NIGERIAN STUDENTS CONDEMN BIGOTRY

Baltimore Notebook

By MAX JOHNSON

Gov. J. Millard Tawes was presented Wednesday afternoon with a disturbing picture of what is developing — and what is likely to come — if he maintains his inactivity on Maryland's public accommodations front.

This came from a delegation of Frontiers members — who urged the governor to call a special session of the General Assembly now to pass legislation on this matter.

The Frontiers is a highly respected, integrated club of business and professional men — and a local chapter of the national organization.

Its members are concerned with the welfare of this city and state — as well as the realization of equal human rights for all citizens.

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CONSEQUENTLY — Gov. Tawes was presented with an appeal that included this approach.

He was told that the continued mass demonstrations, to erase segregation in public places of services, were developing into a dangerous thing.

The Frontiers delegation pointed out that responsible leaders and participants of character were now involved in such demonstrations.

But — the continuance of such demonstrations would surely invite unsavory elements, possibly Communists groups.

And the entry of such elements would certainly be with ulterior motives — to further their devious programs.

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THIS, THE delegation told Gov. Tawes, could play havoc within the state.

All kinds of dangerous situations could develop.

The governor was told very frankly and very forthrightly that this was no time to continue a hardheaded view toward a special session of the General Assembly.

This was no time to hold up just human rights legislation — just to please the whims of a chief executive who has said he would not yield to pressure groups.

Gov. Tawes was reminded that his demonstrated power over Maryland's General Assembly could push through public accommodations legislation — if he really wanted it.

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THE CONFERENCE lasted an hour.

It brought from the governor agreement to these points.

1. He would determine with General Assembly leaders the possibilities at this time of a special assembly session.

2. He would direct Maryland's Commission on Interracial Problems and Relations to contact present leaders of the sit - in demonstrations — asking their cooperation in halting their activities.

The governor promised immediate action on both points.

He questioned, however, whether sufficient Assembly votes could be mustered at this time to pass a public accommodations bill.

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THERE WAS no question about the advisability of quick negotiating — to halt or curb the further planned demonstrations.

Gov. Tawes immediately recognized the necessity of this

His order to the Commission on Interracial Problems and Relations, to begin such negotiations, came as the conference concluded.

Whether such continued demonstrations would help, rather than hurt, the public accommodations cause, anyway — was questioned by the delegation.

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WHAT HAPPENS now — is anybody's guess.

If the Frontier delegation conference with Gov. Tawes accomplished nothing else — it did do this one thing.

The Frontiers again bounced the public accommodations issue around in the governor's lap — right where the thing has been all the while.

HELPING MRS. SANTA — The Jolly Jax Social Club has joined the ranks of organizations selling tickets to the AFRO Festival of Music to be held Nov. 26 at 5:30 p.m. at the Polytechnic Auditorium, North Ave. and Calvert St. Left to right here with their advisor, Mrs. Elnora Lee, 1544 Argyle Ave., are Misses Patricia Stubbs, 627 W. Lafayette Ave.; Brenda Jones, 1416 Argyle, and Paulette Spencer, 1540 Argyle. They will be out with tickets on Saturday. Proceeds from the festival go toward helping the AFRO's Mrs. Santa bring Christmas cheer to underprivileged families.

Charity begins at home, say students of African college

Students of University Colleges, Ibadan, Nigeria answered members of Baltimore's First Unitarian Church, this week, by posing the question:

"If you can't live peaceably with your fellow-countrymen, how can you preach equality with the Negroes who are thousands of miles away from you?"

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THE ANSWER WAS in reply to a letter sent a fortnight ago to students at the Nigerian college where Miss Margery Michelmore, a Peace Corps member, wrote her much-publicized postcard. The postcard told of conditions in Nigeria and resulted in Miss Michelmore being recalled to the United States.

Osoulale Aremu, secretary of the Student's Union at the Nigerian college, signed the letter to First Unitarian, which said:

"Here in Nigeria we also feel as you do that individuals have the right to express opinions on all issues. This condition is one of the most highly cherished of all individual liberties in this country. But you can also imagine what we should rightly feel when individuals like Margery Michelmore go about distorting facts."

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THE LETTER continued:

"As much as we commend the efforts of Americans like you...we also realize that North America as a whole is predominantly anti-Negro.

"Talk less of diplomatic courtesies, integration in schools and all that. It's easy to make laws governing the conditions of things; it's another thing for individuals to put the provisions into practice.

"What is President Kennedy's government doing about the grossly degrading conditions to which Negro-Americans are subjected? Charity, they say, begins at home. If you can't live peaceably with your fellow-countrymen, how can you preach equality with the Negroes who are thousands of miles away from you?"

The letter continued:

"Once again, I thank you very much for your friendly approach. We see in you a group of right-minded Americans in the midst of biased millions."

The Rev. Irving B. Murray, minister of the First Unitarian Church, acknowledged the Nigerian letter, saying:

"Speaking for myself alone, may I ask you to consider that you are mistaken in supposing that North America as a whole is predominantly anti-Negro? This is not so, Mr. Aremu. That we have racists in our midst nobody can deny...We Americans do not pretend to be perfect. But it is simply not true that the majority, or anything like the majority, of us are racists.

"On the contrary, most of our people firmly believe in equal rights for all mankind, regardless of race, creed or color. We have been, as a nation, slow to translate this ideal into a concrete reality for our Negro citizens and some other minority groups. But we are catching up.

"Just this last week 25 of the restaurants in our own State of Maryland have voluntarily desegregated."

A copy of Mr. Aremu's letter was forwarded to President Kennedy "so that a detailed reply can be sent you", the Rev. Mr. Murray wrote.

Masons lead list on NAACP reports

Grand Master Samuel T. Daniels of the Prince Hall Masons topped reports at the NAACP's closing night by turning in 649 members.

Others reporting were:

Israel Baptist Church, the Rev. E. D. Meade pastor, 421; Wayland Baptist Church, the Rev. W. W. Fryer, third, 329; Morning Star Baptist Church, the Rev. N. H. Wicks pastor, 225; Douglas Memorial Community Church, the Rev. Marion Bascom, 191; and Rehoboth Church of God, Bishop Randolph Carr.

Individual leaders in reporting were:

Mrs. Sarah Diggs, 250; Mrs Ida Russell, 150; Mrs. Elinor Powell, 144; Mrs. Jerlyn Stewart, 125.

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FINAL REPORTS are to be made Friday night, Nov. 17 at 7:30 p.m. in the lecture room of Sharp Street Memorial Methodist Church, Dolphin and Etting Sts.

There will be free refreshments and valuable prizes provided by merchants of the community who annual make this contribution at the close of the annual NAACP membership campaign.

Sunday, Nov. 19 at 3 p.m. at Sharp Street the Rev. Frank Williams of Metropolitan Methodist Church will deliver the annual Thanksgiving message. His choir will join choral groups of Richard Richardson and Mrs. Frances Tillman in providing music.

Miss Gertrude Gorman of New York, campaign director, will make final reports on the drive.

$2,500 bail in hairbrush holdup

A 26-year-old woman, Miss Barbara Randolph, alias, Miss Violet Britton, 2300 block Poplar Grove St., was placed under $2,500 bail in Western Municipal Court Tuesday, for grand jury action on a charge of attempting to hold up a grocer with a hairbrush.

Samuel Korn, 62, charged the woman entered his store in the 1700 block W. Lanvale St. Monday evening, and announced it was a holdup.

He said she had an object in her pocket, which he realized was a hairbrush rather than a gun. He testified he grabbed her and held on, while his wife called police.

Construction starts on Murphy Homes

A special ceremony marking the start of construction of the George B. Murphy Homes will be staged by the Baltimore Urban Renewal and Housing Agency 11:30 a.m. Monday, Agency 11:30 and Myrtle Ave.

This will be Baltimore's 17th low-rent public housing project, and the last of its kind presently scheduled.

It was initially known as the George St. Project, but was renamed after the late Mr. Murphy, one of the city's foremost educators and former secretary of the AFRO-AMERICAN Newspapers.

A special feature of this project is that 78 of its 758 apartments are to be designed for the elderly, with various aids and conveniences to add to their comfort.

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AN ARTIST drawing of the project shows the area will have a park-like atmosphere, with trees, shrubbery and open spaces.

The buildings are to be so constructed that the backs will be as attractive as the fronts.

The project area is in two sites, consisting of five blocks.

Three of these blocks are bounded by Fremont Ave., George St., Myrtle Ave., and Franklin St.

The other two blocks in this site are bounded by Myrtle Ave., Hoffman St., Argyle Ave., and Biddle St.

Planning is under way for an elementary school to be constructed nearby in the square block of the Harlem Ave., Perkins St., sector, to service the children in the project and the surrounding area.

Fatal fight draws 15-yr. pen term

Reuben C. Clarke, 41, 700 block N. Mount St., was sentenced to 15 years in the penitentiary Tuesday.

Clark, an unemployed laborer was convicted last March of second degree murder. A motion for a new trial was turned down by the Supreme Bench last week and Judge Delaney Foster imposed sentence.

At the trial, Robert V. Lazzaro, prosecutor, told a jury Clarke and his girlfriend, Mrs. Shirley Tilghman, 23, fought about her going out September of last year.

After beating the victim, the jury was told, Clarke threw her out the door and she landed on the street.

He then took her to a second floor bedroom where Western District police found her unconscious, it was testified. Mrs. Tilghman was taken to Provident Hospital where she died four days later.

Criminal without a conscience still free

Somewhere in the city, a criminal without a conscience is driving around free.

He is the motorist who struck a 14-year-old Boy Scout and then left the scene at Poplar Grove St. and Riggs Ave. without bothering to aid the injured youth.

All that police know about the driver who struck Joseph Gilliam of 2917 Winchester St. on October 21, is that he drove a black Chevrolet and that the front end of his car is damaged.

Following the mishap, the youth who suffered a fractured skull and a punctured kidney was given a 50-50 chance for survival. He was unable to speak for 10 days.

The condition of the boy has improved to the extent that he can now talk and is asking to be sent home.

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GILLIAM, A seventh grade pupil at Lemmel Junior High School, was making collections on his paper route when he was struck down.

According to his foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Jackson, "all he talks about is coming home, going back to school and the Boy Scouts".

Officials at Lutheran Hospital said that although the youth is "getting along fine" they have no idea when he will be able to go home.

WMAR executive will 'look into' movie with racial epithets

R. B. Cochran, program manager, told the AFRO he will "look into" the use of racial epithets in a movie seen on WMAR-TV on Sunday.

He was asked to comment on the Shirley Temple film, 'Little Miss Broadway,' in which the offensive word "d...y" is used.

One AFRO reader who called to complain while the movie was on the air, said she was advised by a spokesman 'we have edited this thing for the last time.'

Mr. Cochran said he thought it 'strange' that no one had complained to the station before, since the movie had been shown on seven previous occasions.

Mixed twist nixed for singing guests

By JAMES D. WILLIAMS

An integrated "twist" routine on the Buddy Deane show over WJZ-TV didn't quite make it Thursday afternoon.

Immediately thereafter, a number of television viewers flooded the AFRO switchboard with calls of complaints at the manner in which the integrated dancing was un-integrated.

Informed of the complaints, an official at the station expressed surprise, and said that no such complaints had reached Television Hill, home base of WJZ.

However, both the station and the complainants did agree on one thing — that Joey Dee and the Starliters, an integrated group, had started off doing the "twist" together, but the two colored members ended up by themselves on the stage, while the white members twisted away in the white audience.

Ed. Note — The twist is the latest dance sensation. One critic in describing it [illegible] drying his back with a turkish towel.)

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TYPICAL OF the calls the AFRO received from irate viewers of the program was one from Mrs. Evelyn Brown, of the 1700 block N. Smallwood St., who declared:

"If they couldn't welcome them as a group they should, not have been invited.

Mrs. Brown said the group of three white and two colored singers had been doing the number "Peppermint Twist" when they completed the refrain and all of them selected girls from the audience and started to dance.

She said a hand immediately came in front of the screen and then the white singers were seen dancing with their selected girls and the colored singers "were next seen off in a corner" by themselves.

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THE STATION, for its part, through a spokesman, Dick Usher, acting program manager, came up with this explanation:

"The representative of the record company arranged for the staging of the number and we proceeded to do the number accordingly.

"But when about [illegible] the colored dancers got off by themselves to do the twist?" he was asked.

"At one point the boys were out of position and the director motioned for them to move up on the platform", he answered.

"This was the point where they were dancing with the audience?" was the next question to Mr. Usher.

"This was the way the company representative arranged it,' he answered.

Plane crash victims given city tribute

Flags on city buildings were still flying at half staff today (Friday), in memory of the Baltimoreans among the 77 army recruits killed in the airplane crash last week near Richmond.

Mayor J. Harold Grady gave this directive to cover a three-day period beginning Wednesday, the period during which funerals for some of the victims would be held.

The Department of Education arranged for flags to be at half staff at the schools attended by the young men.

112 registered this week; registration, 110,486

If you have not yet registered to become eligible to vote, you may now do so.

Who should register:

Those persons over 21 years of age who have lived in Baltimore for one year or more — and are not yet registered to vote.

Where to register — Supervisors of Elections, ground floor of People's Court Building, Gay and Fayette Sts.

When you can register — Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Thursday 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Total registered as of May 31, 108,355.
Total registered for Nov. 1960 election: 106,306.
Registered this week period: 112.
Total to date 110,486.

	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.
Thursday	13	3	0
Friday	17	0	1
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Total number of prospective voters of age unregistered, 64,508.

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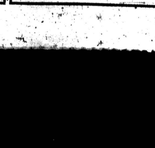
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Mrs. Santa makes last ticket appeal

NOV. 26

REMEMBER HER? — This is the AFRO's Mrs. Santa, who once again this year will be reading stacks of letters, such as this one, from the needy families of Baltimore. She needs your help NOW if she is to help those families. You can help by attending the wonderful Festival of Music on Sunday at Polytechnic. You'll find full details below and a list of places where tickets are available.

Festival on Sunday features top choirs

Here's your last chance to get a passport to a wonderland of music, and help a needy family at the same time.

You can do both these things by attending the AFRO's Festival of Music this Sunday, Nov. 26, at the Polytechnic Auditorium at 5:30 p.m.

Featured at the Festival will be two outstanding choirs the Salem Methodist Church Youth Choir of New York City and the Town Choir of Baltimore.

Listed on this page are the places where tickets are available. A few tickets will be on sale at the door, but we urge you to buy yours now so that you will not be disappointed.

To accommodate some of the last minute buyers, tickets will be available at the AFRO office up until 5:30 p.m. on Saturday.

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THE FESTIVAL on Sunday will culminate weeks of planning and effort on the part of volunteers workers who are convinced that the Mrs. Santa Project is one that deserves support.

They have been moved by letters from the needy, who have no place else to turn for help but Mrs. Santa.

Typical of the letters received is this one:

"I am a grandmother, 39 years old, trying to raise my three small grandchildren. I am under hospital care for a heart condition, high blood pressure, sugar and a bad kidney. I get a small check each month which barely pays rent.

"I don't want anything for myself but I would like food and some small toys for the children."

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TO MAKE this dream, and other dreams of relief, come true, two choirs, the Town Choir of Baltimore, and the Salem Methodist Church Youth Choir of New York City, will appear at the concert.

The Salem Choir was organized four and a half years ago and has grown to a membership of over 50.

It has appeared as guest artist on many programs and has presented a number of concerts in the Baltimore area.

The director is Louise Kemp Moss.

The Town Choir was organized in 1950 under the direction of William H. Wright and is regarded as the forefront [illegible]

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Places to get tickets

Time's running out on you if you still haven't picked up you tickets for the AFRO Mrs. Santa's Holiday Festival of Music to be held Sunday at 5:30 p.m., at Polytechnic Auditorium, North Ave., at Calvert St.

Priced at $1.25 for adults and 75 cents for children, the tickets are on sale at the AFRO office, 628 N. Eutaw St.

You may get your ticket also at these neighborhood locations:

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Family calls off plans for funeral

Plans for a funeral for Bert Bowie, 59 - year - old double amputee who died Nov. 11 at City Hospitals and was cremated six days later, were called off Wednesday.

His daughter, Mrs. Catherine Tyler of 106 Fustings Ave., Catonville, said the family decided the proposed funeral "would be too hard on his mother."

She explained that the mother, Mrs. Margaret Bowie, has a heart condition.

MR. BOWIE'S body was cremated without the family's knowledge after City Hospitals officials tried unsuccessfully to reach Mrs. Mabel Corbin, who was listed on their records as sole surviving relative.

Mr. Bowie's death became known to relatives last Sunday when his daughter, Mrs. Rachel Johnson of 1129 Harlem Ave. went to the hospital to visit him.

The mix - up brought legal problems to the family which had not been resolved at presstime.

First there was the matter of insurance. Mr. Bowie's son the Rev. Louis Bowie, holds a policy on his father, but the company form must be signed by a mortician. Since no mortician was involved, the Rev. Mr. Bowie is not certain how he can collect on the policy.

And then there was the question of a funeral. At first the family planned to have a "silent" funeral service Sunday after.ion at Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Olney, Md.

But there were questions as to proper procedure.

Should there be a grave? Should a tombstone be erected, or would a marker or plaque be sufficient?

Family members discussed various possibilities these days prior to the funeral service.

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MR. BOWIE entered City Hospitals on July 14 from the Campbor Nursing Home, according to hospital records. The 59 - year-old man was suffering from cancer of the lungs and diabetes, Mr. Kayler said.

"He was a double amputee of the leg and was listed in poor condition on our Sept. 17 report," the admission officer explained.

Mr. Bowie died at 7 a.m. on Nov. 11 and police from the Western district went to 1022 Harlem Ave. some 20 minutes later, Mr. Kayler told the AFRO.

(Mrs. Corbin lives at 1129 Harlem Ave., 2nd floor).

Mr. Bowie's body was turn.

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Miss. laws are invalid

WASHINGTON

Three Mississippi laws requiring segregation of bus stations and train terminals, this week, were called "unconstitutional on their face" in different parts of the state, the U. S. Justice Department revealed.

A three-judge Federal Court, sitting in Jackson, Mississippi, ruled on Tuesday that the laws violated the Federal Constitution and ordered city authorities in McComb, Miss., to take down racial signs posted at bus and railroad terminals.

City and state authorities also were enjoined against enforcing state segregation laws in connection with intra-state travel.

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THE MAJORITY opinion was by Judges Elbert P. Tuttles of Atlanta and Richard T. Rives of Montgomery, Ala., members of the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals.

District Judge Sidney Mize of Gulfport, Miss., filed a minority opinion in which he stated that he believed the Federal Court should not rule on the constitutionality of the laws until they were tested in state courts.

The suit, filed Nov. 2, was

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MINISTERS ARRESTED — The Rev. I. Logan Kearse (center), pastor of the Cornerstone Baptist Church; is shown being led to a patrol wagon following his arrest on Wednesday at Hooper's Restaurant. Dr. Kearse was a member of a group that staged a sit-in demonstration at the restaurant. Five persons were arrested on trespass charges. Behind Dr. Kearse is Warren Shaw, head of the Manning-Shaw Real Estate Co., who was also arrested. The officer is Lt. William Klump.

Was home on holiday leave

"Senseless" is the word police officers are using to describe the slaying of a young Navy man early Thanksgiving morning.

The sailor, Kent Williams, 1516 N. Pulaski St., was pronounced dead on arrival at Provident Hospital at 12:15 a.m. Thursday. Death was attributed to a knife wound of the chest.

Three men are being questioned in connection with the slaying. Police report they know the identity of the alleged slayer, but have not yet been able to locate him.

The fatal knifing took place at Monroe St. and Windsor Ave.

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WITNESSES SAID that a few moments before the slaying, Williams had alighted from a taxicab on his way to a cabaret party at 2 Monroe St. auditorium.

They said Williams' attention was attracted by a man who had fallen to the street.

As Williams attempted to help the man to his feet, he was stabbed for no apparent reason, it was reported.

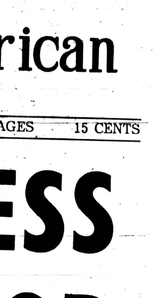
Williams, who was stationed in Norfolk, Va., was home on a holiday leave.

Because of the lateness of the hour, he had gone directly to the auditorium, instead of stopping by his home.

The last time his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Williams, saw him alive was last weekend.

In addition to his parents, the young man is survived by a brother, Michael, 19.

Williams was a graduate of the Carver Vocational Technical High School and had been in the Navy for two years.



KENT WILLIAMS

Open cafes on Route 40

By EDWARD FEEKS

WASHINGTON

Washington CORE plans to place mass picket lines around department stores "guilty of discrimination in their hiring practices", beginning Dec. 2, the AFRO learned this week.

Picketing will be coupled with a "Selective Buying Guide", which will list for the public those firms that deny equal job opportunity to colored residents, according to Julius W. Hobson, CORE president.

The buying guide will be available to the public on Dec. 1, he said.

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MEANWHILE, the organization released the list of 47 restaurants that agreed to serve all along Route 40 as a

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New technique adopted in restaurant campaign

Baltimore sit - in protests shifted from an every-Saturday schedule to "any time of any day" Wednesday when four ministers and a businessman were arrested at Hooper's Restaurant, Fayette and Charles Sts.

Dr. I. Logan Kearse, pastor of the Cornerstone Baptist Church and demonstration leader, told the AFRO after he and others of the arrested group were freed in $100 bail each for Thanksgiving morning hearings:

"This would suggest that restaurants which segregate may expect sit - ins which are not massive in nature and which will include prominent citizens of the community, at any time of any day."

On Thursday morning, in Central Municipal Court, Judge John A. McGuire waived jurisdiction and ordered the cases sent to the grand jury.

This set a precedent, in that in all other cases, the defendants were the ones to ask for trial by jury.

The defendants are represented by Archie Williams, attorney.

On Wednesday, the Maryland Commission on Interracial Problems announced that it is now in the process of drafting legislation which it will propose in the next session of the General Assembly, to end racial discrimination in places of public accommodations.

The Commission also said that it would not release the names of the restaurants that had agreed to desegregate on Route 40.

ARRESTED with the Rev. Mr. Kearse at Hooper's on trespass charges were:

The Rev. Matthew R. Silver, 36, pastor of Concord Baptist Church; the Rev. Herbert O. Edwards, 32, pastor of the Trinity Baptist Church; the Rev. George A. Crawley, 44, St. Paul Baptist Church; and Warren Shaw, 37, president of the Manning-Shaw Real Estate firm.

The men entered Hooper's about 3:15 p.m. and stated, however, they later reported someone came over and "stripped the table. Took

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CORE takes picketing to Tawes' front door

ANNAPOLIS — In a move to show their support of four young Freedom Fighters who are staging a hunger strike in the Anne Arundel County Jail, a group of students have thrown a 24-hour picket line around the executive mansion occupied by Maryland's Governor J. Millard Tawes.

The line was formed at 2 p.m. Thursday with ten students. It will continue today, Friday, with 25 students, and will wind up on Saturday, when an estimated 50 students are expected.

Not only are the students picketing, they are also fasting.

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COMPOSED primarily of members of the New York University chapter of CORE, the picketers have attracted a great deal of attention in Maryland's capital city.

Passersby have stopped to give them words of encouragement and to make cash donations to the organization.

To show the sincerity of their purpose, the picketers did not let inclement weather on Thursday, dampen their enthusiasm.

Two of the students, on the fast, are students at NYU.

How The Teams Fared On Turkey Day

Morgan in 7-6 win over Va. State

By SAM LACY

Four field goal attempts—only one of which was successful — tell much of the story in reporting Morgan State College's 7-6 squeaker over Virginia State, in their annual Thanksgiving Day football game at Hughes Stadium.

Whether the hero's mantle should go to Morgan halfback Ray Horn whose boot succeeded in splitting the uprights, or to Leroy Shepard or Carl Hite, the Bear linemen who blocked the placement attempts by the visiting Trojans, is difficult to determine. At any rate, Horn's successful extra-point conversion gave Morgan the margin of victory and the contributions by Sheppard and Hite preserved it.

Each team scored one touchdown during the balmy but heavily overcast afternoon. Morgan's conversion was made, Virginia State's was blocked.

And Morgan had one chance to kick a field goal, Virginia had two. All three were blocked. Therein lies the story.

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THE BEAR, touchdown

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City, 30; Poly, 8

By GARY REYNOLDS

City College combined a grind-it-out offense, and a great defensive effort to whip Poly, 30-8, for the Maryland Scholastic Association Championship and go undefeated for the season, Thursday, at Memorial Stadium.

Dennis Wisner, City quarterback, was the star for both City offense and defense, throwing two touchdown passes, and intercepting two of Poly's aerials.

The City defense which has given up only 36 points all season long, forced Poly to take to the airways, as it gave up ground grudgingly. The City's blitzing linebacks

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Bishop Nichols to write AFRO articles from India

Bishop D. Ward Nichols left New York Monday to represent the AFRO-AMERICAN Newspapers as special correspondent to the Third Assembly of the World Council of Churches in New Delhi, India.

His reports from these so-called undeveloped countries will appear week to week. Watch for them in the AFRO.