Opportunities abound in health services

By Dr. Sidney Kobre

Baltimore is one of the great medical centers of the nation. In the metropolitan area there are more hospitals, clinics and physicians and dentists than in most cities of the nation.

A constant demand exists there for health service workers. Indeed, an acute shortage of qualified personnel in every conceivable phase of medicine, dentistry and other related health-care areas exists.

Our survey of the job market indicates that positions are left unfilled in private and public health institutions and in private offices. The demand will continue and actually increase in the decades ahead, for America is becoming more health-conscious. More care is being provided, too, as result of the various insurance programs, such as Blue Cross and Blue Shield and others.

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The federal government will embark soon on a nation-wide health insurance program comparable to the present Social Security system. All this activity means more employes on professional and semi-professional levels will be needed badly.

The jobs in allied health service provide a deep sense of personal satisfaction that comes when you help someone who is ill and often — heaven help us — in pain. To those who enter the health occupations, the financial rewards are very satisfactory.

"Both men and woman — recent high school graduates and mature adults — have a wide range of health-care occupation from which to choose," said Dr. Lois C Carleton, director of the Health Services Programs at the Community College of Baltimore, one of those we interviewed.

"You may select nursing, or one of the therapies — occupational, respiratory of physical. These therapies are not usually thought of by those interested in medicine, but they are important to today's health-care service. The therapist plays a significant part on the health team.

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"Closely related are the medical laboratory positions and the medical record technology jobs. Other persons may be attracted to the dietetic technician program, managing food services and supervising diets for those in hospitals and other institutions."

DENTAL STUDENT—Getting some practical experience as part of her training in the dental hygiene program at the Community College of Baltimore, Stephanie Stones works on a patient in the Dental Health Prevention Clinic at the Liberty Campus.

Dentists in the Baltimore area are on the look-out for dental assistants and dental hygienists, according to Dr. Harry Dressel, Jr., in charge of the dental program at CCB. There is a strong demand also for dental laboratory technicians who can repair and make dental appliances.

As indicated in previous articles, training is needed for these critical health professions. Knowledges and skills must be acquired. Practical experience has to be obtained in hospitals and clinics and dental offices.

To obtain the necessary preparation, many young people and many adults—housewives and mothers and men, too, — are enrolling in the health science programs at the Community College of Baltimore. The college offers more than a dozen course to suit your interest in health career occupations. The courses are given during the day and evening hours on the Liberty Campus. As a part of their study curriculums, students obtain on-the-spot experience at local hospitals and clinics.

For additional information and special health career brochures, contact Dr. Lois Carleton, Community College of Baltimore, 2901 Liberty Hgts. (21215), 462-5500 Ext. 290. For dental program information call Dr. Dreese, Ext. 290.

GBMC parent education program opens

A comprehensive parent education program has been initiated at the Greater Baltimore Medical Center. Dr. John McGovern, chief of obstetrics, has announced.

The initial phase of this program has made classes in prepared childbirth available to the community. This course is designed for expectant parents who desire training in breathing and relaxation techniques, or desire a realistic description of their new role as parents.

College, career day slated for March 26

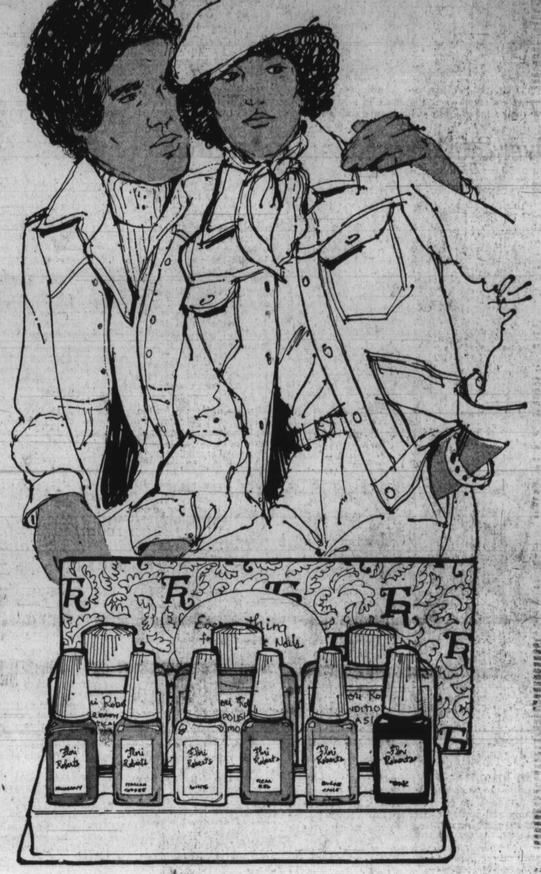
Direct Search for Talent, and Educational Talent Search Program, sponsored by the Urban Services Agency and the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, will sponsor its second College/Career Day on Wednesday, March 26, from 9 a.m.-5 p.m., at the Civic Center.

The program will feature college admissions and financial aid personnel from local and out-of-state colleges who will answer student's questions relating to specific college/universities and their future goals. There will also be representatives from business/industry, career professional schools, and federal/local government agencies.

Direct Search for Talent, one of 115 Talent Search Programs located throughout the United States, is the only Talent Search Program in Maryland. Its primary goal is that of recruiting, counseling, motivating, and placing high school students into post-secondary institutions, two or four-year colleges or career and/or vocational types of training

This College/Career Day is opened to junior and senior high school students attending city schools, as well as veterans, housewives, high school graduates, parents and other interested persons.

For additional information, please contact: Mrs. Jacqueline Massey, chairperson, Monday thru Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. at 243-3009.



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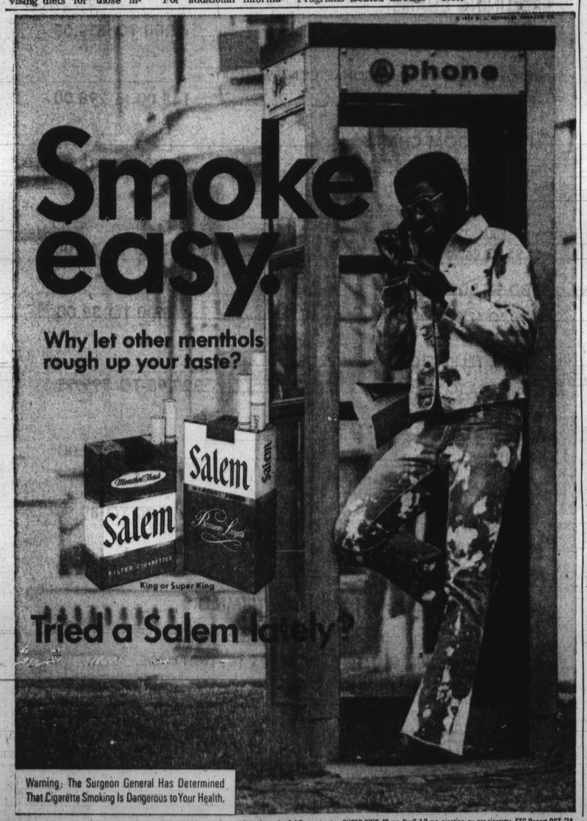

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New Antioch Baptist celebrates 23rd anniversary

REV. AND MRS. W.S. CHAMBERS came to New Antioch in February, 1962.

The Rev. W S . Chambers, pastor of the New Antioch Baptist Church, and his wife, Mrs. Geraldine Chambers, along with members, friends and distinguished guests celebrated their 23rd anniversary at La Fontaine Bleu last week.

The church at 1400 N. Eden St. was founded on Feb. 22, 1952 by the Rev. J. Z. Williams.

The late Rev. Nathan Fulton served as the second pastor.

Co-founders still with New Antioch are Ms. Essie Conley, Ms. Inez Earl, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mills.

In February, 1962, Rev. W. S. Chambers became the third pastor of New Antioch, which was completely renovated after a fire destroyed the entire building.

In 1970 the church was able to burn the mortage and replace old furniture with new.

New Antioch has purchased an Educational Center for the entire community's use as well as a new deluxe Maxi-Bus.

The church is active in all types of community activities and is a member of the United Baptist Missionary Convention of Maryland.

Founded February 22, 1952, New Antioch is an Eastside insitituton serving the entire community.

Nearly the entire membership of New Antioch of 400 members was present at the affair.

Special guests included Dr. William Jones of Brooklyn, N.Y., Dr. A. C. D. Vaughn, president of the Baptist Ministers Conference, Roscoe Herring, representing Mayor Schaefer; Attorney and Mrs. Shelton Braitterman; Second District Councilmen Clarence Burns and Nathan C. Irby Jr., Dr. Montaque Brackette, Dr. James Elmore, pastor of Sharon Baptist Church and former President of the United Baptist Missionary Convention.

Recipients of service awards were Rev. W. S. Chambers, Deaconess and Treasurer Ruth Tanner, Deacon Julius Tanner, Trustee Charles Mooring, Organist Sonia Staples, Financial Secretary Barbara Gill and Deacon Joseph Kearney.

Entertainment was provided by the Sonority Singers, Brother and Ms. Mary Kearney and members who presented a skit produced by Ms. Rosa Lee Thomas entitled "Once Upon A Chicken Coupe"

As the pastor put it. "Yes! The road has been rugged these 23 years, but the Lord has smiled upon the membership by moving the church forward.

"There have been many ups and downs, but there have been more ups than downs. We have been often hindered, but never stopped. Overcome, but not conquered."

As New Antioch's motto states, it is "The Church With The Victory".

ANTIOCH PHOTOS BY J. D. HOWARD

MRS. POOLE and the Rev. Clarence Poole, pastor of Ebenezer Baptist Church.

REV. MONTEQUE BRACKETT Pastor of Central Baptist

MRS. HAMRICK and the Rev. L. Hamrick, assistant pastor of Antioch Baptist.

REV. A. C. D. VAUGHN Pastor of Grace Baptist and president of the Ministers' Conference.

HOSTS AND HOSTESSES — The young people of New Antioch Baptist Church: 1st row: Bruce Hopkins, Carl Allen, Derrell McCaskill, Michael Kearney; Seated: Phyllis Hopkins and Deborah Bowman; 2nd row: Keith Kelly, Seanne Kelly, Carole Kearney, Linda Allen, Beverly Allen; 3rd row: Rosylin Hopkins, Winnette Thomas, Ruth Hopkins, Rochelle Chambers, Quardrine Spence, Angela Spence, Olivia Spence, Beverly Hawkins.

Rock of Ages Pentecostal reaches another milestone

Another wonderous chapter began in the long history of Rock of Ages Pentecostal Church when the members gathered at the 3600 Rogers Ave. lot near Liberty Heights to perform groundbreaking ceremonies for the new church.

The old church is at 1117 W Saratoga St. Bishop Lawrence Thomas, founder and pastor led the rites.

LADY PASTOR ORDAINED — The Rev. Mrs. Mizellella Locklair Johnson has been ordained Gospel Minister of the Maryland General Baptist Association following changes in the constitution. The Rev. Dr. James S. Wise is shown presenting the citation. The Rev. G. Hoggs, moderator, and other clergymen took part in the ceremonies.

THE BEGINNING — Participants in the ground-breaking ceremony are from left, the Rev. Reginald Thomas, the Rev. Mrs. Rena George, Elder Richard Phillips, Charles Plummer, Eugene Bibbins, George W. Knight, Bishop Lawrence Thomas, the Rev. Mrs. Cecelia Thomas, assistant pastor; Mrs. Hortense Plummer, Fulton Hines, Mrs. Bertdella Hines and Elder Headley.

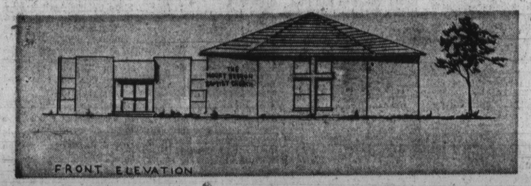
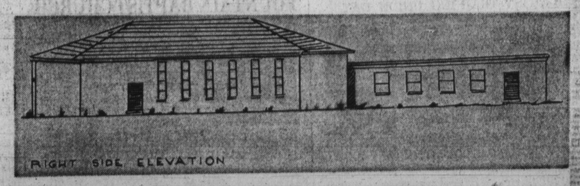
Mt. Hebron Baptist breaks ground Saturday 3 p.m.

The members of Mount Hebron Bapitst Church, 1617-19 W. Saratoga St., will hold ground-breaking ceremonies Saturday, 3 p.m. at the new church to be built in the 2600 block W. North Ave. The Rev. Paris S. Thompson, pastor, will preside. Mount Hebron was founded in Spetember, 1927 by the late Rev. Marshal Flowers. The church was then located at 12 N. Poppleton St. In April 1933, the church moved to 844 Pierce St

As progress continued, in 1936 another building was purchased at 907 W. Saratoga St. The church moved to a larger building in 1939 where they are now located.

The Rev. James H. Matthews succeeded as pastor in November, 1941, at the death of the Rev. Mr. Flowers.

Following the, Rev. Mr. Matthews' death in 1967, the Rev. Mr. Thompson was elected acting pastor.

After six months acting pastor, he was elected pastor. The new church will have a nursery to be used as a Day Care center.

Church officers are Fred Hasley, Deacon Board chairman; Atrice Hooks, chairman, trustee board; Ms Mary G. Marsh, clerk; Mrs. Louella W. Garner, secretary.