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"THE TRUTH SHALL SET YOU FREE"

NEVADA STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION WILL NOT INTERVENE DESPITE INDICTMENT - TYSON AND HOLYFIELD WILL FIGHT AS PLANNED

The Nevada State Athletic Commission announced Wednesday that they have no plans to stop the upcoming Evander Holyfield - Mike Tyson Heavyweight Championship fight, despite Tyson's recent indictment on rape charges.

After hiding out at the Las Vegas County Club home of promoter/manager Don King, "Iron Mike" left Las Vegas for Indianapolis where he turned himself into authorities Wednesday morning.

Tyson was booked and fingerprinted before pleading not guilty to one count of rape, two counts of criminal deviate conduct and one count of confinement. He also posted \$30,000

bail before his release, after which, he returned to Las Vegas to resume training.

A Marion County grand jury indicted Tyson on the charge he raped an 18-year-old Miss Black America Pageant contestant on the weekend of the Indianapolis Black Expos in August.

However, despite the indictment, the scheduled November 8th bout against Heavyweight Champ Evander Holyfield at Caesars Palace will come off as planned according to all parties involved.

The Nevada Athletic Commission decided not to call a meeting to discuss a possible postponement of the fight, even though there is a commission (See Indictment, Page 18)



Mike Tyson shown being escorted by Indianapolis police officers.

NAACP Tri-State Conference a Great Success!

On Friday and Saturday Sept. 6&7 1991, the Las Vegas Branch NAACP served as host to the NAACP Tri-State Conference which consists of Idaho, Utah and Nevada.

The scene of the conference was the Howard Johnson Plaza Suite Hotel located at 4255 Paradise Rd. in Las Vegas. It began Friday at 6:00 p.m. when all of the delegates were treated to a reception which included food and entertainment.

This three state conference is a portion of the West Coast Region I comprising nine Western States including Alaska, Hawaii, and Tokyo, Japan.

Region I of the NAACP has the lowest number of memberships of any of the other six regions in the United States.

The agenda items for this conference were: Education, conducted by Dr. Bernard Hamilton, a member of the Executive Committee and Principal of Robert Lunt Elementary School; Affirmative Action, conducted by Mrs. Claudette Enus, Labor Relations Manager of Reeco; Health



Minister Jesse D. Scott was elected the NAACP Tri-State Conference (Idaho, Utah, Nevada) for the next two years.

Coordinator Dr. Larry Edwards did not show. Hate crimes was headed by Metro officer Roderick Jett.

The conference ended with a banquet Saturday night where Senator Joe Neal was the Principal Speaker, with everyone recognizing that the most important task before us is to increase NAACP membership in Las Vegas branch.

Jean Childs of EOB Honored



Jean S. Childs, of Clark County Economic Opportunity Board, accepts her Head Start-Johnson & Johnson Management Fellows Program certificate from advisory board members during the first annual program held at the John E. Anderson Graduate School of Management at the University of California - Los Angeles. Pictured from left are: Wendy Logan, vice president, Johnson & Johnson Hospital Services; Alfred Osborne, director, UCLA Entrepreneurial Studies Center; Childs; Victor Tabbush, associate dean & director of Executive Education at UCLA; and Marlys Gustafson, director, program support division, Head Start Bureau.

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