

"City Council Don't Represent Us" -

## East Lubbock Residents Unhappy Over Proposed Compost Venture In Area

Eighty residents of East Lubbock met last Sunday afternoon at Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church to discuss a recent decision being made by the City Council to give an okay for the construction of a Compost Plant in the old dump ground area.

Roy D. Anderson, chairman of the meeting, told the group that something has been going on in our community and we must do something about it. "We are tired of the undesirable programs in our community (East Lubbock)," Anderson told the group. "We don't have anyone down there representing us. We're tired of the smoke and other undesirables which are hurting our community," he went on to add.

Rev. A.L. Davis, pastor of Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church, told the concerned body that we are faced with a situation which is unpleasant. "All of us live over here and what effects one, effects all of us, he made known.

"I don't know nothing they (City Council) are doing for us, nobody up there represents us (Black People)," said Rev. Davis.

Another spokesman of the group, Dr. Heenan Johnson, said, "People living in Northeast and Southeast Lubbock know of the undesirable places in our part of town. It's time to start doing something about them."

He, too, made it known that we (East Lubbock) don't have a councilman to represent "us down town." "It's time they (City Council) know how we feel." "We already have two smells (sewer and feedlot) and we don't need a third one," he explained.

## Nominating Committee's Report Approved By Local NAACP Group Last Sunday

The nominating committee's report for the selection of officers to be voted upon at the December meeting was unanimously approved last Sunday afternoon in the regular monthly meeting of the Lubbock Chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) at Posey Health Clinic, 1602 Vanda.

Dr. F.L. Lovings, president, who asked for the report of the nominating committee, yielded his chair to Mrs. Judith Murphey, chairlady, of the committee who called upon Mrs. Joan Y. Ervin, secretary of the committee, to read the report.

Those persons nominated for officership for the next two years were: Dr. Franklin Leroy Lovings, president; Herman Booker, vice president at large; Otis Cook, first vice president; Mrs. Ida Cheek, secretary; Mrs. Judith Murphey, assistant secretary; Mrs. Joan Y. Ervin, executive secretary; and Mrs. Billie Caviel, treasurer.

Election of these persons will be held during the monthly meeting in December. With a membership roll of 150, an election committee was elected by the membership to work out details, including the publicity of the upcoming election.

### Five Elected to Election Committee

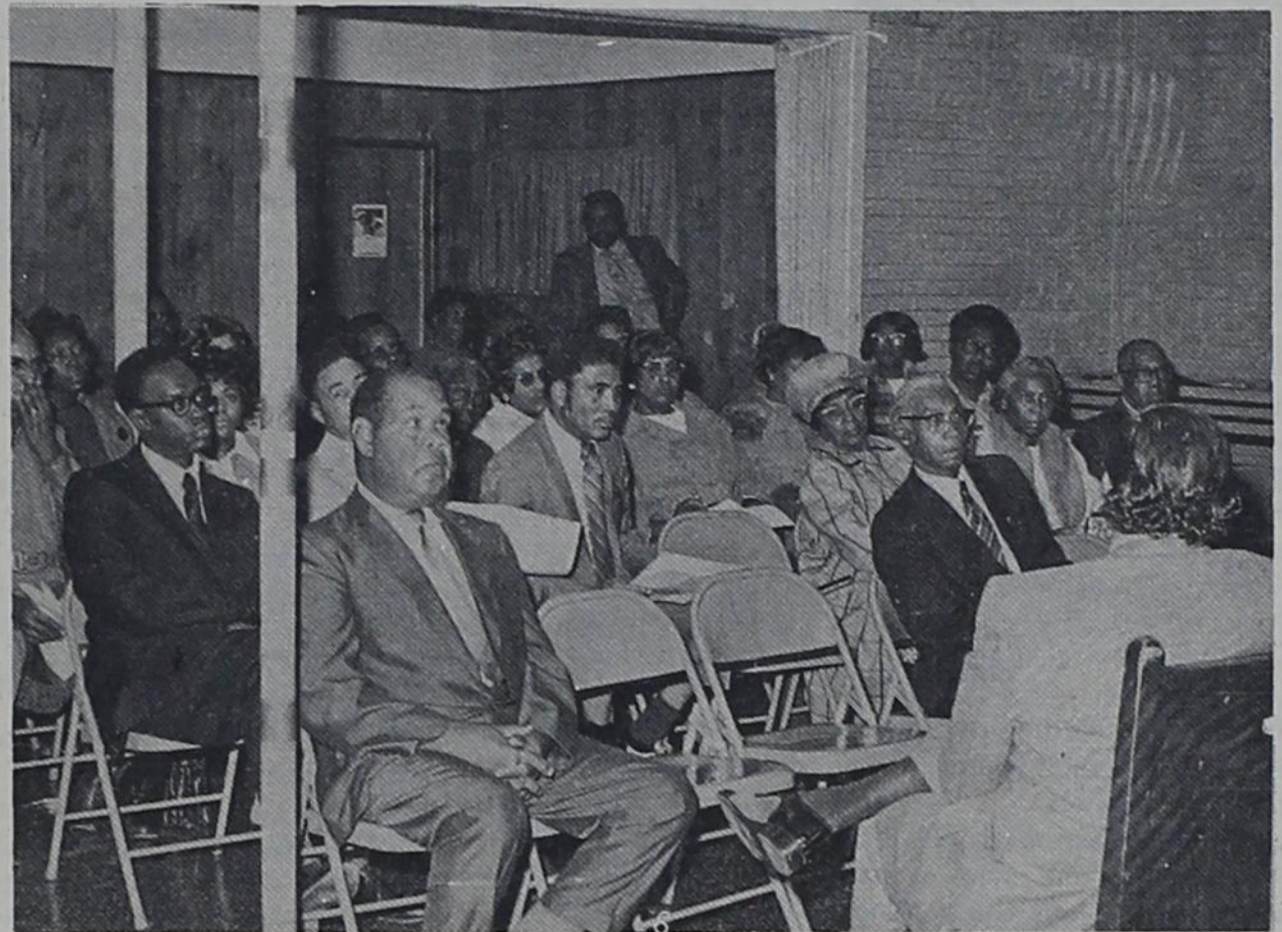
Those five persons elected to the Election Committee were: Harold Chatman, Myrtle Rochelle, Tom Burtis, D.C. Kinner, and George Woods.

David Sowell, director of the youth program, asked for the cooperation of the entire organization to support the upcoming "King and Queen Ball" which will be held December 19 at Mae Simmons Community Center. "We have a goal of 1,000 new members, and we want the help of everyone," he told the group.

The Political Action committee was asked to meet with the concerned group to help work out a solution by which both groups could coordinate an effort to let City Council know how the Black community feels about the upcoming Compost Plant in East Lubbock. Harold Chatman, chairman, represented the group at the called meeting Sunday afternoon, at St. Luke Baptist Church.

The local chapter is drawing up a letter to submit to the City Council and is passing a petition in the community to aid in this effort.

Other matters discussed at the monthly



Petition Being Circulated

Plans were made at this meeting to have a petition circulated among residents of East Lubbock (and other concerned citizens in Lubbock) to be signed and turned in at either of two places: Atlanta Life Insurance Company or Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church.

In part, the petition said, "It is our feeling that the proposed plant would constitute a nuisance and a hazard to health, in that gaseous odors would prevail and pollute the air; trucks and other vehicles traveling to and from the proposed plant would create a hazard for children

walking to and from school, as well as a driving hazard; further, that those trucks previously referred to, would be a source of metal scraps, bits of broken glass and paper in the streets. A condition that existed before the previous or old dump ground in Southeast Lubbock was closed."

This petition is to be presented to the Mayor of Lubbock and members of the City Council for the city of Lubbock, hopefully, at their next Council meeting.

Plans were also made to appear before the City Council and present the petition and express the concern of citizens of East

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## Nixon Doubles Black Vote; Aide Sees Changes to Come

by Paul H. Wyche, Jr.

Washington-(NBNS)-President Nixon, much to the surprise of many political observers, nearly doubled his percentage of the black vote this year over 1968 when he faced Senator Hubert Humphrey.

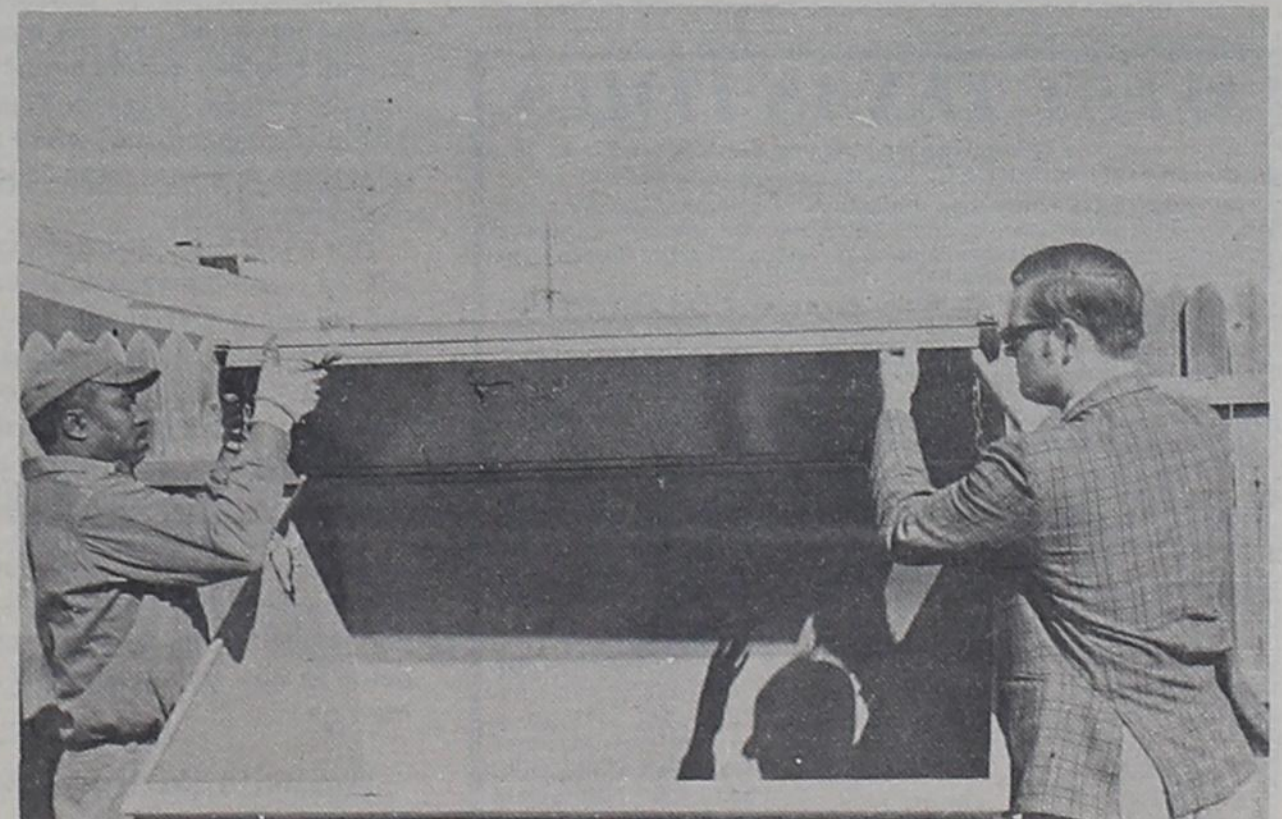
According to statistics obtained by the National Black News Service from the Joint Center for Political Studies here, President Nixon garnered 11 per cent of the black vote nationally, compared to 6 per cent four years ago.

The analysis of the vote, based on surveys of selective voting districts in all-black or nearly-black precincts across the country, showed that the President increased his margin among black voters in most of the nation's big cities.

As an example, voters in black Baltimore precincts cast 13 per cent of their ballots for Nixon, compared to only 4 per cent in 1968. The same trend was true in other cities like Nashville, Tenn., where Nixon got 24 per cent of the black vote as he swept the state of Tennessee.

He also had margins of 30-70 in Louisville, Kentucky; in Newark it was

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Tom Martin, Information Officer for the city of Lubbock (at right) is shown with an employee of the Sanitation Department as they place one of the new containers for garbage in the Northeast Lubbock area as part of the containerization program now under way here in Lubbock. (Staff Photo)

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# WEST TEXAS TIMES

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## Congressional Group Suggests Direct Housing Subsidies

by Paul H. Wyche, Jr.

Washington-(NBNS)-The Joint Economic Committee of the Congress has sharply criticized federally subsidized housing programs and suggested more direct housing allowances for the poor.

Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis., who is chairman of the committee, said the study makes it clear that "reform of housing programs is long overdue."

The 134-page report was especially critical of the Congress and executive branch for failing to clearly develop goals since the housing act was passed in 1937.

"Instead, Proxmire said, "legislation has been proposed, debated, amended, and enacted peace by peace, with political considerations dominating economic and managerial aspects."

Rating housing as the top priority of the 93rd Congress, Proxmire may be in a position in the Congress to implement the recommendations contained in the report. He chairs the appropriations subcommittee which handles the Department of Housing and Urban Development program funds, and if Sen. John Sparkman of Alabama is not re-elected, Proxmire will become chairman of the Senate Banking Committee, which authorizes HUD programs.

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\*Direct subsidies for low-income families are generally tied to new construction. This boosts the federal per-unit cost and limits the number of low-income families helped by the program.

\*Middle and upper-income families are assisted through special income tax benefits to homeowners, which is far more than lower-income families receive.

\*Subsidies to low income families are tied to particular programs, which means if the tenant or owner moves, he risks loss of any housing assistance.

The study recommended that a direct housing allowance be given to low-income families who would then find and rent their own housing on the present market. HUD currently has an experimental program underway in Kansas City, Mo.

"If the poor had adequate income to demand acceptable housing, if monetary conditions assured a plentiful housing supply, and if laws against discrimination were vigorously enforced, the market for housing would probably respond by providing adequate housing for all," the study said.

Only one HUD program drew a favorable response from the report. The seven-year-old Section 23 Program where local public housing authorities lease apartments and houses and sublet them at reduced rents to low-income families. But this program accounts for less than 10 per cent of the 1 million public housing units.

# EDITORIALS

## Containerization Program Should Help Lubbock

It was good to see that the City of Lubbock has a program which will benefit the total citizenry of Lubbock. As late as last week, the City of Lubbock began placing residential garbage containers in three test areas in Lubbock.

This effort, which is part of a trial program, will determine the acceptability of containerized residential garbage pickup in all socio-economic areas.

We have learned that this initial program will consist of some 500 containers which were placed in the following areas:

Area I. Quirt-Zenith Avenues, from 2nd-Dartmouth Streets.

Area II. Utica-Quaker Avenues, from 40-46th Streets and Quaker-Nashville Avenues, from 41-46th Streets.

Area III. Quaker-Memphis Avenue, from 54-66th Streets.

This residential effort makes real good sense and should prove to be quite successful for all citizens. The containers, according to officials, will be picked-up twice a week, as in regular routes, and no additional charge will be made for this test.

It was further made clear that the containers will be placed along one side of each alley, for service by side-loading trucks. One container will service four houses (see picture of container on page one), two on each side of the alley.

In order to see how effective this program will be for the entire city of Lubbock, we as citizens must do our part. It is a must that we use only normal garbage procedures and that large tree limbs and brush be placed next to the container for regular brush pickup during the test period.

This effort should prove to be a cleaner operation, more efficient and more economical method of residential garbage collection. As citizens of Lubbock, we should applaud any type of operation which helps the total body.

If this system is adopted city-wide, it could mean a total savings per year in the cost of residential garbage collection, which will exceed \$500,000.

As citizens, let's get behind this effort which will help all of us. We can't help but be a part of something which will help all of us. Lubbock is a growing city and we need new programs which will help the entire populus.

## We Appreciate Everything

As a news media, it is a must that ever effort be made to establish a positive image in the community as well as with other local media in the community.

We must show our appreciation for the concern of radio station KFYO who had a fifteen minute program on the West Texas Times Monday morning, featuring the publisher--Norman Williamson--who explained our reasons for being in West Texas.

Bob Nash, "Mr. Personality," did a splendid job in questioning the young personal publisher. We can certainly appreciate this effort.

Not only has KFYO played a part in this area of exposing the community of West Texas about the "TIMES", but Channels 11 and 8 (KCBD) have also showed their appreciation for the efforts of this media.

There's no doubt about it, it's important that local medias compliment each other. This can be done by working together with one another for the betterment of the total community.

We appreciate the help of all media who are concerned with the effort we've been putting out for nearly twelve years....We hope that we can continue to keep a positive relationship with all media in the future.

You can't just go on being a good egg. You must either hatch or go bad.  
—C. S. Lewis



—Special Report from Washington—

## NIXON'S FOUR MORE YEARS AND WHAT THEY'LL BE LIKE

By Jack Anderson

1972 Pulitzer Prize Winner for National Reporting (Copyright, 1972, by United Feature Syndicate, Inc.)

Washington—Next January 20, President Nixon will begin four more years in the White House. For the first time in his political career, he can follow his convictions without worrying about the voters.

Some intimates say he has the capacity for greatness during his final four years. Others worry that he is vindictive and might use his new political freedom to reward his friends and punish his enemies. Here are our predictions:

In foreign affairs, the President will dedicate himself during the years ahead to achieving his goal of an era of peace. He will succeed, we predict, in withdrawing the United States from the wars in Southeast Asia. He will also end the cold war era and reduce tensions with the Communist superpowers.

Before his term is ended, we predict, the United States will recognize Communist China and restore normal trade relations with both China and Russia.

He will fail, however, to prevent war in the Middle East.

At home, we predict, the President will revert to his basic conservative nature and go back to a tighter money policy. This will hold down inflation, at a cost of nagging unemployment and mild recession.

We also predict a Democratic Congress will dig deeper into the Watergate, ITT, grain and other scandals. The President on election night went out of his way to praise his two embattled campaign aides, John Mitchell and Maurice Stans, who are implicated in the Watergate scandal.

This is the tip-off that the President will back up his aides and cover up the scandal. Mitchell, we predict, will remain a close confidante by will not return to the cabinet. Stans will be given a top appointment—outside the cabinet.

In short, we predict Richard Nixon will distinguish himself as a peace president but will be badly tarnished by scandal during the next four years.

—Have Jetstar, Will Travel—

Globetrotter Henry Kissinger could take a few travelling lessons from John Shaffer, chief of the Federal Aviation Agency. Shaffer, we've discovered, is one of the most travelled men in the Nixon Administration. Shaffer, who insists that it's his solemn duty to "monitor the national aviation system," accomplishes this goal by flying around at public expense in a sleek Lockheed Jetstar.

We have reported in the past how Shaffer's

## As I See It

by T. J. Patterson

There were thirteen Boy Scouts of Troop 102 disappointed last Saturday evening at the South Plains Branch Boys Club during their Court of Honors program.

A young man, Lee Hunter, who is assistant Scoutmaster for the guys, made a special effort to invite approximately forty people, including politicians, educators and businessmen, to the special effort honoring those fellows who have done something special in the field of Scouting.

There were twenty-four parents and relatives present. It was good to have those persons who are related to those present. Several years ago, there was no viable Boy Scout troop in East Lubbock, but because of the hard work of young men as Hunter, Troop 102 is becoming something special in the hearts of its membership.

The Mayor of Lubbock was personally invited to attend this affair by Hunter. According to Hunter, as he hand carried the invitation, the Mayor said he would be there as well as the City Manager of Lubbock.

Perhaps the Mayor of Lubbock and City Manager had something which was of more importance for them to attend, but they should not have promised this young man that they would be there. Young people are trying to work within the system and when they are told one thing and something different materializes, it's hard to establish this confidence again.

This event last Saturday evening was a big thing for the fellows receiving awards as well as Hunter, and the Mayor and City manager should have been there or at least had someone to fill-in for them. After all, this young man did make a special effort, because he thought it was something special for the "guys" he's working with each week.

This program is a positive one and it is helping to build young men of our community. Let's not get upset over what happened last Saturday evening, Fellows. Life is like this and you've got to continue to hold your heads up high and keep going. As I See It, you can still make it. It's not important as to how many people see what you're doing or how important they are. Just keep the faith and hold on.

Thought Of The Week: "People May Doubt What You Say. But They Will Always Believe What You Do."

It's time for some type of unification to take place in East Lubbock. If what I saw Sunday afternoon is any indication of what is to happen in the near future, then

"monitoring" has taken him to such vacation spots as Orlando, Florida, where he played golf with Arnold Palmer.

Most recently, the FAA chief flew in his government Jetstar to Pittsburgh for the 25th anniversary of the Pittsburgh airport. Then he decided it was a nice day for golf. So he flew across country to his favorite golf course at Augusta, Georgia. Three of his friends wanted to go to Miami. So he ordered his government pilot to drop them off 300 miles further south in Miami.

We have learned the identity of the three friends whom Shaffer let use his government plane. They are Thornton Ferguson, President of Modern Air Transport; Robert Lando, head of a Pittsburgh advertising agency; and Jay Van Vechten, who heads Lando's Miami office. They flew to Miami while Shaffer played golf in Augusta with executives of General Electric.

—Intelligence Reports—

George Who?—The Chinese public was told almost nothing about the American election campaign. The average Chinese citizen, for example, never heard of George McGovern. But a daily bulletin, called Reference News, has given the Chinese Communist cadres a surprisingly accurate account of the campaign developments. The re-election of President Nixon, therefore, came as absolutely no surprise to the Chinese Communists.

Confident Thieu—The secret intelligence reports out of Saigon contain an interesting omen that President Thieu is confident of remaining in power. The Central Intelligence Agency notes, significantly, that the men around Thieu have made no attempt to smuggle their money out of the country and to start slipping off to the French Riviera. If they expected the Communists to take over Saigon, The CIA notes, President Thieu's top officials would be quietly clearing out of the country with their fortunes.

Army Coupe Avoided—Egypt's President Sadat has completely shaken up his high command to prevent a military coup, according to intelligence reports. He had picked up reports, apparently, that a new military junta might attempt to seize power from him. Sadat has now taken what amounts to personal command of the army.

Old Chiang III—The CIA reports that Old Chiang Kai-shek is seriously ill and that his son, Chiang Ching-kuo, has taken over effective control of Taiwan. The death of old Chiang, if it should come, would have little effect upon this Asian trouble spot.

—Political Potpourri—

Bobby Baker and his wife Dorothy have been having marital problems since Baker left prison last June. Baker will soon leave for a long trip to the Orient. His pretty wife will remain behind...Spirits are low at Ralph Nader's headquarters. Some have always complained that Nader drives his staff too hard. But lately his staff appears especially dispirited and disorganized. The recently completed Congress Project put a tremendous strain on Nader's pooped Raiders...Democrats are expected to meet early in January to replace Congressman Hale Boggs as House Majority Leader. Insiders say Majority Whip Tip O'Neil from Massachusetts is the odds-on choice.

maybe we've got something started which could benefit a great number of us.

As this column has pointed out recently, residents of East Lubbock predominately Black, are tired of the way they are being treated by the local political sub-division. This includes the City of Lubbock as well as the County of Lubbock.

Many believe, with sincerity, that they (Black people) are not being represented down town and are going to do something about it. As I've said many times, it's time for the "powers that be" to start doing something about the welfare of all of Lubbock citizens.

Citizens who met last Sunday afternoon at the Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church were citizens who are concerned about what's happening in our community and are tired of what is happening.

The Compost Plant is only one issue. These citizens could find many more and perhaps will do so. City Council, you'd better start taking people of East Lubbock more seriously, for they are definitely concerned about the welfare of their lives, as well as their families.

## Letters to The Editor . . .

Dear Sir: Please make me a subscriber of the West Texas Times. Enclosed is a check for a year's subscription.

I am a teacher at MacKenzie Junior High School, Lubbock, Texas. I have not noticed a copy of the West Texas Times in the Library. Do you furnish a copy to each public school or does each school library need to subscribe? I feel that our public school students need to know that there is another Lubbock paper in addition to the Avalanche-Journal.

Sincerely,  
Paul M. Coats

Dear Mr. Coats, thanks for the note and subscription. No, we can not furnish copies of the paper to each school due to limitations concerning our Second Class Mailing Permit. We have, in past years, talked to the Superintendent of the Lubbock Schools concerning placing our papers in each school, and as yet are awaiting his reply. Individual libraries in some schools at the present time are subscribers to the West Texas Times.

Sincerely,  
The Editor

Dear Mr. Patterson: I will say to the public today that I have got a cord of good dry wood for sale. I will sell it at \$35.00 a load and if anyone need their wood, please come by and get a bargain on this wood now. My address is 2314 Cedar Avenue, or call me at 744-4991.

Rev. Steward Scott

Rev. Scott is 94 years "young" and still going strong. If any of our readers need winter wood, please look him up.  
The Editor

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**Austin, Tex.**—The State Legislature which convenes January 9 will be vastly different from the present one which has served through the 1971 regular for four special sessions. There will be 77 new faces in the 150-member House and 15 new members of the 31-member Senate. (Five of the House newcomers have served before the 1972 session, and six present House members will be serving in the Senate).

Dolph Briscoe, of course, will succeed Preston Smith as governor, and Bill Hobby will preside over the Senate, succeeding Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes. Rep. Price Daniel of Liberty will become Speaker of the House, replacing Rep. Rayford Price of Palestine.

Basically, the House is expected to be a more liberal body than the present one, and the new Senate considerably more conservative.

Republicans, women and blacks increased their strength in the House; and the GOP added one more senator, for a total of three. There will be 17 Republican state representatives — seven from Dallas, seven from Houston, two from San Antonio and one from Midland. GOP senators were elected in Dallas, Houston and Fort Worth.

The House, which now has a single woman member, will have five (including two blacks) in January. Mrs. Betty Andujar of Fort Worth, wife of a physician, is the new woman senator. She is a Republican.

The Senate's only woman member at present is Miss Barbara Jordan of Houston, a black, liberal Democrat who was elected to Congress November 7.

Black membership of the House will increase from two to eight.

**\$91.2 Million in Aid Sought**—Governor Smith went to Washington last week in search of \$91.2 million in additional federal social service funding.

Texas has received \$34.8 million in federal matching funds for social services to eligible citizens during the fourth quarter of the 1972 fiscal year.

Smith argues people involved received the same services throughout the year, and the state is entitled to compensation for the first three quarters of fiscal 1972, as well as the last quarter.

The funding will be important in determining whether the next legislature will have to pass a substantial tax bill.

**Tax Line Can Be Held**—Texas Research League predicts a major tax increase can be avoided next year if lawmakers can keep reasonable controls on spending.

Spending, says TRL, probably can be held within bounds of a \$750 million raise over the next two years—unless federal court rulings require sharp increases in funds for public schools.

An increase in revenue from existing taxes is estimated at \$375 million. A \$40 million surplus is expected to be available at the end of the fiscal year, and federal revenue sharing may provide the state as much as \$315 million during the biennium, according to TRL. That is within \$20 million of the new spending projection.

Texas Highway Department is due to ask for a two-cents-a-gallon gasoline tax hike next year, which would add another \$70 million to key fund revenues in addition to earmarked road-building purposes.

**Ag Opinions**—Atty. Gen Crawford C. Martin declared unconstitutional Johnson County system of compensating a justice of the peace \$4 only when he gets a conviction for a traffic violation.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded:

\*Commissioners in counties less than 10,000 have authority to submit to an election the question of creating the office of tax assessor-collector and can appoint the official if approved.

\*Hiring of a private accounting firm of an Ector County commissioner by a 17-county Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission (of which Ector is a member) creates no conflict of interest.

\*Harris County Hospital District can employ chaplains in its hospitals as an "established part of medical and hospital care."

\*Tyler State College may not purchase fire and extended coverage insurance on its buildings, but can pay for auto public liability coverage.

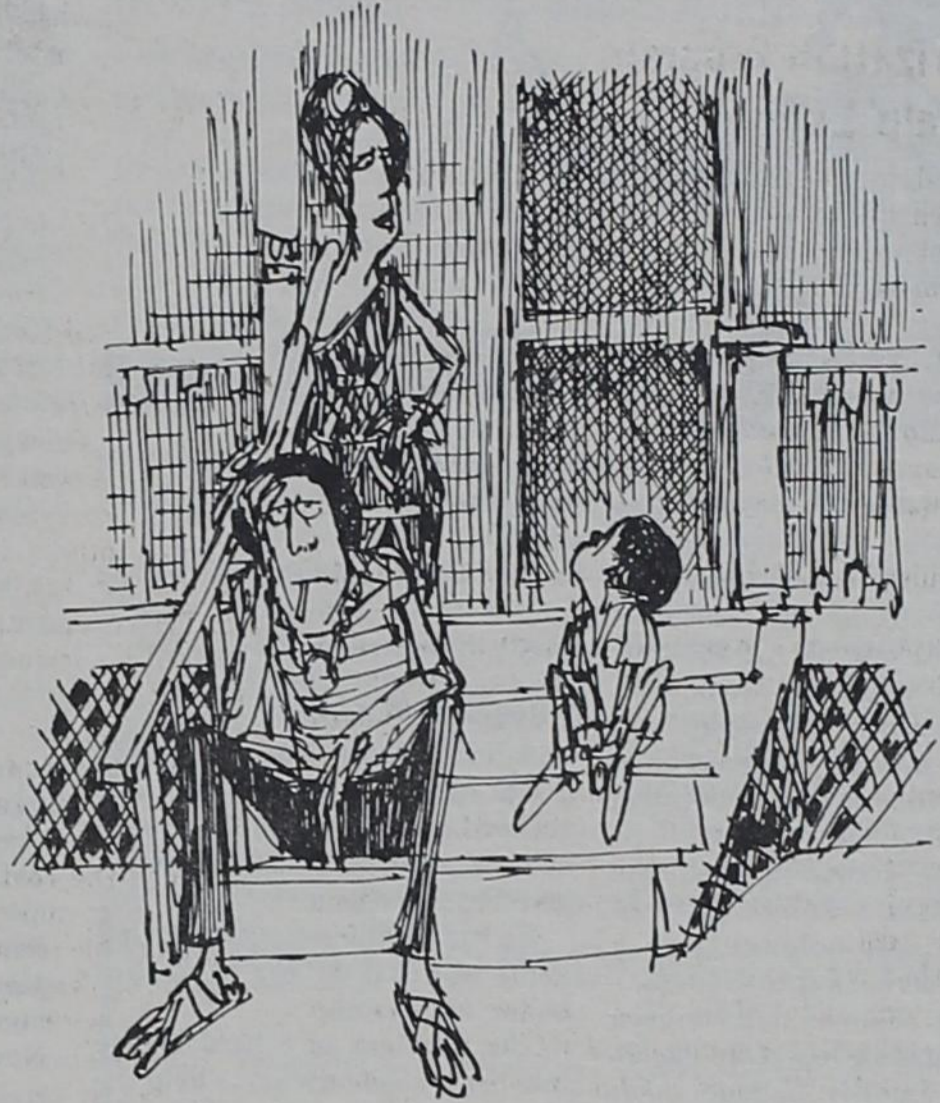
\*A four-wheel riding lawn mower used to mow grass on residential lots is not exempt from registration as an "implement of husbandry." Such a machine used to mow grass on highway right-of-ways does not have to be registered as a highway motor vehicle, however.

\*Where tax suits are dismissed for want of prosecution, without adjudication of costs, taxpayers are entitled to redemption certificates on payment of delinquent taxes, penalty and interest.

\*Motor carrier equipment operated entirely within the boundaries of a commercial zone established by the Railroad Commission is not operated under a certified carrier's certificate and need not be reported upon although employed in conjunction with regulated transportation.

\*Judges can be paid the difference between their salaries as district judges and the amount allowed a Court of Criminal Appeals Commissioner while serving in that capacity. Appointees as commissioner are also entitled to travel expenses to and from Austin and a \$25 per day expense allowance while serving.

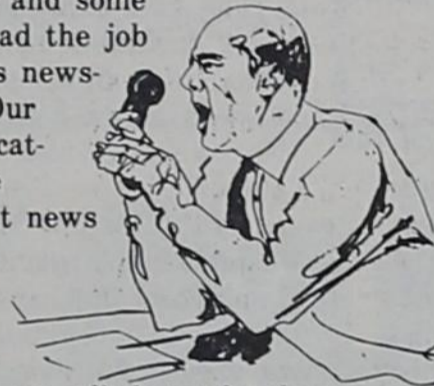
# Points of View



Child, how many times I got to tell you? Don't call your uncle "Tom."

## From The Business Desk

Over the past 10 years and some 40 odd weeks, we have had the job of setting the type in this newspaper twice each week. Our equipment, while sophisticated, was not of the nature that would allow us to set news just once, proof read it and then "slap" it into the paper. Now, lots of people have never understood why we seemed, at times, a little touchy about news, newspapers and other items pertaining to publishing. Think about it a little and try to understand what it would be like for you if you had to—over the last 566 weeks in your life—read and type everything that had happened of interest in the community — **TWICE!** I have been involved in the larger part of that, and I must say that I thoroughly enjoyed nearly all of those weeks. But I'd be lying through my teeth if I didn't point out that there were times when I would liked to have taken several different typewriters, on several different occasions, and throw them through the nearest window.



All this is leading up to the fact that I am proud to announce the arrival of a new member to our staff here in the office. Pictures and story of the new-comer are on another page of this issue, but I take great pleasure in using this space to tell our readers that with the installation of a new Compuwriter®, we will no longer have to set all the news in this paper twice. With this piece of equipment, its computers, electric circuits, memory banks and what-ever else the salesman told me about and I have already forgot, we just sit down, turn on the machine, and begin to set type. If everything is working correctly, and the operator, or myself, have our fingers on the right keys, the type comes out ready to slap into the paper, without any more work—save a little proof reading and corrections.

We're right proud of the new arrival, and hope it will help in every way to make your newspaper, the West Texas Times, a bigger and better news source for the citizens of Lubbock and West Texas.

The Christmas season is already upon us, and this writer has been out and about in the last few weeks, attempting to locate some merchants in this town who would like to have the Black's Christmas business. So far, all I have received is "put-offs" and "put-downs". But I'm gonna keep trying so if you readers will just bear with me, perhaps before this season of good cheer and brotherhood is over, I'll be able to report that some retail business establishments in this town need business bad enough to advertise in this newspaper for it.

Speaking of put-offs, I had been informed that Sear's would no longer advertise in this newspaper. Not wishing to take anything like that second-hand, although I place fullest confidence in Mr. Patterson's word and he was the one who informed me of Sear's decision, I went with Mr. Patterson to Sear's last Monday morning to discuss what-ever problems we might have with the advertising manager there.

The advertising manager was busy, in some sort of staff meeting or something like that, but he did manage to come out in the hall and say hello to Mr. Patterson and myself. I told him that we both understood that he was busy, but that I certainly would appreciate it if he would give me a call anytime Monday, after he had finished with his other business and wasn't too busy. He said something to the effect that he was awfully busy, but he would try.

This is being written on Tuesday evening, and I still haven't heard from the advertising manager at Sear's, so at this time I'll just have to tell you that the rumor about Sear's not supporting your newspaper is still just a rumor.

I'll try to get back by there this week and visit with the advertising manager so by next week you will know what is happening. Anyway, we were speaking of put-offs, that's not the first, and certainly will not be the last—but it is the latest.

One of the more interesting "put-downs" happened to me last Thursday. I was at City Hall during the regular city council meeting and had occasion to visit with one of the members of the council during the noon recess. I was asking what the reasoning was behind the latest ordinance concerning the operation of arcades and the age limit placed upon people who can go into these arcades. Admittedly, I was a little hostile towards the action, since I see no real reason to pass an ordinance that is not exactly up to standards.

The upshot of the whole matter was that the member got a little upset with my criticism, and informed me that "I didn't live within the city limits of Lubbock and it really wasn't any of my business." How's that for a put-down? At any rate, I informed the council member that I owned property in Lubbock, had lived here most of my life, and certainly was running a business within the city limits of Lubbock.

The council member thought about this for a while, must have decided my credentials were in order, looked me over and said, "Well, if you own property here in town, I guess that makes a difference."

The meeting last Sunday afternoon concerning the new compost plant scheduled to be erected in East Lubbock may have been somewhat premature. Although I will admit that just the idea of trying out something new in the area certainly cannot go by without the citizens getting together and letting the council know how they feel about it.

But, from what I have been able to get from sources within City Hall, the company that was going to operate the facility has not as yet come up with a financial statement, and things aren't looking too good for anyone here in town signing a contract until such time as they can determine what kind of financial shape the company is in.

At any rate, it won't hurt for the citizens to place their names on the petition and let the city council know how they feel about the new industry.

Isn't it amazing, several years ago the citizens of Lubbock got fed up with the odor from a local feed lot, and raised enough opposition that they finally got one of the feed lots to move. Now the city council thinks it will be alright to haul a 100 tons of feed lot manure a day into the city of Lubbock for a compost plant. Sometimes I wonder what in the world people are trying to do.

I would certainly hope, though, that if we do sign a contract with these people to pay them to take our garbage, we sign one that we can get out of at some later date—if we so desire. The reason I say this is because several years ago we had to buy back effluent water from the individual whom we were paying to take it in the first place, so that we could provide enough cooling water for the establishment of Jone's Station in the Eastern part of the County. I have no argument with the previous agreement concerning Southwestern Public Service's need for water, but I still don't know how we managed to get ourselves into a position where we were paying a fellow to take something off our hands, then we had to turn right back around and pay him again to have the right to use part of what we were paying him to take.

Oops, did it again, didn't it? Seems like every time I start confuse myself, and everyone else also.

Anyway, we don't know what the going price for garbage in the next few years is going to be, and I would hope that if the price goes up in the future, and someone offers to pay us, rather than the other way around. We have a contract that can be subject to change.



# Police Beat

## Burglary

Rayford Nichols, of 2907 East Baylor Street, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that someone entered his place of business, Nichol's TV, at 208 18th Street, one night last week.

It was learned that entry was gained by breaking a glass in a window in the rear of the building and unlocking the window.

After entry was gained, the intruders took a 12-inch portable television set, belonging to a customer, according to Nichols.

Exit was believed to have been made by prying open an inside door and another outside door. There was no cost estimate listed as to the missing television set or damage to the building.

## Strong Arm Robbery

If you ask brother Willy Williams, of 17th and Avenue A, he'll probably tell you that it's hard to hide money on you this day and time. You see, brother Williams had a problem last week.

He told Lubbock police that a man ripped the lining out of his coat and took approximately \$10.00 from the garment one night last week.

## House Burglary

Thomas Harris, 2719 East 2nd Street, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that a person, unknown, did break into his home and take a portable radio and a jar of pennies.

Entry was gained by kicking the door open, causing approximately \$10.00 in damage to the door.

The radio was valued at \$21.00 and there was about \$8.00 in pennies in the jar.

## House Burglary

Ronnie M. Brown, of 1801 E. Auburn, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that person or persons unknown did gain entry into his house and take several valuable items last week.

Taken from the house were two rifles, valued at approximately \$150.00, and an entertainment

center (radio and other pieces of equipment) which was valued at \$900.00.

There were no clues, according to the police report, as to who might have taken the articles.

## Attempted Murder

A Lubbock man reported to the police that his 25-year-old wife stabbed him one night last week, at the corner of East 23rd Street and Fir Avenue.

He had a knife wound on his left arm, approximately 4 inches below his shoulder.

The manager of a local lounge told police that he tried to help the man by bringing him into the lounge when someone took a shot at the man. The spent round missed the man, but did strike the pants leg of the manager who was only trying to help.

The husband was taken to a local hospital. There had been no charges filed at the time of this report.

# around the hub city

The Pyramid Club of Delta Sigma Theta will sponsor a Thanksgiving Party, Saturday, November 18, 1972 at 9:00 p.m. at 3408 E. 17th (Thunderbird addition) in the home of Cathy Barron. Admission for the party is one canned good or a donation of 50 cents. The proceeds will go to some needy family in the Black community. Everyone is cordially invited.

Mrs. Catherine Stroud, Mr. Eddy Joe and Mr. Robert Giddins left last Saturday for Clarksville, Texas, where they attended funeral services for their father, Mr. Wash Giddins, who passed away after a brief illness. A daughter from Big Spring was expected to join them and also other children from California and New Mexico. Among other relatives from here to attend were two neices, Mesdames Mattie Mae Denson and Alberta Horton; a nephew, Mr. Charlie Hurd and others. Funeral services were held last Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mary Anderson has returned to Dallas, Texas, after a recent visit here with her mother, Mrs. Evelyn Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardin Barrow have been notified of the birth of a grandson, Alston Rashan, to their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Satterfield. Mrs. Satterfield will be remembered as Miss Fay Delois Barrow. The little bundle of joy made his advent November 10, 1972. The Satterfields are at home at 1814 Welcome Lane, Nashville, Tennessee, 37216. They also have an eight-year-old daughter, Rileta.

The sick and shut-in list this week includes; Mr. A.L. Smith, Mrs. Lillie Mooney Parks—both home from the hospital, and Mrs. Norma Austin, also home, but still quite ill.

Let's not forget the big game tomorrow evening, Friday, November 17, beginning at 7:30 at Lowery Field. This column would predict that this game is a toss up and either team could win. However, since Estacado has won all the previous games against their cross-town opponents, Dunbar, and this year both teams have not really put it together—the score will be 7-6 in favor of Estacado.

The Ghetto Choir of Tulsa, Oklahoma, is scheduled to appear at the Lubbock Opportunities In-

## Local Scouts Honored Last Saturday Evening



Scouts of Troop 102 of the Boy Scouts of America were honored last Saturday evening at the South Plains Branch Boys Club in a special Court of Honor.

Lee Hunter, assistant Scoutmaster, presided over the special effort and presented those fellows to the crowd of twenty-four who had awards coming.

Ralphel Scott and Thomas James Patterson, Jr., were presented their Tenderfoot pins while Eugene Walker received his 2nd Class pin.

Scouts receiving Merit Badges were Michael Williams, Ricky Peppers, Anthony Peppers, Joey Roberts, Luther Williams, and Alvin Chatman.

dustrialization Center (LOIC) Friday and Saturday evenings, November 24th and 25th. The public is cordially invited to come out and hear this group at 2200 East Broadway. For further information, contact the office by calling 763-8077.

Other Scouts present were Louis Bradley, Kevin Bryant and Gregory Loggins.

Roberts was named to the Order of the Arrow last summer at Camp Tres Ritos.

L. Williams, Roberts and A. Peppers are to receive their Star Badge in the very near future, according to Hunter.


"I want to thank all of you who came out this evening to see what our guys are doing over here," Hunter said. He went on to say that there were some special people invited to attend the evening ceremony, but they didn't show up.

Parents present presented Merit Badges to their boys while others pinned awards on their sons.

Bob Hurst, local Scout official, gave special thanks to the boys for their hard work they had done, and also made it known that he was quite impressed with what Lee Hunter is doing for the young fellows.

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### Bureau of Narcotics Seeking New Blacks

Washington-The U.S. Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs offers young blacks "a piece of the action" in a new kind of mainstream professional career.

So says Vincent Oliver, a black personnel executive in BNDD, as the agency is known here.

BNDD, an agency of the U.S. Department of Justice, was established in 1968 to carry out one of the nation's most critical missions—to arrest the flow of illicit drug traffic and bring under control the abuse of dangerous drugs in the United States.

BNDD narcs, as the agency's Special Agents are called, are an elite corps of tough, committed young men and women who are put through rigorous screening and training in preparation for taking on assignments that are demanding and often dangerous.

Undercover work, surveillance, intelligence, investigation and relentless tracking of drug traffickers, from street pushers to high level anonymous syndicate members all over the world—these are the BNDD narc's stock trade.

They're a proud, inconspicuous, closely knit cadre operating around the world on the ground, in the air and on the seas in their constant efforts to break up illicit drug distribution systems, destroy clandestine laboratories, cut off the flow of drugs into the United States and bust the pushers.

"The agency is new in more ways than one," says Oliver. "It's new because it is an agency that affords the best of young blacks a new kind of mainstream professional career in which black power is a critical element. These are the young people we're looking for.

"It's new because I would never have believed that I could have been 'turned on' by being a part of a law enforcement agency, but I have been since joining the Bureau and seeing how our mission relates to caring about black people," Oliver adds.

"And it's new because the Director, John E. Ingersoll, genuinely understands the critical contribution minorities have to make toward the fulfillment of the Bureau's mission and is working diligently to encourage and develop minority participation."

Oliver emphasizes that drug traffickers are all colors who destroy people without regard for race.

"They have preyed upon black

people for years and they still do as they continue to expand the sale of their poison to include broader markets in the white community," he stresses. "The big difference is that BNDD narcs are now doing something about it in a big way and we need all the black power we can muster, in the form of bright young blacks with guts, to help get the job done."

Oliver believes that no thinking black can cling to the argument that he won't get involved because "whitie" didn't care so long as drug pushers were destroying only blacks, so why should we care now just because drugs have spread to white suburbia?

"In the first place," says Oliver, "the assumption that all junkies were black up until recently is totally ridiculous. Anyone who saw the movie, 'Man with the Golden Arm,' back in the 50's, knows that the movie was the story of white junkies in this country at that time, not blacks. So drug addition has never confined itself only to blacks. What's happening is that the drug addict population as a whole, both white and black, has increased alarmingly in recent years all over the country and this calls for a united black-white assault if the scourge is ever to be checked."

Oliver says the opportunity to

become a federal narcotics agent is wide open to blacks who have the concern and talented sensitivities that only blacks can add to the law enforcement profession.

"This is a golden opportunity to use black power to save black people," Oliver sums up.

BNDD offers two types of investigative careers. A BNDD Special Agent starts at \$11,306 a year, including pay for required overtime. A BNDD Compliance Investigator, who conducts industry audits of the adequacy of production and distribution controls, starts at \$7,319 a year.

Special Agents can retire at age 50 after 20 years of service and compliance investigators can retire at age 55 after 30 years of service.

Both positions require a college degree or the equivalent combination of college and law enforcement experience.

For additional information write to Recruitment Officer, Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs, 1405 I Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20537.

Oliver, a native of Zanesville, Ohio, joined BNDD a year ago after holding personnel positions in the Departments of Defense, Labor, and Health, Education and Welfare.

### Diggs Will Become First Black Chairman In Five Years; First Since Adam C. Powell

Washington—(NBNS)—A black Congressman will become chairman of a U.S. House of Representatives committee for the first time since Adam Clayton Powell was denied his House seat and stripped of the chairmanship of the House Labor and Education Committee in 1967.

Congressman Charles C. Diggs, Jr., a Michigan Democrat, who was first elected to Congress in 1954, is slated to become chairman of the House District of Columbia Committee when the 93rd Congress convenes next January.

Though not considered by most congressmen as a choice assignment, the District Committee is vitally important to the residents of Washington, more than 70 per cent of whom are black.

The committee, formerly head-

ed by arch-conservative Rep. John McMillan, D-S.C., has been dominated in the past by conservatives who have been instrumental in denying home rule to D.C. by refusing to favor such enabling legislation. With Diggs assuming the chairmanship, D.C. residents expect to be granted home rule.

(On election day, several of the more vociferous foes of home rule legislation lost their seats, but so did some liberal congressmen who favored home rule. The kind of congressmen appointed to fill the Democratic vacancies by Chairman of the Democratic Committee on Committees Wilbur Mills, will largely determine the makeup of the new District Committee and whether it will favor home rule

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Death strikes all of us differently and to some the giving of flowers may be the highest tribute they can pay to the memory of the deceased. Confronted with an appeal for charity, we may feel left out and confused. Should we bow to the wishes of the family or send flowers anyway?

It could be a difficult decision for some people and perhaps some way can be found to accommodate both expressions.

**Twelve Years Later . . .**

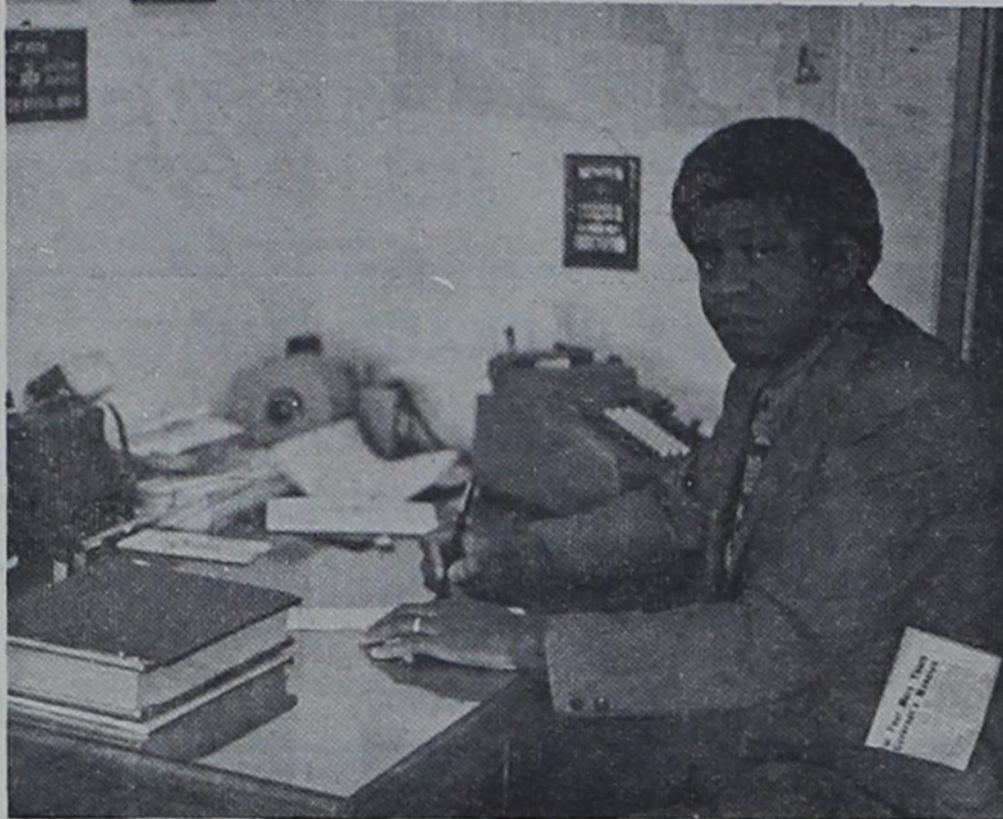
Many people in West Texas said it couldn't be done... It was said that this media wouldn't become a household word for thousands of citizens of the West Texas. It has become something and it is becoming a household word for many people in West Texas.

The West Texas Times will begin its 12th year of operation January 1, 1973, and, hopefully, another twelve years of constructive journalism for benefit of West Texans as well as Americans throughout this great country of ours.

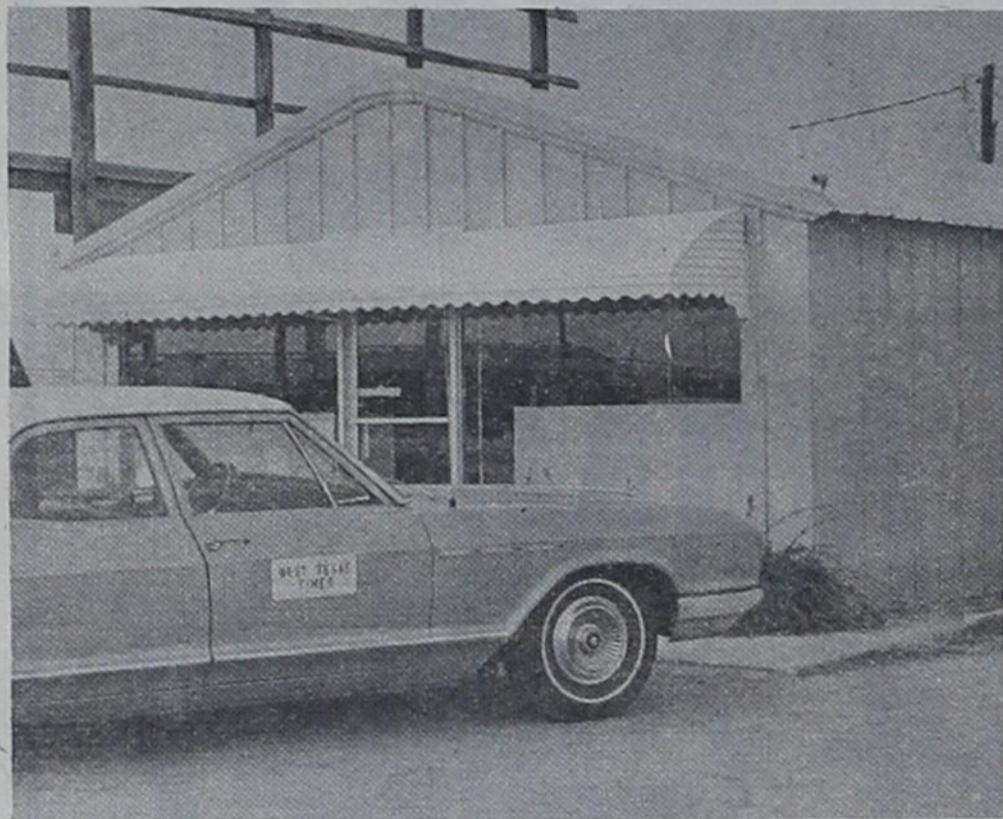
There's no doubt about it, we've

had our problems and we've hurdled many obstacles which have been in our path. As the personable young publisher, Norman Williamson, has said many times, "We've got a responsibility for our readers and we must not let anything stop us."

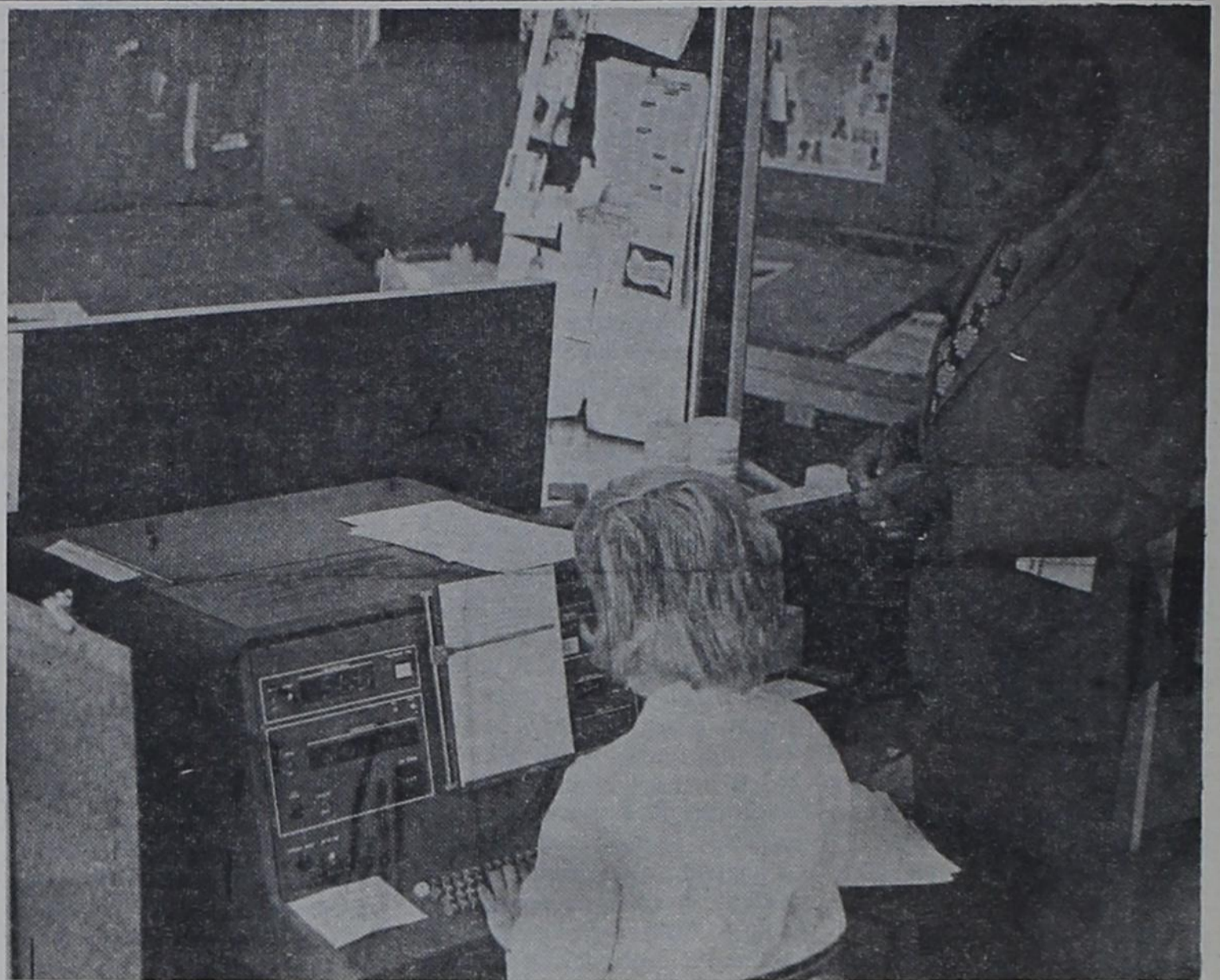
The West Texas Times is an offspring of the old Carver Heights Newspaper which went out of business. A former Black Hubber, James Roy Lewis, who was concerned about the Black community having a newspaper went to Mr. Williamson and asked if he would print a newspaper. He did just that and thus the West Texas Times became a fruitful media in West Texas.



**PONDERING OVER COLUMN**—T.J. Patterson, editor, is shown pondering over a column which has just been written for this week's edition. "As I See It" is a column which is written each week by Patterson. (Staff Photo)



**OFFICE OF WEST TEXAS TIMES**—is located on Farm Road 1585, just east of the Tahoka Highway. The operation of the TIMES has been in this location for five years. Prior to that, operation of the TIMES was in a smaller facility in the same location. (Staff Photo)



**LOOKING OVER COMPUWRITER**—T. J. Patterson, editor, is shown observing the operation of the new Compuwriter typesetting machine. This new piece of equipment will enable the "Times" to become more sophisticated in its operation. (Staff Photo)

Prior to being called the West Texas Times, it wore the name of the Manhattan Heights. Several years after this name, it began to be recognized as the Manhattan Heights and West Texas Times, of which the latter name still remains its identification.

T.J. Patterson, who has been with the media for nine years, is editor and has served in the capacity of salesman and reporter for the growing news media.

As editor, Patterson believes that the West Texas Times will continue to contribute something constructive to the citizens of West Texas. "We're quite proud over the Times and what it will do in the future," he says.

Recently, the West Texas Times purchased a Compuwriter

which will enable the Times to become a more sophisticated media. This new effort will create a new dimension in the newspaper

industry for a weekly media in West Texas.

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# Sports of The Times

by Joe Kelly

If you didn't know it before now, let's repeat; this is a new year for Coach Jim Carlen at Texas Tech. He actually entered the "interrogation" room at his weekly press conference Monday with a little more than just a trace of a smile.

Hadn't he seen his Raiders demolished by TCU 48 hours earlier? Yes, of course, but as I said this is a new year and Jim Carlen is a different man.

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If you think it was a smile of joy, you're naive. He jovially announced that the crowd seemed to be larger and he was glad of it. As for TCU, well:

"We just got beat. No excuses, no alibis. TCU had a fine team and I told coach (Billy Tohill) that after the game. But we've forgotten the game. We're concentrating on Baylor.

"I told you all last week I was worried about this game and I think you'll agree there was justification for that worry. TCU had an experienced line and the only thing holding them back was their quarterback. We got behind and had to play catch up."

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Carlen, ruminating on Tech's fortunes of late, said that the Raiders had had some key injuries.

"I went back to the Utah game and looked at our lineup," he said. "We had Andy Lowe, Tom Ryan and Tim Schaffner in key defensive positions. All three have been lost, although I hope we can play Ryan this week.

"I thought Quintin Robinson had an outstanding game for us. He made 24 tackles. Charlie Davis was the best offensive linemen we've seen. He really hurt us. We should have run at them more and I'll take the blame for that. We planned to pass and we should have run."

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Carlen reiterated that it was the line of scrimmage that beat Tech. Then he added "the great thing about this conference is that everybody's after everybody else. Before Saturday, you probably didn't think that Rice was very tough. But just ask Arkansas today what they think about Rice."

In answering questions about the TCU game, Carlen said that they'd have kicked for the extra point if Lawrence Williams had held Joe Barnes' sure touchdown pass.

"We'd have gone for two if we had scored a third time," Carlen declared. Psychologically, you have a better chance if it's 21-14, rather than 21-12.

"TCU had such a big line that, at the goal, it would have been tough for Barnes to throw over it," which is another indication that the Raiders wouldn't have tried to run for two points.

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Carlen, in answer to a question about George Smith, said that he thought he had made it clear that Smith had an ankle injury. He hurt his ankle before the SMU game, so Tech really hadn't had much of his services for three games (none against Rice or TCU).

"Different players have different thresholds of pain," he stated. "I know his ankle hurts him and he's done a lot for us. On the otherhand, Barnes and McCutchen both are playing despite pain. It all depends on the individual and I'm not taking a thing away from Smith. I know his ankle hurts him."

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As for Baylor, Carlen says that they are a lot like Tech. "They're well coached and they have some good players, but they lack depth. Right now they're hurting, like us."

He said that Jeffrey probably would be the best quarterback Tech had faced. "He throws well, probably the quickest release of anyone. They have four tough, hardnosed running backs—two fullbacks, two tailbacks.

"They run the counter and the reverse exceptionally well and we'll have to work on that this week.

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"Baylor has a well drilled offensive line," Carlen declared. "Mason is a real good—and big—tackle. Dancer is their best receiver and he's a good one. Their punter is a lot like Garner. He kicks the ball high and they get good coverage.

"They're beat up on their defensive line, again a lot like us. But they have a quick line that reacts well. Their middle guard, Neely, is outstanding. Zonker and Goree, linebackers, are both outstanding. Their secondary is solid. Their punt and kickoff return men are good.

"The secret to Baylor," Carlen said, "is their enthusiasm—on the squad, the student body, the townspeople."

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Carlen said that he was moving up some freshmen, but didn't know if they'd play or not. He's promoting Willie Kent, Angel Berlinger, Rufus Myers and Tommy Duniven—the latter to play "Jeffrey" in practice.

Kent might handle kickoff returns, while Myers might see action as a running back. "He did well as a freshman," Carlen said, "but sometimes being two steps faster in freshman play doesn't mean he's two steps faster in varsity action."

"Bowl talk is good for the media and for the people to read about, but I'm serious when I say I have a one-track mind. All I'm thinking about right now is Baylor.

"I can assure you this. If our record is good enough, the bowl people will look us up."

Somebody pointed out that if Tech beat Baylor and Arkansas, there wouldn't be too many teams in the nation with a 9-2 mark.

"No, and if we beat Baylor, there won't be many teams with an 8-2 record, either," Carlen shot back.

## Basketball Season Underway at SPBC

The Junior League of the South Plains Boys Club is underway this week with four teams—Lions, Hawks, Bullets and Rockets—competing for the title.

All games will begin at 5:00 on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons.

The Junior League are young fellows, ages 11 and 12.

The West Texas Times will keep our readers informed as to the standing of the Junior League each week.

Games on tap this week, Nov. 11 through 21st are:

Hawks vs. Rockets, Thursday, Nov. 16: Lions vs. Bullets, Friday, Nov. 17: Bullets vs. Hawks, Monday, Nov. 20th: and Rockets vs. Lions, Tuesday, Nov. 21st.

## Sports Capsule

by Mark Southerland  
National Black News Service

The American Tennis Association has reached an agreement with the Women's International Tennis Federation which will present greater opportunities for promising black women players. The WITF will pit between three to six blacks against the likes of

Mrs. Billie Jean King and Mrs. Nancy Gunter in each of their 18 tournaments on the Virginia Slims circuit. The "mutual recognition" was arrived at according to president of ATA Dr. Clyde C. Freeman and the executive Director of WITF, Mrs. Gladys Heldman. The ATA has a membership of 4,000 and includes 60 clubs founded in Washington in 1916 by a group of blacks, and has produced such prominent players as Mrs. Althea Gibson Darben, Arthur Ashe and Bonnie Logan. It is undetermined as to whether their relationship with the WITF will jeopardize their future in the women's circuit of the USLTA planned for next year. To date the USLTA has failed to recognize the new women's federation.

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In an attempt to get on the winning track, winless Philadelphia made a major trade as they dealt Bill Bridges and Mel Counts to the Los Angeles Lakers for Leroy Ellis and John Q. Trapp. Ellis is expected to be the starting center for the 0-13 Philadelphia 76ers.

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Second year man Elmore Smith of the Buffalo Braves exhibited a lot of courage to go along with his accepted talents in Buffalo's 101-99 victory over the Chicago Bulls. Smith won the game with a last-minute dunk shot and a last-second blocked shot while playing with a broken wrist. A cast is being fashioned for the 7foot Smith because the young Braves cannot afford to lose his average 14.6 points and 11.1 rebounds per game.

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Last year's NFC rookie-of-the-year John Brockington is a prime reason why the Green Bay Packers are sharing the lead in the NFC's Central Division. In Green Bay's 34-24 victory over the

San Francisco 49ers Brockington rushed for 133 yards and scored three touchdowns. His scores came on runs of 30 and 14 yards and a 48 yard pass reception.

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Warren Wells, a former allpro with the Oakland Raiders, has joined his new team, the Houston Oilers, after a delay due to his probationary status. Wells, who has had several run-ins with the law since 1969, went to court to have his probation modified so that he could join the Oilers, who picked him up on waivers. After a delay of a week the court ruled that he could join his new team.

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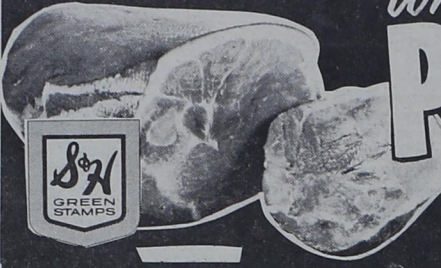

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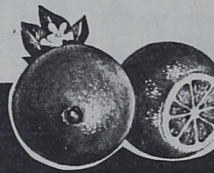
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### Guy Lumia Featured in Lubbock Symphony's November Concert Monday, the 20th

Guy Lumia, New York city-born violinist who has won prominence within the last decade, will highlight the Lubbock Symphony Orchestra's second concert of the season on Monday evening, November 20. The performance begins at 8:15 p.m. in the Lubbock Municipal Auditorium with William A. Harrod conducting. Mr. Lumia has appeared in recital all over the world and has been a frequent soloist with major orchestras both at home and abroad, performing in France, England, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Canada, Russia and Yugoslavia. In the spring of 1972 he performed Prokofiev's Concerto No. 1 for the U.S. Premiere of the Royal Ballet's new production *Triad* at the Metropolitan Opera House. Other 1972 appearances included performances with Texas orchestras in San Antonio and Amarillo.



Mr. Lumia graduated from Eastman School of Music with highest honors, became a Fulbright Scholar and laureate in the Paganini Competition in Genoa and the Tchaikovsky International Competition in Moscow. Later he studied with Nadi Boulanger and Yehudi Menuhin in Paris. Described as "a refined Romantic" temperamentally and an artist who "Puts plenty of expression and lyrical thrust into his playing without forcing", he tailors his technical and interpretive skills to the varying demands of each work without sacrificing his own individuality. Tickets for the concert may be purchased now at the Symphony Office, 1416 Avenue Q or at the Stage Door Ticket Agency, South Plains Mall.

### Miss Lubbock Pageant Is Saturday Night

The Miss Lubbock Pageant is planned for Saturday night, November 18th, at Monterey High School. The field of 27 girls has been narrowed down to a list of 16 finalists.

The general admission to the activities will be free, but "preferred seating" will be available for persons holding advanced tickets, which are \$5.00 each. The proceeds from these advanced tickets will be used for the Annual Jaycee Christmas Shopping Tour.

The winner of the Pageant will compete in the Miss Texas Pageant during July in Fort Worth.

Remember, 50% of the judging will be based upon talent, so it will

be excellent family entertainment.

Tickets may be purchased from any Lubbock Jaycee, or at the Stage Door Ticket Agency in the South Plains Mall, or by writing the Jaycee Office at P.O. Box 1316, Lubbock, Texas 79408.

### Pre-Thanksgiving Banquet Here

A Pre-Thanksgiving Dinner will be held tonight, Thursday, November 16, at 7:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of Mount Gilead Baptist Church, 2512 Fir Avenue.

Speaker of the evening will be Rev. S.R. Roberts, pastor, who will be introduced by Mr. Katie Hicks, president of Senior Choir.

Mr. Ernest Butler will serve as toastmaster, and invocation will be given by Rev. M.A. Brown, pastor of Triumph Baptist Church of Slaton, Texas. Rev. A.W. Wilson, pastor of Bethel A.M.E.

Church, will give benediction.

Special dinner music will be given by Garnett Lee and a special vocal solo by Ms. Henrietta Clark. Mr. Butler will also give recognition of guests.

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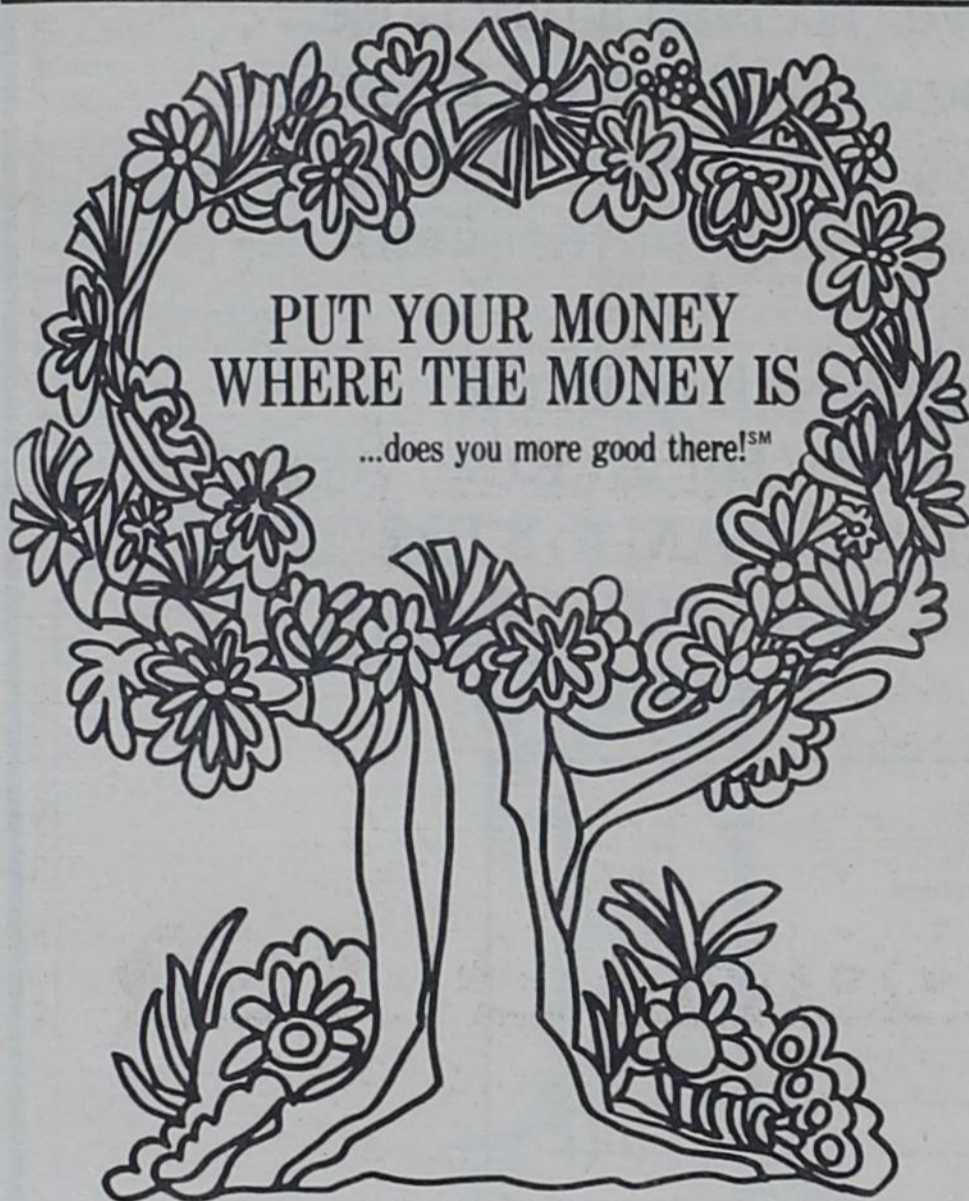
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### Youngsters Appear in "Miracle Worker"

Three youngsters of East Lubbock, Marcia Holmes, Ava Lee Proby and Ronald Collins, appeared in the "Miracle Worker" at the Lubbock Theatre Center recently.



Marcia is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holmes of 2429 East 29th Street. She is a fourth grader at Wheatley Elementary School.



Ava, daughter of Mrs. Lois Proby of 312 Beech Avenue, is a fourth grader at Bozeman Elementary School.



Ronald, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Collins of 1708 East Auburn, is a sixth grade student at Hunt Elementary School.

### Black Journal Launches New Series of Reports on Black Urban Life

Black Journal will begin a series of reports on black urban life with a profile of "Black St. Louis", Tuesday, November 21, at 8:30 p.m. on Channel 5. Transmitted nationally by PBS, the program will examine some of the social,

economic and political problems of blacks living in the city. Host Tony Brown will take viewers on a tour of St. Louis, a city rich in black history and culture.

#### Twelve Years Later . . .

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other modern equipment has made it possible for the Times to continue to make this weekly media as efficient as any other media in Texas or the nation.

In this issue are several photos of our plant. This media cordially invites the public to come and visit our young plant which has traveled many miles over the past eleven years.

Without any doubt, as publisher Williamson has said many times, "People would have thought we'd be out of business today, but we're not." True, the West Texas Times has something going for itself. It has and will never forget that people like you in West Texas has made the Times what it is.

"With the support of the people of West Texas, and their continued support toward the advertisers of this media as well as those who subscribe each week, we'll continue to move in many directions," admits Williamson.

It's nearly twelve years later and we're still going strong, thanks to you, the people of West Texas and the world.

Although the first civil rights demonstration was held in this city over 150 years ago, blacks have failed to make significant gains. Over 40 per cent of the city's entire population is black, yet only one of St. Louis' elected officials is a black man.

Congressman William Clay appears on the program to discuss the Pruitt-Igoe project, an ill-fated, low income housing complex in the city. Pruitt-Igoe was completed in 1965 at a cost of \$33 million. Today, most of the project's black tenants have left, driven away by high rents, crime and crowded living conditions in the neighborhood.

Other highlights on the program will include: a visit to the predominantly black St. Louis jail, the scene of a recent disturbance, and a look at the St. Louis African Free School, where students are taught Swahili as well as traditional subjects.

The historical aspect of black St. Louis is profiled with a visit to the St. Louis Courthouse, once an auction house for black slaves and the site of the Dred Scott decision.

Lyne T. Barret drilled first Texas oil well near Nacogdoches in 1866; Texas became nation's No. 1 oil producing state in 1928.

#### Brooke May Toss . . .

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Republican said Brooks would make an especially good race for the nomination and would be "difficult to defeat if he gives it the attention it would need."

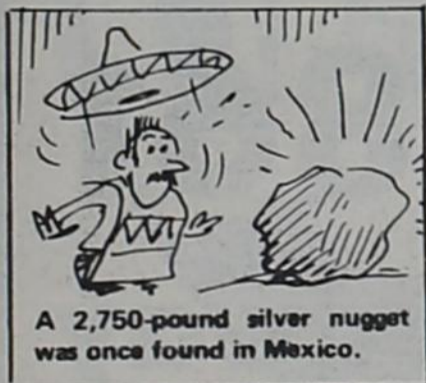
Brooke's landslide victory to the Senate seat came in the face of the overwhelming rejection of Massachusetts voters of President Nixon. Massachusetts and the predominately black District of Columbia were the only two areas not carried by the President.

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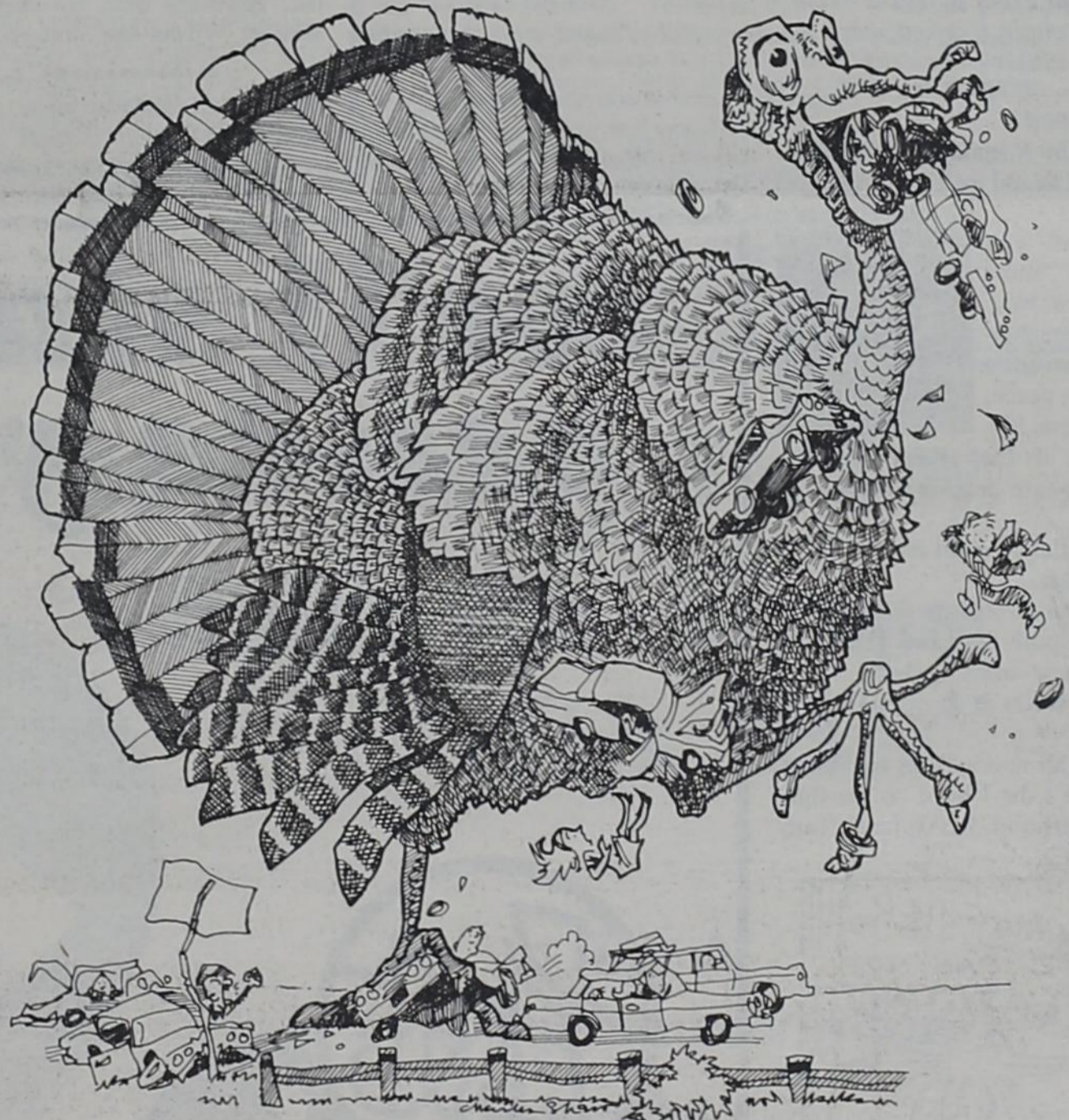


MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIST—Miss Ria J. Blount, a product of Jack Yates High School, Houston, recently received word that she passed the registry examination for registered medical technologist.

Miss Blount is a spring graduate of Texas Tech University, receiving her B.S. degree in Medical Technology. While at Tech, she spent most of her off-campus visits in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Harris, 3402 East 16th Street.

She interned at Harris County and Texas Childrens Hospitals in Houston, Texas. Miss Blount received the highest scholastic average award while attending Harris County Hospital School of Medical Technology.

She is now employed by Harris County Hospital District in Houston. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Farris Blount, Sr., of Houston, Texas.



## The Gobbler Is Back

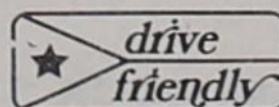
The Highway Gobbler is the driver who acts like he's the only one on the road. He always drives a little faster than the speed limit, passes to get a little further ahead or tailgates when he can't pass.

property damage on our highways. But he's recognizable for what he is during the Thanksgiving holiday season.

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**MARRIAGE VOWS EXCHANGED**—Miss Brenda Nell Harvey, daughter of Mrs. Nell Ruth Harvey, and Mr. Willard O'Neal Boyd, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Boyd, Sr., were united in holy matrimony in a double ring ceremony at the residence where they will reside, 3519 Teak Avenue.

Rev. S.R. Roberts, pastor of Mount Gilead Baptist Church, officiated the ceremony.

Mrs. Vicki Nesbitt served as maid of honor and Behoorz Alkhani, a friend of the groom, was best man. Dianna Marie Harris served as flower girl.

The bride wore a lovely blue dress with white shoulder length veil which carried out the color scheme of blue and white—even to the wedding cake which is shown in the picture.

The parents of Mr. Boyd and Mrs. R.V. Henry, who were present, are from Wichita Falls, Texas.

Willard is a 1969 graduate of Hirschi High School in Wichita Falls and is a senior physical education and math major at Texas Tech University.

Brenda is a 1969 graduate of Dunbar High School and is a junior journalism major at Texas Tech.

The couple received many lovely, useful gifts and are yet attending Texas Tech.



**Greater St. Luke Baptist Church**

Adult workers of the Sunday School and Baptist Training Union will soon be announcing plans for our Christmas season. Youth, let us be ready for a great program.

The Minority Improvement Group meets this week at our church. Members and well wishers are asked to continue to support this effort.

Members of the Eunice Circle will meet tonight in the home of Sister Emma Fountain, 2812 Weber Avenue, Apartment C, at 7:00.

Members of the Sarah and Queen of Sheba Circles met in the Homes of Sister Blanchie Swisher and Sister Alberta Horton this week.

Men's Chorus meets at the church each Wednesday night at 8:00.

Youth Choir and Junior Choir meets at the church each Monday evening at 7:30.

Prayer meeting is held each Wednesday night at 8:00. Prayer is the peace of our spirit, the stillness of our thoughts, the evenness of our recollection, the sea of our meditation, the rest of our cares, and the calm of our tempest.

Mission Two met this week in the home of Sister Hazel Taylor.

Let us pray for and visit our sick and shut-in members. Sisters Annie Hinton, Dolly Howard and Maggie Tatum remain on the sick list. Brothers Sam Swisher and Wilmar Wilson are shut-in.

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**Mt. Vernon United Methodist Church**

For a number of years, we have Continued on Page Fifteen

**Jehovah's Witnesses Set Bible Study**

Local and area residents associated with the three English speaking congregations of Jehovah's Witnesses in Lubbock are making plans to attend a two day Bible seminar the 18th, and 19th, of November in Clovis, N.M., at the Marshall J. High School auditorium. According to Bill Anderson, city spokesman for the group, some 1200 people are expected to attend from a 22 congregation circuit bordered by Tucumcari on the North, Lubbock on the East, Carlsbad on the South and Roswell on the West.

Anderson said "Jehovah's Witnesses now number in excess of 1,500,000 world wide and are active in 207 lands around the globe and these semi-annual circuit assemblies are a regular habit in the lives of each faithful Witness.

Anderson continued "In addition to meeting twice a year on the circuit level, we gather once a year on a much larger scale for four to eight day national and international conventions. In this way, much like the ancient nation of Israel, the modern day Witnesses of Jehovah have opportunity to bring their now more than 27,000 congregations together for united worship three times a year."

The program in Clovis is designed to stress the assembly theme, "Let Us Serve Jehovah Whole-souled", and will feature talks, group discussions and demonstrations aimed at showing how this can be done within the

congregation, in the field ministry and in every aspect of a Christian's life. A regular portion of each assembly is the ordination of new ministers who have brought their lives into harmony with God's will through a systematic study of his word, and wish to express their dedication to God through water baptism. The highlight of the program will come Sunday at 2:00 p.m., with the delivery of the highly advertised Bible lecture, "Is This Life All There Is?"

**YMCA Sets Church Basketball League**

The Y.M.C.A. Church Athletic Association is now accepting entries for Basketball League play. The age group covered is elementary school through senior high school boys, senior high school girls, and a young adult division for men up to thirty years of age. All churches are invited to enter a team/teams.

This program is administered by the Y.M.C.A. and the athletic commissioners.

The purpose of this program is to work for the betterment and enlargement of the Sunday Schools and "Y" groups by developing Christian character through athletic contests, at the lowest possible cost to participants.

For further information on the Basketball League contact Bobby Barnett, "Y" Physical Director, at the Y.M.C.A., 762-0588.

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**Church News . . .**

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 come to the Altar on the First Sunday in the month. We would come to partake of the Holy Communion. We would find everything around the Altar covered in white and looking pretty. Just now we would like to pay tribute to the lovely organization known as the Communion Stewardess. They are as follows: Mmes. Evelyn Thornton, Ora Lee Grice and Mattie M. Day. We say thanks for your interest.

We would be happy to have every member to mark their calendar December 17, 1972. On that date, we are to have our church and charge conference. The District Superintendent will be with us to preside. We would like very much for all who are to make reports to be ready with an intelligent report.

The Pastor-Parish Relations Committee will meet Sunday at the close of worship. The committee members are Mmes. Thelma Robinson, L.L. Sparks, C.G. Strong, B.M. Walton, and Ruth Roquemore.

**Mt. Gilead Baptist Church**  
 "The Mount Gilead Baptist Church, the friendly church where the soul and spirit meet. The church where everybody is somebody. The church extends to members and public a cordial and clarion call to worship with us each week."

The Senior Choir is sponsoring a banquet tonight, November 16th. The tickets are priced at \$3.00 for each adult and \$1.50 per child. Let us all support them by purchasing a ticket from them, and selling some to our friends also. It is all for the good of the church.

Let us continue to pray for our sick and shut-in members.

**Bethel A.M.E. Church**  
 Rev. Jack Robinson filled the pulpit for our church last Sunday morning as our pastor, Rev. A.W. Wilson, recently returned from Houston where he attended the funeral rites of his son.

Sunday, November 19, the Youth Department and Christian Youth Ministers will present a "Mock Annual Conference" here at the church at 3:00 p.m.

Thirty-four boys from the Lubbock State School, who are members of Mrs. McAllister's dormitory, will be worshipping with us on the fourth Sunday, November 26th. We are making plans to feed these youth at our church. Adults are needed to help pick them up. See Mrs. McAllister.

Visitors at our congregation last Sunday included the Blue Birds of Martin Elementary School with Mrs. Jewel Walker, their leader. Also on hand was Mr. Don Jones.

Marshall Davis, cousin of Mrs. Bessie Mason, passed away early Sunday morning. Funeral services were incomplete at this report with White's Funeral Home in Tahoka, Texas.

Mrs. Lillie Parks was released from the hospital last Wednesday and is recovering at home. Mr. A.L. Smith is home from the hospital.

**New Hope Baptist Church**  
 An Evening With Christ will be held Sunday, November 19, at 3:00 p.m. in our auditorium. This program is being sponsored by the Solace Board. All members and friends are encouraged to attend this splendid effort.

General Mission will be held Monday evening, November 27, at 7:00. All women are urged to attend this special effort.

Junior Ushers will rehearse Saturday, November 18th, at 4:00.

**Lyons Chapel Baptist Church**  
 We, the members of Lyons Chapel Baptist Church invite you to share in our services—which is the least of all things that are better shared.

Sunday services were good and attended well. Rev. Enex of Aspermont, Texas, brought the message which was entitled, "Be Still and Know that I am God." His text was Psalms 46.

Our congregation attended the anniversary of Rev. Joel Mann

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The Mt. Gilead Baptist Church kitchen will be open each Saturday this month. Come by or call us for your hot meal. Telephone 744-5363 and we will deliver it to your door.

**LEGAL NOTICES**

**BID NOTICE**  
 The Lubbock Independent School District will receive bids for Jr. High School Tennis Courts, until 2:00 PM (CST) November 29, 1972, in the office of the Director of Purchasing, 1628 19th Street, Lubbock, Texas. Bids will then be opened and read aloud. Bid forms may be obtained upon request in the above office.  
 Rupert Pearce  
 Director of Purchasing  
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last Sunday afternoon. We enjoyed the services.

Mrs. Bettye Miller is at home now and doing quite well.

**Friendship Baptist Church**  
 Brownfield-Supt. Ethel Williams was at her post of duty Sunday morning. The Sunday School was well taught by our teacher, Brother Terry. The lesson was reviewed by our pastor, Rev. S.N. North.

The pastor brought a wonderful morning message, subject, "Prayer Will Change Things." The text, "And at midnight, Paul and Filas prayed and sang praises unto God." was taken from Acts 16:25.

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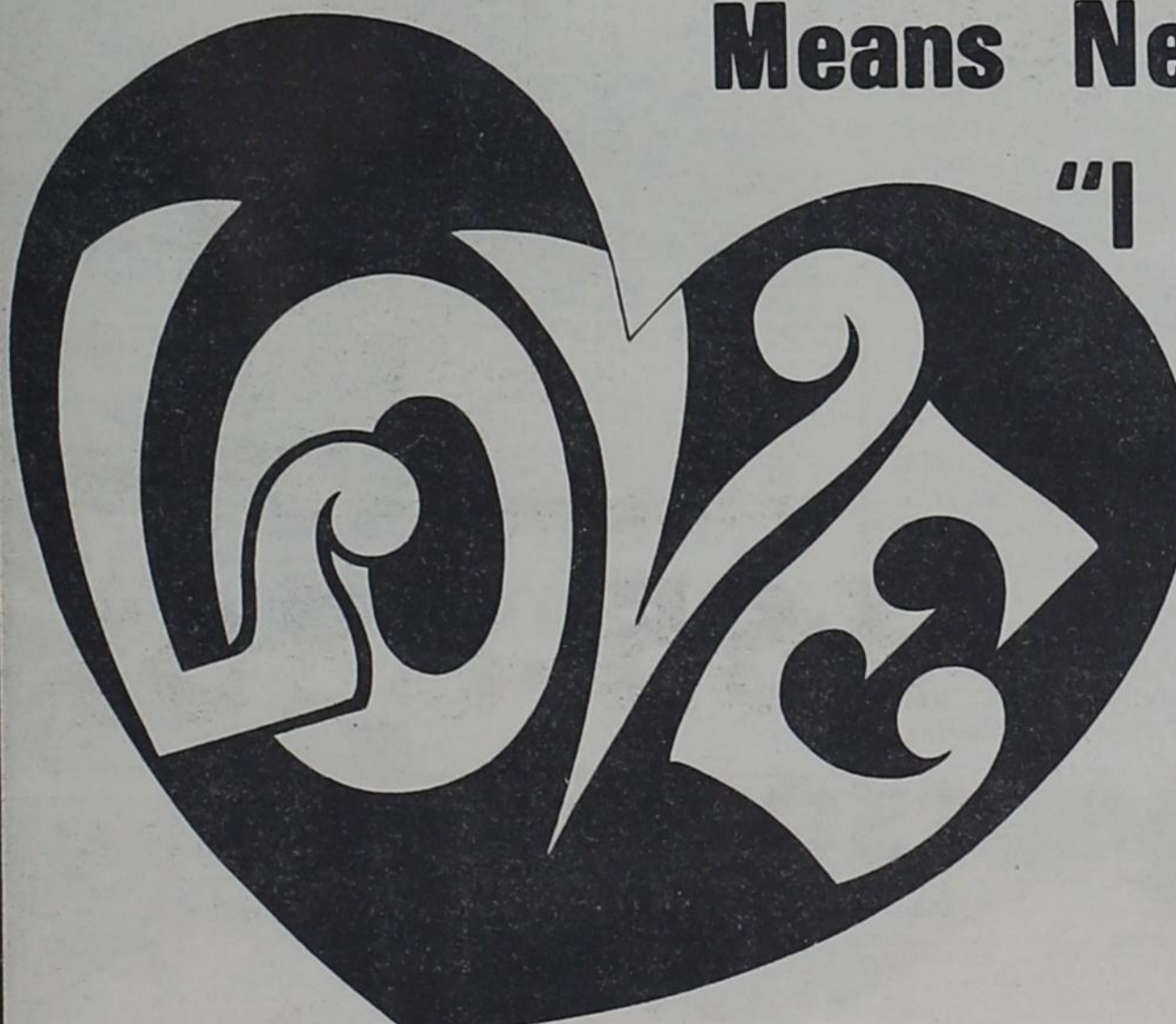
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Federal civil rights laws make it a crime for law enforcement officers to inflict punishment on citizens before they have had their day in court.

Ten of those indicted are members of the Galveston, Texas, police force. Six were charged with beating a black man after he had been arrested and handcuffed, while a seventh officer was charged with blackjacking him at the police station.

Three other Galveston policemen were charged with beating a white man on a deserted stretch of beach.

Two policemen in Franklin, North Carolina, and a Macon County deputy sheriff were charged with assaulting a man they were arresting for driving while intoxicated.

Two Wayne County, Michigan, deputy sheriffs were charged with assaulting a federal prisoner in the county jail at Detroit after he objected to being placed in a cell with black prisoners. The prisoner and one deputy are white, and the other deputy is black.

The Justice Department was also involved in a variety of other civil rights activities last month.

#### Equal employment

The Justice Department ob-

#### Nixon Doubles . . .

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13-87; in Richmond it was 9-91 (where Nixon had only 1.2 per cent four years ago) and surprisingly in heavily Democratic Brooklyn, he polled 18 per cent of the black vote in one precinct in the black community.

President Nixon had probably his lowest margin in the District of Columbia which is 71 per cent black populated. The President had less than 9 per cent of the vote here.

White House Aide Stanley Scott said he thought the increased black support of the President was "indicative of the kind of job the man's done over the last four years."

"He's increased assistance to minority businesses, he's seen that more money has gone to help blacks and has simply come up with deeds and actions rather than words."

Scott said he thought the vote for the President was "rather healthy," and that blacks had shown a great deal of "political sophistication in voting for the people who they felt would do the best job for them regardless of party label."

He believes that both the Republican and Democratic parties must now become responsive to the black population needs. Scott also said he thought the vote for Nixon would bring some "changes in the approach of the Administration toward blacks. The President has seen the support of the black community and he will certainly respond positively to that support," he continued.

tained a consent decree in its first employment discrimination suit against a public employer, the City of Montgomery, Alabama.

The suit, filed in August, charged that Montgomery maintained a segregated employment structure, with whites assigned to classified positions and blacks assigned to unclassified common laborer work.

Following negotiations with Justice Department attorneys, the city signed a consent decree requiring that all hiring and personnel practices be conducted on a racially non-discriminatory basis.

Key provisions required that the city start a minority recruitment program, to upgrade all blacks performing work similar to that performed by whites receiving higher wages, and to abolish hiring and promotion tests that do not relate to job performance.

The Justice Department also obtained a court decision that an Electricians local in Las Vegas, Nevada, had discriminated against blacks, and a consent decree requiring a trucking firm in North Carolina to make \$110,000 in compensatory payments to 125 blacks, most of whom were rejected job applicants.

#### Fair Housing

Three significant court rulings were made during October in fair housing cases brought by the Justice Department.

The Supreme Court left standing a lower court ruling that newspapers are subject to the 1968 Fair Housing Act ban on publication of racially discriminatory real estate advertisements.

The U.S. Court of Appeals in New Orleans upheld a lower court finding that the owners of an apartment complex in Mobile, Alabama, had discriminated in the rental of apartments since there had never been a black tenant.

In addition, the U.S. District Court in Baltimore entered a consent decree requiring a Baltimore real estate firm to cease all racially discriminatory practices, including the steering of black and white clients to neighborhoods in which their races are predominant.

#### Public Accommodations

The Justice Department continued its legal efforts last month to eliminate racial segregation in places of public accommodation.

Three suits and consent decrees were filed to require a bar in Tampa, Florida, a tavern in New Bern, North Carolina, and a restaurant in Norfolk, Virginia, to serve customers of all races.

In addition, a court order was obtained against a theater in Cairo, Georgia, prohibiting segregated facilities, and voluntary compliance agreements were secured with a drug store in Menlo, Georgia, and a restaurant in Columbus, Mississippi.

#### School Desegregation

The Justice Department took legal steps during October to resolve transitional desegregational problems in southern school districts.

In response to a Government show cause order, a Federal court

in Alabama ordered the Wilcox County School District to correct such discriminatory practices as the unequal provision of textbooks to black and white students and the improper dismissal and demotion of black faculty members.

In another Alabama case, the Justice Department requested a Federal court to order the Baldwin County School District to adopt non-racial personnel standards and to re-examine the demotions of black principals, coaches and band directors.

#### Residents Unhappy . . .

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Lubbock. Dr. Johnson made it clear, "As long as we sit back and don't protest, they'll forever hurt us." It means that we must go to City Hall in force..in other words, fill the City Chambers."

"If the City Council are to represent all sections of the town, then why haven't we been brought up to date on this matter. They don't care. You see, we don't have representation down there," said Dr. Johnson.

#### Let's Unite"

"Let's organize a **United Front**," said Dr. Johnson. "The youngsters have gotten results, we can do the same thing. We'll let them know where we stand and that we are not happy," he continued.

"We not only need signatures on the petitions, but we need to see your smiling faces or frowning faces in the City Chambers at the next City Council meeting," he concluded.

Harold Chatman, who represented the Lubbock Chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), told the body that the NAACP was concerned about the incident and wanted to coordinate their efforts to help in the concern of citizens of Lubbock.

Plans were still in the making, at the end of the meeting, as to the role that the local chapter (NAACP) would make. All present were quite happy over the cooperation of the local NAACP chapter.

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•Mrs. Caviel, treasurer, encouraged all members to continue to pay their assessment of fifty cents (50c) a month. This money will be used to operate the local chapter.

•Local chapter recognized the fact that Dr. F.L. Lovings became a lifetime member of the NAACP at the recent state meeting in Port Arthur, Texas.

•President Lovings made it known that Lubbock has been chosen as the site of the 1973 State NAACP Convention. Plans will be made in the future as to the role of the local chapter in this great effort.

"Wildcat" wells were drilled in 198 of Texas' 24 counties during 1971.

#### Diggs Will Become . . .

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legislation.)

The Dean of the Michigan delegation to Congress, Diggs also plans to continue to head the increasingly influential House subcommittee on African affairs.

From that position he has been very instrumental in focusing national attention on African affairs and U.S. foreign policy towards Africa. He is responsible for several pieces of legislation designed to change U.S. policies and practices that support racism and colonialism in southern Africa.

Last March, Diggs introduced legislation aimed at denying government contracts to U.S. corporations operating in South Africa unless they provide equal treatment for their African employees.

After an on-site investigation of the hiring and pay policies of U.S. firms in South Africa, Diggs denounced and called for an end of the racist practices of United States firms with respect to facilities for their (African) employees."

"It is my position that U.S. employers tend to adopt the exploitative practices of society far beyond the legal requirements," said Diggs at the time.

Widely admired and respected in African diplomatic circles for his consistent support of African independence, the Congressman resigned his U.N. General Assembly delegate seat last December in protest against U.S. policy towards Africa.

In doing so, he scored the failure of the U.S. Ambassador of the United Nations, George Bush,

to consult him before votes were taken on issues pertaining to Africa.

Diggs was also one of several black Congressmen who served on the steering committee for last May's African Liberation Day demonstrations. This concern for African affairs has not diminished his activity and interest in the political life of his constituents and other blacks in this country.

The 49-year-old Congressman was the first chairman of the Congressional Black Caucus, and continued to be active with that body.

He was also one of three co-convenors of the National Black Political convention held in Gary, Indiana last March, and has since been elected president of the National Black Political Assembly which grew out of that convention.

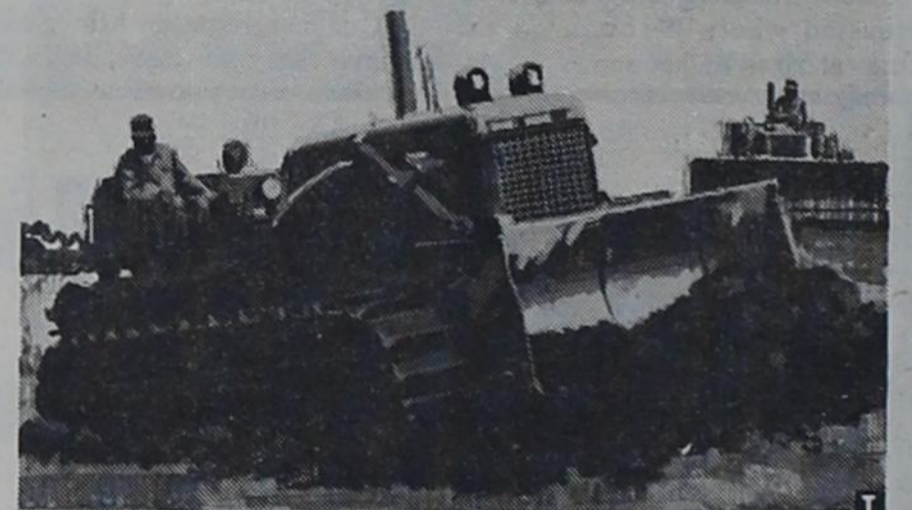
His election to that office of the Assembly has been seen as an attempt to unify blacks of all political ideologies around the concept of "unite without uniformity," and underscores his respected role as a vital link between black elected officials and nationalist and Pan Africanist leaders.

When a reporter suggested that with the increased responsibilities coming as a result of his new committee chairmanship, Diggs may not be able to keep on top of all the work of those various groups, a staff assistant replied:

"The Congressman has more stamina and energy than any six of us (his staff) put together."

He will certainly need that energy and stamina more than ever now when he assumes his new duties in the House.

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