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William Brown, 2103 McCulloh St., suffered a heart attack at the Emerson Hotel, where he is captain of waiters, Tuesday.

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—Shoots burglar

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when two men rang the door bell at the Williams home and were greeted by Mrs. Josephine Williams.

Told that they were representing the NAACP, she admitted them to her home only to be confronted with a nickel-plated revolver.

When told, "this is a holdup," Mrs. Williams screamed but not before the bandits made an attempt to muffle her cries with a strip of adhesive tape.

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MR. WILLIAMS, upstairs at the time, heard his wife and the strange voices and ran down stairs with a .32-caliber Hopkins and Allen revolver.

When he appeared at the top of the stairs, the two men fled from the house with Mr. Williams in pursuit.

One man, it was reported, ran out the back door, around the side of the house and then went on Whittier toward Pulaski St.

The second ran east to Reisterstown Rd. where he disappeared. While chasing the man down the alley Mr. Williams fired five shots. He told police that the man jumped as if hit.

Four other shots went wild. One struck a 1953 convertible belonging to Jasper I. Drake of the 3900 block Echodale Ave.

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A TEEN-AGE witness told police that he saw one of the three men sitting in a green Mercury with New York tags parked on Pulaski St., with the motor running.

The same witness said he saw another man running south on Pulaski with a red stain on his left shoulder.

A third man who wore glasses was seen entering the parked car and driving off in reverse down Windsor Ave.

The two holdup men left behind in the Williams home two lengths of rope, a roll of adhesive tape, and a tan brief case.

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ABOUT 8 P.M. Wednesday, police in the Northern District arrested a wounded man and companion in the 100 block W. University Pkway.

The car in which they were riding was believed to have been the same one involved in an accident at Fulton and Druid Hill Aves., minutes after the attempted holdup.

The Williams home, in the 2000 block Whittier, is in a quiet residential one-way street, bounded on the east by Reisterstown Rd., and on the south by Monroe St. The tastefully furnished residence is said to be one of the prettiest in Baltimore.

In fact, photos of the Williams' well - appointed dining room were once used by a downtown furniture store in its advertising.

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MR. WILLIAMS who is also known as Albert Janson, conducts a trucking business and formerly handled real estate.

His home has bars at all downstairs windows and a heavy lock on the front door.

In 1950, robbers made off with $14,000 from the Williams home, then at 1543 N. Pulaski St.

However, the guilty persons were subsequently arrested by Sgts. J. Hiram Butler and Lloyd Johnson and Capt. Clarence German, and received terms ranging from two to 15 years in jail.

Since the Williamses have been residing at the Whittier Ave. address, they have been annoyed several times by would-be robbers who have attempted to break into their home.

It is believed this is one reason why the family installed window guards.

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AN ALBERT WILLIAMS was sentenced to 6 months in the Federal Reformatory at Petersburg, Virginia, and fined $5,000 on February 27, 1953 for evasion of income taxes.

He reported his 1949 net income as $18,976, on which he paid $3,941, taxes.

The government claimed that his actual income was $45,453 and the government was due $2,320.

Court records show that some $2,000 has been paid on the fine and that the balance due the government is being negotiated.

—Bank bandit

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transportation of a stolen automobile against the three men already under indictment for the Aug. 13 robbery.

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ON AUGUST 18 a special Federal Grand Jury brought in a special indictment, containing four counts against the three men who the FBI says staged the largest holdup in Maryland history.

On Wednesday, Judge W. Calvin Chesnut also appointed James B. Murphy as additional counsel for McGann. But he turned down a plea of defense counsel for a reduction in the $10,000 bail the man is held in.

McGann will be prosecuted by U.S. Attorney George Cochran Doub and his assistant, Herbert F. Murray.

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EARL KILL SMITH, 25, 1032 Stebbins Ave., Bronx, and Henry John (alias Tiny or Stump) Foster, 23, of 224 W. 141st St., New York, are the two suspects who are the object of a nationwide search.

McGann, who identified himself as a New York gambler and gave his address as 371 W. 151st St., NYC, was arrested in Prince Georges County shortly after the holdup by a policeman who stopped him for speeding.

While being booked, it was discovered that the men were suspected of being involved in the holdup, but the other two men in the car at the time escaped.

The car was later discovered abandoned in Northeast Baltimore on Jefferson St.

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THE INDICTMENT brought against the trio by the special grand jury on Aug. 18, charged the men with robbery by intimidation, larceny, aggravated assault during a robbery and with placing the lives of persons in the bank in jeopardy.

Two more indictments were returned Wednesday. One charged robbery on Federal property. The second indictment contained four counts of interstate transportation of a stolen automobile and one count of receiving and concealing a stolen car on government property.

If convicted the men could get maximum sentences of 25 years each and a fine of $10,000.

A $5,000 reward for information leading to the missing men has been posted by the bonding company for the robbed bank which was a branch of the First National Bank of Southern Maryland.

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END OF WAR ROMANCE — Photo taken Monday morning at funeral services for German-born Mrs. Vernon P. Trent, 902 N. Bentalou St. The former Lydia Helferich, Mrs. Trent met her GI husband when he and other Yanks freed her from a Nazi prison camp. They have made their home in Baltimore since 1949. Mrs. Trent, a cancer victim, died Thursday. Her death followed by two months the death of infant son who lived only 36 hours. Survivors include a daughter, Doris, 8, who lives here, and her parents and four sisters and brothers who live in Germany.

Vital Statistics

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divorced, 1834 E. North Ave.; Savetha, 20.
BOOSE — PURVIS — Abraham, 22, 125 W. Hamburg St.; Hazel, 42, widow.
FARHAM-GRIFFIN — Joseph J., 24; Shirley M., 2548 McCulloh St.
BUNCH-PESSON — Archie, 51, divorced, 1803 Mosher St.; Ruth, 40, widow.
WRIGHT-MIDGES — William O., 36, divorced, 1301 N. Central Ave.; Dorothy, 27.
EDWARDS — WILLIAMS — Thomas, 26, 1209 N. Dallas St.; Mae, 24, 1209 N. Dallas St.
OWENS-CONWAY — Robert, 19, 1 N. Stricker St.; Inez A., 20.
JENNINGS-STOKES — Willie, 24, 634 Perkins Ave.; Annie, 46, widow.
ROBERTS-BARNEN — Lloyd M., 24, 1 Myrtle Ave.; Adele M., 23.
McNEAL-LEWIS — Charles F., 30, 806 Russell St.; Gladys, 21.
BAILEY-MITCHELL — Ralph, 21, divorced, 1428 School St.; Mary D., 27.
WHITE-CUNNINGHAM — William, 36, divorced, 1751 E. Oliver St.; Odell 27.
—COLLINS
DEATHS—8 pt bfc centered
Records of the City Health Department listed 15 deaths here, this week.
They were:
Charles Dorsey, 1714 Brady Ave., Joseph A. Lawrence, 611 W. Lafayette Ave.
Dennis Baker, 1607 Warwick Ave.
Howard Green, 830 Archer St.
Nannie Brown, 23 N. Bradford St.
Alexander Reid, 409 E. Payson St.
Inez Jefferson, 1423 Druid Hill Ave.
William Johnson, 2239 Penrose Ave.
John Thomas, 911 E. Arlington Ave.
Josephine Farrell, 1006 Lamont Ave.
Eva Bailey, 1700 Brady Ave.
Daniel Purvey 2126 Pennsylvania Ave.
Charles Hall, 404 E. Oliver St.
Joseph Dennington, 1105 Low St.

DIVORCES FILED

MATTHEWS, Ruby vs. Wyatt; HOLLINGSWORTH, Allan vs. Phyllis; JOHNSTON, Martha vs. Willard; RICHARDSON, Roslyn vs. Clara; CUMMINGS, Howard vs. Louise; LANDAY, Faye vs. Harry; NEELEY, Frances vs. Glenn; FISHER, Shirley vs. Edward;
JONES, Wilmore vs. Emma; MAJONEY, Natalie vs. Edward; GREEN, Mildred vs. Joseph; LUTRELL, Wanda vs. William; ANTHONY, Katherine vs. John; HOLLAND, William vs. Wanda; WILLIAMS, Robert vs. Ella;
VENEY, Julia vs. William; GORE, Martha vs. Leonard; STONES, Harvey Jr. vs. Margaret; McDANIEL, Samuel vs. Mary.

DIVORCES GRANTED

NEWMAN Herr from Ann; ROWE, Doris from Charles; DOWNEY, Velma from Hezekiah; BICKLER, Nancy from Robert; WOOTEN, Patricia from Albert; GEORGE, Rosa from Kenneth; THOMPSON, Evelyn from Truman;
TOWNSEND, Ruth from Charles; WATSON, Evelyn from James; WOODWARD, Wilma from Calter; ROBINSON, Hallie from Theodore; BROWN, Nathaniel from Alma; HARDING, Anna from Frank; BRITT, Earl from Lillian; GIVENS Edith from George;
KEYES, Mary from Earl; EDWARDS, Melvin from Ellen; LEWIS, Charlotte from Alphonso; ALLEN, Mary from James; ROGERS, Thelma from Garfield; ELSEY, Gerald from Marie.

Lone gunman robs bank of $3,051

WASHINGTON

A lone gunman held up a Washington bank shortly after its opening Wednesday morning and fled with $3,051 which two tellers at his direction, stuffed into a dirty pillow case as four bank employees and three customers watched.

Lt. E. F. Jefferson of the Robbery Squad said that employees of the National Metropolitan Bank at First and O Sts., NW, described the bandit as light-skinned, between 33 and 35 years old, about five feet, eight inches tall and wearing a khaki shirt and dungarees. Lieutenant Jefferson gave the following account of the robbery which Herbert D. Lawson, vice president and manager of the bank, said occurred at 9:10 a.m.:

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THE BANDIT, walked up to the grill, pulled a pillow case and an automatic pistol from under his shirt and told a teller, Miss Elsie Pool, "This is a stick-up."

The bandit handed her the pillow case and a note which told her to put the money into it.

Miss Pool put currency from her window into the case and handed it to Jack Hughes, another teller, who placed more bills inside.

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POOL, BANK employees and two customers were lined up against the wall by the gunman while the robbery was going on. Another customer who entered later was forced to join them.

Miss Pool handed the bag back to the gunman who backed out of the bank and was last seen fleeing down First St.

—12 escape fire

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of the side at University Hospital.

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THE LUCKY WATSON couple moved to Baltimore from Jersey a week ago were asleep in their two-room third-floor apartment when the blaze broke out.

Their brother-in-law, Ted Burger, who lives at 626 W. Fayette St. and his wife were awakened as the flames lighted their bedroom window.

In his pajamas, Mr. Burger raced up the fire escape, awakened the Watsons and led them to safety, only seconds before the gas stove in their apartment exploded.

Their four-month-old cocker spaniel, Silver, that they brought along from Jersey, died in the fire.

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THE WATSONS' two sons, Horace, 16, and Albert, 15, were not endangered because they were staying with the Burgers.

Had the fire occurred the next night, they might have been caught, because they were to have moved today into a room being readied for them in their parents' home.

The Watson family lost all of their belongings, but as Mrs. Watson sat with her sister Friday morning, she kept repeating, "Thank the Lord, we certainly were lucky."

She was wearing slacks and other clothing provided by her sister and neighbors.

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The family moved to Baltimore because of the illness of Mrs. Watson's mother, Mrs. Virgie Bland, of 806 McDonough St.

The three houses were charred throughout from floor to ceiling. Fire investigators on Friday morning were examining the electrical wiring in the first-floor hallway at 624 where the fire broke out.

At press time, cause of the fire was undetermined. Owner of the buildings, Nutie D. Wotten of 3109 Echodale Ave., told police that the property is insured.

Noted pioneer businessman dies at shore

WILDWOOD — Funeral services for James Alvin Johnson, 77, of 138 W. Spicer ave., a pioneer resident and businessman, were held last week.

Coming to Cape May County when only seven years old, he worked with his father as a boy for the Holy Beach Development Co., one of the first real estate companies on the island.

Mr. Johnson later built the Glenn Oaks Hotel which he operated for many years.

HE WAS THE FIRST colored policeman on Five Mile Beach. His son, Parker, is a member of the local police department.

Other survivors are: another son, Alvin Jr., and two daughters, Mrs. Beatrice J. Bryson of Philadelphia, and Miss Evelyn Johnson of Wildwood.

Bishop and Mrs. Love going to Far East

Bishop and Mrs. Edgar A. Love leave Baltimore on Saturday for New York where they will board a boat for Malaya.

The Rt. Rev. Mr. Love, president bishop of the Methodist Church, will spend two months there on a preaching mission.

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—Loyalty case

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by law of all tenants in public housing projects. Known as the Gwynn Amendment, it is a statement of non-membership in a subversive organization.

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THE DUPREES are the only ones of approximately 7,000 housing tenants who have refused to sign the oath.

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Jersey economist joins Morgan college faculty

MONTCLAIR — Samuel Southern of this city has been appointed to the faculty of Morgan State College, Baltimore, Md., in the Department of Economics and Business.

A native of Indianapolis, Ind., he received his formal training in the public schools there and Administration, New York University, graduated from Technical High School.

He holds the B.S. and M.S. degrees in economics and business administration from Butler University in Indianapolis.

FOR THE PAST two years Mr. Southern has been studying at the Graduate School of Business Administration, New York University, toward the Ph.D. degree specializing in economics, marketing, industrial personnel management and real estate.

He headed the Economics and Business Department of Morris Brown College, Atlanta, Ga., for six years, and served as a Summer School faculty member and exchange professor at Atlanta University.

He also was a consultant, War Manpower Commission, state of Ice, Indianapolis; and instructor and director of training, 369th and 367th Engineering Squadrons, 332nd Fighter Group, U.S. Army Air Forces.

Mr. Southern was formerly a special home office agent and acting district manager, Mammoth Life Insurance Company, Louisville, Ky.

His other business activities were: business manager, Dr. R. A. Billings Enterprises, Atlanta, and a partner in Beane and Southern Business Services, Indianapolis.

While at Morris Brown, he was an announcer for all athletic contests in Herndon Memorial Stadium and the Joe Louis Gymnasium.

He has been the recipient of a Carnegie Foundation Grant, under which he made a study of the personnel management policies of the International Harvester Company at Melrose Park and Chicago under actual working conditions.

MR. SOUTHERN is a member of Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity, American Marketing Association, Association of Social Science Teachers in Negro Schools, Montclair Tennis Club and the Montclair and Indianapolis YMCA's.

His wife is the former Margarette L. Towns, daughter of Mrs. Nannie L. and the late Willard A. Townes, long time residents, 22 Linden Ave., Montclair.

Miss McIntosh buried in D. C.

Prominent church pioneer mourned

WASHINGTON

The funeral of Miss Carrie A. McIntosh, daughter of the late Augustus and Mary McIntosh, was held Monday, Aug. 23, at Florida Ave. Baptist Church, here with the Rev. Rollins officiating.

Mrs. McIntosh, one of the founders of the church, died in Freedman's Hospital Thursday, Aug. 19, following a brief illness.

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SHE WAS a member of a prominent family and was associated with many civic activities. She was a member of the Household of Ruth, the Order of St. Luke and the Tents and held many positions in her church.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Lucy Bailey of White Plains, N.Y., and Mrs. Callie McIntosh of New York City, and a brother, Paul McIntosh of Washington.

SON IS BORN

CHARLESTON, S.C. — John Carrs, principal of Wallace High School, St. Andrews, and his wife, the former Miss Mildred Ellison, an instructor at Burke High School, here, are the parents of a son, John Jr.

IS THIS YOUR HOUSE?—If it is and you correctly identify it, you can collect $5 in cash by calling at the CITY DESK of this newspaper BEFORE Tuesday noon. There are no strings attached to this "Identify Your House" game. All you have to do is to be living in the house to win the $5 the AFRO offers to the first person living there who correctly identifies it. The AFRO's roving photographer will have a new house photo worth $5 in the next issue. Watch for it. It may be your home.

Change noted in GI training bill

A new law governing the GI training for veterans of the Korean war is now in effect the Veterans Administration announced this week.

Most post-Korean vets will now have three years from the date of their separation to begin their GI training. Under the old law the limit was two years.

The new law, however, must come to an end within eight years from the date of a vet's separation or eight years from the end of the present emergency period.

WEST INFANT DIES

The infant son born Wednesday at Provident Hospital to Mrs. Henry West, 1923 Division St., lived only one day. Mr. West is principal of School No. 140.

HONORARY DEGREE

CHARLESTON, S.C. — The Rev. Paul G. Daniels, pastor of Fourth Tabernacle Baptist Church and president of the Jenkins Orphanage, recently received the honorary degree of doctor of humanity from Morris Brown College.

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Reefer peddler suspect plys trade in courthouse

DETROIT—A suspected dope peddler may have thought he was "within the law" when he picked the most "legal" place to try selling marijuana cigarets—right outside the courtroom of Recorder's Judge W. McKay Skillman.

Held for investigation is Thaddeus L. Roosevelt, 24, of New York City, who was trapped by a police informer and a quick-acting narcotics bureau patrolman, William Frank.

The officer and his partner, Patrolman Henry Marzette, were waiting in court for a case to be called when the informer hustled in and whispered:

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"THERE'S A GUY outside who wants to sell marijuana cigarets."

Frank, pretending to be a hoodlum, went out to the corridor in the Municipal Court Building and made a purchase of three "reefers" for $1.50.

The officer told Roosevelt he might want to buy some more "weed," and rushed back into the court to alert his partner.

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