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## Mitchell honored tonight

The 17th Anniversary banquet of the Oxford Street Improvement Association, Inc. is set for tonight (Friday) at the downtown Holiday Inn.

Among honorees is Clarence Mitchell Jr., chief of the Washington Bureau of the NAACP and legislative chairman of the Leadership Conference on Civil Rights.

A Baltimorean, Mr. Mitchell is husband of the General Assembly this fall.

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The overall purpose of the banquet is to raise money to help the restoration of Orchard Street Church and the Oxford Street Charity Fund. The church at Orchard St. and Druid Hill Ave. is in the boundary of the Oxford-noted attorney, Mrs. Juanita Jackson Mitchell. Their sons are Sen. Clarence M. Mitchell III; Michael Bowen Mitchell, an attorney; Dr. Keifer Mitchell, physician and George D. Mitchell, a court bailiff.

President Ford appointed Mr. Mitchell as member of the five person delegation representing the U.S. at the 7th Special Session and 30th Session and 30th Session of the United National Biddle PAC.

The other four honorees are Congressman Parren J. Mitchell; Supreme Bench Judge Joseph C. Howard; the Rev. Vernon N. Dobson, pastor of Union Baptist Church and Miss Geraldine Goldstein, advisor, Baltimore Department of Housing and Community Development.

LUCKY LOCAL LAD, Louis Deford, 21 is now a drummer in the Major Harris Band which backs up the famed singing star Aug. 29 to Sept. 5 at the Apollo Theatre in New York. The spectacular trail leads then to Nassau with Manager Robert Changor. Son of Mrs. Rachel and Sidney DeFord, Louis is cousin of Oriole Star Al Bumbry and Opera Star Grace Bumbry now the toast of Europe.

CLARENCE MITCHELL JR.

According to William Perkins, president, the dinner, served from 7:30 p.m. to 8:15 p.m., is followed by entertainment, presentation of certificates of merit to the honorees and a preview of the Beautiful Back Yard Contes.

Tickets at $12.50 may be had by calling 462-5761; 547-1403; 728-5621.

Other officials are Mesdames Lillian Wilson, vice-president; Myra Hale, secretary and James Mozzelle Bey, treasurer; Mrs. Mary Batts, secretary-treasurer.

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The moon moves slowly but it crosses the town.

## Gayettes take gift to blind home

The Gayettes Social Zettes Inc. came again this year to the aid of the Anna Mae Hunter Home for the Blind with a donation of $75.

The gift was made Monday at the home, 1321 Eutaw Place with Mrs. Hunter, founder, accepting. Mrs. Acdrey Trayham is president; Mrs. Agnes Wilkerson, vice-president; Mrs. Mary Smith, secretary; Mrs. Dorothy Stewart, financial secretary; Mrs. Patti Grissetti treasurer; Mrs. Estellena Ridges, business manager; Mrs. May Farmer, assistant business manager; Mrs. Jean Madison, sick committee and Members Mrs. Zatella Giles, chaplain and Mrs. Millie Spearment.

The Home for the Blind serves as permanent residence for over 20 blind and elderly persons and is supported by gifts alone.

Anyone wishing to contribute may mail tax-free cash or present the money in person to Mrs. Hunter.

## Student, 15 found dead in bed

A 15-year-old Hamilton Junior High School student was found dead in bed Aug. 24, by her father Albert Radtke.

Police report Miss Annette Rose Radtke of the 7000 block Liberty Heights, was found wearing a long night gown and had a sheet pulled over her hips.

Police state there were no signs of foul play. The medical examiner's office states the cause of death is still pending.

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Mr. Radtke told the police he and his wife last spoke to their daughter around 6:30 p.m. on Aug. 23 when they called her from Washington.

Mr. Radtke is quoted as saying, "Everything seemed fine when he talked to his daughter. Funeral service were held today (Friday). She is buried in Westminister Cemetery.

CADILLAC DAY QUEEN Mrs. Ann B. Dyett, wife of Mortician Leroy Dyett, is presented the trophy by Cadillac Club President Garnette (TV Tank) Budd.

## Eddie Lee Thomas hearing Sept. 5

MARTINSVILLE (UPI) — A hearing will be held Sept. 5 on a defense motion to suppress a confession by a suspect charged with murdering a Henry County woman and her four children.

Henry County Circuit Court Judge John D. Hooker scheduled the hearing Tuesday on the motion by Attorney Robert Mann who claims authorities violated Eddie Lee Thomas, constitutional rights in obtaining the confession.

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Thomas is charged with the December 26 slaylags of Mrs. James Aliff and her four children Vernon Darrel, 2, James Alvin, 4, Charlotte Ann, 8 and Peggy Marie, 10.

He has also been charged with raping Mrs. Aliff and stealing a rifle and other items from her rural county home.

A trial date has not been set.

At Thomas, preliminary hearing last Spring, state police investigators testified that he admitted committing the murders, but said Thomas told them he did not know why or how he did it.

Mann has challenged the legality of the confession, noting that Thomas did not have an attorney at the time.

Mann has also submitted two other motions, one seeking further mental examination of his client and the other seeking appointment of a private investigator.

## Grand Jury probing the Dalton case

TOWSON, Md. (UPI) — The Baltimore State's Attorney's Office has gone to the Grand Jury with its probe of alleged campaign finance irregularities by staff members in the 1974 unsuccessful campaign of former State Sen. Robert L. Dalton.

One of the targets of the probe is R. Jerome Scruggs, treasurer in the campaign and now a City Council candidate opposing Dalton in the municipal Primary.

The probe is centering on charges that Dalton's signature was forged on some campaign finance reports and that funds were misappropriated.

## Parents charged in Belair killing

Mothers of two boys who fought what police call "a grudge match" near the Belair market on July 31 resulting in the death of one of the boys, have been charged.

Stefan D. Redd, 11, was stabbed to death in the fight which police said was encouraged by both parents so the fight could end pranks played on Redd, described as being handicapped.

Mrs. Polly Stith, mother of the suspect, has been charged with murder and is being held in the City Jail in lieu of $10,000. Her 11-year-old son has been charged with "being delinquent for murder," according to the State's Attorney's office.

Also in custody and charged with child abuse is Mrs. Ella Newton, mother of the slain boy. Police are looking for the step-father, Robert Newton.

Minors in the households of both families have been ordered by the State's Attorney's office to become wards ofthe city.

Both families involved in the incident are large and live in the Lafayette Court housing project.

## Boy, 12, sent to Montrose School for stabbing youth at Belair Market

There are 245 children between the ages of 10 and 18 at Montrose School in Baltimore County.

A 12-year-old boy who confessed in Juvenile court to fatally stabbing Stefan Redd, 11, in the Belair Market last month has been sent to Montrose School by Juvenile Court Judge Robert L. Karwacki.

Judge Karwacki ordered that the youth not be released from a structured residential facility without the order of the court.

The youth told the court, "I didn't mean to hurt him. I meant to stab him in the arm." The defendant was a former student at Charles Carroll Elementary School.

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Leonard Gmeiner superintendent of Montrose School told the AFRO, the youth will continue his education while at Montrose.

The school is non graded and has a staff of 21 professionals. Parents are the only visitors the youth are allowed to have.

Montrose also has a campus and recreational area for the youngsters who are confined to the school for indefinite time. Mr. Gmeiner stated it depends on how well they do in the program.

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Police report the stabbing occurred when Stefan Redd was shopping with his step-father and his mother at the Belair Market.

There they met the 12-year-old youth and his mother who were also shopping. Police state the youth fought nearly four to six minutes before the 12-year-old dashed into the market and returned, being chased by a man. However, before anyone could realize it; the 11-year-old had been stabbed in the chest.

QUEEN DEBORAH JACOBS, elected at the National Association of TV and Radio Artist convention last week is presented with the ribbon at the final banquet by newly elected Northern Region Vice-President Mary Clayburn. Runners-up in the contest were Misses Joyce Dixon, Sheryln Diggs of Annapolis and Joslyn Knight. Kym Brockington and Andrea Higgins.

## Welfare rights week

Mayor William D. Shaefer has declared the week of Aug. 25, 1975 through Aug. 30, 1975 as fund-raising week for the Baltimore Welfare Rights Organization Inc.

The mayor presented the proclamation in his office on Wednesday, Aug. 27.

The week will be highlighted by a Radio-Drive tomorrow (Saturday) from 7 a.m. to midnight. Station WWIN, WEBB, and WSID are participants.

Persons wishing to make pledges may call 233-4700, 362-8875, 366-1400, or 947-1245.

Mrs. Dorothy Hutchinson is fund-raising coordinator and Ms. Rudelle Martin is the director.

## Conaway fete is Sunday

The Committee to Elect Frank M. Conaway as president of the City Council has set the fund-raising dinner for Sunday, Aug. 31, 5 p.m.

The event takes place at Mondawmin Mall in the Mondawmin Shopping Center with open bar, entertainment. Subscriptions are $25 each.

James Alston is treasurer of the group which has a slogan, "He's Frank. A choice for a change."

## Conaway wants Wally's political activities checked

Former House of Delegates Member Frank M. Conaway, the candidate who opposing City Council President Walter Orlinsky, wants Orlinsky's political activities checked by the city for possible "malfeasance in office."

The following letter by Conaway has gone to Joseph H. H. Kaplan, president of the Civil Service Commission, Mayor Schaefer, Hyman Pressman, Harry E. Smith and Miss Jeanne A. Martin:

It has come to my attention that Walter Orlinsky, president of the City Council has been using his chauffeurs, civil service employees, and a city-owned vehicle for political activities and parties. As you know, this is in strict violation of the city charter.

Informed sources reveal to me that the car and chauffeurs are used to transport Orlinsky to political rallies and social parties that sometimes linger into the morning hours.

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The chauffeurs out of fear of reprisal are afraid to complain or refuse.

The chauffeurs work far beyond regular duty hours and do not receive overtime or compensatory time.

The car and chauffeurs should only be used for business pertaining to the President of the City Council and not for political activities and drinking parties.

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Further reports indicate that the mayor and comptroller drive themselves around while engaging in political activities, but because of the council presidents' late hours and indulgence in beverages, he is unable to drive himself home.

He reportedly is acting like a bar room master of ceremony and an over-the-hill, over-the-weight tap dancer.

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I call upon the commission to make an investigation of these allegations and if they are substantiated the evidence should be presented to the mayor and city council for formal charges of malfeasance of office.

I think the chauffeurs should be called before the commission to testify on these allegations, for I do not believe the chauffeurs would perjure themselves to protect Orlinsky.

In the week to come, the illegal activities will probably increase. Therefore, it would behoove you to conduct this investigation in an expeditious manner. It is simply not right for tax payers' monies to be used in this unlawful manner."

## Miss Little makes plea for attorney

NEW YORK — Joan Little, who was acquitted of the stabbing death of a white jailer she said forced her to commit a sex act, appealed in an ad in the Sunday New York Times for contributions to defend her chief attorney, Jerry Paul.

Paul was cited for contempt of court by Judge Hamilton Hobgood in Raleigh, N.C., after Miss Little was found innocent Aug. 15 of a second-degree murder charge in the death of Beaufort County Jailer Clarence Alligood.

"Jerry Paul must win his contempt of court case to prevent disharment," said Miss Little in an "urgent letter" printed as a six-column ad.

"He merely asked the judge to step down for exhibiting bias toward the prosecution," she said. "For this he received a 14-day jail sentence, and was forced to serve nearly a week before being released pending a hearing.

"Proving that his remarks were within legal bounds and appealing his case through the federal courts will be very expensive."

Miss Little said she still had outstanding trial debts of $29,727. "Now we must quickly raise at least $50,000 to defend my attorney," she said.

"A victory for Jerry Paul is important, or other southern white lawyers may be intimidated and prevented from helping blacks in controversial cases."

"My lawyers are all southerners," she said. "It took courage for them to oppose the awesome power of the state and to face public condemnation."

JOAN LITTLE in UPI photo with her mother, Mrs. Jesse Williams.

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