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Three States Provide Half Population In New Century

Black Population Will Increase By 500,000

California, Texas and Florida will account for more than one half of the total U. S. population increase from 1987 to 2000, according to the first state population projections since 1983 from the Commerce Department's Census Bureau.

California will remain by far the most populous state as the nation moves into the next century, while by 1995 Texas will have moved past New York into the second spot.

Florida will remain the fourth largest, but by the year 2000 Illinois will have replaced Pennsylvania in fifth place. Georgia will

replace North Carolina on the list of the 10 most populous states, the projections show.

Wyoming will continue into the next century as the least populous state. Vermont, which this year becomes second smallest, keeps that rank past 2000. Alaska, now third smallest, will move to fourth smallest by 2000, while North Dakota will become third smallest.

Ten states, nine of them in the South or West, are projected to grow twice as fast as the national average from 1980 to 2000. While only four states are projected to lose population

in the 1980's, 13 would lose in the 1990's.

By 1990, the Northeast will have replaced the West as the smallest region. The South, which has nearly 35 percent of the population, will remain by far the largest. The Midwest, currently second largest, will lose population steadily after 1995 and be about the same size as the West by 2000.

Among the regions in both 1990 and 2000, the Northeast will have the largest proportion of people aged 65 and over, and the lowest share under age 18. The West will have the

highest proportion under age 18.

During the 1990's, the maturing of the baby boom population will be reflected in growth of the 45 to 64 age group in all four regions. The number of people aged 25 to 44 is projected to drop in the Northeast and Midwest but grow in the South and West.

The population aged 18 to 24 will drop in all regions except the West in the next decade, while the number of school age children will increase and those under age five will decrease in each region.

The South will retain more than half of the Black population in the next decade, and more than half of Black growth will occur in that region. Blacks will comprise 19 percent of the South's population by 1990. In the Midwest in the 1990's, the White population is

expected to decline by more than 1 million while the Black population will increase by nearly 500,000.

The projections are based on various assumptions about future trends in fertility, mortality, immigration, and internal migration.

Lubbock NAACP Annual Membership Dinner/Dance

The Lubbock Branch of the NAACP will hold its 2nd annual Membership Dinner/Dance Saturday, June 11, 1988 at KoKo Palace from 7:30 p. m. until in celebration of the NAACP's 79th year.

Guest speakers at the event will be LISD board

president, Nancy Neal, chief of police, Tom Nichols and regional membership director of Dallas, Texas, Dr. Caesar Clark.

Tickets may be purchased for \$12.00 a person, and \$23.00 per couple.

Black News Briefs

Jackson Says Delegate Selection Process 'Unfair'
Albuquerque, NM ... The Rev. Jesse Jackson angrily attacked the Democratic party's delegate selection process recently charging that the number of delegates he has won does not reflect his popular vote. As the most extreme example Jackson cited Puerto Rico where he defeated front runner, Michael Dukakis but the Massachusetts governor got all 52 delegates because he had support from the island's governor and party leaders. Overall, there is a 9

point gap between Dukakis and Jackson in terms of popular vote but the delegate gap is much wider ... Dukakis has 1,496 compared to Jackson's 927. While Washington, D. C. earlier recently Jackson warned some party leaders that if his supporters "might become discouraged" and not vote in November if they feel he is being treated unfairly by the party.

Urban League Calls Reagan ERA "Disastrous"
Washington, DC ... The National Urban League recently issued a report which labeled President Reagan two terms in office a "disastrous eight year experiment" which worsened the problems faced by Blacks, the poor and the nation's cities. League President John Jacob also charged that the Reagan administration's attitude toward Blacks and the poor has ranged from "outright hostile to indifference." Jacob added that the next president must become less concerned about building up the nation's military and more focused on full employment, welfare reform and education. The 90 page report was entitled "Black Americans and Public Policy." Jacob was part of a delegation which met with Vice President Bush on May 19.

Congratulations!
Congratulations are in store for Hosea Lee Blaylock, II, son of Hosea Lee Blaylock of Moody, Texas, and Julia Blaylock Leonard of Midland, Texas, for a job well done in competing in the U. S. A. F. World Gymnastic Championship event held last week in Lubbock.

Hosea placed 11th, 6th, and 4th in the nation previously. This was his first year to qualify for world competition.

His mother is a charter member of the New Beginning Baptist Church of Denver City, Texas where Elder C. J. Johnson of Lubbock is pastor.

Deadline
As of June 1, 1988, the deadline for all news to the Southwest Digest will be 5 p. m. on the Monday prior to the Thursday deadline.

This move is necessary, because of the rush of articles prior to publication day.

Deadline for all advertisements will be at 12 noon on the Tuesday prior to publication day.

Coretta King Seeks Quilt Ruling On Disputed Documents
Boston, Mass ... The widow of slain civil rights leader Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. has asked a judge for an immediate ruling over whether she or Boston University owns historic documents left by her late husband. Coretta King says the 83,000 documents

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Zion WMU Will Sponsor Effort

The Women's Missionary Union of Zion Missionary Baptist Church will have a special program Sunday afternoon, May 29, 1988 at 3 p. m.

Special guest will be Rev.

Ernest Wilson of Big Spring, Texas.

The public is invited to attend this program.

Mrs. Jessie Evans is WMU president. Rev. A. L. Patrick is pastor.

Pastor Ilgehart Will Speak Here

Pastor Rayford Ilgehart of New Orleans, La., will be speaking at the Hope Deliverance Temple Church which is located at 2812 East 4th Street, May 29th thru June 3rd.

Pastor Ilgehart is one of the most successful Preachers in America. He pastors two churches in the city of New Orleans. The Garden of Prayer East Bank and the Garden of Prayer West Bank.

and gangs as this man preaches the word of God to them.

Pastor Charles Tanner is inviting you to attend these services each night at 7:45 p. m. nightly Sunday, May 29th thru Friday, June 3rd, at Hope Deliverance Temple Church.

We hope to see you there!



Pastor Charles Tanner

"Pacesetter" With Dillard's



Mrs. Ella Smith
Beaumont: Mrs. Ella Smith, wife of Rev. O. A. Smith, pastor of Smith Chapel and former pastor of Bethel A. M. E. Church, was recently inducted as a "Pacesetter" in Dillard's Department Store in

Beaumont, Texas. Proclaiming that "I did it," Mrs. Smith is part of an elite group of people at Dillard's who had to at least sell \$200,000 in merchandise to become a "Pacesetter."

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**RUBY
JAY'S
CORNER**



New Hope Baptist Church is the Church where the people really care, and is located at 2002 Birch Avenue. Rev. S. C. Nash is the proud pastor.

Services were really good last Sunday morning, beginning with Sunday School.

The radio announcer was Mrs. Billie Caviel. A liar prayer was offered by Pastor Nash. Rev. R. D. Eattle of El Paso, Texas brought a fine message. His sermon was entitled: "One Man Testimony... His schpture war St. John 9:11 thru 12. Rev. Battle had his singers, Dimensions Singers, with him. They sung several selections. What beautiful singers!

We are still praying for our sick and shut in.

Rev. A. L. Dunn, former pastor of New Hope, is still improving. He is home at this reort.

Mrs. Roberta Allen is home from the hospital. She has had trouble with her eyes.

Joan Y. Ervin and Lou Ella Hall's au.it passed last week in Philadelphia, Pa. Also a cousin in Waxahachie and Valley Mills were ill last week.

Mrs. Willie Mae Evans' sister passed away last Sunday in Ft. Worth, Texas. Our prayers go out so all who are bereaved at this sime.

Our prayers also go out to Mr. & Mrs. Sanco Nash who lost a daughter last week.

The Seninr Citizens surphsed Mr. J. D. Brown last Friday with a birthday celebration at Mae Simmons Community Center. All had delicious ice cream and cake. Mr. Brown was 89 years young. God bless you, Mr. Brown.

**St. James
Baptist Church
News**

117 N. Mulberry Avenue
Lubbock, Texas

On last Sunday morning, beginning with Sunday School, with our director Brother Ephriam in charge, we had a wonderful lesson. All teachers poured it out from their hearts.

Our eleven o'clock service was great. Pastor Kado Lang was in charge. He brought a wonderful message. He spoke on worries. His subject was "Why Do Christians Worry." His scripture text was Phil. 4:6.

"Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything; tell God your needs and don't forget to thank Him for His answer. Paul said: "If we do this we will experience God's peace which is far more wonderful than the human mind can understand. Paul said: "God's peace will keep your thoughts and your hearts quiet and at rest as you trust in Christ Jesus. In the Book of Chronicles it says: "Be strong and courageous. Don't worry about the size of the task. For the Lord, my God, is with you. He will not forsake you. He will see to it that everything is finished correctly. So Christians, let's not worry. Turn it all

over to God and He will work it out. So let us keep pressing on toward to the things which are going to last.

† Peter says: "If you will humble yourselves under

the mighty hand of God, in His good time, He will lift you up. Let Him have all your worries and cares. For He is always thinking about you and watching everything that concerns you.

May God bless each and everyone of you. You are always welcome to St. James. We love you. Let us remember all our sick and shut in in our prayers.
Reporter, Sister E. Tipton.

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**Black News
Briefs**

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belong to her and she wants the papers kept at the Martin Luther King, Jr. Center in Atlanta. But Boston University officials claim King gave the documents to the college where he earned his doctorate. BU currently has possession of the disputed papers.



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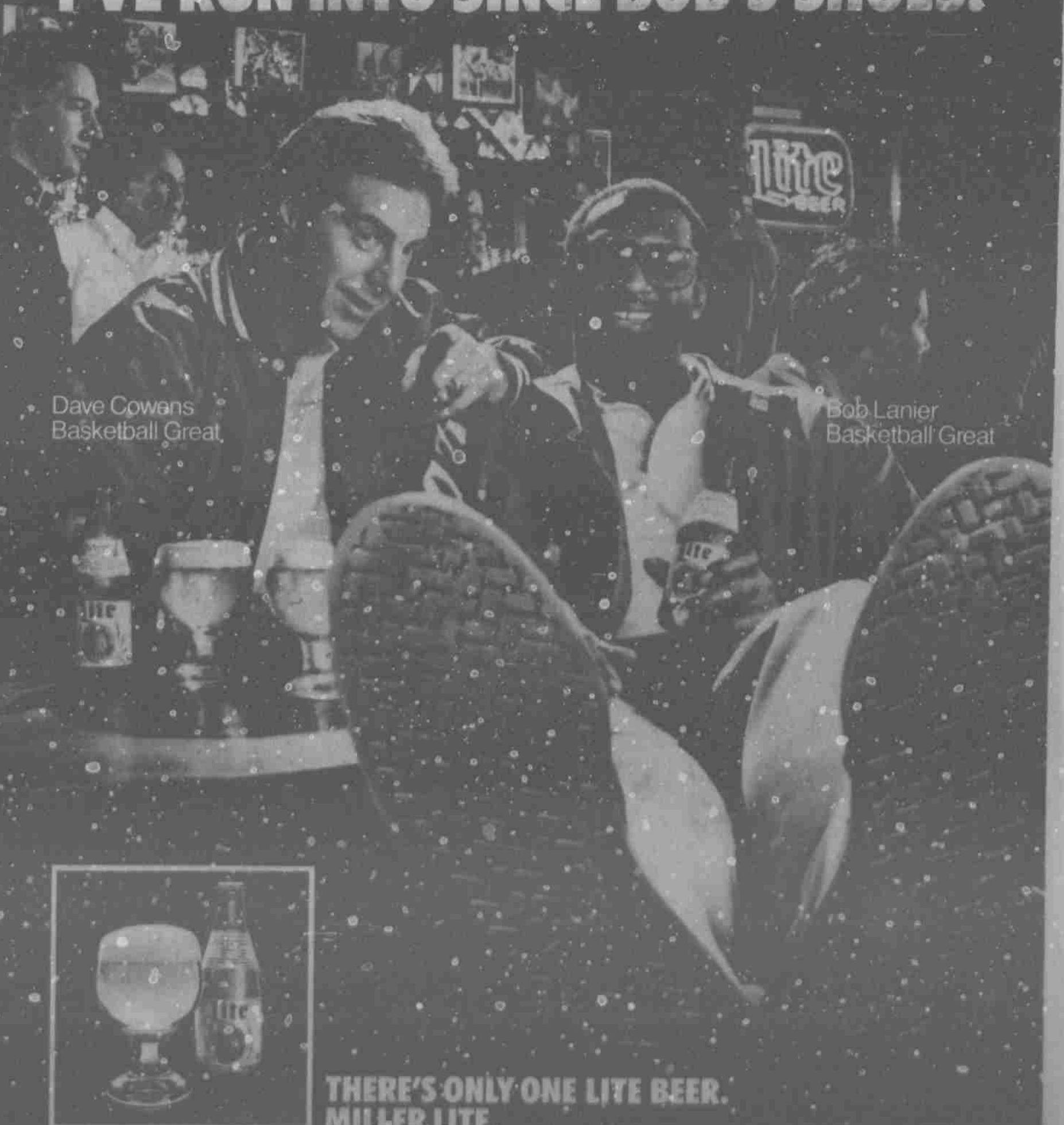
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Galilee Missionary Baptist Church

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Services were as usual last Sunday at the Galilee Church, 464 N. Front St.

Sunday School set the pace for a glorious day in the Lord, with Director Harris and staff in charge. Bro. Edward Coppage, Sis. Carolyn Carr and Sis. Veras Gentry did a beautiful job.

Followed by a inspired morning worship hour, with devotion as usual. The Youth Choir warmed our hearts with songs of zion. Then came words of wisdom as Pastor Eugene Gentry shared with us a message of instruction come from St. Luke 4:1 thru 14 as he gathered the thought: "Battles Between The Mind and Soul." May the Lord forever bless Pastor Gentry.

Congratulations to Robert "Candy" Wiggins in your success in graduation from South Plains College. Also to all high school seniors graduating this year, may God bless you all in trying as you go from here looking for a better life for yourselves. Please keep up the good work.

We are grateful to see all our children come home from school and other realms of life.

Our prayers go out to the sick and shut in. "Father in the name of Jesus set those who have been bound by Satan free, in your Most Holy Name, we pray. AMEN."

All things are possible with God.

From The Pastor's Desk

Do we realize how large a number in the world are watching our movement? From quarters where we least expect will come voices urging us forward in the work of giving to the world the last message of mercy. Ministers and people, wake up! Be quick to recognize and seize every opportunity and advantage offered in the turning of the wheel of providence. God and Christ and the heavenly angels are working with intense activity to hold in check the fierceness of Satan's wrath. That God's plans may not be thwarted. God lives and reigns. He is conducting the affairs of the universe. Let his soldiers move forward to victory. Let there be perfect unity in their ranks. Let them press the battle of the gates. As a mighty conqueror, the Lord will work for them. Let the gospel message ring through our churches. Summoning them to universal action. God's servants are to make use of every resource for enlarging His Kingdom.

We can do all through Christ which strengtheneth us.

Rev. E. Gentry, pastor; Sis. Laverren Fullbright, reporter.

Lubbock Emancipation (Juneteenth) Committee, Inc.

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Lubbock, Texas 79408

TALENT INFORMATION

THE LUBBOCK EMANCIPATION (JUNETEENTH) COMMITTEE, INC. INVITES ALL BANDS, SINGERS, RAPPERS, DANCERS, AND COMEDIANS, TO JOIN US ON SATURDAY, JUNE 18th, AT MAE SIMMONS PARK, FOR THIS YEAR'S "1988 JUNETEENTH CELEBRATION". IF YOU HAVE ANY OF THESE TALENTS OR OTHERS, COME OUT AND CELEBRATE WITH US. OBTAIN AN APPLICATION FROM MAE SIMMONS COMMUNITY CENTER (23rd & OAK) OR FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT KEN MCCOY AT 763 6101.

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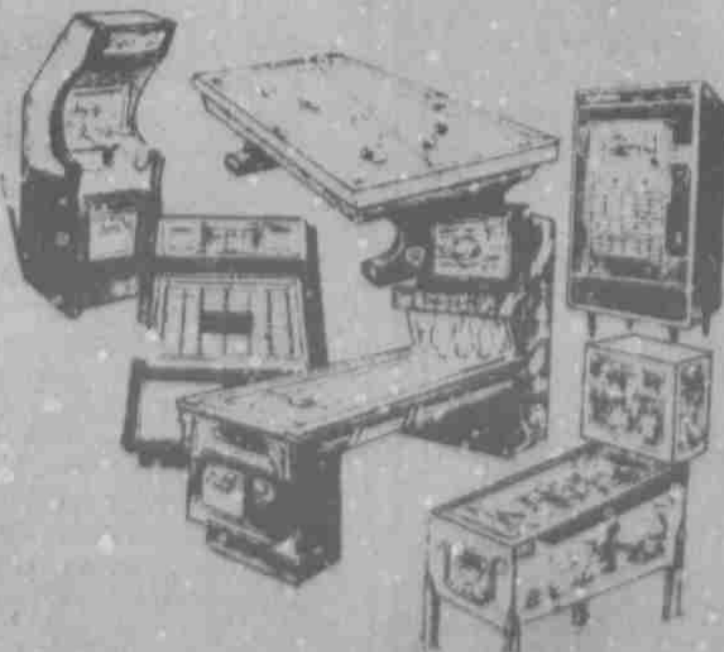
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EDITORIALS • COMMENTS • OPINIONS

It Needs To Be Said

by the
Mystery Writer

One more time, let me stress that this Mystery Writer is not employed or associated with the Southwest Digest. The only connection between us is, they print this column. Therefore, please do not blame the staff for the comments written herein. I am a member of the community just like you that read the paper.

If you are not a part of the solution, then you are a part of the problem, there is no ifs, ands or buts. The Southwest Digest is not the best newspaper and improvements are sincerely needed, however, if you are not trying to help resolve the problems with the paper, then you are part of the problem. I, too, felt that more beneficial community information should be in the weekly Black paper. Just as many of you complain about the paper, I, too, supported your complaint until I heard the phrase, "IF YOU ARE NOT A PART OF THE SOLUTION, THEN YOU ARE A PART OF THE PROBLEM." That is when I decided to become the Mystery Writer, to add a column stating the views, problems and comments of the community that are talked about in various locations within the community.

Before that, I visited the Southwest Digest office, talked and observed. It is a miracle that the paper we do receive get printed and even more of a miracle, it is distributed on a timely and regular basis. Both T. J. and Eddie are part time newsmen and once in a while they may have someone who will volunteer to type articles. Whoever drops by and volunteers, helps with counting and preparing for mail. If Eddie or T. J. is not available, then the other must do all the processing ALONE.

There is no full time staff of reporters to go out into the areas to gather the news. It is safe to say that over 90 percent of the news in the Southwest Digest is received from people of the community. The answer to why there is no full time staff is simple, MONEY. The major source of revenue is from advertisement, that is why there is so much of it, yet it is not sufficient to cover all expenses and pay a regular salary for anyone, not even T. J. or Eddie. I would venture to say that it is 50:50 on people that pay for the weekly edition and people that simply pick up one to read. We all should be aware that for quality and quantity, it cost money.

Therefore, I, the Mystery Writer, and I hope you remember, I am not on staff of this paper, say to all that desire to see articles about your children, school, social events and whatever, write it yourself and get it to the Southwest Digest before printing day (Monday prior to the Thursday edition). We of the Black community should consider the Southwest Digest our newspaper. We must stay on top of it and do our part to make it better.

To the Mystery Writer Two, the "THIS N THAT" comment pretty much summed up the matter. However, let me add a two cents worth of my own. First your comment is greatly appreciated and more of us should be concerned enough to write in. However, we must learn to obtain the meaning and intent of written matter before concluding the opposite meaning. One problem with our community is, we are not informed and when someone tries to inform us, we generally hear the wrong meaning. My article was not meant to promote or comment on anything but the football problem, that it was a reply to

"Remember that we are one, that our cause is one, and that we must help each other, if we must succeed... What you suffer, we suffer; what you endure, we endure. We are indissolubly united, and must fall or flourish together."

Frederick Douglass
Editorial from North Star

The Texas Veterans Land Program Eligibility



Garry Mauro

The Texas Veterans Land Program offers eligible Texas Veterans an opportunity to receive a loan for purchasing land. Rewarding Texas Veterans with land for service in the defense of our country is a tradition dating back to the Republic of Texas. Since the beginning of the current program in 1949, more than 94,000 Texas Veterans have purchased land through the Texas Veterans Land Program. The program is administered through the Texas Veterans Land Board. The vast majority of over 1.8 million Veterans in Texas, however, have never applied for a loan through the Board. Hence, Land Commissioner Garry Mauro, Chairman of the VLB, is encouraging as many Veterans as possible to apply for the various benefits available.

The Land Program offers eligible Texas Veterans a maximum \$20,000 fixed-rate, thirty-year loan to buy a minimum of five net acres of land. The current interest rate is 8.75 percent. A 5 percent down payment is required, resulting in a maximum net loan of \$19,000. Veteran eligibility requirements include:

- a) Qualified applicants must have served at least 90 consecutive days of active duty with either the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, or Coast Guard, unless sooner discharged due to service connected disability. Service must have been after September 16, 1940.
- b) A bona fide resident of Texas (that is, living in Texas with the intent to remain in Texas) at the time of entry into military service; or have been a bona fide resident of Texas for at least five consecutive years immediately prior to filing an application with the Board. Such five year consecutive residency is to be verified by documentary evidence and by a sworn statement submitted by the Veteran.
- c) Must be a bona fide resident of Texas at the time of filing the application and a United States citizen.
- d) Must not have been dishonorably discharged.
- e) May have participated in the Texas Veterans Housing Assistance Program, or the Texas Veterans Home Improvement Program, but may not have previously participated in the Veterans Land Program.
- f) Unmarried surviving spouses of Texas Veterans who died in the line of duty may apply to purchase a tract of land through this program.

The Texas Veterans Land Board purchases land directly from the seller, then resells the land to the Veteran by Contract of Sale. If the purchase price of the land is more than the Board's maximum commitment of \$20,000, the difference must be paid by the veteran directly to the Board before closing the transaction. The land may be used for homesites, investments, or for recreational purposes.

Land Commissioner Garry Mauro emphasizes that the Veterans Land Program offers the State's Veterans an opportunity to own a piece of real estate at an attractive interest rate and with affordable monthly installment payments. He is strongly committed to ensuring that our State's Veterans are afforded every opportunity to participate in this program.

In order to apply for participation, a non-refundable fee of \$25

WHY ARGUE? THE FACTS ARE HERE!

another Letter to the Editor. To clarify for everyone, Dunbar and Estacado are equal schools in every respect KNOWN TO ME, except football and no one as yet has replied to that issue. As a sports minded person that has seen a great deal of both teams, I believe Dunbar needs a new coach, ENOUGH SAID.



People believe if you hang a string of onions in your house, you will be healthy.

AN EDUCATOR'S OPINION

Closing the Innovation Gap

A generation ago, United States preeminence within the world economic community was undisputed—and apparently secure.

Today, we are haunted by insecurity and struggling to hold our own in international economic competition. America's traditional economic strength—mass production—no longer guarantees a competitive edge. The rest of the world has caught up. Goods are mass produced almost anywhere, often at less cost than in the United States.

To meet this challenge, many American businesses have turned to team approaches that involve workers intimately in product design and development. The workplace has been democratized. And democratization has improved quality. Unfortunately, American education remains untouched by this trend. Team work takes a back seat to top-down management. Teachers are strapped by mandates from on high, and schools continue to demand rote learning rather than the creativity American companies increasingly demand from employees.

American schools, wed to outdated practices, cannot contribute to an American economic renaissance. Achieving that renaissance demands granting teachers the authority to craft programs that will prepare students to be actively creative, not passively

compliant, employees.

What will schools that advance this goal look like? I'm not sure. No one is. But I do know that we need to develop new approaches and rethink old assumptions.

That is why I have called for NEA's affiliates to meet with their governors, school officials, and legislators and—together—designate one school district in each state as a living, experimental "learning laboratory."

Teachers in these districts, working cooperatively with

administrators, parents, and the business community, would be free to end the arbitrary division of the school day into 45-minute chunks, revamp curricula, introduce year-round schooling or a six-day school week. They could open their doors to four-year-olds, jettison



Mary Hatwood Futrell
President, NEA

the lock-step progression from one grade level to another, soften or erase the divisions among academic disciplines.

For our part, NEA would share with these 50 districts what we've learned from the over 100 demonstration schools across the nation where NEA members are now fashioning bold new approaches to learning.

Only through the daring, innovative restructuring of our schools will our nation again assume its leadership role in the international economic community.

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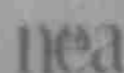
You may be critical of some things that are written, but, at least you will have the satisfaction of knowing they are truthful and to the point.

People will react to that which is precise, and we will publish these articles as precisely and factually as is humanly possible. We will also give credit and respect to those who are doing good things for the Lubbock Area and the people. We will be critical of those who are not doing as they have said they would, and this, we think, is fair.

So, this is our resolution to you: "Feel free at anytime to call this office for information concerning this newspaper or any other matter that is of concern to you."

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THIS N THAT

HARD TO BELIEVE! THIS N THAT ... is very disturbed over the ... **LACK OF HELP** ... from merchants in the ... **BLACK & BROWN COMMUNITIES** ... in seeing that our young ... **BOYS & GIRLS** ... have the necessary sponsorship for the ... **LITTLE LEAGUE PROGRAMS** ... in Lubbock. Hopefully ... this will be handled as it should by ... **RESPONSIBLE CITIZENS** ... of the community ... and our kids will have the necessary help they need ... **IF YOU ARE A BLACK ORGANIZATION** ... and want to help young people of ... **LUBBOCK** ... will you do so now??

LOOKS BAD!! THIS N THAT ... does a lot of ... **WALKING** ... and while walking across the ... **BOOKER T. WASHINGTON** ... park this week ... It was ridiculous the way the ... **BUILDING LOOKS** ... Now it is the ... **CITY OF LUBBOCK** ... responsibility ... to see that things are kept up ... but we as ... **CITIZENS** ... have a responsibility also ... Let's do something about this bad looking situation...

HAVE YOU APPLIED FOR BIDS AT THE CITY OF LUBBOCK!! THIS N THAT ... would like to ask ... **HOW MANY BLACKS, BROWNS & WOMEN** ... have applied for ... **BIDS** ... for their goods and services over the past two years to the ... **CITY OF LUBBOCK?** If you

have let ... **THIS N THAT** ... know if you have applied for a ... **BID** ... **THIS N THAT** ... wants to know what you are doing ... are whether or not ... **SOMETHING NEEDS TO BE DONE!**
D. C. KINNER SAYS:
"UNLESS ... we do something about the ... **HELP OF OUR KIDS** ... then who will ..."

ANOTHER GRAD!! THIS N THAT ... is happy to announce that our own ... **MARY & MAC SCHOOL** ... holds on ... **THIS N THAT**

Mary & Mac Private School ... and would hope there are others who would like to do the same ... After all ... these ... **LITTLE BLACK BOYS & GIRLS** ... need our help!!

CONGRATS!! THIS N THAT ... would like to say ... **CONGRATS** ... to all of our ... **HIGH SCHOOL GRADS** ... this year ... may each of you ... **MOVE BODILY THRU LIFE** ... and make an outstanding contribution ... and ... **DON'T FORGET WHERE YOU CAME FROM!**

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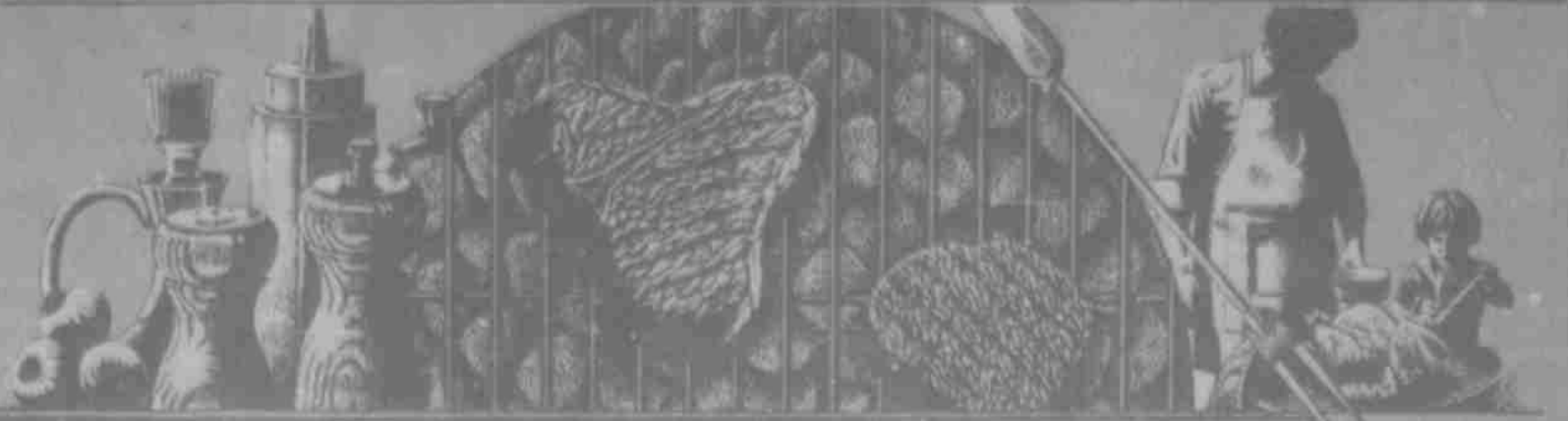
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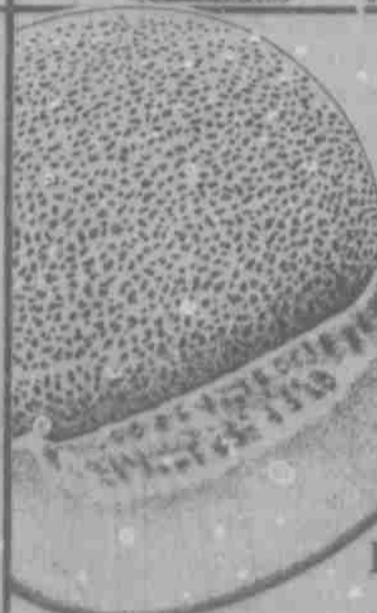
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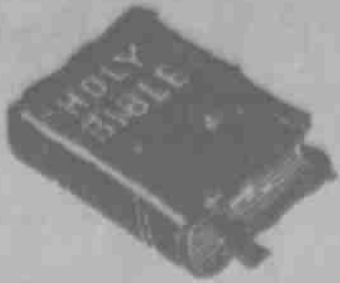
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"Sinner, What Hast Thou To Show"

The sinner is one who practices sin. The sinner is spiritually blind, and cannot perceive the ways of God. (Eph. 4:18; 1 Cor. 2:14) He is convinced that he knows the right way, yet, the scripture tells us that man's way leads to destruction. (Pro. 14:12; 12:15) Isaiah 55:8, 9, reveals that God's thoughts are not man's thoughts and His ways are not the ways of man. The sinner has not come to the realization that he has a Creator to whom he is accountable. As with Eve in the Garden of Eden, Satan misled her to believe that if she tasted of the forbidden fruit that she would not surely die. First, spiritual death came immediately, and yes, physical death followed.

If Christ is not living in your life as your Savior and your Lord, YOU ARE A SINNER ON YOUR WAY TO ETERNAL HELL. Presently, there is still hope. But, believe me, hope will come to an end real soon. You need to make it right with your Creator right now. Stop! Confess your sins, repent (tell Jesus how sorry you are, really sorry) about your sins. Ask Him to forgive you and to take over your life as your Lord and your Savior.

So it is with the sinner. Satan has told the sinner that he or she may live as immorally, carelessly, and loosely as he or she desires, for as his life goes, hell and damnation is only symbolic and not real. Because the sinner is conceited and self sufficient, he tends to take the "father of all lies" for his word and neglects to see the truth of our Heavenly Father.

The sinner is on his way to death (eternal hell or damnation). He is too caught up in the vain affairs of the world to know that he is a sinner and he cannot save

himself, and the price of sin is death. (3:23 and 6:23). He is too busy wheeling and dealing on Satan's territory to hear the loving and caring voice of his Maker saying, "Come Home." God does not desire anyone to receive eternal damnation. (Psa. 1:18, 11 Peter 3:9; St. John 3:16, 17) Nevertheless, those who will harden their hearts and continue in their wicked ways will receive their just punishment. (Isa. 19:20; Rev. 20:15) Those who remain lost in their sins will stand before God at the great white throne judgement, and there their sins will separate them from the very mercy of God forever. (Rev. 20:11 thru 15).

The Outreach Prayer Breakfast

Members of the Outreach Prayer Breakfast met last Saturday morning at Parkway Nursing Center. It was a super group. We had a terrific time, and are looking forward to the next third Saturday. Come and be a part.

President Christine Burleson brought the message of the hour. Her scripture lesson was from Matthew 5: 1 & 2. Her subject was "Blessed Are We."

(1 & 2): *Rejoice, and be exceedingly glad; for great is your reward in heaven; for so persecuted they the prophet which were before you.*

This speaker said: "Blessed are those who thirst after righteousness, 'hold on', you're going to be filled."

May God bless Sister Burleson.

Thought for the week: "This is happy hour for the Church. Have you ever been to happy hour???"

Think about it! Our bereaved families this week include the Sanco Nash family who lost a loved one. Also for all who are broken hearted, remember God cares for you.

"All Have Sinned"
The wages of sin is spiritual death. Trespasses is separation from God. God commended his love to us while we were yet sinners. Christ died for us, give him the praise in speaking to all sinners, back sliders, who smongers, liars, back biters, dope addicts,
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HE ASCENDED TO THE RIGHT HAND OF THE THRONE OF GOD.

1. The disciples saw Him ascend bodily. Acts 1:9 says "And when he had spoken these things, while they beheld, he was taken up; and a cloud received him out of their sight." And Luke 24:51 says "And it came to pass, while he blessed them, he was parted from them, and carried up into heaven." Also Mark 16:19 says "So then after the Lord had spoken unto them, he was received up into heaven, and sat on the right hand of God"
2. The Angels testified of His ascension. Acts 1:11 says "Ye men of Galilee, why stand ye gazing up into heaven? this same Jesus, which is taken up from you into heaven, shall so come in like manner as ye have seen him go into heaven."
3. The Scriptures declare His ascension. Hebrews 8:1 says "Now of the things which we have spoken this is the sum: We have such an high priest, who is set on the right hand of the throne of the Majesty in the heavens;" Hebrews 12:2 also says "Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God."
4. Christ also Himself testified of His own ascension. He said in Revelation 3:21 "To him that overcometh will I grant to sit with me in my throne, even as I overcame, and am set down with my Father in his throne."

HE INTERCEDES FOR US BEFORE THE THRONE OF GOD.

1. Christ is the one mediator between God and man. Hebrews 8:6 says "But now hath he obtained a more excellent ministry, by how much also he is the mediator of a better covenant, which was established upon better promises." and 1 Timothy 2:5 says "For there is one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man, Christ Jesus;"
2. Our High Priest is touched with the feeling of our infirmities. Hebrews 4:14-16 says "Seeing then that we have a great high priest, that is passed into the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our profession. For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need." and it also says in Hebrews 2:17 "Wherefore in all things it behoved him to be made like unto his brethren, that he might be a merciful and faithful high priest in things pertaining to God, to make reconciliation for the sins of the people."
3. He ever lives to make intercession for us. Hebrews 7:25 says "Wherefore he is able also to save them to the uttermost that come unto God by him, seeing he ever liveth to make intercession for them."
4. We have Him as our "advocate" (representative), with the Father. It says in 1 John 2:1 "My little children, these things write I unto you, that ye sin not. And if any man sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous:"
5. He is perfect (complete) in all that He does for us. Hebrews 5:9-10 says "And being made perfect, he became the author of eternal salvation unto all them that obey him; Called of God an high priest after the order of Melchisedec."

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Services 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship Services 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Services 6:30 p.m.

May 26, 1988

We Thank God For Jesus

"Lord, The Blind Is Leading The Blind!!!"

Part 2

Isaiah 29:13: *Wherefore the Lord said, forasmuch as this people draw near me with their mouth, and with their lips, do honour me, but have removed their heart far from me, and their fear toward me is taught by the precept of men.*

Lord, it happened first at the beginning of time, Eve told Adam to eat of the tree, and "Blind led the Blind."

Lord, we can see the same thing happening, "we're in the last days. It's your word coming to past, about "the great falling away."

Mark 13:31: Jesus said, heaven and earth shall pass away, but my words shall not pass away.

Lord, it's so true when you said, "Blind shall lead the Blind," and they both shall fall in the ditch, "the end of the line."

Lord, we have sinned all around, and it's out of control. Lubbock voted in horse racing, "adding gas to the fire, the old saying goes."

11 Timothy 3, 1, 2 & 4: This also, that in the last days perilous times shall come. For men shall be lovers of their own selves, covetous, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, traitors, heady, highminded, lovers of pleasures more than lovers of God; having a form of Godliness, but denying the power thereof; from such turn away.

Lord, many of the top leaders are raising hell "over marijuana, crack and cocaine, but the man that killed 27 children, in that bus, had alcohol on his brains."

Isaiah 4:20, 22, & 23: The Lord said, wo (cursed) unto them that called evil good, and good evil; that put bitter for sweet, and sweet for bitter; woe unto them that are mighty to drink wine, and men of strength to mingle strong drink; which justify the wicked for reward, and take away the righteousness of the righteous from him.

Lord, this Preacher told me: "You're not the perfect Son of God." Said when you were born of Mary, "that made you imperfect, Lord."

Hebrews 5:9: Being made perfect, He (Jesus) became the author of eternal salvation unto all them that obey him.

Romans 3:3, 4a: For what if so he did not believe? Shall their unbelief make the faith of God without effect? God forbid: Yea, let God true, but every man a liar

Lord, "when the Preacher can't keep his eyes and pen in where they belong," even this tells us to look for your return, "because it won't be long."

Jude 4: For there are certain men crept in unawares, who were before of old ordained to this condemnation, ungodly men, turning the grace of our God into lasciviousness, and denying the only Lord God, and our Lord Jesus Christ.

Revelation 2:4, & 5: Jesus said, nevertheless I have somewhat against thee, because thou hast left thy first love. Remember therefore from whence thou art fallen, and repent. And do the first works; for else I will come unto thee quickly, and will remove thy candlestick out of his place, except thou repent.

God is not through with us yet; so let's pray for one another always.

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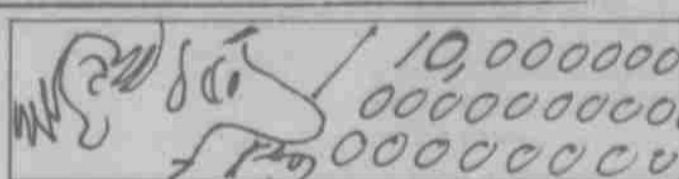
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GREEN BEAN SALAD

- 1/2 pound (2 cups) green beans, sliced into 1" pieces
- 1/2 cup boiling water
- 4 medium tomatoes, cut into wedges
- Romaine lettuce
- 2 (4 1/2 ounce wheels or 2 cups) Brie cheese, cut into bite-size wedges
- 1 cup walnut or pecan pieces

In a medium saucepan, cook green beans, covered, in a small amount of boiling water for 15 minutes or until tender-crisp; drain. Rinse with cold water; drain. Cover and chill green beans.

Arrange the green beans and tomato wedges on four lettuce-lined plates. Add cheese and walnuts. Top with Yogurt and Cheese Dressing. Makes 4 servings.

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(Editor's Note: This application was taken from an employee at Lubbock General Hospital as he was

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