

Five AME Zion Bishops Endorse President Nixon

Political Move Is A First

BY ALEXANDER BARNES
PHILADELPHIA - five bishops of the AME Zion Church with another favorably disposed in an unprecedented press conference, held at the Penn Center Holiday Inn Thursday, July 27, without any qualifications and reservations, endorsed the reelection of President Richard M. Nixon.

Bishops William M. Smith, president of the Board of Bishops of the denomination, Mobile, Ala., Arthur Marshall, who presides over the 9th district, St. Louis, Mo.; William A. Hilliard, 3rd district, Detroit, Mich.; John Miller, 10th district, Dallas, Texas and George J. Leake, who has charge of the work on the West Coast, had no doubt that President Nixon was the man to lead this nation for the next four years.

Bishop James W. Wactor, with conferences in North and South Carolina, Fayetteville, N. C., had little disagreement and gave every indication that he would join his colleagues in their effort.

The prelates, in a televised CBS press conference, plunged into the issues that they felt were facing the nation and the world and on one accord saw Nixon as the man to best serve the present needs. They felt that Nixon was giving everything he had toward ending the war. They also looked at what he had done to improve the condition of the Negro, even though he received very little support in 1968 from this racial group, as gesture toward full participation in the mainstream of the American way of life.

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84th Meet Held By Lodges

The 84th annual convention of the Raleigh Union Industrial Society Lodges and the 49th annual convention of the Juvenile Lodges held their annual meeting at the Union Hall, South Street, The grand president, the Rev. Lemuel Neal, presided. The Juvenile Lodges had their session last Monday night with the grand matrons presiding, Mrs. Dorothy D. Lundy, Mrs. Matilda Miale and Mrs. May L. Broads.

Guest speaker was Miss Ann Lundy, who brought very interesting and timely remarks. Her subject was "Forgoing the Things At Higher Calling. Many beautiful thoughts were expressed by this speaker and all present enjoyed her address tremendously. Words cannot be found easily to thank her.

The grand cabinet officers were introduced and remarks were made by our grand president, Rev. Miale. Closing remarks were by Grand Matron.

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Views Stated In Journal

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Hargraves, Liberian To Confab

NORFOLK, Va. - Dr. J. Archie Hargraves, president of Shaw University, Raleigh, N. C. and Mrs. Lucretia Ash-Thompson, assistant secretary of Labor and Youth of Liberia, Africa are scheduled to address the Diamond Jubilee Session of the Lott Carey Baptist Foreign Mission Convention meeting here August 28-September 1, at New Calvary Baptist Church, 1000 Virginia Beach Blvd with the Rev. Milton A. Reid as host pastor.

Tribute will be paid to the founding fathers of Lott Carey, which has the distinction of being the only black church organization in the world that has contributed to foreign missions continuously without a division. Taking its name from an ex-Virginian slave who purchased his freedom from the sale of tobacco and assisted in the establishment of the African colony of Liberia, this black Baptist organization has made notable contributions in the African colony's spiritual and educational development.

During the four day meeting at this Virginia city delegates from both America and several foreign nations will hear Dr. Wendell C. Sommerville, their Executive Secretary of Washington, D. C. point out highlights that have been of credit to Lott Carey and their associates over the past 75 years without a scandal or indiscretion. Dr. Sommerville's report will show where millions of dollars have been collected and accounted for during the convention's existence. Delegates will also hear Dr. (See DR. HARGRAVES, P. 2)

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Mayor Lee, a black man who has twice won the top governmental post in predominantly white Chapel Hill, discusses "Political Trends and Life Styles in North Carolina for the Decade 1970" in the Spring 1972 issue of The North Carolina Central Law Journal, published by the students of the North Carolina Central University.

Mrs. Herndon began her education in a one teacher school in Wake County - Scotts Grove. Since there was no educational opportunity for Blacks in the area beyond the sixth grade, it appeared that her formal educational training would terminate at the sixth grade. However, she was afforded the opportunity to live in Durham and attend Hillsdale Park, graduating in 1929.

Her college training was received at North Carolina Central University, Durham and Shaw University, Raleigh. (See WOMAN IS, P. 2)



MRS. HERNDON

Woman Is Honored By Children

Mrs. Bertha Scott Herndon was honored recently at a Retirement Testimonial Dinner given by her children, Mesdames Kathleen Henry and Erskine Bailey, and Leon W. Herndon. The festive affair was held at Carey C. Jones Memorial Park. Apex. Approximately 125 relatives, friends, co-workers, former students, and elementary high school and college classmates joined in the celebration.

Money Picked Up By Three

All three winners claimed their money in the CAROLINIAN's new appreciation money contest last week. Mrs. Doris W. Savage, Rev. Mrs. Addie Norwood and Henry Lauder were lucky winners.

Mrs. Savage, who lives at 1833 Eastern Boulevard, found her name in the page 12 advertisement in the page 12 advertisement located at 19 E. Martin Street and also 120 E. Martin St. (See APPRECIATION, P. 2)

Coveted Award To President

PHILADELPHIA, PA. - Dr. Richard Vernon Moore, president of Bethune-Cookman College, Daytona Beach, Fla., has been the recipient of many outstanding awards for his numerous and varied contributions. It has been announced by the Grand Exalted Ruler of the Improved Benevolent Protective Order of Elks of the World, Hobson R. Reynolds, from the Philadelphia Headquarters of the largest Negro fraternal organization in the world that Dr. Moore has again been cited for his achievements by being selected by the National Awards Committee to receive the coveted Elks Lovejoy Award. The Award is presented annually to any person who has made a great contribution towards the advancement of all people. The Lovejoy Award was established at the Grand Lodge Convention August 1940 at San Francisco, California.

Its first recipient was the Honorable Alfred A. Driscoll who at that time was Governor of the State of New Jersey. And since that time many distinguished personalities have received the Award among them the late Dr. Ralph Bunche. (See DR. MOORE, P. 2)

Appreciation Money SPOTLIGHT THIS WEEK THOMPSON-LYNCH CO.

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VICTIMS OF BLACK HIJACKERS ARE FREED - Miami, Fla.: Dade County sheriff's deputies guide passengers from a hijacked Delta Airline to the terminal at Miami International Airport after the black hijackers were paid a million dollars in ransom money and headed for Algiers. (UPI)

Angela Davis Will Speak At SCLC Convention In Dallas On August 16

ALBANY, GA. - The Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC) announced from its national headquarters here last Thursday that Angela Davis will speak at the organization's banquet, Wednesday, August 16, during the 15th Annual SCLC Convention in Dallas, Texas, August 15-18.

Other highlights of the convention will include The President's Annual Report by Rev. Ralph David Abernathy. The semi-annual SCLC Board of Directors meeting; National Speakers on issues of concern to poor people.

Presentation of the organization's highest awards, including the Martin Luther King, Jr. Award and the Rosa Parks Freedom Award. Dr. King was president of SCLC from its founding in 1957, until his assassination in 1968. Mrs. Parks is the black woman whose arrest for refusing to give up her seat on a bus touched off the Montgomery Bus Boycott of 1955-56.

The movement that led directly to the establishment of SCLC. The Annual Culture Night will

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SCLC is an organization which will always defend that freedom. In my judgment, Miss Davis was a victim of political repression. She was put on trial because of her political beliefs and she was publicly tried, convicted and condemned by the nation's highest officials before she reached the courtroom. The threat Angela Davis was a threat to the basic liberties and free speech of all citizens.

Convention headquarters in Dallas will be the St. John the Baptist Church, 2600 South Main Street, Rev. Robert Wilson, pastor of the church, is an SCLC National Board member.

The SCLC Dallas office telephone number is (214) 428-4673.

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CAROLINIAN HEADS HUMAN AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT - Columbia, S.C.: George D. Hamilton (L) is sworn in as Executive Director of the S. C. Commission on Human Affairs by Gov. John C. West (R). Hamilton is the first black in 100 years in South Carolina to head up a state department or agency. (UPI)



BLACK AND BITTER MAN - Houston: Sitting at his typewriter here recently, Leo Otis Johnson, 32, is a black and bitter man. Convicted of giving an undercover police agent one marijuana cigarette while standing large; black Texas Southern University during a riot there, he was sent to prison for 30 years. He has served four of those years already, and following appeal after appeal is current; free on \$10,000 bond. He has become, in his terms, "politically aware." (UPI)