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Dedicated to Informing the Negro Citizens of West Texas

## Mayor-Councilmen Elections Slated Tuesday

### Wedding Plans Announced Here



Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lewis, of 3310 E. Cornell announces the engagement of their daughter Willie Mae, to Mr. Lawrence Webber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Webber of Lubbock, Texas.

Miss Lewis is a '68 graduate of Dunbar High School and a former

student of West Texas State Univ. Mr. Webber is also a '68 graduate of Dunbar and is now attending Tex. Tech. He is presently employed by the Southwestern Company of Nashville Tennessee.

The wedding will take place at Bethel A.M.E. Church on May 28, 1970.

### Roman Gabriel Show Scheduled Saturday Evening In Amarillo's Civic Center

Amarillo-The Roman Gabriel Show will appear in the Amarillo Civic Center Coliseum Saturday, April 25th with an advance ticket sales program being launched by North Central Lion's Club for a very worthy cause.

Proceeds from the advance ticket sales will go into the club's fund for its eye care program. A special ticket drive will be held today from 2 until 5 p.m. Persons wanting tickets may contact members of the North Central Lion's Club and the tickets will be delivered.

Appearing with Gabriel will be special guest Bob "Bullet" Hayes of the Dallas Cowboys.

The show will include comedy sketches, informal patter, pop tunes, old favorites and yards of fun involving new approaches to theatre entertaining.

A total of 200 autographed footballs will be thrown into the audience by Gabriel and Hayes with the final portion of the program devoted to a question and answer session.

Members of the audience will be given an opportunity to direct as many questions as time permits to Gabriel and Hayes.

Gabriel, the Paul Bunyon of the backfield, is just under 6-4 and

tilts the scales at 220. He is starting his ninth year in pro football.

In 1969, Gabriel was named Most Valuable Player in the National Football League by UPI, AP, and Columbus Touchdown Club. He also received the Bert Bell MVP Award from the Maxwell Club, the Jim Thorpe MVP Trophy by pro player poll and Sport Magazine's Player of the Year Award.

He was named first team on the All-NFL teams and first string on the Pro Football Hall of Fame's All-NFL teams.

Hayes turned pro after winning the 1964 Olympic 100 meters. He was drafted in 1963 as a future and signed after the Olympics in 1964.

"Missile-toes" has added 45 touchdowns to the Dallas Cowboys in the last four years.

In addition to the pass receptions he has scored one rushing and three on punt returns, two of them last season.

#### Rides Offered Tuesday

The Neighborhood House has announced they will provide rides to the polls for anyone who calls 762-3362 election day.

Lubbock residents will have an opportunity Tuesday, April 21, from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m. to elect a mayor and two city councilmen—Place 1 and Place 3. Place one is the Mayor Pro Tem post.

Those candidates seeking the positions of mayor or city councilmen have had the opportunity of speaking to groups in Lubbock by means of personal appearances or the news medias.

It appears as though all candidates are concerned about the expansion of the airport, air pollution and transportation. One in particular has gone along with the goal of "Neighborhood Meetings" which was proposed and implemented in one of Committee 70's steps in formulating Goals for the 70's. Not much has been said by all candidates in regard for a community training facilities for Lubbock's unskilled people.

Those candidates seeking the Mayor's post are Dr. James Grandberry, presently councilman in the Place one post. He is 37 years of age and resides with his family at 4907 19th Street.

Dr. Grandberry listed airport expansion, series of lakes down at Yellowhouse Canyon, Civic center and an improved traffic system as priority "opportunities" in the next administration.

Merel M. Rose, of 2518 30th Street, another Mayor hopeful, who within the past week did challenge Dr. Grandberry for a public debate.

Mr. Rose, a yardmaster for Santa Fe Railroad, made the statement that he is a "firm believer in a balanced transportation system." He also said, "I would like to offer to the people of Lubbock this solution. . . a slender, birch rod."

Forrest Van Pelt, 58 year old insurance man, has told Lubbock that his primary campaign for mayor is law and order. "Much of the criminal activity rampant within the general community stems directly from community subversive apparatus of which Castro. . . is head."

#### Y.W.C.A. Members to Houston Convention

Three board members from the black community are among 12 delegates representing Lubbock Young Women's Christian Association in Houston this week: Mesdames D. C. Fair, Marshall Taylor and George Scott. Delegates left last weekend and will remain in Houston through this week attending sessions of the 25th national convention of the 104-year-old organization. Other delegates from Lubbock are: Mesdames William C. Smith, president; Ellis Huddleston, R. C. Taylor Milton book, and John Graw, board members; Richard Richards, executive director; Noel Justus, program director, and Robert Green, youth director, also Miss Connie Jones, president of the Y-Teen Interclub Council. The group presented a symbolic banner, "Come Together", which was designed and made by Mrs. Justus.

Workshops held Tuesday under the general heading of "Unity in a Shared Struggle" included those on Y-Teens, students, young women committed to action, and black women of the YWCA. "Our Collective Power" was another topic for discussion by small groups. The president of the World YWCA, Mrs. Athena Tsouderis-Athanassiou, gave an address Wednesday on "The YWCA at Work in the World for Peace, Justice, Freedom and

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Jim Granberry

Murdock, local postal employee has entered into the race of Place one for various reasons as mentioned by some of the other candidates.

There is a lot of excitement in Place Three on the council which will call for the election of someone who has never served on the council before. Those candidates who are looking forward to wearing this seat for the next four years are



Deaton Rigsby

He resides at 2317 Auburn Avenue.

Also looking for the position of mayor is Robert L. Mansker, former student and partime instructor at Texas Tech. He entered the campaign by establishing two facts: Establishment of a youth council with some power and authority to make and govern rules for Lubbock youth; and

A program of public education on the problems with the mayor serving as chairman and not a "politically motivated speculator."

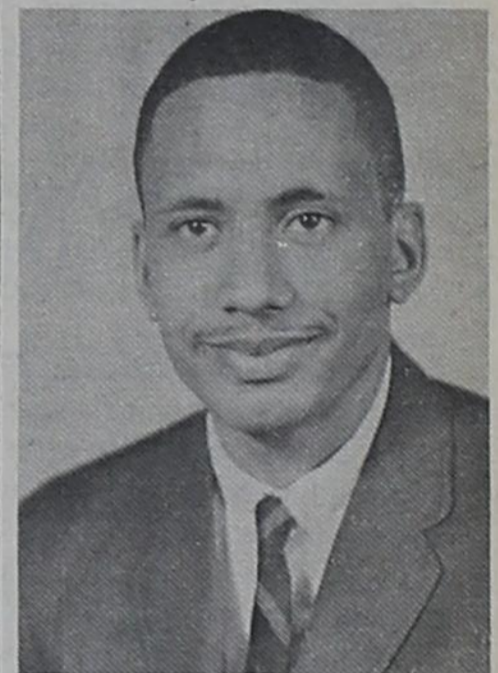
At present, he is an instructor at Grayson County College, north of Dallas.

There are three seeking the position of Mayor Pro Tem, Place one, on the council. They are Deaton Rigsby, 4615 11th St. 37, the second incumbent seeking a promotion on the council, Gibson D. Kemp and Harvey C. Murdock.

Rigsby, who was elected to the council in 1968 filling the place of Ray J. Diekemper, Jr.—who ran unsuccessfully for mayor—has stated that Lubbock is at the crossroads in many areas. Some of which we need to move into quickly—possibly before the election is held."

Kemp, 3202 26th Street, is a retired Army Major and now is self-employed in engineering development.

"I feel I can make a contribution to the solution of municipal problems related to the field of engineering through assessment of proposals appearing before the council," he said.



Maurice Richard

John E. (Jack) Baker, Maurice L. Richards, Jr., Jerry L. McDonald, Charles Evans and Robert L. Isom, Jr.



Jerry McDonald

W. E. Medlock also filed for this position on the council but did withdraw his name several weeks after because of circumstances which entered the picture.

Baker, a 51 year old outdoor advertising executive, announced his campaign by saying the "need for harmony at City Hall to help Lubbock progress."

"Transportation must play a

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# EDITORIALS

## Lubbock Needs to Know!

The residents of Lubbock need to know that there are blacks in our area who can really qualify for up-graded positions in the areas of governmental and private business. It is time that the opportunity, along these lines, be offered to the qualified blacks in order to help fulfill the need to upgrade black employment.

The *West Texas Times* can cite examples where blacks have been overlooked in regard to not being given the opportunity to move up the career development ladder with a firm, company or institution. This holds particularly true in the administration areas of the Lubbock Independent School District, with the exception of principals. The administration building remains "lily white."

An example of a black not being given an opportunity is that of Mr. Theodore Phea, Jr., an outstanding young man here in Lubbock, who has been director of the South Plains Branch of the Boys Club for the past 15 years and was overlooked not long ago when the board of directors employed an outsider to take a director's position.

We do not wish to belittle the man who was hired for the position, but we would express some concern about the hiring practices employed. Mr. Phea, with his 15 years of experience, was passed over for a man with about 6 years experience in the same position. It is our feeling that Mr. Phea could have made some very important contributions to the welfare of all the young men of our city, as he has done for so long in our community.

Some probably would feel that Mr. Phea's absence would be felt in our community, but again we could point out that he has done such a good job in the last 15 years that perhaps someone he helped train could fill his shoes, possibly upgrading some other individual.

There are many such stories that could be told about the local situation, Negroes qualified for much higher positions, (maybe not the president's chair, but higher positions) who have been overlooked for years. We have always expressed our concern for younger people who are looking for something in life, and yet, they are never given a local example of what they might work toward if they remain here in Lubbock and try to do "their thing."

As mentioned above, we are most concerned above, the welfare of our black teachers who are not a part of the main administration of the Lubbock Independent School District. It would appear as though the School District, the City of Lubbock and the County, would think very carefully about helping upgrade blacks in their own areas.

Lubbock, all of Lubbock in our opinion, needs to know that there are black citizens here who do not feel as though the opportunity exists here for them to participate in Lubbock's future.

We feel, Lubbock Needs to Know!

## Down To Earth

### Robbing Drug Abuse Of Its Appeal

By Jimmy R. Allen

A society awakening to the fact that drug abuse by its young is not just across the nation or across the tracks is gradually asking the question "Why?" Insufficient factual information on the amount of drug abuse by young Texans results in wildly exaggerated claims on one hand and defensive denials on the other. Hard factual information is gradually emerging. A soon to be released survey of Dallas Public School children will be a major contribution in this area. The picture is not an encouraging one. Whatever its dimension, the blighted lives of disoriented youth diminished in their effectiveness for living in a real world make the question of motivation extremely important.



There is no single motivating factor in the drug abuse picture. One of the real problems in coping with drug abuse lies in the complexity which makes simple "one-shot" solutions woefully inadequate. However, a Federal Narcotics Bureau official serving on the Texas Advisory Commission on Crime and Drug Abuse made sense this week with his analysis of the drug appeal to the young. As the Commission was helping the Texas Education Agency plan its new curriculum for Texas school children on the subject, solutions of every kind were offered. Some felt that the need to teach respect for law was primary. Others pointed to the need to teach respect for law was primary. Others pointed to the need for eliminating the constant bombardment of drug advertising which creates an illusion of solving every tension through a pill. J. Wonne Hand, who had been dealing with narcotics problems for over a decade, indicated a basic motivation of young drug-ushers. Pointing out that law

enforcement is an inadequate way of meeting the problem, he advised de-glamourizing the use of drugs. Most kids start experimenting with drugs because it is the "cool, hip, in" thing to do. Telling them the physically psychologically damaging aspects only adds to the thrill. Young people do not believe it or they feel a challenge from it. "It's like telling a prospective Marine recruit that he will likely get a saber scar in battle and therefore he should not enlist."

The most effective deglamourization process is done by the young people themselves. For instance, El Paso, Texas, has an effective program of youth participation. Called S.O.S., for Stamp Out Stupidity, it is doing for drugs what the newest tact of TV advertising is doing to tobacco: puncturing the balloon of social approval by the peer group. It says that the smart, cool, hip thing to do is to keep a clear mind and get your kicks in ways that really fulfill your needs.

Dr. Ernest Gregory Jr. says basically the same thing from a Christian perspective in describing his highly promising work with hard core heroin addicts in San Antonio. "Getting the Monkey off their back (the physical habit) is fairly simple," the physician states. "It can be done through less damaging drugs in smaller degrees or even by cold turkey." But it is getting the "Monkey Off Their Mind" which is important. He describes the spiritual emptiness of the user and champions the fact that a real experience of commitment to Christ with supportive Christian relationships allows God to have access to this vacuum.

Drug abuse has many dimensions in its causes and effects. Thoughtful students of drug problems are confronted with the mysteries and struggles of the human mind. The basic problem is a spiritual and psychological one. While Christians of every persuasion support constructive efforts to meet the problem, we should realize that our unique contribution may be in robbing drug abuse of its appeal by presenting something better.

STATE CAPITAL  
*Highlights*  
 AND *Sidelights*  
 by Vern Sanford  
 TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Austin, Tex.—State Welfare costs may go up sharply next year if Congress passes a new Medical bill.

State Senate Committee on Welfare Reform heard estimates that Medicaid amendments alone will require at least \$25.9 million in additional state outlays during the coming biennium.

Burton G. Hackney, State Welfare Commissioner, predicts President's Nixon's Family Assistance Plan of legislation might cost Texas a minimum of \$22 million more each year and double the number of children on state aid rolls.

Senate committee heard estimates that Medicaid changes will add more than \$6.2 million to the state's obligations for the present biennium.

While welfare officials are now optimistic over being able to continue present program levels until the next legislative sessions, they will, at best, be in debt \$13.5 million come January. That's the amount Gov. Preston Smith transferred to welfare from medical school construction funds to head off the scheduled April 1 cut in payments to the needy.

If rough estimates presented the committee are correct, the legislature will be looking at an increase of \$70 million for new programs during the next fiscal period—not to mention another \$20 million "catch-up" money carrying over from the current biennium.

If Congress places mental retardation under new limitations for inpatient services, the state could end up with another \$9 million a year in new obligations, plus \$8.2 million in unexpected expenses for the present fiscal period.

**School Fund**—Largest single piece of income for the Texas permanent school fund, \$139 million, has been assured. After 11 months of discussion, School Land Board accepted a unitization agreement on the huge new sulphur deposit found in Culberson County by the Duval Corporation of Houston. Deposit is the second largest in the world. It contains 81 million long tons of sulphur. Agreement involves the drilling of 6,000 wells.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

One of the most pressing situations we are now faced with is employment. There are so many tools used to shut blacks and minorities out. Tests which create a psychological fear just with the word "test". Most of the time the test is of no value, just a formula and you are not hired from its results anyway.

Another weapon is experience. How in the hell can one have experience when you can't get the apprenticeship? Another weapon has been the hiring of bilingual persons at a disadvantage to themselves by paying them almost nothing and taking advantage of their language barrier and in a lot of cases cultural background being different and not being familiar with the American dollar in comparison with the dollar of their former homeland.

Once these people become familiar with the situation, they are also thrown into the groups of unemployed if they do not go along with the status quo. Another weapon we hear a lot about is vocational and technical training. This is good, but what do you do until people can acquire this training?

Lately we have heard a lot about the word unemployable, but we just do not have those many illiterate people here. Even if so, there are unskilled jobs and on-the-job training which will help some of the problems.

In a lot of instances, an uneducated or unskilled person who really wants to work if given a chance to prove himself, will make a better worker than a skilled or educated person. We have been labeled as lazy, shiftless, rouveish and welfarish, but given a chance to get a job, this will be a lie. Let us become producers, we are tired of being consumers.

One thing which hurts me is to know that some of our black leaders condemn my views. I am sure they do not understand my views. I don't believe in violence, but I believe in exposing the truth and finding ways of solving the ills. Even a doctor has to find the problem before he can cure it. I think some of the money spent by our government studying white racism and its origins and researchers who so willingly study the behavior of black people (should) convert some of that energy to studying the behavior of white people.

A study of riots during the 60's prepared by Dr. Robert B. Hill, assistant director of research department of the National Urban League, and Dr. Robert M. Fogelson, associate professor of history and urban planning at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, revealed that whites were more widely involved in civil disorders than was previously known and that despite wide-spread publicity given to so-called nest of black snipers by news media, it was whites who were arrested more for shooting and sniping during ghetto riots.

The study, a project of Columbia University's Bureau of Applied Social Research, found that four times as many whites than blacks were arrested during riots and did reside outside the city where the riot occurred. So let's face it, we all know why we have the situation we have. Stop spending money studying blacks and use that money for jobs and the blacks will not have to riot, but work.

The late Dr. Martin Luther King is a good example. He set out to find brotherly love and harmony. He loved America and believed in America. He loved America as if he had sewed the first flag. He articulated a dream for America, more forcefully than any man since Thomas Jefferson. This man King is now dead. He was condemned for his thoughts and actions up until the time of his death. His death brought out the guilt and the hate and oppression that had been a product of our society.

I share the same desire Dr. King so practically articulated. But before his dream can come to past, the truth will have to be admitted. The bitter truth of why we have today's problems must be understood by all. Then history will be able to show that Dr. King's dream is a true picture of the American dream.

We can add something in our community if we go to the polls on Tuesday, April 21, and vote. Remember there is a black candidate running for Place Three on the City Council. He is Maurice L. Richards, a young energetic black man.

Summer is fast approaching us. We will have a lot of youngsters out of school, let us try to have jobs and constructive activities for these youths.

Eddie P. Richardson

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# Police Beat

### Letter From Reader

This column is happy to report that there was a lady in our midst who expressed her concern in a letter this week. She made it clear, in her short letter, that minorities should be looked at closely in regard to be given the opportunity of contributing something to the police department.

It would be well that Police Chief J. T. Alley would look at the possibility of hiring minority people in positions on the force. Of course, we realize that this is not an easy task and that the department will need help from the entire community if this is to be a reality.

Thanks to the lady for her input and may this column continue to receive ideas from time to time.

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### Burglary

Dale Ray reported to the Lubbock Police Department that someone kicked the back door to his laundry and took from this facility one case of drinks, damaged the peanut machine.

Damage to the machine was believed to be \$65. Total damage to three drink machines and dryers was \$125. There was approximately \$35 in change taken from the machines.

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### Break In

Doyle Clary reported to the police department that someone unknown did break out the plate glass door and entered his place of business at 301 East 40th St.

He told police that there was nothing missing from the business.

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### Attempted Murder

Winnie Hebron, 2626 Ivory, told Lubbock Police that she was shot by an unknown person in the 2800 block of Ivory. She admitted that she had an argument with two people prior to the incident.

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### The Police Beat Prayer

Dear Lord, as we continue to do what we believe is right for our brothers, please give us the right direction in order to accomplish this goal. AMEN.

### Jail Is Not Only Penalty

(Recently in Grinnell, Iowa, two youths were found guilty of car theft. The words that the judge spoke as he sentenced them might have been too late for their particular benefit, for they were already in trouble, but the judge's words could have a stop-and-think effect upon other youngsters - or older persons for that matter - who might be tempted to break a law. If you have a teenager in your home, ask him to read the judge's words below.)

"Now You Have Been Convicted of a felony. A felony is a crime for which you might be sent to the penitentiary . . . I am permitted to give you a parole.

"But if you never see the inside of a penitentiary or jail, you will not have escaped from the penalties of your crime. The record of your conviction will be here as long as the courthouse stands. No amount of good conduct in the future can ever erase it.

"Next year or 10 years from now, or when you are old men, if you are ever called to be witnesses in any court of law, some lawyer will point his finger at you and ask this question: Have you ever been convicted of a felony? And you will hang your head and admit that you have. Because if you should deny it, then the record of these proceedings will be brought up from the vaults and read to the jury. And the questions will be asked for the purpose of casting doubt on your testimony. Convicted felons are not believed as readily as other persons.

"Think of this. It may be that

someday you will have a chance to get in one of the expanding countries of South America and will apply for a passport. You will not get it.

"Canada might allow you to come in for a two-week fishing trip, but you will not be allowed to stay. No country will allow you to become a resident. Your world will be oh so much smaller than it was.

"Someday you may seek a position in the civil service of your state or your nation. On the application blank you will find this question: Have you ever been convicted of a felony? The truthfulness of your answer will be detected. Appointments are made only after investigation. The record is here to be found by anyone interested.

"You cannot vote. In a few years you will be 21. And others of your age will have a right to vote, but you will not. Your father may be a candidate for public office, but you will not be allowed to vote for him.

"The members of your political party will not be interested in you because you will have no vote to give. It may be that some day the governor will pardon you and restore your rights, but it's going to be humiliating to ask him. He'll want to know your whole record. It is a bad one.

"Your country is calling men to colors. Its need is such that men are being drafted. But the Army will never accept you, nor will the Navy. Military men are proud of the service; they will not permit it to be debased by the enlistments of convicted felons.

"You are on parole. I am granting you a parole. A parole is by no means a pardon. You will report to the men who have accepted



Jenkins Furniture Center, 1801 Broadway, Lubbock, has been selected by the Berkline Corporation, nationally known manufacturer of action chairs, as a winner of that firm's National Merchandising Merit Award. The award takes the form of a plaque citing Jenkins as "the merchant most outstanding in his community for maintaining consistent excellence in merchandising, displaying impeccable standards of courteous service, and adhering to the highest policies of reputable business practice." The plaque was presented at Lubbock to Dick Sydow, (at left) of Jenkins Furniture Center, by Tom Kemp, representing Berkline Corporation.

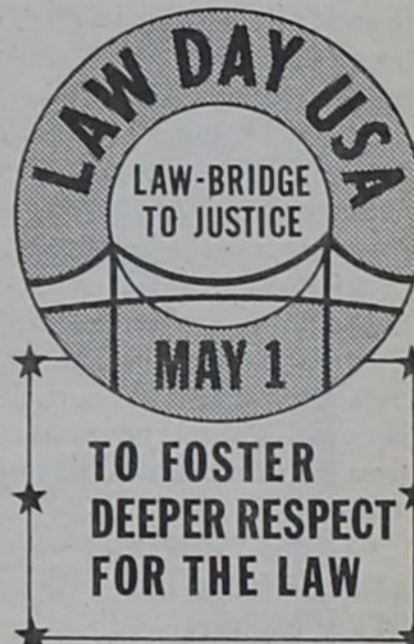
your parole as often as they may ask. Your convenience is not a matter of importance.

"You will obey your parents. If your parents send you to bed at 9:00 o'clock, you will go without complaint. You will perform such tasks as you are assigned.

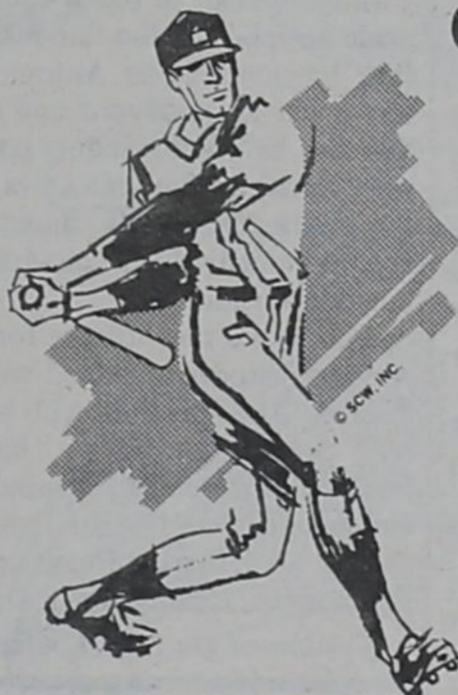
"Your parole is a fragile thing. Should the slightest complaint of your conduct be received, your probation will be revoked immediately and you will begin serving your sentence. You will not be brought back here for questioning or explanations. You will be picked up and taken to prison without notice to you and without delay." Copied from: Lewisville Leader, Lewisville, Texas, March 1966.

Largest cheese ever made was a cheddar weighing 34,591 pounds.

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By George Parrish

Amarillo-Mr. and Mrs. Massie Donley of 1411-4 N. W. 16th had as their house guest, their daughter Mrs. Bulah L. Bush from Houston, Texas.



Mrs. Marie Thompson of 1316 N.W. 16th was called to Gilmer, Texas to be at the bedside of her sister. Mrs. Thompson is a usher at Jenkins Chapel Baptist Church.

Mr. Alex Jackson of Anchorage, Alaska along with his mother, Mrs. Bettie Jackson of Athen, Texas are spending the weekend visiting his aunts, Mrs. Edna Flagan of 1602 N. W. 14th Street. Mrs. Josephine Warfford 1116 N. W. 5th his grand mother Mrs. Nicey Richardson, 1602 N. W. 14th Richardson is their mother.

The Red Rose Stich and Chatter Club gave their annual breakfast Sunday in the beautiful dining room of the Rice Motel, 705 Amarillo Blvd. East. Mrs. Vivian Bryant and Mrs. Jewel Allen were co-hostess. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Allen, Mr. and Mrs. John Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Hisbon, Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders and Mrs. Nada Anderson.

Mrs. Ellen Henderson of 1007 N.W. 18th. is recovering nicely in her home after spending some time in the hospital. Sister Henderson is missed in church and we wish her a continous speedy recovery.

### What Children Live By

- If a child lives with criticism he learns to condemn.
- If he lives with hostility he learns to fight.
- If he lives with fear he learns to be apprehensive.
- If he lives with pity he learns to feel sorry for himself.
- If he lives with ridicule he learns to be shy.
- If he lives with tolerance he learns to be patient.
- If he lives with encouragement he learns to be confident.
- If he lives with praise he learns to be appreciative.
- If he lives with acceptance he learns to love.
- If he lives with approval he learns to like himself.
- If he lives with recognition he learns to have a goal.
- If he lives with honesty he learns what truth is.
- If he lives with fairness he learns justice.
- If he lives with security he learns to trust those around him.
- If he lives with friendliness and respect he learns that the world is a nice place to be in.

### Tigers Number Three in District's "Hot Races"

Snyder-The Snyder Tigers tracksters gave the district meet, which was held in Lubbock on the Estacado Matadors field last Saturday, all the speed and competition that was available. And while doing so, the Tigers were able to capture the third place spot. The last champs Sweetwater, fall to second place last years second place team Estacado, took first place with their "soul-city speedsters" and did it handily too.

The Tigers have put together a fine team but is somewhat in a need of a stronger sprinting team. The Tigers are well equiped for the field events. Tiger pole vaulter Mark Gilstrap set a new record in pole vaulting. Gilstrap's vault was thirteen feet-two and three eights inches and the old record was thirteen feet-two inches was set in 1967 by Littlefield's Fred Koontz. The Tigers are coached by Coach Bill Heartsfield.

### Snyder's Racket Ace Takes No. 3

Snyder-Snyder's John Phillips a state finalist each of the last two years, won his third consecutive 3-AAA singles title Saturday by

whipping Estacado's Joe Mims, 6-1 6-0.

All the top seeds lived up to their billing by winning loop title. Snyder's doubles team of Maddux-Falls took the boys title, by whipping Sweetwaters team, 6-4, 6-3.

The Tigers ace racket man lost only two games in winning his third singles title and led Snyder to a repeat title. I believe Phillips will overcome his opponents and capture the 3-AAA racket crown for the states champion.

### Thank You

I wish to express my deepest appreciation and thanks for all the kindness, flowers, prayers and other things which were factors to help me recover after major surgery. It made me feel so good to have my friends so near me at such a time. May God bless each of you and please continue to pray for me. My husband, Mr. Frank Johnson, my daughter, Mrs. Willie Browning, joins me in saying: "Many, many thanks." Mrs. Jewel Johnson.

Oldest known formally written language is Sumerian, dating from 3,300 B.C.

### National FHA Week Observed Here

Activities scheduled in the observance of National FHA week, Sunday, April 5th through 11th, began with members worshipping in a group at New Hope Baptist Church.

In the afternoon, a tea was sponsored from 3 until 5. Other activities included "Good Deed Day", Color Day, Teacher Appreciation Day and a banquet on Thursday evening in the school cafeteria. The week long activities did end with a hike and picnic at McKenzie Park on Saturday. Also a "Little Sister Tea" was sponsored and the eighth grade Home Making girls of E. C. Struggs Junior high school were invited guests. Fifty young ladies did attend.

Anita Henry was crowned "Miss FHA" at the banquet; while R Leatha Fortson was crowned N.I.S. (Next in step).

Mrs. Jean Johnson, guest speaker for the occasion, gave the girls many inspiring thoughts and ideas for future goals.

Sixty persons attended the gala affair and enjoyed the banquet. Special guests include Mr. and Mrs. William Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lincoln. Sponsors for the FHA groups are Mrs. Rosella Pillow and Mrs. Lottie F. Barrow.

### Alderson Junior High News

By Noe Castro

The eighth grade social studies classes of Mrs. Mary Williams participated in making class projects relating to their study-unit on Texas Independence and the Mexican War. Posters and models of Spanish missions were constructed by students. Outstanding models were constructed by Perry Jackson and Jan Hickman. Perry made a typical Spanish ranch of the 1840's which included small animals and a windmill made of toothpicks. Jan made a replica of the famous San Jose Mission in San Antonio. It was made of cardboard and even had the bell. Outstanding posters were made by Ramona Oliva and Joe Mata. Romona's showed a typical ranch; Joe's pictured a Spanish mission.

This week the officers for the Alderson Student Council will be elected. The election will be in real "convention" style, having state placards and all. Candidates for President are Dwight Delgado, Durrell Dew, Marion Heathington, Myra Jones, Sammy Jones, Gerald

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### FHA Tea

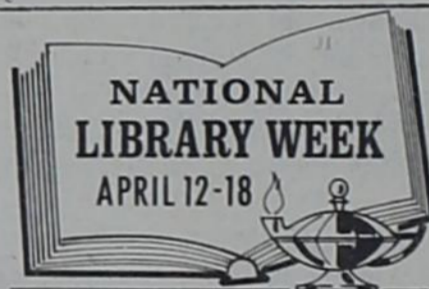


Pictured above are members of the Dunbar chapter of the Future Homemakers of America. Pouring tea for Principal William Powell is Peggy Henry, treasurer of the chapter. Looking on from left to right are: Anita Henry, president; Vera Henderson, first vice president; and R. Leatha Fortson, chairman of activities for National FHA week which began with the "Rose Tea" in the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Pillow, 1822 Manhattan Drive.



Pictured above are young ladies who have made this organization a success. They are from left to right: Sharon Robinson, Connie Hardman, Vera Henderson, Anita Henry, Peggy Henry, R'Leatha Fortson. Also shown are our sponsors, Mrs. R. A. Pillow and Mrs. L. F. Barrow.

Although veterans covered under the World War II G.I. Bill were entitled to receive \$20-a-week readjustment allowances for 52 weeks, the average veteran received the allowance for only 19 weeks.



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### around the hub city

Let us not forget that on Tuesday, April 21, from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m., we all have an important job to do for our community. We must get out and vote in order to make our community a much better place in which to live.

"Around The Hub City" would like to caution you on how important it is to get out and be counted at the polls. We all have something to do if we are to move up in life. It is time to participate in our city government. We can do this also, come Tuesday, April 21. Please do not be left out. It is too important.

Miss Lula Mae Beck has returned to her home in Navasota, Texas after visiting her uncle, Mr. Will Clark and family, while here. She was guest of Mrs. Mae Emma McGowen who is a life long friend and reared at the same homebase. She left via Braniff Airlines. She reported a lovely visit in the Hub City.

Message has been received here of the passing of Mrs. Margaret Robinson who resided in Lubbock many years ago. She was a

**Tuesday Elections . . .**  
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major part in the continued growth and general economic health of Lubbock," he added.

Richards, 26 year old former Green Beret and pre-law student at Texas Tech, become the second black to seek the position of city councilman. He follows the Reverend A. W. Wilson who ran a close race in 1964.

He has made it clear that he is concerned about the young people in our community and would like to see efforts be made to provide a rehabilitation center for drug users and proposed that the city sponsor a speaker's bureau in the local schools.

He has seen the need for economic development in our community and would like to be a part of it. He is a member of Mount Gilead Baptist Church and resides at 2901 East Colegate Avenue.

Another IBM employee who is in the political arena is Jerry L. McDonald, 38, who will follow Joan Y. Ervin, a successful candidate in her bid for the School Board Place one.

Jerry said, "I feel that it is important that all citizens of Lubbock—black, Mexican Americans or white—have a voice in our city government."

Not only the youngest in this year's city council endeavor, and perhaps the youngest in City politics is Charles Evans, 23, and a senior at Texas Tech.

Evans said, "I feel like young people have certain problems that need to be expressed, and yet they have no one representing them in a position of authority who they can go and talk to."

A part of the bid is Mr. Isom, 2016 69th Street, also a yardmaster for Santa Fe Railroad, is seeking to "see city government back in the hands of local citizens. I believe we need a stronger voice of the people who foot the bill in the City of Lubbock."

Lubbockites will have an opportunity to vote for their choice at the Polls on Tuesday, April 21st.

member of Bethel A. M. E. Church. She passed away in Dallas, Texas.

Mrs. Nettie Lou Gaddison spent the weekend at Midlothian, Texas at the bedside of her father who is a hospital patient. She was accompanied by two sisters, Sarah and Willie B.

Mrs. Addie Robinson and her daughter, Mrs. Katie Mae Reece of Amarillo, visited their daughter and sister here, Mrs. Charlie Mae Johnson, last week end.

Mrs. Maude Hamilton who has been visiting Houston, Texas for several weeks has returned home. Her sister, Mrs. C. L. Barnes, and a friend accompanied her home.

Around The Hub City would like to start something new in the West Texas Times. You see for years and years, we (meaning those who are over age 25), have not completely involved our young people in what they would like to do as well as what they can do to make their community a better place in which to live. Therefore, we would like to involve the

young people in their "thing". If there are any young people who would like to become involved in this project, then please

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Dignity."

Tonight's program, "The Beauty of Blackness", is being given by Voices, Inc., a repertory company who use song, drama, dance movement and connecting narrative to depict sights, sounds and inner feelings of Black Americans past and present. Another evening program was presented by a modern dance group from Texas Woman's University.

Other principal speakers were the Rev. Andrew J. Young, executive vice president of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference; Dr. Kathryn F. Clareback, University of Wisconsin specialist in women's education; Mrs. Robert W. Claytor, antional president; and Miss Edith M. Lerrigo, national executive director. Lubbock delegates expect to return home Sunday.



With The Aid of Sister Patricia Flynn (center), Rudy Crumpler (left) and Nolie Morris fit pieces together for a laminated hot plate at activity-filled Joseph Avenue Training center, Rochester, N.Y. Part of program is daily recitation of the Negro history pledge.

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have your "audience" calling for encores.

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gimlets, mai-tais and manhattans. Start your "big production" off with a colorful centerpiece. For example, a few lilacs or apple blossoms bring spring to your dining room table, which will then be set to serve well during the warm weather.

Even your kitchen larder can get into the act. Exhibit a bowl filled with fruit and vegetables—simple shapes of cucumbers contrasting with the sculptured forms of artichokes.

Think up some of your own props of elegance that will enable you to entertain with a flair on a budget. When the curtain comes down, your audience may well long for a "return engagement."

**Need For Black People In The Production Of The Film Industries**

Realizing the lack of black people in the production side of the film industry must be remedied as soon as possible, Ralph Nelson is one man who was taken action. For his upcoming MGM film, ". . . tick . . . tick . . . tick . . ." on which he is both director and co-producer, he chose Cassius V. Weathersby, Jr., to be his assistant, participating in all phases of the film starring Jim Brown, George Kennedy and Fredric March. The film examines the explosive situation in a Southern town that results when a black sheriff succeeds a white.

Nelson, who is well known for such films as "Lillies of the Field" and "Charly," for which Sidney Poitier and Cliff Robertson respectively won Academy Awards, worked for several months on plans to encourage creative talent from minority groups to enter the motion picture industry. With ". . . tick . . . tick . . . tick . . ." ready to start, Herb Solow, MGM, Studio vice president in charge of theatrical and television production, gave the green light and Weathersby came into the picture. Additional top applicants were referred by



Cassius V. Weathersby, Jr. (r), gets a fine point of direction from Ralph Nelson, director and co-producer of MGM's ". . . tick . . . tick . . ." Nelson, realizing the need for more black people in the industry, chose Weathersby, who has an extensive entertainment back ground, as his assistant for the film, participating in all phases of production.

Nelson to various producers for similar positions.

The 33-year-old Weathersby has extensive entertainment background, including limited production assignments on two movies and service as a contestant coordinator on TV's "Dating Game." In addition, he had worked on a volunteer basis with many other show business projects.

After graduating from Los Angeles' Manual Arts High School and Los Angeles City College, Weathersby attended California State College at Los Angeles for one

year, served four years in the Air Force, then worked for the U.S. Post Office before becoming involved in the entertainment world.

As a direct result of his performance on ". . . tick . . . tick . . . tick . . .," Weathersby has since worked as a trainee to the script supervisor and production manager on "The Night the Sun Came Out" starring Godfrey Cambridge. This varied and continuous experience in film production has made Weathersby more determined than ever to find his own niche in the industry.

**Haskell News**

Haskell-The Independent Baptist Church was host to the Federation of choirs Sunday, April 12 at three o'clock. We were blessed with a beautiful day. Choirs came from Abilene, Anson Hamlin and Stamford. Visitors were from Brady, Knox City and the surrounding areas.

Rev. A. L. Phea and family attended the funeral services for Mrs. Margrett Arant in Slaton, Thursday, April 9 at 2:30 p.m. Rites were held from the Triumph Baptist Church. Eulogist, the Rev. M. A. Brown. The message was brought from Matthew 11:28-30. "The invitation of Jesus".

Jamison Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Burial was in Englewood Cemetery.

Survivors are: Mack, two daughters, her mother, eight sons.

Saturday was work day at the center. Cabinets and appliances are being installed. If you have any time that's not already asked for, come to the center. The men will appreciate any help you can give.

**The Sugar Bowl Group**

The CAP 4-H Club Girls held their first meeting on March 7th on food nutrition. The girls are in three groups, The Sugar Bowl meets on Saturday at 11: a.m. at the center. They have prepared the Chili Mac, Oatmeal squares and the Summer cooler. The girls are Diana S. Brown, Joyce Kilgore, Ruby Collins, Darilene Collins the girls met with Mrs. Julia Roberson. The CAP 4-H Club made a tour of several business places Friday April 3rd. About 48 Girls in the county H.D. Agent Mrs. Barbara Elliott made all the arrangements for the tour. The Girls are Diana Brown, Darilene Reed, Pasty Rodela, Deloris Kirk, Sally Rodela, Darlene Collins, Linda Collins, Joyce Kilgore, Catherine Williams, Jeanett Randle, Tanya Whitaker, Sherry Whitaker, Marie Williams,

Rhonda Hill, Debra Randle, Alice Villarreal, The Leaders are Mrs. Rorela, Mrs. Roberson, Mrs. Phea, and Miss. Thompson.

**The Levelteaspoon Group**

I like to tour Abilene because there are so many wonderful things to see. I like to go to the pastries there are so many good things and to see the way they are maid. We all got a free doughnut. We went to Gooch Packing Company they have lots of meat and it is like ice in there. We went to the Coca Cola Bottling Company it is fun to see all the things that they do. We all like the zoo best of all we saw lots of animals.

**Sugar and Spice Group**

On the Abilene tour our first stop was the Abilene bakery. There we saw how donuts and other bakery products were made. The speciality there was the baker decorating special cakes. When we went to the Meat packing center we saw where they keep meat cold. Some

of the things we saw at the zoo were lions, tigers, polar bears. We went to the coca cola bottling company and we saw how they put coca cola in bottles and cans. Cokes were passed out to all.

**CAP Home Demonstration Club**

By Margrett Wilson  
The CAP Home Demonstration club met Thursday April 2nd at the Community Action Center. The meeting was opened with a song and the T.H.D.A. prayer. Roll call was answered with "How I cope with unexpected guest". The finance committee plans to sell all occasion cards this month to raise money for club expense. Mrs. Glenn Caddell will bring the program in the next meeting April 16 th on 4-H members publicity. The club women are asking all the men that will - come to the center Saturday, April 11th at about 9 p.m. The ladies have plans to get cabinets and other things built in the kitchen. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Bessie Hanson.

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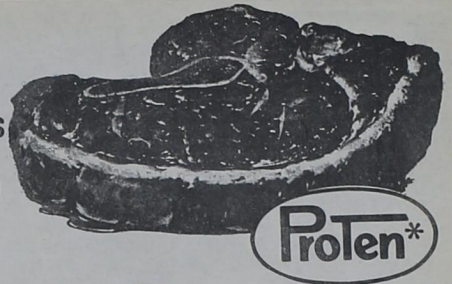




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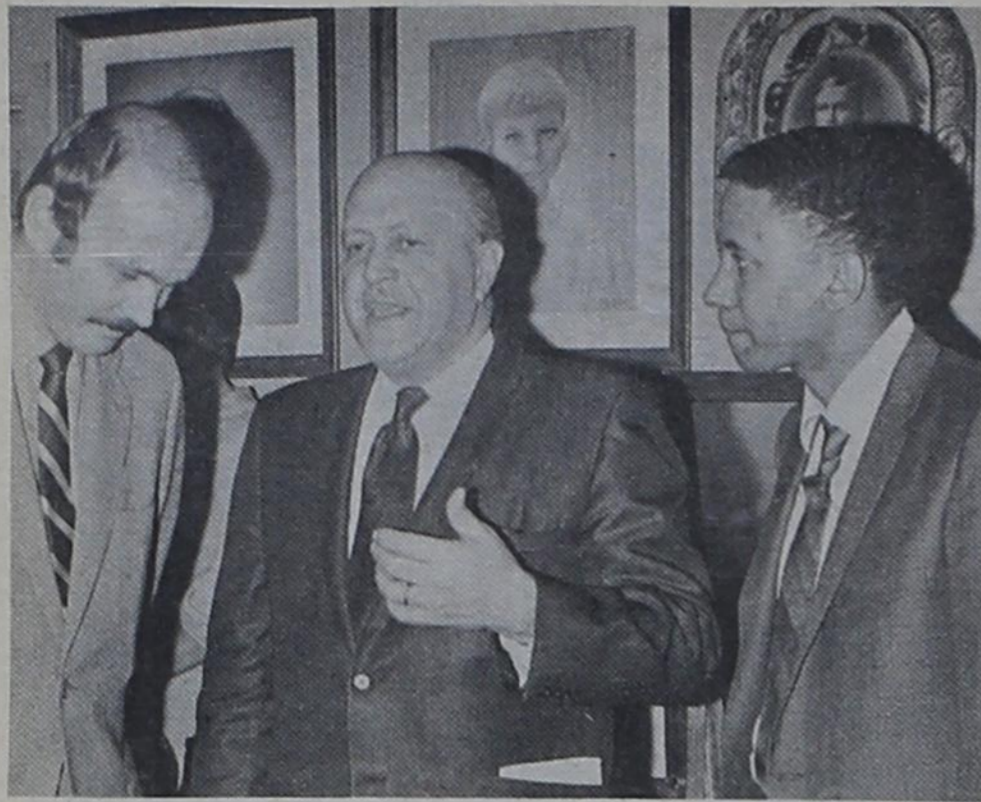
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**Armstrong Cites Sadler's Printing at State Expense**

State Rep. Bob Armstrong of Austin, Candidate for the Democratic nomination for Land Commissioner, this week said that incumbent Jerry Sadler apparently still considers justification of his role in the treasure controversy as the major issue in the Land Commissioner's race.

"I see signs over the state that Mr. Sadler is sending his treasure booklet—unsolicited—to state and county employees. The people I talk to, however, are most interested in finding out why Mr. Sadler

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**Around The Hub City . . .**

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write to: "Young People" West Texas Times, Box 225, Lubbock, Texas 79401.

"Around The Hub City" would like to urge all parents, as well as those who are concerned about the welfare of our children, to please get behind Mrs. Joan Y. Ervin, our newly elected school official. Mrs. Ervin can do an outstanding job if we support her. It is of most importance that we do this if we are to make our school system a better one.

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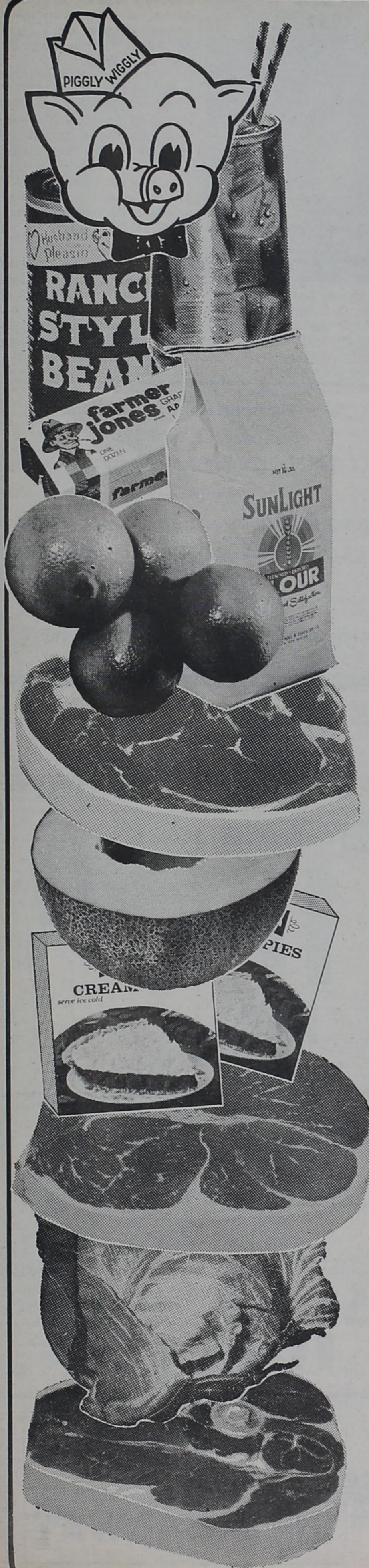
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# Spotlight on HEALTH

## HEALTH AND SCIENCE SHORTS

American mothers tend to shy away from discussions involving feminine hygiene "due to their lack of knowledge on the subject, or to poor communication with their daughters," a gynecologist writes in *Bedside Nurse*, a publication for nurses.

"The young child and the teenager should learn about anatomy," the physician suggests, "and of the importance of all-over cleanliness." Faulty hygiene is a contributing cause of vaginitis, a common infection.

When the symptoms appear, a physician should be consulted to identify the type of infection present, for which specific drugs can then be prescribed. In addition, the gynecologist recommends cleansing with an alkaline douche, Trichotine.

However, even though combined therapy may effect an apparent cure, the physician warns that "reinfection is likely to occur if strict personal cleanliness is not maintained."

At least one skin condition is helped by losing weight, and reducing the intake of alcohol.

In an article on psoriasis, two dermatologists who have studied the condition for a number of years recommend that to help control it, overweight patients be encouraged to reduce; also, that moderation be prescribed for those who tend to over-indulge in

alcohol. Rest and relaxation are recommended, too, and so is sun-bathing.

Coal tar products formulated into pharmaceutical skin preparations "used in an effective program" are described as possibly giving results of longer duration than newer prescription therapies.

(In an article appearing in the *British Medical Journal*, Alphosyl, a coal tar-allantoin combination cream or lotion, widely used in the U.S., is described as "not having the disadvantages of staining, burning and discoloration that occur with other topical preparations.")

Everyone swallows air-along with food and drink, gum chewing, smoking, talking and food gulping. "Air-eating," medically called aerophagia, is estimated to account for about three-fourths of gastrointestinal gas and gas pains.

Food in the human digestive tract often traps gas in a froth of tiny bubbles. Gastroenterologists have found that a unique combination of digestive enzymes with a defoaming agent in a tablet called Phazyme, relieves gas pains effectively in two ways. The enzymes also help prevent the formation of gas, and simethicone, the defoaming agent, breaks up the bubbles of entrapped gas to allow the body to eliminate it normally.

Most expensive spice is Mediterranean saffron which retails for \$82 a pound.

Widest street in the world is the 273 yd. wide Monumental Axis in Brasilia, Brazil.

### From The Barber Chair

By Connie Mitchell

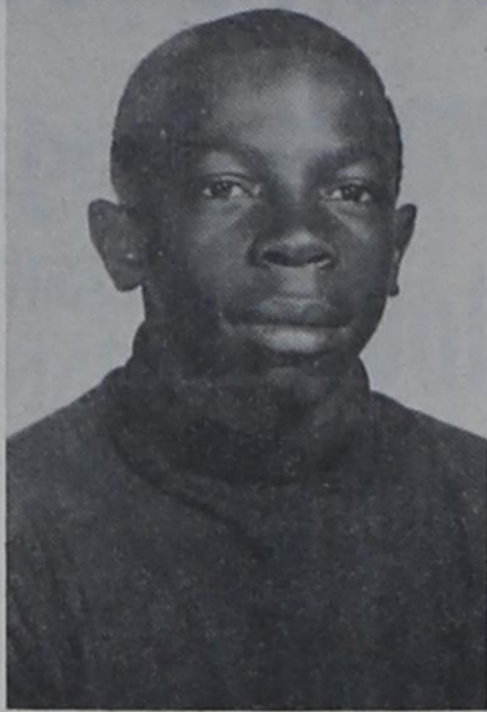
Visitors in our city recently were Mrs. Virgel Ridge of Quanah, Texas Mr. Charles French and Friends of Midland, Texas Mrs. Cleo Bland and two children, Tia and Eric of Carlsbad, and Mrs. Clara Collins of Roswell, New Mexico. Mrs. Emma Haradway and family of the Hub city.

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### Pictures of People in the News

By Connie Mitchell

Mr. Harold Berry, son of Mr.



and Mrs. Alex Roberts, a 10th grader at L. H. S. and also a member of Mt. Olive Baptist Church and one of the players on the B. Team has now opened the Tumble Weed Cafe, and is asking both young and old alike to come by and you'll be sure to have a finger licking good time.

This is Ray Paul Hardaway



formerly of Lamesa who now resides in Lubbock (Hub city) mother is employed by the Prudential Life Insurance Co. of Lubbock who recently stopped by to say that she can hardly wait to

read Direct From the Barber Chair column, of course yours truly writes it, However, Mrs. E. Haradway admits that she enjoys the West Texas Times.

### Volunteers Needed

The Neighborhood House has announced they will provide rides to the polls for anyone who calls 762-3362 Tuesday, election day.

Volunteers who will baby-sit or help provide transportation on Tuesday, election day, are asked to contact Pat Howard, director, at 792-3435 in advance.

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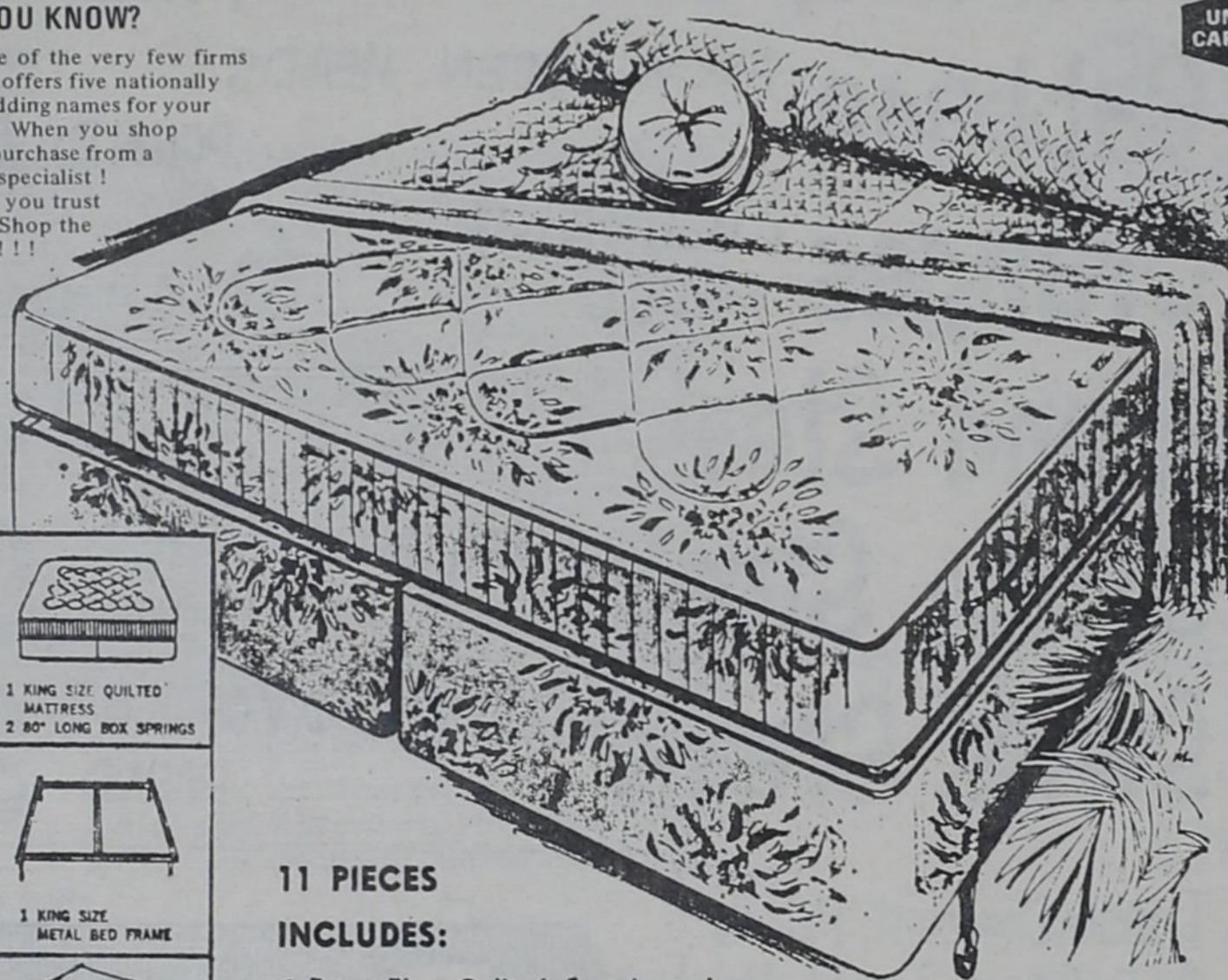
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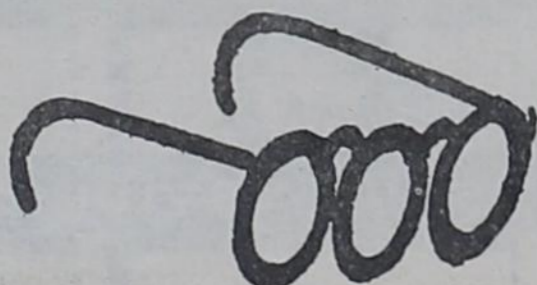
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## From The Business Desk

I'm sure many of our readers are no more familiar with politics in Washington than this writer, but I think a casual observation at this time would be most interesting. At this place in American history, it would seem a good ideal for someone to give the President, Mr. Nixon, some advice on how to pick a Supreme Court nominee to fill the present vacancy.



Of course, I don't have the vast network of Justice Department investigators at my call that the president does, but I do have one suggestion that may be deemed of merit. After he has considered the various people, and has not announced his selection of a judge from Minnesota, I would certainly hope that he has checked the judge's home to make sure it doesn't even face South, since that too, might prove to be more than the Northern and Eastern liberals could stomach.

Observation would certainly make one wonder what kind of a person could become a seasoned Washington politician. Like little water droplets on a hot greased skillet, the "Mad-men of the Potomac" are jumping around all over the place trying to justify their latest actions, concerning two Supreme Court nomination turn downs, while at the same time those of us who can remember a little of our history can still recall the complete and overwhelming success of Mr. Abe Fortes and then is so short a time, his resignation from the bench. Strange occupation politics.

Rumors are still running high here that before the week is out and the city elections are over Mr. "Dub" will have been re-elected to office on another write-in ticket. At the time of this writing little had been heard of such, but as I have stated in previous issues, little that "Dub" and the "Down-town" bunch does would surprise me. Guess we'll just have to wait and see.

The way I get the story, the local "Draft Dub Again" movement was to originate with the people (?) via the other local newspaper and should be timed to such an extent to overwhelm the public at the last minute. I can only say that my personal part of the public has already been overwhelmed by "Dub" and I feel sure that many readers feel as I do, let's see some changes—and I don't mean in City Manager's positions.

As this paper goes to press reports have been issued that a "strong movement" is underway in the Negro and Mexican-American areas of Lubbock to re-elect Mayor W. D. "Dub" Rogers in a write-in campaign. This column predicted just such a plan several weeks ago after being informed of several secret meetings concerning such, remembering at the same time that "Dub" said he was not a candidate for re-election.

Reminding our readers of past performance, I can recall the previous "Negro Progress Month" confusion when no one knew about a proclamation until months after, I would only urge our readers to look at the pages of this paper, study the avowed candidates and vote for the people who are truly running for office. They want the job—and desire your support—enough to announce and advertise, vote for them Tuesday.

My hat is off to Mrs. Joan Y. Ervin (Joan to me) and her successful campaign for the local school board. Some members of the community were extra critical of us because we didn't do more for Joan, but we can only say that would be for Joan to decide. We personally wish her all of the success in the world—and hope we weren't wrong in feeling that at last we have someone in a position of leadership in Lubbock that won't have to be watched continually.

Did you notice in this week's issue where Dick Sydow down at Jenkins Furniture was honored by the Berklene Corp. for the National Merchandising Merit Award. If you haven't been down to Jenkin's yet, stop by and visit with the group, they'll enjoy your presence. Incidentally, if you plan to purchase anything in the near future, let them show your their line, it's most complete if you're shopping for furniture.

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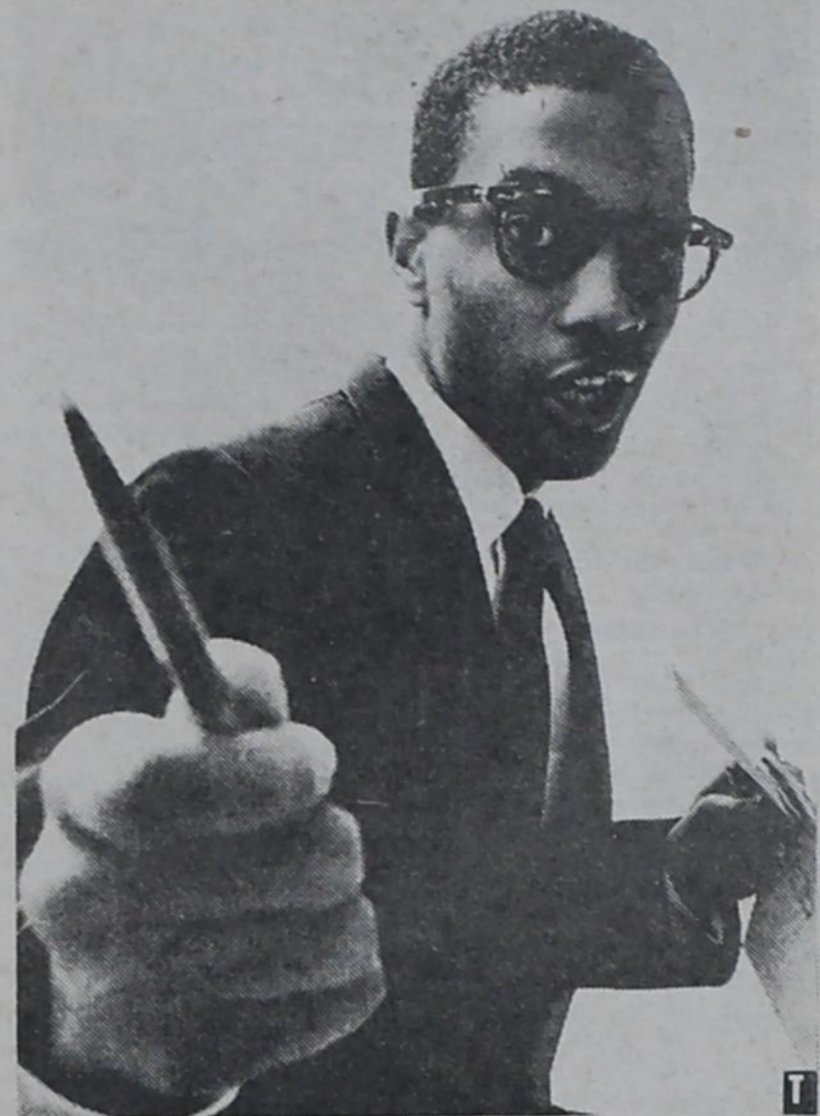
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By Vern Sanford

Nothing in this world sounds better to the eager ears of an outdoorsman than the instant purr of an outboard motor . . . when it starts from the first push of the starter button, the first turn of the starter key, or the first pull of the starter cord.

Man, its a great feeling, especially if you have company along. They think you're the greatest host, just to step in the boat, turn on the ignition, and "away we go."

Many a motorist has talked to his motor in rather unclear language, simply because the outfit didn't fire when he said "go."

But he should have talked to himself—not to the motor. More than likely the trouble dated back to when he last had the rig out.

No experienced boatman will merely drive in from an outing, tie down, and go home. If he does, he's asking for trouble.

First thing the seasoned boatsman does when he comes to shore at the day's end is to drain the gas from the carburetor. This is done simply and easily. Merely disconnect the gas tank from the motor, then start up the motor again and keep it running until all the gas in the carburetor is used.

Experts in this field just disconnect the gas tank hose as they approach the dock and come on in under the power that is left in the carburetor. This way, besides saving a handful of gas, they also save time.

Experience will show you how far you can go with various size motors and various size boats before the carburetor runs dry. Naturally, the smaller the motor, the longer your gas supply lasts.

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It is suggested that, before storing, you run the motor for ten minutes to be sure that all gas in the carburetor and fuel lines is treated.

Unfortunately, many of us do not "get out to sea" every day or even every week. Some of us are lucky if we get away once a month. This means that the motor sits idly in the boat stall, or on the trailer, until you are able to "put in" again. Meanwhile, the gasolines does what comes naturally . . . particularly that to which oil has been added. . . conglomerates. This means that the tank as well as the carburetor becomes gummed up if the fluid is not used often. That's why most outdoorsmen, before they start up their outboard motor, will shake the little gas tank vigorously to distribute the oil evenly throughout the solution or at least get it off the bottom. Not to do so means that the gas being used will be lightly mixed with oil and, as the supply diminishes, the remaining fluid in the tank will be largely oil and, therefore, tend to gum up the motor rapidly.

STA-BIL prevents congealing. It keeps the fluid clean by preventing gum and resin forming in the fuel system. In other words, it prevents formation of the sticky, trouble-making mess.

Needless to say, a faulty, sputtering motor is going to suffer from wear more than a smoothly operating, easily starting, sweet running outfit. So if you are going to leave your outboard motor sitting idle for a while—add some STA-BIL. Same goes for your inboard. In fact, it is equally applicable for the lawnmower, tractor, etc.—especially where oil is mixed with gas.

It has been said that a tank with STA-BIL will fire faster than even brand new gasoline. Sounds great! And it is! More power to you.



Teacher's Helper Arcaro Conner, 6, operates a Borg-Warner corporation educational System 80, while first grade teacher, Mrs. Lois S. Brown conducts her class in regular fashion at the Wentworth Elementary school, Chicago. Youngsters take turns with the system, supplementing their basic instruction without disturbing the remainder of the class. System 80 is the first audio-visual educational system designed to meet the stringent criteria of the classroom environment at reasonable cost.

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Bikes: Spray them with Penetrating Oil such as the aerosol put out by 3-In-One. It gets down into the rust, loosens and softens it and makes it easy to take off with steel wool. Then you just lubricate chains, fenders, bolts and nuts



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Outdoor Furniture: Same process. Spray into the joints where moisture can cause rust. Get the rust out with fine steel wool. The furniture will last longer and look a whole lot better.

Tools: About the best thing you can do with tools is keep rust away by spraying them periodically with household oil spray. But in case you didn't spray with penetrating oil, wipe rust off with steel wool and then spray them with household oil for future protection.

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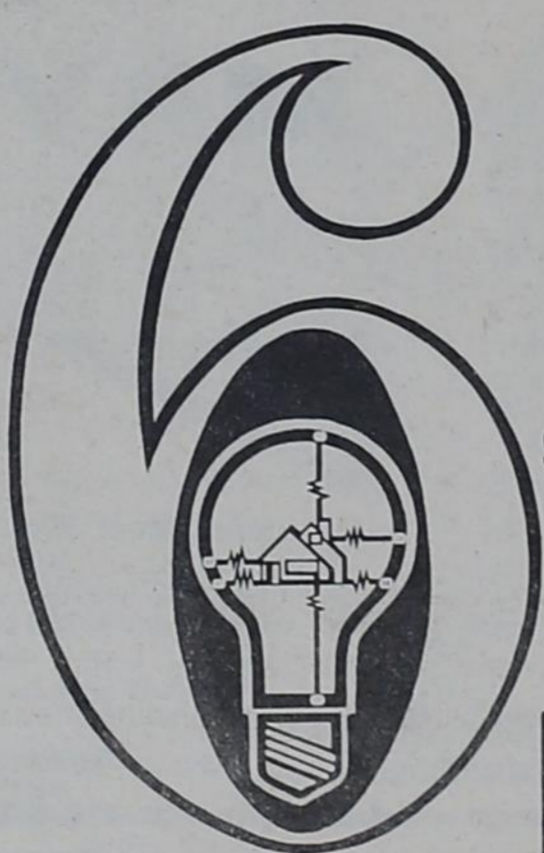


Not until 1830 were national statistics made of all children born in America. Previously, the century's deaf, mute or blind population was left out of the census count.

People prone to name their babies after famous people, now that Richard Nixon is President of the United States, can discover that "Richard" means "strong king"!

The harshness of Puritan life extended well beyond housing and industry problems. Puritan infants were diapered with rough canvas! Spartan to the end!

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# ringing the bell

With Bob Tieuel

Bits of Afro-American History For Busy Newspaper Readers: First Negro Congressman in the 20th Century—During the Reconstruction



Era when the Negro population numbered between five and six million some twenty-two Afro-Americans represented them in the U.S. Congress. From 1901 to 1929, despite a doubling of the number of black Americans, not a single Negro sat in the nation's highest legislative tribunal. When Oscar Depriest (born 1871) took his seat on April 15, 1930, in the U. S. House of Representatives, he was the only Negro there. He was elected as a Republican to the 71st, 72nd and 73rd Congresses.

Depriest's first public office was that of County Commissioner which he held from 1904 to 1908. In 1915 he became the first Negro member of the Chicago City Council. He served on a number of city and state commissions and was a delegate to several Republican National Conventions as well as a member of the board of directors of the famed Binga State Bank.

Oscar Depriest was a native of Florence, Alabama but spent his youth in Salina, Kansas. He went to Chicago in 1889. He learned to study people and politics through his successful career as a real estate entrepreneur. His success in business and politics did not change his humble nature and he insisted to his dying day in 1951 that "I am of the common herd".

In January of 1821, Lott Carey, missionary, pioneer minister sailed for Liberia to aid country growth and in same month 1788, First African Baptist Church was organized in Savannah, Georgia. In January 1770 Morris Brown, second bishop of the A.M.E. Church was born. He died in 1849. On January 18, 1842. Catholic Sisters of the Holy Family was established by funds and property of four Negro women and in January 1950, Negro church property valued at two hundred and fifty million dollars. It has tripled since in 1969, reports show.

To A. R. of Midland: The Christian Methodist Episcopal Church was set up and sponsored by the Methodist Episcopal Church, South in Memphis in May of this year. To T. S. of Odessa, Texas—It is heartening news indeed to hear that an old friend Dr. Benjamin E. Mayes, president emeritus of Morehouse College has been elected as president of the board of education for the Atlanta school system. Atlanta is a great city and the home of many fine and dedicated people of every hue and strain. If I live in Dixie, it would be Atlanta, the "Athens of the South" indeed. Dr. Mays is Baptist and his late beloved wife was a member of the Christian Methodist Church. You would never have known it tho. Congrats Dr. and thanks for your letter too, Mr. T.S.

Citing an urgent need for thousands of new minority group leaders, the Northwestern University Graduate School of Management is redoubling its efforts to recruit more black, Puerto Rican and Mexican American students from all parts of the country for managerial training, this column has learned.

"We are convinced that there exists a strong and increasing demand for well-trained minority group personnel in all areas of management, public and private, and we expect this demand to continue for at least the next five or ten years, believes John A. Barr, dean of the Management School.

Humor in the mail: "An personally I believe that every dam nigger outht'a have two votes instead of one" stated the poor Anglo drunk at the colored bar. And now would would one of you distinguished culled gentlemen car to buy me a drink?" That's life I.B.

Black-Black-Black A concerned citizen writes: Dear Bob—I read your column every Sunday and enjoy it very much. Especially enjoy reading the notes on Afro-American history. I look forward to a future time when it will not be necessary to point out the deeds of black men; but a time when history will record the worthy deeds of all men regardless of race. However there is one thing that does concern me and I would very much like to know how you justify black colleges, black Greek letter societies, black arts festivals, black beauty pageants and I'm sure there are many more I don't know about.

"Does it make sense to insist that predominantly white colleges put forth special efforts to recruit black teachers and students and not require predominantly black colleges to expend equal effort to obtain white teachers and students? I know very little about Greek letter societies; but should we label them Black or Negro? Would it be a Black Arts Festival if other races were allowed to participate, and if so why call it Black. Should we have a Miss Black America Contest that excludes all races except those that just happen to be black? This could go on and on; but the point is—why all the labeling? It seems somepeople want to have the right to be part of all that's happening; but still establish or maintain organizations and events that exclude others. Isn't this what the majority of the country has been doing for years—only now they call it black, White or Whatever?

I am looking forward to reading your comments (Mr. Bellringer) on this matter in a future column. Signed—Sincerely "A Concerned Citizen" Odessa, Texas.

Dear Concerned Citizen: I must confess that your letter is one of the most thought provoking and challenging ones that I have received in several moons doing this thing. I have gone into my research files and will come up with some sort of reply to your letter real soon, I promise.

In the meantime, we could hope that some of our readers might want to reply to our "Concerned Citizen" while I prepare a reply. What you say?

Miss Black America of 1969 is Miss G. O. Smith, this column has learned, recently departed for Vietnam where she will entertain servicemen. Accompanied by Moses Dillard and the "Tex-Town Display" the reigning black beauty will spend several weeks on the USO sponsored tour.

William F. Buckley, Jr., the outspoken spokesman for conservatism in America says that "the U. S. needs to elect a black President in 1980 or thereabouts" The election of a black President, he said in a signed article appearing in a current issue of Look magazine would do much to help alleviate the guilt felt by white Americans. Blacks then could celebrate this achievement of the highest office in the world as "a personal celebration of the ideals of a country that by this act alone, would reassert its idealism", add Mr. Buckley. Why wait until 1980 tho Sir?

Rosemary Prinz is the new heroine in ABC Television Network's new daytime serial "All My Children". It is the first daytime television serial to deal with controversial issues. Yes she is the former Penny Baker of "As the World Turns".

To P.N.M. of Pecos: I share your thoughts too! The Odessa Daily American newspaper of Odessa, Texas was the first one to buy this column in West Texas as an Anglo institution. The column itself is about twenty years old but for most of the time has appeared only in black periodicals and other ethnic and religious publications. Other white newspapers have joined our list since, including this one. Unless you let the editors know that you appreciate what we are trying to do in the last days, it is possible that this column may be in a death-bed struggle insofar as white daily newspapers in West Texas and New Mexico are concerned. You are so right in saying that the Negro's worst enemy is himself as we are too darned jealous of one who tries to climb and lift as we climb. In next week's column, we will reveal what a lot of our well thinking Anglo friends (God knows we need them) are thinking about us and our problems in West Texas and New Mexico too. Until then 30 and God bless all of you. The tired and old Bellringer Bob.

P.S. One of the most inspiring and encouraging events we have covered in more than 20 years of living in West Texas was the testimonial dinner given in honor of L.E. Ausbie of Midland last Monday night. Friends from over the entire Permian Basin were present at Antioch Baptist Church to say "best wishes" to a dedicated, consecrated and beloved black leader who realizes that in our democracy white and black must unite and fight. More later.

Afro-American History Notes for Busy Newspaper Readers: In these days when it is difficult to find men of courage to step out and face the storms of social upheaval and political turmoil, men that will face the storms and the winds of change that are blowing all over the world with-

out blending to the forces of evil or the pressures of politically motivated men in their quest for power, it is in these critical days that we have lost a great man, a giant among men, Dr. Marshall Keeble, an aged and honored soldier of the cross, our beloved brother who has gone to his reward.

Like Noah of old, he was a great preacher of righteousness. He was a tolerant man. He was at peace with all men everywhere. He gained equality and universal respect by the life he lived and the work he performed before God and his fellow man, both black and white. Dr. Marshall Keeble was loved throughout the nation and the world. From a "Memorial to Marshall Keeble" by Karl W. Pettus (1968). Church of Christ Publication.

### MEDICAL MISSION

Last year, 4,189,420 pounds of drugs, medicines and hospital supplies valued at \$11,765,339 were shipped through Catholic Relief Services to the needy in 62 nations.

### Ramsey Asks for Orderly Oil Imports

Austin, Texas—Railroad Commissioner Ben Ramsey said here today that a stable federal policy on limitation of foreign oil imports is necessary for the orderly development and regulation of the petroleum industry in Texas.

Ramsey is seeking a second full elective term on the three-member Railroad Commission in the primaries May 2.

A consistent federal policy of restrictive imports would not only be beneficial to the domestic industry but also would give the Railroad Commission a more firm basis to determine its policies, Ramsey said. "This is not just an oil industry problem," Ramsey added. The state government relies heavily on taxes from the petroleum business for support of its programs, including services, schools and universities. "Additionally," Ramsey said, "some 210,400 employees in Texas alone with a \$1.6 billion a year payroll are directly dependent on the petroleum industry."

"Oilmen and their families, as any other group, have a right to know where they stand," Ramsey said. Unlimited foreign oil imports and the inconsistency of federal policy, Ramsey said, leaves the oilman, royalty owners, landowners, and state government in much the same position as the housewife with a heavy budget who has no idea what the family income will be from month to month.

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runs his office as a closed shop and spends so little time in it," Armstrong said.

Armstrong said that an El Paso County official handed him one of the blue treasure booklets and said, "Here, you might as well have one of these since I understand they were printed at state expense."

Armstrong said the treasure booklet, produced by Mr. Sadler on state-owned presses in the Land Office, "hand been allegedly produced to send out on request to interested Texans. The fact that it is going out unsolicited indicates that the booklet is more a campaign device for Mr. Sadler than an informational service to benefit the school children of Texas."

"In fact, we know that school-children who requested booklets six weeks ago still haven't received them. But the booklets seem to be getting out in political circles," Armstrong said.

"It's interesting that Mr. Sadler apparently finds it necessary to continue defending his conduct on the treasure issue," Armstrong, a 37-year-old six-year member of the House of Representatives said. "I believe most Texans, however, would be far more interested in finding out where Mr. Sadler spends his time and finding out what goes on in his office."

"I don't believe they really care to be deluged with booklets which try to justify Mr. Sadler's conduct that led to his being reprimanded by the Legislature," Armstrong said.

**Alderson News . . .**

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Keele, Mickey Kinney, and Jewel Preece. Candidates for Vice-president are Freddie Chavez, Billy Cummings, Sabrina Fulcher Willie Hobby, David Mora, Virginia Lee, Joe Ross, Daniel Samudie, and Pamela Timms. Candidates for Secretary are Omeria Deatheage, Bennie Gaither, Wanda Hughes, Sharon Hyder, Joannette Lutten, Anita Padgett, Elsa Ramirez, and Jo Sherrod. Candidates for Treasurer are Ricky Bustillos, Shirley Dailey, Linda Clay, Debra Gaither, Norma Segura, Gayle Waden, and Gerene Wallace.

Last week's PTA meeting included installation of the new officers, and a style show presented by the homemaking department. A circus theme was used with Homemaking teacher Mrs. Katie Flemmons serving as Ring Master. The models were eighth grade girls, modeling the clothing made in class this year. Afterwards the audience went to the homemaking department to be served refreshments.

Recently two of our eighth grade teachers Mrs. Norma Davis and Mrs. Ellene Hollingsworth attended a linguistic workshop and were presented certificates by Principal Mr. Ramon Pack.

Last week Alderson student



**CHURCH NEWS**

**Pleasant Home Baptist Church**

Post-Rev. W. D. Queenan opened Sunday School.

Morning worship was at 11:00 a.m., Rev. Queenan spoke from Exodus 4th chapter, verses 6-7-8. His subject was "Moses encouraged by Signs."

The second Sunday in each month is Junior Church Day in Pleasant Home Baptist Church.

The Rev. Queenan was accompanied by some of his members to worship with Sis. L. E. Moore in a revival.

**Jehovah's Witnesses**

Lester M. Dugan, district supervisor for Jehovah's Witnesses, told 772 assembled Sunday in the Memphis, Texas High School auditorium that "people in general experience growing fear on streets and in their homes. Especially at night people are tense. Haunting fear is present with them."

In speaking on the subject, "Withstanding the Pressures of Our Day," Dugan told his audience, "Satan wants to occupy people so fully with pressures and worries that they will not take a stand for God. Christians are special targets." He offered this solution, "It is reasonable to turn to the one who made us, Jehovah God. Bible knowledge braces one for calamity. It causes one to be more settled and

body listened to a concert by the Dunbar Band. Mr. J. T. Braxton was director here at Alderson. This week our new director began. She is Mrs. Mary Joe Wilson and is coming from Tubbs Elementary where she taught fourth grade. Mrs. Wilson will take the band to contest on Friday, April 24, at Estacada High School. Good Luck, Musical Hornets.

Monday a puppet show was given by the Association for Childhood Education at 3:15 p.m. The show was "Jack and the Bean Stalk", and was shown in the Alderson Auditorium.

The Spanish Club met last Friday under the sponsorship of Mrs. Muriel Mann. They saw a film "The Pied Piper of Hamelin", which was entirely in Spanish. The narration was done by Caesar Romaro.

The cheerleader and pep squad are very busy these days preparing for next year. Our five new cheerleaders plan to attend the summer training school in August.

Girls' physical education classes are playing volleyball, and are having an intramural tournament this week.

calm. When calamity does come, Christians have a certain peace of mind from their knowledge of better things to come."

The presiding minister of the Lubbock congregation, Horace Dove said, "The theme of the assembly, 'Sacrifices that Please God' was exemplified by the conventioners themselves, as they arranged to spend time between sessions calling door-to-door and store-to-store in an effort to help others build faith in God. In attendance from here were several family groups, including Mr. & Mrs. Harry Johns, Mr. & Mrs. Herman Boone, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Guy.

Saturday morning saw 18 delegates ordained as new ministers through water baptism. To the Witnesses, the baptism in water is a public symbol of dedication and ordination.

The regular meeting schedule will be resumed this week at the local Kingdom Hall.

**Ford's Memorial Church Of God In Christ**

The Ford's Memorial Church of God in Christ, First Annual Youth Congress will begin April 20, 1970 at Quirt Ave.

Sponsors will be Evangelist Charles Tanner and Mrs. J. E. Alexander. Young Evangelist Ministers from out of the city, and state, will be preaching each night. Evangelist Levie Lenley of one of America's greatest preachers and organist will be preaching the opening night he is from Dallas, Texas. Wednesday night Evangelist Charles Smith of Ft. Worth, Texas will be preaching, Friday night Evangelist Melvin Williams a young Minister that has been brought out of the gutter of sin will be preaching, he

is from San Jose, California Saturday Night, Evangelist Earnest Dixon all the way from Kansas, City, Kansas will be singing and preaching, to miss these young Ministers you will be missing a blessing.

There will be guest youth choirs from here in the city, and out of town. Ford's Memorial Youth Choir will be singing each night. The Brown Sisters, ones that all of Lubbock knows and enjoys will be singing. Each night a topic will be discussed by the youth, and they will be active in the service. Theme for the week is, Youth Moving in the Right Direction. To Miss a Night You will Miss a blessing.

**Mt. Olive Baptist Church**

The Mt. Olive Baptist Church members have been rather active lately. Sunday, April 12, the Mt. Olive Baptist Church were the guest of the Allen Chapel Methodist Church and the Spiritual crusaders. Pastor of the Allen Chapel Church is Rev. Brown. The singing of the various visiting choirs were just sensational. Joan Braziel, a senior at S. H. S., was especially praised for her fine singing. Joan is a member of the Friendly Will Baptist Church. Sister Bertha Willis gave a outstanding talk as she gave the morning devotions.

The Spiritual Crusaders will be at New Hope Baptist Church Sunday night at 8 p.m.

**Johnson Chapel A.M.E. Church**

Amarillo-Church school opened Sunday morning with all staff pres-

ent. The attendance continues to be very good each Sunday. Class number two brought the review.

At the 11:00 o'clock worship hour Pastor Davis brought a very fine message from Acts 2:42; "What Do You Have To Share?"

After service the pastor motored to Borger to hold service there. Sunday night, Union service was held at Wyatt Memorial Methodist Church, Sister Rev. Neal brought the message.

**Greater Saint James Baptist Church**

Our congregation invites all junior and senior choirs to be present Sunday afternoon, April 19, at 2:30 p.m. to hear the junior choir of the Lone Star Baptist Church of Hale Center, Texas.

This choir had an opportunity of singing at the South Plains Fair in September before many West Texans.

We are inviting all youth and adults of the city here and everywhere. If you miss this program, you'll miss a dynamic treat of spiritual singing.

Rev. C. D. Collins will be preaching tonight, Thursday, at 7:30 p.m. Come out also and hear this great speaker of God's word.

**Mt. Olive Baptist Church**

Lamesa-Mt. Olive Baptist Church Sunday, April 5th at 11:00 service was as usual. At 3 p.m. City wide mission at the Ebenezer Baptist Church, Rev. A. L. Johnson, Pastor. Devotional leaders Brother Fred Alexander of the Ebenezer

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Baptist Church, and Brother C.V. Vernon of St. John Baptist Church also Brother M. Robinson, Pulpit devotional. Elder Johnson pastor of Holy Cross Church of God in Christ, A & B selection St. John Baptist Church, reading Sister Connie Mitchell, offering Sis Lue Ray Roberts, Sister Lurella Neals, Sister Lue Ella Roseberry and Sister Mae Ollie Johnson comments were good Sunday, April 12, 1970 Mt. Olive Baptist Church held 11:00 services, devotional was given by Rev. Alex Roberts, chapter 4 of Hebrew A & B Selection Choir, with Mrs. Inez Brown at the Piano, Sermon by our pastor Rev. J. D. Polk, pastor text: 2-Cor. 7 Hebrew Chapter-Verses 16. The way back to God. Visitors Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Hunter of Denver Colorado.

Hospital report, Mr. Clarence Smith a member of Fountain Chapel Methodist Church. Those ill in homes, brother Meritis and Brother Curtis Hawkins twin brothers, and both members of Mt. Olive Baptist Church. We were sorry to hear of one of our former pianist being quite ill in San Deigo, California. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hawkins We urge each of you to visit the sick and pray for their recovery. Also on the sick list Sister Annie Collins also a member of the Mt. Olive Baptist Church, let us pray for the sick.

Twentieth & Birch Street Church Of Christ

Brother A. C. Christman, former minister of our congregation, will begin a meeting in Plainview, beginning June 12. Let us all plan to attend and really represent our congregation.

Let us not forget to visit the sick and those who are unable to attend regular services. These members include Sister Albrooks, Sister Henderson and Brother Pitts.

Sister Velma Lethridge is in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Each member is asked to pray that she may have a safe return.

The A Capella Choir from Southwestern Christian College presented a memorial program for the late Brother Marshall Keeble last Sunday evening at 8 p.m. in Moody Auditorium on the campus of Lubbock Christian College.

Mount Vernon United Methodist Church

The Texas Methodist carried a news item about the Mount Vernon Orchestra. This orchestra is to play for the "Celebration of our Unity," opening with a processional will be provided for by Mount Vernon orchestra. If you have a Musical instrument and can sional of unity, including representative groups of Negroes, Indians, Mexican Americans and Anglos— young and old of all colors. Music for the professional will be provided for by Mount Vernon orchestra. If you have a Musical instrument and can give time for practice and would like to become a part of the Music Department, then please contact Mr. James T. Braxton, Jr.

Sunday, April 19, at 3 p.m., the Women Society invites you to attend the "Musical Extravaganza." Patrons are now being solicited for one dollar.

Our minister, Rev. M.T. Reed, will not be here for the fourth Sunday. He has been invited to preach the Anniversary Sermon for the

Saint Luke United Methodist Church in Dallas, Texas. Twenty-nine years ago, the pastor led the people of St. Luke in the building of that church. Dr. Timothy B. Nichols is now the able minister.

The W.S.C.S. Circle no. 3 will meet Friday evening, April 17, in the home of Mrs. L. L. Sparks, 2401 Cedar Avenue. Mrs. Susie Moore is Circle leader.

Our visitors last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Griffin and children, Bryan and Jacquelyn, all of Levelland; Miss Kay Hardwick, Miss Ossie Mae Horton, Mr. Earl Horton, and Miss Brenda Joyce Roquemore, all of Lubbock.

New Hope Baptist Church

Our congregation will serve as host to the Ministerial Alliance at noon on Monday, April 20.

Deaconess meeting will be held Monday evening, April 27, at 7 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. Also on this same evening, General Mission will be held in Fellowship Hall, beginning at 8 p.m.

Members of the Ruth Circle met last Tuesday evening in the home of Sister Dora Johnson, 2604 East Baylor Avenue.

Mrs. J. C. Mason of First Baptist Church of Littlefield passed away. Services were held there on Tuesday, April 14, at 2 p.m.

Ushers Rehersal will be held Friday evening, April 17, at 8 p.m. in the church auditorium.

Whisper a prayer for our sick and shut ins. Sister Campbell is ill in her home at 2727 10th Street.

Sister Bernice Kelly had a death in her family recently and services are pending at South Plains Funeral Home.

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Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church

The members of Esther Circle will meet in the home of Sister Lillian Metters, 1114 East 14th Street, tomorrow, Friday, at 5 p.m. Bible Class meets at the church each Thursday afternoon at 2 p.m.

The members of Queen of Sheba and Racheal Circles met in the homes of Sisters Alberta Horton, 2609 Fir Avenue, and Lillie Hicks, 3406 East 18th Street, this week.

An interesting discussion was held at the Sarah Circle meeting last Monday evening in the home of Sister Lucille Middleton, 3001 Third Street.

Let us pray for and visit our sick and shut in. Those on the sick list this week are Brother Fred Wright, Sisters Argust Hall, Alberta Evans, Daisy Deo, Mary Brown and Alberta Horton, and Brother Wilmar Wilson.

Rising Star Missionary Baptist Church

Sunday School opened at 9:45 a.m. with Supt. Morris at his post and the teachers took charge of their various classes. After class work, the General Assembly took place in the church sanctuary, and

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ations of deacons in the church, all too often deacons after serving a while, become to lazy, and set, forgetting their prime duties as aids to the Pastor.

The Lillie Smart Circle of the Church W.M.U. will sponsor a "Heaven and Hell Supper on Sat. night April 18th. Beginning at 8:00 p.m. The public is invited to Share in this effort. Pastor Dixon will be in Dallas, Texas to attend the L.K. Williams Ministers Institute, which will convene on the Bishop College Campus beginning April 20-25th.



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