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Perry Howard to lie in state at Elks Home

The body of Perry W. Howard, noted fraternal leader and National Republican Committeeman from Mississippi for 35 years, will lie in state beginning at 3 p.m., Sunday in Elks Columbia Lodge 85 at 301 Rhode Island Ave., NW.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Monday at Asbury Methodist Church, 11th and K Sts., NW, the Rev. James D. Foy, pastor.

Mr. Howard, 68, died apparently of a heart attack in his sleep Tuesday night in his home at 1829 S St., NW. Members of the family said he retired around 11 p.m. in good spirits after having his dinner and engaging in conversation.

He had spent the day as he customarily did in his law offices at 613 St., NW. For many years he was a member of the legal firm that included the late Judge James A. Cobb and George E. C. Hayes, chairman of the District Public Utilities Commission.

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MR. HOWARD was counsel for the Elks Grand Lodge and was an outstanding figure in the dramatic leadership of history of Elkdom.

He was noted as a trial lawyer for making ringing appeals to the jury, which were laced with Biblical and literary quotations in fervent historics.

One of his final big criminal cases was his defense last year of three defendants in the shotgun murder of gambler George (Cider) Brown in the District.

Mr. Howard began his law practice in 1905. He once served as a special assistant to the Attorney General of the United States.

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HE WAS born in Ebenezer, Miss., and began his higher education in the state at Rust College. He attended Fisk University and the University of Chicago. He obtained his law degree at DePauw University.

"Who's Who in America," fifteenth anniversary edition of the Marquis Company, published in 1948, devoted twice as much biographical space to Perry W. Howard as it did to John F. Kennedy, then a member of the 80th Congress.

In about two inches of space, the biographical notes include the fact that Mr. Howard was professor of mathematics at Alcorn A. and M. College in Mississippi from 1901 to 1905.

He married the former Wilhelmina L. Lucas (now deceased) in 1909. They were parents of three children, one of whom Perry W. Howard Jr. survives.

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THE ELDER Mr. Howard belonged to the Masons, Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Woodmen and Tau Delta Sigma Fraternity. He was a member of Asbury Methodist Church.

He was past president of the Mu - So - Lit Club, one of the oldest clubs in Washington whose membership consists of prominent persons.

Other survivors include his sister, Miss Sarah E. Howard, two nephews, Wesley F. Howard and Municipal Court Judge Andrew J. Howard.

Two nieces, Misses Thelma and Ruth Howard and a sister - in - law, Mrs. Ruth W. Howard, all of the District.

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ONE OF the most controversial figures on the Washington and national scene, Mr. Howard represented his home state of Mississippi as Republican National Committeeman for 36 years, surviving efforts of the state's lily white Republican faction to unseat him which recurred every four years.

As head of his state's "black and tan" GOP faction for 40 years, Mr. Howard was the center about which revolved many of the party's political storms — at first in Mississippi and later in the District of Columbia.

Mr. Howard was born in 1877 in Ebenezer, Miss., a small crossroads town founded by his father, an expert blacksmith, and a white physician.

Perry and his six brothers were born and reared in the town, and it was his boast in later years that the family had never "sold one inch" of the family holdings in the center of the town or the surrounding farms.

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PERRY'S indoctrination in Mississippi politics came early, for his father was a leader in the Mississippi Reconstruction Legislature.

He was graduated with an A.B. from Rust College in 1898, did further study at Fisk University for a year, received his bachelor of laws from the University of Chicago in 1903, and his doctor of laws from Campbell College at Jackson, Miss., in 1914.

After a four - year sojourn as a professor of mathematics at Alcorn A and M College, Mr. Howard began the practice of law in Mississippi in 1905.

In 1921 he moved to Washington following his appointment as a special assistant to the U.S. Attorney General, a post which he held for eight years, until 1929.

That year, following his trial and vindication on charges of patronage irregularities which he claimed were brought by his political enemies, he resigned this post to become a co-founder of the D.C. law firm of Cobb, Howard and Hayes.

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HE WAS elected chairman of the Mississippi State Republican Committee in 1924 and served in this post until 1932. From 1924 until 1960 he served also as Republican National Committeeman from Mississippi despite frequent allegations from his enemies that he was a citizen of D.C. rather than Mississippi.

An eloquent and forceful orator, Mr. Howard summed up his reason for entering politics:

"My chief political aim is to get a universal ballot for us all, and particularly for the one million in my state. With that done, I would feel my work is done because the ballot is our most powerful weapon."

Mr. Howard did not live to see the accomplishment of this accomplished fact, but the 1957 and 1960 Civil Rights Acts with provisions for the appointed of Federal voting referees indicated that the universal ballot was in sight before he stepped down from his GOP post.

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HE WAS married to the former Miss Wilhelmina Lucas in 1907. Mrs. Howard died in an automobile accident in 1956. Two of the couple's three children, Wilhelmina and Edward, preceded her in death. One son, Perry W. Howard Jr., survives.

Active in fraternal and social life of the Washington community, Mr. Howard served for many years preceding his death as top legal counsel for the Elks, was a member of the National Bar Association, Masons, Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias and was a former president of the Mu-So-Lit Club.

—Rights hearing

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property rights but the rights of the individual.

"I think we overlook to often that the rights of mankind are not ordained by laws, but they are determined by a Divine law."

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MR. BUTLER then had this to say:

"The basic right of every human being is to enjoy human rights. God just didn't make white people to enjoy these things.

"I think this is a moral question."

He then posed this question:

"Isn't it tragic that there should be any need in any of the states that we have to be engaged in a hearing such as this?

"Haven't we lost time?

"Maryland cannot longer afford discriminations. Our rights are in danger, the rights of other citizens are in danger.

"Isn't it tragic that some citizens must sit down, that others must stand up for their rights?

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DR. FURMAN L. TEMPLETON, director of the Baltimore Urban League, presented Mr. Butler, and several other proponents for the bills.

Victor Wright, former chief of the Civil Rights Division, Department of Justice of speaker.

Mr. Wright told the Assembly that similar legislation had worked well in Pennsylvania.

"During my tenure with the Civil Rights Division," he said, "we never received a second complaint involving establishment."

Mr. Wright said that he was named chief of the division in November, 1957.

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AMOS H. BOGIA, Department of Education, Division Against Discrimination, New Jersey, told the Assembly that this is not just a question of a color problem but as he had found in New Jersey, of certain establishments discriminated on a nationality basis.

Mrs. Ellen B. Carter, member of the Commission on Interracial Problems and Relations presented a resolution from this big agency supporting the bills.

Another speaker presented was Dr. Templeton, president of the Urban League, chairman, Strong, president of the Maryland and D.C. AFL - CIO.

"It is unfortunate," Mr. Strong said, "that legislation is needed to correct this situation."

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BISHOP EDGAR A. LOVE, presiding bishop of the Baltimore Area Methodist Church told the Assembly that the Methodist Church long decided to hold a General Conference in a city which discriminates against certain citizens.

He said no General Conference has been held in Baltimore since 1908.

Mrs. Albert R. Fisher, president United Church Women of Baltimore, had this to say:

"We feel that it is extremely important and long overdue that this legislation be passed."

Another speaker urging passage of the legislation on behalf of his organization, was Samuel T. Daniels grand master of Prince Hall Masons of Maryland.

Mr. Daniels pointed out that a large percentage of the people of Maryland are colored.

"We feel that 1/16th of the people of Maryland certainly should not be deprived of equal accommodations. The General Assembly now has the state's budget under consideration. It should be remembered that we contributed to these budgets."

The Rev. Philip Dixon, pastor, Lovely Lane Methodist Church, Baltimore, appeared on behalf of the Council of Churches and Christian Education of Maryland - Delaware, Inc.

"We believe," said the Rev. Mr. Dixon, "that the principle and practice of segregation is a denial of the Christian faith and ethics which stem from the basic premise taught by our Lord that all men are created the children of God.

"The General Assembly now has an opportunity to further this progress toward a non - segregated society.

"And, it is our hope that the legislators will give prayerful and reverent consideration to this bill that our state may take its place in helping our nation to be an example of true Democracy as it works with other nations in God's world."

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A PETITION urging passage of the bills was presented by E. F. Peters, precinct chairman, Montgomery County, who said he represented over 50,000 Democrats.

At the conclusion of Mr. Peters' statement, Dr. Templeton informed Melvin P. Ridgeley (D.) Anne Arundel County chairman of the House Judiciary Committee, who was presiding, that this concluded the organized proponents.

Dr. Templeton said, however, that there were many other speakers present but allotted time would not allow them to be heard.

He also furnished the committee with a long listing of organizations urging passages of the bills.

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OTHER SPEAKERS favoring the legislation were:

The Rev. Carlyle H. Meacham, pastor, Unitarian Church; Anne Arundel County; Robert Kaufman, chairman, Baltimore branch Socialistic Alliance; James Fentress, Hagerstown.

Mr. Fentress presented Gil Bay on the Civil Rights legislation.

The hearing which began at 10:30 a.m. ended at 1:30 p.m. with the opposition being given equal time to be heard.

Kent R. Mulliken, president, Maryland Hotel Association, had this to say against the legislation:

"I don't believe the objectives of this legislation can be accomplished by law."

Mr. Mulliken pointed out that some hotels now were adopting integrated policies and it was his opinion that this action "should not be disturbed by legislation."

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ANOTHER OPPOSITION speaker was Edgar C. Hartlow, Hyattsville, who said "I'm against any Civil Rights bill that invades the rights of an individual."

Mr. Partlow told the Assembly he would like to see stronger laws protecting businesses against sit-ins, and would like to have an investigation of all integrated schools.

"These Civil Rights Bills," he said, "will cost Maryland millions of dollars a year.

"Virginia will get all the tourists from the North."

Other speakers in opposition to the bill and talking in the same vein were:

Edgar S. Kalb, operator of two bathing beaches in Anne Arundel County; James S. Auliffe Jr., assistant state attorney, Montgomery County, and George Washington Williams.

Mr. Williams said the legislations would bring about "amalgamation of the races."

Senator J. Alvin Jones is sponsor of Senate Bill 20 and the Fourth District Organization put in House Bill 27. The two are identical.

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