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The Trotters sparked by the irrepressible "Meadowlark" Lemon who scored 28 points, won the game handily, 94-75.

Bill Coil garnered 19 points for the Gulls.

IN A PRELIMINARY game pitting two American Basketball League teams, the Pittsburgh Rens edged Chicago Majors in overtime, 109-107.

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Sphinx Speaks

The Sphinx Club wishes to announce that it will close its doors effective Monday, January 14th, ending 16 years of operation. A new club name and format will be considered by the management, members of the board and club members.

Reopening, which we hope will be in the near future, will be pending the outcome of these considerations.

Watch this column for further announcements.

For the time being we want to express our gratitude for the many wonderful events we have enjoyed together over the years. Your valued patronage and good will make the Sphinx Club a family name and an adventure in friendship. However times and conditions now necessitate a change (This move was scheduled for 1962.)

May we sincerely extend to you and yours, every good wish for the coming holiday season.

The Merriest of Christmases and the Happiest of New Years

Lenny backs CORE in Colts' base bias

The voice of Lenny Moore late this week was added to the drive to desegregate places of public accommodation in Westminster, Md., where the Baltimore Colts maintain their football training quarters.

Moore, all-pro halfback of the Colts for the past six years, was asked for player reaction to a complaint by the Congress of Racial Equality, CORE, earlier in the week, urged the Colts to move their conditioning base from the Western Maryland College campus at Westminster.

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IN A LETTER to Colts general manager Don Kellett, CORE vice chairman John Roemer called attention to the fact that most of the town's restaurants refuse to serve colored people and that the lone movie house and bowling alley in Westminster persist in discriminating against them.

Roamer reminded Kellett that his organization had discussed the matter with football officials during the summer, and was promised action. He said nothing concrete had materialized since those discussions.

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KELLETT told the AFRO Thursday, that "serious effort" is being made to resolve the situation. He said that he and owner Carroll Rosenbloom have held numerous conferences with city officials in Westminster, and that he felt "some progress has been made."

"Naturally," the Colts boss pointed out, "we wish to explore every possible means of remedying the situation, before taking such drastic steps as moving the camp."

Moore was elated that the matter has been "brought to a head." With fullback Joe Perry having left for his California home and tackle Jim Parker unavailable for comment, Lenny was asked to serve as spokesman for the players who are most concerned with the hassle.

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"PERSONALLY," declared the star halfback, "I am very happy that it has come up. Like Kellett, I would like to see the matter cleared up in Westminster, but if the club decides to move, then so be it.

"We like the convenience of being near home, so that we can visit our families when we get a few hours off. But we aren't so taken up with the convenience that we are willing to sacrifice our self respect.

"It is an unfortunate thing that we have to confine our leisure hours to the campus. All of us like to get away from the scene from to time; but for us, where is there to go?

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"CARROLL Rosenbloom is sympathetic to our plight," Lenny went on. "So much so that he frequently brings movies into the camp for showing. But that is a case where you have to go at a certain hour on a certain night.

"As men, we like the thought of being able to decide for ourselves what show, and what movies we want to see.

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"I AM selfish enough to want to remain at Western nights we want to go to a Maryland College, if it can be arranged. Being there means an occasional trip home with no loss of practice time," Moore continued.

"On the other hand, if the club can insist on equal treatment for us on road trips to Southern cities, it certainly should be able to protect our rights in a town where it maintains headquarters.

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"I DO WANT to point out one thing, however. None of us—Jim, Joe, Lenny Lyles or any of the other colored players is desirous of having this thing worked out strictly on a team basis.

"In other words, if the town is going to open up, we don't want it to make special cases of us just because we are football players.

"We think it should be a general thing, that our people should be welcomed on the same principal that covers other patrons of restaurants, theatres and the like."

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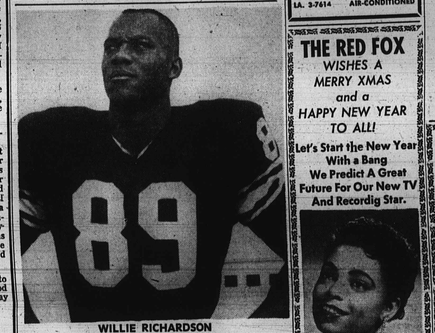

WILLIE RICHARDSON
pass catcher prize catch

Colt draftee Richardson on Crusade Bowl list

Willie Richardson, the 6ft., 2 inches, 198-pound pass-catching end from Jackson State College, who was drafted and signed by the Batimore Colts, will play in the first annual Crusade Bowl at Memorial Stadium, Sunday, January 6, for the benefit of the American Cancer Society.

Richardson was scouted by both Keith Milesworth and Buddy Young of the Colts. Willie runs the 100 in 9.8 and has jumped 6-feet-7. During the past season, he caught 37 passes for a total 798 yards, for an average of 21 yards per catch.

He scored 66 points in nine games.

According to Young, "Willie catches like Willie Mays. In pass coverage on defense, he's like Otto Schnellbacher. He tackles like Emlen Tunnell, and he's swift like Jack Christansen."

Richardson will play on the West team that will feature draft choices of the Western Division of the National Football League.

This team will play draft choices of the Eastern Division.

Carver height tops Douglass

Carver High School basketers, capitalizing on their superior height, took the measure of the Douglass five, 61 - 39, in a pre-schedule contest at Carver Tuesday afternoon.

The game does not figure in the Maryland Scholastic Association title race since the championship games do not get under way until January 3, when the schools return from the Christmas vacation.

The smaller Ducks were able to keep pace during the first half through the consistent scoring of veteran Cylde Billups and Stan Williams who tallied 12 and 10 points.

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AT THE INTERMISSION, Douglass was trailing by only six points, at 24 - 18. However, Charley Howell and Curtis Webb came back after halftime and took control of the backboards.

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Carson named

Dr. Isadore Tuerk, commissioner, Department of Mental Hygiene, has announced the appointment of Dr. James E. Carson as Acting Superintendent of Springfield Hospital following the resignation of Dr. Ralph Meng.

Dr. Carson joined the Department of Mental Hygiene Headquarters staff as the Director of Psychiatric Education and Training in July of this year.

NAACP's 'Dr. Jackson' elected to her 27th term

Dr. Lillie M. Jackson pected to name the executive agreed to serve her 27th secretary in the next few term as president of the Bal- days.

timore NAACP chapter with Dr. Jackson, nationally the understanding that a paid famed civil rights leader, al- executive secretary would be so is president of the Mary- named. land State Conference of

The NAACP board is ex- NAACP Branches. Under her leadership, both the local and state units have won recognition as among the nation's most effective.

Most of last year's officers were re-elected in the meeting last Tuesday. The nominating committee was chaired by the Rev. Jentry E. McDonald. Members were Joshua Brown, Mrs. Fannie H. Hall, Mrs. Mary Johnson, Miss Johnnie M. Thompson and Mrs. Virginia Jones.

VICE PRESIDENTS are:

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Atty. Clarence M. Mitchell is director of the Washington bureau.

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Cabbie robbed at knife-point

Cab driver William F. Chandler, 38, 2100 block of Garrison Blvd., reported to police that he was robbed at knife-point, Tuesday.

Mr. Chandler told police that he picked up the bandit at Edmondson Ave. and Bentalon St. and was told to drive to the 200 block of Parrish St.

When the cab reached Parrish St., the robber held a knife to Mr. Chandler's neck and took a money bag and wallet containing a total of $5, police said.

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Missing boy found in hospital

Eight - year - old Trent Thompson has been found.

Trent had been missing since Monday, Dec. 10, according to his father Hartley Thompson, who this week asked the AFRO to help find his son.

A story was published in Tuesday's AFRO and on Wednesday this newspaper learned the boy was confined to Bon Secours Hospital for treatment of burns on his arms, chest and face.

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THE BURNS were sustained in an accident at his mother's home, where he had been staying, police reported.

According to Mrs. Amelta Miller, his mother, Trent had been picked up, on the night of his disappearance by a police officer in a drug store on Riggs Ave.

He was taken to the home of Mrs. Trent's brother-in-law, and the next day was taken to Mrs. Trent's home in the 1900 block Lauretta Ave.

The mother who is now remarried said she tried to locate the boy's father, but was unsuccessful.

On Sunday, Dec. 16, Trent suffered the burns in an accident at the house, the mother reported.

Detectives in the Missing Persons Bureau said that the father has now been notified of the whereabouts of his son.

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