## Notes on People

## Negro College Fund President

The new president of the United Negro College Fund is Dr. Milton K. Curry Jr., 55 years old, president for the last 23 years of Bishop College in Dallas and a graduate of Morehouse College in Atlanta. Dr. Curry, elected at a board meeting at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, succeeds Dr. Herman H. Long, president of Talladega College in Alabama. Morris B. Abram, New York lawyer and former president of Brandeis University, was re-elected chairman.

A White House spokesman said yesterday that Gen. Alexander M. Haig Jr. flew to California last Friday on a military plane to address an unspecified "military group" and not just to visit former President Richard M. Nixon.

Ron Nessen, the press secretary, said that General Haig, former chief of the Nixon White House staff, had been in Ottawa as military commander of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. His flight from there to Los Angeles was also "official business," Mr. Nessen said. He said he did not know whether President Ford knew in advance about General Haig's reported visit with Mr. Nixon at San Clemente. The general saw President Ford yesterday. Asked if the President might also meet Mr. Nixon if the Fords spend their Easter vacation in California, Mr. Nessen said, "I know of no plans."

If Willy Brandt quotes his political opponent, Franz Josef

Strauss, again as having said West Germany is a pig sty, he will incur a \$213,000 fine or six months in jail, a Bonn magistrate ruled yesterday. The court said that Mr. Strauss, Bavarian aspirant to the Chancellorship formerly held by Mr. Brandt, had only compared West Germany to a pig sty—not the same thing as saying it was one. Spokesmen for Mr. Brandt's Social Democratic party demanded a review to allow testimony by linguistic experts.

Chen Yung-kuei, who became a Vice Premier of China in January, left Peking yesterday for a week-long official visit to Mexico. He is the first high-ranking Chinese official to visit Latin American since the Cultural Revolution of the late nineteen-sixties. President Luis Echeverria of Mexico visited China in 1973.

When the Yale Law School celebrates its 150th year on April 25, President Ford, class of '41, will deliver an address on international law at a Commons dinner. He will also help mark the retirement of Myres S. McDougal, 69, one of his few professors still at the school. "He got very good grades in taxation and an A-plus in legal ethics," Professor McDougal recalls.

A Federal judge in Mississippi set June 9 as the date Mayor Charles Evers of Fayette and his former wife, Nan, will go on trial in Jack-

son on charges of evading Federal income taxes. Both have pleaded not guilty to various counts of underpaying by some \$50,000 between 1968 and 1970. Mayor Evers has said the charges stemmed from "harassment and intimidation" prompted by his civil-rights activism following the fatal 1963 shooting of his brother, Medgar.

A prize-winning Soviet film cameraman, Mikhail Suslov, and five members of his family left Moscow for the United States yesterday, and Alexander Goldfarb, the geneticist and Jewish dissident, said he had been told to pick up his exit visa for Israel. Mr. Suslov had staged two hunger strikes during his two-year wait. Mr. Goldfarb was dismissed from his job at the Kurchatov Institute of Atomic Energy after he applied to emigrate.

Senator Lloyd M. Bentsen of Texas sent out a mailing Wednesday requesting money for his campaign for the 1976 Democratic nomination for President. Unfortunately, the return envelopes are addressed to Representative Morris K. Udall of Arizona, another announced candidate for the same post, and carry a note that Mr. Udall will pay return postage. "Senator Bentsen apparently used the same Baltimore printer that we did for our mailing campaign," said an aide to Representative Udall, "That's the only explanation possible."