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HEART ATTACK TAKES GODFREY CAMBRIDGE



Godfrey Cambridge, Black actor-comedian died Monday from a heart attack on the set of Universal Studios on Saturday.

The attack happened during the filming of a T.V. film "Victory at Entebbe" about the Israeli rescue of hostages from the Palestinians in Uganda. Cambridge was playing the role of Uganda's president, Idi Amin.

Godfrey Cambridge was a versatile actor who mixed both comedy and serious roles during his stage and screen career.

Being a compulsive eater, who at one time weighed 300 pounds, Cambridge almost died after the completion of the movie "Come Back Charleston Blue," when he was hospitalized for exhaustion.

He graduated to the Broadway stage after his acclaimed performance in Jean Genet's "The Blacks."

His plays included "Purdie Victorious," "Nature's Ways" and "Mr. Johnson."

Cambridge's book "Putting Ons and Put Downs," three comedy albums and many night club tours really proved his rare sense of humor.

He made more than 10 movies, appearing in both dramatic and comedy roles.

"It takes a whole lot of learning to be Black,"

Cambridge commented when asked if he would have rather have been born a white man, "and I've already learned it. I wouldn't want to live the rest of my life white."

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NORA WILSON TO BE HONORED SUNDAY



NORA WILSON, the wife of former Assemblyman Woodrow Wilson, will be honored Sunday, December 5th, 3-5 p.m., at Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church, 1240 West Adams Avenue, Las Vegas. Rev. E. C. Kline is the Pastor. That evening, beginning at 6 p.m., at Wood's Place, 305 West Owens Avenue, Las Vegas, a reception for Nora will be held, sponsored by her sorority, Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc., Alpha Rho Chapter. The Public is invited.

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