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INTEGRATION CHAMP

CHICAGO - (NPI)--The Head Start program has resulted in the integration of more schools, faculty members, and pupils in a summer (1965) in the South than in the 11 years since the U.S. Supreme Court outlawed desegregation. That was the view of R. Sargent Shriver, director, Office of Economic Opportunity, who said the War on Poverty has had more impact on racial equality than any other effort.

SCHOOL PAPER A JOY

Congratulations are really in order to Principal James Pughsley and staff of the Westside Elementary School for the innovation of publication of an elementary school newspaper during the recent school term.

Copies of "THE LITTLE PAPER OF NEWS" were brought into the VOICE office only last week. Although only editions No. 4 and 5 of Volume I of the Westside School's publication are the only two yet seen by the VOICE staff, the general over-all excellence of the paper is a marvel.

The newspaper staff is listed as Donald Givens, Editor; Ernestine Bolden, Ass't. Editor; Gail Hudson, Gerald Boyakins, James Williams, Delilah Rabb, and Rosie Williams, reporters; Poems, Linda Lofton; and Consultant, Mrs. Lewis.

"THE LITTLE PAPER OF NEWS" is a gem. Welcome to the field.

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provide equal job opportunities for Negroes on both the apprentice and journeymen levels.

His ruling prompted NAACP General Counsel Robert L. Carter to remark that an "attempt will be made to extend it to every state."

"The decision puts the responsibility where it belongs," said Lewis M. Steel, assistant NAACP counsel. "By requiring state officials to insure that Negroes may obtain jobs on the same terms as whites before public contracts are awarded, and by denying state officials the excuse that it is the unions--not the state--which discriminate, the ruling signals a new era in the attempt by Negroes to secure their full constitutional rights."

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D. A.'s office, people who have talked with the jurors, and from news reporters.

NOW, on March 23 of this year, Buddy and Florence Ricks (man and wife) were indicted for the slayings Jan. 19 of Cecil Gates, a service station operator, and his woman customer, 54-year-old Mrs. Anna Hufford when the couple allegedly held up Gates Service Station. Both victims had been shot through the head and the Ricks were charged on two counts of felony murder.

The Ricks trial was scheduled to begin on Monday, but was called off when Ricks entered a plea of guilty to two counts of second degree murder. Ricks was sentenced to 10 years to life on both counts but Judge John Mendoza indicated his sentences would run concurrently. On recommendation of the D. A.'s office, the two counts of murder against Mrs. Ricks were dismissed. The court was advised by Deputy District Attorney James Buchanan that evidence had been found which showed Mrs. Ricks was not present when the felony murders occurred.

AS IN the Howard case, there is understandable regret for the incident, and certainly there must be sincere sympathy for the bereaved families of Gates and Mrs. Hufford.

There is definitely a growing conviction here that justice may be blind but not color blind and an understandable uneasiness as to who will be the next to test the "shade of difference" in Nevada justice.

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