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Juneteenth Plans Finalized

The Emancipation Celebration Committee met last Thursday night at Mae Simmons Community Center to finalize plans for the Juneteenth Celebration.

Festivities will officially get underway with a reception at Mae Simmons Community Center at on June 18th, from 7:30 p. m. to 9:00 p. m.

Among other activities will be parade Saturday morning, June 19th. The parade route will begin at 6th Street and Avenue O, then turn on Broadway Avenue and precede to Mae Simmons Park.

Organizers for the parade are asking Diner and Estacado band students to participate and help make this a big event.

Once at Mae Simmons, spectators will find booths that will have exhibits on display and some will have food and cold drinks.

For those wishing to sell items, there will be 15 booths available at \$30 per booth.

There will also be entertainment for young and old alike. Local bands will perform from 12:30 p. m. until. Among the groups scheduled to appear are the 15th Street Players and Reflections.

Juneteenth festivities will conclude on Sunday, June 20, with a religious program.



Northwest Head Start -- It's graduation time for students at the Northwest Head Start program. The ceremony took place at Alderson Junior High School. Teachers of several Head Start programs were there to present their students with certificates.

(Photo by Ulok Etukudo)

NAACP Holds State Meet

by Denise Kinner

The State Executive Board of the NAACP met last Saturday at the LOIC building, 1701 Parkway Drive.

Eleven branches from across the state were represented at the meeting. Among the NAACP branches represented were: Belton County, Coleman County, San Antonio, Houston, Merlin-Park County, Hearn, Amarillo, Austin, Cameron, Lubbock, Kilean, and Temple.

Rev. A. C. Sutton, state president of the NAACP Conference of Branches, urged those present to "wake up and look around at what's happening to minorities."

Sutton pointed to the recent case in which police officers were found innocent in the drowning deaths of three young black males at the Juneteenth Celebration in Mexico, Texas.

Sutton is asking that other civil rights organizations to join the NAACP's effort to encourage Governor Bill Clements, Senators Bentson and Tower to request the Justice Department probe into the deaths.

In other action, the state board unanimously approved a resolution to support legislation to support an amendment to the Texas Constitution, being offered to the voters in the November election, to remove the Constitutional ceiling of \$85 per month for a mother and child receiving Aid for Families with Dependent Children (AFDC).

The amendment would permit the legislature to set the rate.

The total of 9.8 million blacks were registered in 1980 and 84 percent of them, 8.3 million, reported voting compared with 89 percent of registered whites and 82 percent of registered Hispanics.

Black voter turnout in the North and West was 52.8 percent in 1980 while it was 48.2 percent in the South.

For blacks, as among other races, the turnout rate was higher among white-collar workers (64 percent) than blue-collar workers (47 percent), and higher among college graduates (76 percent) than high school graduates (50 percent).

Black homeowners voted at a greater rate (80 percent) than renters (44 percent).

One-third of all voters in November 1980 lived in families with incomes of \$25,000 or more. In contrast only 1 out of every 7 black voters was a member of a family whose income was at this same level.

Copies of the report, Voting and Registration in the Election of November 1980, Series P-20, No. 370, are available for \$5.50 each prepaid from the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. 20402 or from Commerce Department district offices in major U. S. cities.

TEC Youth Employment Office Opened Here

The Texas Employment Commission has opened its Youth Employment Service (Y. E. S.) Office at 1514 Avenue O, and will remain open through August. The office opened June 1st.

The Y. E. S. Office is co-sponsored by the Lubbock Board of Realtors and the Texas Employment Commission, and is open to all youth under 22 years of age. Persons not already registered, and are interested in summer jobs, are asked to come by the office and register.

Support Juneteenth Celebration June 19th!!

Emancipation Program Rehearsal

The Emancipation Juneteenth program rehearsal will be held Friday night, June 4, at 7:30 p. m., Mae Simmons Community Center.

If you have any talent, can sing, dance or do any kind of acting, you talent is urgently needed.

For more information, contact Mrs. Katie Parks, drama chairperson for the Juneteenth Committee.

Your help is needed for the program," says Mrs. Parks. "If we are going to be successful, your help is needed now," she concluded.

Senator said, are: 1. Availability and adequacy of services for victims;

2. Effectiveness of current Texas statutes;

3. Response of the Criminal Justice System -- a. Prosecution of family violence cases; b. Documentation of incidences; and c. Treatment for abusers.

The Big Spring hearing will begin at 1:00 p. m.

Big Spring Hearing

AUSTIN -- The Senate Human Resources Committee will hold the sixth in a series of statewide public hearings concerning appropriate and effective methods of responding to family violence in Texas on Tuesday, June 8, in the East Room of the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum, Howard College, 1001 Birdwell Lane, Big Spring, Texas.

The public hearings are part of a comprehensive study of spouse abuse in Texas being conducted by the Human Resources Committee. Senate Resolution 734, passed during the 67th Legislature, directed the committee to report the findings of its study to the 68th Legislature prior to when it convenes in 1983.

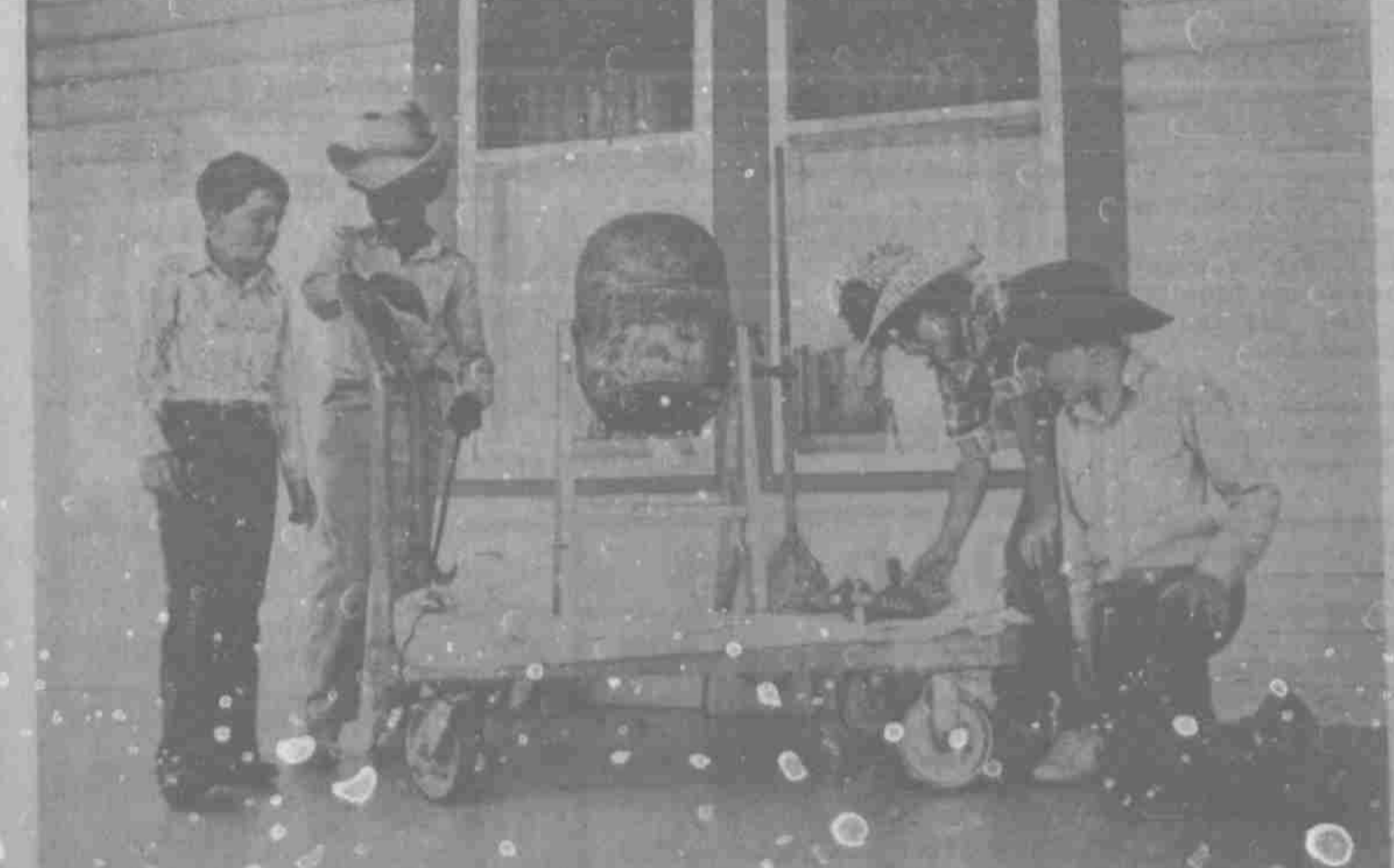
Senator Chet Brooks of Pasadena, Chairman of the Human Resources Committee, said public testimony will be invited.

Among the specific topics to be discussed at the meeting, the

Blacks Show Vote Increase

Black voters were the only major demographic group to increase their participation in the 1980 Presidential election, a survey taken by the Commerce Department's Census Bureau shows.

The percentage of voting age black Americans who reported casting ballots rose to 51 percent from 49



WHAT IS IT? -- Participants in Youth Ranch Day Saturday, May 22 at Texas Tech

University try to figure out what pions could do with such things. Among items

used for a historic artifact guessing game were a branding iron, a metal butter churn, a

washer-dasher, and a flat-iron. (TECH PHOTO)

Wheatley Special Olympics Team



Wheatley Students -- Participating in Special Olympics are: (Back row: left to right) Ronald Collins, Eric Collins, Norma Subia, Felicia Bennett, and John Burke. (Front row: left to right) Debra Mitchell, Renee Vintehos, Pat McCade, Randy Subia, and LaShone Wilson. Not shown is Mandy Shelton.

The Wheatley Special Olympics team which is made up of students from the academic adjustment classes at Wheatley Elementary School sent six representatives to Austin May 25 through 28.

Competing in the Texas Special Olympics Track and Field meet were: Ronald Collins, John Burke, Debra Mitchell, Eric Thomas, Randy Subia and Norma Subia.

Accompanying the students were Sharon Donnell and Ila Wayne Grune.

Wheatley principal, Duane Bowen, says this is the third year that the Wheatley team has gone to the state competition and that they always do well.

Malcolm and Elijah Scenes of Broadway Hit Dramatize Story

The electrifying saga surrounding the split of two of America's most powerful men, the Honorable Elijah Muhammad, founder of the Nation of Islam, and his most trusted confidant in the Muslim movement, Malcolm X, is the topic of the upcoming edition TONY BROWN'S JOURNAL, "Malcolm and Elijah."

TONY BROWN'S JOURNAL has been funded by Pepsi-Cola Company for seven consecutive years and can be seen on public television (PBS).

By showing scenes from the award-winning play -- "When The Chickens Came Home To Roost" -- together with information compiled from a 15-year investigation into Malcolm X's death, TONY BROWN'S JOURNAL, America's top-ranked Black-affairs series, recreates the battle of these two great wills. It is the story of a cherished father-son relationship that was ultimately destroyed.

The sequence of events that led to the tragic death of Malcolm X is told by one of the men responsible for his death. "Most of the Muslims at that time just actually felt that Malcolm was slandering the Honorable Elijah Muhammad, that he was defaming him, that he was lying, and this led to me really getting involved," explained the only person to confess to the murder of Malcolm X.

On the longest-running national Black-affairs series, Malcolm X's assassin tells how he and his accomplices planned

to kill Malcolm and what actually happened that day.

Tony Brown, host and executive producer of the top-ranked show of its kind, explains that many of the Muslim faithful saw a biblical parallel between Mr. Muhammad and Malcolm X and Moses and his brother Aaron. "As Aaron was provided as a spokesman for the slow talking Moses,

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Essay Winner



Terrence Patton, right, is shown receiving his prize for winning the Kappa Alpha Psi Essay Contest recently. For his efforts, he received a year's subscription to the magazine of his choice and a \$50 savings bond.

Making the presentation is Kenneth Ross, chairman of special projects for Kappa Alpha Psi, undergraduate chapter on the campus of Texas Tech University.

Social Security Tips

Your Social Security And You



by Jewel M. Love
Service Representative

On May 4, 1981, Texas Blue Shield (TBS), the Medicare carrier for Texas, began using a new computer system to process your Medicare claims. The new system was the first in the nation to process bills from hospitals, nursing homes, doctors, suppliers, and home health agencies together to create a total medical history for each beneficiary. The system has allowed TBS to reduce its Medicare staff and, therefore, its administrative costs while improving processing time. The average length of time TBS has a claim before writing a check has been reduced from three weeks to two.

As with any major change, especially one involving computers, numerous problems were encountered during the first few months after installation of the new computer system. Not only did the computer system change, but all the clerical procedures for processing claims were also modified. In fact, most clerks had to be taught how to key or type information into a computer. Another side effect of the systems change has been an increase in processing errors. One clerk described the increase in error rates as similar to what happened when she got her first electric stove. "I learned to cook with gas and I guess I just had to burn a few things before I got used to not being able to look at the flame."

Even though the error rate has declined, there are still problems with incorrect names, addresses and health insurance claim numbers. Therefore, you should be sure to file your claims with exactly the name and number shown on your Medicare card. If your doctor completes the form for you, check your records during your next visit to be sure the information he has is accurate. Using a nickname or your middle name will cause significant delays in payment.

In the past, telephone service representatives answered inquiries about claims status by looking at microfiche listings which were often not up to date. With the new system, each clerk has direct access to the computer. More current information of your claim's status will be available. Sometimes, however, the service representative will not be able to answer questions about the claim immediately because the computer system may not be working. Fortunately, this should not be much of a problem because the system is working more than 90% of the time.

However, one problem that still exists is a large backlog of correspondence. It is expected to take about six months to reduce the backlog to normal levels. Therefore, if you have a question, try calling the toll-free telephone service rather than writing a letter. The toll-free telephone service (1-800-442-2620) is available from 7:30 a. m. to 4:00 p. m. each work day. You will have better luck getting through early in the day (before 9 a. m.) or after 3 p. m. The Dallas-Fort Worth metro line (847-2282) is not as busy as the toll-free service. These numbers are shown on the statement entitled "Explanation of Medicare Benefits." Please have your health insurance claim number and claims information handy when you call.

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Post, Texas Pleasant Home Baptist Church

Mrs. Annie V. Gilbert
The services at Pleasant Home Baptist Church last Sunday were great. It all began with Sunday School at 10:10 a. m. with Supt. Sister Dona Smith at her post duty.

During the 11 a. m. services, devotion was given, devotion was led by Deacon Willie Burleson and Deacon A. C. Smith. Sister Annie V. Gilbert read Psalms 47 in its entirety. The choirs were at their post of duty. Truly, the Lord visited, and spirit was high. Our pastor, Rev. Arthur Kelly, prayed out of his heart at altar prayer.

The speaker of the hour was Rev. Kelly. His scripture was St. Luke 7:19-22. His topic was "May The Works I Done Speak For Me." A very inspirational sermon.

The Junior Matrons Home Mission program began at 3 p. m. The devotional services were led by Deacons Jim H. Oshy and Deacon Alton R. Steel. Brother Steel read Jeremiah 31:1-3. The choir sang out of their hearts. The spirit was high. Elder Lee Hall brought a very spiritual talk from Romans 13:11; St. Luke 15:11-12.

June 6th at 3 p. m., the Voices of Unity from Snyder, Texas will bring a program for the Senior Choir.

The Pleasant Home Baptist Church Revival pre-opening will be held Tuesday, June 8th. Each service will begin at 8 p. m. and will close out on Sunday, June 13th, at 3 p. m. Reverend Sister L. E. Moore of Dallas, Texas will be the conductor.

Let's remember to pray for, and visit the sick and shut-ins of our church and elsewhere. Among our sick are: Sister Jessie Persiple, resident in United Convalescent Nursing Home; Sister Sylvia Williams, resident in Twin Cedars Nursing Home; and Sister Sirloma Steel, is at home. Reverend Arthur Kelly is pastor.

Sheridan's Ride

by Jack Sheridan

You may have noticed that a film in town has an odd title. It started at Showplace 8 and then moved over to the Mann Theatres to continue its run. It is called "Victor/Victoria." It stars Julie Andrews, James Garner, Robert Preston and Alex Karras and features a solid cast of competent players. The director is the "Pink Panther" and others man, Blake Edwards.

Here is a delightful, different and laughable comedy with music with a far-out plot that is engaging and, certainly, very entertaining. It tells the story of an aspiring classical soprano who flunks and audition for a honky-tonk job and is befriended by an egging homosexual show promoter. He conceives of the idea of turning his songbird into a female impersonator. That is, she will play a he who in turn does his act as a woman sing and dance. She/he is dubbed a Polish Count and the fun begins. Enter a Chicago hood-night club owner who becomes smitten with the half-and-half performer, baffled when it turns into the Court off-stage. But then, the Count-woman star becomes smitten with the Chicagoan. From then on this farce of deception, brawls, heterosexual and homosexual innuendo living takes off on its own brand of amusing and chuckling problem and ultimate resolution.

Andrews is part and delightful in the dual role; Preston brings his "Music Man" charm expertise to the role of the "impresario." Garner is sexy and solid as the Chicagoan, while Karras is a knockout as the gay bodyguard to Garner. There is a waiter with recall sans identity who contributes mightily to the fun and the musical numbers are entertaining and equally fun. Overall Blake Edwards hand-

les his direction with his usual dominance and know-how. You'll enjoy "Victor/Victoria" very much and the film bears out the film's primary purpose as motion pictures, to entertain and amuse, which this entry certainly does. On the national pre-summer release scene, one leading blockbuster, "Annie," the film of the Broadway musical, with a big cast headed by names Albert Finney and Carol Burnett leading off, with John Huston as director, bowed at Radio City Music Hall recently. The reviews have been so-so for the \$39 million movie and the film is due out in mid-June to nationwide theatres, including the Mann Theatres in Lubbock. The story of Little Orphan Annie, the dog Sandy and Daddy Warbucks has been an American comic strip staple for 50 years, more or less and the stage musical has been running for the neighborhood if five years most successfully. The movie version now approaches the acid test at the nation's box offices. \$39 million is a lot of moola to recoup before profits.

Pampa, Texas St. Mark C. M. E. Church

The Wichita-Amarillo District Youth Conference will convene at the St. Mark C. M. E. Church, 406 Elm St., June 4 and 5th.

The officers are as follows: Rte. Rev. C. D. Coleman, Presiding Bishop; Rev. G. R. Palterson, Presiding Elder; Rev. Jonah Parker, Associate Presiding Elder; and Rev. H. R. Johnson, Host Pastor.

District officers are: Rev. R. L. Humphrey, Director of Christian Education; Mrs. Ethel Cole, Sunday School Supt.; Rev. Arthur Campbell, President; Rev. Patrick, Vice President; Phillip Braussard, C. Y. F. President; Kay Jones, Secretary; Liz Black, Assistant Secretary; Mrs. Darlene Burnett, Youth Director; Mrs. Susie Wesley, Children's Work; and Brother Carter, Director of Music.

Annual Conference officers are: Mr. John A. Jackson, Christian Education; Mrs. Claudia Davis, Youth Department. There will be several courses taught. The topics include: History of the C. M. E. Church, taught by Mr. James Jackson, Director of the Eighth Episcopal District Board of Christian Education; Satan in Profile, taught by Mrs. Ruthiea Morgan; Coping With Difficult People, The View of Christian Pastoring, taught by Rev. R. L. Humphrey and Rev. S. M. Berliner; and a charm course will highlight the teaching. There will be two sermons taught during this meeting. On Friday night, June 4th, worship hour at 12:30 p. m. with Rev. M. L. Housk; of Wichita Falls, Texas delivering the sermon. During the 12:00

Revival On Tap

Revival time will begin tonight, June 3, through Sunday, June 6, at the Greater St. Mark Baptist Church, 1210 Vanda Avenue. Each service will begin at 8 p. m. and the closing service will be

The public is invited to come out and support this young evangelist ministers of the city. Those doing the preaching will be Rev. Larry Slaughter, Rev. A. C. Douglas and Rev. Johnny Stevens. Rev. Leon Armstead is pastor. "We are going to have a great time in the Lord," said Rev. Armstead.

Gigantic Bake Sale

A gigantic Bake Sale will be held Saturday, June 5th, from 9 a. m. until everything is gone at the United Super Market on East 4th Street.

This effort is being sponsored by the St. Matthews Baptist Church Youth Department. Rev. R. S. Stanley is pastor.

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noon services on Saturday, June 5th, the Rededication Message will be delivered by Rev. R. L. Hastings. The public is invited to attend.

The members of St. Mark are preparing for their Pastor and Wife, Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Johnson's first appreciation service. It will be held June 17th through June 20th.

The Northwest Texas Annual Conference will convene at the Carter Chapel C. M. E. Church in Amarillo, Texas. Rev. R. L. Humphrey is the Host Pastor. Rev. C. D. Coleman is the Presiding Bishop.

New Hope Baptist Church

The members of the New Hope Baptist Church recently sponsored a banquet. This was done by the Youth Department. The program was great. The spirit of the people was high. The food was delicious.

The Rev. V. O. Martin is the proud of pastor of New Hope. Rev. H. R. Johnson, pastor of St. Mark C. M. E. Church was in attendance. - by Rev. H. R. Johnson

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Business Hints

By Leanna Blagrove

YOU ARE NOT THE BOSS

We have been conditioned by society to believe that when we own our business, we are the boss. We can operate in any manner we choose that is within legal means. No one can tell us what to do or how to do it. However, statisticians, your family, friends, customers, writers, teachers, and lecturers; sellers of existing businesses; and political officials are the "other bosses" because they do influence one's thinking and actions.

The "other bosses" can do much harm because they are people oriented. These are people related problems and can put much stress and strain on the nerves that will affect the personality for days that will affect the decisions of business matters.

We have also been conditioned by society to consider only groups of people in the business world. We are likewise conditioned to believe that all businesses, in order to be successful, must rank among the top 500 largest corporations. It is true that there is safety in numbers but remember battles have been

won by one when he applied the correct strategy.

The government at all levels (local, state and federal) invites everyone to come and join the business game. They do this by offering three business structures (to suit the person (s) need) with supposedly advantages and disadvantages.

The government is the money collector. He only asks that you do the following: (1) pay all tax obligations when due; (2) obey all legal rules and regulations; and (3) adhere to regulatory agencies.

The governments are not concerned with what rules and strategy you play the game, honest or dishonest; you must pay him for entering the business game. Not only must you pay him, but you must also account for your every move in the business game. Thus, this opponent is easy to deal with just as long as you pay up on time (or late along with the penalties and fines that he places upon your business) with accountable records.

Johnny Ray Watson Will Sing At New Hope

Johnny Ray Watson will appear in a musical Sunday afternoon, June 6th, at 3 p. m.

Mr. Watson is a singer-composer who, at one time, was an all-state basketball player MVP while attending McMurry College in Abilene, Texas in 1970-

71. A world traveler, he has appeared with Andre Crouch, Billy Graham in Lubbock

and has his first album out "The Straight and Narrow Path."

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Johnny Ray Watson

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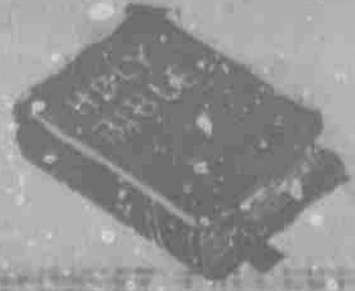
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The Sin Question

For years many people have tried to avoid the sin question, that is, if the believer, should have sin in their lives. The answer is no, for Jesus came into the world, died and rose again, ascended into heaven and sent the Holy Ghost into the world to be a leader, guide, and keeper from sin.

Before the Holy Ghost came into the world to dwell in the lives of the believers, God had said, "I will put my spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes and ye shall keep my judgements and do them." Eze. 36:27.

As you can see, man does not have the ability to live holy and to keep God's statutes, until the Holy Ghost was given to man.

Now we can live a life of righteousness, honor, and obedience to God through the Holy Ghost. "And ye know that he (Christ) was manifested to take a way our sins and in him is no sin." John 3:5.

Enjoys Singing



The King Family

Reverend K. C. King, Jr. and the King Family started working for the Lord when he was called to the ministry 12 years ago.

Rev. King is the pastor of Holy Temple COGIC in Slaton, Texas. He has been the pastor for one year, and is looking for greater accomplishments towards the church and work of the Lord.

His greatest desire is to see the word of God manifested through him that souls may be saved and sick healed.

Rev. and Mrs. King have been blessed with seven children. Two of which have graduated from high school, and three who will soon graduate. K. C. King, III is the eldest of the children and Darlene King is a student at South Plains College.

The other children are: Vicki, Stacy, Rene, Latrice and Sammuell King.

The King children have been singing for about 13 years, and hope to continue. Their highest ambition for the future one day is to record and be successful. With this accomplishment, they will reach souls throughout the land. With the help of God, they will succeed and reach their goal.

The King Family will appear in a musical at the St. Matthews Baptist Church, East 14th Street and Vanda Avenue, Sunday afternoon, June 6, beginning at 3 p.m. This effort is being sponsored by the vending committee.

For more information about the King Family, contact: Rev. K. C. King, Jr., 1735 East Cornell, Lubbock, Texas 79403. You may call (806) 747-7822.

The Outreach Prayer Breakfast

The members and friends of the Outreach Prayer Breakfast met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dalbert Hood last Saturday morning at 9 a. m. Some of those present prayed for the spirit because they came. Their prayers were truly answered in a marvelous way.

President Mary Ward presided over the meeting.

The opening of the meeting began with the reading of the 100th Psalms.

The morning scripture lesson was taught by Mrs. Annie M. Johnson. President Ward prayed God's blessing for the speaker. Her scripture was Genesis 3; Luke 4:3-8. Her subject was "Trapped."

"And when the women saw that the tree was good for food, and a tree to be desired to make one wise. She took of the fruit, thereof, and did eat, and gave to her husband with her and: he did eat."

"And the Lord called unto Adam, and said unto him, where art thou?"

This special lady demonstrated with a mouse trap and cheese. She said the mouse is not interested in the trap, but the cheese. If (cheese) looks good, it smells good, and tastes good. That's the way sin is. That's the way the devil works. He wraps something around sin to trap you. Because Adam and Eve were trapped, we are trapped in sin. Death, sickness, pain, heartaches, suffering, but aren't you glad Jesus came and rescued us by giving His life on the cross. Beware of sly people who will trap

you out of your life. Satan is after the soul of man. Remember, once you yield to what looks good, you are trapped.

There's a way out. It is Jesus Christ. He is your deliverer. This woman had a message to tell and tell it like it is. It was plain. So plain that a fool couldn't error. Thank you Sister Johnson. You know, we love you. Really we do!

Remarks were given by all in attendance. The group was led in singing of "Guide Me Over" by Mrs. Christine Hysom.

Thought for the day: "Some people are so far out of left field they can't see their nose." Think about it!

Breakfast was served. Do you like hash browns? Home made biscuits? Come on see by. We'll see you Saturday. Come early. You may eat twice. Plan to have a good "appetite."

Our guest included: Rev. and Mrs. Tony Williams, Mrs. C. C. Peoples, Mrs. Louzada Jones and Mrs. Don.

You light up our lives. Come again. The sick and shut in list include: Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Fair, Sr., Mrs. Arlie Mae Washington, Ozella Sanders, Juanita Bartlett, Zora Phillips and Sherrill Petty.

Heavenly Father, who maketh all things new. A new day has dawned, and with it a new beginning. Praise, Father, give us this day a picture of what life may be if we live it with thee. Guide us all in the path of health, Dear Father, so that each day's close may find us stronger, braver, wiser, more humble and yet more full of faith for having shared the road with thee. This I ask for each of my Sisters and Brothers alike. In the name of Jesus. AMEN.

Prayer request was made and answers to prayers. If you have a need, plant a seed. Write to us: Outreach

Food blessed and morning prayer were done by Rev. Williams as well as the prayer for the sick and bereaved. The coo's were also prayed for by Rev. Williams.

Can any good come out of Nazareth??

Our next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Artie M. Washington, 2105 East 4th Street, Apt. No. 37, with Mrs. Howard as host.

"Y'all come and see!"

Mrs. Mary Ward is president; Mrs. C. E. Fair, vice president; Mrs. C. E. Brown, secretary; and Mrs. D. Hood reporter.

Faith First Baptist Church News

Our day started with Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. last Sunday with Supt. Roosevelt Portee.

Sr. at his post of duty. The topic was "All Things Made New." Continued on Page 11

"Thank God For Jesus"

Dear Ones in Christ:
Many Pastors are unable to say the things which may appear in this writing. Many things make you angry and upset (I truly hope so). But I know in my calling, I love the Lord more than I can say, and I must do His will.

John 21:15: "So when they had dined, Jesus saith to Simon Peter, Simon son of Jonas, lovest thou me more than these? He saith unto him, yea, Lord; thou knowest that I love thee. He said unto him, feed my lambs."

I direct this writing to myself, but I believe it applies to us all. So let's pray it will lead to repentance, and to true revivals." AMEN.

"Why No Revivals"

As I look around the city, on Wednesday and Friday nights!
There are three times as many cars at Bingo and that ain't right!
I see some Pastors with their diamonds, three piece suits, classic klt and fancy cars.
They remind me of my worldly friends in the clubs and bars!

Matthew 23:5-8 -- "But all their works they do to be seen of men: they make broad their phylacteries, and enlarge the borders of their garments, and love the uppermost rooms at feasts, and the chief seats in the synagogues."

"Why Not Revival?"
Their words are: "We need money for this, and money for that!"

Matthew 24:35 -- "Heaven and earth shall pass away, but my words shall not pass away."

"Why No Revivals?"
When the churches are filled on holidays, A hot sermon preached, a good collection taken, and no invitation to be saved.
With children watching almost open sex on T. V. Some don't know a verse from the Bible, and that's hard to believe!

Matthew 23:23-24 -- "Who unto you, scribes and pharisees, hypocrites!! For ye pay tithes of mint and anise and cummin, and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgement, mercy, and faith: these ought ye to have done, and not to leave the other undone. Ye blind guides, which strain at a gnat, and swallow a camel."

"Why No Revivals?"
When it's not a holiday, and the crowd fills the church,
It's the choir and musical which brings them -- Not the Word -- that hurt!
When you smell the chickens and fish, all over the church cooking,
At the price they are sold, the Lord is looking and booking!

Matthew 24:45 -- "Who then is a faithful and wise servant, whom his Lord hath made ruler over his household, to give them meat in due season."
Matthew 21:13 -- "And said unto them, it is written, my house shall be called the House of Prayer; but ye have made it a den of thieves."
"For A Revival We Must Pray!"
"Lord Jesus, cleanse me with thy precious blood, my lies, my unbelief."
"Oh Father, remove my lustful, unclean and hateful spirit."
"Forgive my apathy and hard heart, my condemning spirit for no reading thy word."
"I love you with all my heart, forgive me for not preaching what you would have to preach, Oh God! Have mercy on me and fill me with your love, I'm vile and unworthy, Oh, My God forgive me for hating my brothers and sisters in Christ." II Chronicles 7:14 -- "If my people, which are called by name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and forgive their sin, and will heal their land."
Directed - Arranged - Producer - Guided by My Lord Jesus Christ
Written by Billy "B. J." Morrison
Your Brother in Christ Jesus
May God keep on blessing you, and let's pray for one another always. AMEN

Guest Of Spur Lakeside Baptist Church

The St. Luke Baptist Church Mission No. 1 was guest of the Lakeside Baptist Church in Spur, Texas Sunday afternoon, May 23, 1982. They were there to join in the annual Women's Day Services at 3 p. m.

The theme was "Building Today For Tomorrow."

St. Luke's Mission president, Sister Annie Sanders, was the guest speaker. Her topic was "God's Three Story Building." Assisting Sister Sanders were her three vice presidents, Sisters L. Smith, V. Hereford and V. Moore. Also Annie Lewis of the Junior Lewis president of the Junior Mission of Rising Star Baptist Church.

Other guest churches included: Galilee Baptist Church, Crosbyton, Texas, Rev. E. Gentry; and Macedonia Baptist Church, Aspermont, Texas, Rev. Slaughter pastor.

Others from St. Luke who traveled were: Sisters C. Burrell, C. Bennett, L. Guyton, L. McConic, L. Scott and Deacons L. Love, who was the van driver.

Rev. James Boyce is pastor and Sister Gussie Mitchell is Mission president of the Lakeside Baptist Church.

Ordination Services

Brothers Eugene Roquemore, Hayward Lewis and Paul Robinson will be ordained as Deacons of the historic Mount Giload Baptist Church.

The service will convene at 8 p. m. Sunday, June 8th.

Pastor L. L. Polk, Sr. will oversee this sacred affair.

The public is cordially invited to participate in this affair.

Young Men For Christ Seminar At St. Luke

Saturday, June 12, there is something in store for Lubbock. It is the Young Men for Christ Seminar which will be held at St. Luke Baptist Church, beginning at 8 a. m. with a continental breakfast. The seminar will get underway at 9 a. m.

The national president, Rev. Randor Draper, will be present for the effort. National advisor Rev. Samuel H. Smith will participate in the program. State president Brother Tommie Gregory of San Antonio, Texas will be a part of the program.

The theme for the program "Be Faithful

Men For God Knows Your Works," I Cor. 13:1-14.

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Church's Program and Activities
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Baptist Training Union (BTU) 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.

Week Activities
Mission Monday 7:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 8:00 p. m.
Usher Training Thursday 6:30 p. m.
Brotherhood Breakfast Sunday 8:15 - 7:15
Youth Program - Second Sunday 3:00 p. m.
Market Program - Third Sunday 6:00 p. m.

"Come Let Us Reason Together Saith The Lord" Isaiah 1:18

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SUNDAY SERVICES	
Sunday School	9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship	11:00 A.M.
B. T. T.	6:00 P.M.
Night Service	7:30 P.M.

And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works: not forgetting the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is: but exhort one another, and to reach the more, as ye see the duty. preaching. Hebrews 10:24,25

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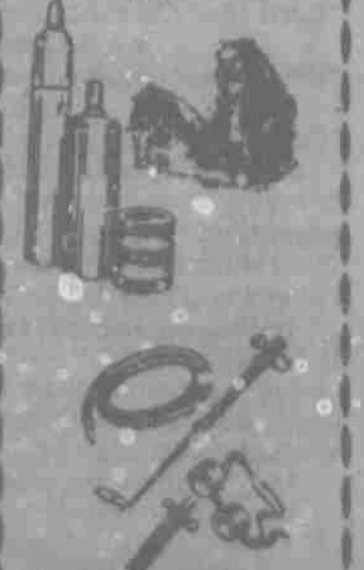
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\$10	1,775	1,373 to 1	104 to 1	52 to 1
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Mrs. Arlene B. Odgen



Funeral services were held Saturday for Mrs. Arlene Bender Odgen at the Hope Deliverance Temple Church of God in Christ with the pastor, Rev. Charles Tanner, officiating.

South Plains Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Odgen was born to Mr. Carl Clifton Kurney and Mrs. Aggie Lee Kurney on September 14, 1934.

She united with the Hope Deliverance Temple Church of God in Christ in 1977.

Mrs. Odgen came to Lubbock in 1949. She departed this life on

Wednesday, May 26, 1982, at 8:30 p. m.

She leaves to mourn her passing: her husband, James H. Odgen; three daughters -- Glenda Bender, Linda Bender and Ann Odgen; three sons -- William Kurney, Robert Kurney and James Odgen, Jr.; a brother, Lafayette Cannon; two daughter-in-laws, Lorna Kurney and Billie Kurney; nine grandchildren, and a host of relatives and friends.

Pallbearers were Gary Dawson, Terry Floyd, Otis Owens and Albert Ross.

Mr. Frank C. McKinney

Final rites were held last Saturday morning at the New Hope Baptist Church for Mr. Frank McKinney with Rev. A. L. Dunn officiating.

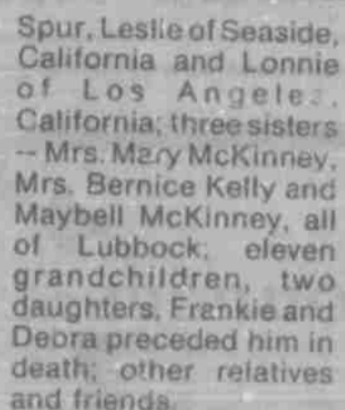
Interment was held in the City of Lubbock Cemetery under the directions of South Plains Funeral Home.

Mr. McKinney was born in Thrall, Texas to Rev. Clarence McKinney and Mary Jane White on March 4, 1910. There were eleven children born -- four brothers preceding in death.

He moved to Lubbock in the late 1940's and united with the New Hope Baptist Church.

He passed away Tuesday, May 25, 1982.

He leaves to mourn his death: four sons -- Larry and Thomas of Idabel, Oklahoma, Wayne and Douglas of Lubbock; two daughters, Mrs. Sherry Tucker of Texarkana and Patricia Ann McKinney of Idabel, Oklahoma; his mother, Mrs. Mary Jane McKinney of Lubbock; three brothers -- Max of



Spur, Leslie of Seaside, California and Lonnie of Los Angeles, California; three sisters -- Mrs. Mary McKinney, Mrs. Bernice Kelly and Maybell McKinney, all of Lubbock; eleven grandchildren, two daughters, Frankie and Debra preceded him in death; other relatives and friends.

Pallbearers were family members.

Honorary bearers were Deacons of New Hope Baptist Church.

Why Not??

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Mrs. Struggs Travels Last Week

Mrs. E. C. Struggs spent the week of May 21st in Hobbs, New Mexico as the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mrs. Mary E. and Rev. H. C. D. Tjuel.

Mrs. Tjuel was honored as one of the retirees of the Hobbs Public School system, after working there more than thirty years. An informal reception was held for a Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Tjuel in First Federal Savings and Loan Association building. It was sponsored by the faculty of Booker T. Washington School. Mrs. Tjuel has spent more than thirty years in this school. Mr. Miller is the librarian. Both ladies received many beautiful and useful gifts, including flowers, personal items, jewelry and silver.

On Wednesday, the faculty took the two retirees to lunch at Bob's Steak House, one of the exclusive restaurants of Hobbs.

Mrs. Struggs spent her days enjoying the rest and relaxation and was the dinner guest of Mrs. Gene Gray, the supervisor of the Washington Day Care Nursery. Those of you who have not visited this plant will be thrilled to see such an ideal set-up for children or pre-school and elementary school ages so amply and ideally housed.

Mrs. Gray carried Mrs. Struggs to one of the nicest barbecues

RUBY JAY'S CORNER



Church services at the New Hope Baptist Church began with Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship was held at 10:45 a. m. During the morning worship, devotion was led by Deacon Givens and Deacon Howard. Rev. Bobby Baldwin of Lubbock was in charge of the pulpit. He brought the morning sermon. His wonderful message was found II Cor 5:1. His subject was "Ain't Gonna Need This No Longer."

During the 7 p. m. services, the W. M. S. presented a program. Their effort was a drama entitled: "The Way of the Cross." It was a very beautiful program. Characters included: Sarah was Billie Cavie; Mary was Dorothy Kinner; Ann was Marjorie Thomas; Jane was Berdie Hall; Cross played by Mattie Beaty. Also Love by Bernice Kelly; Grace by Einora Dyer. President Ruby Jay

and restaurants she has ever entered -- Wallace Bar-B-Que. Mr. Wallace attended Dunbar (Struggs) High School and sent his regards to his former classmates and friends.

Mrs. Struggs would like to take this opportunity to thank her many friends for making her Mother's Day and Birthday such a Happy, Joyous One!

is thinking about asking them to do it again. It was great. Thanks to all of you young ladies.

Let us not forget to come out June 6th at 3:00 p. m. and hear Johnny Ray Watson who will present a benefit musical. The public is invited to attend.

Mrs. Precious Brown attended the funeral services of her nephew Monday in Paris, Texas.

Mrs. Maggie Shep attended the funeral services of her sister-in-law in Dallas, Texas also on Monday.

Mrs. Nellie Fuller came from Hobbs, New Mexico last Thursday, with her sister, Lou, to visit relatives and friends for a few days. Nellie left for home in Cleburne, Texas on Friday.

Mrs. Mae Emma McGowen spent a week in Navasota, Texas. She and her sisters traveled to Waxahachie, Texas to move their sister, Mary Jones Alexander, to Navasota because her health was failing bad.

Let us whisper a prayer for all the sick among us.

Remember the bereaved families.

Faith First

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Revelation 21:1-7, 22-27. The background scripture was Revelation 21-22.

Morning worship began at 11 a. m. with Brother Portee and Brother Edwards leading the devotion. The choir was at their post of duty and they sang beautifully.

Our pastor delivered a most wonderful message. His topic was "You Can Run You Can Hide, But You Can't Escape." Amos 5:18-24, 25. Hebrews 2:2-3. Romans 2:17-18. and Isaiah 24:17-18.

There were several visitors with us and would like to welcome them to come again.

Our sick and shut-in list include: Brother Granville Wallace, Mrs. Juanita Bartlett, and Mrs. Mary Bell's Mrs. Mary Bell, mother of Pastor F. B. Bell, is

sick in St. Louis, Mo. in the home of her sister.

There were two high school graduates, one from Dunbar Struggs and the other from Estacado, in our midst. Ms. Linda Harper graduated from Dunbar Struggs May 25 and Ms. Cheryl Rafe graduated from Estacado May 24. Best wishes to both of them.

Mr. Lawrence Whitley is home from Beaumont, Texas where he is attending college at Lamar University.

The youth participating in the New Zeal District Association are asking to be in Sinton, Texas June 5, 1982, at 2 p. m. at Mount Olive Baptist Church, Rev. C. C. Peoples, host pastor, for choir rehearsal. The New Zeal District meeting will begin June 7 through 11 at Mount Olive. Youth

Tony Brown

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Malcolm was God's instrument for Mr. Muhammad. Many felt that the parole was confirmed because Malcolm died before Mr. Muhammad as Aaron had before Moses. But others saw it in a worldly context of conspiracy. Brown arised.

In assessing his views on the life and mysterious death of Malcolm X, coupled with his knowledge from 15 years of research on the subject, Tony Brown concludes that the philosophical division of these two men and Malcolm's death is a tragedy.

Day will be June 11, 1982 at 1 p. m. Registration will be at 12:45 p. m. The membership is looking forward to having a wonderful time.

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VOTING RIGHTS ACT!! ROBERT L. WHITE... national president of the National Alliance of Postal and Federal Employees... like many other Blacks... is optimistic about swift passage of a strong VOTING RIGHTS BILL... The Voting Rights Act of 1965... is the single most effective piece of CIVIL RIGHTS LEGISLATION... ever passed. EVEN REPUBLICANS ARE SEEING IT! According to a news-release... by the Chairman of the Republican National Committee... RICHARD RICHARDS... expressed the Republican Party's support for the compromise bill of the Voting Rights Act of 1965.

DID YOU KNOW?? BROADCASTER'S BOARD OF DIRECTORS... recently approved... \$2,950,000... to assist minorities in the acquisition and operation of broadcast stations. Nine stations were involved in this effort... wish one of them had been a BLACK RADIO STATION... in Lubbock or somewhere on the South Plains of Texas. Blacks are left out when it comes to equal representation in the broadcast industry... THIS N THAT... is not just talking about some black play records... It's time for something to be done about this shortcoming in this aspect of economic development... BROTHER WILLIAM H. BRITT... will you give it another try?? BLOOD NEEDED! Surgical procedures... will require at least 450 UNITS OF BLOOD... during this coming week... Will you help?? You may do so by calling UNITED BLOOD SERVICES... (808) 763-0428... or stop by at 415 Avenue R Lubbock, Texas. SUPPORT YOUTH PROGRAM! A religious program... will be held at the Ford Memorial Church... God in Christ... all day... SATURDAY... If you are interested in attending... call SISTER DONNIE GRAVES... director... If you have a talent... use it at the meeting IT SHOULDN'T HAPPEN... BUT IT IS!! The problem caused at the EARNEST BUTLER PARK... East 4th Street and Zenith Avenue... shouldn't be allowed to happen... Kids... drinking their beer... and doing other things shouldn't be allowed to happen on the park... some of the kids are even minors... Some of our senior citizens... have been in the past... and are still complaining about the VULGAR LANGUAGE... used on the park... the cars which block the street for those who are trying to get from one place to another... THIS N THAT... visited the area about 9:15 p.m. last Sunday evening (May 30) and it was pitiful!!! The

Lubbock Police Department... should do something about the situation... Just scaring the kids... is not the answer... Perhaps some kind of a program... could be initiated to help some of these kids... Granted... their parents... missed communicating with them... and are not doing their duty as a parent... Let's not hold that against the kids... All of this negative activity shouldn't happen on... EARNEST BUTLER PARK... If some of you parents... would drive by there this weekend... YOU MAY SEE ONE OF YOUR LOVE ONES!!

GOOD PICNIC! The staff of the Lubbock District of ATLANTA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY... got together and had a great picnic last Saturday... all day... at Buffalo Spring Lakes... District Manager IRIS SMITH... says it best... "WE WORK AND GET ALONG TOGETHER... WE HAVE TOGETHERNESS".... Well said... Even agents from Midland were present... COULDN'T MAKE IT!! At the Atlanta Life insurance picnic... last Saturday... THIS N THAT... learned that SISTER CORA L. GATEWOOD... tried to climb the hill... but she couldn't make it... according to her husband... SOUTHWEST DIGEST!! YES!! It won't be long before the Lubbock Digest... becomes the SOUTHWEST DIGEST... Just keep reading and learn more about it!!

MISS BLACK LUBBOCK PAGEANT! Saturday night... the annual... MISS BLACK LUBBOCK PAGEANT... is on tap! CONGRATS!! JOHN MCCORMICK... for being named "BOY OF THE YEAR".... He is a senior at Dunbar-Struggs High School. HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

THIS N THAT... would like to wish our friend MRS. L. C. STRINGS... a belated birthday... She was 76 last Sunday. She looked real good in church last Sunday. WEEDS! LOOKING GOOD!! It's good to see that the WEEDS in East Lubbock... are not as high as they were last year at this time... Let's hope they remain... LOW!! OKAY!! BROTHER JOSEPH WILLIAMS?? By the way... let's cut... BOOKER T. WASHINGTON PARK... again! WEAR ARM BANDS! All Blacks of Texas are asked to WEAR BLACK ARM BANDS... in memory of the COMMANCHE THREE... on June 19th... OKAY!! NAACP BANQUET! The annual... FREEDOM FUND BANQUET... will be held Saturday evening... June 12... at the University Center on campus of Texas Tech University... beginning at 8 p.m. Speaker is... U. C. AIR FORCE LT. COL. EVANS PARKER... of Reese Air Force Base... He is a rare officer in this part of the world... who happens to be Black... Should have a lot to say... Tickets only \$10.00.

Bid Notice

Lubbock Independent School District will accept sealed bids for the purchase of Furniture until 2 p. m. CDT June 17, 1982 in the office of Director of Purchasing, 1628 19th Street, Lubbock, Texas 79401. Bids will then be opened and read aloud. Bid forms may be obtained upon request in the above office. Regent Pearce, Director of Purchasing, Lubbock Independent School District.

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Affirmative In-Action New Reagan Move

The social fabric known as affirmative action every day is being re woven by conservative forces with the backing of the White House. The most recent move in this direction, came late April when the Reagan Administration released proposals for changing affirmative action regulations which apply to federal contractors. The new proposals were published in the Federal Register on April 24, which means the public has until May 24 to submit comments. The following examples indicate just how shortsighted these latest Reagan proposals are: First, these proposals would limit the amount of back pay that could be awarded in discrimination cases. Back pay would be limited to "identifiable victims of discrimination" who had suffered economic loss. Also, there would be a maximum of two years of back pay for discrimination victims. And, that amount would be reduced by

any interim earnings a worker received while the discrimination case was being considered and resolved.

It is a setback to the cause of job equality to limit back pay due to discrimination, because punitive damages or large monetary awards for the victims of racial discrimination also serve to help reduce racism in the job market. If an employer realizes that he would have to pay a large sum for discriminating against Blacks, then chances are he might not discriminate. On the other hand, if an employer understands that back pay will be held down or limited to a certain level, then this would help perpetuate racism in a system willing to discriminate and pay a mere wrist-slapping penalty when caught. Second, under the latest administration proposals contractors could concentrate Black workers in entry-level, low-paying jobs and still be able to meet their obligations to hire Blacks.

This is as callous as the back-pay scheme. It is true that Blacks need jobs because the unemployment rate for Black adults is 20 percent and more than double that for Black teenagers. Blacks, however, should not be forced to remain on the receiving end of take-it-or-leave-it employment propositions. We should be permitted to compete on an equitable basis with other workers for all positions in the marketplace.

Finally, the latest Reagan proposals fail to address the issue of seniority. Blacks are still the last hired and the first fired and many seniority agreements only serve to retard Black employment and gains.

Ronald Reagan's brand of affirmative action is more like affirmative in-action. It constructs more barriers than it tears down. And this is intentional. For example, the Justice Department's Civil Rights Division, which used to institute up to 200 anti-discrimination suits each year, has instituted only about 60 since Reagan's inauguration. We need stronger affirmative action mandates, not weaker ones. The much heralded "system of

NAACP 73rd Convention June 28 - July 2

New York -- The NAACP will hold its 73rd national convention in Boston, for the Advancement of Colored People will

beginning June 28. The week-long event will be held at the John B. Hynes auditorium.

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With an eye on Congressional elections this year, the veteran civil rights organization will be focusing on key political and social issues that are at the top of the agenda for black Americans. Commanding equal attention will be economic issues that are directly related to jobs production and a drive to increase the NAACP's membership.

These issues will be discussed at length in workshops starting the second day of the convention on Tuesday. Before that, however, on Monday, attention will be thrown on these priorities at the initial opening plenary session, which begins at noon, and during the keynote address that night by Margaret Bush Wilson, chairman of the NAACP National Board of Directors. On Tuesday night, NAACP Executive Director Benjamin L. Hooks will be the main speaker at a mass meeting in the Haynes Auditorium.

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