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Juneteenth Celebration!

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Parade Grand Marshal



Pat Lawson, anchor of News4's weekend newscast, is the Parade Grand Marshal for the eighth annual Juneteenth Celebration. The parade will begin at 10 a. m. on the parking lot of the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center.

She joined WRC TV in September, 1982 as a general assignment reporter where she presented reports on Channel 4 News: Live at 5:30, 6:00 and 11:00 p. m. She also provided daily local news reports during breaks in the TODAY Show broadcast. In 1934, she provided political coverage at both Republican and Democratic conventions. From January to September of 1986, Lawson produced and reported a daily news segment, SPECIAL FOCUS, an indepth look at special people in Washington and their unique contributions.

Lawson came to NEWS 4 from WBAL TV in Bailimore where she was an anchor/ reporter at that station for more than two years. She

began her journalism career as a researcher for WRC TV's Contact 4 consumer unit. She subsequently joined WHUR Radio as an announcer/anchor and later was the Mutual Black Network in Washington, D. C. She then moved to WOL Radio as an anchor/reporter and host of a weekly public affairs program.

in 1978, Lawson joined WTOP Radio as an efternoon, drive time anchor/reporter, She remained with WTOP Radio until she moved to WBAL TV in 1980.

Lawson is a member of the Society of Professional Jounralists, the National Press Club and the Washington Association of Black Journalists.

A native of Las Vagas, Nevada, Lawson attended Howard University where she studied Broadcast Management and groduted Magna Cum Laude with a

Bachelor of Arts Degree. Welcome to Lubbock, Pat Lawson.

Some Of The Crowd

Juneteenth Agenda Lubbock's 8th Annual Juneteenth Celebration June 16th thru June 19th Sponsored by Lubbock Emancipation

(Juneteenth) Committee, Inc.

Thursday, June 16th: 7 p. m.

"Man & Woman of the Year" Sponsored by Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Mae Simmons Community Center, East 23rd & Oak.

Friday, June 17th: 7:00 p. m.

Reception Honoring Pat Lawson, NBC Naws Anchor Personality, Washington, D. C., Serving Parade Grand Marshal. Remarks by Patricia Martin, Education/Pianetarium Coorinator, Texas Tech Museum. Presentation of

Scholarship Applicants.

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

This move is necessary,

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advertisements will be at 12

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the Thursday deadline.

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Deadline

to publication day.

Saturday, June 18th: 10 a.m.

Parade from Downtown Lubbock to Mae Simmons

12:00 Noon: Welcome by Mayor McMinn Speaker: 2nd Lt. C. Christian Reese AFB

Opening of General Activities on Park. (Food Booths, Games, Live Entertainment and fun for any age groups. Youth activities at Community Center.

9:00 p. m. Youth Dance at Mae Simmons Community

Sunday, June 19th:

12:00 Noon Variety of Musical Activities

3:00 p. m. Religious Activities Sermon by Rev. A. L. Dunn

7:00 p. m. Juneteenth Scholarship Awards Banquet. Speaker: Rick Childers, Assistant City Manager, Abilene. Texas. Lubbock Memorial Civic Center, room 107.

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"Man & Woman Of Year" Will Be Named Tonight

The Lubbock Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Scrority, Inc. will present its Fourteenth Annual "Man & Woman of the Year" tonight, Thursday, Jime 16, 1988, beginning at 7 p. m. The event will be held Mae Simmons Community Center, located at East 23rd & Oak.

As in the pest years, this event is the beginning of a large weekend of activities the Junetsenth Celebration.

Nominees are persons who have done outstanding work or achievements in the community in the areas of religion, business, fraternal and/or education. Persons



Mis. Murry Peppers chosen this year will have made putstanding contributions for 1987 and

Speaker for the evening

Former City of Lubbock Employee

Rick Childers Named Speaker



Lubbock's Emancipation Proclamation Committee has named Rick Childers, former City of Lubbock employee and currently the assistant city manager of Abilene, Texas, as their Eighth Annual 'Juneteenth Awards Banquet' set for Sunday evening, June 19, 1988 at the

Center, beginning at 7 p. m. Childers, a former member of the local committee, will speak on the theme: "The True Meaning of Emancipation."

Lubbock Memorial Civic

Scholarship

The committee has also announced other activities for the annual celebration which will kick off Friday, June 17th, with a reception at Mae Simmons Community Center at 7 p. m. Special guest will be Pat Lawson, a broadcast journalist with NBC in Washington, D. C.

An added acraction at the reception will be the selection of the 1986 Miss Juneteenth.

The following morning, June 18th, the parade will begin at 10 a. m., from the north parking lot of the Memorial Civic Center, Mrs. Lawson will serve as grand marshal.

Over the pest few months, a group of local clowns have been making preparations for this annual parude, according to Harold M. Chatman, president of the Juneteenth Committee.

'we are looking forward

to these young people as they display their many talents," he said.

The parade will wind up in Mae Simmons Park after marching from dewntown where booths will open at 1 p. m. These booths will offer a variety of barbecue, fish and other delicious foods, as well as arts and crafts.

"We are in need of the community to let us know how many of them are interesting in having booths this year. We need to know as soon as possible," said Chatman.

This year, several bands, dance contests and an assortment of games will round out the entertainment in the park on Saturday.

"The fun should last at least until dusk dark," said Katie Parks, chairwoman of the booth committee.

"This year, we will provide additional comfort to the hundreds who will be in attendance with a tent and chairs," she said.

Anyone interested in operating a booth should contact Mrs. Farks at 747 2429 as soon as possible.

Climaxing the annual three day celebration will be the religious services in the park on Sunday afternoon, June 19th, at 3 p. m. when Rev. A. L. Dunn: pastor of Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church, will deliver the annual sermon. There will also be music from a gospel choir.

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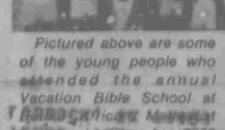
will be Mrs. Murry Peppers. an educator for the past twelve years with the Lubbock Independent School District, She is currently a content mastery teacher at Honey Elementary School. This program is designed to help. students master the particular skills necessary to

complete their present grade level.

Mrs. Pappers is an experienced speaker, and the soror ly is proud to have

her give this address.

The theme for this year's program is: "Emancipeted For Service.



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More Than 130 young

people participated in this

"We are so thankful for the help from our many friends at Sales and Lubbock. We amentima in a greater vain next year," said Mrs. Johnson.

Rev. A. L. Dunn is pastor.



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

Services were as usual last. Sunday morning, beginning with Sunday School. Last-Sunday was Youth Day. The youth were at their post of duty. They did a splendid job with the services.

The radio announcer, Alicia Henderson, gave the church news.

The altar call prayer was offered by Pastor S. C. Nash. Since this was Youth Day, the preacher for the hour was a young preacher. He was Rev. Charles Blue, formerly of Lubbock and a graduate of Dunbar High School. He brought a great message. His scripture was Phillipians 4:1 thru 8. The title of his sermon was: "Are You Sticking To Your Job?" He also brought out some interesting facts about the postage stamp. His facts were very surprising to

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many of us.

Keep praying for our sick and shut in.

Mr. Eli Woods is still a patient at Methodist Hospital.

Mary Ann Jones and two of the McCormick sisters are

Our love sympathy and prayers are with the bereaved families. Among them are the Alta Nunley family, Mary Whitten family. and the Mattie Williams family.

Mattle Williams



Mattie Williams was funeralized Monday at 11 a. m. at Matthan Heights Church of Christ with Minister Larry Hambrick officiating. Adams Plains Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

She was Rev. R. S. Stanley's mother in law. **ABBRRRRRRRRR**

Mrs. Lula Virden's aunt was funeralized Monday.

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Willia Gormany, Jr., son of Rosetta, will be attending a program of mathematics, science, engineering and computer science at Texas Tech University during June and July of this summer. Willis who completed 8th grade at Alderson Junior High was chosen because of his interest and scholarship in math and science.

The program is designed to promote interests in the field of science and to give students an opportunity to see what college study is liked. They are expected to develop responsibility and skills in study skills.

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beginning at 7 p. m. Guest speaker will be "Spud" Webb of the Atlanta Hawks, NBA professional basketbali team.

More information will be advised next week.

Will Be In Revival

Minister Samuel Lee Murrell will be in concert at the Hope Deliverance Temple Church, 2812 East 4th Street, June 26th thru

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June 30th. Elder Charles Tanner is the host pastor.

Services will begin nightly at 7 p. m.

Opportunity

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Local Student Recognized

Lori Middleton, a 1987 graduate and recently completing her freshman year at Texas A & M University, was recognized ac an outstanding participant by the National

Scolety of Black Engineera. Lori has also been selected as a candidate for membership Outstanding College students of America. Mambership is based on

academic and extra curricular achievements. Only 5% of all college students in America are inducted each year.

Lori is the granddaughter of John and Lucille Middleton.

Congratulations on a job well done, and may your greater have accomplichments.

Grateful Appreciation

"I will not leave you desolate," said Jesus. And he didn't. Friends, you have been so comforting. We saw every kind deed which were many, many comforting words, flowers, cards, food, visits and most of all, your prayers. You are some of the nicest people in the world, and they are all in Lubbock, Texas.

We the family of Elaine Nash would like to thank each of you. May God continue to bless your life, and your loved ones. This is our continued prayer.

The Sanco Nash Family



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It Needs To Be Said

Mystery Writer

"I hen the going gets tough, the tough gets going." going can't get much tougher. Whatever makes times tough, our communitry has its share. With all the problems facing our community, there is one factor. common to all the problems, that factor: "lack of home training."

It has been said by many: "there is nothing that can be done with east Lubbock Blacks, 15 to 40 years old." That our only hope is to work hard with those under 12. This is good, but it's like taking a bath with your clothes on, you can show dirty water and some odor is removed, but underneath dirty and odor is still there. The Boys Club, Little League and all the organizations can go all out providing that child with sportsmanship, team play, hygiene and the many other worthwhile aspects of life they instill. However, as with school, one hour of home environment can ruin an all day session at the Boys Club, etc. Home life must reeforce the training and good character learned elsewhere. What good is it to have rules against profanity at the Boys Club when profanity in the home is used like the air we breathe. Are we helping the child when the community pays for their participation in activities while the parents spend their money on drugs, alcohol and bingo. Yes, there is a "catch 22" to this, why punish the child for the sins of the parent?"

As & cks, we are caught in the situation of being concer ad about our youth while their parents sit idly by concerned about other things. Food, clothing and shelter is only one piece of the pie of parental responsibility. Spiritual, moral, respect, self worth and many other pieces must be instilled to complete the pie. Too many of our children are growing like weeds in a field and the concerned people who work with them are temporarily pruning them, but a weed is a weed.

Parents must take on the responsibility for their children. Any parent who states: "they can't do anything with a child born of them, should be shot at sunrise. If you instill the parent/child relationship even at 40, 50 years old, that child will stil heed your words. But too many parents think the toddler's antics are cute and funny, that the pre schooler is going through a period of adjustment and the child in elementary is minsunderstood. Well try these: "what makes you laugh can make you cry." "Spare the rod, spoil the child." What you sow, so shall you reap." If that youth will not listen and mind their parent, can not be controlled by the parent, do not show respect for the parent and has no responsibility within the home, what type adult will they be? Raising the child is the foundation for adulthood. With a good foundation, they will not collapse as adults.

Our prisms are filled with young Black men and women, the drug users among our young Blacks is epidemic in numbers, and Black children having children is way too high. The reason is simple, they are not getting the foundation as a child within the home to be able to cope and survive in the so called "straight world." Blacks can no longer be part time parents, we must return to full time parents. We must not spare the rod, we must be firm with discipline, we must become involved with the activities our children participate in, they must learn responsibility within the home. With home training, programs such as Boys Clubs, Little League will be the reenforeament that shows the child that outside the home require, the same "stick to it ness" of teh rules as within

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So, this is our resolution to you. 'F at free at anytime to call this office for information concerning this newspaper. or any other malter that is of concern to you.

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the home. One without the other is not producing the desire results simply because after they enter their teens, our community has little to offer. The home must refocus their priority to once again placae the development of men and women as their primary objective for their What good is hoping your child will be a doctor, lawyer or indian chief, when all you are instilling is how to be able to life off others.

Letter to Editor

"Unhappy Over Mystery Writer"

Dear Mr. Patterson and Mr. Richardson:

It grieves me that you continue to print nonsense in your paper which is intended to divide rather than unite the Black Community. I thought both of you had more integrity than is being exhibited. I feel that you have invested the integrity in your paper and of yourselves in the random rabble rousing ramblings of a pasychopath, whose main interest is in seeing the Black Community involved in racial strife, in order to create an opportunity to 'lead' Black folks, be catapulated to instant fame as the savior of Lubbock's Blacks' civil rights.

Mystery or no mystery, no people need a schizophrenia trying to lead them anywhere. It is no mystery that your article came out several days prior to the NAACP Membership Celebration of which the City purchased two tickets for you and you did not attend. There were 73 others who also did not use the tickets purchased. I am disappointed that there are that many intelligent people who permit an unseen no writing cowardly acting self appointed 'leader' to persuade them.

The newly elected president to the LISD Board of Education, Mrs. Nancy Neal, had a message to the community about the directions of the Lubbock schoosl which will affect every person with children in school directly, and rest of us indirectly. Those of us too cheap to buy a \$10.00 NAACP membership, WILL BE SENDING OUR CHILDREN!

The Lubbock Chief of Police, Mr. Tom Nichols made it plain to the audience that the reason young Blacks are not qualifying for the police force in Lubbock is because they cannot read or use dope. The NAACP will take credit for making certain that they do have the right to apply and try to qualify. There is no doubt that the mystery writer identifies that group.

Mr. Patterson and Mr. Richardson, at present, both receive monetary benefits from public tax funds; positions made possible to both of you by a volunteer, non paid organization, the NAACP. In addition, you own a newspaper where you can accentuate the positive by exemplifying the old maxim "the pen is mighter than the sword." At present however, instead of seeing economic, social, and cultural progress in the Black community, I see:

1. A rag publishing yallow journalism.

2. Income for Mr. Richardson from the Black Chamber of Entreprenuers as the CEO.

3. Income for the Southwest Digest from increased circulation in papers by those who thrive on sensationalism who'h is negative to the Black community and anyone who tries to lift humanity.

4. A-decrease in the sale of papers to people who subscribe on a regular basis and buy advertisements which appeal to decent people.

5. The assassination of a viable civil rights organization in Lubbock and the character assassination of its leaders, which is standerous, making the paper libelous while lowering the integrity of its editors, as well as its credibility.

6. The creation of a vulnerable Black community

Letter to Editor "Very Upset"

My name is Turley R. Thornton. I graduated from Texas Tech University in 1977. 1 worked Bell Southwestern Telephone Company for eight years completing my degree work at Tech. Since graduating I have taught and substituted three years in area schools. I now live at Buffalo Springs and work for Manpower Temporary Service.

In April, 1987, I was placed under arrest. The charge was "Dog at Large." I was forced to turn myself in at the Lubbook County Jail because I was unable to pay a fine of \$100.00 or post a bond of \$200.00. I was booked and placed in the holding area of the jail where remained approximately 12 hours. I was never offered a personal recognizance bond, even though I have lived, worked and owned property in Lubbock my entire life.

My elderly parents were helpless as they viewed me through the thick glass in the visiting area. My young son was so upset when he came in with a neighbor later that night that I relented and let my neighbor make my bond. After getting "sprung" from that awful place, I got a lawyer, another \$112.50. On the day of docket call, my attorney was told over the phone that the District Attorney's Office did not wish to try the case and Judge Stafford did not want to hear it. Was this an "abuse of process" or "malicious prosecution??? PF.OBABLY

Could this happent you? Maybe not, but if you ever ask questions at Buffalo you could be a visitor in "Mr. Keesee's House."

Travis Ware and Sonny Keesee both rail at the Bureau of Prison Standards about having to provide a hotle for criminals. I can tell you that if they ever spend any time in the place, they would not think it was so great.

Turley R. Thornton 3709 19th Street, No. 485 Lubbock, Texas 79410

through yellow journalism which can erode social equality and economic security.

7. An excellerated exodus of the young and old minorities who find life in a minority society characterized by slave mentality and a plantation syndrone unbearable.

8. An increased awareness of organizations for the advancement of racism; one of which the mystery writer is a member and spokesman.

9. Ultimate demise of the paper and the Black

Chamber. Sirs, when the mystery writer comes into your establishment and steals your papers, hot off the press,

ready for distribution, and in your attempt to restrain it, it falls and hits its head on your typograph machine and dies; please, don't call the NAACP. Of course, we would be prone to want to help you protect your civil rights to protect your business, but we know you do not believe in that. We could not consider protecting the their because he does not havew a right to steal your papers and I suppose the typograph machine di not have any business in the way of the theif's head in your place of business. NOW! "WHO YOU GO!NA CALL? GHOSTBUSTERS?"

Show the people of Lubbock that you are worth trusting; that you are men and not facimilies. Thank you for allowing me to address you since this is

Sincerely,

not a civil right.

Renetta W. Howard, Citizen

(Editor's Note: Everyone has a right to their opinion. This is America. Records speak for themselves. Compara the Digest's record against any organization as for as informing all citizens, promoting image building, civil, social and economic uplifting activities for the good of all Lubbock citizens. We are a newspaper and we must report the news as it is not as it should be. This is our creed and what we are about. Let the public be the judge. As far as names, check the results of the people who name was called against the people who are complaining and see who has the most eccomplishments.

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JUNETEENTH I THIS N
THAT ... is so happy to see another ... JUNETEENTH
CELEBRATION ... become a reality again this year
This is the EIGHTH ANNUAL ... as far as we can count the years but there were others in the past only ... UNCLE ALMO ... and a few others could tell you

about You've done well ...JUNETEENTH PEOPLE and we wish you well You've weathered the CRITICISM by those who know all the answers to the questions but none of the questions You must continue to stand tall in the area of those who may criticize you for what you are doing Just we attempt to do each week at the SOUTHWEST DIGEST! CONGRATS FOR A JOB WELL DONE!

SPEAKING OF CRITICS!
THIS N THAT ... would like to call your attention to a letter written by ...
RENETTA HOWARD
who appears to be calling for a ... BOYCOTT ... of the ...
SOUTHWEST DIGEST ...
because we ran an article ...
by the ... MYSTERY
by the .. MYSTERY WRITER ... whom some say we know

who that person is AGAIN NO BUT NOI ... THIS N THAT do not know who that person really is and don't want to know who the person is Just a few weeks ago this Mystery Writer gave the SOUTHWEST DIGEST a hard line but we still ran the comments THIS N THAT would like for you to know that if it be the WISHES TO BOYCOTT ... this newspaper then we can understand but we still must continue to do our job Really this newspaper who has tried for ELEVEN YEARS has stood on the battlefield of frustrastion trying to do what we thought was BEST FOR ALL OF US and write that we are a YELLOW RAG SHEET ... is really hard to believe but we will keep on KEEPING ON Perhaps THIS N THAT won't be around when this ... weekly Black paper becomes a GIANTwe will still hold on No doubt about it THE SOUTHWEST DIGEST has been and will continue to be a SUPPORTER OF THE NAACP and that will never change.... Oh by the way ... SISTER HOWARD T. J. PATTERSON had a speaking engagement in AMARILLO speaking to the members of the Amarillo Chapter of the NAACP and they did send their hello ... to each of you So you see THIS N THAT was busy taking care of NAACP BUSINESS In our sister city's backyard....

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SOMETHING NEW! THIS

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advise you of a ...
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Galliee Missionary Baptist Church Crosbyton, Texas

Services were as usual at Galilee Missionary Baptist Church last Sunday. Our church is located at 464 North Front Street.

Sunday School was well served as Director Harris and her class workers were on the move for the Lord. Keep up the good work.

The morning worship hour was food for the soul as Pastor Eugene Gentry spoke from I Chronicles 22:18 & 19, where he gathered the thought: "Let's Arise And Build The Lord's House," Pastor Gentry advocated that the seed of progress must be planted in the lives of the youth of this age. If there is to be a future for them. He also said Christian characters must be motivated in them as a way of life style.

Last week was a glorious time for the Galilee Church which hosted the Sunday School and B. T. U. Congress of the Caprock District Association. We had a wonderful time in this Congress Session.

Pastor Gentry gave words of appreciation to all who worked so diligently for the

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cause. May God bless you

We, the members of Galilee do trust that each District Congress Sessions was a blessed one.

Our prayers go out to all who we are duty bound to

pray for in times like these.

From The Pastor's Desk

No matter how well leaders may prepare, many services are serioulsy handicapped by the indifferent or unintelligent attitude of the assembled company. This shows itself in laughter, talking, restlessness, failure to join worshippfully in the singing, and by a general stir which interferes with those who try to give reverent attention. Often it takes ten minutes or more to change this atmosphere and sometimes it seems impossible to generate a real spirit of worship throughout the entire service. Many of our young men and women leave the worship without being helped because of unbalance situations. Moral education coes from

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The Outreach Prayer Breakfast

Members of the Outreach Prayer Breakfast met in the home of Sister Queene Ester Giddings last Saturday morning at 9 a.m. This sister is truly a dedicated faith filled woman. She is invaluable in many ministries. To name one, the telephone prayer ministry. It is so important. We praise God for this sister.

President Christine Burleson presided over the meeting with opening devotion scripture being

"And lest I should be exalted above measure through the abundance of the revelations, there was given to me a thorn in the flesh, the messenger of satan to buffet me, lest I should be exalted above measure.

"For this thiny I besought the Lord thrice, that it might deplart from me (9) And he said unto me, my grace is sufficient for thee: For my strength is made perfect in weakness, most giadly, therefore, will I rather glory in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest

This teacher said: "No matter the problems God is sufficient. It will see you through. What a spirit filled lesson this was by Sister Day. We truly love her, all the

"Lord, They Say I'm Free, But I Aint Yet!"

We Thank God For Jesus

Deuteronmy 6:10, 11, 12a: And it shall be when the Lord thy God shall have brought thee into the land which he sweare unto thy father, to Abraham, to isaso, and to Jacob. To give thee great and goodly cities, which thou buildest not, and houses full of all good things, which thou filledst not, and wells digged, which thou diggedst not. Vineyards and olive trees which thou plantedst not; when thou shalt have eaten and be full; then beware lest thou lorget the Lord.

Lord, our forefathers prayed; and worshipped only you. For you said: "I'll bless your seeds, and see them thru." Even in the cotton patches, they sung unto you and prayed. They kept your commandments on their hearts. "Ail day."

You said, "Pass the commandments to the children on down. You said: "W. k and talk of you, when they were

Deuteronomy 11:18 thru 20: The Lord said, therefore shall aye lay up these my words in your heart and in your soul, and bind them for a sign upon your hand. That they may be as frontlets between your eyes. And shall ye teach them your children, speaking of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, when thou liest down, and when thou risest up. And thou shall write them upon the door post of thine house, and upon

Lord, but in the 60's all the U.S.A. wanted to be free. "We no longer wanted to walk, and talk with thee." °°° The Lie that deceived this nation, you're free °°°

You're free and have your rights, Gay Rights, Women's Rights, Abortion Rights, Black Rights, White Rights, No. School Prayer Rights, No Spanking Rights, Runaway Rights, K. K. Rights, No Death Penalty Rights, Kill the Family Rights, Shacking Rights, and Drug Rights.

Romans 6:23: For the rages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ Our Lord.

Lord, we've got "sin" and its all over this mighty land. Just a "Ittle "The Leader o dn't take care of, now it's out of hand,"

Romans 1:21, 22: Because that when they knew God, they glorified him not as God. Neither were thankful, but became vain in their imagination, and their foolish heart was darkened. Professing themselves to be wise, the became fools.

Lord, we're told you can work the jobs, where the big \$\$\$ is . We can live in the neighborhoods where the other races live.

"We can marry any race we so desire. We can work any race, we want to hire."

Lord, we can eat in restaurants now, even go through the front door. We can use some restrooms, we couldn't

"Lord, we have all these rights to do and go any place. But if satan lives within ours, "ve're yet a slave." Proverbs 13:15: Good understanding giveth favour; but

the way of trangressors is hard. God is not through with us yet. Let's pray for one another always.

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Psalms 23.

Sister Annie Day taught the morning scripture lesson. Her text was II Corinthians 12:1 thru 10. Her key verses were Verses 8 & 9.

"Wait on God. Let Him give you revelation."

upon me.

people of God.

Thoughts of the week:

Stop!

Look! Listen!

Saturday, June 18, 1988 at 8 p. m., and on high noon Sunday, June 19, 1988 the members and pastor of the Tree of Life Sanctuary COGIC, 4117 East 2nd Street, will have a great program.

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28:24; Numbers 33:55. What do yourthink??

is there someone who's a pain in the neck for you?? "A messenger of satan.

Breakfast was served. It was nice and hot and deliciouss. "COMEI"

We will go to Parkway Nursing Center Saturday. It is located at 114 Cherry

Avenue. It will all began at 10 a. m. Also the Juneteenth Celebration. Let's get involvedii

To our bereaved families, our Lord only can heal a broken heart. He specializes

All sick and hurting, Jesus has already done His part. It's up to you. Mark 11:22 Con't on Page 8

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HE IS: SOON COMING BODILY FOR HIS SAINTS.

- 1. This is promised by the Holy Spirit through 3 witnesses. First, we have the witness of Christ Himself. He says In John 14:3 "And If I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also." Secondly, we have the vitness of the angels in Acts 1:11 "Which also said, Ye men of Galliee, 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." Thirdly, we have the witness of the apostle Paul who says in 1 Thessalonians 4:16 "For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven".
- 2. His coming will be suddenly. Jesus says in Matthew 24:27 "For as the lightning cometh out of the east, and shineth even unto the west; so shall also the coming of the Son of
- 3. The day and hour of HIs coming is not known. Matthew 25:13 says "Watch therefore, for ye know neither the day nor the hour wherein the Son of man cometh." Jesus says in Matthew 24:36 and 42 "But of that day and hour knoweth no man, no, not the angels of heaven, but my Father only. Watch therefore: for ye know not what hour your Lord doth
- 4. We should be looking for His coming soon. James 5:8 says "Be ye also patient; stabilsh your hearts: for the coming of the Lord draweth nigh." Hebrews 9:28 says "So Christ was once offered to bear the sins of many; and unto them that look for him shall he appear a second time without sin unto salvation."
- 5. The saved are to prepare for His coming by purifying ourselves. 1 John 3:2-3 says "Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and It doth not yet appear what we shall be: but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him; for we shall see him as he is, And every man that hath this hope in him pucifieth himself, even as he is pure." We prepare for His coming by completing the work He has given to each of us. of asys and In Mark 13:32-37 "But of that day and that hour knoweth no man, no, not the angels... which are in heaven, neither the Son, but the father. Take ye heed, watch and pray: for ye know not when the time is. For the Son of man is as a man taking a far journey, who left his house, and gave authority to his servents, and to every man his work, and commanded the porter to watch. Watch ye therefore: for ye know not when the master of the house cometh, at even, or at midnight, or at the cockcrowing, or in the morning: Lest coming suddenly he find you sleeping. And what I say unto you I say unto all, Watch." Matthew 24:42-51 also says "Watch therefore: for ye know not what hour your Lord doth come. But know this, that If the goodman of the house had known in what watch the thief would come, he would have watched, and would not have suffered his house to be broken up. Therefore be ye also ready: for In such an hour as ye think not the Son of man cometh. Who then is a faithful and wise servant, whom his lord hath made ruler over his household, to give them meat in due season? Blessed is that servent, whom his lord when he cometh shall find so doing. Verily I say unto you, That he shall make him ruler over all his goods. But and if that evil servant shall say in his heart, My lord delayeth his coming; And shall begin to smite his fellowservants, and to eat and drink with the drunken; The lord of that servent shall come in a day when he looketh not for him, and in an hour that he is not aware of, And shall cut him asunder, and appoint him his portion with the hypocrites: there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth." We can also prepare for HIs coming by reaching our loved ones and others, with the gospel, for It says in Matthew 24:36-42 "But of that day and hour knoweth no man, no, not the angels of heaven, but my Father only. But as the days of No-e were, so shall also the coming of the Son of man be. For as in the days that were before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day that No-e entered Into the ark, And knew not until the flood came, and took them all away; so shall also the coming of the Son of man be. Then shall two be in the field; the one shall be taken, and the other left. Two women shall be grinding at the mill: the one shall be taken, and the other left. Watch therefore: for ye know not what hour your Lord doth come."

THE ORDER OF EVENTS AT HIS COMING.

1. The dead IN CHRIST (saved dead) shall rise, and they will receive glorified bodies. It says in 1 Theasaionians 4:16 that "The dead in Christ shall rise first." and It says in I Corinthians 15:42-44 "So also is the resurrection of the dead. It is sown in corruption; It is raised in incorruption: It is sown in dishonour; It is raised in glory: It is sown in weakness; it is raised in power: It is sown a natural body; it is raised a spiritual body. There is a natural body, and there is a spiritual body." And verse 52 says "In a moment, In the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed." 2. The living Christians will be given giorified bodies, and shall go up to meet the Lord In the air. ! Corinthians 15:51-53 says "Behold, I shew you m mystery; We shall not al' sleep, but we shall all be changed, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet small sound, and the deed shall be reised incorruptible, and we shall be changed. For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality." in 1 Thessalonians 4:17 says Then we waich are all we and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord." In Philippians 3:20-21 it says "For our conversation is in neeven; from whence also we look for the Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ: Who shall change our vile body, that it may be fashloned like unto his glorious nody, according to the working whereby he is able even to subdue all things unto himself." And I John 3:2 says "Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and If doth not yet appear what we shall be; but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him;

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for we shall see him as he is."

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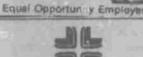
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Advantages of the program, as listed by school district officials, are that the program will provide a community service to children during the summer who otherwise would not be getting any other nutritious meals, summer employment for school food service employees, and savings to the school district. The program is being paid for the U. S. D. A.

Final Rites Set

Final rites for Sherwood "Slim" Ellis, 75, will be held today, Thursday, June 16, 1988 at the Ford Memorial COGIC, 1602 Quirt Avenue, with Rev. R. L. Caro, pastor of Tree of Life, officiating, Bishop W. H. Watson is

pastor.

Arrangements will be under the direction of McCarty Funeral Directors of Littlefield.

Mr. Ellis died Sunday,

Area News

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emulating examples. Other words, living what we testify so others can then can start the learning process copying moral behavior. "Moral education starts long before the book of education."

We can build the House of "God" right when the walls of intellectual scholarship is set firmly on the foundation of moral commitment.

"And that foundation is Christ."

Rev. Eugene Gentry pastor; Sister Laverren Fullbright, reporter.

Mary Cato

Supervisor

Letter To Editor Continued from Page 4 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.

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He was a retired farmer laborer. He married the forme Rosie B. Hearne who preceded him in death in 1977.

His survivors include: two daughters: Mrs. Rosie Aimes of Commerce, Texas and Mrs. Geneva (Rosie Lee) Ford of Lubbock, Texas; five sons: Wilford Ray (Boots) Ellis, Rev. Jarry Ellis, Terry Ellis, Elwood Ellis, all of Lubbock, Texas, and Rev. Jimmie Ellis of Houston, Texas, four sisters: Mrs. Emma Les Hardaway of Dallas, Texas, Mrs. Martha Smith, Ida Ellis and Orrie Ellis, all of Lamesa, Texas; four brothers: Mr. Raymond Ellis and Jim Ellis of Lubbock, Texas, Mr. Archie Ellis of Lamesa, Texas and Ret. Sgt. Will Ellis of El Paso. Texas; 24 grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren, one great great grandchild.

The family will be meeting at 5513 43rd Street.

The grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

Outreach Prayer

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thru 26. Follow the rules.
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Georgia Thomas, \$10.00. We walk by faith, and not by sight.

Thank you so kindly for your gifts, large or small. We love you if no gift at all. Just because you are you.

Remember this weekend, it is very important to us as a Black race. Have a positive attitude, and positive things will happen.

Closing prayer was offered by Sister Burleson.
Sister Christine Burleson, president; Sister Annie Johnson, vice president; Sister Dorothy Hood, reporter.



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