

# Elder **Michaux** To Bring Holy Jordan Water To NY



ELDER LIGHTFOOT SOLOMON **MICHAUX**, (center) is shown with two other ministers aboard the ship that brought barrels of Holy Water from the river of Jordan, which will be used to baptize candidates at Elder Michaux's big baptismal service at Griffith Stadium, Washington, D. C., September 17. Small bottles of the water will be given away at a mass meeting sponsored by Elder Michaux July 10 at the Golden Gate Ballroom.

## Golden Gate Mass Meeting Mon., July 10

The "Happy Am I Preacher" Elder Lightfoot Solomon **Michaux**, and his famous Choir, will hold a great mass meeting at Golden Gate Auditorium, 142nd St., and Lenox Ave., on Monday evening, July 10, at 8:00 o'clock, under the auspices of the Christian Division of the United Jewish Appeal.

Elder **Michaux** made headline news around the world when he sent the ship, Pass Christian Victory and its crew to Jerusalem to bring back to America a number of barrels of Holy Water from the river of Jordan where John the Baptist baptized Jesus.

The ship carrying the sacred water landed in Newport News, June 25, at which time the Mayor and other officials of the city welcomed the shipment as unique in religious history. The first mass meeting distributing the sacred water to individuals of all denominations, was held at Newport News, July 2, and small vials were given to each Christian believer.

At a mammoth baptismal service in Griffith Stadium, Washington, September 17, Elder Michaux will use the sacred water to baptize candidates. And these mass meetings will be held in all principal cities throughout the country. Christians in smaller towns may write to the Elder in Washington for vials of the sacred water, which may be kept in the home as a memorial to the first and greatest baptizing ever performed—Jesus being baptized by John in the River Jordan.

Several drums will be sent to New York and placed on exhibition at the Golden Gate meeting, and small vials given away free to every member of a church group represented by their pastor. It is the first shipment of water in the history of the world to be taken from the Jordan and sent to another country.

At the Golden Gate meeting, the Hon. Dr. Adam Powell, Sr., pastor emeritus of Abyssinian Baptist Church and the Rev. G. H. Sims, pastor of Union Baptist Church and his choir, will be presented with a special bottle of the water from Jordan.

Principal speakers taking part in this good will gesture to the establishing of the State of Israel, and the religious symbol of the sacred water, will be, Hon. Oscar Ewing, Federal Security Adminis-

trator; Dr. Louis T. Wright, Chairman of the Department of Surgery at Harlem Hospital; Dr. C. Herbert Marshall of Washington, President of the American Medical Association; Bishop D. Ward Nichols, First Episcopal District of the A. M. E. Church; Lester P. Granger, National Secretary of the Urban League and others. The meeting is admission free.