Local Political Pot Boils as Election Draws Nearer

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of campaign funds was the main topic.

The same night, Elmer Carter and Rep. Frank Fellows, both of New York, headed up a list of speakers at a Republican mass meeting at Enon Baptist Church.

The night before, Sen. Owen Brewster (Rep. Maine) spoke before the Republican Lawyers Club at the Southern Hotel.

Vice-President Aspirant Here

Tonight (Friday), the Democrats will rally in the Lyric Theatre to listen to an address by Sen. Alben W. Barkley of Kentucky. The senator is President Truman's running mate for Vice-President.

Though Senator Barkley is the last of the national figures scheduled to appear before Baltimore audiences between now and election day, the leaders of the various parties admitted that others may come here during the coming week.

Suit Occupies Progressives

In the midst of their campaigning, which principally consisted of protesting against various forms of injustice and the sending of telegrams to President Truman, the Progressives were compelled to share their attentions with a court suit, which opened on Thursday.

The case involved the members of an interracial tennis group who were arrested several months ago by park police for playing matches on the courts in Druid Hill Park. The case is expected to last several days.

Mrs. Estelle Osborne, a national vice-president of the Progressive Party, will be-honored with a dinner and reception during her visit to Baltimore this week-end.

Both affairs are scheduled for Sunday and will be held at the Progressive Party headquarters, 1208 N. Charles St. The dinner, sponsored by the Women-for-

Coming Events

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meeting, 3 p.m., Sharp St. Church.

Communist Party "Peace and Freedom Ability," 3 p.m., Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church.

Bishop A. P. Shaw speaking at the 10:30 a.m. service at Morgan Christian Center.

Firus Kazemzadeh of Harvard University and Iran, speaking on "The Progress of Human Rights," 8 p.m., 527 N. Charles St. Presented by the Baha'i Community of Baltimore.

Monday, Oct. 25

Community Chest report meeting for District 5, YWCA.

Free lip-reading classes for adults, 7:30 p.m., Druid Hill Center.

Wednesday, Oct. 27

Alumni meeting of Carver Vocational High School, 7:30 p.m., at the school.

Camper Club, will be held at 6:30 p.m. and will be followed by a reception under the auspices of the Women-for-Wallace group, at 8 p.m.

Democratic Women Busy

Last Sunday, the women of Cherry Hill organized the Democratic Women of Cherry Hill Club and became affiliated iwth the Democratic Campaign Committee, of which Mrs. Victorine Adams is chairman.

This latest group was formed as a result of a series of meetings held in the home of Mrs. Nannie Gibbs. She, Mrs. Emma Key, Mrs. Dorothy Thaxton and Mrs. Gladys Tyley will serve as temporary chairmen, secretary and treasurer, respectively.

Pledged to work toward interesting more women in politics, the membership of the group presently includes:

Mesdames Arnetha Myzack, Mary Bright, Jean Tribble, Reba Taylor, Lillie Fleet, Vinton McCoy, Aretha Amos, Gladys Tyler, Mary Beal, Frances Patty and Bessie Dent.

The group plans to meet again this Sunday at 419 Roundview Rd., at 4 p.m.

Dixiecrats May Write-In

After much study, Hall Hammond, State's Attorney, ruled, this week, that members of the State's Rights Party may vote for their Presidential and Vice-Presidential candidates by writing in their names on the ballots.

The names of the two candidates, Gov. J. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina and Gov. Fielding L. Wright of Mississippi, are not listed on the ballots, because their nominating petitions were not presented to the Secretary of State in time to meet the legal limitations.

Lip Reading Classes Begin at Health Center

Free lip reading classes for adults will begin at Druid Health Center, Oct. 25, according to Mrs. Harris E. Kirk Jr., chairman of the Education Committee of the Baltimore Hearing Society, Inc.

Classes will be held at 7:30 p.m., each Monday and Thursday night with Mrs. Bessie M. Trotman, lip-reading teacher in the public schools, as instructor.

Sub-Committees Report to League Health Unit

Some 25 persons representing 10 different civic organizations attended the meeting of the Urban League Health Committee, Tuesday, and heard reports from three sub-committees.

Dr. George McDonald, chairman of the committee, presided. The sub-committees are working on expanded training for colored medical personnel, improved transportation to Henryton Sanitarium and the acquisition of additional beds for tuberculous patients.

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Plumbers Ask Court for Writ

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ert H. Riley, Reuben Goldman and Cherice Washington.

The board, established under Article 43 of the Code of the General Laws of Maryland is an administrative department of the State.

The petitioners, all of whom are engaged or prepared to engage in the plumbing business, contend that the board knows they cannot get letters from former employers, but still maintains the regulation which prevents them from qualifying for the examination.

Refused Right to Take Exam

They have all applied for the examination and been refused.

They maintain that the "arbitrary exercise of this rule" prevents them from carrying on a profitable occupation and that it is an "arbitrary, capricious invasion of their freedom to contract."

They contend also that this discrimination against them is a violation of their rights under the 14th Amendment.

30 Qualified Men Balked

The Master Plumbers Association, which is sponsoring the suit on behalf of these men and others in their position, has a list of about 30 men who could qualify as plumbers if the regulations were relaxed.

The association was organized in 1937 by Edward S. Lewis, then executive secretary of the Baltimore Urban League, who began the effort to make the State examination available to colored men.

Plumbers Succeed at U.S. Post

Furman L. Templeton, the league's first industrial secretary, successfully got Mr. Catlin, placed as a plumber at Fort Deposit, Md., in 1941, which attests to his skill, as recognized on a Government project.

Through its present industrial secretary, Cecil Scott, the Urban League is continuing to encourage the Plumbers Association in its efforts to provide the opportunity for colored plumbers to take the State examination.

Philly Poll Shows Dewey Is Choice

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er: "The days of good Democrats have ended for a while." Divorcee: "Even in politics you get tired of the same man." Housewife: "Dewey is such a healthy-looking candidate."

Social worker: "You can bet that 16 years the Republicans have learned that that old Hoover stuff won't go." Self-styled lawyer: "Look at how immoral our youth are. You know why? They got an immoral start in life — 95% of them are Democrats."

FOR TRUMAN

Railroad porter: "I deserted the GOP in 1930 and I'm going to stay that way." Store clerk: "Money is all the trouble in the world and the Republicans caused it." Student: "The Republicans ain't just Dewey, they're all wet."

Baker: "We told Dewey in 1944 that we don't want no more of Hoover's kind." Garageman: "We've made more progress in the last 16 years than ever before. Anybody voting for Dewey ought to eat garbage for four years."

Laborer: "I promised my brother when he died that I'd never vote Republican." Welder: "A liberal Southerner is really liberal." Cook: "I lived on 16th St. flirting Hoover's time, I did okay, but

FOR WALLACE

some of my friends still haven't gained all their weight back."

Barber: "The AFRO shows Thurmond with so many cousins that Truman and Dewey may be his cousins, too. They act like it." Beautician. "The old parties are both full of liars."

Lawyer: "Henry Wallace can be the world's salvation." Minister: "He is the greatest savior the world has known since Jesus Christ."

Photographer: "Wallace is a Red, Dewey is a capitalist, Truman

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR THURMOND

Still nothing.

is a joke. Guess I'll write in a ballot for Lena Horne."

Man Who Attacked Woman Who 'Led Wife' Dismissed

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twitched as Mrs. Whyte told of her investigation.

Sought Policewoman's Aid

Smith had, appealed to Mrs. Whyte several times when he was unable to cope with the situation and break the control the other woman had over his wife.

Observed Mrs. Whyte, "He (Smith) gets disturbed when he can't find his wife. His fault is that he still loves his wife. He could control that thing he calls love, the situation would be much better."

Previous Fight Reported

It was disclosed that Smith and Miss Barbour became engaged in a fight in which he was cut some months ago when he surprised the woman in a compromising position with his wife.

The matter was brought to the attention of authorities at that time, but further embarrassment was avoided.

Said Magistrate Fitzpatrick in closing the case, "I understand you feel, Mr. Smith, and your wife as guilty as is the other woman; but you must not take the law into your own hands. I am dismissing the case but referring it to Mrs. Whyte for further study."

The wife, it was learned, has a responsible job with a local railway company.

Cherry Hill Keeps Residential Status

Appeals Board Turns Down Rezoning Request

A ordinance which would rezone a section of Cherry Hill for establishment of an experimental station was disapproved, this week, by the Board of Municipal and Zoning Appeals.

Sixth District City Councilmen Edward Freburger and John J. McMenamen pledged, Monday, to offer no support to the ordinance if it is disapproved by the zoning board and the Commission on City Planning.

The commission is scheduled to consider the bill at its meeting on Wednesday. According to the councilmen, two veterans, who do not live in the Cherry Hill community are seeking to change from residential to first commercial zoning property on the south side of Cherry Hill Rd. between Seamon Ave. and Hanover St.

The applicants have indicated they wish to conduct chemistry experiments there, Mr. Freburger said.

Store Applications Disapproved

Meeting on Tuesday, the zoning board also disapproved an application to establish two stores on ground now occupied by garages at 639 N. Fulton Ave.

The application was protested by over 150 property owners in the area.

Meeting on Wednesday, the planning commission approved an ordinance which would authorize the city to order condemnation proceedings for acquisition of property at Gilmor St. and Laurens St. for a playground.

The site was selected by the Board of Recreation and Parks at the insistence of Dr. Bernard Harris, a member of the board.

Conference Set on Chellenham

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"premature" and against State employment laws.

He asked that it be held up until the board could meet again and decide what qualifications Mr. Kiah now possesses for the post that he did not have when rejected by a former board, last Feb. 24.

Personnel Committee Set Up

In an effort to determine this, Dr. Henry has appointed a personnel committee which is to make a report at the Nov. 4 meeting. The committee includes Mrs. Violet Hill Whyte, chairman, and Mrs. Bertha Proctor.

At the Oct. 7 meeting, the vote recalling Mr. Kiah was unanimous except for the secretary who abstained from voting.

Voting for Mr. Kiah were Dr. James White, the Rev. John T. Colbert, Dr. Willard W. Allen, Charles Cornish and Lt. Col. William M. Brady. Edward N. Wilson abstained, and Dr. Henry, the chairman, did not cast a vote since there was already a majority.

Mrs. Whyte and Mrs. Proctor, the other two board members, were not present at the meeting.

Mr. Owens said that any appointment temporary or otherwise, must be made from an eligible list, and that there is no eligible list at the time, but an open competitive examination will soon be held.

Top Five Applicants

To qualify, it would be necessary to be among the first five high scorers in the examination and to be certified by the commissioner. The board could then appoint the person it deemed to be best qualified of the top five applicants, it was pointed out.

In the meantime, consideration is being given to revise the eligibility requirements, and make it necessary for an applicant to have had either some experience in training delinquent boys, or some formal training in abnormal psychology. This will probably be discussed at the next meeting.

Mr. Kiah declined to make a statement since the matter is still undecided.

Kiah Holds Master's Degree

An Army lieutenant for two years, Mr. Kiah has a master's degree in administration from Columbia University and 53 points on his doctorate.

He taught school in Maryland counties for 15 years and has been principal of Cambridge High School for 10 years.

Although Mr. Owens now refers to Mr. Kiah's dismissal by the old board, only two months after the dismissal, he himself replaced Mr. Kiah on the eligible list and announced that he disagreed with the board's action.

The dismissal was effected on grounds that Mr. Kiah lacked administrative ability and the proper temperament for the job. Mr. Owens said he didn't think these reasons, particularly since they did not include any charge of moral turpitude, justified the dismissal.

According to The Code

Although Mr. Owens contends that in reappointing Mr. Kiah, the board acted without authority, the 1947 Accumulative Supplement of the Maryland Code, Art. 88A, Section 20, makes the following statement in reference to State training schools:

"In the event of a vacancy in the position of superintendent or any of the said institutions, the vacancy shall be filled by the board of managers."

No stipulation is made that a temporary appointment must be drawn from a list of eligibles under the merit system laws as is the case for the appointment of a permanent superintendent.

White Typist, 24, Accuses Dr. Brown

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of her absence and court marshals and police sought futilely for Miss LoFaro, who was not located until recently.

The typist, formerly employed by the Western Electric Co., testified that in May, 1947, she learned she was pregnant, and on Sept. 1, she began to contact Dr. Brown, who examined her and agreed that she was pregnant.

The operation, she testified, was performed, but within a few days complications set in and she was taken to Gallinger Hospital, and police were called.

Refused to Sign

The typist told the jury that on Jan. 1, she received a mysterious phone call from Mattie Lou Rowe, 26, of 1600 block B St., N.W., who asked her to sign a statement that "I had taken quinine or something."

She said she was skeptical and did not sign, but on Jan. 8, according to her testimony, she went with her attorney to the Rowe apartment. Dr. Brown arrived afterwards, she told the jury, and he then talked privately.

After the conference between the physician and lawyer, she testified, Miss Rowe returned with $200 for her and she went to Pittsburgh for a W and a half.

When she returned, she said, she was met at the Union Station by Klein and they went to the attorney's home at Fleeton, Va., where she stayed a week, receiving $100 for "expenses."

She told the court that Dr. Brown delivered $300 to her personally last March, and that other money was given to her by Klein for trips to Boston and at one time to "hide out" at Hamilton Hotel.

Charged Four Times

Mrs. Ramona B. Herndon, 24, of the 1400 block Chapin St., N.W., described as a "close friend of Miss LoFaro," clod the jury thi she saw Miss LoFaro give Dr. Brown the money after the alleged operation at his office, and that she took the patient home.

Dr. Brown has been charged with performing illegal operations four times. In two cases, hung juries resulted and the cases are to be retried, and in another case the United States attorney's office nol prossed the case because, it was said, the complainant was reluctant to testify.

American Oil Co. Silent on Epithets

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the program as rendered by Singer Thomas and if it did not desire to make an appropriate statement disavowing it.

The letter also suggested that American Oil would be doing its thousands of colored customers a public service by saying that there will be no repetition of this or any epithets on future programs.

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Cleric Blames Housing Problem for Marital Break

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Diles, at 1414 Traction St., was thrown out and her husband, Denzie, awarded a divorce from her on grounds of desertion.

Counter Charge

Mrs. Diles had charged that he tired of her and left, but Mr. Diles testified that she went to stay with her mother and failed to return.

Also winning a divorce was John Blackman of 1203 Noland Ct., from Mrs. Jane Blackman of Philadelphia.

The husband said that Mrs. Blackman left him six weeks after the ceremony because she did not like marriage.

Mrs. Lula Shrives of 648 N. Carey St. divorced John Shrives of Parksley, Va., on the grounds that he deserted her in 1933. Her maiden name, White, was restored.

OKLAHOMA TO CLOSE ITS JC LAW SCHOOL

OKLAHOMA CITY (NNPA)—Gov. Roy J. Turner disclosed last week, that the jim-crow law school set up in the State capital for colored students as a branch of Langston University may be closed soon. It has no students.

Inauguration Date of Dr. Jenkins Set

The proposed inauguration of Dr. Martin D. Jenkins as president of Morgan State College has been postponed from Nov. 23 to Dec. 17 in order to secure the Douglass High School auditorium for the occasion.

The board of trustees approved the new date at its meeting on Thursday and made a tour of the campus in order to note building and housing conditions.

Four Appointments Approved

The board approved the following four appointments and two resignations:

Appointments—Mrs. Araminta L. Ford, director of residence hall, temporary; Mrs. Juanita F. Rice, director of residence hall, temporary; Mrs. Hilda B. Hendricks, assistant librarian, temporary; and Mrs. Esther Kenner, pantry helper, emergency.

Resignations—Mrs. Janet Diggs, junior stenographer, temporary; Robert H. Jones, mechanical handiman, temporary, discontinued.

Half Division 5's Chest Quota In

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port as an inspiring demonstration that all Baltimore citizens and Baltimore County residents are backing this campaign."

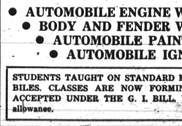
An official proclamation designation Oct. 28 as Red Feather Day will also be issued by Mayor D'Alesandro.

In making the announcement, Mr. Williams pointed out that the red feather has always stood as a symbol of humanitarian service and is the official symbol of Community Chests throughout the world.

$2,500 Bail for Mate in Wife Beating Case

Charged with beating his wife with a rifle, breaking her leg and three fingers, Robert Lockett, 30, of 625 N. Bradford St., was held in $2,500 bail in Northestern police court, Monday, pending Mrs. Lockett's recovery.

Magistrate A. A. Kozlovsky postponed hearing in the case until 4 p.m. Nov. 6, when Mrs. Helen Lockett, now in Johns Hopkins Hospital, will be able to appear in court.



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Gov. Tuck Joins Dixiecrats in Defiant Tirade Against Mixed Schools in Va.

"There Won't Be Any If I Have Power to Stop it,' He Tells Revenue Aides

RICHMOND—Although he didn't say it so many words, Gov. William M. Tuck definitely cast his lot with the Thurmond-Wright Dixiecrats in a speech here last Friday before the annual meeting of the Virginia commissioners of revenue.

Governor Tuck, a Halifax county farmer before he became the State's Chief Executive, and a determined foe of social and political progress since his election, threw away his prepared manuscript to add his voice to that of the States' Rights

Talking "mixed schools" as his pet peeve, Mr. Tuck recalled the action of NAACP attorneys in challenging the State's jim-crow school system, asserting that "mixed schools have been tried in sidered significant that he qualified it with the preface, "If I have the power to stop it."

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The governor laid no claim, however, on behalf of either himself or ex-Governor Darden, to making any attempt to equalize educational facilities in the State as between colored and white persons.

two Virginia counties this year."

Waxing vehement, his face becoming a deep crimson, the governor reared this declaration into the microphone of the public address system over which he was speaking:

Some Defiance Lacking

"I want to tell you right now that if I have the power to stop it, there won't be any mixed schools in Virginia."

Although the governor's statement was not news, it is considered significant that he qualified it with the preface, "If I have the power to stop it."

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WASHINGTON—A new president of the Board of Trustees, and a treasurer were named Monday for Howard University to replace recent resignations for the two posts.

Officials announced that Lorimer D. Milton, bank president, educator, civic and business leader of Atlanta was unanimously elected chairman of the Board of Trustees. He succeeds Dr. F. Bernard Young Sr., publisher of the Journal and Guide, Norfolk, Va.

James M. Nabrit Jr., secretary of the university, also revealed that James Bruce Clarke, assistant treasurer at Howard since 1946, has been appointed to serve as acting treasurer to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of V. D. Johnson.

New Treasurer

Dr. Young resigned as chairman of the trustee board in September because of his health and business demands. Mr. Johnson is reported to have resigned to go into business for himself.

Bank President

Mr. Milton is president of the Citizens Bank Company, Atlanta. Said to be the first and only bank owned and operated by colored people to be admitted recently to the Federal Reserve System.

He is a faculty member of Atlanta University and owns and operates several businesses, including a number of drug stores. He is a graduate of Howard University and holds the A.B. and A.M. degrees.

Mr. Milton is a member of the Small Business Advisory Committee to the Secretary of Commerce and has been a Howard board member for several years, having served as chairman of the finance committee and on the executive committee.

19 Years At Delaware

Mr. Clarke, a native of Phoebus, Va., graduated from Hampton Institute in 1929 with a B.S. degree and did graduate work at Pennsylvania State College, University of Pennsylvania, and the University of Chicago, receiving the M.A. degree at the latter in 1942.

He has worked as assistant to the chief accountant at Hampton Institute, special assistant to the treasurer-business manager of Virginia State College, and was for 10 years business manager of Delaware State College.

Mr. Clarke was formerly a director of the Peoples Building and Loan Association, secretary-treasurer of the Hampton Employees Federal Credit Union, and treasurer and vestryman of Saint Cyprians P.E. Church, all at Hampton, Va.

He is 43 years old, married, and father of three children.

Colored Students at Rutgers Few, but Number Is Growing

NEW BRUNSWICK — Figures released this week by the registrar of Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey, list 33 colored students among the 4,200 in the four schools of the Colleges for Men in New Brunswick.

The figures do not include the many extensions of the university, nor do they include students taking graduate or night school classes, which furnish the bulk of registration.

According to Registrar Luther H. Martin, the colored enrollment has reached a new peak. The school official hastened to add, however, that Rutgers has never made a policy of keeping any separate lists of colored students.

12 New Students

Twelve new students are among the 33 now attending. They include:

James N. Baxter, class of '52, biology; Elisha Brown, '52, business administration; Howard Cook, '52, biology; Roscoe Croom, '51, chemistry, and Marsell Dixon, '52, mechanical engineering;

Nimrod Harris, '52, agriculture; William McCoy, '52, electrical engineering; Clarence Neeley, '50, and Arthur L. Seward, '52, political science; Maynard Stephens Jr., special student of biology; John A. Thomas, '50, chemistry, and Fred D. Wilson Jr., '51, mathematics.

Of the freshmen, Art Seward of Montclair, and Tops Brown of New Brunswick are the outstanding athletes.

Brown, at 26 years old, is trying to regain the football form that earned him All-State honors in track squad this spring.

Russell Sugarman of Memphis, and Eric Jones of Brooklyn, are the colored representatives on the 150-pound freshman club. Sugarman is a veteran guard, and Springer is a reserve halfback.

Both are expected to see evidence at Cornell last week when the Scarlet lost to the Ithacans, 14-7.

Aids in Radio Show

Another participating in extra-curricular activities is Robert Boyd H. Martin, the colored coordinator of Rutgers' Mimes, and Tom Bowman, the State University's radio station, WRSV. The show has the hep cats of the campus going mad once a week.

Phil Johnson, a transfer student from an outstanding Midwestern university, is a member of the Quonset Players, campus theatrical group, while a Montclair boy, Roland Stewart, gives hypnotic exhibitions whenever called upon.

Stewart, a psychology major, developed his hypnotic powers under the tutelage of Prof. Griffith W. Williams of the psychology department.

Two on Newspaper

Targets, the campus semi-weekly, has assistant sports Editor Joe Seward, and reporter Rodney Carford is also a member of Pi Gamma, honorary journalism fraternity, provides campus correspondents for the many newspapers in the area.

At present Seward writes for the Standard News Association of New York City and the AFRO.

Wilbur T. Washington confines his extra-curricular activities to the Urban League, where he heads a youth group composed of a mixed representation of Rutgers and New Jersey College for Women students.

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Indict Policeman Who Blinded Man

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—Accused of beating and blinding an imprisoned truck driver, a white policeman was indicted by a Federal Grand Jury sitting here. The indictment followed a demand for an investigation by the U.S. Department of Justice.

James Simpson, the victim, told the Grand Jury that he had been blinded in one eye and severely beaten by Patrolman James Swift in the Rock Island jail prison on the night of November 23, 1947.

He had been arrested by Rock Island police when he became involved in an accident while driving along the highway between Rock Island and Moline.

Swift is reported to have beaten the truck driver in the mistaken belief that he was a man who had recently had a run-in with another Rock Island policeman.

Court Refuses to Free Slayer

WASHINGTON—Dismissal of a habeas corpus action through which William McAffee, convicted murderer, sought to gain his freedom from Lorton Reformatory was ordered Monday by the U.S. Court of Appeals.

The appellate body ruled that District court here, to which McAffee applied last year for a habeas corpus writ, lacks jurisdiction in such cases where the prisoner is outside the District boundary. District court had denied the writ and McAffee appealed.

The 72-year-old convicted murderer is serving a life-term for the murder of Mrs. Henrietta B. Anderson, 36, in 1927, at her home where he was working as a janitor.

McAffee was convicted in District court but the Appeals Court set aside the verdict and granted a new trial. He was convicted a second time and sentenced to the electric chair in 1930, but received a commutation from President Roosevelt.

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