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Slayer Gets 999 Years

Houston-(NBNS)-A man who had his murder conviction and 60-year sentence overturned by an appeals court last May has been convicted again and given 999 years in prison.

Although the prosecutor asked for a sentence of "only 100 to 200 years, the jury wanted to convey a message." Jerry Leonard Fairris, 38, was found guilty of shooting a Houston Motel operator, Willie Nash Bell in May of 1969.

The jury deliberated only 20 minutes before determining the sentence.

Food Costs \$208 More Than Last Year

Washington-(NBNS)-In case nobody had to tell you, the cost of food for the average family of four went up \$208 over the cost last year.

The Agriculture Department revealed that the annual rate cost of a typical family food basket rose to a record \$1,529 in July. On a weekly basis, it means the basket cost in July came to \$29.21 a week, up 23 cents from June and \$4 from July, 1972.

Prices are expected to soar even more when the retail freeze on beef is lifted this month.

Heart Transplant Celebrates Anniversary

Indianapolis—(NBNS)—The world's longest living survivor of heart transplant, Louis B. Russell Jr. had a big fifth birthday party last Sunday.

The 48-year-old Indianapolis teacher said that the day he received his new heart at the

Atlanta NAACP Officers Ousted

New York-(NBNS)-The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People said last week that it has removed from office Lonnie King Jr., president of the Atlanta chapter, and other officers of that branch because of their refusal to rescind their support of a controversial school desegregation plan which opted for more administrative positions for blacks in the school system rather than maximum busing of school children.

The action was taken at a meeting of national officers of the civil rights organization in Atlanta last Wednesday and letters were sent to local officials informing them of the decision.

Roy Wilkins, executive director of the NAACP, said that Gloster Current, director of branches for the organization, was named administrator of the Atlanta office.

King had been provisionally removed and Current named at the group's convention in Indianapolis, Ind. last July 2. The Atlanta meeting was to confirm the decision to remove the local officials, and to bar King from holding office for two years.

The Atlanta officials were directed to turn over all bank accounts, correspondence, and other property to Current. In the letter notifying them of the decision, Wilkins said he regretted the necessity for the action and expressed appreciation for past services.



THE UNITED NEGRO COLLEGE FUND (UNCF) recently held in Houston a threeday celebrity golf tournament. Gulf Oil sponsored a banquet to help raise funds for the 44 black colleges and universities that comprise the UNCF. This was the first fund raising effort of this type to take place for UNCF.

Along with the college presidents, celebrities such as Sammy Davis, Jr., and James Drury of The Virginian were on hand for the golf tournament. Mr. Ralph L. Lewis, Vice President for Gulf Oil-U.S., who was the keynote speaker for the banquet, stressed the importance of such fund raising efforts because "a mind is a terrible thing to waste."

Pictured from left to right are: Joe Black, Vice President of Special Markets for the Greyhound Corporation, Dr. Broadus Butler, President of Dillard University, Ralph L. Lewis, Jr., Vice President of Public Relations for Gulf Oil-U.S., Dr. Herman Long, President of the United Negro College Fund and of Talledega College, and Larry Gardner, Staff Writer and Community Relations Representative for Gulf Oil-U.S.



Denver Cleanup Is Success

Howard Prexy Calls for Reopening of Jackson

Denver-(NBNS)-In Denver, its either participate in cleaning up the black community or suffer the sometimes harsh consequences-depending on the individual and his ability to endure public embarrassment. Cosmo Harris, who originated the massive cleanup project that has generated widespread support from within the black community, describes the consequences as "tactics that engage the element of surprise."

The 33-year-old editor of the local black newspaper uses his paper and a local radio station to blast any resident who might live on or near property infested with unsanitary conditions. Harris said that response from community residents to the unusual campaign and its tactics has been good. "After I blast them, they generally go out and clean things up," but not before phone calls and words "I'd rather not discuss." Harris said he got the idea for the project last year when one of his paperboys was attacked by a dog while delivering newspapers. "He hollered for me to help and I had one of the worst times of my life trying to get to him because of the trash and garbage that was stacked near the fence," Harris said. "I said to myself right then, something has to be done about the situation." Harris immediately aroused the community with a front page editorial entitled, "Even pigs can't be merry in this garbage," and "Filth Castles." Not claiming complete success, Harris says, "I couldn't say it was really successful until every home, business and even church is rid of any trash that might be in its vicinity." However, Harris said, despite the interest and concern of the communities, local officials have offered little cooperation. "I think that the Sanitation Department and the courts could give us some assistance," he said. He added that the real estate industry should take an active role in the clean-up project.

Medical College of Virginia in Richmond started "the best years of my life."

Mayor Charged With Assault

Seat Pleasant, Md.-(NBNS)-Mayor Henry T. Arrington has been charged with assault in the continuing battle between him and the city council in this predominately black town in suburban Washington, D.C.

Black Named School Deputy In Richmond

Richmond-(NBNS)-Dr. Richard C. Hunter has been named the second ranking administrator in the Richmond school system, effective later this month.

The 34-year-old educator becomes associate superintendent for educational services. He formerly served as deputy superintendent of public schools in Seattle, Washington.

Blacks Rapidly Losing Faith In Government

Ann Arbor, Mich.-(NBNS)-Keep the faith should be the slogan that the government try to instill in Black Americans. For, according to a recent survey released last week by the University of Michigan, blacks have lost their trust in the government about four times faster than whites since 1968.

"The evidence on race is clear", the study notes. "While both black and white attitudes have become increasingly cynical, blacks have especially estranged (themselves) from the Federal Government, national leaders, the election system and the political parties."

It also reveals that black faith in government reached an all-time high in 1964 with the election of the late Lyndon B. Johnson to his first full term as president, which also was noted as the peak of the civil rights movement.

However, four years later, the study noted, black confidence in government reached a record low with the election and later the re-election of President Nixon.

State Shooting Probe

Washington-(NBNS)-The president of Howard University last week called for the reopening of the Jackson State shootings, which occurred 11 days after the May 4, 1970 incident at Kent State University in Ohio. The latter case was reopened last week.

In a three-sentence telegram to Attorney General Elliot Richardson, Dr. James E. Cheek said the reasons for reopening the probe of the shooting incident at the Mississippi school were "equally, if not more, compelling" than those which caused the Kent State inquirey to be reopened.

At the predominantly white Ohio school, Cheek said the students "severely provoked" National Guardsmen who fired into the crowd killing four students and leaving nine wounded. However, at the predominantly black Mississippi school, the Howard University president noted, the question of provocation was "ambivalent and ambiguous" and argued that the police "arrived" on the Jackson State campus "in a position to shoot black students."

Cheek, who served on President Nixon's now-defunct Commission on Campus Unrest, told Richardson he would outline his reasons for reopening the Jackson State investigation in a hand-delivered letter this week.

Bias Cases for Schools Seen in Northern U.S.

Most segregated school systems have been eliminated in the south, but there probably will be more court-ordered desegregation in the north, said U.S. Attorney General Elliot L. Richardson.

Richardson said his comments were based on a recent Supreme Court decision that ordered the city of Denver to achieve racial balance in its school system.

"The big problems in the future are those in Northern cities, Richardson said, "the law there is still evolving."

In comments in U.S. News and World Report, Richardson said that while problem areas still exist in the South, it was unlikely that Southern school systems would attempt to resegregate.

Football Season Opens This Week

This Friday, September 7th opens the 1973 football season, with Dunbar playing at Snyder at 7:30 p.m. and Estacado playing at Plainview at 7:30 p.m.

Let's get behind our football teams this year. Attend all the games you can.

Asked if he thought there would be more Northern court battles over busing and forced desegregation, Richardson said:

"Yes, although that trend will run into a counter-trend over the increasing proportion of black population in the central cities and the related concern that ill-conceived approaches to desegregation actually exacerbate white flight."

Justice Department Files Consent Decree Against Houston Owners of Condominimum Last Week

The Department of Justice filed a consent decree last week forbidding the white owners of a condominum apartment in Houston, Texas, from discriminating against black prospective buyers.

Attorney General Elliot L. Richardson said the decree was filed in U.S. District Court in Houston, resolving the first housing discrimination suit involving a condominium.

The suit, filed by the Justice Department on May 23, 1973, charged that the 34 white owners of apartments in Westcott Terrace refused to approve the sale of an apartment to a black doctor and purchased it themselves.

The consent decree, which was signed by 31 owners after three other owners were found to have not been involved, permanently enjoins them from racially discriminatory actions.

In addition, they are prohibited from refusing to permit the sale of an apartment to any person whose offer to purchase has been accepted by the owner. Page 2

EDITORIALS Minimum Wage

In the now-recessed Congress there were differences of opinion as to what the new minimum wage should be. President Nixon differed with the Hill majority on the question.

Before recess Congress passed a bill which established a new minimum wage of \$2.00 (from \$1.80) two months after the bill becomes law. The minimum would rise to \$2.20 in July of next year.

The President was expected by some to veto the measure (might have acted by the time you read this editorial) though he favored an increase. The bill passed provides for a better than twenty percent percentage increase (40 cents added to \$1.80) but more important, it adds another 7,000,000 workers to the law's coverage, including domestic servants and state and local government employees.

The percentage increase is certainly not unreasonable in view of inflation and rising living costs in recent months and years-and the fact that the minimum wage has been \$1.80 for many years.

And additional employees should be included under the law. In some cases it's possible inclusion would produce unemployment, however, and on this point Congress and the President were in disagreement.

The need of the time is for a new law, and the overriding obligation of both the President and members of Congress is to see that one is on the books before the end of the year.

DEAR EDITOR

Dear Editor,

Public and congressional apathy put Richard Nixon in office and apathy and shock may just keep him there. Millions of American ignored the warning signals last November giving Mr. Nixon, ironically, a mandate to uphold the law. Congress, with mixed loyalites, allowed its real power to be deliberately and methodically sapped.

Impeachment is messy, but necessary. The Nixon Administration, during its finest hours, deceived, lied, impounded, wiretapped, burgled and ITT'd with time left to make noises about impeaching Justice Douglas. Individually, the illegalities cry for impeachment, collectively, they are deafening.

Seemingly, Mr. Nixon has only to explain a few inconsistencies remaining from a series of damnable, palpable lies. What a farce. This nation needs a thorough self examination. It therefore must understand its president. This requires his tapes and his participation in a

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OIL DIPLOMACY by Jack Anderson

(Copywright, 1973, by United Feature Syndicate, Inc.) Washington-The most critical problem awaiting Henry Kissinger when he moves over to the State Department is oil diplomacy. Middle East experts are prepared to warn that the United States can no longer continue its all-out support for Israel and expect the Arab nations to keep up the flow of oil across the Atlantic.

Already, the Arab nations are being stirred up to use oil as a political weapon and to retaliate against the United States by cutting down oil shipments. The campaign, according to our intelligence reports, is gaining favor throughout the Arab world.

The State Department experts will point out that the United States is dependent upon Arab oil for the next few years. They will urge Kissinger, therefore, to change U.S. Middle East policy and adopt a more pro-Arab attitude. The United States could bolster its position with the Arabs. they will suggest, by using its influence with Israel to settle the Middle East crisis on terms the Arabs can accept.

If the United States doesn't change its middle East policy, the experts will warn, the Arab nations almost certainly will start shutting off oil. This would leave the United States critically short and would force Washington to take desperate action.

The only alternative to diplomatic action, they will suggest, would be military action. Either the United States must become more pro-Arab, they will say, or must take over the Arab oil fields by military force.

Wanted-A Winner:Democratic leaders are frustrated over their inability to find a presidential prospect who can capitalize on the Watergate issue. President Nixon's popularity has plunged to 30 per cent, an all-time low. Yet in all the polls, two Republican senators, Charles Percy and Howard Baker, are running ahead of anyone the Democrats can put up.

Democratic national chairman Robert Strauss has been working behind the scenes to restore party unity. He is trying to revive the political coalition that the late Franklin Roosevelt put together of liberals, blue-collar workers and Southern populists.

But it took a charismatic personality like Roosevelt's to rally voters from a wide ideological spectrum behind the Democratic banner. Some party leaders believe their front runner, Sen. Ted Kennedy, has the magic spark, but the

been friendly. As I forgot to invite you, I am sending you one of the shirts.

You are now an honorary member of the friendliest student body in Lubbock. Maybe having the shirt in your office, and knowing that most young people in Lubbock are working hard to overcome the very problems that you so often must report, will make it a little easier for you to smile at the end of the day.

polls show young people and women, who are enthusiastic followers of the senator's two martyred brothers, prefer Charles Percy over Ted Kennedy.

Hawaii's Sen. Dan Inouye is causing some excitement among Democratic voters. But perhaps because of his Japanese ancestry, he is mentioned only as a vice presidential prospect. What the Democrats are looking for is another Franklin D. Roosevelt or John F. Kennedy. But there is no one like that in sight.

Fair Games: The nation's No. 1 sports fan, Richard Nixon, would like to give Russia more competition in athletics. He is chagrined over the way Russia throws its top athletes against America's amateurs and then makes political capital out of the results.

For example, Russia trains and subsidizes its Olympic athletes but still calls them amateurs. President Nixon feels that, rightfully, they should compete against America's professionals. Instead, Russia's best athletes meet only the amateurs who are really America's second string athletes.

For 10 days during August, Moscow was host to the World University Games. The United States sent some of its best college athletes. But they found themselves up against Russia's Olympic stars. As a result, Russia won over half of the gold medals. The United States managed to win gold medals only in swimming and basketball.

The President has told friends he would like to see some competition between the best athletes from both nations. This would be the only fair way, he said, to determine which country is really best at world sports.

For the Kremlin, athletics is an extension of politics and victories are used to proclaim Soviet superiority. The President would like to find a way to make the contests more fair.

Headlines and Footnotes: Every President since Franklin D. Roosevelt has tried to trim the federal bureaucracy. How is Richard Nixon making out? One incident tells the story. At budget time this year, the President announced he was phasing out federal grants and loans for building and modernizing hospitals. Nevertheless, the men and women who administer the program have just spent two days planning how to build and modernize more hospitals.

 The Securities and Exchange Commission appears to be cracking down-of all things-on evangelist preachers. The regulators have filed complaints against at least six evangelists in the past few months. Most of the cases involve church groups which sold securities or floated bonds in violation of federal law. One evangelist, however, has not been investigated. He is Billy Graham, preacher to millions and spiritual adviser to the President. Reason: The SEC's new general counsel, appointed by the White House, is Billy Graham's former attorney.

• Murray Chotiner has long been one of the nation's wiliest politicians. A few days ago, his secretary was summoned to a meeting with the staff of the Senate Watergate Committee. They wanted to ask her for intimate details about her boss. But when the secretary arrived, Chotiner was with her and refused to leave. His secretary was also his client, he said, and she was entitled to be represented by her lawyer. The Watergate lawyers said they did not want to question her with Chotiner present. So the battle-scarred Murray Chotiner left-with his secretary.

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complete cross examination.

If the House of Representatives bases its impeachment decision on the results of national polls of tired citizens, rather than its duty to uphold the law, the presidency will be beyond impeachment in the future because an uninforced law ceases to exist. Our judicial system is in danger. Mr. Nixon must be challenged in court. Let's not look back for a second time at what we should have done. We face impeachment or anarchy.

Dr. & Mrs. D.W. Thayer 3302 47th Street Lubbock, Texas

T.J.,

Each time I read the paper I become more concerned about the way people treat each other. Your last edition, with the editorial about the treatment at the market, the problems of theft in the Crenshaw, Evans, Pitts and Ludd homes and the abuse suffered by Mr. and Mrs. Terry, is an outstanding example of reporting poor treatment that should cause all of us to be concerned.

I wish that I had invited you to our opening of school. You would have been very happy to see the attitude of the students and their considerate treatment of each other. We are very lucky that they do not reflect all of the problems cast on them by the adult world.

They have participated enthusiastically in a "Friendliness is an O.L. Slaton Redskin" campaign. Students have received shirts simply because they have

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As I See It

by T.J. Patterson

As I See It there are many negative elements which exist in Lubbock and the South Plains. There are problems which need to be addressed by the citizens of the black community. I received a letter from Jack M. Shackles, principal of O.L. Slaton Junior High School the other day. He expressed his concern that "poor treatment should cause all of us to be concerned." Thanks Jack for making me an honorary member of the "Friendliest student boy in Lubbock."

Last week, as the week before, an effort has been made by Eddie P. Richardson and I to see that as many black brothers and sisters as possible received the West Texas Times each week. Last week, the citizens of Abernathy, Hale Center, and Plainview, 16 citizens, voted their approval to support the West Texas Times by subscribing to the 12 year old newspaper.

Along the way, while talking to many people, we found that there are black people in West Texas who haven't lost their value system. It is so hard to keep the faith and not cop out in the wrong direction.

In Hale Center, as well as all the other places visited last Saturday, the people were most cordial to our effort. There was a family who is singing throughout West Texas from week to week. They call themselves the "Smith Family". They sing beautiful spiritual music and should be recording for some company. I hope they record so others can hear what was given them.

The leader of the group is Mrs. Mamye Ann Smith who is the mother of the other five singers. This Hale Center mother is not only working hard for these young people, but is a nursing student at High Plains Hospital. I paid close attention to her philosophy that as a parent you "can't make an adult out of children.'

A very dedicated mother, she has instilled something within the minds of these young people (who range in age from 8 to 15) that they can make it in this world if you do things because you want to do them and not put a price on everything you do.

There are so many resources in West Texas as we've said from time to time in this column. If you haven't heard of the Smith Family, then why not write them at 509 East 2nd Street, Hale Center, Texas. You'll be glad you did.

You know traveling from community to community, one is surprised by the many talents which is found in the black community. For one, we didn't know that there was a black dairy farmer in West Texas. There is one and he is Norris Smith who is the owner of Smith Dairies who supplies Bell Milk Company of Lubbock with some of their milk supplies.

In talking with this industrious brother, it was quite evident that he is a man of direction in the milk industry. He has over thirty years in the milk industry and owns acres of land where he raised cattle and hogs.

A dairy farmer who resides in Abernathy, Texas and a new subscriber to this newspaper, he is also one of the many black brothers and sisters whom we found doing things in West Texas. As Mr. Smith told me, "As black people, we've got to own something in this world, why not start with land and cattle."

I'm sure the Bell Milk Company is proud of the efforts Smith Dairies is making in West Texas. It would be of interest to our readers if Bell Milk would include a special advertisement to the West Texas Times of the accomplishments of Norris Smith. He is quite a man and black people of West Texas and the nation should know about him.

As I See It, the Mayor (Morris Turner) was out of the city on business doing the last city council meeting in August. He made it clear last month to representatives to a meeting at New Hope Baptist Church, that something would be done about the enlargement of the City Council. But it didn't happen.

Some people in East Lubbock are quite disappointed with the outcome of this effort on the part of the mayor of Lubbock. Many of them have suggested that his signals be together with the council when he is to be out of the city so that this matter can continue for the citizens of Lubbock.

Since the mayor was out of the city, it appears as though the council elected to send the manpower programs back to South Plains Association of Governments (SPAG). This appears to put Lubbock Opportunities Industrialization Center (LOIC) in a new twist.

Next time Mayor, get your signals together with the council. Maybe they won't move things in the wrong direction.

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House Burglary

Diane Thomas, 2715 East 7th Street, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that she got up documents. from her bed one night last week to check on her children and apparently frightened a person out of the back door of her house. The Street, reported to the Lubbock unknown person came through the back door for entrance.

The burglar took the screen off a window which was unlocked. There was nothing taken from the house, but approximately \$5.00 worth of damage was done to the window. **********

Assault With Intent

Barbara Scott, 2921 East Bates Avenue, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that a 36 year old man did shoot her with a pistol while both were arguing over a difficulty.

She was taken to Methodist Hospital where she was treated for the gunshot wound.

She told police that she would file charges this week against the man whom she has known for over three years.

Vandalism

John Fair, 2007 Date Avenue, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that someone knocked a radio antenna off his car while it was parked at the Pleasure Gardens, 1805 Oak Avenue.

It was reported, according to the Police report, that two men were observed by Mr. Fair taking a radio antenna off his 1973 model

he was unable to find the wallet which contained eight \$10 bills and a credit card and other important

Burglary

R.A. Pillow, 1822 East 24th Police Department that someone unknown broke into his dentist office at 402 Ute Avenue one night last week.

Entry was apparently gained through a rear door, by knocking a hole in the door.

There was approximately \$25 worth of damage done to the door. *******

Destruction of Private Property

Maurice H. Bryant, 1519 Avenue E, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that a man did break down his door and remove a fan. He told police that the fan, after checking, did belong to the man, but he "wasn't aware that it belonged to him."

There were \$2.87 worth of damage done to the house, but he said he would still file charges against the man this week.



Berry, Jr. are proud parents of a son, Dorian Lamar, born Monday, August 27, at St. Mary's Hospital. He weighed 6 pounds and 1 ounce. The mother and son are home and doing fine. Berry has another five year old son. Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Berry, Sr. arrived last Saturday via flight and will visit here two weeks. The Berrys reside at 2927 **********

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National Baptist Convention. She was a guest of Mrs. G.H. Davis. She is also a milliner and brings her wares to Lubbock quite often. Some of the others attending the convention will be Mrs. Sarah Riddles, Rev. S.R. Roberts and Rev. A.L. Dunn. ******

Mr. & Mrs. E.C. Struggs spent the afternoon at Hobbs, New Mexico last Sunday visiting her sister and family, Mrs. Robert Tieuel.

Mrs. Andrae Thompson and children visited their father and husband, James Thompson, at the V.A. Hospital at Big Spring, Texas. He is yet in an intensive unit and is not doing so well.

Rev. T.B. Reece remains the same, in poor condition. Mrs. Katie Snell is back in the hospital. Mrs. A.L. Dunn has undergone surgery at Methodist Hospital last week and it is possible she will have another week there.

The Pollard sisters are recuperating slowly.

Mrs. Mary Williams passed through the Hub City enroute to California to attend final rites of her brother-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Scott and family and Mrs. Scott's mother, Mrs. Alamba Walker, spent the Labor Day holidays in San Antonio, Texas visiting family and friends.

To prevent streaks on your wall, place thumbtacks along the lower underside of a picture frame.





WEEDS ON OVERPASS-The weeds on the East 24th Street Overpass are growing again and its time for the City of Lubbock to do something about them. The photo above shows that weeds can grow through the concrete of which the overpass is constructed.

Final Rites Read For Ernest Cook

Final rites were held Monday morning for Ernest Cook, 72, at Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church with Rev. A.L. Davis, pastor, officiating.

Burial was held in Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park under the direction of Jamison & Son Funeral Home.

Mr. Cook died last week in Ray's Hospitality Home.

He is survived by two daughters, Jewell Cook of Albuquerque, N.M. and Myrtle Jane Cook of Lubbock; and four sons, James Edward of Fort Lewis, Washington, Milton of Lubbock, Carl Eugene of Lubbock and Leroy of Post.

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After an investigation, police observed that the antenna had

been taken off Mr. Fair's car. *********

Lost Billfold

Dewey Brown, 2422 East 9th East Baylor Avenue. Street, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that he was at a local barbecue cafe when his billfold fell from his pocket. He said

Mrs. Bernice Jackson left Saturday morning via bus for Los Angeles, California to attend the

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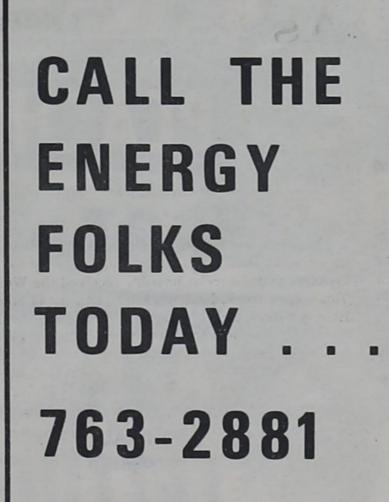
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FAMILY SINGING IS BEAUTIFUL-The Smith Family of Hale Center, Texas appeared last Sunday afternoon on program at Jerusalem Temple Church of God in Christ. This family, which consists of Cynthia Ann, Aquanetta, Miriam Denette, Elaine Yvette, Anthony Gerald and their mother, Mrs. Mamye Ann Smith, have been singing together for six years. "God gave us our talent", says Mrs. Smith. They are members of the Lone Star Baptist Church.

Final Rites Read for Longtime Resident

Final rites were read Wednesday afternoon, September 5, at 2:30 p.m. at Be-

thel A. M. E. ChurchforMrs. Bessie Mae Jamerson, 82, with Rev. A.W. Wilson, pastor, officiating. Burial was

held in Peace-

ful Gardens Memorial Park under direction of South Plains Funeral Home.

A hard worker at Bethel A.M.E. Church where she labored many vars in the Sunday School Department and Missionary Society, she died last Thursday in a Denver, Colorado, hospital. She had lived in Lubbock for 31 years and had moved to Denver in March.

She is survived by a daughter,

Mrs. Willie Mae Chandler of Denver; six brothers, William and D.L. Lewis, both of Los Angeles, California, Washington and Monrow Lewis, both of Houston, Oliver Lewis of Dallas and Willie Edward Lewis of San Angelo; three sisters, Mrs. R.L. Lewis of Houston and Mrs. Alberto Smith of Dallas, and Mrs. Ardella Harris of Bryan; three grandchildren; and two greatgrandchildren.

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Mount Vernon United Methodist Church

The church "Where Things Are Happening" say you are welcome to our Sunday School. We have open discussion, in depth study of God's holy word. If you are away

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If you don't write now.

Write to your Congressmen and Senators. Write to let them know that you are against the uncontrolled government spending that causes the runaway inflation, tax increases and things like the mini-hamburger you've been getting lately.

Write because Representatives and Senators alike acknowledge that their mail is always full of letters demanding more Federal spending for pet programs. They seldom hear from the people who have to pay the bill. That's you. The taxpayer.

Write to the Congressman or Senator who has the courage to vote against excessive and unnecessary government spending. Let him know that you support him. We know that it's difficult to find time to write a letter. But isn't it worth it with these issues at stake? Write it now.

A simple statement of your support of control of Federal spending is enough. Just make your support heard and felt. Make sure that the men who represent you know the real story: that a majority of citizens demand that Federal spending be brought under control.

If you need the names of your Congressmen, their addresses and more suggestions about how to make yourself heard on this issue, contact us:

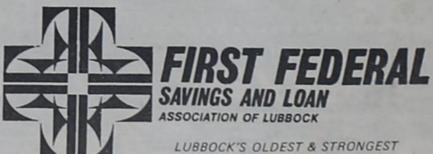
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Church News . .

Continued From Page Six from home, come by at 9:30 and 10:45 a.m. and meet some swell folks. A glad hand for all hands is extended to you to fellowship with us at our eleven o'clock service. The singing of the hymns, the reaching out, and the spoken word will keep you for the rest of the week. Plus to know you better. You will have the chance to sip some fruit punch as you chat and chew.

The Methodist Youth Fellowship will again go roller skating Saturday from 2 to 4 at the Pleasure Garden over near the Mae Simmons Community Center. Twentieth & Birch Street For more details call the president, Miss Ruby Jewel Braxton, 763-0882. Our youth sponsors are fellowship and work of the church Mrs. Bernice Braxton and Mrs. C.G. Strong. They have some beautiful plans for all the young people.

Our Methodist men have set final plans for their smoker on the 25th of September at the residence of Mr. D.C. Kinner on Birch Avenue.

Mount Gilead Baptist Church

"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 Angelic Choir invites the public to attend their Musical Program on Sunday, September 9, beginning at 3 p.m. There will be talent from the city and our

Lubbock Schools Lunch Menus

Monday, September 10

Elementary-Italian Spaghetti, buttered English Peas, spring salad with 1000 Island Dressing, plain muffin with butter, peach cobbler, 1/2 pint milk.

Jr. & Sr. High Choices-Hamburger, french fries, vegetables, marble cake.

neighboring churches. Mrs. Robbie Lee is choir president.

The Usher Board wishes to announce they are having their second effort of the year on September 16, Sunday, at which time they are planning a surprise for one and all. Your presence at this time will be greatly appreciated. If you miss it, you'll miss a treat. The program will begin at 7 p.m.

Let us continue to pray for our sick and shut in. Those on the sick list this week include Mrs. Ester Fergerson, Mr. Jesse Titus, Mr. F. Blewitt and Mrs. Autry White. ******

Church of Christ

Welcome six young men into the here. They are Leon Lawson, Zebbie Lethridge, Don Kimble, Tony Davis, Johnny Brown and Joe Brown. Give them a warm welcome and get to know them.

We are continuing to ask each family to give something for the Dennis Carroll family such as household items. A box is in the foyer. See Doris Evans or Waydell Nixon for further information.

Brother Johnny Evans' mother passed away last Thursday morning. The family is in Jenning, La. for the funeral which was held Monday evening.

We are thankful to God for giving us a great harvest in our summer Gospel meeting. Brother W.F. Washington of Marshall, Texas preached his heart out every night.

Two of our brothers, W.H. Harris and Johnny Goff, will be responsible for seeing that the sick get Communion this month.

Sister Elva Carroll, Sister Georgia Malone and Sister Sadie Harper remain on the shut in list. Brother T.E. Ray has not been feeling well. Send up a prayer in his behalf too.

***** New Hope Baptist Church

Our congregation traveled to Abilene last Sunday morning to be in worship with the members of Mt. Moriah Baptist Church as they were in the process of burning their mortgatge.

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Tuesday, September 11

Elementary-Fish sandwich with tartar sauce, buttered potatoes, chilled tomatoes, ice cream cup, 1/2 pint milk.

Jr. & Sr. High Choices-Barbecued sausage, spinach, whole kernel corn, cherry pie.

Wednesday, September 12

Elementary-Turkey and dressing, mashed potatoes, mixed fruit salad, rolled wheat yeast rolls, butter, fudge cake, 1/2 pint milk. Jr. & Sr. High Choices-Ham, buttered carrots, broccoli, cocoanut pie.

Thursday, September 13

Elementary-Burritos with chili, buttered green beans, congealed fruit salad, gingerbread with lemon sauce, 1/2 pint milk.

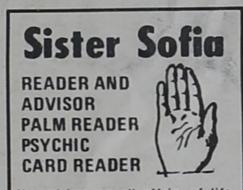
Jr. & Sr. High Choices-Fish croquettes, hash brown potatoes, lettuce wedge, apple dumpling.

Friday, September 14

Elementary-Corn dog with mustard, buttered black eyed peas, peach half, rice muffin with butter, white cake with chocolate frosting, 1/2 pint milk.

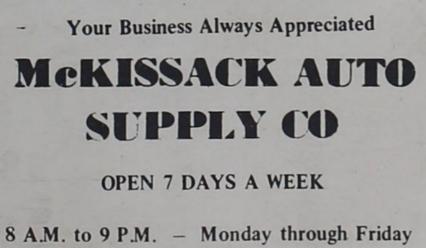
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A special Women's Day program will be held Sunday, September 30. Let us all lend our support and help



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Sports of The Times

by Joe Kelly

Texas Tech opens its grid season in only a little over a week and those buttons bursting after each practice session come from the many fans who have watched the Red Raiders work. .

It's doubtful that any Tech team in recent history has gained as much support, at least vocally, this early in the season. Many believe that these Raiders will sweep aside all opposition in a relentless march to the Southwest Conference championship.

Don't holler 'oh ye of little faith' at me if I seem to raise an eyebrow at such enthusiasm. I'm not from Missouri, until it comes to Raider football, and then I am born in the heart of Mizzou.

Unfortunately, these tired old orbs have been glazed for too many years by Tech teams that should have won it all, only to trip over some also-ran like Baylor, TCU or Rice. The giants they have clobbered; the others they have played as though they wanted to be beaten.

Nor am I too certain that the Raiders can put it all in one basket enough to beat Texas in Austin. The Longhorns, after all, are not unbeatable, but in the conference opener, at home, against Tech, well, why not bet you can thread a needle with the Empire State Building?

I don't object to getting all excited about Texas, but let's be honest, for once. Let's concede that as a defeat and concentrate on beating and the bejabbers out of everyone else. Let TCU sneak up on UT.

I learned little from the Southwest Conference press tour of our fair city. They had visited only Arkansas-and no one was really sure of what he had heard or seen.

Frank Broyles probably confused the writers and the players added to it. So, they left Lubbock impressed. Since then they have seen the other teams and it's doubtful that comparison has hurt Tech. You all must have noticed that Tech was picked No. 20 in the AP pre-season poll.

So, what else is news? Well, sir, I learned that Cliff Speegle and Hal Lahar played with and against each other in high school and college. Hal succeeded Cliff in the conference as director of officials.

Anyway, Hal told me that Cliff was a most unusual man. That wasn't news, until he told me, specifically, why. Seems Cliff was so good that he played offensive and defensive center-but, more important, he called offensive signals as the center! Never heard of it before.

Asked Gerald Myers at the Red Raider Club smoker what he thought of the US-USSR basketball game. Gerald looked as embarrassed as only Gerald can and admitted that he was too embarrassed to tell people that he hadn't even seen the game.

He disagreed with my estimation of the US coach. He said that he had been thoroughly indoctrinated in Hank Iba's brand of ball, that he believed in it and what we had seen really was Iba's game.

Okay, that's what makes horse races, but from what I saw, Iba would have been having a screaming meemie fit over the run and shoot. **************

So Billy Martin has been fired. Long live the Tigers! You wouldn't bet

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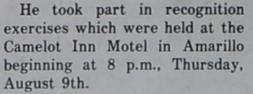
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Larry has completed a two year program in Automotive Technology, and will be among 88 students taking part in the ceremonies.

In addition to his studies, Larry has been a member of the AUTIE Club.

The Recognition Ceremonies

will be open to the public, according to Lovell A. Pillow, General Manager of the Mid-Continent Campus.

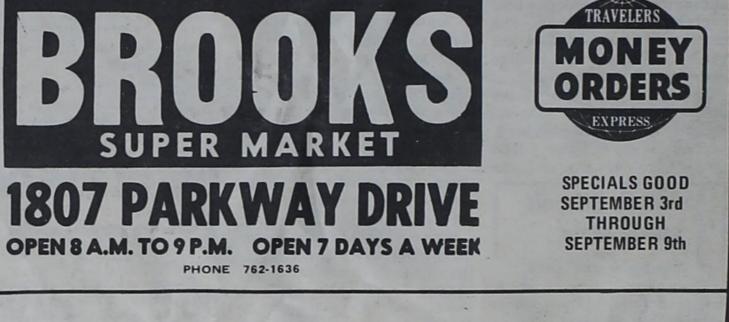
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Programs in which students are completing their studies this year include, Agricultural and Industrial Equipment Mechanics, Aircraft Electronis, Aircraft Mechanics, Automotive Technology, Commercial Art in Advertising, Construction Technology, Drafting and Design, Interior Design, Livestock and Ranch Operations, Meat Processing, Printing Technology, and Technical Office Training.

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but what Billy was too honest for the game of baseball, would you. After all, baseball has come to be so respectful that it may not be long before players wear gray flannel Brooks Bros. suits onto the playing field.

Spit ball? Oh, perish the unsaintly thought. Burleigh Grimes and a few other inherent artisans of the saliva pitch must be chortling until their bones rattle. First place to eight and a half games back wouldn't enter into it at all, would it?

Sorry about that! About the time I say it looks like the races are almost all over, the collar gets tight on two of the leaders, leaving only Baltimore playing loose as a goose.

Oh, well, if baseball isn't your bag, Nebraska and UCLA open the football season Saturday. You may have trouble finding it in the local Tagblatt because of all the pro football, but it will be one the boob tube. Have faith, fans. One of these days you may even be able to read about professional baseball locally....but don't hold your breath!

Since all good things must come to an end, shed a tear for Billy Jean King, who may have been a victim of the heat and a cold, but whom we suspect was more a victim of the pressure brought to bear by Billy Riggs. He said that he'd psyche her and I think he has.

Any day now I expect to hear that Riggs has played a tag team wrestling duo, carrying a polar bear on his back and stroking a tennis ball with a baseball bat. Tennis, anyone?



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