

Aid to education opposed by candidate Goldwater

Negro singers visit campus, plea for racial understanding

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He has discussed his plan for financing the growing world of education. All decisions should, he says, be left "in the hands of those who ought to make the key decisions—the states and local communities, the family, the individual." His suggestion is to utilize tax credits to indirectly subsidize education. In past years Goldwater has proposed and supported enactment of tax credit legislation. His proposals are as follows:

1) Tax credits in proportion to the amount of local property taxes going to schools for the some 40 million citizens eligible whether their children attend public or private schools. The deduction would supplement the deductions from gross income permitted under existing law.

2) Similar tax credits for taxpayers supporting students at any accredited college or university. The credit would be adjusted to a sliding-scale which gives greater benefits for the levels of college costs.

3) Tax credit covering the full amount for those making gifts to accredited institutions of higher learning.

FREE LOCAL RESOURCES

The result of the program, Goldwater says, would be "to increase the financial resources available to our states and localities and particularly to the individual taxpayer." It would free them, he explains, to "allocate their own resources in support of education—without Federal intervention or the dead-hand of Federal control."

In terms of actual figures, Goldwater has said that he would consider a credit of "up to \$100 (for a taxpayer) on whatever he

might have paid for school taxes." He is not convinced, he continues, "that there is a state in the Union that can't build proper schools."

Senate action in the last session gave the GOP candidate several opportunities to record his vote on educational affairs.

In 1963 Goldwater was paired against the Health Professions Educational Assistance Act authorizing a three-year program of matching grants for construction of teaching facilities in medical, dental and related professional schools and six-year loan program for students of medicine, dentistry, and osteopathy. The bill finally passed.

Against NDEA

He was also paired against the authorization of the 1963 extension of the National Defense Education Act (NDEA) and the federal Aid to Impacted Areas program. He voted against the \$1.2 billion college construction bill in 1963 and the amendment to extend the 1956 Library Services Act to urban areas, and against the amendment to authorize more money for federal grants to states to construct public libraries.

This year he voted for the Revenue Act of 1964 which would have allowed students to deduct from earned income, higher educational expenses such as tuition, books, fees, and so on with a maximum deduction of \$1200 for under-graduate students and \$1500 for graduate students.

Five talented Negro freedom fighters roused an audience of over 500 in the CUB Ballroom Sunday evening as they sang their freedom ballads. Chuck Neblett, Emory Harris, Raphael Benton, Marshall Jones and his brother, Matthew Jones have travelled all over the United States telling of their struggle for freedom.

The five young men formed their group in February of this year. Previously the Freedom Singers had been composed of two girls and two boys. Chuck Neblett is the only one of the original group formed in 1960.

Not entertainers

"We are not entertainers," said Matthew Jones, "we are communicators. We have come to tell you of the story of the South." Mr. Jones feels there is a great need for understanding between the Negro and the white, until then, laws such as the civil rights bill must be enforced. The Freedom Singers hope to reach the college students to start them thinking, for they are the citizens of tomorrow.

When asked what students on Washington State's campus could do to contribute to the cause, Chuck Neblett replied, "Organize finance projects for the Student Nonviolent Co-ordinating Committee (SNCC), volunteer to work as a civil rights worker in the South and work for a better understanding on your campus and in your community."

SNCC sponsors group
Sponsored by SNCC the Free-

dom Singers take time off from their schooling to "make people aware of the situation in the South, to make people think." said Matthew Jones.

SNCC was organized in February, 1960, at a civil rights convention in Raleigh, North Carolina. The organization is com-

posed of students using the philosophy of nonviolence to coordinate protest activities in the South. In 1960 the organization took part in sit-ins and lie-ins in restaurants and public pools. Since then they have concentrated on Negro voter registration and Negro education.

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Grads plan '39 reunion

The big red "39" you'll see on 150 or so ribbons at Homecoming this year has nothing to do with the age of the wearer. Instead, it identifies him as a member of WSU's Class of 1939—which is planning a reunion on Oct. 31.

Robert A. Goldsworthy of Rosalia, a senior class president in 1939 and chairman of the reunion committee, said he expects 150 or more members of the class at a reunion luncheon in the CUB.

Registration for 1939 graduates will begin at 10 a.m., Oct. 31, in the CUB, Goldsworthy said, and the luncheon is scheduled to begin at 11:30 a.m. Singled out for special honors during the luncheon will be senior members of the 1938 football team. Goldsworthy said rooters caps and "appropriate recognition" would be presented to Dick Farman, Seattle, the team captain, and other players present.

Meeting Notices

PHI ETA SIGMA: Wednesday, Oct. 28, 7 p.m., CUB 214, membership shingles will be handed out.
INTERCOLLEGIATE KNIGHTS: Tuesday, Oct. 27, 6:30 p.m. End Zone, Mum sale; Homecoming activities.
BUTCHMEN: Thursday, Oct. 29, 6:30 p.m., CUB 214.
PI TAU IOTA: Thursday, Oct. 29, 7 p.m., CUB 213.
MORTAR BOARD: Tuesday, Oct. 27, 9 p.m., Kappa Kappa Gamma.
THETA SIGMA PHI: Wednesday, Oct. 28, 12 noon, CUB 214A, work on "Theta Sig Extras."
WSU CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION: Tuesday, Oct. 27, 7 p.m., Todd 128. Anyone interested attend.
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE: Tuesday, Oct. 27, 12:15 p.m., CUB 212.

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