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ASSEMBLYMAN LONIE CHANEY STRESSES THE IMPORTANCE OF COMMUNITY SUPPORT

Assemblyman Lonie Chaney, who was recently re-elected to a second term to represent District 7, has often stressed the importance of community support and involvement in governmental affairs. To enable Assemblyman Chaney to incorporate the needs of the community into effective legislation he must acquire an honest reflection of community interests and priorities. Assemblyman Chaney is often heard to say "I don't know everything about what the people in my district want or don't want, but I know a group of people who DO KNOW!" The Chaney Committee" as it is affectionately called, has become more sophisticated since it's inception three years ago, and this writer thinks you would like to know more about them.

Louis Conner is the Honorary Chairman of the "Lonie Chaney Committee" and as such his assistance at every level is of vital importance. He was responsible for the initial organization of the "CC".

Richard Green is the Committee Chairman. He and his wife Bertha have resided in this state for 23 years and have raised their five children here. He feels that they have a vested interest in all phases of community life as it relates to the Las Vegas area. Richard is no "newcomer" to the political scene; he has been

active in the campaigns of Sawyer, O'Callahan and Woofter to name a few of the winners. Green states that "the legislature has a vast complexity of titles; there's a title for everything, and I think that this is a problem for many people if they are trying to contact the right office for a specific reason. I urge anyone in District

7 who wants to contact a specific office in state government, or has a special concern and does not know which office or person to contact, please contact me and I can direct you through much of the "red tape."

The Chaney Committee Chairman, Richard CHANEY (Continued to page 3.)



LONIE CHANEY, ASSEMBLYMAN, WITH RICHARD GREEN, CHAIRMAN OF "CC"



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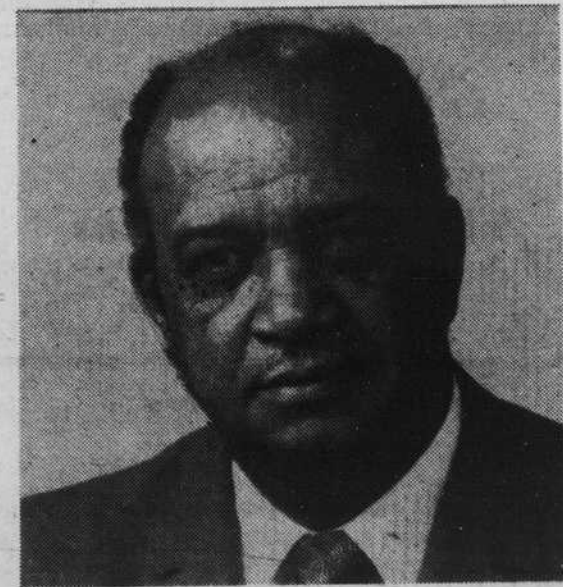
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IS THE N.A.A.C.P. ELECTION HONEST

Letter to: National Association For The Advancement of Colored People
 1790 Broadway
 New York, New York 10019
 SUBJECT: Las Vegas, Nevada Branch Election

We, the undersigned members in good standing wish to file the following complaints of election violations and ask that the election be postponed or if allowed, to be held on December 12, 1976 as previously designated, only the 394 members on record thirty (30) days prior to the election be permitted to vote. We also ask that the name of Dr. James McMillen be removed from eligible candidates, as the Nominating Committee did not get his written consent before he was nominated on November 14, 1976, as required.

1. The Nominating Committee:
 - (a) failed to bring in qualified persons per article V, Section 4 (b & c) but brought in a slate which eliminated Rev. I. W. Wilson and Thomas F. Hughes who sought the office of President and met the qualifications.
 - (b) failed to first get written consent from their purposed nominee, Dr. James B. McMillan before nominating him for President, although they were advised by one of their Committee Members, Mr. Elmo Aderholt, (and the rule was read from the constitution - By-Laws).
2. Article V - Section 11
 - (a) President Eleanor Walker violated the above article by allowing 115 new applications or renewals to be considered eligible, along with any others turned in



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