—Mayor and CRC

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CRC investigates complaints of bias against citizens and suggests remedial actions. But the mayor has the power to omplement those recommendations.

Citing non-cooperation from the city, CRC charges when its director John Ferron attempted to arrange a meeting with the mayor about a police brutality complaints lodged at a June board meeting, the agency was not even given a promise of a meeting with the mayor.

Another example was when William Smith, assistant director of the Baltimore City Planning Commission, admitted at the July CRC board meeting that after one year his agency had done nothing to help the Baltimore community of Fairfield.

Smith further said the Planning Commission did not "have a deadline as to when changes will be made" regarding the plight of the Fairfield residents. CRC charged that the 1,000 black residents have been overlooked by the city government.

Saying she was frustrated because of the city's attitudes, Commission Chairperson Antonia Keane said that CRC was reluctant to hold a public hearing just to have a staged event.

"I don't think we are scred in going public," Ms. Keane said. "We did not want to raise people's hopes and not have any followup. Everybody was very frustrated."

As a result of these difficulties, CRC officials believe the public hearing on police brutality, in September, will put CRC, Mayor Schaefer and the whole concept of one city agency having the power to "police" another, into a precedent setting situation.

Although CRC has the ability to penalize employers when they discriminate against employees, no one knows what will happen when the city civil rights agency examines the police department for allegedly brutalizing Baltimore residents.

"The main thing is to hope to raise the community's level of understanding about the police brutality problem," said George Buntin, a staff member of CRC.

"A public hearing is like a weapon. They are weapons you don't want to use unless you have to. It causes some scare I guess, but that could be expected. They would rather go to the mayor and say 'Mr. Mayor we have a problem!'

"It remains to be seen whether or not it is realistic to think that one city agency would take on another when both have heads appointed by the mayor."

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—41st

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1. Vanguard plans to use Murphy's record and name to help Mrs. Murphy's chances at getting elected.

2. The group is also pushing their state central committee candidates under the Murphy banner to gain either complete control or at least a majority on the committee. Only one of the present committee members is running for re-election.

(Coach Banks, one of the candidate's for the state central committee, is a member of the Hub Political organization which is run by businessman William "Little Willie" Adams.

Adams was also responsible for getting Banks appointed to the Lottery Commission and sources believe that Adams is pushing Banks to gain a toehold in Vanguard.)

3. Once Mrs. Murphy wins the election and is sworn in she will resign the post, giving Vanguard not only the power in the state central committee but leaving themselves free to appoint a replacement.

Whether this is Vanguard's active strategy is not known but if it is, its success will depend on the strength of Five and Five's campaign.

And right now Five and ive and Five feels safe with the power it holds.

Blount, Howell and Dean have not been doing much campaigning but are standing on their own records. Oaks has been doing some serious campaigning for the last year and not only enjoys the personal backing of Blount but is also the man known for appointing Mrs. Murphy to the vacant seat.

If Oaks wins, according to experts, the victory will be scored against Mrs. Murphy.

In Mrs. Murphy's case she contends that she is running to see that her husband's work continues.

But Mrs. Murphy has yet to take her own program to the media.

And that in the long run may hurt her chances of winning and Vanguard's chances of controlling the 41st district.

—Innocent

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The AFRO learned the police offilers were conducting raids all over town on the homes of the friends of Walter "Gangster" Webster.

Webster was arrested and charged with narcotics violations on July 2 and freed on $5,000 bail. At the time police raided his home at 1629 E. Madison St., 13 other raids were being conducted simultaneously in the homes of his friends.

Ms. Simpson says she does not know Webster and the warrant was probably meant for somebody else.

Col. William Rochford of the criminal Investigation division of the Police Department told the AFRO, "The warrant was for the entire house on Hayward Avenue. Ms. Simpson was provided with copies of the warrant."

According to Ms. Simpson, who says she is still upset over the "terrorizing experience," the warrant she received was for the second floor apartment.

At the time the officers forced their way into Ms. Simpson's home, she says she was dressed in a short nightgown but "the officers would not let me put on my clothes."

Ms. Simpson says she is now trying to sell her home. "I can't live here anymore. Every time I hear a car door open at night, I am wide awake. I am afraid."

Ms. Simpson owns the Haywood Avenue property where the "wrong floor" raid occurred.

It was her tenant, Ms. Ethel "Cathy" Carr whom police sought.

Ms. Carr, a school teacher for 14 years, was later arraigned on drug charges.

Her story of police tactics is as follows:

"On July 6, a gang of white men, with guns drawn, stopped our car at Liberty Heights Avenue and Druid Park Drive. I asked them if we had committed a traffic violation. They said 'This is a drug bust.'

"They snatched our pocketbooks, took the car keys, searched the car, all the while with their guns drawn on me, two small kids and Arnetta. People began crowding around the car and demanded that they take those guns off the kids."

Ms. Carr said she was a "nervous wreck" while she, Arnetta Ennels, 3600 block of Springdale Ave., and two small children were forced to sit in a police paddy wagon for hours. The teacher said she and Mrs. Ennels were handcuffed.

"It was incredible. They treated us worse than the Germans treated the Jews."

Ms. Carr said they were returning from a funeral when the raiding party interrupted them en route home.

She said the same policemen later raided her home terrifying her mother and other small children with guns and all types of obscenities and racial epithets.

"I am going to sue, and I am also going to ask my attorney to file a complaint with the Civil Rights Division of the U.S. Justice Department because they treated us like animals."

—Pettit

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This week the 32-year-old attorney took part in several political forums sponsored by the Fourth District Democratic Club, the Fifth District Reform Democrats and the Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance.

Last Saturday Pettit shook hands with more than 1,000 persons in the shopping centers of Old Town Mall, Lexington Market, Mondawmin Mall and in the streets of Baltimore.

Sunday, Pettit visited several churches and attended a political reception in the 42nd District. Friday, a rally was held for him at Simmons Memorial Baptist Church.

Pettit did, however, take time Monday to defend two persons charged with resisting arrest, disorderly conduct and assault.

According to reports the arrests stemmed from a gathering of citizens attempting to assist some people injured in a traffic accident in the neighborhood of the 2000 block of 25th St.

Charged were James Joley Sr. and his son James Joliey Jr. of the 1900 block E. 31st St. They were found not guilty by Supreme Bench Judge Solomon Baylor.

Pettit told the AFRO afterwards he stopped his campaign to try the case because "It was too important to the community to postpone.

"This is exactly the type of case which should never have been brought to trial," he said. "The state should not waste time clogging the court dockets by charging and prosecuting innocent citizens for harassment purposes, who are victims of this sort of police overreaction in our neighborhoods."

"Instead," he went on, "we should direct our prosecutorial efforts toward those individuals who have, in fact, broken the law and commited offenses against our community."

—Arson

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"I rapped about what I thought was the kind of justice that should be served. She (ABC - TV interviewer Linda Abrams) asked kinda personal questions such as 'what did you lose.'" Ms. Jackson said about the interview.

"I'm sure the woman wanted me to cry. But I said you really should have been at the trial. He (the landlord) was charged with all that had three lawyers, and was released on his own recognizance.

"Do you know, he even had the nerve to smile at me in the halls."

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Webster endorses Venetoulis

Not letting the fact that he was dropped from the slate of a major political organization faze him, Del. Kenneth Webster, a candidate for re-election in the 40th Legislative district, bounced back this week and became the first black politician to endorse gubernatorial candidate Ted Venetoulis.

Making the announcement Tuesday at his campaign headquarters in the Mondawmin Mall, Webster told a group of predominantly black supporters that based on what he has seen in Venetoulis' campaign, the candidate will "give the people of Maryland a fair shake and the black people in particular.

"Venetoulis presents a change for blacks in thestate," said Webster. "I've worked with (Blair) Lee and (Steny) Hoyer in the past and I just can't see any way clear of endorsing them. I don't think that they will change much."

"Ted offers the kind of fresh start that gives blacks a chance to vote for a positive candidate," he said. "I've been particularly impressed with the number of young black people working for him."

The endorsement of Venetoulis represents a major shot in the arm for the Webster campaign which suffered a serious set set back when he was dropped from the Detro Demo cratic organization slate last week.

The action came as no real surprise to political leaders in the area and according to Metro sources the split came right after Webster made certain demands the organization could not meet.

HAPPY CANDIDATE — Ted Venetoulis (L) laughes it up with Del. Kenneth Webster and his special assistant, Ms. Marie Henderson after Webster broke with black leaders and endorsed Venetoulis.

AFRO photo by Robin McGinty

The question now remains what role will Webster will play in the VEnetoulis campaign?

Both Webster and Venetoulis state that Webster will not have an official title inthe campaign but that he will be traveling in the campaign but tht he will be traveling the with the candidate.

"I have state - wide influence not only in the black community but in all communities," Webster said.

Venetoulis said Webster will hold a "high echelon" position on his campaign strategy staff but added his specific duties will still have to be worked out.

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The Honorable Robert C. Embry, who recently took out a $500 life membership in the NAACP, receives award from Elizabeth Murphy Moss, co-chairperson of life membership committee. Enolia P. McMillan, Baltimore branch president, is at left. Mr. Embry, former housing and community development chief in Baltimore, is now Assistant Secretary, Community Planning and Development with HUD, (Housing and Urban Development), with offices in Washington. He still maintains his home in Baltimore City.

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