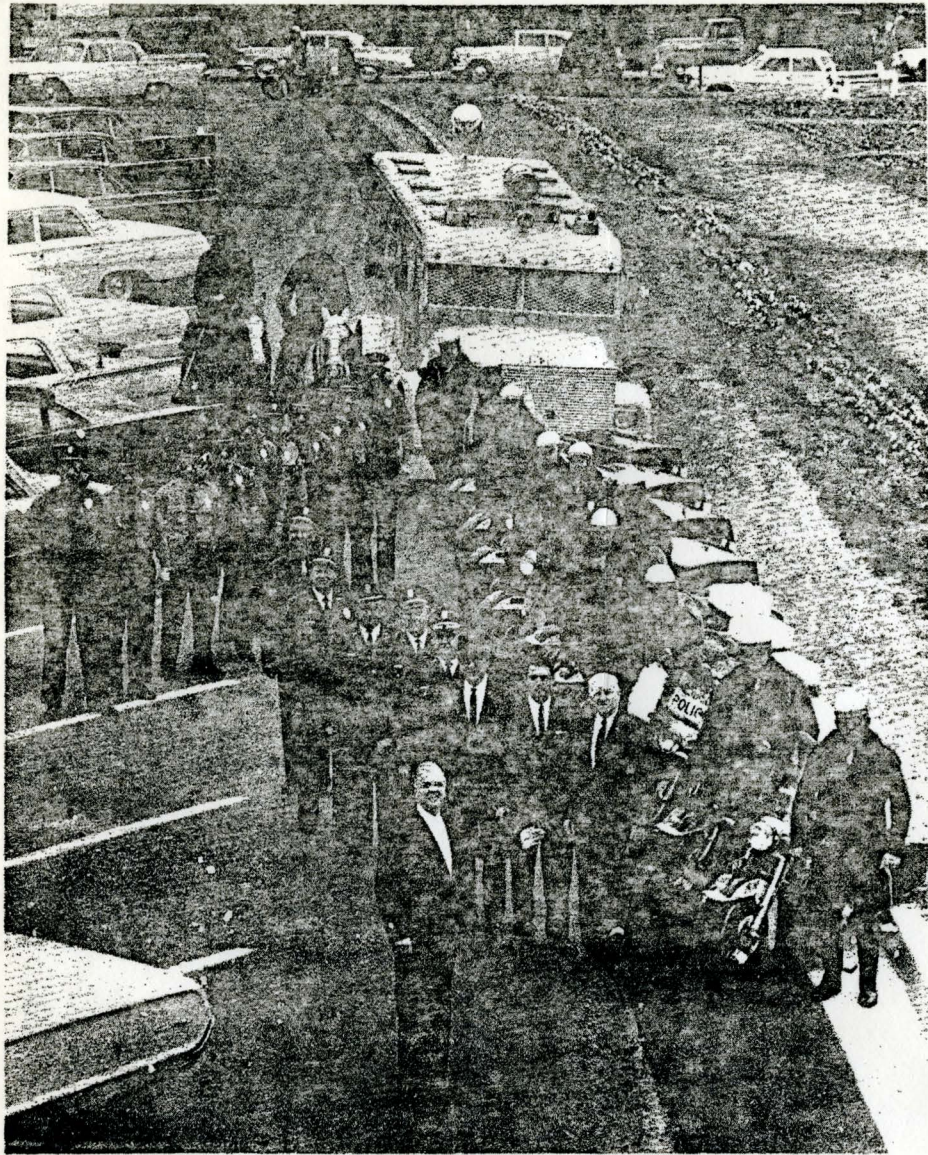


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"We've got a larger than usual police force," Mayor Allen Thompson of Jackson explains. "It's twice as big as any city our size." The force was built up to control voter registration and other civil rights workers. "We're going to be ready for them," he explains. "They won't have a chance."

"All political power is vested in, and derived from, the people; all government of right originates with the people, is founded upon their will only, and is instituted solely for the good of the whole."

Article 3, Bill of Rights, Section 5 Mississippi Constitution, Adopted 1890

"Federal District Judge Harold Cox is expected to rule . . . on a Justice Department suit to speed up the processing of Negro voter applicants at Canton (Mississippi) . . . At yesterday's hearing Judge Cox, the first judge appointed by President Kennedy under the 1961 expansion of the Federal Judiciary, repeatedly referred to Negro applicants as a 'bunch of niggers'."

New York Times, March 9, 1964

"I assert that the Negro race is an inferior race. The doctrine of white supremacy is one which, if adhered to, will save America."

United States Senator James O. Eastland (from Ruleville, Mississippi) June 29, 1945 in the United States Senate during debate on proposed FEPC law. Text in the Congressional Record.

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