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stance on race issues and their ambitions for him, he has started on a

separate ideological path by the time he enters Columbia College. Once he embarks on a long-term interracial relationship,