



In the Booker T. Washington High School, Miami, Florida where the Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools held its 22nd annual convention November 20 to December 1, a banquet session was staged in the school cafeteria Wednesday night, November 30 with Dr. D. Patterson, director of the Phelps-Stokes Fund, as guest speaker. Shown at the speaker's table, from left: Mrs. George W. Gore, Dr. Gore, president, Florida A and M College; Mr.

Charles Williams, principal, Booker T. Washington high school, Miami; John F. Potts, president, Voorhees Junior College, Denmark, S. C.; Mrs. C. V. Troup, Dr. Patterson, Dr. C. V. Troup, president, Fort Valley State College, Ga.; Mr. C. W.

Seay, principal, Dunbar high school, Lynchburg, Va., and newly elected Association president, and Dr. L. S. Cozart, president, Barber-Scottia College, Concord, N. C., and secretary-treasurer of the Association.

sity guard and captain, and Look Magazine's All-American for the second straight year, who now holds the Football Writers' Association's 1955 Outland Award for the best guard or tackle. Former Michigan U. star, Lowell Perry, now Lieut., who played this year with the Bolling Air Force (D.C.) Military champions, received the Washington Post Award as Service Player of the Year.

Jackie Robinson of the Dodgers was also honored, and Sports Writer Fay Young was honored for his 40 years sports writing on the Chicago Defender. Coaching honors went to Head Coach Vernon McCain of Maryland State, and Head Coach Jim Tatum of the University of Maryland. Lieut. Lawrence Oxley was drafted again, as Pigskin president, just before the dinner. The Club's contribution to the advancement of sports received acclaim, throughout the week, from daily sports writers and commentators.

"Wallace Backs Ike" Maybe the former Veep is weary of being called "that ham" by those who took him for a ride in '48—and dumped him out at the road block.

Campaign To Prevent Extradition Of Rev. DeLaine Backed By NAACP

NEW YORK Law enforcement officers, Rev. DeLaine on a subsequent occasion, shot back at a car from which shots had been fired at his house.

He fled the state and sought refuge with Bishop Nichols of his church. Later the State of South Carolina issued a warrant for him for assault with a deadly weapon. Bishop Nichols has raised some \$3500 to assist the minister and has secured New York attorney Richard E. Carey as counsel.

In his letter to the bishop, Wilkins assured him of legal as well as community assistance indicating that Robert L. Carter, NAACP assistant special counsel, had conferred with Carey on legal aspects of the case. Gov. Averell Harriman, the NAACP secretary asserted, should be informed of "the feelings of colored people and the outrage of the A.M.E. Church over the very idea of further persecution of Rev. DeLaine."

CHRISTMAS CANTATA AT LIVINGSTONE

The combined Livingstone College Choral Union and Freshman Chorus of over 70 voices will present "The Story of Christmas", a cantata by H. Alexander Matthews in the College Auditorium on Sunday, December 18, at 5:00 P.M.

This annual Christmastide event will be directed by Mrs. Myra M. Thomas with Mrs. K. Eloise Simpson organist-accompanist and Clark S. Coffin, pianist-accompanist.

North Carolina College, are in Atlantic City, N. J., this week attending the 49th Vocational Conference of the American Vocational Association.

The sessions started Monday and they continue through Friday.

Church Official Heard At NCC

The Rev. James L. Stoner, director of the University Christian Mission of the National Council of Churches of Christ in the USA delivered two speeches at North Carolina College on Sunday and Monday of this week.



Two Teachers Attend Meet In Atlantic City

Mrs. Lucy Fuller James and Mrs. Marie C. Moffitt, itinerant teacher-trainers in the department of Home Economics at

Palmetto School Journalists Hold 12th Conference

ORANGEBURG, S. C. Two hundred representatives from fourteen high school papers attended the twelfth annual meeting and round table discussion of the Palmetto Scholastic Press Association held at South Carolina State College Saturday December 10.

the topic "Writing, Reporting, and Editing the School Paper" was led by A. W. Hoursey, president of the PSPA advisory board and member of the advisory staff on the "Parvenue", the school paper of Burke high school, Charleston. Other participants of the round table were Alvin Rucker, advisory staff, The Echo, Brewer high school, Greenwood, Mrs. Bernice Johnson, advisory staff, Whittemore Journal, Whittemore high school, Conway, Mrs. Agnes Wilson, advisory staff, The Echo, Lincoln high school, Sumter, Miss Juliette DeVine, president PSPA and on the student staff "Parvenue", Burke high school, Charleston, John Allen DeVore, second vice president PSPA and on the student staff of the Echo, Brewer high school, Greenwood, and George McGill of The Purple and Gold, Wilson high school, Florence.

All-District High Football Team, without reference to race. Dave Harris of Cardozo High School was chosen outstanding high school player of the year. College honors went to Calvin Jones, Iowa Univer-

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Capital Close-Up

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miliar with the organization of Negro labor knew the story. The liberal attitude of the newly-formed CIO directly reflected that of the Mine Workers who spear-headed the original group of eight industrial unions. UMW, which left the CIO when its president "disassociated," can be proud that its leaven is working.

700 Celebrate with Pigskins (The Pigskin Club's Annual Dinner at the Willard, last week, was attended by more than 700 guests. The event is fast becoming a recognized institution among sports writers and enthusiasts.

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Solons Warned Of Half Baked 'Rights' Laws

NEW YORK Action on a poll tax amendment to the Constitution by the next session of the Congress "will not be enough" to satisfy the demand for civil rights legislation. This was the assertion of Roy Wilkins, NAACP secretary, in a luncheon speech here Monday, to delegates from Region 9, United Automobile workers in attendance at the merger convention of the AFL-CIO.

"American citizens in Miss., and elsewhere in the South are being murdered and nothing is being done to protect them by either the state or Federal governments," Wilkins said, "and the excuse of the Department of Justice is that it has no power to act under present civil rights laws. We must have new civil rights laws by the Congress and the proposal to pass a poll tax amendment is not enough."

The NAACP secretary lashed at the failure of the Department of Justice to act in the murder of the two men who were killed for registering and voting, and in the attempted murder, November 25, of Gus Courts, Belzoni, Miss., grocer, for civil rights activity. In commenting on the killing of Emmett Till, Wilkins said:

"The murder of this boy was in itself horrible enough to warrant not only the worldwide condemnation it received, but the most exacting execution of justice. This it did not receive. But the real significance of the Till murder lies in the type of civilization it revealed right here in the United States, a civilization in which Negro Americans are denied both their personal and citizenship rights, including the right to vote.

"The Congress cannot dodge the awful picture revealed by the Till boy's murder. It must pass some civil rights legislation with teeth and it cannot fool the voters with a poll tax amendment."

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