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# June '73 When Ladies Came From All Over To Baltimore

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MEMBERS 25 YEARS are Mrs. Martha Hester, past financial secretary, and Mrs. Carolyn Moore, both of Atlantic City, N.J., shown being interviewed by Miss Mary Curtis, AFRO reporter.

A MEMBER 30 years, Mrs. Florence Kelly, Philadelphia, Pa., remembers the good old days.

Mrs. Alexina A. Hazzard, 1st Vice Pres., Little Rock, Ark. and Lemuel Mobley, 13-month-old son of Mrs. Larnie Mobley, Brooklyn, N.Y.

Mrs. Larnie Mobley
Brooklyn, N.Y.

## Ministers' wives, across the nation

"Fellowship" is the word heard most when speaking with any one of the over 600 ladies gathered at the Lord Baltimore Hotel for the 33rd Annual Conference of the National Association of Interdenominational Ministers Wives.

The sessions opened Monday and ended today (Friday). Mrs. J. F. K. McCormick was the keynote speaker at the evening meeting June 27.

The gracious ladies in the organization hail from 34 states, including Calif., Ore., and Colo. Africa also has a branch.

Mrs. Eva Laws of Brooklyn, N.Y., historian for the wives, explained that the 33-year-old organization was begun by Mrs. Elizabeth Bouey of Richmond, Va., so that ministers' wives could "relax together and share the experiences of their common situation."

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During the annual meeting, classes are conducted. After each member completes all three courses, "Worship" "Leads for Leadership," and "The Ministers' Wife," she receiveds a certificate.

The awarding of these certificates took place yesterday (Thursday) afternoon.

The choir that provided musical entertainment throughout the convention is formed annually, at each national gathering, as a symbol of unity.

Together, the ladies also run a Ministers' Wives Convalescent Home in Richmond and award scholarships to young people.

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National Pres., Mrs. Julia F. K. McCormick, Wilmington, N.C., said she enjoys "traveling state to state, helping local, state, and regional branches of the ministers' wives organize."

The organization helps the members to "relate in a spiritual way."

She thinks that the bond formed by the club is "exclusive, but not selfish."

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The Baltimore group seemed very proud of the success of the convention. Mrs. Mary J. Henry thinks "Baltimore has done a fine job."

Mrs. Henry, is wife of the Rev. J. Waymond Henry, retired pastor of Bethel AME and serves as assistant minister under the Rev. Walter Hildebrand. The oldest of her five children, Clifton, is the vice-pres. of the National Coun-

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# 2,500 Tents Members, A Splendid Array Of Fine Ladies

HOSTESSES for the convention were members of the Baltimore chapter. Baltimore members shown here by AFRO photographer Fletcher Roberts are: from left, front row, Mesdames Hortense Hite, Louise Cotton, Hellen Johnson, Armita Riddle, Maggie Little, Annie Jackson, Esther Phillips, Fannie Buey and Evedney Gadley; back row, Grace Jackson, Nellie L. Thomas, Mary Hargrove, Mable McKenzie and Mary Tildale.

MORE TENTS attending the convention are pictured here by AFRO photographer Henry Phillips. They are: from left, Mesdames Mable Brewington, Winfred Moore and Lassie Amos, all of Portsmouth, Va.; Nettie Nealy and Able Lee McKellar, both of Lumberton, N.C., and Sarah Atkinson, of Wilson, N.C.

DELEGATES Laura Wilson and Gladys Bell

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TENT MEMBER 75 YEARS — Mrs. Pauline Johnson, 83, of Washington, D.C., has been a member of the United Order of Tents for 75 years.

## A famed organization, founded in 1848, has unbroken chain of love

By Arlene Blackwell

Over 2,500 women swarmed the downtown Holiday Inn the second day of the 98th annual United Order of Tents convention in Baltimore, June 25-28.

Only 1,000 members from the Southern District No. 1 including Md., Va., N.C., Ga. and the District of Columbia were expected to attend but 2,500 enthusiastic women showed up.

Well underway the Tents, according to Mrs. Esther Phillips, publicity chairman, looked for more members to arrive!

National leaders are Mrs. Josephine M. Reaves, Ayden, N.C.; Right Worthy Grand National president, Mrs. Charlotte D. Williams, Richmond, Va.; superintendent, Mrs. Mollie Stroud, Charlotte, N.C.; supervisor, Mrs. Beulah D. Lee, Richmond, Va.; supervisor, Mrs. Hortence Hite, deputy of Baltimore. Plus Mrs. Nancy D. Graves, convention secretary and 500 official delegates present.

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A splendid array of summer fashions was easy to see as members moved in and out of secret sessions held in the east ballroom.

When AFRO reporter asked Mrs. Hite, deputy of Baltimore the convention's purpose, she answered, "It helps humanity, and the sisters gathered here represent professions from doctors to housekeepers."

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The Order of Tents is a family organization. Sis. Hite said as she proudly revealed her five generation heritage. She said, I've been affiliated with the Tents since I was a juvenile 5 yrs old and my great grandmother, grandmother, mother and seven-yr.-old grandaughter are members."

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Rev. Mrs. Anna Johnson told AFRO, "The Tents convention like any other is held for the betterment and upbuilding of the organization."

Talking to older Tent members, the AFRO found Mrs. Pauline Johnson of Washington who at age 89 has been with the Tents 73 yrs.

She described the Tents as "a nice loving Christian organization."

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