Matron, 79, Oldest of 47 Persons to Die Last Week

Mrs. Alice V. Brady, 79, of 1833 Presstman St., was the oldest of 47 persons who died last week, according to Baltimore City Health Department reports.

The complete list follows:

Dr. Bernard N. Hatcher, 56, 437 N. Calhoun St.
John H. Chatham, 43, 534 W. Cross St.
Edward Mile, 45, 1145 Whatcoat St.
Mary L. Taylor, 8 hrs., 3659 Federal St.
Fred Miller, 1½, 618 S. Paca St.
Dr. Wilbeck P. Noville, 64, 601 N. Carrollton Ave.
Mamie C. Adams, 68, 2408 Madison Ave.
Mahle Smith, 44, 709 N. Carrollton Ave.
James Batty, 42, 820 Vine St.
Rose Smith, 49, 1615 W. Saratoga St.
Helen Johnson, 34, 1713 W. Franklin St.
Parthenia Jones, 85, 2305 N. Howard St.
Margaret Jackson, 39, 1128 Druid Hill Ave.
William A. Rice, 66, 1045 N. Mount St.
Charles West, 67, 1118 N. Stricker St.
Mary E. Boyer, 72, 4702 Falls Rd.
Emma Blackwell, 35, 213 N. Wolfe St.
Robert E. Taylor, 42, 1565 Richland St.
Gertrude B. Hord, 26, 1510 W. Fairmount Ave.
Mary Wells, 43, Bethy Gate Md
Phillip Brown, 4 Mos., 1031 N. Mount St.
Ethel Williams, 42, 117 W. Perry St.
Clara Downey, 28, 233 McMechen St.
Infant Gale, 2 Days, Kennedyville Md.
Dave Thompson, 59, 1618 W. Lanvale St.
Richard Johnson, 77, 822 N. Carroll St.
Andrew Fisher, 46, 1604 Etting St.
Janet T. Smith, 38, 633 N. Gilmore St.
Marie Blake, 65, 924 N. Eden St.
Clarence O. Carter, 30, 903 W. Saratoga St.
Annie Styles, 88, 928 N. Caroline St.
Charlene Agee, 4 Mos., 405 Finch St.
Elsner Hill, 53, 306 N. Ann St.
William J. Fann, 53, 1915 Edmondson Ave.
Will Anderson, 52, 1207 Upton St.
Josephine Red, 56, 1504 Rutter St.
Rayfield Wright, 67, 742 Pierce St.
Charles Fisher, 9 Days, 1804 W. Franklin St.
Hester McCardell, 4, 928 Druid Hill Ave.
Alice V. Brady, 79, 1833 Presstman St.
Ronald P. Fey, 3 Mos, 636 S. Carey St.
Mamie M. Atkins, 31, 4622 Falls Rd.
James Wheeler, 63, Springhill Md
James Jackson, 67, 1829 E. Eager St.
Katie N. Johns, 62, 1112 Etting St.
Clyde Hayes, 33, 847 W. Mulberry St.
James Sedgewick, 25, Chase, Md.
Isaac Shipp, 72, 617 W. Fayette St.
Charles Nitz, 49, 1500 Fulton Ave.
Fred Schumacher, 53, 2407 Mod. Md.
Hilda Johnson, 36, 553 W. Lafayette Ave.
Harry Thompson, 48, 308 N. Gilmore St.
George E. Thomas, 76, 326 N. Mount St.
Zora Hamilton, 19, Fairmount Hgts., Md.
Melvina Hickman, 66, 310 N. Eden St.
Henry H. Brown, 59, 1203 Myrtle Ave.
Albert L. Howard, 53, 531 Laurens St.
Michael Scott, 48, 752 George St.
Julia Martin, 63, 227 N. Carrollton Ave.
Grace Bush, 83, 2418 Francis St.
George Gaines, 2 Days, 1017 Madison Ave.
Mathews J. White, 5, Chase, Md.
James Allen, 58, 819 Somerset St.
Levi C. Jackson, 76, 824 S. Sharp St.
Joseph W. Oliver, 59, 1044 W. Lexington St.
Herman Robinson, 48, 828 Sarahann St.
Henrietta Burley, 66, 1313 Upton St.
Rose English, 46, 123 W. Henrietta St.
Hazel Taylor, 45, 2410 Druid Hill Ave.
William Canady, 21, 509 S. Greene St.
John Smith, 53, 2218 N. Howard St.
James C. Brooks, 44, 1410 Argyle St.
Mary Duncan, 73, 1521 Leslie St.
Clara Thomas, 63, 326 N. Mount St.
James H. Brown, 53, 1025 N. Dolphin St.
Elizabeth Reynolds, 73, 1315 Presstman St.
Lena Nickings, 69, 1133 N. Carey St.
Mary L. Renehan, 3 Mos., 309 S. Augusta St.
Joseph J. Stewart, 44, 842 Vine St.
Ellen Bond, 75, 418 McKean Ave.
Lewis Gibson, 80, 818 N. Wolfe St.
Leon Boston, 36, Annapolis, Md.
Infant Stanton, 2807 Booker D.
Goldsmith Harding, 59, 1613 Penna Ave.
Portia McNeir, 1 Mo. 525 Dolphin St.
Boyd H. White, 71, 1909 Division St.
Charles Johnson, 64, 923 Sharp St.
Sady Jefferson, 48, 837 W. Fayette St.
Ethel Woodson, 48, 1607 Walde St.
Nathan Boiter, 3 Days, 410 N. Paca St.
Joseph Emory, 70, Crownsville, Md.
Nathaniel Palm, 35, 1255 W. Fayette St.
Georgia B. Neal, 68, 1710 Woodyear St.
Bertha P. Harding, 64, 831 Harlem Ave.
Betty Falder, 15 Mos, 2813 Pierpont St.
Bernard Young, 2 Mos., 911 Myrtle Ave.
James Williams 78, 264 Robert St.
Essie P. Thomas, 57, 508 Johannsen St.
Sylvester Alexander, 43, 1216 St. James St.
Mattlee Anderson, 38, 1116 Whatcoat St.
Samuel Hawkins, 58, 836 Forrest St.

New York NAACP Officials Confer With Youth Leaders

Pictured above are, from left: Harold Doman, Ruby Poyas, Charles A. Levy, executive secretary, New York branch of the NAACP; Lindsay H. White, president of the branch; Orville Clark, Mrs. Ruby Hurley, national youth director; Aurelio Sterling, president of the youth council; Walter Thompson, Cedric Clark, Miss Ella J. Baker, adviser for youth councils; Barbara Cheevers and Eugene Boyd.

Dr. Noville Given Rites 24 Cars in Procession

Led by a police motor-cycle escort, a 24-car funeral cortege followed the body of Dr. Wilbeck Francis Noville, physician, to Arbutus Memorial Park on Wednesday, after funeral services at St. James P.E. Church.

The Rev. Cedric E. Mills officiated at this service. He also sang the requiem, mass that morning which was attended by members of the family, close friends and associates of the 64-year-old doctor.

The brief afternoon service included a solo by Mrs. James Blake of Union Baptist Church.

Pall bearers were Thomas Smith, Frank J. Sorrell, Drs. C. E. Watts, Frederick Adams, Albert La Forrest and Louis Johnson.

Born in Barbados

Dr. Noville died at his home, 601 N. Carrollton Ave. Sunday night, after an illness of nine months during which time he was confined to both Johns Hopkins and Provident Hospitals.

Born in Barbados, BWI, he was educated in the schools there, and later taught and served as principal of several schools in Trinidad. Among them was the St. Clemens School. He also was organist at a Trinidad Church.

Dr. Noville came to the United States in 1914 to enroll in Meharry Medical College from where he graduated in 1918.

The physician then went abroad and took special courses in the medical schools of Edinburgh, London, Paris, Berlin and Vienna. His internship was served at Mudgett Hospital in Philadelphia.

He began his practice in Baltimore in 1920 and continued to work here until his illness.

A visiting physician at Provident Hospital, he was also head of its medical section.

Relatives in Panama

He held membership in Kappa Alpha Fraternity, the Masons, the Monumental City Medical Society, the Me-De-So Club, the National Medical Reading Club and formerly was an Elk.

A member of St. James Church, he was once a Sunday School teacher there and a member of the vestry.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Elidica C. Messiah Noville, Baltimore, whom he married 34 years ago; two brothers, Aubrey and William, and a nephew, John all of Colon, Panama; and a niece, Mrs. Isabell Evelyn of Baltimore.

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Dr. Mays to Talk at Virginia Union

RICHMOND

Virginia Union's golden jubilee celebration, marking its 50 years of service, which will open Friday with Founders' Day exercises, will continue until June, climaxing with the annual commencement exercises, it was announced this week.

Speakers for the opening program in the celebration will be Dr. Benjamin E. Mays, president of Morehouse College, Atlanta, who will be heard in the morning, and J. Rupert Picott, executive secretary of the Virginia Teachers Association, will talk in the afternoon.

DR. BENJAMIN E. MAYS

Founders' Day Service

Both Founders' Day orators are graduates of the university. Dr. Mays is one of ten college presidents claimed by Union as its sons and Mr. Picott is president of the Union National Alumni Association.

Completo program for the celebration has not been completed, it is announced, but the Founders' Day exercises will be followed by a series of events between now and commencement.

Dr. John M. Ellison, president of the university, will announce the other programs in the celebration as the dates and participants are selected, officials said.

Among Scheduled Events

Among events scheduled for the celebration are the following:

Dedication of William J. Clark Library, Science Building and Vann (Robert L.) Tower and additional work on gymnasium auditorium, including A. Clayton Powell Memorial Chapel, all in the Belgian Building; new school of religion in Coburn Hall and announcement of a million-dollar endowment.

To make that announcement possible, friends and alumni of the university are being asked to contribute by groups, as follows: Old Dominion Medical Society (pledged), $40,000 toward equipment for science unit; trustees, $10,000; alumni and friends, $30,000, and churches and church groups, $50,000.

Art Teacher Drops Dead; Rites to Be Held Saturday

Pendleton Parrott Found Unconscious in School Lavatory; Taught Over 24 Years

J. RUPERT PICOTT

Fuheral service for Pendleton Patterson Parrott, art teacher, who dropped dead Wednesday, at Druid Junior High School No. 137, have been set for 2 p.m. on Saturday, at the Madison Ave. Presbyterian Church.

Frank J. Sorrell, principal stated that Mr. Parrott apparently was well when he reported to school at 8:10 a.m. But after having taught one class, he was missed by another teacher, Mrs. Ruth Johnson, who came to his classroom at about 10:30 a.m.

Mrs. Johnson notified Mr. Sorrell, who found Mr. Parrott unconscious on the floor of the adjoining lavatory. Mrs. Fanida Friend and Dr. Herbert Moseley, school nurse and physician, respectively, came to the stricken man's aid and then sent for Mrs. Lillian Parrott, his wife.

Pronounced Dead

Dr. C. R. Campbell, the family physician, then arrived and pronounced Mr. Parrott dead.

The eulogy at the funeral will be delivered by the Rev. Reginald J. Daniels, pastor. He will be assisted by the Rev. W. W. Walker, retired minister.

Soloists will be S. Sinclair Swann and Leonard Wilmore of the St. James and Madison Ave. Churches, respectively.

James A. B. Callis, Theodore O. Randolph, Newman Reavis, John L. Berry, and Drs. Nelson Williams Cora Berkley of Baltimore, Randolph Myers, and W. Berkley Butler are to be pallbearers. Burial will be in Arbutus Memorial Park.

The body will rest at the house, 2131 Druid Hill Ave.

Taught 25 Years

A teacher in the Baltimore schools since 1924, Mr. Parrott was stricken last April and did not return to his job until last November.

He was the son of the late Pendleton and Mrs. Veronica Parrott Valedictorian of St. Peter Claver's Catholic School where he completed his elementary grades. Mr. Parrott was later graduated from Douglass High School and Coppin Teachers College.

He them attended Cooper Union Art School and New York University.

Survivors Listed

His teaching career began at Wheatley School No. 110, and he served at Washington and Johnson Junior High Schools.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lillian Matthews Parrott, secondary school English supervisor, whom he married 22 years ago; a daughter, Miss Jeanne L. Parrott, a Welfar Department worker.

Two sisters, Mesdames Louise Cochran of New York City, and Charlotte P. Hackett of Baltimore, two brothers William N., principal of Douglass High School, and Julius also of this city, and an aunt, Mrs. Mickens, Doris Pettiford, Elizabeth Powell, Margaret Richardson, Rue Richardson, Shirley Sewell, Sara Smith, Sylvia Smith, Helen Stokes, Mary Lou Watts and Minnie Nutt.

Southside Personality

Thomas (Buddy) Shuron, popular band leader and pianist of 214 S. Fremont Ave., is personality choice of the week.

The 19-year-old musician is now playing with a white combine in a downtown club. He has appeared in several local night spots. Shuron studied at the Larry London School of Music here and has been playing the piano since four years old.

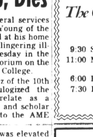
He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Shuron and a member of the Musicians' Protective Union No. 543.

Last Rites Held for Dr. Johnson

WASHINGTON

Funeral services for the late Dr. George A. Johnson, for 35 years a physician in Southwest Washington, were held at the First Baptist Church, last Sunday, with the pastor, the Rev. R. L. Tucker, officiating.

Dr. Johnson died in Freedmen's Hospital following a short illness. He was a graduate of Howard University, which he completed with an M.D. degree in 1914, and devoted his life to service in the Southwest community, residing at 483 K St., S.W.



Dr. Johnson

He was for 40 years an active member of the First Baptist Church, where he served as Sunday school teacher, treasurer, church clerk, trustee and deacon.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Christine Carter Johnson, and a sister, Mrs. Blanche B. Johnson. Interment was at Harmony Cemetery.

Among those participating in the funeral services were the Revs. M. Miller, pastor of the Friendship Baptist Church; B. F. Whiting, J. H. Marshall, J. Harvey Randolph, Clagette Ward, Oliver Smith, and D. L. Miles. Dr. Edward S. Jones, represented the medical society.

George B. Young, AME Bishop, Dies

WACO, Texas—Funeral services for Bishop George B. Young of the AME Church, who died at his home here on Feb. 3 after a lingering illness, were held Wednesday in the George B. Young auditorium on the campus of Paul Quinn College.

Bishop Joseph Gomez of the 10th Episcopal district, eulogized the 84-year-old retired prelate as a Christian gentleman and scholar who devoted his life to the AME church.

Bishop Young, who was elevated to the bishopric in 1934, presided over the 10th Episcopal District until his retirement last May at the General Conference in Kansas City. A native of Texas, Bishop Young spent all of his life in the State except for a 4-year assignment in South Africa.

Bishop Young is survived by his wife, Mrs. George B. Young; three nieces and two nephews, all of Waco.

SOUTH BALTIMORE

Miss Evelyn Girardin, cirriculum specialist, was guest speaker, recently, at the second annual parents meeting of School 121.

Following the speech, which was on "Individual Differences," there was a lively discussion among parents and teachers present.

The 6-A Class of School 117 held its closing exercise recently at Mount Carmel Baptist Church. William Rawlings, supervisor of adult education, was guest speaker.

Mr. Rawlings emphasized the importance of having a purpose in mind if success is to be reached. Mrs. Mary Newton was teacher of the class.

Graduates were:

George Anthony, Donald Coates, Thomas Davis, Richard Glascoe, Walter Hart, Ernest Holmes, Eugene Jones, Bobbie Stanley, Roland Stewart, Phillip Thomas, Patrick Vines, David White, Jesse Watson and Walter Robinson.

THOMMY SHERROD

Misses Shirley Briscoe, Margaret Caway, Mary Carwell, Katie Maymes, Mary Hicks, Rosa Holmes, Ernestine Matthews, Ethel Mickens, Doris Pettiford, Elizabeth Powell, Margaret Richardson, Rue Richardson, Shirley Sewell, Sara Smith, Sylvia Smith, Helen Stokes, Mary Lou Watts and Minnie Nutt.

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Interracial Youth Meeting, Feature of Brotherhood Week

An interfaith, interracial youth meeting will highlight the local observance of Brotherhood Week, Feb. 20 to 27.

It will be the annual Youth Brotherhood Program sponsored by the International Aleph Zadik Aleph Fraternity at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 20 at the YMHA, 305 W. Monument St.

Representing different racial and religious backgrounds, the speakers will be the Rev. C. Baker Pearlie, pastor of Payne AME Church; Dr. Chester Katenkamp, principal of City College, and Rabbi Mordecai I. Soloff of the Board of Jewish Education.

Intended to foster better relations among the youth of all races and religions, the program also will include a film entitled "Make Way for Youth" and music by the "Juvenaires."

Marty Whitman is chairman of the program. Assisting the sponsors are the National Conference of Christians and Jews, the NAACP, the Catholic Youth Organizations, the YM and YWHA's, and the B'nai B'rith Organization.

Wisconsin Housing Covenants Protested

WASHINGTON (ANP)—Clarence Mitchell, labor secretary for the NAACP, this week, strongly protested an FHA enforced restrictive housing covenant in Racine, Wis., for barring homes to 40 colored families, threatened with eviction from the trailers they occupy.

Mitchell indicated in a letter to Raymond M. Foley, administrator of the Housing and Home Finance agency, that the Young Radiator Company, which had brought a number of people to Racine for foundry work during the war, is now attempting to force the government to remove from company owned land trailers housing approximately 40 families.

The NAACP official further pointed out that the only possible alternative housing for these families and for about 100 other families who will be effected if the company is successful, is a cooperative FHA financed housing development in which a restrictive covenant forbids occupancy by colored people. He charged that this covenant "was forced upon those interested in the problem by the

Mrs. Blocker Honored for 40 Years of Service

NEW YORK (NNPA)—A testimonial scroll by Mrs. Sadye C. Williams, a member of the New York State Women's Council, and Mrs. Ruth L. Roberts of the State Board of Social Welfare.

Persons addressing the group included Judge Francis E. Rivers, Mrs. Anna A. Hedgeman, Mrs. Ruth W. Whaley and Dr. Cecil Marques.

Attorney Facing Loss of License

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made by the Bar Association of Baltimore, an organization of white attorneys.

New Yorkers in Picture

The complaint against Mr. Baynham accuses him of trying to obtain Baltimore divorces for persons who are residents of New York.

Mr Baynham who has been practicing since 1922 could not be reached for a statement by press time today.

CLASS PICKS GRIFF DAVIS

NEW YORK—The only colored member, Griffith J. Davis, 25-year-old photographer, has been elected vice-president of his class of 65 in the Graduate School of Journalism at Columbia University.

MT. ZION METHODIST CHURCH
GILMOR and RIGGS AVENUE
9:00 A.M.—CLASS MEETING
9:30 A.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR and HOLY COMMUNION
6:30 P.M.—METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP
8:00 P.M.—PROGRAM—Sub: "MEET THE NEGRO," under auspices Usher Board No. 2.
ALL ARE WELCOME REV. A. H. HAMMOND, Minister

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11:00 A. M.—Sermon, Subj: "The Hand of Jesus in Time of Crisis"
6:00 P. M.—B. T. U.— Mrs. Beulah Barber, Senior Directress.
8:00 P. M.—Sermon by Rev. John L. Leary.
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OPINION

Thomas A. Edwards, Feb. 9, 1949

It often happens that a court trial turns out to mean more than merely a question of guilt or innocence. Great issues have at the best examples of this was the Dred Scott Decision of the U.S. Supreme Court of 1857.

While the Edwards case cannot rightfully be placed in this category, it does have some of the earmarks. It was made to mean more than it should have simply because Maryland has a panel of judges who we assume weighed the facts according to law and justice.

Nothing in this case is as clear as there are people to remember the Edwards case dated back only to last year. It was a simple, straightforward, easy conscience.

Then he added this sober note:

"I realize that the verdict of guilty is a criminal verdict."

The prestige of the Governor and three police organizations (State, Baltimore City and Baltimore County) was at stake.

He mentioned the fact that Baltimore City was at stake because the police for "successful solution of the crime" even before the public knew the accused had been formally charged.

Ferndale, Pikesville and Pale nights of relief that will go up in smoke if after an innocent man is hanged.

This is the note that will be vibrating for too long to come in the mind of some before the verdict was returned.

It was in the mind of some before Edwards's father in this manner:

It should not be this way. It would not have been, but for the fact that Maryland has a Governor who finds it hard to resist playing detective.

Public Confidence and Police Behavior

In dismissing former Patrolman William Copsey from the police force, Wednesday, Commissioner Hamilton R. Atkinson stated that the officer's action "at the type of man to represent the department, but it also has made it hard on the public to have confidence in the police."

The commissioner thereby indicated that disciplinary action will be taken against officers who do not conduct themselves his position in this particular case.

But to state that the dismissed officer's conduct as a member of the police department is "out of line" is putting it mildly. Copsey's conduct not only contributed nothing to bolster public esteem for the department, but it also has made it hard on the public to have confidence in the police.

Such questions will continue to arise until all officers of the Department are made to understand that Commissioner Atkinson can do much to halt this growing public skepticism toward police if he enlarges his statement to include such a promise.

Many are asking whether the shooting were necessary.

Mindszenty vs. Mallard

We are a little confused about all the bowl Americans are raising over the trial and subsequent conviction of Cardinal Mindszenty of Hungary.

We can, of course, readily understand the righteous indignation of Roman Catholics, and the sympathy expressed by Protestants and Jews, in which we also share; but for the life of us we can't understand why people who are so quick to point to the alleged injustices in the Mindszenty case are so slow in condemnation of what some have called the rape of justice in the instance of Robert Mallard.

As true democrats we make no distinction between injustice and abuse done to princelings of the church, temporal power and humble citizens.

When it comes to appraising injustice, it is more expedient to us when a Robert C. Mallard is lynched without cause and ecclesiastical robes are considered a trail than when a wearer of

Robert Mallard was not given a chance and his wife suffered equally as much when supposedly unbiased jurors bring her husband's slayers to justice.

While our salons were stretching their eyes across the land was in the very shadow of the nation's capital, the NAACP, telling her story of murder, terror and injustice.

The Baltimore branch of the NAACP was $800 richer after Sunday's performance, which is about as rich as the local NAACP organization has been in months.

Unity, The Keynote

A Unity, such as is exemplified by Mrs Adams's group, was the theme of the Negro Democratic Women's Club, last night, when Mrs. Mayor B. Alexander, The Mayor, and other officials were present to pay tribute to the group.

Unity was the keynote in the speeches made by the Mayor and other officials.