$3,000 Gift for Bishop A. P. Shaw

During a celebration of the birthday and 40th anniversary of the ordination of Bishop A. P. Shaw of the Baltimore Methodist area, he was presented a check for $3,000 from the six conferences under his jurisdiction. Shown making the presentation is the Rev. Joshua O. Williams, pastor of Sharp St. Methodist Church, as the Rev. R. M. Willaims looks on. The money is for a trip to the World Council of Churches which convenes next August in Amsterdam, Holland. An alternate delegate, Bishop Shaw plans to visit the Holy Land.

500 Honor Bishop Shaw on His 2 Anniversaries

Given $3,000 Check for Trip to Europe, Methodists From Six Conferences on Hand

Some 500 persons representing six conferences, joined in the Baltimore Area's observance of Bishop Alexander P. Shaw's 40th anniversary in the ministry on his birthday, on Tuesday night at Orchard St. Methodist Church.

During the observance held in the same church while the Mississippi-born prelate was ordained in 1908, Bishop Shaw was presented a check for $3,000 for a trip to the World Council of Churches which convenes in Amsterdam next August.

Mrs. Shaw Gets Gift

An alternate delegate to the meeting of international church leaders from 42 countries, Bishop Shaw will also visit the Holy Land and other places of historical interest.

Mrs. Lottye Shaw, wife of the honoree, was presented a gift of $25 on behalf of the members of the Women's Society of Christian Service by Mrs. John J. Barnes, wife of the pastor of the host church.

District superintendents who paid tribute to Bishop Shaw were:

The Revs. E. D. Riddle, L. N. Hamilton of the East Tennessee Conference; J. E. Brower of North Carolina; C. D. Gerald, E. H. Crampton and Howard R. Coleman and Ralph Thomas of Delaware; M. F. Hayling, L. E. Johnson, Kelly L. Jackson, D. M. Pleasants, F. F. King and C. S. Briggs of the Washington conference.

Dr. Love Pays Tribute

Speakers representing the laymen were Hally P. Johns of Philadelphia; Garret D. Rawlings and William E. Fletcher. Representing the general church were Dr. Edgar A. Love, and the Women's Society of Christian Service, Mrs. Viola C. Jackson.

The Revs. E. L. Lofton, J. H. Peters and D. W. Henry brought greetings from the pastorate. Soloist was N. W. Moore Jr., of Delaware.

Washington Choir Sings

Choral music was offered by the Wesleyan Gregorian Choir of Asbury Methodist Church in Washington.

Chairman of arrangements was the Rev. R. M. Williams of Washington, while Mrs. Fannie D. Tyler was secretary; and the Rev. Joshua O. Williams, pastor of Sharp St. Church, treasurer.

Churches to Help Note YWCA Week

A statement explaining the international, national and local programs of the YWCA will be read on Sunday in 46 churches representing six denominations as a part of the observance of National YWCA Week.

On Monday, a service of rededication will be held for members of the YWCA after the board meeting at the Central Branch, Park Ave. and Franklin St. A membership meeting will be held on Friday at the International Center, 26 S. Broadway, to discuss problems of Housing.

Letters have been sent to club groups asking that the program of the YWCA be explained at their meetings.

19TH WARD GOP CLUB MEETS WITH PRESIDENT

The 19th Ward Independent Republican Club held its regular weekly meeting, Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. Sophia Burley, president, 222 N. Carey St. The next meeting will be held at her home at 8:30 p.m., Tuesday.

Rev. J. E. Reese Feted by Church

The Rev. J. E. Reese, pastor of Bethel AME Church and a candidate for the bishopric was recently honored at a testimonial by all departments of the church and the Reese-for-Bishop Club.

The welcome was made by George S. Whyte. Greetings were brought by Josiah F. Henry Jr., attorney, and a delegate to the AME General Conference which opens in Kansas City on May 5, by Mrs. Lena Reed, Mrs. Olivia Dorsey, Charles Parker, Mrs. Adele Carr who represented the nine newly elected women trustees, and William B. Johnson who represented the church departments.

Honorees Receive Purses

The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Reese were lauded for their eight years' leadership as a purse of $2,003 was presented to the minister; and $500 to Mrs. Reese by the treasurer, Mrs. Julia Hall. A purse ceremonies.

Rev. Edwards Gets Bishopric Support

Louisville to Be Host to AMEZ Conference

BALTIMORE (NNPA)—Church leaders in this city are all out for the candidacy of the Rev. George M. Edwards, pastor of Pennsylvania Avenue AME Zion Church, for the bishopric at the General Conference of the AME Zion Church to be held in Louisville, Ky., May 5 to 11.

H i s church is considered the beacon light of Pennsylvania Ave. The history of Pennsylvania Ave. rivals that of Beale St. in Memphis and yet, the church has enjoyed a meteoric rise. Persons who have watched it grow attribute it to the fact that the Rev. Mr. Edwards pastors the community and has the respect of all the people.

Renovations Made

He has renovated the church and made the interior one of the best in the city. The membership comprises more than 2,000 persons. The church choir helps to round out an impressive program.

The highlight of his community service, was the inauguration of a savings club plan in the church whereby each member contributes to a fund that is put into a savings account which is used to help underprivileged people during the Christmas season.

The Rev. Mr. Edwards' administrative ability has been displayed in the buying of valuable real estate near the church. These properties have been cleared of all indebtedness and are now the source of added revenue for the church.

National TB Official to Speak to Md. Group

James G. Stone, director of program development of the National Tuberculosis Association, will be the principal speaker at the annual membership meeting of the Maryland Tuberculosis Association at the Emerson Hotel at 12:30 p.m. Monday.

Formerly executive secretary of the Los Angeles Tuberculosis Association, Stone has had extensive experience in public health work. The Maryland Association will hold an election at this meeting.

2,000 Invited to St. Mary Benefit

Two thousand invitations have been sent out of the "ABC" (A Beautiful Concert) Wedding, to be held at 8:30 p.m. on April 30 for the benefit of the Rebuilding Fund of St. Mary Episcopal Church.

"Bride" will be Mrs. Maude Waters also author of the dramatization similar to one which she promoted some years ago to raise over $200 for John Wesley's Church. Mrs. Waters now retired, was the first demonstration teacher at the old Teachers Training School, (now Coppin Teachers College) at Mount and Saratoga Sts.

Cash Presents Approved

Mrs. Waters will be "wed" to William Hays, her nephew and a local teacher. Cash "wedding presents," will be accepted at the door. Lewis H. Murray, another teacher, is stage director. Dean George C. Grant of Morgan State College, is in charge of all committees.

The Church of St. Mary the Virgin in Orchard St. near Madison Ave. was consumed by fire on the night of Feb. 6, 1947. This program represents one of the most ambitious undertakings to-

CYO Holds 1st of 6 Lectures on Preparation for Marriage

The first in a series of six lectures on preparation for marriage, sponsored by the Catholic Youth Organization, was held, Tuesday, with the Rev. John J. Duggan discussing "Courtship, the Threshold of Love."

Each of the following five lectures will be held at 8 p.m. on successive Tuesdays, at the Knights of Columbus Home, Madison and Cathedral Sts.

Series Topics Listed

Other subjects will include: "Marriage as a Contract," discussed by the Rev. Paul Palmer, professor at Woodstock and Loyola Colleges; "Marriage as a Sacrament," the Rev. John S. Martin, pastor of St. Vincent's Church.

"Privileged Parenthood," Mrs. Edward B. Bailey, mother of 11 children; "Church Law on Marriage," the Rev. Edward Eckle, secretary of Matrimonial Court; and "The Business Side of Marriage," Dr. Alfonse Clemens, Catholic University.

Intelligent Choice Urged

In discussing courtship, the Rev. Mr. Duggan, who is vice chancellor of the Archdioces of Baltimore, declared that the choice of a life partner is not such a cold-blooded proposition as the choice of an automobile, "but it should be as intelligent."

Remarking that "it is far better to seek counsel before marriage than to retain counsel afterwards," the Rev. Mr. Duggan urged his listeners to "also let the other person see you at your worse before you ask her to share your joys and sorrows through kingdom come."

Red Cross Offers Free Course in Care of Sick

RICHMOND—A course in care of the sick will be offered free by the local Red Cross chapter in the Chapter House, 2 N. 5th St., beginning April 20 and continuing for three weeks, with classes held from 7:30 to 9:30 each Tuesday and Thursday.

AMES METHODIST CHURCH
Baltimore Ave., Bel Air, Md.
REV. R. S. ARMSTRONG, Pastor
9:45 A.M.—Sunday School.
11:00 A.M.—Worship service.
8:00 P.M.—Youth Fellowship.
7:00 P.M.—Evening worship.
ALL ARE WELCOME

Orchard Street Methodist Church
ORCHARD STREET
DRUID HILL AVENUE
22 Village Camp under the auspices of the Singing and Praying Band of the Church.
11:00 A. M.—Sermon by Pastor.
1:30 P. M.—Church School.
3:30 P. M.—Sermon by Rev. Charles Green, followed by Singing and Praying Bands.
6:30 P. M.—Youth Fellowship Hour.
8:00 P. M.—Downstairs, Sermon by Rev. Sister Laura Edwards, and Prayer Meeting Upstairs. Anniversary Service by the Victory Saving Club.
REV. J. J. BARNES, Pastor

THE CHURCH OF GOD
Saratoga and Carlton Sts.
ELDER C. GREEN, Pastor
9:00 A. M.—Sunday School.
11:00 A. M.—Preaching by the Pastor.
3:00 P. M.—Missionary Service.
6:00 P. M.—Y. P. U.
8:00 P. M.—Preaching by Elder R. Daniels.
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PROVIDENCE BAPTIST CHURCH
Edmondson and Fremont Avenues
TIMELY SERMON ON "HELL"
APRIL 25th—11:00 A. M.
A Two Month's Special Emphasis Class with Jesus Christ Opens This Week. Six Week PROTRACTED MEETING.
Providence Baptist Church
Florence W. Seaborne, Publicity

Rev. E. W. White, Pastor

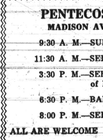
Sharp Street Memorial Methodist Church
DOLPHIN AND ETTING STREETS
Services Sunday, April 25th
Senior Choir Day
9:45 A. M.—Church School.
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by the Pastor. Subject: "THE POWER OF PRAYER."
1:30 P. M.—Dinner served by the Yound Adults.
4:00 P. M.—EAST AND WEST FORUM SERIES. Speaker, Mr. Mike Masaoka, Outstanding Japanese-American.
8:00 P. M.—Musical Program by the Senior Choir.
6:30 P. M.—Methodist Youth Fellowship.
A HEARTY WELCOME TO ALL
REV. JOSHUA O. WILLIAMS, Minister

ISRAEL BAPTIST CHURCH
ORLEANS and BETHEL STREETS
9:30 A. M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
6:00 P. M.—YOUNG PEOPLE'S MEETING.
8:00 P. M.—EVANGELISTIC SERVICE.
ALL ARE WELCOME REV. EDMOND D. MEADE, Pastor

E. HOFFMAN ST. METHODIST CHURCH
HOFFMAN AND EDEN STREETS
9:30 A. M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—Guest Speaker—The Rev. Mrs. Ethel Williams. The Woman's Chorus will sing.
3:00 P. M.—Speaker, Mrs. Vivian G. Alleyne
6:30 P. M.—Youth Fellowship Hour
8:00 P. M.—Speaker—Mrs. Lillian Lottier.
YOU ARE WELCOME REV. C. A. SCOTT, Minister

PENTECOST BAPTIST CHURCH
MADISON AVENUE Near BIDDLE STREET
9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:30 A. M.—SERMON BY REV. PHILLIPS.
3:30 P. M.—SERMON BY REV. C. H. COLLMAN of Reading, Pa.
6:30 P. M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
8:00 P. M.—SERVICE.
ALL ARE WELCOME REV. A. F. LEMON, Pastor

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH of BEL AIR, MD.
SUNDAY, APRIL 25, 1948
9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—PREACHING by the Pastor.
3:00 P. M.—SERVICES.
6:00 P. M.—B. Y. P. U.
8:00 P. M.—HOLY COMMUNION.
MISS MARTHA PEAKER, Church Clerk
MRS. BERNICE GREENE, Acting Secretary
REV. T. B. SCOTT, Pastor



Rev. T. B. Scott Pastor

METROPOLITAN METHODIST CHURCH
LANVALE ST. and CARROLLTON AVE.
SUNDAY, APRIL 25, 1948
Fifty-first Woman's Day Anniversary
10:45 A. M.—CHILDREN'S CHURCH.
11:00 A. M.—SPEAKER—REV. MRS. ESTELLE BROOKS of John Wesley Church.
1:30 P. M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
3:00 P. M.—SERVICES. Speaker: REV. MRS. RUTH BARNES of Orchard St. Methodist Church.
6:00 P. M.—METHODIST FELLOWSHIP HOUR.
8:00 P. M.—SERVICES. Speaker: MRS. VIOLET H. WHYTE, member of Baltimore Police Dept. Music by Chorus and A. F. King Gospel Chorus.
10:15 A. M.—PRELUDE—ORGAN MUSIC.
CORDIAL WELCOME TO ALL
MRS. THEODOSIA BURNETT, Chr.
MRS. LILLIAN G. DONALDSON, Pres. W.S.
REV. ELY L. LOFTON, Minister

SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH
BOND AND PRESTON STREETS
9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
6:00 P. M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
8:00 P. M.—EVENING WORSHIP—Preaching
Communion Every Second Sunday — 3 P. M.
ALL ARE WELCOME REV. J. R. GRANT, Pastor

MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
CAROLINE AND PRESTON STREETS
9:30 A. M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
3:30 P. M.—SPECIAL SERVICE.
8:00 P. M.—ORGANIZATION NIGHT.
6:00 P. M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
ALL ARE WELCOME REV. C. EDWARD BROWNE, Pastor

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
1620 BRADY AVENUE, FAIRFIELD, MD.
9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—SPECIAL MESSAGE BY THE PASTOR
3:00 P. M.—PROGRAM BY THE YOUNG DISCIPLES OF FIRST BAPTIST. Miss Miriam Gross, Pres.; Miss Vivian Williams, Dir.
8:00 P. M.—SONG FESTIVAL, AND SERMON.
MONDAY EVE.—A QUEEN'S RALLY. Sponsored by the Primary Class of the Sunday School. Miss Vivian Smith, Dir.
ALL ARE WELCOME REV. E. W. WILLIAMS, Pastor

Macedonia Baptist Church
FREMONT AND LAFAYETTE AVENUES
Services Sunday, April 25th
9:30 A. M.—Church School.
11:00 A. M.—Shower Circle Day — Sermon by the Pastor.
6:00 P. M.—Baptist Young People's Union.
8:00 P. M.—Special Program by The Shower Circle. Dramatization of Hymn "Just As I Am Without One Plea."
Music by Combined Choirs.
A CORDIAL WELCOME TO ONE AND ALL
REV. WILLARD L. CLAYTON, Pastor

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Present
"The Famous Devils Trial"
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SISTER R. McCHAIN, state field worker
DEACON N. H. HORTON, district W.W. president
ENSOR and EAGER STREETS

GOSPEL TABERNACLE BAPT. CHURCH
SARATOGA STREET near CAREY STREET
SUNDAY, APRIL 25, 1948
9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL—Mrs. Nellie Jackson, Superintendent.
11:00 A. M.—MORNING WORSHIP. "God as Fire."
6:00 P. M.—B. T. U.—Mrs. Beulah Barbour, Directress.
8:00 P. M.—ANNIVERSARY OF THE FAITHFUL SEWING CIRCLE.
REV. LUKE G. REYNOLDS, Minister

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Perkins Square Baptist Church
GEORGE AND OGSTON STREETS
SUNDAY, APRIL 25—WOMAN'S DAY
10:30 A.M.—Open Heart Service
11:00 A.M.—Speaker: Rev. Mrs. Margaret Gray Allen
8:00 P.M.—Mrs. Bertha C. Winston, Pres., Maryland Baptist Missionaries, speaker.
Mrs. Bessie Wilson and Miss Nannie Pitts Chairmen
REV. WARD D. VERRY, Pastor

"THE CHURCH ON THE FRONTIER"
GRACE MEMORIAL BAPTIST
EDEN AND CHASE STS.
ANNUAL FLORAL CIRCLE DAY
9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—17th IN GREAT DOCTRINES OF THE CHURCH. Subj.: "The Lord's Day." Pastor Grove.
7:00-9:30 P. M.—INTEGRATED SERVICES. Church World Service Film, "The Road We Walk." Biblical Drama "Though Your Sins Be As Scarlet," by Irma Imhoff.
THERE IS NEVER AN ADMISSION FEE AT GRACE
EUGENE THOMAS GROVE, Pastor

EBENEZER BAPTIST CHURCH
GUILFORD AVENUE AND TWENTY-THIRD STREET
REV. EDWARD T. JORDAN, Pastor
MEN'S DAY
9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
2:00 P. M.—MEN'S DAY PROGRAM.
6:00 P. M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
8:00 P. M.—EVENING WORSHIP.
Communion Every Second Sunday — 3:00 P.M.
A HEARTY WELCOME TO ALL

AMES MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
CAREY AND BAKER STREETS
9:30 A. M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR. Subject: "The Rules of the Race."
3:30 P. M.—KNIGHTS TEMPLAR Divine Services. Sir John H. Michel, R.E.G.C.
6:00 P. M.—METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP.
8:00 P. M.—GUEST PREACHER, Rev. C. Baker Pearle, pastor of Payne Memorial A.M.E. Chuch. His Choir and Congregation paying their annual visit.
WE WELCOME YOU
REV. E. ADOLPH, Minister

MT. ZION METHODIST CHURCH
GILMOR AND RIGGS AVENUE
9:00 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY CLASS.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
3:00 P. M.—SERMON BY REV. VIOLA CANNON.
6:30 P. M.—METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP. Herbert Frisby, Guest Speaker.
8:00 P. M.—SERMON BY REV. EDITH WILLIAMSON. Consecration of all Singing and Praying Bands.
WE WELCOME YOU REV. A. H. HAMMOND, Minister

CONCORD BAPTIST CHURCH
FRANKLIN AND POPPLETON STREETS
"The Church With a Welcome Hand"
9:45 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL. Mr. Frederick Payton, Supt.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON by the Pastor.
6:30 P. M.—B.T.U., Mr Western Highsmith, Director.
8:00 P. M.—EVENING WORSHIP.
Communion Every First Sunday — 3:30 P.M.
YOU ARE WELCOME REV. J. M. RAYNOR, Pastor

Rev. Raynor

SUPREME COUNCIL OF CLUBS
WILL HOLD ITS
ANNUAL BABY CONTEST
SUNDAY, APRIL 25 - 3 P.M.
Orchard St. Methodist Church
Orchard St. near Druid Hill Ave.
MR. CLARENCE BISHOP - - - - - - - - President
MR. ROLAND CORNISH - - - - - General Chairman
MRS. MAMIE PASCHALL - - - - Chairman of Babies
MRS. SARAH COOPER - - - - - Assistant Chairman
REV. J. J. BARNES - - - - - - - - - - - Pastor

FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH
"THE PRAYING CHURCH" — BOND and ASHLAND AVE.
9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
6:00 P. M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
8:00 P. M.—EVENING WORSHIP — PREACHING.
ALL ARE WELCOME REV. SIMON WILLIAMSON, Pastor

Enon Baptist Church
SCHROEDER ST. and EDMONDSON AVE.
Sunday, April 25, 1948
8:30 A. M.—PRAYER AND PRAISE SERVICE.
9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON — BAPTIZING BY PASTOR.
5:00 P. M.—GRACE B. STOKES, Lyric-Dramatic Soprano, IN CONCERT. Benefit of Md. Colored School for Blind Department.
5:00 P. M. until 7:00 P. M.—MUSICAL TEA sponsored by the Deaconess; Mrs. Beatrice Dupree, President.
8:00 P. M.—THE VOLUNTEER CIRCLE and THE JESSIE WATKINS FLOWER GUILD will present THE GLOUCESTER SINGERS of Gloucester, Va.
You are cordially invited to attend all of these services.
MR. W. LLEWELLYN WILSON, Organist & Choirmaster
REV. ARTHUR J. PAYNE, D.D., Minister

MT. PLEASANT BAPTIST CHURCH
BOND AND JEFFERSON STREETS
9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
6:00 P. M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
8:00 P. M.—EVENING WORSHIP — PREACHING.
Communion Every First Sunday — 3:30 P.M.
ALL ARE WELCOME REV. H. J. TUNSON, Pastor

Baltimore AFRO Pictures and Opinions of the Week

Hospitalization for Veterans

By PETTON GRAY

Racial segregation and discrimination are those things the patients at Baltimore's Veterans' Hospital at Fort Howard only read about, I learned after a three-day visit at the institution.

Though many of the patients are in semi-private rooms, in the wards they are mixed and all of the activities in which the more than 600 patients, 300 of them white, participate are on a non-segregated basis.

While being escorted through the hospital by Robert C. Potts, the special service director, I noticed that there were no signs of partiality in attendance at most Southern institutions.

At the end of the tour, after I had made no mention of racial classification, my guide explained, "We don't believe in segregation here in any form as you have noticed."

He explained that the patients at Fort Howard are mostly those who are able to move around short distances, most of the bedridden being cared for at other Veterans' Hospitals.

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He explained that the patients at wherever they chose in the hospital movie, those who are able to move around short distances, most of the bedridden being cared for at other Veterans' Hospitals.

In the two points where Federal Fire, Veterans Next, Veterans Administration, the groups are recognized as patients first and veterans next. Race is completely forgotten, or at least not mentioned, side by side in the movie seats and in the dining rooms. Side by side in the movie seats and in the dining rooms. Side by side in the movie seats and in the dining rooms.