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Reynell Parkins to Speak to Teachers Here



NEWS BRIEFS

Statue For King Proposed

Washington — (NBNS) — More than 140 members of the U.S. House of Representatives have sponsored legislation to commission a statue of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. for the U.S. Capitol. Noting "Not a single Black American has been remembered and honored by a painting or statue in the Capitol," the sponsors introduced the Bill on the sixth anniversary of the slain civil rights leader.

Death Penalty in Delaware Approved

Dover, Del. — (NBNS)—The death penalty, by hanging, has been restored in this state under legislation signed by Gov. Sherman Tribbitt. The measure, which would apply to premeditated murders, the killing of policemen on duty, firemen or prison guards, and slaying committed during felonies, is similar to one vetoed by Pennsylvania Gov. Milton J. Shapp.

Inmate College Ban Upheld

Richmond — (NBNS)—A federal judge has refused an inmate's request for a temporary restraining order preventing the prison system of the state from revoking

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Twenty-fourth Annual Convention of Women's Clubs Set Here Friday-Sunday

Members from throughout the state will be in the Hub City this week to attend the 24th annual convention of the Stokes-Parker District Texas Association of Womens Clubs. The three day meeting, April 19 through 21, will be held at the Red Raider Convention Center, 6025 Avenue A.

With a theme of "Black Women Being Concerned and Getting Involved", will involve many workshops which women of Texas can all prosper. The Lucky Twelve Club of Lubbock is host group with Mrs. Marie Long as host president.

Another local club, Swalahia Club, will join the Lucky Twelve

Club members in making this an interesting confab for those in attendance.

Activities will include a debutante ball and dance on Saturday evening, tickets are on sale for \$5.00; workshops and a gathering of the women at Bethel A.M.E. Church Sunday morning.

Mrs. Long told the Times that they are expecting 200 women to register for the three day program. "We hope that women of Lubbock and surrounding areas will come out and take part in this effort," she said.

Delegates to the state meet will begin registration at 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 19. Delegates will be involved in important business of the association, admits Mrs. Long.

The editor of the West Texas Times, T.J. Patterson, is scheduled to speak to the group on Friday evening.

Lubbock Symphony Orchestra Presents Pops Nite Concert

Conductor, composer, arranger, music educator, radio and television personality, the complete musician, Carmen Dragon. Under the direction of this famed Music Director-Conductor, the Lubbock Symphony Orchestra will present "Pops Nite 1974" on April 23 in the Lubbock Municipal Auditorium. Appearing on the program will be William Hartwell, bass-baritone and director of vocal music at Texas Tech.

Carmen Dragon's accomplishments extend into all areas of music. In the recording field, he

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Doctors' Follies Set In City April 27th

A gala musical variety show **Doctors' Follies** will be presented Saturday, April 27, at 8:00 p.m. by doctors, their wives, and nurses of Methodist Hospital in the Moody Auditorium of Lubbock Christian College. Staged to benefit the Heart Institute of the Southwest, all proceeds will go to the nonprofit activities of the Institute.

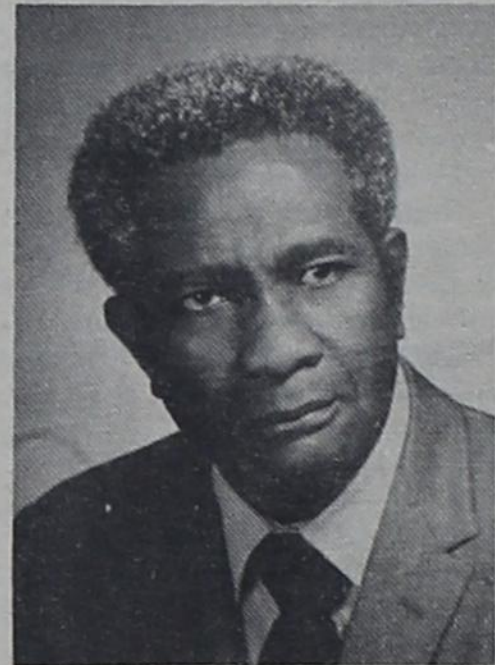
Hello Doctors" will be the opening number featuring all the

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Reynell Monsell Parkins, professor of the School of Architecture and Graduate Program in Community and Regional for the University of Texas, will be the keynote speaker for the Lubbock Classroom Teachers' Association Public Relations Banquet on Monday evening, April 22nd, at 7 p.m. in the Coronado High School cafeteria.

With a theme: "Involvement", several awards will also be presented by the association. Those awards include: "The Friend of Education Award", which will be presented by the incoming president, Ray Crawford; "Certificate of Merit Award by Texas State Teachers' Association" to the **Avalanche-Journal** newspaper by Jewel Foster, 3rd vice president; and the "Professional Services Award" to be presented by Martin Dunca, 2nd vice president.

Dr. Parkins holds many honors and is quite active as a lecturer and civic leader. Some of his experiences in special projects include; trustee of Mental Health and Mental Retardation Board of Nueces County Legal Aid Society



Board, Nueces County; Consultant to General Land Office on Ecological study of Matagorda Bay Area 1972; Consultant for Model Cities Project, Austin, 1972; member of Citizen's Tax Advisory Commission, City of Austin, 1973; Director of Neighborhood Development Program for St. John's Neighborhood, Austin; and member of Mayor's Commission on Housing, San Antonio, 1972;73. Jim Broome is president of the LCTA and Jerry Caddel is 1st Vice President.

Condemned Anti-Poverty Program, OEO, Begins to Gain New - Better - Friends

Washington — (NBNS)—The Office of Economic Opportunity, the antipoverty agency con-

demned to be dismantled in the pre-Watergate days of the second Nixon Administration, has begun to show surprising survival signs, including an endorsement from Alabama Gov. George Wallace.

A number of Southern governors and congressmen, once the harshest critics of the community action program of OEO, have begun to agitate for extension of the agency for another three years. Governor Wallace wrote congressional sponsors assuring them that public officials throughout Alabama have indicated to him their desire that the antipoverty agency continue.

A youthful member of the South Carolina delegation, U.S. Rep. Mendel J. Davis, told the 10th annual conference of the National Association for Community Development, meeting in New York, that preservation of OEO is "just as important as impeachment."

Davis said he was "not prejudging" President Nixon on impeachment but he was critical of the Administration's anti-OEO stance to the tune of the \$1.4 billion a year he is urging be authorized for the agency.

Sen. Jacob K. Javits (R.N.Y.), a longtime friend of OEO said it would take a "herculean effort to save OEO." He said, however, that he believes the Nixon Administration is prepared to "move away" from the effort to dismantle the agency in the days with Nixon and his since departed advisers were flushed with the presumed anti-poor mandate of his 1972 landslide victory.

Rep. Augustus Hawkins (D-Calif.), chairman of the House Education and Labor subcommittee considering OEO extension, obtained a favorable vote in his committee for a three-year extension under the name of the Agency for the Development of Volunteer and Community Assistance Programs.

1973 Inflation Hit Poor Hardest

Washington — (NBNS) —The rate of U.S. inflation in 1973 was the highest since 1947 and added from \$730 to \$1,572 to the cost of living for a typical family of four.

According to a staff study by the Joint Economic Committee of the Congress, the accelerated inflation last year also produced clear evidence that the poor were hit harder than their more affluent fellow citizens.

"The differential impact of inflation on the poor during 1973 is especially dramatic," the Joint Committee researchers found. "Prices for the poor rose 10.8 percent during 1973, compared to a 8.5 percent price rise for rich and an 8.8 percent rise of middle income persons during the same period, an 'extra' 2.0 percentage point rise for the poor.

"This means that in 1973 low income persons suffered about one-fourth more inflation than did middle and upper income consumers," the staff study said.

Since August 1971 the impact of inflation on the poor has been even greater. According to the study: "Over the course of the 28 months since August 1971, prices have risen about 15.9 percent for the poor, 13.4 percent for the lower middle class, and 13 percent for the rich. The differences in the indexes for the poor and the other groups are disturbing for such a short time period.

"The most important factors causing this unusual situation are the sharp rises in food and housing prices, which together comprise a 40 percent larger share in the budgets of the poor than they do in those of the rich."

Lubbock Girl Wins Model Award

Pam Knighten of Lubbock, a freshman student at South Plains College, was awarded a plaque for "Outstanding Model" at the recent South Plains Area Fashion Show in Levelland. The award was presented by Daryl Pults, manager of J.C. Penney's of Levelland.

Pam, 21, the daughter of Mrs. James Emma Knighten of Lubbock, is majoring in fashion merchandising at the College. She won the modeling award on the basis of her figure, poise, facial features, movement of body, how well she showed the clothes, how she projected her personality and how her mood and movement changed to fit each garment. Judging the 22 models for the show was Barbara Haskett, assistant fashion coordinator for the Dallas Apparel Mart.

Because of her award, Pam has been asked to do some modeling jobs this summer and next summer for a Lubbock department store. She is presently working as a sales clerk in ladies sports wear in the South Plains Mall. Her eventual goal is to be a fashion coordinator or perhaps a model.

Pam is a 1972 graduate of Dunbar High School. She has five sisters, Mrs. Glenda Lasley and Rhonda Knighten, both of Lawton, Okla.; Brenda Knighten of Denver; Mrs. Renie Amos of Houston and Sheila Knighten of Lubbock. She also has seven brothers, Elony of Denver,

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COED WINS MODELING AWARD—Pam Knighten, 21, a freshman at South Plains College, has won the "Outstanding Model" award at the recent South Plains Area Fashion Show. The tall, lithe coed is the daughter of Mrs. James Emma Knighten of Lubbock.

EDITORIALS

Next Two Years Will Be Challenge For All East Lubbock Citizens

With the poor showing of residents of East Lubbock in the past two elections, city and school board of trustees, it should be a hard challenge the next two years. Looking at what happened in the involvement of East Lubbock residents, it appears as though nobody gives a hoot about what is going on in the community.

We, at the Times, think it is about time that something be done about the attitude of all residents in the East Lubbock community. It's time that we do something to overcome this involvement over the past two weeks. We're not talking about who was elected to the various posts in the city and school board elections, but we are talking about the fact that those elected will not even look to East Lubbock because of our lack of interest.

Residents of East Lubbock have been behind nearly twenty years, and to look at what happened recently will certainly set us back further. We have been criticized for calling things like they really are by residents of East Lubbock. How can we compliment residents of East Lubbock, which happens to be predominately black, when this type of outcome is seen after some major city and school board elections.

We have encouraged and pleaded for all citizens to get involved and do their part so that our area can have what it so justly deserves. Any elected politician, city or school, really doesn't have to look in the eastern part of the city, because there is apathy and people really don't care about the functions of city or school government. At least that's the way it appears on the surface.

We realize there are people in the East Lubbock community who are against everything which is happening. We, at the Times, however, have been critical, but we have not just griped about the situation, we have made our contributions.

In the past, we have asked for the support of all ministers and pastors to speak loud and clear from behind the pulpit to their congregations. Many men of the cloth have misunderstood our plea for cooperation. We turn, at this time, for the many civic and social organizations to do what they can to alert the residents of East Lubbock on their civic responsibility. We ask that every organization get behind the efforts of the city of Lubbock and make sure that every resident of East Lubbock takes an interest at the polls.

True, the elections are over and the next two years will be a terrific challenge for all of us who reside east of Avenue A. We are a sleeping giant in a sea of progress; and refusing to get a piece of the political action. Lubbock, no doubt, will become a giant of a city. Some say it will become the "Dallas of West Texas", and we are "shucking and jiving off" our precious rights to contribute something to it.

We hope the next time around that more preparation will be made to even elect some of our brothers from the East Lubbock area. We hope we will start soon enough to get someone groomed for 1976. It can be done if we only live through the next two challenging years.

So the next two years when we see that we are not getting our share at city hall or the school board, don't blame those persons who were elected for not thinking about us. When City Hall refuses to hire any one from East Lubbock as a fireman, don't get angry. Just think, you could have changed that situation if you had only voted.

When the other newspaper in town suggests that the present representation on the City Council is okay, don't get alarmed, remember you didn't vote. When East Lubbock is completely forgotten, just think, that extra effort to go to the polls would have helped.

Of course, our past isn't the best thing that has happened to us, but we can correct what is happening right now if we forget our petty jealousy and hatred for one another and be willing to work for the same cause. Time has been too well spent for us to continue in our past ways. We have been on enough ego trips and now it's time to get down to business and work for the betterment of our children. This will not only help East Lubbock, but the entire City of Lubbock.

We know there are people who reside in the eastern part of this seventy-five mile community who can and want to do something about the present situation. Those individuals have not arose to the occasion. We believe that this will happen as we travel through a challenging situation the

next two years. We, at the Times, have begun to take inventory on the talent which exists in East Lubbock. We're quite impressed over what we see. Let's not discourage or poison what we have. Let's help it so we can come out in a better perspective in 1976.

As we've said, the next two years will be challenging. Let's hope we don't go back further than we already are. Everything is not all roses in our community. We have got to put something together so we can do something about the way things are.

Ward System - Almost Anyway

It would appear to some that Councilman Bryce Campbell sounded more like a baby than a representative of "all citizens of Lubbock" when he complained about the request of East Lubbock residents for a real swimming pool in the new George Woods Park. While he failed to realize that East Lubbock citizens have usually been on the "short end" of most new improvements, he was being encouraged in his attitude by the "City Hall Notebook" of the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal where Vaughn Hendrie, to quote, stated, "There is only one public pool south of 4th Street and west of University Avenue." Perhaps Councilman Campbell, in his ward attitude of worrying about Southwest Lubbock, and Mr. Hendrie, in closing one of the two pools south of 4th and west of University—either Clapp Pool or Maxey Pool—can get together and discover just what is in Southwest Lubbock.

After hearing Councilman Campbell over KCBD-TV, Channel 11, following his discussion of the swimming pool facilities in the City Council meeting, it would certainly appear that he was in favor of the "Ward System" as he was only looking out for the interest of Southwest Lubbock. It is our opinion that all City Councilmen and women should look out for all areas of the City of Lubbock.

We say keep your "kool" Councilman Campbell, everything will be all right. And further, don't depend on everything you read in the other paper. Parks and Recreation tells us that neither Maxey nor Clapp pool will be closed this summer, doubling the number of available swimming pools "south of 4th Street and west of University" reported in Sunday's A/J.

As I See It

by T.J. Patterson

It was good to see residents from East Lubbock appearing before the City Council last Thursday in protest of the proposed swimming pool to be erected on the George Woods Park. George Scott, Harold Chatman and Rev. Adolphus Cleveland are to be applauded for their effort in letting the City Council know exactly how people of East Lubbock feel when something is in the process of going the wrong way.

As they said, we want to be treated like any other part of the City of Lubbock. This is only fair as we are all taxpayers in the city.

The park has been recently named after a man, George Woods, who has been a part of this community for many years and has placed his footsteps in the sands of progress for Lubbock. It is only fitting and proper that the outcome of this effort was like it was.

It goes to show our community that there needs to be representation on the City Council from all areas so the City Council can truly feel and hear what the whispering grass is all about. Last Thursday was proof that the present elected officials should move in the direction of seeing that the council is expanded as it should be.

I hope that residents of East Lubbock will continue to speak out in a positive manner as it was exemplified on last Thursday. This is the way it should be, citizens contributing something from which many can profit.

Let's keep on keeping on, and we will get there one day.

Many people in our community, white and black, knew Mrs. Juanita Simmons. I think I knew her in another perspective. For many years, she and her sister, Mrs. Maunita Terrell, have contributed news to the West Texas Times. She wanted to do something for her community and she did just that. She submitted her last writings to the West Texas Times three weeks ago. Today, I still have those hand written works. She was always writing something she felt the people of Lubbock and West Texas would want to read.

Over the past ten years, I had an opportunity of visiting with her and Mrs. Terrell at least once a week. We all had something to talk about when we met at 2005 Cedar Avenue. She's gone now, but this writer will never forget her.

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JACK ANDERSON'S WEEKLY SPECIAL



A SIMPLE SNEEZE
by Jack Anderson

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Washington—Newspapers have reported that the Chinese-American detente is in trouble. As evidence, they have cited the new cultural revolution sweeping through Communist China. This has sparked a campaign against all things foreign. Even Henry Kissinger's friend, Premier Chou En-lai, has spoken out against alleged U.S. "aggression." China also turned back U.S. wheat shipments contaminated with fungus.

Everything I have seen, however, indicates the reports of a deteriorating detente simply are not true. The secret cable traffic and intelligence reports indicate that Chinese-American relations not only remain friendly, but probably will improve.

The confidential cables from American diplomats in Peking, for example, reveal that daily contacts between Chinese and American officials are lengthy, candid and cordial. U.S. businessmen are pleased over their reception in China.

Intelligence reports, furthermore, indicate that the new cultural revolution is completely controlled by the Communist party; this was not true in the last political upheaval. Party officials have issued strict orders, for example, that propaganda posters are to be put up only after working hours.

The "revolution", in short, is not going to be conducted at the expense of production. Chou En-lai's critical comments can be attributed to the fact that he is a wily leader with a survival instinct which rivals Richard Nixon's. And as far as the wheat rot incident is concerned, the simple fact is that the Chinese refuse to pay good money for tainted grain.

The China-watching press tends to put too much emphasis on trivial incidents. They sometimes see a calamity in a simple sneeze. This time, it appears, they are reading the signs wrong.

Impeachment Debate: Republicans defending President Nixon from impeachment charges are haunted by their own partisan effort four years ago to impeach Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas.

At that time, Gerald Ford was in the forefront of the impeachment drive. An impeachable offense, Ford declared, was anything a majority of the House said it was. Now Ford, and the other Republicans who follow the White House line, are trying frantically to narrow that definition.

A key element of today's impeachment debate centers on the role of President Nixon's Watergate lawyer James St. Clair. The Republicans have ordered a special brief defending the right of St. Clair to participate. Yet four years ago Ford said "no such right existed."

In fact, Ford wrote to then Judiciary chairman Emanuel Celler that the participation of Justice Douglas' attorney would result "in a sweeping whitewash of every allegation as it appears."

The committee's senior Republican, Rep. Ed Hutchinson of Michigan, served on the special investigation of Douglas.

At that time he insisted it should "include an investigation into improper conduct."

Now, Hutchinson is singing a different tune. He now tells me the President's offenses must be impeachable, not merely improper. But the past statements hang heavily over the Republican's head.

Power Fever: Energy czar William Simon and budget chief Roy Ash, like two rams locked in mortal combat, have been butting heads over who will control the nation's economic policies.

Their power struggle illustrates what's going on in government these days. President Nixon is so mired down in Watergate that decision making has been delegated, more and more, to others. This has caused a spring outbreak of power fever in Washington.

The Simon-Ash fight offers an excellent case study. As Watergate widened, Secretary of Treasury George Shultz assumed virtual control of the nation's economic policymaking. He became a sort of domestic Henry Kissinger. His resignation, therefore, created a power vacuum which Simon and Ash are scrambling to fill.

Insiders say Ash wanted the Treasury job, but Simon got it. Ash then sought to whittle down Simon's new responsibilities. On a flight back from Key Biscayne, Ash urged the President not to grant Simon the super-cabinet status that Shultz enjoyed. Ash argued that some of Shultz' power should be passed to his own budget office. Nixon reportedly agreed.

However, it was a hollow victory. My White House sources say Simon and Ash have been battling over status and power that neither of them will win. It will be distributed evenly among all economic aides.

Gas Rip-Off: The gas shortage should be eased, if not ended, this summer unless the Arabs renew their embargo. Federal authorities expect a seven per cent oil shortage, they tell me, but this can be overcome by conservation.

In other words, there should be plenty of gas for your summer vacations. But you should still hold down your speed and avoid side trips.

Senators, meanwhile, are investigating whether the oil companies contrived the gas shortage to prop up prices. During the worst of the shortage, I made spot checks at refineries and storage facilities. I spoke to the workers, not the oil company spokesmen. Almost everywhere I checked, I found the storage tanks brim full of gas. This led me to suspect there would be enough gas at the pumps as soon as the price was right.

Gasoline prices, of course, have now gone up, and the oil companies have defended the price rise by claiming their profits are no higher than those of other U.S. industries.

On paper, this is true enough. But most of the major oil companies report the bulk of their profits overseas, not in the United States. That way, they don't have to pay heavy U.S. taxes on them. In addition, these overseas profits are added to the cost of oil shipped to this country. The excess overseas profits, in other words, are treated as extra expense and are added to the price that the motorist must pay.

Simplified, this means the oil companies actually collect profits on their profits.

It cost only 12 cents to produce a barrel of Saudi Arabian oil. That's 42 gallons, which comes out to a quartercent a gallon. It doesn't take a mathematician to figure out that someone is getting a rip-off.

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Police Beat

Rape

A 16-year-old married lady reported to Lubbock police that a twenty-two year old man had raped her in an empty apartment in East Lubbock one morning last week.

She told police that a man came to her door and stated that he had been hit on the head and would like to use the telephone, because he didn't have one of his own. The young lady, according to the police report, told the man that she didn't have one and agreed to go to the man's apartment.

She said the apartment was empty. According to the young lady, the man took her in the back room and pulled a knife and raped her.

The husband and wife took police to the apartment where the alleged rape occurred. The man, at that time, was found asleep on the floor in a drunken condition. He told police that he did not know where he was.

Assault

A Lubbock woman, Karen Davis, 219 Cherry Avenue, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that a woman got out of her car and started cussing her one day last week. She said the lady knocked her down and the women hit her with her fist. The ladies apparently worked at the same place.

After careful investigation, it was learned that at one time, both had something in common. They went with the same boyfriend. This is believed, according to the police report, to have been the reason for the fight.

Theft Over \$20, Under \$200

Ronnie Tobe, a resident of Trammal Apartments, No. 13 at 17th and Avenue D, reported to Lubbock police that someone broke into his apartment one day last week when he was away and removed \$110 in cash and a .32 caliber revolver. The money was hidden under a sofa cushion. The revolver was valued at approximately \$60.

He told police that he had suspects in mind, but didn't reveal their names.

Fight Victim

Dewey Brown, 2422 East 9th Street, reported to Lubbock police while at a local hospital that he was in a fight. He was unable, however, to give information as to where the fight took place and who beat him

up. He was advised by police officers that he had the right to file charges.

It's kind of unusual for someone not to know who beat him up and where the fight was, especially when it requires that someone be taken to a local hospital for treatment.

Assault With Intent

A Lubbock woman reported to police that a man cut her one night last week. It was learned that the man doing the cutting was her common law husband.

She was found by police lying on a couch in her living room with a cut above her right eyebrow, approximately two inches long.

The common law husband was cut on his fingers. He told police that she cut him with a butcher knife. She said she would file charges against the man.

around the hub city

"Around the Hub City" is quite concerned about the expansion of businesses in our community. This column recently received word from the National Business League that dealer and distributorships are now available through a national known electric, hydraulic refuse compactor system. For further information, why not write The National Business League, 4324 Georgia Avenue, N.W.; Washington, D.C. 20011.

The seventh and eighth grade band at E.C. Struggs did a splendid job at Dunbar High School Tuesday when they performed before the student body.

Mrs. L.D. Teague, a resident of Taft, Oklahoma, was a visitor in the Hub City during the Easter weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dancer, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker, Jr. and Derrick and Lescia, all of Waco, Texas, were visitors and guest of Rev. and Mrs. A.W. Wilson last weekend.

Mrs. Gertrude Wells of Dallas, returned home this week after spending several weeks in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Nash. She reported a lovely stay in the Hub City.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Fredrick Simmons, Jr., of Chicago, Ill., returned to their home after attending the funeral services of his mother, Mrs. Juanita Simmons last Saturday.

Rev. O.D. Hollins, pastor of Lyons Chapel Baptist Church, is reported quite ill in a local hospital here. Rev. A.L. Dunn, pastor of New Hope Baptist Church, is recuperating from an eye surgery, but has not been released by his doctor at present time.

Out of town relatives and friends who attended the funeral services for Mrs. Juanita Pollard Simmons here last Saturday, April 13, were Mrs. Guy Eula Rogers of Abilene, Texas; Mrs. Idell Smith, M. Gould Wright and friend of Stamford; Mrs. Henrietta Newman of McGregory, Texas; Mrs. James Anna Booker of Crawford, Texas; Mr. Thomas Oliver, Miss Evelyn Oliver of Clifton, Texas; Mrs. Anna Phillips, Mrs. Clara Phillips and her three daughters, Marilyn, Lisa and Michelle and Monroe Phillips; Beverly McClellan and daughters and Mrs. Ruthie Oliver, all of Morgan, Texas.

Also Mr. Othell Pollard of Abbott, Texas and Clyde Pollard, Mrs. Nellie Fuller, Mrs. Lettie Furlow and children, Carletta and Steven, all of Cleburne, Texas. Mrs. Vera Ward and daughter, Barbara of Waco; Mrs. Bertha Hunter and son, Albert; and daughter, Vivian Watley; Mrs. Gladys Davenport of Meridian, Texas and Mrs. Faye Clay and two daughters of Cleburne, Texas, all of which were relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Robertson of Crosbyton, Texas; Mrs. Bertha Nevels, Mrs. Alva T. Franklin, Mrs. Bertha Huff, Mrs. Osborne, Mrs. John Crawford, Mrs. Marvella White, Mrs. Dasha Hickman, Mrs. E.M. Webster, all of Amarillo; and Mrs. Zeld Lipscomb and Miss Clarissa Jay of Dallas.

Others included Ezell McDowell, Marscella McDowell, Roy Steve McDowell, all of Cleburne, Mrs. Maude Hamilton of Houston and Mrs. Freddie Miller of Fort Worth.

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As I See It

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It's wonderful to have had an opportunity to have known a person like Mrs. Juanita Simmons in our community. I enjoyed knowing her. I wanted our readers to know that she was a woman of God and cared much about the Lubbock Community. She showed it in work and in deeds.

I hope that many of us have honored her request by sending flower donations to the Presbyterian Center and the Messiah Presbyterian Church, two institutions she loved.

As I See It, the upcoming Business Seminar on Sunday afternoon, April 21st, at Wheatley Elementary School, from 1 until 5 pm. should really start something turning in the East Lubbock area.

This seminar is being sponsored by the East Lubbock Business Association.

I hope all business men and women in East Lubbock will be able to take advantage of this opportunity. With this type of new twist, the businesses of East Lubbock can move forward as they should.

Through programs such as this, businesses in East Lubbock can become more viable and we all can get behind each business and help it go. In the meantime, let's continue to help each business man and woman in the East Lubbock community. Tell each business man and woman that you want to help them, they'll appreciate it.

The 413th Civil Affairs Unit of the U.S. Army Reserve will provide experts in various areas for the business men and women of East Lubbock.

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John T. Montford To Seek Office Here

Lubbock Attorney John T. Montford has filed for the office of Criminal District Attorney against incumbent Alton Griffin for the forthcoming primary election on May 4, 1974.

In announcing his candidacy, Montford charged that the present District Attorney's office has misplaced emphasis on the types of cases being prosecuted, and that a "get tough" policy on the more serious crimes against persons and property would be his first priority if elected. Pointing to the rash of armed robberies and burglaries in recent months, Montford indicated that the energies of the District Attorney's office should be concentrated first on trying these types of offenders.

"I am not in favor of obscenity," Montford added, "and I would never hesitate to prosecute a pornography case if the citizens of this county wanted it prosecuted. But, I believe the people of this county would rather see the District Attorney spending his time prosecuting a rape, murder, armed robbery or burglary case rather than the manager of a motion picture theater, showing a film that 400 people were standing in line to see. I intend to ask for sentences from juries that will make the penalty for such acts as sticking a gun in someone's face,



stealing their money a meaningful deterrent to anyone who is considering committing such a crime."

Montford also stated that he will personally prosecute many of the cases and not leave the bulk of trial work to assistants. While indicating that he will not neglect the administrative responsibilities of the District Attorney's office, he feels that the District Attorney of Lubbock County can best serve the people by being in the courtroom.

Montford also proposes a reorganization of the District Attorney's office, which includes the establishing of a crime prevention division to work in



...DOWN TO BUSINESS

DR. BERKELEY G. BURRELL
President, National Business League

Support The Black Press . . . Our Freedom Depends on It

In early January, I made the Black publishers and the public a promise — to commit the resources that are the National Business League's, our constituencies, and mine collectively in a campaign recognizing the Black press. We would carry on our countertops, in our windows, and in our offices one message and that is — "Support the Black Press . . . Our Freedom Depends On It."

That was not meant to be just a catchy statement. Its purpose is to sound an alarm that would ignite the renaissance of a powerful Black press in America.

Though the task may be mammoth, the time is NOW! As our guardian of free speech, the Black press holds on its pages the future of Black people in this country. The responsibility, then, is ours alone to convince an entire nation, once and forever, that indeed the Black press must be taken seriously as a major factor in public opinion about Black America and as an influence of its people.

I see this campaign as a joint venture of public and press. In addition to its role of fighting for equal rights and protecting our freedom of speech, enterprise, and opportunity — the press seeks to operate as an efficient and profitable business. At this point the burden of the publication's responsibility becomes even greater, in terms of business success and the broad educational needs of Black America. To the publishers I have said that "... a more exacting and profound portrayal of your inherent and historic responsibility and obligation to satisfy the vital needs of Black people shall provide the basis for the power to obtain the advertising you now seek. No promotion, however well conceived, will produce for you the subscribers and the subsequent influence of their attitudes, than to satisfy the informational starvation of Black people with an abundance of food-stuffs from carefully researched facts in a creatively appealing package."

We must bring the American public to the news stands to read Black publications. We must bring the advertisers, be they black or white, to the desks of their sales representatives. And we must place Black news and opinion, as reported by our Black papers, in every medium of mass communication and on the lips of every leader in this country. We must . . . and we can.

Earlier I said this campaign should be a joint venture. You and I know that none of this can be done without the participation of every sector of this society. Together we can make it happen, if for no other reason than our freedom depends on it. You ask who needs the Black press? For a start, Black people. White people are always asking about the future of the Black press in an integrated society. But, if we were to get rid of white racism, we would conclude the fact that the Black press has just as much right to exist as the white press. "THEY" have been the ones discriminating, not our papers.

Picture now the national predicament in the contemporary scene. Vicious arguments and violence broke out at congested gas stations and between hungry and shivering tenants and landlords around the country because of the "energy crisis."

Thousands of workers continue to lose their jobs daily and unemployment projections for the coming months defy prediction. One of the major auto manufacturers alone laid off 40,000 employees.

Small businesses, including the independent gas stations, which provide negligible competition to the giant companies, are being severely squeezed or put out of business.

And not the least of all of these, we are forced to note with great dismay the increasing evidence of the apparent trend to eliminate or weaken the federal, state and local programs designed to aid the poor and the Black minorities in this country.

The National Business League is working on the one hand to effect total community economic development. The Black press is needed as the trusted vehicle to interpret and translate, on the other hand, the complexities of the circumstances surrounding us.

In opening I referred to the NBL's pledge to embark on a national campaign for purchase, advertising, and readership support to this country's 200-plus Black newspapers and magazines. These comments mark the initial kickoff of that effort where Black business extends its hand to further unite our people in their revolution for freedom. When we speak of the power of the press in America we are undoubtedly referring to that power which the white press has enjoyed. It is our responsibility to change that.

To the world, let us restate a promise paraphrased from the first edition in 1827 of America's first Black paper FREEDOM'S JOURNAL. "We believe that a paper devoted to the dissemination of useful knowledge among our brothers and to their moral and religious improvement, must meet with the cordial approbation of every friend to humanity. We wish to plead our own cause. Too long have others spoken for us. Too long has the public been deceived by misrepresentation, in things which concern us dearly . . . While there are those in this society who exercise toward us benevolent feelings; unfortunately there are others who make it their business to enlarge upon the least trifle which tends to discredit any person of colour. Like people entering upon a new and untried line of business . . . we go boldly before an enlightened public." It is time we all get "down to business."

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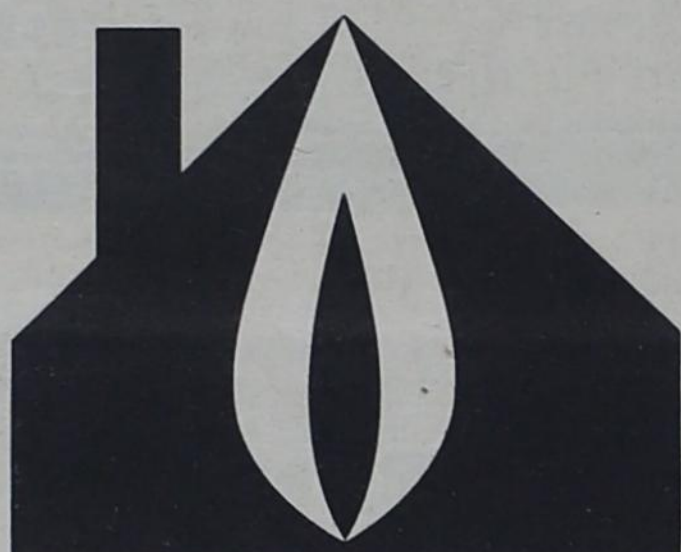
conjunction with the police and sheriff's officers to actively implement crime deterrent and prevention methods. "If we can't back up the police and sheriff's office with tough, aggressive prosecutions, all the law enforcement machinery breaks down" he noted. This division would also work hand in hand with merchants

on check law violations assisting them in reducing check losses. Montford has called for an across the board crackdown on check law violators. "I plan to appoint a very toughminded lawyer to take over the check division. He plays no favorites."

Montford is a graduate of the University of Texas School of Law.

He also has completed a special course for prosecuting attorneys at Northwestern Law School in Chicago, Illinois. He served 3 years active duty as an officer in the U.S. Marine Corps. While on active duty, he was chief prosecutor for a major Marine Corps command and was ultimately elevated to

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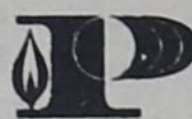
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Final Rites Read Saturday for Longtime City Resident, Mrs. Juanita Simmons

Final rites were read Saturday morning at 11:00 a.m. for Mrs. Juanita Pollard Simmons at Bethel A.M.E. Church with Rev. Don Coleman officiating and Rev. A.W. Wilson, pastor, assisting. She died Wednesday, April 10, after a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Simmons was born in Morgan, Texas, Bosque County on October 26, 1906 to the parentage of Mr. Jobe Thomas and Mrs. Nannie Louise Pollard. She was a member of a family of nine children. She was blessed to be reared in a Christian home and atmosphere.

At age 14, Mrs. Simmons was converted and united with the Steele Creek Baptist Church and baptized by Rev. C.H. Pryor and was a dutiful worker in the church until her health began to wane a few years ago.

She received her elementary education in a rural one room school before going to junior high school at Valley Mills, Texas. Her high school diploma was received in the academic department of Paul Quinn College at Waco, Texas where she received a primary certificate to teach school.

Later she became a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church and moved to Lubbock in 1930 where she united with the Cumberland Presbyterian Church (now named the Messiah Presbyterian Church). She served in various capacities at Messiah, namely; Women's Auxiliary, Choir member, Elder of the Church and Superintendent of the Sunday School for 30 years.



A faithful member through all crisis, Mrs. Simmons request was that all flower donations be sent to the Presbyterian Center, 2305 Cedar Avenue, and Messiah Presbyterian Church.

On July 14, 1943, she was married to Mr. Isaiah Fredrick

Simmons, Sr. by her pastor, Rev. M.H. Wilkerson. To this union was blessed a son, Isaiah Fredrick, Jr. Her husband preceded her in death three and a half years after their marriage.

She is survived by a son, Isaiah Fredrick Simmons, Jr. of Chicago, Ill.; four sisters, Mrs. Maunita Terrell and Mrs. Ruby Jay, both of the home; Mrs. Anna E. Phillips and Mrs. Ruth Oliver, both of Morgan, Texas; a brother, Mr. Othell Pollard of Abbott, Texas; many nieces, nephews and a host of other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Simmons made friends with both black and whites who loved her dearly.

Interment was held in the City of Lubbock Cemetery under the direction of Sedberry's Funeral Home.

Active casketbearers were Robert Deary, Ardee Hunt, L.V. Jackson, Jerry Beckham, Alfred Hollins and Andrew Ross. Honorary Bearers were the Elders of Messiah Presbyterian Church and flower bearers were the Heroines of Jericho.

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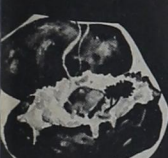


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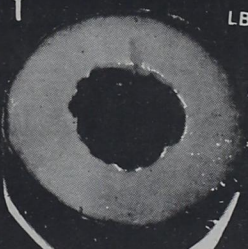


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Doctors' Follies

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doctors and nurses with a take-off on the musical, "Hello Dolly". Other numbers will include the "Bed Pan Gallop", a nurses' skit portraying the comedy of "night people" on duty at the hospital. Dr. Donald Bricker, heart surgeon, and Dr. Don Stripling, pediatrician, will sing in the style of the Kingston Trio.

Nurses will be seen in a "My Fair Lady" skit also featuring Dale Johnson, Bill Norton and Ron Reeves. Country and Western music with a guitar will feature Dr. Ted Allen.

Also appearing on the program will be Miss Lubbock, Sherrie Jackson, and a barber shop quartet.

Members of the Open Heart Club of the Southwest are

cooperating by selling tickets at \$2.50. They may also be obtained in the office of Public Relations at Methodist Hospital, P.O. Box 1201, Lubbock, Texas 79408, or by phone at 792-1011, ext. 401.

The Heart Institute of the Southwest was founded in 1970 through the efforts and interest of Dr. Donald L. Bricker for the furthering of education and research on heart diseases. The Institute is managed by a 15-member Board of Directors.

Sports of The Times

by Joe Kelly

The tumult and the shouting have died down and Henry Aaron has been installed as the premier home run hitter of all time. His chase of Babe Ruth's seemingly impossible total of 714 home runs was reached, passed and passed again.

Only a few "Archie Bunkers" will protest Aaron's role as the Sultan of Swat. The Atlanta player generally is thought to be highly deserving of his title. He earned it with a career that has been little short of sensational.

Into every life a little rain must all and, even on the arid South Plains, Texas A&M will agree. Texas Tech took two out of three baseball games that the Aggies needed to supplant Texas as the Southwest Conference champions.

Turn about is fair play. It was the Aggie basketball team that ruined Tech's bid for a second consecutive title. Kal Segrist and Company have repaid that debt.

Indeed, when you get right down to it, Tech and A&M have one of the more spirited rivalries going—in almost all sports. The favorite often doesn't win and upset are the rule.

The rivalry is healthy, good for both schools. It's the type of rivalry that brings out the best in both schools' teams and whets the appetite of fans. And, from a gate standpoint, the two schools must be thrilled, because intense rivalry sells tickets.

The other night on a local TV station, one of the broadcasters asked where the World Football League was getting all of the money it was throwing around in profusion.

It was a good question and Eddie Clinton had no answer. The safest guess is that there is a tribe of pygmies hidden in a remote jungle of New Guinea that is staying awake nights turning out half million dollar bills.

Certainly the money that is being announced is staggering. Player after player is being announced, generally in terms of a half million dollar contract. Even those as poor at math as I am don't need calculators to total up millions of dollars.

Is there really that kind of money available? Can the owners of the new franchises really pay the huge salaries that they are claiming? Will those salaries build football teams, or will they build internal stress and strain with lower paid players?

There's no question but that it takes a lot of money to field pro football teams. It took a lot to get the American Football League operating, although it didn't pay the established NFL players what the new WFL is promising.

If the money really is available, the new league will see the light of day. If there isn't, the lawsuits are going to pile up as tall as the Empire State Building.

My personal guess is that the owners have that kind of money available. They couldn't afford to announce such salaries if they didn't. But what of the operation?

The league will have a smattering of established NFL stars. It will have a fair share of outstanding college players. It will pick up some NFL and Canadian castoffs. In its first two or three years, it will be better than college football, but not up to the standard of the NFL.

The league already has a TV contract, which will help. It will have to build fans, which will be difficult. It will have to fight the NFL, far from easy. Cities with current NFL teams probably won't flock to the stadia to see the WFL teams.

Again, my guess is that the league will open if only because it has so much money at stake. Whether it can exist in the pro football jungle is anybody's guess.

One personal reason why I hate to see the new league is the saturation of football, which is in danger of going the same route that baseball took.

We have CFL games in the summer now and the WFL will be added. We have two to four pro games on Sunday, plus Monday night, and soon the WFL will be aired on another night. The college game is booming, as is the high school brand.

In short, there is almost too much football now and complete saturation will kill football, as it did baseball.

There's an old saying, used by many people to express disbelief, that "that's a crock...."

It's appropriate in the case of the San Diego Padres' owner, whose name happens to be Kroc—and pronounced the same way.

The eloquent Mr. Kroc grabbed the PA mike in the Padres' home opener to say that he had never seen such stupid baseball. Since the Padres were losing, it is assumed he meant his club. Owners may think this, may tell their managers so, but they don't generally tell the world.

Coaches use many stratagems to get their players in a mood to play, like the late Knute Rockne, whose Notre Dame team was being beaten at the half.

Rockne never said a word during the halftime, but when it was time to take the field, he stood by the door and called out, sarcastically: "Let's go, girls."

Anyway, it's regrettable that the Padres owner has the name he has, because you won't hear anyone saying "That's a Kroc!" if someone makes a mistake on the field. The name already has other connotations. On second thought, maybe it is an apt double twist!

Tech is almost halfway home on spring football training and the Raiders are going the way of Texas. The Longhorns had an injury-plagued spring that all but closed down workouts.

Loss of Tommy Duniven is serious, but not as bad as losing Roosevelt Leaks, because Duniven will be back in the fall. Still, when you have four quarterbacks with no game experience, the loss of spring training is a severe blow.

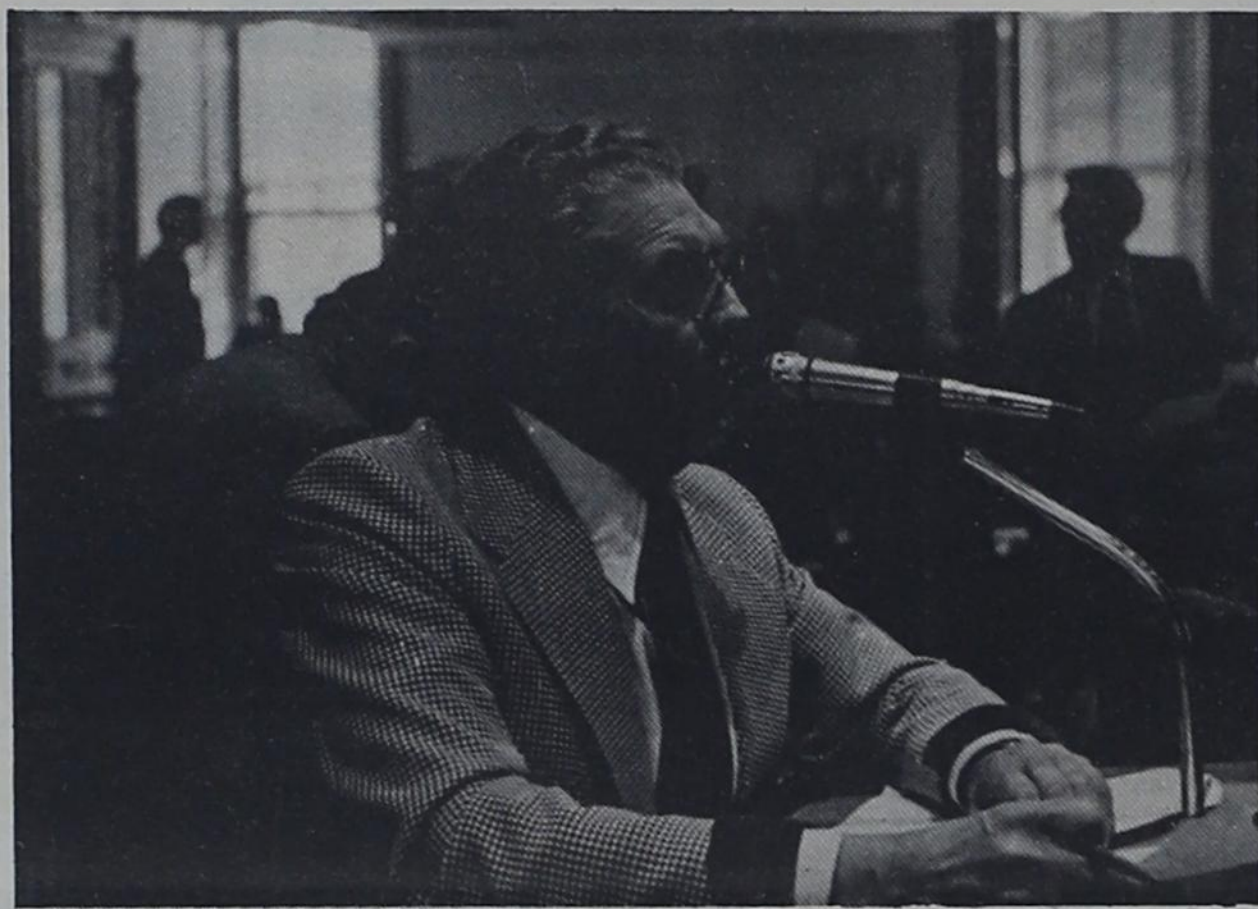
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It is gratifying that Texas Tech received the largest appropriation in history during the past session; the entire state seems to recognize us as a major institution, and more importantly, that our Medical School is to be one of the nation's finest. I feel that with my seniority in the coming session, my efforts can be fruitful, but it will take another team effort and a co-ordinated push by all Representatives from this area.

As Vice-Chairman of Education and chairman of two interim committees I am obviously committed to work hard for all children in the state. It's a unanimous opinion that the love and discipline they receive and the dedication they develop, will determine the future of our state and nation.

Government is difficult today and whatever we do with our new Constitution, I am confident that we can reduce our state spending by about some twenty million dollars a month! I need your ideas at all times.

We are constantly reminded of the importance of our Number 1 Priority in West Texas: Water. Even though the energy crisis has overshadowed the importance of water per se, at this time in my opinion it is crucial that all of us extend every effort and explore every possibility of assuring ample water supply in our area during the years and decades to come. Optimistically, the accent on food and fiber is building our case in other states and reality is going to bring a change in thinking in some of the people who have heretofore opposed us.

Thanks for your past friendship and support, and you may be assured that if I am given the job in Austin for the next two years then whatever backing you can give me will remind me of my responsibility to you and to our other fine people in Lubbock.

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Red Cross Seeks Assistance Here

Contributions for assistance to victims of widespread tornadoes last week in southern and mideastern states are being accepted by Lubbock County Chapter of American Red Cross. Any contributions mailed or delivered to the Lubbock Chapter will be forwarded to Red Cross relief operations in the disaster area, said Dale Johnson, chairman of the local organization. Thousands of people were affected by the more than 100 tornadoes which hit in a dozen states on April 3 and 4. Red Cross assistance includes clothing, food, shelter, blood, handling of welfare inquiries and providing for other immediate and long range needs. "The people of Lubbock and the

South Plains can fully understand the trials and problems of residents of these areas hard hit by tornadoes," Johnson said. "Red Cross has provided assistance in Lubbock, Plainview, Hale Center and other area locations victimized by tornadoes in recent years," he added. Johnson pointed out that in the aftermath of the Lubbock tornado alone, Red Cross expended about 750,000 in assisting victims of the storm. That aid was in the form of grants, as is all Red Cross Disaster assistance," Johnson noted. "The funds for that disaster assistance come solely from public contributions." Contributions may be mailed to the Lubbock Chapter of Red Cross, 1811 Broadway.

Love increases with time among those who avoid the fate of selfishness.

EEOC Takes Full Responsibility for All Job Bias Suits in March of This Year

Washington — (NBNS) — The Equal Employment Opportunity Commission takes full responsibility March 24 for federal suits to force private employers and unions to end job discrimination. For the past two years the Justice Department has had concurrent power with the EEOC to take employers and unions to court to require that minorities and women be given equal opportunity in hiring, in promotions and in rates of pay. Prior to that time only the Justice Department to go to court on job bias complaints. EEOC had to refer its cases to Justice and there were complaints that Justice was not very aggressive in following up in court. Congress then decided to give EEOC authority to go into court

on its own and phased Justice out over a two-year period. Now EEOC will go it alone with a new director, Philadelphia lawyer John J. Powell, Jr., and a

budget increased to \$56 million for the coming year, compared to \$42 million for the fiscal year ending June 30. Recently the Justice Department won a large consent decree against Georgia Power Company. The company was ordered to pay *Continued on Page Twelve*



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Senator Claims George Wallace Will Run Again

Washington — (NBNS) — Sen. James B. Allen (D-Ala.) has forecast that Alabama Gov. George C. Wallace will try again in 1976 to win the Democratic presidential nomination.

The Alabama senator also predicted that Wallace will start early enough this time to organize a national effort to turn his popularity at the polls into delegate strength at the 1976 Democratic National Convention.

Wallace won more votes in the presidential preferential primaries than any other Democratic candidate but he arrived at the Miami beach convention in 1972 with fewer than a quarter of the number of delegate votes needed to win the nomination.

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"This immense popular vote that he got throughout the country was not translated as much as it should have been into delegates votes," Senator Allen said. "I think that's going to be remedied this time."

Wallace, who again is running for Governor of Alabama, has been courted recently by President Nixon and by leading Democratic contenders such as Sen. Henry Jackson (D-Wash.) and Sen. Edward M. Kennedy (D-Mass.). He claims he also was courted by the 1972 contenders.

"Some important people came and offered me the vice presidency in exchange for my delegates," he said in an interview in Montgomery, Ala. "If I told you who they were you would know they were important. But I turned them down because I couldn't run on their platform."

Wallace said Sen. George McGovern (D-S.D.), the 1972 Democratic nominee, did not come to him personally. Aides said Sen. Hubert Humphrey (D-Minn.) offered Wallace the No. 2 spot in a "stop McGovern" movement which failed.



Bethel A.M.E. Church

Services were well attended last Sunday morning and our pastor, Rev. A.W. Wilson, delivered a splendid Easter message. Senior Choir No. One rendered music for the services, with Youth Choir Number One assisting with two numbers. Sister Mary Sterling sang "Precious Lord."

Visitors present last Sunday morning included Mr. Buster Gaffney, Mr. W. Thomas of Odessa, Mrs. Sarah Gilbert, Mrs. Reeva Johnson, Mrs. Mable Burton, Mrs. Sammie Burton and daughter Latanza, Mrs. Gertrude Wells, Mrs. Janice Haley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dancer, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker and students from Texas Tech University.

A special thanks to all the members and friends who contributed eggs and money for last Saturday's Easter Egg Hunt. We were able to hid 1,178 eggs. Our Junior Ushers looked really sharp last Sunday morning in their new maroon and white uniforms.

Sunday, April 21, is the regular special project day for the needy in our community. Members are

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expected to bring food and other materials for the needy.

Rev. L.F. Moore of Dallas is preaching nightly this week at 8 p.m. Senior Choir No. Two is rendering music each night. The public is invited to come out and hear this woman of God.

Let us continue to pray for our sick and shut-in members. Mrs. Maunita Terrell, Rev. T.B. Reece and Mrs. Estelle Pierce are on the shut-in list. A former member of our church, Mrs. Lucille Gailbreath, is a patient in an Andrews Hospital where she recently had surgery.

Happy Birthday to Mrs. Eula Joiner, Reginald Williams and Lester Brown.

Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church

Services were well attended at our annual Sunrise Services last Sunday morning with our pastor, Rev. A.L. Davis, preaching on the subject, "Jesus Is Still Living."

Immediately after services, Rev. Davis motored to Vernon where he delivered an Easter sermon to the church he formerly pastored there.

Members of the Eunice Circle will meet tonight in the home of Sister Mabel Bunton at seven.

Members of the Esther Circle will meet Friday afternoon at 5 p.m. in the home of Sister Lillian Metters, 1116 East 14th Street.

The Queen of Sheba and Dorcas Circles met in the homes of Sister Carrie Mims and Sister Vilotte Davis this week. Mission Two met in the home of Sister Daisy Daniels this week.

Prayer meeting is held each Wednesday evening at seven. Prayerless pews make powerless pulpits. Let us continue to pray.

Let us pray for and visit our sick and shut-in members. Those on the sick list this week include Sister Florence Guyton, Sister Laura Jamison and Rev. Samuel Swisher.

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 Youth Ushers (intermediate and juniors) are having a drawing on May 11 for their first project of the year. The tickets for this drawing are being sold at \$2.00 each. We are asking members and friends to please help these youngsters by purchasing a ticket when asked.

The Mount Gilead Senior Choir is sponsoring Mr. Anderson Evans in an evening of spiritual praise on Sunday, May 19, at 2:30 p.m.

Let us continue to pray for a remember our sick and shut-in members. Those on the sick list include Mrs. Thornton, Miss J. Anderson and Mr. Blewitt.

Friendship Baptist Church

Brownfield—Supt. was at their posts of duty last Sunday. The lesson was well discussed.

Our own pastor, Rev. S.N. North brought the Easter morning message. His subject was "The Crucified Christ", text from Matthew 28, "Early in the morning Mary Magdalene and the other

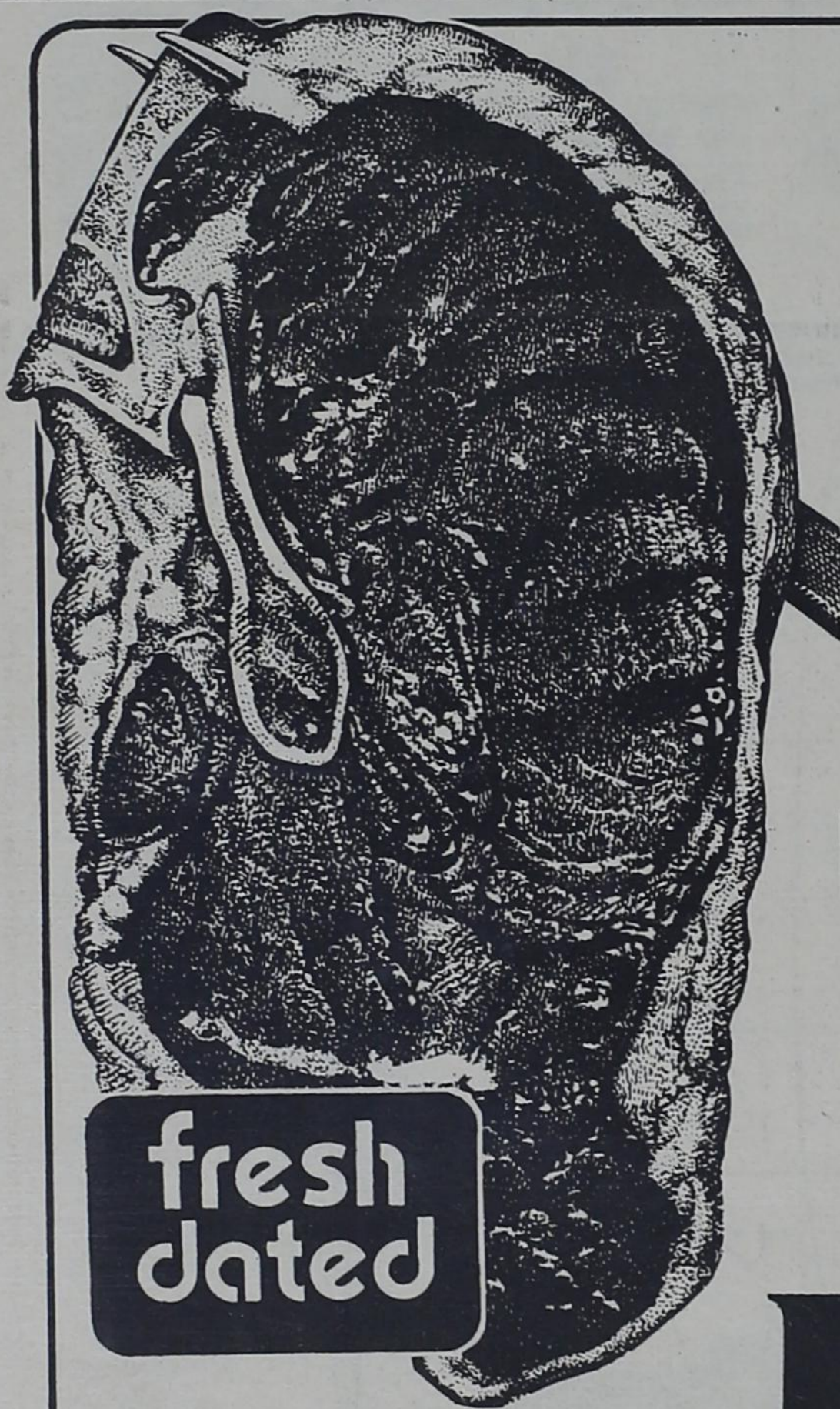
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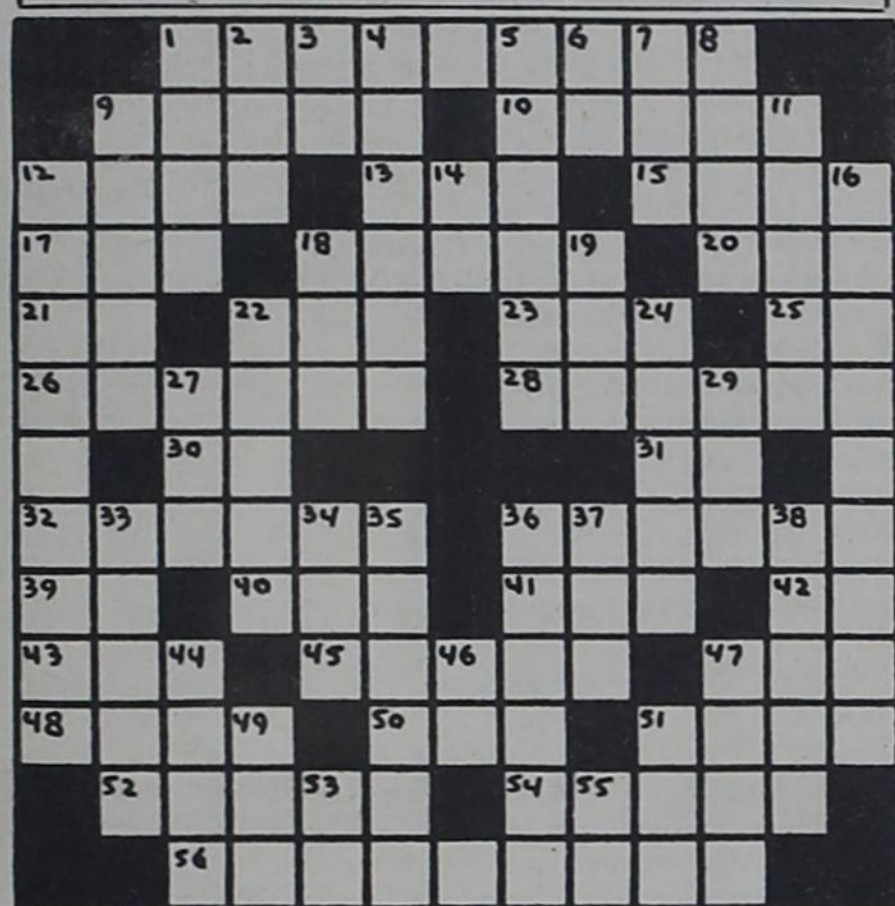
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- Tuesday, April 23**
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- Wednesday, April 24**
Pizza Squares
Spring Salad with Ital. Dressing
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- Thursday, April 25**
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 - 22 - Tree
 - 23 - Greek letter
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 - 30 - Preposition
 - 31 - Thallium (chem.)
 - 32 - Subjects
 - 36 - Shattered
 - 39 - Roman 499
 - 40 - Sault ... Marie
 - 41 - Hasten
 - 42 - Silver (chem.)
 - 43 - Beastly garden
 - 45 - Dialect
 - 47 - To mature
 - 48 - Ages

- 50 - Consumed
- 51 - Declare
- 52 - To direct
- 54 - Singing group
- 56 - Tribulations

- DOWN**
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 - 2 - Greek letter
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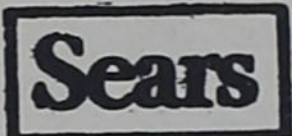
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San Angelo News

Mrs. Sarah Alexander and daughter-in-law were surprised with a birthday party by their husbands, Mr. Hubert Alexander and Mr. Don R. Hall. Mr. Hall is the son of Mrs. Sarah Alexander. It was enjoyed by everyone. Attending were Jessie Hall of Lawton, Okla. and family, Mrs. Alexander's son; daughter, Annie Louis Owney and family of Ft. Worth and many friends of the city.

This was the first birthday party for Mrs. Alexander and Mrs. Hall.

The combined choirs of San Angelo will have their Spring Festival Sunday, April 21 at Mt. Zion Baptist Church at 3 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend. Minister of Music is Mr. Isaiah Thomas.

Stop And Think
by Hubert Alexander

Men boast and brag,
About the things they've achieved,
What they have given,
And what they have received.
But if men would just
Stop and think a little while,
It was someone else
That gave them the know how.

Genuine religion is conspicuous because it lacks display.

Church News

Continued From Page Ten

Mary came to the grave". The evening Easter program was titled "The Way to the Cross is Eternal Life". Text "He arose as he said". Services were adjourned for the day.

Let us pray for all the sick and shut-ins both far and near.

New Hope Baptist Church

General Mission will be held Monday evening, April 29, at 7 p.m. All women of the church are asked to attend.

Ushers rehearsal will not be held on Friday evening due to us serving with Mt. Olive Baptist Church.

Special Bishop College services will be held on Sunday, May 5th, at 3 p.m. at the Lyons Chapel Baptist Church. This special effort is sponsored by the Baptist Ministers Union.

Whisper a prayer for the sick and shut-in. Visit and send cards of cheer. Those on the sick list are Mrs. Estelle Pierce, Miss Margaret Campbell, Mr. Joe E. Snell, Sr., Mrs. Katie Snell and Mrs. Maunita Terrell.

Ford Memorial Church of God In Christ

The Ford Memorial Youth Choir will present evangelist S.E. Mitchell of Dallas, April 21 thru 26.

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Wage Increase Will Help Black Economy

In response to President Nixon's recent signing of legislation which raises the federal minimum wage to \$2.00 effective May 1st and which carries additional provisions for increments to \$2.10 in 1975 and \$2.30 in 1976, Dr. Berkeley G. Burrell, President of the National Business League said in an interview for national release to broadcasting networks:

"The seven million people who are being minimally upgraded by their inclusion under the law should now be able to make a larger contribution to the economic viability of the areas in which they reside.

"A healthy business can only thrive in a healthy, economically viable community. Black business, unlike white business, up until now has had to struggle in the heart of the ghettos of the nation surrounded by the people who have not had an opportunity to earn a living wage.

"Perhaps the floor is too low and the steps may be construed as being too slow, but his is a beginning. These advantages greatly outweigh any disadvantages the Black businessman may face."

The bill extends federal minimum wage coverage to approximately 7 million additional workers including federal, state and local government employees, domestic workers and retail employees who, prior to the signing were not subject to hourly wage requirement. While the legislation does not include an Administration backed provision for a lower minimum wage for younger workers, it broadens the existing law by allowing full-time students to be paid 85 per cent of the regular minimum wage rate.

Similar legislation was vetoed by the President twice in the past two years.

Letter to the Editor:

Dear Mr. Patterson:

I appreciate your editorial in April 11 issue of the West Texas Times.

You are right! Job discriminations will continue against minority groups as long as "testing" is the main criteria for employment.

Incidentally, I thoroughly enjoy the West Texas Times.

Sincerely,
Morris Sheats
Trinity Church

The lack of morals among the youngsters, if it exists, is a reflection of a greater lack of morals among their elders.

Pops Night Concert . . . Continued From Page One

has released 57 best selling albums. A Christmas show with the Glendale Symphony won him television's highest award, the Emmy. He has composed and conducted no less than thirty motion picture scores and has to his credit an Academy Award for his arrangements and adaptations of Jerome Kern's music in the film "Cover Girl".

Appearing with Carmen Dragon on the Pops Nite program will be William Hartwell. Hartwell is a native of Spokane, Washington, and is presently completing work for the Doctor of Music Degree in voice, literature, and pedagogy at Indiana University. He has appeared in numerous operas. Locally Hartwell directs the Prairie Winds chapter of Sweet Adelines, teaches voice, literature and pedagogy privately, and directs the Tech Singers and the Tech Stage Chorus.

Tickets for Pops Nite are priced at \$6.00, \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.00, and \$2.00 and will be available at the Symphony Office, 1721 Broadway, until April 21. On the 21st, 22nd, and 23rd tickets will be available at the Lubbock Municipal Auditorium Box Office. For information call 762-4707.

Lubbock Girl Wins . . . Continued from Page One

Mervin of Dallas, and Zachary, Jed, Ronnie, Todd and D'Aunn, all of Lubbock. Pam plans to graduate next year from SPC and hopes to get a job in the fashion field.

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Bellringers Write: Dear Bob—That tin cup with pencils is being rattled by an oil company executive if you are to believe some full page advertisements these past weeks, asking the poor saps who wait in line to buy their gasoline 'not to use the pointing finger of blame' at these poverty stricken international behemoths. The facts are that some fault does lie with those who worship at the temple of hard sell advertising and who have encouraged a generation of hapless drivers to use gas-guzzling automobiles as well as every electric convenience available.



"President Nixon may be recalled for his famous statement by which history will judge him (I am not a crook) but while he still remains in office, Americans who have to work for a living will associate him with a one-two punch at the very heart of their daily survival, at the gasoline pump (if you can get there) and at the food checkout counter (if you get to the pump first) Nixon and his oil company friends and corporate buddies think that they have Americans reeling from price-gouging and profiteering, but impeachment pressure is growing.

"Ask not what your country can do for you", Richard Nixon seems to be telling the nation "but instead try to figure out what you can do to help yourself". The evidence is that Mr. Nixon has followed his advice and that in the process has committed impeachable offenses." Signer R.W.P.

These are pretty strong sentiments from Brother Raymond yet I have a sneaking suspicion that some of our Bellringers might have a somewhat different view on the Nixon matter. Express yourself. We'll publish your views too.

Here in City Hall in one of the largest black oriented towns in the U.S.A., we learn that Schwann Record and Tape Guide of Boston, reports that the increase in the sale of jazz records nationwide for 1973 was higher than any other record category, including rock and roll. There were 560 jazz record albums released last year, upon from 479 in 1972. Looks like Woody Herman and Duke Ellington et al, are back with "where it's at", the kids are saying. And the return to touch dancing is back too, says the report.

Mayor Theodore McCormick of Boley has told this correspondent that "black capital is the greatest need" of the black-oriented town and that "Boley needs some new young black blood with a vision and a hope for tomorrow." The long time activist in Boley, McCormick is one of the leading businessmen in Boley and owns the only modern motel in the town and several other well run business ventures. He is overseeing the building of a modern city hall and is hopeful that the other black leaders in Boley, will join him in completing the job in time for Boley's annual homecoming and rodeo that will take place in May. A rush job will have to be done by Mayor McCormick has a strong will and a "mind to work" and it could be.

Until later, Peace, and be a good neighbor. They come in all colors.

Montford to Seek . . . Continued From Page Four

Military Judge by the Judge Advocate General of the Navy. For his active duty service he was awarded the Navy Commendation Medal.

Montford resides with his wife, Pamela, and his 3 year old daughter, Melinda, at 4513 53rd in Lubbock. His wife teaches at Estacado High School.

John T. Montford was recently presented the Distinguished Service Award by the Lubbock Jaycees and named the Outstanding Young Man of Lubbock for 1973.

District of Columbia's inner city, has been fasting for the past two weeks and says he won't stop until the Archdiocese of Washington promises to make a commitment of \$10 million a year to the poor.

Rev. Edward Guinan began his water only fast on March 24 because of "the scandalous posture of the Roman Catholic archdiocese toward justice and the poor of the city." He sent a letter to Archbishop William Baum on the day he began fasting telling him he wanted the archdiocese to make "a \$10 million commitment...to the poorest of God's poor in this city."

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his student release status.

Twentythree year old Don C. Hawkins, who had been a student at Blue Ridge Community College in Harrisonburg, had been found guilty of possessing marijuana and had his student status revoked by prison officials.

Priest Fasting For Poor Washington — (NBNS)— A Paulist priest who works in the


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E.E.O.C. to Take . . . Continued From Page Nine

\$2.1 million in back pay and other compensation to 500 black employees, to compensate them for benefits lost through past discrimination.

EEOC's use of its new powers has been encouraging to civil rights advocates, although it has yet to come up with results as spectacular as the Georgia Power case. The agency has filed 160 jobs discrimination cases in its first two years of power to file cases, compared to 100-filed by the Justice Department in nine years.

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