

BLACK COLLEGE PRESIDENTS met with Dr. David Matthews, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, recently in Washington to discuss increase in Federal Aid to institutions of higher learning. Presidents and officials were (left-right) Dr. Preston Valien, HEW official; Dr. Robert Threat, Morris Brown College; Dr. Van S. Allen, TACTICS; Dr. Milton Curry, Bishop College; Matthews; Mrs. Carol Smith, HEW official; Dr. Roy Hudson, Hampton Institute and Dr. Charles Lyons, Fayetteville State College.



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COMMISSIONER

minorities with increased job opportunities they could live with. in the broadcast industry.

for the very point of eliciting comments your say. from the public. To make the democratic process work, a Commissioner who feels a enough talent. document does not go far enough or goes too far, is obligated I believe by conscience to express his or her view publicly so the public can be aware of their objections.

The public is then entitled to make comment. This is the process and the path that I have followed in this matter by issuing my concurring statement.

For the record, the Commission did not exempt licensees with less than 10 or 15 fulltime employees from filing an employment for 395. I doubt very seriously I would have concurred with the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking if the Commission had gone that far.

Our EEO rules require that all licensees with five or more fulltime employees to file and annual employment report every year and a written affirmative action program every three years at renewal time.

The proposed Notice would exempt licensees with 10 or a few more (remember, I strongly favor the figure "five") from filing only the written affirmative action program - initially. In fact the Commission clearly states in paragraph 21 of the Notice: "We propose to retain the prerogative, therefore, to require any exempted station, in appropriate instances, to develop and submit equal employment opportunity plans,"

In other words, even under the present proposed plan, those exempt may still be required to file the written program if the FCC suspects something, EEP-wise, is amiss. And all licensees will still be required to submit the annual employment report.

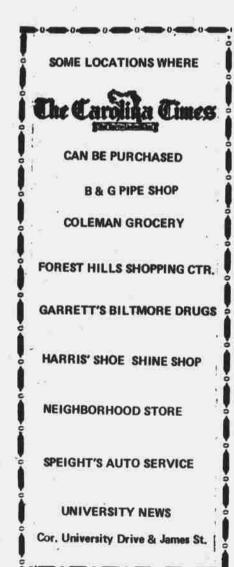
Unfortunately the present proposed plan does not ove either far enough, or fast enough. It is a beginning, however,

More About Fair Play In Broadcast Jobs

This is a continuation of my discussion formulated by an FCC staff, of both blacks last week of what is being done here at the and whites, who despite often spirited and Federal Communications Commission to heated differences, hammered out what provide women, blacks, and other they believe to be a two option document

The seven commissioners being fallible It is important to re-emphasize here, beings then decided which option it that a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking is preferred. Now you the public must have

Enough time has been wasted and -



George E. Clarke Named To NATE Committee

George E. Clarke, director of student teaching at North Carolina Central University, has been appointed to a three-year' term on the nominations and elections committee of the National Association of Teacher Educators.

Clarke is the immediate past president and a member of the executive board of the Association of Teacher Educators -North Carolina Unit. He committee members.

was appointed to the national committee post by Dr. Diane C. Sorenson, president of the National Association of Teacher Educators.

The committee's responsibility includes searching for and screening candidates for offices in the association. The association will vote this year for a president-elect and for three executive

Army Pay For Students To Attend Med School

WASHINGTON, D.C. -The U.S. Army is interested in furnishing financial support to eligible college students who want to attend medical schools in return for the students spendin spending some time on active military duty as an officer.

Students entering the program would be committed to serve one year of active duty for each year of financial support. Minimum obligation would be for a two-year period.

This will be done through the Army Health Professional Scholarship Program for students of medicine, osteopathy, dentistry, veterinary medicine and medical allied schience such as optometry, psychology or podiatry.

Eligible applicants would have to be 28 years old or younger, meet the physical standards and the requirement for an officer's commission, and be sincerely motivated toward the military service.

If accepted, a recipient would receive a \$400 monthly stipend plus expenses. If his academic year of her term.

schedule permits, he would serve 45 days in clinical or professional training at an Army facility. He will be paid a second lieutenant's salary where he served the 45 days or not.

For further information on this financial program, contact the Professor of Military Science at a college or university in the USA offering advance ROTC or write to the Surgeon General, DASG-PTP-D, Attn: Officer-in-Charge, Washington, D. C. 20314.

Mrs. Helen S. **Miller Named To Advisory Post**

Mrs. Helen S. Miller, chairman of the department of nursing at North Carolina Central University, has been appointed to a two-year term as a member of the Joint Advisory Committee on Nursing Education. which serves the state's higher education agencies.

She was appointed by President William Friday of The University of North Carolina. Mrs. Miller will serve as chairman of the tuition and other academic committee during the first



YANKEE HORSE BREEDER...Gene Woodling, former New York Yankee outfielder, and his wife, Betty, admire the Appaloosa Horses they breed on this farm just outside Medina, Ohio. Woodling is experiencing his first year completely out of baseball.