



**READY TO MODEL LATEST FADS**—These striking models will show off the latest in fashions this Friday night, Nov. 22, when they appear in "A Fashion Forecast" in the Little Theatre of the Student Center at LeMoyn-Owen College, starting at 8. The show is being sponsored by the Memphis Alumni Club of the col-

lege. Left to right: Betty Rounds, Carolyn McGhee, Gwen Walton, Rose Robinson, Marilyn McFaden, Ruby Purdy and Minerva Johnson. Tickets may be purchased from alumni, the college business office and Unis of Memphis.

## Inquiry Week At LeMoyn-Owen Holds Attention

Inquiry Week, sponsored last week by the LeMoyn-Owen College Special Events Committee of the Student Center, proved to be a successful experience.

The committee is very proud of the student response to this week of activity," said Mrs. Dorothy Harris, director of the Center. "We are already making plans for another Inquiry Week next year," she added.

Prominent speakers were presented during the week and students were given an opportunity to question and challenge the speakers.

Appearing on the platform were Dr. Hugh Glavin, president of Morehouse College in Atlanta; Donald Hopkins, assistant to the executive vice chancellor of University of California; Rabbi Arle Becker, Rt. Rev. Msgr. Joseph E. Leppert and the Rev. Eddie Currie, all of Memphis; Marion Barry, director of PRIDE, Inc. in Washington, D. C., and the Rev. Ezekiel Bell pastor of Parkway Gardens Presbyterian Church, Memphis.

Panelists included Dr. Vasco A. Smith Jr., Sister Mary Liam Shanahan, President C. C. Humphrey

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## Rev. Dearing King At St. John Baptist

The Rev. Dearing E. King, a former Memphis and now pastor of Monumental Baptist Church in Chicago, will be guest minister this Sunday, Nov. 24, at St. John Baptist Church, 840 Vance.

Rev. Mr. King will speak at the 11 o'clock hour and again at 3 p. m. His appearance here is a phase of the church's centennial celebration.

He is a graduate of LeMoyn-Owen College and the Howard University School of Religion.

## Inside Memphis

WHBO IS LOOKING for a talented young Negro to add to its television-radio news staff. Edward Harris, now part time with the Defender and WDIA, may have the inside track. WREC-TV added Harold Whalum to its staff last week and WMC-TV already had Art Gilliam. WMC has had a Negro television cameraman for two years and recently added a Negro to its film developing crew.

THERE WERE NO glaring newspaper headlines coming out of the 61st Convocation of the Church of God in Christ last week because officials barred reporters from business sessions which were conducted behind closed doors. As a result, the Convocation received its first "good press" since 1961.

MORE BLACK DOLLARS are being invested in Memphis. A. W. Willis last week purchased the Adler Hotel at 75 Linden for \$240,000. The Mahalia Jackson Fried Chicken Enterprise on South Parkway is due to open around Thanksgiving. Roy's Donut Shop of Mclempre and a Negro-owned liquor store on South Lauderdale are going great guns. The Freedom Shopping Center on Crump is about to get off the ground and there is talk of a group starting a big laundry and cleaning business in the old bowling alley on South Parkway. And, don't forget the shopping center Parkway Gardens Presbyterian Church hopes to start soon.

## Fashion Show To Stress New Look

What promise to be a glamorous presentation is "A Fashion Forecast" scheduled for 8 p.m. this Friday Nov. 22, in the Little Theatre of the Student Center at LeMoyn-Owen College.

The event will be staged by the Memphis Alumni Club of the college with Mrs. Le Eleanor Benson as general chairman.

Squash Campbell's combo will provide background music for the score of models chosen to show

off the latest designs as well as what to expect in the future.

Miss Eunice Carruthers, a local school teacher and owner of a woman's dress shop, Unis of Memphis, is in charge of models.

Dover Crawford, assisted by Mrs. Ann-L. Weathers, is putting together a souvenir booklet for this affair.

Mrs. Lettie L. Poston is chairman of tickets which are going for \$2 in advance and \$2.25 at the door. Mrs. Poston is urging interested persons to purchase tickets early as space in the Little Theatre is limited. Tickets may be purchased from Alumni, at the business office of the college and Unis of Memphis.

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## Family Service To Celebrate Anniversary

Family Service of Memphis, one of the city's oldest agencies, marks its 75th year of service to Memphis and Shelby County families Nov. 19 with a special anniversary meeting at 8 p.m. in the White Station High School auditorium. The public is invited.

Highlight of the agency's birthday observance will be an address by one of the foremost women in public life today, Miss Mary E. Switzer. Her subject will be "The Family—Its Role in the Changing World of Today."

Miss Switzer, administrator of the Social and Rehabilitation Service for the Department of Health,

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**TWO MORE SOCIAL BELLE CONTESTANTS**—Here are two more of the young ladies competing for the title of Miss Social Belle, an annual contest sponsored by the Memphis branch of the NAACP. Left to right: Nancy Johnson and Alma Poindexter. The contest will be climaxed with a coronation ball at the Sheraton-Peabody on the night of Dec. 6.

# Roy Wilkins Gains Support Of Memphis NAACP As Negro Critics Hurl Charges At Him!

The Memphis NAACP is throwing its support behind Roy Wilkins.

Mr. Wilkins, national director of the civil rights organization, has been branded in recent weeks by several NAACP branches scattered throughout the United States.

Latest attack upon the national leader came from the three branches in Los Angeles. The West Coast critics of Wilkins called him the "No. 1 Uncle Tom in America" and demanded that he resign.

In a telegram to Mr. Wilkins over the weekend, Jesse H. Turner, president of the Memphis Branch and a national board member of the organization, said:

"The executive committee of the Memphis Branch voted unanimously to express its wholehearted support of you and your service as the executive director of the NAACP. Your wisdom, experience courage and foresight have been of inestimable value during the past. The demands of the future will be greater, however, we feel that you are the one man who can best provide the leadership during this period ahead."

"We urge you to ignore the criticism of a few of our members and continue to serve our people and nation."

"To back up our words with deeds, we pledge to increase the membership of our local branch to 10,000 members by December 31, which will represent an increase of 33 percent of which will represent an increase of 33 percent over 1967."

The Los Angeles blast at Wilkins came from Celes King III, president of the Central Branch; Charles Thomas, head of the West-side Branch; Henry Dotson, president of the Southwest Branch.

King said NAACP membership is eroding and its "prestige is up only in the white community. The trio claim they represent

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Mr. Weathers said the goal for the Fund in the Memphis area is \$25,000. Assisting him as co-chairman is Edwin Dalstrom, chairman of the LeMoyn-Owen College board of trustees.

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Workers desiring further information on the Nov. 23 March for Memberships are asked to contact the NAACP office.

## Guess Who Visited Union Protective

Burglars gained entrance to Union Protective Life Insurance Co. at 1234 Mississippi early Thursday by breaking a window and escaped with a safe containing \$748, four adding machines, three typewriters, a radio and a television.

## 'Miss Universal' Will Be Crowned

The 10th "Miss Universal Life Insurance Company" will be crowned at a dinner-dance-pageant this Saturday night, Nov. 23, in the Skyway of Sheraton-Peabody Hotel. The affair is scheduled to start at 8.

The crown will be placed on the head of Mrs. Doris Taylor of Alexandria, Virginia.

Forty-seven other members of the Universal sales staff from 12 of the company's 37 branch offices will be honored for outstanding performances during the year.

"Miss Universal" is selected at the end of an all-out production drive during the month of September, the month in which the company was founded.

Universal is now in its 45th year.

## Bill Weathers Is UNCF Chairman

W. C. (Bill) Weathers, manager of Oates Manor in North Memphis and well known in church and civic affairs, has accepted the chairmanship of the 1968 campaign for the United Negro College Fund.

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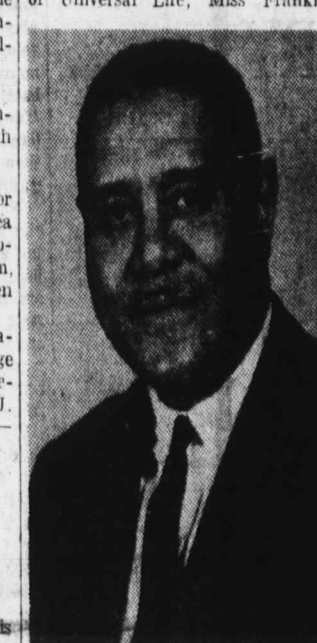
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All members and friends are invited to be present.



**W. C. (BILL) WEATHERS**  
C. Rogers, president of the LeMoyn-Owen College Alumni Club; Miss Erma Laws, advisor to the Co-Ettes; and Mrs. Ann L. Weathers, a member of the Kansas Street Elementary School faculty.

Mr. Cox is chairman of the City School Teachers Division and Mr. Rogers is supervising the County School Teachers Division. Miss Gordon is in charge of clubs and organizations and Miss Rogers is directing the Miss UNCF contest

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## James I. Taylor Calls Mass Meeting

James I. Taylor, elected state representative from district 5, will conduct a general mass meeting of all people living within the district early in December.

The purpose of the meeting is to find out what the people in district desire most to be done for them in the legislature. They will have the opportunity to express their viewpoints on certain legislation now pending before the house, and also hear Mr. Taylor's proposed legislation which he will take before the body.

He will also appoint from this meeting a legislative advisory committee.

## Saints End Long Dispute With Official Election

Bishop J. O. Patterson Sr. of Memphis was elected presiding bishop Friday of the world-wide Church of God in Christ. The election took place at the denomination's 61st Convocation held in spacious Mason Temple. Bishop Patterson pastors Pentecostal Temple at 229 South Danny

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## Magicians Ready For Cage Opener

Jerry Johnson, the head basketball coach at LeMoyn-Owen College, will select his starting five from seven proven performers for the opener against Morehouse of Atlanta, Nov. 30, here in Brice Hall.

Johnson, who is in his 11th year at the college, will find himself picking the starters from Willie Taylor 6-8 senior center and rebound artist from Byhalia, Miss.; William Megett 5-11 senior guard from New York City who was captain last year; play-maker and high scorer; Jackie Robinson, 6-3 junior forward who starred at Hamilton High; Edward Hoskins, a versatile 6-5 sophomore forward former standout at Melrose High; from Owen Junior College and a Herbert Carter, a shut-shooting 6-2 sophomore guard from Montgomery, Ala.; Jerry Dover, a tricky 5-7 sophomore guard from Owen who cut hi teeth at Melrose; and John Blair, 6-5 sophomore center from Montgomery who stands out as a marksman and a rebounder.

The coach will be able to draw from seven other members of the squad, including two seniors, Samuel Bachelor, 6-3 forward from Cincinnati and Willie Parks, 5-10 guard from Woodstock, and a junior, LeRoy LeFlore, 6-2 guard from Carthage, Miss.

Four freshmen are on the squad, Larry Crawford, 6-4 center, and Melvin Tuggle, 6-foot guard, both from Ospreyville; T. W. Haylett, 6-3 forward from Manassas High, and Zeb Thomas, 6-2 forward from Philadelphia, Pa.

LeMoyn-Owen, a merger of LeMoyn College and Owen Junior College last summer, is making its last stand in the 16-member Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Conference. A member of the SIAC since 1930, the Memphis college joined the Volunteer State Athletic Conference last month. The Magicians will play out their 1968-69 SIAC schedule, however.

Twelve of the Magicians...

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## Sad Ending For Mighty Melrose

There was no joy at Melrose High School on Tuesday morning of this week. Students and faculty were sad, disappointed and somewhat let down. Their mighty Golden Wildcats had fallen the night before, 3 to 0, before 7,000 in Memorial Stadium and missed the great opportunity of becoming city champions.

It was even sadder for the Golden Wildcats who had come through the season undefeated. At the final bark of the gun, they walked off the cold gridiron at a crawling pace. It was more like a funeral march as the beaten Wildcats strolled to the exit tunnel.

And, it was equally hard for the half-frozen Melrose fans who stayed on to the last second hoping the tide would turn. There was no rejoicing on the Melrose side of the stadium. The cheerleaders, the once-happy members of the band and the dejected fans took a slow walk to the exits.

Golden Wildcat Coach Eldridge Mitchell appeared stunned. "We knew it was going to be a tough game, but we thought we could get them. It's funny, we played the game the same way we've been doing all year, and we had been winning, so we didn't try to change," he said.

The man who beat Melrose and kept the championship game from ending in a deadlock was John Fox of Christian Brothers High School. He did something that had not been accomplished this season by a local high school player. He kicked a 39-yard field goal.

Said CBHS Coach Tom Nix, "I knew it would be a head knocker and thought it would take at least three touchdowns to win."

It was a head-knocker all the way with both teams putting up stubborn defenses.



# Along The Sports Trail

BY SAM BROWN

The 30th annual Blues Bowl game will be played Friday at Crump Stadium, pitting the team of Southside High against Bishop Byrne High in a match that is likely to be one of the highlights of this football season. Southside is one of the city schools, while Bishop Byrne represent the Shelby County League.

The Blues Bowl is a worthwhile presentation, sponsored by the Beale Street Area League with the proceeds going to the 1968 annual Christmas Basket Fund, which delivers Christmas baskets to many needy families in the city.

Through the years, the Blues Bowl Games have attracted some of the top high school teams of the city and surrounding territory. For many years, one of the top attractions of the game was the appearance of the late W. G. Handy, former Memphis and author of the Memphis Blues, St. Louis Blues, Beale Street Blues and many others, who would throw the large crowd each year with his renditions from his Golden Trumpet.

Another great halftime show is in store for the thousands of fans Friday night with several high school bands participating, and the crowning of Miss Blues Bowl Queen.

One of the toughest football games of the 1968 high school season was unveiled before a crowd of some 7,000 fans Monday night at the Memphis Memorial Stadium on a very cool night in the championship game of the Memphis Interscholastic Athletic Association. It was between the Purple Wave of Christian Brothers High School and the Golden Wildcats of Melrose High, with CBHS winning 3-0.

The game was hard fought all the way, with both teams showing a great defense. The game had been played up to the game of the season, and indeed it was, being for the city championship. In some respects, it was a rematch of the teams that met last year for the title, with CBHS winning. So, again the Purple Wave turned back the Golden Wildcats.

The game was won on a field goal with less than two minutes left in the final quarter when guard John Fox kicked a 39 yarder for the 3-0 lead. It was the first field goal of the prep league season and climaxed a 70 yard drive by CBHS.

So another prep league football season comes to a close, and fans will begin to furnish more fuel for the hot stove league as a replay or rehash of the games take place, and they wonder why the coach didn't do such and such a thing in certain situations, or what might have happened in such an event.

The basketball season gets underway in the MIAA with inter-division play which will lead up to the various tournaments during the holidays, and the start of division play in January Memphis is developing some fine athletics in many sports, particularly football, baseball, basketball, and track.

Many local players go on to college and become college stars, and then into the pro ranks as outstanding performers.

The athletic program of the city and Board of Education is doing much to inspire boys with athletic ability to go forward. There are many opportunities for youngsters to become outstanding in sports and join the big money crowd among the pros. We sometimes wonder if the youngsters are interested.

We were saddened to learn of the death of Isaac Henderson in Los Angeles a few days ago. We recall our friendship with him and his brother Douglass and remember when they were outstanding baseball players when attending LeMayne years ago. They were well known and remembered by many baseball fans and citizens of Memphis.

Hats off to a very sweet and

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The conservative guys have chosen the turtleneck, worn with the silk and wool suits or the ever-popular "pockets." With the cold days here suede-front cardigan and pullover sweaters are finding their place among the other noticeable garments.

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CROWNING MISS LINCOLN JR. HIGH — Sandra Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wrennie Cox, 783 Roanoke, was crowned "Miss Lincoln, 1968-69" during recent coronation ceremonies held at Lincoln Junior High. She was crowned by the outgoing queen, Hollie Jeffries, now a student at Southside High. Left to right: Stanley Harris, Donna Oliver, William Caron, Shirley Frazier fourth alternate, Tommie Bell, Carletta Davis (second alternate), Derry Harper, Sandra Cox (Miss Lincoln), Hollie Jeffries, William McCray, Patricia Payne (first alternate), Larry Burnett, Carol Gibbs (third alternate), Ronnie Edwards, Boyce Ella Richmond and Robert Ewing. Mose Walker Jr. is principal of the school.

## Hamilton' Cats On The Go-Go

Gr-r-r-r! Here are your soul

soul sisters, Carolyn Broomfield and Mary Brown, with the latest chatter from the Wildcats' Den.

LIMELIGHT

The radiant beams of our blue and white limelight are glittering upon a very charming member of our Hamilton family, Miss Rhonda Alexander. She resides with her grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Israel at 1304 East Trigg Avenue.

On campus, Rhonda is captain of the Pep Squad, president of the Kings and Queens, secretary of the Waterford Theatrical Guild, and parliamentarian of the Les Dames Charmants Society.

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## Good Neighbors Youth Foundation Holds Meet

At a call meeting of Good Neighbors Youth Foundation at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Malph Tracy, 1813 Kendall, plans were made for its fall project to raise funds for charitable purposes for special benefit of the Goodwill Boys Club at Walker and Neptune.

The program will be presented Dec. 13, featuring outstanding local talent in the areas of speech and music, at Mt. Vernon Baptist Church, 547 Miss. The theme of the festival will be: "Art Through The Ages."

For further information call the

da Turner, Charlotte Holmes, Peyton Burford, Linda Kneeland, Larry Densen, Wendy Corley, Anthony Tate and Rhonda Jones.

CAN YOU DIG IT?

1. As I look into my crystal ball, I can surely see, that Tony Tate is the only love for Karen Murphy.

2. Diane Jenkins, I received a note from a dove — saying Charles Pope is your true love.

3. Rufus Pulley is asking Geraldine Thomas: "If you love me as I love you, what knife can cut love into?"

4. Love makes a woman and soul makes a man, that's why Cherry Anderson and Roy Newton are walking hand in hand.

Until next week, this is Carolyn and Mary saying:

"Life is a theatre in which the worst people often have the best seats."

Bye Now !!!

## LaRose Observes Education Week

Open House at LaRose Elementary School, Sunday, Nov. 10 was one of the highlights of American Education Week.

Chairmen of the observance at LaRose were Mrs. Geraldine D. Brown and Mrs. Geraldine G. Hunt.

An assembly featured "A Day in the LaRose Kindergarten," supervised by Mrs. L. R. Carr. Children taking part in the skit were Venita Jo Carpenter, Betty G. Brown, Donna L. Hughes, Sherry LaVerne Greer, Vall Christida Sweet, Barbiller Hampton, Lesyll Thomas, Carolyn Tribble, Gene

the president, John L. Smith at 948-6882.

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## Final Rites For Mrs. Humphrey

Funeral services for Mrs. Anna L. Humphrey, prominent citizen of the Magnolia community, were held Sunday at Mt. Pisgah OMS Church with the Rev. E. L. Brown, pastor, delivering the eulogy.

Giving three-minute expressions each were Elder Blair T. Hunt, Dr. D. S. Cunningham, Edward B. Davis for the Trustee board, Mrs. Minnie Spencer, Orange Mound Progressive Club, and Mrs. E. M. Featherstone for the Magnolia community.

Resolutions were read for the Isaac Lane Circle. Myles Dickey Unit and Usher Board No. 1. Touching solos were rendered by Mrs. Elia Birtchle and Leroy Suttles.

Mrs. Humphrey, who died at John Gaston Hospital at 12:30 a. m. Nov. 12, at the age of 86, was a retired city school teacher. A long time member of Mt. Pisgah, she served faithfully in many areas of church work until her death.

Married to Grover Humphrey in 1908, they were the parents of three daughters, one of whom survives, Mrs. Cleve H. Walls of the home address, 2153 Bennett Ave. a foster son, Wm. H. Williams of Newark, N. Y.

Other relatives are Mrs. Willie M. Coffey of Mt. Vernon, N. Y.; Elder Jesse Crockett, Thomas Malone, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Malone, Mr. and Mrs. John Arnett, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Broom, all of Memphis, and a son-in-law, Arthur R. Walls.

Burial was in Elwood with a W. Qualls in charge.

Gumby, Robert Keith Williams, Paul A. Harris, Anthony Wayne Smith, Reginald Boxley, Edward Hobson, Derrick Spruence, and Timothy Brown.

Mrs. A. L. Hutchings, president of the LaRose PTA, assisted Principal J. L. Brinkley Jr. and Assistant Principal H. H. Osborne in putting over the program.

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# Ruff City Society

By JEWEL GENTRY HULBERT

**NAACP NAMES "MISS SOCIAL BELL AT FREEDOM SHERATON**  
Members of the "Miss Social Bell" Committee met Sunday for dinner at the Sheraton where final plans were made for the Miss Social Bell drive. Presiding over the meeting was Mrs. A. W. Willis Jr., General Chairman who is doing a terrific job with the girls who have agreed to work for NAACP. Mrs. Anderson's Hawkins Jones and Mrs. Fannie Taylor made plans for the dinner.

Loss ends were tied up and invitations for the Coronation Ball were given out to contestants. Mr. Willis also asked members to take invitations.

## CONTESTANTS

Contestants attending the dinner given for them were Eva Mayweathers, Cepelia Payne, Venese Thomas, Alma Poindester, Gladys Heyser, Marilyn Jones, Dorlene Lynch, Nancy Johnson, Elaine Samella, Gayley Sharon Harrison, Gloria James, Gloria Neal, and Linda McElrath.

Other members of the committee attending were Mr. "BIM" Weathers, chairman of the Finance Committee, Mr. Weathers, and with them were their three youngsters — Mrs. Norma Griffin, Mr. Robert Ratcliffe, Mrs. E. J. Needley, Mrs. Gloria Venson, Mrs. Pauline Allen and "Your Columnist, all members on different committees.

Contestants' mothers coming were Mrs. Tilland Mayweather and Mrs. Jessie Johnson.

Previous meetings have been held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Vasco Smith (she's Executive Secretary in Mr. Jesse Turner's office and we all know him as Mr. NAACP in Memphis and at the home of Mrs. Norma Griffin, another hard worker.

## SIGMA GAMMA RHO MEMBERS OBSERVE 40TH ANNIVERSARY

Local Sigma Gamma Rho sorority observed their 40th anniversary Sunday at Olivet Baptist Church. The program was dedicated to Miss Virginia Cotten, a Sigma member who has, for years been outstanding in the field of education as a teacher, as principal and supervisor in the City School System.

Theme for the anniversary celebration was "Greater Community Service for Greater Community Progress."

Guest Speaker for the occasion was Mrs. Helen Owen, instructor at Jackson, Tenn., and wife of a Lane College Professor. Mrs. Owen took as her subject "Black Power," as a challenge to the American Negro. The central idea and I quote a member was brought out in the fact that Black Power should be a challenge to the American Negro to become the best and to aid America in becoming a true Democracy. One Nation under God, indivisible with liberty and justice for all."

Taking part on the program were Mrs. Mozetta Vaughn and Mrs. Josie Cobb who gave the prelude, the LeMoynne-Owen Ensemble, Mrs. Clara Hill who gave the Occasion the Sigma Chorus Miss Harry Mae Simon, a member and past bass bassileus who led the Dedication services. Mrs. Ophelia Flowers gave the History of Sigma Gamma Rho. Mrs. Francis Flagg, a soloist, and it was Mrs. Clara D. Hewitt, Regional Campus Coordinator at Jackson, Tenn., who introduced the fine speaker. Acknowledgements were by Mrs. Bernice Fowler just before the Greek Medley was played by Mrs. Cobb and Mrs. Vaughn.

Officers and members of Sigma Gamma Rho attending were Mrs. Bernice Flower, basileus. Mrs. Azalee Malone, First Unit Basileus. Mrs. Mattie Anderson, Second Anti-Basileus. Mrs. Mary Perkins, Grammatheus. Mrs. Versie M. Lipford, First Anti-Grammatheus. Mrs. Erma Jacob, Second Anti-Grammatheus. Mrs. Willette Bowling, Tamiochus. Mrs. Eldora Amos, Parliamentarian. Mrs. Charles P. Roland, Epistoleus and Mrs. Frances Flagg, Keeper of Records, all graduate officers.

Officers of Gamma Chi Chapter attending were Miss Ernestine Townsend, Basileus. Miss Margaret Lock, Dean of Pledges. Miss Hazel Burgess, Grammatheus. Miss Barbara Johnson, Anti-Grammatheus. Miss Dorothy Williams, Tamiochus. Miss Anna Cook, Parliamentarian and Miss Norma Parker, Epistoleus. Alpha Omicron Officers who attended were Miss Bernice Morrow, Basileus. Mrs. Marie Butler, Grammatheus and Miss Jacquelyn Johnson, Tamiochus.

**THE LEMOYNE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION** of LeMoynne-Owen will give a Fashion Forecast in the Little Theatre of the Alma C. Hanson Building on the College Campus Dec. 6th.

A card came last week from DR. W. W. GIBSON, long time professor and Dean at LeMoynne College who was in Scandinavia and he said it was a great country and the people warm and friendly. The card came from Copenhagen in Denmark and it

was dated November 8th. Dr. Gibson said that they were leaving the next week for the Soviet Union. We all know and respect Dr. Gibson who is a fixture at LeMoynne and I think tops along with many others. He carried me through in Biology and Heredity and never accepts "I don't know."

**MR. AND MRS. WALTER BECTON** had as their house guest last week their daughter, Mrs. Thelma Bingham whom I was sorry not to see. St. Louis matrons spent sometime with other relatives, the Northcrosses.

We were again shocked last week over the passing of **MRS. DAISY LAWS**. The popular matron, will known in Memphis, was an outstanding member at St. Thomas Church and has been since the beginning of St. Augustine when the church was built on Walker venue. Sympathy is extended to her son, Mr. Carl Warren and to a niece, Miss Erma Laws who also go to my church.

Dr. and Mrs. James Myas spent last week-end in Nashville where they saw their son, James Spencer who is in his second year at Meharry Dental School. Dr. Byas also attended a reunion at the Medical School where he, his father, and three uncles (all Byases) were graduated.

**MRS. JOHNETTA KELSO** and **MRS. ANN WEATHERS** drove up to French Lick Indian (the beautiful resort) last week. Riding back with them was Mr. Bennie Tate. **MISS MATTIE BELL** was again the gracious hostess Thursday of last week to members of Phyllis Wheatley Club at her Boyd Street mansion (and it is a mansion). Members marvelled over the newly built paneled rumpus room that joins on to the living area.

Mrs. Ullia Holmes was the caterer and we know what that means.

Guests of the evening were Mrs. John Outlaw, Mrs. Maceo Walker, Mrs. Robert Lewis and Mrs. H. H. Johnson.

Members unable to attend were Mrs. W. W. Gibson and her sister, Miss Gibson Vance. Members enjoying the evening (and members of the Phyllis Wheatley do enjoy each other) were Mrs. A. W. Willis, Sr., Mrs. Henrietta Craig, Mrs. R. S. Lewis, Sr., Mrs. Charles Oglesby, Mrs. Emma Crittendon, Mrs. O. B. Braithwaite, Mrs. Harry Cash, Mrs. Fred Rivers, Mrs. Peter Jones, Mrs. Hollis Price, Mrs. B. Julian Smith (wife of Bishop Smith who moved to Memphis last year), Mrs. C. M. Roulae, Sr. and Mrs. Clarence Pope.

In Memphis last week was **BURL TOLER**, Head Lineman in the NFL (National Football League). He worked the game two Sundays ago between the Dallas Cowboys and the New York Giants. Burl, who is the first Negro in the National Football League came to Memphis from Dallas to see his mother, Mrs. Callie Toler on Woodlawn. Mr. Toler, a Manassas graduate whom we remember fondly



**STUDENT LEADERS AT STONEWALL SCHOOL** — The newly elected officers of the student government at the Stonewall School, located in South Fulton County, show they are together as they leave the school following their formal installation. The officers are, left to right,

James Davis, sergeant-at-arms; Neki Milian, assistant secretary; Nikitia Moore, president; Richard Williams, vice president; Rosemary Roiney, secretary, and John Dorsey, reporter. (Lens- News Service Photo by Perry)



REV. R. J. MABERRY

When Ellis Grove Baptist church on Calhoun St. observed annual **HARVEST DAY** Sunday, Nov. 17, the Rev. R. J. Maberry was the main speaker at 11 a. m. Speaking from the subject: "A Volunteer Worker," his text words were, "My Father Worketh Hitherto, and I Work."

## Open House At Lincoln Elementary Features 2 Bands

During the observance of American Education Week at Lincoln Elementary School last week, open house was held from 9 to 3 Tuesday. After luncheon the Hamilton High School band gave a concert.

A feature of Wednesday's program was the showing of a film by the PTA at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, Nov. 14, open house was held again from 9 to 3. Booker T. Washington's band gave a concert at 1:45.

Lincoln's principal is B. M. Batts.

is also principal of a school in San Francisco.

## Middle Baptist Presents Recital

Greater Middle Baptist Church, 821 Lane Avenue, launched its educational project with a selected permanent committee of 550 members from every department of the church.

The committee seeks to sponsor educational projects designed to enrich the cultural life in the church and city by presenting local and national talent, raising necessary funds for much needed library at the church, and providing scholarships for college students in the church.

The committee is composed of seven different sub-committees: Planning — Mrs. F. D. Hooks, chairlady.

Library — Mrs. Marie Jordan, chairlady.

Social — Mrs. Evelyn Payne, chairlady.

Screening — R. B. Hooks, Jr., chairman.

Finance — C. H. Jackson, Publicity — Walter Moore.

Robert Hooks, Jr., is chairman of the Educational Department of Middle Baptist Church, and Dr. John E. Jordan and Noah W. Bond are co-chairmen of the entire committee. Rev. B. L. Hooks is pastor.

The first effort of this committee will be a recital by Mrs. Maude W. Scott wife for the late Rev. W. P. Scott, who was the pastor of the Tree of Life Baptist Church on McLemore.

Mrs. Scott is a product of the Memphis City Schools. She is a graduate of the B. T. Washington High School and attended LeMoynne College 3 years. She received a B. S. degree from Rust College and is currently teaching in the Arkansas for several years.

## 4 Persons Arrested For Using 30 Stolen Credit Cards Here

**LARENCEVILLE, Ga. — (UPI) —** Gwinnett County Police have arrested four persons for using 30 credit cards to steal thousands of dollars worth of merchandise and sold there will be more charges.

Police indicated results of a Wednesday night raid in an Atlanta suburb could lead to at least a half dozen unsolved Gwinnett County burglaries and numerous other offenses in DeKalb and Fulton counties.

Police detectives Reed Miller and Fred Kinsley said they investigated a Tucker apartment with a search warrant Wednesday night in connection with the fraudulent use of a credit card at Atlanta's Rich's department store.

They found instead a room full of merchandise which they said was bought with the use of 30 stolen credit cards found at the apartment. A small amount of marijuana was also discovered.

The detectives arrested the four persons living in the apartment and charged them with burglary and possession of marijuana.

The four were identified as Douglas Estes, 30, and his wife, Carolyn, 21, last known address Warner Robins, and Edwin Steele, 22, of Doraville, and Penelope Ann Farmer, 20, of Scottdale.

Included in the inventory described by Gwinnett police were thousands of dollars in clothes which were allegedly bought from Rich's with stolen credit cards.

Assorted burglary tools, jewelry,

cosmetics, several Georgia tags and a sawed-off 12-gauge shotgun were also among the items confiscated.

The four arrested persons are being held in Gwinnett County jail in Lawrenceville.

## Coterie Is Spreading Good Cheer

The Coterie met in the spacious home of the caterer, Mrs. George Pierce, 544 LeClair.

Members were in their usual jolly spirit, especially during the lovely repast of a variety of delicious delectables.

Mrs. Dimple Levison of 221 Rochester Road, the hostess for the occasion, spared nothing in making the evening a pleasant one.

The Coterie has begun their annual charity work. Since convening this fall they have been making a liberal donation to the Glenview YMCA, paid on a life membership to the NAACP, sent around 150 cans of soup to the Beale Street Baptist Church nursery, and they have also begun on their annual shoe project for the underprivileged children.

Mrs. Ruby Spight is president, Mrs. Edith Heron, secretary and Mrs. Grace Tardy, reporter.

## LISTEN!

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## Education Should Take Priority

We are happy to note news reports that two days of student protest at Spelman College has ended. A teacher at Spelman was reportedly ejected from her class because she referred to a coed as a "jackass." But a spokesman reported that the protest was not a result of this particular incident.

Reportedly a few days prior to the Spelman protest, students at Clark College had won some major concessions from the administration of that institution.

The two-day protest at Spelman was of such proportion that classes had to be suspended.

A statement credited to President Albert Manley Tuesday evening revealed that students and administration officials had about reached agreement on the student grievances, compulsory class attendance, dress regulation and sign-out designation policies.

Other portions of the Spelman petition reportedly contained suggestions for implementation of black related curriculum and administration supported social and cultural activities.

At this writing we do not know officially just what has been granted the students, but we feel it would be a mistake to drop all limitations on students.

A great majority of college students are not adults and minors should not be given as complete freedom of action which an adult may be granted.

President Manley is quoted as saying, "I shall do everything in my power to work with the student government representatives elected by the students in order to make the necessary changes." We hope the word "necessary" has significance.

We agree that some necessary changes should be made. But we do not agree that such changes should be reached at the expense of a better education.

Some students have not learned self-discipline and self-denial. We think in those cases college would be a good place for such students to learn such traits.

If students fail to learn such in college we are afraid they will have to learn it the hard way after they get out into life.

We realize that students deserve a more sympathetic understanding, but we hope that in reaching an understanding with the students, the administration will take better education as a major priority as some mutual agreement is reached.

## God Save The State, God Save The President

Surely no genuine American would relish the idea of the assassination of Presidents and the idea of attempts to assassinate Presidents-elect in a free land where every individual is accorded equal opportunity of taking part in the election of a President.

The recent threat on the life of President-Elect Nixon, before the full vote could be tallied should astound every citizen of the land. The President-Elect is guilty of nothing thus far except to accept the office handed him through the mandate of the American people.

America was not thought of in such a manner as the taking of the lives of those elected to fill her highest office. That is a prized position and should be the envy of every qualified citizen.

Surely we would not relish a condition of what was once said of some of the Argentine countries where it was facetiously asked that they "elect a President on Monday, inaugurate him on Tuesday and assassinate him on Wednesday."

We do not want to see it come to pass when decent, competent men would not relish a term of prison, guards on every side, and refuse to run for office.

This writer was not on the scene when Abraham Lincoln and James A. Garfield were slain, but well can it be remembered by many in this generation the murder of William McKinley and John F. Kennedy.

Let the country begin in all seriousness an education in appreciation and respect for those who pawn their lives, their liberties to guide the ship of the nation.

May there be no more of these sundry threats, those cowardly assassinations of those whose lust is more for money than some grudge against an individual they do not even know.

We want no Carranza and Villa order, nor even a Castro to sprinkle whiskers among our unfortunate populace.

## We Agree With Rabbi Rothchild

We heartily commend Rabbi Jacob Rothchild for his speech to the Hungry Club session last Wednesday noon.

The religionist more or less pointed the way for the Negro or any minority group to travel in order to obtain the necessary equality and harmony desired for all for the general well being of the nation as a whole.

The Rabbi emphasized the necessity of building self respect and self reliance as a strong forte in times of strife. He indicated that the only real power available to man of this day is the power to reason together in a sane and intelligent manner. He used the recent elections as an understandable pattern.

He pointed out that while the chief participants in the election differed greatly upon some issues, they still found a degree of harmony for possible co-existence, both working for the general good of the people of this country.

He did not criticize the Negro minority for showing dissatisfaction with the present status of the race, but spoke decidedly against any form of separatism. His direct quote was "one God above, one earth below, one nation, all under this one God."

He pointed out that to respect oneself is not enough for the real achievement is to make others respect you, and the road to this feat lies not in violence, destruction, or separatism.

From the Jewish Torah: "Separate not oneself from thy people."



## Trial Of Sen. Kennedy's Accused Killer May Be Delayed Until '69

By JACK V. FOX

LOS ANGELES — (UPI)—The lawyer defending Sirhan B. Sirhan concedes that as many as 100 persons saw his client shoot Sen. Robert F. Kennedy or were witnesses to his capture.

Yet Sirhan has entered a straight plea of innocent in the murder trial scheduled to start Dec. 9, but likely to be delayed until after the turn of the year.

Russell B. Parsons, the veteran specialist on appeals in criminal cases, is assembling his defense on the "why" of the assassination of the brother of the late President.

The "why" is certain to be answered in part by the "mental makeup" of the 24-year-old Jordanian immigrant.

A court-appointed psychiatrist has examined Sirhan on several occasions and he and other specialists have made tests but the information has been made available under law only to the defense.

## Walkout On 'Dixie' Results In Filing Federal Court Case

JONESBORO, Ark. — (UPI)—The parents of two Negro students at Jonesboro High School suspended for walking out during the playing of "Dixie" are preparing to file suit in Federal District Court.

The suit will name the Jonesboro School District, supt. Clarence H. Gels and principal Charles Sims as defendants. It will ask the court to prevent "further harassment" of the students and to enjoin the school officials from preventing peaceful protests.

The legal defense fund of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) in New York, helping in the suit, said it would claim the students were protesting the song because it is "humiliating and indicative of the past when Negroes were considered property."

John W. Walker of Little Rock, a Negro attorney, prepared the suit for the parents of Teresa Ann Tate and Anthony Smith two of the 30 students who walked out when the song was played at a pep rally Nov. 2.

The same day three students at El Dorado High School in El Dorado, Ark. were suspended for walking out when the song was played.

Walker's secretary said late Thursday at Little Rock, Ark., that the suit was mailed after midnight Wednesday and had not arrived in the Federal District clerk's office at Jonesboro by Thursday afternoon.

Principal Sims refused to comment on the status of the students who were suspended.

Jonesboro schools were completely integrated three years ago when the Unitary school system was approved by the school board.

An authoritative source in Jonesboro said all of the suspended students had been given a chance to return to school if they would bring their parents for a conference with the superintendent. The original suspension period was for five days but it was later reduced to three days. The source said most of the students were back in school.

## Man, 24, Condemned To Electric Chair On Rape Charges

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. — (UPI)—A jury of 12 men found a young Negro man guilty Wednesday of raping a white woman and condemning him to the electric chair by failing to recommend mercy.

Charles Pickney, 24, West Palm Beach, was convicted of assaulting the 25 year old woman July 14 while she was visiting her grandmother's home here.

The woman testified the man broke into her home and attacked her with a knife before assaulting her. The jury returned the verdict after deliberating 75 minutes.

## Family Service

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Education, and Welfare, has the largest administrative responsibility of any woman in American government, with programs annually representing more than \$6 billion in Federal Funds.

Also featured on the program will be a dramatization of the agency's services produced by Ray Hill of Southwestern and Mrs. Oliver P. Cobb Jr.

Family Service of Memphis, first named United Charities, had its beginning in 1893 when the city, slowly recovering from yellow fever epidemics, was hard hit by the great panic of that year. While its initial service was providing food, fuel, and shelter to desperately needy Memphians, the young agency's policy, then, as now, emphasized the need to know the causes and ways of alleviating troubles.

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## Magicians Ready

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games are with SIAC members, including the opener with Morehouse. LeMoyn-Owen will play one Volunteer State member, CBC, twice.

LeMoyn-Owen will be eligible for the Volunteer State tournament, Feb. 19-22, at Nashville, and could participate in the SIAC tourney at Tuskegee in Alabama the following week if the Magicians finish in the top eight of the SIAC race.

The Magicians will play 12 games in Memphis, including a contest with the Alumni, Dec. 2. David Gaines, a former star for LeMoyn and the Harlem Globetrotters is coming here from Detroit to perform with the Alumni team.

Johnson is being assisted this year by Robert Grider, head coach at Owen before the merger.

MEMPHIS GAMES — Nov. 30, Morehouse; Dec. 2, Alumni; Dec. 4, Christian Brothers at CBC; Dec. 9, Rust; Dec. 13, Fisk; Jan. 4, Dillard; Jan. 18, Benedict; Jan. 25, Alabama A. & M.; Jan. 27, CBC in Bruce Hall; Feb. 3, Bethune-Cookman; Feb. 7, Lane; Feb. 10, Tougaloo.

GAMES AWAY — Dec. 20, Alabama A. & M.; Jan. 7, Bethune-Cookman; Jan. 9, Benedict; Jan. 13, Morehouse; Jan. 15, Dillard; Jan. 21, Rust; Feb. 13, Fisk; Feb. 14, Tougaloo; Feb. 17, Lane.

## Roy Wilkins

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continued leadership.

"Wilkins has become so much a part of the white establishment, representative of the black people, he is no longer an effective representative. It is time for this former great leader to retire."

The attack upon Wilkins came shortly after the eight-man legal staff of the national NAACP office resigned to protest dismissal of a staff member who criticized the U. S. Supreme Court.

Lewis M. Steele, a white member of the legal staff, was dismissed by the NAACP board of directors following publication last month of an article in the New York Times Sunday magazine entitled "Nine Men in Black Who Think White." In the article, Steele criticized the Supreme Court for not going far enough in its decisions in civil rights cases.

## Elementary School Presents Program

A Halloween program was presented on Wednesday, October 30 to the student body of Lakeview Elementary School. Each room presented a number. The program directed by Mrs. Ruth Hines consisted of songs, one-act plays, choral readings, poems and dance numbers.

Lakeview School opened American Education Week with a program and open house on Sunday November 10. Mr. John Flemming, eighth grade teacher, was master of ceremonies. Felicia Smith read Scripture. Laneta Poindecker introduced the Glee Club which was made up of two representatives from each room of grades two through eight. Miss Mary Jane Cotham, seventh grade teacher, accompanied the group in singing these songs: "We gather Together," "Over the River," "Come Ye Thankful People Come," "America's Got a Good Thing Going—It's Schools," "Battle Hymn of the Republic," "God Bless America with Marilyn House as soloist, and "Tommy the Thanksgiving Turkey." The Glee Club was directed by Mrs. Mary L. Pope, third grade teacher. Miss Lillie Mae Walker, principal, gave a short talk Literature concerning distributed to the parents.

various phases of education was after the program parents were invited to visit the classrooms. Refreshments were served in the cafeteria.

The school observed open house all week to allow the parents to visit classrooms while classes were being held. Mrs. Geraldine Flynn, third grade teacher, was in charge of all American Education Week activities.

tag Black Policemen . . . . .

The dilemma of the black policeman, who considered himself "a tool of the system" and whose job often causes him to be resented by his own people, is featured on NETS' "Black Journal," on Channel 10, Monday, Nov. 26, at 9 p. m. and Tuesday, Nov. 26, at 4:30 p. m.

Another segment on the sixth program in the "Black Journal" series examines the influence of Black Power on the Negro church. Members of the National Committee of Negro Churchmen discuss their acceptance of Black Power philosophy after staging a sit-in to protest their treatment at the Gateway Inn in St. Louis, where they had gathered for their national conference.

"Black Journal" will also contain some reflections on the recent election; a study of the murals of Earl Sweeting which trace stages of ancient African history; and a profile of the Afro-influenced Eleo Pomare Dance Company.

## Bill Weathers

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on the college campus. Mrs. Weathers is an effective general worker for the Fund, and Miss Laws is in charge of the Co-Eds who have made UNCF their annual project.

"We are very fortunate to have Mr. Weathers serve as chairman of the UNCF campaign," President Hollis F. Price of LeMoyn-Owen said. "He will make an excellent leader."

Mr. Weathers, who resides with his family at 686 Pontotoc, is a member of First Baptist Church (Chelsea) and on the Abe Scharrif YMCA Board of management. He is an Elk and a Mason and is the founder and past president of The Memphians, Inc.

He is a graduate of Natchez Junior College.

## Saints End

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Thomas Boulevard and is a son-in-law of the founder and late senior bishop, Charles H. Mason, Sr.

The election of the presiding bishop and a general board puts an end to a power dispute that developed following the death of Bishop Mason in 1961.

Absent from last week's Convocation was Bishop O. T. Jones of Philadelphia who succeeded Bishop Mason as senior bishop but was denied the power exercised by Bishop Mason during his lifetime. Bishop Mason had been the ruler of the church and Bishop Jones had hoped to continue in this role.

Around 1,700 official delegates voted in Friday's election. About 5,000 visitors made the annual trek to Memphis to take part in the colorful Convocation.

Five bishops were in the race. Bishop J. B. Bailey of Detroit was elected first assistant and Bishop S. M. Crouch of Los Angeles was voted second assistant. Others in the race were Bishops O. M. Kelly of New York and Wyoming Wells of Greensboro, North Carolina.

## Fashion Show

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nating the show, said models, both male and female, will show off clothes designed for comfort as well as "The Look."

Mrs. Benson's co-chairman is Mrs. Rio Ritts Jackson.

Models chosen for "A Fashion Forecast" are Gwen Walton, Britton LaGrone, Betty Rounds, V. Rutilio, Rose Robinson, Johnny McGraw, Evelyn Vassuer, Ruby Purdy, Laura Thomas, Dorothy Sharpe, Carolyn McGhee, Marilyn M. McPadden, Minerva Jane Johnson, Patricia Boyce, Anita Pamphlet, Narvene Aytry, Fannie Verna Vaughn, Delores Tolbert and Rachel Miles.

Male models in the show are Willie T. Miles, Melvin Bonds and Randy Warren.

MY WEEKLY SERMON

REV. BLAIR T. HUNT,

PASTOR,

MISSISSIPPI RIVER CHRISTIAN CHURCH

MEMPHIS, TENN.

## THE FADING AND FALLING LEAVES

Text: "We all do fade as a leaf." —Isa. 64:6

In autumn there is a rare beauty, a melancholy beauty. Let us go out into the open and read God in nature. Read God as you gaze upon the trees. How grandly true, "only God can make a tree." Read the leaves of your Bible, too, read the leaves of God's trees. There are all sizes and shapes of leaves on God's trees: They are all God's.

Some of the leaves of God's trees are yellow, red, russet, brown, indigo blue, myriad sparkling colors when touched by the sun. Then it is a divine dazzling picture, a divine art gallery of Heaven. It seems that artistic angels have left their easels and spilled their paint brushes and paint on God's trees.

Just as the myriad fading and falling leaves are God's leaves whatever their color may be, so we are God's children. Some are brown, beige, russet, red black, yellow but we are all God's children and He loves us one and all.

With God's sun flashing on the myriad colored leaves, they seem aflame like the burning bush that Moses beheld. As Moses heard

God's voice from the burning bush we too can hear His whisper by way of the fading and falling leaves.

Some of the fading leaves have fallen to mix forever with the elements from whence they came. This is according to God's eternal plan. Likewise to many of God's children have faded and fallen. But thanks be to God, "Dust thou art to dust thou shalt" was not spoken of the soul.

Some of the leaves of the trees fade and fall before autumn, some in the spring, some in the summer. The wind, not for autumn with its chilling whistles and biting frost, blows God's children they leave us as their springtime, in the heyday of summer. There is a reason whose name is death and with his sickle he reaps the bearded grain at a breath and the flowers that grow between.

Only when God's sun shines upon the rainbow hues of the faded leaves are they divinely beautiful. Likewise we are beautiful only when God's only begotten Son Jesus Christ shines upon our lives. Let us let the light of Jesus, our Crucified Lord and Risen Savior shine in our hearts.

Nature's telling us there is no end. The trees know they will come out fresh in another springtime so they bring out their glorious banners. The trees are a part of God's nature and they blossom again to tell man who is a part of God's nature, know He is unquenchable. Life is continuous. There is no death, just a transition.

Maybe we are in the sunset of life. Let us make it a sunset that flings to the skies a glorious afterglow with the promise of a clear tomorrow.

There is no death, the stars go down to shine upon some other shore, and bright in Heaven's jeweled crown they shine forevermore.

## Inquiry Week

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of Memphis State and Coby Smith, a senior at Southwestern.

Members of the sponsoring student committee were Charles R. Diggs, Beatrice Williams, Donnell Cobbins, James Lincoln, Calvin Herring, James Watkins, Jesse Jones, Joy Miller, Johnnie Mae Milam, Gwen Williams, Minetta Harris, Frankie Rogers, Deborah Harmon, Veronica Jones and Ronald Parker.

## BRASS TACKS

By THADDEUS T. STOKES

DRUG INDUSTRY

A report has been prepared by the National Health Education Committee, Inc., summarizing the progress of the nation's health during the last five years—progress which the report indicates has resulted from federal programs. It notes 49 health measures have been enacted by the federal government during this period.

The report points out that the most dramatic of the many health advances has been a three per cent decline in the death rate from 1963 to 1967. While medical research is given credit for a part in the improved health picture, the impression is clearly left that most of the improvement resulted from federal government action and the "49 health measures."

The obvious conclusion is that government must make further efforts to improve health standards — in other words initiate more far-reaching federal programs in the health care field.

So far as improving the nation's health through government action is concerned, there are a few facts that should be kept in mind. The first of course is that laws of themselves do not improve health. Behind the laws, such as medicare and medicaid, stand all the forces of the medical and allied professions. Unless the practice of the medical arts continues to advance in the future as in the past, the foundation of higher health standards is lacking.

As the publicity mills begin to grind in support of more massive federal action in the field of health, it is imperative to preserve a sense of perspective.

In nations where government action has taken the ultimate form of socialized medicine, health standards have declined as medical men became increasingly enmeshed in red tape and their freedom of action strangled. They way to better health in the U. S. lies with adherence to the framework of our traditional American medical system.

Like most constructive endeavors few people have heard of the Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association Foundation. It was established in 1965 "to promote the public health through the study and development of the science of therapeutics."

The work this Foundation is doing today in behalf of scientific progress and better drugs for tomorrow, may mean that you or a member of your family will be able to obtain a presently unheard of lifesaving drug five, 10 or 15 years hence.

To insure that such will be the case, the Foundation issues grants for study and research in scientific fields. It has just awarded 20 such grants of \$10,000 each to students in 16 U. S. medical schools for a three-month period. These grants

## 3 NAACP Branch Presidents Ask Wilkins To Resign

LOS ANGELES — (UPI) — Roy Wilkins was asked Monday to resign as director of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People by the presidents of three NAACP branches. They called him "the Noel Uncle Tom in America."

Celes King, III, president of the central Los Angeles NAACP branch, said the "member-ship was rotting" and its "prestige was up only in the white community."

He was joined in his demand for Wilkins' resignation by Charles Thomas, president of the Westside branch, and Henry Brown, president of the Southwest branch. The trio said they represented a "majority of black people" who thought Wilkins was "incapable" of continuing leadership.

Wilkins has become so much a part of the white establishment, he is no longer an effective representative of the "black people," King said. "It is time for this former great leader to retire."



# CENTENNIAL SCRAPBOOK

## Looking Back to 1868

There were two Custer massacres. The second generated more speculation, excitement, dispute, than any other military engagement in United States military history. Further contention regarding the loss of George A. Custer's losing his command at the Little Big Horn River, Montana, in 1876, was aroused in 1868. A commission to rehabilitate the reputation of Major General Reno, who was made the scapegoat of the Custer defeat in 1876, brought forth Custer defenders in full cry. The first Custer massacre has remained a neglected subject. On that earlier occasion, in 1868, Indians were the martyrs.

Comanches, Kiowas, Arapahoes, and Cheyennes were made troublesome by post-Civil War years of homesteaders in the age-old tribal buffalo hunting grounds.


A civilian commission investigating complaints among the tribesmen, distributed gifts, made promises, and got the chiefs' marks on treaties of peace. But ruthless traders of firearms and whiskey would not let the chiefs control all the young bucks.

Demands by white settlers for action against the Indians did not go unheeded in an election year. A battalion of 7th Cavalry, Lieut. Col. Custer commanding (and calling himself by his temporary wartime rank, General), was ordered to pacify hostiles along the Kansas frontier.

The main body of Cheyennes and allies, totalling 75 lodges, under Chief Black Kettle, was encamped on the Ouchitta (Washita) River. At dawn, Nov. 27, 1868, Custer took his battalion through the encampment in a pitiless surprise. Acting on his orders, troops were unsparring. Over 100 were killed, including women and children.

The Cheyennes and others who escaped did not run away. With desperate courage, they turned on one detachment of Custer's troops and killed thirty five. Some Indian survivors were among the tribesmen who rode against Custer's command devastatingly in 1876.

CLARK KENNEDY



[+] Contemporary drawing by J. E. Taylor of the merciless Custer attack at dawn on Cheyenne and Arapaho encampments.

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# Face Lifting Ordered By W. A. For NATO Defense Organization

By K. C. THALER  
BRUSSELS — (UPI) — The Western alliance has ordered a face lift for its NATO defense organization, alerted its guards against Soviet surprise attack in Europe and put its policy of bridge building with the Communist bloc into temporary cold storage.

These are the main decisions reached by NATO foreign and defense ministers after a three-day session which was dominated by the Czech crisis and the growing uncertainty of the Kremlin's future policy intentions.

**GALVANIZED ALIGNMENT**

The shock administered by Moscow's action and alarm about what Russia in her present mood of unpredictability might do to reassert her dominance over here "sphere of influence" in Europe has galvanized the NATO alignment.

It restored a greater sense of unity of purpose and action, caused the allies to close their ranks and, however reluctantly, to strengthen NATO's military posture in the face of a fully mobilized and firm-up Warsaw Pact alignment.

NATO leaders have conceded they have been lulled into a sense of false security in the past year or two from which they have been rudely shaken by the Soviet invasion of Czechoslovakia earlier this summer.

Western leaders, after thoroughly reviewing the new international situation, have reached the conclusion that they must tread carefully for some time until Moscow's designs become clearer.

**ON PROBATION**

The Soviet Union has in effect been put on "probation" by NATO. It will be judged by its future actions and, until the Kremlin's course becomes clearer, allied moves for East-West tensions easing measures and direct negotiations with Moscow for an improvement of relations with the Red bloc will be considerably slowed down and reduced altogether.

It may be some time before the "policy of approachment" with Russia will be fully reactivated. Allied ministers have given this explicit warning to Moscow, making it clear at the same time that the West does not want to slam the door altogether.

With its spirits re-invigorated, its defense strengthened, and its guard raised, NATO has concluded its crucial consultations with the "reasonable assumption" that a major crisis will be averted and that, after a cooling off period, new feelers for a better East-West understanding can be put out, on both sides of the dividing line in Europe.

But it may be longer that many allied nations would have wished for.

# Singer Joan Baez Sees Street Violence As Stupid

By PATRICK J. SULLIVAN  
LOS ANGELES — (UPI) — Folk singer Joan Baez, whose own political activism has landed her in a few jails, says the new "anti-pig" philosophy of violent protest in streets and on campuses is "stupid."

Disruptive takeovers of university buildings are "irrelevant" and "downright silly," the Black Panthers in many ways are "schizophrenic" and what happened in Chicago was "filthy," she says.

Miss Baez's outrage may surprise some persons. But she makes clear her attitude does not represent a change in her beliefs, but instead reaffirms her view of herself as a "very aggressive, but non-violent soldier."

**LONG-TIME DEMONSTRATOR**

The attractive, dark-toned singer, 27, a pacifist most of her life, has participated widely in demonstrations for civil rights and against nuclear weapons and the Vietnam War.

She refuses to pay the bulk of her income taxes in protest against the war and production of armaments.

Her marriage this year to draft resistor David Harris, 22, has apparently crystallized her energies against the Selective Service system, and armies in general. Harris was one of the first to organize the Resistance, a group actively opposed to the draft.

She has twice been arrested and sent to jail for taking part in non-violent demonstrations at the Oakland, Calif., Induction Center.

"You know there really are no pigs," she said in an interview prior to one of her rare folk concerts. "Calling police pigs is stupid."

**CITES GHANDI**

She believes men must, when in conflict, see each other always first as human beings. She cites the non-violent revolution by the late Indian leader Mahatma Gandhi against the British as her model.

"My idea of revolution is real change," she said. "The only real valid change that could bring it would be when each individual realizes he doesn't have the right to take another's life."

Sitting on a table in the reception room of the Sports Arena where she would sing, the slim, brown-eyed singer said campus demonstrations often are "irrelevant" because to her it seems real revolution must come off the campus.

"A person has to find what thing it is to which he is going to pledge his allegiance — his school, his Mustang, the flag . . .," she said.

"I think you have to pledge it to the people in misery who are getting napalm instead of rain from above. People are dying all over the world."

"Storming the administration building is downright silly. The resistance should be the concern of every young man," she said.

Don't questioners say non-violence is an impractical way to go about changing the situation?

"I'm not looking for utopia," she responded. "There probably always will be barroom brawls. But that is different than organizing society for international murder."

**SIGN TREATY**

**BUDAPEST** — (UPI) — The Soviet Union and Hungary Saturday signed a treaty for cultural and scientific cooperation, the Hungarian news agency MTI reported.

The signing took place at the conclusion of talks between Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko and Hungarian Foreign Minister Janos Peter and Education Minister Pal Ilku.



**BIG PARTY LINE** — A sophisticated satellite (top) called Intelsat 3, a powerful, new type radio relay station, will more than double trans-Atlantic telephone and television links following its launch from Cape Kennedy. The 632-pound satellite is the first of six in a \$32 million series, and it will be parked in a stationary orbit (lower) 22,300 miles above the Atlantic Ocean over the Equator and just east of Brazil. It will be able to transmit 1,200 two-way telephone conversations, or four color telecasts simultaneously between ground stations in the Americas, Europe, Asia.

# U. S. Expects Broadened Peace Talks To Embrace South Vietnam

By NICHOLAS DANILOFF  
WASHINGTON — (UPI) — U. S. officials indicated Saturday that they now expected broadened Paris peace talks, including South Vietnam, to begin, shortly, but they refused to speculate on the exact date.

They left the "impression," said President Nguyen Van Thieu of South Vietnam, was gradually coming around to acceptance of the idea of taking part in discussions that also would include the Viet Cong in some way.

**NO GUESS**

Because past negotiating sessions in Paris usually have been held on Wednesdays, the earlier expected date for the start of expanded talks would be Nov. 20, next Wednesday — but U. S. officials would not hazard a guess.

There clearly was no deadline in administration circles. President Johnson said he expected the talks to begin Nov. 30 until Thieu threatened to boycott them.

Thieu had insisted at one point that South Vietnam — not the United States — lead the allied negotiating team and he objected to sitting down with members of the Viet Cong's National Liberation Front as an independent delegation.

The State Department officially refused to comment on developments in the U. S. effort to persuade Thieu to abandon his criticism of arrangements for expanded talks.

Ellsworth Bunker, the U. S. ambassador in Saigon, has met frequently with Thieu since Johnson ordered the total halt in bombing of North Vietnam, and some of their meetings have been secret to avoid publicity.

**OFFICIALS ENCOURAGED**

Officials here acknowledged they were quite encouraged by Thieu's conciliatory remarks, circulated Saturday by the semi-official Vietnam Press News Agency.

As received here, Thieu was quoted as saying that "everything must be settled with composure and patience in an open-minded and understanding spirit."

He added that "all of us have the responsibility not to allow the Communists to reverse the situation in their favor either at the battlefield or at the conference table."

American authorities were interested as well in the flight of Le Duc Tho, special adviser to the North Vietnamese delegation, to Paris from Hanoi by way of Moscow.

He was believed carrying new instructions for Xuan Thuy, the chief North Vietnamese negotiator.

# Election Raised Pieces of Mail To Billion Mark

WASHINGTON — (UPI) — The 1968 general elections generated an estimated one billion pieces of mail or more during the height of the "political season" Sept. 1 to Oct. 18.

The Post Office is unable to estimate the volume of political mail except in general terms because it makes no individual count of each material. Unofficial estimates, however, put it at a minimum of one billion pieces during the peak season.

Postmaster General W. Marvin Watson reported Saturday that the volume of mail during the Sept. 1 to Oct. 18 period — the fourth accounting period of fiscal year 1969 — was up more than 22 per cent from the first four week period. The bulk of the increase was due to political mail.

The mail currently runs at a rate of more than 82 billion pieces a year or about seven billion pieces a month.

The 22 per cent increase raised the four week total to eight or nine billion, the bulk of the excess coming from the politicians seeking office throughout the nation.

Watson said postal clerks and mail handlers each processed an average of 17.3 pieces of mail an hour, compared with 10.5 pieces during the first four weeks of the fiscal year which began last June 28.

He said the productivity gain was 24.2 per cent in mail-processing during the busy political season, the highest gain on record for any single accounting period within a postal quarter.

Watson said "postal workers, anxious to avoid any possible charge of discrimination turned in what was probably the best election year mail-processing record in history."

Both the Supremes and the Temptations are cast in some of the television industry's most brilliantly-staged and beautifully-costumed song-and-dance sequences.

"TCB" is the first television venture of Motown Productions, Inc., the newest subsidiary of Motown Record Corp. in association with George Schlatter-Ed Friendly Productions. Berry Gordy Jr.

# Diana Ross, Supremes Star In Their Own "TCB" T. V. Show

DETROIT, Mich. — Diana Ross and the Supremes, super stars of the entertainment world, will star in their own television special, Monday, Dec. 9, at 8 p.m., EST.

The special will be aired on NBC television network, preempting Rowan and Martin's "Laugh-In."

It is another glittering first in the career of the world's number-one female vocal group. The hour-long production is appropriately called: "TCB," which, in the vernacular of soul, means "Taking Care of Business."

Joining the multi-talented Miss Ross and the Supremes (Mary Wilson and Cindy Birdsong) in TCBing are their fellow Motown artists, the Temptin' Temptations, Paul Williams, Eddie Kendricks, Otis Williams, Melvin Franklin and Dennis Edwards.

Already, critics are hailing "TCB" as being "the first major black television special in history."

"TCB" is flawlessly staged as a gala musical. However, in one entire segment, Miss Ross, singer extraordinary, doesn't sing a note! Instead, Diana goes completely ethnic and performs a series of African dances against a background of flashing stills. An exciting over-all performance by Diana leaves no doubt that she is headed for a new pinnacle of stardom in television.

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# Jack Noel: flies 6,000 miles a week on business

Jack is a first officer, co-pilot with American Airlines. Flying is his business. And it's no coincidence that Coca-Cola is always near. In flight from east coast to west at least twice a week. Or at home where he often relaxes with Coke. You see no matter where he is Jack knows he can count on Coca-Cola...

# Coke has the taste you never get tired of.



**WATCH ON THE SUEZ**, to paraphrase the title of a hit play, finds Egyptian President Gamal Abdel Nasser (right) inspecting troop maneuvers along the west bank of the Suez Canal. On the other side—Israelis!

**REIX FIRE**  
BERLIN — (UPI) — Communist East German border guards fired about 40 shots and two flares early Saturday near Babels burg but it was not known whether they had succeeded in preventing an apparent escape attempt. West Berlin police spokesmen said.

**SAFETY CAMPAIGN**  
MOSCOW — (UPI) — Moscow traffic police have been equipped with helicopters and police cars with radar mechanisms installed in their headlights to permit them to detect speeding motorists, the newspaper *Leninskaya Znamya*.

Your professional beautician, knows the answer.

## Is peroxide needed to color unwanted gray hair?

Hair care and beauty experts know that the first traces of gray hair, and even slight fading of natural color after chemical retouching—can dull a woman's appearance and make her look older than she feels. While most women hate these premature aging effects, many are hesitant about using permanent peroxide haircoloring which may change the natural hair color while coloring gray.

Professionally-trained hairdressers know the importance of their customers' preferences when unwanted gray becomes a problem. These experts also know that Clairol created semi-permanent Loving Care® hair color lotion without peroxide . . . to color only the gray without changing the natural shade. They also find Loving Care blends back color faded by chemical processing. Because of its mildness, Loving Care maintains healthy looking hair and lasts through a month of shampoos.

Whether a woman's reason for wanting Loving Care for her hair, she is always wise to consult a professional beautician. Hairdressers are equipped with a family of fine Clairol products and the training to promise each patron the loveliest and most personalized haircoloring effects every time she visits her salon.

If you think gray, and want no peroxide, why not ask your beautician to glamorize it with Loving Care?

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# Tan Topics



"I DIDN'T KNOW HE DRANK AT ALL — UNTIL...ONE NIGHT HE CAME HOME SOBER!"

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# MARION JACKSON Views Sports Of The World

## JOE LOUIS ON SOUTHWIDE WRESTLING CIRCUIT

North Carolina A & T University's Hornsby Howell-coached Aggies, current possessors of the Central Intercollegiate Athletic Conference, have voted to reject an invitation for a re-match against the Florida A & M Rattlers in the Dec. 7 Miami Orange Blossom Classic. Hornsby Howell, the forgotten main trainer of the Aggies who became head coach, said the players were appalled by the attack on SIAC official George James, who signalled their winning field. . . . Former heavyweight champion Joe Louis is on a countrywide trek of major cities, as a referee for the National Wrestling Alliance.

Seeing former boxing greats like Joe Louis, Rocky Marciano, and Jersey Joe Walcott on the wrestling circuit may bring agonizing memories to those who saw these champions in their heyday.

It seems sort of a down for Joe Louis, but it isn't necessary as good wrestlers like Gene Kiniski, reorganized world champion of the NW, take home pay checks in excess of a half million a year.

Kiniski is a native of Edmonton, Canada, but his purse-safaris are almost totally conducted in the United States. The Brown Bomber recently wound up his political hustling and has spare time on his hands. He will referee championship matches on the wrestling circuit in most major cities, east of the Mississippi.

Wrestling is show business, but it has kept many a not-quite-made-it athlete from the gutters. If you look at the guys on the USA wrestling circuit today you will find that they are college educated, intelligent, physically fit and highly mobile business men. Most have good businesses for their full time occupation.

THE DUSTY DESTROYER on the wrestling circuit needs no crocodile tears, for Joe Louis is enjoying meeting many of his old time buddies of World War II as well as the great championship years of the thirties.

ABC WRESTLING, INC., 310 Chester venue, S. E. has not announced whether Joe Louis is to be booked in Atlanta, but last week on my tour of North Carolina, notably, Greensboro, Winston Salem, Durham and Raleigh, I saw placards announcing that Joe Louis would appear to referee championship matches.

Likewise, in Greensboro, N. C. I was greeted by one of Atlanta's most storied athletic personalities. Everybody from everywhere connected with sports knows him. It was venerable Leslie C. Baker, retired athletic director and head coach at Booker T. Washington High School.

It was Baker, who ignited the spark for scholastic football in Negro high schools at Booker T. Washington High School and continued as its conscience until his retirement in 1967.

We sat and talked with L. C. during the M. A. & T-Virginia State Game in War Memorial Stadium in Greensboro. He is an elder statesman now, highly diplomatic, high solvent in diplomacy, and a tremendous goodwill ambassador for sports. Yet he is a lonely sentinel in Tarheel country.

For one thing, L. C. doesn't know the coaches and he is no sociological background into what makes the players tick. The officials are blurred figures to him and one time legions who made prep football a majestic dynasty for acceptance in the infant years of prep competition.

TO PUT THE RECORD straight Baker views the A & T and N. C.

## Savannah State To Play In Georgia Invitational

By MARION E. JACKSON  
Atlanta Daily World Sports Staff

SAVANNAH — Savannah State College will open the 1968-69 football season against Edward Waters College of Jacksonville, Fla. The Tigers will then play Benedict College at home and Armstrong College at the giant Savannah Sports Arena, before traveling to Atlanta, Dec. 5-7 for the 17th Annual Georgia Invitational Basketball tournament.

In Atlanta, Savannah State will be trying for tournament honors against Albany State College, Albany, Ga.; Clark College, Atlanta, Ga.; Fort Valley State, Fort Valley, Ga.; Jackson State College, Jackson, Miss.; Morehouse College, Atlanta, Ga.; Morris Brown College, Atlanta, Ga.; and Tuskegee Institute, Tuskegee, Ala.

There will be a single home date, Dec. 9, before the Tigers compete in the Dec. 13-14 Middle Georgia Classic against Berry College, Rome, Ga.; Florida A. & M. University, Tallahassee, Fla. and Fort Valley State.

The Tigers will also continue to the Oglethorpe Invitational Basketball Tournament, Dec. 19-20 to engage Christian Brothers, Memphis, Tenn.; Albany State, Albany, Ga.; and Oglethorpe University.

The complete schedule is as follows:

SAVANNAH STATE COLLEGE VARSITY BASKETBALL SCHEDULE — 1968-69

NOVEMBER  
Sat. 8 — Edward Waters at Jacksonville

DECEMBER  
Mon. 2 — Benedict at Savannah



MORRIS BROWN VS SOUTH CAROLINA STATE — John Dillion, one of the explosive backfield sparks for the Morris Brown College offensive attack, gets little running room in this second quarter action in Atlanta against South Carolina State. While the visiting Bulldogs were successful in halting the MBC attack, the Wolverines were unable to contain state and went down 39-0. (Lens-News Service Photo by Perry)

## Football's Judgment Day Ahead For Clark-Morris Brown Squads

You've heard no doubt at some time or other a religious leader speak of judgment day. Well, that great day is coming but hopefully not before football's judgment day for this 1968 season which happens to be on Thanksgiving Day.

To be precise, Thursday week is the day both Clark College and Morris Brown College terminated their football season with a renewal grid friendship that has engulfed 40 years.

Followers of this Turkey Classic vow that records, experience, depth, veterans, freshmen and all-American prospects don't mean

one red cent in this game. For Morris Brown, a team who boasts an all-American every 12 months, has lost games to Clark with those All-Americans on the field and vice versa.

Although nothing of All American calibre will hit the field for either team this year, the game still promises to be a "hum-dinger."

WORKING TIL DARK

Clark's head football coach Leonidas S. Epps has been sending his troop through routines until dark, noting that "we've got no time to lose" between now and Thanksgiving.

"Every minute for the next eight days are important to us," Epps said. Clark generally starts around mid-afternoon and doesn't stop until Epps says quit. "We're drilling on all of our basics everyday and we're not leaving the field until we're through," he said.

Epps, implying that if it takes until midnight for his team to finish, then midnight it will be, hope he has the formula to make his season more successful by winning next Thursday.

There hasn't been a let up in practice, although Clark has not played a game since November 6, "because we realize we're young with a lot to learn yet," spoke Epps.

Epps did not say how long his lengthy sessions will go on but his temporary plans according to a reliable source, indicate that his charges will be hard at work until Wednesday.

"Actually we're not going to let up until after the game is over," the source said.

This means that Clark is going after this game as if \$64,000 was the reward.

—JOHNSON

## TODAY'S SPORTRAITS

By CHARLES E. TAYLOR  
MIAMI — (UPI) — As "the fastest human" of the middle 1960's, Dave Sime held nine world sprint records, but he runs a good bit slower now, sometimes at the head of a straggling pack of middle-aged men and women.

The former Duke University three-sport man went back to running as a jogger, for two good reasons: to help spread the word about the benefits to longevity of running, and to prolong his own life. He also plays a superior game of club tennis, but there his contact with sports ends.

Sime, 32, is now Dr. David W. Sime, practicing ophthalmologist — eye surgeon. He turned down a draft call for the Detroit Lions of the National Football League, and several major league bonus offers in baseball to become a doctor. "I was very serious about being a doctor, and I decided I couldn't be a good professional athlete and a good doctor, too. I decided medicine would be more rewarding. I had to feel I was doing something useful. It's a different kind of satisfaction than I got from sports," says the tall young surgeon.

Sime has a lot to look back on. He went to Duke on a baseball scholarship, but only played one full year and was an All-America center fielder. He also played a year as "lonesome end" on the Blue Devil football team.

He never competed in track in high school but he took it up at Duke as a conditioner. His long legs and sturdy frame made him a sprint champion. Sime, at one time or another, held the world record in the 100-meters and 100-yard dash, the 220-yard dash, 200 meters, 220-yard low hurdles and the 100, 80, 70 and 60-yard indoor dash. His record in the 220 dash stood for 10 years.

Sime recalls his best day on the track in a dual meet at Durham, he thinks against North Carolina: he won the 100 and 220-yard dashes, the 220-yard low hurdles in world record time, the broad jump and the discus throw.

UNLUCKY IN OLYMPICS

Sime missed the 1956 Olympics because of an injured leg. In 1960, he was beaten by a chest heave in the 1000 meters and anchored the U.S. 400-meter relay team that won, but was disqualified because one man ran outside the pickup zone.

Now Sime jogs two miles every other day around the streets of Key Biscayne, the residential island where he lives — and where president-elect Richard M. Nixon visits. As chairman of a jogging committee of the Heart Association of Greater Miami, Sime also runs occasionally with middle-aged and even senior citizens to promote vigorous exercise as a heart disease preventive.

"I started running because my father had a heart attack at 45, and my mother had some circulatory problems. That makes my chances of having heart trouble better than average," says Sime. From his own medical knowledge, reading and a best friend who is a cardiologist, Sime is convinced of the value of jogging. "It is the

## Willie Ellison Seen As Future Breakaway Runner For L. A. Rams

LOS ANGELES — The Los Angeles Rams have been plagued this season by inability to make the "big play," particularly with the run, but Willie Ellison has a hunch the situation may soon be remedied.

"I've been this close to breaking away," measuring a couple of inches with his thumb and forefinger. "Against the Atlanta Falcons last Sunday we were back around our 20 when (Roman) Gabriel called an audible and sent me on a sweep. I had turned the corner and Bernie Casey blocked the last man in front of me — but I was too close to the sidelines. I couldn't keep in bounds. I'd have gone 80 yards.

"A little later we needed long yardage and I ran a trap up the middle. I made 15 yards, but the last man got me. That would have been good for another 80 yards or so. The way I feel, I can't keep coming so close and not get away on one."

The smooth speedster from Texas as Southern, now in his second season as a Ram running back, is the most likely candidate for the breakaway bonus. A 9.7 sprinter in college, he is the club's fastest ball-carrier and he had L. A.'s longest run from scrimmage last year — a 42-yard gallop against the Cowboys in Dallas.

The best any Ram runner has done this season was a 20-yarder by Dick Bass and this lack of explosiveness is reflected in the league statistics which for the first time in several seasons fail to show a single Ram ball-carrier among the top 15 rushers.

Oddly, the 49er ground-gainers are having the same difficulty. Ken Willard, while high in the rankings, has a best effort of only 18 yards and his running-mate, Gary Lewis, 22 yards.

Ellison has a good explanation for the Rams' deficiency. "Injuries have hit our runners so hard we rarely have the same pair of running backs in for successive games.

one thing we know of that can decrease heart disease, and heart disease is our greatest killer."

From his work with the Heart Institute, Sime has seen some dramatic evidence of what jogging can do: "We had a man, maybe 48 or 50, who had a full-blown heart attack and blockage of a blood vessel. When we began working with him he literally got winded getting out of bed to go to the bathroom.

"We started him walking, and it took him a year to work up to running. Now he runs four miles without any trouble. We looked with X-rays at the occlusion — the blockage — and a whole new set of blood vessels had simply built around it, bypassed it. The man looked his problem."

Sprint star Sime hopes to be running for a long time to come. (Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.)

## Richie Guerin Reactivated By Atlanta Hawks

Richie Guerin, one of the top stars in National Basketball Association history, has been reactivated by the Atlanta Hawks. Guerin, who last appeared in play-offs in the 1957 post-season play-offs.

Guerin, 35, played 11 years in the NBA with New York and St. Louis.

The recent rash of injuries to "Cmo Beaty Don Ohl and Paul Sims was given as the reason for Guerin's return to the active list.

"I am activating myself just as a precautionary measure," Guerin said. "We have Don Ohl out and Beaty still injured and in the event of an injury to another player, we would have some problems. I don't expect to play unless absolutely have to but I think I could help for a few minutes in a spot situation."

"I'll only keep myself on the active list until someone gets healthy. We get Skip Harlicka back from the army next week and that should help us but it will take him some time to get used to our system," Guerin said.

Guerin was picked up in the expansion draft in the spring of 1967 by the Seattle Sonics but he retired immediately afterward. Seattle gave up the rights to Guerin today upon a request made by the Hawks.

In 11 seasons, covering 812 games, Guerin scored 14,518 points for a per-game mark of 17.9. He appeared in 37 playoff games and averaged 16.7 per game on 618 points. He participated six NBA All-Star games — all with New York.

Richie has a lifetime mark of 416 from the field; 760 from the line and was credited with 4100 assists. He ranks 10th among the all-time NBA scorers and 6th among the active point-makers. He is fifth among the top 10 in sundry other departments.

## Emory Offers Information In Law Training

Emory University's law school is sponsoring an informational program for persons considering attending law school.

Called "Law School — Getting in and Staying in" the program will be held Monday, Nov. 26, in Bishops Hall at Emory beginning at 7 p.m.

Designed to provide general information applicable to all law schools, the program will include an informal panel to discuss the various admission requirements and such items as significance of the Law Scholastic Aptitude Tests, what to expect in the first year and similar topics.

A question session will follow which can touch on anything and everything to do with law schools. New Law School social programs such as legal aid to inmates and third year students practicing in Georgia will be discussed.

Participants include Dean Ben Johnson of the Emory Law School, Professors Robert Stubbs and Michael DeVito, and several members of the Student Bar Assn.

More information can be obtained from Jacob Shacter, Emory Law School.

## Elected To NET

### John H. Franklin Board Of Directors

John Hope Franklin, chairman of the department of history at the University of Chicago, has been elected to the board of directors of National Educational Television.

The announcement was made by NET board chairman Everett N. Case.

Professor Franklin, 63, a scholar of the American Civil War and the post-war Reconstruction Era, becomes the second Negro to serve on the NET board.

The author of many books and articles, Professor Franklin is well known for "Land of the Free," an eighth-grade textbook co-authored with John C. Calhoun and Ernest R. May, which is credited with having brought to the foreground much evidence concerning the role of minority groups in American history, including Negroes and American Indians.

His most recent book, published last year, is "The Negro in 20th Century America," co-authored by Isadore Starr. Mr. Franklin's other recently published works include "The Emancipation Proclamation," "Army Life in a Black Regiment," and "Reconstruction After the Civil War."

In 1962, President Kennedy appointed him to a three-year term on the Board of Foreign Scholarships (Fulbright Grants), and he was reappointed by President Johnson.

As chairman of this board and as a Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, he travels frequently to Europe, the Near East, and South Asia.

Mr. Franklin was born in Bentleyville, Oklahoma. He attended Fisk University, where he is now a member of the board of trustees

## Football Scores

PROFESSIONAL	Fort Valley	81
NFL	Fisk	7
Atlanta	Winston-Salem	12
Chicago	Shaw U.	12
Dallas	Johnson C. Smith	39
Washington	Fayetteville State	14
Green Bay	Elizabeth City	36
New Orleans	Lincolnton	18
New York	San State	7
Philadelphia	Serford State	7
Cleveland	V. C. A. and T.	35
Pittsburgh	Va. State	7
Minnesota	N. C. College	60
Detroit	Va. Union	6
San Francisco	Maryland State	33
Los Angeles	Delaware State	20
Baltimore	Alcorn A. and M.	17
St. Louis	Prairie View	17
AFL	Grantling Wiley	30
Houston	Texas Southern	15
Denver	Arkansas A. and M.	15
Cincinnati	Lincoln U.	24
Miami	Central State	00
Kansas City	Morehead State	10
Boston	Kentucky State	10
Oakland	Alabama State	20
New York	Miles	12
San Diego	Alabama A. and M.	41
Buffalo	Allen U.	12
COLLEGE	Albany State	33
S. S. State	Savannah State	300
Morris Brown	Miss. Valley	16
Morehouse	Bethune-Cookman	6
Howard U.	Florida A. and M.	30
Lane	Southern U.	14
Knoxville	Salem State	24
Tuskegee	W. Va. State	7
Hampton	Jackson State	31
	Bishop	15

## S. C. State Bulldogs To Play 22-Game Basketball Schedule

ORANBURGH S. C. — S. C. State College will open its new basketball home schedule in the \$1.4 million health and physical education complex Nov. 30 against Clark College of Atlanta, Ga. In addition to a new coach, Ben Jobe, formerly of Alabama State, Jobe announced that the Bulldogs would play a 22 game scheduled with 12 to be on the home court.

Jobe also revealed that the College of South Carolina basketball tournament will be held at S. C. State Dec. 5-7.

### S. C. STATE COLLEGE Orangeburg, S. C. 29115 —1968-69 Basketball Schedule—

November 30 — Clark College at home.  
December 5-6-7 Colleges of S. C. Tournament at Orangeburg, S. C.  
December 9 Savannah State College at Savannah, Ga.  
December 11 Allen University at Columbia, S. C.  
December 14 Benedict College at Columbia, S. C.  
February 1 Vt. Wesleyan College at Home.  
February 3 Fisk University at Nashville, Tenn.  
February 5 Knoxville College at Knoxville, Tenn.  
February 8 Oglethorpe College at Home.  
February 10 Johnson C. Smith University at Home.  
February 12 Morehouse College at Atlanta, Ga.  
February 15 Knoxville College at Home.  
February 18 Tuskegee Institute at Home.  
February 22 Tuskegee Institute at Tuskegee, Ala.  
Feb. 27-28 & Mar. 1 SIAC Tournament at Tuskegee, Ala.

and chairman of the committee on educational policy. After graduating magna cum laude from Fisk in 1935, he went to Harvard University for post-graduate studies and earned a doctorate in American history there in 1941.

Subsequently, he taught history at Fisk, St. Augustine's College, North Carolina College at Durham and Howard University, and was chairman of the department of history at Brooklyn College from 1956 to 1964. He was Pitt Professor of American history at Cambridge University from 1962 until joining the faculty at the University of Chicago in 1964.



BEHIND THE MAJORETTES—There's an even greater story behind the scene when the beautiful, prancing Morris Brown College majorettes take the field or march along the street behind the big sound of the MBC band. Jomine Dawson and Norma Bell, both faculty members, are the unsung heroines who train the high steppers and create the routines. The "twosome cut girls" figure themselves in their snappy gorb, featuring the musketeer hats. (Lens-News Service Photo by Perry)



# Progressive Baptist, American May Merge

GREEN LAKE, Wis. — Leading figures of two Baptist conventions, one black and the other mostly white, talked together here Oct. 22 about how they could work together to the advantage of each. The Rev. Dr. Gardner Taylor, pastor of the Concord Baptist Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., former president of the Progressive National Baptist Convention, presided over the meeting in which Progressive Baptists and American Baptists considered areas of mutual concern, areas of common ground on which we can stand and leave the rest to God," Dr. Taylor said. He emphasized that the meeting was not called to consider any plans for merger.

Dr. Taylor reported that some areas of possible cooperation the committee discussed were camping, social action, communication, joint statements on public issues, the preparation of materials for church administration, in-service training of pastors, rural church work, and the means by which to

interpret each convention to the other.

This interpretation could come about, he said, by joint meetings together including simultaneous meetings of the governing councils of each convention in the same city, with one session together.

Prior to that there may be exchanges of visitors for the winter meetings of general councils. The governing board of the Progressive Convention will meet in Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 22-23, 1969, as an extended session of the annual convention, which met in Washington, D. C. last September. The American Baptist General Council will meet Feb. 4-6, 1969, in Valley Forge, Pa.

Dr. Taylor explained that the conversations at Green Lake were only exploratory, and that they were friendly. It was agreed that one representative from each convention will meet at a later date to formulate proposals for discussion including suggested implementations for programs, to be considered at the next meeting of the group in Chicago, Ill., in April, 1969.

The two representatives will be the Rev. H. B. Hicks, Mt. Olivet Baptist Church, Columbus, Ohio, and the Rev. Robert Torbet, director of the division of Cooperative Christianity, American Baptist Convention.

The Progressive National Baptist Convention was founded in 1961. It numbers 800 churches with a total membership between 500 and 600 thousand. The Rev. Dr. E. R. Searcy, Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Atlanta, Ga., is president of the convention.

Progressive Baptists who took part in the sessions at Green Lake were Dr. Taylor, Dr. Hicks, the Rev. Dr. W. C. Holmes, Beulah Baptist Church, Memphis, Tenn.; the Rev. A. A. Banks Jr., Second Baptist Church, Detroit, Mich.; and the Rev. Dr. V. Simpson Turner, Mt. Carmel Baptist Church, Brooklyn, N. Y. Two were absent: the Rev. Dr. Thomas Kilgore, Second Baptist Church, Los Angeles, Calif.; and the Rev. Dr. L. Venchael Booth, Zion Baptist Church, Cincinnati, Ohio.

American Baptists in the talks were the Rev. Dr. Edwin H. Tuller, general secretary; Dr. Torbet; the Rev. Dr. Dean R. Wright, executive secretary of the Ministers and Missionaries Bene-

## Lane To Open Against Fisk

JACKSON, Tenn. — Lane College will open its 20-game basketball schedule Nov. 30 against Fisk University in Nashville.

The Dragons will participate in the Mayor's Tournament Dec. 2-3 at the Jackson Coliseum. Participating teams will include: Lane, Union, Southwestern of Memphis, and Shorter of Rome, Ga.

The home schedule begins Dec. 7 against Allen University of Columbia, S. C. It will be one of the 10 home games the Dragons will play in Merry Gymnasium this season.

The highlight of the season will be the Chicago Christmas Basketball Classic, Dec. 26-30. It will be an eight team tournament to be played in the International Amphitheatre. The Dragons first foe will be Detroit College of Detroit, Mich.

The Lane Dragons will field a veteran team in the 1968-69 season, with nine lettermen returning. The Dragons only lost two players from last year's team that recorded a 19-3.

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### INVITATION FOR BIDS

The Memphis Housing Authority will receive bids for A PLAYGROUND LIGHTING SYSTEM ON POWELL HOMES PROJECT, TENNESSEE 1-12, MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE, until 10:00 A.M., Central Standard Time, on the sixth day of December, 1968, at 700 Adams Avenue, Memphis, Tennessee, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposed forms of contract documents, including plans and specifications, are on file at the office of the Memphis Housing Authority, at 700 Adams Avenue, Memphis, Tennessee.

Copies of the documents may be obtained by qualified contractors by depositing ten (10) dollars with the Memphis Housing Authority. Said deposit will not be refunded.

A certified Check or Bank Draft, payable to the Memphis Housing Authority, U.S. Government Bonds, or a satisfactory bid bond executed by the bidder and acceptable sureties in an amount equal to five (5) percent of the bid shall be submitted with each bid.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish and pay for satisfactory performance and payment bond or bonds within ten (10) days after the notice of award.

All bidders shall be licensed contractors as required by Chapter 135 of Public Acts of 1945 of the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee, and all amendments thereto. The bidder's name and contractor's license number must be placed on the face of the envelope containing the bid documents.

Attention is called to the fact that no less than the minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the specifications must be paid on the project and that the contractor must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, creed, color or national origin.

The Memphis Housing Authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the Memphis Housing Authority.

MEMPHIS HOUSING AUTHORITY  
By: Orelle Ledbetter  
Title: Secretary

## 27 YW Ladies Tour New Orleans

Twenty-seven members of the Young Women's Christian Association recently made an exciting week-end tour of New Orleans, La. The tour sponsored by the Sarah Brown Branch of the YWCA began on Friday evening, Nov. 8, and lasted for three days.

While in New Orleans, the group stopped at the Sheraton St. Charles right in the heart of the French Quarter. Among the places explored were the charming old garden district, the French Quarter where some of the ladies treated themselves to exquisite French cuisine in one of the oldest and most famous French restaurants, Antoine's.

One of the top night clubs on the famous Bourbon Street was also taken in the famous Al Hirt Club owned by Al himself, and the popular Fats Domino drew a full house.

Other points of interest visited were modern New Orleans contrasting to what you see in the Vieux Carre, the beautiful gardens, Notre Dame seminary, Tulane, Dilard, Xavier, Newcombe and Loyola Universities and many other points of interest.

The group was escorted by Miss Barbara Neal branch director. The following members made the tour: Mrs. Burnadine Holmes, Mrs. Jewelline Thomas, Mrs. Manae Stanback, Mrs. Helen West, Mrs. Grace Parker, Mrs. Ethel Watkins, Mrs. Lucille Britt, Mrs. Elizabeth Plaxico, Mrs. Melvina Hunt, Mrs. Willie Pegues, Mrs. Katie McGuire, Mrs. Ruth Porter, Mrs. Bessie Ed-Miss, Also Mrs. Leora Bradley, wards, Mrs. Pinky Everett and Mrs. Lessey Davis from Hollysprings, Mrs. Samantha Howard, Mrs. Corrie Shaw, Mrs. Willie Yates, Mrs. Christine Jackson, Mrs. Inez Gardner, Mrs. Irene Gledien, Miss Karen Brown, Mrs. Estelle Morgan, Mrs. Georgia Pierce and Mrs. Alice Minor.

## Isaac Joseph Henderson Succumbs In California

LOS ANGELES, Calif. — Funeral services for Isaac Henderson, former Memphisian a graduate of LeMoyne Normal Institute were held Friday November 1, 1968 at the Second Baptist Church, with the Rev. Dr. Thomas Kilgore, Jr., officiating.

Born in Caddo parish in Louisiana, Mr. Henderson attended school at the Morning Glory Elementary School in Louisiana before moving to Memphis where he attended high school at the former LeMoyne Normal Institute, graduating in 1923. He later attended Arkansas Baptist College, Little Rock, Ark. where he graduated in 1927 with a Bachelor of Arts Degree.

Mr. Henderson moved to Los Angeles in 1929 and in 1930 married Miss Mary Morris whom he met at Arkansas Baptist College. The family joined the Second Baptist Church where Mr. Henderson served as a faithful member.

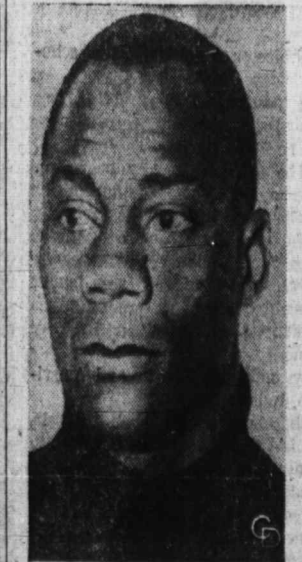
He served at one time as a United States Marshall for the Southern District of California, and later entered the Postal Service where he worked many years. He was a member of the National Association of Postal Supervisors, Branch 48 and received several citations from the Post Office Department, and an honorary recognition from the Post Office upon his retirement in December 1955.

Mr. Henderson was active in many civic affairs, a long time member of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored people, the Masonic Lodge which he joined in 1928. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Henderson, two sons, Howell and Carver, a daughter, Mrs. Beverly Lanier; two brothers, Daughlass Henderson and Jabez A. Henderson of Esinore, Calif. and four grandchildren. Interment was in Rose Hills Cemetery, with Angelus Funeral Home in charge.

Jewish-Arab ties in Israel are lauded.

Differences between U. S. and Peru remain.

fit Board, New York, N. Y.; the Rev. Edward Wright, Old Cambridge Baptist Church, Cambridge, Mass.; and the Rev. Atha Baugh of the American Baptist Home Mission Society, Valley Forge, Pa.



"MOST WANTED" — Levi Washington (above), a reputed narcotics addict accused in three New Orleans, La., bank robberies, is a new name on the FBI's list of "Ten Most Wanted Fugitives" at large. He is a native of Mississippi, is 5-feet-11, weighs 165-170, has scars under his left eye, on left cheek, behind left ear. He is an artist skilled in oils.



DISCIPLINARY FIREWORKS—Rep. Richard Bolling (left), D-Mo., is going to try to get the House to discipline Rep. E. Mendel Rivers (right), D-S.C., a 15th term and powerful chairman of the Armed Services Committee, for his friendly campaign pronouncements about George Wallace and his lack of party support on key issues. Bolling is a member of a group of House liberals called the Democratic Study Group. The faction also is looking into second-term John R. Rarick (inset), D-La., for his open support of Wallace. He could lose what seniority he has. Two Democratic congressmen were disciplined and punished four years ago for supporting Goldwater.

## CHURCH NEWS

**NEW SALEM BAPTIST**  
955 South Fourth Street  
Rev. Willie G. Williams, pastor  
The congregation of New Salem honored Rev. and Mrs. Willie G. Williams who have made tremendous contributions to the church and the community since they came six years ago. Among those participating were Mrs. Mozella Hanna, Robert W. Malone and Mrs. Dinola Farley.

Giving the message of honor was the Rev. T. M. Henderson of Mt. Pleasant Baptist on Decatur. The Rev. Breck Henderson served as M. C.

David Pearson was chairman, assisted by Mrs. Marie Jones, co-chairman, W. E. Witherspoon, Mrs. Alice Martin and Mrs. Daisy Mays composed the program committee. Captains were Mrs. Emma Nunnally, Mrs. Geneva Mountain, Mrs. Nettie Hubbard, Mrs. Carolyn Moore, Mrs. Catherine H. Rogers, Mrs. Dinola Farley, Mrs. Lula M. Moore, Mrs. Julia A. Garbage, Mrs. Cora J. Hall and Mrs. Lizzie Moore; Decorations, Mrs. Allonya Robinson, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Catherine Rogers, Mrs. Alma H. Black and Mrs. Ethel Mosley; publicity, Nathan Jones and Charles J. Patterson, Jr., finance, John Hubbard and James Hves, Jr.

The pastor and his wife were recipients of glowing tributes and many gifts. They were escorted to their places of honor by Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Lomax who stood with them as they were paid special

tribute by Mrs. Ernestine Brown who was escorted by Morris Rogers. A song tribute was given by Doris Gary and Mrs. Mary L. Bryant.

**ZION HILL BAPTIST**  
1468 Leland  
Rev. R. W. Taylor, pastor  
The official staff of Zion Hill reminds the congregation to support and attend weekly activities that include missionary meetings and Pastor's Aid Club on Tuesday night and general choir rehearsals on Thursday night. On November 20, the congregation was the guest of the Union Baptist church and Rev. J. W. West. Zion Hill also hosted the ushers of the Brotherhood District association.

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## Christ Baptist Church To Observe Men's And Women's Day, Sunday

"Christ Baptist Church, 494 S. Parkway East, will observe Men and Women's Day Sunday, Nov. 24, with a special program at 3 p. m. when the speaker will be Mrs. Felicia Sartain. Mrs. Hortense Cryvens, wife of the pastor of St. Stephens, will served as emcee.

Mrs. Frances Neal is the chairman. The Rev. E. L. Currie, pastor.

## Collins Chapel CME

The Mission Circle of Collins Chapel CME Church, 678 Washington, will present a pre-Thanksgiving Vesper service Sunday, Nov. 25 at 4 p. m. to which the public is invited.

Outstanding guest artists of the city will be featured along with Mrs. P. Gonya Hentzel, wife of the pastor; Alfred Motlow and Harold

# High Court To Hear Rep. Powell's Case

By CHARLOTTE G. MOULTON

WASHINGTON—UPI)—The Supreme Court agreed Monday to rule this term whether the House had the constitutional power to bar Adam Clayton Powell from his seat in the 90th Congress on grounds of unethical behavior.

By accepting Powell's appeal the court faced a possible new confrontation with the legislative branch of government. Oral arguments in the case will be heard later this session and a written opinion handed down subsequently.

The controversial Harlem Negro who was reelected to the next Congress in the Nov. 5 balloting of the House on March 1, 1967.

The action stemmed from charges that Powell had missed congressional funds as chairman of the House labor and Education Committee; that he refused to answer questions asked by two investigating committees, and that he had defied state court orders in a New York law suit.

**Exceeded Authority**  
Powell's attorneys argued that the House exceeded its authority because the New York Democrat had met the requirements of the Constitution for membership, age, citizenship and residence.

The House countered by citing another section of the Constitution which says that both branches of Congress "shall be the judge of the qualifications of its members."

Powell lost in the U. S. Court of Appeals on Feb. 28 and carried his case to the Supreme Court.

Six weeks after the House voted to disbar him, Powell was re-elected in a special election but never sought to claim his seat. Instead, he declined to pursue his claims through the courts and spent more

of his time on the Bahamas island of Bimini.

In this year's election he won again almost without campaigning and several leaders of the fight against him in the 90th Congress have indicated they will make no effort to block his seating in the new House which convenes in January.

**MATTER OF PRINCIPAL**  
His attorneys said that even though the 90th Congress has ended, Powell's legal claim is important as a matter of principal and because he would be entitled to salary and other benefits if he wins.

Powell was stripped of his chairmanship of the House Labor and Education Committee and lost his seniority in the proceedings against him but these issues are not involved at this point in the court case.

## Control Blaze

YOKOHAMA, Japan — (UPI)—Firemen Saturday brought under control a fire that burned for several hours aboard the 1,967-ton Mexican freighter E. L. Mexicano in Yokohama Port. A crewman and a fireman were overcome by carbon monoxide poisoning while fighting the fire in No. 4 hold, containing raw cotton, lumber and lemons.

## KEEPS HUST AT 94

URBANA, Ill. — Although Mrs. Mamie Hoffman, 94, is not as active as she once was, she continues to knit warm woolen mittens for local schoolchildren who otherwise would have to do without them. She plans to continue as long as she is able.

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