THE STRAIN is evident in the faces of the AFRO's Al Rutledge (left) and Secretary Robert J. Lally of the Maryland Public Safety Commission shortly after their talks with inmates of Patuxent Institute who had held two guards hostage for three hours under threat of death. Sec. Lally and Mr. Rutledge successfully negotiated for the lives of the guards on the promise to sit down with a group of inmate representatives to discuss problems of conditions faced by the inmate body.

—Patuxent

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when emotions are highly aroused, like when someone throws feces on a man, one can't help but get angered; at times like that some rough handling may occur."

Dr. Boswell continued to praise his "professional staff" as being "the finest in the country." However, he made no mention of how well his security force (prison guards) performed.

That factor, added with two others presents at least an interesting, if not provocative question.

Patuxent's diagnostic staff interviewed Lascell Gallop on July 29, 1969, and found him to be a defective delinquent based on his chronic criminal behavior.

However, they reported "emotionally, he is very constricted, and as expresses this behaviorally by being cold and aloof."

Dr. Boswell revealed that Lascell Gallop (or "Cadillac" as he is known) "has never entered the institution's programs." This means that his entire exposure has been to the security force with very little to do with the professional staff.

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On June 9, 1970 the same diagnostic staff of Drs. Klark, Carney and Sorongon interviewed Mr. Gallop again.

The report was pretty much the same as the first with the acception of this paragraph:

"... the patient has had a stormy adjustment and has found it difficult to settle down and participate in the institutional program.

"Because of his impulsive, dangerous and homicidal tendencies, it was necessary, for his own protection and the protection of the others, to have this patient isolated in our maximium security tier."

Mr. Gallop was no longer "cold and aloof," now he is "stormy" and "homicidal."

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What happened to cause that deterioration?

His criminal record showed only crimes of larceny, auto theft, shoplifting, robbery, narcotic violation and refusing to pay his fare to a cab driver.

What terrible forces worked their evil, and in one year turned a thief into a homicidal danger to others?

Raymond Lewis Jefferson, manager of Stanley's Cleaners in the 400 block Denison St., says it's the brutality of Associate Director Forest Calhoun "and his goon squad."

Mr. Jefferson is a former Patuxent inmate. In 1951, he was sentenced to the Maryland Reformatory for Males for three years for auto larceny.

Six months after he began his sentence, he was transferred to Patuxent for "evaluation" and remained there nine years. He was released in January of this year.

Mr. Jefferson told the AFRO "the goon squad beat me and kicked out two of my teeth." After the beating he stated he "was sentenced to the hole for 90 days."

He said at his trial "Calhoun told me I will treat you the way I want to in my jail."

Somewhere in this maze of accusations and denials is the truth.

The AFRO-AMERICAN National Legal Redress Committee of the NAACP Newspapers along with the has launched an all-out investigative campaign to uncover that truth.

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—Revised plan

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The so-called "Caplan Plan" named for Judiciary Committee Chairman Reuben Caplan (D. 5th).

Blacks felt that councilmen were avoiding the idea of equity by drawing districts along lines advantageous to white for election and disadvantageous to blacks.

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be known that he "disapproved of the "Caplan Plan" but did not approve of the revised Bard Plan.

However, after the City Solicitor's ruling on the most recent plan by the Council time was running out.

April 1 was the deadline for the existence of some type of redistricting plan whether the council had approved one or not. If it did not have a plan by midnight April 1, the Bard Plan would go into effect.

Under the new plan approved by the Mayor yesterday the councilmanic districts will run like this:

The first councilmanic district will consist of the first ward; second ward; third ward; fourth ward; fifth ward; sixth ward and precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8 through 17 of the seventh ward.

Also precincts 3, 25 and 26 of the eight ward; precincts 1 through 34 and precinct 37A of the twenty-sixth ward. And the twenty-second ward. All of these areas are white.

The second councilmanic district, one of the most controversial, will be drawn as: Precinct 5 and precinct 7 of the seventh ward; precincts 4 through 24 of the eighth ward; precincts 1 and 2 and precincts 4 through 9 of the ninth ward.

Also the tenth, eleventh and twelfth ward; precinct 1, and precincts 15 through 22, and precinct 25 of the thirteenth ward. And precincts 1, 2, and 12 of the fourteenth ward.

The third councilmanic district will consist of: Precincts 1 and 2 of the eighth ward; precinct 3 and precincts 26 through 31 of the twenty-sixth ward; and the ninth ward. Also precincts 35 through 45, excluding precinct 37A, of the twenty-sixth ward; and precincts 1 through 77 of the twenty-seventh ward.

The fourth councilmanic district will consist of: Precincts, 6 through 14 and precincts 23 and 24 of the thirteenth ward precincts 3 through 11 of the fourteenth ward; precincts 4B and 10, and precincts 15 through 42 of the fifteenth ward.

Also the sixteenth ward; seventeenth ward; and precincts 1 through 4 and precinct 9 of the eighteenth ward. And precincts 1, 2, and 11 of the nineteenth ward.

The fifth councilmanic district will consist of: Precincts 2 through 5 of the thirteenth ward; precincts 1 throhgh 4, 4A and 4C, precincts 5 through 14 of the fifteenth ward; precincts 78 through 108 of the twenty-seventh ward;

Also the twenty-eighth ward; and precincts 11 and 12 of the twentieth ward.

The sixth councilmanic district will consist of: Precincts 5 through 8 of the eighteenth ward; precincts 3 through 10 of the nineteenth ward; precincts 1 through 10 and precincts 13 through 25 of the twentieth ward.

Also the twenty-first ward; twenty-third ward; twenty-fourth ward and twenty-fifth ward.

—D.C. pastor

the church operation a dissident group is led by the church treasurer Ira Johnson. They charged The Rev. Mr. Coates held an illegal church election to put himself in office.

During the first week of February, the Superior Court Judge George H. Goodrich approved a motion for a temporary restraining order which would prohibit further elections at the church.

The motion contended the Rev. Mr. Coates "acted illegally and continued to act illegally as minister of the church."

The church group stated that according to church by-laws the election should be held in October, but the Rev. Mr. Coates scheduled a special meeting January 29.

The group further contends the minister packed one side of the church with children, who on a pre arranged signal voted for persons previously approved by him.

The restraining order prohibited the Rev. Mr. Coates from installing the officers elected or doing anything further about the election until the hearing is conducted.

Also part of the judges decision was to set up an arbitration panel to solve the problem. Representatives from both sides were appointed as well as one arbitrator.

The panel was unable to reach any conclusions or come to any agreement so this the request for a court hearing was made.

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—Sen. Blount

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prisoner whose original sentence had expired and who was declared not to be a defective delinquent at Patuxent be set free and not returned to prison as is sometimes the case now.

A prisoner is declared a defective delinquent after an examination by a psychiatrist, a psychologist and physician has determined that his mental and intellectual deficiencies are so severe he should not be released into normal prison life.

Blount said he is optimistic that the bill will survive the Senate Judicial Proceedings Committee intact and advance to the Senate floor.

—3-year bill

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Maryland have not responded as strongly to the measure, co-sponsored by Del. Hildagardets Boswell (D-4th), as have people in other parts of the country and the world. She will attempt to read the will of the Maryianders this summer before acting again.

The bill would make all marriages performed in Maryland contracts that are either renewed every three years or expire without the lengthy and costly annulment or divorce procedures now tangling the divorce courts.

Willie Sparrow Korean War veteran, dies

Funeral services are being held at 1 p.m. today (Friday) at the Katie Williams Funeral Home for Willie Wilson Sparrow, 1026 W. Baltimore St. He will be buried in military rites in Mount Auburn Cemetery.

Mr. Sparrow, age 42 and a veteran of the Korean conflict, died Monday at the steering wheel of the truck he was driving.

He was on the way to work and collapsed on the wheel of the vehicle as he neared St. Agnes Hospital. He was pronounced dead on arrival.

In addition to his wife, Mrs. Elsie Porter Sparrow, surviving are his father, John Sparrow; mother-in-law, Mrs. Laura Mackey, 2633 Lauretta Ave.; seven brothers, four sisters, nieces and nephews.

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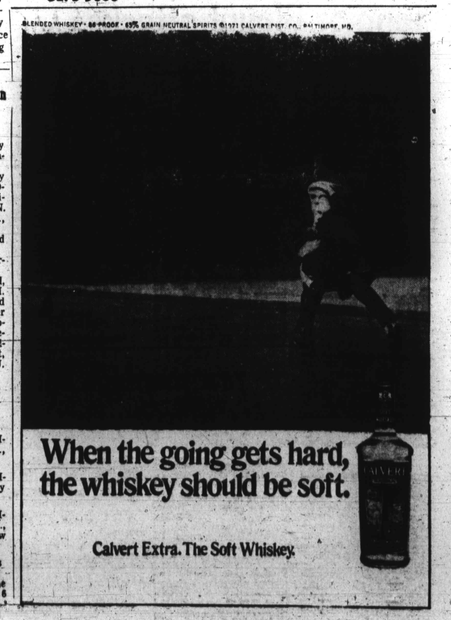

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Calley term rouses ire of citizens

By UPI

Three local draft boards resigned, at least three mass marches on Washington were being planned, and the White House was swamped with telegrams and telephone calls as Americans expressed their feelings about the conviction of Lt. William Calley.

Calley was convicted of the premeditated murder of 22 Vietnamese civilians at My Lai. He was sentenced Wednesday to life in prison.

Reaction continued to mount around the nation as Calley waited in the Ft. Benning stockade for a transfer to federal prison.

The White House, according to Press Secretary Ronald L. Ziegler, had received more than 5,000 wires and 1,500 telephone calls concerning the conviction by Thursday morning. They were running almost 100-1 in favor of clemency for Calley, he said.

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In St. Petersburg, Fla., real estate man Walter J. Dilbeck said he and 100 "coordinators" around the nation were laying plans for a mass march on Washington July 4 on behalf of all GIs charged in the My Lai incident.

"We intend to have one million people in Washington that day and we intend to stay there until these men are released," Dilbeck said.

E. Thomas Cammarota, commander of the Pennsylvania American Legion, called on President Nixon to heed those urging clemency.

"If President Nixon sees fit not to listen to the thousands of telegrams that already have been sent to him, we are prepared to march on Washington," Cammarota said.

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Robert Cadle, a retired Army sergeant who says the verdict was "a lot of bull," said he and a "Free Calley Committee" with branches in all states but Hawaii, will lead 50,000 people in a march on Washington after a petition drive.

"This whole thing has boomeranged all out of proportion," Cadle said. "People call in and they cuss, cuss, cuss. Are they mad? I've never seen anything like this verdict in my life."

All the members of local Selective Service boards in Elizabethton, Tenn., and Athens and Blairsville, Ga., resigned. Members of the Quitman, Ga., board wired Nixon they would not induct any more men.

"This is the worst thing that's ever happened in the United States," said Robert E. Caldwell, chairman of the Blairsville board.

Meanwhile, Col. Oran K. Harris, commander of the Americal Division's 11th Brigade, pleads today (Friday) at Ft. Meade on three charges of helping to cover up the My Lai tragedy.

Blond slays lover, weeps over body

By ELIZABETH M. OLIVER

Mrs. Cheri Miles Bosley, 30, 3900 block Wilsby Dr., was given a one-year prison term for manslaughter when she appeared in Criminal Court before Judge Anselm Sodaro last week.

The blond, former Block stripper who had been married three times was accused of the March 3, 1970 slaying of her black lover, Samuel Boston, 30, 900 block W. Lexington St.

Testimony at the trial which extended from Feb. 11 through Feb. 18, revealed that the former hatcheck and burlesque nite club girl, mother of six, shot boston during a disagreement in Frank's Tavern.

An eyewitness told the court Mrs. Bosley fired the nickel-plated .38 caliber snub nose revolver with a metal grip adapter and after her sweetheart hit the floor, threw herself across his body.

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The eyewitness told the jury that Mrs. Bosley kissed the mortally wounded man and then turned the gun on herself, wounding the inside portion of her thigh.

The witness, John Henry (Stretch) Moore, 26, 600 block Pitcher St., testified the gun fell to the floor and after he kicked it away, he put his foot on it to hold it until the police arrived.

Another witness, Arthur Barker, 40, unit block S. Hanover St., also told the court how the matron threw herself across the body of her dying lover and then shot herself.

He also disclosed that afterward Mrs. Bosley tossed him a wad of money, $75 and some change and told him to take care of her children.

With Elliott Goldberg as defense attorney, Mrs. Bosley was denied a new trial and was sentenced to spend a year in prison for the manslaughter slaying of Mr. Boston.

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Until she was found guilty of the crime, the plump, 5 ft. 5 matron had been free on bail. However, after the February guilty verdict was handed down by Judge Sodaro, she was lodged in jail to await sentencing.

In records placed before the court, Mrs. Bosley was quoted as saying although her lover was black, she liked his protective attitude, his jealousy and devotion.

Testimony revealed that the couple had been drinking and autopsy reports showed Boston was at a high degree of intoxication when the fatal incident occurred.

Local political group announced by Walter Dean

Walter R. Dean Jr. (5th, Baltimore City), freshman member of the Maryland House of Delegates, announces the formation of the Fifth District Urban Democratic Organization, Inc.

Delegate Dean, whose assignment in the legislature is on the prestigious Ways and Means Committee, is a professional social worker and an assistant professor in the urban affairs department at the Community College of Baltimore.

Activities of the organization will include a voter education, and registration program for the upcoming municipal elections and the 1972 national elections. The organization will foster a special interest in the areas of health, education, redistricting, housing and other interests pertinent to the needs of community people.

— LEWIS —

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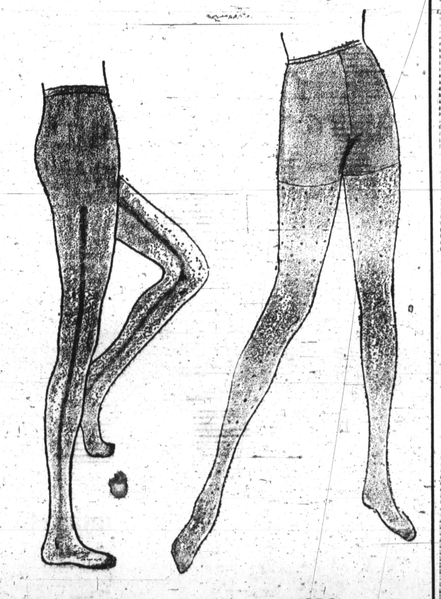

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