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Lubbock Schools Personnel Changes Announced

Critics Create New Adjectives to Praise 100th Edition Of Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Circus

The major critics of America are in agreement: the 100th Edition of Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus is, without question, the most elaborate and exciting Circus production of all time.

The mighty Centennial Circus will be in Lubbock on June 15th for matinee and evening performances on June 15th and 16th.

A sampling of critical acclaim for the 100th Birthday Circus:

Newsweek Magazine: "A century old this year, Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus has prepared a centennial show that is the greatest indeed—the biggest, most lavish blend of circus talent and show-biz razzle-dazzle."

The New York Times: "...The Centennial Edition of Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey was what everyone young or young-spirited might expect or even demand—a glittering cavalcade of artists and animals performing their heads off amid some bright, glittering birthday trimmings. .. The Greatest Show on Earth? Could be. If not, it will do very

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New York Daily News: "It is a colorful, exciting, graceful and altogether dandy circus that Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey has staged to celebrate the 100th year of The Greatest Show on Earth . . . extremely well-balanced and smartly routined . . . Everything's fun!"

Raleigh (N.C.) News and Observer: "The 100th Anniversary Edition is the greatest of them all. Probably more star attractions are on view than in any Ringling production since the halcyon days of the Twenties."

Long Island Press: "The snappiest and most entertaining circus in several seasons . . . this latest incarnation of the legendary Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus is a complete delight!"

Columbia (S.C.) State: "This 100th edition of The Greatest Show on Earth is a fast-paced, magnificently mounted and cos-

School Attendance Boundaries Not to Change in City

Because of the number of recent telephone calls received at the Lubbock Public Schools' administrative offices regarding rumors of a change of school attendance boundaries for the next school year, the school administration announced last week that the public should be assured that these rumors are unfounded.

The Board of Trustees adopted the boundary lines for the school year of 1971-72 at its March 18, 1971, meeting. These boundaries are the same as for the 1970-71 school year. There is no intent on the part of the school district to change boundary lines for the coming school year.



NOW LOOK HERE! Charly Baumann, the world's outstanding aninal trainer, stars in the super-spectacular 100th Anniversary Edition of Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus. The Greatest Show On Earth comes to the Lubbock Municipal Coliseum on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 15 and 16. There will be two performances each day, 2:30 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.

tumed production, packed with glamour, fun and thrills. . . If you haven't gathered by now that this is a show to see, you never will. If you can beg, borrow, buy or steal a ticket, do it!"

WMCA Radio (New York City): "On its 100th Anniversary, the Circus has pulled out all of the

stops to give us an old-fashioned smell-of-the-greasepaint, roar-ofthe-crowd spectacle. The best Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus in years!"

WCBS Radio Network: "It has everything you expect, and since this is the 100th Anniversary Edition, something extra!"

Raymond Bogus Receives "Boy of the Year" Award from Local South Plains Boys Clubs

Raymond Bogus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Bogus of 209 Beech Avenue, was named last week as "Boy of the Year" for all three branches of the South Plains Boys Clubs.

A member of the Boys Club for 10 years, he was president of the 1971 Dunbar graduating class and has been a member of the National

Teens Softball and Volleyball Teams Starting at YWCA

The Young Women's Christian Association, 3101 35th Street is presently organizing softball and volleyball teams for teens. Boys, girls, and coed teams will be set up in each activity by the Youth Director. Anyone interested in participating on a team or in coaching a team is urged to call Mrs. Dan Shaver, 792-2723 for more information. An organizational meeting at the YWCA is scheduled for June 21 at 7:30 p.m.

Membership in the YWCA will be required for participation on a team. Teenage dues are \$1.00 per year. The YWCA is an agency of the United Fund.



Honor Society for three consecutive years.

He is a member of the science club, Future Teachers of America, and is president of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes here. Raymond was student of the month last November and Rotarian of the month in January. Another accomplishment was when he was runner-up to "Mr. Dunbar" honor.

He also was an outstanding football player at Dunbar where he made All-District and he also played basketball for the South Plains Branch Boys Club. He also won two pocket billiard tournaments in Lubbock in 1967 and 1968. He Two black principals will be shifted this fall to two of Lub-bock's traditionally all-white elementary schools because of a federal court order which required such a move

This plan was filed early this week with U.S. District Judge Hal-

YMCA Summer Program Gets Underway Here

Summer is fun at the YMCA! Five summer programs transform a child's summer hours into days of learning and adventure. At the YMCA a youngster may learn to swim in two weeks at a neighborhood pool or learn to water ski during two weeks of training at Buffalo Lakes. Both boys and girls may share in these aquatic experiences of learning.

Two clubs, each of which operates for 6 weeks, offer fun, learning and adventure for boys and girls from 6 years through 14 years. The Summer Fun Club is designed for boys and girls from 6 through 9 years. This three-day-a-week-activity includes crafts, art, dramatics, trampoline, tumbling, archery, games, hikes in the park, picnics, swimming and movies at rest time. The Y Adventure Club, a two-daya-week activity, is designed for boys and girls from 10 through 14 years of age. Program activities have a wide range through games, swimming, bowling, roller skating, ice skating, canoeing, miniature golf and adventure trips to the parks and businesses of the city.

A boy's Day Camp transforms Mackenzie Park into an area of high adventure for 6 to 9 year old boys. Each two-week session is limited to 40 boys and is designed to provide outdoor skills and thrills on a boy level. Hikes, stories, songs, nature lore, cook-outs, swimming, archery, group games and an overnight campout are program highlights.

YMCA swimming and water skiing instructions are carefully trained and are certified in water safety. Group leaders in the other programs are carefully selected youth who have a desire to work with youngsters and a talent for such leadership. Each program leader is trained in YMCA leadership techniques and is specifically trained in skills required for leading children in creative activities.

The YMCA summer programs are directed by YMCA Physical Director Gary King and YMCA Program Director Carl Hudson. Parents are invited to come by the YMCA and to discuss their children's summer program needs with the "Y" staff. Detailed information about any or all of these programs may be obtained by calling the YMCA office at 762-0588.

represented Lubbock in ping pong in a sectional tournament in 1968 at Andrews, Texas.

To top off his accomplishments, he was named by his coaches as scholastic athlete of the year and ranked fourth in his class of 106. bert O. Woodward. It included 83 positions changed to comply with the Supreme Court's Singleton decision. Seven coaches and four counselors were also involved in the shift as well as the four principal positions.

Ella Iles Elementary principal Charles W. Johnson will trade places with Wheelock's elementary principal, Charles Harrell. On the other hand, Grover Colvin will switch with the principal of Hodges Elementary School, Don Rocap, who will now head Wheatley Elementary School.

Estacado High School will have the most black staffers—nine—and the move will place at least one black teacher in each of 52 of the system's schools. Ballenger School for Trainable Children, employes nine teachers, but will have no black teacher.

In looking at the break-down of black teachers, the plans include the following: Dunbar and Monterey High Schools will have six black teachers each; Coronado, seven and Lubbock High four. Each elementary school will have at least one and not more than three blacks on its faculty. Atkins, Hutchinson and Thompson Junior Highs will each have two blacks assigned; Evans, Mackenzie, Matthews, Slaton and Wilson will have three each, Struggs four and Alderson six.

The changes submitted to Judge Woodward this week by Supt. Ed Irons would bring 20 of the city's schools within one percentage point of the necessary figure.

In looking at the percentage aspect, Stewart School's one black teacher will be only 3.8 per cent of the school's faculty, the lowest percentage figure, and Struggs Junior High's four black teachers will constitute the highest percentage with 14.8%.

Fifteen schools will have only one black teacher and traditionally all-black Wheatley, Iles, Struggs and Dunbar High will have only three, two, four and six blacks on their faculties.

Several of the most notable shifts will be Mrs. Mae Simmons, former principal of Iles, who has taught at Iles for 20 years, will be moving to Hodges, and the trading of places by Dunbar's and Coronado's head track coaches, Percy Hines and Thomas McBrayer.

Another notable shift will be the counselor position of Montery's George Bond, who is president of the Lubbock Classroom Teachers Association to Dunbar in return for Albert Lincoln of Dunbar.

Federal Offices Telephone Number Changes with Move

The West Texas Times was informed Wednesday morning that the new number for all federal offices is 747-3711, effective at the present time.

The old number, which is presently listed in the telephone directory, is no longer in operation.

EDITORIALS

The Community Can't Afford to "Put Off" its Actions Any Longer

The new establishment which is being built across the street from New Hope Baptist Church and Twentieth and Birch Church of Christ should make it clear that we can't afford to wait when it comes to business.

The owner evidently was given permission to establish a business on the corner of East 19th and Birch Avenue, and the tract of land was re-zoned for that purpose. Letters, notifying the homeowners in the neighborhood of these events, were allegedly mailed prior to the decision.

If it is true that the homeowners in the immediate area received letters of notification of the new business across the street from the churches, and didn't choose to act, then it may be too late now for action in this case.

What we must do in the future is act before it is too late. We can't continue to find ourselves putting things off until tomorrow. We must learn how to set priorities when it comes to taking care of our business.

As it appears now, it is too late, but we'll have to wait and see what happens. In any case, this should be a good lesson to other property owners.

It is our understanding that one of the top officials in one of the affected churches was to have taken care of this affair, but apparently he got too busy "doing other things". Because of this, the bulldozers and large tractors are paving away, preparing for construction of a warehouse across the street from two of our better churches and very near some of our larger and newer homes.

The concerned church members of New Hope Baptist Church did attempt, and are still attempting to do something about the situation. A meeting was held last Monday afternoon at New Hope and the minister of the church across the street did not attend. We hope that he realizes this will concern his church and congregation also.

A committee has been appointed by the Ministerial Alliance to look into the matter further. At the present time, everyone of the neighborhood must play a waiting game.

Several questions, which have not been answered at this time concern how Urban Renewal, which was originally established to "clean up and improve the neighborhood in East Lubbock for a better community" allowed a piece of its land to be sold for commercial purposes in the first place. Once again, we are forced to ask the question, "What happened to the grand design for East Lubbock?"

The next question everyone should ask is, "Will there be a tin building in our residential area or no building at all?" We'll just have to wait and see.

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Austin, Texas—Sixty-second Legislature wound up its regular session with a bang and a roar—and a few whimpers.

In a photo-finish, the House-Senate conferees turned out a record \$6.9 billion biennial budget for near-deadline consideration.

Lawmakers earlier agreed on a \$617 million tax bill which will go into effect July 1, then followed up with \$35 million worth of new taxes on liquor-by-the-drink and by-the-gallon.

Texans will be paying four per cent sales (five, in most cities) and auto sales-rental tax, 18.5

Dunbar Boosters & Colt League Team Needs Community Support

A newly organized baseball team, in the Colt League for the first time ever and sponsored by blacks, needs our support. The team is presently being sponsored by the local Dunbar Booster Club, and is representing all blacks in East Lubbock.

As parents, friends and patrons of the area, we should do all we can to help make this Colt League Team something constructive for our older boys. There is something we all can do to make this thing work.

Money is the prime need at the present time, but our moral support will also help these young men. If you can and will, then contribute something from your pockets to help these young fellows, ages 15 and 16.

The West Texas Times is most concerned about the welfare of this new baseball activity. It gives us an image which we can all be proud of, and we can all appreciate what is being done for the welfare of our young fellows.

Let's do what we can to make this a great baseball season in East Lubbock for our young brothers. They need us now, one day we'll need them. cents a pack on cigarettes; \$4.50 per \$1,000 on corporation franchises; and \$5.00 per barrell on beer. A 10 per cent gross receipts tax will be levied on mixed-drink sales and \$1.95 a gallon on liquor sales generally. A gasoline tax increase, approved earlier, was repealed in a subsequent bill.

Among other achievements for which the 62nd Legislature will be remembered are:

+Ratification of a federal constitutional amendment to lower the voting age to 18.

+Approval of a liquor-by-the-drink sales act and submission of a mixed-drink referendum to the first group fo wet counties on May 18.

+Congressional and legislative redistricting.

+Submitted a constitutional amendment to authorize the convening legislature in 1974 to sit as a convention to rewrite Texas' constitution.

+Passed far-reaching bank law reform legislature.

+Creation of a tuition-backed revenue-bond fund to build new state colleges.

+Establishment (by constitutional amendment) of a \$100 million fund to aid cities that build sewer facilities.

Lawmakers gave up on budgeting for welfare services for this biennium, and will return next year (if not sooner) to appropriate funds for 1973 assistance to the needy, meanwhile hoping for expanded federal aid.

Attorney General Opinions—An appointee who served one day as "executive" of a printing company was ineligible for the "employer" member position on the Texas Industrial Accident Board. Attorney General Crawford Martin has held.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded that:

*Governor does not have power to veto proposed constitutional amendments.

*A bill providing that a dry area annexed to a wet area shall occupy the same wet status as the annexing area is unconstitutional, as it violates the local option mandate.

*Applicants singing petitions for incorporation of a new town must be qualified electors who have resided in the area at least six months. Area must contain more than 200 inhabitants (who do not have to be qualified electors).

*Out-of-state witnesses in criminal cases receive compensation solely from the state, not the counties.

my views

by Eddie P. Richardson

Lately many people have come to me and said, "I can't understand how you fought the preachers in the past and now you

have joined them."

Usually my answer is, "I am no more for the preachers than I am against them." Some people have even told me lately that the preachers have quietened me down or "clipped my wings."



I would like to make clear, no one controls Eddie P. Richardson. I will fight anything if it is wrong or bad, and I will support anything if it is good or right—for the community and black people.

I am supporting, working for and working with OIC because I believe in it and what it can and will accomplish here in Lubbock. Anything worthwhile for the betterment of the community, I will support all the way. Any thing or any person that is not trying to help the community, I will fight against to the end.

I have no personal fight or complaint with anyone. I do not have time to deal in personalities! There is too much to be done in changing our apethetic and complacent community to engage in small junk like who likes or dislikes who. I don't personally like or dislike anyone. My concern is too big for that. My fight is community advancement and economic development.

We are twenty years behind in the most primitive places in the most advanced country in the world. As far as I am concerned, there is too much to be done—just here in Lubbock—to waste my time and effort on personalities.

People, we need to get off our "ego trips" and band together to forge ahead up the soco-eco ladder with our organizations and all our people, individuals or personalities if you wish, working together. For example, the United Black Coalition has done more than anyone else in the community for community development, and had more results in their efforts and yet there are groups organizations and individuals that should be giving their support to UBC and are hung up on small things like the word Black, in the name of the group. If we could just wake up those fool niggers, and make them understand that the "cullard days are over and gone.

The UBC has been critized several times by the local Ministerial Alliance, reportedly because the Alliance didn't like the idea of working with the Coalition. My understanding is that the group did not want to work with the Coalition because "they did not want to get their hands and white shirts dirty."

But look what happened with the proposed warehouse in the Carver Heights addition. The UBC had worked with people on two cases of this nature, and both were stopped. One was the proposed hide house in Southeast Lubbock and the other was the proposed feed-lot. The warehouse problem was not brought to the Coalition, and look what happened. Maybe a few more people need to get their hands and white shirts dirty.

The problem right now is that some people who really should be concerned about the community and the community's problems are riding to great heights on their ego trips, rather than helping to work with others in cleaning up our area and community. They are so far above the clouds on their "trips" they usually don't realize there are problems here until it affects them, and then it is usually too late to do anything about it.

So don't worry about me "changing my spots" at this time, I'm not mad at any particular person, group of people, or members of a certain profession, but I'm a little disgusted with anyone who will not realize that we all live here together, and that everyone will have to work together if we are going to clean up our own mess. Come on people, let's try getting a little dirty, it'll probably make everyone a little cleaner in the long run.



Police Beat

Shooting

Helen Moore, 2403 Ash Avenue, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that a 48-year-old man shot her and then fled the scene.

The man alledgedly shot five times, striking Mrs. Moore three times, once in the neck and twice in the arm.

The man shot at her while she was in the kitchen. Four holes were found in the kitchen wall by police.

House Burglary

Maurice Bryant reported to the Lubbock police that someone in his neighborhood did break into his house while he was away.

Taken from the house were two chickens which were in the freezer.

Entry was apparently gained through the bathroom window, which did not have a screen on it. There was, however, a board over the opening.

Carl Burglary

Wayne Williams, 1517 East 1st Place, told police that someone burglarized his car which was unlocked. Taken from the car was a tool box valued at \$150.00.

House Burglary

Autry Lucy, 1506 East 8th Street, told Lubbock police that four youths, ages 14 through 18, did enter her house while she was away. Entry was gained by removing the screws on one of the windows.

Once inside, the young fellows let a parakeet loose in the house and attempted to injure the bird by throwing missles at him.

A \$2.00 watermelon was also taken during the break-in.

Burglary of Church

Rev. J. Judie, 2925 East Colegate Avenue, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that someone did break into his church at 3508 Teak Avenue by prying the lock on the front door.

Two cigarette butts were found in the bathroom and floor. It also

Day-24-Hour Service-Night BRYANT'S TAXI 762-2222 Courtesy & Service appeared as though someone had used the telephone.

Assault & Theft Over \$50.00

Betty Jo Cato, 2411 Birch Avenue, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that a man came to her front door and told her to come outside. He said he wanted to talk. She apparently went out and was hit in the face with a brick.

The man took \$143.00 in cash for himself and fled in his late model car.

She told police she would file

Around the hub city

Mrs. Carolyn Gilbert and four children and her mother, Mrs. Grace Sullivan, spend the week-end at San Antonio and Mount Pleasant, Texas, visiting Carolyn's father, Eli Sullivan. Mrs. Sullivan visited her mother, who has been ill for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Almo Sedberry, Cynthia Sedberry, Charles Sedberry, Sr., and Mrs. Maude Hamilton left last Friday morning for Kileen, Texas, where they attended graduation services for Eddy

and Mrs. Edward Sedberry.

Clifton Sedberry, son of Lt. Col.

Among the visitors who worshipped at Bethel A.M.E. Church Sunday morning were Mrs. Faye Simmons, a former member of the church, now of Fort Worth; her mother, Mrs. Essaya Johnson of Tyler; and J. Rankin of Pampa, Texas. He was a guest of Mrs. L.H. Griffin.

Other students home from college are Miss Alpha Morgan, who

is a student at Rice University; L. Bunton from Prairie View College.

Alpha's only brother, Benzy,

"King and Queen" Coronation Held at Ella Iles for May & Mac School Students

The Mary & Mac Private School Parent-Teachers Association presented its tenth annual "King and Queen Coronation" last week at Ella Iles Auditorium. Little Miss Yolanda Crowder was crowned Queen and Little Master Kenneth McCoy became the tenth king.

The theme of this year's affair was "Somewhere Over the Rainbow."

Yolanda is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leander Crowder and Kenneth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCoy.

Donna Smith, daughter of Mrs. Katie Smith and Kim White, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. White, were first runner-ups.

The relinquishing of crowns was done by the 1970-71 King and Queen, Shelia Castilow and Lewis Johnson. Presentations of trophies and flowers were done by Mrs. Katie Smith.

Entertaining the King and Queen were Rosalyn Minnitt and Patricia who did a modern dance; Miss Gloria Manahan played the theme song. Talented Eunice Young did one of her better versions of "God's Creation."

Mrs. L.S. Graves, principal and founder, gave brief remarks. She was a member of the Estacado graduating class last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Silmon of Snyder, Texas, were week-end guests of Mrs. Silmon's brother, Harold Simmons and his family.

Robert Deary has returned to St. Louis, Mo., after visiting his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Johnson and family.

Mrs. Ernestine Davenport is at her home in Meridian, Texas at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Watley, who is quite ill.

Miss Alpha Morgan will spend the summer months in Lubbock employed at Dr. Heenan Johnson's office.



HOW ABOUT THIS ROYAL FAMILY of Mary & Mac Private School? They are Queen Yolanda Crowder and King Kenneth McCoy. The royal family was crowned last week at the tenth annual King and Queen Coronation at Ella Iles Auditorium.

thanked all who made it possible for the annual affair to be a success.

Invocation and benediction were given by Edwin Harris.

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From My Scratch Pad

by George Parrish

Mrs. Myrtle Warren of Moody, Texas, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs.Levon Faine of 2102 North Hughes Street. Mrs. Warren is the mother of Mrs. Faine.



Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Johnson are spending the weekend in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, with relatives.

Mrs. Angie Bell Wormerly is a patient in St. Anthony Hospital. At the time of this writing, she was resting nicely.

New Hope Baptist Church will attend the Sunday School Conference that will be held in Midland, Texas. Youth Day will be Thursday, June 10, 1971. The church will travel by chartered bus, which will leave the church at 6:00 a.m.

Mrs. Lula Alexander of 602 Arnold Place is home recuperating after spending several weeks in the High Plains Baptist Hospital.

Rev. A.J. Davis, Sr., pastor of Johnson Chapel A.M.E. Church, preached during the 11:00 a.m. worship hour. This was his first service since undergoing surgery. We were all happy to have Rev. Davis back.

The writer of this column motored to Brownfield, Texas, last Tuesday evening to speak to the Terry County Neighborhood Council of the Community Action Agency. After the meeting that night I returned to Lubbock to leave Wednesday morning via Braniff Air Lines for Dallas, Texas, where I attended the Governor's Conference On Aging. The conference was well attended by senior citizens from all over the state of Texas. There were well over 500 in attendance at the conference.

The National White House Conference will be in Washington, D.C., in November of this year. Mrs. Bradley, of Lubbock, Texas, was there representing the Lubbock CAP

in observance of its Fifty-Sixth Anniversary. The theme was; "Love One Another."

The vesper worship was a six part program. The following members took extra parts in the service: Mr. Rothchild Ellison, occasional; Mr. Robert Handy, historical highlights of the choir; Mr. Henry Crawford, financial report; Mrs. M.P. Hines, Mr. Rothchild Ellison and Rev. V.P. Perry, remarks.

Thought for the week; "Thing all you speak, but speak not all you thing. Thoughts are your own; your words are so no more."

See You next week!

YWCA To Begin Summer Escapades Program June 21st

The Young Women's Christian Association, 3101 35th Street is now enrolling children between six and eleven years old for the Summer Escapades program that will begin on June 21st. The group will meet on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9:00 til noon for two weeks. Taught will be crafts, rhythm games, and songs. and simple skills. A fee of \$6.00 per child will be charged. Membership in the YWCA is required and children under 12 participate on their mother's membership. Adult yearly dues are \$3.50 a year. Register by calling 792-2723 or stop by the YWCA office.

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Lillian Lincoln Receives Golden Scroll Award

Lillian Lincoln, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Lincoln of 1829 Manhattan Drive, was one of six high school students to receive the Golden Scroll of the American Academy of Achievement last week. This award is given to young persons singled out for high achievements in high school.

She will attend the Academy's Banquet of the Golden Plate honoring 50 outstanding Americans in Philadelphia, Pa., June 24-26.

Lillian has been active in spelling, writing, debating and tennis during her tenure at Dunbar High School. She was Student of the Month in September and has been active in Student Council, National Honor Society and the music department.

She was also one of the "Five Flames" for the United Fund. She Continued On Page Six

Fish Fry Set for Saturday by OIC

The students of the Opportunities Industrialization Center of Lubbock (OIC) will sponsor a fish

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United Black Coalition Making Plans for Second Annual "Week of Awareness" Fete

The members of the United Black Coalition, a group of concerned citizens of Lubbock, are making plans to sponsor its second annual "Week of Awareness."

The program committee met Monday evening at the Mae Simmons Multi-Service Center to formulate additional plans for the program, which is on tap for June 18, 19, and 20.

President of the organization, Eddie P. Richardson—columnist of the West Texas Times—states that well-known people from throughout the Southwest area. including Oklahoma, will be a part of this affair.

fry Saturday evening, June 5, at Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church, beginning at 6:00 p.m.

The public is cordially invited to attend this project, which is being sponsored by the students of OIC. This is one of many projects to be sponsored by the "self-help" school which started operation here in Lubbock several weeks

Last year's effort was a tremendous success for the Coalition, and this year's effort is expected to be a greater success.

During the week of activity, a drive for membership in the organization will be launched by the members.



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"Today, I feel I am carrying on the tradition of my dad and granddad who were both Methodist preachers and 'riders', but in a more revelant sense," claims Tieuel, Jr. He went on to add, "for the past twenty years, I have roamed West Texas and the great Southwest telling the story of the Man from Galilee in word and print. I headquarter in Midland and Odessa and Hobbs, New Mexico, and my main aim now, after 30 years in the mission fields is to 'help people where I can'."

Heisman Trophy Winner, Jim Plunkett, Will Appear Here in Coaches All-America Game

Quarterback Jim Plunket, 1970 Heisman Trophy winner, announced Saturday that he will play in the 11th annual Coaches All-America Football Game scheduled June 26 in Texas Tech's Jones Stadium.

Stanford University's 6-3, 204pound passing ace will direct the West team for Coach Bob Devaney.

Plunkett, who set countless records during his brilliant threeyear career at Stanford, holds the NCAA mark for the most passing yards in a career-7,544; and the NCAA total offense record of 7,-887 yards. He completed his career with 52 touchdown passes, a new Pacific-8 record.

The big All-American led the 1970 Indians to the Pacific-8 Championship and to a sensational 27-17 upset victory over Woody Hayes' Ohio State Buckeyes in the 1971 Rose Bowl. Plunkett's achievements earned him the Heisman Trophy, emblematic of the finest college football player in the country, and virtually every other individual award given in collegiate football.

The Stanford ace completed the regular season with 191 completions in 358 attempts for 2,715 yards and 18 touchdowns. He ran for an additional 183 yards and three touchdowns.

Plunkett's Stanford eleven went into the Rose Bowl as 10 point underdogs to the unbeaten Ohio State eleven. But Plunkett dazzled a record crowd of 103,838 by completing 20 of 30 passes for 265 yards and a touchdown on the way to the victory.

Plunkett was the number one draft choice in professional foot-

ball in 1970 and he will play for the Boston Patriots.

Sixteen additional players also announced last Saturday they will be coming to Lubbock for the nationally televised all-star contest.

A total of 54 players have now signed for the all-star game. Coach Devaney has 27 players inked for his squad and Coach Charley Mc Clendon's East team also has 27 players signed. A total of 30 players for each team is expected to be named.

Cecille Joyce Graves To Attend CLEO

Cecille Joyce Graves, a recent graduate of Bishop College and a Texas Tech University student, has accepted an invitation to participate in this year's Council on Legal Educational Opportunities (CLEO) at Texas Tech University's College of Law. The course will be for six weeks.

Cecille was the first graduate of Mary & Mac Private School, in May of 1966. She is also a member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority,

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Visits In Hub City

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Simmons, of Fort Worth, Texas; Mrs. Robert Johnson and Mrs. Annie Belle Simmons Rowland, who is the mother of Royce and Harold Simmons, were holiday visitors in the Hub City last week-end.

Mrs. Johnson, mother of Mrs. Royce Simmons, and Mrs. Rowland are residents of Jacksonville, Texas. Also accompanying the Simmons from Fort Worth was L. D. Davenport, a former resident of Lubbock.

Royce Simmons has a brother here, Harold Simmons, who resides with his family at 2305 Cedar Avenue.

Golden Rule Circle

The members of the Golden Rule Circle of Bethel A.M.E. Church met last week in the home of Mrs. Jeff Joiner, 1308 East 28th Street, with Vice President Mrs. C. McCormick, presiding.

After regular devotional time, a social hour was held and enjoyed by all attending. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The meeting tonight will be in the home of Mrs. McCormick at 1330 East 24th Street.

Bethel Senior Mission

The Bethel Senior Mission met Monday afternoon in the home of Sister Estell Pierce.

Mrs. C.E. Fair, president, and members invite all concerned persons to attend this weekly Mission meeting.

Lincoln Receives. . .

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was second highest honor graduate at Dunbar and is a church organist for Carter Chapel Methodist Church where she works in the youth department.

CHURCH SERVICES

Mount Gilead Baptist Church

Our Fifth Sunday program, entitled: "The Royal Path of Life," was presented last Sunday evening. It was sponsored by the W.M.U.

Our special financial drive, which begun May 2nd, and will continue through July 24, 1971, is still running high. Special projects are being sponsored in regard to this important effort.

Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church

June 8 through 11, the Lovely Sunset Sunday School and B.T.U. Congress will meet in Sweetwater,

City Wide Mission

The City Wide Mission met this week in the home of Mrs. Bessie Lee Wilbon. This was a special meeting.

We are glad to have our new members with us. They include Rev. and Mrs. H.K. Jefferson, Mrs. Ollie Mae Coleman and Brother Rector Parks.

Texas.

June 15 through 18, in Jackson, Mississippi, the National Sunday School and B.T.U. Congress will convene with the Rev. T.B. Boyd and congregation.

Delegates are making plans for both of these meetings.

Bible Band will meet at the church this afternoon at 4 p.m. All interested Christians are asked to attend this needed affair.

Members of the Queen of Sheba Circle met this week in the Continued On Page Seven

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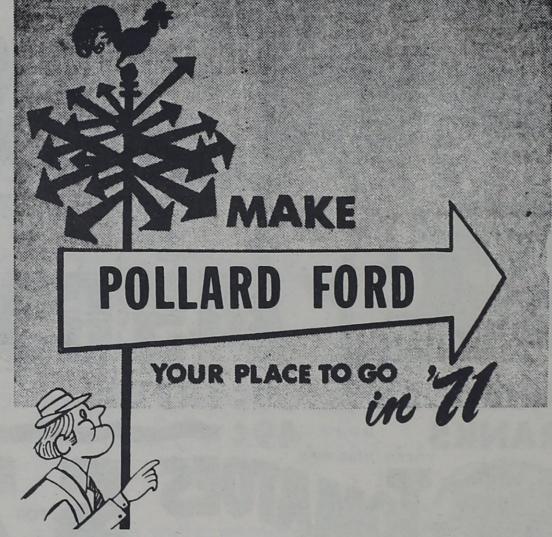
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Church News . . .

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home of Sister Alberta Horton, 2609 Fir Avenue.

Let us pray for and visit our sick and shut-in members. Those ill this week include Sister Rosanna Harris who is recuperating in her home. Sister Maggie Tatum is also home recuperating. Brother Wilmar Wilson is a patient at the V.A. Hospital at Amarillo, Texas.

Sister Mattie E. Adams is ill in her home. Sister Dolly Howard and Annie Hinton and Brothers R.J. Lincoln are sick and shut-in.

Mount Vernon United

Methodist Church Mrs. Reed and I, your pastor,

have returned to Mount Vernon United Methodist Church for another year. This will begin our 15th year and we are hoping that with the help of God, Mount Vernon can reach its full strength and serve the community.

Last week, the annual conference at the Polk Street United Methodist Church in Amarillo was a beautiful one. The conference was well attended. We were happy to see many of our old friends.

New Hope Baptist Church

The New Hope Baptist Church will host the West Texas Baptist District Sunday School and Baptist Training Union Congress on June 7th through 11th. This meeting will get underway Monday.

Undergraduate scholarship Ora-

torical Contest will still be held in September, 1971. If there are any of our young people who would like to know more about this contest, please contact our pastor, Rev. A.L. Dunn.

The Board of Christian Education meets each 1st and 3rd Wednesday evenings at 7:00.

The Spiritual Crusaders of Snyder, Texas, will render a program for the New Hope Baptist Church on June 6th at 3 p.m. The sponsors are New Hope Baptist Church auxilaries. There is no admission.

Remember the sick and shutins in your daily prayers. Those ill this week include Sister Harriet Mitchell, 2008 Birch Avenue and Sister Mattie Beaty, 2713 East 9th

Shiloh Baptist Church

Amarillo-Sunday school opened at 9:30 with Superintendent E. J. Masters in charge. Subject of the lesson was; "When God's Love is Refused," from Issiah 5:1-7. The lesson was reviewed by the pastor.

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During the 10:55 worship hour, Ronnie Sherwood was in charge of the music with the combined choir singing. Responsive reading was lead by Franklin Dawson. reading from No. 3 in the hymnal, "The Kingdom of God."

A very inspirational message was brought by our pastor, J.W. Hackett. At 3:00 pastor Hackett and the church participated on the program at the St. John Baptist Church, Reverend Hackett brought the message for the second anniversary of the Rev. and Mrs. J.E. Neal and family. Rev. Hackett took his text from 1 Cor. 9:7, "God's Plow Hand."

A mission film was shown at the 5:30 p.m. training unior.

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Rupert Pearce Assistant Director of Purchasing Lubbock Independent School District

We, the members of the General Mission, would like to thank Circle No. 4 for the very nice program and repass on last Tuesday evening. We are hoping that everyone who worshipped with us will receive a blessing.

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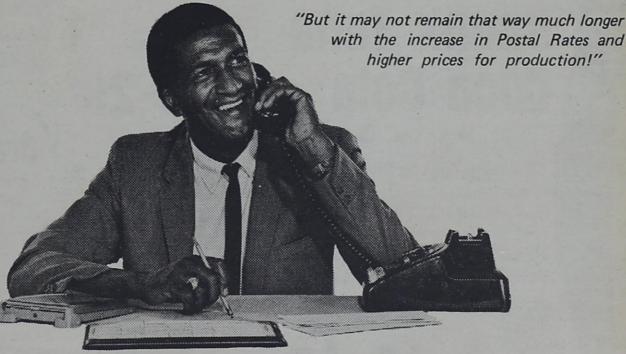
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