—Giles brothers free

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point out, did a conscientious job, but had no funds for investigation.

After that trial and the ensuing death penalty, Montgomery County citizens stirred by the severity of the sentence set up the defense committee.

Upon finding new evidence relating to the reliability of the evidence offered by the 16-year-old alleged victim and her escort for the evening six years ago, the defense committee appealed through the courts until the Supreme Court sent the case back to Maryland for a new trial.

"We really feel great," said Mrs. Jacqueline Bishop, younger sister of the brothers. "We knew this had to come sooner or later."

"We'll feel even better when (Joseph) Johnson is released," an older sister, Miss Joan Giles, who came from New York for the trial, added.

Mr. Johnson was convicted on the same charges in a separate trial, and motions have now been presented for his release, according to defense attorney, Joseph Forer.

ANOTHER FRIEND of the brothers, Samuel Legg, a counselor at Morgan State College who aided with their education, also stated the feelings of their friends and defense committee: "If the brothers were white, they would not have been charged."

Their father, John Giles, a farmer in Carroll County, was not able to be in court Monday, the sisters said, but reunion was planned for later in the day.

Their mother died while they were in the penitentiary.

The original death sentence was commuted by former Governor J. Millard Tawes, after the legal urgings of the defense committee.

After two and a half hours of proceedings, at 12:30 p.m., Judge Menchine ruled that a transcript of testimony taken from the alleged victim and her escort in the first trial could not be admitted at the present trial.

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WILLIAM LINTHICUM, Montgomery County state's attorney, then said the charges of rape and robbery of 25 cents would be nol prossed.

Judge Menchine ruled out the prior testimony, because the defense would not have been able to impeach it on cross examination or show the conflicts in her statements.

It would be impossible to have the alleged victim, Joyce Carol Roberts, who lives in Florida, and her boy friend, Stewart Foster, to testify, Mr. Linthicum said.

The case built by the defense attorneys, Mr. Forer, Hal Witt and Richard Byrd, rested on the reliability of the girl's testimony and suppression of some evidence in the first trial.

Wanted to buy home, told area is unstable

A Ted Lingo Inc. real estate agent has been accused of discouraging a family from buying a home in a Montgomery County neighborhood that has a colored population estimated at 3 percent.

A complaint filed Monday, October 30 with the Maryland Real Estate Commission in Baltimore by the Kemp Mill Civic Association charged that one of the firm's salesmen told a prospective buyer the area was "unstable."

The context of the discussion made plain that the salesman was referring to the presence of colored families in our community," the complaint said.

ROBERT GRUEN, a former Lingo sales manager, was quoted as claiming the firm could not control its salesmen since they are independent contractors." (Gruen is currently associated with another real estate organization in the County.)

The Civic Association said it was seriously concerned about "obvious impact" of such sales tactics on property values in the huge subdivision.

The homeowners group asked the Commission to investigate the practices of the Lingo firm and to require strict compliance with the recently adopted Maryland Real Estate Code of Ethics.

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THE LINGO firm has Kemp Mill homeowners as clients.

The Code, in Article 9, requires a realtor to "protect and promote the interest of his client."

As for Gruen's refusal to accept responsibility for the salesman's action, the complaint said Maryland law specifies that salesmen "perform on behalf of the licensed real estate broker for whom they work."

Realtors also have an obligation under the ethical Code "to protect the public against misrepresentation or unethical practices," the complaint noted.

Saul Oksner, 11241 Bybee St., Silver Spring, Md., president of the Kemp Mill organization, said there is no evidence that property values in the neighborhood have failed to stay abreast of the rising market.

The complaint was based on an affadavit from Charles K. Wilber, 6511 60th Avenue, Riverdale, Md.

Wilber said he visited Lingo's Rockville office last March 14, and was advised that he would not want to live in the area.

The complaint said, Wilber was told at this point, "that 'something's' going to happen in Kemp Mill because the area is 'unstable.'"

THE COMPLAINT added, Wilber was told that Kemp Mill "was not an area in which (the prospective buyer) could anticipate as great an appreciation in the value of a home as (he) might purchase elsewhere."

Wilber reported the incident to Suburban Maryland Fair Housing, a Montgomery County civic organization that promotes open occupancy.

Consequently, Thomas Schwab, then president of Suburban Maryland Fair Housing, George B. Driesen, chairman of the SMFH Compliance Committee, and Conciner asked Gruen for an explanation of Lingo policy. Gruen denied the allegations made by Wilber.

THE COMPLAINT continues: "we do not know whether other Lingo salesmen are discouraging potential buyers from looking for homes in Kemp Mill but we are seriously concerned, for the obvious impact of such a practice on the property values in the community could be significant.

"It is encumbent upon Ted Lingo Inc. to accept responsibility for its salesmen's conduct and to see to it they do not downgrade Kemp Mill property in the eyes of potential buyers.

"Since Ted Lingo has refused to accept such responsibility, we believe that the Commission should investigate this incident and the firm's practices with respect to Kemp Mill property and require strict compliance with the law and Article 9 of the Code of Ethics."

Bank accounts for Warriors

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Congress has approved legislation to start savings accounts with the salary checks due prisoners of war and servicemen classed as missing. The accounts would draw 10 per cent interest.

The Senate approved the House-passed measure by voice vote Tuesday and sent it to the White House.

Theology center lists seminars

ATLANTA — The schedules for seminars and conferences to be held during the 1967-68 academic school at the Interdenominational Theological Center were announced recently for the extension department by Director U. Z. McKinnon. Four seminars and two conferences are included for the 1967-68 agenda.

"The City and The Church" is the title of the beginning seminar. It starts Noember 7, classes are scheduled 6-9 p.m., Thursday Nov. 9, 30, Dec. 7, 14, 21. This seminar will be held in the Vine City Foundation Building. It is open to pastors and laymen including civil rights workers and Economic Opportunity workers.

Community action confab to be held

NEW YORK—The City Commission on Human Rights will sponsor a Conference on Community Action to be held Monday and Tuesday evenings, Nov. 20th and 21st, at Brotherhood in Action in Manhattan.

Bayard Rustin, executive director of the A. Philip Randolph Institute, will be the Keynote speaker at the opening session.

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Police don't know how it happened

(Special to the AFRO)

MORRISTOWN, N.J. — A police witness, testifying in the trial of poet-playwright LeRoi Jones, admitted that Jones "was covered with blood" when he was arrested during the Newark riots, but claimed he didn't know how it happened.

Jones and two co-defendants, contending their arrests was part of a "police frameup" claimed they were brutally beaten by beefy policemen wielding nightsticks.

Patrolman Robert Scrapone, asserting that he didn't see any fellow officers "hit, kick or struck Jones with the butt of a rifle," suggested that the playwright might have been hit on the head with a brick thrown from an adjoining rooftop.

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AN ALL-WHITE jury of 11 men and three women is hearing the trial.

Defense attorneys said that Jones had "several teeth" knocked out and that the other defendants ended up with "two broken arms."

Jones was charged with illegal possession of weapons, a misdemeanor, on July 14 after a horde of police converged on his campus truck in the area of the riots.

Another policeman, Drew McCormick, admitted he was convinced that Leroi Jones from the vehicle by force, after he had refused to step out on command.

McCORMICK SAID Jones was seated silently in the rear of the vehicle and made no move to get out. The patrolmen said he then grabbed Jones by the 'scuff' of his tunic and hauled him from the vehicle.

It was then, according to McCormick, that a gun fell from beneath the African-style tunic Jones was wearing.

Jones denied that he had any gun and insisted the weapon was "planted" by police.

The jury was selected after the defense had exhausted all of its 30 preemptory challenges. Earlier, Jones had been so much trouble getting jurors that police went into the streets to round up prospective panelists.

A change of venue was granted at the request of Jones' attorneys. Trial Judge Isaac Kaplan also denied this request.

KAPP CALLED the outburst "most unfortunate" and instructed the prospective jurors to disregard Jones' remarks.

Booker requested the court to exercise control of the press covering the trial but the court refused.

BLACK POWER ADVOCATE — Leroi Jones, poet-playwright and a leading exponent of black power, is shown wearing African attire as he enters Morristown, N.J. courthouse with his wife, Sylvia. He calls firearms possession charge growing out of Newark riot a "police frameup."

'The Mothers' here Friday

"The Mothers of Invention," led by Baltimore born Frank Zappa, are appearing Friday, Nov. 3, at 8:30 p.m. in Eastern High School auditorium under the auspices of the Student Association Levering Hall YMCA, and the Student Council of Johns Hopkins University.

These music "Mothers," an inventive group whose individual performers are excellent musicians, create a 21st Century sound.

Science teachers take A&T course

GREENSBORO, N.C. — Nine teachers of high school science and mathematics have enrolled in an academic year institute at A and T State University.

They are Tommy Bledsoe, Teague, Texas; Linford L. Bright, Fleischmanns, N.Y.; John C. Herbstreit, Elkton, Mich.; Jerry Hill, Birmingham, Ala.; Robert Marina, Jr., Anderson, S.C.; W. Douglas Obal, Bethlehem, Penna.; Robert Oldaker, Akron, Ohio; Neil B. Osborne, New Ipswich, N.H.; and Bruce V. White, Memphis, Tenn.

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John Lee

Funeral services for John Lee, 1219 Luzerne Ave., were held Tuesday at the Elroy Wilson Funeral Home with burial at Arbutus Memorial Park.

Mr. Lee, 58, died Thursday afternoon at home.

A merchant seaman for more than 25 years, Mr. Lee retired in 1966 for reasons of health.

Born in Baltimore, Mr. Lee was the son of the late Joseph and Emma Lee and attended Dunbar Elementary School.

He is survived by a son, Robert Lee; three sisters Mrs. Martha Caple, Mrs. Virginia McCormick, and Mrs. Mary Bailey and four grandchildren.

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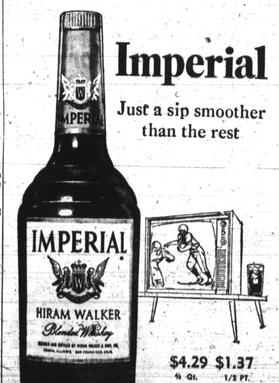

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receive $300 and third prize will be $200. The fourth place winner will be awarded $100.

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To help your minister win, clip out the coupon worth 100 votes and mail or bring it to the AFRO, 628 N. Eutaw St., Baltimore, Md. 21205.

Make it a group, collect the votes and urge your friends to do the same

Votes received by 3 p.m. Wednesday will appear in the Friday edition, votes received between 3 p.m. Wednesday and 5 Friday will appear in the Tuesday edition.

Agnew speaking to National PTA unit

Gov. Spiro T. Agnew and Mrs. Irvin E. Hendryson, president of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, will be among the guest speakers at the 82nd Annual Convention of the Maryland Congress of Parents and Teachers at the Lord Baltimore Hotel Thursday and Friday.

For her keynote address Thursday morning, Mrs. Hendryson will speak on the topic, "Balancing the Scales for Children and Youth."

Mrs. John D. Loizeaux, president of the state organization, selected this theme for her three-year term of office.

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GOV. AGNEW, who will speak at the Friday evening banquet, will address himself to the president's focus for the current year: "Weights that Count."

Other speakers at the convention include Mayor Theodore R. McKeldin; Dr. James A. Sensenbaugh, state superintendent of schools; J. Millard Tawes, former governor;

Mrs. Marty Mann, founder and executive director of the National Council on Alcoholism and H. Carl Smith, program director of the "Congress' Smoking and Health Project.

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THURSDAY AFTERNOON will include a program for state, county and local officers and a discussion of issues of the Maryland Constitutional Convention.

Educational tours to Television Hill, the Mount Royal School library, an Early Admissions program and inner city schools have been scheduled for Friday morning.

Gerald Johnson to aid dinner

Gerald W. Johnson, veteran editorial writer and nationally known columnist, has been appointed as chairman of the Testimonial Dinner for Dr. Alan F. Guttmacher, Dr. Milton S. Eisenhower, General Dinner chairman reported.

The dinner will be held 6:45 Tuesday, Nov. 14, at The Emerson Hotel.

Dr. Guttmacher, president of Planned Parenthood-World Population, will be honored for his outstanding contributions in the field of population control and family planning.

Dr. Alexander Schaffer, an old friend of the honoree, will offer the tribute to his medical colleague.

A dinner is being sponsored jointly by Planned Parenthood Association of Maryland and Planned Parenthood-World Population, the national and international wings of the population movement. It is open to the public.

'Woman Power luncheon held at new Hilton Hotel

Business and professional women, club and civic leaders were among the 400 persons who attended Woman Power's tenth annual luncheon and workshop last Sunday at the new Hilton Hotel.

Those in attendance were:

Mesdames Gladys Barbour, Elizabeth Bryan, Alice Stone, Anita Pleasants, Dorothy Townes, Melvina McClain, Helen B. Day, Mrs. Sallie Miller, Miriam Winbourne, Naomi Tanner, Carrie Glascoe, Blanche Bellamy, Ossie Jackson, Mabel Harrison, Gwendolyn Herbert, Nellie B. Bowie, Nina Scott, Lillian Tate, Jessie M. Trentham, Marie L. Grayson, Beatrice Faulkner, Ardena S. Dixon, Beatrice D. Lewis, Burnetta H. Murray, Alvena Davis, Judith B. Gregg, Elizabeth Cherry, Florina Foster.

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Mesdames Virginia Baker, Tempy Dale, Bessie Butler, Lavenia Alice D. Gray, Sarah Hall, Bertha Brooks, Julia Abrams, Elsie E. Bumbry, Mary Adams, Carolyn Carter, Bernice Patterson, Octavia Marshall, Margaret Lane, Ethel Mae Conway.

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Also Mr. and Mrs. John L. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Stafford, Mr. Louis Goldstein, M. B. Waters, Councilman Henry G. Parks, Hyman Pressman, City Council President Thomas D'Alesandro III, Dr. Gilbert Ware, Dr. G. James Fleming, John hostesses.

Fellowship House to air School Loan controversy

The pros and cons of the $20 million School Loan appearing on the Nov. 7 General Election ballot as Question No. 4 will be aired 8 p.m. Thursday at Fellowship House, 3200 N. Hilton St.

Mrs. Jody Dorsey Fegley, executive director, said the question, which has been the subject of much controversy, will be the topic of discussion at the Thursday night Forum Series.

Spokesmen from both sides of the controversy will discuss, "Do We Vote For or Against the School Loan?" Miss Fegley announced this week.

The director also announced that Mrs. Jody Johns has consented to lead seminar dealing with the history of colored Americans for the benefit of interested teenagers.

Tentative plans call for the session to be held one hour each Friday beginning at 4:30 p.m. Interested teenagers should contact Fellowship House at 644-4055.

MRS. JOHNS is the former high school teacher who was fired because, her superiors charged, she overemphasized civil rights.

The case will be one of the first grievance issues pushed by the Baltimore Teachers Union.

Literature for inmates confined in the House of Correction, collection of clothing items for the needy and monthly book discussion sessions are other activities currently being conducted by Fellowship House, which has been described as a "human relations laboratory."

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Consumer units to honor Birch

Maryland's Attorney General Francis B. Burch, will be honored for his contributions in the field of consumer affairs by Consumer Assembly '67 at the annual conference to be held at the Shoreham Hotel in Washington beginning on Nov. 2.

The Consumer Assembly is the an organization which is comprised of some 35 national consumer groups representing over 50,000,000 consumers throughout the United States.

Mr. Burch has been selected for his efforts in gaining legislative approval for the creation of the State's new Consumer Protection Division which began operations last June and immediately began handling complaints from Maryland consumers.

In addition to Mr. Burch, other persons to be honored include Sen. Gaylord Nelson of Wisconsin, Rep. Wright Patman, chairman, House Banking Committee; Ralph Nader, author and frequent critic of the automobile industry, and Dr. Frances Kelsey of the Food and Drug Administration, who, it may be recalled, was instrumental in preventing the child-deforming drug, thalidomide, from being sold in this country.

Tries to escape million $ suit

ATLANTA — On Nov. 1964, a Mississippi couple, Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Lambert, died in an automobile accident. The car belonged to a civil rights unit, the Sojourner Motor Fleet Inc., and was driven by Grover Cleveland Harrison.

Harrison and civil rights groups which included SNCC, NAACP and SCLC were sued for $500,000 actual damages and $1,000,000 punitive damages.

The car in which the couple was killed was insured by the American Liberty Insurance Company. However, this week the insurance firm asked a federal court here to relieve them of any responsibility to defend the $1.5 million suit against the civil rights group.

They claim that the vehicle involved in the accident was not added to the policy of the 4-door Sojourner Motor Fleet until the day after the accident.

Heart patients project to open

Three Baltimore hospitals, Greater Baltimore Medical Center, Sinai Hospital and the U.S. Public Health Service Hospital today announced an opportunity for male patients between the ages of 30 and 64 who have had documented heart attacks to participate in the Coronary Treatment Project, a study being carried out under research grants supported from the National Heart Institute.

The three hospitals are among 55 Centers throughout this country, Puerto Rico, and Hawaii that will take part in the project. Each center must recruit 150-160 patients toward the 8,500 total required to insure the validity of the study results.

The program is designed to determine whether drugs that lower blood levels of cholesterol and other fatty substances can improve long-term survival among heart-attack victims by protecting them against recurrent heart attacks and other complications of coronary heart disease.

The project has been endorsed by the American Heart Association and the American College of Cardiology.

Layman's league installation set

ARDMORE, Pa. — The Layman's League of Bethel AME Church, 158 Walnut Ave., Ardmore, will hold its installation service on Sunday, Nov. 12, at 11 a.m.

Guest speaker for the occasion will be Robert N. Brown, president of the Philadelphia Conference Lay Organization.

Miss Louise R. Coursey is president of the organization. The Rev. E. J. Jones is the minister.

SCLC's veep at Toronto teach-in

ATLANTA — Dr. Ralph D. Abernathy, vice president at-large and treasurer of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, delivered a lecture Oct. 21 at the Third International Teach-In at the University of Toronto, Canada.

The civil rights and religious leader revealed to an applauding audience of 5,000 persons that he would soon return to Birmingham, Alabama, to serve a jail term for violating a state court injunction in 1963. He criticized this use of the injunction as "unjust," and said he "knowingly and willingly violated it along with Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. and six other colleagues, so that we could keep the Birmingham civil rights movement live. As a result, our action brought into being the Civil Rights Act of 1964."

Million $ suit to go on trial

By ALBERT WASHINGTON

DETROIT — A ruling by a U.S. district judge has cleared the way for trial of a $1 million law suit against Abraham E. Levine who is the mayor of Mt. Clemens, Mich. Also named in the suit are four city commissioners.

Ruling that a white property owner has a constitutional right "to dispose of property without interference based on the race of the purchaser," Judge Theodore Levin denied a motion, filed by the mayor and councilmen, to dismiss the suit.

The 1966 suit charges the mayor and councilmen with violating Louis M. Parine's right to sell his Mt. Clemens restaurant, the Imperial Dining Room and Cocktail Lounge, to a colored American, Herbert Pearson.

THE SUIT CHARGES that the defendants denied the transfer of the bar license to Pearson to "prevent a colored bar from operating in a white community."

In answer to the suit, attorneys for the mayor and commissioners claimed that the city of Mt. Clemens could be "arbitrary and capricious" in approving license transfers and that they were immune from lawsuits like Parine's.

Commissioners named in the suit are Margaret Rossop, Ray W. Brandenburg, Hunter D. Stair and William V. Wendt.

Judge Levin's denial of the dismissal motion allows the suit to proceed to trial, although no date has been set.

Meanwhile, the Michigan Civil Rights Commission is considering a complaint against the city of Mt. Clemens filed by Pearson.

Attorneys Russ also filed in Federal Court. A motion to combine his suit with Parine's is pending.

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