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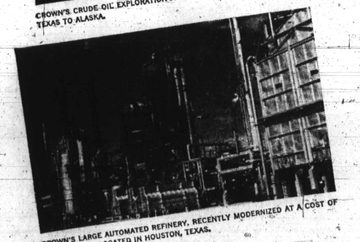

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Crown's new idea is simple

Surveys show that motorists are tired of paying high prices for gasoline. With this idea in mind, Crown is building large, modern multi-pump stations that sell gasoline and oil only. And at better prices. Our volume is higher so our overhead is lower. This saves us money. Saves you money. Now we're in Baltimore to offer you the same exciting value.

We're high volume gasoline specialists

Other oil companies still try to handle tires, batteries, mufflers. Do repairs, brake jobs. Selling gasoline is almost a sideline with them. Not at Crown. We're high volume gasoline specialists. Finest quality gasolines. And because our volume is high, our prices aren't.

You get fast 24 hour service, too

New Crown multi-pump stations are engineered to speed you on your way. No sidelines, no clutter, no repair bays to slow things down. We're the fastest guys at the pumps. Sundays, Holidays, 24 Hours a day.

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Some Crown stations offer a fast automatic car wash. Takes two minutes. You stay in your car. Fast floating jet brushes clean away the grime. Costs only $1.

Save your cash

You don't need cash at Crown. Every station will gladly accept your Crown, Master Charge, BankAmericard, or NAC Charge Card.

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2415 York Rd. & Dennison, Timonium
935 N. York Rd., Towson (1/4 mi. south of Beltway)
York Rd. & Stevenson Lane
Loch Raven Blvd. & Yakona Rd.
Loch Raven Blvd. south of Taylor Ave.
Harford Rd. & Northern Pky.

BALTIMORE (EAST)
5838 Belair Rd. (near White Ave.)
4301 Erdman Ave. (south of Sinclair Lane)
Eastern & Southern Aves. (west of North Pt. Blvd.)
Charles & 21st St.

BALTIMORE (NORTHWEST)
4109 W. Garrison Ave. (between Reisterstown Road & Wabash Ave.)
Park Heights & Rogers Ave.
Reisterstown Rd. & Fords Lane
1507 Reisterstown Rd. at Old Court Rd., Pikesville (Under construction)
Liberty & Old Court Rds.
Reisterstown Rd. & Straw Hat Lane, Owings Mills

BALTIMORE (WEST)
2810 W. Franklin St. & Lauretta
2617 Gwynns Falls Parkway
Route 40 West (opp. Charing Cross Shopping Center)

BALTIMORE (SOUTHWEST)
4305 Leeds Ave. & Southwestern Blvd.
2650 W. Patapsco Ave. & Lorena

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY
Ritchie Hwy. & Church St., Brooklyn
101 Ritchie Hwy. & Old Annapolis Rd., Glen Burnie
Quarterfield Rd. & Old Stage Rd., Glen Burnie
Ritchie Hwy. & Manhattan Beach Rd., Severna Park
Rt. 198 at Maryland City (between Pky. & U.S. 1), Laurel
319-6th St., Eastport, Annapolis

PRINCE GEORGES COUNTY
7600 Annapolis Rd. (Defense Hwy.), Lanham
4611 Allentown Rd., Suitland (at main entrance of Andrews Air Force Base)
Geo. Palmer Hwy. (Rt. 704) & Sheriff Rd., Landover

FREDERICK
7th & Bentz Sts.

PENNSYLVANIA
YORK—Loucks Rd. & Fairlane Dr.

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WOULD YOU give this happy youngster, Brian Keith Hitchcock, age 5, a toy that would fall apart under the tree and leave him to play with the box? "I wouldn't dare," says Mondawmin Shopping Center's Father Christmas Samuel Young, adding, "My helpers are shopping wisely for every one of the kids in Baltimore and I'm not getting them any cheap junk."

SPECIAL REPORT

Shoppers beware of junk, shoddy gifts

The stores are piled high with colorful merchandise to attract Christmas present buyers and beginning this weekend, some unfair merchants will slip into the bunch some shoddy items, pretty junk and cheap stuff "not worth two cents."

As the season's tradition of gift-giving becomes more and more commercial, the come-on some merchants put down is slanted to over-power the purchaser's common sense and he finds too late his money has gone down the drain.

Yuletide shoppers may or may not heed the warning but they should certainly beware of flimsy toys, lacy undergarments, watered-down perfumes and "real diamond studded" watches and rings pawned off under "marked down, rock, bottom" prices.

The kids are going to holler and cry and Christmas will be very unmerry when the toys under the tree fall apart before noon. Parents will be unhappy too when the space man breaks in half and the pretty doll's big eyes rub off. When the hair comes out in gobs and the cheap train refuses to budge, Santa is going to get a piece of somebody's mind. Friendships will be lost over the 2-for-$1 ties and slazey slips.

According to the Better Business Bureau, common-sense is the best guide for shoppers who want to spot poor quality merchandise and over-priced goods.

If you see something that looks good, is cheap and seems "too good to be true," then don't get it. It probably is just that, "too good to be true."

According to Mrs. Estelle Gomborov, Trade Practice Consultant of the BBB, "Everything is high-priced and it costs money.

"The consumer has a certain amount of re-

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Suit filed to ban use of court search

Eight former Criminal Court defendants filed suit Dec. 3 in Federal court for injunctive relief against the use of the electronic scanner search conducted at the Court House.

According to Nelson R. Kandel, the attorney who filed the suit for his clients, the search "violates the constitutional provision against illegal searches and seizures" of the complai-

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Mug contest winners announced

Elson W. Higgenbotham, AFRO National Advertising, announces the following BP Oil Yellow Mug Contest winners who were notified by telegram on Thursday:

First — $50 — Wanda Lynn Logan, 9, 4th grade, Cecil Elementary School.

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Second — $25 each — Kevin Carter, 11, 6th grade, Winston Elementary School; Anthony Brown, 12, City Springs Elementary

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PURSE SEARCH—Mrs. Victoria Turner is shown here as Supreme Bench Security Officer Long searches her pocketbook after she walked through an electronic scanner device which detects metal objects. An injunction is being sought in Federal court against the searches termed "unconstitutional" which are conducted at Court House entrances.

HATE LEAFLETS HITS MANDEL, PATTERSON

Dr. Ralph Bunche Dies At 67

Baltimore Afro-American

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Wife Slain, Cafe Owner Held

Husband weeps as he tells of 'accident'

By WILLIE EGYIR

"It was all a mistake. It's an accident and I'm really sorry for what has happened," Charles E. Winfreee, 400 block Chestnut St., Turner Station, said when talking to the AFRO about the last Sunday incident in which he is alleged to have shot his wife.

"We have been married 13 years, a happy marriage, O God! There was no serious misunderstanding between us," he wept.

Mr. Winfree, 49, is alleged to have mistakeningly shot his wife, Mrs. Catherine Wallace Winfree, 47 at 5:50 A.M. on the side-walk in front of Winfree Cafe on Avon Beach Rd.

Baltimore County police state Winfree shot from inside through the front door.

Police reports snow he spent the night in the cafe and mistook his wife for someone trying to break into the cafe.

Asked why he spent the night in the cafe instead of his home, he told The AFRO, "There is nothing peculiar about spending the night at the cafe. I often do. There have been as many robberies as nine in one night."

Charged with homicide, Winfree is out at home on $3,000 bail pending investigation into the incident.

According to the police report, Mr. Winfree was in the back of the cafe sleeping when he heard a noise at the front door.

They report he entered the front door and fired one

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MAYOR AND INAUGURAL CHIEF—Mrs. Edward J. (Marie) Henderson is shown Tuesday afternoon being congratulated by newly installed Mayor William Donald Schaefer on her role as co-chairman of the Mayor's Inaugural Committee. More than 4,000 citizens throughout the city attended the Tuesday ceremonies at the Baltimore Civic Center.

POISON PEN

Hate probe ordered by Mandel

By VAL HYMES

The Maryland State Police were asked Wednesday by Governor Marvin Mandel to investigate the hate literature distributed by the National State's Rights Party in and around the State House.

The four-page pamphlet demanded that School Superintendent Dr. Roland N. Patterson and "his gang of school officials resign from their posts immediately."

The pamphlet seeks donations from all who "believe with us that Black Jungle Beasts belong in the Jungles of Africa and not roaming the halls of our Learning Institutions."

Motorists found the pamphlets under their windshield wipers, and other copies were discovered on the first floor of the State House in Annapolis.

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The pamphlet also struck out against Governor Mandel and Irvin Kovens, who are Jewish.

Mr. Kovens is termed the "Jew Dictator of Baltimore City" who "has used his fortune and power to set up a puppet government in Baltimore."

Commenting on Mandel's

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Bunche, Nobel Prize winner, dies in N.Y.

Dr. Ralph Johnson Bunche, who died yesterday in New York at 67, was a plain, unassuming patient man whose placid demeanor concealed the steel inside.

The former United Nation's undersecretary general for special political affairs and winner of the Nobel Peace Prize in 1950, who retired nine weeks ago, never went looking for trouble. But when it came, he could handle it.

Bunche, a grandson of a slave and son of a Detroit barber, was orphaned at 13 and totally self-supporting at 15. Despite these odds, he went on to have an illustrious career as educator and diplomat, rubbing shoulders with the world's leaders.

Bunche's patience under fire resulted in the solution of the Palestinian situation and ending of hostilities between the Israelis and Arabs in 1948.

When offered a position as Assistant Secretary of State during the Truman Administration, Bunche refused saying, "Washington has Jim Crow laws. I am a Negro. It was as simple as that."

As an instructor at Howard University, he was one of a group of young teach-

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Russell may be left out when Schaefer names members of his own team to top city posts

By PAUL EVANS

By Monday, Mayor William D. Schaefer may announce his appointees for top city positions, particularly for the president of the School Board seat vacated by Robert L. Karwacki.

The mayor stated he may name his choices for city solicitor and public works director within the next two weeks.

The terms of City Solicitor George L. Russell, Jr. and Public Works director F. Pierce Linaweaver expire Dec. 31.

Mr. Russell however said during the mayor's first press conference, he has agreed to continue as city solicitor for an indefinite period of time past Dec. 31.

In terms of importance, these three posts are probably in Mr. Schaefer's eyes co-equal.

The City Solicitor and the Director of Public Works, along with the Mayor, the Comptroller and the president of the city council make up the Board of Estimates, the chief fiscal planning body of the city.

The members formulate the annual Ordinance of Estimates which is the coming business year.

To put over a successful administration in terms of securing adequate finances Mr. Schaefer needs to have municipal budget for the in-

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SCHOOL BOARD

Students seated; Griffin is chief

Symbolism was the theme of the meeting of the Board of School Commissioners last night at Twenty-fifth St.

For the first time in Baltimore's history, a black man sat as the presiding officer of the board and two black students commissioners were seated.

Due to the resignation of Robert L. Karwacki, Vice President of the Board,

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Mayor to name School Board head next week

The next president of the School Board, said Mayor William D. Schaefer after Wednesday's Board of Estimates meeting, is not a member of the School Board.

"I think I have found the man — or woman," declar-

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NOTICE

The Advertising Dept. of the AFRO-AMERICAN WILL BE CLOSED FRIDAY-DEC. 24, 1971 CHRISTMAS EVE

TUES. ED. DEC. 21, 1971
All display (block-type) ads for the Tuesday, Dec. 21st issue should be in this office before 3 p. m. Friday, Dec. 17th . . . and all classified readers (per word) ads should be in this office before 12 noon, FRIDAY, DEC. 17th.

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14 DAYS LEFT

AFRO's Mrs. Santa gets $7,887, needs more help

"This has been the happiest week of my life. AFRO friends have been coming into the office and mailing contributions to help the needy like mad," said AFRO's Mrs. Santa, who in real life is Mrs. Marie Phillips Cooke.

Mrs. Cooke returned to her desk at the main office on Monday after suffering with a throat ailment for four months.

"Many thanks to those members at John Wesley A. M. E. Zion Church, located at Washington and Ashland Sts., where N. J. Gilchrist is pastor for adopting 17 needy families at AFRO presstime," she added.

"Also special thanks to Hochschild Kohn for donating toys for some of the children who would have had to go without this

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MORE MONEY FOR NEEDY—AFRO's Mrs. Santa, Mrs. Marie P. Cooke, accepts check for $300 from (l. to r.) Mrs. Janie Sanders, prominent beautician; Mrs. Sarah Johnson, Miss Betty Brown, prominent beautician; Mrs. Ruth Brownlee, Mrs. Hattie R. Smith, prominent beautician; Mrs. Mossie Meadows and Alexander Henry Foy.