"I am a man of peace; God knows how I love peace. But I hope I shall never be such a coward as to mistake oppression for peace."
Hungarian Freedom Fighter Kossuth

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## Prayer For This Week

O God, who has sent us to school in this strange life, and hast set us tasks which test all our courage, trust and fidelity, may we not spend our days complaining of circumstances, or fretting at discipline, but give ourselves to learn of life and to profit by experience. Amen.

—W. E. Orchard

## The March On Annapolis 1942 Style

2,000 outraged citizens "marched on Annapolis" in 1942, held a meeting in the House chamber, and invited the governor in to hear their complaints.

At issue was the ruthless violation by police of the Bill of Rights, and the reluctance of the states attorney, the grand jury and the petit juries to prosecute, indict or convict policemen who mistreated colored citizens in violation of the law.

Governor O'Conor appointed a committee consisting of Judge Soper, chairman, Albert Hutzler, and Enwood Koger Sr.

The committee concluded that the complaints of the colored citizens were "not without foundation."

In a case in which a soldier had been killed, Judge Soper's committee found "no legitimate reason why the grand jury should have dismissed the case."

The committee reported that the States Attorney's office was unable to explain the grand jury's action.

Finally, the committee termed, "unsatisfactory the failure of the police commissioner to take action to discipline a policeman or remove him from the force."

All of this happened in 1942.

What we are having in 1962 is recurrence of conflicts between policemen and colored citizens.

It appears to us that a new committee is necessary to investigate these conflicts, and make a report to the governor.

We urge Governor Tawes to appoint this new commission.

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ALSO OUT of the "march on Annapolis" in 1942, came a bill introduced in the Legislature by Senator Melnicove. It would amend the Baltimore City Charter and authorize the governor to appoint a special trial board, consisting of two members of the police force with the rank of captain or higher, and a member of the Baltimore Bar.

This board would have the power to hear complaints and charges filed against any officer or member of the police force of Baltimore City.

The purpose would be to require a thorough airing of citizens' complaints against police. Such boards are commonplace in other cities.

Right now, these complaints are investigated by the Baltimore police commissioner himself.

A police board of the kind mentioned above, would solve some of the problems with which Police Commissioner Schmidt is dealing.

We would urge a re-introduction of the Melnicove Bill, or a similar measure, in the next Legislature.

## Tragedy In The Night

A mentally ill Catonsville resident awoke in the night, killed his sleeping wife and two children, then committed suicide.

**Survivors and associates describe the John Butler family as 'devoted,' and 'pretty well-off financially.' They can offer no explanation for his actions.**

**But, mental health experts tell us that persons who are despondent enough to require institutional care, are likely to go berserk at a moment's notice.**

In this instance, because the loving family wanted the head of the household at home, rather than in a hospital, all of them are dead.

**It is necessary for us to educate ourselves to understand that people with sick minds are best cared for in institutions with trained personnel.**

Care at home, no matter how loving and devoted, is no substitute.

Often, in hospitals, trained physicians can cure sick minds, and prevent a tragedy like the Sunday night shooting spree which wiped out an entire family.

## Here We Go Again

We hesitate to guess how many colored persons have been jailed because of mistaken identity, lax police investigation and false reports to police.

Familiar are the cases of errant women, afraid of jealous husbands. They cry 'rape,' and describe their attackers as 'colored.'

Another attention - getter is the story a clerk or money collector gives to cover up his own misdoings. The robber was 'colored,' they say.

As a rule, police go to work, line up 'colored' men who might fit the description, question them and place them in a lineup.

Sometimes, an innocent man is subject to untold discomforts, families and neighborhoods are disturbed.

The old theme 'a colored male did it,' reared its head again last week in the case of a 'robbery' of a Park Ave. check cashing firm.

Tearfully, the female clerk told her story on the front page of a daily newspaper and on a television news program.

The bandit was 'a colored male about 35, weighing 200 pounds, wearing blue clothes, with dark hair, eyes and complexion . . .' said the clerk.

The written police report contains a graphic description of the bandit's actions, how he taped the victim, and gathered up the $6800 loot.

But, lo and behold, this week, police, acting on a tip, found the 'robbery' to be fake. Instead, the clerk has been charged with larceny, and two accomplices are awaiting court action.

We shudder to think what might have happened if the tipster had not had a conscience, and if the investigating policemen had not been colorblind.

## Dear Old Howard

Howard University, under its new president, James Nabrit, makes two announcements:

1. Rowing is now a college sport.

Howard long excelled in football, basketball and track until smaller schools caught up with and regularly drubbed the Washington institution.

So, Howard is the first predominantly colored school to turn to rowing.

2. Howard's Law School was the first to give courses in civil rights. Still first with the newest, Howard now offers a course in the "Philosophy and Methods of Non-Violence."

When Thurgood Marshall needed civil rights lawyers, Howard University educated them.

Now that Martin Luther King insists on going to jail as did Mahatma Ghandi, Howard will educate its students in the newest techniques of turning the other cheek.

## To Be Sure, We Flunked

Science Research Associates tested high school students to determine how much they knew about civil rights. They called it a "Principles of Democracy Test."

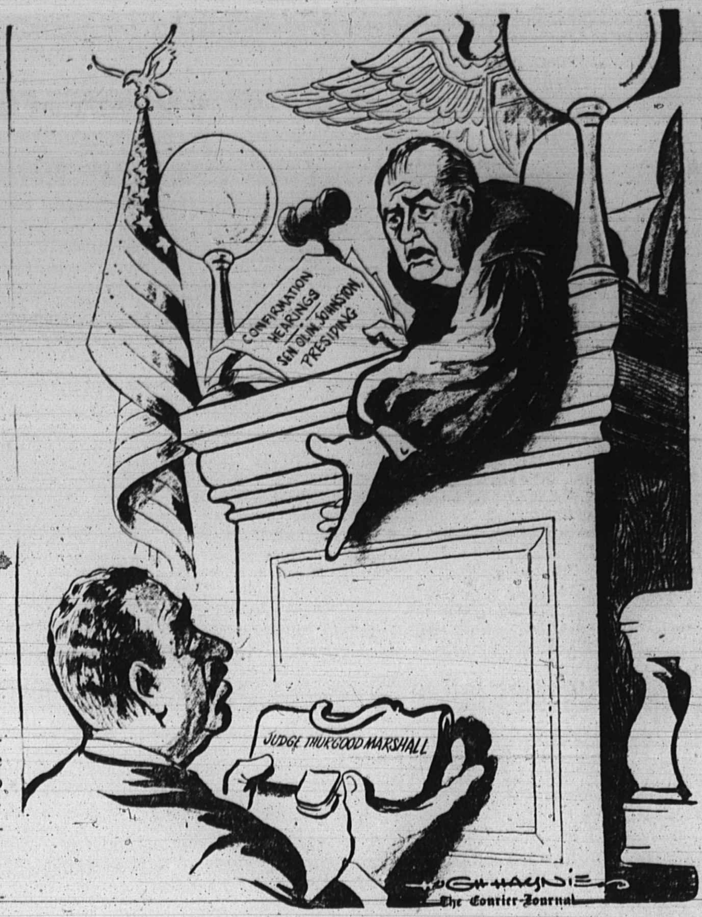
Less than half showed understanding of personal liberties protected by the 1st Ten Amendments to the U.S. Constitution.

61 per cent approved curtailed voting rights for people considered to have wild ideas.

66 percent would limit or prohibit historical films which make our government look very bad.

All of this public clamor for required prayer and Bible reading in the public schools stems from failure of parents and schools to teach the facts of the first Amendment.

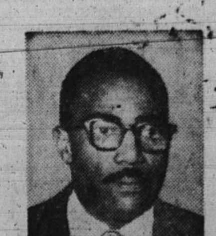
If our kids do not understand the first ten Amendments, it is not surprising they fail to understand the 14th and 15th Amendments which guarantee the right to vote and equal citizenship to all.




"Boy, Ah'm Afraid Y' Jus' Don't Know Yo' Place"
Reprinted from the Courier Journal, Louisville, Ky.

**Pin-Point**

## Women Want 'In' On Outer Space



By GEORGE W. COLLINS

"Men of the world, unite! Lest this becomes a woman's world!"

This ancient cry belongs to another time and place. I first heard it while yet in knee pants.

It came from an elderly man who frowned on women occupying the pulpit.

In view of the march of events since that long-ago day, I'm convinced that it was too late—even then.

**What with congressmen, women, judges, women drivers, women pilots, women dominated schools and churches, and other inroads they've made in all phases of human endeavor, I've long resigned myself to the fact that nothing on earth is beyond the deft touch of the "weaker sex."**

Just as my masculine pride sank to its lowest ebb at the way we men have been challenged by women, it was buoyed up in the wake of the exploits of Astronauts Allen B. Sheppard and Scott Carpenter.

"That'll show 'em," I told myself, "that we men are still on top of things — the world, in fact."

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TODAY I FIND that I was lulled into a sense of false security.

This week three women —Misses Jerri Cobb and Jacqueline Cochrane, and Mrs. Janey B. Hart — appeared before a House sub-committee.

Their complaint?

"Take the 'men only' sign off space capsules!"

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ARGUING THAT women will eventually go into space —and they probably will — the women pilots charged that National Aeronautics and Space Administration officials are discriminating against them.

Offering thousands of hours of flying time to support their claims of qualifications the three did a fairly good job of convincing the committee chairman, Rep. Victor L. Anfuso (N.Y. Dem.). Said he after the hearing:

"The whole purpose of space exploration is to someday colonize other planets, and I don't see how we can do that without women."

So again, men of the world uni. . . . never mind, it's no use!

Whoever started woman suffrage really started something!

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THE CIVIC CENTER controversy recalls another bit of ageless philosophy: "Anything worth having is worth fighting for," it goes.

If that be true, the center should be a beaut because it has been the 'center' of squabbling ever since it was on the drawing board.

The latest foray features City Councilman William D. Schaefer, contractors and planners.

Mr. Schaefer, vice president of City Council, wants an explanation as to why taxpayers are being asked to cough up $14 million for a job originally estimated to cost $4 million.

**Come to think of it, a $10 million difference deserves some sort of explanation!**

The councilman is also concerned about the "public's confidence" in the structure, and this too, is a good point. Especially since the ceiling began falling three months before its scheduled October opening.

I, for one, don't relish the opportunity of witnessing an event there and suddenly to have the walls literally come tumbling down!

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THE ARGUMENT against legislation to halt segregation — nationally and locally — was again shot full of holes this week.

It occurred in the courtroom of Chief Judge Emory H. Niles when trespassing charges were dropped against 20 demonstrators, jailed in the two-year fight to desegregate local restaurants.

They were dropped, Saul A. Harris, state's attorney, said, "because the charges have become moot since passage of the Public Accommodation Ordinance."

Judge Niles said the court "was happy" to approve the action.

**Restaurant owners listed as prosecuting witnesses in the cases now serve all customers without restrictions.**

The critic whose stock reply to former Preseident Eisenhower's contention that "you can't legislate people's hearts," seems to have had something when he said:

"But you can legislate their behavior."

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THE PARK BOARD, by a unanimous vote this week, killed the "private club" swimming arrangement that several recreation centers had with the Carlin's amusement center.

The board's action came before, and consequently killed off the results of Park and Recreation Superintendent Charles A. Hook's "study" of the arrangement.

Mr. Hook, after the AFRO exposed the "private" setup, promised to "study" it.

**Had the board not acted, it is conceivable that it could have developed into one of the longest "studies" on record.**

I wonder too, if the board's decision also interrupted a "study" by Fourth District Sen. J. Alvin Jones, member of the board, who so far has said nothing about the all-white set up.

But again this is typical of the senator, who, according to an AFRO story, a while back, has been a man of few words since being named to the board.

PARKS AND RECREATION remind me of Enchanted Forest. Either there has been a change of policy there or its mailing list is garbled.

The Rev. Reginald J. Daniels, pastor of Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church, this week received an invitation asking him to announce to his congregation to write or phone for information on arrangements for group outings.

**When the minister pressed a management spokesman for details on facilities, previously segregated, he was assured that this is a thing of the past.**

It is recalled that when a church group attempted to picnic there a year ago it was given the alternative of paying a $25 "parking fee" or leaving. The group chose the latter.

Time does change things!

**What Our Readers Say**

Readers are invited to submit letters for publication. All letters must be signed but signature will be omitted if requested. Letters should be no more than 300 words in length. Address them to "Our Readers Say," AFRO-AMERICAN, 628 N. Eutaw St., Baltimore 1, Md.

## The Tragedy of Cancer

Dear AFRO:

My son, Samuel Walker, 2, is in Sinai Hospital dying from cancer.

My reason for writing this letter is to call further public attention to cancer.

Several months ago, we knew little and thought less about cancer. Now that it has happened to us, people should know that it does happen. Cancer, as I've heard and am now seeing, does kill.

We are expecting Sammy to die any day now. Maybe by the time this is read, he will be gone.

We want to cherish the thought that he may not die in vain. To do something to prevent this is our major cause. Please support your Cancer Campaigns.

May God help him. (Interested persons may send donations to the American Cancer Society, 20 E. Eager St.)

ELDRIDGE M. WALKER SR.

(Editor's Note: Last year, 4,000 children under 15 years old died from cancer. One-half died from Leukemia, which many people do not realize is a cancer. More children die from cancer than from any other disease. An estimated 275,000 persons will die from cancer in 1962.)

**'Humorous' Gregory**

Dear AFRO:

Anent your editorial, "It Is Not Funny" (July 14), I heartily concur with its context, as I do not see by what method, or means, the NAACP saw fit to award comedian (????) Dick Gregory with a scroll, except for racial degradation.

If the type of "humor" he dispenses will contribute to the cultural uplift of the race, then we may as well have the college students, educators and leaders call off their sit-ins, nonresistant movements, economic boycotts and sacrificial activities, and start using "profanity" to win our cause!

**I never heard of such "asinine projects" before and I hope my insignificant membership fee didn't go toward buying the scroll!**

With some of us almost dying to achieve a "worthwhile place in the sun" of human relations, to use "gutter water" to cement better relations, smacks of gross ignorance!

I could "preach a sermon on this," but the AFRO editorial summed up the case. There is a time and a place for "humor," but now it's time for us to "hew more" to the line of first class citizenship!

A. (SMOKESTACK) HARDY

(Editor's Note: Mr. Hardy is press relations secretary of Berea Seventh-day Adventist Church.)

**Liked Story, Liked AFRO**

Dear AFRO:

We wish to thank the AFRO for the wonderful feature written by George W. Collins on our two sons, Earl Jr., and Gordon. It should certainly inspire them to greater achievement in their insurance careers.

We also are grateful for the AFRO, for only through the colored press are the virtues of our youth usually publicized.

EARL AND DOROTHY KOGER

Dear AFRO:

I just want to comment on the wonderful letter "Why White Folks are White" that appeared in the column, Voice of the People on July 7.

Having read your paper for many years, I can think of nothing that was more inspiring.

However, I firmly believe the article should have been printed on page one so that white folks can see where they came from and what color they were originally. If this were known they would no longer feel as they do toward colored people.

MISS PEGGY MARTIN

**School Prayer View**

Dear AFRO:

Re your July 14 letter from Mrs. Waugh. Although I am not a legal mind of any sorts, I realize that the Supreme Court's decision was not necessarily against prayer in public schools but against the publication of a prayer for public school use by a public agency (ie. the New York Board of Regents).

I can see that such a decision is justified because I myself would deplore a situation in which any agency of the state would tell me what prayer I must pray. If the state assumes such a say in spiritual matters (a possibility which Mrs. Waugh does not foresee), one can hardly speculate as to further ramifications of public control over private affairs.

I am inclined to believe that Mrs. Waugh's letter expresses a general misinterpretation of the celebrated ruling. Nonetheless, I must admit that Mrs. Waugh has an admirable, tenacious hold on her religious convictions that appears to be lacking in the contemporary American individual.

JOHN A. JONES

**Seek Charles Matthews**

Dear AFRO:

The Family Location Service, a non-profit social service and legal aid agency, provides service in cases involving family problems. This frequently involves attempting to locate missing family members in order to help the family members work out their problems. In this connection we would appreciate your kind assistance in inserting the following notice in an early issue of your publication.

The Family Location Service, a non-profit social service legal aid agency is anxious to communicate with CHARLES WILLIAM MATTHEWS, to discuss a matter of urgent importance to himself.

Charles William Matthews, born in Maryland on August 1st, 1924 is described as being 5 ft. 8 in. tall, weighs 145 pounds, has black hair, brown eyes, worked as cab driver, gas station attendant, etc. Anyone aware of this man's present whereabouts is requested to communicate with the Family Location Service, 31 Union Sq West, New York City 3, N.Y.

We thank you for your cooperation.

JACOB T. ZUKERMAN

**For Leon Brown**

Dear AFRO:

I wish to take time to set the record straight for a few misinformed persons including one Mr. Ralph Evans whose letter on fair hiring and a professor at Howard University appeared in the July 7 issue of the AFRO-AMERICAN in the "Letters to the Editor" section.

I have known Mr. Leon Brown, head of the firm cited in the letter, for more than fifteen years and can truthfully say that nothing could be further from the truth than the assertions made in Mr. Evans' letter.

Since Mr. Brown came to Howard, he has worked diligently and untiringly to prepare the colored architectural student in such a manner that he would be as equally qualified as his white competitor.

THEODORE V. GOLDER,
Registered Architect

**Hodge-Podge**

## A Backstage Look At The World Of Music

By ROBERT W. MATTHEWS

Every now and again, it is interesting to look behind the scenes in the music business.

Take the Jimmy Smith hit album "Bashing" from which "Walk on the Wild Side" was culled.

Man responsible for the album was an A and R (artists and repertoire) man named Creed Taylor.

Creed had the idea of recording Smith with a big band. He approached the label to whom Jimmy is under contract. They turned thumbs down on the idea.

But they did release him to make just one record with another company on a reciprocal basis. And so the album was cut.

It was an instantaneous success, far beyond what was expected, so now the company who released Smith for the set is unhappy. They're saying that Creed didn't fulfill his promise since a couple of the numbers on the album don't have a big band background.

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WAS CURIOUS as to how Ray Charles is being accepted overseas. His music has become "respectable" since "I Can't Stop Loving You" swept to the top of the top tunes listings.

Find that his popularity is just as great on foreign shores. The tune is Number one in Israel and Ireland; Number three in England, Number eight in Norway, Number five in Sweden, Number seven in Brazil, Number four in Australia and Number eight in Rio de Janeiro.

All this is particularly amusing to me since my appreciation of Charles' brand of music started five or six years ago when we heard him do "He Brings the Tears."

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IN CASE you haven't heard, the Newport Jazz Festival went off as scheduled this year and reports are that dignity was the watchword.

There have been many innovations at this particular festival, such as gospel singing and folksongs. This year was no exception.

They brought in men to demonstrate the dying art of tap dancing. A Dr. Marshall Stearns, professor of English at Hunter College, narrated history of the tap dance, and Bunny Briggs, Baby Lawrence et al, demonstrated the steps.

**AFRO Credo**

A newspaper succeeds because its management believes in itself, in God and in the present generation. It must always ask itself—

Whether it has kept the faith with the common people;

Whether it has no other goal except to see that their liberties are preserved and their future assured;

Whether it is fighting to get rid of slums, to provide jobs for everybody;

Whether it stays out of politics except to expose corruption and condemn injustices, race prejudice or compromise.

JOHN H. MURPHY SR., 1920

**POET'S CORNER**

**The Octoroon**

One drop of midnight in the dawn of life's pulsating stream
Marks her an alien from her kind, a shade amid its gleam;
Forevermore her step she bends insular, strange, apart —
And none can read the riddle of her wildly warring heart.
The stormy current of her blood beats like a mighty sea
Against the man-wrought iron bars of her captivity.
For refuge, succor, peace and rest, she seeks that humble fold
Whose every breath is kindliness, whose hearts are purest gold.

GEORGIA DOUGLAS JOHNSON



## If You Ask Me

By B. M. Phillips

### People moving about

The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. cus Wood, and members of his church, Providence Baptist, left Thursday morning by air for Haiti.

They will give instruction in homemaking and simple nursing care under an experimental project with missionary emphasis, for people living in St. Marks and Port-au-Prince.

Other members of the Providence team are: Mesdames Frances Sigale, Hattie Wood, Mattie W. Gwathney, Catherine Byrd, Eloise M. Jones and Ruth Wood.

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WORD FROM Camp Richmond, Korea, tells of the reassignment of Army Specialist 5 (P-1) Conrad Clark.

He is due for stateside duty before the end of the year.

He is serving his second tour of duty in Korea, on assignment with the information section of the Headquarters unit of the 2nd Engineer Group.

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IF YOU have not been to the YMCA Camp down in Huntingtown, Md. in the past few years, this is to report you wouldn't know the place.

From the time you see the clear highway signs saying YMCA Camp Mohawk until you see the nine canoes lined up on the well-kept waterfront, you realize the YM staff has made tremendous changes.

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Campers talk about the flush toilets, loss of the old trails, lights in the cabins and the good meals. But parents notice the road which two cars can travel, replacing the old single lane where once you had to close the windows to keep out the dust.

There are new homes for staff, windows and screens on the cabins and best of all roads leading to all parts of the camp.

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THE WATER FRONT is also something special. No longer do you have to sit on a hill to watch your youngsters perform. There is a clear beach.

Where once the trip from Baltimore took almost two hours, you now have a dual highway, almost all the way down to Huntington. A careful driver can make it in a little over an hour.

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And, since you are tired and hungry on the trip back on Route 301, it is worth mentioning the good service you can get in the Howard Johnson's Restaurant. Yes, the old Camp Druid Hill, now camp Mohawk, has really changed, and so has Maryland.

P.S. A good bit of credit is due personable Joe Lee of the Druid Y staff who got this camp off the ground.

And orchids, also to energetic Alonzo P. Moss, the present director.

And, don't forget Dr. Louis E. Harmon, who has headed the Y's campership program, and raised funds for the camp for many years.

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HOW IS THIS for summer vacationing?—Earl S. Britt, city teacher, is home after a 1,300-mile cruise on his Chris Craft Express Cruiser "PATTY III" (named for his daughter).

**He picked up the boat in Florida and cruised up the coast, stopping at ports in Florida, Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina, and Virginia.**

Mr. Britt received his captain's rating from the U. S. Coast Guard eight years ago. He is also a licensed airplane pilot, holding both land plane and sea plane ratings.

**He is a member of the Neptune Yacht Club and did his own piloting and navigating on the trip.**

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In from Hawaii: — Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Valentine (Courtney), and son, are home. He was on a year's study leave from the Baltimore school system.

**AFRO visitor this week was Lt. Col. Douglass Hall Sr., a chaplain assigned to the 5th Division with headquarters at Ft. Carson, Col.**

He was here to confer with Pentagon officials, and to get details on his promotion. He had been a major until this week.

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Many may remember Mr. Hall when he was an AFRO war correspondent.

This was his first visit east in four years, his family includes his wife, Evelyn, and four youngsters:—Douglass Jr., 15; Harriet, 11; Adrienne, 8; and Karen, 5.

While in this section of the country, Lt. Col. Hall visited his aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Merreday, who lives in the family home at Hempstead, L.I. (35 Elizabeth Ave.)

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**Another former AFRO staffer who came by to say hello this week was Ralph Matthews Jr. He has been living in N.Y., where he edited a now defunct weekly newspaper.**

**At present he is living here in Baltimore with his mother (Mrs. Mae Matthews), and working on a first novel, due out in the fall.**

He is calling it Blues for Pompeii.'

### Mrs. Coleman is 91

Special happy birthday hellos to a grand lady —Mrs. Isabelle Coleman, 1640 Bruce Ct. She will be 91 years old on Sunday, July 22.

Mrs. Coleman is the oldest living member of Pennsylvania Ave. AME Zion Church. Until recently, she was an active communicant, and participated in activities of the church's Busy Bee Club.

**Relatives will gather at Mrs. Coleman's Gilmore Homes apartment Sunday at 3 to wish her well. AFRO readers might like to send her cards.**

Mrs. Coleman is the widow of Clifton Coleman Sr. They had eleven children, three of whom are living. They are Mrs. Elsie Johnson and Clifton Coleman Jr., both of Baltimore; and Mrs. Elaza Garlington, who resides in the family home in Laurens, S.C.

There are 12 grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren; and 6 great, great-grandchildren.

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**Get cards** in the mail by July 23 for personable Mrs. Samuel Blackwell (Pauline), 1501 N. Bentalou St. She is AFRO circulation department secretary.

**By July 24 send greetings to Mrs. Jesse Hughes (Ella), the nurse, at 2824 Hillsdale Rd.**

July 28 cards for Dr. Saul Perdue, 2440 College Ave., the Carver High principal.

July 31 will be in time for Wilbur (Dinky) Dyson, 1932 Druid Hill Ave.

**Wedding anniversary** hellos by July 25 to Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Coles (Marjorie), 3018 Gwynns Falls Parkway.

And on July 28 to Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Monroe (Bernice), 2301 Montebello Terrace.

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**Congratulations due:** Dr. James E. Hodges, 707 Radnor Ave., was promoted recently to supervisor in the pharmacy department of the Hopkins Hospital outpatient division.

**The Hodges family has been having good news the past several weeks. In June, Mrs. Hodges (Pattie), was graduated from Coppin State Teachers' College.**

Dr. Hodges is the son of Mrs. Leanna Hodges Branford, the beautician.

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Rush sympathy cards to Mrs. Philathea Carter Hall, 1900 Ruxton Ave. Her sister, Mrs. Ralph Bolding (Pauline), of Monroe N.C., died unexpectedly on Thursday, She was just 42.

Mrs. Hall, her husband, John, and daughter, Philathea, left Friday for Monroe. Cards can reach them there at 918 S. Maurice St.

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| **ASSETS:** | |
| First Mortgage Loans | $ 771,038.16 |
| Loans on Savings Accounts | 82,688.80 |
| Improvement Loans | 3,902.17 |
| Ground Rents Owned | 44,566.66 |
| U.S. Government Securities | 124,702.02 |
| Cash on Hand & in Bank | 92,087.81 |
| Furniture & Equipment | 2,546.61 |
| Other Assets | 1,283.90 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | $1,122,816.13 |
| **LIABILITIES:** | |
| Savings Accounts | $ 958,106.68 |
| Loans in Process | 65,717.59 |
| Advance Payments by Borrowers | 35,997.04 |
| Other Liabilities | 3,669.06 |
| **RESERVES:** | |
| Directors' Hypothecated Savings Accounts | 43,570.34 |
| Retained Earnings | 15,755.42 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | $1,122,816.13 |

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(Including Directors' Hypothecated Accounts)

| Date | Number | Amount |
|---|---|---|
| 8/31/57 | 84 | $ 7,086.00 |
| 6/30/58 | 471 | 27,911.29 |
| 6/30/59 | 803 | 63,612.53 |
| 6/30/60 | 1244 | 237,642.99 |
| 6/30/61 | 1781 | 501,341.41 |
| 6/30/62 | 2320 | 1,001,677.02 |

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1613 W. North Ave. La. 3-9299 Baltimore 17, Md.

### People, places, things

New citizens who arrived recently at Provident Hospital: On July 11, girl to Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Eades (Rose), 302 Elizabeth Ave.; a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brown (Carol), 2415 Lauretta Ave.; and a girl, to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gantt (Gloria), 1736 Moreland Ave.

July 13th arrival, a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Alexander (Mary), 3120 Belmont Ave.

July 15, it was a girl for **Mr. and Mrs. Harold Greene (Katie), 1917 Penrose Ave; and a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Simon (Catherine), 1412 Madison Ave.**

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July 17 arrivals include a boy for Mr. and Mrs. Forest Montgomery (Loretta), 1623 McCulloh St., a boy for Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burton (Patricia), 4314 Kathland Ave.

**On July 17,** a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hill (Alicia), 931 W. Fayette St.; also a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Scott (Janie), 919 W. Mulberry St.; and a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Newborn Weaver (Cora), 1423 Edmondson Ave.

On July 18, a girl for Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fenwick (Martha), 3026 Seamon Ave.

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**Best wishes** to Mrs. Bessie R. Clark, 1829 Presstman St. She suffered a stroke early Monday, is confined to Provident Hospital.

Readers may remember Mrs. Clark as a worker in Sharon Baptist Church, and as the widow of the Rev. Moses P. Clark. He pastored Mt. Ararat Baptist Church. Remember?

Into Md. General Hospital (Room 222), on Tuesday for a checkup, Mrs. William Kirkwood (Dorothy) wife of the AFRO's maintenance supervisor.

**Holding her own at Harford Memorial Hospital in Havre de Grace is Mrs. Jenny Grinage. She was critically injured a Tuesday ago, when her car hit a pole near Perryville, Md.**

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Continue your cheerful cards to Mrs. Bertha Williams, widow of the Rev. Matthias Williams, 3413 Gwynns Falls Parkway. Many know her as the lay speaker at John Wesley Methodist Church.

**Pray, please,** for Mrs. Anne Anderson (mother of Mrs. Waltye Doles), She is critically ill in a Boston hospital.

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**Address get-well cards to Provident Hospital for:**

**Matthew Chamberlain, 3407 Elgin Ave., who has been hospitalized since June 3. He's the teacher.**

Six-year-old Michael Evans, 2301 Koko Lane, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Evans (he's the postal worker), has been in since July 16.

Sunshine to Mrs. Blanche Johnson, 3401 Mondawmin Ave.

She is a secretary at Provident Hospital, where she underwent surgery three weeks ago. She is recuperating at home.

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**Confined to Hopkins Hospital's Woman's Clinic (Room 243), where she had surgery on Monday, is Mrs. Howard L. Cornish (Althea). She is doing nicely. Mrs. Cornish is the wife of the Morgan Christian Center director.**

Also hospitalized at Hopkins (Marburg), is Mrs. C. R. Campbell (Mae), wife of the physician.

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**Doing nicely** at Lutheran Hospital is the teenage son of Mr. and Mrs. Alphonso Cottman (Nellie).

**Guy was critically injured in that Bentalou St. crash last month. Remember he was pinned under the car for a half hour? He hopes to be released soon.**

Out of the hospital, but still under the doctor's care, is Michael Edwards, another teenager who was seriously hurt in the same accident.

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Meat packers are testing a new bacon which cooks in 3 minutes instead of the usual 9 or 12.

**The University of Michigan has come up with cheese in powder form.**

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**Quite an improvement** to the McCulloh St. neighborhood is the fenced-in lot at the intersection of McCulloh and Lanvale Sts. It is across from the Booker T. Washington Junior High.

**The vacant lot was a real eyesore. Now youngsters can play ball in safety on this busy thoroughfare.**

And, speaking of improvements, the old Druid Health Center, now headquarters for Urban Renewal, doesn't look like the same place.

Just shows you what a little paint and clean-up can do.

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**Joke of week: An American got into the train in Munich. There was no one else in the compartment besides an older woman. The American sat down at the window, looked out, and chewed his gum. After a while the old woman, leaned over and said in a friendly tone, "It's nice of you to try to converse with me. But I'm stone deaf." —Revue**

Words of wisdom: I have heard of a minister who keeps on his desk a stone with the word "First" painted on it. It is the "first stone" that he refuses to throw.

Throwing stones becomes a habit.

**Somebody says something we do not like, or somebody makes us jealous, and before we think, we have that stone.**

We may regret having done so the minute we have spoken but we have reacted automatically according to our habit pattern.

—ROY BURKHART.

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**It is not always easy to** apologize, to begin again, to take advice, to be unselfish, to admit error, to face a sneer, to be charitable, to be considerate, to avoid mistakes, to keep on trying, to receive success modestly.

**It is often difficult to be broadminded, to forgive and forget, to profit by mistakes, to think before you act, to keep out of a rut, to make the best of little, to shoulder deserved blame, to maintain a high standard, to see the silver lining.**

But it pays.

—Sunshine Magazine.

## 'Exempt our people from all taxation'

"We want the U.S. Government to exempt our people from all taxation as long as we are deprived of equal justice under the law of the land," says Elijah Muhammad, leader of the Black Muslims.

**Muhammad spoke Sunday at the McCormack Building in Chicago before an audience of more than 4,000 persons.**

Isaiah Karriem, minister of Temple No. 6, 514 Wilson St., Baltimore, was among those hearing Muhammad's first major lecture this year. It was entitled, "What Does the Muslim Want?"

SEEKING TO ANSWER, Muhammad said, "We believe that inter-marriage and race mixing should be prohibited. We want the religion of Islam taught without hindrance of suppression.

"We want all black children taught and trained by our own teachers.

**"The U.S. Government should provide free all text books and equipment, schools and college buildings.**

"We want equal education but separate schools up to age 16 for boys and age 18 for girls, on the condition that the girls be sent to women's colleges and universities.

## —Dixon away

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here and there. This is not fair, sensible redistricting."

**Max Alpert: "I have not seen the plan. It was supposed to come up in special session. I just heard second hand. Offhand, it wouldn't meet with my approval.**

"The purpose of redistricting is to equalize the city, just changing boundary lines means the primary purpose is not being met.

"Redistricting means each district would have approximately the same population, but that will not be achieved by that plan."

FIFTH DISTRICT Councilman Leon Rubenstein is vacationing in Israel. He is not expected home until August 12, his home advised.

Views of other 5th District councilmen reached by the AFRO follow:

JACOB J. EDELMAN: "I have not seen any plan. How can I vote on something I haven't even seen."

He continued: **"If a plan looks reasonable, I will vote for it. If it looks unreasonable, I won't."**

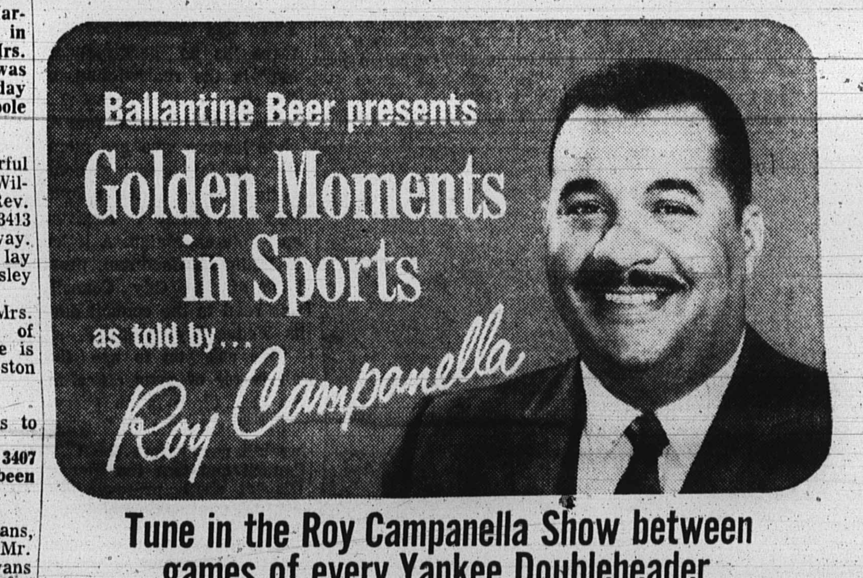
Soloman Liss: "I have not seen any plan. All I know is what's in the papers.

**"I am amazed the Mayor expects to pass a plan without giving it in time to the people who have the responsibility of voting on it.**

"Evidently the Mayor isn't taking the trouble to inform the Councilmen.

"If he wants it passed, he should let us see it in time to study it."

The AFRO was unable to reach William D. Schaefer, the other 5th District councilman.

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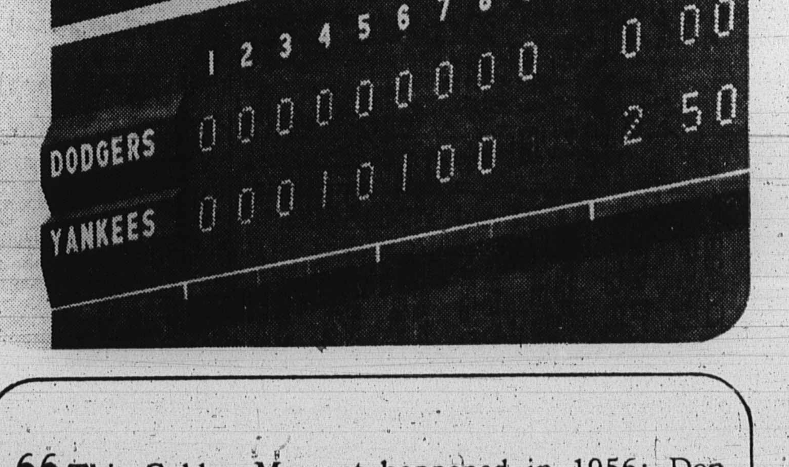


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