Misses Minnie Mae And Inez Rowe To Attend Miami NEA Convention

Two Lafayette teachers have been selected as delegates to represent the Louisiana Education Association Association at the 91st annual meeting of the National Education Association scheduled to be held in Miami Beach, June 23-July 3.

The two are Miss Minnie Mae Rowe, who will be a delegate from the Louisiana Classroom Teachers division of the LEA, and Miss Inez Rowe who is the delegate from the Lafayette Parish Unit of the LEA. The NEA is the professional association for teachers.

Approximately 3,500 delegates, officially representing state and local associations, will be among those attending one of the nation's largest educational conventions. The delegates will represent every state as well as the District of Columbia and the territories of Alaska, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico.

The delegates will also attend the 32nd delegate assembly—held in conjunction with the annual NEA meeting.

A series of panels, in which 15 people participate, will consider the following topics: what does freedom to learn imply; how to deal with textbook and curriculum criticism; what are the forces affecting education today; investigations of education; and loyalty legislation.

Theme of the convention of the teachers will be: We pledge allegiance to the welfare of the nation's children, to the ideals of human brotherhood, and to our country and a world of peace.

Founded in 1857, the National Education Association now has more than one-half million members.