CCB plans rights confab

A "Know Your Rights" Conference is being planned by the Community College of Baltimore personnel, for the College's Campus Theater, Tuesday, May 15.

The conference is planned to update women's information regarding current legislation (past and proposed) institutional policies, and their potential social impact and guest appearances include Mrs. Verda Welcome, State Senator.

Mrs. Barbara Faw, Chairwoman of the Community College of Baltimore's Affirmative Action Committee on Women's Rights says the program is scheduled from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

MAY 2

The Advisory Board of Provident Community Mental Health Center will host the Administrative Staff at a luncheon meeting 1 p.m., Wed., May 2, at Provident Hospital.

CCB offering 3 new summer English courses

The Community College of Baltimore will offer three new courses on linguistics, research, and major American poets during its special summer session, May 14 through June 1.

English 106SA, "Descriptive Linguistics," will examine the language habits of the speaker of modern English based on clear linguistic principles established early in the course.

English 109SA, "Introduction to Term Papers, Research Methods and Bibliographic Skills," will offer the techniques of basic research and bibliographic skills related to the preparation of term and other research papers.

English 209SA, "Survey of Major American Poets," focuses on the philosophical issues of man's relation to God, society, and himself.

Each course carries three credits and will be held at the Liberty Heights campus, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to noon. For more information or for details of registration, call 462-5800, extension 222.

TUESDAY, MAY 1

"Five on Treasure Island" (Part 4), film at the main Pratt Library Children's Department, 4:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2

"Grand Canyon: A Journey with Joseph Wood Krutch," film at the Pratt Library's Broadway Branch, 1:00 p.m.

"Quebeck— The Citadel City" and "The Louvre," films at the Pratt Library's Edmondson Avenue Branch, 1:00 p.m.

SERIOUS BUSINESS is reflected in the faces of these two violinists at the Third Annual Spring Concert, held Apr. 1, Poly-Western High school. They are, from left, Miss Rosalyn Thompson and Miss Kim Brawner, both ninth graders at Pimlico Junior High School. (AFRO photo by Mark D. Baird.)

Music a common bond for high school coeds

By BLAINE TAYLOR

Miss Rosalyn Thompson and Miss Kim Brawner are two attractive young ladies with many things in common.

Both are 14, are ninth graders at Pimlico Junior High School, love to play the violin and the piano, are members of the All-Baltimore Junior High School Orchestra, and hope to get music scholarships at the Peabody Conservatory of Music.

In addition, both hope to have a career in the music world and both played in the Third Annual Spring Concert, Apr. 1, in the Polytechnic-Western Auditorium, Coldspring Lane and Falls Rd.

They met just this year at Pimlico and soon became very close friends.

Miss Thompson, daughter of Mrs. Janette A. Thompson, an education teacher says, "I like music and I hope to continue playing for a long time."

She began playing the piano and the violin at age six, and now has her own violin.

She has several hobbies, including playing with her dog Fifi; reading novels (such as "The Exocrcist") watching TV; and going to the movies (most recent film was Walt Disney's "Charley and the Angels

Miss Thompson has two brothers and two sisters: Gwendolyn, 21, who will graduate this June from the Maryland Institute of Art; Anthony, 13; Shawn, 7 a student at Dickeyville Nursery; and Kimberly, 6, a pupil at The Little School.

Al Green is Miss Thompson's favorite recording artist.

Miss Kim Brawner, daughter of Mrs. Shirley Brawner, a social worker at Spring Grove State Hospital told the AFRO "I love playing the violin.

"When I was little my mother took me to concerts, and I became intrigued with the sounds that came out of the violin.

"They were incredible so I decided to take it up."

She has played the violin for six years, and the piano for nine years.

"You must practice, as that's the main thing," she asserts.

She has one brother, Kurt 8, a pupil in the third grade at Edgecomb Elementary School, and she attends the John Wesley United Methodist Church, North Ave. and Bloomingdale Rd.

Her hobbies are many.

She likes TV, and watches "Young Dr. Kildare" and concerts.

In addition, Miss Brawner reads mystery and medical books, plus she saw the movie "Sound of Music" mainly because there were violins in it.

Her favorite record artists are The Temptations and the O'Jays.

Miss Brown to be cited at banquet

Miss Daisy V. Brown, the Loy Leader of St. Paul United Methodist Church, Saratoga and Schroeder Sts. will be honored with a testimonial banquet by the Brotherhood Beneficial Association No. 1, Inc. Sunday, May 6, at 5 p.m.

Bro. Leon Johnson is chairman; Sis. Margie T. Brown, secretary; Bro. Reuben W. Johnson, president; and the Rev. Suston R. Bennett, minister.

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Report bites, watch kids, says city vet

All instances of persons being bitten by any animal in Baltimore City should be reported to the Baltimore City Health Department, telephone 396-4433.

It is important for the person who was bitten to learn the name and address of the owner so the animal may be kept under observation to be sure it is free from rabies. Stray animals, if possible, should be caught and confined. The animal should never be destroyed.

The biting animal should be held in quarantine for a period of at least ten days and examined by a veterinarian. The period of detention and observation can be at the home of the owner of the animal, at a private kennel, or at the Municipal Animal Shelter, 222 N. Calverton, telephone 936-0216.

Dr. David R. Berzon, public health veterinarian in the Baltimore City Health Department, reports that animal bites have been increasing over the past 3 years.

During the summer months ahead children should not be allowed to play with strange, sick, injured, wild or nervous animals, or try to stop animal fights. Parents should never allow their children to tease, make threatening gestures or remove food or other objects from an animal.

And all pet dogs and cats should be examined periodically by a veterinarian and immunized against rabies.

PHON-O-THON CALLING—Mayor William D. Schaefer and Cong. Parren J. Mitchell, left, made the first phone calls Monday to get pledges from the local business community for the National Alliance of Businessmen week-long drive to provide jobs for 2,200 Metropolitan Baltimore youths this summer. Here, Mayor Schaefer gets his words in as Alton R. Williams of the Rouse Company, who is managing the youth program for NAB this year, listens to how it is done. So far from phone and mail solicitation the NAB has received over 500 pledges from local businesses to hire youths for the summer. Spokesmen for the NAB are confident of reaching their goal.

MTA agrees to take private buses

Officials of the Mass Transit Administration, the Baltimore and Annapolis Railroad Company and the Lake Shore Bus Lines have signed the takeover agreement paving the way for the MTA's acquisition of the two private bus companies.

According to the agreement, the MTA will takeover the public transit operations of B and A and Lake Shore April 29, and will initiate its basic fare structure of .30 for adults and .15 for children. Its Senior Citizen Reduced Fare Program will become effective throughout the system.

Mayor, merchants, police co-sponsor crime seminar

The Mayor's Advisory Committee on Small Business and the Baltimore City Police Department in cooperation with the Affiliated Merchants, Inc. and the Baltimore Association of Insurance Agents, Inc. will present a Small Business Crime Seminar on Tuesday, May 1, in the new Police Headquarters Building Auditorium, 601 E. Fayette St.

The 7:30 p.m. event will be preceded by a tour of the highlights of the new building at 6:30 p.m. and another at 7 p.m.

Subject matter will cover such day-to-day problems confronting the business man as shoplifting, bad checks, holdups, crime prevention, etc. Panelists include:

Judge Solomon Liss, Supreme Bench of Baltimore; Joseph Koutz, assistant state's attorney for Baltimore; Lt. Francis Reidy, Crime Control Concept Team, Police Dept.; Det. Lt. Casper Klein, Criminal Investigation Division, Police Dept.; Sgt. Joseph McMann., Bad Checks Squad, Police Dept. and Eugene Henry, assistant director of Administrative Services Department of Social Services.

Admission to the Seminar is by ticket only which may be obtained free by writing to the Mayor's Advisory Committee on Small Business, 222 E. Baltimore St., Balto. 21202 on a business letterhead stating the name of each person for whom a ticket is requested.

Herman Katkow, director of the Small Business Committee, states that because of the overflow attendance at last year's seminar, requests will be handled on a "first come, first served" basis until capacity is reached.

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NAACP seek greater help from community

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This is a campaign to raise funds to carryout programs of the organization. Unions, fraternal organizations, neighborhood clubs and civic agencies have been called upon to support a baby during the campaign.

According to Mrs. Eliza Costin, chairman of the Freedom Fund Committee, the organization needs the public support in helping it carry out its program of seeking fair housing, education and employment.

In an appeal from all segments of the community, Mrs. Costin sais, "We hope that with your help we will be able to open new frontiers, blaze new trails and see the horizons of a new day."

C&P seeks approval of higher rates

C and P Telephone of Maryland asked the Maryland Public Service Commission Monday, to approve a new schedule of intrastate telephone rotes that could go inio effect as soon as May 23.

One basic objective of the new rate schedule is to shift more of the cost burden to those responsible for the expenditure of funds, causing customers requesting high-expense services to come closer to paying his own way.

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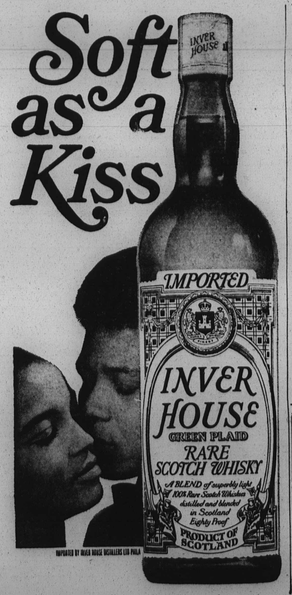

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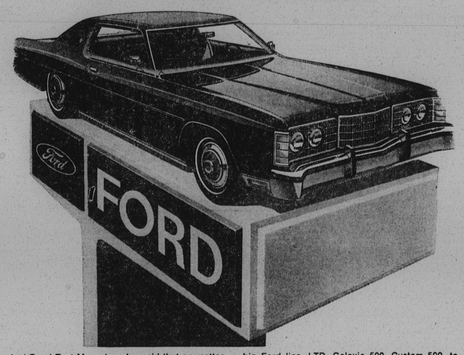

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