociation for the Relief and Prevention of Tuberculosis.

Confirmation services at Holy Trinity

The Rt. Rev. Noble C. Powell, bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Maryland, will visit Holy Trinity PE Church, at 8 p.m. tonight (Friday) to administer the Confirmation.

This is the second visitation by Bishop Powell since the new congregation at Holy Trinity was organized in October 1953.

Accompanying Bishop Powell will be the Ven. Albert H. Lucas, archdeacon of the Diocese of Maryland.

The new confirmation class at Holy Trinity will begin in January.

One single mamma moth and her offspring can destroy in a single year as much wool as it takes a dozen sheep to produce.

ST. STEPHEN BAPTIST CHURCH

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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 Pastor. Music by Senior Choir.
6:00 P.M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION
8:00 P.M.—SERMON by the Pastor and Holy Communion. Music by the Senior Choir and Gospel Chorus.
All Are Welcome Rev. V. V. K. Stokes, Pastor

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METROPOLITAN METHODIST CHURCH

CARROLLTON and LANVALE
SUNDAY, DEC. 12, 1954
10:45 A.M.—CLASS OF INSTRUCTIONS. Henry U. Ayres, Leader.
11:00 A.M.—HOLY COMMUNION.
1:30 P.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL. Mrs. Bessie Harmon, Supt.
5:00 P.M.—MRS. GERALDINE MANOKY in Recial presented by Youth Division.
6:30 P.M.—METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP. Frances Jefferson, Pres.
7:45 P.M.—HOLY COMMUNION — Continued.
REV KELLY L. JACKSON, Pastor

SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH

Bond and Preston Sts. "The Friendly Church"
9:15 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR. Music by Senior Choir No. 1 and Jubilee Chorus.
3:00 P.M.—COMMUNION.
6:00 P.M.—B.T.U.
8:00 P.M.—EVENING SERVICE—Senior Choir No. 1 and Jubilee Chorus.
REV. J. R. GRANT, Pastor

SWEET HOPE FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH

219 N. MOUNT STREET.
9:45 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL, Mr. G. T. Boykin, Supt.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR—Subj.: "The Fixed Things That The Lord Hates—Seven Are An Abomination to Him."
3:00 P.M.—The 12 Mother—BABY CONTEST, sponsored by the Home Mission Department.
6:00 P.M.—YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHRISTIAN LEAGUE.
8:00 The Melody Gospel Hour Featuring the Mixed Choruses sponsored by Professor Moore.
All Are Welcome Mrs. Mary Lawrence, Church Clerk
REV. J. T. CRUMMEDY, Pastor

UNION MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH

Harlem and Warwick Avenues
REV. N. B. CARRINGTON, Minister
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12
UNIVERSAL BIBLE SUNDAY
9:30 A.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SUBJECT: "What the Bible means to me."
7:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M.—The ministry in music, Mr. and Mrs. Shellman Johnson, will render a special "Praise Concert," of vocal, piano and organ music in the Sanctuary. There is no charge of admission to attend this unusual service.
BRING YOUR BIBLES

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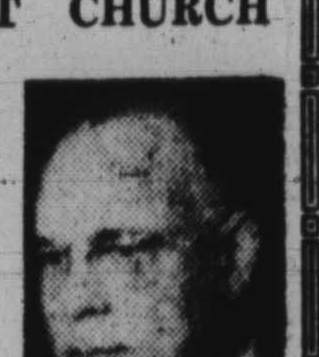

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9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR
3:00 P.M.—BAPTIZING: SERMON BY ELDER DOC FLEMING
8:00 P.M.—PREACHING
Prayer Meeting Each Wed. Night.
REV. PAUL J. HARRIS, MINISTER
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Welcome To The
Second Removal Anniversary of
ISRAEL BAPTIST CHURCH
PRESTON and CHESTER STREETS
Sunday, December 12th, 1954

11:00 A.M.—Reserved seats for all the friends who marched with the Church to its New Location 2 Years Ago.
9:30 A.M.—Church School
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by the Pastor followed by Consecration Service and A Dollar March.
3:00 P.M—New St. John's Baptist Church will Worship with us. The Rev. A. C. Brown, Pastor.
8:00 P.M.—Preaching.
We Welcome You

Rev. E. D. Meade, Pastor

Installation of the Pastor
Rev. George A. Crawley, Jr.
St. Paul Baptist Church
GUILFORD AVE. AND LANVALE ST.
Sunday, December 12th, 1954
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by the REV. GEORGE A. CRAWLEY of Asbury Park, N.J.
3:30 P.M.—INSTALLATION SERVICE — The REV. MATTHEW WILKERSON, Preaching. Zion Baptist Church Participating.
Clergy Participants: Dr. Ward D. Yerby, Dr. J. Timothy Boddie The Rev. A. L. Bailey.
8:00 P.M.—Sermon by REV. GEORGE A. CRAWLEY of Asbury Park, N.J.
Co-Chairmen: L. D. Logan and Charles Brown.
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Sun., Dec. 12th—Helping Those That Are Down."
Mon., Dec. 13th—"Providence of God Moves On."
Tues., Dec. 14th—"The Divided House."
Wed., Dec. 15th—"The Prodigal Son."
Thurs., Dec. 16th—"Sentenced to Die."
Services Will Begin Each Evening at 8 p.m. With Prayer Services Conducted by Officers of the Church. Each Night of Preaching Will Be Assisted by Visiting Choirs.
DEACON CLAYBORNE, Sponsor
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Rev. R. E. Barnes, Jr.

BISHOPS AT RITES for the late Bishop L. H. Hemingway, Monday, are shown leaving Metropolitan AME Church after the services. They are, from left: front, Bishops R. R. Wright Jr. and Sherman L. Green, second row, Bishops Frank M. Reid and D. Ward Nichols; rear, Bishops A. J. Allen and George W. Baber. Standing at right on the steps are the Rev. I. M. Gray of Baltimore and the Rev. Ralph O'Neal of Ebenezer AME Church in Washington.

COLLEGE SYMPHONY

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C.—Miss Joicy White, daughter of Mrs. James P. Larke, 1200 Cameron Ave., and a student at Springfield Junior College,

'Miss Ida' reelected by Elks

Miss Ida Cummings, beloved fraternal leader who is familiarly known to hundreds as "Miss Ida," was reelected grand daughter ruler of the F.E.W. Harper Temple of Elks for her 28th year on Tuesday evening.

Named Vice Daughter Ruler was Mrs. Ernestine Williams. Mrs. Agnes C. Williams is assisant daughter ruler. Mrs. Anna Andrea was elected trustee. Reelected trustees were Mrs. Susie Hilburn, who is trustee chairman; and Mrs. Helen Woodland. Also a trustee is Mrs. Mary Holland.

They succeed Mrs. Martha Pulley and Mrs. Violet Hill Whyte.

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Perkins Square Baptist Church

REV. WARD D. YERBY, Pastor

GEORGE AND OGSTON STREETS
GEN. GEORGE CARTER'S LOYAL WORKERS DAY
8:30 A.M.—The Pastor and Gospel Chorus render Service at Crownsville State Hospital.
9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
10:30 A.M.—OPEN HEART SERVICE.
11:00 A.M—HOLY COMMUNION, Pastor's subject: "Justification."
6:00 P.M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
7:30 P.M.—STORIES OF HYMNS.
Monday, December 13 through Sunday, December 19—"WARD D. YEARBY CIRCLE WEEK."

FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH

"The Praying Church"
BOND STREET AND ASHLAND AVENUE
9:00 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON by Rev. Walter E. Paige, Acting Pastor.
3:00 P.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL INSPIRATION—Mrs. Obeidel Altson, Chm.
6:00 P.M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
8:00 P.M.—PROGRAM by SENIOR CHOIR No. 1.
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In Our Churches

Communion Day will be observed at Mt. Pleasant AME Church, Owings Mills, Sunday, with the Rev. W. N. Edwards, pastor, preaching the 3 p.m. sermon.

The Missionary Society of the Randallstown Circuit of the AME Church will meet tonight (Friday) at the home of Mrs. Georgia Norris, on Church Lane. Mrs. Martha Parris is hostess.

Oliver Greene, evangelist from Greenville, S.C., was speaker at Grace Memorial Baptist Church, Sunday. The Rev. Eugene T. Grove is pastor.

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THE REV. F. J. Frye, district superintendent of the South Baltimore District of the Methodist Church, will be guest speaker at St. Matthews Methodist Church, Sunday at 11 a.m.

Music will be furnished by the Gospel Choir. The Rev. F. F. King is pastor.

The Senior Choir of Pennsylvania Ave. AME Zion Church will present its annual Christmas concert, Sunday at 8 p.m. The Rev. G. M. Edwards is pastor.

Family Day will be observed at Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church, Sunday at the church's new location at 2320 Reisterstown Rd. Highlighting the all-day ceremony will be the awarding of prizes to the family reporting the largest amount of money during the rally.

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THE REV. H. E. Smith, pastor, will deliver the 11 a.m. message and at 3 p.m., the Rev. William Tapscott, pastor, Morning Star Baptist Church, Catonsville, will speak.

The Sanctuary Choir of Knox Presbyterian Church will render Christmas Music at 5:30 p.m., Suuday. At 7:30 p.m., the Sunday Church School will present an operetta, "The Snowman."

A musical program will be given by the Youth Choir of New Pilgrim Baptist Church, Dec. 19, at 8 p.m. at Emmanuel C. C. Church.

Mrs. Elizabeth Marshall is chairman; James L. Camphor, superintendent and the Rev. Wilbur H. Waters, pastor.

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HOLY COMMUNION will be served at Providence Baptist Church Sunday, at 3 p.m. Members of Concord Baptist Church will be the guests.

Miss Clara Ward and the famous Ward Singers of Philadelphia, will be presented in concert at Gillis Memorial C. C. Church, Tuesday, Dec. 14 at 8:30 p.m. The Rev. Theodore Jackson is pastor.

A new unit of Jehovah's Witnesses has been formed in Cherry Hill, which was formally a part of the South Baltimore Unit at 516 Light St.

With this additional unit, there are now 16 divisions in Baltimore.

THE OLIVET Baptist Church, Riggs Ave. and Woodyear St., will hold special services Sunday with the pastor, the Rev. W. L. Evans speaking at 11 a.m.

The last communion of the year will be held Sunday afternoon when the Rev. J. G. Washington, pastor of Community Baptist Church, Waterloo, will hold service.

The R. S. Coates Volunteer Chorus of the Sharp St. Memorial Methodist Church, Dolphin and Etting Sts., will present the "Prince of Egypt," a show in song, Sunday night at 8 p.m. for the benefit of Christmas baskets.

Mrs. Martha J. Russell is chairman; Miss Margaret Bailey, directress, Mrs. Nellie G. Sampson, pianist and the Rev. J. L. Williams, pastor.

Evangelist W. I. Snowden will be the guest speaker at the Falls Road AME Church Sunday at 11 a.m.

On Sunday night the Rev. Mr. Snowden will deliver a sermon on "What A Soul Sees Five Minutes After Death," at 8 p.m. at Love Temple, Madison Ave. and Lanvale St.

THE REV. SPENCER Dobson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Pimlico his choir and congregation will worship Sunday at 3 p.m. with the Gospel Tabernacle Baptist Church, 1212½ W. Saratoga St. The Rev. Luke G. Reynolds is pastor of Gospel.

The Ladies of Gospel had their first sendoff meeting last Sunday to begin planning for Women's Day which will be held the fourth Sunday in June, 1955.

Rites held for realtist

Woodley Lawrence buried Thursday

Requiem Mass for Woodley Lawrence, well known realtist who died suddenly at Provident Hospital Sunday, was sung Thursday afternoon at St. James Episcopal Church, Lafayette and Arlington Aves., with Father Cedric Mills officiating.

More than 200 persons witnessed rites for the Virginia born businessman who resided at 3001 Gwynns Falls Parkway.

Burial was in Arbutus Memorial Park. The Masons of which Mr. Lawrence was a 33rd degree member, were pallbearers.

Mr. Lawrence entered Provident last Tuesday and was to have undergone an operation for a kidney obstruction on Monday. He was 50 years old.

Mr. Lawrence was well known as a salesman, having been associated with Waller Oil Co. and North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Co. Since 1951, he has been a real estate broker with offices at 1671 W. North Ave.

A native of Norfolk, Va., Mr. Lawrence was christened Woodley Edward Lawrence, the son of the late Walter and Margaret E. Lawrence.

He attended public schools in Norfolk, Hampton Institute and finished Douglass High School in Baltimore and the Howard University Law School.

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MR. LAWRENCE was a member of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, the Chesterfield Club, an organizer of the Ashburton Neighborhood Club, a member of the board of directors and vice president of the Real Estate Brokers of Baltimore, Inc., and the Underwriters Association.

He was also an Elk, a Shriner and a 33rd degree Mason.

Family prayer led by Father Mills preceded the church services which began at 3:30 p.m. Alpha Alpha Fraternity held memorial services on Wednesday evening at his home, and Masons conducted memorial services Wednesday midnight.

Surviving Mr. Lawrence are his wife, Mrs. Thelma Johnson Lawrence, a teacher at Douglass High School; two sisters, Mrs. Oscar C. (Helen) Brown, wife of the Chicago attorney; and Mrs. Margaret Lawrence Lofton, a Norfolk teacher;

Also, two cousins, Mrs. Eva Dorsey Tate of Norfolk; and Walter Toye of New York; and several nieces and nephews.

CORRECTION

A caption beneath a photo in taken at the funeral services for Tuesday's AFRO which was James Arthur Hayes, pioneer mortician, erroniously identified the persons shown in the photo.

The persons shown were Mrs. Audrey Hayes Jones, a daughter of Baltimore and Isaiah W. Hayes, a son. More than 500 persons attended the services for Mr. Hayes, who died at the age of 73.

The AFRO regrets its error in the photo caption.

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Volunteers to make happy Christmas at Henryton

Tuberculosis patients at the Mt. Wilson, Henryton and Victor Cullen State Hospitals will have a merrier Christmas this year when hundreds of volunteers from the metropolitan area invade the hospitals during the next three weeks to make final preparations for gala Christmas activities for the patients.

Volunteer activities will be under the direction of Miss Virginia R. Shoffeitt, supervisor of volunteer services for the Maryland Tuberculosis Association, which is now in the midst of its 1954 Christmas Seal Sale for tuberculosis control funds.

Beginning, Sunday, December 12th, volunteers from many civic, social, and religious organizations in the Baltimore area will begin trimming Christmas trees, decorating hospital rooms, wrapping and sorting presents, presenting programs of Christmas carols and music and conducting Advent religious services.

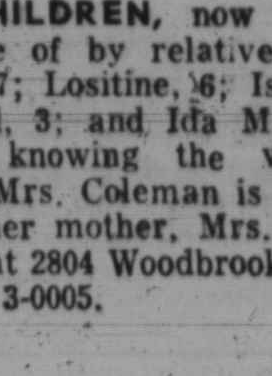
Organizations participating at Henryton State Hospital include: The Baltimore Tuberculosis Aid Society; Association for Community Unity; Azoans Social Club; Willing Workers Club; Wo-the-Lo Circle of John Wesley AME Church; Salon 65, 8 et 40 de Maryland; and Salon 325, 8 et 40 de Maryland; Choir No. 2; Mothers' Club, Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church; Liberty Vocal Chorus; the Gayettes Club; and Comrade Social Club.

Also the local tuberculosis associations of Allegany-Garrett County, Frederick County, Carroll County, Montgomery County, Prince George's County, St. Mary's County, Calvert County, Baltimore County, Washington County, and Kent County.

One of the special features at Henryton will be a children's party, given by the Baltimore Tuberculosis Aid Society for twenty-six young TB victims between 1 and 14 years of age.

Seek mother of 5 missing 4 months

Mother of five children, Mrs. Alice D. Coleman, 26, has been missing from her home at 624 Pitcher St. for four months.



Mrs. Coleman disappeared on Aug. 3 after taking the children over to her estranged husband and telling him that she was going to the movies. She was last seen at Robert and McCulloh St.

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THE CHILDREN, now being taken care of by relatives, are Christine, 7; Lositine, 6; Isador, 5; Richard, 3; and Ida Mae, 1.

Anyone knowing the whereabouts of Mrs. Coleman is asked to notify her mother, Mrs. Thelma Fleet at 2804 Woodbrook Ave. LAfayette 3-0005.

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NORRIS RITES — Preceeded by Mrs. Frances A. Hemsley of Hemsley Funeral Home, relatives of Mrs. Roberta Henderson Norris, popular principal at Coppin Elementary School who died at her desk last Friday, file into Macedonia Baptist Church at Fremont and Lafayette Aves. They include her sister, Mrs. Naomi Stanley; husband, Lester Norris; sister, Mrs. Marthetta Ralls; father, George F. Holmes; and at left Elmer Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Norris. Mr. Henderson and Mr. Norris are stepsons of Mrs. Norris.

BIRTHDAY—The Rev. Edward T. Jordan, pastor emeritus, Ebenezer Baptist Church, who was honored recently on his 80th birthday. He has served 20 years as pastor of the church. Sponsoring the affair were members of the church congregation.

Douglass graduate serving in Korea

Pfc. Matthew P. Middleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Middleton, 3314 airfield Ave., is serving in Korea.

A graduate of Douglass High School, he was inducted in the Army, Feb. 8, and was sent to Korea in August.

Installation ceremonies held for Rev. Crawley Jr.

Installation ceremonies for the Rev. George A. Crawley Jr. will be held Sunday, at 3 p.m., at St. Paul's Baptist Church.

The Rev. Mr. Crawley succeeds his father, the late Rev. George A. Crawley, who pastored the church 30 years before his death last June.

Delivering the installation sermon will be the Rev. Matthew W. Wilkerson, pastor, Zion Baptist Church. Also taking part in the ceremony will be the Revs. Ward D. Yerby, J. Timothy Boddie and J. L. Bailey.

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SPEAKER FOR the morning and evening services will be the Rev. George A. Crawley, cousin of the new pastor, who lives in Asbury Park, N.Y.

Music throughout the day will be furnished by the Senior Choir of St. Paul Church and the choir from Zion Baptist Church.

The installation culminates a two-week nightly service at the church, which began Nov. 29. Guests preachers included: The Revs. J. R. Butler, E. W. Williams, A. J. Payne, C. E. Brown, Leroy Bowman, T. B. Davis, Logan Kearse, E. D. Meade, J. O. Williams, J. Timothy Boddie and J. H. Matthews.

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ON MONDAY, the church congregation will sponsor a banquet in the lecture room, in honor of their new young pastor.

Co-chairmen of the affair are Charles Brown and L. D. Logan.

The Rev. Mr. Crawley Jr. is a graduate of Virginia Union University and was former director of religious activities for the United Baptist Missionary Convention.

He served as assistant pastor at Zion Baptist Church before coming to his father's church last January during the late pastor's illness.

JOINS SISTERS

GOLDSBORO, N.C. — Miss Bertha Wooten left here Saturday for New York, where she will join her sisters, Misses Mary and Gracie Wooten. They are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Wooten.

Hollander named welfare president

Sidney Hollander, retired Baltimore industrialist and nationally prominent health and welfare leader, was elected to the presidency of the National Social Welfare Assembly Tuesday at the organization's annual business meeting at the Hotel Roosevelt.

The assembly is the national coordinating organization for health, welfare and recreation, having 66 affiliated agencies and organizations, both public and private, in these fields.

Mr. Hollander succeeds Mrs. Douglas Horton, World War II head of the WAVES and former president of Wellesley College, who had served as president of the Assembly for the past three years.

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