—'I didn't know . . .'

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held by Central District Police she exclaimed: "I didn't know anything about it. No one has told me anything.

"He left home on Saturday and I haven't seen him since then."

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ASKED IF she knew that her husband's two-toned blue 1956 Buick had been impounded she stated meekly: "I thought so.

"I didn't know anything about the affair, if there was one, and I had never seen the girl before until I saw her picture in the paper.

"If there was anything between them naturally he would have never told me. There's very little I can say until I talk with my brother-in-law, Fred Wilson," Mrs. Wilson declared.

Asked to describe the type of man her husband was she stated:

"That's hard to do. Can you describe someone that you are with all the time?" she asked.

"I'm sorry that I can't tell you anything more but I can't until I find out more for myself."

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ADJUSTING A pair of white sandals on her feet, Mrs. Wilson turned to a picture on the mantle of a corporal in an Army uniform and said: "He was in the Army in World War II."

She then sauntered to the steps of her-next door neighbor, where a group of women were seated and continued a conversation that had been interrupted by the reporter's visit.

Neighbors in the 1700 block E. Lanvale St. have described Mr. Wilson as a "quiet man who minded his business."

He had a nice home and a good wife.

"I never heard anything bad about him. His wife was a Puerian woman. If he did what he did (sic), he had no reason to do it."

This was Godrey Moseby's opinion of the 36-year-old sugar refinery worker. Mr. Moseby lives at 1738 E. Lanvale St.

Wilson, who lived at 1742 E. Lanvale, was described by his neighbors as a "very quiet person."

ACCORDING TO Mrs. Bertha Bogier, his next-door neighbor:

"Mr. Wilson was very easy and quiet. Usually he was right in his house and right out.

"I have known him and his wife, Mrs. Lavenia Wilson, for more than two years. She works at the Glenn L. Martin Company and belongs to the Apostolic Church.

"I was sick when I heard it (that he was being held in connection with the shaggy girl's death). His wife and I are good friends.

"She showed me the story in the AFRO."

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"YOU COULD have knocked me over with a feather when I heard what happened to him," said Mrs. Viola Evans, 1746 E. Lanvale St.

"That was something I couldn't believe—I hope it's a mistake.

"Mr. Wilson was not the type to visit," she continued. "He was very quiet and was always alone. He was well thought of in this block."

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LEE JAMES, 1734 E. Lanvale St., simply described Mr. Wilson as "a man who didn't have much to say."

"There's no doubt about it, he was a quiet fellow," said Gola Bracey, 1724 E. Lanvale. "He worked most of the time and I only saw him when he passed the house."

Mr. Wilson's neighbors had not in the AFRO that he had been questioned by police. They knew also that the police were still holding him and the car—a two-tone blue, 1956 Buick.

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—Nab boyfriend

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of the room.

Only members of the family and intimate friends attended the funeral.

There was no review because the body was so badly decomposed. Her mother said the body was almost unrecognizable—the hair was off her head, her hands were gone. The medical examiner estimated the body had been in the water four days.

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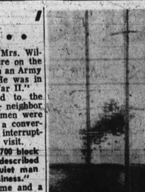
BESIDES HER sister, Delores is survived by her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson and her two brothers, Thomas, 23, and Delbert, 14.

Members of the detective division were praised for their "outstanding work" in solving the case by Captain Mintiens.

The squad, working under the direction of Lt. George Klemick, included:

Detectives Furry Cousins and Charles Ploch, who arrested Wilson; Sgts. Robert Lewis and Joseph Crivello, and Detectives Clarence Roy and John Whetile.

According to Captain Mintiens, there hasn't been a similar case in the past 10 years.



FROM HERE TO ETERNITY—Helen Delores Johnson, 19 and pretty, whom all of her neighbors described as "a friendly, respectable girl, who looked sexy," left her home designated by arrow at 1313 N. Broadway at 12:30 a.m. May 24, and was not seen again until her concrete-weighted body, with a bullet hole in the chest, was washed ashore near the Potomac River bridge near Morgantown, Md., eighty miles from Baltimore.

ON THE POINT—The house at 103 Spring St. (indicated by arrow), is a former residence of Miss Helen Delores Johnson, located in the East Baltimore area known as "The Point." A few days before her slaying, Miss Johnson received a threatening letter warning her to "stay off the Point."

—'Sexy-looking'

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Chapel St., said:

"Though I didn't live in the neighborhood, I saw Helen at least three times when I came around to visit friends.

"Each time, she was sitting on the steps. I think that she was a very nice-looking girl, although I didn't know anything about her."

Everyone in the neighborhood seemed to remember her and showed concern over her death. A group of men gathered in the neighborhood gave the community opinion.

"We don't think anyone from around here did it."

Asked about the note warning her to stay away from "The Point," they said:

"The note didn't have anything to do with it, in our opinion."

None of the men, however, could express any idea about who had sent the note.

—Black Stocking

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WILLIAM JOHNSON,
Father of slain girl, who identified her decomposed body after it was washed ashore from the Potomac River at Newburg, Md. Behind him are two brothers of slain girl, Thomas and Delbert Johnson.

MRS. MARIE JOHNSON
My daughter was good . . . people laughed at her . . . they didn't understand she switched when she walked because she had a hip injury since birth . . .

time:

"I will stick by him. I love him."

However, according to the grandmother, Mrs. Benjamin has left the Arlington Ave. home where she spent eight days as the wife of Paul before police arrested him. The grandmother said she is now living in the 1200 block Lanvale St.

THE CRIMES which Paul and his four alleged accomplices received a total of 63 years, were a series of small time armed holdups and larcenies in which the total loot did not exceed several hundred dollars.

Sentenced with Paul were Melvin Johnson, 19, 1600 block N. Smallwood St., 15 years in House of Correction; Jerome Dyson, 16, 1500 W. Lanvale St., 10 years in reformatory; George (Old Man) Pray, 16, 500 block W. Lafayette Ave., 10 years in reformatory; Melvin Davis, 17, 1600 block McCulloh St., eight years in reformatory.

Paul also left behind in the free world his grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Brooks, 80, who had reared the 21-year-old youth since he was 4. Mrs. Brooks lived at 1613 Gilmor St., but she left that home early this year after a fire caused extensive damage in the house.

A neighbor reported her now living in the 2800 block Lafayette Ave.

The fire broke out a few days after Christmas and was attributed to a holiday tree, laden with decorations. In attempting to flee through the rear of the house, Mrs. Brooks sustained a sprained arm.

And as for Paul — in prison he is employed in the sewing room at his trade as a tailor.

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—Pearl Bailey

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this information, she continued hurriedly:

"But, it's more than a maid . . . it's not just a maid . . . I do the narration of the picture . . . it's not just a maid part . . . the audience sees the whole picture through the maid's ("Gussie") is the name) eyes.

"The maid sets the situation . . . I'm in every scene . . . it's not just a maid."

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BEFORE THE luncheon, as Pearl Bailey pulled up in her sleek, black Cadillac convertible in front of the Park Plaza, a side-walk crowd of dowagers and business men beamed a happy welcome.

"Hello, Pearl. I've seen and enjoyed you many times on television," said one summer-suited, fifty-ish businessman.

And, "Isn't she wonderful!" gushed one matron to an 'aside' to another.

Dressed in a summery, flowered dress of brown, Miss Bailey flashed that gracious grin from her handsome face in acknowledgement of the tributes.

Her slim (though well-endowed) figure was also a subject of comment—as she swept into the lobby, one (plumpish) matron remarked at large:

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"SHE LOOKS thinner than she does on TV. I wonder what her diet secret is?"

When this interviewer put this question to her later at the luncheon, she replied:

"What's the secret? Just be happy, be contented. Nervousness makes you eat a lot. When you're happy, you'll notice you don't eat as much.

"I don't have any special diet. When I want to eat, I eat . . . I eat a lot of beef."

For the luncheon, she wore a blue flowered dress with a w-i-d-e navy-blue hat. At her throat was a lustrous string of pearls.

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"DO YOU wear pearls as a sort of trademark?"

"No," she answered, "Pearls never seemed attractive to me. I've just had these a year and they are the first real ones I've ever had."

She said that the string she was wearing-was given to her by the "House or Flowers" cast in which she appeared as "Madame Fleur" last year.

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HOW DID she break into the entertainment world?

"Accidentally," she replied. "We were living in Philadelphia and my mother sent me after my brother (Bill Bailey, hoofer, evangelist) who was coaching the chorus line at a local theater.

"When I got backstage, he told me to go on home and brushed me aside. I got mad and decided to get even with him. That night was amateur night at the theater and I decided to get on stage just to embarass him.

"To my surprise, instead of embarrassing him, I won, and I've been at it just about ever since."

That was twenty years ago and during the early stages of her career she sang in Baltimore at the Merry Go Round, the Royal Theater and the "Old Astoria."

After her appearances in Baltimore, Miss Bailey left for Washington where she sang before President Eisenhower at the Press Photographers Ball, and held a press conference.

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DEPARTING from its usual white-only policy, the Park Plaza allotted Miss Bailey and her traveling companion a room to "freshen up" and change clothes in before the luncheon.

Perhaps this courtesy was in deference to the fact that the noted singer ("Don't call me a comedienne") was appearing the role of maid in "That Certain Feeling"—

Although she was accompanied by her companion, she "drove from New York by herself."

"I don't trust woman drivers" she quipped when asked why her companion did not drive.

"What is the name of the lady who will come down with you, Miss Bailey?"

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DR. HENRY DOUGLASS
Found dead at YMCA

—Physician dead

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there were no marks of violence and nothing to indicate suicide.

An autopsy has been ordered by Dr. A. Magruder McDonald, District coroner. Tentative cause of death has been listed as congestive heart failure.

Mrs. Alberta Douglass, 5009 Just St., NE., his widow, said funeral services probably will be held on Sunday from Frazier funeral home.

In addition to Mrs. Douglass, and the aunt, Mrs. Johnson, the physician is survived by two daughters.

—Mills brother

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was located at 2038 Edmondson Ave.

HIS BROTHER, Carlise, was shot three times in the head. He has since recovered but will never have full use of his right arm.

Before handing down the sentence, Judge Carter warned the courtroom against any demonstration. As a further precaution, four police officers were stationed at the two doors leading to the crowded courtroom.

The defendant, nattily dressed in a light suit and white shirt, was rushed out of the courtroom. He showed no visible emotion after the sentence was imposed.

He had been tried and found guilty of first degree murder in March and came up for sentencing Thursday after the Supreme Bench denied his motion for a new trial on Saturday.

The courtroom crowd sat in grave-yard silence as the judge handed down the execution order.

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BRILEY WAS arrested for the shooting which followed a St. James PE Church benefit dance at the Odd Fellows Hall McCulloh and Lanvale Sts.

A bakery company employee, he was described as a dance fan who frequented dances held in the hall which is located directly opposite the home where he roomed on McCulloh St.

He escaped after firing at police following the fatal shooting of Jesse Mills and wounding of Carlise. He was later arrested at 1210 McCulloh St., where he was a roomer.

At his March 20 trial, Briley said:

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"I DID IT and I'm sorry for it."

Before the sentence was passed Thursday, Briley's lawyer, made an impassioned plea for leniency. He added:

"I've never been a member of the 'swing club' and I don't late date."

He recommended a life sentence—which was refused.

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Dr. Spaulding honored for 25 years service at Morgan

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Dr. George H. Spaulding told Morgan State College alumni Saturday however, that, there are few areas of work that provide the pleasure of teaching, despite the "blood, sweat and tears" that go along with such a career.

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DR. SPAULDING, who graduated with the Class of '30, had been an outstanding athlete at the college, became an instructor, a professor and at present is head of the department of chemistry.

The General Alumni honored him for 25 years of meritorious service on the Morgan faculty at the 17th annual alumni luncheon, in the Memorial Refectory.

"There is nothing that can compare with the glow in the face of a student who has reached some achievement. As years pile up, students holds grow tighter and tighter, and once in their hold, a teacher can never become divorced from them," Dr. Spaulding said.

Dr. Spaulding paid tribute to his family as his greatest helpers. "Mom'd deep religious conviction that no man can achieve anything without close association with God has been my chief influence in the face of a rather quick temper, my wife has held the fort by restraining me. My sisters and brothers have formed a close family circle. To all of these I owe deep gratitude," the speaker said.

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THE SCROLL to Dr. Spaulding was presented by Dr. Charles E. Campbell.

The alumni and guests were welcomed by Dr. Martin D. Jenkins, president of the college; Dr. Eugene D. Byrd made the response. Introduction of classes having reunions were made by Frank J. Ellis, president of the General Alumni Association; and the Rev. Howard L. Cornish served as toastmaster.

Also speaking was John A. Herculson, former head of the chemistry department. The invocation and blessing was by the Rev. Edward G. Carroll.

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IN HIS TALK, Dr. Jenkins pointed to achievements of the college in many fields. He is especially pleased, said the President, that Morgan students are of scholarship rating, that they are being sought by the largest universities of the country.

Scholarships are now being offered by the University of Chicago, the University of Wisconsin and Harvard, he revealed.

The college has also been accredited by the American Chemical Society, he said. There are chapters of nine national honor societies on the campus, Dr. Jenkins added. The President also informed the Alumni that an Alumni secretary will soon be added to the Morgan staff.

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SPECIAL GUESTS included members of the family of Dr. Spaulding of Whitesboro, N.J.; mother, Judge and Mrs. Theodore O. Spaulding of Philadelphia and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Spaulding of this city, brothers and sisters-in-law;

Also Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Perkins, brother-in-law and sister; Mrs. Patricia Taylor, sister; T. O. Spaulding Jr., Philadelphia, nephew; and his wife, Mrs. Gaynelle Spaulding, and daughter, Gayle.

Also attending were:

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FROM WASHINGTON: Miss Fannie Offutt, Miss Louise Offutt, Leo A. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Bethel, Miss Dorothy M. Lee, Miss Clara P. Graves, Mrs. Veslah Blye, Mrs. Mary Myers, Miss Geneva Wade, Miss Ruth Moseley, Dr. William Mitchell, Mrs. Alice S. Grant;

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MARYLAND: Mrs. Joyce Byrd, Harve de Grace; Mrs. E. Wallace Johnson, Salisbury; Harry Cooper, Centreville; Charles Caldwell, Elkton; Horatio Jones, Princess Anne; Elmer T. Hawkins, Chestertown;

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ALSO DR. THOMAS E. Poag, Nashville, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. James Kelly, Philadelphia; Maceo Ryan, Newark N.J.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Basil Frazier, Jersey City, N.J.;

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FROM NEW YORK: Dr. Susie Sharpe, Mt. Vernon; Reese H. Horsei, Stephen H. Dix, Reginald Walton, NYC; Miss Margaret Dehman, Brooklyn; Clarence Brown, the Bronx; Baltimore: Dr. and Mrs. G. Franklin Phillips, Miss Annabel Hawkins, George S. Whyte, Dr. Charles C. Woodland, Miss Ray H. Smith, Miss Elizabeth Washington,

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Mrs. Vivien B. Owens, Dr. H. Maceo Williams, Joseph Carroll, James H. Carter;

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DELAWARE: J. Stanley James, Dover, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomas; Seaford, Theophilis P. Parker, Dover; the Rev. H. A. T. Miles, New Castle; Mr. and Mrs. George Dredden, Bridgeville; James R. Webb, Deaford; Miss Lillian B. Sockum, Dover; Miss Sadie M. Neal, Seaford.

Fulbright Act competition is under way

CHICAGO (ANP) — Competition for U.S. Government scholarships for graduate study abroad for 1957-58 under the Fulbright Act and the Buenos Aires Convention are now open.

Applications and a brochure describing overseas study awards may be obtained at the Institute of International Education, offices at 116 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, or from the offices of Fulbright advisors on college campuses.

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Senate committee restores $185,000 to Howard budget

By LOUIS LAUTIER

WASHINGTON (NNPA) — The Senate Appropriations Committee restored $185,000 of cuts made by the House in funds recommended for Howard University for the fiscal year beginning July 1.

Dr. Mordecai W. Johnson, Howard president, had sought restoration of the entire $300,000 cut the House made in the estimates submitted by the Budget Bureau.

The only item not put back by the Senate was $75,000 for plans and specifications. The Senate Appropriations Committee recommended one-half the amount.

THE SENATE committee's report said funds recommended will enable Howard to complete plans for the home economics building, and begin plans in fiscal year 1957 for a military science - physical education building.

Budget estimates of $3,410,000 for salaries and expenses of the university, an increase of $110,000 over the House allowance, was also recommended by the amount of the budget estimate — was recommended for additional equipment for the new dental building.

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CONGRESS HAS already provided in excess of $600,000 for equipping this building, and the committee report said the Department of Health, Education and Welfare is expected to examine future requests forfunds for additional equipment.

The appropriation recommended by the committee for the university totals $3,871,200. It is $126,000 more than the House approved, Dr. Johnson had requested the full budget estimate of $3,946,200, the committee.

Some $3,410,000 in direct Federal funds will provide 56.7 percent of the total estimated operating costs of the university, the report stated.

THE BALANCE of the operating costs is derived from reimbursements from other accounts, $367,705, and reimbursements from non-Federal sources (tuition, student fees, gifts and grants, endowment income, and sales by auxiliary enterprises), $2,340,300.

The $110,000 increase over the House allowance, the report added, will make provision for maintenance of new buildings, $60,000, and repairs to plant, $50,000.

IDENTIFIED — When Linda Beamon, 13 months, was found in a basket behind an apartment house on May 26, there was no way of identifying her. Publication of her picture in the AFRO resulted in the identification.

Something happened to her....

"I really think something has happened to my child. It's not like her to go away without telling anyone where she was going.

"I never liked the idea of her staying alone with three children.

"The last person that saw her said that she was going to a wedding with a friend."

Heartbroken over the disappearance of her daughter who dropped from sight several weeks ago, Mrs. Helen Anderson, 1816 E. Madison St., issued a plea this week for the missing Mrs. Isabelle Beamon to return home.

Mrs. Beamon was last seen on May 26, when she took two of her three children (Debbie, 3, and Roger, 5) to the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Duett, at the Madison St. address, Mrs. Anderson said.

"She told my aunt (Mrs. Duett) she was going to a wedding. She told her that the baby (Linda, 13 months old) was left with a friend," Mrs. Anderson added.

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THE NEXT day the child was found in a basket at the rear of an apartment house in the 1300 block E. North Ave. Linda was taken to City Hospital where she is still a patient.

Dr. Yahya Bekman said on Thursday that the child's condition is "perfect" and that she can be—released at any time.

"She is getting along fine," he added. Current plans of Mrs. Anderson call for the child to be cared for by her niece, Mrs. Elizabeth Barbour, 139 N. Chapel St.

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MEANWHILE, Northeastern District police continued an investigation and Mrs. Anderson continued the search. She was in New York at the time of the disappearance and came to Baltimore where she learned that her granddaughter's picture had been published in the AFRO after she had been discovered in the basket.

At that time there was no identification on the child.

"She didn't have to do this," said Mrs. Anderson of her daughter. "I never had any trouble with her. She was brought up in the church."

Mrs. Beamon is 21 years old and is described as five feet ten inches tall, weighing 104 pounds.

Detroit plans huge pageant

DETROIT (ANP) — Plans are nearly complete for the five-day Pancrama of Progress "saluting the contributions of colored to America's progress," scheduled June 30- July 4 at the Michigan State Fairgrounds.

The project was conceived and is being sponsored by Diggs Enterprises Inc. whose president is Charles E. Diggs, Sr., and vice president is Charles E. Diggs Jr. Michigan's first colored congressman and head of the House of Diggs, a Detroit undertaking establishment.

The Coliseum show will feature many of the nation's top

Russian churchmen worship in Chicago

CHICAGO (ANP) — A delegation of Russian churchmen, headed by Jakob Zhidkov, president of the All - Union Council of Evangelical Christian Baptists in the Soviet Union, last Sunday were guests of Dr. J. H. Jackson and 5,000 followers at Olivet Baptist Church here.

The Russians, who expressed appreciation of the warm welcome given them by the Olivet congregation, were returning a visit made by the Rev. Mr. Jackson, who was guest preacher of the council in Russia last year.

During the visit Russian churchgoers were highly impressed by the Rev. Jackson's eloquent sermons. The Rev. Jackson is president of the National Baptist Convention, USA, Inc.

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ZHIDKOV AND Alexander Karev, secretary of the council, spoke in the main church auditorium. Their talks drew a series of "Amens" and "Hallelujahs" from the Olivet audience, an intensely fervent congregation.

Declared Zhidkov:

"We do not have any difficulty (in Russia) with people who do not believe in God. We hope through visits like this that some of the international misunderstandings are about to clear up."

He also reported that Baptist conversions are increasing at the rate of 10,000 a year.

While Zhidkov and Karev were speaking in the main church auditorium, Miss Klaudia Trytova, a Russian church youth worker, was addressing a special gathering of young people of the church.

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AFTER THE Sunday morning services, the Russian delegates were treated to an American style dinner at the home of Dr. Jackson. The Russians reportedly dined on fried chicken, homemade ice cream and cake as the main feature.

Mrs. Jackson, wife of the pastor, presided over the dinner. She explained that while abroad the churchmen treated the Jackson's to Russian style meals and that she therefore wanted them to sample American dishes.

She will carry to the area vast experience, having served with her husband in West and South Africa, South America and the West Indies during the past 18 years.

Mrs. Wright is the author of several works. Her latest book, a treatise on life and customs of South African peoples, is titled "Beneath the Southern Cross."

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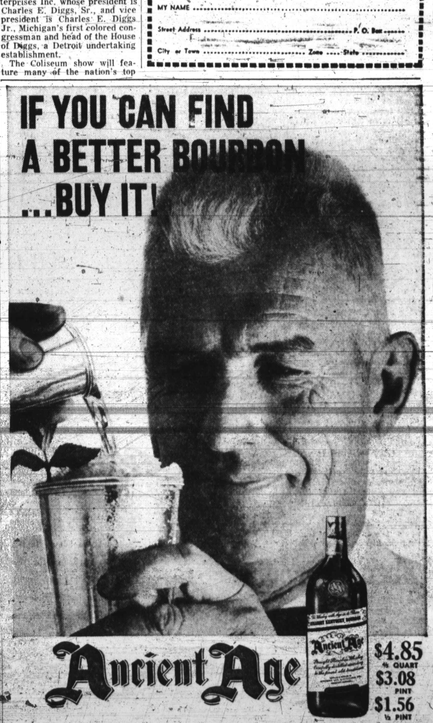

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