

Sen. Griffin Speaker For NMU Graduation

U.S. Sen. Robert P. Griffin (R-Mich.) will be the commencement speaker at Northern Michigan University's graduation ceremonies Sunday, May 31.

In addition to giving the commencement address, Griffin will receive an honorary degree as doctor of education from the university's board of control and faculty.

First elected to Congress in 1956 at age 32, Griffin was completing 10 years in the House of Representatives when he was appointed to the Senate in May

1966 by then Gov. George Romney, to fill a vacancy created by the death of Sen. Patrick V. McNamara.

Won By Large Vote

Six months later, Griffin was elected to the Senate for a full six-year term by the largest plurality (nearly 300,000 votes) given a Republican Senatorial candidate in Michigan since the election of Arthur Vandenberg in 1946.

While still in his first term as a senator, Griffin was elected assistant minority leader ("the whip") by his Republican colleagues. He is the first Michigan senator in either party to be elevated to such a leadership position.

Achievements Cited

Among his many achievements in Congress has been:

- His leadership in moving the Senate to reassert its advise and consent power, particularly with respect to presidential appointments to the Supreme Court.
- His work as co-author of the 1959 Landrum-Griffin Act



ROBERT GRIFFIN

one of the Ten Outstanding Young Men in America by the U.S. Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Born in Detroit on Nov. 6, 1923, Griffin attended public schools in Garden City and Dearborn, graduating from Fordson High.

A graduate of Central Michigan University and the University of Michigan Law School, Griffin and his wife, Marjorie, and their four children have family homes in Traverse City and Bethesda, Md.

Honorary Degrees

He has received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Central and Eastern Michigan University, the honorary degree of Doctor of Humanities from Hillsdale College, and the honorary degree of Doctor of Civil

NMU Prexy To Meet With State Civil Rights Official

Northern Michigan University's president has agreed to meet with a member of the Michigan Civil Rights Commission here next Wednesday morning and discuss alleged racial unrest on the campus.

Dr. John X. Jamrich, who addressed a commencement in Grand Rapids Friday night, was en route home and was not available for comment, and his office and aides were unaware of the meeting.

Mayor To Attend

However, the Associated Press in Detroit said Tom Poleso, acting director of the commission had talked to Jamrich Friday and agreed to the meeting. Jamrich had been requested to meet Monday, but was unable to arrange his schedule for the session until Wednesday, the AP said.

George Golen Jr. of Detroit will be the commission representative coming here for the session. Also in at-

tendance will be Mayor Lloyd H. Price and William Bledsoe, Lansing, an assistant attorney general, it was reported.

The commission had sent Jamrich a telegram saying: "On behalf of the Michigan Civil Rights Commission, we express our deep concern for questions being raised by black students as they relate to their safety on the NMU campus."

Earlier in the day, Jamrich had wired Gov. William Milliken to say that proposed investigation of black student unrest would be "most detrimental to a fine state university." "As of this date," Jamrich said, "everything continues to be calm and normal with business as usual."

Several Negro students have expressed fear for their lives because of guns being kept on the NMU campus by white students.

Some students traditionally kept rifles and shotguns on the campus on their way to or returning from hunting trips.

St. Peter's HSC To Hold Year's Final Gathering

Scholarship

supported institution. What we are doing is making it financially possible for an unruly student to be on campus and damage and destroy the property we taxpayers must repair or replace."

Jacobetti said he feels he has the support of the great majority of those in the 108th District in his demands that scholarships be cut off for students involved in campus disorders:

"The people who have talked to me and written to me say they are sick and tired of these violent student disorders," he said.

Proposal's Provisions

"They want our educational institutions to remain seats of learning and not become centers of violent revolutionary movements. It is even more disturbing when we realize that there are those involved in this violence who are in college because of tax-supported state scholarships."

Under provisions of the proposal, state scholarship assistance would be terminated for any student convicted in court of violation of disorderly conduct statutes, violence to a person or to property while participating in any disorder, disrupting college or university classes or services or breaking rules and regulations of the institution while participating in a disorder.

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