

*Resolved*, That such commission report back to the General Assembly by January 1, 1966.

Approved May 4, 1965.

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No. 42

(House Joint Resolution 64)

House Joint Resolution commending Detective Lieutenant William H. Jessie for meritorious service in protecting the lives and property of the citizens of Montgomery County during his brilliant career with the County Police Force and honoring the memory of this heroic public servant who was killed in the line of duty on December 30, 1964.

WHEREAS, Detective Lieutenant Jessie was appointed in 1954 as a Police Private to the Montgomery County Police Force and was assigned to the Silver Spring area; and

WHEREAS, Lieutenant Jessie rose rapidly through the ranks to Detective Corporal, then Sergeant, and finally to the rank of Lieutenant on July 1, 1963. He was at that time transferred to the Rockville station where he was in charge of detectives. While on the Force, this superior policeman received one commendation from the Superintendent of Police and fifteen commendations from citizens; and

WHEREAS, For the years July 1, 1962, through June 30, 1963, Lieutenant Jessie received the "Columbian Medal of Merit" awarded by the Knights of Columbus to the Montgomery County "Policeman of the Year"; and

WHEREAS, the Lieutenant, by his unflinching and continued devotion to duty contributed significantly to the welfare of the people of Montgomery County; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the House of Delegates of Maryland*, That Lieutenant Jessie's memory be revered by a grateful citizenry for his constant devotion to duty during his lifetime and the condolences of this Body be forwarded to his widow, Mrs. Doris L. Jessie and to his daughter, Diane; and be it further

*Resolved*, That copies of this resolution be sent to Mrs. Jessie and Diane at 8316 Tahona Drive, Silver Spring, Maryland.

Approved May 4, 1965.

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No. 43

(House Joint Resolution 67)

House Joint Resolution requesting the Legislative Council to appoint a special subcommittee to study Maryland laws relating to riparian