107,945 Registered For May 17 Primary

How to save money on the next car you decide to buy

By GEORGE COLLINS

How can you save money when buying a car, new or used?

The best way, of course, is to pay cash. That way, you avoid interest charges.

And too, you are in a better position to drive a hard bargain.

But, other than the Internal Revenue Man (bless him), who has the price of one of those low slung, sleek jobs on hand?

Hence, the installment plan.

Although this method of car buying is popular because it's convenient, it can also be very costly, interest wise.

How costly, depends on what method is used to finance a car purchase.

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THE TWO MOST common practices of financing a car purchase are through a bank or finance company.

Bank - rate financing for a new car is five per cent per year for three years, with a one - third down payment.

Hence, if you bought a new car costing $3,000, through bank financing, you would pay $3,300 before you could call the title yours.

Through a finance company, you would pay more.

According to the Administrator of loan laws, legal rate for finance companies on new cars is nine per cent per year.

Thus the car that would cost you $3,300 at the bank will run $3,540 at a loan company.

For used cars the difference becomes bigger.

Interest rate on used car loan at bank is six percent. Down payment and term of contract depends on make, model and year of car.

Finance companies are allowed to charge a rate of 12 per cent per year if the car is not over two years old. Beyond this, the rate soars to 15 per cent.

Thus the interest charge for one year to finance a $1,000 balance on a three - year - old used car is:

Bank $60, finance company, $150.

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CAR DEALERS argue that bank rates are lower because the element of risk is lower.

They point out that such things as insurance, license plates and other costs involved in buying a car are not handled by banks.

Bank branch manager Robert Johnson said although insurance is not handled by banks, they do insist that customers carry it.

Banks occasionally make loans for this purpose, he said. But since it only adds to the size of the loan, purchasers are encouraged to make separate arrangements for the extra expenses.

The above transactions are not standard. There are many variations, as far as finance companies are concerned.

DEALERS say interest rates vary from person to person.

A customer who has good credit expects a lower rate than one who doesn't. "A person known to take care of automobile is given greater consideration on rates than one who is known to be accident prone."

Generally, time allowed to pay for a new car is three years. However, in some instances dealers extend it to four. This is a risky adjustment in interest rates.

But it's important to remember, regardless of the arrangement, the longer you take to pay, the bigger the interest bill.

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HOW CAN you determine the amount of interest you are paying on your car?

Multiply your monthly payments by the number of months in the contract. To this fig-

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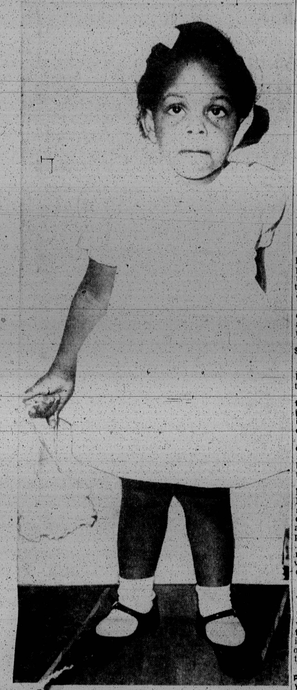
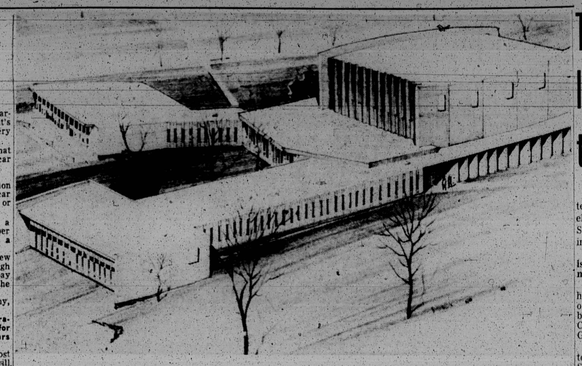


"NEEDS A MOMMIE" — Three-year-old Susan is all dressed up in a pretty Easter bonnet with the hope that she will appeal to some kindly AFRO reader who would give her a permanent home. Susan is now a ward of the Family and Children's Society, 204 W. Lanvale St. You can call them daily between 9 and 4 at MA. 3-7332 and arrange an appointment to talk about adopting Susan or one of the other youngsters now available for adoption.

Your main requirement is that the applicants be happily married couples. You do not need a house or a lot of money. Just the ability to give loving care to a lonely child like Susan.



CONTEMPORARY MODERN describes the Carl Murphy Auditorium and Fine Arts building on Morgan State College campus to be dedicated May 4 at 10 a.m. with Gov. J. Millard Tawes as guest speaker. The building covers 47,000 sq. feet and gives Morgan its first adequate auditorium and fine arts center in 20 years. Structure bears the name of the president of the college board of trustees since 1953 and a member for 21 years.

Tomorrow last day to register

If you have not yet registered with the Supervisors of elections, you must register Saturday to be eligible to vote in the May 17 primary.

This Saturday is final registration day before the primary.

Today (Friday) is a legal holiday, and the Supervisors of Elections office in the basement of the People's Court Building, Fayette and Gay Sts. is closed.

However, you will be able to register at this office this Saturday between 9 a.m. and noon.

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THE MOBILE registration, which has been conducted in some schools and downtown stores since April 8, closed Thursday.

After the primary, registration will reopen again on May 28.

Unregistered persons will then be able to register to be eligible to vote in the November 8 general election.

As of the past Wednesday, there were 107,945 colored citizens in Baltimore registered as eligible voters.

These figures do not include the registration of those citizens at mobile registration spots.

A break - down of this mobile registration has not yet been compiled by the Supervisors of Elections.

Council hears Callowhill explain bypass of Jennifer

"It's up to the people now. They have the facts."

That should follow - up by writing letters to the Mayor. They should let him know how they feel.

The Committee hearing served its purpose, it brought out the truth.

Those were the comments of a City Councilman when an inquiry into charges of racial discrimination in the selection of an assistant superintendent in the Bureau of Recreation was concluded on Monday.

The complaints were made after a Council subcommittee of Councilman Solomon Liss (R.) had heard testimony from Mrs. Jennifer, a Negro supervisor, who was passed over in favor of a white reference for Mr. Cottrill to the position of Director of the City Department of Recreation.

Mr. Jennifer contended that he was better than Mr. Cottrill's because they had worked together for many years and, you are a harder marker. Is that so?

A—Yes.

Q—Are you a fair marker?

A—In judging every fair thing I see and have seen Mr. Cottrill.

Q—Were the marks fair or unfair?

A—I don't say they were unfair when you add all the facts.

Q—Mr. Jennifer, talk about marks — you should realize that when an examination is held AND the marks are figured the efficiency rate is figured as partof the examination. So these proof marks figured in the total score proof.

Mr. Cottrill was given a fair rating at one time and an unfair rating at another. Which was unfair?

A—I use the top marks as a technique to help him improve. Cottrill was the star witness.

With a sheaf of papers in his hands, Mr. Callowhill stood before a microphone and in a slow and studied manner told of how he had concluded that Mr. Cottrill was better qualified than Mr. Jennifer.

Mr. Callowhill was questioning by Mr. Liss, some of Mr. Callowhill's answers were greeted with laughter.

The entire first floor of the City Council Chamber was occupied by spectators. The audience was comprised of postal workers, teachers and businessmen.

Committee Chairman William Bonnett warned the audience that the deliberations would not be tolerated. This was the testimony of Mr. Callowhill:

Q—Mr. Liss—Mr. Callowhill you have been affiliated with the Bureau of Recreation since January 1, 1940 and you have served as supervisor, assistant director as director and superintendent.

Q—Mr. Callowhill, the point has been made that Mr. Cottrill's ratings were higher than Mr. Cottrill's because they worked together for many years and, you are a harder marker. Is that so?

A—True.

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Q—Mr. Jennifer, you worked with Mr. Cottrill for many years. Which was better, Mr. Cottrill's or yours?

A—Mr. Jennifer's were graded by Theodore Brown, senior supervisor who

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Non-discrimination city contract clause approved

Mayor J. Harold Grady's proposal to include non - discriminatory employment provisions in all city contracts was unanimously approved by the Board of Estimates Wednesday.

Harrison L. Winter, city solicitor, was directed to draft the new provisions.

Mr. Winter told the AFRO this would require several days due to a volume of work in his office.

Mayor Grady said the proposed provisions would "implement the public policy of the city against discrimination in hiring."

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PHILIP H. GOODMAN, board president, commented:

"I am delighted. This is a great step forward in recognizing the rights of all our citizens."

The new provisions are expected to provide that no contractor or sub - contractor building any work under a city contract may discriminate in hiring workers, because of race color or creed.

Baltimore's Equal Employment Opportunity Commission has been asking for a non - discrimination hiring clause in city contracts for some time.

This agency has consistently pointed out that city officials and city agencies should set the example in abiding by Baltimore's fair housing and employment practices.

In other actions Wednesday, the Board of Estimates voted to lift the job freeze that has covered city agencies for more than a year and a half.

During this freeze, imposed under the D'Alesandro administration, vacancies in city agencies could only be filled with approval of the Board of Estimates.

Mr. Goodman, who cast the lone dissenting vote, contended that the Board of Estimates should continue to exercise such control.

However, other board members agreed to lift the ban at the suggestion of Charles L. Benton, city budget director.

Mr. Benton pointed out that the vacant jobs had been abolished by the new budget, that new vacancies forced overtime work on other employees, and that processing vacancies through the Board of Estimates required too much paper work.

The Board of Estimates also approved the sale of almost half of Wyman Park to Johns Hopkins University for $100,000.

If approved by the City Council, the park property will be used for expansion of the university.

Spring vacation

School is out for Spring Vacation for Baltimore city schools beginning today, (Friday). Teachers and pupils will return to their classrooms on Monday, April 25.

Dr. Harris resigns school board post

The resignation of Dr. Bernard Harris, Sr., as a member of the Board of School Commissioners has produced a wave of speculation over the identity of his successor.

Dr. Harris resigned Wednesday because of a technical conflict of interest with the post he held as the school physician at Dunbar Junior-Senior High School.

Department of Health officials said that physicians holding such posts are paid roughly at the rate of $15 for each two-hour session, a total of $75 a week for approximately $2,700 for the nine - month school year.

The positions on the Board of School Commissioner are unpaid.

The position that Dr. Harris found himself in, Mayor J. Harold Grady explained, is under a provision of the State Constitution which bars any official from having a contractual relationship with the city.

The City Charter provides, however, that disallowed officials such as School Board members are barred only from having dealings with their own agencies.

School physicians were transferred from the budget of the Department of Education to the Department of Health in January.

MAYOR GRADY said Dr. Harris was given his choice of the post he wished to retain.

As of late Thursday, the Mayor's office had given no clue as to who will replace Dr. Harris and the physician said that he did not have any personal recommendations to make at this time.

Dr. Harris announcer his resignation, following a conversation with Mayor Grady, Harrison L. Winter, city solicitor, and John N. Curlett, president of the School Board.

MAYOR GRADY had this to say to the AFRO afterwards:

"I am extremely sorry to lose the services of a man of Dr. Harris' capabilities.

"I am convinced that the position in which he found himself was inadvertent, because it had never been called to his attention.

"While I realize it will be difficult, I will make every effort to find a person adequately equipped to fill the place of Dr. Harris."

Dr. Harris's resignation read as follows:

To the Honorable J. Harold Grady, Mayor of Baltimore, Md.

"Dear Sir:

"Very recently my attention has been called to the conflict of interest that has arisen because of my membership on the Board of School Commissioners while serving as a Secondary School physician.

"Let me assure you that this situation has come about inadvertently.

"I have served as Secondary School physician since 1937. In that time, an entire generation of young people have passed through the schools in which I have served.

"It is my sincere hope that I have contributed to the physical, mental and cultural development of these boys and girls.

"It has been a privilege to have served with the dedicated men and women who have served on the Board of School Commissioners. Their task is a difficult one at best.

"However, an equal decade seems to be my contribution can be made. It is with the belief that my services can be working in my own community, touching the lives of my people day after day, helping to make them responsible citizens, that I am resigning from the best contribution I can make.

"With a full mind and thanking you for your courtesy, I hereby submit my resignation from the Board of School Commissioners of Baltimore City, to take effect immediately.

"Yours respectfully,
Bernard Harris Sr., M.D."

300 days given for attacks on women

Louis Joe Sales, 28, of the 2200 block Linden Ave., was given 300 days in jail Monday for assaulting five women who ranged in age from 14 to 40.

Five sentences of 60 days each were imposed by Magistrate Milton H. F. Saul in Northern District Police Court.

Sales was accused of assault by placing his hands on the women. He was given 60-day suspended sentences in two larceny cases.

Police said the attacks occurred in the vicinity of Brookfield Ave. and Whitelock St. between January 16 and April 9. Sales was arrested when he was pointed out to police on the street by one of the victims.

Magistrate Saul was told that the defendant was a parolee.

107,945 REGISTERED; 36,271 NOT

Colored persons over 21 eligible to vote	107,945
Registered Jan. 1, 1956	73,373
Registered Jan. 1, 1957	76,000
Registered as of Nov. 4, 1958. general election	100,211
Registered May 5, 1959 general election	104,453
Registered since May 5, 1959	1,618
Total Jan. 19, 1960	106,071
Total as of Feb. 3, 1960	106,161
Total as of Mar. 1	90
Registered Mar. 2-8	143
Registered Mar. 9-15	107,156
Total as of Mar. 15	158
Registered Mar. 23-29	144
Registered Mar. 30-April 5	107,945
Registered April 6-13	36,271
Still unregistered	

There are 36,271 colored persons in Baltimore over 21 years of age who are still not registered to vote.

Registered as of April 13, 1960 were 432,909 voters, of whom 107,945 were colored.

Democrats numbered 337,787, of whom 66,955 were colored. Republicans totaled 96,557 of whom 38,348 were colored.

Of the 8,567 registered as independents, 1,842 were colored.

If you have not already registered, you have until this Saturday to do so before the May 17 primary election to select some U.S. Congressmen nominees and to declare a presidential choice.

In the primary election, if you are a registered Democrat you will be able to help select Democrat candidates.

The same holds true if you are a Republican.

IF YOU are registered as an independent and not affiliated with either party, you will be permitted to vote in the primary.

However, all registered citizens are permitted to vote for the candidates of their choice, regardless of party, in a general election.

Final registration date before the May 17 primary is this Saturday, April 16.

Where to register: Basement, People's Court Building, southeast corner of Fayette and Gay Sts.

When you can register: Saturday, 9 a.m. to noon.

(Today (Friday) is a legal holiday and the Supervisors of Elections office will be closed.

6th PALMA promenade on Sunday

The sixth annual Easter Promenade sponsored by the Pennsylvania Avenue - Lafayette Market Association is set for Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m., according to Seymour Sussman, co-chairman of PALMA's promotion committee.

Cash prizes will be awarded to the best dressed man, woman, child, couple and family group.

Finalists for the judging are selected by young ladies, models from the Diana Kane School, who will wander among the promenaders in the 1600 to 1800 block Pennsylvania Ave.

Those selected will be requested to be at the judges stand at Pennsylvania Ave. and Laurens St. at 2 p.m. for the final judging.

CHURCHES are designated by the winners of the several categories will also receive some benefit from the PALMA Easter Promenade.

In keeping with PALMA's policy those churches named by winners of the several categories will receive the same amount of cash won by those who receive cash prizes.

The Easter Sunday promenade has traditionally been attended by thousands.

Mr. Sussman noted that the decorum and orderliness of the promenade has been subject of discussion among civic leaders.

The entire proceedings will be broadcast over WSID radio. A description of the costumes worn by the contestants in the final judging will be given by Miss Willa Bland.

Suspect cleared on homicide count

Terming it "one of the most unusual homicides I have ever seen," Judge J. Gilbert Prendergast on Thursday dismissed Charles T. Hurtt, 38, 1400 block E. Eager St. of a murder charge.

Mr. Hurtt was charged with the Sept. 4 death of Floyd Faulkner, 1300 block E. Eager St. The state charged he struck the man an ax. Faulkner died 14 days after being struck in his own home.

Defense attorney Francis X. Gallagher successfully contended that Mr. Hurtt struck the man in self defense as he approached him with a kitchen knife.

In finding the man not guilty, Judge Prendergast said, "I never thought I would live to be broadcast over WSID radio. A description of the costumes worn by the contestants in the final judging will be given by Miss Willa Bland.

12 delegates to attend Methodist Conference

Twelve persons from churches in the Washington, Delaware, East Tennessee and North Carolina Methodist Conferences have been named as ministerial and lay delegates to the Methodist Church General Conference in Denver, Colo., April 27-May 7.

The Conference, which meets every four years, is the lawmaking body of the church which has conferences throughout the U.S. and abroad. Of prime interest, will be the steps the church makes to end its segregated jurisdictional conference setup.

The delegates are as follows:

The Rev. Kelly Jackson, superintendent of the Washington District; the Rev. John B. A. Dyson, superintendent of the North Baltimore District, ministerial delegates; and Mrs. Thurman L. Dodson and Miss Mary R. Martin.

Delaware Conference:

The Rev. Noah W. Moore Jr., pastor of Trinity Temple Methodist Church, Philadelphia; and the Rev. Walter R. Iden, superintendent of the Philadelphia District; and Mrs. Francis Waters, Cambridge, Md., and Hally P. Johns, Phila.

OTHER DELEGATES ARE:

THE REV. John R. Washington, superintendent of the Clarksburg District, and J. Gilbert Prendergast, W. Va.; Bluefield, W.Va., of the East Tennessee Conference.

Also the Rev. L. A. Brown, superintendent of the Winston-Salem District, and Clarence Gaither, Greensboro, of the N.C. Conference.

REGISTER NOW SO YOU CAN VOTE

A good citizen is registered to he can vote. Who must register. Any new resident who has not been in Baltimore his home and has not registered to vote before.

Any resident who has turned 21 since the last election.

Any resident who failed to vote at least once in the last five years.

Where to register? Basement, People's Court Building, south-east corner of Fayette and Gay Sts.

When you can register: Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays 9 a.m. to noon.

Q—If I have already registered, do I have to register again?

Ans.—No, not unless you have changed your address or failed to vote in the past five years.

Next election: Primary, May 17, 1960; General—Nov. 8, 1960.

Q—When is the last date I can register in order to vote in the next election?

Ans.—April 16, 1960 and don't wait until the last minute.

Show your voting card in church on Sunday.

Ralph Matthews Jr. is granted divorce

Ralph Matthews Jr. was granted a divorce from Mrs. Ella B. Matthews last Friday, when he testified that she has refused to leave New York and live with him here.

Mrs. Matthews, a commercial artist, told an Examiner that he and Mrs. Matthews were married on January 31, 1953.

They lived first in New York, then in Baltimore, then Silver Spring, Md., where they lived for a year and a half.

"It was understood, he said, that when he did obtain steady work his wife would join him here. This, he said, she has failed to do.

Mr. Matthews' mother, Mrs. Mae Matthews, with whom he lives at 2329 W. North Avenue, was his witness.

She said her daughter - in - law was supposed to join her job in New York, that she was sure Mr. Matthews had given his wife no reason for ending their marriage.

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CON ARTISTS TAKE GRANDMA'S $8,800

(STORY IN COLUMN 3)

Powell Jury Tied

AFRO contest winners named

MRS. GENEVA JOHNSON
49 years a Sunday School teacher

The old chestnut, "it pays to go to Sunday School," is correct.

Not only does regular attendance build golden character and fill lives with priceless sunshine, but often there comes actual cash in return, like bread cast upon the waters.

Today, Friday, is a golden day for three winners of the AFRO Sunday School Contest

(Other Photos on Page 8)

which gives them each an award of $25 for continuous, longtime service in his Sunday School.

Rules of the contest required that each winner be judged on the basis of continuous Sunday School membership at one church.

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THE WINNERS are:

George S. Whyte, 79, 625 N. Carrollton Ave., who has been in regular attendance as a member of the Bethel AME Sunday School for more than 71 years.

Mrs. Geneva P. Johnson, 62, 701 W. N. Carrollton Ave., who has been a Sunday School teacher at St. John's AME Church for 49 years.

Miss Joyce L. Griffin, 16, 2311 W. Lexington St., who attended Sunday School at the Mount Hebrew Church of God in Christ "all her life" with her mother, Mrs. Delphine Griffin, who is Supt. superintendent of the Sunday School.

The AFRO Sunday School contest opened April 9. Prizes

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"I FORGOT to buy the AFRO on my way home"

FOR REGULAR HOME DELIVERY SERVICE TUESDAY and FRIDAY CALL MU. 5-6016

Southern Hotel is open to all

The Southern Hotel, as of Wednesday, is open to all persons regardless of color.

Harold I. Fink, manager, advised the AFRO city Desk "We've removed all restrictions" and explained that the hotel will welcome all persons.

He said they are privileged to become overnight guests and to use the hotel's dining and cocktail rooms, and all other facilities.

The Southern Hotel, located at Light and Redwood Sts., was the only major hotel in the city which had not dropped its white only policy but permitted colored persons to enter only if they were attending a predominantly white gathering.

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THE CHANGE came as there was talk of a picket line which would disrupt the opening of the Middle Atlantic States Conference of Correction 21st annual Institute on Crime and Delinquency which was gather-

See SOUTHERN HOTEL, Page 8

Tommy Tucker's at Edmondson opened to all on Tuesday

Oscar Samuelson, an executive of the Tommy Tucker Stores, Inc., located at Edmondson Village announced that the store is now serving all persons "without any exception at all."

The variety store has a fountain - luncheonette area which formerly was limited to sit-down service for white only.

Mr. Samuelson previously told the AFRO that he was awaiting a meeting of other Edmondson Village store owners and various community groups before accepting colored patronage at the lunch counter.

However, on Thursday, Mr. Samuelson told the AFRO: "We had everything planned to open up quietly. We did not have any meeting. We made our own decision. We went ahead and did it ourselves."

10 G reward for Tennessee dynamiters

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Officials here offered a reward of $10,000 for the arrest of the persons who bombed the home of Z. Alexander Looby, city councilman and famed civil rights attorney.

Mayor Ben West, who headed a committee to resolve local lunch - counter segregation issues, called the bombing "terrible."

Mr. Looby said the dynamite attack would not deter him from pushing the fight for civil rights.

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IN BEAUMONT, Tex., the Rev. W. D. Simpson, state minister of the American Baptist Association, was arrested in Beaumont, Texas on charges of having instigated a sit-down protest.

The arrest came after 22 colored students from Lamar State College of Technology, an integrated school, staged a sit-down strike at Walgreen's Drug Store and the White House, largest local department store.

Both stores closed their counters. Police Chief James Mulligan arrested the Rev. Mr. Simpson shortly afterward.

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IN BILOXI, Miss., Dr. Gilbert Mason was arrested for swimming at a public beach. He was charged with "a party of

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$50 is the total set aside each week for News Tips and News Photos. For News Tips, call MU. 5-6015, 6019, 1812 and 1813. If no answer, call LA. 3-3024 or WI. 5-2522. Bring your Photos to the City Desk.

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Grandma loses $8,800 to flimflam artists

An elderly, gray - haired grandmother gave two strange women $8,800 of her husband's life savings in $20 bills on Tuesday, Sparrows Point police reported.

"I don't have anything to say," insisted Mrs. Nancy Foster, 609 S. Avondale Rd., when the AFRO visited her on Wednesday to find out what had happened.

In the living room of the neatly furnished home, Mrs. Foster stood near the stairway with her arms folded in **determination as she repeated, "I can't talk about it now."**

With her was a gentleman seated on the stairway, whom Mrs. Foster identified as her husband, Richard Foster, a Sparrows Point worker for 34 years.

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ALTHOUGH, he quickly said, "It was my money," while his wife talked with the reporter, he insisted sternly, "I'm not concerned with that," when questions were directed to him.

Also in the Foster home was a matron identified as a friend and member of their church, Apostolic Faith, in Turner Station.

She advised the couple repeatedly, "I don't think you should have anything to say right now."

Mrs. Foster reportedly told field police on Tuesday she was tricked out of the money in a Dundalk shopping center shortly before noon by two women who claimed they worked for the Internal Revenue.

Police reported the women told Mrs. Foster that they

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SITDOWNS AT A GLANCE

Students here to form city-wide rights group

"There is still much to be done."

This reminder was sent to every high school, college and youth group in the Baltimore area this week.

It was contained in 2,000 letters sent out by Louis E. Williams, temporary chairman, Baltimore Youth Committee for Integration.

Mr. Williams, in explaining the call to Baltimore youth, said the purpose of the meeting is to form an independent youth group dedicated to removing race restrictions in all phases of life in Baltimore.

In inviting youth to an organizational meeting, Mr. Williams, a Coppin State College freshman, said:

"Now is the time for all young people who wish to do away with racial discrimination to form a Baltimore Youth Committee for Integration.

"A city - wide youth meeting, for creating such a committee will be held at Douglass Memorial Community Church, 1327 Madison Ave., Saturday, April 30, 11 a.m.

"Come with your ideas and enthusiasm and join our brotherhood and sisterhood of youth and south, who are struggling on the front lines in the battle for civil rights and human dignity."

Mr. Williams pointed out that aims of the committee are to demonstrate against places of public accommodation, still refusing service on the basis of color.

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THE CALL for an expanded student movement followed closely the successful conclusion of similar protest demonstrations staged by the

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WHO'S THIS under the hat? Turn to woman's page inside this issue to find out. Wide-brimmed black straw which covered wearer's face created a pleasant sensation at Baltimore social event this week.

10 G reward for Tennessee dynamiters

Restaurants study policy

The Restaurant Association of Baltimore is considering service to colored by member restaurants which now do not serve all, the AFRO learned. Thursday while conducting a survey among leading restaurants.

The AFRO survey, made in the wake of the decision of the major department stores to serve everyone in its restaurants, found no new policy changes but revealed that a number of eating places may soon act.

Reginald Dunnock, president of the Orioles Cafeterias, told the AFRO:

"We in the Restaurant Association have been discussing this situation seriously but as yet have not reached a decision."

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MR. DUNNOCK explained the current policy of the Oriole chain thusly:

"As of today we are not serving colored. As of the near future we can't say. We've been thinking about it."

Speaking for the White Coffee Pot, Mr. Williams said, "It was my money." while his wife talked with the reporter, he insisted sternly, "I'm not concerned with that." when questions were directed to him.

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Do you know whose children they are?

ABANDONED — Warren Jr., Gail and Russell Lathan, whom Department of Welfare officials believe are 5, 3 and 4 years old, respectively, are still seeking their parents. If you recognize these children, please contact Mrs. Maude Williams at Mulberry 3-8600. All information sources will be confidential. (Story on Page 2)

Can't agree after 9 hrs; back again

NEW YORK — The Federal Court jury deliberating what might well be the political future of Congressman Adam Clayton Powell Jr., announced a deadlock at 10:15 p.m. Thursday and Judge Frederick Bryan ordered a recess until today (Friday).

The 51-year-old minister-Congressman has been on trial since March 8 on charges that he filed fraudulent tax returns for himself and his wife, pianist Hazel Scott, for 1951 and 1952.

Early in the trial, however, Judge Bryan threw out that part of the indictment covering the 1952 return, which left the jury concerned only with Miss Scott's return for 1951.

The Government contended that Mr. Powell had deliberately understated his wife's income and had deliberately faked certain expenses which deducted from part of her only $900 on a gross income of $70,000.

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MISS SCOTT, who is in Europe, was not a party to the case. Her husband alone was charged, but contended that he had merely signed the return, which he had paid a tax expert to prepare.

On Tuesday, when the trial moved into its final phase, Defense Attorney Edward Bennett Williams gave a defiant summation in which he pleaded with the jury that Powell should be acquitted because he had been mysteriously "marked for political liquidation."

At one point Mr. Williams said that Mr. Powell was "the victim of the worst political vendetta ever engineered by an agency of this government in modern history."

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HE SAID the Powell indictment was returned after "a maelstrom of misinformation," and called the conduct of the case "unworthy of agents of the U.S. Government."

Assistant U.S. Atty. Morton S. Robeson jumped to his feet and yelled:

"There is not the slightest bit of evidence to sustain these charges before this court. It is a deflection on my profession."

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Rights bill is passed; up to Ike

BY LOUIS LAUTIER

WASHINGTON

Final Congressional action on the 1960 civil rights bill was taken Thursday when the House adopted a résolution approving Senate changes to the measure the lower chamber passed two months ago.

The vote was 288 to 95. All but 12 of the votes cast against the resolution were by southern Democrats.

The 12 votes against represented 11 Republicans and a northern Democrat.

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SOUTHERN MEMBERS voting for the measure included two Republicans and seven Democrats.

Two of the four colored members in the House were included among Democrats who voted for the resolution, Reps. William L. Dawson of Illinois

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Dr. Proctor named president of A&T

GREENSBORO, N.C. — Dr. Samuel Dewitt Proctor, 38, president of Virginia Union University at Richmond, Va., since 1955, was named on Tuesday as president of the Agricultural and Technical College here.

He is to succeed Dr. Warmoth T. Gibbs, 68, who has reached the age of retirement. Dr. Gibbs was named president emeritus by the board, invited to remain on the staff.

Robert H. Frazier, chairman of the Board of trustees, made the announcement following a meeting of the board held here at the college on Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. Proctor was present at the meeting and accepted the appointment to become effective July 1.

A native of Norfolk, Va., the new president is a graduate of Virginia Union 1942, holds B.D. degree from Crozer Theological Seminary in Pennsylvania and the Ph.D. degree from Boston University.

He served as professor and dean at Virginia Union, 1949-1953 and as vice president from 1953 until his election to the presidency in 1955.

He is married to the former Miss Bessie Tate of Fredericksburg, Va., and the couple has two sons, Herbert Stuart and Timothy Dewitt.

Dr. Gibbs became acting president in 1953 and was elected to the presidency in early 1956.

HU to pick new president on Monday

WASHINGTON

Who will be the next president of Howard University?

This information will be forthcoming when the trustees of Howard gather in annual session on the campus Monday.

During the past few weeks a Trustee Committee, headed by Chairman of the Board, Lerner D. Milton of Atlanta, Ga., has interviewed a number of candidates in New York.

The Committee will report to the full board next week.

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REPORTS FROM Howard state the Committee's choice as James M. Nabrit, Dean of Howard Law School.

The AFRO's Washington report indicates Dr. Martin D. Jenkins, president of Morgan State College.

Another name heard frequently on the campus is Dr. Frank M. Snowden, dean of the College Liberal Arts.

The Committee of Trustees' choice recommendations for the presidency are:

Lotimer D. Milton of Atlanta, Ga.

Rev. Howard S. Anderson of Scarsdale, N.Y.

Dr. Benjamin Marshall Murray of New York.

Dr. Charles H. Garvin of Cleveland, Ohio.

Dr. Richard W. Hale, Jr. of Chesnut Hill.

Judge Miles A. Paige of Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dr. Herman B. Wells of Bloomingdale, Ind.

The AFRO reporters Thursday found Dr. Jenkins and

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High Court stays Ala. execution

An Alabama prisoner scheduled to die today (Friday) in the electric chair for first degree burglary with interspersed rape, was granted execution by Supreme Justice Hugo L. Black.

The stay was granted on the defense time petition for review of conviction by the Court.

Herbert O. Reid, counsel for the plaintiff, Charles C. Hamilton, on June 29 for filing petition.

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GOOD FISHING DAYS

April 22 to May 11 on Chesapeake Bay and all Maryland inland waters; The Baltimore Co. Dept. of Recreation and Parks Loch Raven Fishing Center is open through Oct. 15.

The trout season extends from now until Jan. 1961. Trout are in abundance. Around Baltimore, Big Gunpowder, below Valley, Md. 23, Md. 130; Jones Falls; Green Spring Valley, Md. 25, Md. 130; Anne Arundel Co.; Severn Run, Glen Burnie, U.S. 301, Md. 170.

The oyster season closes April 29.

Sunday, April 24, first Sunday after Easter. Low Sunday; Mother's Day; May 8; PRIMARY ELECTION DAY, Tuesday, May 17.

PLANTING DAYS

Now is the best time for all flowers, vegetables including corn, cucumbers and melons.

Today, Friday, sunny, warm, high about 80. Tonight, warm. Saturday and Sunday, sunny, warm and humid. Monday, continued warm.