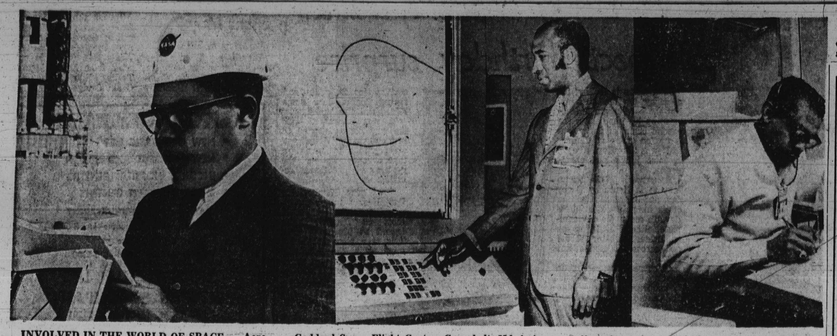

INVOLVED IN THE WORLD OF SPACE — Aerospace Technician Data Analysis, Remer Prince, (L) who joined the Kennedy Space Center in May, 1966, performs mathematic and scientific duties in connection with automatic check-out computers for the Saturn V launch vehicle. John Morton (C), of NASA's Goddard Space Flight Center, Greenbelt, Md. is in charge of Goddard's realtime computing system which supports Apollo missions to the moon. Native Washingtonian William M. Wallace (R), who joined NASA's Apollo team in October, 1965 as staff engineer for technical program management in the Washington, D.C. Headquarters Apollo Program Office, provides minute by minute support during all major events of the Apollo 16 flight and during lunar exploration.

3 play key roles in lunar mission

HOUSTON — Three men played key backup roles during the Apollo 16 mission to the moon, which ended Thursday afternoon.

Manning the mission director's support console during important phases of the operation, such as the lunar landing, was William M. Wallace.

The 50-year-old space engineer joined the program as staff engineer in the Washington headquarters in 1965. He had previously worked at the Bureau of Ships and the Naval Weapons Services Office.

A Washington native, he now lives with his wife Rebecca in Silver Spring. He is a mechanical engineering graduate of Howard University.

His son, William N., is serving in Vietnam.

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Meanwhile, back in Greenbelt, Md., John Morton rode hard on the real time computing system at the Goddard Spaceflight Center.

As section chief, he was responsible for the proper computer program sequence at the manned flight center. Had Houston become inoperable for any reason, the Goddard complex would have taken over its function.

Morton, who formerly worked for the Meteorological Satellite Section of the Department of Commerce, holds a Master of Science degree from Howard University.

At Goe beginning, Remer Price watched his console screen in the firing room at Cape Kennedy as the countseconds to launch.

The screen was showing him the progress of the launch vehicle computer programs.

Prince, who graduated with honors from Florida A and M in mathematics, is a checkout automation engineer for Saturn-Apollo vehicles and has been associated with the launch of six manned flights.

He plans the automated prelaunch tests for the vehicles.

"During the final countdown, we come into play if anything goes wrong. We isolate the problem and determine if program corrections can be made," he said.

College interrupted Prince's work at NASA. He came to the spaceport after his 1963 Air Force discharge, went to Tallahassee in January, 1964, and returned in 1966.

Farm workers hold benefit dinner

Baltimore supporters of the migrant farm workers' movement attended a solidarity dinner last Sunday to benefit the migrant workers struggle.

Children and adults were served chili con carne, pinto beans, rice, three different kinds of lettuce-free salads, wine punch and beer in an effort to aid migrant farm workers led by Cesar Chavez, national director.

The dinner was held at the Cameo Hal, 4711 Harford Rd. Proceeds are to benefit the nonviolent efforts of the farm workers building a union for the migrants.

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Los Angeles, 107; New York, 96. (Los Angeles leads best-of-7 series, 2-1)

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'Follow Through' parents sponsor fashion show

A Fashion Show, in conjunction with the federally-funded follow through program, is being sponsored by the parents at Thomas G. Hayes Elementary School No. 102, 601 N. Central Ave. on May 11 at 7 p.m. at the school.

These parents, who actively participate in their children's early childhood education, play an essential role in the program.

For tickets call Mrs. Marjorie McDonald, PAC chairman, 685-4359 or Mrs. Cynthia Yee, 488-2109.

MAY 6

The Pratt Library Calendar of Events for May, lists a "Music at the Library" concert at the Central Library, 400 Cathedral Street, on May 6.

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Dr. Solomon says health care facilities must obey Md. rules

Maryland's Health and Mental Hygiene Secretary, Dr. Neil Solomon, warned he will insist that nursing homes and other related health care facilities obey the letter and spirit of Maryland law and regulations.

The Secretary also reaffirmed his policy of "conducting public business in public," by releasing the names of nursing homes which are fully licensed by the state, and those which are in other stages of compliance.

He said he has always required that the Department maintain a firm but fair policy regarding enforcement procedures. "We shall not compromite our position that proper health and safety standards be maintained," Dr. Solomon said, "and that appropriate enforcement procedures will follow any deviation from these standards."

Special teachers to attend workshop

Special education teachers in Baltimore City, Baltimore, Howard and Anne Arundel counties have been invited to attend a Special Education Workshop at the Kennedy institute, Sat., from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The workshop is designed to acquaint special educators who teach children with specific learning disabilities in public and private schools with innovative teaching methods which can be easily applied in a classroom setting.

The program entitled "Programming Alternatives in Special Education" will be presented by the special education department and professional staff of the Kennedy Institute.

$2.5 million given for criminal justice

The Governor's Commission on Law Enforcement and the Administration of Justice has awarded $2,591,548 to State agencies and local units of government throughout Maryland for projects to improve the criminal justice system.

Among the grant awards was $75,000 for a Violent Crime Liaison Unit to operate within the Baltimore City State's Attorney's Office and $496,500 for an Innovative Foot Patrolman Project in the city's Police Department.

Plans for the Foot Patrolman project call for the deployment of 52 officers in high crime areas of the City.

Funds were also approved for two youth service centers in Baltimore County and for the Harundale Youth Center in Anne Arundel County.

At the State level, two major grants totaling $222,000 were awarded to the State Public Defender's Office.

Under one program, additional Public Defenders will be made available to serve indigent juvenile offenders, particularly in Baltimore City. Also, plans cal for 10 interviewers who will initially screen all juveniles and their parents prior to trial.

Under the other Public Defender program, investigators will be provided to examine the backgrounds of adult alleged offenders.

Their duties will include documenting social background, locating witnesses, developing evidentiary materials, appearing at trial as witnesses, investigating allegations of criminal conduct and preparing preliminary research materials.

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BALTIMORE and All That Jazz

By ARCHIE MANGRAM JR.

Last Sunday, the Chico Hamilton Quintet was the attraction of the Left Bank Society. Chico always has interesting groups, even though he has been around for awhile.

Chico's present group smacks of surrealism. This of course can be good at times, and quite interesting. It can also get rather boring if given enormous amounts.

Fortunately, Chico's sense of pacing saved the day. His surrealistic offerings were — co-mingled with some finger-poppin' swingers.

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Chico has dedicated himself to "move into new and unexplored directions."

He likes to surround himself with contemporary musicians so that his style doesn't become stale and dated.

Chico Hamilton, of course, plays drums. He also sang a couple of tunes last Sunday, one being a lowdown dirty, nasty blues.

John Abercrombie is the guitarist and Mark Cohen the alto saxophonist.

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John's approach on the guitar seems to be rather subdued, even when he is playing those acid-rock things replete with wa-wa attachment. He knows his instrument well, however, and played some very engaging figures.

Mark, on alto, is also a very modern musician. He has an electronic attachment on his horn and also utilizes the wa-wa thing. He and the guitarist played some ethereal, unison lines together.

It was rather ironic that Mark played a very moving solo on [illegible] "Satin Doll," standing in almost the exact place Duke had occupied the previous Sunday.

At first, this writer got the impression that he was only half-serious on the solo, doing a sort of musical put-on. But then he really got serious and played several very tasty choruses.

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All in all the group entertained the audience with some interesting, and at times swinging jazz.

Biddy's place, above the Fullon Inn, has been taken over by Ronnie Strickland.

It is now called Ronnie's, the former Commissioner of the Liquor License Board, apparently will stick with the jazz motif. The club is no longer 'private.'

The Earl Wilson Trio with Rita Doryse is now appearing at Ronnies. Earl has a different group from and earlier edition of his Trio.

Thomas Hurley is now the organist, and does an extremely fine job on his instrument. Gene Watkins is the drummer and adds cohesiveness to the group.

Rita Doryse, is a talented vocalist who seems equally at home with ballads, blues or rock; and unbeatable combination.

Now that the weather is warming up, we will be getting around to more of the clubs and reporting on some other jazz groups playing around town.

Young-Gloh Unlimited will be in town this Sunday, May 7th. You can call 945-2266 for the particulars.

Mr. Waxter re-elected Social Welfare head

Thomas J. S. Waxter, Jr., moldatthe ingforu sprp Baltimore attorney, was re-elected president of the Maryland Conference of Social Welfare at the group's spring forum held at the Civic Center.

Addition to Mr. Waxter, other officers elected include: Dr. King V. Cheek, Frank A. Gunther, Jr., Mrs. Thomas P. Perkins, II, and Mrs. Vivian Washington, vice-presidents; Mrs. George Van Buskirk, secretary; J. Clarence Jameson, treasurer; and Mrs. Sara Rogers, assistant treasurer.

Fifteen delegates at large also elected are: Roy Borum, Michael Brockmeyer, George Dalsheimer, Mrs. Isaac Hamburger, David Hollander, Mrs. Norma Jean Johnson, Mrs. Anton Keating.

Also Mrs. Shirley McNeill, Mrs. Frances Murphy, Mrs. Myrtle Nichols, Mrs. Ruth Pratt, Mrs. Mary Robinson, Dr. Oakley Saunders, Mrs. Louis Schaffer and Louis Thalheimer.

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The Maryland Conference of Social Welfare is a voluntary private citizens organizations, representing a cross-section of the population, rich and poor, black and white, professional social workers, white collar and blue collar workers.

Its prime purpose is to improve the social welfare of all people in Maryland through public education and social action.

Calhoun Bond was chairman of the nominating committee which also included Walter Dean Jr., Mrs. Lester S. Levy, Michael Brockmeyer and Marion Sjodin.

PTA meets Sunday at Rosewood

The faculty and the staff of the Rosewood School at Rosewood State Hospital, have announced the second meeting of the Parent-Teacher Conference on Sunday, at 2 p.m.

The meeting will convene in the school auditorium and will include demonstrations of classroom techniques as well as opportunities for parent-teacher conferences.

A bus will leave from the Civic Center at 1:15 p.m. for those in need of transportation. Buses will return to the pickup point.

Further information may be obtained by calling the Rosewood School office, 363-0300 extensions 264 or 271.

Child, 4, describes slaying

A story police say was told by a four year-old child, led to the arrest of a man in his mother's death Monday evening.

Police state Samuel Scott, 25, 2600 blockShirley Ave., was arrested and charged an hour after the child had narrated how a man came to their first floor apartment in the 2900 block Woodland Ave. "and did something to make my mother cry."

Police quote Joseph Hatchett Jr. 4 as saying after he had done something to his mother, "The man took a wash rang and kept wiping his hands, wandered in the apartment and then left."

The police records further state 21-year-old mother of two, Janice P. Hatchett, 2300 block Woodland Ave. was shot twice in the head in her home at 9 p.m. Monday.

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Pronounced dead on scene, Mrs. Hatchett is reported by City Medical examiner, Dr. Werner U. Spitz, to have died from two bullet shots to the head.

Her death, police claim, triggered off a series of incidents in which her husband, Joseph Hatchett and his younger brother were arrested.

According to police statement a homicide charge against Joseph Hatchett was dropped later in the day but he was soon re-arrested and charged with conspiracy to violate narcotic laws.

His younger brother, Earl Hatchett, 24, 2300 block McCulloh St., was arrested at 8:15 a.m. when he went to the police station to visit his brother, Joseph.

Police claim Earl Hatchett was charged with possession of heroin and narcotic equipment and attempt to smuggle contraband into cellblock.

While Mr. Hatchett was locked up in the North District, police said, he was sent a package of food by his younger brother, Earl.

An inspection of the package showed there were a needle, syringe and two bags of suspected heroin in a soft drink cup.

Brother brothers are granted bail, according to police.

Police statement said at about 10 p.m. Monday Mr. Hatchett, on his return from work approached his neighbors and asked them to take custory of two children while he took his wife to hospital.

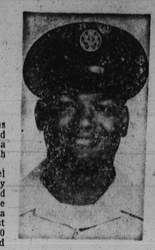
He also reported to his neighbors he came back from work to find that his wife had been struck in the head with something. He said the wife was lying on the bedroom floor.

Police said they then spoke to Joseph Hatchett Jr. who told the story of a man who came in and did something to make the mother cry. The child said the man's name was Scott.

When Mr. Hatchett gave the description of Scott, police said, he was seen on Park Heights and placed under arrest in the Northwest District police station.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR REP. MITCHELL

Anyone wishing to volunteer to help the campaign to reelect Congressman Mitchell may call 728-3400, 1902 Ellamont St., campaign headquarters.



AIRMAN RAYNER R. MATTHEWS, son of Mrs. James A. Bowman of Towanda Ave., completed his Air Force basic training at the Air Training Command's Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, and has been assigned to Sheppard AFB, Texas for training in the wire maintenance field. He is a 1969 Dunbar High School graduate.

HAMPSTEAD HILL SENIOR Tweedll Bell won third place in cartoon drawing at the recent Md. Scholastic Press Advisors Assoc. convention in Riverdale, Md. Cathy Jones won second place in essay writing and Pamela Potter won third place in narrative writing.

Servicemen in the news

Marine Lance Corporal Lester S. Morris Jr., son of Mrs. Caroline Morris, Chase St., has concluded a month-long field training exercise on the Island of Hawaii, and has returned with his unit to its home at the Marine Corps Air Station, Kaneohe Bay, on Oahu.

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Navy Seaman August J. Becker III, son of Mr. and Mrs. August J. Becker Jr. Ohio Ave., and husband of the former Miss Donna L. Ault, completed the basic Radar School at Great Lakes, Ill.

Radarmen operate search radar, electronic recognition and identification equipment, aids to navigation and controlled approach devices.

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Marine Pfc. Willie M. Curbeam, son of Mr. Greenberry Curbeam of N. Patterson Park Ave., has reported for duty at Marine Corps Base, Okinawa.

A former student of Dunbar High School, Baltimore, he joined the Marine Corps in December 1970.

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Marine Pvt. Shelton L. Tate, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Tate of Elderon Ave., has reported for duty at Marine Corps Base, Okinawa.

A former student of Northwestern High School, Baltimore, he joined the Marine Corps in February 1971.

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Marine Pvt. James S. Baker of Woodbine Ave., has reported for duty at Marine Corps Base, Okinawa.

A former student of Fr[illegible]mondson High School, Baltimore, he joined the Marine Corps in August 1970.

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Navy Petty Officer Second Class George R. Bond, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Bond, of Woodbourne Ave., has reported for duty aboard the combat stores ship USS White Plains, homeported at Alameda, Calif.

He will be assigned to duties as a Radarman.

Radarmen operate search radar, electronic recognition and identification equipment, aids to navigation and controlled approach devices.

A 1967 graduate of Archbishop Curley High School in Baltimore, he joined the Navy in April 1969.

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Marine Pfc. Dennis A. Beverley, son of Mrs. Mabel H. Beverley of W. 23th St., and husband of the former Miss Suzanne M. Serrano of Moravia Rd., has reported for duty at the Marine Corps Air Station, Cherry Point, N.C.

A former student of Baltimore City College, he joined the Marine Corps in May 1971.

$7,500 grant to Morgan

Dr. James Haywood Hirison, director of development and institutional planning at Morgan State College, announced this week the college has been awarded a $7,500 grant by the William Randolph Hearst Foundation.

The grant will be used for the student aid program. The award was announced in New York by David W. Hearst, president of the Hearst Foundation.

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Swim classes for tots opens at Western YMCA

A Tiny Tot swim class, for toddlers 6 months to 3 years old, will be part of a total family swimming program offered by the Western YMCA when its new building and grounds open in Catonsville on May 8.

Children barely out of diapers will be taught the basic techniques of swimming and floating when the new facility opens on South Rolling Road.

In addition, the Y will have swim classes for persons of all ages from pre-beginner to junior and senior lifesaving. Recreational and family swims will also be scheduled in the new facility.

While a wide variety of activities, including camping tennis, will be available to members, the new Western YMCA will place its major emphasis on family activity. Mom and Dad will be as much a part of mfwymm rdcmfw etaosh m shr shrd cmfw shrl mm mm the youngsters.

A unique membership concept designed to encourage the whole family to participate has been established by Western for its new $300,000 building and grounds.

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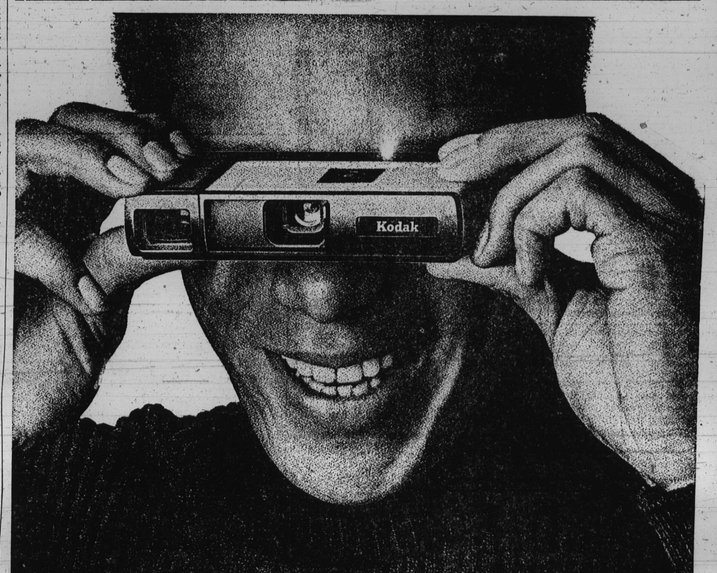

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