—Ministers contest

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Mitchell, of Payne Memorial AME, has garnered 4,100 votes.

Two ministers are now in a tie for fifth place. The Rev. J. G. Barnes, Allen AME, and the Rev. Parris S. Thompson, Mt. Hebron Baptist, each have 3,100 votes.

Is your favorite minister among those being considered in the balloting to find Baltimore's Favorite Minister.

Will he be eligible for the $2,000 in cash prizes which will be awarded at the end of the contest?

Ballots printed in each edition of the AFRO are worth 100 votes each.

Nothing could be more simple than entering your favorite minister in the contest.

Votes for your favorite minister in the $2,000 contest may be registered on the ballot printed in each edition of the AFRO and should be brought or mailed to the AFRO, 628 N. Eutaw St.; Baltimore, Md., 21203.

Votes received by 3 p.m. Friday will appear in the Tuesday edition. Votes received by 3 p.m. Wednesday will appear in the Friday edition.

"Favorite Minister Contest

Rev. Lewis Conway 1st Mt. Pleasant Baptist	6700
Rev. Roscoe Williams Orchard Street Methodist	6100
Rev. C. H. Churn Union Temple Baptist	5000
Rev. W. P. Mitchell Payne Memorial A.M.E.	4100
Rev. J. G. Barnes Allen A.M.E.	3100
Rev. Parris S. Thompson Mt. Hebron Baptist	3100
Rev. Monroe Simms Elkridge First Baptist	1900
Rev. John F. Mooring New Antioch Baptist	1700
Bishop Edward R. Bunch Unity Bible Way Church	1500
Father John Healy St. Francis Center	1400
Rev. C. A. Hill Temple Baptist	1300
Rev. N. B. Carrington	
Metropolitan Meth. Elder Walter E. Nelson	1300
Refuge Temple Church of God in Christ	1100
Elder W. H. Taylor Emmanuel Christian Church	900
Rev. Eugene V. Carter Good Shepherd Baptist	800
Rev. Stanley Bradford Elizabeth Baptist	800
Rev. Leo K. Cessar Mt. Olive Crowell Baptist	800
Rev. William H. Thompson Whitestone Baptist	800
Rev. L. Weddy Christ Temple	700
Rev. O. E. Hiller St. Paul Institutional Bapt.	700
Father Henry Offer St. Peter Claver R. C. Church	700
Bishop M. R. Saunders The United Church	700
Rev. Arthur Brown Walbrook Community Bapt.	600
Rev. L. A. Dyson St. Mathews Meth. Church	500
Rev. Tommie Jenkins St. John C. C. Church	500
Rev. George Vandeford United Baptist	500
Rev. H. A. Carter New Shiloh Baptist	400
Rev. Cecelia Ellis United Holiness	400
Rev. R. C. Lane Evergreen A.M.E.	400
Greater Olivet Baptist	400
Rev. A. A. Thompson South Baltimore United	400
Rev. Carl Washington Trinity Baptist	400
Rev. Lorenzo Graves Calvary Baptist	300
Rev. Edward E. Litmon Rainbow Baptist	300
Rev. James Stepney New Bethlehem Baptist	300
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Rev. Olin Mayo Mt. Lebanon Baptist	200
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Rev. Esther Mathews		Bethel Church of God	100
United Temple of God	100	Rev. J. T. Whitley	
Rev. Samuel B. Redd		Holy Church of Power	100

—GI's racial row

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lection for assignment to hazardous duty.

About 100 colored servicemen from the Navy, Army and Marine Corps attended the first meeting, on Oct. 11, in an abandoned storage dump.

After the meeting, they marched as a group to Camp Tien Sha where Comdr. Linus Wesman, 36, commanding officer of enlisted men in the 1 Corps Naval Support Activity, said he heard the grievances.

The first disturbance occurred the following day at China Beach when a group of colored troops disarmed and beat up two navy guards. Nine colored Marines and soldiers were arrested near the beach later in the day.

Another meetinng was held the night of Oct. 12 and the second disturbance occurred the following day, a Sunday, when a small group of colored servicemen were accosted by a white sailor who shouted obscentities at them.

Spokesmen said the sailor pulled a "mace-type china" from under his clothing and "threatened to kill" one of the colored men. Spokesmen said the colored servicemen disarmed the white sailor at gunpoint.

WESMAN SAID a colored sailor was thrown out of a enlisted men's club three three times last Sunday night because of boisterous behavior. He said the man went to his duty station, grabbed a .45-caliber pistol and disarmed two shore policemen who tried to disarm him. He then fired several shots outside the base mess hall.

Wesman said a colored guard stationed in a watch tower beside the mess hall was found dead a few hours later, and that he had been killed with a bullet which entered his back and lodged in one of his lungs.

Wesman said it was the second time racial troubles had led to restrictions at Camp Tien Sha. In 1966, a riot broke out in the enlisted man's club following an argument between whites and colored men over whether country and western music or "soul" music should be played on the juke box.

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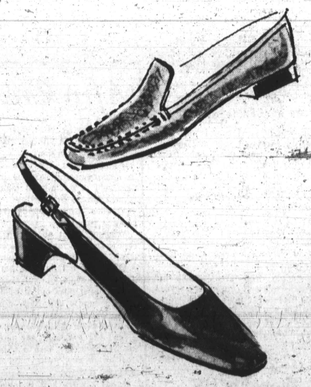

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