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GREGORY H. SWANSON PAPERS

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Biographical Data

	1924 May 1	Born to Pearl Ann Adams and Benjamin James Swanson, in Danville, Virginia.					
	1941	Graduated from John M. Langston High School, Danville, Va.					
	1945	Received A. B. degree from Howard					
University,		majoring in Political Science.					
	1948	Received L.L.B. degree from the Howard University School of Law.					
	1948-49	Worked with the law firm of Hill, Martin and Robinson, Richmond, Va.					
	1949 Nov.	Applied for admission to the University of Virginia Law School.					
	1950	January through July, was associated					
with		Jerry L. Williams, Esq., Danville,					
Va.		Instituted suit against the					
University	of	Virginia to gain admission to its Law School.					
		Entered the University of Virginia Law					
School		pursuant to the ruling of the Federal the first Negro student at the					
Court, University							
	of	Virginia.					
	1951	Received a Master of Laws, University of Virginia Law School.					

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