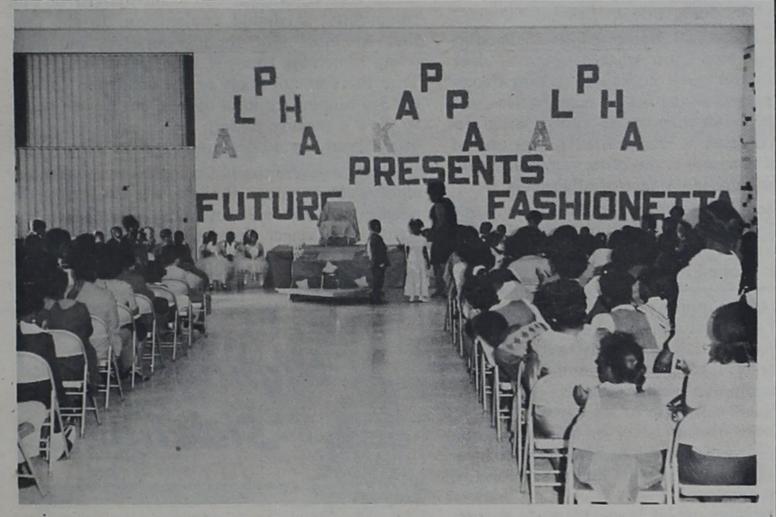
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Dedicated to Informing the Negro Citizens of West Texas

Dallas Co-Ed Tech Homecoming Queen Finalist

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CROWNING CEREMONIES OF "Little Miss Future Fashionetta" which were recently held at the Mae Simmons Community Center here in Lubbock.

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Angela Davis was crowned Miss Future Fashionetta at the Alpha Kappa Alpha, Inc. nationally sponsored affair.

Recently Angela Davis, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall of 2627 East Auburn Street, was crowned Little Miss Future Fashionetta of 1970. Angela is a first grade student at Bozeman Elementary School.

The first runner-up to Miss Future Fashionetta is Tanya Renee Baldwin, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Baldwin of

Roslyn Elaine Williams, Texas Tech University junior, has been chosen as a finalist in the Tech Homecoming Queen contest.

Miss Williams, a microbiology and pre-med major, was one of 12 girls chosen by the student body out of a field of 45 contestants.

The attractive young co-ed is from Dallas, Texas, and the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Williams.

She was nominated by S.O.U.L., the Student Organization for Unity and Leadership.

S.O.U.L. is "designed to serve as a means of social expression and to provide a medium for participation in college activities. It affords an opportunity for identity to the newly enrolled Negro student".

The queen was selected in a final election on Wednesday, Oct. 21st.

Homecoming weekend at Tech, October 23-24, will be filled with bonfires, pep rallies, parades, receptions, reunions, dinners and dances.

Football on Saturday will see the Texas Tech Red Raiders clash | S.O.U.L.

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Texas Panhandle Community Action Corp. Sets Bookkeeping and Accounting Course

By George Parrish

The Texas Panhandle Community Action Corporation will be starting a Bookkeeping and Accounting Course (Basic) November 4, 1970, and extended to June 31, 1971, to train adults to become employable bookkeepers at job entry level, and to perform various bookkeeping functions required by most businesses.

age, qualifying under the OEO Poverty Guideline, is eligible for enrollment.

Primary emphasis is toward the disadvantaged, low-income minori-



with the Mustangs of SMU. Homecoming queen will be crowned during the half-time activities.

Miss Williams is a member of Delta Sigma Theta, a newly colonized service sorority on the Tech campus, and is also a member of

ANGELA DAVIS Miss Future Fashionetta

Deadline Nears for Emergency Housing Applications Here in Lubbock Says FHA

Glenn Bailey, Director of the | gency housing before the October Lubbock FHA Insuring Office, announced last week a termination date for accepting applications for Emergency Housing for Lubbock and surrounding towns. The last day applications will be accepted, according to instructions received from the HUD Area Office in Dallas, will be October 30, 1970. This will allow all eligible families time to make application for emer-

30 cut-off date. Mr. Bailey emphasized the Emergency Housing Program provides temporary housing to disaster victims for one year maximum or until disaster victims can obtain permanent housing. The present rental policies for Lubbock Disaster Relief Housing will remain in effect until May 12, 1971. No emergency housing will be available after that date.

2018 East 28th Street.

Miss Future Fashionetta was sponsored by the Eta Delta Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. The Fashionetta is a national project of Alpha Kappa Alpha, Inc., presented to aid the organizations' scholarship fund.

CAA Youth Program Established Here

The Community Action Agency of Lubbock has gained another arm in reaching the people. For the past several months a youth program has been in operation to help that neglected portion of the population. The C.A.A. Youth Development Program is attempting to further the opportunities of area youth. Through educational and financial endeavors the C.A.A. hopes to initiate the program to better younger people.

In the past years there has only been a "crash" summer program, but, as of this fiscal year, a complete year round youth program will be conducted in Lubbock. The number one priority of the youth program is youth involvement in economic development. To solicit this involvement, the program is currently setting up youth councils in the following areas: Parkway, Arnett Benson, Guadalupe, Mae Simmons and Chris Harwell.

The objective of these councils, made up of young people age 14 to 25, is to give the young people an active voice in what programs will be started in their areas.

Anyone interested in involvement in these councils should contact John Norwood or Kathy Addison at 763-5261.

Any adult 18 to 25 years of

City Man's Body Found by Neighbor

A Lubbock man, Hill Davis, 54, of 1813 Avenue D, was found dead in the bathroom of his residence Monday evening by a neighbor, Will Baker. Justice of the Peace Wayne LeCroy ruled death due to natural causes.

Services for Davis are pending with Sedberry Funeral Home.

Scout-O-Rama Set Here November 14th

The South Plains Council of Boy Scouts of America will hold the 1970 Scout-O-Rama November 14. There will be five big shows throughout the council. In Brownfield the Scout-O-Rama will be held on the Courthouse Square: In Levelland in the Texan Dome: In Crosbyton, The Pioneer Memorial Building: In Plainview at the Agricultural Center; and in Lubbock it will be in the Municipal Coliseum.

The Scout-O-Rama is an opportunity to show what Scouting does and boys of all units will be displaying their projects through booth demonstrations. Scouting celebrates 60 years of service to our country in 1970 so you are invited to go out and see the varied activities of the Scouting program.

ty groups.

Classes will be scheduled on Wednesday evenings from 7:00 to 10:00 in the North Heights Elementary School at 607 N. Hughes here in Amarillo.

A well-qualified and certified teacher with business and secreterial teaching experience will present the instruction.

No fees will be collected from the students if they qualify under the OEO Poverty Guideline.

A certificate of credit for satisfactory completion of the course will be issued so that students will have proof of accomplishment.

Enrollment will be limited to twenty (20) students. For further information call Bill Cheshire at . 373-6881.

Voters Must Change Address by Nov. 30

If persons displaced by the May 11th tornado expect to vote in the November 3rd general election, they must change their registration address at least four days before the election.

Any person wishing to change his address for voting must take his present registration receipt to the tax office (located in the Court House building) on or before October 30th.

The regulation applys to anyone who has moved his residence within the county since registering.

This does not remove the fact that anyone could not still be eligible to return to their original voting precinct to vote if they desired and if their registration address has not been moved.

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EDITORIALS

Let's Get Out and Vote!

It is time for us to get out and vote come Tuesday, November 3rd! This election, which will feature the replacement of a U. S. Senator, choosing of a governor, state officials, and county commissioner, could very well be the start of something big for the black people in our community for the 70's, if we turn out in great numbers.

We may as well face facts and call a spade a spade. The white man is tired of us complaining, asking and begging for things and then not being willing to stand up for what we believe. If you don't believe me, remember that nothing is given to anyone that is worthwhile—we must work for what we want, together!

We all know that the white folks do not need anybody to remind them that they are men. Yet, we do!! We need to start showing the white man that there are so many things we can do, and vote is one of the most important. Many of us used to think that protocol and common sense required that black people stand back and let the white man speak for us, defend us, and lead us from be-

my views

By Eddie P. Richardson

Recently I have been threatened, talked about, and talked to by leaders, so-called leaders, a few



ministers and others about the way I present "My Views" and who I choose to talk about. In the past week I have been told that if I do not stop saying all the "nasty" things I say, then certain people in our community will see to it that the West Texas Times is put

out of business. I have to tell it like it is. I cannot say something is good when it is not, nor am I able to see someone or some group take credit for something that they did not do. I do not intend to let anyone get by with fooling the people, just because some people have told me I should do the same thing. And believe me, when I do see something good done by someone in our community, I certainly will tell that also—which is what I am going to try to do this week.

I mentioned last week that the editor and I visited with the Ministerial Alliance of East Lubbock last week. As was brought out in a news story in last week's paper, the alliance stated that there would be an endeavor on their part to take a more active part in the affairs of the entire community. Superintendent M. J. Alexander, president of the alliance for this year, stated that he as president of the alliance wanted to go on record as moving ahead and working with the community and to also work and meet with various groups of the community to help solve the problems of the people

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hind the scenes in our fight. This has been the essence of black politics. To hell with that! It's time for a drastic change in regard to black people's thinking toward politics. Let's get off our knees and fight our own battles. This is the only way to win back our self-respect. And if the white man continues to try to keep us from becoming men, at least we can die like true American men, fighting the system at the polls.

Going to the polls on November 3rd can be a means of exercising what is right. Many times as black people we do not challenge, on the spot, every instance of racism, overt or covert, committell against us or our people. But, in many cases, we choose instead to swallow our spit and go on smiling, and in doing this we become "Oreos".

Now we know that we are guilty of these actions, and we also know what happens to black people who stick their necks out and say things. And if we believe all the lies we tell ourselves, and then see these lies in print, everyone would acclaim that because it was printed it was one of the greatest chapters in the history of man's justifiable cowardance in the face of other men.

As men, let's begin snatching our lies away. Let's start shouting the painful truth that whites as well as blacks do not want to hear. And let's stop doing these things because it's easy, the easy way out!

here. Most of the ministers present at the meeting agreed that the local ministers had been "kind of foot dragging", but they were ready to move ahead. Now if that isn't good progress within our community, I really don't know what is.

I would personally like to see a Jessie Jackson, Andrew Young, Jessie Bevel or Martin L. King emerge here. It would really be beautiful. We have the potential here, and I am the first to say I would like to see it developed.

If the ministers are as ready to move as they claim they are then it is time to build a fire under the teachers, and the other professional or "white collar" people in the black community, along with the various organizations we have functioning here.

Someway, somehow, every organization and group in the community must be made aware that unity and cooperation is what is necessary if we are ever going to help our people. This includes the ministers, the teachers, sororities, fraternities, the federation of choirs, social and civic clubs, and the youngsters of our community.

This is the idea and reason behind the United Black Coalition and I believe that many of you who have never attended a meeting of this group would enjoy the speaker that will be present tonight, and I personally feel sure he has an idea that would be beneficial to the entire community. If you have the chance come on out, you needn't worry about being asked to join, we just want some interested people to see what we are trying to do for East Lubbock and its citizens.

Incidently, the *Times* plans to be in business for a long time yet, but if you have any opinions, write to me, "My Views", % West Texas Times, Box 225, Lubbock, Texas 79408.

Down To Earth Is Voter Apathy A Sin?

The other day, I had an opportunity to read a recent report made by the U. S. Civil Rights Commission involving a survey of racial employment patterns. It showed, without confusion, that minority group workers (emphasis on blacks) usually hold the menial jobs of government (public jurisdictions). The survey showed that we (blacks) are street cleaners, trash collectors, janitors, hospital orderlies, elevator operators and night watchmen. Few achieve white-collar status. Those who do usually become clerks, typists, or low grade technical personnel in hospitals and related health services.

With this happening this day and time-and being able to witness the same pattern in our community, it should awaken you to the fact that we must quit fooling ourselves and start doing something about it, especially at the polls. True, there are not many on the ballot for November 3rd running for local offices, but we can begin to show a positive pattern which could very well bring about a good beginning here in West Texas.

I'm sure you're tired of being taken for granted about a lot of things. Prove to the local and state people that you are not going to be taken for granted any longer. Prove to the many politicians who must answer to the voters that the black can vote in great numbers come November 3rd.



Austin-Tax-free financial incentives are recommended by Texas' top officials to lure new industry to the Lone Star state.

Gov. Preston Smith did come out for the added attraction at no cost to taxpayers. Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes said he agreed that revenue bonds to help pay industry finance locations would be the preferred route for legislation.

Both men spoke here at the governor's annual conference on industrial expansion.

Smith also advocated a pre-employment industrial training program to fill the need for trained labor. He pledged his efforts to maintain a favorable tax climate for industrial development.

James W. McGrew, Texas Research League director, underscored the importance of the recommendations when he told the conference that Texas will need to provide 600,000 new jobs because of the predicted population increase during the next decade.

Sponsored by the Texas Industrial Commission and hosted by Governor Smith, the conference honored six industries for expansion and economic impact on their communities during 1969.

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Harvey Cox, controversial evangelical theologian, claims that the basic sin of all humanity is not proud rebellion against God. It is the far-less dramatic and less noble sin of sloth. It is refusal to accept our responsibility. It is lethargy in which we quietly abandon struggle to take charge of the universe which God has committed to our care.

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By Jimmy R. Allen

Periodically politicans and editorial writers lament the dry rot of apathy which threatens the functioning of a democracy. And well they might.

Of the 7,800,000 adult Texans estimated by the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas, only 4,000,000 have bothered to register to vote. Of these 4,000,000 registered voters, only 3,790,406 voted in the top voting attraction of allthe presidential race in 1968. The apathy of citizens about the democratic process is disturbing.

The religious dimension of this apathy lies in whether a failure to vote is sinful. The Bible says nothing of citizens' dissipation in voting processes. This kind of development had not occurred in government during biblical times. The nearest counterpart to it was the Greek form of democracy which was limited to a few hundred persons. It is obvious that New Testament Christians decided their own business with prayerful participation in democratic procedures.

Principles, however, are revealed in the Bible about being responsible for opportunity. "To him that knoweth to do good and doeth it not, to him it is sin." (James 4:17) Cox's provocative book, On Not Leaving It to the Snake, calls for men to move aggressively to the role God designed for them.

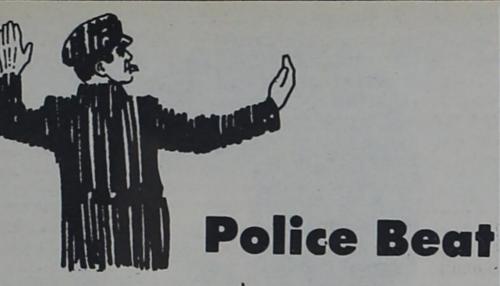
The man who fails to vote on any issue of moral content gives assent by his silence to things which damage man.

Lives destroyed by drunken drivers result from voter apathy if liquor outlets are allowed to continue to increase. Alcohol related deaths on American highways each year outnumbered all American deaths in Vietnam since the beginning of the war.

Children, blighted by poverty and having no place to play, manufacture their thrills in street gangs while apathetic voters fail to act on bond issues for parks.

Petty politicians captured by special interests detrimental to public good ride in on the wave of voter apathy.

If sin indeed means "missing the mark" (the Greed word for sin), the failure to vote qualifies. Edmund Burke summarized it well "the only thing necessary for evil to prevail is for good men to do nothing."



House Burglary

Mrs. Harriet Evans, 1712 East 13th Street, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that someone unknown entered her house.

According to Mrs. Evans, a stero record player, valued at \$200.00, and two records were taken.

It is believed that the persons entered through the bathroom window which was missing at the time of investigation.

Simple Assault

Yes, there is something called "simple assault." If you ask Charles Jones of Reese Air Force Base, he'll tell you that a trio of strong men did commit "simple assault" on him one night last week when they struck him over the forehead with a bottle.

It is believed that he knows who the men were, however at this time they were not in custody.

Aggravated Assault

In another case of assault, Lubbock police were summoned to Methodist Hospital in regard to a man who apparently had been in a fight. The victim, Josha Stubblefield, told police that he was on his way home when everything broke loose. He was in the 2800 block of East 28th Street when an unknown person threw bottles or bits of glass at him.

As a result, Mr. Stubblefield was treated for several facial cuts.

House Burglary

did enter his house while he was away.

Once inside, the person unknown did take a piggy bank which contained approximately \$35.00 worth of change. It is believed that entry was gained through the bathroom window.



L. D. Davenport and Andrew Ross, former residents of Lubbock, spent the week-end here visiting with their families.

St. Matthew Baptist Church, Rev. R. S. Stanley, minister, is to be host to the Federation of Choirs Sunday, October 25th. Brother Willie Turner, second vice president, is still a patient at Methodist Hospital.

Mrs. Evelyn Bibles of Pasadena, California, left Friday night for Decator, Texas, for a visit with her nephew. She spent three weeks here with her brother in-law, Jesse Johnson and family. She will also visit relatives at Whitney, Texas, and Tulsa, Oklahoma, before returning to Pasadena.

Mrs. Frances Headen spent a few days here last week finishing business and moving the rest of her belongings to Selma, Alabama. Her husband, T/Sgt. Fred T. Headen, passed away here two weeks ago. Her brother, William Bennette, of Detroit, Michigan, was with her. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Brown.

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New Mexico Native Joins Travelers Insurance Company Here as Agent Maurice B. Barlow, a native of Roswell, New Mexico, has recently joined the Travelers Insurance Co.



here as an agent. He is presently located in the Lubbock National Bank Building, room 916.

He is a graduate of Eastern New Mexico University at Portales, New Mexico, where he graduated in August of this year, receiving a degree in marketing. He holds membership in Phi Beta Lambda, Kappa Theta Fraternity and American Marketing Association.

Maurice, son of Mrs. Ruby Wilkerson of Roswell, has served four years in the U.S. Air Force and was stationed in Alaska. He was a faithful member of Mount Gilead Baptist Church of Roswell.

born October 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Suberry. Mrs. Suberry, nee Bettye, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin. They have two other daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Stone of Abilene, Texas, were visitors in Lubbock last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. G. H. Davis, whois a weekly subscriber of the Times, said recently that it's time to place your orders for your Christmas cakes. December 21st is the lst day for orders to be filled. You may call here at 747-1211.

ringing the bell

With Bob Tieuel, Jr.

Afro-American History tidbits for busy newspaper readers: 732 B.C. Piankhy was informed by courier that a Libyan prince from the Delta



was marching south. Piankhy waited for the Libyan to get as far as possible from his base. When he reached Hermophilis, 400 miles south of the Mediterranean, Piankhy started the attack, assembling an army at Napata, and ordered them to march northward to Theoes. Finally, he himself joined his armies, swept through Egypt, and received the submission of sixteen princes.

In 700 B.C. (circa) Kashta's son, Piankhy, completed the conquest of Egypt, and became ruler of a land which stretched from the shores of the Mediterranean to the borders of Modern Ethiopia, almost a quarter of the African continent.

Black Studies-White Students: The emerging black studies programs at colleges and universities over the nation are drawing more than the expected number of whites in these institutions, it is reported. States a professor at the University of Oklahoma; "In their early years, white students didn't get an accurate portrayal of black people. Now they want to do something about it."

At the State University of Michigan, Dr. Harry McKinney teaches a course called "Race Relations and Response", which is designed primarily for white students to educate them in the problems of black people.

Dr. J. Rupert Picott, president of the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History, announces the 55th anniversary session of the organizations in Philadelphia, October 22nd-25th Headquarters for the convention will be in the Benjamin Franklin Hotal. Dr. Picott is also assistant director of membership development for the National Education Association.

More than one hundred scholars, teachers and lay specialists will lead the four general and 29 special sessions. Thanks Doctor, for the personal invitation.

Worth remembering: "It's not the illusion of national leadership we now need. It is the substance. And until we get it, the mood of despair and resignation in many blacks will deepen, leading to Lord knows what catastrophe," Whitney M. Young, Jr., of the National Urban League.

Well, bellringers, our subscription drive is on for your West Texas Times! As we pen these lines, we are heading for Dallas and East Texas where we hope to contact a lot of old friends and make new ones for our journalistic efforts. We all want to see the West Texas Times grow and glow and you can do it by taking out that subscription now. Just \$4.00 per year. What a bargain.

Send me your subscription and our mission church will get credit on its mission fund drive for same. Thanks so much bellringers. If you love me, act like it. What the worlds needs is more love—you know?

PAY AS YOU TRAIN

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Travis Otho Brown, 3420 East Bates, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that someone

Highlights and Sidelights . . .

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Award-winning industries were Johnson Manufacturing Company of Lubbock, Kilgore Ceramics Corporation, Celanese Chemical Company of Clear Lake, Missouri Beef Packers of Friona, Laredo Packing Company and Friedrich Refrigerators, Inc. of San Antonio.

At a meeting before the conference, the Industrial Commission reviewed plans for a 24-page section on Texas Industry in **Business** Week Magazine on March 13. Also discussed was a computerized, finger-tip data bank on industricl development opportunities in 438 Texas communities over 1,000 population.

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Those in our community on the sick list this week include: Mrs. Hallie Mae Lockhart who is a patient at Highland Hospital, Harrison Davis is a patient at St. Mary's Hospital and expected home soon.

Mrs. Vassie Ball is ill in her home. Others include G. Holliday, Waymond Henry and Paul Hemanes. Darrell Berry is recuperating satisfactorily at home.

Jerry Colquitt left Friday for Ft. Lyons, Colorado, where he will enter the hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Baldwin received a message from San Diego, California, that they are grandparents of another grand-daughter,

116 North

University

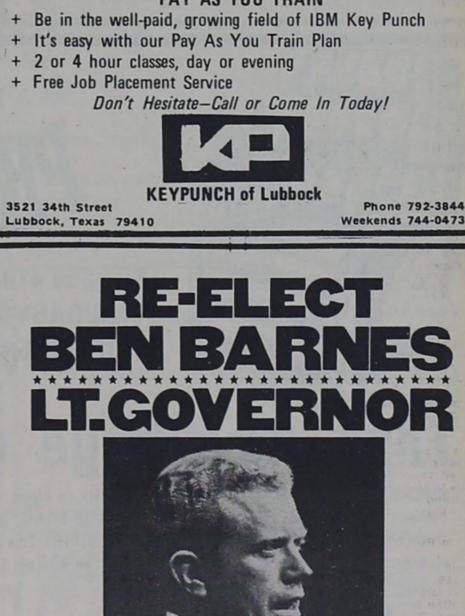
Mr. George Lewis was in Fort Worth over the week-end on business and visited his two sons and their families where there. He returned Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Rena Toler of 3316 East 15th was readmitted to Methodist Hospital Tuesday, October 20th for additional surgery.

Money Loaned On Guns, Diamonda, Stereos, TV'a, Tools, Musical & Sporting Goods A Acree Pawn Shop, Between the Spanish Theatres 715 Broadway PD 2-2110

Congratulations to Mrs. Juanita Young of Midland, Texas for being the most outstanding producer for the week of October 19, for Atlanta Life Insurance Com-

ance Company's fine family of agents. When you need insurance, feel sure the Atlanta Life Insurance Company, 504 E. 23rd Street here in Lubbock, can fulfill your needs in Health and Accident, Hospitalization and all types of Life Insurance—including Mortgage and Educational. All the many policy holders of Atlanta Life Insurance Company should watch each week for their favorite agent.





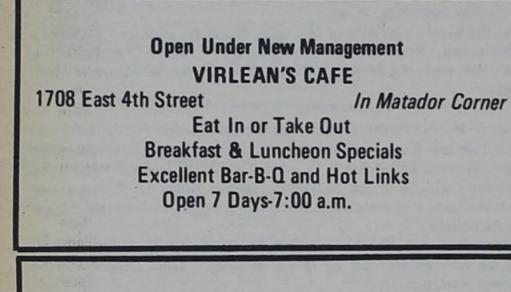
SHORTY'S PACKAGE STORE

Second Store on East 19th It Pays to Trade with Friends We Appreciate Your Driving Just a Little Further Page 4



THOSE WHO MISSED the Terra Chub's annual dance Saturday, October 10th, missed a most lovely affair.

The theme decor was done in a beautiful plum shade, considered the "In" color this season, highlighted with silver accessories. Each member wore elegant "Terras" made of glittering rhinestones and silver.



Are You Concerned About Your Community? If so join other concerned people-Join the United Black Coalition of Lubbock and make your voices heard! Clip and mail this coupon now. Dues \$3.00 annually, or any donation you choose.

Motto: Progress Unrestrained!

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Youngsters Establish East Side Youth Council

By Billy Pride The East Side Youth Council was first organized October 11, 1970, at the Multi-Service Center.

This council is designed especially for you, as well as for me. In this council we will try solving different problems in our community and try making it a better community. But, this is only the beginning of the program. We will have many activities as well as projects to keep us busy. We'll also have many money raising projects and later on we may start a business on our own. So you see, we'll be really moving and doing it. Each and everyone of you can come to our council meetings to see for yourself what is happening. We also have membership cards for those who wish to become members.

Let me get to the point-the purpose of the council is to get our community together!

As you all know Halloween is coming and the East Side Youth Council will be brewing in and selling plenty of this Halloween candy, which will be our first project. If you are interested in buying some of this candy, contact one of the following officers; Margaret Fisher; president; Johnrice Harris, vice-

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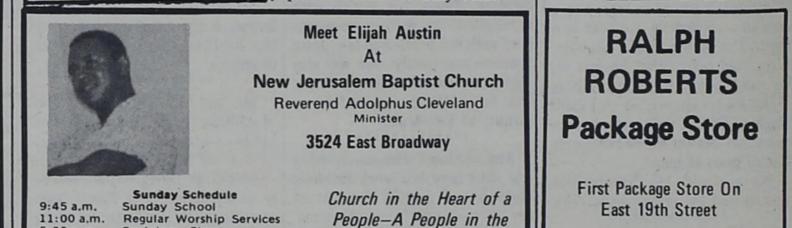


OCQUINETTA SNEED recently became the bride of Steve Sanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ezelle Sanders of 1802 East 25th Street. Both are former students of Dunbar High School.

Ocquinetta, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Sneed of 1503 East 25th Street, has attended Texas Western University at Denton, Texas, and Steve has attended Texas Southern University at Houston, Texas.

president; Larry Rollinson, asst. sec.; Tanya Priestly, secretary; Oree fects only the Fore tribe of New Matthews, treasurer; Billy Owens, parlimentarian or Billy Pride.

Laughing sickness, or Kuru, af-Guinea and is 100% fatal.



Meetings Held at Multi-Service Center on Thursday Evenings

00 p.m 6:00 p.m. Old Testament History Class

Heart of a Church!

4 Miles East of the City



Thursday, October 22, 1970

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Club News Royal Ladies Club

The Royal Ladies Club met last Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. Milton Jennings. President Mattie Linzey heard reports from all committees. Plans were made for the holidays.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Fannie Frandes Price. Mrs. Cellie Brown was absent due to the illness of her sister who lives in Big Spring, Texas.

Courts & Knights of Pythians

The Courts of Calanthes and Knights of Pythians met in a joint session last Thursday evening. Plans were made for a pre-Thanksgiving affair. After plans were discussed, the presidents of the board made their quarterly reports with a question and answer period concerning the building fund.

Special invitations are being extended to some of the former members and friends of the Courts and Lodge.

Among some of the old members and friends are Mrs. Clinton Hobdy and children, Mrs. Tommy Ray, Mrs. Oscar Iles, Brother and Sister Maggie Tatum and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson.

All Calanthes and Pythians are asked to bring their families to an upcoming Friend Dinner in the very near future. This will be a free event.

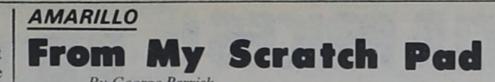
Coffee Hour

Members of the Mau Jones Missionary Society of Bethel A.M. E. Church poured coffee at 6:30 p.m. last Sunday evening in the home of Mr. Arthur Lewis. Sister Lewis was the vice president of this society.

We wish to thank Mrs. Joe Murphy (Evelyn) for picking the ladies up.

City Wide Mission

The members of the City Wide Mission met in the home of Mrs. G. H. Davis last Monday.



By George Parrish

Saturday was a day of disappointment for a lot of fans of the Palo Duro Dons as they watched them fall to the Tascosa Rebles 20-14 before 9,000 onlookers in Dick Bivins Stadium.

> Ray T. Jones accounted for the lone TD for the Dons. About all you can say at a time like this is "better luck next time boys"

Mr. and Mrs. John Gentry and daughter of Lubbock, were in the city to watch the game Saturday and while here, their old school Dunbar, Lubbock fell before Lubbock Estacado, 15-7.

The Texas Panhandle Community Action Corporation will host a training session for the Emergency Food and Medical program this week, beginning Monday. Five CAP Agencies will attend this two day training session which will be held at the Quality Motel, located on I-40 East.

Mrs. A.J. Davis, wife of Rev. A. J. Davis, Sr., has returned home after spending quite some time with her mother in Florida. I am sure that Rev. Davis and daughter, Elaine, were both happy to have Mrs. Davis come home.

Mrs. Will Knapp has been on the sick list for the past few days. Know what I think? I think she and Mrs. Lyons talked and ate too much while she (Mrs. Knapp) was visiting in Lubbock recently.

Now that winter is coming on or maybe I should say is here, some of my paper boys have said they will have to quit due to the weather, so if you do not get your paper please call me and give me your address and I will see that you get a paper. In the meantime, if you have a boy or girl, or know of one that would not mind making some money, even if it is a little cold, please get in touch with me.

are asked to come out and visit with us at any of our meetings.

Mau Jones Missionary Society

The members of the Mau Jones Missionary Society of Bethel A.M. E. Church meet each Monday afternoon at 5:15 p.m. Each and everyone concerned about this function is asked to come out and worship with us. There is always a vacant seat for you to fill.

Evening Joy Court

Mrs. Beulah Walton, a member and officer of Evening Joy Court, is up and about the house again. She has been a shut-in patient for

Final Rites Read Here for Willie Cage Saturday Afternoon

Final rites were read for Willie Cage, 32, last Saturday afternoon

at Bethel A.M.E. Church with the Rev. A.W. Wilson, pastor, in charge.

Burial was in the City of Lubbock Cemetery under the direc-

tion of Jamison Funeral Home. He was born to the parentage of Nelson and Clara Cage April 17, 1938, in Lorena, Texas.

Cage passed away in Methodist



FIRST RUNNER UP IN "Little Miss Future Fashionetta" contest held here recently was little Miss Tanya Renee Baldwin, four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Baldwin of 2818 East 28th Street here in Lubbock.

The program, sponsored by Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, was presented at the Mae Simmons Community Center. Mrs. Willie Myrtle Washington is Basileus of the Sorority.

lengthy illness. Services were read at Bethel A.M.E. Church with Rev. A. W. Wilson, minister, officiating.

Burial was held in Peaceful Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Jamison Funeral Home.

Mrs. Lewis had been a Lubbock resident for the past 12 years.

Survivors include her husband, Arthur; four daughters, Mrs. Edsie L. Taylor of Snyder, Mrs. Cecil Lois Arsbie of Midland, Mrs. Murtle Walton of Houston and Mrs. Willie Mae Webber of Lubbock; four sons, Hoyle Williams, Jr., of Main, Rev. George B. Williams of Midland, Arthur Lewis, Jr. of Lub bock and Donald Gene Williams.

Visitors In Post

Funeral Services Held Here Saturday for C. D. Williams

Funeral services for C. D. Williams, 66, of 3614 Aspen Street, were held last Saturday afternoon in the Manhattan Heights Church of Christ.

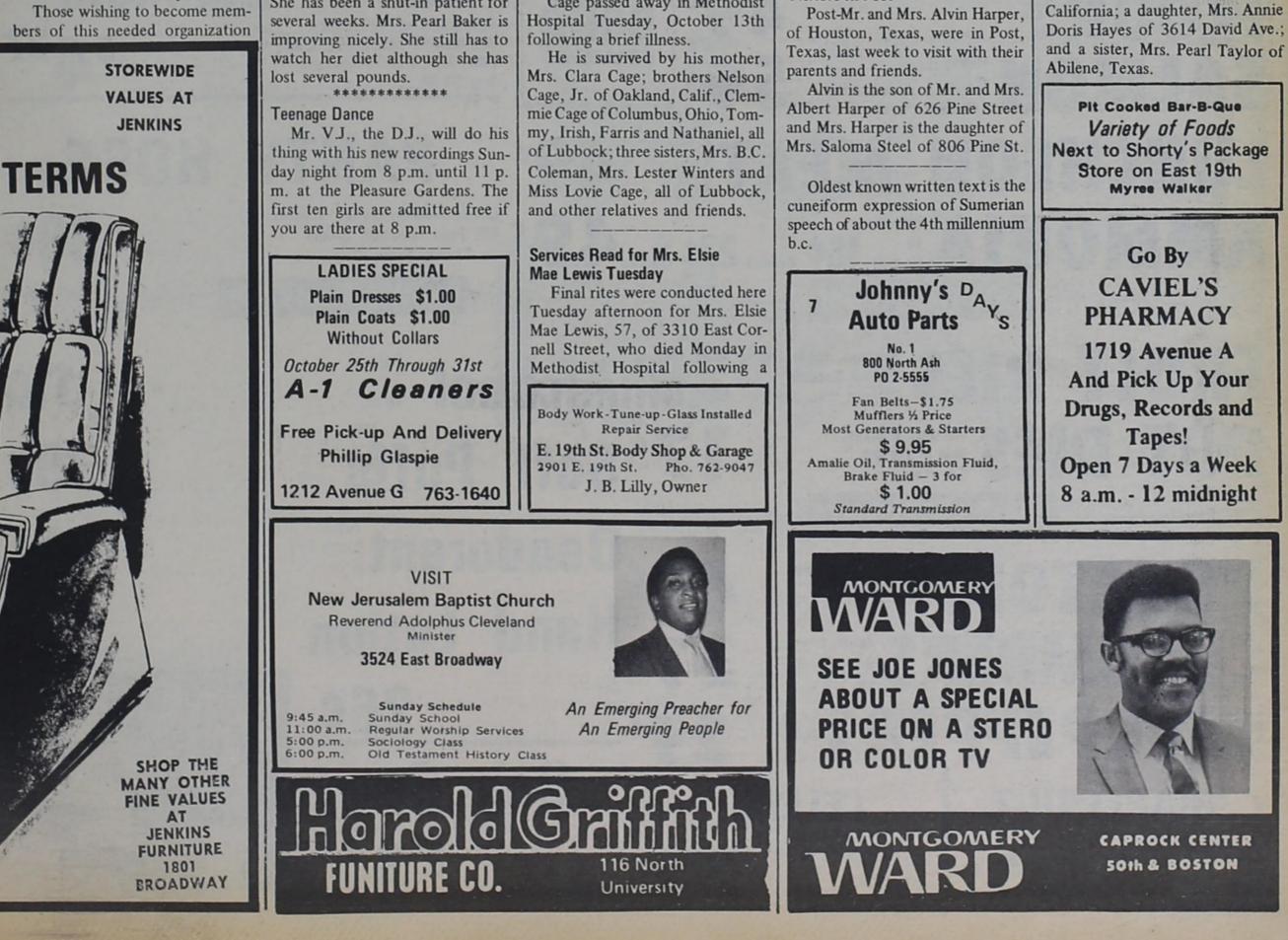
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Officiating the services was Thomas Campbell, minister. Burial was held in the City of Lubbock Cemetery under direction of Jamison Funeral Home.

Williams died in Methodist Hospital after having been a patient one day.

He had been a Lubbock resident 34 years. He worked here as a service station attendant and laborer.

Survivors include a son, Baron Kennith Williams of Los Angeles,



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CHURCH SERVICES

Faith

By Bertha L. Dixon

President of Nurse's Guild "Faith's greatest obstacle.", 1st Peter 4:12-16, 19. Doubt leave many minds untouched. One universal human experience sooner or later faces serious life questions about God's goodness. We meet trouble in ourselves or others, often times we wonder why.

Faith can transform the future. Every tomorrow has two handles. We can take hold of fear by the handle of faith.

Let Us Pray

O'Dear God, we lift our eyes upward this day that we might see beyond this world of man made power, seeking a greater love than ours and give to us faith, Amen.

Bethel A.M.E. Church

Sunday, October 11th marked the beginning of our First Quarterly Conference for this conference year. Presiding Elder T. B. Reece was reappointed to head the district. He and his wife were present, but due to a recent illness, he was unable to preach.

The Senior Choir presented special numbers for the morning and evening services.

The business session of the Quarter was held Monday, October 12th, at 8 p.m. Brother J. H. Wilson led in conducting the devotion and Brother W. H. Stephens led the prayer with members of the Conference responding with Bible quotations.

Again the Elder was indisposed and the session was brief. Pastor A. W. Wilson outlined some of the work we hope to get to move on soon.

Reports were heard and the session was closed.

Services were nicely attended and music was furnished by Pamela Cunningham and Olympia Melton and the Youth Choir.

ed the assistant of the assistant dean of the Christian School of Mission of the W.S.C.S. of the Northwest Texas Conference. The school is held each year at Mc Murry College in Abilene, Texas. Also in the meeting of the Lubbock District Ministers Wives Association, Mrs. Reed was elected treasurer of the organization.

We wish more of our people would become involved in the work of our church, local, district and conference level. The United Methodist Church is our church; Lubbock District is our district.

Our church has Christmas Cards to sell. We would like to have every member to help in this effort. They are beautiful cards and only sell for \$1.25 a box. Buy your cards from our church, and help our church and yourself, for you are a part of the church.

Greater Saint Luke **Baptist Church**

Our pastor, Rev. A. L. Davis, wishes to thank the entire membership for the wonderful way they went about making him and his family so very happy last Sunday. Hats off to the committee that did the sponsoring of the grand and noble event.

The Bible Band meets this afternoon at hour o'clock at the church.

The Esther Circle will meet tomorrow afternoon, Friday, in the home of Sister Mary Lee.

Classified advertising may be placed in the West Texas Times by calling 747-4419, at the rate of 5¢ per word (minimum charge \$1.00). Swap and give-away items will be run one time free Deadline for classified advertising is 12 noon Wednesdays before the Thursday paper. Display advertising rates furnished upon request.

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Members of the Sarah, Martha, Dorcas and Queen of Sheba Circles met in the homes of Sisters Blanche Durham, Wilma Horton and Lucile Richards this week.

Let us pray for and visit our sick and shut-in members. Those ill this week are Sister Jessie Garcia who is recuperating in her home at 2609 Hickory; Sister Rosanna Harris who is also ill in her home at 3402 East 16th; Sister Annie Hinton and Brother Wilmar Wilson are both ill at home.

Mount Gilead Baptist Church

Our church will be 53-yearsold this year and we are well into the process of celebrating. The chairman of this event, which got underway on the 11th of this month, will continue through November 15th.

Sister Erma Johnson is on the sick list this week. Let us continue to pray for her as well as other members of the community who are ill.

Jerusalem Temple Church of God in Christ

Rev. James Judie, pastor of Jerusalem Temple Church of God in Christ announces a musical pro-

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gram to be held Saturday, October 24th, beginning at 8:30 p.m. at the church, 3508 Teak Avenue, here in Lubbock.

Musical groups that will take part in the program include Rev. Talley and the Golden Stars, The Bluiettes, The Jerusalem Travelers, Wayside Travelers and the Sensational Wonders, all of Lubbock. For information concerning this program please call 747-6321. ***********

Pleasant Home Baptist Church

Post-Sunday school opened at 10 a.m. with the superintendent in charge. The class was taught by Sister Johnson and the subject was "Studying The Bible".

The morning worship began with the deacons in charge. The pastor spoke from Romans, 6:23.



Thank You Note We have returned from the hospital in Topeka, Kansas, and are doing fine now. May we take this opportunity to thank all of our friends for the many calls, cards and letters while there. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knighton 1111 N.W. 15th Amarillo, Texas

Our Thanks We want each of you to know that we appreciate your deeds of kindness more than words can express during our recent sorrow. The comforting words, messages of sympathy, the flowers and food, and most of all your prayers meant so much to us. Please accept our sincere thanks. Mitchell Jordan and Ross Families

His subject was "Two Employees and Two Paymasters".

Johnson Chapel A.M.E. Church

Amarillo-Church school opened at the usual hour with Mr. N. J. Neal, superintendent, in charge.

At the 11:00 o'clock worship hour pastor Davis was again at his best as he brought the message of Christ, speaking from 2nd Corn., on "A New Life in Christ."

Saturday morning the pastor met with a group of the youth of Johnson Chapel at which time he organized a youth church.



Mrs. Maunita Terrell and Mrs. H. King were appointed to the Trustee Board. A clean-up, paint-up campaign is underway at Bethel. The exact date has not yet been set.

New Hope Baptist Church

The Executive Board of the West Texas Baptist Association will be held with St. Matthew Baptist Church November 10 through 12 with Rev. R. S. Stanley as host pastor.

Federation of Choris will be held Sunday, October 25th at 2:30 p.m.

Ushers meeting will be held tomorrow evening, Friday, at 8 p.m. Brother Cork, president, is asking all members to be present.

Deaconess will meet Monday, October 26th, at 7 p.m. and also meeting on the same evening will be the General Mission, at 8. Both meetings will be held in Fellowship Hall. All members are expected to attend.

Mount Vernon United Methodist Church Mrs. M. T. Reed has been elect-

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