

Jas. Meredith Not To Oppose Adam Powell For Congress

Times Subscription Battle Gains Momentum

Rights Leader Quits as GOP N.Y. Candidate

NEW YORK—On Monday, March 13, James Meredith denied that he withdrew as the Republican candidate against Adam Clayton Powell for Congressman from Harlem because of pressures brought against him by Negro leaders.

At a news conference, Meredith declined to state explicitly his reasons for quitting the race in the 18th Congressional District.

The 33-year-old Columbia University law student and one of the heroes of the civil rights movement stated: "I made my choice and I'll stick with it. Perhaps we will never fully know. After thorough consideration and conferring with people close to me, and respecting the wishes of my wife, I withdrew."

Meredith, who calls himself an Independent Democrat, would not say whether he would support Powell or the Republican nominee if and when one is selected by GOP county leaders. Meredith accepted the New York County GOP Committee's invitation to run against Powell in the special 18th District (Harlem) election April 11 because he was promised a consensus backing of the party and adequate financial and organizational support.

Powell said at his Bimini Island retreat that Meredith probably withdrew because he didn't want to be "a puppet of the white man." On Palm Sunday Powell has promised to walk from 110th St to 145th St. in Harlem to greet his constituents despite a threat of arrest for being in contempt of court in New York.

NCM President Attends 150th Douglass Event

Asa T. Spaulding, president, North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company is in Rochester, New York this week attending the Frederick Douglass Sesquicentennial, at the University of Rochester, in honor of the 150th anniversary of the birth of Frederick Douglass.

The Commemoration, consisting of a series of public lectures related to Douglass' interest in Negro advancement, is being held in Hoyt Hall on the University's River Campus. It began February 16, and will continue through the spring. The major theme being explored in the Douglass series is "the problem of getting the most out of opportunities that really exist, rather than the equally important problem so much in the public eye today of expanding opportunities. Speakers have been asked to talk in an autobiographical vein about the obstacles encountered in their own careers, and to discuss the general problem of utilizing effectively such opportunities as there are for overcoming such obstacles."

Mr. Spaulding, who is the winner of the 1963 Frederick A. Douglass Achievement Award of the Indiana Division, American Negro Centennial Authority, will speak tonight at 8:00 p.m. His talk will center around his career development and the current opportunities for and obstacles to success in insurance.

Other speakers, leading Negroes in education, science, business, journalism, law, human relations, and other fields, include: Benjamin Quarles, author of the definitive edition of Douglass' works and chairman of the history department at Morgan State College; John Hope Franklin of the University of Chicago, one of the country's leading

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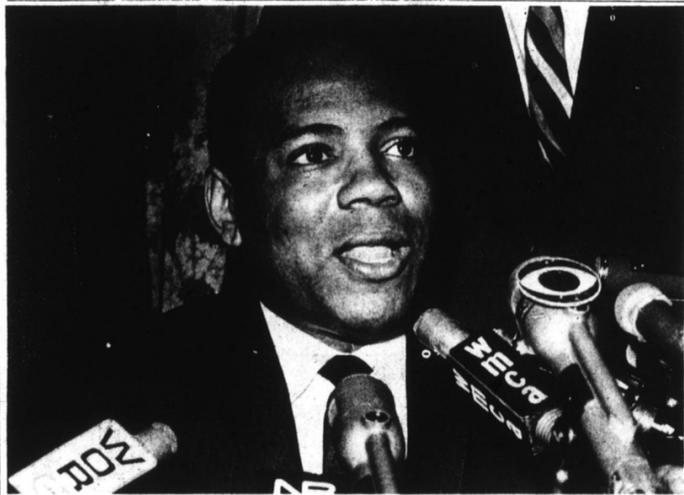
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Ask U.S. Court Reverse King Contempt Charge



JAMES H. MEREDITH, Republican candidate against Adam Clayton Powell for Congressional District at a news conference on Monday, March 13, in New York, N. Y.

Says Alabama Parade Law Is Not Valid

NEW YORK—NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc. (LDF) attorneys will ask for reversal of an Alabama Supreme Court ruling that held that Dr. Martin Luther King and his associates might be punished for allegedly disobeying an injunction issued to prohibit demonstration marches. The marches were held in April 1963 and led to Congressional passage of the 1964 Civil Rights Act.

The attorneys attack the convictions on numerous grounds: They argue that there was no violation of the court order against "unlawful demonstrations" because the demonstrations violated no valid laws. They also contend that Birmingham's parade permit law is unconstitutional, that Alabama's Court of Appeals has

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Mustang, Color TV, Mink Stole Await Contest Winners

Interest in the Carolina Times fourth annual big Subscription Contest was gaining momentum here this week as numerous inquiries began coming into the office of the Times by letter, telephone and personal contact.

With three big top prizes being offered, including a brand new Mustang as the first prize; a brand new Westinghouse Color Television set as the second prize and a brand new mink stole as the third prize, the contest is expected to continue to gain in local, state and national interest up to the time it officially opens on April 3. Non-prize winners will receive 20 per cent commission for all subscriptions secured during the contest.

With the nomination period opening this week, as indicated in the Official Nomination Blank in the advertisement appearing on page 6A, persons interested in entering the contest personally or nominating a friend may do so by simply writing in his or her name and address on the Nomination Blank and mailing or bringing it to the Carolina Times, 436 E. Pettigrew St., Durham, N. C.

Upon receipt of the nomination blank rules of the Contest and receipt books will be mailed or given each nominee.

The Contest will run for six weeks, from date of its official opening, April 3 and closing May 13 at 8 p.m.

U. S. Supreme Court to Hear Eviction Case

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FOR FINE SERVICES RENDERED — Sunday afternoon, March 12, was a high day for the Durham Committee on Negro Affairs. Following the annual report by Dr. J. H. Wheeler, chairman, and other routine business, the Committee presented a plaque to Ellis D. Jones, former chairman of the political division of the Committee for the fine service rendered during his term of office. Jones resigned the position several months ago after serving for several years. The presentation was made by Attorney W. G. Pearson, II on behalf of the Committee. Seated in the background immediately behind Pearson is Dr. Wheeler. (Photo by Purefoy)

Prince Hall Masons Build \$1.9 Million Housing Project

New Orleans—The United Supreme Council, 33 degree Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, Prince Hall Affiliation, Southern Jurisdiction, this week, initiated the construction of a \$1.9 million dollar rental housing development in the City of Dallas. The apartment project will be constructed with the assistance of FHA insurance pursuant to Section 221(d) (3) of the National Housing Act.

Jno. G. Lewis, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Organization, advises that the complex will be completed by December of this year. Mr. Lewis further states that this project is the first of several sponsored by his Organization throughout the South to assist low to moderate income families. Just recently a fund raising campaign was held in Washington, D. C., at which time approximately \$30,000 was added to the recently established Kittrell College Foundation which now totals over \$50,000. It is believed that the Kittrell College Foundation effort had much to do with influencing government officials to accord Kittrell College the \$80,000 grant.

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Kittrell College Receives Grant Of \$80,000 From U. S. Gov't

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Bishop George W. Baber, presiding prelate of the Second Episcopal District of the A. M. E. Church, announced here Tuesday that Kittrell College is the recipient of a grant of \$80,000 from the federal government. The money will be used said Bishop Baber to continue the renovating, and redecorating of the entire plant of the college. Likewise the plans call for the addition of several classrooms to the library building.

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GETS CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR—(Washington) 6 Lawrence Joel, of Winston-Salem, N. C. Joel is the first medical corpsman to receive the decoration in the Vietnam War. He distinguished himself November 8, 1965 when he treated a number of wounded soldiers after he himself was shot.

War Hero Honored In Gala Program At Fayetteville

Noted Ky. Minister to Conduct Revival at Mount Vernon Bapt.

At 8 p.m. Monday, March 20, Spring Revival Services will begin at the Mount Vernon Baptist Church on Roxboro St. The services will last through Thursday evening, March 24. Rev. K. L. Moore of Frankfort, Kentucky will be guest speaker and music will be furnished by auxiliaries of the church.

E. T. Browne, Pastor, invites the public to attend the services.



REV. MOORE

Tuesday, March 14, it was "Lawrence Joel Day" in Fayetteville, proclaimed by Mayor Mongee Evans. As Fayetteville paid him honor the Congressional Medal of Honor winner, Spec. 6 Lawrence Joel, of Winston-Salem declared that if and when his nation calls upon him again for combat duty, he will be more than ready to give his services. It was on November 8, 1965, that Joel, wounded in both legs and surrounded by enemy fire, hobbled from injured buddy to buddy, 13 of them, administering first aid. He was credited with saving all of their lives. Joel, 39, is a 21-year veteran of the Army and is stationed at Fort Bragg. He has been bestowed many honors for valor. On March 9 in Washington, President Johnson placed around

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Names 9-Member Band To Washington Tech. Institute

Kansas City Minister In Holy Week Service at St. Joseph's

Traditional Palm Sunday Services will be conducted at St. Joseph's A.M.E. Church, Sunday, March 19 at 11:00 a.m. The Reverend Philip R. Cousin, Minister will deliver the sermon. Music by the Senior Choir, Joseph T. Mitchell, conducting and Mrs. Minnie W. Gilmer at the organ.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES will begin Monday, April 20 at 7:30 p.m. The guest speaker will be the Reverend Cecil L. Murray, Minister of Trinity A.M.E. Church, Kansas City, Kansas. Born in Lakeland, Florida, Rev. Murray was reared in West Palm Beach and graduated from Industrial High School of that city; attended Florida A.&M. University from which he received an A.B. degree. He served in the U.S. Air Force for ten years where he was Radar Observer and Navigator; entered School of Theology of Claremont, California from which he graduated with the degree of Doctor of Religion. For three years he served as minister of Primm Tabernacle A.M.E. Church, Pomona, California. He is a member of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity and was "Alpha Man of the Year" in undergraduate school. He is married to the former Miss Lois B. Cousin. They have one son, Drew David. At the Evening Worship hour, 6:30 the Senior Choir will present its annual Retial.



REV. MURRAY

WASHINGTON, D. C.—President Johnson announced last week the appointment of the nine-member Board of Vocational Education to the Washington Technical Institute. The Washington Technical Institute was created by the D.C. Higher Education Bill passed in the Second Session of the 89th Congress.

The Technical Institute is to provide vocational and technical education designed to fit individuals for useful employment in recognized occupations; as well as vocational and technical courses on an individual non-credit basis.

The nine members named by the President are charged with developing plans for and the establishment of the Technical Institute, including the establishment of all policies, standards and requirements governing admissions, programs, graduation and general administration of the Institute.

The Technical Institute will fundamentally be responsive to the needs of the working community, affording vocational, technical occupational and special programs not available elsewhere. It will teach courses designed to produce in its students skills that are immediately employable. The membership named by the President follows: Emanuel Piore—Vice President and Chief Scientist, International Business Machines Corporation, Poughkeepsie, New York. Mr. Piore has extensive experience in television, electronics and computer technology and serves as a consultant to the President's Science Advisory Committee

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Bonnie Logan Honored By '43 Hornets

Miss Bonnie Logan was paid a deserving honor Tuesday night in the North Carolina College cafeteria at a testimonial dinner sponsored by the 43 Hornet Club. The nearly 200 interested citizens from the Durham and its surrounding area on hand for the occasion, rose to their feet and gave Miss Logan a standing round of applause when she took the rostrum to make her speech in acceptance of a permanent

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