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Violent Deaths Stun Inner-City

Fatalities Occur Within Five Day Span

Unprecedently five persons died violently in the inner-city within five days, which began, along with the Buffalo Police Probe, Sty. of 24 August to the shooting a tumout in Delaware and Tuesday, Aug. 14th.

Tuesday, Herman E. Bong-ino, 34, of 34 Ash St. was reported shot to death by police. He was finally sniped-at after he allegedly failed to halt advancing towards two patrolmen with a hatchet.

Wednesday, a female was shot dead in a Lemon St. restaurant, a woman citizen was fatally burned in a Elgin St. fire, and a man was fatally shot in a Walker St. residence.

All suspects have been apprehended.

U. L. Awards Scholarships

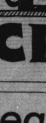
Scholarship aid in the amount of $6,000, was granted by the Buffalo Urban Leagues to deserving high school students entering college and to college students as well as to some going to graduate study.

The aid was granted at a meeting of the Scholarship Committee, chaired by Mrs. Mamie C. Jackson. The money is from the Mercy C. Miller Scholarship Fund established for the Urban League, by the late Mrs. Mercy C. Miller, former board member of the Urban League.

Each year, the Scholarship Committee of the Buffalo Urban League grants a portion of the fund to high school graduates, students who aspire to higher education. Over the years, and since the establishment of the Fund in 1964, the League has granted 202 scholarships to the total amount of $68,500.

Students receiving grants from the Urban League are needed in or accepted by colleges throughout the country.

Senior Citizen Worker



Mrs. Mable Trabit, of the Lackawanna Senior Citizens Club, is shown when she appeared at the bingo birthday party sponsored by the club in honor of 100 year old William Johnson; Leo and 99-year old Mrs. Catherine Pennington. Mrs. Trabit prepared most of the food and decorations.

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Bishop E. D. Head Sets Up Senate Of Priests

The Most Rev. Edward D. Head, Bishop of Buffalo, Diocese of Roman Catholic Diocese, has announced the formation of a priests' Senate and Diocesan Pastoral Council.

The Rev. Joseph Welling, Director, Pastor of St. Joseph's Parish, Jamestown, has been named Board Chairman.

The board has been charged with the task of formulating policies for the approval of the Bishop, regarding the assignment of priests from admitters to their responsibilities.

Other members of the retirement board include: Rev. Msgr. Bernard J. Quinlivan, Pastor of St. Bernard's Rev. Msgr. Donato G. Valente, Pastor, Carmelite, St. Francis of Assisi; Rev. Msgr. Bernard J. Galanski, Phil. Rev. Msgr. William J. Sullivan, Pastor, St. Mary of the Angels. Order; Rev. Rupert A. Wright, Assistant Pastor, St John the Evangelist; Rev. Bernard A. Wiza, Pastor, Holy Spirit, North Collins; Rev. Paul J. Gallagher, Pastor, St. John Vianney, Tonawanda; and Rev. Bernard J. Kelly, Pastor, Holy Family, and the Director of the Diocese of Buffalo.

In making the announcement Bishop Head expressed the desire that retired priests should have as many options as possible in choosing their place of retirement.

"The new board will be guided by one principle: the care of priests, the care of priests and the good of parishes owed to the shepherd by the sheep in care of service," the Bishop said.

The Director of Buffalo currently has a fund for retired priests.

Burrell Is Chairman Of Bldg. Fund

Lynchburg, Va. — Dr. M. C. Burkhardt, President of the Virginia College, announced that Burrell Hall, a $1,500,000 dormitory, will be built on the National Baptist College campus. Burrell Hall will serve as National Chairman of the "Build the Virginia College New" Fund Raising Campaign. Mr. Burrell heads the National Baptist League and is a prime mover of black economic development.

Recognizing the positive, Mr. Burrell said, "I feel it is time to have an organization to serve an institution such as the Virginia College. I ever then in a time when black educational institutions needed assistance from the national black community, then, that time is now. Since 1868, this institution has contributed in giving to American Historic graduates. I accept this honor to help in the Build the Virginia College New Fund Raising Campaign. I believe the institution and its program, secondly, I believe that all Virginians and Americans will rally to the call."

Burrell further stated, "I am confident the goal will be achieved and the services of our institutions will be a reality in a short time. I call on individuals, churches, businesses and social organizations to send the call to Build this unique and historic institution. The Virginia College is in the process of a Fund Raising Campaign to raise $100,000 by Sept. 15th. The Theme for the campaign is "Build The Virginia College - New."

Scholarship Game

The Catholic Bank Bridge Club is sponsoring the ABA Nationwide Scholarship Game on Friday, Sept. 7, at 8 p.m. The game will be held on the second floor of the Health Center, corner of Jefferson and Delaware and Jefferson streets. The game will be held at the security guard at the door will direct you to the game.

The proceeds of the game are donated to the National Scholarship Fund of the American Bridge Association which awards six scholarships per year. Local players will be playing the same hands as those playing in the thousands of participating clubs throughout the country. Scoring will be based on percentage points of Nationwide ABA ranking.

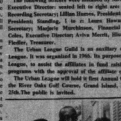
To add to the game's enjoyment, the club is offering individual prizes for the top and wooing of the game and a prize for first place in the master pair game. Fee is $3.00 per player and the Bridge Club's staff will direct.

The Buffalo Urban Leagues Guild held 2 Annual Installation Service, June 24, in the new headquarters of the Buffalo Urban League, Inc., 482 Broadway.

The following officers were installed by Mr. Leroy Coles, Jr., Executive Director: seated left to right are: Margaret Cooper, Recording Secretary; Lillian Hearon, President; Carol Parker, Vice President; standing, 1 to 2: Lenor Howard, Corresponding Secretary; Hodgey Hutchinson, Financial Secretary; Leon Coles, Executive Director; Arlie Merritt, Historian, and Marion Faulkin, Treasurer.

The Urban League Guild is an auxiliary of the local Urban League, it was organized in 1966. Its purpose is to augment the League, to assist the affiliates in fund raising, and carry out programs with the approval of the affiliate executive.

The Urban League will hold it first Annual Golf Tournament at the River Oaks Golf Course, Grand Island, New York, August 25th.The public is invited.



Callahans Entertain Relatives

Deacon William V. Callahan has the pleasant task of putting his relatives and those of his wife's kin, in the light in his cabin Cruiser. They entertain Mrs. Callahan's sisters, Mrs. Chamberlay Cooper of Chicago, left, and Mrs. Lucy Baker of Rochester, for two weeks. The Callahans reside on Johnson St.

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RICHARD E. PIECHOWIAK

EBIE COUNTY SAVINGS BANK PROMOTES OFFICERS

Mr. William F. Schreiber, President of the Erie County Savings Bank, announced three officer promotions Aug. 8th.

Mr. Richard E. Piechowiak has been promoted to an Assistant Vice President, responsible for the bank's office at Sun Broadway near Tillinghast, and Mr. Dennis L. Vassar has been promoted to an Assistant Treasurer and Assistant Manager at the Broadway Office.

Mr. Schreiber also announced the promotion of Mr. David E. Corcoran, to Assistant Comptroller.

Mr. Piechowiak begins his new managerial duties immediately at the Broadway Office where he has recently held the position as the Assistant Manager and Assistant Treasurer. He joined the bank in September of 1965. In the Banking Operations Department. He was made an Administrative Assistant in 1970, promoted to Assistant Vice President in 1971, and earlier this year, was promoted Assistant Manager of the Broadway Office.

Mr. Piechowiak attended St. Andrew's Grammar School, Diocesan Preparatory Seminary, Canisius High School and was a diagnost in the U. S. Army, stationed in Germany, from 1957-1959. He lives at 200 Hampshire Road, Buffalo.

Mr. Vassar joined the bank in October, 1969, also in Banking Operations, then in 1970, was promoted to an Administrative Assistant and assigned to new mezzanine platform desks at the Broadway Office. His new duties will make him responsible for the daily accounting in all operations of the branch.

Mr. Vassar attended the Public Buffalo, Bishop Timon High School and St. Mary's Grammar School. He is a layreader of the Holy Name Society and a CYO adult advisor. Mr. Vassar lives at 177 Bennett St., in Buffalo.

Group Renders Program

Sunday, August 19, at 7:30 P.M., the Technology Group will present a program at King Solomon Baptist Church, 1 Northampton St., Buffalo. Pastor is pastor. Everyone is invited.