Double funeral for crash victims today

Double funeral will be held this afternoon (Friday) at the City Temple Church, Eutaw and Dolphin Sts. for two brothers killed in a car crash on Baltimore-Washington Expressway Sunday morning.

Police records reveal Ralph Stevenson, 48, 1600 block N. Washington St. was killed instantly while Alexander Stevenson, 52, popularly known as "Doc" was pronounced dead at the South Baltimore General Hospital at 10:20 a.m. Monday.

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Fred Jones, 40, 1600 block N. Washington St., remains in critical condition at the University Hospital with broken ribs. Two other passengers Robert Stevenson, 36, and Julius Crawford, 33, nephew of the Stevensons' were treated for various cuts and bruises and released at the South Baltimore Hospital.

According to police the car in which the five were travelling overturned when it hit the side of the road, jumped about five feet high and fell upside down.

Ralph who was pronounced dead of broken neck on the scene and the three others were thrown out of the car. Alexander was trapped under the car being operated by him.

Alexander worked for the Baltimore County school system. Ralph was an employee of the Columbia Molding Company. Discharged in 1953, Ralph was a veteran of the U.S. Army. He enjoyed watching ball games, according to relatives.

Alexander is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ella Stevenson; two daughters, Mrs. Geraldine Howard and Miss Cecelia Stevenson; and one step-son, Dawson Andrews. Ralph is survived by a daughter, Miss Rosalyn Stevenson.

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Both are survived by six brothers: Thomas, Annis, Veck Elvin, Edward, and Robert Stevenson; and five sisters, Mrs. Geneva Edwards, Mrs. Minnie Barns, Mrs. Cora Washington, Mrs. Ruby Place and Mrs. Rose Pearson.

Services for Aisquith St. gun victim

Final rites for Melvin Marcel Sye, 1300 block E. Fayette St., were held Wednesday at the Morton and Dyett Funeral Home. He is buried in the Mt. Auburn Cemetery.

Sye, 18, was pronounced dead of gunshot wounds of the right upper chest shortly after 3 p.m. Sunday at the Johns Hopkins Hospital.

Detectives are looking for a suspect in the shooting which occurred in the 100 block N. Aisquith St.

Police records show Sye was found lying on his back with wounds in the right upper chest. There were about 25 persons standing by him, but, according to police, none could tell how the victim got shot.

Michelle Payton, 8, buried Wednesday

"She was going to the ice cream truck across the street from her house. The car came through the red light and hit her. He drove around her and continued to drive.

The above statement was made by Miss Sylvia Butler. She was speaking of her 8-year-old niece, Michelle Payton who died on June 16, from the results of a hit and run accident.

Born in Baltimore Michelle was a third grade student at School 18. Miss Butler told the AFRO "Her main interest was church. She was baptized in February and worried her mother and pastor about joining the choir. She was looking forward to singing on the choir at Good Shepherd Baptist Church."

Funeral services were held Wednesday at the church for the youth. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Payton; one sister, Stacey, a brother, Shawn Payton; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Butler; a grandmother, Mrs. Pearl Payton; great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Copeland and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butler.

Catonsville minister rites tomorrow

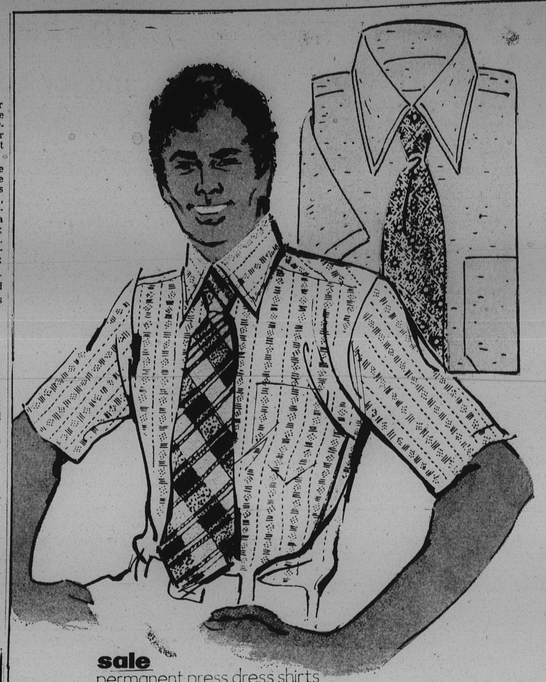
Funeral services will be held tomorrow (Saturday) for the Rev. Donald H. Allen 45 67½ Winters Lane, Catonsville, Md., pastor of Grace AME Church.

The services will be held at Rev. Allen's church with the Rev. John M. Cox officiating. Burial will follow in Arbutus Memorial Park.

Rev. Allen died Monday of a prolonged illness. He has been pastor of Grace since 1969. He formerly served at Henningway Church in Catonsville and Mt. Zoar. He was born in Catonsville and attended Ministerial Pastor School there.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Anna L. Allen; two sons, Donald H. Jr. and Claudius C. Allen; his mother, Mrs. Agnes Allen; four brothers, Thurmond, of Detroit, Lee, Charles and Rev. George Allen of Catonsville; four sisters Mesdames Agnes Carrington, Mary Lopes, Eleanora Jones, and Elvira Gosnell, and two grandchildren.

The Rev. George Allen, Rev. Donald Allen's twin brother, is pastor of Bondsville Methodist Church.



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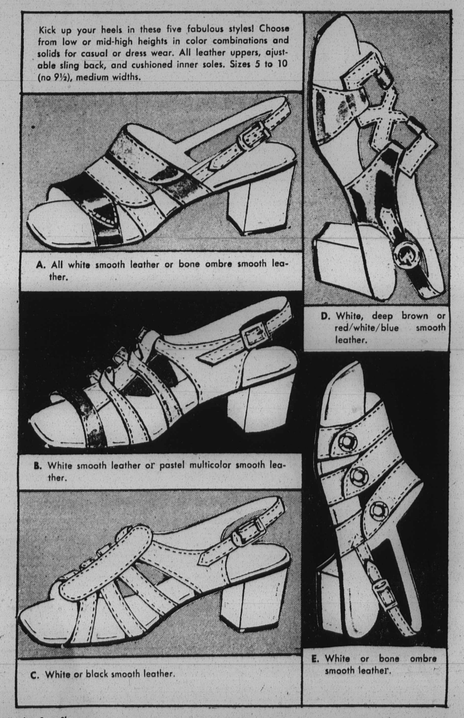

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2 Atlantans dead in news scuffle

ATLANTA (UPI)—Two men were killed and three others wounded in a gun battle between Atlanta police and a group accused of trying to force passersby to buy Black Muslim newspapers.

One of the fatalities was Patrolman Larry Barkwell. Another policeman, Sgt. Julius Derico Jr., was wounded.

Officers refused to identify the suspected Muslim who was killed, or two of the other wounded persons, who included a department store security guard.

Detectives charged Johnny Lee Chambliss, 25, one of the wounded, with murder in Barkwell's death.

Lt. B. L. Neikirk, head of the investigation, said he believed other persons would be arrested as a result of the midday shooting.

"We believe there may be some fugitives still at large and anticipate some arrests," Neikirk said. "It is very possible there may eventually be more than one person charged with the murder."

Barkwell, a four-year-veteran whose twin brother is a policeman in nearby Powder Springs, was one of four policemen asked the blacks to stop harrassing passersby on the busy street when, according to Police Chief John Inman, "it erupted into a shooting match."

According to police and several eyewitnesses, one of the vendors seized the hip pistol of one of the policemen and began firing.

About a dozen shots were fired.

One witness, Mrs. Connie Olsen, said she tried to take shelter in surrounding shops but was refused admittance by frightened store owners.

When an ambulance arrived, a crowd of people pressed into the street, protesting that the policemen were being taken away before the others.

Police arrested several persons in the angry crowd on charges of aggravated assault.

2 brothers charged in man's death

Two East Baltimore brothers are charged in the death of James Morman, 26, 1000 block Darley Ave., found stabbed in the 1700 block Holbrook Ave., Sunday night.

Police investigators state Charles Nelson, 25, and Samuel Nelson, 19, both of 1700 block Holbrook Ave. are being held in the City Jail.

Homicide detectives reveal the fight with Morman occurred after two men attacked the victim because, they charged, he beat their sister.

Morman was pronounced dead of chest wounds while undergoing surgery at the Johns Hopkins Hospital at 11:46 p.m.

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Miss Pamela Ann Beadles, 22, 2200 block N. Calvert St., reportedly told police she and the victim became involved in an argument during which she was assaulted.

Police found the victim lying face up with his left arm over his chest concealing a black pocket knife sticking in his chest.

An eye-witness told police the assailants fled in a car after they knocked the victim down unconscious.

At AFRO press time Thursday the body remained at the City Morgue.

11 judges cleared of suspicion

The 11 municipal court judges suspected of ticket-fixing are now free from all suspicion, according to a Maryland Judicial Disabilities Commission statement to the judges following the commission's exhaustive investigation of the allegation.

A formal notification was sent to each of the judges Wednesday. The commission intensified its secret investigation of the 11 after the Court of Appeals ousted two of their colleagues in a 4-3 decision on May 12.

The commission's statement to the judges read: "As a result of the evaluation of all the sworn testimony presented in its preliminary investigation of the complaint described in the commission letter to you dated February 8, 1973, the commission has unanimously decided there is no sufficient cause to warrant further proceedings.

"Accordingly the complaint has been dismissed and the commission file closed."

Mr. Parker buried at Arbutus

"He was sick a good while but never complained. Now he's out of his suffering."

Mrs. Zelma M. Parker made the above statement about her husband, Raymond S. Parker, 58 3303 Fairview Ave.

Mr. Parker died Monday in the Jewish Convalescent Home of a prolonged illness. Educated at Douglass High, he drove a truck for Food Fair Markets for over 25 years.

Funeral services were held Thursday at a Eutaw Place funeral home with the Rev. Walter Sewell officiating. Burial followed at Arbutus Memorial Park.

Mr. Parker is survived by his wife, Mrs. Zelma Parker; two sons, Raymond and Eugene Parker; a daughter, Mrs. Helen Lewis; a sister, Mrs. Margaret Sewell, wife of the Rev. Sewell and seven grandchildren.

2 Morgan students studying at UC

Allyn Matthews and Joseph I. Byrd Jr., of Morgan State College are among 18 juniors from around the country participating in a summer business orientation program jointly offered by the University of Cincinnati and Proctor and Gamble.

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Work in the 8-week program will be evenly divided between classwork and study at UC and business-industry orientation and training at the Proctor and Gamble plant.

Student expenses at UC are provided for by a special grant from the Cincinnati based firm

AAB installs new officers

The Advertising Association of Baltimore AAB has staged its 1973 Installation Dinner on Tuesday at the Suburban Club, Park Heights and Slade Avenues.

Howard Bell, president of the American Advertising Federation, headquartered in Washington, installed newly-elected officers and delivered an address to the membership and guests.

Elected on May 22 to serve the AAB for the 1973-74 term and will be installed into office during the dinner:

President, Frank Blumberg; 1st Vice President, Trudi Johnston; 2nd Vice-President, Bill Hunter, Treasurer, Eileen Keogh; Recording Secretary, Claude Rosse; Corresponding Secretary, Bea Brecher.

Vernon Spriggs last rites today

Vernon C. Spriggs, 80, 2914 Hillsdale Rd., a retired funeral establishment custodian, died Monday at Provident Hospital after suffering a heart attack.

Funeral services were held today (Friday) at a Laurens St. funeral home. Burial followed at Arbutus Memorial Park.

He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Phyllis C. Hartley, Miss Margaret A. Spriggs, and Mrs. Vivian S. Sellman, all of Baltimore; three sons, Emory D. and Vernon T. Spriggs Jr., both of Baltimore, and William G. Fletcher, of Chicago; a brother, George Spriggs of Schenectady, N.Y.; 11 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren.

Woman, 22, kills her assailant

A 22-year-old housewife who was criminally assaulted by an escaned convict shot and killed him when he allegedly threatened to kill her two-year-old son Wednesday afternoon.

Sgt. John Kearny of Homicide Squad stated Henry T. Malloy, an escapee from Jessup House of Correction, was dead on arrival at the Union Memorial Hospital at 2:10 p.m.

He was serving a 25-month sentence for robbery, larceny and violating probation. He escaped on Dec. 25, 1972.

According to police reports he told the woman in front of her Calvert St. home he was a police officer investigating crime in the area. When the woman refused him entry, the suspect forced her into her third floor bedroom and assaulted her in presence of her children.

Police said he then held one of the children by the neck and threatened to kill him if she called the police. The woman reached for a gun under the mattress and fired at the suspect, hitting him in the chest.

She then ran to a neighbor's house and called the police. Her childre were injurt. Police reveal the death is ruled justifiable homicide.

His body remains at the city morgue at AFROs' press time Thursday.

Dr. Rao biography to be listed

Dr. Bail L. Rao, professor of chemistry and chairman of the Division of Natural Sciences at Coppin State College, has been selected to have his biography for the 1973 edition of the Dictionary of International Biography, published at Cambridge, England.

Dr. Rao, native of India, has articles in leading scientific publications of England, India and the United States—is a member of the highly prestigious Royal Institute of Chemistry.

His name is listed in American Men of Science.

Before joining the Coppin faculty, Dr. Rao served as a principal research manager for Lever Brothers, Max Factor, Bristol Myers and other industries.

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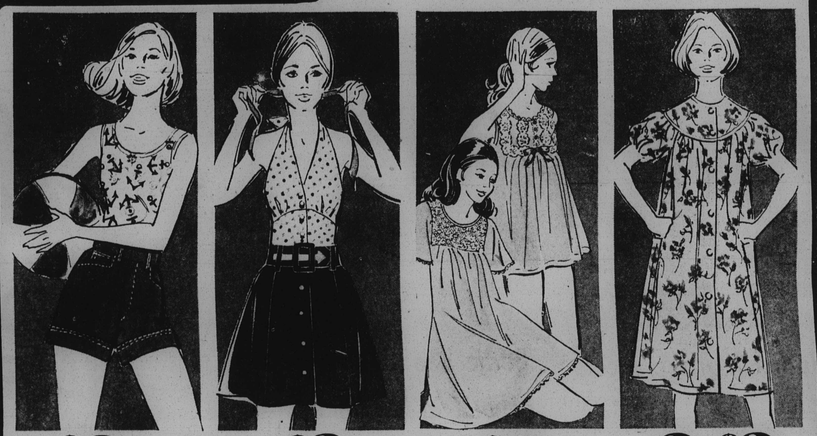

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