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A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR GOD

A mighty fortress is our God, A bulwark never failing;
Our Helper He, amid the flood Of mortal ills prevailing.
For still our ancient foe Doth seek to work us woe; His craft and pow'r are great,
And armed with cruel hate, On earth is not His equal.

Did we in our own strength confide, Our striving would be losing,
Were not the right man on our side, The man of God's own choosing.
Dost ask who that may be? Christ Jesus, it is He; Lord Sabaoth
Is His name,

From age to age the same, And He must win the battle,
And ho' this world, with devils filled, Should threaten to undo us.
We will not fear, for God hath willed His truth to triumph through us.
The prince of darkness grim,—We tremble not for him; His
Rage we can endure,

For lo! his doom is sure,—One little word shall fell him!
That word shall earth endure,—No thanks to them, abiding;
The Spirit and the gifts are ours Thru Him who with us sideth
Let goods and kindred go, This mortal life also; The body they may
kill;

God's truth abideth still, His kingdom is forever.

In our churches

The congregation of the Mt. Olive Christian Church of Newport News, Va., will arrive in Baltimore by chartered buses Sunday morning to attend services marking the 12th anniversary of the John Wesley Baptist Church at 624 George St.

The Newport News group will be accompanied by its pastor, the Rev. John Gregham, and will remain in the city for service throughout the day.

The 11 a.m. anniversary sermon will be delivered by the Rev. George W. Holloway, pastor of John Wesley.

THE 11:30 a.m. services at Jerusalem Baptist Church will be preached by the Rev. Robert Brown. Sunday School will be at 10 a.m.

Holy Communion will be observed at 3:30 p.m. The Rev. Philip Douglas is pastor.

The Rev. Edgar L. Reid, graduate of Howard University School of Religion has been speaking at Providence Baptist Church during the month of August. Sunday will be his final day. The Rev. Marcus G. Wood is pastor of the church.

On September 18, the Rev. Mr. Wood and the Male Chorus will give services at the Community Baptist Church in Waterloo, Md.

BETHSEMANE BAPTIST Church at Francis St. near Retreat St., will hold Sunday School at 9 a.m. At 11 a.m. and again at 8 p.m. the Rev. Mrs. Stuart Robinson will preach. The Rev. Oliver Page is pastor.

From August 27 to Sept. 3 a sidewalk carnival will be held at St. James Methodist Church, Lexington and Monroe Sts. The Rev. Albert H. Hammond Sr. is pastor.

Sugar, bacon and eggs, Coca-Cola, ice cream, cigarettes and canned goods are special features, also plenty of hot dogs and good things to eat.

A RECEPTION honoring Sister Essie O. Smith, GMA Matron of Rahab Grand Court of St. Johns Court No. 2 H of F, will be held Sunday from 4-7 p.m. at Waters AME Church, Aisquith St. near Orleans.

The Mothers Charity Club of St. Peter Claver's Catholic Church returned, Wednesday, from a three-day trip to the shrine of St. Anne de Baupre in Quebec, Canada.

Some 60 women went on the trip conducted by Mrs. Geneva Goldring, 2017 Whittier Ave.

THIS SUNDAY will be Youth Day at Union Bethel AME Church Randallstown, Md. the Rev. W. N. Edwards, the pastor, will preach a special sermon at 11 a.m. to the young people. At 3 p.m., a special program will be given by the young people.

The Revs. W. N. Edwards and E. B. Burch, Mrs. A. M. Moore and Mrs. Estella Donnell of Baltimore attended the retreat at Kittrell College, Kittrell, N.C. Thursday and Friday of this week.

The Colored Blind Association of Baltimore will render a musical concert this Friday night, sponsored by Mrs. Velma Gray benefit of Women's Day.

The Rev. W. N. Edwards, pastor of Mt. Pleasant AME Church, Owings Mills, Md. will conduct the 3 p.m. services. His subject will be "Following Christ With The Cross."

The second annual Hymn Festival is being held, Sunday, at the Temple of God Pentacostal Church, at 4 p.m., by the church Music Committee.

Miss Geraldine Stanell is chairman; Bishop E. W. Stancil, originator.

A carnival for the benefit of the Orchard St. Methodist Church School will be held September 2-3. Chairman is Mrs. Katherine Burse. The Rev. V. T. Key is pastor.

SIDEWALK CARNIVAL

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Sugar, Bacon, Eggs, Coca-Cola, Ice Cream, Cigarettes, and Canned Goods are special features. Also plenty Hot Dogs and other good things to eat.

Mrs. Hawkins still confined

Mrs. Mary E. Hawkins, well known civic worker and beautician, was reported in "great pain" late Thursday, four days after she had been brutally beaten at her home, 912 N. Gilmor St.

Meanwhile, Mrs. Virginia Thrope, 40, a tenant at the Gilmor St. house for a long warrant had been obtained in connection with the beaten, surrendered Friday morning at Northwestern Police Station. She was released in $1,000 bail.

Mrs. Hawkins is confined to bed at the home of her daughter, Antionette Mosley, 1606 Warwick Ave., suffering from cuts of the arms, body and legs.

THE INJURIES were inflicted Sunday when her assailant struck Mrs. Hawkins with a lamp. Mrs. Hawkins was taken to Franklin Square Hospital where three stitches were taken in her head and arms.

Mrs. Hawkins is vice president of the Baltimore Branch NAACP and a member of the executive NAACP committee; a member of the Social Relations Committee of the Council of Churches; examiner of the State Board of Beauticians, and has been active in Republican circles for the last five years.

Convention Calendar

AUGUST 17-31
NIAGIRA-ON-THE-LAKE, Ont. National Association for the Study Life and History.

AUGUST 18-23
LOS ANGELES, Calif.—Omega Psi Phi Fraternity's 42nd annual grand conclave.

AUGUST 21-27
DETROIT, Mich. — United Golfers Association.

AUGUST 24-28
PHILADELPHIA — Universal Negro Improvement Association and African Comunities League.

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AUGUST 22-25
ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. — IBPOE of W.

SEPTEMBER 1-3
WASHINGTON, D.C. — National Bar Association.

Israel Baptist set to burn mortgage

Church will observe 64th anniversary this Sunday

A Mortgage Burning Service will be observed at the 64th Anniversary of Israel Baptist Church, Preston and Chester St., Sunday at 8 p.m.

The Rev. E. D. Meade is pastor of the church. Junius Lipscomb is chairman of the trustees and Preston Hill, church clerk.

The congregation of Israel Baptist Church, formerly located at the corner of Orleans and Bethel Sts., moved to its present site Dec. 14, 1952.

This property was purchased March 28, 1952 for the sum of $80,000, $55,000 of which was paid at the time of the settlement.

An eight-year mortgage in the amount of $25,000 was secured to cover the balance. Within three years, March 28, 1952-March 28, 1955—this mortgage was liquidated.

THE CHURCH was founded by the Rev. James Reid and his family in 1891, in a house in the 1700 block of Mullikin St.

It has had only three pastors in its 64 years. They are: the Revs. James Reid, founder and pastor for 20 years; James H. Williams, builder and pastor for 27 years, and the Edmund D. Meade present pastor for 16 years.

The Rev. M. C. Phillips, pastor of Zion Baptist Church, Havre de Grace, Md., will preach the anniversary message at 3 p.m.

The pastor, officers, and members of the church extend a cordial welcome to the many friends of Israel to worship with them all day Sunday, Aug. 28.

Mrs. Eva Dortch dies in Virginia

PETERSBURG, Va. — Mrs. Eva Cates Dortch, widow of the late Arthur Dortch, died August 7, at her home, 413 St. Mark St. She had been ill for some time.

Mrs. Dortch was a member of the First Baptist Church and the Alice Roosevelt Auxiliary No. 1 of the Spanish American War Veterans.

Surviving are: five daughters; Mrs. Mattie D. Jones, Norfolk; Mrs. Mary D. Johnson and Mrs. Lucille D. Williams of Baltimore who lives at 1020 Eutaw St. with one of her five sons, Henry Williams.

Charles Williams, 1827 W. Carey St., Philadelphia, Bruce Williams, 1216 Bolton St., Daniel Williams, 413 Mount St., Johnny Williams, 728 Lanvale St., all Baltimore, other sons of Mrs. Lucille Williams are among the 11 grandchildren of the deceased.

The other two surviving daughters are Miss Mildred Dortch and Mrs. Alice D. Fowlkes of Petersburg. Also surviving are two sons Oscar and Jesse Dortch; the former is of New York City, the latter of Baltimore. A sister, Mrs. Rebecca Brown, is also surviving.

YMCA youngsters visit Naval base

BAINBRIDGE, Md. — The questions flew fast and furiously from young members of the Baltimore YMCA during a tour here of the U.S. Naval Training Center, last Wednesday.

The boys' day at the Center included a complete tour of the base, a chance to watch the fire-fighting training units, and an hour and a swim in one of the Center's huge indoor recruit swimming pools.

Maryland Masons mark anniversary

The Scottish Rite Masons of Maryland held their anniversary service last Sunday at the Cherry Hill Community Presbyterian Church. Though it rained, over 300 attended the service.

The Rev. Edgar W. Ward, pastor, delivered the anniversary sermon, "Three Windows of Loyalty."

Grand Matron Lillian A. Loeb, Martha Grand Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star, New Orleans, brought greetings from her area.

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GRAND Commander, George Lange, Supreme Council of Louisiana, was presented to the group by Charles Morris, deputy inspector general for the State of Maryland.

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OTHER PERSONS appearing on the program were Talmadge Simpson, assistant deputy for the State of Maryland, Bernice Lynch, Queen of Sheba Chapter No. 26, who acted as mistress of ceremonies; summer choir of the Community Presbyterian Church.

Forrestor Ferrell, Mary Taylor, Marcie Chappele, Mrs. Ohrea Mitchell, Zipporah Kirk, Raymond Spence, Annie G. Simpson, Albert Taylor and Bessie Cooper.

ALSO 100 attendance were visiting lodges from New York, Virginia, Washington and other parts of Maryland.

Over 250 persons attended the banquet following the program at the Cherry Hill Community Building, 2700 Spelman Rd.

Ernest Glas and John Reed were co-chairmen of the hospitality committee. Forrestor Ferrell and Clifton Bailey acted as dinner hosts. Serving as toast master was Samuel Tinsley.

S. LOUIS EDUCATOR VISITS IN NEW YORK

BROOKLYN, N.Y. — James A. Scott, director of elementary education in St. Louis schools, recently visited his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jackson, here while on a brief vacation.

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11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
6:00 P.M.—YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHRISTIAN LEAGUE
COME TO CHURCH EACH SUNDAY AND JOIN US IN THE HOUR OF PRAYER. ALL ARE WELCOME.
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REV. J. T. CRUMMEDY, Pastor

TIMOTHY BAPTIST CHURCH
2320 N. MONROE STREET

9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL
11:00 A.M.—PREACHING BY THE PASTOR
8:00 P.M.—PROGRAM BY THE SENIOR CHOIR
TUESDAY, 8 P.M. PRAYERS FOR THE SICK
FRI. 8:00 P.M.—PRAYER AND PRAISE SERVICE
We Welcome You. REV. WILLIAM T. MAYO, JR., Pastor
Formerly Associate Minister of Faith Baptist Church.

CONCORD BAPTIST CHURCH
FRANKLIN and POPPLETON STS.

9:45 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL. Rev. Montague Brackett, Supt.
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by Rev. James Wilkins, assistant pastor.
8:00 P.M.—Evening Worship.
REV. J. M. RAYNOR, Pastor

St. James Methodist Church
Lexington and Monroe Sts.

9:30 A.M.—Sunday School.
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by the Pastor.
1:30 P.M.—Buses leave the church for worship service in Shepherds Town, W. Va.
We Welcome You
Rev. Albert H. Hammond, Sr., Pastor

Mount Pisgah C.M.E. Church
1036 N. FULTON AVE.

9:30 A.M.—Church School
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by Rev. C. A. Davis
3:00 P.M.—Sermon by Rev. L. W. Jaxon of Phila., Pa.
7:30 P.M.—Evening Service.
Dinner will be served.
Mrs. Esther Webster, Pres.
Mrs. Francis Swilling, Sec.

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Mt. Zion Methodist Church
Riggs Ave. and Gilmor St.

9:30 A.M.—Church School.
11:00 A.M.—Sermon by the Rev. Henry Palmer.
8:00 P.M.—Sermon.
REV. J. J. BARNES, Pastor

FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH
"THE PRAYING CHURCH"
BOND STREET AND ASHLAND AVENUE

9:00 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY REV. JACKSON HENRY.
8:00 P.M.—PROGRAM BY THE SENIOR CHOIR No. 1.
NOTE: B. T. U. REOPENS SEPT. 4TH—5 P.M.
WE WELCOME YOU. REV. WALTER E. PAIGE, Pastor.

NEW ST. JOHN BAPTIST CHURCH
1106 W. FRANKLIN STREET

9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
3:30 P.M.—HOLY COMMUNION.
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MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
CAROLINE AND PRESTON STREETS

9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
3:30 P.M.—REV. DENNIS BARROW, CHOIR AND CONGREGATION of Fountain Baptist, worship here.
6:00 P.M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION
8:00 P.M.—PROGRAM sponsored by the Deacons and Deaconesses.
THE CHURCH WITH A HEARTY WELCOME.
REV. C. EDWARD BROWNE, Pastor

SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH
"The Friendly Church"
BOND AND PRESTON STS.

9:15 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR. Music by the Senior Choir No. 2 and Gospel Chorus.
3:00 P.M.—PRAYER SERVICES.
8:00 P.M.—EVENING SERVICES. Music by the Senior Choir No. 2 and Gospel Chorus.
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ALL ARE WELCOME

GRACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
DOLPHIN AND ETTING STS.
SUNDAY, AUGUST 28, 1955

9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY DR. RICHARD I. McKINNEY of Morgan State College.
WE WELCOME YOU.
REV. ROBERT T. NEWBOLD, JR., Pastor

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH
DRUID HILL AVE. and McMECHEN ST.

9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—PREACHING and Music By GOSPEL CHORUS.
8:00 P.M.—PREACHING and Music By GOSPEL CHORUS.
ALL ARE WELCOME.
REV. V. V. K. STOKES, Pastor

SHARP ST. MEM. METHODIST CHURCH
DOLPHIN AND ETTING STS.

9:30 A.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY REV. SAMUEL M. CARTER, Director of Research and Surveys of Washington Annual Conference.
WE WELCOME YOU
REV. EDWARD G. CARROLL, Pastor

Perkins Square Baptist Church
GEORGE AND OGSTON STREETS

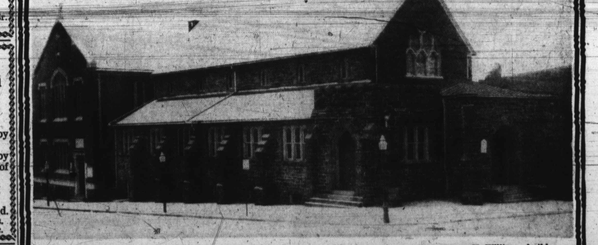
REV. WARD D. TERRY, Pastor

9:30 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.
10:30 A.M.—OPEN HEART SERVICE.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE REV. MATTHEW VENEY.
8:30 P.M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.
WE WELCOME YOU
MONDAY, AUG. 29 THROUGH SUNDAY, SEPT. 4 "UNITED USHERS WEEK."

Orchard Street Methodist Church
Orchard Street near Druid Hill Avenue

9:45 A.M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.
11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY REV. MRS. VIOLA CANNON.
6:00 P.M.—METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP.
8:00 P.M.—EVENING WORSHIP.
ALL ARE WELCOME
REV. V. T. KEY, Pastor

Mortgage Burning Service at Israel Baptist Church
PRESTON and CHESTER STS. BALTIMORE, MARYLAND
Sunday, August 28th, 1955



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MR. JUNIUS LIPSCOMB, Chairman of Trustees
MR. PRESTON HILL, Church Clerk
REV. E. D. MEADE, Pastor

Embroiled Methodists Step Up 'Peace Drive'

Committee meets, draws up charges

Bishop Love will be asked to act when he returns

WASHINGTON

The movement of area Methodists for the "restoration of peace and harmony in the Washington District" went into high gear this week.

Tuesday, the committee of 40 laymen and ministers met at the home of Mrs. Helen Ables, 1926 Ninth St., NW.

During the meeting, a subcommittee of five laymen was selected to draw up a set of grievances to be presented to Bishop Edgar Love, who presides over the Washington conference, when the returns from vacation on Sept. 6.

Specific charges, according to the committee, will be made against at least one high District official.

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THE SUBCOMMITTEE includes Lawrence Sheppard, Ebenezer Church; Clarence E. Haynes, Mt. Zion Church; Addison Chapman, Asbury Methodist Church; Joseph Brooks, Lanham Church, and Mrs. Helen Ables, Simpson Memorial.

John Ellis, chairman of the group; and Hilds Perry, secretary, are cooperative members of the committee.

The subcommittee will present the list of formal charges to a meeting of the full committee, scheduled to be held 8 p.m., Aug. 31, at Mt. Zion Methodist Church, Linden, Md.

The main grievance, Mr. Ellis reports, stems from the sale of a parsonage provided for the District superintendent at 2211 First St., NW.

In addition, the report will deal with the new parsonage at 1710 Varnum St., NW, in which the Rev. Robert Williams now resides, he adds.

Mr. Ellis and the committee say that the entire transaction was made without the approval of the members of the quarterly meeting of the Washington District.

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THE REV. RICHARD Hall, chairman of the board of trustees of the district, reported that he was ousted as chairman because of his opposition to the property transfer.

The full committee includes: Mr. Ellis, Harold Eaton, Charles Conway, Helen Thornton, Phyllis Byrd, Mr. Chapman, Mrs. Perry, Mr. Haynes;

The Rev. Richard Johnson, the Rev. James D. Fey, the Rev. Norman Goolsby, the Rev. T. O. Barrington, Peter Moore, Mr. Hawkins, the Rev. William Bishop, Evelyn Tymous and Mrs. Ables among others.

The group originally met at Ebeneser Methodist Church on Aug. 20.

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THE REACTION first flared into the open during the recent quarterly meeting of the district at Sandy Spring, Md.

It was reported that 25 ministers walked out.

The Rev. Mr. Barrington, pastor of Emory Grove Methodist Church, emphasized that the group is "not dealing in personalities.

"We would make it clear that we are not interested in running anybody out of the District or trying to get anybody's job," he continued.

"We are interested in the restoration of good fellowship and understanding. We want to work with our superintendent, our ministers and our laymen," he said.

Church invites all to meeting

While there are no colored Seventh Day Adventists living on the grounds of the group's encampment in Catonsville, they are being welcomed at all of the activities.

The 10-day encampment is being sponsored by the Chesapeake Conference of the church, with the colored Adventists in this area belong to the Alleghany Conference.

Because of this, there are no colored families living in the 150 family tents being used on the Catonsville site, according to Don Roth, director of public relations for the Chesapeake Conference.

CHILD FALLS THROUGH ROOF

WASHINGTON

Alexra Alexander, 13, unit block of H St., NW, was in good condition at Casualty Hospital, Tuesday, after she suffered possible fracture of the left arm and back injuries as the result of a fall through a sky light while hanging clothes on the roof of her home.

Brownell's speech may be 'rights tip'

National Bar Association meets here Sept. 1-3

WASHINGTON

An address by U.S. Attorney General Herbert Brownell will highlight the 30th annual convention of the National Bar Association Washington next week.

Richard E. Atkinson of this convention, has announced that Mr. Brownell will be chief speaker at a banquet set for next Friday evening at the Willard Hotel.

The Attorney General will discuss civil rights activities and objectives of the U.S. Department of Justice, Mr. Atkinson said.

The Bar Association expects the speech to indicate what may be the administration's position on during the coming year.

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ABOUT 200 out-of-town lawyers are expected to attend the three-day parley, in addition to about 100 members of the Washington Bar Association, host to the convention.

Headquarters will be the Willard Hotel where sessions will open next Thursday morning at 10 with reports from committees, the regional directors and the city, general chairman for the appointment of committees.

Harold Bledsoe of Detroit, NBA president, will preside at Thursday morning's session.

JUDGE WALTER W. Bastian of the U.S. Court of Appeals will deliver the principal address at the luncheon meeting which will follow the opening session.

He will be introduced by Mrs. Margaret H. Hawthorne, chairman of the luncheon committee. Presiding will be Mr. Atkinson.

The lawyer-delegates will also be greeted by Samuel Spencer, Chairman of the Board of District Commissioners; E. C. Baltz president of the Perpetual Building Association, and Charles R. Ryne, president of the D.C. Bar Association.

Judge Bastian's topic will be the lawyer and television.

The luncheon will conclude with remarks by Mr. Bledsoe.

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A DISCUSSION on "Discovery, Inspection and Examination Before Trial" is planned for Thursday afternoon from 2 to 4, with Donald J. Farage of Philadelphia as speaker. Elmer C. Jackson of Kansas City, first vice president of NBA, will preside.

From 4 to 6 p.m. there will be a discussion on the use of pretrial conferences, led by Judge Alexander Holtoff.

Dr. James M. Nabrit of the President's Committee on Government Contracts will deliver an address at the public meeting of the convention, set for 8 p.m., Thursday, at Vermont Avenue Baptist Church.

William S. Thompson, president of the Washington Bar Association, will preside.

Greetings will be extended by representatives of the Medico-Chirurgical Society, the Interdenominational Ministers Alliance, and the Federation of Civic Associations.

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DISCRIMINATION in publicly assisted housing involving the use of FHA and GI loans will be the first topic of Friday morning's session, when James A. Green of Chicago, fourth vice president of NBA, will preside.

Mrs. Constance B. Motley of the NAACP Legal Defense Fund will lead the discussion.

There will also be a discussion on fugitives, led by Herbert O. Reid of Howard University's Law School.

From 2 to 4 p.m., with Israel M. Augustine Jr. of New Orleans presiding, there will be discussion of discrimination in interstate transportation. Mr. August time is second vice president of NBA.

Speakers will be Robert L. Carter of the NAACP Legal Defense Fund and James A. Washington of Howard University.

Toastmistress at Friday night's banquet will be Miss Cora T. Wallace of New York City, third vice president of NBA.

Roy J. Garvin of Washington, chairman of the entertainment committee, will introduce officials of the organization and distinguished guests.

Scovel Richardson, chairman of the U.S. Parole Board, will present Attorney General Brownell.

A dance, slated to follow the banquet, will highlight the social activities, which have been arranged for the visiting lawyers and their wives during the convention.

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CLOSING BUSINESS at Saturday morning's session will include committee reports, resolutions, the annual reports of the secretary and treasurer, and the election of officers for NBA for the coming year.

Officers of the Washington Bar Association are, in addition to Mr. Thompson;

Mrs. Hawthorne, first vice president; E. Lewis Ferrell, second vice president; George B. Windsor, third vice president; Andrew J. Howard Jr., treasurer; Mrs. Jean M. Lovejoy, financial secretary; and Harold T. Hawthorne, corresponding secretary.

Southern Baptist Church ransacked

WASHINGTON

The Southern Baptist Church was ransacked late Monday night.

Tuesday morning, Rufus Mundley of 118 F St., NW, reported to police, Mr. Mundley is custodian of the building.

Mr. Mundley said the church, at 434 L St., NW, was entered by breaking glass in the basement door between 10 p.m. Aug. 22 and 9 a.m. Aug. 23. He said the premises was plundered and phones torn from the wall. A complete report on damages will be given later, police said.

Deaths

THOMAS CLARKE

Funeral services for Thomas Clarke, 70, of 1108 Riggs Ave., who died on Monday, were held at the home Thursday with the Rev. Wilbur Waters officiating. Rose Hill, Fauquier, Va., Mr. Clarke was a retired employee of the Pennsylvania Railroad. Burial was in Mt. Auburn Cemetery.

Mr. Clarke is survived by his wife Mrs. Georgia D. Clarke.

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MRS. SUSIE R. DAWSON

Services for Mrs. Susie R. Dawson, 69, of 1634 Smallwood St., were held Wednesday evening at the George H. Holland Funeral Home with the Rev. V. V. Stokes officiating.

A native of Whitestone, Va., Mrs. Dawson died in the Henryton Hospital last Sunday. She was the widow of Major J. Dawson. Burial was conducted on Thursday in Whitestone, Va.

Mrs. Dawson is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Jennie A. Williams of Baltimore; Mrs. Ella Ball of Kilmarnock, Va., and Miss Eulalia Smith of New York City.

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JOHN JOHNSON

Funeral services for John Johnson, 86, of Featherbed Lane, Owings Mills, Md., were held at the Holland Funeral Home Wednesday. Burial was in Mt. Auburn Cemetery.

Mr. Johnson died on Saturday at his home. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Bertie Blanton of Bloomfield, Conn.

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JAMES RICHARD EDWARDS

Funeral services for James Richard Edwards, 37, of 1715 E. Biddle St. who died on Sunday at Johns Hopkins Hospital, were held Thursday in Smithfield, Va.

Funeral arrangements were handled by the Robert A. Elliott and Daughter Funeral Home.

Mr. Edwards is survived by his wife, Mrs. Alma Rose Edwards; son, Frank Lewis; daughter, Miss Alma Rose Edwards; and father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards of Smithfield, Va.

ROBERT E. JOHNSON
Presiding officer

MISS MARIAN ANDERSON
Awarded Lovejoy medal

JUDGE W. C. HUESTON
Re-elected secretary

Elks Smash Opposition

Trezzvant Anderson's forces 'bottled up'

By LOUIS LAUTIER

ATLANTIC CITY (NNPA) — The Elks 56th annual grand lodge re-elected William C. Hueston as grand secretary for a fifth term, Wednesday morning.

Trazzvant Anderson, Washington newspaper reporter, a candidate for the office, was never placed in nomination.

"It was one of the damnedest steamrollers going," Chancellor Williams, Washington, told NNPA after the convention.

After reading of Hueston's annual report was completed, William Cholmondeley, district deputy, Philadelphia, moved the suspension of the rules and the reelection of Hueston.

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IN AN impassioned speech, Cholmondeley said the Elks education department "is a monument built" with Hueston's spirit.

If the Elks did not re-elect Hueston, Cholmondeley said, they would be greater sinners than any sinner in the world. He called ingratitude a sin.

Cholmondeley said Hueston questions even the expense accounts of Robert H. Johnson, grand exalted ruler. Any Elk who does that is "a safe man" to be grand secretary, he declared.

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THE MOTION to suspend the rules and re-elect Hueston was seconded by J. L. Sylvane, assistant grand exalted ruler, Syracuse, N.Y.; Truly Hatchett, assistant commissioner of education and member of the Maryland legislature, Baltimore; Forrest L. Cooper, chairman of the delegation from Columbia Lodge No. 85, Washington, and Herbert Harris, exalted ruler of Morning Star Lodge No. 40, also Washington.

Herbert E. Jones, Washington, grand organizer, moved the previous question to shut off further seconding speeches. As server, al members clamored for the floor, the motion was adopted.

The next vote occurred on the motion to suspend the rules and re-elect Hueston. A standing vote was taken without unreadiness being called for. No were those opposed asked to stand.

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T. GILLIS HUTTER, past grand exalted ruler, who was presiding, declared the motion adopted and Hueston re-elected. Two members, Williams of Greater Deacwood Lodge, and James O. Webster, past exalted ruler of Olentangy Lodge No. 521, Columbus, Ohio, sought recognition in vain.

When Nutter failed to recognize them, they rushed to the convention secretaries and asked to be recorded as having voted against Hueston.

"The grand lodge was not even segregated," Williams said.

"Anyone who had a gold card was on the floor. No one knows whether the delegate or just persons in Johnson's clique elected Hueston. Nutter never even asked for unreadiness."

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UNDER GRAND LODGE laws, an Elk in good standing with his subordinate lodge can become a member of the grand lodge by paying $5 and taking the grand lodge degree.

After taking the grand lodge degree, he can acquire a grand lodge badge by paying $5. He is given what is called the "gold card" after he takes the grand lodge degree. He is then eligible to attend grand lodge sessions, but not to vote.

While Cholmondeley was speaking in support of his motion to suspend the rules and re-elect Hueston, Grand Exalted Ruler Johnson entered the grand lodge. He took over the gavel from Nutter after the latter had declared Hueston re-elected.

WILLIAMS AGAIN sought recognition. Johnson told him he would hear him at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon. The convention will be adjourned by then.

Williams insisted upon being heard. Johnson told him to make a motion that he be heard. Williams then moved that he be heard on parliamentary procedure. His motion was voted down as the delegates laughed.

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EARLIER, UNDER suspension of rules and after their annual reports had been made, Judge Jerry B. Jackson of Cleveland, grand treasurer; Hobson Reynolds, director of civil liberties, and Perry W. Howard, grand legal adviser, were re-elected.

Dr. Henry W. Hunter of Cleveland, assistant commissioner of education, moved the suspension of the rules in the case of Judge Jackson. He called the grand treasurer "a definate asset" to the Order and said he added "respectability" to it.

In the case of the grand legal adviser, Maurice Weeks, legal adviser of Columbia Lodge, Washington, moved that Howard's report be referred to the proper committee.

After telling the grand lodge that Howard "has steered us straight," Reynolds moved a suspension of the rules and Howard's re-election.

Dynamite

There is danger of the Church sinking on account of blind Watchmen! Now it's all right for a fish to be in the water, but it's very dangerous when water gets into the fish. Now it's all right for the Church to be in the world, but very dangerous when the world gets into the Church.

We have, I am afraid, too many Gamblers — too many Liars — too many Liars — too many Slanderers — too many MONEY GRAFTERS.

Too many Idolaters.

For this you may yet that no Whoremonger, nor unclean person, nor covetous man, who is an Idolater, Hath any inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and God. This is the Will of God, even your sanctification, that ye Abstain from fornication: That every one of you know how to possess his vessel in sanctification and honor. (Thess 2: 11-12) For the Grace of God that hath appeared unto all men, teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and Godly, in this present world.

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