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8-31-49 Supreme Court Wipes Out Bus Segregation Regulations

WASHINGTON (P---The Supreme Court Tuesday wiped out state and local laws requiring segregation on buses.

It did so by affirming a decision of a special three-judge U. S. District Court in Montgomery, Ala. That court ruled that enforced segregation of whites and Negroes on Montgomery buses violated the Federal Constitution's guarantees of due process and equal protection of law. UNANIMOUS

In a brief unanimous order, the Supreme Court cited its 1954 decision against segregation in public schools. It also cited subsequent decisions outlawing segregation in public parks and playgrounds and on public golf links.

As it has done in several segregation cases since its basic school decision, the high court acted without listening to any argument. Except for citing three segregation-banning decisions, all the court said was:

"The motion to affirm is granted and the judgment is affirmed.'

Negroes in Montgomery have conducted a long boycott of city buses as a protest against segregation. One of the things they resorted to was operation of a car pool to carry those who used to use the buses.

A state court at Montgomery is now considering the city's attempt to halt the car pool as illegal. The court continued its hearing Tuesday

THE WORLD NEWS IN BRIEF: FROM RADIO DISPATCHES

LONDON - Britain said the real reason for Anglo-French invasion of Egypt was a Soviet military buildup in the Middle East.

SAN FRANCISCO - A group of ships from the U. S. Sixth Fleet sailed for the Pacific. No reason was given.

SINGAPORE - The Chinese are accepting valuateers to fight on Egypt's side in the Middle East.

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. - The UN General Assembly veted to take up the Hungarian problem.

after being informed of the Supreme Court ruling. In neighboring Mississippi, Gov. J. P. Coleman said his state would continue to segregate Negroes and whites on public conveyances, despite the Supreme Court order.

"Our attitude about the decision will be the same as about the school segregation cases," Coleman said. Mississippi's public schools, like many others in the South, are still segregated.

In the bus segregation case, Montgomery's board of commissioners and the Alabama Public Service Commission appealed from the ruling of the three-judge court voiding state and local bus segregation laws.

The lower court, dividing 2-1, said "There is

now no rational basis upon which the separate but equal doctrine can be validly applied to public transportation within the City of Montgomery." And it said "The application of that doctrine cannot be justified as a proper execution of state police power."

The two judges in the majority said they agreed with a decision of the Fourth U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals in Richmond that "the separate but equal doctrine can no longer be safely followed as a correct statement of the law.'

The separate but equal doctrine, now dead for all practical purposes, was laid down by the Supreme Court in a transportation case in 1896 known as Plessy vs. Ferguson.



State University, the University of Southern California and the University of California. At the same time, the council Friday Says

Student Party-24 seats. Run-offs-one seat. Disqualifications-one seat. Thus it is not conclusive that

refused to lift probations against the University of Miami and Texas A & M. The action rules out any possibility that football teams from these schools will be able to participate in post-season bowl games.

STIFF PENALTY

The powerful 18-man council. policy-directing body of the NCAA. handed out one of the stiffest penalties in its history in placing. North Carolina State on a fouryear probation, starting Tuesday.

During that period the school will not be eligible to enter athletes or teams in any of the 14 NCAA events or the 25 cooperating events, including post-season bowl games.

The college also was denied rep- NCAA announced from Detroit resentation on any NCAA com- earlier Tuesday it was banning mittee and the right to vote on State from participating in all

(See STATE, page 4.)

University of North Carolina President William C. Friday, commention on the State declared last night in cannot understand the probation decision. "We are determined to get all

University

Was Unaware

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of the evidence in this case. he added in a statement, "and will take whatever action it warrants." In one of the stiffest punish-

ments it has ever meted, the

(See FRIDAY, page 3.)



Town Women Vote

Town women voted yesterday, along with students from all other parts of the campus, in annual fall elections. Shown with poll tender Gardner Foley and Misses Sally Shipley and Susan Walker.

Victory Bell Stolen By ATO Fraternity

By FRANK CROWTHER

While most of Tarheelia slum- also among the entourage which for the Duke campus. bered Tuesday morning, two mem- motored to the University of _On arrival they parked their car Jefferies, already knowing the the reelection can be held in Town bers of the ATO fraternity climb- Maryland in quest of the Maryland next to the Old Gym and, after a whereabouts of the bell, called the Men's IL ed into the old Duke gym and Terrapin. stole the Victory Bell: After working out a plan of at

This was the culmination of a tack, the two men loaded Harris' gym through a side window. gan Monday a' ernoon and ended tools: an ax, three crescent tugged it through the passageway campus postman, in a University III, Gustafson (SP), Ray (SP); Dorm by noon Tuesday, These bottles are will begin a five-night run at at 3:45 a.m. Tuesday. The two men involved were Bo screw drivers, a sledge hammer, Gym and wheeled it out the side the bell-cart back to the Blue Dev- V, Baum (UP), Long (SP). Woodhall and John Harvis of ATO and some open-end wrenches.



fraternity-both of whom were. They set out at I a.m. Tuesday invade the UNC campus and give man class officers were being withit a new paint job.

brief encounter with the night ATO's and asked that they return New legislators by districts are: Department to find a means of

repair bill.

wrenches, pliers, wire cutters, from the New Gym to the Old of North Carolina truck, carried Men's IV, Carter (SP); Dorm Men's designated for each dorm and so- 8:30 p.m. today in the Playmak- appears as Androcles, with Miss door. The two then tied the cart ils, ending the affair just 24 hours Town Men's I, Cole (UP), Cooper tributions will be received at Y to their auto, sped back to the after it had been conceived.

a chancellor for UNC.

UNC campus, and concealed the bell behind their fraternity house.

The coup looked like a complete success and Tuesday morning the boys went to inform coach Tatum of their conquest.

Later in the day, however, Dean Cox of Duke University called Ray Jefferies, Assistant Dean of Stutent Affairs at UNC. and expressed much concern over the building storm of anger on the Duke canipus. It was reported that

In Bridge At Village

GMAB Will Hold Lessons committee will meet next on Dec. bright in Raleigh or to the "Com- Sparta. 8. "It is the hope of the commit-, mittee on the Chancellor" in South Alumni - William D. Snider, tee to make its recommendations Building, Chapel Hill.

Bridge lessons will be offered to President William C. Friday The list, narrowed from 70 to etteville; Frank Parker, Asheville; by Graham Memorial Activities shortly after the first of the new 41 for formal consideration, in- Dr. A. M. McDonald, Charlotte; and cludes persons "from many other Albright, Raleigh. Board at the Victory Village Day year," he said. Care center beginning Thursday The committee will present at areas as well as from the Uni- Faculty at Chapel Hill-Prof. least three names to the presi- versity and the State of North James L. Godfrey, Faculty Coun-

R. Mayne Albright, chairman of individuals."

Reach \$1400 the UP will maintain its majority.

Contributions

Place for the Campus Chest

dance Friday night has been

changed from Woollen Gymna-

sium to Cobb Dormitory base-

ment. The time is the same-

tunity to assist the Hungarian stu-

dents by contributing to the Camp-

us Chest. The World University

Service, which will receive 60%

8:30-11:30 p.m.

but the run-off seat and the dis-Fourteen hundred dollars has malified seat are in UP-dominated been contributed to the Campus town men's districts. Chest fund as of late yesterday. Therefore, if past election re This is only \$100 short of the sults are indicative, it is possible \$1500 goal set up by the campaign. the UP will nab the run-off seat-

which is sponsored jointly by the YM-YW and student government. is Town Men's III-and the di qualified scat-in Town Men's II The Drive gloses Thursday. -in nexts Tues The Morid University Service in New York has just announced that But past election results may not be indicative. Yesterday's election threw precedent to the winds. it will rush emergency aid Hungarian students, victims of re-The UP took two seats in powcent turmoil in that East Euros.

erful SP Dorm Men's H, and the pean country. SP grabbed a seat and necessitated a run-off for another in UP-con-Carolina students, possessing not only academic freedom, but also trolled Town Men's III. self-government, have an oppor Consequently, next Tuesday's

election may swing legislative plurality 26-24 to the UP, or 26-24 to the SP, or may bring about a deadlock- 25-25. The disgualified seat in Town

Men's II came as a result of "discrepancies," according to Elections Board Vice Chairman Bill Redding. More ballets were cast than there were registered voters in the district, it was revealed.

of the chest, aids needy universi-Results of the junior and freshties and university students throughout the world. held by the Elections Board until The World University Service

recently appealed to the U.S. State

rority or fraternity house. Con-

court Wednesday and Thursday.

The names of 41 individuals are | subcommittees - trustee, faculty Selection Committee members now up for consideration by the and alumni-but names have also include:

students, and from other interested Love, Greensboro; Carl Venters, Jacksonville; Bill Yarborough, the Blue Devils were planning to the 17-man group of trustees, alum- Additional names may be sub- Louisburg: John W. Umstead. Emperor Caesar, he faces a hun- of Shelby: Phil Williamson of Wil-

IN THE INFIRMARY Those in the infirmary today



Man's Best Friend Not Always A Dog

Man and beast become comrades during the persecution and turmoil of Caesar's empire in The Carolina Playmakers' production of Shaw's "Androcles and the Lion," appearing tonight through Sunday at the Playmakers Theatre.

'Androcles' Will Open **Five-Show Run Tonight**

"Androcles And The Lion," a and he causes some comical comedy by George Bernard Shaw, changes in Caesar's attitude.

> Dick Newdick of Augusta, Me., Page Williams of Fort Thomas, Ky., as his wife, Megaera, and

New Bern are cast as Lavinia and

the captain who guards her. Frank

Before the Playmakers, Caro- David Small of Morehead City as lina drama group, begin their sec- the lion. ond show of the season. Shaw's of-John Sneden of Tenafly, N. J.

ficial biographer, Dr. Archibald plays Caesar, Miss Amanda Meiggs Henderson, will present some com- of Moyock and John Whitty of ments on the dramatist.

er's Theater.

In the play, Androcles, a meek Beaver and Bob Balley, both of Greek tailor, helps a lion by re- Statesville, and Ted Parker, of moving a thorn from his paw when Clinton portray the martyrs. Metthey meet in the forest. Later, tulus, Ferrovious and Spintho.

when Androcles is sentenced to Others in the cast are Harvey death in the martyrs' arena by Knox of Greensborg; Bill Padgett ni and faculty, said that the full mitted to Chairman R. Mayne Al- Chapel Hill; and Floyd Crouse, gry lion fresh from the forest. son; Bill White of Chattanooga, Tenni: Darwin Coloman of Kern-The lion, who is the same one ersville; Mrs. Suzanne Davis of

Androcles had aided, fortunately Chapel Hill; Bill Jones of Indiahas a memory like an elephant, napolis, Ind.; Bob DuMeer of Star: Miss Anne Brooke of Staunton, Va., and Miss Hope Sparger of Scarsdale, N. Y.

The production will run in night at 7:30. Mrs. Rogers Wade will be in- dent, whose responsibility it is to Carolina," Albright said. cil; Kenan Prof. Dougald MacMilinclude: Chapel Hill through Sunday evenstructor for the series, which is nominate a chancellor for the ap. The only restrictions in the lan. Division of Humanities: Kenan Misses Ruby Batten, Elmira ing, after which the company of Herring, Roberta Simpson, Su- 25 will embark on a tour of four open to anyone in Victory Vil- proval of the Board of Trustees. committee's present policy, he Prof. Rupert Vance. Division of Chancellor Robert B. House will said, are (1) "not to consider any- Social Sciences: Kenan Prof. John san Donald, Susan Mayhue, Shirsouthern states, celebrating the lage. ley Edgerton, Elizabeth McGraw one who has already attained the N. Couch. Division of Natural Bridge instruction for students retire on June 30, 1957. Playmakers' 25th year of touring. Who Rang The Ding Dong? will be held in Graham Memorial Albright reported that approxi- age of 80," and (2) "to require Sciences: Prof. Paul N. Guthrie, and Anthony Wolff, Cary Clark, Tickets for the Chapel Hill per-John Barefoot, Robert Tate, each Wednesday at 4 p.m. The mately 70 names have been sub- that any nominee be a person of School of Business Administration: Members of the Alpha Tau Omega social fraternity pose with formances are on sale at 214 Frederick Byrum, Robert Cofod, first lesson is scheduled for Nov. mitted to the committee for its high scholarly attainments and Kenan Prof. M. T. Van Hecke, Law the Victory Bell they took from Duke early Tuesday morning. The Jimmie Merritt, James Emerson Abernethy Hall (telephone 8-468). Victory B-II is awarded each year to the winner of the Carolina- 21, and instruction will continue consideration. "Most of these academic experience, in addition School: and Dr. Ernest Craige, Diand Richard Saylor. names have come from the three to other required attributes." vision of Health Affairs. Ledbetter-Pickard's, or Box 1050. Duke football game. It has been won by Duke every year since 1949. for a period of weeks,

(See ELECTION, page 4.)

UNC Chancellor Selection Group

Considering Names Of 41 Persons

committee which will recommend been submitted by a committee of Board of Trustees - J. Spencer

Greensboro: Terry Sanford, Fay

