For A Spiritual Blessing
Come To The Church Of Your Choice
HYMN OF THE MONTH:
'Sinner, What Hast Thou To Show?'

Ministers' Wives to reelect national slate, end session

WASHINGTON

The National Association of Ministers' Wives closes its 16th annual convention today (Friday) with election and installation of officers, at the Second Baptist Church. This year's incumbent slate is expected to be re-instated.

Mrs. Elizabeth C. Bouey, president and founder of the organization, who was scheduled to preside, arrived in Washington for sessions which began Tuesday. A resident of Richmond, Mrs. Bouey was unable to attend regularly because of illness.

The Association, founded by Mrs. Bouey 16 years ago, is composed of ministers' wives

Wednesday — the first full session of the convention — was highlighted by an address by the Rev. J. L. S. Holloman, pastor, Second Baptist.

On Thursday night, a banquet was given at Baldwin Hall at Howard University.

National officers expected to be reinstated include:

Mrs. Bouey, president; Mesdames W. N. Gladden, vice president at large, Columbia, S.C.; C. L. Evans, recording secretary, Richmond, Va.; L. S. Weatherpool, assistant recording secretary, Atlanta, Ga.; W. J. Lucas, corresponding secretary, Jenkington, Pa.; John H. Hester, financial secretary, Atlantic City; Adolphus Hobbs, treasurer, Germantown, Pa., and T. R. Washington, chairman, finance committee.

The approximately 175 delegates attending included:

Washington, D.C.

Mesdames Nancy Gardner, Frank T. Wilson, B. J. Johnson, Etta P. Booker, George O. Bullock, Claudia M. Bailey, Ella P. Marshall, J. M. C. Ow, Edgar Boag, P. E. Hamilton, C. H. Parker, Mabel Anderson, C. E. Hamilton, Eva Banks, Wm. Calhoun.

Thereal Johnson, Mary F. Whitfield, G. L. Gaines, J. E. Morris, August Lewis, Jennie E. Hall, J. J. Ridley, J. H. Fairfax, Louis A. McCombs, Charles C. Hayes, C. M. Gertsey, Jesse White, Robert C. Davis, Florence F. Smith;

Lillian E. Tucker, Harry W. Mills, S. A. Bass, Lottie Jones, Minnie L. McFaddy, Rebecca Bland, Gertrude Allen, Margaret Washington, and W. B. Allen.

Florida

Dr. M. J. Coleman, Tampa.

Georgia

L. S. Weatherpool, Atlanta; T. H. Henry, Atlanta; D. T. George, Atlanta.

Indiana

Mrs. R. H. Pendleton, Indianapolis.

Maryland

Mesdames Goldie Green, Ella L. Lofton, Mary E. Harrington, Estelle I. Dobson, Irene Epps, Nicola G. Coleman, Antoinette B. Davis, all of Baltimore.

Massachusetts

Mrs. Frances Lawson, Madden;

Z. E. McGee, Ruby Clay, Detroit; Mary O. Rose, and Charles Nicks, Detroit; Annie F. Lewis, Detroit.

New Jersey

Mesdames Rose Lewis, J. W. Harris, O. G. Cadwell, Camden; C. T. Wicher, Newark; Alma W. Billup, Montclair; Carol B. Baker, Hoboken; H. Alexander, Paterson; D. C. Spence, Atlantic City; Martha B. Hyer, Atlantic City.

Rebecca Gillespie, Newark; B. Johnson, Newark; Mary E. Wilson, Orange; Ethel Foster, Newark; Lillie M. Osborne, Jersey City; Margie E. Dobbs, Mary P. Lavs and Elva Laws, Jersey City; L. K. Gibson, Bayonne; Virginia H. Hall, Newark;

Mesdames Frank B. Matthews, Alonzo Bassinette, Kimsey, Isaiah Goodman, Englewood; Mabel Frankline, Brooklyn; Fannie Thornton; Sallie Foster, Brooklyn; Willie R. Jenkins, Pleasantville; Lovilia Dickson, Brooklyn.

North Carolina

Mrs. B. F. Gordon, Charlotte; W. B. Joeg, Rich Square.

Ohio

Josie E. Fuller, Cleveland; Essie Strozier, Toledo; Esther Johnson, Toledo; Vilo O. Strozier, Toledo.

Pennsylvania

Mesdames H. W. Moore Jr., Philadelphia; Jacquelyn Washington, Meadow; Lessie B. R. Smith, J. Bray; G. L. Bomick, H. Williams, Russell Hunter, and Kate Doman, Sadie E. Watkins, and R. C. Lamb, all of Philadelphia.

South Carolina

Mrs. Dollie Gladden, Laurel;

Tennessee

Mrs. C. L. Dunkins.

Virginia

Mesdames R. D. Shacks, Richmond; C. L. Taylor, Arlington; Elizabeth C. Boley, Richmond; S. M. Thompson, Richmond; W. M. Jenkins, Richmond; Priscilla Evans, Richmond; A. C. Corbett, Richmond; H. S. Wallace, Richmond; Walter Hildebrand, Portsmouth; Jaquet E. Gibbs, Arlington.

Mrs. C. Williams, Falls Church; W. L. Smith, Richmond; Nancy P. Ralph, Manassas; Pet M. Brown, Richmond; A. N. Johnson, Richmond; C. B. Hinton and A. D. Smith, Richmond; Mamie Wise, Norfolk.

West Virginia

Mesdames Louise Dickerson and Lettie Ray, Bluefield.

36 top Methodists at 3-day retreat

Thirty-six leaders from the four conferences of the Baltimore Area of The Methodist Church met for a retreat at the Christian Center of Morgan State College here, last week-end.

Bishop Edgar A. Love, head of the area, presided over the session, assisted by the Rev. Daniel L. Ridout, area administrative secretary.

One purpose of the retreat was to study the 1954-1960 quadrennial program of the denomination as projected by the recent General Conference in Minneapolis Minn.

General Board representatives were: Roger Burgess, $433,410, Calhoun County Board of Education, Anniston, 13 projects, $1,106,522; Madison County Board of Education, Huntsville, two projects; $309,234;

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SYLACAUGA CITY Board of Education, five projects, $250,278; Ozark City Board of Education, six projects, $684,475; Enterprise City Board of Education, four projects, $440,529; Talladega County Board of Education, five projects, $584,754.

Troy City Board of Education, one project, $80,230; Tuscumbia public schools; three projects, $99,404; Mobile County Board of School Commissioners, 17 projects, $4,247,039; Talladega City Board of Education; five projects, $284,613;

Jacksonville city schools, four projects, $214,049; Sheffield City Board of Education, one project; $48,353; Phenix City Board of Education, one project, $185,416; Florida Board of Education, one project, $15,300.

Powell readies amendment for school construction bill

By LOUIS LAUTIER

WASHINGTON (NNPA) — The next legislative target of foes to Federal aid-to-segregated schools will be Federal assistance in the construction and maintenance of schools in areas affected by Federal activities.

Financial assistance in the construction and maintenance of schools in areas affected by Federal activities was passed by the House, by voice vote, July 1 to extend the program two years.

The bill is now pending in the Senate Labor and Public Welfare Committee.

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IN THE House, support of an anti-segregation amendment to the bill apparently had not developed sufficiently to be successful.

Rep. A. Clayton Powell (D. N.Y.), has served notice of his intention to offer such as an amendment if a bill is offered to extend the programs upon their expiration on June 30, 1958.

Mr. Powell filed a minority report in which he pointed out that the bill "is legislation continuing a project which was begun prior to the Supreme Court school decision of May 17, 1954.

"I am not in favor of any Federal legislation which disobeys the Supreme Court edict," Powell said, explaining:

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"I AM, THEREFORE, voting against on this particular legislation, but desire to state that when this matter does come before the committee and the House of Representatives again within the next two years, I will then present an amendment designed to withhold all Federal funds from aiding any school in any impacted area which does not follow the Supreme Court decision of integration in public education.

"I also will introduce the necessary amendments to appropriation bills for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare which cover not only this project, but other projects in the field of Federal aid to education."

Mr. Powell also said the Federal aid-to-school construction bill which was defeated on July 5, by a vote of 204 to 194, represented "a brand new concept and not a carryover of any previously passed legislation."

His anti-segregation amendment to that bill was adopted, 225 to 192, before the bill itself was defeated.

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IN THE DEBATE on the bill extending Federal aid for schools in areas affected by Federal activities, Rep. Carl Elliott (D., Ala.), called the attention of the House to the minority report filed by Mr. Powell on that measure.

"I think this minority report should be read and understood by the membership of this House," Mr. Elliott, said. "I am very fearful that it means the end of this very beneficial legislation on June 30, 1958."

While the Federal aid for school construction bill was under consideration in the House, Southerners said adoption of the Powell amendment would make no difference because:

Funds could be withheld from states defying the Supreme Court decision by executive order of the President, administrative action of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, and by decision of the Supreme Court.

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MR. ELLIOTT pointed out that both the President and the Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare had taken the same position that the integration issue should be handled by the courts and the school construction bill should be decided on its own merits.

Public Law 815 was enacted in 1950 primarily to aid school construction in communities that had been burdened with substantial increases in school attendance since June 30, 1939, and up to June 30, 1952.

Public Law 874, originally enacted Sept. 30, 1950, provides financial assistance for the maintenance and operation of schools in areas affected by Federal activities.

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CONGRESS extended both laws on Aug. 8, 1953, in meeting school construction needs in localities overcrowded by school children since June 30, 1952, and up to June 30, 1954.

It also authorized school construction assistance principally for school districts in or near areas with large Indian populations, which had enrolled substantial numbers of children residing on Federal tax-exempt land but which could show no substantial increases in school population in recent years.

The two laws were again extended in 1955, and President Eisenhower recommended their further extension in his message of Jan. 12.

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SOUTHERN STATES have benefited from these three Federal assistance programs.

For example:

Alabama received $885,857 in 1955 and is expected to receive $1,765,359 in 1956; Arkansas $442,644 in 1955 and $15,612,200 in 1956; Florida, $1,405,466 in 1955 and $2,013,910 in 1956; Georgia, $1,349,776 in 1955 and $2,329,520 in 1956;

Louisiana, $437,817 in 1955 and $568,394 in 1956; Mississippi, $418,000 in 1955 and $442,397 in 1956; North Carolina, $500,787 in 1955 and $801,864 in 1956; Oklahoma, $2,501,145 in 1955 and $2,633,883 in 1956;

South Carolina, $858,436 in 1955 and $1,635,406 in 1956;

Tennessee, $850,780 in 1955 and $1,380,177 in 1956; Texas, $4,110,510 in 1955 and $5,289,942 in 1956 and Virginia, $6,631,651 in 1955 and $7,155,687 in 1956.

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TWENTY SCHOOL districts in Alabama, with a total of 94 construction projects, have been aided by $13,485,581, as follows:

Huntsville City Board of Education, five projects, $1,018,650; Montgomery County Board of Education, 10 projects, $2,025,100; Balwin County Board of Education, Bay Minetta, two projects, $331,000; Selma City School Board, three projects, $190,000;

Anniston City Board of Education, four projects, $429,313; Macon County Board of Education, Tuskegee, two projects,

Words to Live by

By REV. ROBERT NEWBOLD
Pastor, Grace Presbyterian Church

How are you planning to spend your vacation? Where are you planning to go? What kind of vacation are you looking forward to?

The reply of many to the first inquiry will reveal thoughts of rest and relaxation. During the past months they have worked hard. Some performing not one—but two jobs.

They are entitled to get away from the rubbers ringing of the telephone, round - the - clock schedule of anytime appointments, and the chores which constantly clamor for consideration.

These are they who feel fatigued. A rest will do them good.

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OTHERS WILL answer the second question by indicating plans to visit far-away places. Their purpose is to get away from all. They hope to leave problems behind, and relieve themselves of burdening pressures.

Still others will answer the third question in terms of the "fun" they plan to have.

During the fall and winter they have been "tied down" for one reason or another. Now they are anxiously looking forward to the weeks when they can let themselves go and "have a ball."

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WHILE THESE answers are the usual one, the questions really probe deeper—especially for the Christian.

They do not merely concern social plans; they touch the spiritual condition. Moreover, sometimes the answers are very revealing.

For example: The wish of many a vacationer is not home, family and friends. His desire is to get away from God.

Such a person considers God —mistreating him when he makes him feel uneasy when he is tempted to "let his hair down," and quite whom he wants to "have his fling".

HE BELIEVES the neighbors are his spies; meddlesome friends his allies. So he plans to get away from the constant gage of peeping neighbors and bewagging tongues of friends.

Symbolically, however, he wants to get away from the disturbing God. The result of such a person is to take a vacation from God.

Well, such is not possible! In turth we should be glad it's not. For we need the love and protective care of the Father. Beyond this: we have God in our hands.

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WE CAN'T get rid of Him by His image on our hearts. He has made us for Himself. And we do not get rid of this fact by getting out of town.

Since this is true, then the best type of vacation is not one where the individual plans or acts as if he has left God behind, but one where he takes God with him.

Take Him on your vacation. Act as if He is with you. You will come back spiritually better than when you left. Try it and see!

In Our Churches

Youth Day will be observed at OLIVET Baptist Church, Riggs Ave. and Woodyear St., on Sunday with programs at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. The Rev. W. L. Evans is pastor.

Mrs. Bernia Hines of Walters College, Fla., will speak at both programs.

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EIGHT PERSONS were confirmed at St. James PE Church, Sunday, with the Right Rev. Noble C. Powell, bishop of Maryland, delivering the sermon.

They were: Nathaniel Gibson, Lydia Grinage, Annette Hoff, Robert Jarrett, Curtis Morris, Virgina Randolph, Richard Tyler and Thomas Wheaden.

The Rev. Edward Hall opens a week-long revival on Monday at the APOSTOLIC FAITH CHURCH, 1014 N. Carrollton Ave., of which the Rev. R.C. Butts is pastor.

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THE CHOIR form Cecil Memorial Methodist Church in Annapolis, will sing at Metropolitan Methodist Church, Glen Burnie, on Sunday at 3:30 p.m.

J. E. Johnson is choir director; the Rev. James Adams is host pastor.

The Sunday School class of Union Tabernacle Baptist Church, will sponsor its annual outing to Forest Park on Hanover, Pa., on July 28. Mrs. Olga Savage is director; the Rev. Luke G. Reynolds is pastor.

"The Slab-Town District Convention" is the title of the one-act play to be presented by the missionary society of SHILOH Baptist Church, July 19, 8:30.

There will be a gospel song festival at CALVARY Baptist Church July 23 at 8 p.m. Featured will be Floyd Tegins, Chicago; Sister Rosetta Tharpe's Rosettes and Melo-Airs, Richmond, Va.; and several local groups.

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Over 200 pupils attended the daily vacation Bible school which just closed at KNOX Presbyterian Church. Senior high school graduates of the church will be special guests at Sunday evening worship. Baptism will be held July 22.

Sincere Thanks

THORNTON — We acknowledge with deep gratitude your kind expressions of sympathy, comfort, floral tributes, cards, telegrams, use of cars, and the many, many acts of kindnesses at the sudden passing of our loved one, MINNIE L. THORNTON.

Special thanks and appreciation to our pastor, Dr. I. Logan Kearse, choirs, organizations, nurses, etc., of the Ebenezer Baptist Church, and gratitude to the Sanders Funeral Home for the splendid services.

GEORGE T. THORNTON & FAMILY.

BAPTIST

Leadenhall Baptist Church
1021 LEADENHALL STREET
Rev. Thomas B. Davis, Minister

SUNDAY, JULY 15, 1956 YOUTH DAY

9:30 A.M.
Church School
11:00 A.M.
Morning Worship
Sermon by the
Rev. James E. Thomas,
Minister of the First Baptist Church, Hampton, Virginia
Music by the Young Adult and Intermediate Choirs
1:00 P.M.
Baby Contest
and Tom Thumb Wedding
sponsored by the Missionary Society
6:00 P.M.
Reception
for Our Graduates

REV. JAMES E. THOMAS

BAPTIST

Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church
Reisterstown Rd. and Elgin
Announces Its
ANNUAL RIVER BAPTIZING
at
Beechwood Park
SUN., JULY 15, 1956
at 3 P.M.
Rev. Hiram E. Smith, Pastor
The Public Is Invited

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
CAROLINE & McELDERRY STS., BALTO. 5, MD.
SUNDAY, JULY 15, 1956.
9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL, DOLPHUS F. LIVINGSTON, SUPT.
11:00 A.M.—MORNING WORSHIP.
6:00 P.M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION, Mrs. Janie B. McCrory, Director.
7:30 P.M.—EVENING WORSHIP.
DAILY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL—Through July 20th. Mrs. Janie B. McCrory, Principal.
SATURDAY, JULY 21ST—CHURCH WIDE PICNIC AT FORT SMALLWOOD.
A CORDIAL WELCOME TO ALL.
REV. VERNION T. WILLIAMS, Pastor.

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2000 N. FULTON AVE.
A FIRST CENTURY CHURCH
Usual Sunday Services
OLD FASHIONED PRAYER MEETING
EACH WED. NIGHT
Rev. Paul J. Harris, Minister
ALL ARE WELCOME
Where "Heaven's Blessings" Await You

MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
CAROLINE AND PRESTON STREETS
9:30 A.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY REV. O. N. JOHNSON
6:00 P.M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION—
8:00 P.M.—EVENING WORSHIP.
THE CHURCH WITH A HEARTY WELCOME.
REV. C. EDWARD BROWNE, Pastor.

METHODIST

ST. JAMES
Methodist Church
Lexington and Monroe Sts.
9:30 A.M.
SUNDAY SCHOOL
11 A.M.
SERMON BY THE PASTOR
7:00 P.M.
PROGRAM "By The W.S.C.S."
WE WELCOME YOU
REV. A. H. HAMMOND, SR., pastor

THE JERUSALEM BAPTIST CHURCH
147 W. Preston Street
Rev. J. D. Douglas, Pastor
10 A. M.
Church School
11 A.M.—
SERMON by—
REV. J. VERNON LAWS
8 P.M.
Quartet Contest
Rev. Lawrence of Washington, Sponsor
Fri., 8 P.M.
Program by Rev. Merrill.
ALL ARE WELCOME

SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH
"The Friendly Church"
BOND AND PRESTON STS.
SUNDAY, JULY 15, 1956.
9:15 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR, Music by Senior Choir No. 1, and Jubilee Chorus.
8:00 P.M.—PROGRAM—Senior Choir No. 1 in Charge.
REV. J. R. GRANT, Pastor

NEW ST. JOHN BAPTIST CHURCH
1106 W. FRANKLIN STREET
9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
8:00 P.M.—EVANGELISTIC SERVICE WITH PREACHING
FRI., 8 P.M.—WEEKLY PRAYER SERVICE
Every 4th Sunday 3:30 P.M. Holy Communion
The Public Is Invited to Attend These Services
Mrs. E. Johnson Harvey, Church Clerk
REV. ANDREW C. BROWN, Pastor
REV. BROWN

THE ANSWER IS GOD
WORSHIP HIM
Morning Service 11 A.M.
Sermon by the Pastor,
Theme:
"THE LONELINESS OF JESUS"
Music by the Senior Choir.
Evening Service 8 P.M.
Evangelistic Hour: Sermon by the Pastor.
A Cordial Welcome To All. Will See You In Church.
FRANK J. FRYE, Minister.

Perkins Square Baptist Church
GEORGE AND OGSTON STREETS
PASTOR'S AID SUNDAY
8:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
10:45 A.M.—OPEN HEART SERVICE.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
Music by the Men's Chorus.
6:00 P.M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION
7:30 P.M.—EVENING WORSHIP.
MON., JULY 16 THROUGH SUNDAY, JULY 22
"YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHOIR WEEK"
WE WELCOME YOU
REV. WARD D. PERRY, Pastor

Mt. Zion Methodist Church
RIGGS AVE. and GILMOR ST.
9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—MORNING SERVICE.
8:00 P.M.—METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP.
7:00 P.M.—VESPER HOUR.
WE WELCOME YOU
O. ST. CLAIR FRANKLIN, Minister

TIMOTHY BAPTIST CHURCH
2320 N. MONROE STREET — MA. 5-0613
10:00 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR
8:00 P.M.—EVENING WORSHIP—PREACHING.
TUESDAY, 8 P.M.—PRAYERS FOR THE SICK.
FRIDAY, 8 P.M.—PRAYER AND PRAISE SERVICE.
WE WELCOME YOU
REV. WILLIAM T. MAYO, JR., Pastor
Formerly Associate Minister of Faith Baptist Church

SHARP ST. MEM. METHODIST CHURCH
DOLPHIN AND ETTING STS.
9:00 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL STORY HOUR BY THE REV. JOHN CARTWRIGHT.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY REV. JULIUS S. CARROLL.
8:00 P.M.—EVENING WORSHIP IN FAITH CHAPEL, IN CHARGE OF THE REV. JULIUS S. CARROLL.
REV. EDWARD G. CARROLL, Pastor

Sweet Hope Free Will Baptist Church
219 N. MOUNT STREET
9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL. Mr. G. T. Boykin, Supt.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY REV. RICHARD FRANKLIN.
6:30 P.M.—YOUNG PEOPLES CHRISTIAN LEAGUE.
8:00 P.M.—SERMON BY REV. J. M. BRADLEY.
Music by No. 1 and No. 2 Choirs
COME TO CHURCH EACH SUNDAY and JOIN US in the HOUR OF PRAYER. ALL ARE WELCOME
MRS. MAY LAWRENCE, Church Clerk
REV. J. T. CRUMMELL, Pastor

ORCHARD ST. METHODIST CHURCH
Orchard Street near Druid Hill Avenue
9:45 A.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
6:00 P.M.—METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP
8:00 P.M.—EVENING WORSHIP.
ALL ARE WELCOME REV. V. T. KEY, Pastor

INTERDENOMINATIONAL MINISTERS COMMITTEE FOR THE BACK-TO-CHURCH MOVEMENT

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	Rev. J. L. Moore, Executive Secretary
	Rev. W. D. Yerby
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COMMUNITY CHURCH	Rev. M. C. Bascom
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1115-17 W. SARATOGA ST.
9:30 A.M.—Sunday School.
10:36 A.M.—Broadcast.
11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship sermon by the Pastor.
8:00 P.M.—Evening Worship.
Broadcast each Sunday
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SUNDAY, JULY 15TH.
9:30 A.M.—Sunday Church School.
11:00 A.M.—Worship Service.
Sermon Topic: "The Requirements of Religion".
Guest Singers: The Knox Jeggs.
12:30 P.M.—"The Fellowship Hour"
The Seacons' (Couples) Club.
WEDNESDAY, JULY 18TH.
8:00 P.M.—"Hour of Prayer Service".
Theme: "Studies from the Psalms".
We Welcome You Rev. Robert T. Newbold, Jr., Pastor

ST. PAUL METHODIST CHURCH
1080 W. SARATOGA ST.
10:00 A.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR—
Subj.: "WHY JESUS HAD TO DIE."
7:30 P.M.—OPEN AIR SERVICE—
Subj.: "LOST, SOUGHT, SAVED."
SPECIAL SOLOS BY SENIOR AND GOSPEL CHOIRS.
ALL ARE WELCOME REV. R. L. BALL, Pastor

THE AFRO-AMERICAN
BALTIMORE, MD., JULY 14, 1956

DR. WALTER S. DAVIS, president of Tennessee State University, with $5,000 in war bonds which were turned over to William E. Turner, director of education for the state of Tennessee. The bonds along with other presentations were given to Mr. Turner in tribute to 25 years of service devoted to colored education in the state at a program sponsored jointly by the teachers of the state and by Tennessee State University.

Cite W. E. Turner for long service

NASHVILLE—More than 1000 educators, including state officials and students gave a thunderous, five-minute, standing ovation to W. E. Turner as he stepped forward to receive the tokens that spotlighted a quarter-century of distinguished service in education in Tennessee during the "W. E. Turner Day" celebration at the Tennessee State University auditorium last Monday.

Mrs. Mable Penn Turner shared the spotlight with her husband as the silver anniversary celebration for the State of Tennessee's 39-year-old coordinator of instruction, who, until last year, had spent 24 years as director of education.

Sponsored by Tennessee State and Tennessee Educational Congress, the "Turner Day" program may established a permanent W. E. Turner Scholarship Fund and feted Mr. Turner with a silver plaque and $5,000 in United States Savings Bonds, presented by Mr. W. S. Davis, Tennessee State University president.

SIGNIFICANT in the celebration was the fact that last year, the State Board of Education abolished its segregated division of colored education, and Mr. Turner was elevated to the position of coordinator of instruction for the entire state.

What at the same time, the Board established a policy of gradual desegregation on the collegiate level.

Dr. Davis pointed out to a jam-packed chapel audience that for a quarter of a century the honoree had worked on all levels of education from grade one through the graduate school.

"Mr. Turner's greatest service was in creating and maintaining, over the years, a favorable climate for the development and progress of education in the state, based on a belief in human equality and human dignity," Dr. Davis observed.

Dr. Quill E. Cope, Commissioner of Education, speaking for the State Department of Education said, "We have witnessed the tremendous progress that has been made in the field of education in the past quarter of the century. I hope that future years will continue to show the same type of progress and that Mr. Turner will be in the forefront furnishing leadership and guidance for the development of education in Tennessee."

educational institutions must practice integration if they have white colleges and schools to desegregate.

He made reference to a recent protest from Rep. J. H. White, president of Mississippi Vocational College, who chided Mr. Powell for his decided interest in Haiti.

The New York congressman said Dr. White wrote him protesting his refusal to pose with a colored band on construction with a scroll he had signed while at a social function in Haiti.

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"I REFUSED for many reasons," said Mr. Powell, adding: The scroll he signed — although not knowing what it was about until later — was "to promote an all-colored cotton festival in Memphis."

Dr. White, in a letter, Powell said, argued that there will always be a need for all-colored colleges. Powell states: "I'm not in any way going to condone segregation."

Teachers okey milk toast' resolution

PORTLAND, Ore. — The National Education Association, of 10,000 delegates and 400,000 teachers passed a "milk toast" resolution condemning jim crow schools.

It also refused to take strong action on a resolution to benefit Jews.

The resolution on integration of public schools reads:

"The National Education Association recognizes that integration of all groups in our public schools is a process which concerns every state and territory in our nation.

"The association urges that all citizens approach this matter of integration in the public schools with a spirit of fair play and goodwill which has always been an outstanding characteristic of the American people.

"It is the conviction of the association that all problems of integration in our schools are capable of solution at the state and local levels by citizens of intelligence, sanenss and reasonableness working together in the spirit of national unity for the common good of all.

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THIS RESOLUTION did not satisfy many of the delegates. They had proposed a much stronger statement that would have condemned the states that practiced segregation.

They also wanted a $50,000 fund to help colored teachers who had lost their jobs as a result of integration.

However, the delegates conceded defeat. They admitted that they could not win at this convention.

F. D. Moon, executive secretary of the Oklahoma Association of Colored Teachers, said that a meeting would be held in the fall to map plans.

"We can't do much this year," Mr. Moon said, "but we haven't given up our fight."

FOUR ASSOCIATION of executive secretaries, consisting of delegates from 12 southern states, will take up the campaign. We plan to raise funds with which to put up a strong fight to be presented at our meeting at the 95th annual NEA convention."

The resolutions committee ignored the request of the New York State delegation to go on record against teacher tours to Arab countries that discriminate against members of the Jewish faith.

The committee said it would bring this issue before the board of directors this fall.

VISITING U.S. 30 DAYS

CHICAGO (ANP) — Maj. Seth Kobla Anthony of the Gold Coast where he is a senior assistant secretary in Ministry of the Interior, spent three days in Chicago last week. He will be in the U.S. 30 days, studying the systems of federal, state and local administration.

Bus appeal to be noted

COLUMBIA, S.C. — An appeal from a recent Federal court's second dismissal of the civil rights suit of Mrs. Sarah Mae Flemming Brown may be filed by July 15, the last date for appealing.

Philip Wittenberg, attorney, told the AFRO Thursday he was studying the record of the dismissal hearing and had found "probable grounds" for appealing to the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals.

Mrs. Brown, then Miss Flemming, sued the S.C. Electric and Gas Co. for $25,000 in 1954 after a bus driver for the company allegedly struck her in the stomach on a city bus.

JUDGE GEORGE BELL Timmerman Sr., dismissed her case on the grounds that it did not qualify under the 1954 ruling of the U.S. Supreme Court Segregation Case.

In July, 1955, however, the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals ruled that the high court's school cases ruling also applied to intrastate transportation and demanded the case be disposed on its damages angle.

Last month, in a surprise action, Timmerman again dismissed the case, holding that the bus driver's action occurred before the Circuit Court's ruling and was, therefore, beyond the pale of retroactive judgment.

He also held that the plaintiff had failed to show that the offense charged had been committed under the 14th Amendment. The driver, Timmerman ruled, had acted under color of state law, then valid.

THE BUS INCIDENT took place June 22, 1954, about 36 days after the 1954 school ruling May 17.

Mr. Wittenberg did not specify what exceptions to the Timmerman findings would be noted. The court had dismissed it before it came before a jury.

Kefauver blasts high court critics

WASHINGTON (ANP) —Sen. Estes Kefauver (Dem.-Tenn) blasted some of his colleagues last week without using names, for their recent criticisms of the Supreme Court. He called the criticisms "truly subversive of our form of government."

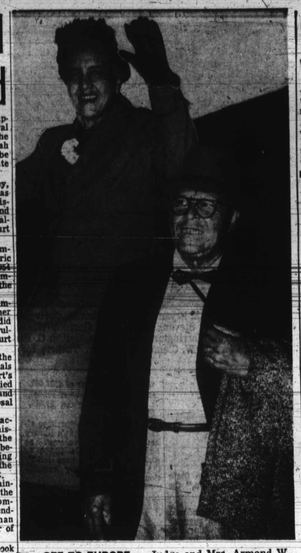
The Democratic presidential aspirant said in a Senate speech that his colleagues have "gone beyond legitimate bounds and what is worst, are truly subversive."

Reference was apparently directed to Senators Eastland (Dem.-Miss.) and McCarthy (Rep.-Wis.), who recently accused Chief Justice Warren of "following the Communist line" and the court of "handing down one pro-Communist decision after another."

HOUSE TABLES BILL

WASHINGTON (ANP) — The Senate-passed bill, aimed to improve the housing situation in this country and to develop urban communities, has met sudden death in the House Rules Committee.

Ten members of the 12-man committee attending the executive session Friday voted to table the Housing Act of 1956. This means that the housing bill will not be brought up in the House of Representatives for action during this session.



OFF TO EUROPE — Judge and Mrs. Armond W. Scott of Washington, D.C. wave goodbye to friends and family at capital's Union Station as they leave on the first leg of their journey to Paris. They sailed Saturday from New York City on the S.S. Castell Selice for a seven-week tour of Europe.

Says court ruling aids U.S. prestige in Africa

NASHVILLE — The Supreme Court segregation ruling has lifted United States prestige in Africa and helped blunt Communist propaganda, a West African educator who is also a member of the ruling family of the Sherbo tribe, third largest in his country, told a Tennessee State audience last week.

"The American segregation question is front page news in Africa, and because Africans can see Americans are making an honest effort to solve the problem, the anti-United States propaganda fails," said Solomon B. Caulker, head of the philosophy department, Fourrah Bay College, Freetown, in the British colony of Sierre Leone.

"Educated West Africa is traditionally Christian and pro-West.

"But America is doing very little to keep it that way, while Russia and Asia are trying very hard to face us toward the East."

MR. CAULKER said the surge of the Moslem religion and culture is also pulling African thinking from—the West and christianity. Christian domination of intelligentsia.

The Fulbright students are a great pro-American force, he said.

"I have a student from Georgia and one from Syracuse, N.Y., and they help to indoctrinate our students with the American ideas of self-reliance and work, and away from the British ideal of the gentleman scholar, which we can't afford."

Dr. Peters named to $8,160 post

HARTFORD, Conn. — Dr. James S. Peters, 37, Malcolm Rd., Springfield, Mass., this week, was appointed chief of the rehabilitation division of the Connecticut State Board of Education.

Dr. Peters succeeds Edward P. Chester, white, who is retiring. Salary for the post is $8,160 per year.

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DR. PETERS is married and the father of two young sons. In Springfield, he was a full-time professor in psychology at Springfield College.

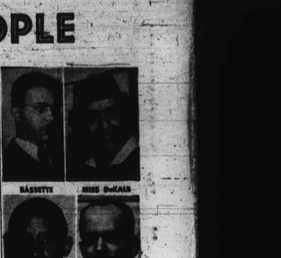
He is a member of the Beta Sigma Lambda chapter of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, and his wife, Marie, a member of the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority.

Rev. King lauded by church council

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (ANP) — The Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. for "outstanding Christian leadership" at the opening session of the National Fraternal Council of Churches.

The Rev. Mr. King, president of the Montgomery Improvement Association, has been a leader in the seven - month - old bus boycott here. He received the plaudits of thousands at the group's 23rd annual meeting. The council is composed of 17 denominations.

PEOPLE



WINS $1,700 GRANT

CHARLESTON, S.C. — Miss Juneroue Mack, an honor graduate of Talladega College, Ala., received the Woodrow Wilson Award of $1,800 to attend Northwestern University, Evansville, Ill. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Mack, 195 Spring St.

DON WYATT PROMOTED

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Donald W. Wyatt has been appointed special assistant to President Charles S. Johnson of Fisk University, with the assignment of co-ordinating the university's $1,750,000 educational enrichment program.

EARNS DOCTORATE

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — A.A. Abraham, professor of education in the Florida A. and M. University School of Education, was recently awarded the doctor of education (Ed.D.) degree from Indiana University.

GRANTED FELLOWSHIP

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — Wentworth E. Miller, assistant professor of political science at Florida A and M University, has been granted a Ford Foundation Fellowship for African Studies which becomes effective in September. He has also been granted a similar fellowship by Boston University.

HAMPTON MEDIC TO STUDY

HAMPTON, Va. — Dr. A.W. E. Bassette 3rd, has announced the temporary closing of his office at 125 W. Queen St., here, in order to resume training in surgery at Homer G. Phillips Hospital, St. Louis, Mo.

Dr. Bassette was graduated from Howard University School of Medicine, Washington.

FINANCIAL INVESTIGATOR

NEW YORK — Miss Helen Riley DeKalb of NYC, who received a B.S. degree from Morgan State College, Baltimore, on June 4, has been employed as a financial investigator for the New York City Department of Hospitals.

Helen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon DeKalb, both social workers in the New York Metropolitan area.

ELECTED 'GOVERNOR'

HAMILTON, N.Y. — Robert Bestrick of Saratoga Springs, N.Y., was recently elected "governor" at the Empire State Boys Convention, sponsored annually by the American Legion.

DR. POINDEXTER HONORED

LINCOLN UNIVERSITY, Pa. — Cal. Hilmon A. Poindexter, of the United States Public Health Service, and a member of the Mt. Hebron Prince Hall Masonic Lodge of Oxford, was awarded the honorary degree of doctor of science at the presentation of 10 Commencement of Dartmouth College.

NOMINATED FOR JUDGE

CHICAGO — William A. Bookman, counsel for the Central Baptist Convention of Illinois, was nominated for a municipal court judgeship here last week by a GOP subcommittee of Cook County Central Committee, which handles the filling of vacancies on the Republican Party ticket.

BANKER GIVEN AWARD

NEW YORK — Richard Brown Calh