—Dr. Patterson

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cess hearing acting as an impartial tribunal, ruling on evidence and acting as witnesses; deprived him of property and his liberty as well as to a reasonable expectancy of continued employment; violated his rights under the first and 14th amendments and the Baltimore City charter.

Dr. Patterson said that he received no prior notice of a hearing or the statements delivered at that hearing.

He also stated that the specifications he received dated June 9 were broad claims and did not cover any specific time frame or state the charges.

He testified that he sent several letters to the Board president (Ramsey) asking that the School Board be specific as to the specifications. He said he received no response.

Gibson took Dr. Patterson step by step through each statement and deposition inquiring about the charges. Dr. Patterson said that if he had known about them prior to the War Memorial proceedings that he could have investigated each matter and responded to each one.

Ambrose T. Hartman, chief counsel for the school board members, had attempted to prevent the statements from becoming evidence, but U.S. District Court Judge Joseph H. Young overruled his objection and allowed them.

Patterson went on to testify that the Board informed him July 10 that the cutoff of evidence would end July 13 thus depriving him opportunity to assemble the witnesses he needed and investigated the charges.

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He said if he had been given the opportunity to present his side, he would have called various school officials and himself to testify.

At one point in the trial, to further prove lack of impartiality, Gibson made reference to a motion Dr. Scott made before the specifications were delivered that a search committee be formed proving that the board intended to fire Dr. Patterson.

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In terms of depriving him of liberty and property, Dr. Patterson testified since his firing the charges of "dishonesty and misrepresentation" have lost him his standing in the community, some lack of respect from his son, given a nervous condition to his wife therefore putting further strain on him and making it almost impossible for him to seek employment.

He said he had gotten in touch with educators throughout the country but the reaction was always the same. "They all said 'Don't put me on the spot' he testified.

He did acknowledge that he had not made a formal application for a new job. He said some knew about the dispute and some did not.

In testifying to the violations of his rights, Dr. Patterson pointed out that the City Charter specifically states that if the Board intends to terminate his contract that he be granted and notified a due process hearing. He said he was not notified.

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Dr. Patterson again returned to the July hearings to point out how his rights under the first and 14th amendments were violated. He again explained that he was not allowed to present his side of the case. Special reference was made to Dr. Scott's contention that he incited the citizens to arms in a speech protesting the establishment of a school for disruptive children.

JUDGE JOSEPH H. YOUNG hear historic suit

Reference was also made to the staff newsletter dated June 16 that McCrea had accused Dr. Patterson of "calling the city fathers racist."

During almost three hours of cross examination, Hartman attempted to impeach Dr. Patterson by trying to show he had opportunity to respond to the charges and that he tried to intimidate the Board by making reference to the Aug. 8, 1974 School Board meeting.

Gibson objected to the admission of any reference to the Aug. 8 meeting calling it "irrelevant, hersay and not in the scope of direct examination." Dr. Patterson refused to change his original testimony telling Hartman that he had not been given an opportunity to answer the charges.

Hartman offered 31 exhibits to be admitted into evidence. Of those 31 exhibits 19 were entered.

At one point Hartman attempted to have an envelope with a school time stamp entered to prove Dr. Patterso's misuse of public resources for his own profit. Judge Young asked how did it tie in with Dr. Patterson, then commented,

MRS. SHEILA SACHS

DR. EUGENE SCOTT

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Correction

In our Tuesday, March 2 edition, the front page photos of School Board members were inadvertently transposed. The AFRO regrets the error. As you see them on this page today, Friday, they are in correct order.

HOWARD MARSHALL

"was he supposed to monitor the mail 24 hours a day?"

11 DIE

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—ADA picks P.J.

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nounces support for Congressman Mitchell.

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ADA also endorsed Paul Sarbanes to the U.S. Senate; Barbara Mikulski as congresswoman for the 3rd District; Dan Rupli as congressman for the 6th District.

With Robert Skeen president, chairing the ADA membership meeting recently, the body also adopted a legislative program for state action in the present General Assembly:

Enactment of legislative bills

H.B. 792 Cost of Living Increases for Welfare Recipients

H.B. 1131 Abolition of Patuxent Institution

S.B. 3 Revision of budgetary process to reallocate funds to various programs within the proposed budget

H.B. 1017 Fair rate for residential users of gas and electricity

H.B. 4 Reform of distribution of scholarships

S.B. 500 Protection of bank records and credit files

Amendment of unemployment laws to increase amount and duration of benefits, to restrict the power of the administrator to disqualify claimants, and to abolish the merit rating system for taxing employers

Adequate funding of Medicaid program

MARCH 6

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