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Wilmette, III.. Clark Eichelberger, chairman, Commission to Study the Organization of Peace, and Dorothy I. Height, president, National Council of Negro Women will be the main speakers at the National Conference on Human Rights banquet Friday, Sept. 13, at the Crystal Ballroom, Sheraton, Blackstone Hotel.

The National Conference



DOROTHY I. HEIGHT

opens at 10:15 a.m. Sept. 13 at the YMCA Hotel, 826 S. Wabash, and continues through noon Sunday, Sept. 15.

The conference is organized and sponsored by the North American Baha'i Office for Human Rights (NABOHR) which is located at the National Baha'i Center in Wilmette.

Theme of the conference is:
"Human Rights are God-Given Rights." The conference will consider human rights in connection with the American-Indian, the Spanish-American, employment, education, housing, white racism, and poverty.

Eichelberger will discuss world progress in human rights in a talk titled, "To secure These Rights." Miss Height will speak on "Human Rights Across the U.S.A."

Carrie Taylor, dramatic soprano from Milwaukee, will present five musical selections during the banquet. Miss Taylor, winner of the 1966 Milwaukee Civic Music Association prize, has been widely acclaimed for her remarkable power and range.

Dr. Daniel C. Jordan, proessor of education, University of Massachusetts, will be naster of ceremonies. He was ormerly director of the Instiute for Research iin Human Belavior at Indiana State Uniersity and is presently a consultant to the office of Eco-

nomic Opportunity. He is coauthor of the publication What Is Race? And vice-chairman of the U.S. National Baha'i Assembly.

Eichelberger has served as consultant to the League of Nations Secreteriat, U.S. Department of State, and to the U.S. Delegation to the 1945 San Francisco Conference to organize the United Nations. He attended Northwestern University and the University of Chicago. He is the author of several books and numerous articles on the United Nation.

Miss Height is director of the Office of Racial Integration for the Young Women's Christian Association of the U.S.A. She has been a member of the New York State Board of Social Welfare since 1958 and is a member of the President's Advisory Council on the Status of Women.

She served on the Council to the White House Conference" To Fulfill These Rights" in 1966. For her active leadership in the civil rights movement she was awarded the Myrtle Wreath of achievement by Haddash in 1964.

In 1965, with Vice-President Hubert H. Humphrey, she received the John F. Kennedy Memorial award of the National Council of Jewish from New York University.