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S-PICAYUNE, NEW ORLEANS, LA., THURSDAY MORNING, JANUARY 5, 1967

ATHLETICS CASE HEARING OPENS

State Funds Involved, Attorney Claims

An attorney representing plaintiffs who seek to desegre-gate the Louisiana High School Athletic Association placed a series of witnesses on the stand

One of the principal witnesses









plaintitifs or defendants in the case.

He also claimed that the case is not one involving the constitutional rights of individuals since schools rather than individuals are members.

At this point Nelson agreed to amend his complaint to make Father Grant a plaintiff.

In his argument in defense of the suit Nelson claimed that the action attacks "a system we allege discriminates against the students . . . a system that discriminates against them only because they attend Negroschools."

One of the principal witnesses

cation.
In support of the motion Mc
Ferrin argued that since schools are represented on the LHISAA has a state board handbook for high school principals suggests that interscholastic athletics be a phase of public education, but their principals, the principal should be made either half should be made either although their boards have nationally divorced the case.

He also claimed that the case is not one involving the case.



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PRINCIPAL URGES TIE WITH LHSAA

Testimony Ends in De segregation Case

Testimony was concluded Friday in the case in which St. Augustine High School and others seek to desegregate the Louisiana High School Athletic Association

Federal District Judge Fred erick J. R. Heebe set oral arguments in the case for March 6 after which he will take the matter under advisement.

Last witness called by plain-Last winess called by plain-tiffs attorney John P. Nelson Jr., was the Rev. Robert Grant, SSJ, principal of St. Augusthe, who said that he felt the school would have a better chance to get white students if it were a member of the LHSAA.

He testified that the all-Negro school has a total of 750 students but has never had a white student apply for admis-sion. The priest said that race is never a consideration for ad-mission. "We are glad to ac-cept any boy who meets the standards," he added.

imission. "We are glad to accept any boy who meets the standards," he added.

HIGH STANDING TOLD Describing the high scholastic standing of St. Augustine. Father Grant said that between 75 and 80 per cent of its graduates go on to college and the school probably sends more Negro boys to Ivy League colleges inhan any other Negro school in the South.

Father Grant testified that his school had the first Presidential Scholar from the state and has school probably sends more Negro boys to Ivy League colleges than any other Negro school in the South.

Father Grant testified that his school had the first Presidential Scholar from the state and has school had the first Presidential Scholarship finalists in the past wor or three National Merit Scholarship finalists in the past wor three years.

The witness said that there were members of the LHSAA that he said, "If we were members of the LHSAA that he said," If we were members of the LHSAA, in hop paid officers or staff where as the white association, its Negro counterpart.

He said that in the past four years St. Augustine has had team late year, and were wine the and said year, and were wine the principal and track competitions. The principal said St. Augustine has a load to the white association in the South.

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LIONEL ADAMS, president of neral Savings & Loan Association teur hwy., opens the door of the at dedication exercises. From le eral manager; Harold Cook, exe Orleans East, and Adams.

form to all of the rules and regulations of the LHSAA.

CHAMPIONSHIP TEAMS

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THE TIMES-PICAYUNE, NEW ORLEANS, LA., SUNDAY MORNING, JAN

Alfred Reese Named MVP at **Purple Knights Grid Dinner**

the value of making personal sacrifice for the good of the team "for the team is more important than the individ-

ual."

He stressed the awareness of the value to accept discipline and he considered the greatest value of all the desire to excell. He urged the young champions to do their best at all times.

Coach-Eddie Flint the Purple.

times.
Coach Eddie Flint, the Purple
Knights' head gridiron coach,
was cited for his record since
becoming head coach in 1962.
Flint's record reads: 1962-63,
4-3-2; 1963-64, 10-2-1; 1964-65,
9-1-1; 1965-66, 12-0-0, and 1966-67. 9-1-1; 1965-65, 12-0-0, and 1966-67, 14-0-0. In five seasons, Coach Flint's record is 49-6-4, and the Purple Knights were LIALO-ic- Triple A champions in 1963, ne 1965 and 1966.

ne 1965 and 1966.

ag "Most Valuable Player" award,
and while Latherin Thomas, the
ms Purple Knights "bread 'n butthe ter" man, was voted the outstanding back, and Ronald Joseph, the outstanding lineman
of the year.

The coaches' award went to







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Xavier Prep in 71-69 Victory The Xavier Prep Yellow Jackets, led by Robert Bissant and Millon Miller, edged the Cohen Hornets, 71-89, in a closely flough District three LIALO basketball contest Theselay afterions in the Hornet's gym. Bissant's goal in the final seconds of the game gave the Jacket's their margin of victory over Cohen. Bissant poured in a game-high 39 points. Robert Russell and Samuel Lawless scored 15 and 12 points, respectively, for Cohen. Co

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Purple Knights Play in Washington Tourney

Roneagles, Lions Tangle
Here Today

By MARCUS NEUSTADTER
The pace has accelerated in Thriple-A LIALO Districts III on district play in quest of district the Cohen gym. Coach Theodore shonors and eyeing the state shore and eyeing the shore and eyeing the state shore and eyeing the state shore and eyeing the state shore and eyeing the coherence and eyeing the characteristic shore and eyeing the characteristic shore and eyeing the cha

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Xavier to Engage McKinley Today

Tip Off Time Is Slated for 2 p. m.

By MARCUS NEUSTADTER
The Xavier Yellow Jackets
will launch this week's LIALO
12-game slate Sunday when the
preppers play host here to the
McKinley Panthers of Baton Rouge.

Rouge.

The Xavier-McKinley tilt is set for 2 p. m. in the Xavier University gymnasium, which is expected to see college basketball resumed again by a recent announcement made by the University officials.

The action picks up Mondow

versity officials.

The action picks up Monday when Coach Theodore "Abie" Washington's Lions invade Carver in a 7 p. m. tilt in the Rams' gym. Washington will represent the LIALO District III and Carver District V.

and Carver District V.

Three games are set for Tuesday. Lincoln of Marrero will pay a visit to Cohen, 7 p. m., and the Xavier Yellow Jackets will host Violet at 4 p. m., in the Xavier University gym. St. Augustine and Landry, according to the Bucs' coach Victor Vavasseur, are slated for a 7 p. m. game.

Wednesday's action will be limited to a District V contest when Clark and Carver mix it up in the Bulldogs' new gyme, nassium.

d. Five games are set for Frito day. Xavier and McDonogh,
y 35's Roneagles will meet at 4
np. m., in a District III contest
lin the Xavier University gym.
At 7 p. m. Landry wil be at
ad Martyn and Clark at 5t. Auhe gustine (Corpus Christi gym) in
20 District V tilis, Cohen at Washtington in a District III game,
and Lincoln will journey to
d Houma to engage Southdown
n in a non-conference game.



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Xavier Trips Violet, 84 to 67 By MARCUS NEUSTADTER

By MARCUS NEUSTADTER.
Coach Rudy St. Amand's charges made a clean sweep of it Tuesday, as the Xavier Yel-low Jackets turned back the Violet Bulldogs, 84-87, after the J.V.'s had chalked up a 68-37 win in the preliminary game in the Xavier University gym.

the Xavier University gym.

Milton Miller, Robert Bissant 5 and Henry Howard paced the Yellow Jackets to victory, although the visitors' Henry Reed claimed high scoring honors with 34 points. Charles Brown had 20 for Violet.

Miller dumped in 11 field goals for 22 points. Bissant had 18 and Howard 13 points for Xavier.

The Yellow Jackets will host the McDonogh Roneagles Friday, 4 p. m., in the Xavier University gym in a LIALO bistrict III tilt.

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St. Augustine in Win, 66-64

Calvin Johnson pushed through two field goals and hit for two charity tosses in overtime as the St. Augustine Purple Knights defeated the Landry Buccaneers 66-64 in a feature District Five LIALO basetball contest Tuesday night in the Buc's gym.

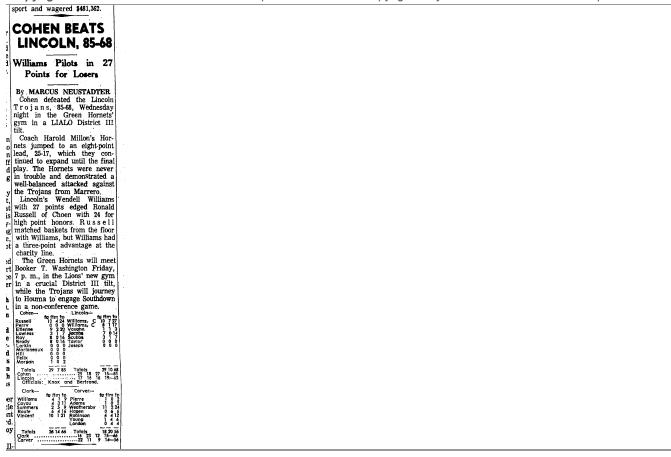
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XAVIER BEATS M'DONOGH 35 By MARCUS NEUSTADTER The Xavier Yellow Jackets tumed Joak McDonogh S Nonversity gym to maintain leadership in their quest for the LIALO District III crown. Millow Miller Sugned in 19 in the first half Robert Bissant and Henry Howard both if or 20 points. In Reneagles hald Bissant to Cach Rindy St. Annauft. YelTow Jackets who life and the Secretary From the flow was 3.5 per cent. Errest Celestine with 13 and Errest Lancer, with 12 were from the flow was 3.5 per cent. Errest Celestine with 13 and Errest Lancer, with 12 were Romagies. Notice of the Secretary Notice of the Secretary

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Knights Toy with Xavier

Johnson Paves Way to 104-69 Win

By MARCUS NEUSTADTER
Sparked by Calvin Johnson,
St. Augustine's Purple Knights
toyed with Xavier and turned
back the Yellow Jackets, 104-69,
Sunday in the Cor Jesu gym.

Johnson, who is terminating his prep career this season, thrilled the spectators with his superb floor action and scoring shots from all angles and distances. Johnson, with 28 points, claimed high point honors. Harold Sylvester had 18 for the Knights and Calvin Adams 21.

The game Yellow Jackets made it a close contest in the first quarter, which closed with Xavier trailing by three points, but Coach George "Nick" Connor's youngsters had extended their advantage over their crosstown rivals, 49-34, at intermission. With 3:39 remaining in the fourth quarter, St. Augustine was well out of reach of Xavier, 99-66, as the cry from the crowd continued to ask for "give us 100." The Knights did with four to spare.

Militon Miller and Robert Bissant contributed 24 and 23 points, respectively, to the Yellow Jackets' cause, but could not get the assist necessary from their fellow teammates.

not get the assist necessary from their fellow teammates.

St. Augustine's win over Xavier brought the Purple Knights' standing for the season, 21-3. The Yellow Jackets are now 12-9. Xavier is in the number one position now in the LIALO District III race, and structure the Purple Knights, as defending LIALO state champions, are enjoying the scenery, too, from the top position on the LIALO District V pole.

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Knights Toy with Xavier Johnson Paves Way to 104-69 Win By MARCUS NEUSTADTER

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Tallied 28 Points for Purple Knights

By MARCUS NEUSTADTER
Xavier's Yellow Jackets were
victims of St. Augustine's Puropie Knights, 104-69, Sunday at
lithe Cor Jestu gym, to launch
plite LIALO slate of games for
the week.
Colvin Johanne and Harold

the week.

Calvin Johnson and Harold
Sylvester continued to spark the
Knights. Johnson, in recognition
of his performance, has been
chosen as our LIALO Prep Player of the week, Against the Yellow Jackets, Johnson registered
23 points, performed well on the
boards, and constantly kept the
press on Xavier. Johnson is a
senior.

Robert Bissant of the Yellow

senior.

Robert Bissant of the Yellow Jackets, in spite of a losing Xavier effort, was impressive, and receives our "Sportsmanship Award of the Week."

After an off day Monday,



CALVIN JOHNSON . . . Knight netter

Tuesday's action will resume in District, III and V. Washing-fon's Lions will host the Lincoln Trojans at 4 p. m., and McDonough Roneagles will be at Cohen, 3:30 p. m., in two District III tilts. At 7 p. m., in District V action, St. Augustine and Carver at Corpus Christi gym, and Clark will be at Landry.

Coach Joseph Allen's Indians will journey to Houma Tuesday where Martyn will meet Southdown, 7 p. m., in a non-district game.

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Knights Will **Battle Indians**

By MARCUS NEUSTADTER

St. Augustine's Purple Knights seem to be coasting into another LIALO District V championship and the Xavier Yellow
Jackets at their present pace
will claim the District III
trown.
Coach George "Nick" Con-

a, nor's success pattern is developed around a trio composed of Harold Sylvester, Calvin Johnson and Frank Adams. Adams has been playing in the shadows of both Sylvester and Johnson and as such has been a somewhat unsung hero on the Purple Knights' quintet. Adams d is a strong youngster. He extends himself when in action and scores constantly in double figures.

When the Knights meet Marnor's success pattern is devel-

s and scores constantly in double figures.

When the Knights meet Marby tyn, Friday, 7 p. m., in the Inofidians' hunting grounds, Adams
is, is slated to see considerable
daction, as will Johnson and Sylvester. Coach Joseph T. Allen
pit Bates, Larry Brown, Lawrence
el James, Alfred Leblanc and
Gerald Phillips.
The Coach Victor Vavasseur's Landry Buccaneers and the Carver
Rams will meet at 7 p. m. at
y Carver. J. S. Clark and McKinr- ley of Baton Rouge, will clash
f p. m. in the Bulldogs' gym in
a non-district tilt.
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k Knights, Rams

Knights, Rams Clash Tonight
Three games are slated Tuesday in LIALO district play in the greater New Orleans Area. In District V action, the St. Augustine Purple Knights will be at Landry at 7 p. m., and the Carver Rams will be at Lincoln in Marrero. Tip off is 7 p. m.

A single game is scheduled in District III. Xavier Yellow Jackets will be at Booker T. Washington at 4 p. m., in a crucial tilt.

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Bulldogs Down Martyn, 82-62

The Clark Bulldogs posted an 82-62 victory over the Martyn Indians here Monday night in a District 5 LIALO conference contest.

Gabriel Lafayette was the top
point maker for the winners

1- TOTALS 37 8 82 TOTALS 26 10 62 Score 57 quarters: 16 24 17 25-82 6; Officials: Prevost & Robinson.