Islamist 'struck me', says cop

"I had no reason to strike this fellow but I had to arrest him when he called me names, slapped my face until I saw stars and screamed, Allah Abdullah."

Those were the words a traffic patrolman used in his testimony against a member of the Temple of Islam (A religious group of the Moslem faith) Tuesday.

Charged with assault and striking patrolman Raymond Emala, Robert Body Jr., 26, of the 1800 block Harford Ave., entered a plea of not guilty in Northeastern Police Court and was fined $50 and costs.

OFFICER EMALA testified "I was sitting on my motorbicycle Harford Ave., talking with a group of boys about lie detectors when this fellow chimed in, asked a lot of questions then remarked who told you, you are so smart."

"He talked about Einstein and other scientists and asked me if brains had anything to do with taking a lie detector test.

"I told him I didn't know and he started sounding off about the white man's brain weighing 7 ounces and the colored man's 8 ounces.

"I knew he was trying to start trouble so I told him to move along. He started off and called me a vile name.

"I hollered to him to stop that he was under arrest for disorderly conduct but he quickened his pace. When I caught up with him and grabbed him by the belt he slapped me."

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CLUTCHING A RED velvet cap in his hands, Boyd, who is the father of four children and operates a restaurant near his home, declared:

"This officer was talking with these boys and I stopped and started talking with them. I asked him about blood pressure and he gave me some answer and said I felt that the black man was smarter than the white.

"I walked off but I never called him names. I never call people names. He grabbed me in the belt and placed me under arrest. I have never struck an officer in my life.

He called for a cruising patrol and while putting me in told the driver I want you to know that he struck me. On the way here they told me to turn out the ceiling light in the truck. When I did, they started beating on me."

Boyd's attorney, state Senator Harry Cole, summoned three youths to court to testify.

ODELL SANDERS, 16, of the 1700 block E. Federal St., stated: "We were talking with the officer when this man came up and asked who invented the lie detector. The officer said it was a combination between a group of men.

"This fellow said a few more words and walked off. The officer ran up and grabbed him and they tussled."

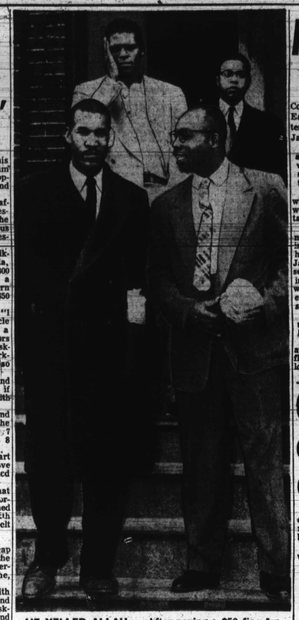
The testimony of Charles Hughes of the 1800 block E. Federal St., and Martin Palin, 1500 block E. Preston St., was similar to that of Sanders.

In passing sentence Magistrate Simon Schaefield said: "I don't think this offense would have come in, especially on his day off to cause trouble."

Witnesses departed from the Temple of Islam, located in the 1000 block Pennsylvania Ave., attended the hearing.

Asked to comment on the arrest of Mr. Boyd, some wards, leader of the group who signs his name "Brother Isaiah" (Edwards) replied: "Our brother was definitely wrong.

"We do not believe in violence."



HE YELLED ALLAH — After paying a $50 fine for assault and striking an officer, Robert Boyd Jr., in light suit, was escorted from the Northeastern District station house Tuesday by members from the Temple of Islam. The local temple of the religious group is headed by Isaiah Edwards at right.

Joins pal in prison for next 20 years

After being denied a motion for a new trial, Charles Price, 23, 1710 block Madison Ave., was given a 20-year prison term for the attempted Feb. 3 daylight robbery of Linwood Barker, 1 law office, Feb. 3.

The term was imposed by Judge Joseph L. Carter in Criminal Court, Wednesday. A similar sentence was set a month ago on Price's accomplice, John Jackson, 27, 1500 block Argyle Ave.

Sodaro urges jail for drunk drivers

Unless traffic court magistrates put drunken drivers and hit and run operators in jail Baltimore streets will not be safe for either pedestrians or motorists.

This was one of the declarations made by State's Attorney Anselm Sodaro in his annual report to the judges of the Supreme Bench.

Mr. Sodaro pointed out that the "violation of signal lights and traffic signs, the construction of concrete islands and the conversion to more one way streets have done little to eliminate the intoxicated driver and the operator who criminally fails to stop after accidents."

Continual police absence, vigorous prosecution and jail terms are the measures suggested as cures to the problem.

THESE THREE things, he said, would reduce the traffic court cases. In 1955 there were 917 cases of failing to stop after an accident, an increase of 154; and 1,013 cases of drunken driving, an increase of 229.

Mr. Sodaro called the high juvenile delinquency after 10 p.m. the "Ten o'clock shadow."

Some 80 per cent of the 16-18 year-old offenders turn to crime after 10 p.m. On the other side, he said, only 50 per cent of all crimes in the city took place after 10 p.m.

THE STATE'S attorney urged more police patrols after 10 p.m. and closer supervision by parents, who, he said, "are in much better position to prevent juvenile crime than all law-enforcement agencies combined."

IN THE Domestic Relations Department, in cases involving desertion, non-support and illegitimacy, arrangements for support were reached quickly without having to turn to welfare agencies.

Husbands who fled to Baltimore from surrounding areas were prosecuted in the Circuit Court here under provision of the Uniform Reciprocal Support of Dependents Law.

Mr. Sodaro's report shows that his department has a 24-hour per day investigation department to help solve cases and follow through on confidential information.

Mr. Sodaro recommended that the defense attorneys be required to reveal the nature of their alibis and the names of witnesses so that the prosecution can check the credibility of the alibi witnesses.

The report also noted that 443 persons, who could not afford lawyers, had attorneys appointed by the court at a cost to the taxpayers of $49,185 or about $110.96 per person.

During 1955 some 13,970 cases were handled by the State's Attorney's office. Of this number 5,853 were criminal indictments and 8,115 were domestic relations cases.

In the criminal cases there were only 700 acquittals and 4,061 verdicts of guilty.

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16 years for two hold-ups

Roland Cann, 26, 800 block N. Payson St., was sentenced to 16 years in the penitentiary Wednesday, by Judge E. Paul Mason in Criminal Court, on two hold-up convictions.

Cann was found guilty of holding up a liquor store in the 2000 block Edmondson Ave., March 22 and escaping with $180 and robbing a food company of $80 after hitting the proprietor, Samuel Black, over the head with a gun.

Local youth completes Army medic's training

Pvt. Clayton Rufus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rufus, 912 Payson St., has completed the Medical Training Center's eight week course of advanced basic training at Brooke Army Medical Center.

The Medical Training Center offers intensive instruction in field medical care and hospital ward management, and trainers make practical application during field problems under simulated battle conditions.

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Memo to The AFRO City Desk

From FRANKLIN WOOD
City Editor

I was there outside Youth Court on Monday when those five East Baltimore boys were sentenced to 10 years by Judge James K. Cullen.

I heard no threats made against the judge in the hallway . . . and I stayed until most of the mothers had left the area.

I had an opportunity to talk with one mother . . . the others were sobbing so they couldn't talk.

The crying was loud and angry murmurs about the sentence "be-ing unfair" were heard — but I heard no "threats against Judge James K. Cullen after he had sentenced five youths to 10 years in jail for robbery," such as were reported in the daily papers, and no daily reporters were standing in the crowd.

And, inside of five minutes, most of the family and friends had left the second floor.

Later, they were seen talking audibly in groups on the first floor, outside of the court house lock-up.

Garfield Hinton, one of our other reporters, was with me. Mr. Hinton stated, "I heard no threats . . ."

It is reported that the police department on Wednesday "took steps to make sure there would be no recurrence of demonstrations in the Courthouse as the result of any courtroom proceedings or sentences."

I saw no demonstrations of such magnitude, as to require an investigation.

There were sobbing mothers, whose sons had just been sentenced to prison.

I heard their heartbroken sobs. I heard no threats.

I was there.

"If I were a mother, I might have screamed too," Judge Cullen told the AFRO Thursday.

"No direct threats were made to me . . . but I heard that threats were made from people who were allegedly in the hallway at the time . . .

"The Police Commissioner came to see me. It was a meeting to discuss putting more protection on the judges. You can't tell what these teenagers are going to do . . . and I don't mean just colored teenagers."

Called 'simple,' quits his bride of 2 months

"She told me, 'James, you are dumb and simple. You are not my kind. I married you for a background.'

"When she told me that, that's when I left home until recently."

In Northeastern Police Court Thursday morning, that's what James McCalla of the 400 block E. 22nd St., testified when his bride of two months charged him with assault.

His bride, Mrs. Clarice McCalla, told Magistrate Simon Schenfield: "I had to have him brought in when he struck me."

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TURNING TOWARD a woman in a brown coat sitting behind her, Mrs. McCalla declared: "Not only that, but when I stopped by the house this morning he had this woman here with him."

Asked if his wife's statement was true, Mr. McCalla smiled and replied: "Yes your honor. After all she told me to go out, and get someone else. She said she didn't want me anymore."

Fined $10 and costs, Mr. McCalla's fine was paid by the "other" woman. When his wife complained to the court: "I need $15 for rent," the husband said "I'll pay."

DIG THOSE SOCKS — Services were over at the Pentacostal Holiness Church at Washington and Ashland Sts., and these three youngsters were waiting for the bus to take them home Sunday. Left to right: Jerry L. Davis, 18 months; Amanda Davis, 4; and Ben Davis Jr., 3. Escorting them to church was their mother, Mrs. Ida Davis, 1918 Oakhill Ave. The bus stop is at Ashland and Broadway. Note the stylish long socks the kids are wearing.

Ladies in 'salt case' back in court; water this time

"I would like for each of these ladies to submit to a lie detector test, and the one who is lying go to jail for 30 days.

"Gentlemen, I don't know what to do with this case."

Magistrate Vernon H. Wiesand made the above comments in exasperation after listening to conflicting testimony from two matrons appearing before him Thursday at the Pine Street Police Court.

The same two women, neighbors, were brought before Magistrate Weisand last November in connection with the so called "salt case."

Mrs. Lillian Silver, 2433 Edmondson Ave., swore out a warrant against Mrs. Eleanor B. Boswell, 2431 Edmondson, a dismissed public school teacher, accusing her of throwing a pan of water on her Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Boswell, who lost her teaching job after Mrs. Silver hailed her into court last year, denied the charge.

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"SHE'S JEALOUS of me, that's all," Mrs. Boswell, currently attending Coppin Teachers' College said of Mrs. Silver, after complaining that "for some reason she thinks I'm infatuated with her husband."

The husbands, Roy Silver and William A. Boswell, stood by their respective wives during the hearing Thursday.

"I can only hope that you don't send the poor boy to jail," Magistrate Wiesand in dismissing the charge, after both women had told their hands which suggested the polygraph test as a solution to the feud.

Va. U. head lauds Mrs. Lillie Jackson

In a speech at Morgan Christian Center Sunday morning, Dr. Samuel DeWitt Proctor, president of Virginia Union University, lauded Mrs. Lillie M. Jackson, local NAACP president, for her long, uphill fight to make American democracy a working reality.

The occasion was the Worship Services and Presentation Ceremonies conducted by the Baltimore Alumni and Alpha Iota (Morgan) chapters of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity.

The program was held in conjunction with the fraternity's Eastern Provincial Council meeting in Baltimore April 6-8.

HONORED ALONG with Mrs. Jackson was Dr. John H. Fischer, superintendent of public instruction, in recognition of the distinguished manner in which he executed the Supreme Court decision on the integration of public schools in Baltimore.

A previous commitment prevented Dr. Fischer from accepting the citation in person.

Dr. G. James Fleming, associate professor of history at Morgan, acted as master of ceremonies.

Musical selections were rendered by the Morgan College Choir under the direction of J. O. B. Mosley.

The presentation ceremonies were conducted by Dr. William T. Carter, polemarch of the Eastern Province, and I. W. E. Taylor, polemarch of Baltimore Alumni Chapter.

Four men injured when vehicle rams into safety pylon

Four persons suffered minor injuries on Monday when an automobile smashed into a safety pylon at North and Druid Hill Aves. Injured were:

Lester Lawrence, 36, 1600 block W. Lexington St.; Cephas Brown, 36, 1200 block Madison Ave., cuts of left leg; Les Garnett, 46, 400 block Liberty Ct.; William H. Barnes, 25, 1200 block Etting St., cuts of eye.

"The men were treated at Provident Hospital and later released. Mr. Lawrence, listed as the driver of the car, was charged with reckless driving. A Traffic Court hearing it set for April 27.

Court holds bishop's will still valid

The will of Bishop A. L. Gaines, prelate of the AME Church, who died 25 years ago, turned up in court, this week.

Judges of Orphans Court revoked an order that had been passed conveying properties, including 905 Druid Hill and 1933 Druid Hill, to Donald G. Murray, grandson.

Mr. Murray, attorney, is executor of the estate of the bishop's late widow, Mrs. Minnie L. Gaines, who died August 11, 1953. Mrs. Gaines left a will disposing of the properties.

But it now evolves that the widow had only a life interest in the properties.

THE BISHOP'S WILL, probated in 1931, left his entire estate to his wife during her life.

After her death the properties were to be divided into four shares, one-fourth going to each of his daughters, Mrs. Florence N. Gloster, Mrs. Josephine Lansey, Mrs. Jeannette Taylor, and the remaining one-fourth to two grandchildren, Mr. Murray and Mrs. Margery Prout.

The will also provided that if either of his daughters died without children before the death of Mrs. Gaines, her share would be divided between her living sisters.

If there were children, they would inherit their mothers' shares.

The share of Mrs. Lansey, mother of six, deceased, will go to her children.

'You can't deny they are yours'

"I still love you . . .

"My sister wrote and told me love cute my daughter was."

These words from a letter written April 22, 1954, by Marine Cpl. Lyle Roberts, 2315 Orem Ave., helped convict him of two bastardy charges in Criminal Court Thursday.

Cpl. Roberts, who is stationed at Camp LeJeune, N.C. was ordered to pay $35 per month for the two children to Miss Peggy A. Thomas, 21, 2313 Whittier Ave.

He will be under the probation department until both children, a boy and a girl, reach 18 years of age.

CPL. ROBERTS, a tall handsome young man appeared in court in his sun-tanned Marine uniform. He was accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Margaret Mason Roberts.

Miss Thomas, was attractively dressed in a tweed coat when she brought the two well-dressed children to court.

The young mother admitted he was the father of the 2-year-old girl but admitted the 4-year-old boy was his.

Judge James Cullen asked the mother to hold the children up, and then told the Marine, "On looking at the pair, you can't deny they are yours."

Harris ceremony set for April 23

William A. (Bo) Harris will be sworn in as Maryland's first Negro Deputy Sheriff at a ceremony in room 235 of the Post Office building at 9 a.m., April 23.

Mr. Harris, the state's first parole and probation officer is married and lives at 2025 Ruxton Ave. with his wife and family. A veteran of World War II and the Korean War, he served 3½ years as a parole and probation officer.

3 indicted in abortion case

Three persons were indicted Tuesday by the Grand Jury on charges of abortion and conspiracy to perform an abortion. They are:

Mrs. Iona D. Watson, 37, 1520 N. Bond St.

Melvin Parris, 27, 1421 N. Bond St. and William Spicer, 31, 2020 Kennedy Ave.

THE INDICTMENT against Mrs. Watson reads:

"Unlawfully and feloniously performing an abortion on one Mary M. Clark, Port Deposit, Md.

"2. Charged with conspiring an abortion on one Juanita Miller, 600 block George St.

Along with Parrish and Spicer Mrs. Watson was also, charged with unlawfully conspiring together and with each other to perform an abortion on one Mary Ann Miller on or about Feb. 12, 1955 and thence continually and unlawfully from that date.

No date has been set for the trial.

County would take more policemen

"We are anxious to hire colored officers if we can find the right type of men."

This was the statement made by Capt. Leonard C. Knox, Northeastern police headquarters captain, in the wake of a grand jury report which recommended the employment of additional colored policemen in Baltimore County.

In a recent examination for appointment to the force, Captain Knox said only one colored applicant took the test and he failed to pass.

"We have had very few colored men to apply, but we would certainly welcome them if they are interested," he added.

AT PRESENT, out of a force of some 600 men, the county has only four colored policemen. Three are assigned to Towson Station and one to Catonsville.

The new county budget calls for the appointment of 40 additional officers and County Commissioner A. J. Muller said that some of the new jobs would go to colored officers "if any can be found."

However, at this time, there are no colored men on the eligible list, and a date for a new examination has not yet been set.

IT HAS been suggested by official sources that one of the reasons for the small number of colored applicants might stem from the requirement that policemen be residents of the County.

The jobs start at $70 a week and in three years reach $77 a week.

Additional information on the jobs may be obtained at the personnel office in the new Towson court house.

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IN MAKING its recommendation that more colored officers be employed, the grand jury said: "It is recommended that several more colored policemen and detectives be put on the police."

The County Commissioners agreed with this committee but claimed that the problem was finding the type of men who could be entrusted with this fine duty."

Five years to repay $2,650

Mrs. Rose London, former bail bond secretary, who duped a mother out of $2,650 last year, was given a suspended five-year term in the Women's Reformatory, and placed on probation for five years to reimburse the woman.

The victim, Mrs. Zelma Hester, 2000 block Pennrose Ave., had paid Mrs. London the money, obtained from her dead Korean veteran son's insurance, in hopes of getting another son paroled from a 40-year term in the penitentiary.

Judge Joseph L. Carter ordered Mrs. London to pay back the money at the rate of $10 a week.

New Meade CO

Lt. General Charles E. Hart was promoted to Major General and Army with headquarters at Ft. Meade, Md., on Thursday.

A native of Maryland, General Hart comes to Ft. Meade from Europe where he was commanding general of the Army's V Corps.

$25 for news tips—Call us at our old number, MUlberry 5-6015, and our new numbers too, MUlberry 5-1812 and Mulberry 5-1813. Just ask for the city desk

Boy, 7, Easter auto accident victim buried

"He went to church, there and all during the summer he went to their Bible School. Now they have held his funeral there."

Mrs. Edith Jones was speaking of Allen AME Church, Lexington and Carlton Sts., and of her son, William Jones, 7, 1114 W. Lexington St., who was buried from the church on Sunday.

William, a kindergarten pupil at Elementary School No. 140, was struck by an automobile on Easter Sunday as he crossed Lexington St., on his way to his home after leaving Allen AME. He was dressed in his Easter clothes.

SUFFERING a fractured skull, the boy was admitted to Franklin Square Hospital where he died on Thursday. He never regained consciousness.

Following services at the church, he was buried in Mt. Auburn Cemetery. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Jones; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gardner; grandmother, Mrs. Mary Roots; great grandmother, Mrs. Susie Hower; five brothers, James Gardner, Bernard and Marvin Prescoe, Kenneth and Ernet Jones; two sisters, Linda and Marlene Jones; two uncles, George and John Gardner.

The driver of the car which hit young Jones was identified as Robert D. Holmes, 56, 1800 block Lorman St. He has been charged with manslaughter and ordered held in $1,000 bail for a hearing by the state's attorney.

NO ONE HURT—Firemen bring the Monday afternoon fire at 1518 Brunt St. under control. The fire, in which no one was injured, began when Mrs. Mary Hicks, who resides downstairs had an oil stove. Damage was to two downstairs rooms. An upstairs tenant, Mrs. Marie Christian, and three of her seven children also escaped uninjured.

The Weather
Friday fair and warmer with high near 60 degrees; Saturday fair and continued warm, with high near 70 degrees. Sunday outlook, continued fair and warm.

Baltimore Afro-American

Prayer For Today
"Though our hope are shadowed by the tragedies that darken the earth, we lift them in faith to the light that no darkness can put out."

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DOG BITE FATAL?

PEOPLE

The camera finds them out walking

SPRING weather this week found young Miss Mildred Pierce of 331 E. 20th St., a professional model, walking on Madison Ave. She instructs makeup classes at a local modeling and figure perfection school.

THE BEAUTY SCHOOL gave Mrs. Charlene time for a stroll. A beautician, she has her own shop at Orleans and Central Ave. She is the wife of the Rev. Andrew Nance, pastor of Mt. Hope Baptist Church.

Physician's Wife Wins Divorce And Alimony

Tells court, 'he gave me black eye'

"If you want to know the truth, I thought he was going out of his mind . . .

Mrs. Mathilda (Tillie) Pair, the 32-year-old blue-eyed, blonde wife of Dr. James Pair, whose age she gave as 60, thus described the incident which brought about their separation, and which won a divorce for her, here, Friday.

With the divorce Mrs. Pair was given custody of their four-year-old son, $100 per month for the child's support and $100 per month alimony for herself as long as she lives or until she remarries.

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MRS. PAIR, who admitted that she left her physician-husband on Nov. 30, 1953, said that she did so because she feared for the safety of herself and their young son.

"We had a violent argument the night before I left," said Mrs. Pair, adding that he was not the father of James.

I called another doctor to come to my home and I tried to reason with him.

"I was afraid of physical violence to both me and my son and the following morning I left."

Asked what was the condition of Dr. Pair during the argument Mrs. Pair said:

"Dr. Pair had glazed eyes, and looked like he was going out of

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MRS. TILLIE PAIR — *I thought he was going out of his mind . . .*

DR. JAMES PAIR — *He must pay wife alimony and support child . . .*

'Is that all for my mother?'

"Is that all for killing my mother, too?"

Miss Bernice Simmons, 14, Barnes St., voiced this question outside Traffic Court Thursday morning after a 58-year-old homeless mother was fined $1,200 on traffic violations resulting in the death of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Simmons.

The fines were imposed on Charles I. Lentz, 3019 Kentucky St., by Magistrate Gilbert Silbery, who found him guilty of charges growing out of the hit-run death of Mrs. Simmons.

Before imposing the fines Magistrate Silbert read from a record showing Mr. Lentz has been arrested 11 times on traffic violations dating back to 1938.

MRS. SIMMONS, 48-year-old mother of six grown children, was struck and fatally injured at Monument and Gay Sts., just two days after Christmas, by a car which failed to stop and left her lying in the street. She died a few hours later in Johns Hopkins Hospital.

The hour-long hearing revealed for a crowded courtroom the intense amount of investigative work done by police during a two-day manhunt for the driver of the death car.

The investigation, which covered the entire city, was conducted by Sgt. John Neuese and Officers Claude Profil and Daniel Oppel of the Traffic Investigation Division.

The spectators were silent throughout most of the trial, and made no outward demonstration against the car's driver were also silent ones—bits of broken glass from a shattered headlight and flakes of gray paint from the car.

They were introduced in evidence by the arresting officers who told how they had pursued their search with nothing more than a description of the color and model of the death vehicle.

HOWARD K. GLOVER, 1718 E. Lafayette Ave., furnished the

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Victim of dog bite succumbs

"It might have been the dog bite that caused her death, but I don't think so. She had had five rabies shots at City Hospitals, and she had gotten over that, and was well. Of course, I'm no doctor. I don't know.

"You couldn't even see the scar on her chin where they had to put 23 stitches to close the wound where the dog bit her."

Mrs. Ellen Payne, fraternal worker of 1104 Myrtle Ave., was referring to the sudden death of her granddaughter, Mrs. Ruth Mapp, 35, who died in her sleep, Tuesday evening.

Cause of death is awaiting medical examiner's report.

Mrs. Mapp

"She suffered headaches after she was bitten by the dog, March 29," the 64-year-old grandmother continued.

"And lately she had been complaining about a sore on her face. I guess that was from the wound, and about a lumpy feeling in her throat.

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"ON TUESDAY, she was perfectly well. She came home about 5:30 in the evening, went upstairs, cleaned her room and lay down to take a nap.

"I got in about 7:40, but instead of going upstairs to see how she was, I fixed dinner and stayed downstairs.

"I didn't go up to her until about 10:40. She seemed to be sleeping. Her arms were cold but her chest and back were warm. When I couldn't awaken her, I called a doctor."

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MRS. PAYNE paused, then added slowly, "I guess I could have saved her if I had gone to her right after I got home. But they say I shouldn't think like that. It was God's will."

Referring to the dog bite, Mrs. Payne said, "Ruth was so her usual self that afternoon and the dog jumped on her. He's not a stray dog. He belongs to someone in the neighborhood.

"Well, she thought he was playing, but when she started to pet him, he bit her in the face. We took her to University Hospital and then to City Hospitals.

"She had a series of rabies shots for five days."

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POLICE REPORTED that at that time the dog was held for 10 days under observation. The rabies test on the dog was negative.

A Baltimorean, Mrs. Mapp served as a waitress in a tavern in the 800 block Poplar Grove before her accident.

She is the former Miss Ruth Pinkney, daughter of the late George Pinkney, Washington undertaker, who died nine months ago.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 1 p.m. at the grandmother's home. Burial will be in Arbutus Cemetery.

Besides Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Mapp is survived by her estranged husband, George Mapp; her paternal grandmother, Mrs. Katie Pinkney;

Also, her great-grandfather, William Taylor; brother George Pinkney Jr.; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Bus boycott lawyer here on Sunday

Fred Gray, the Alabama attorney, who had played a major role in the Montgomery bus situation will be the guest speaker this Sunday as "NAACP Civil Rights Sunday" is held at Sharp

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St. Memorial Methodist Church, Dolphin and Etting Sts., 3 p.m.

The program itself will be dedicated to the late Charles H. Houston, the NAACP attorney, who was a pioneer in the field of civil rights litigation.

Mr. Gray, the principal speaker, is a graduate of Western Reserve University and has been practicing law in Alabama since 1954. He is a general practitioner and a large portion of his practice is devoted to civil rights cases.

In addition to being legal advisor to the Montgomery Progressive Democratic Association he is chairman of the legal redress committee of the Montgomery branch of the NAACP, and a member of the legal reference committee of the Alabama State Conference of NAACP branches.

'We've lost a friend...'

"Perhaps you expect me to say that God took this youth, but I will tell the truth."

"The force of evil in a heart smothered the life of this boy. We lost John through the force of evil."

From the 150 persons in the Kale Williams Funeral Home on Thursday afternoon came soft cries of "amen" as the Rev. Timothy Booker of Glassboro, N.J., stood over the white coffin of John Bell, 17, and delivered his eulogy.

Mrs. Ethel Williams of the Williams and Mrs. Beverly Bailey teachers, lost their seats in the overflow crowd of those of some of the children.

George W. Scott, chief engineer, was down on his knees fighting the blaze with a fire extinguisher when he was joined by Samuel Owings, principal, and Arthur J. Hayne, head custodian.

THE FIRE was discovered by Antonia Maurice Wallace, 5, of the 1100 block Orleans St., one of the 65 kindergarten children in the classroom at the time.

The fire was almost out when firemen arrived.

Kidnaper-killer still at large

PHILADELPHIA

While the police manhunt for Ralph Faulk continued, the innocent victim who caught the bullet intended for Faulk's sweetheart was buried on Saturday.

Faulk has been sought since April 5 when a shotgun burst of

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The AFRO goes to beauty show

DEAR BOSS:

Spring was busting out all over from top to bottom at the Mastbaum Beauty Salon, Monday night, Spring Trade and Beauty Show at the Monumental Elks' Home this week.

You've never seen anything

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like it. If you see spring fever just to walk around the place admiring the beautiful models, getting the latest tips on milady's 1956 figure and enjoying those who soothed their weary feet and legs on the relaxing machine.

There were 25 booths, gayly decorated colors of blue, white yellow and red, and about 10 of them had beauty operators turn out the latest styles in hairdos.

Featured local beautician in the show was Rose Marie Davis. She turns out the best soft-styling coiffures in town.

And Boss, if I was a little late in getting back to the office, it

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Dunbar High lad hurls 13-0 no-hitter against Armstrong

George Collins, 17-year-old righthander of the Dunbar High School baseball team pitching staff, hurled a no-hit, no-run game in defeating Armstrong High of Washington, 13-0 at Clifton Park Tuesday afternoon.

The 6-foot, 175-pound three-letter star of Coach Sugar Cain's Poets was never in trouble as his mates pounded the Armstrong pitchers to make the road easy for him.

Collins struck out 11 batsmen and walked only two.

He got his biggest hit from his catcher, James Tanner, who slammed a home-run with two mates aboard and otherwise paced the winning attack.

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DUNBAR JUMPED on the offerings of Hawkins from the outset and was well in front (9-0) when Charles Pickard took over for the Generals in the fourth. They continued the assault on the reliever while Collins maintained his mastery over the Tech batsmen.

Collins also is a standout at football and basketball for the Poets.

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COACH CAIN, though greatly pleased with the lad's accomplishment, expressed concern over next week's schedule.

"It is a freakish program," said the Dunbar mentor, "but we couldn't do anything about it. The only way we could get the kind of competition we want, was to take four tough games inside five days next week.

"We play Southern on Monday (the 23rd). Then after a day off Tuesday, we're booked with Douglass on Wednesday, Mount St. Joe on Thursday and Carver on Friday. That's not good, but the boys are willing and we want these games."

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ALL FOUR these upcoming contests are slated for Clifton Park. Cain says he will spread out his pitching as best he can.

"I guess Smith will start against Southern," he said "and probably Charley Moore will work against Douglass. After that, it depends on how things comes through as to whether it will be his call for Mount St. Joe or Collins."

The victory enabled Dunbar to even the score for the season. The previous Tuesday, Calvert Hall tallied a 2-1 decision over the Poets, despite a well pitched game by Lawrence Smith for the latter.

Tubbs indicted

CHICAGO — True bills charging criminal attack and contributing to the delinquency of a minor were returned against Vincent Tubbs, nationally known newsman, by a Cook County grand jury late Tuesday.

Mr. Tubbs has been charged by police with attacking a 16-year-old Catholic school girl who allegedly came to his apartment in fashionable Lake Meadows to sell him candy for a charity project.

Miss Lucy weds her minister on Sunday

By LULA GARRETT
AFRO Women's Editor

DALLAS, Texas—"I'm breathless!"

Miss Autherine Lucy, courageous former University of Alabama coed, who took mob audiences and television cameras in stride, was as flustery as a debutante Friday.

"And," said she, "by the time next Sunday gets here, I'll probably be speechless."

Miss Lucy will be the third American "princess" to be married this week. Grace Kelly's marital vows will be spoken in Monaco; Margaret Truman's in Independence, Mo., and Authorine's in Dallas.

Miss Lucy's wedding will be Sunday, April 22 at 3 p.m. She will become the bride of the Rev. Hugh Foster, handsome 27-year-old ministerial student at Butler College, Tyler, Texas.

He is one year her senior.

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MISS LUCY had just dashed back to Corsicana, Texas, from Chicago, where she had been shopping for her wedding gown. She still had to select the ensemble which she will wear on her wedding trip. She still had

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MISS AUTHERINE LUCY
'She's breathless'

Meet Freddie, she's called the 'darling of Morgan campus'

"Freddie is the darling of the campus. She's wonderful and everyone loves her."

Miss Viola Graves, Morgan State College senior from Salisbury, N.C., was referring to Miss Freddie Emily Myra Hill, when she made this comment at Thursday's Vespers.

And the words seem to reflect accurately the sentiments of the rest of the Morgan students about the charming Miss Hill.

Last week her fellow students elected Miss Hill Morgan's "Queen of the May." This latest conquest came only a short time after the 20-year-old senior had been awarded a Fulbright Fellowship to study in Norway.

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MISS HILL'S MARGIN of victory over her opponents in the race of the May Queen title, was better than 80 votes. Requirements for entering the contest were that a coed be a senior and have an average of not less than 3.

Vital statistics of the winner are as follows: Freddie is five feet seven and a half inches tall, wears a size 12 dress, weighs 118 pounds and has a 23½ inch waist measurement.

The young lady also has dimples and the brownest pair of eyes that sparkle when she laughs.

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MISS HILL is scheduled to sail for Norway on June 14 to study at the University of Oslo on the Fulbright study grant.

And she's boning up like mad

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Cole attackers

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BIRMINGHAM, Ala. — Four members of the Alabama White Citizens Council were sentenced Wednesday to 180-day terms and fined $100 for the attack last week on Nat (King) Cole at the Municipal Auditorium here.