Company's coming

The AFRO Clean Block program is looking for children, young adults, senior citizens to volunteer as captains, co-captains and advisors in a drive to make Baltimore a clean and beautiful city.

The Clean Block program was started 42 years ago by Miss Francis Murphy, a retired school teacher who was dissatisfied with her Madison Avenue neighborhood and enlisted idle school children to help.

Last year 200 blocks registered and worked with thousands of volunteers to help improve their neighborhoods. More than 35 blocks won coveted AFRO Honor Flags and shared in $5,000 worth of cash prizes, paint, flowers and other awards.

On Thursday, May 6 at 2 p.m. at the AFRO office, 628 N. Eutaw St. consultants who will work with AFRO Clean Block this summer will meet and plan summer activities. Present will be representatives from HCD, Recreation, Housing, Fire, Police and Health Departments as well as the mayor's office and Urban Services.

Already accepting the AFRO's invitation are Mrs. Marguerite Campbell, Mrs. Virginia Baker, and Jim Smith from the mayor's office; Claude Patterson, Health Aide supervisor and his team of Ann Porter, Herb Van Dervall, Lillie Dabney.

Also Ed Moore and Leonard Folio of Sanitation; Dr. James Carr, Health Department; Benjamin Brown, Van Story Branch, Mrs. Juanita Harris, HCD; Clements Nixon and Mrs. Elizabeth Merryman from Recreation.

Also Linwood Ivey, director; Mrs. Elva Edwards, deputy and Wendell Wright, Chief Neighborhood Operations; Kenneth J. Strong, YPD; George Parrish, Consumer Services;

Also Sgt. Wendell Reid; Major Clarence Roy and Col. James Watkins, Police Department.

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Mayor's Clean-up

May 8th marks the mayor's blitz clean-up drive in the Belle Avenue, Govans, Jefferson Street, Edmondson Avenue Areas.

Ed Moore of Sanitation says that on May 8 and May 9 the city landfills at Cold Spring Lane and Monument Street will be open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Residents in the special areas are urged to put bulky items as well as trash in bags or boxes at the end of their yard or a designed place in their alley.

Masekela

The boy was doin' it!

By Robert M. Matthews.

Yeah, the boy was doing it. Hugh Masekela with his sweet brass/horn and group of African musicians struck a spark in Baltimore last Monday.

The Palace nightclub and local promoters featured Masekela in its "Monday Nite Jam" with a good crowd on hand lending an appreciative ear.

Masekela brought Third World rhythms, under the heavy influence of Ghana percussionist Asantl, to a mellow Baltimore crowd who all had the attitude "show me".

Well he showed 'em, and it made me wonder why we don't have much Masekela played on local stations other than WBJC-FM.

There have been progressive hanges in Hugh's music since his first hit single in America, "Grazing in the Grass".

His interpretation of things electronic has added a uniqueness to the tradtional Third World beat, rather than caused any deterioration.

Maskela, sporting his favorite skull cap, ambled on stage and modestly cut loose on cuts from his "Colonial Man" album, "I Am Not Afraid," "Grazin in the Grass" and "The Boy Is Doing It".

He sang the Isley's "For The Love ofYou", splashing us with enough reverb, to create the impression of 200 Masekelas, wailing away.

Hugh displayed a keen sense of humor and was humble, striking an easy rapport with the audience.

The well dressed crowd received him well, though with a little reserve, untypical of "Jump City" residents.

I do think that some of the brothers could have shown a little resnect walking out in the middle of the set as they did.

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Al Henson and his group are presenting the "Beast from the East." Mandrill, Monday, May 3, as a part of the Monday Nite Jam at the Palace. There will be two shows at 8 and 11 P.M.

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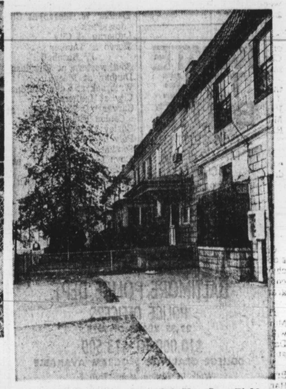
Two of this area's best groups the Young Senators and the Softones, are in concert this week at Mr. K's Golden Nugget. This is a GEM production and I think we should give our local promoters all of the supoort we can to keep Baltimore "Jump City."

This vacant lot behind the 2200 blk. Madison Ave. is annoying to residents. Many calls have been made but nothing has been done.

AFRO staff photo by Benny Phillips

Westport Homes join Clean Block

2400 blk. S. Paca St. has Mrs. Hattie Troy, Captain; Mrs. Gladys LeGrand, Co-captain; 2500 blk. S. Paca St., Mrs. Henrietta Scott, Captain; Co-captain; 2600 blk. S. Paca, Mrs. Dorothy Travers, Captain; Mrs. Connie Burnes, Co-captain. Advisors, Thomas Smith and Louis Freeman.



The 2600 blk. Hollins Ferry Rd. Mrs. Joan Fields, Captain.

Lexington Terrace Elementary visits

The Lexington Terrace Elementary School, located at 732 W. Lexington St. visited the AFRO recently as part of the Newspaper in the Classroom Program and for a class tour as part of their study of the Community.

(Photos by Norma Spence)

Front Row: Beverly Arrington, Marlo Williams, Marvin Harris, Ryan Wilkinson, Sheryl Wideman, Rodney Reid, Elizabeth Hamilton and Monnik McCloud.

Second Row: Marcia Mackall, Wayne Shorter, Sharonne Hodges, Zina Crytal, Willie Massey, Steven Howards, Gerald McFadden, Tyrone Best, Ingrana Brown, and Samuel Quomony.

Last Row: Demetrius Spence, Lisa Spence, Ferzette Goodman, Mrs. Mary Kemp, parent; Ms Betty Garrison, teacher's aide; and Mrs. Carolyn Spence, parent.

Second photo, kneeling, Valencia Lewis, Jeanette Roland, Sheronda Horne, Kevin Hall and Olivin Bolden.

Second Row: Charlene Mackall, Sharon Hextall, Denette Parrine, Robin Smith, Alvin Marsh, Kevin Lowery, and Timothy Allen.

Third Row: Tracy Williams, Lynnoria Briggs, Harriett Ellerby, Mr. Ronald McCargo, teacher's aide; Mrs. Jo Ellen Spencer, parent; Mrs. Vera B. Fry, teacher; and Mrs. Ida Peters, public relations director.

Rules and regulations

PURPOSE

The purpose of this campaign is to get all residents in your block to keep a clean home this summer and beautify the block.

A clean block is one in which steps and sidewalks are washed once a day and the street kept free from trash.

Wood work is kept free from fingerprints and vestibules are scrubbed.

Windows are kept clean and curtains hung evenly.

Garbage and trash cans are removed as soon as emptied.

Window boxes have flowers in them as well as on the porch.

No one sits at the front window or on the front steps, unless his clothing is neat and clean.

Loud talking or any other disturbance which annoys others is not permitted.

A beautiful block must have flowers in it, and must be clean, both back and front.

WINDOW SIGNS

One hundred per cent cooperation of the block residents will be attested by the window signs as well as by the improved appearance of the block itself.

EXPLANATION

A block is a row of houses between two cross streets. For the purpose of this campaign, a block includes the houses on both sides of the street.

There must be three or more houses before there is a block.

JUDGES

Judges appointed by the director, will choose the best block on these counts. (1) Appearance of block at time of inspection. (2) Improvement of block over what it was when contest began. (3) The beauty of the flowers.

Judges may make as many inspections as they see fit in case of delay, dispute or contest, the director's decision will be final in all cases.

PRIZES

Special certificates of merit will be given to all persons recommended by the captain.

There will be a cash prize and other gifts.

In many blocks a party is given for all those who worked.

BLOCK ORGANIZATION

1. The captain must try to get all persons in the block to sign up and send their names to the AFRO-AMERICAN.

2. He or she must call a meeting of all adults and children and elect a president who will act as advisor.

3. Have a secretary, who will write down what is done at each meeting and send reports to the AFRO-AMERICAN.

4. Elect a block inspector, who will see that no trash accumulates anywhere in the block.

5. Elect a marshal, who will call out the clean-up brigade at a definite time each day, so that by all working together at the same time, the block will soon improve in appearance.

6. Do not whitewash trees and curbs: only the back yards and fences may be whitewashed.

VICTORY REPORT MUST BE MADE

All captains in the AFRO's Clean Block Campaign are urged to fill in The Victory Report and return it to the AFRO-AMERICAN Newspapers, FRIDAY MORNING MEETINGS

1. The captain must attend the Friday morning meetings. He or she must sign the attendance sheet upon entry.

2. It is suggested that at least three from the block attend weekly meetings.

42nd ANNUAL AFRO CLEAN BLOCK CAMPAIGN APPLICATION BLANK

I WOULD LIKE TO BE CAPTAIN OF MY BLOCK AND PLEDGE TO HELP KEEP OUR BLOCK CLEAN AND BEAUTIFUL.

Name ..... Age .....

Address ..... Phone .....

Zip Code .....

TALENTS AND HOBBIES

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Mail To The
AFRO-AMERICAN NEWSPAPERS
624 N. EUTAW STREET
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND 21201

AFRO CLEAN BLOCK Planning Meeting

May 6, 1976 - 2 p.m.
AFRO Office - 3rd Floor
628 N. Eutaw Street

Consultants from Police, Fire, Sanitation, Housing, Recreation and Health Department, as well as representatives from city agencies who will serve as group leaders and consultants in the 1976 campaign are cordially invited.

CALL 728 8200

IDA PETERS, Director — ARNETTA LOTTIER, Deputy Director

May 8th
Mayor's Clean-Up Drive

☆ Belle Ave
☆ Govans
☆ Jefferson St.
☆ Edmondson Ave.

Start now to clean out your basements and yards. Put all bulk trash in convenient piles in one central place.

AFRO Clean Block Needs You!

Thousands of youngsters willingly volunteer to clean-up their block in the AFRO-AMERICAN's annual Clean Block Campaign.

This much needed drive helps rid our surroundings of unsightly litter and filth... Each year it is necessary to establish a Clean Block Prize fund to buy paint, flowers and window boxes for needy blocks and reward the youngsters at the close of the campaign.

Can we count on you to play an important part again this year? All contributions will be acknowledged in the AFRO on the Clean Block page. Make all checks payable to AFRO Charities; it's tax deductible.

Sincerely yours,
Mrs. Ida Peters.
Clean Block Director

Yes! We Will Help!

Name .....

Address .....

Telephone .....

Make checks payable to AFRO Charities
Mail AFRO Clean Block
628 N. Eutaw Street
Baltimore, Md. 21201

All groups making contributions of $100 or more will have a picture made at a Clean Block Meeting.

Call 728-8200

REGIONAL CONFERENCE of the Knights of Pythias held their third northeastern meeting at the Lord Baltimore Hotel last week. Officers are (L to R) Grand Chancellor Dewey McGowen of New York; Grand Worthy Chancellor Mrs. Gladys Pennington of Connecticut; Grand Chancellor Charles W. Brown, Pennsylvania; Grand Worthy Councellor Jessie Wells, Grand Chancellor John Murray of Baltimore and Angelo Taylor, grand inner guar of Waterbury, Conn.

Knights of Pythias presents Samuel Ray choir in recital

The third Northeastern regional conference of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias Grand Court Order of Calanthe was held last week at the Lord Baltimore Hotel.

The group presented the Samuel Ray Revival Choir of Morning Star Baptist Church in an evening of music last Friday.

Committee members for the conference were Mrs. Jessie C. Wells, Mrs. Phyllis Minor, John C. Murray and E. Clarence Rice.

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Nearly 200 people attended the affair, with Ms. Audrey Epps Phillips as director of the choir. The Samuel Ray Revival Choir was organized in January, 1975 for the annual winter revival services at the church.

Having the desire to remain together, the choir was named in tribute to their pastor, the Rev. Samuel Ray.

The choir presents all phases of religious music and is comprised of over 100 voices from 8 to 75-year- olds.

You missed a real treat last Friday at the Lord Baltimore Hotel if you did not hear the choir sing. However, they sing every second and fourth Sunday of the month at Morning Star Baptist Church, 1063 W. Favette St.

The Samuel Ray Revival Choir has appeared in several recitals and concerts in various churches in the city. They are now in the process of recording a record and are constantly accepting engagements to sing.

Not only do they sing in Baltimore, they have traveled to Richmond, Va., Pennsylvania and Michigan for concerts.

Assistant directors of the choir are Herbert Muldrow and Norman Kenney. Horace Peter Ray and Edmond D. Meade Jr., serve as accompanists.

Famed group at Govans church Sunday

By Harriet Vernon

Sunday, May 2 at 2 p.m., a group of young people known as Thursday's Minstrels, will present a concert of patriotic and sacred music at the Govans United Methodist Church, 5210 York Road. The public is invited.

The young singers are students at the Dulaney Valley High School in Towson where Bill Myers is their music teacher and director of the choral ensemble.

Mr. Myers is also the tenor soloist at the Govans United Methodist Church. It is through his good will and efforts that the program is being presented to the congregation and member of the community on Sunday afternoon.

This is part of the Govans Church's Bicentennial celebration and will include such number as "I Love America," "Battle Hymn of the Republic," "Fit Thine Eyes," "How Shall My Inward Joys Arise," "Your Welcome Smile," "O Be Joyful in the Lord," and "Make a Joyful Noise."

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Thursday's Minstrels have already won international Fame and have won many awards and medals. They won recognition in the Bahama Islands while olacing first in an international Choral Festival. When Channel 67 hosted Maryland Sings, the Minstrels were the host choir. They have 11 television appearances to their credit.

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Mr. Myers is now actively pursuing his doctorate in choral conduction. He has conducted workshops in other states and has also had an impressive career in choral and festival arts.

He has been a soloist with the Chancel Choir of the Govans United Methodist Church for the past two years. He has been on the faculty of the Dulaney Valley High School since 1968.

While there he has directed three variety shows, a one act opera, The Telephone, Amahl and the Night Visitors, Scrooge, A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum, Music Man and Bye Bye Birdie. He has studied choral techniques with Roger Wagner, Peter J. Wilhousky, Fred Waring and Vito Mason.

In Our Churches

Churches are invited to send news of special church activities and a copy of their church programs.

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The Interdenominational Ministers' Wives Alliance will celebrate its Founder Day today (Friday)7 p.m. at La Fontaine Bleu.

Mrs. Edith Holland Bryant, wife of Bishop Harris J. Bryant of the fifth Episcopal district is the speaker.

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The Church Life Study Group of Sharon Baptist Church, will present Slab Towne Convention today (Friday 8 p.m. David Mewborn, president; Mrs. Gladys Burt, co-chairman; Mrs. Doris Williams, co-chairman, Rev. Sidney Daniels, pastor of Emmanuel Christian Community Church and the Business and Professional Council of the church are the sponsors.

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The women of Knox United Presbyterian Church will have a song feast and pew rally on Sunday, 5 p.m. at the church, 1214 N. Broadway. Rev. Lonnie J. Oliver is pastor.

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The youth of Mount Ararat Baptist Church, Gwynns Falls Pkwy and Longwood St., will celebrate Youth Day on Sunday.

Their theme is, "Let's Do It Again For Jesus." Rev. Mrs. Reuben Carter of Washington, D.C. is the 10:45 a.m. speaker.

Mrs. Lucille Clifton and Ms. June Thorne Garrett will be participating in the 4 p.m. program. Terri Gilmore is chairman; Brandon Cooper, co-chairman; Rev. Samuel B. Redd is pastor.

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Women's Day will be observed Sunday at New Union Baptist Church, Monroe and Franklin St. Rev. Sister Sara Johnson of Gillis Memorial Church is the 11 a.m. speaker.

Theme for Women's Day is "Christian Women Moving Forward for Jesus Christ." A panel discussion is scheduled for 3 p.m. Mrs. Mary Harrington is chairman, Rev. George E. Henry is pastor.

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Family and Friends Day will be observed 3 p.m. Sunday at Mt. Olivet Christian Church, 230 N. Fulton Ave. Mrs. Janie Saulsbury is chairman.

A sermon in song featuring Miss Mertha Myers will be held May 16, 3:30 p.m. at the church. Mrs. Aurelia Mills, chairman.

The Flower Circle of Macedonia Baptist Church will celebrate their 56th anniversary May 2, 3 p.m. and will present the Northwestern Senior High School Gospel Choir and the Cummings Trio in a concert. Mrs. Dolores A. Clayborne is chairman, Rev. Willard L. Clayton, pastor.

Rev. Arthur J. Ben of Turner Station will speak Saturday at the third annual homecoming service at Simmons Memorial Baptist Church at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. Rev. Arthur J. Ben is pastor of the church.

The Young Adult Choir of Hibes Tabernacle Baptist Church, 2100 Baltimore St., will celebrate its eighth anniversary on Sunday, 5 p.m. Special guests will be the Calvary Crusaders of Rockville, Md. and Miss Katie Jackson. James Cain is president, Rev. Arthur Jones is pastor.

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The Literary and Social Guild of Leadenhall Baptist Church, 1021-23 Leadenhall St., will present a centennial recital featuring Mrs. Dorothy Ricks and Luther Redd on Sunday, 5 p.m. Mrs. Estella Danar is president, Rev. Dr. Eddie R. Wilson is pastor.

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Today's guest speakers for appreciation services for Rev. Dr. Arthur J. Payne, retiring pastor of Enon Baptist Church will be Rev. Walter Paige, Faith Baptist Church; Dr. Howard Dennis, former director of Morgan Christian Center; Mrs. Juanita Mitchell and Dr. W. O. Bryson, Bishop Clinton Coleman and Mrs. Gladys Taylor are coordinators.

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The men of Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church will observe their annual Men's Day on Sunday. Anthony W. Hudson, director of the Office of Federal Equal Employment Opportunity is the speaker for the 9 a.m. breakfast.

George Taliaferro, assistant to the president of Indiana University is the 11 a.m. speaker. Albert M. Mushrod is president of the Men's Club and Rev. Reginald J. Daniels is pastor.

Preston G. Harris, 62, was little league coach

A Requiem Mass was said Thursday at the St. Mary's the Virgin Espiscopal Church for Preston G. Harris of 2424 Westwood Ave. He is buried in Arbutus Memorial Park.

Mr. Harris died last Saturday at the Midtown Nursing Home after a long bout with lung cancer. He was 62.

Born in Baltimore on Aug. 8, 1913, the son of the late Walter and Mrs. Julia Copely Harris, Mr. Harris attended the city schools and was a graduate of Douglass High School. He attened Morgan State where he earned a degree in Physical Education.

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A lifetime member of St. Mary's, Mr. Harris was active in the church, the Sunday school Summer Camp Program and was a member of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

Mr. Harris, who was a postal employee for 32 years, was also a member of the National Alliance of Postal Employees. He retired from the postal service in June, 1974.

Active in sports, Mr. Harris coached several little league teams which included the James Mosher Little League and the Forest Park Little League and Pony League. He also coached several young adult football teams, among them the Tim Bright Royal Rams and the Mustangs.

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According to relatives, besides sports, Mr. Harris loved woodwork and crafting. He was also an excellent rifleman and belonged to the Whitmore Rifle Club.

While attending school, Mr. Harris received many awards in the area of track and field, basketball and football.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. D[illegible] Harris; his two daughters, Miss Yvette P. Harris, Mrs. Theresa H. H[illegible]; one brother, [illegible] Harris; two sisters, [illegible] Ruth Watson; two [illegible] one aunt and [illegible] nieces and nephews.

ELDER GREEN

THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD

BALTIMORE ST. and FRANKLINTOWN RD.

SUNDAY, MAY 2, 1976

9:30 A.M.—Sunday School

10:30 A.M.—Radio broadcast WSID-1010 on your dial.

11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship - Sermon by the pastor

3:30 P.M.

Elder C. Green, Choirs and Congregation of Christian Community Church of God will worship with The New Shloh Baptist Church, 105 East St., Turner Station — Dr. James Everette, Pastor.

8:00 P.M.—Statham Singers in Recital

Elder C. Green can be heard each Sunday morning from 10:30 to 11:00 A.M. over station WSID.

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1701 N. CHESTER STREET

CHURCHWIDE REVIVAL

BEGINNING MONDAY, MAY, 3rd THRU FRIDAY, MAY 7th

Services begin nightly at 7:30 P.M.

The Evangelist for the week is Rev. Benjamin W. Robinson, Pastor of The Cedar St. Baptist Church, Richmond, Va. Music by the Choirs and Choruses of Southern.

REV. N. HIGGS

ALL ARE WELCOME

REV. NATHANIEL HIGGS, Pastor
MRS. BETTY A. CRADDOCK, Church Clerk

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MONUMENT STREET NEAR GAY

INVITES YOU TO ATTEND AN APPRECIATION SERVICE FOR

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SUNDAY, MAY 2, 1976 AT 5 P.M.

Refreshments will be served
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Marania Patterson, Co-chairperson
Carrie Scott program chairperson
Elizabeth Colbert publicity director

REV. CHARLES M. FRANKLIN, Pastor

GARRISON BLVD. UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

(Formerly Orchard Street Church)
GARRISON BLVD. and ALTO RD.

SUNDAY, MAY 2, 1976

9:30 A.M.—Sunday School and Fellowship Bible Class. Mrs. Beverly Leslie, Supt.

11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship "Holy Communion" Message: A Cantata rendered by the Sanctuary and Chancel Choirs. Mr. Alexander Gaskins, Organist - Director

Dinner Served In The Dining Room. Mesdames Dora Lee Holland and Lillian Moulden in Charge.

4:00 P.M.—A Salute To Mrs. Sidna J. Gaskins Choir and First Baptist Church Choir our Special Guests. Special Guests Message: Rev. Joseph N. Cashen

Mrs. Regina B. Cousins . . Mistress of Ceremonies
Roscoe C. Williams, Pastor — Kelly L. Jackson, Asst. Pastor

Douglas Memorial Community Church

"The People of the Way"
LAFAYETTE and MADISON AVES.
MARION CURTIS BASCOM, D.D. Minister
JAMES S. HAMMOND Minister of Music
JUANITA HALL DAVIS, Organist

SUNDAY, MAY 2, 1976

COMMUNION SUNDAY
Dr. Marion C. Bascom Preaching

MUSIC

8:30 A.M.
Praise My Soul. The King Of Heaven — Andrews

11:00 A.M.
My Lord. What A Morning — Arr. Burleigh

5:00 P.M.
Festival Of Music (All choirs participating)

St. James' Episcopal Church

LAFAYETTE SQUARE
The Rev. Donald O. Wilson, Rector
The Rev. Joseph L. B. Forrester III, Assistant
A. Maurice Murphy, Choir Master - Organist

SUNDAY, MAY 2, 1976

8:00 A.M.—Holy Communion
9:00 A.M.—Holy Eucharist Church School — Nursery Through 3rd Grade
10:30 A.M.—Choral Eucharist and Sermon Church School — 4th Grade 12th Grade

THE PUBLIC IS CORDIALLY INVITED

PENNSYLVANIA AVE. AME ZION CHURCH

"The Church of the Burning Heart"
1116-26 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE
SUNDAY, MAY 2, 1976

Holy Communion Sunday
9:30 A.M.—1:00 P.M.—Youth Worship at Zion's Center, 1223 Argyle Ave. School No. 125 Furman Templeton
11:00 A.M.—Meditation and communion By Rev. Marshall H. Strickland Music by Sanctuary Choir and Gospel Choruses
2:00 P.M.—Anniversary Bake of The Flower Circle Zion Center
3:30 P.M.—Anniversary Steward Board Guest minister Rev. A. W. Walls, Lomax AME Zion Church, Arlington, Va., Choir and Congregation.

A FRIENDLY WELCOME TO ALL
REV. MARSHALL H. STRICKLAND, Minister

Perkins Square Baptist Church

2500 EDMONDSON AVE. CORNER OF WARWICK
SUNDAY, MAY 2, 1976
YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHOIR DAY

8:00 A.M.—Early Morning Worship, Sermon by the Pastor
9:15 A.M.—Church School
10:30 A.M.—Open Heart Service
11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship baptizing Sermon by the Pastor
3:00 P.M.—Church School program and shoe rally
6:00 P.M.—B. T. U.

WE WELCOME YOU
REV. RICHARD H. OGLE IV, Pastor

MORGAN CHRISTIAN CENTER

Sunday Worship Services at 11:00 A.M.

MAY 2
Holy Communion
Message - The Rev. Howard L. Cornish Director, Morgan Christian Center
Subject - "Keep The Lights Burning"

MAY 9
Mother's Day
Message - Mrs. Amy T. Billingsley
Subject - "Dimensions of Motherhood: Past, Present and Future"

MAY 16
Message - The Right Rev. Edward G. Carroll Bishop of the United Methodist Church Boston Area

MAY 23
Message - Rev Cornish
Subject - "What Every Man Needs"

"So powerful is the light of unity that it can illumine the whole earth."
Baha'u'llah

BAHA'I CENTER
SUNDAY, MAY 2
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Speaker:
FRANK AKONOM
5301 Gwynn Oak Ave.
Balto., Md. 21207

A BICENTENNIAL MOTHER'S DAY TRIBUTE FROM THE GRACE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

"The Church That Cares"
EDEN & CHASE STS.

Come One, Come All to a Spiritual Recital Featuring The Cox Brothers.
Sponsored by the Mother's Circle.
SUNDAY, MAY 9, 1976
4 P.M.
Mrs. Millie Curbean Mrs. Mary Davis President
Vice-President
Dr. Alfred C.D. Vaughn Pastor

Injured jockette off critical list

Apprentice jockey Karin Yarosh, who fell in the first race at Pimlico April 8, has been taken off the critical list at Sinai Hospital.

A hospital spokesman said Yarosh is now in serious condition and is still in the intensive care unit where she is expected to remain for some time.

The 20-year-old jockey from Aberdeen, Md., suffered five broken ribs, a punctured lung, and ruptured spleen, bladder, and liver after her mount, Clone, ... the rail in the six-furlong race

Hurt progressing after operation

Retired Morgan State athletic director Eddie Hurt is reported "doing fine" in his recuperation from abdominal surgery.

Mrs. Beatrice Hurt, his wife, tells the AFRO that Doctors Van Berkum and Robert Martin have indicated the longtime Bears coach of champions may be permitted to return home from Union Memorial Hospital this weekend.

Mother's Day phone calls advice offered

On Mother's Day, the best time to telephone a long distance greeting is in the afternoon.

"The volume of calls is usually not as great between 1 p.m. and 5 p.m., so you should have a better chance of getting your calls through right away," a C and P Telephone spokesman said. "The next best time on Mother's Day is early morning. But don't wait until Sunday evening, when calling volume really builds up."

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Here are some more tips about Mother's Day calling: — dial direct if possible, if you receive a "fast busy signal" or a recorded announcement of a circuit delay because so many people are calling at the same time, wait a few minutes before dialing again, if you're placing a call through an operator, allow a little extra time for an answer, check your personal number list ahead of time to be sure you have out-of-town numbers you will want to call.

This May 9, the Bell System expects to handle more than 12 million long distance calls.

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In addition to the volume of calls, Mother's Day is unusual because of the pattern of the calls. On an ordinary day, long distance calling is heaviest between metroplitan business centers. But the calling pattern shifts on this special day, with people talking from their homes in suburbs, small towns, and rural areas as well as cities.

To meet the needs of callers on Mother's Day, a full staff of operators will be on duty, and special circuits will be added.

Also, the flow of telephone traffic will be watched closely at Bell System network management centers throughout the country. The staffs at these centers watch for "traffic jams" and see that calls travel over paths that are open whenever possible.