Morning Star Baptist Honors New Pastor

The Rev. N. H. Wicks (arrow), newly chosen pastor of Morning Star Baptist Church, is shown at an installation banquet held recently in his honor, and attended by some 500 persons. Seated to the pastor's right is his mother; his wife is seated to his left. Held in the church assembly room, the banquet climaxed a two-week observance in honor of the new pastor. Mrs. Armieta Alston was chairmin of the arrangements committee, which included Westly Povell, deacon; Mrs. Iola J. Branch, secretary, and Mrs. Louise Robinson, treasurer. (Photo by Smith)

Two Services Held for World War I Vet

Chapel services for Samuel Crage, who died Aug. 1, were held at his home, 805 N. Gilmor St. Aug. 3, by his comrades of Federal Post No. 19, and Thompson-Miller Post No. 9527, VFW.

Mr. Crage, a veteran of WORLD War 1, died at Fort Howard Hospital. His funeral services were held at the Kelson Funeral Home last Friday, Aug. 4. His wife, Mrs. Marie Crage, and one stepson, survive.

Present at the services were Commander Julius Bowley, Jerome Fonsica, Howard Walker, Clarence Brown, John D. Wilson and Samuel Harriday, VFW members; Mesdames Corenna Wilson an Irene Harriday of the Post auxiliary.

50 MILLION IN INSURANCE DRAFTED BY FIRMS IN '48

There are approximatey 15 million colored Americans, and during the year 1948 there was drafted in colored-managed insurance companies over 50 million dollars.

Church Leaders Discuss Role in Eliminating Bias

How to Help Open Community Facilities to All, Get FEPC Is Topic at Lincoln U.

OXFORD, Pa. — The role of local churches in eliminating racial segregation in all community facilities and in achieving fair employment practices, are among the topics being discussed at the second Institute on Racial and Cultural Relations at Lincoln University, Aug. 7-11.

Dr. Irvin W. Underhill Jr., minister, Presbyterian Church, U.S.A., wil deliver the keynote address. The Rev. William H. McConaghy, director, Institute on Racial and Cultural Relations of the Presbyterian Church, U.S.A. is dean of the Institute.

Knowledge, techniques, and experiences gained by local ministers in leading their churches actually to become racially inclusive will be shared with the group by:

Dr. James H. Robinson, Church of the Master, New York City; the Rev. Arnold J. Dahlquist, St. Mark's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Flushing, L.I.; the Rev. Luther Cunningham, St. Paul's Baptist Church, Philadelphia; and Mrs. Harold J. Richardson, Eliot Congregational Church, Roxbury, Mass.

The conference represent 12 denominations, four local councils of churches, six church-related agencies, and six community organizations.

Other Participants

Other leaders in attendance are:

Dr. J. Oscar Lee, executive secretary, department of race relations, Federal Council of Churches; Dr. Jesse Barber, dean of the Seminary, Lincoln University, Pa.; Richard Bignett, director, community division, American Friends Service Committee;

Miss Florence Kite, American Friends Service Committee; Dr. Herbert Haskam, religious director, Fellowship House; Dr. Frank Loescher, director, Philadelphia FEPC; Dr. A. W. Gottschalk, director, National Conference of Christians and Jews; Dr. E. Fay Campbell, division of higher education, Presbyterian Church, U.S.A.;

Plans for Baptist Convention Set

20,000 Visitors May Attend Philly Session

PHILADELPHIA

The coming session of the National Baptist Convention, U.S.A. Inc., which will attract some 20,000 visitors to this city, will bring also an important builder and religious leader, Dr. A. M. Townsend, secretary of the Sunday School Publishing Board, Nashville, Tenn.

Under the leadership of Dr. Townsend, the convention has built and equipped a $2,000,000 publishing house in Nashville and is currently supplying some 15,000 churches with Sunday School literature and song books.

Dr. Townsend has served the convention for 25 years. He is currently heading the Bath House project which the convention has undertaken at Hot Springs, Ark.

Appeal for Space

The local Entertainment Committee for the convention, Dr. H. T. McCrary, chairman, has completed plans for the meeting which will be held at Convention Hall and Irvine Auditorium, Sept. 5-10.

Appeals are being made to all the people of Philadelphia who have space in their homes for delegates to contact the Rev. C. M. Smith, chairman of the Housing Committee, at Wayland Temple Baptist Church, 25th St. and Columbia Ave.

Catonsville Matron Hostess at Natal Party

By SAMUEL TORSELL

CATONSVILLE Md. — Mrs. Carrie Scott, 131 Winters Ave., was hostess at a party on her birthday, Aug. 3. Present were Mr. and Mrs. John Brown Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ash, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. William Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. William Jenison, Mr. and Mrs. John Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Mack, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Saunders, Mrs. Francis Pye and Dorothy Hayes.

Miss Mary Jackson will be soloist Sunday morning at Grace Church. Oden Williams of Newark, N.J., returned Sunday after spending two weeks visiting his sister, Miss Mamie Williams and Mr. Ida Torsell. Crescent Lodge of Elks Band will participate in the Aug. 22 parade in Chicago with Brother Frank Ed Ellis, Monumental City Lodge, and Ellis Frederick City won first prize Sunday in the Organization Day parade.

Eulogy Day will be observed Monday, Sept. 4, at the home of Mrs. Alice Hatcher. Mrs. Ada Carroll and Mrs. Carma Howard of Washington was the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Roger Goodell of Philadelphia were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Smith. Stanely Squirrell of Philadelphia spent the week end visiting his uncle, Thomas Squirrell.

Workers Told to Add Skills Because of New Labor Field

WASHINGTON

Stepped-up production and the intensive mobilization of manpower which seems imminent should be a warning to minority group members to improve and add to their skills, Mrs. Thomasina J. Norford said here this week.

Mrs. Norford is minority group consultant for the United States Employment Service. She returned recently from an assignment on the West Coast, where she noted that shipbuilding and aeroplane building are increasing rapidly as a result of the Korean war.

In Midwest industrial centers also, mounting defense orders and industrial expansion are beginning to create a shortage of skilled workers, although no general labor shortage has developed thus far.

Skill an Asset

"Anyone with a skill will be able to use it," declared Mrs. Norford, adding that it is unfortunate that members of the race have often passed up mechanical and industrial skills in the pursuit of the professions.

"One job is as good as another," she declared. "Getting trained — thoroughly trained — is what matters."

Too many young women, she pointed out, seek office jobs and content themselves with simply learning how to type, instead of also mastering shorthand which would increase their job security as well as their pay checks.

She also cited the plight of former war workers, who became skilled in one operation, such as a particular kind of welding, and then found that mastering this one operation alone was not sufficient to help them get or hold a job in industry.

Never Too Old to Learn

Mrs. Norford furthermore urged older people to disabuse themselves of the notion that they cannot learn and apply new skills.

Since 1940 the number of persons 55 years and over in the population has increased by five and one-third million. While persons of this age used to be only about one-seventh of the population, they are now one-sixth of the total.

Persons in this age group will also find more job opportunities open to them as the labor market tightens under the impact of the defense program, Mrs. Norford said.

She urged wider use of night-school classes and courses such as those offered by the YMCA, YWCA, and other organizations.

She also said that community leaders should be alert, as vocational opportunities open, to see that training programs are available to minority group members.

Jury Demands to Open Up New Jobs

PHILADELPHIA

The July grand jury presentment handed to Judge Joseph L. Kun on the House of Correction and the Home for the Delinquent may provide new job opportunities for colored Philadelphians, it was learned last week by the AFRO.

After a study of conditions at the correctional institutions, including the Pennypack House for Juveniles, the grand jury recommended the appropriation of additional funds to provide more guards and attendants, as well as better facilities.

B. J. Groller, chief of the Bureau of Charities and Correction, who has charge of the institutions located in Holmesburg, was praised by the jury for doing a job "in the face of difficulties."

When Groller took over the tax-supported institution last year, there was only one colored employee, an electrician. Today there are 15 colored employees among the 177 now working in the program.

One physicim serves as senior resident doctor; while there are two colored matrons, three colored guards and eight attendants in addition to the electrician.

There are 900 men and women in the Delinquent Home and 980 men and women in the House of Correction. Approximately 55% of the inmates in the Correction House are colored; while slightly more than 50% of the Delinquent Homes residents also are colored.

The current operating budget approximates $675,000 for the institutions.

Observers feel that if the additional funds are made available on the basis of Groller's development policies, several additional colored employees from the Frankford-Holmesburg area will be added to the city payroll.

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In Balto. Churches

The Rev. N. H. Wicks was installed as pastor of Morning Star Baptist Church after two weeks of services conducted at the church by various ministers from in and out of the State.

Following the services the congregation honored him at a reception.

The Rev. Mr. Wicks served under the late Morning Star minister, the Rev. George J. Garnett, for 16 years, six of which he was a deacon. He was assistant pastor and field missionary for four years and acting pastor for nine months.

He was unanimously elected pastor of the church by 900 officers and members on Mar. 1, 1950. A product of Middlesex County, Va., he a graduate of Morgan State College.

Bus Trip to Pa. Planned

The Senior Choir of Falls Rd. ME Church is sponsoring a bus trip to Hanover, Pa., Saturday, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Louise Scott.

On Sunday, at Falls Rd., the Senior and Junior Usher Boards will give a program at 3:30 p.m. The Rev. J. W. Cashen is pastor.

Douglas Memorial Community Church has a credit union under the direction of Arthur Sharps, president. The union has a loan and savings department for members of the church. The Rev. M. C. Bascom is pastor.

District Conference Held

The 59th session of the South Baltimore District of the Washington Annual Methodist Conference opened on July 26, at St. John Church, Lusby, Md.

The closing service was Sunday, July 30 at which time the Rev. F. J. Frye, district superintendent, delivered the closing message.

The Rev. Mr. Frye gave communion to over 150 persons on Thursday. During the conference more than 1500 persons attended.

Heading the leadership training school were the Rev. J. J. Barnes, the Old Testament; the Rev. E. A. Haynes, the discipline; Mrs. Belle Holt, the Women's Society for Christian Service; and Mrs. J. J. Barnes, the work of the small church. Dean of the school was the Rev. S. J. Mack.

Speakers Named

Some of the speakers were:

The Rev. Levi B. Miller, conference executive secretary; the Rev. A. P. Shaw, presiding bishop; the Rev. Charles V. Smith;

Mrs. Kelly L. Jackson, jurisdictional secretary, Missionary Education of the Woman's Society of Christian Service; Prof. George Crawford, assistant superintendent, county schools of the State of Maryland; the Rev. C. S. Harper, Dr. R. H. Johnson, pensions and relief;

Dr. Kelly L. Jackson, board of education; Dr. E. A. Love, board of missions and church extension; the Rev. J. O. Williams, superintendent, Baltimore area; the Rev. A. H. Whitfield and Garrett Rawlings, N. M. Carroll Home;

Mrs. Elvira Bond and Mrs. Edna Rawlings, the Golden Cross; the Rev. N. T. Key, the board of evangelism; the Rev. R. H. Chase, Sr., the Rev. E. A. Haynes and the Rev. S. R. Bennett. B. Milton Hargrove was official reporter.

A reception was given for Bishop and Mrs. A. P. Shaw and the district superintendent and wife, the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Frye. There was also an outing, which included boating and fishing on the Chesapeake Bay.

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11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
3:00 P. M.—HOLY COMMUNION
8:00 P. M.—EVANGELISTIC SERVICE.

ALL ARE WELCOME REV. E. W. WILLIAMS, Pastor

ISRAEL BAPTIST CHURCH

ORLEANS AND BETHEL STREETS

9:30 A. M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
3:00 P. M.—SERVICE IN CHARGE OF THE JUBILEE CHORUS.
6:00 P. M.—YOUNG PEOPLE'S MEETING.
8:00 P. M.—ANNUAL SERMON TO THE JUBILEE CHORUS —by Rev. S. J. Smith.

ALL ARE WELCOME REV. EDMOND D. MEADE, Pastor

CONCORD BAPTIST CHURCH

FRANKLIN and POPPLETON STS.

9:45 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON DELIVERED BY THE PASTOR.
6:00 P. M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
8:00 P. M.—EVENING WORSHIP.

COMMUNION EVERY 1st SUNDAY — 3 P. M.

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PASTOR'S AID DAY

REV. WARD D. YERBY, Pastor

9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
10:30 A. M.—OPEN HEART SERVICE.
11:00 A. M.—COMMUNION — Pastor's subject: "THE MEANING OF THE LORD'S SUPPER."
3:00 P. M.—SERVICES IN LAFAYETTE SQUARE—REV. EARL HOLMES WILL PREACH.
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DEATHS

HENRY CATHEY

Henry Cathey of 1517 E. Preston St., died at his home July 31. His funeral services were held at the Union Baptist Church, Wednesday. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Gertrude Cathey; another, two daughters, one son, two sisters and one son-in-law. Interment was in Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

MRS. HARRIETT GREEN

Mrs. Harriett Green of 114 N. Fremont Ave. died Aug. 3. Final rites were held at St. John Methodist Church, Patapsco Park, Md., Tuesday. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Maggie Hardy; one son, Harry Green, one sister, two brothers and 19 grandchildren, also 14 great-grandchildren.

MRS. FLORENCE FAISON

Funeral services for Mrs. Florence C. Faison of 2509 Woodbrook Ave., who died Aug. 3, were held at Evergreen AME Church, Tuesday. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Crawford; one sister, Mrs. Ella Bacon; one brother, Jesse Crawford; two sons and two daughters. Interment was in Western Star Cemetery.

MRS. MARY E. BROWN

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary E. Brown, who died in New York Aug. 3, will be held Sunday at 2 p.m. at the New Hope Baptist Church. Her remains are at the home of her daughter Mrs. Vashti Stokes of 1442 N. Appleton St. Besides Mrs. Stokes, she is survived by two other daughters, Mesdames Mary C. Tyler and Margo Johnson; one son, George Brown, and one son-in-law, the Rev. W. N. Stokes, all of Baltimore. Interment will be in Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

WILLIAM SMITH

Final rites for William Smith of 803 W. Lanvale St., husband of Mrs. Etta Smith, who died Aug. 3, were held Thursday from the Williams funeral home. One step-daughter, Mrs. Ethel Cook, also survives. Interment was in Mt. Auburn Cemetery.

Judge Slater Among 33 Judgeship Candidates

CHICAGO (NNPA)— Municipal Court Judge Fred Slater, former Iowa star football player, is among 33 candidates whose qualifications for judgeships are before the Committee on Federal Judiciary and Candidates of the Chicago Bar Association.

Rev. Yerby to Conduct Perkins Square Service

The Rev. Ward D. Yerby, his choir and congregation of Perkins Square Baptist Church will conduct services at 5 p.m., Sunday, in Lafayette Square.

The open air services are sponsored by the West Baltimore Community Evangelistic Association.

Orchard Street Methodist Church

Orchard St. near Druid Hill Ave.

11:00 A. M.—Sermon by Rev. Mrs. Jessie Holiday.
2:30 P. M.—Church School.
8:00 P.M.—Preaching.

REV. J. J. BARNES, Pastor

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH

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9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
8:00 P. M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR and HOLY COMMUNION.

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11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY REV. ANGUS A. SMITH.
3:30 P. M.—SPECIAL SERVICE BY THE WOMEN'S CHOIR AND SERMON BY REV. SMITH.
8:00 P. M.—EVENING WORSHIP.

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9:30 A. M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
3:00 P. M.—PASTOR, CHOIRS and CONGREGATION Worship at Fountain Baptist Church in Communion Service.
8:00 P. M.—PROGRAM BY SENIOR CHOIR No. 2.

ALL ARE WELCOME REV. SIMON WILLIAMSON, Pastor

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COMMUNION

9:30 A. M.—Church School.
10:45 A. M.—Children's Church.
11:00 A. M.—Sermon by the Pastor. Subject: "Spiritual Surgery."
8:00 P. M.—Preaching.

REV. KELLY L. JACKSON, Minister

SHARP ST. MEM. METHODIST CHURCH

DOLPHIN AND ETTING STREETS

9:45 A. M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—MORNING WORSHIP—Sermon by Rev. Howard L. Cornish.

WE WELCOME YOU REV. JOSHUA O. WILLIAMS, Minister

Mount Zion Methodist Church

GILMOR STREET and RIGGS AVENUE

9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR and HOLY COMMUNION.
8:00 P. M.—REV. HARRY DIXON, CHOIR AND CONGREGATION OF THE SYKESVILLE CHARGE WILL WORSHIP WITH US.

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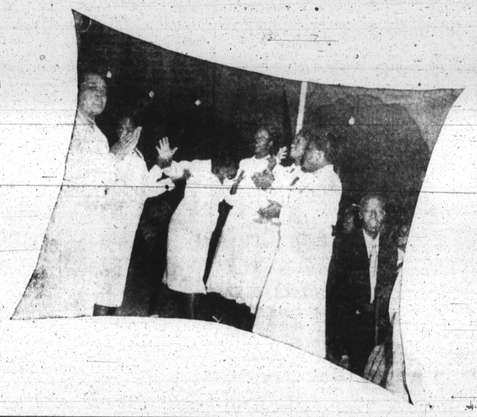

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