BRITISHERS VISIT — Mr. and Mrs. Douglass Ross, educators of St. Andrews Rd., Caversham, Reading, England, third and fifth from left, visited in Baltimore recently with Mrs. Frances Henderson, extreme right, director of Morgan State's news bureau. Here, they are shown at Northwestern High School commencement with left to right, Baltimore's deputy superintendent, Sterling Keyes; Dr. Thomas D. Sheldon, superintendent, and Mayor Thomas J. D'Alesandro 3rd.

GIFTS OF FLOWERS were presented to three Oblate Sisters of Providence who on Sunday celebrated a total of 125 years as members of the Catholic order, established in 1829 and the oldest order of black nuns in the United States. Receiving the token of honor after a 9 a.m. mass at St. Pius Catholic Church were left to right, Sister Noel Belgrave, 25 years, from Mrs. Rebecca Carroll; Sister Mercedes Ernst, 50 years, from Mrs. Jennie Robinson; Sister Philomena Michaeu, 50 years, from Mrs. Clarro Richardson. Father Patrick Joseph Veal presided at the mass. Present were members of the Parish Council, Carl Case, chairman; members of Sister Philomena's Glass of 1927 from Ridge, Md. and friends and relatives of the honorees.

State employees hear Nix at conference

Roscoe Nix, of the Justice Department, and former executive secretary of the Maryland Human Relations Commission, charged here recently that state and local governments have failed to fulfill their obligation to assure equal job opportunity.

As a result, Mr. Nix predicts that the agencies will soon have to face protests from angry young people, both black and white, "a protest that will shake the agencies as they have never been shaken."

Referring to the 300 Federal aid programs and $17 billion a year available to cities and states, he said young blacks who enter public service for a career expect the career to be a career and not a dead-end or blind alley.

Mr. Nix advised the agencies to make equal opportunity employment a full-time job and stop finding excuses to carry, on "the same old game" of discrimination.

Mr. Nix's talk came at the "Equal Opportunity in State Employment in the 70's Conference" called by State Secretary of Personnel Henry Bosz on June 11.

The day-long session was held in the Pullen Gymnasium on the campus at Coppin State College.

Dr. Parlett Moore, Coppin president, introduced the speaker; Dr. Homer Favor, dean-elect of the Morgan State College Urban Affairs Center, was moderator.

Others who participated in panel discussions and workshops were:

Stephen Shawe, attorney, Commission on Human Relations., Troy Brailey, Delegate to Maryland State General Assembly; Ernest Crofoot, Director of Council No. 67 (A.F.S.C.M.E.) AFL-CIO.

Edward H. Johns, Sr. — Executive Director of Maryland Classified Employees Association.

Afternoon panel members included:

William Schoenhaar, Director of Division of Employee Relations, C.O.P. Kisser D. Barnes. Intergroup Relations Representatives II; Miss Carole Jeffries, Supervisor of Community and Human Relations Staff.

Others were:

Robert Jacobs, Specialist, Communityand Human Relations, Department of Mental Hygiene; Theodore Holmes, Employee Relations Officer, B and O and C and O Railroad.

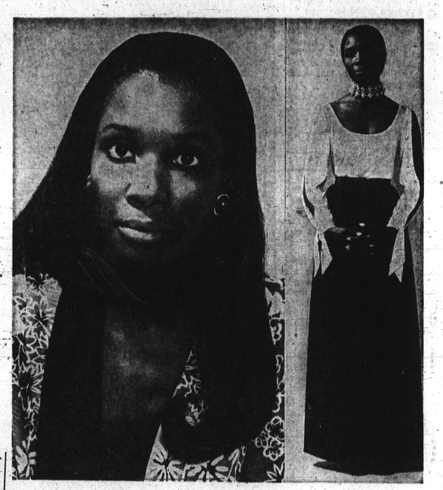
Recommendations of the Conference, and findings will be submitted to Governor Marvin Mandel for executive action.

'Odd Couple set at Dinner Theatre

The Big Table Dinner Theatre has announced as its premiere production, "The Odd Couple."

Opening night will be July 1 and "The Odd Couple" will continue each Thursday, Friday and Saturday through the month of July.

In the starring roles of Oscar Madison and Felix Ungar will appear Harry Harris, most recently seen locally as Capt. Brackett in "South Pacific," and Robert Bartlett who appeared last fall as Lt. Cable in "South Pacific" and as Curley in "Oklahoma."



FOR WOMAN OF COLOUR is the way the new Astarte advertises its line of cosmetics. Designed for fashion-conscious women. Chryse Hanshaw, shown in two photos here, is fashion director and authority on the Astarte line currently being demonstrated at Baltimore's Hochschild Kohn downtown store. In right panel, Miss Hanshaw is wearing a Jon Zliggins gown. Jewelry is by Kenneth J. Lane. Hairdo was styled by Imre. Left panel, she shows how new Astarte gives a natural, warm look.

Divorces filed

Marcia Barbara Lyons vs. Daniel Joseph Lyons; Jody Bittler Johns vs. James Wallace Johns; Joy D. Jackson vs. Howard W. Jackson; Marcella K. Rene vs. John M. Rene; Ruth Jackson vs. Charles M. Jackson; Leroy F. Lane vs. Clara R. Lane; C. Barry Truax vs. Susan W. Truax; Ruth Ann Robinson vs. Edward Robinson;

Clarence Roger Proctor vs. Joan M. Proctor; Marlene M. Calvert vs. John William Calvert Jr.; Wilbert Brooks vs. Julia V. Brooks; Earnestine Mangana vs. Preston D. Mangana; Hazel Saltz vs. Ronda E. Saltz Edward Wyche vs. Catherine Wyche; Max E. Taylor Jr. vs. Theresa Taylor; Mildred Brown vs. Aubrey Brown; Jeanne M. LaFage vs. Russell J. LaFage;

Paul Roberson vs. Lillian Roberson; Charles R. Keltz vs. Elsie Mae Meehan Donley Keltz; Carol Lee Tuefer vs. Warner Lee Tuefer; Hosea Chamblain vs. Ella Mae Chamblain; Darlene C. Hess vs. Roman L. Hess Sr.; Pauline Clark vs. Roger Lee Clark; Dessie Koethe vs. Elmer Koethe; George Lanman; Ida M. Selena P. Lanman vs. Taylor vs. Walter L. Taylor;

Julia E. Morrow vs. Hubert L. Morrow; Sherman Williams vs. Marilyn L. Williams; Harry Leon Louk vs. Garnet Delores Louk; Leo F. Leazer vs. Hazel Leazer; Leonard S. Harmon vs. Judith Elanore Harman; Gladys S. Summers vs. Albert Summers; Booker Thomas Lawton vs. Ossie Orange Lawton; Jona Reedy vs. John Orville Reedy; Pauline Saunders vs. Napoleon A. Saunders; Rita D. Simons vs. Milis M. Simons;

Aubrey J. Myers vs. Nancy Anne Myers; Charles M. Edwards vs. Jessie Mae Edwards; Hazel McCauley vs. George McCauley; Marie I oylerly vs. Harry G. Oyerly; Eileen J. Myers vs. Robert W. Myers Abraham Yankeloff vs. Veatrice Yankeloff;

Jacqueline Barnard vs. Ronald Barnard; Doris C. Matthews vs. Donald M. Matthews Jr.; Diane M. Atwood vs. Ronald B. Atwood; Gerard L. Garman vs. Judith L. Garman; Patricia C. Sacks vs. George M. Sacks; Gertrude A. Cannacy vs. Herbert Cannady vs. Herbert Cannady.

JUNE 23

The Baltimore Theatre Ensemble has announced a gala opening night benefit performance of Jakobi Pinter's "The Birthday Party" at 8:30 p.m. in the Studio Theatre at Towson State College. A champagne buffet will be served after the performance. Tickets for the benefit are $10 per person.

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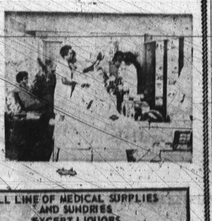

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JUNE 24

The University of Maryland Summer Chorus will begin rehearsals on Wednesday, June 24 at 7 p.m. in the Tawes Fine Arts Building, Room 205. Membership is open to all students and community memebrs. There will be no auditions, and membership is free.

Stop those Tears!
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HUMPHREYS 3

AWARDED — Druid Park West Child Study Group received the newly established Myrtle Adelberg Award from the Child Study Association of Baltimore, Inc. as the outstanding chapter in the association. Members of the group include Mesdames Reona Thomas, Adelle Harris, Delores Manns, Donetta Allen, Sylvia Teal, Anne Reed, Audrey Sheppard, Delores Handy, Sally Johnson, Emma Arnelle, Dolores Walker, Doris Welcher, Bernice Brown, Lillian Johnson and Jacqueline Dodd. Not shown are Misdames Blanche Brown, Alyce Miller, Gwendolyn Smith and Colleen Cary.

RETURNING HOME:

Rev. James E. Adams feted at retirement banquet

The Rev. James E. Adams, pastor of the Sandy Springs United Methodist Circuit, was honored recently at a retirement banquet. The black tie affair was sponsored by the members of the Circuit.

The Rev. Mr. Adams is retiring on disability because of recent illness.

An outstanding feature of the banquet was the presence of many members and friends from each of the churches formerly pastored by the Rev. Mr. Adams.

These included John Wesley Circuit, Waterbury; St. Johns, Papapsco Park; and Sharp Street and Centennial, Sandy Springs. A busload of wellwishers came from Metropolitan Church, Glen Burnie.

The affair was held in the lower auditorium of the beautiful Colesville United Methodist Church in Sandy Springs. Mrs. Lillian Wallace and Mrs. Isabell Bell were co-chairman.

The Rev. Walter Cox, pastor of the Altholton Charge, presided.

The banquet began with a processional by the honoree and those who were invited to join him and Mrs. Adams (Felicia) at the guest table.

The invocation was by Dr. Edward Carroll, pastor of Marvin Memorial United Methodist, Silver Springs.

Soloists were Mrs. Pearl Pumphrey, Charles A. Bagley and Bernard Lee.

Other participants were the Rev. James H. Smith, pastor, Churchville United Methodist, Harrison Randolph associate of Sandy Spring charge and lay leader, Charles Claggett.

Dr. Kenneth Lyons, District Superintendent of the Washington West District gave the main address.

The honoree was showered with presentations from his family, friends and former and present parishioners. He told the banquet audience he was returning to his Eastside home in Baltimore to live and resume his membership at Centennial United Methodist.

The benediction was given by the Rev. William E. Bishop, District Superintendent of the West Baltimore District.

The honoree paid tribute to his wife of 35 years, Felicia Adams, a certified Lay Speaker of the United Methodist Church.

One time AFRO columnist, she is president of The Maryland State Association of Ministers' Wives.

The Adamses have 5 children and 6 grandchildren.

Not present were the honoree's two sons:

They are: Arno Adams, who was away with the Morgan State College track team. He is employed in the athletic department of Morgan State College.

Marine S/Sgt. and Mrs. Hershell J. Adams Sr. and son, Hershell J. Adams Jr. stationed in Hawaii for the next three years.

Rev. Adams members present were, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Bagley, daughter and son-in-law, Sgt. and Mrs. Andre' Adams; son and daughter-in-law, James E. Adams Jr.

Relatives from Baltimore City included, Mrs. Lillie Mae Adams, his mother; Mrs. Sevella Forrest, sister; Charles Jr., Christopher, Chreyle, Cassandra Bagley; grandchildren, Andre' Adams Jr. grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Chavis, sister-in-law, brother-in-law.

Also, uncle and aunts, the Rev. and Mrs. Albert Hammond Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tobias, Dr. and Mrs. Calvin Le Compte, aunt of Washington.

Other guests included:

The Rev. and Mrs. Warren H. Smith, Jack Foye, Walter Cox, Harrison Randolph, Kenneth Kohler, mayor Nancy Barrett, Carrol Warner, Frank Williams, Arthur Camper, Royden Robins, A. Ball, Rev. Mrs. Mary Mosley, Dr. and Mrs. Edward Carroll, Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lyons, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Harris, Dr. William Bishop, Rev. James Valliant, Pastor Allen Hamilton.

Messrs. and Mesdames Theodore Savage, Nathaniel Brown, Willie T. Jones Sr., Melvin Kelly, Marcia Johnson, William Hackett, George Campbell, Frances Dorsey, Richard L. Merritt, Ralph T. Gaines, Beatrice Riggs, Wesley Moore, Clifton Perkins, Thomas Houston, Lacon Offord, Ernest Offord, Joseph Hodges, Earl Coates, Rose G. Boddy, John Hopkins, Edgar Thomas, Jeffrey Dyson, Sr.

Mesdames Mildred Nelson, Sutton Belnesh, Lillian Walker, L. Perkins, Johnson, Dolores Brade, Sylvia Richardson, Frances Mayes, Gladys Gallion, Sandra Hagler, Naomi G. Jones, Geneva O. Williams, Sarah Gaspar, Marie G. Williams, Ruth Quinn, Pearl Gibbs, Nancy Hall, Lynn Jones, Odessa Plummer, Mary C. Bowie, Ann Bowie, Ann Bowie, Jessie Bowie, Alice Ashford, Pearl Sumner, Alice Ashford, Pearl Sumner, Ethel Ashford, Ethel Ashford, Gladys Chaney, Richard Chaney, Lucille Chaney, Ruth Chaney, Lucille A. Chaney, Richard Chaney, Ruth Chaney, Lucille A. Chaney, Richard Chaney, Ruth Chaney, Lucille A. Chaney, Richard