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of dissident Democrats who supported the 1968 Presidential candidacies of the late Robert F. Kennedy and U. S. Senator Eugene McCarthy.

For example, Mary Ann McClure, Memphis State student and active SDS member, was elected as provisional Secretary; James E. Gaylord of SDS was named provisional Chairman of Issues Committee; Roy Lee Turks of Invaders was named as Chairman of Candidates Committee; and Clark Webb, SDS member of Southwestern College, as Chairman of Membership Committee.

XIII. ADULT SUPPORT OF INVADERS

As recently as February 20, 1969, Sources One, Two, and Three advised that in addition to other manifestations of Negro adult support of Invaders set out elsewhere in this communication, Negro political leaders, such as O. W. Pickett, Realtor, and Cornelia Crenshaw, former Memphis Housing Authority employee, give a lot of personal guidance and small financial contributions to Invaders.

Source One said that in fairness, Allen Black, Director of NAACP Legal Defense Fund, with offices at 222 Danny Thomas Boulevard, spends much time counseling Invaders, attempting to get them to go straight, get jobs, and stay out of trouble.

Source One said the Invaders distrust H. Ralph Jackson and Reverend James M. Lawson, Jr. They are afraid Jackson might be a police informant and suspect Lawson is withholding financial contributions from them which may have been made by outside groups through Lawson. The NAACP does not support the Invaders.

Source One added that Randolph Fleming, III, a white male, a professor of Sociology, Southwestern College, and an SDS member, gives the Invaders a lot of free counsel and advice. He is sympathetic and is particularly close to Lance Watson and Melvin Smith. It was Fleming who has taken Invaders to give several talks at Southwestern College.