Former AFROites get cash fringe benefits

Among former AFRO-AMERICAN Newspaper employees receiving Profit Sharing Trust cash payments last week were John Washington, makeup foreman who retired in July, and I. Henry Phillips Sr., who was an AFRO photographer until last July.

Mr. Washington received $1,009.15 and Mr. Phillips, $2,017.55.

Other former employees getting Profit Sharing Trust checks were, Wayne Weaver, $32.48; Tony Dawson, $3.03, and Curtis McDaniel, $3.47.

The payments to these former employees represent the balance left in their accounts as they had exercised their option to withdraw 20 percent of the amounts the AFRO paid in their names during the years they were employed.

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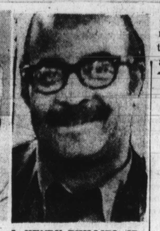
The AFRO-AMERICAN Co. Profit Sharing Trust is an employee benefit fully paid by the company.

The plan is designed to provide employees with a retirement benefit in addition to the Pension insurance plan which is also fully funded by the AFRO with no contribution made by the employee.

These Profit Sharing checks are in addition to the pension benefits already received by Mr. Washington and Mr. Phillips. Mr. Washington collected $12,419.76 and Mr. Phillips who had not yet reached retirement age, elected to convert to a paid up life insurance policy in the amount of $2,665 and cash payment of $619.

JOHN WASHINGTON



I. HENRY PHILLIPS, SR.

Perkins Square's oldest member dies at 97

Services were held at Perkins Square Baptist Church, Edmondson and Warwick Aves. Wednesday, 8 p.m., Jan. 23, for the churches oldest member, Spencer Louis Thornton, 734 Dolphin St. He died in his home, Sunday, Jan. 20 at the age of 97.

Mr. Thornton was born May 18, 1877 the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thornton of Enfield, N.C.

He came to Baltimore at an early age and was one of the founders of Perkins Square Baptist Church, then located at George and Ogston Sts. He was a member 60 years.

Mr. Thornton was chairman of the Board of Trustees from 1944 to 1953 and was made Trustee Emeritus in 1970. At one time, he had a perfect church attendance record of 30 years in a row. He also taught in the church school several years.

Mr. Thornton was a lifetime 32nd degree Mason, St. John's Lodge No. 5, and member of the Manns Memorial Circle.

He is survived by his god-daughter, Mrs. E. Poncella McCall Mayfield; devoted friends, Mrs. Inez Lucas, Mrs. Erma L. Williams, the Mack C. Jones family and the officers and members of Perkins Square Baptist Church.

The Glover Funeral Chapel directed the arrangements and the Revs. Richard H. Ogle, Pastor, and Ward D. Yerby The Revs. Richard H. Ogle, Pastor, and Ward D. Yerby officiated.

Mr. Thornton is buried in Mt. Auburn Cemetery. Pastor Emeritus officiated at the ceremony.

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SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

Parents support Patterson

By Bill Rhoden

If the most recent upsurge of support for School Superintendent Dr. Roland N. Patterson were likened to a novel, one would be forced to admit that its most impressive chapter was written Thursday evening by the authors: concerned parents.

In addressing the Board of School Commissioners, Mrs. Evelyn Orr, a member of the Northwest Outer Urban Coalition, told Dr. Patterson that as he nears the point of proving himself to teachers and administrators his detractors have sought to "get you booted out before folks are made aware of what you are really about!

"You have been the victim of your own efficiency, your own cleverness, your own ability to out-fox the masters of deception," she noted, adding: "You have done your job much, much too well. How dare you?"

Her sentiments were echoed by Mrs. Joan Parker, chairwoman of NOUC who commended the superintendent for "successfully designing and implementing a plan of action that will enrich the lives of all children in Baltimore public schools."

In addition to parent support, the superintendent received a vote of confidence from William Murray, Region V superintendent who stated that most of the principals and teachers in his area feel that reorganization has accomplished 75 per cent of its original goals. Mr. Murray added that the remaining 25 percent should come with time.

Health council seeks voice in receivership

The Community Health Council of Maryland filed a petition in Circuit Court Wednesday asking that it be allowed to intervene in the receivership of Provident Hospital.

The petitioners claim they have "standing to intervene" not only because of the language of the Court Appointing Receiver and Injunction but due to the "inherent nature and purposes" of this unique type of receivership.

The petioners are represented by attorneys Larry S. Bigson and Charles C. Lee.

They claim that through the petitioners the court will receive input from the general community affected by and interested in the continued operation and viability of Provident Hospital.

The Community Health Council of Maryland, Inc. is an non-profit corporation organized for the purpose of improving medical and health care in Maryland, and particularly in Baltimore.

YMCA director innocent of felony charge

Louis Bryant, 28, director of the central YMCA special youth training program, was declared innocent in the second of two charges arising out of burglaries involving three youths in his program.

A city court last week found the director not guilty of being accessory after the fact in the burglaries committed in early December. Court dockets show the charge was dismissed because it has not been proven that a burglary had taken place.

Mr. Bryant, 600 block North Paca St., who was suspended soon after he was charged with being accessory after the fact, was freed Tuesday after he was found innocent of concealing a felony.

Teenager granted a divorce

Mrs. Benita Jones, 19, W. Fayette St. was granted a divorce from her husband, Joseph Jones. The decree was signed Jan. 21 Judge James Murphy.

Mrs. Jones told the court she has a good home for their child and he is well cared for. Mrs. Jones said she was good, kind and affectionate wife.

The couple was married Sept. 13, 1969 and separated Aug. 10, 1970. According to records filed in Circuit Court, Mrs. Jones said, "My husband left. There was a fight and he put me out of the house. I went to my brother's home and he told me to call the police.

"I went back to the house and he would not open the door. The police and my brother had to force the door in. He wanted to fight me again. He left and took some of his clothes."

Mitchell scores 100

According to an official of the Americans for Democratic Action Party that group has rated Congressman Parren J. Mitchell (D-Md.) as one of the few U.S. congressmen (Democdat) who has a 100 per cent voting record in Congress during the past year.

The official said that Congressman Mitchell voted on the "right side" i.e., the side taken by ADA, for 23 bills in gaining his 100 per cent record.

Congressman Mitchell is a member of the national board of the ADA as well as a member of its Baltimode chapter.

Mrs. A. Ruffin is looking for her family

Mrs. Annie Ruffin, RFD 2 Box 394, Earleigh Heights, Md. in Anne Arundel County off Ritchie Highway recently had a stroke and has sent an urgent plea to the AFRO to help locate her relatives in Baltimore.

Mrs. Ruffin is not able to give their address but she thinks they live in North West. Her relatives, names are Albert and Edward Lee Fisher. If you know the Fishers call, Mrs. Martha Jeter, 255-4098.

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