Blacks more threatened by cancer, says report

The National Cancer Institute (NCI) has released a report citing differences in survival rates from cancer between white and black patients.

The study included 219,483 white and 21,088 black patients whose cancers were diagnosed between 1955 and 1964 in selected hospitals in the United States.

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NCI scientists found that cancers of the digestive tract, reproductive organs, and bladder were diagnosed at a localized stage more often in the white patients than in the black patients.

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Black-white differences with respect to extent of disease at diagnosis were less apparent for cancers of the pancreas, lung, kidney and brain, which are more difficult to detect at an early stage.

Cancers diagnosed when localized to the site of origin often are treated more successfully than are more advanced cancers.

"Treatment and Survival Patterns for Black and White Cancer Patients Diagnosed 1955 through 1964" cites generally lower survival rates among black patients as compared to white patients in the study.

The editors of the report, Mrs. Lillian M. Axtell, M.S., Max H. Myers, Ph.D., and Mrs. Evelyn M. Shambaugh, B.A., of NCI's End Results Section, indicated that the 100 hospitals in the study represented a selection of cancer treatment facilities from general hospitals to university-based urban hospitals.

Included in the study were all hospitals in Connecticut; hospitals which treat approximately one-third of cancer cases diagnosed in California; a group of hospitals in the Boston metropolitan area, and six large university hospitals in various parts of the U.S.

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Results of the study suggest that whites use modern screening and diagnostic techniques more frequently than blacks.

This pattern may be due in part to socioeconomic, cultural, and perhaps other as-yet-unidentified factors, the scientists explained.

Survival rates generally were lower among the black patients even when their disease was diagnosed at a localized stage.

This difference was greatest among patients with bladder cancer and among females with cancer of the body of the uterus. However, for cancers of the kidney, survival was more favorable among black patients than white patients.

Single copies of the report are available free of charge from the Office of Cancer Communications, National Cancer Institute, Bethesda, Maryland 20014.

Multiple copies can be ordered from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. 20402, for $.75 each.

The National Cancer Institute, Bethesda, Maryland is a bureau of the National Institutes of Health, one of six agencies of the U.S. Public Health Service.

ARENA PLAYERS $321,100 RICHER — Tuesday, Aug. 27, The Arena Players of Baltimore was awarded a check for $321,100 from the city with Housing Commissioner Robert C. Embry doing the honors, while Sam Wilson, president of Arena Players received for the Orchard St. theatrical organization. Also shown are from left S. Leroy Taylor, treasurer of the Arena Players, Irving rad, chairman of the Board. The donation will be Turner, Managing Director and Mrs. Camilla Sherused for phase II of the Arena Theater renovation program. AFRO staff photo by Roman Hankewycz

Defense Fund raising $$$ for Dr. Patterson's suit

"The object of the Citizens Legal Defense Fund is to provide legal assistance for the defense of minority people. Its first goal is to obtain sufficent funds to defray the legal expenses in the case of Dr. Roland N. Patterson vs. the Baltimore City Board of School Commissioners."

This is the announcement made this week by the group which identified itself as the Citizens Legal Defense Fund, sponsored by a group of citizens who are "concerned with the welfare of our city."

The first goal the group says is to obtain sufficient funds to defray legal costs in Dr. Patterson's case against the School Board.

This goal extends through Oct. 31.

So far, it has been established that the cost of the litigation will be approximately $28,000.

The fund announced that the Board of Directors will administer the funds received in the following manner:

The treasurer will be responsible for making all deposits.

The treasurer will submit in writing to the secretary the names and amounts of all contributions.

The Internal Auditor will be responsible for seeing that all monies are receipted within seven days.

There is to be a weekly reporting to the president of total receipts.

The officers of the fund are: President, the Rev. William E. Johnson; Vice President, Mrs. Helen L. Smith; Secretary, Mrs. Grace A. Hines; Treasurer, Mrs. Joan N. Parker; and Internal Auditor, the Rev. John R. Bryant.

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Other members of the Board of Directors are: James M. Griffin, Dr. Andrew Perrin, Dr. Oakley Saunders and the Rev. Alfred C. D. Vaughn.

The Patterson case is due to go to court sometime in November. The School Board has filed a recent motion to dismiss the civil rights suit and deny it jurisdiction in Federal Court.

However, Judge Joseph H. Young is out of town until the end of September.

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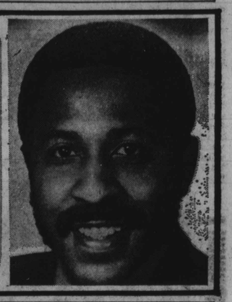

—Haile Selassie

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pounds and he stood but five feet four inches tall. But his stature among world leaders over his five decades of rule was much greater. His figure was seen at state functions worldwide, the black-browed, weather-beaten face above a chest of medals on his khaki tunic.

Perhaps the most memorable of those appearances was at the defunct League of Nations in Geneva in the 1930s when he appealed unsuccessfully for the help of the free world in ending the Italian aggression in Ethiopia.

Another was at the funeral of President John F. Kennedy where he followed the funeral procession, dwarfed by the towerin figure of Gen. Charles de-Gaulle and other world leaders.

The Ethiopian people reacted calmly to news of the passing of the man once known as the Conquering Lion of Judah.

Some old people wept but young people seemed indifferent.

"He is an old man and old men eventually die," one young man said in a street corner interview. Asked if that was his only reaction to the death of a man who ruled the country for so many years, he replied, "but he is not emperor nod and is only a shimagalie (old man)."

His removal from power proved an anti-climax to a seven-month creeping coup that saw Ethiopias' armed forces chip away at the emperor's authority, arrest his friends and family, turn him into a figure-head and finally accuse him of massive corruption.

It began in February, 1974 at an isolated army post in the southern part of the country when a small group of soldiers mutinied over pay and living conditions.

The revolt caught the public's imagination. Other troops, students and workers combined to press the mutineers, cause. For Selassie, it was a fatal combination.

Saying they were out to rid Ethiopia of widespread corruption, the military overthrew the government and retained effective control of the leadership through a series of prime ministers.

Nearly 200 public figures were arrested and most were charged with diverting funds belonging to the people into their own pocket.

Then it came the turn of the aging and isolated emperor — the— man who had defied Mussolini's armies, spent five years in exile, returned in triumph in 1941 and lived ever since as a virtual god to his 28 million subjects.

First his friends and advisers were picked up — his personal secretary, the head of the imperial bodyguard. His crown council was dissolved. His palaces were nationalized and businesses owned wholly or in part by his family turned over to the state.

Ras Tafari Haile Selassie was born July 23, 1892, of a line traced back to King Solomon and the Queen of Sheba. His father was a provincial governor and his mother a noblewoman.

In July, 1911, Selassie married Weizoro Menen, grandaughter of Negus (King) Mikael. They had seven children of whom only one son and one daughter are living. His wife died in 1962 at the age of 71.

Selassie became regent in 1916 and ascended the throne when Empress Zeoditu died in 1930. Within a year he gave Ethiopia a new Democratic constitution.

When Italy invaded his country in 1936, the bearded leader appealed for help from the League of Nations at Geneva. He received only sympathy and exiled himself to England to carry on the struggle of his people. In 1941, he re-entered Addis Ababa triumphant after the allied forces routed the fascist armies of Mussolini.

In 1960, he put down a revolt by his palace guard, staged while Selassie was visiting Brazil. His son, Crown Prince Wossan, was implicated. His father forgave him, but never forgot the prince's action, skilled jobs.

Pay received by women and minorities also increased during the same period, according to the re- Ababa became a kind of African meeting place for resolving political disputes and sounding out experts.

Even in his advanced age, Selassie worked eight-hour days and spent an average of three months a year touring the provinces.

He bought jets for Ethiopia's national airline and made it one of Africa's best. Leaning towards Western culture, he installed a cinema in his palace and drove a Rolls Royce.

His patience and perseverance brought an end to slavery, established a central government (if merely advisory), carved out a spot for his country among the world's nations and created Ethiopia out of Abyssinia.

Despite his efforts, Ethiopia remained a backward nation. Selassie struggled to bring about economic and political reform, but the first general election on the basis of universal adult suffrage was held only in 1957. Many of the country's estimated 24.7 million population — there has never been a census — remained illiterate.

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Julian cites his record in re-election campaign

Citing his record of City Council accomplishments, Dr. Emerson R. Julian, Fourth District, vowed to continue as an independent officeholder although such a role "is not at all easy."

The two-term councilman, who last time out led the district's campaigners in getting votes, said being an independent does not mean one is unwilling to unite with others to support issues that would promote the common good.

Julian says his aim is to view "all issues honestly with frankness and sincerity" in order to act in the best interest of the people.

Councilman Julian, running on a ticket this year which includes Councilwoman Victorina Adams and West Ivey, lists among his City Council accomplishments:

1. Passage of a resolution providing for preference to city residents in municipal hiring ("it was my thinking that if Baltimore City were a good enough place in which to work, then it was a good enough place in which to live and to pay taxes and to help foot the bills just like the rest of us").

2. A charter change which says new appointments of heads of boards and commissions must be city residents.

3. A charter change that requires heads of departments and bureaus must be city residents.

4. A charter change that limits the time a mayor can keep his top appointees dangling in office without reappointment.

5. Spearheaded study to determine why Baltimore led nation in tuberculosis cases and directed in 1970 the city's "most successful" TB X-ray drive.

6. Revamped medical procedures and screening examinations for prisoners at City Jail after an investigation there, an activity that led to the appointment of the first black jail physician.

7. A law that limits expenditures of tax monies "on art ornamentation of highly questionable value on newly constructed public buildings."

8. A school trespass law which requires registration and identification of visitors to public schools in an effort to give children an teachers added protection.

9. A law in the consumer protection area that requires labeling of all meat, fish and poultry which have been frozen and later thawed and offered for sale as fresh food.

10. A law which allows the city to control cutting of noxious weeds.

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11. Co-sponsored the unvented gas fired space heater law.

12. A law requiring landlords to post the name of responsible persons to contact in event of emergencies affecting services in apartments.

Dr. Julian says this partial list of accomplishments gives him a record he is proud to present to the voters in asking support for reelection.

DR. EMERSON R. JULIAN

Man charged with killing teen while sitting in car

A 24-year-old man has been charged with killing Linnard Lamont Jackson, 16, while sitting in a parked car.

Police report Carl E. Richardson of the 3800 block Garrison Blvd. stated he had found a gun behind the bushes in the 3800 block Garrison Ave. and was showing it to his friend.

Mr. Richardson stated he had the gun pointed in the direction of the victim and allegedly pulled the trigger accidentally.

Police reveal the bullet hit Jackson of the 5000 block Cordelia Ave., in the chest.

Police quote Jackson as shouting, "I am shot." Rito A. Cox, 16, was standing outside of the parked car at the time of the shooting.

Cox jumped in the car and Mr. Richardson drove the victim to Sinai Hospital, police state.

Police report Mr. Richardson said he kept the gun in the house until he went out at night because some boys had tried to rob him the previous day.

Richardson was driving a 1969 Buick owned by Leroy Kelly. Mr. Kelly stated he gave Mr. Richardson his car keys to go to the store. However, he does not know if anyone was with Mr. Richardson when he left his house.

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AUTUMN BUS SCHEDULES IN EFFECT AUG. 31

Read on... and get your changes ready.

With school about to re-open . . . vacations ending . . . and folks getting back to the old grindstone . . . it's time for MTA's autumn changes to take effect.

Look the changes over. See which (if any) apply to you and your family. If they do, have your changes ready for Aug. 31, so you can use and enjoy MTA bus service to the fullest.

Only major changes are shown here. Specific times aren't given in every case, so we suggest you check the individual time tables.

The following individual time tables have been newly-printed: No. 5 (blue), 7 (blue), 8E, 9, 10 (green, blue), 11 (green, blue), 14, 15 (blue), 17, 19 (green, blue), 28 (green), 36, 44, 55, 77 and Social Security Service.

There are a number of minor changes on a good many MTA routes. To determine if your route schedule has changed in any way, call MTA at 539-5000.

And remember, MTA buses go where people go. If you like the service you're getting, use it. If you'd like more service than you're now getting, use your service more, and take your friends along for the ride.

No. 2
ALL TRIPS EXTENDED TO OVERLEA MON.-SAT.
Trips will operate from Fox Ridge to Overlea.
VIA GOLDEN RING MALL TO OVERLEA, Regular No. 2 route to Golden Ring Mall, then via Rossville Blvd., Phila. Rd., Kenwood Ave., Leslie Ave., Fullerton Ave., Belair Rd., to Northern Parkway. (Return trips follow same route in reverse.)
SELECTED TRIPS VIA FRANKLIN SQUARE HOSPITAL TO OVERLEA
Via Rossville Blvd., Radecke Ave., Kenwood Ave., Leslie Ave., Fullerton Ave., Belair Rd., to Northern Parkway. (Return trips follow same route in reverse.)

No. 5 RANCHLEIGH EXTENDED TO SUMMIT PARK
TWO TRIPS DAILY, ONE A.M., ONE P.M.
From Greenspring Shopping Center on Smith Ave., via Smith Ave., Pimlico Rd., Bare Rd., Old Pimlico Rd., Sylvale Rd., Lightfoot Dr., Greenspring Ave., Smith Ave., Labyrinth Rd., Carla Rd., Darwood Rd., Smith Ave., back to Shopping Center, then via regular route to Downtown.

No. 5
VILLA JULIE SERVICE RESUMED
A.M. TRIP
Leaves Charles and Fayette Sts. at 6:52 a.m., arrives Villa Julie at 8:06 a.m.
P.M. TRIP
Leaves Villa Julie at 3:31 p.m., arrives Charles and Baltimore Sts., 4:49 p.m.

No. 10
SPARROWS POINT SATURDAY AND SUND.
Service will correspond to sa

No. 14
ADDITIONAL A.M. PEAK HOUR TRIPS
Originating at Motor Vehicle Administration. Operating to Downtown Baltimore.

No. 15
SECURITY SQUARE AND WESTVIEW MALL EXTENSION
Service extended to these shopping centers Saturdays, beginning Sept. 6, 1975.

No. 17
TO HIGHLAND VILLAGE AREA
No. 17 will no longer operate into Highland Village. No. 28 route (see below) will provide service to this area.

No. 28 LAKELAND EXTENDED INTO HIGHLAND VILLAGE (Arbutus, Tulip, McDowell Lane, Virginia Ave.)
Via regular No. 28 Lakeland route to Hollins Ferry Rd. & Daisy Ave., then left on Daisy, right on Tulip, right on McDowell Lane, left on Virginia, left on Annapolis Rd., left on Arbutus to Tulip, right on Daisy, right on Hollins Ferry, then via regular route.

No. 77
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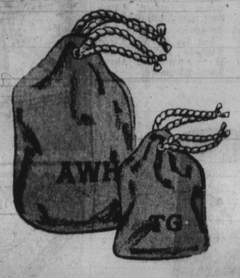

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