End Case Of Teens Killed By Car On Gwynns Falls Parkway

"There is no doubt this young man was operating this vehicle in a reckless manner. The verdict is guilty. I will ask for a presentence report. He must not drive an automobile."

Criminal Court Judge Shirley Jones was speaking to Samuel W. Boyd on Wednesday in Criminal Court when she made the above statement.

Mr. Boyd, 21, 2600 block Denison St., was found guilty of manslaughter. Sentence was not imposed pending the results of a report from the probation department.

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According to Francis Sauer the prosecutor, Mr. Boyd hit two teenagers June 11, 1972 at 3:08 a.m. as they were crossing Gwynns Falls Parkway just west of Denison St.

The prosecutor told the court the defendant had been bowling from 8 p.m. to 2:30 a.m. At the time of the accident, he was wearing sun glasses and had not been drinking.

According to court records, Miss Linda Montgomery, 15, 3400 block Gwynn Falls Parkway, when hit, went 56 feet striking the rear of a parked car breaking the glass of the window and came to rest on the sidewalk.

Court records state, Melvin Mitchell, 16, Miss Montgomery's boyfriend was wearing a red and white shirt with purple pants. When the car struck him, he went 128 feet by the impact of the car.

Mr. Boyd told the court he was four or five feet away from the victims before he saw them. The defendant also testified there was nothing wrong with his car.

Judge Jones stated "there is no evidence in this case Mr. Boyd was drinking. One vehicle hit two pedestrians. This was a public street and strictly a residential area. Mr. Boyd knew there were a lot of children in the neighborhood.

"He lived near by and the speed limit was thirty miles. He was exceeding the speed limit. I indicated this is a wide street, had Mr. Boyd looked he would have seen them. One of the victims was dead on arrival to the hospital.

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"Mr. Boyd did not know he had struck these people. He backed his car from the curb took off and went away". The defendant left the scene of the accident for twenty minutes and then returned, the court was told.

Point worker convicted of auto manslaughter

FISH NAMED OSCAR — William Roberts, 16, proud owner of Oscar, peers over the aquarium edge at his unusual pet prize. Oscar is a member of the Cichlid family known as Astronotus Ocellates.

(AFRO Staff Photo by Fletcher Roberts)

Owner claims his pet fish is 'show-off'

By Fletcher Roberts

A Pisces, William Roberts, 16, explains that it is perhaps his astrological sign that has led to his intense interest in tropical fish.

Like a proud daddy gloating over a new child, master Roberts, his head hung over the aquarium edge, gleefully announced that his pet fish named Oscar is quite a show-off.

"Just like a baby, tell him something's going on and he'll put on a show for you," he exclaimed.

Oscar comes from a family of spiny-ray fish found typically in the tropical waters of Central and South America known as a Cichlid. His species designation is even more unusual: Astronotus Ocellates.

Young Mr. Roberts went on to say that he purchased his fish three years ago for 69 cents but imagined the brightly colored fish, now 11 inches long, might be worth $30 to $40.

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Usually fed a diet of Japanese beetles, bugs and crayfish, he noted, "He (the fish) eats hot dogs or any kind of meat, including a piece of baloney.

"If you feed him five or six gold fish two or three inches long," he added, "he will eat 'em up before he really looks at them."

Oscar, whose mood seems as changeable as his color, shares his aquatic home with a smaller catfish friend who according to his

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Tommy's fund grows with latest $100 gift

A $100 contribution by the VAGS is the latest and largest addition to the Tommy Jefferies Scholarship Fund.

This philanthropic group of ladies was formed 12 years ago in memory of Mrs. Vivian Garth Alleyne a kind Baltimorean who has been deceased 13 years.

Mrs. Alberta Simms, 3218 Burleith Ave., president of the club, said, "We wanted to help the youngster who is doing such a wonderful job for himself. He seems like a young person who is trying to do right. We want him to know that the older people are with him."

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Many AFRO readers are with this brilliant 7th grader who is coming so close to his dream of attending McDonogh, a private boy's school in Baltimore County.

Readers have so far given $676 toward the $3,450 Tommy needs for his first year's tuition. Miss Barbara Gaver, Tommy's friend and school social worker, reports that the young man has received almost $1,500 from other sources. Miss Gaver encouraged Tommy to try for McDonogh.

Tommy said "I am really happy to know that everyone cares about me. I am sure that once I am at McDonogh, I will be able to study hard and do well. I believe I can earn a scholarship for grades 8-12."

Miss Gaver agrees. She added, "Tommy believes in himself, because he knows that people care."

In the difficult McDonogh scholarship test, Tommy scored at 9th grade level in mathematics. He missed out because scholarship funds for 7th grade are not plentiful.

But McDonogh officials believe that financial aid for later grades will pose no problem if Tommy proves himself in the 1973-74 school year.

The Seekers of a New Direction, S.A.N.D., Inc., a group of inmates at the Maryland House of Corrections in Jessup, sent Tommy $28.50. The organization writes: "We wish that we could give more. We are deeply concerned about our young black brother and his future. We hope this donation will help him achieve his goal."

Inmates at the House of Corrections have made Tommy's cause their own. This latest contribution brings their total to $82.50.

If you wish to join others in giving to a very worthwhile cause, a young man's future, make checks or money orders payable to the Tommy Jefferies Scholarship Fund, care of the AFRO-AMERICAN, P.O. Box 1857, Baltimore, Md. 21203.

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AFRO INQUIRING REPORTER

The people don't believe Nixon

By Roman Hankewycz

Question: What do you think of Nixon and Watergate?

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Donald Fair, 21, 2400 Guilford Ave., building manager — I think they should lock him up. He should stand trial like the rest of them. If he didn't have anything to do with it he would be safe to testify.

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Rufus Holmen, 28, 500 Winston Ave., enterprise proprietor — I don't think about politics. I just stay out of it, because no matter what you say or do the politicians will still do what they're doing.

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Miss Sheila Bushrod, 24, 3700 Ferndale Ave., clerk typist — It's a disgrace. They should put both of them out of office. Both Nixon and Agnew. I don't think anything will happen to them though.

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Mrs. Ester Hayes, 36, 1700 N. Patterson Park Ave., housekeeping aide — I think it's terrible. He put himself in it. If you can't trust the President, who can you trust. After a while, you won't know who to vote for. You just won't have any confidence in anyone.

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Mrs. Mary Brown, 29, 500 Denview Way, office worker — I think they should impeach him. I don't think they will though. I really think he's involved with all of it.

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Cleo Vaughn, 25, 400 N. Duncan, printer — Throw him out. Put him in jail somewhere. He should be impeached.

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Carl Alexander, 25, 1100 Mt. Holley St., mental hygiene — I think he knows something about the cover-up. He probably didn't know about the break-in when it occured, but he does know more than he's telling. He's one of the best con artists I've ever seen, he's conning the American people.

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Bob Williams, 27, 2400 Chewood Circle, assessor — I think Nixon let things get out of hand. It's kind of hard to believe him anymore. It's really something that the President doesn't know what his own cabinet is doing.

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Miss Myra Harris, 700 Dolphin St., assistant principal — It's just a big mess, that's what it is. A big, big, big scandal. It would probably be better if he resigns. He has to be holding those tapes for something.

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Mrs. Rose Nelson, 20's, 3600 Windsor Hill Rd., produce worker — He should resign. I didn't vote for him or anyone in his administration. Not even when he was with Eisenhower. He really didn't tell the public anything last night.

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Mrs. Estel Livingston, 54, 5700 Clover Rd., self-employed — I don't feel anything about it. I think President Nixon is just a wreck. I definitely think he knew something about it. There isn't that much that can be done without his knowing. They spend all that money, over there, and the poor people have to suffer.

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Miss Peggy Sterling, 20, 1200 Cochran Ave., student — I guess I go along with the majority. I think he really knew about it. It just goes to show what the government is really like. When you are the one with power, you forget about those who put you there. Namely the voters. I think everyone who voted for him, is getting what they deserve.

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Miss Marie Fenwick, 23, 2600 Lorraine Ave., student — I believe he knows all about it. I think there has been stealing going on in the government all along. He knows more than he's telling the press.

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Miss Sherie Jeffrey, 17, 2100 Jefferson St., student — I don't know too much about it. I do think he's guilty though. I don't think he should have been elected in the first place.

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"Nixon may be taking all the meat, but he can't take all the vegetables. I raise my own," protests Mrs. Florence Dixon of 46 Moreley St. in the Edmondson Village section of the city.

Without hesitation she went on to add, "He can run meat prices way up, but I can still eat beans and fish. Thank God for that."

Mrs. Dixon, then, has devised her own means of combating the spiraling cost of feeding her family: she is both a bean farmer and a fisherwoman.

For the past three years with ever increasing success, she has grown string beans in a small garden in her back yard. Some she planted on Good Friday in April this year have grown to an almost unbelievable length of 39 inches.

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A second harvest expected sometime in early October should yield her a total of two bushels of beans for the approaching winter months and sharply rising food prices.

When asked what she would do with so many string beans, Mrs. Dixon replied, "I eat some, I give my neighbors some and I have a deep freezer, so I deep freeze some.

It takes about six (beans) that size to feed my husband and me," she added.

Also an avid fisherwoman, Mrs. Dixon while on a recent fishing excursion on the Delaware Bay caught a string of fish including a 4½-pound carp and two 3-pound trout.

Like the beans, fish not eaten right away, she said, can be stored in the deep freezer.

Perhaps a little more messy and certainly more work, Mrs. Dixon's money saving measures are nonetheless, effective.

'39 INCH STRINGBEANS' — Mrs. Florence Dixon of 46 Moreley St. in Edmondson Village says that it takes about six beans that size to feed her husband and herself. Mrs. Dixon has been growing beans in her backyard for the past three years.

Beans, fish drive down food costs

FISH FREEZE? — Mrs. Florence Dixon says the President may be raising prices on meats, but not on fish. She catches her own.

(AFRO Staff Photo by Fletcher Roberts)

Eating good at the jail

By Bill Rhoden

According to Deputy Warden McLindsey Hawkins, the Penitentiary is feeling effects of nationwide meat shortage. Strangely enough, however, a city jail official said his food supply is better than normal.

He said that the state institution, like other agencies, has had to reduce the meat content in its daily menu.

"We've had to cut back just like everyone else, so there's less meat in the menu," he stated.

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"The inmates aren't complaining, though, because they realize there is a shortage of meat throughout the nation and there's nothing we can do about it," he said.

This weekend's menu is fish Friday; spaghetti Saturday and turkey Sunday.

The picture at City Jail is a bit more rosier, according to Louis A. List, chief dietician.

The food supply is better than normal and meat supply good.

The weekend meat menu includes beef pot pie, Friday's dinner; submarine sandwiches (with two slices of lunch meat) for Saturday's lunch and pepper steak for dinner.

Sunday's cuisine will include sliced bacon for breakfast, fish sticks for lunch and two slices of baked ham for dinner.

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According to Mr. List, each inmate in the jail is served between four and six ounces of meat on a daily basis and he claims there will be no deviation in those figures.

"No sir, I will not deviate from that picture," he emphatically stated, adding that, "he has enough beef in reserve to last until Oct. 1, and by that time, the freeze will be over.

"I'll see that these men are fed and fed well, that's my job!"

BATTLE GOES ON—For more than a year, the city of Annapolis and Anne Arundel county have remained deadlocked in a controversy over who shall prevail in the matter of Mt. Moriah Church. The county wants it torn down in favor of a municipal parking lot. The city, however, favors preserving the 99-year-old structure. The latest round of court-room dramatics has seen the city post a 10-day injunction to halt demolition of the church. Two weeks earlier, the Annapolis Historic District Commission had refused to grant the county a demolition permit, but was overruled when attorney for the city pointed that the commission had been too long in deliberations.

AFL-CIO meeting Aug. 20-24

The Maryland State and District of Columbia AFL-CIO will hold their 9th annual convention August 20 thru August 24 at the Lord Baltimore Hotel.

Over 1300 delegates representing all unions affiliated with the state council from Maryland and D.C. are expected to discuss labor problems and elect a president and 20 area vice-presidents.

Andrew M. Lewis, secretary and treasurer of this district's AFL-CIO is considered prime contender for the presidential seat being vacated by the current president Charles A. Della.

Nominations for the top slot will be held Tuesday with the election being held Wednesday.

The conference is a two-year affair designed to afford union members an opportunity to exchange ideas.

Gospel program Sunday at Ebenezer Baptist

Michael Burton will be honored on Sunday, 7 p.m. at a gospel program sponsored by Ebenezer Baptist Church, 23rd and Guilford Ave.

Among church choirs participating will be Providence Baptist, Mount Pleasant Baptist, Israel Baptist Union Temple Baptist, Saint Frances and St. Paul Catholic Church.

If your choir is interested in participating, contact Mr. Burton at Ebenezer.

A GOOD CITIZEN is registered and prepared to VOTE. Do so TODAY at Supervisors of Elections, People's Court Building, Fayette and Gay Sts. Next Election is Sept. 1974. Register from 8:30 to 4:30 p.m.

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MR. AND MRS. KEMPER LEWIS JR.
(former Miss Evelyn M. Strother)

Strother-Lewis Honeymoon Touring Underground Atlanta

Pretty Miss Evelyn M. Strother, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hayward L. Strother of Presstman St. in Baltimore recently became the wife of Kemper Lewis Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph White.

The Metropolitan United Methodist Church became the beautiful floral setting for the double ring nuptials where the bride was given away in marriage by her father.

The Rev. N. B. Carrington along with the Rev. M. Arthur Camper officiated. Musical selections were rendered during the ceremony by Mesdames, Genevieve Wisner, Ophelia Wilson, Miss Mary Alice Henderson and Elijah Skinner.

What She Wore

The bride was radiant in a white satin gown with peau de soie mutton leg sleeves, trimmed with a floral chantilly lace cuff. The gown had a fluted neckline with a double chantilly lace front and satin bow at the waistline. A long chapel train was attached.

Wedding Party

Matrons of honor, Mrs. Rochelle Skinner and Mrs. Nancy Ware served along with Misses Elva Strother, bride's sister and Martha Payne as maid's of honor. They were lovely in sheer "French Voil" floral print dresses, with white high roll collar necklines, forming a "V" shape in the back and ending in a big, fancy bow with streamers. The rainbow colors of the dresses in green and white, golden-yellow and white, and coral-pink and white were a vision of pure springtime.

Bridesmaids kept up with the Springtime effect when they appeared in "French Voil" floral print dresses identical to the matrons and maids of honor. Their dresses were of yellow and white and coral-pink and white. Attendants were Misses Mary Hammett, Carolyn Lewis, sister of groom, Ellen L. Strother, sister of the bride and Mesdames, Janet Gibson and Lorraine Blake.

Junior bridesmaids, Misses Eldora Atkinson, Rebecca Downing, Michelle Watson and Charlene Marsh wore organdy gowns in solid pink and green colors. Their eyecatching floor-length gowns were gathered at front bodice and had capped sleeves.

Flower girls were cute as could be in short white dresses and matching accessories. Flower girls included Wanda Slade, Vanessa Padgett, Annie Tyson and Dorene Blake.

Best man was Charles Strother, brother of the bride. Ushers in attendance were, Alex Williams, brother-in-law of the groom, Philadelphia, Pa.; Attorney Charles C. Lee, Alexander Maye, James Faulks, Robert Russell, Wade Thompson, Elliott Williams, Elijah Skinner, Paul White, brother of the groom.

Ringbearer was Master Andre White, brother of the groom.

Their Reception

The newlyweds were feted by over 400 guests at a reception in their honor held in the church hall of the church which was gayly decorated with ribbons and bows.

Hostesses for the affair were Misses Evelyn Dixon, Elva Tilman, Gloria Green, Sandra Marshall, Felicia Cobb, Marcia Gallman, Ida James, Linda Brown, JoAnn Martin, Brenda Howell and Carolyn Jackson.

Out-of-town guests present included those from California, Philadephia, Pa.; New York; Washington, D.C.; Columbia, Md.; Virginia; North Carolina; South Carolina; Kentucky, New Jersey; Delaware and Georgia.

Their Honeymoon

Off to Atlanta, Ga. the newlyweds went for eight luxurious days of sightseeing in the city which included the Underground Atlanta, the historic city beneath the streets.

The couple's trip included gadabouting on the town to some of its most famous night spots, shopping, and a two day personal sightseeing tour to Disney World.

Let the AFRO'S Women's Editor Know what your organization is doing Call 728-2200 Ext. 65

Social Calendar

August 18: Wedding of Miss Patricia Peoples, St. Phillips Lutheran Church, 501 N. Caroline St., 12:30 p.m.

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Wedding of Miss Janice Miles, Timothy Baptist Church, 1212 W. Saratoga St., 1 p.m.

Soul Day Festival, Hopkins and Charles Plazas, 10 a.m.-10 p.m.

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Wedding of Miss Christine Mussenden, Second Presbyterian Church, St. Paul and Stratford Ave., 1:30 p.m.

They're Getting Married

MISS CYNTHIA M. GREEN
(engagement told)

Miss Green

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Green of McCabe Ave. in Baltimore announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Cynthia Marie to Lawrence Alexander Tapp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tapp of Glenwood Ave.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Northern High School and is a student at the Community College of Baltimore.

Her fiance, a graduate of Mergenthaler Vocational-Technical High School is also attending the Community College of Baltimore.

A September wedding has been planned by the couple.

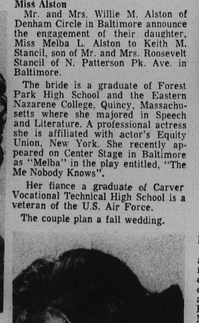
Miss Alston

Mr. and Mrs. Willie M. Alston of Denham Circle in Baltimore announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Melba L. Alston to Keith M. Stancil, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt Stancil of N. Patterson Pk. Ave. in Baltimore.

The bride is a graduate of Forest Park High School and the Eastern Nazarene College, Quincy, Massachusetts where she majored in Speech and Literature. A professional actress she is affiliated with actor's Equity Union, New York. She recently appeared on Center Stage in Baltimore as "Melba" in the play entitled, "The Me Nobody Knows".

Her fiance a graduate of Carver Vocational Technical High School is a veteran of the U.S. Air Force.

The couple plan a fall wedding.



MISS MELBA L. ALSTON
engagement told

MISS VALERIE E. FARR
(engagement told)

Miss Farr

Mrs. Louise Rice Farr of Baltimore and Willie B. Farr of York, Pa. announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Valerie Elaine to Michael Gary Brooks, son of Mrs. Kathalene Sylvia Bowen of Baltimore and Herman George Brooks of Columbia, Md.

Miss Farr is a graduate of Frederick Douglass High School and is presently a sophomore at Coppin State College.

Her fiance is a graduate of Carver Vocational High School and is employed by a well-known bread firm.

The couple have planned an October wedding.

Miss Glover Mr. Watson wed

Miss Katherine Marie Glover, daughter of Mrs. Bazzelle Bulls became the lovely wife of Starlin Thomas Watson, son of Mrs. Effie Paggette recently at New Metropolitan Baptist Church where the Rev. L. Swinson officiated.

Maid of honor was Miss Phyllis Handy along with bridesmaids, Misses Barbara Higgins and Gloria McBride.

Bestman was Willie McMorris. Ushers in attendance were Jerome Hart and John Hendrix.

The newlyweds have made their new home on Gorsuch Ave. in Baltimore.

MRS. STARLIN WATSON
(former Miss Katherine Glover)

Illustrious Women

"If I can help somebody" is the motto of John Wesley United Methodist Church's, Mother of the Year, Mrs. Flossie Stevenson of Edmondson Ave. in Baltimore.

A member of the church for over 50 years, Mrs. Stevenson was named Mother of the Year recently by the church's Adult Fellowship which made their choice this year from over 1,000 eligible members.

Recalling the experience Mrs. Stevenson stated, "I was sitting in church watching the aisles waiting for the new Mother of the Year to be named and walk down the aisle. When they called my name I was so shocked. I had a friend walk me to the front of the church."

An active member of the church Mrs. Stevenson is chaplain of the Nurses Unit, chairman of the Golden Cross Society member of the Steward Board, Gospel Choir member, Senior Choir member, member of the Flower Guild and a member of the Adult Bible Class.

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"I'm one of those people you can call day and night, she stated modestly, "you know the type?

"I'm a great visitor of the sick and a lover of children."

At the age of 68, Mrs. Stevenson also stays busy as a cosmetic representative for Avon Products. A native of Baltimore she is a retired nurse who has chosen reading and crocheting as her hobbies.

The widow of William H. Stevenson, Mrs. Stevenson is the mother of the late Mrs. Olivia Thompson.

She has a foster son, Jacob Shorter Sr., 56, and a foster grandson, Jacob Shorter Jr., 16.

According to Mrs. Stevenson, "I'm still elated and surprised and deem it an honor to be Mother of the year."

MRS. FLOSSIE STEVENSON
"I'm a great visitor of the sick and a lover of children"

R.S.V.P. with Marie

Fifty Years Of Love Celebrated By Smiths

By MICHELE LYNN McCRAE
(Substituting for Marie P. Cooke who is vacationing)

One of the loveliest affairs our town has seen was the 50th wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. (Mary) Smith at the Faith Baptist Church Educational Center in East Baltimore.

The gala affair given in the couple's honor by their eleven children, twenty grandchildren and one great-grandchild was full of activity, good food and relaxation.

The Smiths were honored with a program with Mrs. Elsie Smith officiating as mistress of ceremonies. The "Occasion" was expressed by Mrs. Rosalie Smith, followed by a musical selection "We've Only Just Begun" rendered by six granddaughters, Patricia Ann, Sharon, Yolande, LaVerne, Brenda Joyce and Denita.

A segment of remembrance was presented by Mrs. Goldie Davis. A beautiful ballet dance by four granddaughters, Deidre, Shari, Brenda and LaVerne was a highlight of the affair.

More Tributes

Among tributes paid were those by Alexander Pittman, Masons: Sanford Maddox, Trustee Board of Waters AME Church; Eugene Grover, class leader of Waters Church; Mrs. Ida Croxton, Eastern Star; Mrs. Martha Thomas, Stewardess Board of Waters Church; Mrs. Emma Poulson, Mother's Club; Mrs. Florence Kidd, Women Power and the Reverend Melvin Chester Swann, minister of Waters AME Church, of which Mr. and Mrs. Smith are longtime members.

MORE TRIBUTES

An original poem was recited by Mrs. Viola Hill; presentation of gifts was by Mrs. Irene Canady; a solo of the Lord's Prayer by Charles Jones; a piano selection was rendered by Gary Myers.

An elegant catered dinner was served along with the four tier cake that was presented to the couple.

Northwest Civic League

Members of the Northwest Civic League, Inc., are planning a fun filled day at Footlight Ranch in Wellsville, Pa. on Saturday, September 29th. The group plans to have dinner at a well-known restaurant and attend a play entitled, "The Last of the Red Hot Lovers."

Ms. Marion Jones is president. Committee members are Mesdames, Margaret Cassaway, chairman, Elizabeth Demby, co-chairman, Edna Smith, Naomi Camper, Josephine Maxwell, Shirley Smith, Margaret Wilson, Margaret Peay, Lillian Graves, Sarah Boykins, Sarah Royne, treasurer.

Chi Eta Phi

Ladies of the Chi Eta Phi Sorority Gamma Chapter are busy making final plans for their Flea Market at Belair Market on Saturday, August 18. The sale which will be held from 9 a.m. will continue till late afternoon. Assuring readers that something will be there for everyone, members are anxious for your participation.

Engagement Party

Mr. and Mrs. Barry (Joyce) Simms hosted a delightful engagement party last Saturday at their beautiful Seabrook Rd. home in honor of Miss Selena Foster and Charles Redd who announced their engagement recently.

The relaxing atmosphere and cuisine seafood was enjoyed by many including, Ed and Jackie Struther, Sam and Janice Nicholas, Malcolm and Jerrelle Francois, John and Geneva Sparks, Robert and Marian Finney.

In Japan

Enjoying a vacation filled with sightseeing, shopping, dancing and dining are Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Greene of Holmes Ave. in Baltimore. The couple will be spending five luxurious days in Tokyo, Japan, five days in Honolulu, Hawaii and three days in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Birthday Celebration

Happy days were here again for Ms. Beatrice Bennett and Audrey V. Carr, sisters when the Oswego Ave. home of Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett was opened to them for birthday celebrations hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Shearin.

Those attending were Mesdames, Lozette A. Nelson, Phyllis Polston, Denise Mason, Deborah Bennett, Audrey Carr, Yvette Carr, Renee Carr, Sylvia Shearin, Gwendolyn Shearin, Alicison Shearin, Eloise E. Johnson, Roslyn R. Taylor, Adrienne F. Taylor, Evelyn Tilghman.

Also, Charles Tilghman, Philip Mark Jr., Melvin Allen, Michael Bennett, James Bennett, Nathaniel Bennett Jr., Michael Bennett Jr., Ervin Carr, James Bennett Sr., Wiley Shearin Jr., Lovette Johnson, Melvin Allen Jr. and Joe McDuffie, Washington, D.C.

for and about Women

Lashley Anniversary

Greeting over 150 guests last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lashley (Cindy) who celebrated their 30th wedding anniversary at the Elegante Room.

For her special occasion Mrs. Lashley was dressed in a floor-length gown in a delicate shade of pink which featured chiffon sleeves accented with lace at the neckline and cuff.

Right in step was Mr. Lashley attired in an equally handsome copper and gold pinstriped suit with dark brown shirt, white tie and boutonniere.

Their Guests

Out-of-town guests attending were Mr. George Franklin and Cynthia Franklin from Pittsburgh, Pa., Mr. James Woodson Jr. and Amani Woodson from Los Angeles, Calif.; Mrs. Romaine Smith and Garrick Smith from New York City.

Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Canady, Robert Smith, Earl Jones, Alfred Smith, Wilbert Smith, Donald Hill, the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith Jr., Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson, Wilbert Jones, Lawrence Dorsey, A. D. Pittman, John Thomas, Charles Ridgely, Eugene Glover, Douglas Forde; Henry Mello, David Pipkin Sr., Robert Nelson, Chappell Huggins, Willie Tyler, Henry Kennard, Ashland Croxton, Benjamin Davis.

Mrs. Sarah Tiller, Marie Stanley, Florence Kidd, Regina Distance, Emma Poulsen, Mary Gray, Martha Thomas, Pernell Goss, Betty Osborne, Aretta Giles, Bertha Smith, Delores Jones, Bessie Forrest, Dolly Fields, Maxine Brown, Elizabeth Jackson, Vonzella Livingston, Gladys Hughes and Lillian Gooden.

More Guests

Misses Phyllis Smith, Alice Smith, Brenda Tiller, Patricia Smith, Denita Jones, Sharon Smith, Deidre Hill, Yolande Smith, Deborah Hill, LaVerne Smith, Lynn Johnson, Cynthia Franklin, Trina Mello, Kim Kidd, Darlene Moseley, Stephanie Carlies, Lynn Tyler, Mary Rogers, and Donna Williamson.

Robert Smith Jr., Roland Smith, Reginald Smith, Rodney Smith, Earl Jones Jr., Raymond Smith, Eric Jones, Charles Smith III, Wilbert Smith Jr., Warren Smith, Tony Johnson, Vincent Johnson, Kelvin Johnson, Ralph Johnson Jr., and David Pipkin Jr.

Mr. Sanford Maddox, John F. Jones, James Lang, George Franklin, Thomas Phillips, George Weems, Ralph Johnson, William Smith, James Woodson Jr., and the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Chester Swann.

Bon Voyage

Mac and Mae Chamberlin asked friends to join them for brunch on

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MR. AND MRS.
CHARLES R. SMITH, SR.