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THIS FIRST ISSUE OF THE CONSCIENCE WAS PLANNED FOR DISTRIBUTION ON FRIDAY JULY 19 BUT WAS SET BACK BECAUSE OF EVENTS. IT WAS RESCHEDULED FOR JULY 24 BUT PRODUCTION DIFFICULTIES - NO AVAILABLE FACILITIES - POSTPONED IT AGAIN. WITH THIS THIRD EFFORT, WE HOPE TO MAINTAIN FUTURE SCHEDULES.

ALL ACTION STOPS!

HUGE SUPPORT RALLIES FOR EQUALLITY LAW

OVER 1,300 NEGRO AND WHITE RESIDENTS OF CHAPEL HILL RECENTLY SIGNED INDIVIDUAL PETITIONS URGING THE TOWN BOARD OF ALDERMEN TO ENACT A PUBLIC ACCOMMODATIONS ORDINANCE.

A PAID ADVERTISEMENT WAS INSERTED IN THE CHAPEL HILL WEEKLY BY ALMOST 200 FACULTY MEMBERS OF THE UNITERSITY, INCLUDING DEAN OF THE LAW SCHOOL HENRY BRANDIS JR, SUPPORTING PASSAGE OF THE LAW. PREVIOUSLY, THE MAYOR'S HUMAN RELATIONS COMMITTEE AND THE MAYOR'S COMMITTEE ON INTEGRATION RECOMMENDED THAT ALL CHAPEL HILLBUSINESSES BE REQUIRED BY LAW TO SERVE ALL ORDERLY PERSONS REGARDLESS OF RACE.

SPOKESMEN FORTHE CHAPEL HILL COMMITTEE FOR OPEN BUSINESS, WHO INITIATED THE PUBLIC CAMPAIGN, NOW ESTIMATE THAT IT WILL PRODUCE SIGNED SUPPORT FROM MORE THAN 1,500 RESIDENTS.

THE REV. TOM DAVIS, WHO DIRECTED THE PROJECT, ESTIMATED THAT SIXTY-FIVE PERCENT OF THE SIGNERS ARE REGISTERED VOTERS

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OPEN MEETING

THURSDAY, 8:00

AUGUST 1

ST. JOSEPH'S

CHURCH

SIT-INS RESULT IN NEW NEGOTIATIONS WITH TOWN LEADERS

ALL PUBLIC ACTIVITIES OF THE COMMITTEE FOR OPEN BUSINESS WERE HALTED FOR ELEVEN DAYS ON MONDAY, JULY 22.

THE DECISION TO STOP ALL PROTESTS UNTIL AUGUST 1 WAS REACHED AFTER THREE DAYS OF PRIVATE TALKS WITH LEADING CITIZENS OF THE TOWN. THE C.O.B. WAS ASSURED THAT REALISTIC NEGOTIATIONS WOULD BEGIN DURING THE MORATORIUM AND PROGRESS REPORTS GIVEN TO C.O.B LEADERS.

IT WAS ANNOUNCED THAT THE REPORTS WILL BE EVALUATED AT A COB MASS MEETING ON AUGUST 1 AT 8:00 PM IN ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH ON ROSEMARY STREET. THOSE PRESENT WILL DECIDE THE FUTURE ACTIVITIES OF THE COB.

THE CHARGES OF THE PREVIOUS WEEK THAT WERE DIRECTED AT THE COB WHEN NEGOTIATIONS BROKE DOWN WITH AN UNNAMED BUSINESSMEN'S COMMITTEE, WERE ABSENT FROM THE CURRENT MEETINGS. ACCORDING TO PARTICIPANTS, THE URGENCY OF THE SITUATION WHICH WAS REPRESENTED BY THE 34 JAILED COB MEMBERS

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