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MISS LEONNA JOHNSON of Chicago, right, was guest of honor at luncheon, Saturday, of her hostess, Mrs. Gladys Flacks Parker of Baltimore.

Gadabouting in Baltimore

Romance still tops social survey shows

with Lula Jones Garrett

Who says this is an unromantic age when the most appealing of love stories turn up in the news every day of the week?

Take for instance that of Wilhelmina Steele and her bridegroom, Dr. William Funderburk.

A couple fo years back, after Wilhelmina had graduated from Howard and while she was waiting to enter Boston U. for graduate work, she filled in the summer by working on the staff of the AFRO., in the magazine section. Because she is as pretty as a picture and cute as a button, the guys in the office practically swooned when she passed, but Wilhelmina realized they existed.

And then she and Dr. Funderburk met, on a sort of blind date, in March. It was love at first sight. He was so sure that he went out and bought the ring almost immediately. Four months later they were married.

Of course, the families Steele and Funderburks, both of South Carolina had known each other down through the years. The couple's fathers had been school mates at Johnson C. Smith. The bride's uncle, Dr. Algernon Steele, had been an instructor of the bridegroom at that college. And Wilhelmina and Dr. Funderburk's sister were at Boston University at the same time.

The senior Funderburks are prominent morticians in Lancaster, Pa.

This week the newlyweds are all unscamed in a perfectly beautiful apartment in Washington, which they have already furnished. That is, with aid. His mother gave them the magnificent TV that enhances their modern living room. His dad gave them the car parked outside. Her parents are providing the lovely silver.

The bride is a teacher in this city. Dr. Funderburk is a resident surgeon at Freedman's in D.C.

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POT-POURRI—

Sylvia Clara Cook, daughter of Mrs. Emanuel L. Cook and Donald Martin have selected September 8th for their wedding. The ceremony will take place in Providence Baptist Church, and a reception will follow at the Brighton St. home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Jackson are vacationing in Pensacola, Fla., this week. Went down to see their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Anderson, who, incidentally, are expecting the stork the latter part of this year.

Back in the United States, this week, are Coach Talmadge (Marse) Hill, of Morgan State College, and their daughter Freddie. Miss Hill studied abroad the past year on a Fulbright Fellowship. . . the parents went over to see the Continent and picked her up.

Mrs. Lena Lee, attorney, commissioner, school principal and what-not, represented Mayor D'Alesandro at the opening session of the National Christian Convention here this week. Senator Harry Cole represented Gov. McKeldin.

Last week, I mentioned in a story here that the James B. Unthank's home in Winston-Salem was a new one. It is not new, it was moved from a former site to the present location. In fact, the Unthinks are quite proud of the fact that their house is one of the oldest in that city.

Members of the Pitch and Putt Golf Club of Baltimore attended the Mixed Scotch Foursome and Team Matches held in Reading Pennsylvania over the weekend. A dinner dance was held on Saturday nite at the Berkshire Hotel.

Attending were Marie Murphy, Alma Arvin, Mildred Carter, Azalee Porter, Jonnie Goldston, Nettie Brown, Estelle Busey, Bertha Kizzie and Theresa Freeland.

Mrs. Arvin and Goldston brought back trophies. Plans are now being made for the celebration of their fifth anniversary.

PERGRINATORS: Everything is grand except the time, opine Eden and Abdella Campbell, who are seeing some parts of Canada. The weather is ideal and the scenery fine ...but the time is too short, they moan.

But the "bright blue water, soft cooling breezes of the Trade Winds and good friends" are making her vacation glorious, says E. Estelle Thomas, YWCA director, who is vacationing in the Virgin Islands.

Dollie Walker, who has been showing her small son, Doug, New England this summer, was in New York, where he (Doug) had her at Coney Island, Monday, and was going to drag" her on a cruise up the Hudson, next day. They are home now.

Mrs. Roy Moody and Miss Geraldine Manokey left Saturday on a trip to Los Angeles, Calif.

Dr. Charles R. Campbell who is in Jamaica, B.W.I. writes that his elderly mother (whom he is visiting) often tells him that her end is near, but that her philosophy of living is certainly stimulating.

Young Robsol Pinkett is getting his Cape Cod vacation after all. At first it seemed that a case of mumps might spoil his plans. But Mom (Shirley) packed him off to see his grandmother, while she sneaked off to the Eastern Shore to spend several days with her in-laws, Dr. and Mrs. Purnell. By the way, the Stork is due at the Pinkett (Robert, attorney) household in early December.

Others of cycle set who have been a-visiting include Patricia Jackson, daughter of Doris Buckner White, and granddaughter of the William Buckners, who came in this week from visiting her paternal grandparents in Buffalo, N.Y. She also visited in Crystal Springs, Ontario, Canada and Niagara Falls, Canada.

Mrs. Mabel Vessells Hawkins, Mrs. Susie Clarke, Miss Eurkie Lee Smith and Edgar Smith took the trail to New York over the week-end. Their chief aim, the Yankee-Oriole game at Yankee Stadium.

Dr. and Mrs. McKinley Reesby are hosting Miss Camilla Levy of Florence, S.C., who formerly was on the faculty of Douglass High School, here. She has been in New York City and will visit in Orange, N.C. when she leaves here Sunday.

Meredith Burche is guesting in Ocean Grove, N.J. with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel (Evelyn) Blanks of this city. Has spent a time in Asbury Park and Eaton Town, in Jersey.

Rozena Ridgely, who dashed to New York, went on to Cape Cod and is now in Boston. And the Reynoldses (Vernice and Medford) have the audacity to chide that it is actually cold in South Norwalk, Conn., where they are vacationing.

Honeymooning in this city this week, is that delightful couple, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman W. Jackson, whose wedding took place in St. Marks Church, Wilson, N.C., a week back. She is the former Catherine T. Spells. They are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes. Their wedding trip will include stops in Washington, Philadelphia and New York, also.

MR. W. A. C. HUGHES is home from a beautifully long vacation trip that took her to California and Texas. She went out to San Francisco, Calif. for the Jack and Jill convention. . . spent three weeks in the West.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Claude Hudson and Lt. and Mrs. Thomas Green, of Los Angeles, entertained some 200 guests at a cocktail and buffet party (one of the major affairs of the season there) in honor of Mrs. Hughes at Los Angeles' swank Wilfandel Club.

She was house guest of the Hudsons.

Later, Mrs. Hughes visited her sister, Mrs. Lucille Teycer in Marshall, Texas, where the latter is head of the piano department of Wiley College, once headed by their father, the late Dr. Dogan. And from Marshall, she went to Dallas, Texas, for a visit with another sister, Mrs. Ruth Shelton.

In San Francisco, Mrs. Hughes was feted at the famous Poalis by Dr. McKinley Thomas and Dr. and Mrs. Caesar (she Pianist Lois Towles) at a dinner party; by the Everett Bees of Los Angeles at a beach party, and the Paul Williamses (architect) at cocktails.

DR. MAYBELLE WEAVER, while attending the 62nd annual convention of the National Medical Association in Cleveland, Ohio was dinner and reception honoree of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones of that city.

Guests at the party include Mrs. Mansil K. Phillips, J. E. Wallace, Miss Selma Palmer, Miss Estella H. Barber, Dr. B. H. Brown, Mrs. Dorothy Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Saunders, all of Cleveland;

Mrs. Carrie Dennis, Miss Beatrice Henson of Washington, Mrs. Lucille Dudlye of Kansas City, Mo.

Dr. Weaver also visited in Dayton, where she was guest of Dr. M. Johnson; and in Youngstown and Pittsburgh, Pa.

Other Baltimoreans attending the convention included Drs. and Mesdames Bernard Harris, Jr., Emerson Walden, Franklin Phillips, Percival Smith; Dr. Evan Gilkes and Dr. John T. Gunn.

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MISS LEONNA JOHNSON of Chicago, Ill. is spending two weeks here as guest of Mrs. Gladys Flacks Parker of Penrose Ave.

Enroute to Chicago, Miss Johnson will spend the remainder of her vacation in Atlantic City. She is a surgical nurse at Michael Reese Hospital in Chicago.

On Saturday the hostess gave a luncheon in honor of Miss Johnson, at which time she met Mesdames Phyllis Shanwell, Helen Chamberlin, Geraldine Green, Lillian Slater, Charlotte Hawkins, Beatrice Hargrove, Evelyn Bullitt, Melvina Jackson, Vivian Reid, Azalee Portee and Pauline Wooding.

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WHEN DR. LEONARD H. B. FOOTE was honored at a testimonial in Tallahassee, Fla., last Thursday, there to see him cited and to also receive a commendation at the summer school convocation at Florida A. and M. College were his sisters, Mrs. Olive Bailey and Mrs. Beatrice Craig of Cockeysville, and Mrs. Pearl Butler this city.

Dr. Foote, you know graduated from Douglass High School here.

He has retired after a 30-year tenure as medical director and head of the health department of the A and M Hospital, during which time he saw the institution grow from a 19 to a 260-bed institution worth two and a half million dollars.

Still under 60, he will retain the post of head surgeon at the hospital and devote himself to his large practice.

After visiting Dr. and Mrs. Foote the Marylanders spent a few days with Dr. and Mrs. Frank Hall at Panama City. Flew home Tuesday.

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MR. AND MRS. CARL WHITE of Morgan Park have had as their guests this week, her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Gordon of Buffalo, N.Y., and their children, Freddie, David and the twins, Colleen and Stephen.

Mrs. White entertained at cards for Mrs. Gordon on Tuesday:

Guests included:

Selenia Walden, Dolly Walker, Arnetta Fletcher, Frankie Wood, Ruth Marshall, Vashti Matthews, Louise Robinson, Ruth Lighston and Margaret Ellis of this town; and Mrs. Bithey Gordon (the hostess' mother) and Miss Lena Toms of Washington.

MANY GIFTS FOR the lovely home of George and Genevieve Fields were received, on Sunday evening when a few friends came for the blessing of their Allendale Rd. home. The Rev. Samuel Carter of Metropolitan Methodist Church officiated. Mrs. Edna K. Mit-

MR. AND MRS. JOHN F. DORSEY of Baltimore were among guests who danced at the Boule Ball of Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, recently.

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Coming Events

August 23-25
Fifty-first Annual Session of the National Christian Missionary convention, Disciples of Christ, continuing at Mt. Olivet Christian Church, Penrose and Fulton Aves.

Assembly of Jehovah's Witnesses continuing in session at Memorial Stadium.

August 24
Annual crab feast of the Green Acre Country Club, Inc., at the Casino Gardens, 134 Winters Ave., Catonsville, beginning at 6 p.m.

August 25
Femmes Continentals will have a benefit crab feast at the Forest for the purpose of buying another TV set for Franklin Square Hospital. The feast will start at noon.

chell sang the beautiful "O Bless This Home."

Those who helped to make this a memorable occasion were:

Mr. and Mrs. Arnett Brown, Mr. and Mrs. William Gambrill, Mr. and Mrs. John Donaldson, Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reaves;

Mesdames Pauline Butler, Barbara Carrington, Ida Carrington, Christine Christmas, and Henry Lewis.

Out-of-town-guests were Mrs. Roverta Curry, Mrs. Mollie Marshal and William Hargrove of N.Y.C.

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FAIR FEATURES

One of the nation's top aerial acts, the Del Rays, will headline the entertainment at the Salem County Fair, which opens at Riverview Park in Pennsville, N.J. this Sunday, August 25. The fair will run

S. Baltimore Notes

(In the absence of the regular writer, George W. E. Hill, the column is being written by Mrs. Blanche Christian.)

Our columnist, George W. E. Hill, is spending a week visiting with the Rev. and Mrs. Calvin Nickens at their summer home in Virginia.

The Rev. and Mrs. T. B. McQueen will be returning home after visiting in North and South Carolina. The minister will resume his duties at the Star of Bethlehem AME Church, Sunday, Aug. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Levin Landsdowne of 2612 Hollins Ferry Rd., are the parents of a seven pound baby boy born Aug. 15. Also new parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gasques Sr. who have a baby girl, weight seven pounds and three ounces, born Aug. 15.

The Trustees Aid of Star of Bethlehem AME Church is holding the 11th annual bus trip to Sparrow's Beach on Sept. 2. Buses will leave at 10 a.m. from 2520 Huron St., William Polk, president; George W. Hill, vice-president; Christian, secretary; Trigby Wicks, treasurer. Mrs. Grace Hines of 2520 Huron St., has been ill.

Les Petites and Gents told Youth needs changed attitudes

"There is great fear for the secretive the world of tomorrow unless youth change their sense of values," the Rev. Julius Scott told a group of young people, here, Tuesday evening.

The Rev. Mr. Scott, a graduate student at Boston University and a recent missionary to India, was speaker at the special session of the Petites and Gents, a teen-agers club sponsored by Mrs. Charles Watts.

"Young people must change their sense of values and develop more wholesome attitudes towards life, as well as dedicate themselves wholeheartedly to the daily upholding of high morals and Christian ideals," the speaker said.

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A PERIOD of discussion and questions followed his talk. Music for the meeting was provided by Miss Veronica Tyler, a student of Peabody; Mr. and Mrs. Spelman Johnson and Miss Lillie Mae Douglass, Howard University student.

Courtesy gifts were presented to the Rev. Mr. Scott, Miss Tyler, Mrs. Elaine Fields and Mrs. Hollis, all of whom have served the club throughout the year. A belated birthday gift went to Mrs. Margaret Wiley.

After the session the group went into the club room of Dr. and Mrs. Watts, in whose home the meeting was held, where they played games and participated in other recreation.

PRIZES AT games went to Miss Carolyn Thomas, Norman Redd, Miss Marion Miller and Miss Gwendolyn Warren.

Guests included Miss Margaret Johnson, Miss Elaine Fields, Dr. Charles Watts, Mrs. Lomax, Miss Melvina Green, Miss Veronica Tyler, Miss Lillie M. Douglass, Mr. and Mrs. Spelman Johnson and Mrs. Hollis, Smith.

The club, organized by Mrs. Watts, has 20 members, all residents in the neighborhood of her home on Arunah Ave. The party which she gave them was attended by:

Otis Warren, president; George Hayes, Miss Gwendolyn Warren, Miss Carolyn Green, Miss Rita Hayes, Miss Marion Miller and Ronald Johnson.

Other members were vacationing out of the city.

DR. AND MRS. WILLIAM W. FUNDERBURK, recently married in Washington, were honorees at a reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Hill Steele, of Baltimore, parents of the bride, the former Miss Wilhelmina Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Steele receive in honor of Dr,. Mrs. William Funderburk, newlyweds

Flower-filled Me-De-So Club was the setting, Saturday afternoon, for the marriage reception of Dr. and Mrs. William W. Funderburk, given by the parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Hill Steele.

Mrs. Funderburk is the former Miss Wilhelmina Steele. Her marriage to Dr. Funderburk, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Funderburk of Lancaster, S.C. took place in Washington on July 26.

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IN THE receiving line with Mr. and Mrs. Steele and Dr. and Mrs. Funderburk were John Funderburk, Jr. and Mrs. Elaine Butler Bryant and Dr. Samuel Q. Mitchell who had been attendants to the newly weds at their wedding.

Guests were introduced in the line by Dr. George Spaulding. Assisting hostesses included Mrs. Mary J. Spellman, Mrs. Katrine White, Mrs. Marie Fraser, Mrs. Marie Edwards, Mrs. Sarah Early;

Also Mrs. Adele Foreman, Mrs. Katrine White, Miss Stephanie Fraser, Miss Maxine Funderburk of Lancaster, S.C., sister of the bridegroom; Mrs. LaRuth Gray of New York City, Miss Cornelia Martin of Orangeburg, S.C.; Mrs. Ann McGlothern, Mrs. George Spaulding and Dr. Thelma Barndo.

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THE BRIDE was picture pretty in a gown of imported white lace, ballerina length, the boat neck encrusted with seed pearls and crystals, and made with snugly fitted bodice, full skirt and tiny sleeves.

Her shoes were white satin. In her hair she wore a tiara of seed pearls and pinned her orchid corsage at her waist.

Mrs. Steele selected a gown of pink with an all over design re-embroidered in the seed pearls and crystals. Her cloche was of silk and velvet petals with a tiny rosebud at the front. Her corsage was a purple throated orchid.

Mrs. Funderburk also wore a purple orchid with her ensemble, which was of deep blue lace over taffeta; and Mrs. Bryant was in pink chiffon, the entire top of which was heavily encrusted with crystals and pearls. She, like the bride, tucked her corsage at her waist.

Miss Funderburk, who directed guests to the refreshment table, wore bouffant yellow net.

Other members of the bridegroom's family here for the reception included his brothers Caesar, from Lancaster; and Henry, from New Jersey.

Among guests who called during the afternoon were:

Messrs. and Mesdames James M. Lotherin; D'Orsay Bryant, Norris Gray of New Rochelle, N.Y.; Norman Jenkins of Philadelphia, Thomas White, Harvey Seay, Hubert Spelman;

Drs and Mesdames George Spaulding, Francis Blackwell of Washington, L. Roy Young, Edison Banfield of Washington, Thomas Fraser, Bruce Benjamin, Lewis Atkins of Washington, Charles Epps of Washington.

Dr. and Mesdames Erman Edgecomb of Washington, E. Albert Harden of Washington, L. D. LaFall of New York, Thomas Pinson of Washington; the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. J. Clinton Hoggard of Washington.

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Misses Martha Campbell, Cornelia Martin, Silvia Atkins, Mary Manokey, Edith Mason, Stephanie Fraser, Anna Cherrie of New Orleans, La.; Phyllis McKinney, Helen Gray, Marion Seay, Barbara Lindsey, Betty Bullock, Faulkner Hughes;

Donald Pierce of Washington, John Barry, Jerry McNeill, Ronald Gregory, Gilbert Kiah, Dr. Marvin Johnson of Washington, O. Mayo of Washington, William L. West of Washington, Benjamin Watkins of Danville, Va., Bernard Robson, Elmer R. Pickett of Camden, S.C., Frank Barbee of Washington, Dr. Nelson Fain, Heywood Harrison, Dr. Noble Cooper of Columbia, S.C., Earl Cephas, Eugene J. Mosby.

NAMED PROGRAM HEAD

ALBANY, N.Y. — Appointment of J. Riche Coleman of Hartford, Conn., as program director of the Albany Interracial Council was announced this week. At Hartford, Coleman served four years as program director of the North End Community Center Extension.

SAFETY IN MARYLAND

Maryland was one of the seven states in the entire nation that went without a fatal accident on the fourth of July.

The other states were Delaware, Nevada, Rhode Island, Utah, Vermont and Wyoming.

Cinderella weds her prince here

That August is a time of romance and wedding bells may now be proved true for it was on August 8 that a Baltimore Cinderella was wed to her prince charming.

Certain to live happily ever afterward are the former Miss Cinderella Glass, 32, 1210 Canal St., and Jay Lucas Jr., 33, 836 E. 22nd St., who were married by the Rev. L. A. Williams, 1808 Ashland Ave., on that date.

When Porter marries Porter it may also be a sign of happiness.

ON AUGUST 19 a Harrisburg, Pa., undertaker, Joseph I. Porter, 46, 313 Cumberland St., was wed to the former Mrs. Evelyn J. Porter, 46, also of Harrisburg.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Porter were divorced prior to their August marriage. The Rev. G. M. Edwards, pastor of the Pennsylvania Ave. AME Zion Church.

Also married on that same date by the Rev. Mr. Edwards were the former Miss Beatrice Ryan, 45, 646 Perkins Ave. and Curtis Morrison, 28, 119 W. Hill St.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed observe 25th wedding anniversary

WASHINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reed, 414 Luray Pl. NW, celebrated their 25th anniversary, Tuesday with a family dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed were married, Aug. 20, 1932, by the Rev. George Olye Bullock, pastor of Third Baptist Church.

The Reeds are longtime members of Third Baptist Church, where they taught Sunday School for more than 12 years and were former officers in the Christian Endeavor Societies of their church.

FORMERLY, MISS Fannie T. Morris, Mrs. Reed is a faculty member of Merritt Elementary School. A native Washingtonian, she is a graduate of Lovejoy Elementary School, Armstrong High School, and Miner Teachers College.

Active in local educational circles, Mrs. Reed is past basileus of Kappa Alpha Chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, an active member of Beta Zeta (Graduate) Chapter of the Zetas, and a former social worker with the Juvenile Courts of the District of Columbia.

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A VETERAN columnist and a 32nd degree Scottish Rite Mason, Mr. Reed is a past master of Warren Lodge No. 8, Prince Hall Masons; is now serving his 22nd year as grand publicist of the Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Masons for the District; past patron of Queen Esther Chapter No. 1, Order of Eastern Star; a longtime member of Markwell Chapter of Holy Royal Arch Masons and a member of the Republican National Committee on Publicity for the state of Kansas.

Their daughter, Lenore Ann Reed is first violinist with the students' orchestra at Roose-

NAACP conference set for Aug. 17

CARBONDALE, Ill. — The second in a series of conferences called by the Illinois Conference of Branches of the NAACP on segregation, discriminations and integration in education in the state will be held here Saturday, at the Bethel AME Church.

The conference will survey the extent and effect of racial segregation and discrimination in education in Illinois and map out plans for community action, education, legislative and legal action to bring about full integration and equality of educational opportunity in educational institutions throughout the state.

William M. Clinton weds Miss Miller

William M. Clinton, 24, 2540 Calverton Heights St., was married to the former Miss Edna M. Miller, 24, 2540 Elmont St., on August 11 in Towson, Md., by the Rev. Edward McNair pastor of the St. James A.U. Methodist Church there.

According to the marriage certificate for which Mr. Clinton applied, he was born in Arkansas, is divorced, and listed his occupation as steve-

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