

Jury agrees man held against will

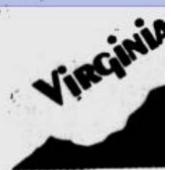
ALEXANDRIA (AP)—A federal jury has found that the national drug rehabilitation agency Straight, Inc., held a Fairfax County man against his will.

But the jury said he had not suffered undue physical or emotional damage while in the agency's program.

The U.S. District Court jury said Thursday they agreed with Fred Collins' assertion that Straight had falsely imprisoned him in its St. Petersburg, Fla., facility, and briefly in its new Springfield branch.

But the jury dismissed additional contentions by Collins that he was assaulted and made to suffer emotional distress while in the program.

The same jury will reconvene before U.S. District Judge Albert V. Bryan Jr., May 24 to determine whether the 20-year-old Virginia Tech sophomore should be awarded damages. He is seeking \$750,000.



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