



Stony Cottrell, special representative for Calvert Distillers, was on hand when Harlem's newest swank beauty salon, 'Caudlan' Hairdressers, held its grand opening. The charming ladies with him are, left to right, Mrs. Eddie Graywood, wife of the noted piano star, Miss Margo Hughes and Miss Marilee McDuffie, one of the owners of Caudlan. More than 700 celebs were in attendance, including 7th Deputy Police Commissioner William Rowe, pianist Dorothy Donnagan, Count Basie, Sammy Davis, Lionel Hampton and Billy Eckstine.

### 'Night Hawk' Will Present 'Guest Ministers'

The staff of the original Night Hawk program heard each night from Monday through Friday, over station WSSB, announces that beginning August 6 it will present a guest minister under the caption, "The Religious Hour". Ministers scheduled to appear during the month of August are: Rev. D. A. Johnston, pastor of St. Joseph A.M.E. Church, August 6; Rev. Wm. Fuller, pastor of Mt. Zion Baptist Church, August 13; Rev. E. T. Browne, pastor of Mount Vernon Baptist Church, August 20; and Rev. T. C. Graham, pastor of West Durham Baptist Church, August 27.

Other features will be a Gift Club, Anniversary night, and Veterans night.

The script for the program was written by Mrs. J. DeShazor Jackson, president of the DeShazor Beauty School, and will be narrated by Charles L. Grimes, the original Night Hawk. Sponsors for the program are various business institutions of the city.



Miss Betty Jean McLean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McLean of Durham who will represent the Durham Ushers Union in the oratorical contest to be held at the annual convention of the Ushers Association to be held in Charlotte, Aug. 21-24. Miss McLean is a student of Hillside High School.

intendent of public instruction on the request from administrators of public and private schools in the State. Its purpose is to discuss problems common to works in the elementary, secondary, college and graduate fields.

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### NAACP REVEALS RECORDS OF SENATORS SPARKMAN, NIXON

**NEW YORK**  
The civil rights records of the Democratic and Republican vice presidential nominees as indicated by their votes on the issues in the House of Representatives and in the Senate were made public today by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in accordance with directives of the Association's national convention.

Both John J. Sparkman of Alabama, the Democratic candidate, and Richard Nixon of California, the Republican, have served in both Houses of Congress. Accordingly, they have had ample opportunity to vote upon various civil rights issues.

The NAACP survey deals only with civil rights issues such as the filibuster, the House Rules Committee, FEPC, segregation, the poll tax and anti-lynching. Such tangential issues as labor, social welfare, civil liberties and foreign affairs are not included in the survey.

**Two Vital Issues**  
In releasing the records, Roy Wilkins, NAACP administrator, indicated that the vital civil rights issues are (1) the filibuster with test votes on cloture, the Barkley ruling, and the House Rules Committee; and (2), the FEPC. "While other record votes are important," Mr. Wilkins said, "they are not as important as these basic issues. Unless bills are permitted to come to a vote, we can have no legislation and, of course, an

FEPC with enforcement powers is essential to our economic security."  
Senator Sparkman has served in Congress since 1936, first as a member of the House of Representatives and, since 1946, as a senator. The NAACP survey covers his legislative record for the 10-year period, 1942-52.

After serving two terms in the House to which he was first elected in 1946, Mr. Nixon was elected to the Senate in 1950. His record for the six-year period is covered by the survey.

The score as revealed by the survey follows:

For Civil Rights	Against
Sparkman 0	16
Nixon 3	4

Sparkman's 10-Year Record  
Senator Sparkman's record in the Senate follows:

Against protection of servicemen from assaults by civilians and local police, March 7, 1951;  
For continuing the anti-FEPC filibuster, May 19 and July 12, 1950; For segregation in the armed forces, June 21, 1950; Against the Barkley ruling which would have permitted limitation of debate on motions to take up a measure as well as on the measure, March 11, 1949; For the Wherry-Hayden resolution requiring 64 votes to stop a Senate filibuster, March 17, 1949;  
Against prohibition of segregation in public housing, April 21, 1949;  
Against withholding of federal funds from jim crow school

systems, May 3, 1949;  
For ratification of the regional compact to establish segregated regional colleges, May 13, 1948;  
Against an anti-lynching measure to protect members of the armed services, June 7, 1948;  
And against relieving servicemen of the obligation to pay a poll tax to participate in federal elections, June 7, 1948.  
In the House he voted:  
Against prohibition of discrimination in the disbursement of funds for the school lunch program, February 21, 1946;  
Against abolition of the poll tax, June 12, 1945, May 23, 1943 and October 13, 1942;  
And for the dismissal of William Pickens, February 9, 1943, former NAACP official, from his position in the Treasury Department because the House un-American Activities Committee had unjustly accused him of subversive activities.  
Nixon's 6-Year Record  
Senator Nixon's record in the Senate follows:

Against protection of servicemen from assaults by civilians and local police;  
And (as a committee member) against reporting the Ives-Humphrey FEPC bill out of the Senate Labor and Education Committee, June 24, 1952.  
In the House he voted:  
Against curbing the power of the Rules Committee to block civil rights legislation, January 20, 1950;  
Against an FEPC bill with enforcement powers, February 22, 1950.

### ORIGINAL A. AND T. COLLEGE BAND TO HOLD REUNION

**GREENSBORO**

Plans were completed last week for the first reunion of the original members of the now famous A. and T. College marching band. Details of the celebration which will be held in connection with the annual homecoming football game on Nov. 1, between the A. and T. Aggies and Morgan State College were worked out by a special committee composed of graduates of the college and members of the band during the years from 1929 to 1935.

Phairleaver Pearson, a Newton, N. C., school principal, was named chairman and will be assisted in direct arrangements by M. L. Wall, Kingville High School, Albemarle. Other members of the committee included: O. A. Dupree, Clinton, N. C.; H. R. Humphrey, Greensboro; A. G. Walker, Wilson; C. E. Smith, Beaufort and Vernell Caviness, Ramseur.

Seventy-five musicians are expected to attend the festivities which will include appearance in the Grand Parade and social activities. Rehearsals will be held on Friday night, October 31 and on the following morning at 9:00 A. M., according to an announcement which was released by the committee.

"Demands by interested band members over the years," said Mr. Pearson, "assures us that this initial effort is going to be a real success."

### Greene County Pig Chain Expands Rapidly

Rapid progress is being made with a pig chain started in Feb. for Negro 4-H Club members in Greene County, according to A. L. Jones, Negro county agent for the Agricultural Extension Service.

The chain was started with four Duroc gilts given by the county Farm Bureau organization to outstanding 4-H Club members to keep the chain growing, each member agreed to pass on to club members, two sow pigs from his first litter.

The first gilt, owned by Scott Edwards, Jr., of Route 3, Snow Hill, farrowed a litter of 10 nice pigs in early June. A second gilt, belonging to Wiley Farmer of Route 1, Stantonsburg, farrowed a litter of six pigs on July 9. The other two animals are expected to farrow in August.

All club members, says the county agent, are very much interested in their gilts and pigs. They follow closely the recommendations given on swine care and management. Other 4-H'ers are very enthusiastic in making preparations for the pigs that will be passed on to them in keeping the chain growing.

### VIRGINIA ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES HOLDS ANNUAL CONFERENCE

**HAMPTON, Va.**

Thirty-four Virginia educators attended the meeting of the Virginia Advisory Committee on Schools and Colleges at Hampton Institute from July 24 through July 28, for a conference on school and college problems.

The Committee used as a general theme "Improving Instruction in Schools and Colleges," under which they discussed the problems of—1. improving school-community relations; 2. improving educational programs in schools and colleges; and 3. using tests to insure maturity.

Dr. A. G. Macklin, director of basic education, Virginia State College, Petersburg, Va., pointed out that the education story in Virginia shows more children in its schools and colleges, better salaries paid instructional personnel and more teachers with higher educational certification, during the first session on Thursday evening, July 24.

He said, "From the Mid-Century White House Conference on Children and Youth, we get the implication that what we must work to develop are adults who realize that adulthood is not attained by age but by the degree of maturity achieved; that America and her schools must not rest until discrimination and bigotry in all aspects of our national life have been appropriately bridged."

Continuing, Dr. Macklin said that, "In our efforts to produce thinkers, we have probably made people afraid to really reason."  
He pointed out that "The great task before us now is the reeducation of the teaching personnel and the improvement of instructional methods so that our educational goals will be achieved."

In conclusion he said, "The challenge to teachers is that of making sure that in our efforts to be democratic, we do not lose the opportunity to teach responsibility and to develop initiative geared to reflection by permitting outmoded freedom and personal demands and rights to place upon conscious personalities the earmarks of educated people."

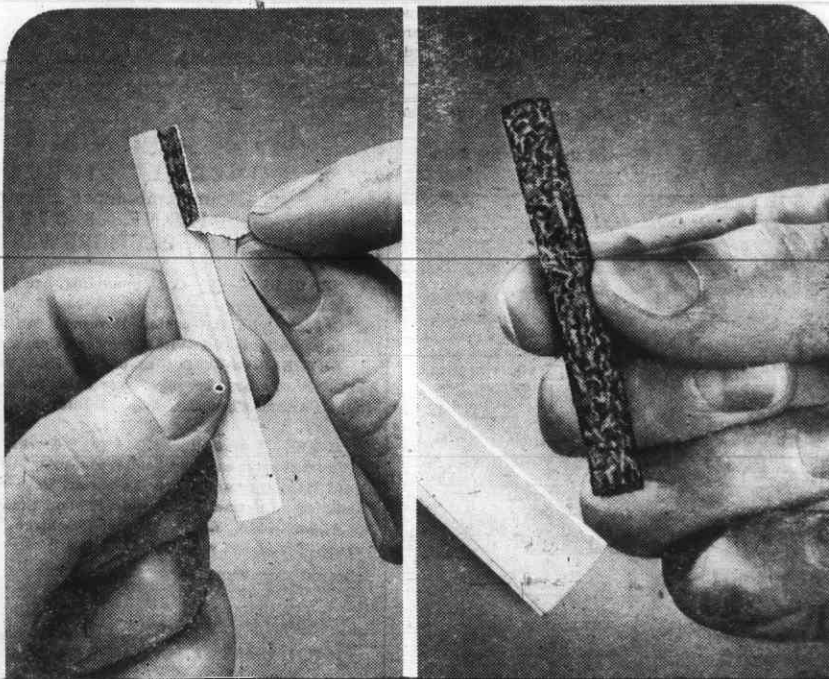
Dr. J. Rupert Picott, executive secretary, Virginia Teachers' Association, Richmond, Va., addressed the second session on Friday morning, July 25, on "Improving School-Community Relations." He urged school officials to make parents active partners in the administration of schools, to recognize disagreement and make a strong effort to dissolve differences without destroying the partnership. Dr. Picott advocated good school personnel policies, clear-cut detailed and written, developed cooperatively with the public. This session was followed by a group study of the topic.

Dr. Eva C. Mitchell, professor of education, Hampton Institute, addressed the third session of the Virginia Advisory Committee on Schools and Colleges on Friday afternoon, July 25, on "Improving Instruction in Schools and Colleges."

Dr. Mitchell said: "Administrators, teachers and school personnel need to be more definite in the expression and application of their own educational philosophy." She said the welcoming of sharp criticism of philosophies by educators and teachers "may prevent danger-

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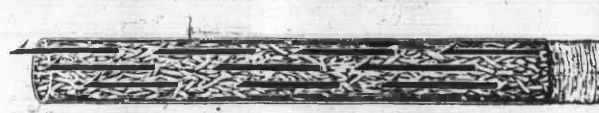


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