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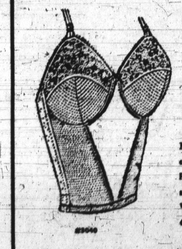

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Annual Trade Fair set to be 'biggest and best'

Plans for what is called "the biggest and best" Trade Fair ever held, were made Wednesday at Mondawmin when over 65 black businessmen assembled for lunch.

The third annual event is is sponsored by the AFRO-AMERICAN Newspapers, Council for Equal Business Opportunity (CEBO), and Mondawmin Merchants.

Highlight of the trade fair planned to coincide with the celebration of Negro History Week (Feb. 9-14), will include the following:

Booths decorated by participants and on display in the Mondawmin Mall, a fashion show, student art exhibitions, demonstrations by area vocational schools, a beauty show and activities to mark the 153rd anniversary celebration of Frederick Douglass' birthday (Feb. 12)

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In addition, there will be achievement awards presented to outstanding black businessmen, made during a special ceremony at 2:30 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 14, in the Mall.

Samuel T. Daniels, director of CEBO, presided at the Wednesday luncheon and presented his associate, James L. Watkins; Mrs. Ida Murphy Smith, AFRO advertising salesman, and Mrs. Jody Jablon, Mondawmin Merchants.

They explained details of the plans for the celebration.

Other representatives present from the sponsoring agencies were: From CEBO, Willie J. Williams, associate director; Richard Cummings, chief of field services; William H. Gordon, counselor, and Mr. Watkins named above.

From AFRO; Joan H. Murphy 3rd. president, Mrs. Elizabeth Murphy Moss, vice president - treasurer; Kenneth O. Wilson, vice president in charge of advertising.

From Mondawmin Merchants: Harry Thomas and Mrs. Lenore Rosetto.

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Merchants in attendance and the businesses they represent are as follows:

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William Adams, Adams Realty Brokers; George Boone, Boone Interiors; Frazier Brice, Brice's Cut-Rate; Pauline Brooks, Pauline Brooks, Inc.; Betty Brown, Brown's Depot; Henry Brown, Brown and Sons; Raymond Brown, Brown and Son; Allen Burns, Operation Champ; Charles Burnes, Hilton Court Pharmacy;

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Moll P. Rose, Construction Technical Services, Inc.; Roger Saunders, Roger's Beauty Supply Company; Arthur Sowers, Mondawmin Photo Center; Gordon Stills, Reverers Studios; Edward Taylor, Bullock and Campbell; George Taylor, Taylor's House of Flowers; Mrs. Delores Williams, Sun Part Employment Agency, Inc.; Willie Wiggins, Wiggins Home Improvement.

Free emergency phone service, Sen. Welcome

A Baltimore City State Senator has proposed that it should be possible to make emergency calls from pay telephones without money.

Senator Verda F. Welcome (Balto. City, 4th) called the free emergency service "an important anti-crime and safety measure which a utility should provide."

The legislator made a request to the C. and P. Telephone Company to institute such service for the Baltimore metropolitan area.

"It should be possible to reach an operator who would connect you with medical, fire or police assistance without money," the Baltimore City legislator feels.

"In times of emergency a person may not have change with him, or indeed may have no money at all. Delay in reaching assistance can be serious," she said.

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Orville Wright, General Public Affairs Manager for the C. and P. Telephone Company explained that the "dial-tone-first" system recently installed in Washington, D.C. as a pilot program, requires installation of special equipment at each pay station.

The cost to do this in the Baltimore area is presently being calculated, he explained.

Senator Welcome indicated that she was awaiting the results of the cost estimates by the telephone company with interest because she believes the ready availability of help in an emergency situation will serve as a crime deterrent.

"It most certainly will ease the plight of many in distress," she added.

'Drunken driver' fined $100 after blood test

In an unusual Traffic Court ruling on Monday, Jan. 12, Judge Jerome Robinson found Charles Johnson, 2728 E. Federal St. not guilty of the charge of driving under the influence of alcoholic beverages.

The reporting police officer testified that he was traveling south on Hanover St. when he observed Mr. Johnson drinking a can of beer while driving.

"He was going about 35 mph when I stopped him," said the police officer.

"How was he driving?" said Judge Robinson.

The reporting officer stated that he stopped Mr. Robinson because he was consuming a can of beer but, apparently, Judge Robinson wasn't satisfied that this was ground enough to charge Mr. Robinson with driving under the influence of alcoholic beverages.

However, in another case of driving under the influence of alcoholic beverages, Judge Robinson wasn't so lenient.

Edward Alves, 1200 block Chatham St., also was charged with reckless driving and driving while impaired.

He pleaded not guilty.

The reporting officer testified that he received a call on an accident about 400 feet east of Edison Highway and that when he arrived he found Mr. Alves staggering.

"The effects of alcohol was obvious," said the reporting officer.

Mr. Alves was taken to police headquarters where he refused to take the breat analyzer test.

In rendering his verdict of guilty, Judge Robinson said, "I am sorry, in the absence of a breath analyzer test I can only take the testimony of the officer."

Mr. Alves was committed to the lockup because he didn't have the $181 fine on hand.

He has been suspended from his job in the Sanitation Dept. since December 2.

Abron Wilson, 1216 N. Fort St., was luckier. He didn't get locked up.

Pleading not guilty to the charge of driving under the influence of alcoholic beverages, Mr. Wilson, according to the reporting police officer, was driving his 1967 Buick west on North St., straddling the dividing line when the officer stopped him.

"He said he was coming from a party," said the police officer.

Mr. Wilson scored .18 on the blood test, a test which gives the same reading as the breath analyzer test.

Needless to say, Mr. Wilson forked up $103.

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Mitchell Said Playing Politics

WASHINGTON — The Ripon Society, a liberal Republican organization, charged Thursday that Atty. Gen. John N. Mitchell war letting politics shape federal law enforcement and said he ought to stop it or resign.

It said Mitchell must separate his law enforcement and political roles, and if he is not prepared to do so "he can, of course, resign as Attorney General or assume the more traditional political position of postmaster general."

Hijacker Is Envoy's Guest

BEIRUT — Christian Belon, 26-year-old Frenchman who became a Lebanese hero by hijacking a U.S. passenger plane to Beirut, was released on $8 bail this week. He is expected to live in the home of Interior Minister Kamal Jumblat until legal matters are cleared up.

In London, a spokesman for the British Airline Pilots Association called the decision to free Belon "stark, staring crazy."

New branch opened for driver's licenses

Governor Marvin Mandel will open the new LaVale branch office of the Maryland State Department of Motor Vehicles at 12 noon on Monday, Jan. 19, Commissioner John R. Jewell has announced.

"The LaBale office is the second of several regional office to be opened by the Department to provide driver licensing and vehicle registration services for citizens who live in areas not convenient to Glen Burnie," Commissioner Jewell stated, "and are the result of a recent directive by the Governor calling upon this department to establish branches on the Eastern Shore, in Western Maryland and in the Washington Metropolitan area."

Jewell pointed out that among the full range of Department services, to be offered at the LaVale branch would be tag sales, title trabafers, applications for instruction and examination licenses, operators, chauffer's, special chauffeurs and motor-cycle licenses, including an off-street testing range; certified copies of drivers records, driver rehabilitation clinics, license review hearings and services to local title companies and automobile dealers.

Jewell also noted that the opening of the LaVale branch office would enable the Department to provide 72 hours of weekly examination time to the four Western Maryland testing stations, instead of the present 16 hours now scheduled.

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