

# Move to Drop Charges in Drug Raid

Washington

The Justice Department asked a federal judge yesterday to drop remaining charges against five federal narcotics agents acquitted of violating the civil rights of persons involved in the Collinsville, Ill., drug raids last year.

In a motion filed in U.S. District Court in Alton, Ill., the department also asked dismissal of charges against one other federal agent and one other local officer whose trials were pending on charges in connection with the raids.

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## Plans Abandoned

Providence, R.I.

Representatives of Aristotle Onassis's Olympic Refineries said yesterday they have all but abandoned plans for an oil refinery in Rhode Island after being "bombarbed with letters from various lovers of nature."

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Department attorney John F. Conroy told the court that the acquittal of the agents makes it virtually impossible to prosecute the remaining conspiracy charges included in a 17-count indictment last August.

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