Mrs. Ross Observes 113th Birthday Without Fanfare

Mrs. Annie Camphor Ross sat on the side of her bed on her 113th birthday Monday and confessed that the secret of long life is merely staying alive.

Though she has cut quite a few noteworthy capers since reaching the century mark, she now confines her activities to reading a little, watching television and resting.

When she was only 109 or so years old, she use to thread needles without her eyeglasses; dance jigs, recall tales of her ancestors concerning Abraham Linclon, George Washington and a distant cousin friend, Harriet Tubman. But now she's getting on up in age and has to take it easy.

How Has Heart Trouble

In good health for 112 years, she developed heart trouble last June and has been confined mostly to her upstairs room at 808 Druid Hill ave. She's even on a no-salt diet after all the years of eating what she pleased.

"I'm feeling right good for an old woman," Mrs. Ross declared Monday. But as for the secret of living a long life, well, she just didn't have any.

And there was no birthday celebration this year like there was in 1951 and the years before that.

Born in 1839 in Madison, Dorchester county, Mrs. Ross has outlived two husbands and an only daughter. She now lives with a niece, Mrs. Emma Jones.

Doram-Wheatley Newlyweds Dined In California

Dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. John R. Williams at the Williams' residence, 3622 S. Arlington avenue, Los Angeles, Calif., in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Doran who are now housed in their new Kenisten avenue home in the ultra fashionable Wilshire Boulevard district. Reading left to right are Mrs. John R. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Doran, John R. Williams and Dr. and Mrs. Charles Mitchell Morris. Mrs. Doran was formerly Mrs. Laura Wheatley of Baltimore, Md., who had consistently denied that she and Mr. Doran, who is more than 20 years her junior, were married since the AFRO broke the story several months ago. She is the widow of Dr. J. Edward Wheatley and posessor of wide real estate holdings in Maryland.

Quieting Down—At 113

Airman Milton Roberts Training In Wyoming

Airman Third Class Milton Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Swailet of 668 Sarah Ann st., is presently training as an Air Force technician at the USAF Technical school at Warren Air Base, Wyoming.

An historic farmer cavalry post outside Cheyenne, the base is the Air Force's site for training young airmen in air "specialties. Besides clerical skills, the schools at the base train mechanics, powermen, electricians, teletype operators and repairmen.

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Mrs. Annie Ross of 808 Druid Hill ave., celebrated her 113th birthday quietly at her home Monday. In the years before, she threw birthday parties, exhibited her vigor, and spun historic remembrances for friends and newspapermen. At 113, she's beginning to feel her age, she revealed Monday.

New GI Bill Gives Korea Vets Schooling

Veterans with service anywhere in the world since the start of the Korean conflict, June 27, 1950, now may apply for education and training under the new Korean GI Bill, Mr. E. McGinnis, acting regional manager of the Veterans Administration, announced today.

Although post-Korean veterans may submit completed application forms now, VA cannot pay educational allowances for training for any period that begins prior to Aug. 20, 1952.

PVTS. RINGGOLD, HALL AND TATE IN ALABAMA

Mrs. Gladys Ringgold, 2410 Pennsylvania ave.; Pvt. Thomas L. Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hall of Pasadena, Md., and Pvt. Calvin Tate, son of Mrs. Elsie Tate of 1212 Druid Hill ave., have completed basic training at the Chemical Replacement Training Center, at Fort McClellan, Ala.

They completed eight weeks training in general military subjects and eight additional weeks of specialized training in Chemical warfare.

The Spanish fleet was destroyed in Cuba on July 3, 1898.

Mrs. Wheatley Still Hedges, But Picture Indicates Union

LOS ANGELES — The well-to-do Mrs. Laura J. Wheatley, widow of a Baltimore physician, the late Dr. Edward Wheatley, is now Mrs. Tony Dorams, confirming an AFRO story to that effect which was first published four months ago.

Mrs. Wheatley, who belies her years, and the 30-odd-year-old former automobile salesman, also formerly of Baltimore, were reportedly married in Mexico, but the story went unconfirmed when she denied that a ceremony had taken place. In the meantime she returned to Baltimore home into apartments and moved to this city.

She told an AFRO reporter that she and two women had purchased a place here.

Reached from Baltimore, by phone Monday, Mrs. Doram told the AFRO that she had no comment to make. She did not, however, deny the marriage report.

MORGAN ALUMNI TO MEET ON WEDNESDAY

A Morgan College general alumni meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday at the Druid Hill YMCA.

Dr. D. O. W. Holmes, president emeritus, will be featured on the program. Dr. Eugene Byrd is alumni president.

Says Woman Taxi Driver Tired Of Marriage

His wife exercised a woman's prerogative and changed her mind about being married to him, Perry Shando of 1520 Presstman st., Harman 2/c, charged, this week, as he obtained a divorce from Mrs. Gloria Shando, taxi cab driver.

Airman Shands testified that he and Mrs Shands were married on July 21, 1950, and that they separated four months later; after she had remained away from home for four days without explanation.

When he asked where she had been, he said that she refused to tell him, adding that she had changed her mind about being married, rnyway.

Harry Cole was attorney for the husband.

Husband Also Uncertain

On the other hand, Myers Shannon, of the Bronx, N.Y., didn't have to change his mind, according to his wife, Mrs. Geraldine Shannon, Department of Public Welfare worker, who lives at 2203 W. North ave.

They only lived together five days after the ceremony on Sept. 15, 1950, Mrs. Shannon said, he kept saying that he certainly hadn't wanted to be married and kept wondering how he happened to get married, the wife testified. Robert B. Watts was attorney for Mrs. Shannon.

Cruelty Charged

Mrs. Pauline Scott, 223 Mondford ave., charged her husband, George Scott, 1504 E. Madison st., with cruelty in the suit which won a divorce for her this week. She said that they lived together from Nov 7, 1942 until Aug. 20, 1952. During the whole of the marriage he beat her, she said, but kept promising to do better. All the time he grew worse, she plaintively added.

Mrs. Scott was represented by Roy S. Bond, attorney.

Mr. Bond also represented Mrs. Coretta Farmer of 222 Washington st., Mt. Vernon, N.Y., who divorced Alexander Farmer, 1518 N. Mount st. on grounds of desertion, and Nathaniel Bostic, 744 Pennsylvania ave. Mrs. Pauline Bostin of Wilmington, N.C.

Radio Operator Tops In Japan

A/1C James Ringold, has been stationed in Tokyo since June, 1951, assigned to the 1986th Airways and Air Communications Service.

He has been working as a radio teletype relay operator, and an operations clerk for Station JAP.

Stations JAP is the nerve of Air Force Communications relay stations for the Far East. Here messages processes, by radio and landline teletype, approximately 30,000,000 words per month. These messages consist of administrative, operational and emergency traffic between the United States and the Far East.

Attended Cambridge School

Before entering the service, he attended the F. D. R. Clair High School, Cambridge, Md. His last stateside assignment was in Oklahoma City, where he worked as a teletype operator in the Airways and Air Communications Service there.

Airman Ringold will be returning to the States early next winter. After a visit with his mother, Mrs. Roxanna Ringold, who is living in Baltimore, he hopes to follow his musical interests, by joinging a dance band.

He is an expert with the sticks and skins, and plans to use this ability to see more of the United States.

Aside from his music, Ringold has also been pursuing the hobby of cabinet making, using the facilities of the Far East Air Forces hobby shop. He recently made a combination radio phonograph cabinet for his room in the barracks.

Jones Bids For Secret Ballot In Poll For Grand

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. — Herbert Jones, candidate for grand exalted ruler, declared Monday that he will defeat Robert Johnson of Philadelphia in the race for grand exalted rules if Mr. Johnson will follow the "rules" an permit the convention delegates to

Stainless steel needs little care vote by secret ballot.

Jones said convention rules require that the voting for Grand Lodge officers be done by secret ballot, and that he will press for enforcement of this ruling.

Many of the delegates agreed that the manner in which the voting is carried out on the convention floor will have much to do with the election results, especially in race for grand exalted ruler.

Those who hold such a view point to the behavior of the Grand Lodge and the reluctance of many small Elks to stand up in the convention floor and oppose a Grand Lodge program.

Perry Howard, grand legal advisor, told the AFRO that convention rules that the voting for Grand Lodge officers be done by secret ballot, and that he will press for enforcement of this ruling.

7 D. C. Hotels Open Doors For APA

WASHINGTON (ANP) — Some 5,000 psychologists are expected in Washington, D.C. this week for the 60th annual meeting of the American Psychological Association. President J. McV. Hunt heads the body.

The meeting rooms of the Statler and Mayflower hotels are reserved for the huge scientific meetings of APA.

However, the American Psychological, professional and official publication of the Association, listed on its pages application blanks for reservations in advance only seven hotels (available to its membership) which agreed to reserve space without regard to race, creed or color on a non-segregational basis.

The Ambassador, Burlington, Lee House, Mayflower, Raleigh, Statler and the Willard are the seven in Washington operating for all. The APA Housing Bureau is therefore accepting reservations only for the aforementioned hotels for attendees at the convention.

Prominent can psychologists, Dr. Herman G. Canady, Doctors Kenneth and M. Mayme Clark and Dr. Carol Cotton are among those expected to make their contributions to the scientific sessions.

199 D.C. SCHOOLS TO ADD FOREIGN LANGUAGES

WASHINGTON — French, Spanish and German will be taught in "20-minute classes" in practically all of the District of Columbia's 199 grade schools this fall, Dr. Carl F. Hanson, superintendent of elementary schools, announced this week.

South Balto. News

BY GEORGE W. E. HILL

Mrs. Henrietta Miller of Columbus, Ohio, was the house guest recently of Mr. and Mrs. William Polk, 2636 Huron st.

While in the city they also visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hill, of 2520 Huron st.

The Rev. William A. Bell, pastor of the Mount Olive AME Church Long Green, Md., left the city Tuesday to attend the Young People's Convocation at Kittrell College.

Attending Convention

William Campers, 314 W. Cross st., Sgt and Mrs. James Smith and their son Larry are attending the Shriner's Convention in Indianapolis.

The parents of the southside community, extend appreciation to the AFRO-AMERICAN newspapers this week for sponsoring the recent outing at Beechwood Park.

The Flower Circle of the Star of Bethelehem AME Church, features their annual excursion to Washington recently.

Circle Officers

President of the organization is Mrs. Nettie Gardner; Secretary, Mrs. Charlotte Hill. The Rev. W. R. Chew is pastor of the church.

As a result of the accidental death of a South Baltimore youth recently, the city has stepped up its program to erect a playground in the area.

Work began this week on the playground which is to be located in the 600 block of Waters st.

Committee Responsible

A committee headed by Mrs. Elizabeth Mitchell was instrumental in the erection of the playground.

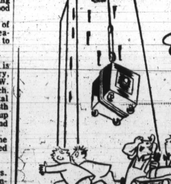
John H. Johnson, one of South Baltimore's oldest citizens, opened a new store in the 900 block of Ridgley st. recently.

The piano students of Mrs. Sarah J. Bundy, held a picnic at Druid Hill Park on Aug. 16.

Pupils present were: Gloria Turner, Carolyn Smith, Nellie Johnson, Carolyn Robinson, Joan Robinson, Patricia Robinson, Ada Smith, Helen Bowles, Naomi Smith and Phyllis Taylor.

Also Janice Taylor, James Taylor, Joyce Williams, Richard Williams, Steve Williams, Beverly Griffin, Constance Cash, Doris Cash, Charles Lee, Beverly J. Orr, Loraine Orr, Saundra Woods, Harold Turner, Barbara Orr, Louise [illegible], and Charles Smith.

Mrs. Bundy will present a musical festival on Sept. 12, at the Madison ave. YWCA.



"Hey Mike, drop the safe and pick up this Good Humor order before it melts!"

AFRO Salesman

Willie Rose who marked his 44th birthday anniversary Monday, is a veteran AFRO salesman, having sold the paper since he was five years of age.

Medic Says Colored People Have Better Hearts Than White

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (ANP)—Believed in white supremacy have come in for a good deal of ribbing lately in South Africa's English-language press.

A lecturer in anthropology at Witwatersand University here, Dr. M. D. W. Jeffreys, stated publicly that the colored man has a better heart than the white man and that he is nearer the true human type.

The anthropologist was quoted as saying that a number of colored people hearts have a large extra branch from the left coronary artery. "In other words," he went on, "the colored man heart has a better blood supply. The European heart is a mammalian one, whereas the colored man's an advance, an improvement."

TAXES CERTAIN LABOR DAY BUT DEATH CAN BE AVOIDED

The Labor Day week-end will be no holiday from taxes, but death can be avoided, A. G. Beitel, manager of the Keystone Automobile Club commented in urging motorists to take extra care in the three-day motoring spree.

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Gary, Ind. Youth Wins Elks $1,000 Speech Contest

ATLANTIC CITY — Nineteen-year-old Edward Robinson of Gary, Ind., won first prize in the Elks National oratorical contest, Monday evening, before 2,500 delegates who packed the Senior High School for the event.

Second prize in the contest sponsored by the fraternal group's educational department under Com. George W. Lee of Memphis, went to 18-year-old James Lattimore, Tulsa, Okla. Both will share a $150 check which served as a final bonus prize to the winners, in addition to the $1,000 scholarship which all contestants received upon qualifying for the finals after winning their regional contests.

Both of the winners discussed The U.S. Constitution." Robinson is one of four children, a graduate of Frobel High School, Gary.

He has been offered a scholarship to Wilberforce but has not accepted as yet. Lattimore has already been accepted at the University of Indiana. He is the son of Mrs. Maria Lattimore.

Young Dads Admit Burglary Attempt

Two young fathers pleaded guilty to charges of attempted burglary, Monday, in Criminal Court. One of the men, Joseph Ward, 23, 1906 block Orleans st. was already on probation on an 18-month sentence for burglary.

The father of four children, Ward was sentenced to 2 years in the House of Correction by Judge Emory H. Niles who also ordered his probation stricken out. The sentences will be served concurrently.

Dad Of Three

Ward's partner, Melvin Taylor, 22, and father of three children, was not sentenced Monday. A probation report was requested on him.

The two men were arrested on August 16 around 12:30 a.m. as they attempted to enter a store at the 700 block E. Monument st.

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Walking Fish Seen On Beach Near Kingston, Jamaica

KINGSTON, Jamaica— (ANP) — The public was thrilled last week when a school of mackerel and bonito came to shore at Port Morant, Bay, west ashtat for some days this month, when tourists and Jamaicans heard that a fish was walking flat fishes, a familiar tourist on the white sand of the sea beaches.

Crowds raced down and stood barefooted in the coral to satisfy their curiosity. It was true The walking fish which is listed in natural history under the name Antennarius Hispidus, was doubted by scientists until many years ago, zoologists have looked one in the Indian Ocean.

Tyler To be Sentenced On Tuesday For Guilt In Slaying Of Coed

WASHINGTON

Donald N. Tyler, 22-year-old Howard University pharmacy student, of the 2400 block of First st., nw, who pleaded guilty on July 22 to the second-degree murder of a 19-year-old coed, will be sentenced by Judge Alexander Holtzoff in District Court, Tuesday.

Tyler entered the guilty plea after two St. Elizabeth's psychologists declared him sane following a lengthy examination.

He faces a jail sentence for the Feb. 18th slaying of Janet E. King, a sophomore pharmacy student, from Rutherfordton, N. C.

Medic's Death Cheats Prison

Dr. R. W. Ross Dies In Admission Process

SOUTHERN PINES, N.C. — Contrite, his guilt admitted, he was given three to five years in prison, but didn't serve a minute.

That, in a nutshell, sums up the tragic case of Dr. W. H. Ross, 44, prominent physician in this famous resort town, who died Saturday in Central prison, Raleigh, less than 15 minutes after he had been admitted to begin serving his sentence.

Carried to the state prison in an ambulance Saturday, accompanied by Deputy Sheriff A. W. Lamber, he was removed into the prison examination room on a stretcher. While awaiting examination by prison physicians, he fell to the floor, stricken fatally by a heart attack.

Doctor, Court Disagree

Dr. R. W. McMillan, who attended the ailing physician up until the time he was sentenced, reportedly informed the court that Dr. Ross's physicians were in urging bout that he would survive the trip from the court to his home.

He was, nevertheless, sent on to prison on order of the court.

Following Dr. Ross's death, Judge J. V. Bless Jr., reportedly expressed his regrets by saying that he would not have sentenced the man had he known of his condition, saying he had asked Dr. McMillan to advise the court of these facts.

He quoted Dr. McMillan as telling him that Dr. Ross "might live for months, even years."

Such a statement from Dr. McMillan would have been widely at variance with his sworn testimony in open court. He said that when Dr. Ross's condition as "serious" and expressed the opinion it would not be a good risk to bring him into court for sentencing.

Judge Ignores Advice

In spite of the doctor's testimony, however, Judge Bless ordered W. D. Sabiston, counsel for Dr. Ross, to produce his client in court. He was brought in on a stretcher, walked to the bench and stood to receive his sentence.

Mrs. Ross told reporters that Internal Revenue Bureau agents had taken both of the physician's automobiles and frozen his funds in the bank within the past 30 days.

The physician's attorneys entered the plea of insanity in court last May in Superior Court, but obtained a stay of judgment in his case until the present term. Dr. Ross was sentenced last week in Moore County Superior Court.

Dr. Ross admitted having performed the illegal operation on the woman following his arrest last spring, explaining that he had been away from his practice for several months because of illness and was in need of money, otherwise he would have turned her down.

Wife Stands By Him

In his testimony before the court, Dr. McMillan said that Dr. Ross was suffering from a critical heart condition. The defendant was carried up the steps at the courthouse in a wheelchair, walked into the courtroom, followed by his family, and was used crutches due to a fractured ankle.

Spectators and court officials alike who recalled the robust Dr. Ross exactly 7 months ago was tried and acquitted in May, 1951, for alleged mal practice in connection with the death of Mrs. Ruth McCrimmon, a colored patient, couldn't believe it was the same man last week.

At the time of his sentencing last week, he looked wasted away to approximately 150 pounds, in spite of his emaciated appearance, however, when he faced Judge Bless for sentence, the judge commented:

"Five years is not enough for an abortion."

Blind Man Escapes Fire Without Help

ATLANTA, Ga. (ANP)—A tense minute drama was enacted recently, when a blind man groped his way to safety from the blaze-filled corridor of his upstairs apartment, while neighbors desperately tried to reach him.

Buster McStill said he was listening to his radio when he suddenly smelled smoke, but paid little attention to it until he heard crys from below of "Save that blind man."

However, when the odor became persistently stronger he knew the building was on fire. At first he attempted to leave by the front. But when he felt the heat from the blaze, he reversed and took the back steps to safety. McStill said that even after he reached the ground he still heard cries of "save that blind man."

The fire damaged several rooms of the building owned by Louis Silverlord, proprietor of a store on the ground floor.The cause has not been determined.

50 Altar Bound In Salisbury

Persons From Six States Among Group

SALISBURY, Md. — Fifty persons from six states and the District of Columbia were married in a stream of ceremonies here during the month of July.

Of these 9 were Marylanders, six came from New York City, five from Philadelphia, four from Virginia four from Delaware and one each from North Carolina and Pennsylvania.

The list follows:

CANE-SUTTON — Edward, 22, and Mary E., 18, both of Crisfield, Md.
FINEY-ALLEN — Ray N., 21, and Geneva E., 18, both of Oxencock, Va.
HICKEY-OTEY — Lacey T., 23, and Helen F., 23, both Princess Anne, Md.
CANE-SUTTON — Hornlee W., 20, Marion Station, Md., and Bobbie L., 18, Crisfield, Md.
BAGWELL-WISE — Harold, 8, and Ruth, 17, both of Philadelphia, Pa.
APPLEBY-BROWN — Henry L., 25, and Gertie M., 18, both Salisbury, Md.
PURNESS-TOWNSEND — Russell C., 42, and Blanche T., 36, both Salisbury, Md.
BOON-YOUNG — Nagelieth H., 20, Newport News, Va., and Frank J., 20, BOONE-CROCKETT — Boyd and Sarah, both of Pocomoke City, Md.
GASKIN-HALL — Thomas L., 24, and Sylvia M., 20, both Salisbury, Md.
MACHO-HOCHROTH — Frank J., 30, and Chee J., 28, both NYC.
WILSON-COTTMAN — Modic, 69, Thelma, 19, both Philadelphia.
TRUITT-TYLER — Charles, 21, and Gladiola, 19, both Salisbury, Md.
CUMBO-WILLIAMS — Sam L., 50, and Mary C., 18, both of Mardela Springs, Md.
DONIA-CLAY — Ralph, 21, and Sylvia N., 20, both Quantico, Md.
BOWEN-PRICE — William J., 21, and Mary E., 18, both Salisbury, Md.
GIBBS-KNIGHT — Arthur R., 21, and Ruth, 18, both Salisbury, Md.
SCOTT-PERNELL — Henry, 21, Baltimore, Md., and Sally M., 18, Salisbury, Md.
WHITE-MARLOWE — James, 36, and Ruth, 30, both Salisbury, Md.
VICKERS-BAZEMORE — Joshua, 55, and Ethel, 45, both Philadelphia, Pa.
BEER-BLACKMAN — John T., 35, Philadelphia; and Stella C., 41, Salisbury, Md.
BRIGGS-CARTER — James, 55, and Viola, 48, both Salisbury, Md.
MASON-DYE — Thomas W., 21, and Carolyn B., 18, both Fruitland, Md.
TAYLOR-TYLER — Charles, 21, and Salisbury, Md., and Chee J., 28, Washington, D.C.
LUCAS-WILLIAMS — Sam L., 50, and Mary C., 18, both of Mardela Springs, Md.
DONIA-CLAY — Ralph, 21, and Sylvia N., 20, both Quantico, Md.
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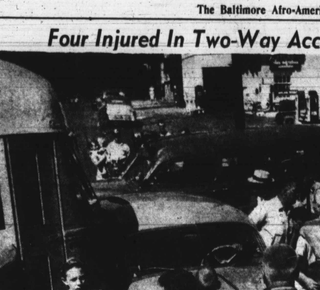
Four Injured In Two-Way Accident



Four persons, all residents of Waynesboro, Pa., were injured at Greenmount ave., and Chase st., Saturday, when a northbound No. 8 street car driven by Berley Roberts of Cherry Hill, collided with an auto driven by 56-year-old Elmer Welty. Injuries to the four occupants of the automobile were described by authorities at Mercy Hospital as not serious. The four were identified as Dorothy Newcomer, Ervin E. Newcomer, Mary Newcomer, and Elmer Welty, who suffered chest and shoulder injuries; Mr. Roberts is standing next to the stretcar.

WOULD HAVE BEEN WORLD'S 3RD SET:

Quintuplets Born To Tan Matron, 38; Two Die Later

RIO DE JANEIRO—The world's third set of quintuplets was born here last week to colored parents, Jose and Maria Albano, but although given a good chance of surviving, two of the infants, all of whom were girls, died by the week end.

The babies, weighing less than three pounds each, were born to their 38-year-old mother in the space of three hours in the village of Sao Carlos, and were rushed to a maternity hospital where they were put in incubators.

Midwife Gets Panicky

The hospitalization was effected by the Brazilian government, who stepped in shortly after the multiple births took the parents and a local midwife by surprise.

According to authorities, the midwife, Roma Delfina Paulo, became panicky after the birth of the second child and called in an obstetrician, Amilcar Vbesk, who completed the delivery of the remaining three.

The father, a laborer, named all of the quints after their mothers, but designated them as No. 1, No. 2, etc. The Albanos have had seven other children, two of whom are now living.

The quintuplets were born on Tuesday night. The first died on Wednesday and the second on Thursday. The announcement of the second death contained no information on the condition of the survivors.

2 Quint Sets Living

There are only two sets of quintuplets alive in the world at the present time—the Dionne girls of Canada and the Diligenti quints (two boys and three girls of Argentina.

The Albano girls were the second set of quintuplets born in Brazil within the past six months. The first set was born to a poverty-stricken family and died within a few hours because of lack of medical care.

President Read Entertains Alumni

ATLANTA Ga.—A gay summer garden party for alumnae of Spelman College was held on the campus Saturday evening by President Florence M. Read, who greeted the more than 75 guests at their husbands on the spacious veranda of her Reynolds Cottage home. The group then moved over to the health and recreation building for a guided tour led by Miss Mildred Griffith, who served an evening of good fellowship.

Assisting President Read in carrying out the evening's program were Mrs. Ernestine E. Brazeal, Miss Harris Powell, Mrs. Isabelle M. Tobin, Mrs. Margaret N. Curry, Mrs. Florence M Hogan, Mrs. Sammye Fuller Coan, Mrs. Irene Dobbs Jackson, Mrs. Claire Jackson, Mrs. Mary W. Griggs, Mrs. Helen Bell Brooks, Miss Ida B. Cantrell, Miss Mignon Lackey and Miss Charly Mae Thompson.

NOTE

Wyoming was admitted to the Union on July 10, 1890.

6 Ga. Railmen Sue Union For 50 Gs

MACON, Ga. — Seeking an end to alleged discriminatory practice against them by a white union, the Central of Georgia Railway firemen have asked Bibb Superior Court to make them defendants in a suit filed by seven white railmen.

The six petitioners in addition to asking to be allowed to enter the suit, also seek $50,000 damages.

The first case filed by the white firemen, now pending, asks that the railroad company be restrained from carrying out a recent order which the colored firemen say would correct a discriminatory work condition.

Obtained Discrimination Rule

The colored firemen, in their petition, told the court that in 1941 the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen negotiated with the railroad and obtained a agreement which discriminated against them.

In a suit filed here in U.S. District court, the colored firemen asked a permanent injunction forbidding the Brotherhood and the company from applying discrimination.

In April of this year, however, the Brotherhood got the company to side-step this ruling, effective May 1. This change, the colored workers claim, resulted in the loss of rights they had won two years before in Federal court.

The railroad, after putting the jim-crow work clause into effect in April, realized its mistakeand made a new ruling to correct the discriminatory policy.

The white workers are suing to have this ruling in force again, the colored firemen seek to have it quashed permanently.

The firemen are Mose Oliver, Eugene Williams, Robert Simpson, James Williams and Floyd Edwards. The case will be heard in Oct. The law firm of Johnson and Jones filed the petition for the firemen.

Tyler To be Sentenced On Tuesday For Guilt In Slaying Of Coed

WASHINGTON

Donald N. Tyler, 22-year-old Howard University pharmacy student, of the 2400 block of First st., nw, who pleaded guilty on July 22 to the second-degree murder of a 19-year-old coed, will be sentenced by Judge Alexander Holtzoff in District Court, Tuesday.

Tyler entered the guilty plea after two St. Elizabeth's psychologists declared him sane following a lengthy examination.

He faces a jail sentence for the Feb. 18th slaying of Janet E. King, a sophomore pharmacy student, from Rutherfordton, N. C.

Policy Wheels Spin In Chi Despite 'Heat'

CHICAGO (NNPA) — Despite recent orders to district police commanders to crack down on all policy operations, an increasing number of policy rumors appear to be racing through the streets. Reports of new policy wheels and new names also are appearing. The new names apparently have been given old wheels to confuse investigators. Many other wheels also are said to be running at full blast.

Despite these observations State's Attorney John Boyle and Police Commissioner O'Connor have issued tickets for wheels with Chicago and Cook County is on the decline

Roe Slaying Probed

Meanwhile, police seem to be making little progress toward solving the ambush murder of Theodore Roe, wealthy policy operator, on the night of Aug. 4.

Detectives from the homicide squad last Thursday arrested James Jordan, 31, of 4503 South Parkway, for questioning about the murder of Roe and policy operations. Jordan was booked for suspicion of murder and released last Friday on $25 bond, after refusing to take a lie test and denying knowledge of the Roe murder.

In an effort to find a motive for the murder of Roe, an investigation of his private life is being made, detectives said last Wednesday. The inquiry also is covering policy operations.

Two men and two women questioned in the homicide squad offices in the detective bureau were the latest "secret witnesses" in the investigation.

Dozen of men and women have been questioned in the three weeks since Roe's murder, but police have not made public all of their names or the information obtained from them.

Investigators were hopeful that this procedure might develop information on the policy game and also information on a motive for Roe's murder, if not the actual identity of his killers.

Roe was the last independent policy wheel operator and was highly regarded by the underworld for standing up against the gambling syndicate, which has its roots in the old Al Capone gang and which has taken over most of the policy racket.

Teacher Spurs Better Health In India

CEYLON, INDIA (ANP) — Leon J. Bickham, 41-year-old former New Orleans educator, is reaping tremendous prestige throughout the South East Asia for his community health education campaign in Ceylon.

Bickham is part of an informational campaign working in Ceylon's inferior "dry zone," 120 miles from capital at Colombo. The team, made up of men from four United Nations agencies, is operating a "fundamental education" center jointly with the local government to help raise the living standards of 55,000 persons in 56 communities.

The broad-shouldered teacher once taught school at St.-Mary's Parish in Louisiana. He has worked on health education projects in Haiti and his home state. His Far East job includes training rural sanitary inspectors, midwives and public health nurses in health education techniques in order that preventive medicine in come to the aid of over-worked doctors.

Lawyer Pair Given Oath

RICHMOND, Va. — Mrs. Ruth Harvey Wood, attorney, and her husband, Harry Inman Wood, also an attorney, recently were admitted the oath of office in Circuit Court here to practice law in the state of Virginia.

DR. BUZZARD
Dr. Buzzard says: The trouble with money is that by the time you get enough of it to enjoy—you can't.

Ohio Masons Bury Hatchet

Judge Brings Peace To Warring Factions

CLEVELAND — By getting both sides to agree on a compromise of several bitterly contested issues, Common Pleas Judge Donald F. Lybarger, himself a Mason, this week rendered a decision agreeable to counsel representing two opposing Masonic factions.

The decision permit the rival Masonic organizations represented by Quay W. Brown and George W. Brown, both of Cleveland, the right to carry on their programs without interference from officers or members of either opposing group.

All Branches Affected

The journal entry in the case rules:

That the organization headed by Quay W. Brown, with a Temple at 7106 Central ave., shall have the exclusive right to the use of the name Most Worshipful Royal Craft Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons, Scottish Rite, Inc., for the State of Ohio, and,

That the organization represented by George Brown shall be known as the Most Worshipful Ancient Royal Craft Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons, Scottish Rite, of the State of Ohio.

Judge Lybarger further ruled that:

The Grand Lodge in each name Most Worshipful National Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Ancient Scottish Rite Masons of the United States of America Inc., and,

Exclusive use of the name The National Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors General of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, 33rd degree, for North America.

Embraces Shrine Degrees

The Supreme Council of the Quay Brown group will use the name, National Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors General and National Grand Orient of Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite Masons, 33rd and Last Degree, Inc.

The court ruling gave each faction the right to charter, establish and maintain individual lodges within the State of Ohio in keeping with its own regulations, without hindrance or interference of any sort from the other organization.

Priorities Set Up In VA Hospitals

WASHINGTON

Eligible veterans will be admitted to Veterans Administration hospitals on the basis of nine new priority groups, announced last week.

Excluding emergency admissions, all eligible persons will be admitted in the following order of priority:

Group 1 — War veterans and those who served since June 27, 1950 (the start of Korean hostilities) who require hospitalization for service-connected disabilities.

Group 2 — Peacetime veterans requiring hospitalization for service-connected disabilities or discharge disabilities.

Group 3 — Veterans who hospitalization has been requested by authorized officials for observation and examination purposes.

Group 4 — Wartime, post-Korea, and peacetime veterans with service-connected disabilities or with line of duty discharges who are currently hospitalized by VA in non-VA hospitals but have requested transfer to a VA hospital.

Group 5—Wartime, post-Korea, and peacetime veterans who are currently hospitalized by VA for treatment of nonservice-connected disabilities, and whose transfer from one hospital to another has been requested by authorized officials for medical re