

Texas Tech University
Southwest Collection
P. O. Box 41041
Lubbock, Tx. 79409-1041

SOUTHWEST COLLECTION
Texas Tech University
LUBBOCK, TEXAS 79409



God Bless America!



SUPPORT YOUR
ADVERTISERS BECAUSE
THEY SUPPORT YOU!

National
Award

The Black Press of America
Lighting the road
to Freedom

Southwest Digest

April 3 - April 9, 2003

VOL. XXIX, No. 12

50¢
Worth More!

902 E. 28th Street
Lubbock, Texas
Phone (806) 762-3612

An Independent Pictorial Newspaper for All People • Primarily Serving the Black Population of Lubbock County and the Surrounding Area • Black Press of America

National News

Africare Assists Food Crisis Victims in Southern and Eastern Africa

Africare President's Trip to Ethiopia Highlights Emergency

Washington, D.C. (March 19, 2003) ... At a press conference at the National Press Club in Washington, D.C., on Tuesday, March 18, Julius E. Coles, President of Africare, reported on his recently completed trip to Ethiopia, where 14 million people face the threat of starvation. "I believe that the current food crisis confronting Ethiopia and the Horn of Africa is a major emergency," stated Coles.

In Ethiopia, 20 percent of the total population are facing dire effects of the food crisis; 11 million people are in need of immediate emergency assistance, while 3 million more are at risk.

Through 2003, 1.4 million metric tons of food assistance are needed in Ethiopia; only 700,000 tons have been pledged by the international community. While necessary, emergency assistance is not the most effective way to cope with Ethiopia's chronic food crisis. Mr. Coles observed that while the U.S. government gave Ethiopia \$200 million in emergency aid last year, only \$4 million was given in development assistance (U.S. government FY2003). "This proportion has to be reversed," noted Coles. He indicated a need for the U.S. government to support long-term development in Ethiopia, such as water projects, agriculture production, and improved roads that allow foods to be delivered to markets.

During 2002, food shortage intensified throughout Southern and Eastern Africa. An estimated 38 million people across Africa are currently at risk for death by starvation in 2003. Africare has been actively working toward staving off the growing food crisis.

Africare's Program of Food Assistance in the Horn of Africa

Africare has launched efforts to combat famine in the Horn of Africa. In February 2003, Africare, in partnership with Catholic Relief Services and the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID), began emergency food distribution to 25,000 at-risk families (125,000 individuals) in the drought-stricken Gambella region of Ethiopia. Africare has also launched a food security program in neighboring Eritrea, with support from USAID and in partnership with the government of Eritrea. This program will reach 38,000 people, emphasizing improved agricultural production and adequate child growth and nutrition.

Africare's Program of Food Assistance in Southern Africa • In February, a consortium of 10 assistance agencies, led by Africare, launched a supplementary feeding program in Malawi, providing more than 430,000 children and 210,000 pregnant or lactating women—those most vulnerable to malnutrition—with emergency food supplies and other medical support. Malawi has been among the Southern African countries hardest hit by the crisis.

Community Meetings

- Lubbock Area Client Council Second Saturday, 1:00 pm • Mae Simmons Community Center
- Hub City Kiwanis, Every Tuesday Night, 7:00pm, 1708 Avenue G.
- Dunbar Alumni Association 2nd Saturday 4pm
- Booker T. Washington American Legion Post 808 2nd Tuesday—7:30
- Forgotten West Riders, First & Third Monday, 7:00 pm, 1-3 Patterson Library
- East Lubbock Chapter AARP, Every 1st Thursday 9:15 am, Mae Simmons Community Center, Oak and 8th St.
- Lubbock Chapter of Black Alumni 3rd Tuesday, 5:30 pm, TTU Market Center

City Announces "Firefighter of the Year"

Lieutenant Ed Henderson of the City of Lubbock's Fire Department has been selected as "Firefighter of the Year" for 2002 by the Lubbock Metropolitan Rotary Club. Henderson, a 25-year veteran with the Fire Department is Assistant Fire Marshall.

The award is based on a combination of different categories, including attitude, leadership skills, job performance, community involvement and advancement of the fire service. Henderson was selected through an internal

process. "Ed consistently performs to the highest level in each of these categories," reported Fire



Chief Steve Hailey. "He has always strived to do his very

best with every job and position he has held on the Lubbock Fire Department and this is truly inspirational to those around him."

Henderson has also been instrumental in recruitment efforts. According to Hailey, Henderson's efforts in recruiting have "certainly had an impact on advancing the fire service."

Three firefighters on the Lubbock Fire Department were nominated for this award: Ed Henderson, Chris Addington, and Doug Fish.

Former Astronaut to Speak at Health Professions Career Fair

LUBBOCK - Texas Tech University's Dr. Bernard A. Harris Jr. Pre-medical Society will host the first Texas Tech University Health Professions Career Fair at 10 a.m. Tuesday, April 3 at the Student Union Courtyard.

The event will give Texas Tech and Health Sciences Center students an opportunity to interact with representatives from 30 different universities throughout Texas and surrounding areas.

"A student would benefit from this event by having the opportunity to acquire useful information

on different medical and health-related career pathways," said Chris Collins, president of the Dr. Bernard A. Harris Jr. Pre-medical Society.

The Dr. Bernard A. Harris Jr. Pre-medical Society is hosting the fair in order to make information on colleges more accessible to students rather than having them use their own resources.

Bernard A. Harris Jr., M.D., a graduate of the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Medicine and the first black American to walk in space, will speak at 9 a.m. before the

event at the Allen Theatre in the Student Union.

"We are privileged to have Dr. Harris speak," said Collins. "He has done many valuable things for Texas Tech and has been a true role model for the aspiring student."

Organizations sponsoring the career fair are the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Medicine Admissions Office, the Texas Tech University Pre-Professional Health Careers Advisors' Office and the Raiders Rojas National Alumni Chapter of Texas Tech.

Author of Book on Jasper Case to Speak at Texas Tech University

LUBBOCK - Texas Tech University's School of Mass Communications will feature Joyce King, a renowned author and former Dallas broadcaster, during its William S. Morris III Distinguished Lecturer series at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, (April 3), in the Market Alumni Center. King will discuss her book, "Hate Crime: The Story of a Dragging in Jasper, Texas." A reception and dinner will take place before the lecture.

Along with the lecture, the School of Mass Communications photography faculty will display a collection of their nationally renowned work at 6:45 p.m.

"Joyce King's book captures what the Jasper trial was about and examines why people develop attitudes about others based on race," said Jerry Hudson, Ph.D., professor and director of the School of Mass Communications. "The book also looks at how she tried to remain objective while covering

this trial."

In her book, King focuses on the trials of those accused of killing James Byrd Jr., the victim of the infamous hate crime in Jasper. King also gives an account of events surrounding the case. As a CBS Radio News anchor and reporter, she covered all three dragging trials. King has published a number of columns in USA Today, Houston Chronicle and the Dallas Morning News. In February 2003, she appeared on the "Oprah Winfrey Show."

The event is open to students

and the public. The cost for the lecture and dinner is \$18. To attend the event and dinner, attendees should call (806) 742-3385 to RSVP by noon, Wednesday, (April 2).

"I hope the audience will have a better understanding of what journalists experience when they are covering a story," Hudson said. "I also hope they understand the role of journalists in a democratic society and how we can become a better society through the objective reporting journalists present to us."



Tony Rose, Publisher and CEO of Amber Communications Group

Amber Books • Busta Books and Colossus Books • shares a moment with Tavis Smiley, Founder of The Tavis Smiley Foundation, during The Salute to Youth Leadership

2002 Awards. Amber Books is the nation's largest African-American Self-Help and Career-Guide Book Company.

Paul Quinn College Choir in Concert at Bethel AME



The twenty-six members of the Paul Quinn College Choir will be appearing at the Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church, 2202 Southeast Drive, on Friday evening, April 4, 2003, beginning at 7:00 p.m.

This event is being sponsored by the Northwest Texas Conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Church of the Tenth Episcopal District.

Rev. Danny Pyle is host pastor. Rt. Rev. McKinley Young is presiding prelate.

The public is invited to attend. Paul Quinn College is located in Dallas, Texas.

Paul Quinn College was founded by a small group of African Methodist Episcopal circulating preachers in Austin, Texas, April 4, 1872. The African Methodist Episcopal Church, under the leadership of Bishop J. M. Brown opened the College. In 1877, the College was moved to Waco, Texas and was called Waco College, where it was established in a modest one-building trade school that taught newly freed slaves the skills of blacksmithing, carpentry, tanning and saddle work.

Later under the direction of Bishop William Paul Quinn, A.M.E. districts were developed throughout the south and funds became available to improve the College. Under Bishop Quinn's direction the College

expanded in land ownership and over time purchased more than twenty acres. The College's curriculum also expanded and included the subjects of Latin, mathematics, music, theology, English, carpentry, sewing, household and kitchen and dining room work.

In May 1881, the College was chartered by the State of Texas, and in that same year the name was changed to Paul Quinn College, in commemoration of Bishop Williams Paul Quinn. Bishop Quinn served as representative of the Western small states for approximately thirty years.

The sustenance and growth of the College for 131 years has been a result of strong and determined leadership with tenacity, and a indefatigable spirit and love for humankind. Alacrity that has allowed the College to its current location.

In 1990, the College relocated to Dallas, Texas. Under the direction of a confirmed Board of Trustees and a visionary President, the College continues to grow and expand through vision. Consequently, the College has achieved record enrollments in student growth, support from the surrounding community, fiscal stability, soundness with the academic programs and strength morally and spiritually. Paul Quinn College now celebrates a twelve-year anniversary.

Kids Cafe Offers to Let You in on Something "Confidential"

Spending Saturday night in the kitchen may not sound at first like your idea of fun—but what if it means you get a glimpse of somebody else's kitchen, what if it means you get fine food and wine and dessert, what if it means you get a trolley ride, and what if it means you're supporting one of this community's most important programs for children?

The date for this year's "Kitchen Confidential" tour, a benefit for the Kids Cafe program of the South Plains Food Bank, will be Saturday, April 26. The hours will be 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. The starting point will be the parking lot of Junior League headquarters, 4205 84th St. (behind the United Supermarket in Kingsgate). Citibus trolleys will take you to visit spectacular kitchens at three homes in Southwest Lubbock, each with a different theme. Each will offer local chefs in action, samples of their creations, and beautiful table settings. Each ticket-holder will receive commemorative cookbook, a keepsake apron, and other

souvenirs. Door prizes will be awarded throughout the tour.

Tickets are priced at \$35 per person or \$50 per couple, they're available on a limited first-come, first-served basis, and reservations must be made by Monday, April 21. The number to call is 763-3003.

Proceeds will go to Kids Cafe, an after-school feeding program designed to combat childhood hunger. It provides meals to youngsters in a safe environment at eight locations in economically disadvantaged neighborhoods of Lubbock.

The goal is stated this way: "To feed children at risk of hunger so they have the energy to learn and grow."

What's Inside....

- Fashion Fun page 2
- Chaiman Hills page 2
- Church page 3
- Obituaries page 4
- Cooking Corner page 5
- This N That page 6
- Classified page 7

If you find mistakes in this publication, please consider that they are there for a reason. We publish something for everyone, and some people are always looking for mistakes.



Fashion Fun

by Shirley Roberson
ARTISTIC HOSIERY

The great thing about the history of fashion, is that it keep repeating itself. In regards to the pantyhose, we're definitely stepping back in time, and aren't we stepping pretty.

The artistic pantyhose returns, bringing with it yesterday's glamour, elegance and style, for today's beautiful fashion conscious women.

This time around the art on hosiery is designed to enhance this season current fashions, especially the embellished suits. Ladies you're going to feast your eyes upon plenty of sheer and ultra sheer delights. Rhinestone pantyhose galore, stones in many colors and different shapes, arranged in unusual patterns.

In fact, it will not be difficult at all to select the exact same decoration on your hosiery, that you have on your



suit! How great is that! The art work varies from beaded beads, to stars, to beautiful breath taking roses, or maybe a single rose, or better yet, a single black line down the back of the pantyhose...remember that fine?

I LIKED IT THEN...AND...I LIKE IT NOW!

Ladies, lets not be shy, what ever statement your suit is making let your pantyhose make the same statement.

BUSY SUITS, BUSY HOSIERY, BEAUTIFUL BUSY BLACK WOMEN!

Rediscover the true meaning of being totally dressed from your head to your toe

Tip... Always wear a smile Fashion, just for the fun of it

"Looking After Our Military"

by Larry Combest

Soldiers from America are currently leading a coalition force that will eliminate the threat to our world that Saddam Hussein's Iraqi regime poses. I believe that it is in times like today that we should most ensure that we take care of our soldiers, and that our commitment to them is highest. Last week, I supported a bill which the U.S. House of Representatives passed giving men and women in our military meaningful tax breaks. Those who are willing to make the ultimate sacrifice to protect our freedoms deserve at least that much.

The millions of men and women serving in our nation's military are there for us in times of crisis, and so should we be there for them. Not only are they called upon to serve and protect Americans, but they are called upon when other countries look to America for support. They protect the freedom of Americans, and are today protecting the freedoms of others around the globe.

Those who serve in our nation's military will at a moment's notice march into situations where our freedoms and values are most threatened. Hundreds of thousands of our service men and women are heeding the call of our nation and world to eliminate the Iraqi threat and return that country to its citizens. I believe that the least we can do when they leave their families to defend and protect our value, is to ensure that their families will be protected here at home.

In exchange for their dangerous work, and as reimbursement for time they must spend away from family, they receive modest pay and face an overzealous tax man upon their return home. Although we can never totally repay our Armed Forces for the sacrifices they and their families make for our country, I supported a bill in the U.S.

House of Representatives that will help improve their quality of life

The most important accomplishments of the Armed Services Tax Fairness Act are that it:

- Enables military and Foreign Service personnel to expense up to \$250,000 capital gains (or \$500,000 if they are married) from the sale of a home with no time or residency restrictions.

- Provides tax-free treatment of death gratuity benefits. Under current law, survivors of members of the military receive a \$6,000 death gratuity payment, but only half of that amount is tax-free. The law I supported this week will allow the full \$6,000 payment to be tax-free.

- Exempts from taxes Homeowners Assistance Program payments to members of the Armed Services. Currently, members of the Armed Forces can receive H.A.P. payments to compensate them for a drop in home values resulting from military base closures or realignments, but face taxes on those payments.

- Clarifies that dependent care assistance provided under a military dependent care assistant program is tax-free.

- Extends deadlines for filing tax returns or making tax payments for people who become involved in military actions, operations, or hostilities against an enemy of the U.S.; and

- Provides an above-the-line deduction for up to \$500 of non-reimbursable travel expenses incurred by military reservists who serve more than 100 miles away from home and stay overnight.

I believe the tax code changes called for in the Armed Services Tax Fairness Act of 2003 reflect Congress' deep gratitude for the bravery and commitment of our soldiers.



CHATMAN HILLS CORNER

by Clarissa Jay

The New Hope Baptist Church, 2002 Birch Avenue, is the "Church Where The People Really Care," and Rev. Billy R. Moton is pastor. We'd like to continue to invite you attend New Hope Baptist Church if you are looking for a church home. Come and be blessed!

If you don't want to visit New Hope, then visit some church, and give God the glory!

Services began at New Hope Baptist Church with Sunday School last Sunday morning at 9:30 a. m. All teachers were at their post of duty, and dedicated their time to instruct the youth for thirty minutes as well as adults At 10:15 a.m., all teachers and students marched to the main auditorium singing God's praises. High points of the morning lesson were given after prayer.

The morning devotion was led by Sister Mattie Beaty and Sister Anna McBride, and assisted by the Praise Team! What a time all had.

The New Hope Choir marched in the morning processional singing out of their hearts and souls as they praised God. Altar prayer was offered by Rev. Myrle McCutchin. After a selection by the choir, the morning scripture was read by Sister Ruby Washington. Sister Marjorie Thomas gave the morning prayer. There was the singing of another selection by the New Hope Choir. The responsive reading was done with the congregation standing and led by Sister Dorothy Kinner.

The morning hymn was "Storm Cloud On The Ocean." Pastor Moton gave his pastoral observations.

After the singing of another selection, Pastor Moton delivered a powerful sermon. His subject was "I Swear I Am Gonna Bless You!" His scripture text was Hebrews 5:13-20. A very good sermon!

Pastor Moton extended an invitation to discipleship. Sister Vickie Berry lead the morning announcements. Sister Elnora Dyer welcomed all visitors last Sunday morning.

Don't forget the Easter egg hunt for our young people on Saturday, April 12, 2003, from 3:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. The children's Easter program will be held during the Sunday School hour on Easter Sunday, April 20, 2003. Come and support our young people.

Sister Clarissa Jay is the contact for the Solace Committee during the month of April. Her telephone number is 744-1025 after 6:00 p.m.

A Dust to Dawn Prayer will be held at New Hope Baptist Church on Good Friday, April 18, 2003. More information is coming.

Plans are currently being made for the New Hope Baptist Church's Second Annual Bell for Jesus which will be held in conjunction with the Church Anniversary.

Let's get excited and make this a grand event once again!

There are people in East Lubbock who are very good business persons. Among them is our friendly Robert Ramirez, owner and operator of Kings Food & Gas, located at East 19th Street and MLK Blvd. When you are out and about, and have some time go by Kings Food & Gas, and let our friendly Roberta know we all appreciate him and are glad he is located in East Lubbock. Will you soon? Brother Robert!

Let us not forget our sick and shut in citizens of Lubbock and elsewhere. Among those who are ill include Sister Rosie Reddie, Raymond Stovell, Sister Margie Rannels, Sister Dorothy Diamond, Benny Johnson, who is a cousin of Sister Perlean McDaniel, Sister Annie Taylor and Shon' Todrick Curtis.

Don't forget those who have lost loved ones. God is able.

Leadership Conference, Future Business Leaders of America

Roosevelt junior elected president of state group; Roosevelt senior advance to national competition.

Katrina Litsch, a junior student at Roosevelt High School has been elected state president for the upcoming school year of the Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA). She is a member of a delegation from Roosevelt that participated in the State Leadership Conference of FBLA earlier this month in Corpus Christi.

Senior Trey Reynolds took first place in the Technology Concepts competition and will represent Texas at the National Leadership Conference in Dallas on June 24.

The FBLA chapter at Roosevelt was represented with 20 students at the conference. Besides Trey Reynolds, two other students won awards: Brandi Follin for Multimedia and Kendra Jones for FBLA Principles and Procedures events.

Free Spring Choir Concert, In Windsor Forest, Slated

LUBBOCK, TX —The Baker Conference Center will be the location of this year's LCU Spring Choir Concert on April 10, 2003 at 8 pm. The program will feature LCU's Chamber Singers and Praise Choir Admission is free and there will be a reception following for all guests.

The concert will feature guest musicians from the Lubbock Symphony Orchestra, and Dr. Laurie Doyle as guest Soprano soloist. Works will include "In Windsor Forest" by British composer Ralph Vaughan Williams, Mozart's Vespers, K. 339, and other works by Gretchaninoff, Rosephanye Powell, George Lynn, and Moses Hogan.

The choirs are under the direction of Dr. Philip Camp.

WELLS FARGO
The Next Stage
Nothing helps a community like teamwork.
Member FDIC wells Fargo.com © 2000 Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.

Gardski's
Restaurant & Bar
TONIGHT... OH YEAH!!
LUBBOCK'S GREATEST CHICKEN FRIED STEAK
MADE FROM GARDSKI'S OWN SECRET RECIPE
HAND-BREADED CHOICE CUTLET COVERED IN GARDSKI'S HOMEMADE CREAM GRAVY. SERVED WITH TEXAS TOAST AND YOUR CHOICE OF TWO SIDE DISHES
2009 Broadway • 744-2391
Hours: Monday-Thursday 11 am-10 pm, Friday-Saturday 11 am-11 pm, Sunday 11 am-10 pm

WE NEED YOUR HELP! JOIN THE EMANCIPATION JUBILEE CELEBRATION TODAY!

We want you to become a part of the Emancipation Jubilee in Lubbock which is an affiliate of the Texas Emancipation Jubilee Cultural and Historical Commission.

If you are interested, please fill in the following area of involvement:

BOOTH: Food _____ Information _____
Merchandise _____

Here are some suggestions for this year's celebration and will help it to become the best Celebration ever:

Name _____ Address _____ Phone # _____

If you are interested in making a financial contribution, please send your gift to:

Lubbock Emancipation Jubilee Committee
c/o Alfred Cavell, Treasurer
1719 Avenue A
Lubbock, Texas 79401

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

For more information, please contact Eddie P. Richardson at 806-762-3612 or come by 902 E. 28th St.



CHURCH DIRECTORY



WE THANK GOD FOR JESUS

"JESUS IS THE ANSWER"

JOHN 10:10 JESUS SAID, THE THIEF COMETH NOT, BUT FOR TO STEAL, TO KILL, AND TO DESTROY. BUT I AM COME THAT THEY MIGHT HAVE LIFE, AND THAT THEY MIGHT HAVE IT MORE ABUNDANTLY.

I USE TO LAY DOWN AT NIGHT, NO WAY, COULD I GET ANY GOOD REST, I USE TO STAY SO FRUSTRATED, AND THAT ALWAYS KEPT ME UPSET. MATTHEW 11:28, JESUS SAID, COME UNTO ME, ALL YOU THAT LABOUR (WEARY) AND ARE HEAVY LADEN (OPRESSED), AND I WILL GIVE YOU REST.

I WAS BOUND BY THIS WORLD'S PROBLEMS, AND ITS SITUATIONS, THE SINS OF THIS WORLD, THEY ARE CRIPPLING THE WHOLE NATION.

MICAH 7:2,3, THE LORD SAID, THE GOOD MAN IS PERISHED OUT OF THE EARTH, AND THERE IS NONE UPRIGHT AMONG MEN; THEY ALL LIE IN WAIT FOR BLOOD; THEY HUNT EVER MAN HIS BROTHER WITH A NET (VIC) THAT THEY MAY DO EVIL WITH BOTH HANDS EARNESTLY, THE PRINCE ASKETH AND THE JUDGE ASKETH FOR A REWARD (A BRIBE) AND THE GREAT MAN, HE UTTERETH HIS MISCHIEVOUS DESIRE, SO THEY WRAP IT UP.

THERE IS NOT ONLY CRIME IN THE HOMES; ITS IN EVERY STREET, THERE IS SO MUCH SKYJACKING, CALLED AIR PIRACY.

REVELATION 3:20, JESUS SAID, BEHOLD (LOOK), I STAND AT THE DOOR (OF YOUR HEART) AND KNOCK. IF ANY MAN HEAR MY VOICE, AND OPEN THE DOOR, I WILL COME IN TO HIM, AND WILL SUP WITH HIM, AND HE WITH ME.

SUICIDES AND FAMILY KILLINGS, AND SO MANY ASSASSINATES IT KEEPS YOU SO UPSET, AND FULL OF FRUSTRATION.

ROMANS 6:23, FOR THE WAGES OF SIN IS DEATH, BUT THE GIFT OF GOD IS ETERNAL LIFE THROUGH JESUS CHRIST OUR LORD.

THE WORD NEWS, TIC'S IS WHAT IT MEANS—NOT EVEN WORTH SAYING—NOW IS THE TIME TO HEAR OF THE GOOD NEWS—JESUS IS THE ANSWER!!!

JEREMIAH 23:23,24, AM I A GOD AT HAND, SAID THE LORD, AND NOT A GOD FAR OFF? CAN ANY HIDE HIMSELF IN SECRET PLACES THAT I CAN NOT SEE HIM? SAID THE LORD—DO NOT I FILL HEAVEN AND EARTH? SAID THE LORD.

MANY PEOPLE TURN TO DRUGS, GAMBLING, PARTYING, TRYING TO FIND JOY, BUT THEIR LIVES ARE YET MISERABLE; NO MATTER HOW MANY TRYS!!!

JOHN 2:15-17, LOVE NOT THE WORLD (THE DEVIL), NEITHER THE THINGS THAT ARE IN THE WORLD, IF ANY MAN LOVE THE WORLD, THE LOVE OF THE FATHER IS NOT IN HIM, FOR ALL THAT IS IN THE WORLD, THE LUST OF THE FLESH, AND THE LUST OF THE EYES, AND THE PRIDE OF LIFE, IS NOT OF THE FATHER, BUT IS OF THE WORLD, AND THE WORLD PASSETH AWAY, AND THE LUST THEREOF, BUT HE THAT DOETH THE WILL OF GOD ABIDETH FOR EVER.

THE WORLD IS A HOG PEN; AND MANY PEOPLE'S LIVES ARE VERY HEARD, BUT THE WAY OUT, HUMBLE YOURSELVES; AND HAVE A TALK WITH THE LORD.

ISAIAH 1:18, COME NOW, AND LET US REASON TOGETHER, SAID THE LORD.

THOUGH YOUR SINS BE AS SCARLET, THEY SHALL BE WHITE AS SNOW, THOUGH THEY BE RED LIKE CRIMSON, THEY SHALL BE AS WOOL.

I AM JUST A NOBODY, TRYING TO TELL EVERYBODY, ABOUT SOMEBODY, JESUS CHRIST WHO DIED FOR THE SINS OF EVERYBODY!!!

WRITTEN BY EVANGELIST BILLY B.J. MORRISON, 111, YOUR BROTHER IN JESUS CHRIST.



from the Desk of Parson D. A. Smith "The Plague of Betrayal"

A few days ago I felt a sense of betrayal by a minister in the community who a great number of us felt could make a difference in Lubbock. Here was a man that could move to higher heights, but he appears to be stain with the "plague of betrayal".

The transitive senses of "betray" from Merriam Webster means "to lead astray; to deliver to an enemy by treachery; to fail or desert especially in time of need; to disclose in violation of confidence." The intransitive sense means "to prove false."

The meaning of the act of betrayal put one in a negative stance with God and humanity. There have been numerous writings on betrayal: "The Betrayal of Capitalism; The Betrayal of Silence, The Betrayal of Trust; The Betrayal of a Legacy; and The Betrayal of Christ."

On February 15, 1863, the

Rev. C. H. Spurgeon step to the pulpit at the Metropolitan Tabernacle, Newington and read: "And while he yet spake, behold a multitude, and he that was call Judas, one of the twelve, went before them, and drew near unto Jesus to kiss him. But Jesus said unto him, Judas, betrayest thou the Son of man with a kiss?" -Luke 22:47,48.

Spurgeon begins his sermon by saying: "When Satan had been entirely worsted in his conflict with Christ in the garden, the man-devil Judas came upon the scene. As the Parthian in his flight turns round to shoot the fatal arrow, so the archenemy aimed another shaft at the Redeemer, by employing the traitor into whom he had entered. Judas became the devil's deputy, and a most trusty and a serviceable tool he was. The Evil One had taken entire possession of the apostate's heart, and like the swine possessed of devils, he ran violently downwards toward

destruction. Well had infernal malice selected the Savior's trusted friend to be his treacherous betrayer, for thus he stabbed at the very center of his broken and bleeding heart. But, beloved, as in all things God is wiser than Satan, and the Lord of goodness outwitted the Prince of Evil, so, in this dastardly betrayal of Christ, prophecy was fulfilled, and Christ was the more sure declared to be the promised Messiah."

To violate one's or a people's trust is treason. Judas was a friend, a trusted friend, a colleague and partner with the Lord. But he violated the trust of Jesus for "financial gain." Judas annual audit of the account was right on the penny. Spurgeon said of Judas, "he was the purse-bearer to the Ring of kings, Chancellor of God's exchequer, and then to turn aside and sell the Savior, this is treason in its uttermost degree."

Those of you who have read

the story of this man's life plague with betrayal know the night before he sold his Master he washed his feet. When the Supper came, and they began to eat and drink together, the Lord said, "One of you will betray me." And a little later he said, "He that dippeth with me in the dish the same is he. Judas looks at Christ and saw the agony on his face, and when Jesus said, "Now is my soul troubled," Judas left to sell his Master. Hear the words of Jesus: "Woe unto that man by whom the Son of man is betrayed; it had been good for that man if he had not been born."

How could a seminarian become the object of the "plague of betrayal?" Our prayer today is "Lord in these troubled times, let those who are pure in heart see you and not man. Let the words of their mouth and the meditation of their heart be acceptable in your sight."

The Outreach Prayer Breakfast

"Hour Of Power"

A Prayer for the Body of Christ: "Father, we pray and confess your word over the body of Christ. We pray that your people be filled with the fully deep and clear knowledge of your will in all spiritual things. We pray they live and conduct themselves in a manner worthy of you, Lord, fully pleasing to you and desiring to please you in all things, bearing fruit in every good work, and steady growing and increasing in and by the knowledge of you; with fuller, deeper, and clearer insight.

We pray that the body of Christ will be invigorated and strengthened with all power, according to

the might of your glory, to exercise every kind of endurance and patience with joy and giving. Thanks to you, Father, who has qualified and made them fit to share the portion which is the inheritance of the Saints (God's Holy people) in the light. You, Father, have delivered and drawn them to yourself out of the control and the dominion of darkness and have transferred them into the Kingdom of the Son of your love, in whom they have their redemption through his blood, which means the remission of their sins.

Father: You delight at the sight of the body of Christ standing shoulder to shoulder in such orderly array and the firmness and

the solid front and steadfastness of their faith in Christ, leaning on him in absolute trust and confidence in His power, wisdom, and goodness. Let the walk regulate their lives and they conduct themselves in union with and conformity to Him, having the roots of their being firmly and deeply planted in Him, being continually built up in Him, becoming increasingly more confirmed and established in the Faith. Your people, Father, clothe themselves as your own people picked representatives. Your chosen ones who are purified and Holy and well beloved by You by putting on behavior marked by tender hearted pity and mercy, kind feeling, gen-

tle ways, and patience. They have the power to endure whatever comes, with good temper. They are gentle and forbearing with each other and, if they have a grievance or complaint against another, readily pardon each other as you, Lord, has freely forgiven them, so do they also forgive.

Your people put on love and enfold themselves with bond of perfectiones, which binds everything together completely in ideal harmony. They let the peace from Jesus act as umpire continually in hearts deciding and settling with all finality all the questions that arise in their minds in the peaceful state to which they are called.

Old Salem's African American church complex opens May 5

Old Salem will celebrate the opening of its newest exhibit the St. Philips churches, with a week of events beginning Monday, May 5.

The week begins with a sacred rededication service on Sunday, May 4 at 4:30 p.m. The service will be led by Rev; Cedric S. Rodney of the current St. Philips congregation, located on Bonair Ave. This day will include the rededication of the church as well as the African American graveyard.

Monday, May 5 at 11:30 a.m. will be the official ribbon cutting. Following the public ribbon cutting, the complex will be open free to the public from noon-5 p.m. On Thursday evening,

May 8, at 7:30 p.m., in the sanctuary of the brick church, the members of the Emmanuel Baptist Church Spiritual Choir will lead attendees in an old fashioned Praise Service that was a forerunner of today's prayer meetings. The evening will be filled with music and excitement that has not been a part of the St Philips brick church's history for over 50 years.

Friday night, May 9, St Philips will be the site of a very special free theatrical performance by Flonnie Anderson. "Celia's Salem" will begin at 7:30. Celia was one of the African Americans enslaved by the owners of the Salem Tavern. This production will serve as a poignant repro-

duction of the lives of those enslaved in Salem.

The week of celebration concludes in a very special way on Saturday, May 10, with Masonic and Descendant's Day. At 12:00, noon, the Masons, who played a large part in the building of the log church, will return to dedicate the site through the installation of a cornerstone and time capsule. Also in attendance on Saturday, will be descendants of those people who actually lived, laughed, cried and celebrated their lives within the walls of St. Philips. The event is open to the public.

The St. Philips complex contains the African American Moravian log Church (recon-

structed based on 1823 plans), the African American graveyard, and the St. Philips brick church, the oldest standing African American church in North Carolina, dating to 1861. The brick church is also among the oldest standing African American churches in the South.

The St. Philips complex will officially become of the part of the Old Salem, tour on Thursday, May 15, following the opening of the new Old Salem Visitor Center on May 14.

For more information on St. Philips or any of the opening events, contact Old Salem at (336) 721-7300 or visit www.oldsalem.org.

Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church

2202 Southeast Drive
806-744-7552
Pastor's study 806-741-0208
dpoebethel@aol.com

Intercessory Prayer 8:30am
Church School 9:30am
Morning Worship 10:50am
Evening Worship 6:00pm
Wednesday Bible Study
12:00 Noon and 6:00pm



"God Our Father, Christ Our Redeemer,
Man Our Brother"
Pastor: Danny R. Poe

A Call for Spiritual Poems From Lubbock-Area Poets

A \$1000.00 grand prize is being offered in a special religious poetry contest sponsored by the New Jersey Rainbow Poets, free to anyone who has ever written a poem. There are 50 prizes in all totaling almost \$5,000.00. The deadline for entering is May 3, 2003. To enter, send one poem only of 21 lines or less: Free Poetry Contest, 103 N. Wood Ave., PMB 70, Linden, NJ 07036. www.rainbowpoets.com.

"We think great spiritual poems can inspire achievement," says Frederick Young, the organization's Contest Director. "Our desire is to inspire amateur poets and we think this competition will accomplish that. Texas has produced many wonderful poets over the years and we'd like to discover new ones from the Lubbock-area."

Bethel A.M.E. Church will host
Paul Quinn College Concert Choir
of Dallas, Texas,
Friday, April 4, 2003 at 7:00 pm.

AFFORDABLE FUNERALS

* Cremation * Headstones * Pre-Need

Call: (806) 787-2958

In Remembrance...



Robert Lee "Doc" Dobbins

Funeral services for Robert Lee "Doc" Dobbins were held last Saturday, March 29, 2003, at Mt Love Baptist Church in Slaton, Texas with Rev. C. C. Peoples, pastor, officiating. Burial was held in East Englewood Cemetery in Slaton under the direction of Ossie Curry Funeral Home of Lubbock.

Mr. Dobbins died Sunday, March 23, 2003, at Covenant Health Center.



Clara Moore O'Neal

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Clara Moore O'Neal last Thursday, March 27, 2003, at the Greater St. Luke Baptist Church with Rev. J. H. Ford, pastor, officiating.

Mrs. O'Neal passed away Monday, March 24, 2003. She was born in Bryan, Texas on December 14, 1914, and moved to Lubbock in 1937.

She leaves to cherish her memory: two daughters and their husbands, Shirley and Edward Canady, and George Ann and Ronald Hereford, all of Lubbock, Texas; four sons and their wives: Dennis and Dimple Saunders, Tyree and Janet Morris, Eugene and Mary Jean Morris, and Lawrence O'Neal; twenty-seven grandchildren; 53 great-grandchildren; 19 great-great-grandchildren; and two nieces and their families.



Alice Masie Phenix

Funeral services for Alice Marie Phenix were held last Saturday morning, March 29, 2003, at the Mt. Olive Baptist Church with Rev. C.C. Peoples officiating.

Brock's South Plains Funeral Directors of Lubbock was in charge of arrangements.

Ms. Phenix was born September 16, 1967 to Mr. Oran and Mrs. Margie McDaniel, Sr. in Slaton, Texas.

She passed away Monday, March 24, 2003.

She leaves to mourn her passing: her mother, Mrs. Margie McDaniel; two sisters, Linda Brown and Tammy Phenix, both of Slaton, Texas; a brother, Oran McDaniel of Lubbock, Texas; a good friend, Mr. Lillion Johnson, Jr. of Slaton, Texas; a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

To advertise your business in the Southwest Digest, call 762-3612!

Newest Member of P&G's Global Leadership Council Urges Minorities to Pursue Careers in Technologies

CINCINNATI - March 10, 2003 - As vice president of Information Technology at Procter & Gamble and the newest member of the company's powerful Global Leadership Council (GLC), Robert Dixon has a message for young minorities who aspire to be corporate executives.

"Stay in school and pursue a college education, and take those challenging Math, Science and Literature courses," he said. "Pursue technical degrees like Engineering, Information Technology and Life Sciences that will give rise to new technologies 10 years out."

As a member of the GLC, a team of top executives who run worldwide businesses, geographic units, and corporate functions, Dixon uses the Internet to build information systems that help P & G supply product to grocery store shelves fast and reliably. He's the company's first African-American appointed to the GLC.

Of the selection, A.G. Lafley, Procter & Gamble chairman of the board & chief executive officer, said, "Robert's intimate knowledge of Information Technology and the wealth of managerial experience he has amassed during his tenure at P&G make him a valuable resource to both the Council and Procter & Gamble as a whole."

Dixon joined P&G in 1977 after graduating Georgia Tech with a bachelor's degree in Electrical Engineering. He began his career in the company's Albany, Georgia plant where he worked for five years before transferring to the company's headquarters in Cincinnati. His Albany experience prepared him for several managerial promotions.

"Albany taught me how to manage and value the power of diversity," he said. "I discovered that I could learn as much from technicians working shifts as I could from the engineering specialists."

"I also discovered that teams with diverse skills, ethnicity, and thinking styles really do deliver sustainable, world-class business results. I've always strived to diversify my organizations, thanks to my experience in Albany."

Dixon began his career at P&G as an Automatic Controls Engineer and has since worked as

a Telecommunications Systems Analyst, Advertising Section Manager, Sales Associate Director, European Director, and Director Global SAP.

In December 2001, he was promoted to vice president of IT for the Baby, Feminine, & Family Care Global Business Unit, which produces brands such as Pampers diapers, Always and Tampax feminine products, Charmin bath tissues, Puffs facial tissues, and Bounty paper towels. Without hesitation, Dixon readily attributes his meteoric rise through P&G's corporate ranks to his education, parents, caring mentors, and good timing.

"I've been able to progress at P&G because I've always asked for the tough assignments that are absolutely critical to the company's success - assignments that have prepared me for executive level responsibilities," he said. "Also, I thank my parents for instilling in me strong work ethics and Christian values, and I've been blessed with tremendous managers, mentors, sponsors, and great timing," he said.

Dixon has a knack for striking an even keel in his life. He successfully divides his time between a demanding work schedule, spending time with his wife, Dr. Sbere Jones Dixon, and their two children, Kiah, 15; and Robert III, 11; volunteering for his church; and serving on the Board of

Trustees at his children's school. "I'm committed to my church, family, and community and tend to devote most of my personal time to them as well as my kid's school. I believe it's important that parents be visible in their children's school. It makes for better students and parents," he said. "P&G encourages its employees to get involved in their local communities. The skills you learn at P&G make you a better volunteer."

Dixon credits much of his growth and development at P&G to others and is eager to share words of wisdom to those aspiring to executive positions.

"Master the business fundamentals and seek mainstream assignments that broaden your skill base," he advises. "Know how you've contributed to achieving breakthrough business results and maintain that balance between professional and personal priorities," he said.

Asked what code of ethics should African-American executives adopt and live by in order to sustain in such a competitive environment Dixon answered, "I don't think the code of ethics are any different for African Americans. However, I do believe that African Americans should serve as role models in their communities, inspiring youth and young adults to pursue education and careers in business."

Strength for Today hope for Tomorrow

by Gerald Jackson

Question: Are you married but need help in your relationship?

Answer: This past Saturday I had the honor of speaking at the lady's seminar at St. John Baptist Church. The topic I was asked to speak on was, "Married, But I Need Help." It truly was an honor to be asked to participate in this program. I was challenged and encouraged with the assigned topic. I have had several men and women alike who did not attend the seminar who asked about the content of the message. I thought it would be beneficial to share this information with the Digest's readers.

Married, but I need help: delusion, denial, the downfall and divine development

not change a man are laughing at the women who think they can. To impose your will on another in an equal relationship makes the relationship unequal. It makes the person imposing their will the master and the person being imposed upon a slave. This will eventually make your marriage worse. It will only be a matter of time before the man rides himself of the tyrant his wife has become.

Secondly, is the denial. Most women who find themselves in this situation of being married but not happy do not easily own up to the fact that their choice of a husband was not a good one. The problem has occurred because these women listen to their hearts instead of their heads. The man did not just become a bum overnight, he has always been this way, but because the woman wanted a man immediately she ignored what her head was telling her and followed her heart. The head reasons with the facts, the heart follows the feelings. The problem is that our feelings can lie to us (Jeremiah 17:9). When you stay with the facts you make better decisions.

There are four areas I addressed concerning the topic, they are: Delusion, Denial, The Downfall and Divine Development.

Thirdly is the downfall of the marriage. There is a constant warring between husbands and

wives until the Holy Spirit has His way in the home. The wife desires to rule over the husband but the husband tends to dominate the wife by physical force. The two are constantly trying to find the upper hand to gain dominance over their mate. This curse was pronounced on the family when Adam and Eve sinned in Genesis 3:14-16. God pronounced the curse and only God can remove the curse. In Ephesians 5:15-33 we find that the Holy Spirit removes the curse as He works in us. He enables husband and wife to submit to each other (Ephesians 5:21).

to be continued



PARKWAY DRIVE CHURCH OF CHRIST

STACE WILLIAMS FOR U.S. CONGRESS - 19TH DIST.

WEST TEXAN-- BORN and RAISED!

VOTE • SATURDAY, MAY 3, 2003
(Early Voting begins April 16, 2003)

"My past experience in government, military, and business, combined with a small business ownership and the practical, low-probability insight into the needs of folks throughout the South Plains."

"I see the potential of United States Representatives as a SPVH. Explain and simplify. In this end, I'm prepared to do whatever it takes to ensure that all West Texans get a fair shake."

PAID FOR, AUTHORIZED AND APPROVED BY STACE WILLIAMS FOR U.S. CONGRESS. Treasurer - Charles W. Barler

IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN!
For the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal's 6th Annual

Bigger 'N Texas Garage Sale

Saturday, April 5th
Panhandle South Plains Fairgrounds

Bigger 'N Texas Garage Sale
Saturday, April 5th
8 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Panhandle South Plains Fairgrounds

COOKING CORNER

Cooked Shrimp & Vegetables Make a "Soup-er" Supper

(NAPS)—"Soup of the evening, beautiful soup!" exclaimed the Mock Turtle in Lewis Carol's Alice's Adventures in Wonderland. The Mock Turtle might have been referring to Shrimp and Veggie Lovers' Chowder, a rich and colorful medley of shrimp, corn, broccoli, carrots and cheese.

Chowders are known for being meals-in-themselves, needing few accompaniments; Refrigerated cornbread twists or crusty bakery rolls and bagged salad greens with bottled dressing round out the menu. Some fresh fruit for dessert, and presto—you've got a warm, satisfying, low-fat dinner.

Pre-cooked shrimp and frozen broccoli (or broccoli florets from the salad bar or bag) keep prep time to a minimum. While the chowder simmers and the bread warms, help the kids with their homework or return a phone call while you occasionally monitor the meal. You don't need to stand over the stove continuously to make this special seafood soup.

Shrimp and Veggie Lovers' Chowder

Alternatives: One 8-oz. package of surimi seafood OR 8 oz. fresh or pasteurized crabmeat, or a mixture of both.

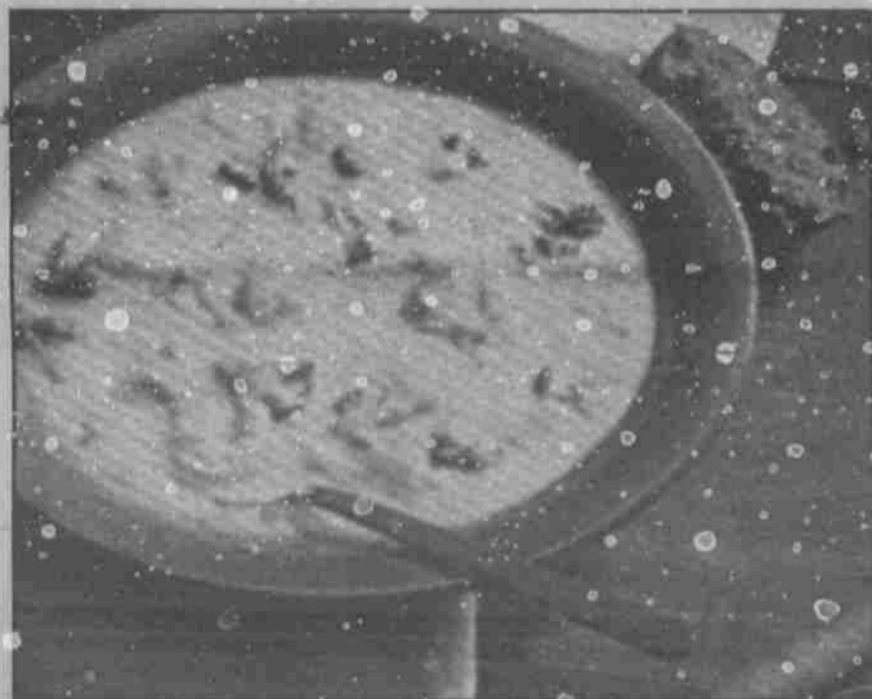
2 1/2 cups cubed, peeled potato
2 cups frozen whole-kernel corn, divided

1 cup chopped, peeled carrot
2 cloves garlic, minced
2 1/2 cups low-sodium chicken broth
2 1/2 cups frozen broccoli cuts
3 tablespoons all-purpose flour
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon pepper
2 cups skim milk
1 (10 oz.) package frozen cooked shrimp
1 cup shredded reduced-fat sharp Cheddar cheese

Combine potato, 1 cup corn, carrot, garlic and chicken broth in a large Dutch oven; bring to a boil. Reduce heat and simmer 20 minutes or until potato is tender, stirring frequently—Transfer to a food processor; process until smooth. Return puree to Dutch oven; add remaining corn and broccoli. Cover and cook 10 minutes.

Combine flour, salt and pepper in a small bowl; gradually add milk, stirring constantly until smooth. Stir into chowder. Add frozen shrimp. Cook over medium heat 10 minutes or until thickened, stirring constantly. Remove from heat; Add cheddar cheese and stir until cheese is melted. Yield: 9 cups.

Nutritional analysis per cup:
Calories 188; Fat 2.11g;
Cholesterol 68.2mg; Protein 17.2g; Sodium 317mg.



SPAM® Sandwich Wins Family Rivalry and Grand Prize

The Brooks family of Byron, Ga. has a friendly rivalry going when it comes to the SPAM® Oven Roasted Turkey Competition at the fair. This year there is no doubt who came out on top! Rachel Brooks swept past family, friends and hundreds of other entrants in SPAM™ recipe competitions at state and county fairs across the country to win the national grand prize. Brooks wins a \$2500 shopping spree in Minneapolis and round trip airfare and accommodations for two.

Sisters Rachel and Rebecca squared off in a battle for the Blue Ribbon at the Georgia National Fair. The sisters aren't talking about how hot it got in the kitchen but Rachel took first place. Rebecca came in a close second. Rachel's recipe was automatically entered into the national competition.

SPAM® & Jam Layered Sandwich

2 (8-ounce) cans reduced fat 4 slices Colby cheese refrigerated crescent rolls 4 slices Swiss cheese 1 (12 ounce) can SPAM® Oven 1/3-1/2 Cup red raspberry jam

Roasted Turkey thinly sliced

Powdered Sugar Sauce

1/2 Cup light mayonnaise
2 Tbsp maple syrup
1/4 Cup Dijon mustard
1/2 tsp Creole seasoning
Mix all ingredients in small serving bowl.

Heat oven to 375° Separate dough into 4 long rectangles. Place rectangles cross-wise on 1 large or 2 small ungreased cookie sheets. Firmly press perforations to seal. Rectangles should not touch when baking. Bake dough for 8-12 minutes or until cooked through and golden brown. Cool on pans for 5 minutes. Top one crust with half of the sliced SPAM® and Colby cheese. Place second crust on top of cheese. Top evenly with other half of SPAM® and Swiss cheese. Place third crust on top of the cheese; spread evenly with jam. Top with fourth crust. Return layered sandwich to the oven and heat for 15 minutes or until filling is hot. Let stand 5 minutes before slicing. Sprinkle sandwich with powdered sugar, if desired, and slice into 1-inch pieces. If desired, serve with Maple Mustard Sauce. Serves 6-8.



NEW! Your Choice!

New York Strip Steaks
7 Fatless Pack
or
Fresh Baby Back
Pork Ribs
or
Fresh Signature
Salmon Fillets

3.88

lb.

SAVE UP TO \$3.11 LB. WITH CARD

DOUBLE MANUFACTURER'S COUPONS UP TO \$1.00
*Some Items Only

Fresh! PRODUCE

Jumbo Size Cantaloupes
Sweet

2 for \$3.00
WITH PREFERRED CARD

12 Pack Coke, Sprite or Dr Pepper
12 oz. Cans
Assorted Varieties

2 for \$7.00
WITH PREFERRED CARD

Doritos Tortilla Chips
13.5 oz. Pkg.
Assorted Varieties

BUY 1 GET 1 FREE!
SAVE \$1.25 ON 2 WITH CARD

Huggies Jumbo Diapers
UltraTrim or Supreme or Pull-Ups; 23-56 ct.

8.99 each
WITH PREFERRED CARD

8 Piece Mixed Fried Chicken
2 Legs, 2 Wings, 2 Thighs & 2 Breast

3.99 each
WITH PREFERRED CARD

Shrimp Sale!

Village Market Large Raw Shrimp
36-40 ct.
Sold in 16 oz. Bag
at \$9.99 each

BUY 1 GET 1 FREE!
SAVE \$9.99 ON 2 WITH CARD

Village Market Medium Raw Shrimp
41-50 ct.
Sold in 16 oz. Bag
at \$7.99 each

BUY 1 GET 1 FREE!
SAVE \$7.99 ON 2 WITH CARD

Village Market Cooked & Peeled Shrimp
51-70 ct.
Sold in 16 oz. Bag
at \$9.99 each

BUY 1 GET 1 FREE!
SAVE \$9.99 ON 2 WITH CARD

Village Market Cooked & Peeled Shrimp
71-90 ct.
Sold in 16 oz. Bag
at \$14.99 each

BUY 1 GET 1 FREE!
SAVE \$14.99 ON 2 WITH CARD

Prices Effective April 4 through April 10, 2003

MELON MANIA! & Fresh Produce

Fresh! PRODUCE

12 Pack Honeydew Melon

\$2.99 each

Whole Seeded Watermelon

\$4.99 ea.

12 oz. Seedless Watermelon Cup

2 for \$5.00

Melon Medley Bowl
48 oz.

\$8.99 ea.

Cut Seedless Watermelon

49¢ lb.

Seedless Watermelon
12 oz.

\$7.00

Parmesan Asparagus Spears

1 Tbl. balsamic vinegar
1 Tsp. Dijon mustard
2.5 lbs. asparagus spears
2 Tbl. grated or shaved parmesan cheese
1 tsp. olive oil
1 tsp. salt

1.99 lb.
WITH PREFERRED CARD

Fresh! Crisp Cucumbers
1 1/2 lb. bag

79¢ each
WITH PREFERRED CARD

Grape Tomatoes
1 Pint

1.99 each
WITH PREFERRED CARD

Mountain King Potatoes
1 1/2 lb. bag

1.99 each
WITH PREFERRED CARD

Fresh! Mushroom Slices

1.69 each
WITH PREFERRED CARD

Fresh! Express Green & Crisp
or Dole
1 1/2 lb. bag

2.49 each
WITH PREFERRED CARD

Jumbo Navel Oranges

99¢ lb.
WITH PREFERRED CARD

Earthbound Farms Organic

2.99 each

Hearts of Romaine
1 1/2 lb.

2.50 each
WITH PREFERRED CARD

Festival Of Tulips

Fresh Cut Tulips
5 Stem Bunch

3.99 each

Tulips or Hyacinths
6" Pot With Mylar Cover

6.99 each

Mixed Bulb Bouquet
With Tulips and Iris

7.99 each

Beautiful 8" Bulb Garden
Assorted Gardens

9.99 each

Albertsons

PRICES EFFECTIVE: April 4 through April 10, 2003.
Price Good At The Below Albertsons Store Locations

LUBBOCK

Editorials • Comments • Opinions



Lubbock is Lubbock! And Must Be Lubbock for All Lubbock Citizens! by Eddie P. Richardson

Lubbock is a multi-racial, multi-cultural city, but Lubbock is still Lubbock, and must be Lubbock for all Lubbockites of all ethnic, religious, cultural aspects regardless of differences of opinion. Lubbock must still be collectively Lubbock for all of Lubbock.

No matter what part of Lubbock you may reside, Lubbock is still Lubbock, and we must accept and respect that fact, because that's the way it is. Lubbock is blessed to not have a total ghetto or barrios as a whole. We only have pockets in some areas of the town, but beneath it, all, there are decent homes in these areas. Those who need be given help of some kind from whatever source which is available to improve

the neighborhood. And those in the neighborhood who have the necessary resources should want to help and not be selfish as to say what about me, because it is said when you help, the ones with the least, you have also helped me. Do we believe this or not?

Helping the need helps the total neighborhood. We need to get away from that side of town, them and us, and think about the total city and get off the race kick and economic kick. All of us need to be on the Total City Kick. We lost three good tourists and economic venue because of location of the River Walk project, the South Plains Fair area development, and the tournament size soft ball complexes. Sad, but true. Crossing sides have Lubbock's loss.

But through it all, it is good to see the trend has changed. The North Lubbock major development projects underway with McDougal and others.

Mayor Msre McDougal North/East Lubbock Commission and the positive results reported

to the City Council recently by Commission Chair Gary Lawrence was great. For God's sake, lets not drop the ball now. The trend has been set for change. Lets keep it going for the good of all of us. The beginning of positive growth for the total growth and economic impact on all of Lubbock. For Lubbock to positively grow, it has to come back to the past where areas were overlooked and abandoned. These are areas with plenty of growth potential, especially areas in North and East Lubbock. In the Western part of Lubbock, it has pushed to bring. There is plenty of room including vacant and under-developed land which could be used to put all parts of Lubbock on an even keel. What a blessing it would be for the total city of Lubbock, which could serve as an example for the world, country and state. Lubbock can do it, and what an example it would be for all of us.

Nuf Sed! Why Not?



In Cinque by Renetta W. Howard

It appears that there are too many people who do not realize the seriousness of unwanted animals usually kept in and around homes for pets. The population of stray cats and dogs, especially, is much too large to maintain a healthy living environment.

A healthy living environment is usually found where pet animals are considered to be a part of the family. They are given adequate housing inside or outside the home. They are fed properly and given proper inoculations, medical care and kept reasonably clean. In short, they are loved just as other family members. Of course there are a few people who depend solely on their pets for companionship and love. They definitely take care of their animals. They have their animals neutered

to eliminate the birth of unwanted animals and when they do not have them neutered, they make certain that then pet does not come into contact with animals of a kindred kind, or like steps to place unwanted animals in places where they can be adopted and cared for.

It is the large number of animals which are not cared for, unleashed, hungry, dirty and perhaps diseased and dangerous which contribute to the overpopulation pet problem. It can even be inconceivable, the amount of damage a couple of month-old puppies can do to the average yard and porch. It is not unusual for adult dogs to find your Sunday newspaper on your lawn and make papier-mache of it. Puppies can do the same thing. In addition, if you live in a house which has an opened underside, they can get the insulation off your water and electric pipes under your house and make confetti of them, pull any plants from the ground that are not surrounded by a strong fence and destroy any weak edging around plants. Throw rugs on a patio make really good tug-o-war items as well as a nice place to rest after hard playing.

Cats just love son pillow cushions to rest on and watch birds or squirrels, without any concern for what their claws will do to your nice lawn furniture.

In municipalities where there are humane societies, provisions are made to take care of the stray pet population. There are concerns in these municipalities about the health and happiness of its constituents. Being bitten by a rabid animal is not fun for the person being bitten. The shots are no fun which are required to prevent disease and death from a rabid bite. The damage to property by stray animals can be immeasurable.

Animal control is a must in all communities where families live. Aside from the contact damage that animals can make, many people are allergic to cats and dogs. This is one reason why many people do not own pets with hair and do their best to avoid or cut short their stay when visiting homes where there are such pets- it is time for us to get 'in cinque' and do something positive about the excess domesticated animal population.



Look Out for Tax Scams in Tax Season

By Greg Abbott
Attorney General of Texas

Last year, several Texans lost their entire personal savings to con artists purporting to be IRS agents. Phony bank and IRS documents were sent to the victims in order obtain bank account information. I don't want this to happen to anyone. I'd like to take this opportunity to inform you of some common tax season scams to look out for.

African-American reparations tax refund? No!

Thousands of African-Americans have been scammed by individuals who claim that tax law allows credits or refunds due to reparations for slavery. Usually they will ask for a fee in return for filing the false claim. The scam artist is long gone before the victim realizes what has happened. The truth is, there is no such law and the victim may be subject to civil penalties for filing a false claim.

Pay the tax, get the prize? No!

This type of fraud is usually done via telephone. The person on the other end of the phone will tell you that you've won a prize. All you have to do is pay the tax on the prize in order to

receive it. Don't be fooled! There are no requirements to prepay taxes on winnings. If you actually win something of value, you might have to adjust any estimated tax payments so as to avoid penalties from the IRS. However, keep in mind that taxes are paid directly to the IRS, not to third parties.

I don't pay taxes, why should you? Don't Believe It!

This is another common scam with many faces. Typically, someone will claim that you don't have to have taxes withheld from your paycheck, or that you can buy an "untax package" that will make you exempt from all taxes. A fee is required in order to learn their secrets to tax freedom. This scam works on the premise that taxes are voluntary. This argument has been repeatedly rejected from US courts. Taxes are NOT voluntary—we must all pay our share.

The tax man is coming Or is He?

Some scam artists are so bold as to show up at your door! You might find someone knocking on your door claiming to be an IRS agent. He or she will claim that you owe back taxes and will pressure you into writing a check on the spot. Don't

do it! Don't let anyone into your home claiming to be an IRS agent without verifying their identification and documentation. All IRS employees, including field auditors, collection officers and special agents, carry proper identification cards. If an IRS employee does have a legitimate reason for visiting you, you will usually receive a phone call first. If you believe an impostor has shown up at your door, do not let them in! Call your local police department and then call the US Treasury Inspector General's Hotline at (800) 366-4484.

Be smart

We would all love a large tax return, especially during these tough economic times. It is very tempting to listen to snake oil salesmen. Keep your guard up and remember, if it sounds too good to be true, it probably is.

You can find out more about these and other types of scams or report a new scam by visiting the IRS Web site at www.irs.gov. As always, if you feel you have been defrauded by a business, you can also file a complaint with the Consumer Protection Division of my office, by telephone at (800) 621-0508, or via our Web site at www.oag.state.tx.us.

THIS N THAT

OUR PRAYERS GO OUT FOR SPC. SHOSHANA JOHNSON AND OTHERS! THIS N THAT...is hoping everything will be alright for all men and women in the U.S. Armed Forces... who are fighting in Iraq... Last week... THIS N THAT... noticed that a young African American woman... SPC. SHOSHANA JOHNSON... a cook in the U.S. Army... was taken captive last week... JOHNSON... the only woman among the seven American POWs... has made international news... No doubt... this has been a surprising event... since the war begun... nearly two weeks ago... Not only... JOHNSON... but there are... two women... PFC LORI PLESTEWAN AND PFC JESSICA LYNCH... who are missing in action... At this report... there have been American armed forces persons who have been killed in action... Our prayers go out to their families... as well as for those who are still fighting on our behalf... the citizens of the United States of America... No matter what you may think of the war... PRAYER... is needed for all of them... THIS N THAT... in 1962... was in the U. S. K.H. Army in South Vietnam... a war many have forgotten... but war is war... No matter the popularity of the conflict... it takes... U. S. AMERICAN MEN AND WOMEN... to stand tall for our freedom... FREEDOM AIN'T FREE! SHALL WE PRAY? HOPE YOU WILL AGREE!

PENNY HASTINGS THE BARBER SAYS: "A DIAMOND... is only a chunk of... COAL... but it becomes a... PRECIOUS JEWEL... under...PRESSURE."

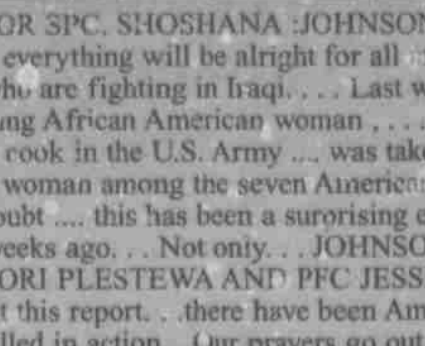
BLACK SUPERINTENDENT DOING WELL IN VICTORIA! THIS N THAT... had a very interesting visit with... DR. RON PEACE... Victoria Independent School District Superintendent... last Saturday morning... He gave credit of... former Lubbock Independent School District Superintendent... DR. JACK CLEMMONS... for his opportunity to serve in this capacity...

CONGRATS TO MLK BURGERS FOR GRAND OPENING! THIS N THAT... along with... MAYOR MARC MCDUGAL... was present for the... GRAND OPENING... of the newly constructed... MLK BURGERS... located at 107 Beech Avenue... last Friday morning... where at least twenty-five well wishers were present... The proud owner... ASA/D MOUSAVIJAM... who also owns... TED'S BURGERS... he purchased in May of 1997... is very excited about this new opportunity... He let's's you know he is... VERY MUCH FOR THE EAST LUBBOCK AREA AND WILL CONTINUE TO HELP IT DEVELOP!... This is good... and... THIS N THAT... wishes the new... MLK BURGERS... all the success... Why not go by and visit...

ANOTHER VERY GOOD BUSINESS ON EAST SIDE! THIS N THAT... wants you know about another outstanding business... located on the East Side of Lubbock... It is none other than... KINGS FOOD & GAS... located at East 19th Street and MLK Blvd... Its hardworking owner... ROBERT RAMIREZ... is also excited about the many... OPPORTUNITIES... in East Lubbock... Why not go by and visit with him... he has a lot of wisdom to offer... THIS N THAT... is glad our friend... ROBERT RAMIREZ... chose our area of the city... CONGRATS... to what you and your staff is doing!

VERY GOOD MOVE FRO SPC ADVISORY BOARD! THIS N THAT... wants to salute the... the... ADVISORY BOARD OF SOUTH PLAINS COLLEGE (SPC)... for having the vision of holding one of their quarterly meetings on the campus of... ESTACADO HIGH SCHOOL... last week... Akl were welcomed by... MS. CAROLYN THOMAS-CONRWRIGHT... who had lunch with the members in the school cafeteria... After eating... ETHEL MCLEOD... board president... spoke to the young people who were excited to hear from her... This was a very positive move on the part of this advisory board... Hopefully... DICK WALSH... this ripple will be seen by other organizations in our city... who will do same...

ATTEND PAUL QUINN COLLEGE CONCERT FRIDAY NIGHT! THIS N THAT... is hoping as many of you as possible will attend... THE PAUL QUINN COLLEGE CHOIR CONCERT... on Friday evening... APRIL 4y 2003... at Bethel AME Church... beginning at 7:30 p.m... Should be a very interesting evening... For more info... call the pastor... REV. DANNY POE... at (806) 744-7552...



CONTINUE IN PRAYER, LUBBOCK!



service is our passion.

No one cares to the needs of our patients quite like Danny An. As a Registered Dietician and Assistant Director of Nutrition Services, Danny faces the everyday challenge of providing nutritious, satisfying meals for all of UMC's patients. If you think that means cookie-cutter meals of dry chicken and green gelatin, think again. From comfort foods to kosher meals, Danny and his staff go out of their way to fulfill patient requests. He makes it a priority to learn something new from everyone he sees so he can better serve our future patients. Danny knows that a healthy, delicious meal is often one of the best medicines a doctor can prescribe. Exceeding patients' expectations and providing great service are how Danny An proves that at UMC, you come first.

University Medical Center HEALTH SYSTEM

25 YEARS OF EXCELLENCE

Classified Ads



The Southwest Digest's Low Cost Want Ads Work Hard For You

Want To Buy, Sell or Trade?
Need a Job or
Someone to Work?
CALL:
762-4605
Southwest Digest
Classified Results
Guaranteed!

Southwest Digest

"the newspaper of today with and ideals for the 90's and beyond"
Your weekly community newspaper with YOU, the people, in mind
Serving you since 1977

Subscribe today to the southwest digest and never miss a single issue. Good gift for students, Military or out of town relatives.

Name _____
Address _____
City _____
State _____ Zip _____

One Year.....\$20.00 (Save \$5.00) Renewal
 Two Years.....\$35.00 New Subscription
902 E. 28th Street, Lubbock, Texas 79404
This Business is Local Minority Owned


Auto/Tire Repair

GLYNN M ORGAN & RUFUS M MARTINEZ **UNIROYAL**
Service Center
Your Uniroyal, Michelin & BFGoodrich Dealer.
Break & Complete Auto Service.
1414 Avenue L Lubbock, Texas (806) 762-8307

Handyman

LORD'S WILL I WILL
Handyman for almost any kind of work;
chauffeur, carpenter, yard man, clean up &
haul, landscape, biblical plaque maker,
welding, cut lots, burglary bars fence repairing,
painting, photography, and many more.
Working with God's talents!!!
Matthew 25:14-21, "Blessed Hands"
Call **Bill B. J. Morrison, III**
806/762-2886
Mobile 806/789-0895

Appliances

Dewberry Appliance Service
"Reliable Washers & Dryers You Can Afford!"
*Washer*Dryers*Refrigerators
\$150.00 and up
90 Day Guarantee
 Henry Dewberry, Owner
323 Buddy Holly Avenue
Phone: 741-1016
Home: 797-2543
Digital Pager: 766-5230

Employment & Opportunity

South Plains Association of Governments
South Plains Association of Governments is accepting applications for the position of program assistant. Position is responsible for administrative support to the law enforcement training program. This is a highly visible public contact position. Well developed office skills, computer skills, and public relations skills required. Previous experience in a demanding office environment preferred. Competitive salary and benefits. Interested applicants should submit a resume to South Plains Association of Governments, P.O. Box 3730, Lubbock Texas 79452. BOE

Don't File Bankruptcy!
We can get you out of debt! We negotiate with your creditors to help you get a fresh start without bankruptcy.
No fee if unsuccessful! 1-866-388-3328.
www.debtdiscounters.com

Shhhhhhhhhhhhhhh -- NOT!
"I'm putting my business in the streets!" If you're tired of being tired, and you're ready to make a change, Check out the Business Opportunity:
www.getontracknow.com
Then Call me! 806-795-0301
I'm looking for people who are looking for me!


Medical

Covenant Health System
For employment information contact
Human Resources
4014 - 22nd Place, Suite 9
Lubbock, Tx
Job Line 725-8283
Equal Opportunity Employer

Remember When?

A New Book Compiled by
Katie Parks
Chronicles the History of African Americans in Lubbock, Texas
Hurry! This is a limited edition.
Order yours now!
Call: 806.747.2429

Pharmacy

CAVIELS PHARMACY
Workman's Compensation Charge Accounts
#PCS & PRO-SERV
SENIOR CITIZENS DISCOUNT
MEDICAID
#GENERIC DRUGS
#COMPENSATION PRESCRIPTION PRICES
Open: 9 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Monday thru Saturday
Closed on Sundays!

1719 Avenue A 765-5311 or 765-7560

Rental Property

The DMG Company
"Affordable Rental Properties"
STEPHANIE HILL - President
Ofc 806/762-5877 Fax 806/767-9921 Mobile 806/438-5091
2412 Cedar Ave Lubbock, Texas 79404

Professional Services

Stenocall
a division of
Lubbock Radio Paging Service, Inc.

• 24 Hour Bilingual Assistance Service
• Pager
• Cellular Phones
• Two-Way Radios
• Voice Mail
1/2 Off setup fee on Pager or Answering Service with this ad
762-0811
16th & Ave J, Lubbock, TX
www.stenocall.com

STOP worrying about how you can't get HIV/AIDS and other sexually transmitted diseases, and find out how you can!
Inside Out
Community Outreach
1409 23rd Street
Lubbock, Texas 79405
(806) 744-8633
* HIV Prevention Education * Free Confidential Testing
* A Substance Abuse Counseling * Daily Support Groups
* Food Pantry * Clothes Closet
* Inmate House Transitional Living Center
Hours of Operation:
Mon-Fri 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
"Real Change Takes Place From The Inside Out!"
Look for Our Ad on page 12 In Your Southwestern Bell Yellow Pages

Automotive Service

Walter's Automotive
Overhauls, Tune-ups, Brakes, Air Conditioning
All work guaranteed! All Makes, Models, Cars and trucks.
FREE pick-up and delivery
(806)763-7427
An East Lubbock Business Since 1966
Same Professional Service
James White
Walter White
Johnnie Jones
1709 E. 5th Street
Lubbock, TX 79403

NOE'S AUTO SERVICE
1018 E. 34th St. * Lubbock, TX
(806)749-3036

Dining

Catfish Corner
Dine-in, Carry-out, or Drive-Thru
4701 I-27
722-FISH (3474)
Hours
Tuesday-Thursday 11:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Friday-Saturday 11:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Sunday & Monday Closed

Gardski's
Restaurant & Bar
Steaks, Seafood, Pastas, Salads
Hamburgers and other Specialties
2009 Broadway
744-2391

Entertainment

Players
GENTLEMAN'S CLUB
3511 AVE. Q/747-0325
BOUTIQUE IS OPEN! FEATURING DANGERS APPAREL & SHIRTS
MEET THE FEATURE
Monday & Tuesday
Discount Cover & Happy Hour until 9pm
HOURS: MON-THURS. 2PM-2AM
FRI. 11:30AM-2AM SAT. 8:00PM-2AM SUN. 6PM-2AM
OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK
ATM On Premises
MUST BE 21

FEATURING **HOLLY HALSTON**
Singer & Video Star
Appearing Monday, Feb. 3 thru Sat., Feb. 8th

Housing

Windcrest Estacado
"Come Warm Up to a Cool Place to Live"
\$99 Deposit Section 8 Welcome \$260 Off 1st Month's Rent
1 Bedroom \$369
2 Bedroom \$449/\$470
3 Bedroom \$553
4 Bedroom \$610
512 N. MLK Blvd.
Lubbock, TX 79403
806-749-2110
Professionally managed by Reliance Management Services, Inc.

Dateview
2310 Date Ave.
ROOMS FOR RENT
Furnished
All Bills Paid
\$200 to \$220 per month
Come by or call Leon
(806) 744-9289

COME CELEBRATE THE ARTS!

It's almost time for the 27th annual Lubbock Arts Festival. The celebration runs from April 10th - 13th at the Lubbock Mercantile Center. You should be "hooked" there are opportunities to volunteer, perform, display and sell creative items. Will you help? Just fill this out and turn it in. It's time to celebrate the Arts at you.

How can you to involve? Performer Volunteer Location

Performer / Volunteer Description _____

Group / Organization _____

List Location at _____

Donor / Contact Name _____ Title _____

Email Address _____ Web Site _____

Mailing Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone () _____ Administrative Contact / # _____

Donation Information

Enclosed is my check for \$ _____ made payable to the Lubbock Arts Alliance.

Charge my VISA MASTERCARD

Amount \$ _____

Print Name on card _____

Expire _____

Signature _____

Please Bill to mailing address if different from above.

Address _____

State _____ City _____ Zip _____

Donor Signature _____



mail to:
Lubbock Arts Alliance
2109 Broadway
Lubbock, TX 79401
Phone: (806) 744-2787
Fax: (806) 744-2790



Need Something Moved?

Call: Annie
(806) 744-8433

To advertise your
business in the
Southwest Digest,
call 762-3612!



Eduardo J. Sanchez, M.D.

**Commissioner's
Commentary**

Eduardo J. Sanchez, M.D.
Commissioner, Texas Department of Health

Worldwide, 2 million people are dead in a year. In Texas, 1,500 people or more can be affected in that same time.

Terrorism? No. Tuberculosis. Persistent, relentless, ancient TB survives behind a modern world's complacency, surrounded by urban myths, waiting to explode.

Take these typical beliefs:
• Tuberculosis disappeared years ago along with treatment sanatoriums.
• TB is a Texas problem only along the border.
• TB can be treated with just a few doses of antibiotics occasionally.

Tuberculosis once was the leading cause of death in this country. It no longer holds that ranking, and for that we can thank modern science, specialized drugs, and preventive education. But TB has made a comeback in Texas and the United States, especially over the last two decades.

The disease still infects 2 billion people worldwide - one-third of earth's population - leading to about 2 million deaths annually. And this global epidemic increases about 3 percent annually.

I wish we would speak of TB elimination as a state and national goal. But we are still TB controllers.

Last year, 1,550 cases of tuberculosis were reported in Texas. That figure thankfully represents a nearly 6 percent decrease from the 1,643 cases in Texas in 2001. But from 2000 to 2001, Texas had a 9 percent increase in TB.

Tracking tuberculosis cases is much like charting a roller coaster ride. People become complacent. Funding drops. Tuberculosis resurges.

Both human and financial resources, consistently available

and aggressively applied, are needed to keep TB in check.

Now the next myth, that TB is only a border problem.

True, in 2001 there were 12.9 TB cases per 100,000 population in Texas counties that border Mexico compared with 7.4 TB cases per 100,000 population in other Texas counties. That comparison means that a person living in one of the border counties was almost twice as likely to have TB as someone living in a non-border county.

But 73 percent of all TB cases in Texas that same year were in urban areas of more than 500,000 people.

That's Houston with a TB rate of 10.8 cases per 100,000 in 2001. That's Dallas with a rate of 8.2 TB cases per 100,000 population in 2001.

And new figures for 2002 show Harris County with a rate of 11.9 cases per 100,000 and Dallas County with a rate of 10.6.

The third myth - that TB can be treated with just a few doses of antibiotics now and then - can be dangerous.

**The Persistence of TB
Demands Continued
Attention**

Yes, tuberculosis is treatable and curable. But it takes persistence. One person with untreated active TB will infect on average as many as 15 people every year.

One of the great fears concerning tuberculosis is the emergence of TB strains resistant to current antibiotics.

TB bacteria die slowly. It takes from six to nine months for medicine to kill all the TB bacteria, even though patients are not contagious and feel better after only a few weeks of treatment. When TB patients do not take their medicine as prescribed - either daily or several times a week - the TB bacteria may become resistant to specific antibiotics. We then have multi-drug resistant TB, which is much more difficult and costly to treat, requiring special drugs.

So what can we do about TB?

One of the best strategies for controlling and potentially eliminating TB is a system that requires nothing more than a consistent human touch along with medicine. The approach is called "directly observed therapy" or DOT. With

DOT, a patient sees a health care worker, daily or several times a week to receive medications. They may meet at a TB clinic, at home, in the workplace or even under a bridge. With DOT, TB patients are observed taking every dose they need and are carefully monitored for any drug side effects.

But again - human and financial resources are needed to make the program work. Another promising strategy, especially for Texas, is the United States-Mexico Binational Health Care Project. We are beginning a pilot project in El Paso, along with San Diego and several sites in Mexico including Ciudad Juarez. The TB health card will allow clinical and epidemiological information to be shared across the border while protecting patient confidentiality and facilitates continuity of health care no matter where a person receives treatment.

The future is promising for controlling and eventually eliminating this ancient disease, but only with persistence and well-targeted resources.

**REACH YOUR GOALS at
Lubbock Regional MHMR
Provider Services**

We provide direct services
to people with disabilities.



Ask about our competitive pay and benefits
at 1602 10th Street, Lubbock Texas
Phone (806) 766-0212

For a listing of current positions, visit our website...
<http://www.lrl.mhmr.state.tx.us/Jobs/employment.htm>

Free
Checking

\$300 O.D. Protection

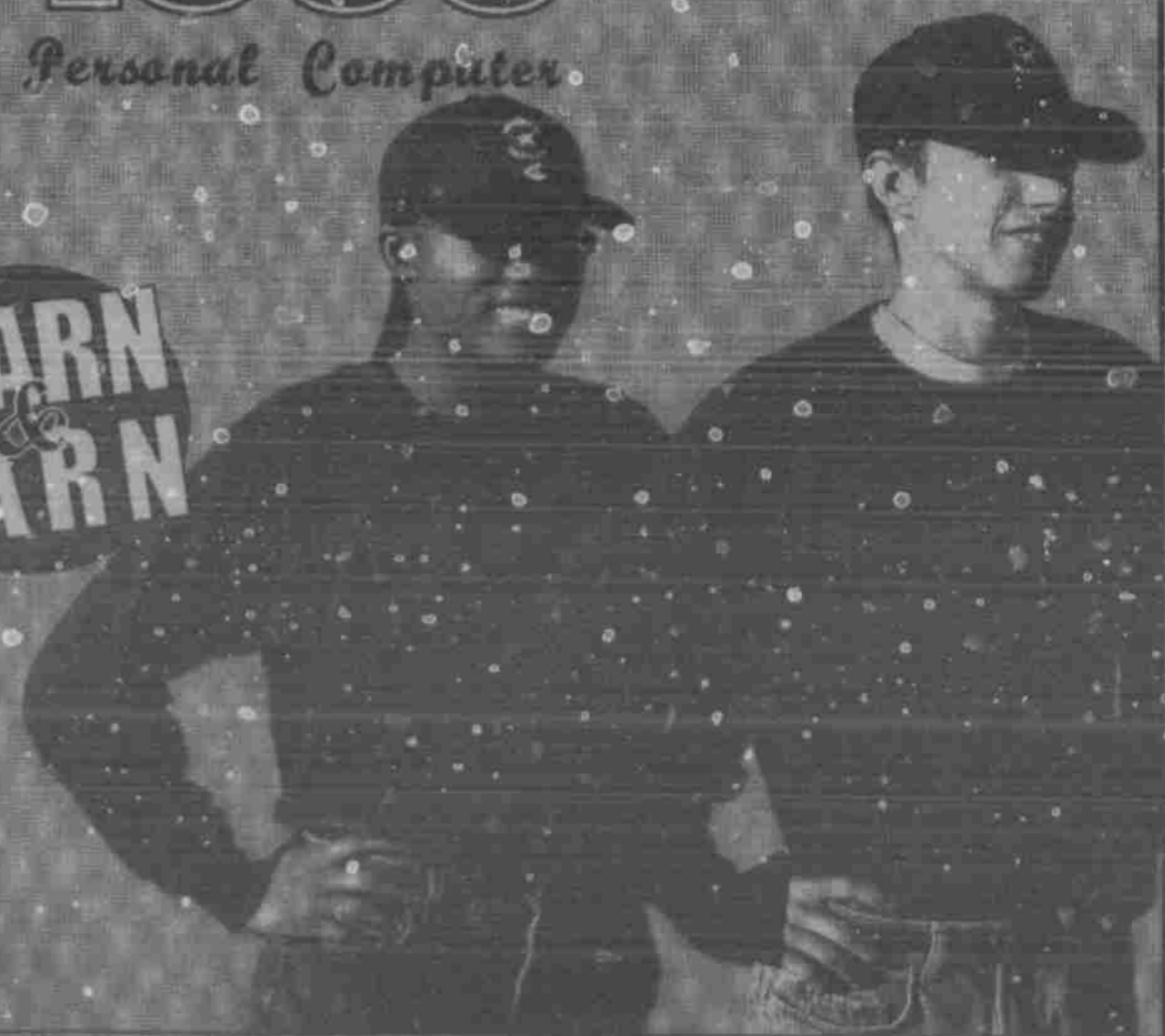
**American
State Bank**

"Right Size to be Friendly"

**EARN
\$1000**
& a Personal Computer

**LEADERSHIP
TRAINING PROGRAM**
for ages 15 to 18

**LEARN
&
EARN**



See your school counselor for applications
or download the application from our Web site
www.youthcorpsinc.org
796-0297
email: director@youthcorpsinc.org

**FREE SUMMER
CAMP
EMPLOYMENT
OPPORTUNITIES**



Youth Corps is a 501 (c) 3 nonprofit organization

May God Bless America!