Youth, 17, Shot Three Times In Edmondson Parking

Police still hunt teenaged gunman

Elliott Lindsey West, 17, 3700 block Klowerton Rd., a sophomore at Fairmount Hill Vocational Junior-Senior High School was critically wounded Wednesday afternoon when he sustained bullet wounds of the head, left shoulder and chest in the parking lot at Edmondson High School.

John Jones, public relations spokesman for the Department of Education told the AFRO the Eastside school youth, was reported as involved in some sort of argument inside Edmondson High and the dispute spilled to the outside entrance just outside the door and went on over into the parking lot.

Police report that a security officer inside said he heard five shots fired and when he rushed outside the assailants, as many as five youths, fled and left the West youth on the ground.

The security officer told police he found the teenaged boy on the ground breathing heavily.

School authorities report the 2:55 p.m. incident came when most of the Edmond-

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Dr. Patterson calls for gun control

The shooting of Elliott Lindsey West, 17, a Fairmount Hill Vocational Junior Senior High School No. 453 student outside Edmondson High School Wednesday afternoon brings a call from Superintendent of Schools Dr. Roland Patterson for gun control.

In an impressive appeal, he asks that gun control as Mayor D'Alesandro outlined be legislated.

He concluded a formal statement to the press with an appeal to all citizens, "Let's link arms and make this community safe for all of its residents."

The statement is as follows:

"Last night I appeared on television and during the course of the program I

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New park to honor Mrs. Mackall

The Rosemont Community has announced it will name the park at Edmondson and Braddish Aves. in honor of Mrs. Helen W. Mackall, a former school-crossing guard who saved the life of a six-year-old girl.

The dedication ceremony is scheduled for Satruday, Dec. 11, at 2 p.m. at the park. Mayor Thomas D'Alesandro has promised to attend.

After the ceremony, entertainment and refreshments will be served in Public School 202, 806 Braddish Ave. Everyone in the community is invited to attend.

On Jan. 29, 1970, Mrs. Mackall, a crossing-guard

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THANKFUL THAT SHE IS ONE and has an adoring grandmother is Chantel Dennis Roane shown (left) blowing out the candle on her birthday cake and then (right) talking it over with Grandmother Mrs. Anita Fields. Pretty Chantel is the daughter of the late Mrs. Kathleen Valentine, popular and beauteous young Forest Park High School graduate who died with a mysterious ailment six months ago. (Photo by J. D. Howard)

Super foster mother

"I was a foster parent in Suffolk, Virginia. I like children. While I lived in Virgina I took 20 children under my wing.

Mrs. Ophelia Parker thus began her story to the AFRO about her foster children.

For nine years, she has been taking care of foster children in her home.

She stated, "While I lived in Virginia, the police department was informed by the director of Social Services if any family had an emergency and could not take care of their children, they were to bring the children to me.

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Mrs. Parker is president of the Foster Parents Association and now has three foster sons Michael and Jimmy Tucker and Michael Boyd.

Her own two sons are Irvin and William Parker.

The Foster Parents Association is an independent organization, which has 300 members.

Their plans are to raise money for scholarships and bonds for foster children to

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NAACP dinner Sunday

The NAACP Freedom Festival Dinner will be held at the Alcazar at Cathedral and Madison Sts. Sunday, Nov. 28 at 5 p.m.

Roy Wilkins, National director of the NAACP, will be guest speaker.

Black Caucus calls for national session

The Congressional Black Caucus, Nov. 20, issued a call to black people of the nation for a national political convention to be held in April or early May.

The caucus called "for regional meetings to be held in the northeast, in the south, in the mid-west, and in the western section of the country to bring together representatives of

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Dr. Patterson names news co-ordinator

The Board of School Commissioners, upon the recommendation of Dr. Roland N. Patterson, approved the selection of M. Hirsh Goldberg, former Director of Advertising for the Rouse Co., as Co-ordinator of Public Information for the school system.

Mr. Goldberg, 29, received the Bachelor of Arts Degree from the Johns Hopkins University in English with a minor in Creative Writing. He received his Master of Arts Degree from Hopkins in English.

His former positions have included: Director of Public Information and Education for the Attorney General of Md. from Dec. 1967 to Aug., 1969.

He was press secretary to Mayor Theodore R. McKeldin from Sept. 1966 to Dec., 1967. Also, Mr. Goldberg served as Press Secretary for Publicity and Public Relations for former Attorney General Thomas B. Finan's campaign for governor of Maryland.

Other work activities have included: Editor-Writer for a city public relations firm and a graduate assistantship at the University of Md. while working toward the Ph. D. degree.

Other activities include: columnist for the BALTIMORE JEWISH TIMES; a free lance writer for local papers and a free lance contributor to BALTIMORE Magazine.

He is married and has two children. Mr. Goldberg assumes his duties immediately.

GOING TO THE DOG SHOW — Mrs. Catherine Mueller of 3700 block Callaway Ave. is priming her four miniature apricot poodles for the Maryland Kennel Club Dog Show and Obedience Trial this Sunday at the Fifth Regiment Armory. Jans Golden Speck (with the collar is the mother to Ma Cherri, Mona Lisa, and Zsa Zsa, born in May.

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THANKS TO THEIR FOSTER MOTHER — Mrs. Ophelia Parker, president of the Foster Parents Association, has opened her home to over 200 foster children. Presently, she has three foster children living with her and her two sons: (from left) Michael Boyd, Jimmy Tucker, Irvin Parker, Mrs. Parker, William Parker, and Michael Tucker.

Yellow mug essay contest for children

As Christmas draws nearer, children will be stretching their imagination for the money needed to buy for themselves and friends some Christmas presents.

Perhaps they do not have to worry much. BP Oil has offered the opportunity and all that the children need is to use their imagination creatively.

They are to imagine and write, no matter how.

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Kidney patients want to return good deed

Twenty-five kidney transplant recipients and kidney disease patients reciving dialysis treatments at City Hospitals are conducting a fund-raising drive to purchase a $3,500 dialysis machine.

According to Leon Kaminetz, originator of the drive, "We're aiming for as much as we can get. We want to get a dialysis machine as well as medication materials."

The implication is that participants have been dedicated in their efforts to raise the money because they feel one good turn degerves another.

The group is presently selling $1 raffle tickets for first and second prizes of a portable color television and a clock-radio.

The prizes will be awarded on Dec. 16, which will conclude the fund-raising campaign which began in October.

According to one publicity agent, Mrs. Victoria Saunders, 3000 block Brighton St., the proceeds will be given to the Hemo-Dialysis Division of City Hospitals.

Kaminetz reveals the participants have raised almost enough money for the machine and the prizes to be offered at the raffle drawing, however, he stated, more money is needed to pay for the medication materials which

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Forest park senior delegate to White House Conference

Miss Lynn Lorene Willis, 17-year-old Forest Park High School senior has interesting an experience coming up within the next few days.

On Nov. 28 she will join hundreds of other young people in Washington for the 4-day White House Conference On The Aging.

Miss Willis was selected as a delegate early this fall and previously went as a youth delegate to the Eastern Region White House Conference in Boston.

After the Nov. 28-Dec. 2 Conference in Washington, she will speak here in Baltimore at the War Memorial symposium on the Aging on Dec. 12.

Miss Willis is the daughter of Cherry Hill Junior High School teacher, Clarence Willis and Mrs. Peggy Willis, a public school social worker.

A popular Forest Park pupil, she is president of the Student Government Association and attends Mt. Olivet Christian Community Church where she sings on the choir. — EMO

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MR. AND MRS. EDWARD C. CAREY were married by the Rev. Joyce Miller, left, at the home of the bride, the former Mrs. Eugene Walker, in Baltimore, Sunday.

Miss Robinson wed to Thomas L. Ervin

Miss Joyce Elaine Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Robinson, 1825 E. 31st., was married to Thomas Lee Ervin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ervin, 2912 The Alameda.

The ceremony which took place on Saturday, Nov. 20, at St. Paul Baptist Church, was performed by the Rev. Dr. George A. Crawley Jr.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Nolan Robinson.

Miss Pearline Boyd was maid of honor and Mrs. Margaret Diggs was matron of honor for the bride.

The bridegroom's best man was Jack Marble, Percy Alston served as head usher.

Junior bridesmaids included Misses Bessie Hauis, Shirley Jones, Gacelyn Stills, Cynthia Jackson, Angela Edmonds, Arneise Chisolm and Ellen Thomas.

Bridesmaids were Misses Mildred Jackson, Debra Robinson, Joetta English and Loretta Ervin.

Ushers for the bridegroom were Nolan Robinson, Charles Jones and William Moore.

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The bridal gown was an A-line cut, with an over-lay of organdy, trimmed at the neck with daisies. The train of the gown hung approximately one inch below the hem of the gown.

The former Miss Robinson is a graduate of Cortez Peters Business School and is presently employed at Eastern Health District.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Loyola College and is a teacher at school 101.

After a honeymoon trip to Portland, Maine, the couple will make their home in Baltimore.

MR. AND MRS. THOMAS ERVIN were married in the St. Paul Baptist Church, Saturday. Mrs. Ervin is the former Miss Joyce Elaine Robinson

MR. AND MRS. GRANT OWINGS celebrated the 50th anniversary of their marriage in Baltimore, recently.

Edward Carey Mrs. Walker exchange vows

Mrs. Eugene Walker, daughter of Mrs. Cassie Moyer and the late Alex Moyer, was married to Edward Carey in a ceremony in her home on Monastery Ave., Sunday afternoon.

The double-ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Joyce Miller.

Mrs. Walker, who was given in marriage by her brother, Leonard Moyer, wore an ensemble in pale pink with pink hat and brief veil, and silver accessories. Her corsage was a white orchid with pink ribbons.

Mrs. Lucille Nicholas was maid of honor for the bride. She wore an ensemble in hot pink and a corsage of orchids showered with blue ribbons.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Elsie Grimes and Mrs. Tima Mansfield. Mrs. Grimes was in blue lace coat underpinned with white, and Mrs. Mansfield wore rose.

The rings were carried on a blue satin pillow by Kris Mansfield.

A reception for 50 guests followed the ceremony.

NOV 29

The Catonsville Symphony Sciety will present the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra in the second of its three-concert series for the 1971-72 season on today at 8 p.m. in Gymnasium One at the University of Maryland Baltimore County (UMBC).

NOV. 27

Arthur Fiedler, conductor of the famed Boston Pops Orchestra, conducts the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra's Saturday evening Pops concert on Nov. 27 at 8:03 p.m. in the Lyric Theatre.

Gadabouting in Baltimore

'Thirteen Social Workers' repeat fantastic Autumn ball

with Lula Mackay

Those 13 Social Workers have done it again. For the fourth straight year the Twelve-Plus-One have staged a most fantastic autumn ball with overwhelming participation. As a matter of fact, the affair was a sellout. The orange and black decor which is traditional was carried out along with the very plush atmosphere of the Northpoint Gardens which really put everyone in the mood for fun and frivolitity. A swinging band, entertainment, and the food and drinks which were all of the superlative quality for which these gals stand.

The members themselves state that they have so much fun they almost don't want to accept subscriptions. But, its all in the name of Scholarships folks and that is really what makes it all worthwhile.

These thirteen social workers, who in their day to day vocational endeavours attempt to make life more meaningful for people, carry this over into their social contacts. The report we get is that everyone is made to feel like a special guest from the attention and hospitality of his hostess to the fraternizing with guests and then to the thirteen door prizes which is traditional fare.

This year, it was an affair to remember, with the gals really bringing in guests from all over, including agency directors and co-workers and as someone put it almost evry social worker "worth his salt" was involved. The 12 Plus One hastens to add that if they overlooked anyone it was purely accidental.

Who said "not everyone can wear hot pants?" This year the club decided to wear hot pants. (with overskirts however) and you could not imaine 13 more decorative and attractive outfits. Even with a few duplicates the unique quality which each member generates, provided a different effect.

Nancy Bennett, this year's president, was decked out in a long black dress, split at the sides to the very waist and trimmed with silver nailheads, was very ravishing. Taking the long and short of it, Roberta Ross in long skirt and Jean Thomas in short, both black and trimmed in rhinestones, were both stunning. Jean is Vice-President this year by the way, and Co-Chairman of the dance.

Anne Reed chose black velvet with a single rhinestone strap holding it up, a most attractive outfit with the barest of hot pants. And then there was Jennie Jenkins in orange and black and I am not sure if it was her vivacious personality or the outfit which really made her shine so. Helen Maxwell combined the club colors of black hot pants and an orange overskirt. She took many bows. The girls really turned on—Dorothy Dunston was stunning in flowing black split in the front and silver grecian slippers which laced up to the knees, a real knockout.

Peggy Willis came out in naughty black with a front split up to nearly the waist and looking every inch a siren (look out fellows)!. Fran Johnson was sporting her new image, Afro and all, and in a very attractive orange and black hot pants outfit which couldn't help saying "look at me." Audrey Williams' chose long black wool, split to the waist on both sides and trimmed in gold Indian braid with matching jewelry, was really saying something, but then they just were! So were their guests.

Take Lou Jefferson, newest club member, tall and statuesque in black trimmed in orange and orange hot pants — wow! Welcome aboard Lou. Naomi Evans, all in orange trimmed in silver was just what was needed to spark thke black attires of most of the other members. Have you seen Naomi lately? She is appropriately dubbed "much glamour." Last, but not least, the petite, but a real 'together' miss, was

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Columbia Society schedules concert

The Columbia Choral Society is presenting its fourth annual holiday concert, "The Sounds of Christmas," December 3, 4, and 5.

Selections include the light and gay, such as "We Wish You the Merriest", "Its Love Is Born Anew," and "The Shepherds' Chorus from Menotti's "Amahl and the Night Visitors."

Also included are songs such as "Fros—tiana," Ron Nelson's "Glory to God," Gustav Holst's "Christmas Day," and Tomas Luis Da Victoria's "O Magnum Mysterium."

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The Society is a cultural group, drawing members from Columbia, Baltimore, Washington, Laurel, Howard and Carroll Counties. It is directed by Galye L. Crawford, Jr.

A second major concert will be given by the group in June, 1972. It will feature Bruckner's Te Deum, Vivaldi's Gloria, and Duruflé's Requiem.

The holiday concert will be held at Slayton House in the Village of Wilde Lake on Friday and Saturday evenings at 8:30 and on Sunday afternoon at 3:00. A special visitor for the children will appear at the Sunday matinee.

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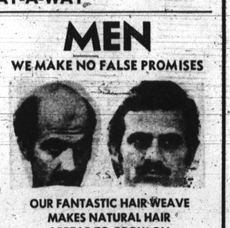

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