

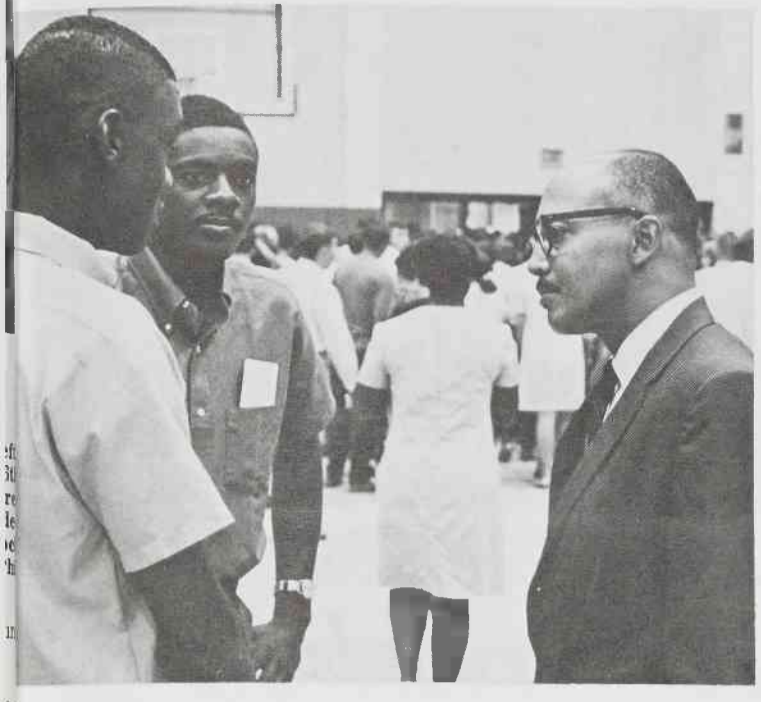
A trouble with this country is we're trying key up with the Jones. Let's keep up rot the Johnson, they have the money.

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Discuss Address

Freshmen basketball prospects James Jones and Clifton Black discuss Tuesday's convocation address given by the Rev. J. D. Ellis (right), pastor of the Jackson Chapel Baptist Church. The address, sponsored by the Campus Awareness Committee, concerned "Racism in the American Society." (Staff Photo by Ben Casey)

## Race Relations Are Discussed

By LYNN JOHNSON and MARY K. MANNING

The Rev. J. D. Ellis stated Tuesday that "we can create a kind of society that will include all of the people instead of some of the people." Speaking on the topic "Racism in American Society," Rev. Ellis said that the white man needs to know and to understand how the black man feels. The black man wants to be accepted as a human being, not lumped together as a race. Ellis feels that despite the cry of the more militant black groups to burn America, that the country still has something to offer those who are willing to earn it. He stated that we must confront problems as problems of everyone and not just those of the black man. In the past, he declared, the white man has given the Negro a handout. Now the Negro wants the white man to help him to help himself through better jobs, better education and more opportunities. "We will not have made progress," he said, "until we have learned to view problems not as a black problem or a white problem but as a human problem."

At 4 o'clock Tuesday, discussion was continued on the question in a symposium, "The Role of the black Man in American Society," sponsored by the Campus Awareness Committee in the C. L. Hardy Alumni Hall. It opened with the statement: "The racial problem can be solved only by helping each race to understand more fully the customs, the thoughts, and the aspirations of the other race. This mutual understanding can be secured ultimately by trust of each other, for the final desiratum of knowledge of persons is open-minded sympathy." Those participating in the symposium on racism included: Doris Greene, Carolyn Rhodes, Yvonne Artis, Jo Ann Knight, Evangeline Thompson, and Wilbert Hardy. Each member presented a different facet of racism. "Why rebel?" was the topic of

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## Water Situation Drastic

The City of Wilson, along with the majority of Eastern North Carolina municipalities, is facing

a growing threat of a dwindling water supply. In order to conserve the city's water supply, the City Commissioners recently adopted a measure prohibiting the use of city-supplied water to water gardens, lawns or vegetation, washing all types of vehicles, or to fill swimming and play pools.

Violations of the emergency measure could result in a \$50 fine.

As of the Collegiate's Tuesday night deadline, no rain had been forecast for the Wilson area; thus, opening the doors to stronger measures to conserve the city's water supply.

## Abbott Is Elected Frosh President

Jim Abbott was elected president of the freshman class during balloting held Monday and Tuesday in the lobby of Hines Hall.

Other officers elected to serve the class were Ed Harris, vice president; Irma Faye Bond, secretary; and Margaret Crabtree, treasurer. A runoff election was held Wednesday for senatorial candidates Bill Jennings and B. C. Franklin.

## Statement Declares Constitutional Crisis

The elected officers of the Day Student Organization have declared that a "State of extreme emergency" in the form "of a constitutional crisis" exists within the organization.

Kenneth M. O'Connell, organization president, and Sid Harwicke, senator, in a "Statement to the Executive Board" have declared that the present Day Student constitution is "null and void."

According to the statement, which was presented to the Executive Board Wednesday night (after the Collegiate deadline), the officers feel that Article 10 of the Constitution, because of the new Chapel system, has "Made the process of amending the Day Student Constitution practically if not physically impossible."

Article 10, which deals with amendments to the Constitution, reads in its entirety:

"Amendments to the Constitution shall be made in the form of a motion at a regular meeting, provided a three-fifths majority of the members are present at said meeting. A favorable vote by two-thirds of the members present and voting shall be necessary for the approval of the amendment."

The statement continued: "Furthermore, we do hereby petition the Executive Board of the Student Government Association . . . to grant us, as the duly elected officers, authorized to conduct a special election in order that the Day Students . . . may have a chance to grant approval to a new, more workable constitution."

In the proposed Day Student Constitution, the article in dispute was altered to read:

"Amendments to the Constitution shall be made in the form of a motion at a general meeting. The President shall then conduct a special election under the auspices of the Executive Board of the Student Government Association. A favorable

vote by two-thirds of those members voting in the election shall be necessary for approval of the amendment."

In addition, the proposed constitution provides for a secretary-treasurer of the organization. The present constitution creates only the post of president and senator.

The proposed plan also defines the membership of the group: "Membership . . . shall be automatically conferred upon all . . . students who do not reside in college owned housing (i.e., fraternity members residing in fraternity houses, male students living in college-approved housing, and all commuting students.)"

Other proposals in the document, not listed in the present constitution, include the calling of general and special meetings of the organization, the establishment of the use of "Robert's Rules of Order, Revised" during proceedings, defining the duration of terms served by the officers and the president's right to appoint a faculty advisor upon the approval of a majority vote at a general meeting.

The day students will meet at a general meeting during convocation period next Thursday, tentatively set for the chapel. O'Connell said, however, that the proposed constitution would not be a planned topic during the meeting.



Getting In Step

Lining up for "kicking" practice for the Tri-Sigma annual Top Hat dance are, left to right, Charlotte Franklin, Faye Allen, Amanda Whitehead, Dee Williford, Nancy Parks and Judy Lamm. The co-eds will form the kickline for the Friday night event. (Staff Photo by Jeff Chase)

## Juvenile Officer To Address Club

Sgt. Paul Trimboli, Juvenile Officer for the city of Kinston, is to speak at the Conversation sponsored by the AC Psychology Club next Thursday. The program will take place at 11 a.m. in the Choral Room, and is open to all interested persons.

For several years Sgt. Trimboli has had considerable success in working with youngsters involved with the courts, and establishing a new relationship with their community, according to the announcement made at this week's Psychology Club meeting.

The format for the meeting this past Tuesday in the Faculty Dining Room consisted of reports given by students who spent the past summer with public and private agencies, with opportunities to apply the principles and theories picked up from texts and lectures on campus.

Brenda Pipkin, for the third summer, worked with the Psychology Department at Cherry Hospital near Goldsboro as a technician, administering tests and preparing reports on patients. Jackie Sutton, Scooter Ormond, who heads the organization this year, and Bonnie Lane worked in various Head Start programs. Sammy Carter talked on his experiences at the Methodist Home for Children in Raleigh.

All the speakers indicated how many difficulties face those who work with the underprivileged

or maladjusted. Surprise was expressed at how poorly trained so many employees are in our institutions and schools. It was pointed out also that the fields are wide open for employment for those with a background in psychology with fellowships for graduate training usually available.

The Psychology Club will meet next on Oct. 17, with announcement of committee chairman, and planning for the display of the Club at Homecoming.

## Formal Rush Set By Fraternities

Formal rush has been set for Oct. 8 through Oct. 10, it has been announced by the Interfraternity Council.

During formal rush, potential rushees visit each of the fraternity houses, sign the registers, talk to the brothers and observe the fraternity as a whole. The houses will be open from 7 p.m. until 9 p.m. Rushees must visit all four houses in order to be eligible to receive bids.

Bids will be available at 10 a.m. Friday following formal rush at the Student Center. They must be returned to the office of Dean Lozier by noon the following Monday. Candidates should wear coat and tie while visiting the houses.



Did you hear the latest news, It's spread all over town; Water problem's drastic, They're gonna close us down. Might as well pack your suitcase, Our exodus is coming fast; Water level's dropping, can Wilson last. How long The Administration agrees, That if the drought doesn't pass; We'll leave Wilson for two days After Friday's last class.

had a friend who thought he'd never make it but he started thinking positive, now his position he want make it!