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Independent Black Party Plans...

Strategies For The Future

By Yvonne Anderson
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The North Carolina chapter of the National Black Independent Political Party (NBIPP) held its first annual state-wide convention in Rocky Mount, North Carolina last weekend.

Participants came from all over the state, from Greensboro, Chapel Hill, Durham, Raleigh, and Winston-Salem. They came to listen, to talk, to caucus

and to vote, in an effort to decide what were the most important issues facing black people in the state of North Carolina. After the issues were agreed upon, resolutions finalized and noted on during the last day of the conference. These resolutions will be taken to the National Convention to be held in Chicago during August.

A resolution calling for a strategy that would ensure the extension of the Voting Rights Act was the most

significant resolution to be voted upon. In addition, attention was given to the need for concentrated effort on voter registration and voter education strategies.

Focusing on another national issue, the (NBIPP) called for the formation of food and housing cooperatives and food banks that would assist people affected by the federal budget cuts.

Suggestions for curtailing government repression and

racist violence and the need for an in-depth study of the two was another resolution passed by the party. While also passing a resolution calling for a specific role of youth within the state and national party.

These resolutions were the result of two days of intense discussions and speeches where participants heard different ideas set forth by many prominent civil rights activists.

Barbara R. Arnwine, a North Carolina attorney

from Raleigh, and Issac Coleman, a resident of Asheville, N.C., are the co-convenors for the state chapter. Angela Bryant is treasurer and Mary Wright is secretary.

The Winston-Salem delegation attending the conference included Clifton Graves, Jr., vice chairman of the Forsyth County Organizing Committee; Khalida Griggs, secretary; Simon S. Johnson,

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Rev. Ben Chavis and State Co-Convenor, Barbara R. Arnwine, seat themselves at the beginning of the Plenary Session.

UNC-CH Admissions Policy

Verbal Dispute Brewing

By Yvonne Anderson
Staff Writer

Carolina at Chapel Hill is currently involved in a dispute of words with the editor of the Raleigh Times, A.C. Snow.

This dispute had its

beginnings with an article that appeared in 1978 written by Renwick, in which he questions the university's commitment, a commitment made publicly, to in-

crease the black enrollment in (UNC-CH). Renwick provided facts and figures obtained from the university's admissions office which indicated that

while the number of black application increased, the actual number of black students accepted by UNC-CH has declined. Renwick was the director of minority admissions at Chapel Hill.

Renwick went on to say that the low Scholastic Aptitude Test scores, used by officials at the school to explain the drop in black enrollment, was not a valid reason, because there were many white students with low SAT scores and low class rank standings, who were admitted to the university.

In the article Renwick stated, "Over the past three years, I estimate that approximately 300 black students have been denied admission to the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill."

That statement was the basis of an editorial written by A.C. Snow that appeared in the Raleigh Times in April of 1981, in which Snow misquotes Renwick's article in an effort to justify the standards of admission at UNC-CH.

In the second paragraph of Snow's editorial, he quotes Renwick's article as stating, "between 1974 and 1975, about 800 black students had been denied admission."

Further, Snow alleged in his editorial, that accepting black students with low (SAT) scores constituted

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From H.B. Renwick

Letter to Mr. Snow

letter Renwick sent to A.C. Snow on June 3, 1981.

Dear Mr. Snow:

This is in reference to an editorial written by you sometime in April, 1981. The editorial, "Around the State-Discrimination," was also printed in the Greensboro Daily News.

Your editorial referred to a newspaper article that I had written in 1978. You stated that in this particular article I said, that between 1975 and 1978, about 800 Black students had been denied admissions to the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. I'm enclosing a copy of this article for you to read, Mr. Snow, apparently for the first time. As you can see, Mr. Snow, I never made any reference to 800 Black students being denied admissions to the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

After reading your editorial and conversing with you by phone, it is clear to me that you did not examine my article but instead relied on statements made by Mr. Collin Rustin. Rustin contradicted himself on numerous occasions, Mr. Snow. You should choose more reliable sources. Mr. Rustin, in 1978, denied that any Blacks had been rejected. Some weeks later this same source said that 17 Blacks had been rejected. Some weeks later this same source said that 17 Blacks had been rejected but that some mistakes had been made. In April of this year, Rustin tells of 36 blacks being rejected.

However, I am not blaming you, Mr. Snow. For I am well aware of the methods people like you are accustomed to utilizing in order to minimize the effectiveness of citizens like a Hayden Renwick. General-

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UPI PHOTO

Wayne Williams (l) is escorted from his office by Angel Ortiz, a law clerk for the attorney. Williams was arrested at his home on Sunday and charged with the murder of Daniel Cater, the 28th victim in the string of the Atlanta murders, exactly one month after he was first arrested about his involvement with the slayings.

Williams Charged With Killing 28th

By Yvonne Anderson
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Atlanta, Ga.--Wayne B. Williams was arrested at his home on Sunday and charged with the murder of Daniel Cater, the 28th victim in the string of the Atlanta murders, exactly one month after he was first arrested about his involvement with the slayings.

Williams was first interrogated on May 22, two days after Cater's body was found. The questioning took place after Williams' car was followed from a bridge located near a site from which police had heard a loud splash. He was questioned again on May 23 and was placed under constant surveillance, the surveillance became heavy after Cater's body was found.

Scarce hard evidence is reported to exist, and that which does exist was taken from articles taken from Williams' car and home. Law enforcement officials said fibers and dog hairs from among carpet samples, sweepings, clothing and blankets were akin to some found on 10 or 11 of the victims.



Patrick Hairston accepts a check from James Barnet, representative from Hanes Corporation.



Hat Full of Money

Mrs. Margaret Davis of Richmond, Va. sports a rather expensive top piece as she struts her stuff at conclave.

Moles-Mules Gather

For 31st Annual Conclave

Moles and Mules, 489 strong, gathered in the Twin City over the past weekend for their 31st annual conclave. They fellowshiped, wine, dined, danced, visited, contributed to a local worthy cause and left the city inspired to be a greater force for betterment.

Members of the social and service organization came from 25 of the leading cities of the east coast and

midwest where their chapters are located. They came from New York City; Savannah, Ga.; Chicago, Ill.; St. Louis, Mo. and cities in between.

Included among the visiting Moles and Mules were physicians, lawyers, sports figures, business persons, politicians, public officials, civil rights advocates, retirees & college, university and public school personnel. They

represented all facets of middle class America.

The local host chapter, decked in their weekend wardrobe, created by one of their own for the occasion, left no stones unturned in providing hospitality for their guests. Host Moles were assisted by their Mules and numerous others in the city. The evidence indicated that all had a fun filled

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NAACP Receives \$4,000 From Hanes Corporation

By Beverly McCarthy
Staff Writer

In an effort to strengthen the long standing relationship between the NAACP and the Hanes Corporation, James Barnet, representative from the Hanes Group, presented Patrick Hairston, president of the local NAACP with a check for \$1,500 last Tuesday.

"Hanes Corporation has, and always has has a good

standing relationship with the NAACP, we support the organization one hundred percent," he explained.

The check was given by the Hanes-Winston-Salem Affirmative Action Community Committee of the Hanes Corporation.

In addition to the \$1,500, Hanes will donate two dollars per every one dollar obtained in the NAACP's membership drive making a

total donation of \$4,000. Upon accepting the donation, Patrick Hairston said that he was very grateful for the money.

"We appreciate this contribution, we really need it," he added.

Officials from the local branch of the NAACP are making preparations to attend the National Convention which will be held in Denver, Colorado, beginning June 25.