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Gregory's Handbills Confiscated





Obverse and reverse of Dick Gregory's campaign handbill

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23 (UPI)—Dick Gregory, the Negro comedian running for President, ran afoul of the Treasury Department today because his campaign handbills look too much like dollar bills.

Spokesmen for the Secret Service confirmed that quantities of his campaign literature had been confiscated in Nashville, Tenn., and New York City. Complaints had been received that some of the money-sized handbills were showing up in automatic money-changing machines.

"There's no question in my mind that it has been seized because it is definitely dangerous to the machine," said Mr. Gregory who is running on the ticket of the Peace and Freedom Party. He indicated he was talking about a political machine.

Mr. Gregory said his aides in Nashville would file suit in Federal court to block the election on the ground that his right to distribute campaign literature had been infringed.

The handbills, which are the shape and color of dollar bills, have a peace dove instead of the American eagle, as well as the picture of Mr. Gregory in the place of George Washington.