# Money problems lead to suicide

Bobby Bundy, 21, despondent over "financial problems" hanged himself sometime during the early hours of Thursday morning, at his home in the 1600 block W. North Ave., police report.

His body was discovered at about 1:00 a.m., by his two step - daughters, Patricia, 16, and Bernadette, 11.

HER FACE mirrors the sorrow felt by Patricia Wilkins, 16, after her stepfather was found hanged Thursday.

Police said he tied his leather belt around his neck and attached it to the transom over his bedroom door.

He was pronounced dead at the scene by an assistant medical examiner.

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THE DEAD man's wife Mrs. Jeanette Bundy, 28, who is expecting her third child next month, said her husband had been despondent for sometime because of financial problems.

She stated that on two other occasions she had prevented Mr. Bundy from taking his life and was planning to have him examined by a psychiatrist.

Last to see him alive, Mrs. Bundy told investigators that she had not been feeling well and spent the night with a relative in the 1900 block Fulton Ave.

She said she did not learn of her husband's death until she was informed by her daughters.

# The Veney Legend grows and grows

The Legend of the Veney Brothers, it seems, has no end —it grows, and grows and grows.

Another chapter was added to their alleged Criminal exploits Monday when a Federal Court witness testified that the brothers came into an apartment where confessed bank robbers sat counting their take and made off with half of the stolen $3,000.

The witness, Mrs. Anne Grove, who admitted being a drug user, said she did not know where or when the alleged incident occurred, although she was present.

Mrs. Grove is presently serving a sentence for a narcotics violation.

The woman testified that she was in the apartment with Anthony N. Haney, 25, and Jerome L. West, 27, when the two men came in scooped up the lot and left.

She said she was positive they were Sam and Earl Veney.

Both Haney and West pleaded guilty to having held up the West Baltimore Building and Loan Association on Dec. 17.

The Veneys are awaiting trial on charges of murder in connection with the death of a police officer, the shooting of another, and the robbery of a liquor store.

The woman's testimony it is believed, might be collaborated by statements of the two defendants which were sealed by the court after government prosecutor Thomas J. Kenney, told Chief Judge Roszel C. Thomsen the statements if made public could be "dangerous."

# CAA's business project approved

The Board of Estimates on Wednesday approved the Community Action Agency's disputed Small Business Development Center for the initial anti-poverty project area in East Baltimore.

Also approved by the board were three other CAA projects.

Morton Macht, chairman of the CAA commission, who has previously displayed a coldness toward the small business project, immediately issued a prepared statement praising the Board of Estimates for approving it.

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