Extortion Case Goes To F'ton JP Court

FARMINGTON--Joseph Barbara, an alleged Detroit area crime syndicate figure, was scheduled to be arraigned late Friday in township justice court on a charge of extortion.

Barbara, a Utica resident who manages Tri County Sanitation Co., was charged in a warrant with extorting $4,000 from a Utica woman whose identity was withheld.

Barbara was arrested Thursday in Mount Clemens by Michigan state police, who operate from a Redford headquarters and routinely take their arraignments to Farmington.

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DETROIT--Two national ticket figures were in Michigan Thursday within a few yards of each other in the downtown convention area.

Democratic presidential nominee Hubert Humphrey told the Economic Club his party's administrations of the last eight years has a better record on inflation than the Eisenhower-Nixon Administration of 1953-60.

Republican vice-presidential nominee Spiro Agnew criticized Humphrey and his role in the Johnson Administration. The Maryland governor addressed a GOP fund-raising gala.

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PLYMOUTH--The Wayne County Sheriff's office promised Plymouth and Northville Townships--which are designated as one patrol district--added cruiser strength "immediately." The announcement followed a meeting between Sheriff Roman S. Gribbs and supervisors of the two townships.

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LANSING -- Gov. Romney announced that the controversial I-696 expressway will bypass much of the Royal Oak community, but will go through Huntington Woods, Oak Park, Lathrup Village and Southfield.

The route will go approximately west from 10 Mile in the vicinity of Woodward Avenue for two miles and then swings gradually northward to 11 Mile at Lahser.

The five-year delay has already added $50 million to the cost, and each additional year's delay would cost $6 to $7 million. Lathrup Village and Pleasant Ridge have indicated they may go to court to oppose the proposed route.

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HONG KONG -- Nhan Dan, the official North Vietnamese newspaper, has denounced both Hubert H. Humphrey and Richard M. Nixon for their proposed policies in North Vietnam. No mention was made of third-party candidate George Wallace.

The article said that Humphrey "has not yet disassociated himself from President Johnson's Vietnam war policy," and that Nixon is "carrying a stop the-war signboard" but "cannot cover up his war hysteria."

The paper suggested a complete bombing halt so that Paris negotiators may "reach a peaceful settlement."

News Round Up

LOS ANGELES -- Sirhan Bishara Sirhan, the alleged murderer of Robert Kennedy, will apparently be tried on the basis that he alone committed the crime.

The chief deputy district attorney, Lynn D. Compton, said it "is negative and of little value to anyone" to investigate other possible suspects.

The trial will begin on Dec. 9 rather than the previously scheduled Nov. 1 on the defense's request.

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LANSING -- The State Administrative Board approved the purchase of seven more parcels of land costing $138,525 for a proposed new Capitol and other state office structures.

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WASHINGTON -- With no one raising the question of quorum, the 90th Congress was closed. After three days, leaders gave up trying to muster the House quorum needed to approve adjournment.

Although President Johnson said he might call the Senate back after the Nov. 5 election to try to win approval of the nuclear nonproliferation treaty, Senate Majority Leader Mike Mansfield promised to make the proposal one of the first orders of business when the 91st Congress convenes at noon, Jan. 3.

BYE BYE BLACKBIRD — Sue Latham of Farmington and Darin Livermore of Detroit rehearse a number for the Saturday, Oct. 19, pop concert in Mercy High School. The concert features Dan Neward and the "Expanding Image" group. Tickets, priced at $1.75, may be purchased at Grinnells or at the door the night of the performance. Concert time is 8:30 p.m.

Helen Milliken Turns Political Hostess

By SUE SHAUGHNESSY

Mrs. William G. Milliken took her first fling into the realm of political hosting this week and passed with flying colors.

The brunet is the wife of Michigan's Lt. Gov. William G. Milliken and the event was a luncheon in Southfield's Raleigh House attended by women from throughout the state to hear Republican Presidential Candidate Richard Nixon discuss the role of women in his administration.

Nixon spoke via a closed circuit telephone hookup from Kansas City, Mo. to groups throughout the country.

The lieutenant governor's wife took her duties seriously. During Nixon's speech she was the only person in the room other than the press corps -- who took notes.

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SHE GREETED each one of the 70 GOP women leaders when they arrived.

In her welcoming remarks, she went out of her way to praise "the real chairman," Shelly Spann, the public relations lady for the Oakland County GOP organization.

"Shelly has done most of the leg work associated with a luncheon of this type, and it was she who did so much of the detail work," Helen Milliken contended as she explained that the planning for the meeting had started only 10 days before.

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THE STATE'S second lady said that she had enjoyed her duties "tremendously" after the luncheon, but did admit that she can't always remember names either.

A part-time student in landscape architecture at Michigan State University, Mrs. Milliken is now "about a junior. Maybe in another three years I'll hang out my shingle," she says.

The lady has been asked to do the landscape architecture for the Phoenix Housing Project in Downtown Detroit.

She calls it "another first" and admits that she's just a little worried about the project.

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HER FEELINGS come through, however, when she talks about the groundbreaking held last week as "very interesting" and about the project.

"It will be located right in the heart of the Detroit ghetto and is a very exciting thing to be involved with," she notes with a sparkle in her eye.

It might be a distance of more that 350 miles from the Milliken' home on the shores of Lake Michigan in Traverse City to the Detroit ghetto, but the lady of the house has completed the journey.

The fact that there are a few ventures into the field of GOP politics--distaff style--along the way adds to the enchantment.

Name Officers At Edgewood School PTA

Officers for the school year were introduced recently at a meeting of Clarenceville school district's Edgewood elementary school PTA.

President is Mrs. James Garrison; secretary, Mrs. Russell Waack; treasurer, James Garrison; mother vice president, Mrs. George McGaw; father vice president, Ralph Gaiffe; and teacher vice president, Calvin Scheffer.

Ed Secretaries Set Fall Institute

The Fall Institute of the Oakland Association of Educational Secretaries will be held Oct. 25 in Clarenceville High School.

The all-day affair will be highlighted by a solo dramatization of incidents in the life of Helen Keller, a speech on school negotiations by a member of the Detroit school board, and three work sessions.

Registration at 8 a.m. will be followed by a business session and the welcome extended by David McDowell, superintendent of the Clarenceville school district.

Keynote speaker will be A. L. Zwerdling, Detroit attorney and member of the Detroit school board, who will discuss school negotiations.

Following Zwerdling's talk, work sessions will begin at 11 a.m. The first of three sessions will be conducted by Donald Groff and Larry Schenk. Titled "A Happening in Self Defense," the session will be presented by the civil defense division of the City of Southfield.

George Ludgate, assistant professor of communications at Oakland Community College, will conduct the second session on "A Happening in Business Communications."

The final work session will be a panel on "A Happening in Data Processing." Guest panellists will be Robert Huber, programmer in data processing unit of the Oakland public schools; Mrs. Lucille Durfee, his assistant; and Miss Shirley Hatfield, chief accountant in the Farmington school district.

Following luncheon secretaries will view a dramatization by actress Muriel Wolfson of incidents in the lives of Helen Keller and her teacher, Anne Sullivan.

OBITUARIES

JOHN CHARLES LULICK. Services for Mr. Lulick, 56, of 12023 Heritage Dr., Plymouth, were held Saturday, Oct. 19 at 10 a.m. in Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church with Rev. Francis C. Byrne saying requiem mass. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth.

Mr. Lulick died Oct. 15 in St. Mary Hospital following a short illness.

He is survived by: his wife, Agnes Lulick; one daughter, Mrs. Lorraine Krueger of St. Clair Shores; his mother, Mrs. Josephine Lulick of Herkimer, N.Y.; and one brother, Leonard Lulick of Garden City.

Mr. Lulick was born March 4, 1912, in Herkimer, N.Y. and was a plant cribman for Burroughs Corporation.

PETER ALLEN CHALMERS. Services for Peter Chalmers, 21 months, were held at Manns-Ferguson Funeral Home with the Rev. Gunerson of St. Timothy Church officiating. Burial was in Glen Eden Cemetery.

Peter was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Chalmers, 37745 Peters Dr., Plymouth. He died in University Hospital, Ann Arbor.

MRS. HELENA KOKORZYCKA. Services for Mrs. Kokorzycka, 83, 30233 Perch, Livonia, were held at St. Genevieve Church with Father Wolber officiating. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Manns-Ferguson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Kokorzycka, a native of Poland, died suddenly of a cerebral hemorrhage.

She was the mother of Mrs. Lucille McNally of Livonia, Mrs. Jennie Kucharski and the late Zennon and was a sister of Mrs. Ignatius Sarnocinski.

RAY J. SWOPE. Services for Mr. Swope, 82, 33005 Scone, Livonia, were held at Manns-Ferguson Funeral Home with burial in Woodlawn Cemetery. Mr. Swope, a widower, was a retired clothing salesman.

He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Arthur H. Pfander, of Livonia.

MRS. ANNA L. HARTWELL. Mrs. Hartwell, 84, of 27400 W. Nine Mile Rd., Farmington, a 17-year resident of the community, died Oct. 11 after a short illness.

The Rev. Walter C. Hallagh of Farmington First Baptist Church conducted services Oct. 14 in Thayer Funeral Home, with burial following in Grand Lawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Hartwell is survived by a son, William A. Hartwell, and two grandchildren.

MARY S. FINNERAN. Services for Mrs. Finneran, 56, of 12022 Beatrice, Livonia and formerly of Farmington and Redford Township, were held Oct. 12 in Heeney-Sundquist Funeral Home, Farmington. Officiating was the Rev. Eldon Osborn, with burial in Glen Eden Memorial Park, Livonia.

Mrs. Finneran died early Oct. 9 following an auto accident in Livonia.

She is survived by her son, Martin A. Wolfe of Livonia and daughter, Mrs. Alexander (Clara) Filipowich of Farmington Township; sisters, Mrs. James (Lella) DeForest of Redford Township, and Mrs. Bertha Prosser of Florida, and three grandchildren.

She was a nurse's aide at Oak Hill Nursing Home, Farmington.

MARY MICHEL BIGOT. Requiem Mass for Mrs. Bigot, 31, of 32169 Bonnet Hill, Farmington, was held Oct. 16 in St. Fabian's Church, the Rt. Rev. Thomas J. Mailloux officiating. Burial was in Metairie Cemetery, New Orleans. Arrangements were made by the Heeney-Sundquist Funeral Home.

Born Dec. 20, 1936, in Oak Park, Ill., Mrs. Bigot died suddenly in St. Mary Hospital.

Survivors include her husband, Claude; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Connell Clifford of New Orleans, La.; children, Patrick C., Francoise R., Marie Noelle, Monique M. and Marc A.; and a sister, Sister Patrice of the Ursuline Order of Nuns.

MILDRED ELIZABETH PEETS. Services for Mrs. Peets, 70, of 23907 Wesley, Farmington, a longtime civic leader and club-woman, were held Oct. 14 in the Heeney-Sundquist Funeral Home. The Rev. Diane Seaman of Unity Church of West Suburbia officiated. Burial was in Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens.

Born June 15, 1898, in Bay City, Mrs. Peets died Oct. 12 after a short illness.

Mrs. Peets was a charter member of the Detroit Genealogy Society and the Detroit Historical Society. In addition, she organized the Detroit Craftsman Ladies Club and was its first president.

An alumna of Eastern Michigan University, Mrs. Peets also belonged to the Three Flags Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Farmington Gabbers Club and the Farmington Artists Club.

She is survived by her husband, Harry F.; a brother, Lewis Moore of Bay City; and a nephew, Lewis Moore, Jr. of Southfield.

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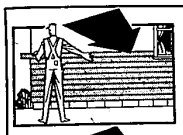

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LAW AND ORDER

Excerpts from a speech by EMIL MAZEY, UAW Secretary-Treasurer

Looking for scapegoats is an old custom—especially during an election year. The so-called "law and order" campaign issue provides an excellent example of that.

Both Richard Nixon, the Republican candidate, and George Wallace, the ultra-conservative candidate, offer a seemingly simple solution. They are saying to the electorate: "Elect me President and I will end crime in the streets."

First of all, street crimes are a matter for state and local authorities, and neither Nixon nor Wallace have said just how they would or could involve the federal government to make our streets "safe."

PROMISE VS. PERFORMANCE

But having made the promise, these candidates—or their parties—leave themselves open to judgment on their past performance on this very issue.

The states of New York, Ohio, Michigan, Pennsylvania, California and Wisconsin have Republican governors. They have also experienced increases in their crime rate. The city of New York is governed by a Republican mayor. It too has suffered from an increase in crime during that mayor's tenure.

It would be grossly unfair to blame these Republican office holders for that crime rate—just as it is unfair to blame it on the present Administration in Washington.

NIXON, TELL YOUR FRIENDS!

But if Nixon has a solution to this problem, he ought to give it to his Republican colleagues now holding office on the state and local level.

THE WALLACE RECORD

Wallace has even less to brag about when it comes to fighting crime.

Birmingham, the largest city in Alabama, has 12.2 murders per 100,000 population, according to the latest FBI Report, compared to a rate of 7.7 murders in Washington, a city Wallace holds up as an example of a "crime-infested city." And the national average is 5.6, less than half the Birmingham rate.

The rate of murder for the entire state of Alabama is THE HIGHEST of any state in the nation. Alabama's rate of aggravated assaults (muggings, beatings, etc.) is the fourth highest in the country.

Alabama is also the state where four young girls were killed in church by a bomb, and those who did it were never tracked down by Wallace's "crime fighters."

This is the state George Wallace has controlled for quite a few years. How can he now tell people in Michigan and elsewhere that he has the solution to the problem of crime?

CRIME'S CAUSES

Poverty, unemployment, discrimination, poor housing, lack of medical care and inadequate educational opportunities contribute to increasing crime. However, crime is also increasing in the affluent sector of our society. Many youths from well-to-do suburban families are involved in more crimes than ever before.

HUMPHREY: BEST BET

Vice President Hubert Humphrey knows how to establish law and order with justice in our country.

EMIL MAZEY

As a Senator, he supported housing legislation to wipe out slums; he supported Medicare to improve the health status of older people and to take the financial burden of such bills off the backs of younger people; he supported minimum wage legislation to raise the living standards of people at the bottom of the economic ladder; he supported legislation to give poor children the opportunity for a decent education.

HUBERT HUMPHREY HAS SPONSORED AND SUPPORTED LEGISLATION TO HELP SOLVE SOME OF THE PROBLEMS IN OUR SOCIETY THAT ARE THE ROOT CAUSES OF CRIME.

Crime will not be solved by easy answers or phony promises. I hope no American will be fooled by the easy-answer boys.

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