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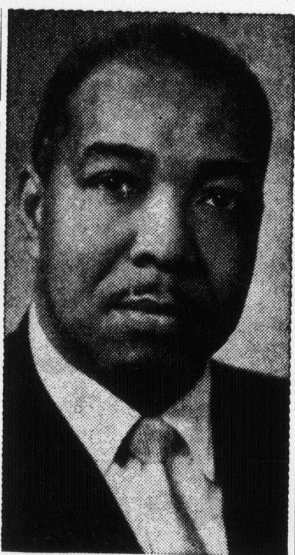
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LAWYER AIDE TO KENNEDY

Frank D. Reeves, assistant to Senator John F. Kennedy, has been named Honorary Co-Chairman of the Kennedy-Johnson Campaign Executive Committee for the District of Columbia.

The announcement was made this week by Senator Henry M. Jackson, Chairman of the Democratic National Committee, at the opening of the District's Committee Headquarters.

Serving with Reeves as Honorary Co-Chairman is Mrs. Katie Louchheim. W. John Kenney was named



Frank Reeves

Applies For Adoption Of Negro Boy

Deerfield, Ill.—A Swedish Lutheran minister with two blue-eyed blonde daughters revealed Monday he has applied to adopt a Negro boy and bring him to his all white Chicago suburb.

"I've always wanted a son" the Rev. Paul V. Berggren, 43, pastor of Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church in Deerfield and a pro-integration leader in the city's racial conflict, said.

Chairman and the following were appointed Vice Chairmen: Seymour Chase, F. Joseph Donohue, the Reverend E. Franklin Jackson, Joseph L. Rauh, Jr., Mrs. Polly Shackleton, J. C. Turner, and A. L. Wheeler.

Mr. Reeves is a well-known Washington lawyer who was elected a member of the Democratic National Committee from the District of Columbia last May.

Negro Boy Has \$65,000 But Cannot Enjoy Life

Train wreck victim who got \$112,500 settlement is now serving term for auto theft in Virginia prison farm.

Hailed four years ago as one of America's bravest youngsters, Cleveland Garcia Arnold received front-page publicity in newspapers from coast to coast. Trapped and pinned in an overturned train near Baltimore Md., he was freed after some two hours in a miraculous rescue that won the sympathy of the nation. Later, the badly-mangled youngster endured 12 skin-graftings spent 17 months in hospitals

in a valiant effort to walk again. As a result of the much-publicized accident, he was awarded \$112,500, one of the highest settlements ever given a Negro in an injury case.

Interviewed shortly after he began to win the long health battle, the slender, modest kid was optimistic about his future, despite the fact that he wore a brace on his right leg and special, elevated shoes. Said he: "I'd like to be a musician, a trumpet player like the great Louis Armstrong."

But young Cleveland never became a tyro Louis Armstrong. In fact, he never

owned a trumpet. Today, the boy who won the heart of the nation, is one of Virginia's youngest and richest convicts. Classified now as an adult he is just 16 and quartered with "hardened criminals." Cleveland is serving a two-year auto theft term at the state's South Hampton penal farm. He still has upwards of \$65,000

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Captures Two Gold Medals

Wima Rudolph, a Tennessee Negro girl, won the women's 200-metre sprint in 24 seconds, beating out Jutta Heine, of Germany, by more than three yards, and thus became the first American woman to capture the Olympic sprint double.

She won as easily as she took the 100-metre sprint last Friday.

Discus Record

Miss Rudolph, 20, has broken up an otherwise consistent pattern of Soviet victories in the women's track and field finals. Nina Ponomareva, the Russian who was picked up in London several years ago for shoplifting hats, scored her team's fifth victory of the seven women's events decided so far by winning the discus throw yesterday with an Olympic record toss of 55.10 metres (183 ft., 6 1/4 inches).

U. S. athletes took all three medals in the men's 100-metre hurdles to keep intact a record of clean sweeps in this event dating from the 1948 Games. The American earlier won the 400 hurdles, also finishing one-two-three.

Say Standards Not Reduced

NEW YORK — The peaceful integration of the Washington, D.C. school system, which is 77 per cent Negro, has in no way reduced the system's general educational standards, a national magazine stated today.

According to an article in the current issue of Look Magazine, Washington illustrates successful integration "without turmoil."

Plans for integrating schools in the nation's capital,

the magazine noted, were formulated long before the Supreme Court's 1954 ruling and were executed "without a hitch."

The preponderance of Negroes now in the schools, it added, is not a result of integration, but arose from an exodus of white families to the suburbs and the movement of Negro families into the vacated low-cost-housing neighborhoods.

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Kingston, Jamaica (ANP) —Thieves stole police chief Lawrence Browning's automobile Saturday, refuelled it at a nearby filling station, and used it as a getaway car for a burglary in a village 60 miles away. They got away with about \$1400 worth of goods and abandoned the chief's car about four miles from his home.

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Donating his services to the cause, Sammy Davis Jr. flew in from Chicago, announced that Frank Sinatra (barring other commitments) would help the Detroit NAACP in 1961, then danced, joked and sang his way through a fantastic hour routine before dash-

ing for the airport to make a flight and his regular show in Chicago.

Editor Harry Golden, oft-cited for his satirical "battle against bigotry," was principal speaker. And when it was all over, there was \$50,000 gross in the till, raising Detroit's contribution to the Freedom Fund to \$173,000, its paid up life membership to 116 from a campaign begun in 1956 by Dr. Alf Thomas Jr., and underwritten by 12 families. It was the kind of self-help by Negroes that Jewish organizations are noted for—an idea adopted by the National NAACP, which since 1957 has grossed \$231,000 from its New York dinners—and a kind, said Dr. Dewitt Burton in making an award to Golden, that Negroes will need to adopt more and more since "freedom is not free."

The Bible Today...

Boris Zaiteff, one of the outstanding Russian writers of today writes of the new translation in modern Russian of the four Gospels, in these words, "On my desk lies a small blackbound book, with a gold cross on the cover, and above it, also in gold 'The Gospel.' This is a new translation of the four Gospels from the Greek; published by The British and Foreign Bible Society. The translation is by Bishop Cassian, assisted by a commission made up of Prof. Kartasheff, V. N. Rayevsky, Prof. A. P. Wassilieff, N. A. Koulomzine and others.

For five years every Friday members of the Commission sat for four or five hours reading the text over and over again, comparing, discussing, sometimes so carried away that tempers were almost lost.—"Once we disputed half an hour over the commas in one verse of Matthew. It also happened that, having decided upon one turn of phrase, two years later we changed it, only to return after two years to the earlier text.—And now our five years labour has taken the

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Lena Horne's Children Get First Theatre Jobs

New York—Gail and Ted Jones are getting their first theatre experience in the same off-Broadway show, "Miss Emily Adam," which opened at the Theatre Marquee. Unlike most people who have to fight for that first job, Gail and Ted, dad-n't even thought of the theatre. Well, they may have thought about it just a little bit. Being the daughter and son of actress Lena Horne, they couldn't exactly ignore the lure of the bright lights.

Gail, 22 and a recent graduate from Radcliff, was wondering what she wanted to do, when "Emily's" author, James Lipton—an old friend—said, "How would you like to be my production assistant?" Gail has learned that the fancy title includes "anything that needs to be done"—building props, selling tickets, etc. She began selling not only tickets—but whole houses to theatre benefits, and has decided now to study acting for a try at

form of 234 small pages—the Four Gospels."

So came into being the first "private" (not specifically commissioned and authorized by the Synod of the Orthodox Church) unofficial translation in the Russian language.

Suggested Bible Readings

Sunday, Sept. 11, Psalms 33: 1-22

Monday, Sept. 12, Psalms 39: 1-13

Tuesday, Sept. 13, Psalms 40: 1-17

Wednesday, Sept. 14, Psalms 49: 1-20

Thursday, Sept. 15, Psalms 56: 1-13

Friday, Sept. 16, Micah 4: 1-13

Saturday, Sept. 17, Micah 3: 1-12

that too.

Her brother, Ted, 20, who accompanied her to the Marquee one day, is now working on the light board. He finds theatre a lure too, but has another year of college. Gail's mother is delighted about the new development. "She's always told me the bad things about show business," explained Gail, "so she feels I've been at least sufficiently warned."

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- 6 cups cooked dry lima beans
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- 1 cup finely chopped celery
- 1/2 cup finely chopped green peppers
- 1 minced clove of garlic
- 1/4 cup vinegar
- 1/4 cup firmly packed brown sugar
- 2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce
- 1/2 teaspoon chili powder
- 1 tablespoon cornstarch
- 1 tablespoon prepared mustard
- 2 cups (2, 8-oz. cans) tomato sauce

Drain lima bean. Place in large mixing bowl. Pour Carnation over beans. Cut bacon into small pieces. Saute in frying pan over medium heat until cooked but not brown. Add onion, celery, green pepper and garlic. Continue cooking for 10 minutes. Stir in remaining ingredients and cook until thickened. Slowly add tomato mixture to lima bean mixture. Mix well. Pour into 9 1/2 x 13 1/2 x 1 1/2-inch baking dish. Bake in moderate oven 40 to 50 minutes.

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Death Row Record May Be Shattered

NEW YORK — While Caryl Chessman was making international headlines in his unsuccessful bid for life, a New Orleans Negro was waging a similar fight against the executioner's hand in virtually complete obscurity.

Today — after more than seven years on the Death Row of Louisiana prisons—37-year-old Edgar Labat and his co-defendant, Clifton Poret, are still fighting a grim, unpublicized battle—a battle that may well break Chessman's death-cell record.

On November 12, 1950, Labat was arrested in New Orleans and charged with assisting Poret in a crime most of the South considers worse than murder—the rape of a white woman.

Since that time, according to an article in the current issue of Look Magazine, Labat has been continuously in custody. For over seven years, he and Poret have been in death cells—at present a room six-feet wide and 10 feet long. For 14 months, they were in solitary confinement.

They have received eight stays of execution, one of them less than three hours before they were to be strapped in the electric chair. Their case has moved through the courts a dozen times.

"Within this legal framework", says Look writer Peter Maas, "there is a tangled web of strange contradictions, allegations of coercion of witnesses and suppression

of evidence, the dramatic emergence of new testimony and the specter of double-standard justice."

Ironically, adds Maas, "Labat in all likelihood would be a free man today had he accepted a proposal over eight years ago to plead guilty to armed robbery alone."

"His lawyer frankly admits he advised Labat to take it if he were guilty of any phase of the crime. Labat replied, 'I'm not guilty.'"

As bits and pieces of evidence mount in their favor, an extraordinary legal battle has swirled around Labat and Poret in their death cells.

A first appeal — to the Louisiana Supreme Court—was primarily on the ground of "systematic exclusion" of Negroes from the grand jury that indicted them.

The case has several times gone as far as the United States Supreme Court and currently has been remanded to the Federal District Court for Eastern Louisiana where lawyers G. Wray Gill and Gerald Schreiber are seeking a new trial on the grounds that Negroes were systematically excluded from the trial jury which convicted them.

"For a capital case," says an expert on U. S. Supreme Court actions, "this is one of the shakiest I've seen".

Waiting in his death cell, Labat declares: "The thing that keeps me from going crazy is the knowledge I'm innocent."

Reeves Going With Kennedy

Frank H. Reeves, Assistant to Senator John F. Kennedy and Democratic National Committeeman from the District of Columbia, will accompany Senator Kennedy on his campaign tours of the South.

Pierre Salinger, Senator Kennedy's press secretary, made this clear when questioned by newsmen on Friday. "We're not going to rejigger our staff for different regions of the country," Salinger said.

Senator Henry M. Jackson of Washington, the Chairman of the Democratic National Committee, revealed that Senator Kennedy had already scheduled campaign swings through North Carolina, Tennessee and Texas. Other Southern tours being planned for the Democratic nominee will be announced later.

Frank Reeves is a well known Washington attorney who has handled many civil rights cases for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

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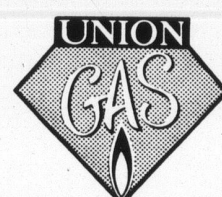
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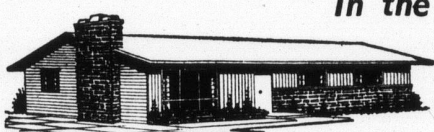
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for a few weeks; also Mr. Ecky Vant and family were house guests of Mrs. Harris.

Reverend C. A. Richardson is visiting in Jamaica as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Myers.

Miss Clara Durant reported having an enjoyable visit with friends and relatives in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. James Hill accompanied by Mrs. Chase and mother, Mrs. Butler, visited with friends in Port Huron, Mich.

Mrs. Bessie Fountain is still on the sick list at Victoria Hospital.

Mr. Wm. Fields and mother from Detroit, Mich., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Anderson.

Gilbert Jenkins from Chatham is visiting at the home of his father, Fred.

First African Cardinal A Tanganyikan Convert

Converted at 8, Tanganyikan rose from priest to prince of church in only 16 years.

In the Tanganyikan East African village of Buhaya, eight-year-old Laurian Rugambwa looked upon pagan tribal

Mrs. Evelyn Gunn and sister, Edith, from Detroit, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Johnson.

Sonny Peterson stayed at the Johnson home for the weekend as the guest of Miss Marion Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harris from Detroit who are on their second wedding anniversary are visiting friends in London.

Esley Mercury, son of Rev. George and Mrs. Mercury, died from drowning. Funeral was Thursday, 1 p.m. at Toronto B.M.E. Church.

gods for the last time, then quietly followed his father into Christianity. At 31, after long years of study under the French-founded missionary Order of the White Fathers both in his own land and neighboring Uganda, he was ordained a Catholic priest and sent off to Rome where he earned a doctorate in Canon Law. Returning to East Africa, he began working among his people and at 39 was consecrated a bishop. This spring The Most Rev. Rugambwa, bishop of the diocese of Rutaba, again went to Rome. But this time it was to become the first black man to sit in the 88-member, 810-year-old Sacred College of Cardinals and, at 47, the second youngest prince of the Roman Catholic Church.

Elevated along with four whites and the first Cardinals of Japan and the Philippines,

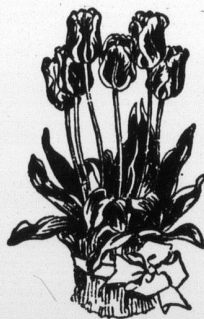
tall (6'1½") Oxford-English speaking Cardinal Rugambwa had in barely 16 years moved to position where he, as a member of the Sacred College, gives advice to the Pope, is empowered to vote on who shall be pope, and could, as have three other Africans in the early church, be elected pope.

"To show that the church is a living thing," beamed 78-year-old Pope John XXIII, the 261st successor of St. Peter, "we included black in the white Sacred College of Cardinals. You will see what a spectacle it will make." Then considering his new appointments made during his second consistory, the Pope said: "All are equally created to the glory of the Lord that sanctifies the peoples without discrimination of language, descent or color."

Commenting on his future plans, the new cardinal, who visited the U.S. on 1957 fundraising tour for his diocese, remarked: "I may go back to my diocese with little change in my life. It will depend on what the Propaganda Fide (the Vatican's central organization governing missionary activities) wishes." His diocese, composed of 60,000 Africans, has neither high school nor college and its people are poor. His Sunday collection averages about \$2. His Cathedral is a handmade brick building with corrugated tin roof and the Cardinal uses a 1951 Chevrolet to get about. But to Africa's 24 million Catholics he holds the promise of great things to come.

There was more than met the eye in Pope John's elevation of the Cardinal, seasoned observers point out. The appointment, they say, reflects the Catholic Church's growing awareness of the growing importance of Africa, where emerging nationalism is as yet uncommitted to Western institutions.

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Formerly lionized, he is now a man of all ages. Cleveland finds himself have dwindled to two: his mother, rice Arnold, who is in Alexandria, Va. a family lawyer, Howard, a university-trained lawyer. His mother sends him letters occasionally box to his courage" and visited him at the ated 72 miles south of the world. Lawyer V. trying desperately to get some family on to accept the boy when he is in parole (September) that a rehabilitation started. So far, he unsuccessful.



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Negro Boy Has \$65,000

in the Newark, N. J., National State Bank. The money which is invested in stocks and bonds, yields about \$300 monthly. But he cannot use it. The funds are tied up (until he reaches 21) under the administration of the court. And as the accounts grow, Cleveland "rots away spiritually and mentally" in the Virginia pen. Friends say he may never enjoy the fruits of his legacy.

Formerly lionized by citizens of all ages and colors, Cleveland finds his friends have dwindled to a faithful two: his mother, Mrs. Beatrice Arnold, who now lives in Alexandria, Va., and the family lawyer, Howard University-trained Hugh Watkins. His mother regularly sends him letters and an occasional box to "keep his courage" and she has visited him at the farm located 72 miles south of Richmond. Lawyer Watkins is trying desperately to interest some family or institution to accept the 16-year-old boy when he is eligible for parole (September, 1960) so that a rehabilitation may be started. So far, he has been unsuccessful.

What happened to the once-ambitious Negro youngster?

The reasoning is simple. He was "lost" before the accident and his injuries (despite or because of the money) compounded his problems, according to one social worker. Said she: "Perhaps, race subtly entered into his situation, too. Resources to help Negro children are very limited in the South and few people really care."

The disturbing fact still remains—Here's a youngster able to afford the best psychiatric care who hasn't been given treatment in his long downward fall. Behind him is a wretched path of petty crime, a history of a broken home, an inferiority complex because of his physical condition, and a lack of confidence.

Said another social work-

er: "Despite the bleakness of the case, the kid still possesses the comeback qualities. Some one can reach him. It's not a hopeless case."

After the accident, his right leg resembles a "rag quilt" because of skin grafting operations. Eventually Cleveland developed a deep feeling of inferiority regarding his appearance. He also limped. At school, he began to feel that other children were "better" than he and that they always "snickered and laughed" at him. His attendance record was poor. He finally was recommended for a psychiatric examination. Unfortunately, his mother didn't receive the letter and the boy was eventually asked to leave school.

Returning with his mother to his birthplace in Alexandria, Va., Cleveland found it difficult to adjust to segregated schools.

Declares Catholics Duck Responsibility

UNION CITY, N.J. — Catholic parents have "ducked their responsibility" toward the racial problem, according to Dr. John J. O'Connor, first national chairman of the National Catholic Conference for Interracial Justice, profiled in the August issue of The Sign, national Catholic magazine, published here.

Dr. O'Connor, winner of the Edith Stein Award for outstanding contributions to Jewish-Christian relations, asserts "the desegregation pace is far too slow and languid."

His views will be formally presented in St. Louis, Mo., when the forty councils of N.C.C.I.J. hold their annual convention from August 25-28.

Prominent at the convention will be Ellsworth J. Evans, a negro school principal, who is president of the St. Louis Catholic Interracial Council, host group for the conclave.

Mr. Evans maintains that "no student will change his attitude toward Negroes, Jews or Catholics simply because a textbook says he must accept them as friends. Education must probe deeper, concentrating attention on the character development of the whole child."

Also the subject of a Sign profile in the August issue, Mr. Evans is a graduate of Howard and Northwestern Universities with degrees in chemistry and education. He is past-president of the National Pan-Hellenic Council

and a member for five years of the Mayor's Council on Human Relations in St. Louis.

The aim of the N.C.C.I.J., as reported in The Sign, is "to alert the entire Catholic body to the gravity of the racial crisis."

"Yessir," said the old man, "I'll be 90 tomorrow, and I haven't an enemy in the world."

"What a beautiful thought," said his pastor.

"Yessir," the oldster chorled, "I've outlived them all."

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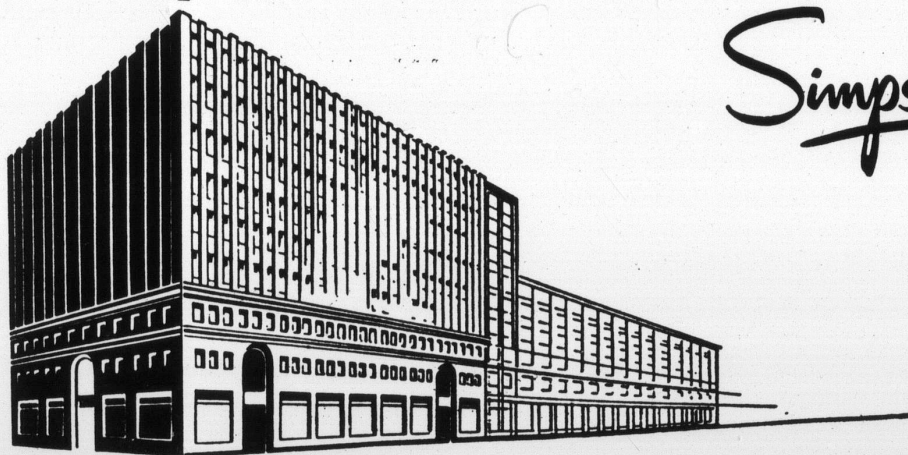
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