

Thursday, May 6, 1965

HOLLY SPRINGS, MISS. Ron Carver/Jeanne 10:15 am
 The insurance on the COFO house in Holly Springs expired yesterday. The owner of the house wants to evict the workers because she can't get another company to insure the house. An insurance company in Memphis wants to charge \$300 to insure the house for \$16,000, but the owner feels this price is too high, and is still threatening to evict the workers.

MONTGOMERY, ALA. Randy Glenn/Bab 2 pm
 The dance last night with the Freedom Singers was a success. They made about \$100 from it.

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MOULTRIE, GA. via Albany, Jim Parry/Bab 11:30 pm
 All during this week, the trials of the three boys being charged with arson at the Negro Bryant HS and at ~~the~~ white-owned stores in the Negro neighborhood were being held in Colquitt County Superior Court. They were continued until the next session of court.

Yesterday Willie Ricks was tried for "malicious mischief" (he tried to remove a "White only" sign from a drinking fountain in the courthouse). He was sentenced to 6 months or \$250 fine, and is now out on appeal bond of \$1000 raised in the community.

Today Herman Kitchens was convicted of trespassing for his part in the sit-in at the high school, given four months or \$150. His case will also be appealed.

The attorney is C.B. King of Albany. He is using delaying tactics to harrass the court; for example, he spends long hours cross-examining the jurors, and keeps getting whole sets of jurors disqualified. Meanwhile, the ~~lawyers~~ other lawyers, who could be making much more money in private practice, are made to waste their time in court.

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