

Rev. J. R. Manley Grabs Lead In Holy Land Subscription Contest

BIG VOTER DRIVE MAPPED FOR MISSISSIPPI

Revs. Edwards and Amey Tie for Second Place in First Balloting

Rev. J. R. Manley of Chapel Hill grabbed an early lead in the first week's balloting in the Carolina Times third annual Holy Land Contest which opened last Saturday. Rev. Manley held on until Wednesday noon with several subscriptions being sent in to his credit from out of the state. Punting Rev. Manley a close race were Rev. C. R. Edwards of Fayetteville and Rev. Henderson Amey of Durham who tied for second place.

Other strong running ministers who showed unusual vote getting strength this week, were Rev. U. G. Moye of Kinston, Rev. G. H. Badgett of Reidsville, Rev. J. H. Coston of Rocky Mount and Rev. C. R. Moseley of Greenville. However, as the contest gets underway for the second week several other well-known ministers are expected to be heard from.

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| Rev. J. E. Manley, Chapel Hill | 43,000 |
| Rev. C. R. Edwards, Fayetteville | 41,000 |
| Rev. Henderson Amey, Durham | 41,000 |
| Rev. U. G. Moye, Kinston | 40,000 |
| Rev. G. H. Badgett, Reidsville | 39,000 |
| Rev. R. L. Speaks, Durham | 36,000 |
| Rev. C. R. Moseley, Greenville | 35,600 |
| Rev. J. H. Coston, Rocky Mount | 35,000 |
| Rev. H. G. McChes, Danville, Virginia | 31,000 |
| Rev. J. Bay Butler, Wilmington | 30,000 |
| Rev. George W. Dudley, Rocky Mount | 27,000 |
| Rev. H. L. James, Brooklyn, N. Y. | 26,900 |
| Rev. A. L. Daye, Henderson | 26,000 |
| Rev. A. T. Smith, Durham | 22,000 |
| Rev. J. H. Jones, Danville, Virginia | 21,000 |
| Rev. W. T. Biegelow, Durham | 19,000 |
| Rev. Kermit Derraffenreidt, Rockville, Maryland | 17,000 |
| Rev. W. R. Frushee, Chapel Hill | 17,000 |
| Rev. B. B. Felder, Dunn | 15,000 |
| Rev. J. F. Epps, Raleigh | 13,000 |
| Rev. R. V. Horton, Pittsboro | 11,000 |
| Rev. L. T. Daye, Mebane | 11,000 |
| Rev. K. O. P. Gudwin, Winston-Salem | 10,000 |
| Rev. James F. Wertz, Charlotte | 2,000 |

(See **BALLOTING 2A**)

All contestants desiring to take part in the contest which, in addition to the Holy Land trip is offering a free airplane round trip to Bermuda as the second prize and a free airplane round trip to New York as the third prize, are urged to mail or bring their reports to the office of the Carolina Times, 436 E. Pettigrew Street, Durham, N. C. by Monday noon of each week.

Other prizes being offered in the contest are a free airplane round trip to Bermuda and a free airplane round trip to New York. All non-prize winners will be paid 15 per cent commission.

Two new ministers were also nominated this week, bringing the total already named by friends and admirers to 47.

The tabulation at Wednesday noon of this week was as follows:

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THE TRUTH UNBRIDLED

Dillard U. Frosh Stars on TV Science Show

NEW YORK — Bobby V. Forrest, 18, of (722 Leviaia St.) Baton Rouge, La., a freshman majoring in physics and mathematics at Dillard University in New Orleans, is one of a group of award winning young scientists chosen for the Honeywell television series, "Science All Stars."

The handsome young graduate of McKinley Senior High School has won top honors at the National Science Fair, as well as three U. S. Air Force awards, for the elaborate electronics system he designed to validate for the second time in the history of science — the famed Van Allen theory that a radiation belt encircles the earth in space.

Bobby's project, which he demonstrated on the ABC-TV show on March 15, recreates the Van Allen belt in miniature. He showed the nationwide audience through the use of a magnet and a jar full of iron filings, how the radiation belt forms a circular pattern around the earth in space, with gaps directly above the North and South poles. It is hoped, he explained, that



VAN ALLEN BELT BY-PASS— Bobby V. Forrest (left), of Baton Rouge, La., shows Dean Randall, advertising manager of the ABC-TV show, "Science All Stars," how astronauts may avoid Van Allen Belt radiation when launched from earth on future space missions. Forrest, 18, a freshman majoring in physics and mathematics at Dillard University, New Orleans, will demonstrate on the show his award-winning Science Fair project, which recreates the Van Allen belt, and explain by the use of a magnet and iron filings how the outer-atmosphere radiation belt forms a circular North-South Pole pattern, with gaps at either end through which future astronauts may escape the dangers of excessive radiation in launching.

NAACP Executive Hails Move Significant in Fight for Rights

JACKSON, Miss. — A massive voter registration campaign designed to penetrate every county in Mississippi was announced here Sunday, March 15, following an all day conference of NAACP branches and representatives of other organizations affiliated in the Council of Federal Organizations.

Dr. Aaron Henry, president of the Mississippi State NAACP and chairman of COFO, announced the program and reported an initial contribution of \$1,000 from the NAACP national office to get the project under way. Some 350 delegates from 61 counties attended the conference.

In a telegram to Dr. Henry, NAACP Executive Secretary Roy Wilkins hailed the campaign as one of "significance in demonstrating that Negroes are determined to gain the right to vote despite the most difficult obstacles."

"I need not assure you," the telegram continued, "that you have the full support of the national organization. The national office will make a starting contribution of \$1,000 with additional contributions to depend upon those made by the other organizations affiliated with COFO."

The other organizations participating in the campaign include the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, Congress of Racial Equality, and the Students Nonviolent Coordinating Committee.

The NAACP, Dr. Henry announced, would take responsibility for the campaign.



REV. JAMES

N. Y. Minister to Preach in Revival At Mt. Gilead

The Reverend Dr. Hyllon L. James, pastor of the Berean Baptist Church Brooklyn, New York will preach in Revival services each evening at 8:00 p. m. at the Mount Gilead Baptist Church, 401 Dowd Street, Monday through Friday nights.

Rev. Dr. James is one of America's great pulpiteres. He is a graduate of Union University Richmond, Va. and The School of The Rabbin, New York City. His preaching is so condensing, intellect inspiring and soul Reviving.

U. S. Supreme Court Asked to Review Case of Accused Rapist

NEW YORK — The American Civil Liberties Union asked the United States Supreme Court today to review the case of a Mississippi Negro condemned to death on the charge of raping a white woman. A petition for a writ of certiorari filed by the ACLU's legal director, Melvin E. Wulf, claims that William Smith, Jr. was deprived of due process of law guaranteed by the Fourteenth Amendment.

Smith, the petition states, was denied counsel from the time of his arrest to the time of his indictment (a period of 54 days), forced to sign an involuntary confession, indicted and tried by juries from which members of his race were "systematically excluded," and incompetently represented by a lawyer appointed four days before trial.

Smith is a farmhand from Canton, Mississippi, who attended school to the second grade. He was 25 at the time of his arrest in July of 1961. When arrested, four or five other suspects were taken into custody at the same time, all suspected of the rape and robbery. He was taken from his home at 4 a. m. was not given a reason for his arrest, but twelve hours later was charged with rape.

His lawyers contend that he was not advised of his right to counsel after his arrest nor did the State make any effort to appoint counsel, though it admittedly knew of his inability to obtain it. It was only in September of 1963, the day after his indictment, that a lawyer was appointed to represent him.

"The quality of representation given the petitioner was so incompetent that he was denied due process of law," the petition claims. Court appointed counsel refused to investigate the facts of the case, spent only one and a half hours preparing this capital case, refused to confer with vital witnesses and with Mrs. Smith, the defendant's wife. Had Mrs. Smith been consulted, the petition points out, she would have testified that the pants introduced at the trial were not those her husband had worn on the night of the crime, moreover

over that he had returned home between midnight and 1 a. m. on that night, while the time of commission of the crime was placed at about 2 a. m.

Fund Director To Speak at Local Church

"People and Poverty" will be discussed at the monthly meeting of The Durham Community Fellowship Forum Sun. March 22, at 7:30 p. m. Covenant United Presbyterian Church at the Corner of Lincoln Street and Massey Avenue.

William H. Koch, Jr. Assistant Director for Community Development, The North Carolina Fund, will be the featured speaker and an open discussion will follow his presentation. The public is invited.

Past and present experiences have made Koch uniquely fitted to discuss people and poverty. He joined the North Carolina Fund in January of this year after long association with projects similar to those to be aided by The Fund. He was instrumental in initiating and developing a state wide program of social, educational, health and religious services for Arizona's large migrant worker population.

A native of New Rochelle, N. Y., he was educated at the University of Connecticut, Springfield College, Columbia and Chicago Universities. He is a member of a number of professional organizations including the National Association of Social Workers, Phi Delta Kappa and The Adult Education Association. Koch is married to the former Rebecca K. Nance and has four children. They reside in Chapel Hill.

The United Presbyterian Men will be host to those attending the Forum and an informal coffee hour will follow for adults.

Ed Sullivan to Co-Chair NAACP Television Show

NEW YORK — Ed Sullivan, famed newspaper columnist and television M. C., has agreed to serve with Sammy Davis, Jr., as East Coast co-chairman of the NAACP nationwide close circuit television spectacular on May 14, Roy Wilkins, NAACP executive secretary announced today.

Serving as West Coast co-chairmen for the two hour program in observance of the 10th anniversary of the U. S. Supreme Court decision in the school segregation cases are Miss Lena Horne and Steve Allen. The program will originate in Madison Square Garden, New York City, and the Sports Arena, Los Angeles.

Among others who have agreed to appear on the star-studded program are Sidney Poitier, Marlon Brando, Ossie Davis, Miss Ruby Dee, Fredric March, Miss Gloria Foster, now playing the lead in the off-Broadway hit "In White America," and Gerry Moore who will M. C. the West Coast section of the program. See **SULLIVAN 6A**

Students Raise Over \$4,000 for Shaw University

RALEIGH — Shaw University students accompanied by students from Peace College braved a steady downpour of rain on Saturday, March 14, and Sunday, March 15, to knock on doors of the Raleigh Community with an SOS fund raising appeal. Students left the campus at 9:00 a. m. after holding a one hour meeting in Greenleaf Auditorium, completing plans for the door to door canvas. Faculty members furnished their cars and transported these students to section of the city which had been mapped out. Saturday evening, the students reported \$3,127, and on Sunday brought this total up to \$4,312.30.

Battle Against Polio To Begin In Durham Sun.

Church bells will ring throughout Durham and Orange counties Sunday to call residents out for their polio vaccine sugar cube.

Sunday is the big day here for the oral vaccine attack on polio and drive chairman Dr. Will L. London said today that churches in the two county area will ring their bells just after the noon hour, from 12:15 to 12:30, as an audible reminder to the public.

Elementary school feeding stations will be open from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Dr. London said, and facilities will be provided to give the three strain vaccine to the major proportion of the population.

Church goers are being asked to stop at the most convenient station to get their vaccine either before or after attending church, but the four o'clock closing hour will allow time for all to come in for the quickly and easily taken sugar cube of protection.

Everyone from six weeks of age up has been urged to take the newly perfected vaccine, hailed for its ability not only to immunize those not already exposed to polio but for its addition of effectiveness in killing viruses in the bodies of those who might be unwittingly serving as carriers to others.

Physicians of the Durham and Orange County Medical Foundation are sponsoring the campaign in the hope of reaching a sufficient number of people to make this grim disease as rare as other once dreaded diseases such as smallpox.

Only a 50 cent donation to defray the cost of the vaccine is being asked, but everyone is urged to come for the vaccine whether or not they have the price of the donation.



CITED BY NCC COEDS—North Carolina College Dean W. Women Louise Latham, background, completes citations of outstanding women at a special dinner culminating the college's Fifteenth Annual Coed Weekend Sunday.

Warrenton Principal Under Fire

WARRENTON — Twenty or more members of the executive committee of the Warren County Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People appeared today



MISS NIVENS



MISS ROBERSON



NICKERSON



JONES

Contenders in TGD Scholarship Project Tau Gamma Delta Launches Area Scholarship Fund Project

Lambda Chapter, Tau Gamma Delta Sorority proudly presents four of the participants in the Taugadelta project currently being launched in this area. This effort is in keeping with an annual policy of chapters throughout the nation in support of a scholarship fund. Pictures of other contestants, will appear at a later date prior to the grand climax Friday night, April 3, at Hillside High School, at which time the Oxford Thespians will feature a live production of "Raisin in the Sun." One of Broadway's most

widely acclaimed stage plays, the players have won a reputation for their sterling performance.

Miss Minnie T. Roberson is the charming and versatile daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lee Roberson and is a senior at Hillside High School. Actively engaged in school activities, she can be heard each week day afternoon, at 4:30 P.M., broadcasting over station WSRC. Miss Roberson is making plans to attend the Radio and TV Institute to be held in July at the University of North Carolina in

See **SORORITY 6A**