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NEGRO VOTE HOLDS CAROLINAS IN DEMOCRATIC PARTY FOLDS

Reports of heavy voting by Negroes in North and South Carolina coming into the office of the CAROLINA TIMES by telephone and telegram revealed here Wednesday noon that the two states had probably been retained in the Democratic column in the national election for president, held Tuesday, almost solely on the strong support given Governor Stevenson by Negroes.

Although it is known that many Negroes voted the Republican ticket close observers and those in the know state that at least 85 per cent of the Negro vote in the two Carolinas went to the Illinois governor in his race for the presidency. In North Carolina where the Negro vote is now conservatively estimated to be over 125,000, Stevenson trailed General Eisenhower, the successful candidate, by 100,437 votes. The total vote for Eisenhower in the Old North State was 602,247 while Stevenson polled 501,437.

In South Carolina where the voting was much closer the support given the Illinois Governor by Negro voters was definitely known to have held the state in the Democratic column. In that state Stevenson led Eisenhower by only a little over 10,000 votes. While definite figures were not available on the total Negro registration in that state it is known to be well over 25,000.

According to Kelly Alexander, president of the North Carolina Conference of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People the total number of Negroes registered in this State, prior to the opening of the books in November, was about 97,500. Alexander told a representative of the CAROLINA TIMES that the Negro registration in Charlotte had passed the 10,000 mark which practically doubled the number who were on the books prior to the November 4 election.

It was in Charlotte where the incumbent Democratic Congressman, Hamilton Jones was defeated by a Republican Chas. Jonas for his seat in the United States House of Representatives. While a majority of Negroes in Charlotte are known to have voted for Governor Stevenson for president, on the matter of voting for Congressman of their district they split their vote in favor of the Republican candidate.

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Ky. State Plays First Interracial Football Game

FRANKFORT, KY.

Kentucky State College will make history in its Homecoming till this year, November 1. The "Thorobreds" will play Taylor University of Indiana. This is the first time an all white school has played a Negro College in the South.

The game will be preceded by a parade through Frankfort with the KSC Band and a local white high school band in the line of march with floats and autos. One of the local white high school bands is expected to join in the Homecoming festivities at Kentucky State College which will make this year's homecoming a real interracial venture. Preparations are being rushed to accommodate a crowd up to ten thousand.

The topic for the Resource-Use Education Symposium is: "The Role of Students in Conserving Wisely Community Resources For Better Learning And Living." Several high school choirs and bands will present selections for the morning session. Twenty-one resource-use emphasis clinics will get underway immediately following Dr. Johnson's address at 2:00 P. M. Delegates from forty counties will be given the opportunity in each clinic during the afternoon session to describe practical resource-use units and projects which they have sponsored during the morning session. Her subject will be, "Utilizing Community Resources To Improve The Learning And Living Of Youth."

N. C. College Host Resource-Use Conference November 21

GREENSBORO

The Sixth Annual Resource-Use Education Conference will be held at North Carolina College at Durham, November 21.

The Conference is being sponsored by North Carolina College to encourage teachers to study resources for the purpose of solving problems of learning and living. The announcement was made yesterday by Dr. Theodore R. Speigner, Director of the Bureau of Resource-Use Education and Chairman of the Resource-Use Education Conference.

The State Work Conference is designed primarily to help supervisors, principals, teachers, parents, and students to explore techniques for discovering, organizing, utilizing, and conserving wisely community resources to enrich the instructional program of the school and to improve the quality of living of the people of the State.

The general theme of the Conference is: "Better Learning And Living Through The Wise Use Of Community Resources." The Conference's program is scheduled to get underway at 9:00 A. M. in B. N. Duke Auditorium.

The one-day conference will feature two outstanding educators. Mrs. Ida H. Duncan, Vice-President, North Carolina Teachers' Association, Washington High School, Reidsville, N. C., will deliver the keynote address for the morning session. Her sub-



LAND-GRANT COLLEGE CONFERENCE—Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Knott T. Hutchinson (center) is shown discussing the need for expanding agricultural research with two officials of the Land-Grant College Presidents' organization at the Federal Security Agency in Washington last week. At left is Dr. E. B. Evans, president of Prairie View A. & M. College in Texas, head of the organization, and secretary Dr. R. B. Atwood of Kentucky State College. (Newspress Photo.)

PERSON COUNTY CITIZENS FORCED TO SEEK EQUAL SCHOOLS IN U. S. COURTS

A legal action has been filed against the Person County Board of Education and others, seeking to have Negro school children admitted to white schools because the facilities for the Negroes are inferior to those provided in white schools.

The action was filed in the office of the clerk of the Federal Court for the Middle District of North Carolina in Greensboro, Wednesday, November 5, by Attorney M. Hugh Thompson, Durham, as representative for the plaintiffs.

Thompson stated that a copy of the suit filed contained several standard-size pages of plaintiffs, Negro school children of the Person County School system and their parents.

The suit asked that the Negro students be admitted to the white schools "so long as said white schools are superior in educational facilities to those provided for the Negro children in Person County."

The action listed as defendants members of the Person County Board of Education, members of the State Board of Education, and the Superintendent of Public Instruction for the State of North Carolina.

According to Thompson, several previous attempts had been made to see what could be done toward eliminating discrimination and inferiority without having to pursue legal action. No effort on the part of the Person County Board of Education had been noticed relative to the issue.

The action listed five schools which were inferior. They were: Union Grove School, Hester Grove School, Lee Jeffers School, Pine Hill and Olive Hill

Library Ass'n. To Hold 18th Session At A & T

GREENSBORO

The 18th annual conference of the North Carolina Negro Library Association will meet here at Lincoln High School on Friday and Saturday, November 7 and 8.

Mrs. Ann McAden Johnson, professor of library science in the library school at North Carolina College, Durham, is president of the state group.

Registration begins in the Lincoln School Auditorium at 10 a. m. Friday. Other events scheduled during the morning are a meeting of the executive committee, other committees, and lunch between 12 and 1 p. m.

Mrs. Johnson presides at the afternoon session beginning at 1:30 p. m. Greetings will be extended by the following: W. L. Jones, principal of Lincoln; Dudley High School Principal J. A. Tarpley; Mayor Robert H. Frazier of Greensboro; Dr. William Hampton, city councilman; and B. L. Smith, superintendent of Greensboro Public Schools.

Mrs. Josephine P. Sherrill of Livingstone College, Salisbury, will respond to the greetings in behalf of the visitors.

A business session is scheduled between 2 and 2:30 followed by a series of sectional meetings.

Discussion will follow the association's theme for the year, "Books for an Informed Citizenry."

Mrs. Elwysa M. Daniels is scheduled to lead the "School Library Section" of the discussion. Participants include Mrs. Mary D. Grant, director of School Libraries, Greensboro, "Centralized System of Library Organization;" "Report on Student Assistants in School Libraries," Mrs. Joyce McLendon, Washington High School, Raleigh.

Mrs. Fleeta J. June is chairman on the public library section that will hold a panel on "What I Want My Public Library to Do for Me." Discussants are Mrs. Susie M. Taylor, Mrs. Mary W. Davis, Mrs. Ethel Anderson and Miss Ernestine Herbin.

The section devoted to the colleges will be presided over by Mrs. Ocellotta McCreary who will have the assistance of Mr. Charles M. Adams, librarian of the Woman's College, Greensboro.

The highlight of the Friday night session will be an address by Dr. Ivan E. Taylor, professor of English and chairman of the department of English at Howard University, Washington, D. C. Dr. Taylor will speak during a program that will feature D. Eric Moore, dean of the North Carolina College Library Science School as toastmaster, and the solo renditions of Miss Julia Ruth Morrison, director of music at Dudley High School.

President Johnson also will preside at Saturday morning session that starts at 9:00 a. m. Participants at this final session are Mrs. Maude W. Lassiter of Oxford, who will give invocation; Miss Gladys Johnson, di-

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The above photos are scenes from the annual family dinner held at Mount Vernon Baptist Church recently. The top photo shows a section of the spacious dining room and members of the church family enjoying the delectable meal. The center shows the committee that prepared the food and served it to the membership. Bottom photo shows another section of the dining room.

U. S. Supreme Court Asked To Review Case Against Florida U. Refusing Negroes

WASHINGTON

The United States Supreme Court was today asked to review and reverse a decision handed down by the Supreme Court of Florida which upheld the right of the University of Florida to exclude qualified Negro students.

Seeking admission to the Florida university are Virgil Hawkins, who applied to the law school; Miss R. Boyd, the school of pharmacy; Oliver Maxey, the graduate school of engineering; and Benjamin Finley, the graduate school of agriculture. The petition before the U. S. Supreme Court, filed by attorneys of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, asks that the university be ordered to admit these applicants at once subject only to the same rules and regulations

applicable to all other students. When the Negro students first applied for admission in 1949 the courses they desired were offered by the state only at the

University of Florida. Later, establishment of these courses at the Florida Agricultural and Mechanical College for Negroes (Please turn to Page Ten)

Admit Negro Children To Religious School In Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON

In this city, which practices jim crow schools for Negro children, an important dent in existing conditions happened this week when it was announced that Negro children would be admitted on an equal basis to the Beavoir Elementary School of the National Cathedral.

The Governing Board of the Beavoir School, which in-

cludes nursery, kindergarten and first to third grade—voted unanimously that Negroes be admitted on "equal terms". Tuition is \$350 plus \$125 extra for children having school lunches.

Meanwhile, Episcopal Bishop Angus Dunn has asked St. Albans School for Boys and the National Cathedral for Girls to "look forward to adoption of a like policy," too.