

East Lubbock School Problems Discussed by NAACP

In a regular meeting of the local chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), last Sunday afternoon at Posey Clinic, members of the organization discussed the possibility of something being done about the local public school situation. Dr. F.L. Lovings, president of the local unit, told the group that he insisted that a local principal be transferred immediately because of the problems which have arrived at one of the local schools.

It was brought up in the meeting that local parents are becoming concerned about

the treatment of their children at one of the schools. "There is a problem at one of the schools," said Joan Y. Ervin who is a member of the group and school board trustee.

Although the local chapter didn't take any necessary steps about seeing that the local principal be transferred, a report is expected to make known to local officials about the local situation of the school. Herman Booker, vice president, insisted that records be kept of "matters as this."

"Receives Letter from Regional Director"

In a reply to a letter submitted to Richard L. Dockery, Southwest Regional Director of the NAACP, by a special appointed committee, concerning the Jeff Carver murder case, the regional director asked that the local chapter forward a copy of the transcript of the trial to the General Counsel before any decision could be reached as to what the involvement of the local chapter should be.

The letter, which had eight (9) questions for the local chapter to answer, stated: "If there is sufficient proof of Civil Rights violations on denial, the entire transcript of

the case must be prepared (paid for) and sent to our General Counsel, Mr. Nathaniel R. Jones, for determination."

It went on to add: "The Lubbock Branch may not enter this case until and unless authorized by Mr. Jones."

The body voted on a motion as to whether the group should purchase the transcript and send it to Mr. Jones' office. Twenty-four members voted on the motion, twelve voted to purchase the transcript and twelve voted against the motion. Dr. Lovings voted against the motion, therefore breaking the tie which would not allow the local chapter to purchase such transcript to send to Mr. Jones.

Dr. Lovings told the group that several members of the organization had informed him that they would purchase the transcript as a concerned group. "The group could do what they wanted to with the transcript," said Dr. Lovings.

Mrs. Willie Mae Washington, publicity chairman, reported on the workshop held March 1, 2 and 3 at New Hope Baptist Church. Mr. Dockery and Mrs. N. German, both of the regional office, attended the affair.

"It is important that we solicit members for the organization," said Mrs. Washington. "We must let people know that you are a Civil Rights organization and that we are concerned about people," she told the group.

There were members of several cities attending the meeting last week. Midland, Odessa and Hobbs had representatives of their chapter at the regional meeting in Lubbock. A representation from Seminole, Texas, which has no chapter, was also present at the meeting.

Chapter Needed on Texas Tech's Campus

According to Dr. Lovings, it was revealed at the Sunday afternoon meeting that a committee would look at the possibilities of setting up a chapter on the Texas Tech University campus.

"Alleged Police Brutality"

A Lubbock man, Albert Ross, came before the membership and reported an "alleged police brutality". He told the body that he was unfairly treated by Lubbock police last Saturday (March 10) at his mother's home. He claimed that he was "hit over the head" with a flash light and his wife was also hit by a patrolman.

"I was taken to jail and booked, and when the bail bondsman got me out of jail, he said I had two charges against me," he said. "When I looked into the matter, it was revealed that I had three charges," he continued.

Dr. Lovings referred this case to the Legal Redress chairman, Rev. M.T. Reed. A member of the Human Relations Commission, Gene Gains, suggested to the young man that he bring his case to the HRC.

Other Business Discussed

- Education committee reported that parents in the Friendship School District were pleased with the "change in heart of the school district." Agreed to write to school district to hire more Black and Chicano school teachers. This same request is being sent to the Crosbyton School District.

- Heard a report on the Emmitt Gibbs' case in Amarillo, Texas. The chapter agreed to pay a lawyer \$50 for his work in the case. Gibbs was given 15 years in prison on a narcotic case.

- Heard a report on the Emergency School Assistance Program (ESAP) which was being submitted.

- Chapter was informed of two members on the Drug Abuse committee. They were Mrs. Joan Crawford and Mrs. Ervin.

- Heard treasurer's report from Mrs. Billie J. Caviel.

- Heard the sponsor of the Youth organization, David Sowell, give a report on the membership drive by the group. He also encouraged the group to help with special efforts being given Saturday evening at Mae Simmons Community Center for the Vernell Hightower Fund.

- Executive committee minutes and minutes of February 11 was approved by the group.

The Reverend Albert Tanner of Abernathy, Texas gave the invocation. Several new persons became members of the local Civil Rights organization.

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"Dance Theatre of Harlem with Arthur Mitchell" On KTXT-TV Monday, March 26



Arthur Mitchell lends a gentle hand in directing a very young group of students in the art of dance. "Cance Theatre of Harlem With Arthur Mitchell," PBS Special of the Week, Monday, March 26th, on the Public Broadcasting Service, will appear over KTXT-TV, Channel 5 in this area. Check your local listings for correct time and date.

Editor to Speak at South Plains Vochais Day in April

Levelland—South Plains College has announced that the third annual observance of Vochais Day, a special day set aside for area Black students, will be held at the college on Friday, April 6. The observance will begin early in the afternoon and continue until midnight that evening.

Vochais Day is planned each year to give area Black students an opportunity to learn more about college life, discuss educational opportunities available to them, and to hear prominent Black educators and business men concerning Black opportunities. The yearly event is sponsored by the Vochais Club, which is an SPC student organization with both Black and non-Black students as members.

Visiting students will begin arriving on the SPC campus at 2:30 p.m. on April 6 and after completing registration the visitors will be given a complete tour of the South Plains College campus and its

facilities.

The first general session of the day will feature Fredrick Jackson and Charles Mathis, both former SPC students and now attending Texas Tech University. Jackson and Mathis are both Blacks and were very active students while attending SPC. Jackson was the first Black to ever serve as President of the SPC Student Body and Mathis served on the college's Student Senate. Both students will discuss "Why College."

Rap sessions will follow the general session, and these small groups will be led by SPC Black students and will include any and all subjects of general interest to all students and specifically to Black students.

T.J. Patterson, Editor of *The West Texas Times* of Lubbock will be the featured speaker at the evening banquet which will be held in the Texas Hall Annex at the college. Guests at the

"The Dance Theatre of Harlem with Arthur Mitchell," a one hour color special highlighting the talents of this unique New York City dance company, will be telecast as the Special of the Week by the Public Broadcasting Service on Monday, March 26, 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. on KTXT-TV.

The Dance Theatre of Harlem, through extensive "sold-out" national tours, has been acclaimed by critics as one of the country's outstanding dance groups. The group was founded in 1969 by Arthur Mitchell, who has been a principal performer with George Balanchine's New York City Ballet at Lincoln Center.

Mitchell and his company have succeeded in creating a popular approach to classical ballet which makes this show excellent entertainment for the entire family. The growth of the Dance Theatre is shown from its early days when the youngsters were literally brought in from Harlem's streets and trained by Mitchell. One of the highlights of the program is Mitchell's demonstration of ballet fundamentals for an audience of enraptured children in which he dramatizes the similarities between ballet and the contemporary dances of today's youth. The program's climax consists of a costumed production of the company titled "Rhythmetron," previously performed at New York's ANTA Theatre and described by an eminent critic as ... "a controlled avalanche."

The first segment of the special is the visual story of the Dance Theatre, narrated by Brock Peters, who has starred in many stage, film and television productions.

The full title of this PBS Special of the Week is "Rhythmetron With The Dance Theatre of Harlem And Arthur Mitchell." Produced and directed by Peabody Award Winner Milton Fruchman, and choreographed by Arthur Mitchell, this program received the Gold Hugo, the highest award given by the Chicago International Film Festival in 1972. The show also won the Silver Award of the International Film and Television Festival of New York.

The program, produced by Capital Cities Broadcasting, was made available to PBS through a grant by International Business Machines Corporation.

banquet will include SPC Black students, area high school Black students and educators, and South Plains College administrators.

The evening's activities will conclude with a dance to be held in the college's Student Center and featuring *The Nivicos*, a Black band from Lubbock.

All Black students from area high schools have been invited to attend Vochais Day, either as a group or as individuals. It is hoped that the guests will be encouraged to attend college after graduation from high school and although the event is sponsored by South Plains College, the occasion is not intended to pressure students to attend SPC.

EDITORIALS

Ambulance Services Needed In Lubbock County Also

Several weeks after the City Council signed a contract with AID Ambulance for emergency services for the residents of the City of Lubbock, it was learned Monday afternoon that there was no protection for the residents outside the city limits. Something should be done immediately about this shortcoming for the protection of every citizen in Lubbock County.

According to an official Monday afternoon, there hadn't been any decision as to the signing of a contract with the AID Ambulance officials to cover the County. It would make good sense for this matter to be taken under consideration as soon as possible.

Since there is no contract with the local ambulance company, many people of Lubbock who travel through the county during the span of a day could be seriously hurt in a traffic accident and there would be no services to help a distressed person.

The County Commissioners Court hasn't made any decisions to signing a contract with this company to help the citizens of Lubbock County. It is imperative that they not sit back until a tragedy happens before some positive moves are made to secure some type of emergency services.

Many of our residents in the City of Lubbock travel to and from the line for a case of beer or liquor or even visit friends throughout the county. Anything could happen, and there would be no emergency aid available for a person who would be caught in a bad situation. Not only this, but there are hundreds of young people who travel by bus daily, to and from their schools.

Without any doubt, this is a priority and should be taken care of as soon as possible. There is a possibility that the local vehicles which operate in the City of Lubbock could operate in the County, provided they are not busy in the City of Lubbock.

All of this came about early this week when city officials put a screaming halt on the vehicle working outside the city limits, because the county has not footed any of the bill to operate such services.

It's time, too, that our city officials and the county fathers work together when it comes to contributing something positive for the entire citizenry of Lubbock County. It's no time for our elected officials (both city and county) to work in opposite directions when it comes to helping the citizens who bear the tax burden for the operation of the city and county.

We hope something will be done about this matter before the week is gone. Every minute could prove to be fatal to any citizen in the Lubbock County community. Let's think about it County Commissioners, this is important to everyone of us who reside in Lubbock County.

Condition of Avenue A is Bad

There's no question about it, it cost money to keep up our roads and streets in the City of Lubbock. The recent bad snow and rain has contributed to the bad shape that Avenue A is in as well as streets throughout the City of Lubbock.

It must be called to the attention of the City Council that something should be done about Avenue A, from East Broadway to East 34th Street. Avenue A is a main artery in the City of Lubbock and something should be done to alleviate the bad area as soon as possible.

Granted, it cost money to keep up an operation, but it would make a lot of sense to repair such avenues with better materials. It can be said now, that experiences show us that the asphalt and gravel doesn't work on a street as busy as Avenue A.

Many heavy vehicles, including large trucks and the like, travel this area—heading north or south—each day. The citizens traveling to and from work have a hard time making the trip.

It's one thing to dodge the large trucks backing in and out of the warehouses between East 19th and East 26th Streets, but it's another thing to dodge trucks and the bad driving conditions on Avenue A.

Avenue A is in a bad mess. Can't some sort of priority be put on this area as soon as possible?



As I See It

by T.J. Patterson

Last week was designated by the Governor of Texas and Mayor of Lubbock as "Public School Week". It's good to have such programs which involve the lives of our young people. This writer had an opportunity of visiting Ella Iles Elementary School's Parent Teachers Association meeting.

I was rather disturbed over the conditions of the Iles Elementary school. It would appear as though the Lubbock Independent School Board of Trustees would do something about the conditions of this school.

In one room, for example, the ceiling has fell down and the room is rather dirty. According to a teacher, the ceiling fell on the head of one of our youth in the month of December. Not only are the rooms in bad condition, but the hallway is very displeasing. The heating system in most of the rooms is ridiculous. The odor is bad, and the lighting needs to be corrected.

As I See It, the Lubbock Independent School Board of Trustees must make a valid decision: whether to clean the school up so our young people will have a comfortable setting for getting an education; or close the school.

I hope that members of the local PTC group will do something immediately in letting the school officials know exactly how the school needs some type of re-modeling. As one of the teachers replied to me about the conditions: "If this was a school across town, it wouldn't be like this." She is definitely right. It shouldn't exist in any school, predominately white, black or brown.

In noting the budget for this fiscal year, the local board of trustees project that over \$1 million dollars will be carry over funds for another fiscal year. Again, \$12 million dollars of the budget comes from the taxpayers of Lubbock, with more than \$13 million coming from the state. There should be funds available for capital improvement at Ella Iles or any other school in the city of Lubbock that is in bad condition.

It was brought out at the PTA meeting that a planning committee should be formed to present needs to the school board. It was good to see the membership appoint a committee to investigate the needs of our young people. This is what PTA is all about. It's time to see this organization getting away from trivial things, like tea parties and cake sales. We must think big, for it will help the future of our young people.

You know, I'm glad that I had an opportunity to visit Iles last Tuesday evening. I hope you visited your children's school. Iles is not the only school in East Lubbock which needs to be looked at seriously.

As taxpayers and parents as well as patrons of the Lubbock Independent School District, I would suggest that you start getting involved in the welfare of our children. The School Board needs to know exactly how you feel. Quit putting it off and start getting something done NOW!! Our young people need us now, we can't keep talking about the conditions as we have done in the past.

Thought of the week: "The young people we help today will be our adults of tomorrow."

Come on brothers and sisters, let's get up off our knees and help with Vernell Hightower Fund. We're sitting down when we should be up shouting about something which affects the lives of all of us.

The man ain't going to give you anything. We've got to do something ourselves. It is ridiculous that we've not done our part. I know the churches can do something about this situation. Come on ministers, why don't you speak from the pulpit Sunday on the importance of this effort.

I've received word that the Outcast basketball team, a group of black brothers, are sponsoring something beautiful for the effort. If you don't have the initiative to do something on your own, at least give these brothers a helping hand.

JACK ANDERSON'S WEEKLY SPECIAL

The Forty vs. Black September
by Jack Anderson

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Washington's most secret group in government is called the Forty Committee. It meets once a week in the White House under Henry Kissinger's command. This is the group that must approve all the "Mission: Impossible" operations—the so-called dirty tricks that could embarrass the United States if the government were ever connected directly with them.

At the latest supersecret meeting, the Forty Committee discussed what action could be taken to strike back at the Black September terrorists who killed United States Ambassador Cleo Noel and diplomat George Moore in Khartoum.

The Central Intelligence Agency has identified the Black September movement as an instrument of al-Fatah calls its intelligence service "Jihaz Al-Rasd." This in turn, has a "special services section," which is responsible for assassinations, kidnappings, sabotage and terrorism.

The special services section goes by the nickname Black September, taken from the month of September 1970 when Hordan's King Hussein began his successful drive to crush the Palestinian guerrillas in Jordan. The first priority of the Black September group has been to assassinate Hussein.

Only a few hundred terrorists belong to the Black September group. It isn't certain how much control al-Fatah has over them, but the CIA is positive that the Black September group at least was founded by al-Fatah as its dirty-trick department. Its leader has been identified by the CIA as Fakhri al-Amari, who for awhile operated out of a guarded building in Beirut. At least four guards, with drawn guns, accompanied every visitor who called on him to his upstairs apartment.

Lebanon has now cracked down on the terrorists. But they still have high-level contacts in Egypt, Syria, Iraq and Libya. America's own dirty-tricks department, meanwhile, is discussing what dirty tricks to play on the Black September group.

Beefing Up Prices

Runaway meat prices have hit every American dinner table. Yet the Price Commission has quietly freed the country's largest beef company to move its prices up largely as it pleases. The company, Iowa Beef Processors, does a beef business of over \$1.3 billion a year.

The company has been granted a so-called "volatle pricing exception, permitting it to adjust its prices up or down" without having to notify anybody.

With great patriotic flourish, the government has asked the rest of us to tighten our belts, plant victory gardens and add fish and cheese to our diets.

President Nixon and domestic economic czar George Shultz insist they are trying to slow the food price surge. Yet the Price Commission has let millions of cows out of the barn with a special price-control exception. In the background, Iowa Beef Processors recently retained the law firm of former Treasury Secretary John Connally as special counsel. Connally is a cattleman himself, raising herds in Texas and Jamaica.

Meat prices, meanwhile, shot up nearly four per cent in January. At a yearly rate, this would amount to a staggering 40 per cent. The jump in food prices was the greatest in 22 years. This was accompanied by rent hikes and higher social security taxes. Together, these increases have outstripped the wage gains and reduced the buying power of the average American family.

This means that the average family is now growing poorer in terms of what his money will buy.

Spy in the Sky

Every 90 minutes, a spy satellite swings over Russia photographing everything below. The film packets are dropped over the Pacific and snagged out of the air by waiting Air Force planes. The photographs show Soviet missile silos, nuclear plants, submarine pens and other military installations.

Photo analysts have been able to pinpoint where every Soviet missile has been installed, where those that haven't yet been installed are stored and where those that haven't been stored are manufactured. From an exhaustive study of factory characteristics and car loadings, our photo analysts can also tell where every factory in Russia is located, what it produces and how much it produces.

One photo analyst told us he could identify Chairman Leonid Brezhnev's limousine and determine its horsepower from a photograph taken 100 to 130 miles above the earth.

But these spy satellites are expensive. Each one costs a reported \$20 million. And White House sources tell us the cost overruns on these satellites are horrendous. One reason President Nixon appointed James Schlesinger as the new CIA director was to cut down the staggering cost of modern spying.

Schlesinger formerly served in the White House as a systems analyst for the Office of Management and Budget. He reorganized the national intelligence apparatus and showed how millions could be saved. Now the President has put him in charge of the CIA to carry out his own plan.

The danger is that the United States has become reliant on these expensive spy satellites for most of its hard intelligence. The budget slashing has also left no new development in case the Russians or Chinese should decide to shoot down our satellites.

Cloaks and daggers, of course, are a lot cheaper than \$20 million satellites. But in this technological age, our space cameras are more effective.

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Our personal congratulations to Mr. & Mrs. Albion Mends of Cape Coast, Ghana, West Africa. Mrs. Mends is the former Carolyn Ann Coffield of 307 North Eastern St., Hobbs, New Mexico, a 1969 honor graduate of Hobbs High School and a 1972 summa cum laude graduate of ENMU.

"I took new hope, not because two black people could eat in a restaurant that is protected by their taxes and soldier-sons. The real reason for rejoicing was because as human beings, they had no apology, no thought of being less than fully human, free fellow-citizens. For their courage and manhood I am grateful because they have not only made change possible, they have made it possible for us white people to be human beings, too. You see, there is Hope!" W. Gene Miller in The Tulia Herald.

Governor Roberto Mondragon is proposing that the present New Mexico legislature appropriate \$455,000 to provide limited public employment for elderly persons on welfare who are not eligible for Social Security. There are some two thousand New Mexicans in this category who must earn \$50 in each of four quarter years to qualify for Social Security retirement benefits. The old age-welfare program will be taken over entirely by the federal government in Jan. 1974.

Press Freedoms Threatened: "Postal rate hikes to help the U.S. Postal Service 'Pay its own way' will not work, but will wipe out countless small publications and thus will curtail freedom of the press," believes Bernard Casserly, editor of the Catholic Bulletin. "We do not want to penalize a free press or impede the flow of ideas in this country for any reason, desirable as these goals may be. If we fail to enact legislation to help save thousands of these small newspapers, newsletters etc...it will rob our entire nation of its most precious legacy," the editor declared. A bill co-sponsored by Senator Gaylor Nelson and Senator Walter Nondale would freeze postal rates for small publications.

Churches should make more use of radio, teach broadcasting and other communications in seminaries, and turn to the communications industry for help in using the mass media, according to Mauri Webster, vice-president of CBS Network. He said time spent listening to the radio has increased 36 percent in the last five years and television watching increased only five percent. It's time to take a new look at radio, he added.

U.Z. McKinnon, prominent educator-minister of the Christian Methodist Episcopal Church said recently: "We must do more to make men-black men and women, old and young, realize that 'we care'. We are concerned about the dispossessed, the ill-clothed, the ill-educated, the deviates, not for just their money as is so often true in the black church, but their souls, bodies, minds, their future here and hereafter." End of quote.

"Gary, Indiana is an exciting city but a complicated one too. It has been aptly described as the melting pot that didn't melt." From Ghetto Life by Don Ross in Oklahoma Eagle.

An Open Letter

To the Black Dispatch
 Att: The Editor
 Dear Sir:

Enjoy very much "You Know What I Mean" by Eddie Jackson and his youthful viewpoint. In a recent column Mr. Jackson asks: "Is it a large wonder that so many black students do not stand during the Star Spangled Banner, or they feel no identification with the country of their birth?"

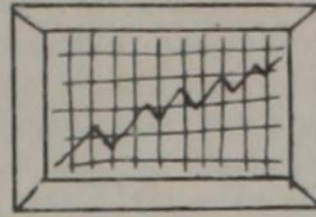
Must confess that we are in total agreement with national columnist, Carl Rowan and Roy Wilkins of the NAACP as well as some other black leaders of the country, that we must find a way to halt the growing polarization of the races in this country or we have had it. Oh yes, Bayard Rustin also agrees that integration and not separation is the true solution to racial problems in this country today. Ironically, on the same editorial page that Mr. Jackson and Senator Melvin Porter seem worried over the place of "Lift Every Voice and Sing" as a black national anthem, Mr. Rustin in "Reverberations" states conclusively "Building a single society is not a choice but a necessity." And ironically enough too, on the same editorial page, the Black Dispatch in an editorial sums up the total situation and a possible solution to our racial problems in America: "Because of the tireless efforts of Mayor Charles Evers and his (integrated or bi-racial) colleagues, a crucial breakthrough is near in Fayette, Mississippi. Things there will never be the same again. The people of Fayette are truly closer to the Promised Land". End of quote.

I am black and proud to be an American. In spite of many obstacles and racial barriers, hurts and bruises suffered, I feel a twang in my heart when I sing the Star Spangled Banner and God Bless America. I sing "Lift Every Voice and Sing" and feel proud of my black heritage too, but it is not my national anthem. I am an American and America is the land of my birth and in America I want to be buried. And in spite of its shortcoming and there are many, I shall forever strive to make it better and have no plan to "leave it" as some John Birchers would say.
 Yours in the Black Experience,
 Robert C.D. "Bob" Tieucl, Jr.
 A Proud Black American

 P.S. Congrats to Roy Wilkins for official action in NAACP circles on "Lift Every Voice and Sing" as a national black anthem. Too, my flag is the American flag. Right on.

Integration Is A Bitch

by Thomas W. Floyd



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Austin, Tex.—Top legislators have settled down to the budget writing job which will decide whether lawmakers—and the taxpayers—will be confronted with a tax bill this year.

Gov. Dolph Briscoe said new taxation must be avoided—for the second legislative session in 20 years—and offered a budget which would require no new revenue.

Further, the Briscoe budget would leave \$300 million in unobligated funds on the table to meet unforeseen court developments in the public school finance case and uncertainties of welfare spending requirements.

Briscoe's no-new-tax proposals met generally favorably reaction from legislative leaders and rank-and-file legislators, although some differed with him on specifics.

The governor delivered to a joint session of the House and Senate a \$9.6 billion biennial appropriation recommendation—\$391.6 million above the present level of general revenue outlays and federal revenue-sharing income.

Even with the addition and the holding back of \$300 million, Briscoe was \$173.1 million under former Gov. Preston Smith's last budget draft for 1974-1975, and \$91.6 million below the Legislative Budget Board's recommendations.

He recommended \$240.3 million more for education; an \$111.3 million increase for the state departments and agencies; \$29 million more for public health, hospitals, mental retardation and youth institutions and \$11 million more for the courts and legislature.

While governors' budget recommendations are generally ignored, Briscoe's were promised careful review, although House and Senate appropriations bill drafters had already concluded their hearings when he offered his set of figures.

Editors Here For Interviews—Texas newspaper editors will converge on Austin Monday, March 19, to seek "editorial" and "column" material. Legislative Day for editors will feature meetings with Governor Briscoe, Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, Speaker Price Daniel Jr., Sec. of State Mark White and Atty. Gen. John Hill, and hometown legislators.

Current issues of interest to Texas editors and publishers include revision of the Constitution, judicial reform, penal code reform, drug laws, election laws and "reform legislative package" by Speaker Daniel. It includes revisions of the Open Meetings Law, Free Flow of Information Bill—newsman's privilege measure—and Open Records Bill.

Information Bills To Advance—Lieutenant Governor Hobby said he is optimistic that a strong press "shield" law and a tougher open meetings bill will clear the senate soon.

The lieutenant governor said the shield law will not only protect newsmen from having to divulge sources of confidential information but also will grant privilege to all information they obtain in the course of their official duties. HB 10—the House-passed shield bill—got a rough reception in the Senate Jurisprudence Committee last week, but Sen. Chet Brooks of Pasadena said that doesn't mean it is logjammed there.

"The hearing just provided an opportunity for some members of the Senate to vent their hostility against the press," said Brooks.

Sen. A.M. Aikin of Paris is the sponsor of the broader shield bill which provides that no newsman can be forced to disclose any information received or any source of information obtained in the course of news related activities. The privilege would be no protection in actions

for libel, slander or invasion of privacy.

Ethics Conference Set—Former State Sen. Jack Strong of Longview was designated by Hobby as chairman of a March 20-21 Citizens Conference on Ethics in Government here.

About 150 citizens have been invited to attend the Austin session and provide a "grass-roots input into the legislative process."

"To be meaningful," said Strong of the conference, "it must explore not only the ethics of the citizens as well, since the legislature is merely a reflection of the mores of our society."

Courts Speak—The Supreme Court declined to overturn San Patricio County land claims involving thousands of acres and millions of dollars in spite of an attorney general's contention that the case may deprive the permanent school fund of all unsurveyed public school land.

In other recent rulings, the Court held: The Fort Worth Court of Civil Appeals was right in ordering uninsured motorist benefits paid to a man injured when his brother's car, on which he was working, was struck by an uninsured driver.

Lower courts should be reversed in holding that a Corsicana district judge is qualified to hold his office although he has not practiced law or been a judge for four years before election. The High Court itself refused to decide.

Appointments—Governor Briscoe named Frank G. Evans III of Houston associate justice of the First Court of Civil Appeals, to succeed Tom F. Coleman who resigned. The Senate promptly confirmed Evans, who was a Briscoe campaign aide.

Briscoe reappointed Brig. Gen. Willie L. Scott of Austin and Col. Belisario D.J. Flores of San Antonio as assistant adjutants general for the Army and Air National Guard, respectively.

Lease Sale Nets \$7.4 million—An oil and gas lease sale on state owned lands, largest since 1966, brought the state \$7,451,278 in bonus payments for the permanent school fund.

Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong said renewed interest in oil and gas production on state lands is due largely to increased demands for energy fuels.

A total of 113,737 acres were leased at an average per acre price of \$65.51.

For the first time in recent years, the highest bid was over one million dollars. Houston Oil and Minerals Corporation bid \$1.5 million for 394 acres in a Galveston County submerged tract.

Pollution Hearings Set—Hearings are scheduled in Houston, Dallas and San Antonio April 4 to consider state controls on autos and trucks in the drive against air pollution.

Texas Air Control Board will conduct the hearings and weigh advisability of transportation controls to meet national ambient air standards. Further hearings may be held.

Letters to The Editor . . .

Dear T.J.

I am very disappointed in the Black community of Lubbock for their lack of human compassion and interest in the Hightower family. A trust fund was set up in their name at the Texas Commerce Bank about a month ago, and to date, the fund contains a very nominal amount.

This family has been stricken with Sickle Cell Anemia, a disease that one out of every four hundred Blacks have. The Hightower family is 'our' family and we should do everything in our power to help them. Every Black person, church, or organization that hasn't contributed to this fund should be ashamed of being so selfish and heartless.

If we had more empathy and sympathy we'd be a lot better off. Let's show the Hightowers that we do care by building their fund to a staggering amount.

Sincerely yours
 S/Brenda Peters



Police Beat

Keep Narcotics Out Of East Lubbock!!

Several persons were arrested last week in connection with narcotics in East Lubbock. This column would like to commend the Lubbock Police Department for their effort on last Wednesday. Let's keep this type of thing going in Lubbock as well as East Lubbock.

For those of you who would like to report someone smoking "pot" or "weed" or even on hard stuff as heroin, please call this number 762-2202. Too many of our young people are using the stuff so let's

do something about those persons who are pushing it.

Aggravated Assault

The father of a 9 year old youth in East Lubbock told local police that he would file charges against another youth for shooting his son with a BB gun one day last week.

The youth was shot in the leg with the air rifle. Although the skin did not break, the pellet did leave a large lump on the youth's leg. All young people should be careful of shooting their BB guns.

Attempted Burglary at Wheatley Elementary School

A worker at Wheatley Elementary School, Clarence Fulsom, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that someone did attempt to break into the school one day last week.

He told police that he was

cleaning up the school when someone did attempt to break into the cafeteria. He showed the police the damage to the building which was about \$14.

Car Burglary

Lee Holland, 2818 East 8th Street, reported to Lubbock police that someone unknown did break into his car one night last week and took his 8 track tape player.

Although Lee has no idea who could have taken the player, he states that it is valued at approximately \$40.

House Burglary

Stewart Hawkins, 2403 Weber Drive, Apt. D, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that someone unknown did break into his apartment and took a box spring and mattress off the bed.

There were no signs of forced entry. The items were valued at approximately \$80.

Car Burglary

Jesse Roller, 311 East Rice Avenue, reported to Lubbock Police that persons unknown did take a mini tape player from his car one night last week. There were also two speakers in the haul.

Entry was gained to the car by filing open the vent glass. The player and speakers were valued at \$29.95.

Burglary

It was reported that Jamison Bar-B-Q was broke into one night last week. The owner, James Jamison of 1901 East Colgate, told police that he closed the business at 12 o'clock and returned to open the next morning when the incident was discovered.

It was learned that a tape recorder, tapes, eight albums and other items were taken. The cigarette, ping pong and juke box machines had been broken into. Approximately \$80 was taken from the ping pong machine. \$10 from the juke box and an undetermined amount of money from the cigarette machine was taken.

The burglary involved approximately \$635.

around the hub city

Mr. Charlie Hurd was removed from St. Mary's Hospital where he had been in an intensive care unit to the Veterans Hospital at Amarillo, Texas. He is reported in satisfactory condition.

Elder Jesse Johnson remains confined to his home due to an extended illness. Mrs. Jessie Johnson is better since a recent

visit to her doctor.

Mrs. Nannie Pitts is a patient at Methodist Hospital. She returned from Denver, Colorado where she was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Dorothy Pitts who is a registered nurse. Mrs. Pitts had gone to Denver to see a doctor.

Mrs. M. Terrell's condition remains unchanged. She is not resting too well at this press time.

Mr. James Thompson remains on the sick list at his home.

Mrs. Delia Tennison visited her son, Jonathan, who is a patient at the Vetran's Hospital at Big Spring, Texas. His wife, Mrs. Jonathan Tennison, drove her and visited with her husband.

Mrs. Walterene White of Amarillo, Texas spent the weekend here in the home of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Walker and family.

Mrs. Earnestine Childress is in Richardson, Texas for a week or ten days where she is keeping house for one of her employers.

The Rev. and Mrs. Robert Tieucl of Hobbs, New Mexico, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Struggs. They were enroute to Dallas, Texas where they will spend several days. It is spring vacation for Mrs. Tieucl who teaches at Hobbs. She is the sister of Mrs. Struggs.

Among the college students home for the spring vacation are Leon Bunton, Frank and Charles Melton, Buddy Smith, Brenda Kinner and others whose names are not available at this time.

Mrs. Annie Rowe is home from the hospital where she has been confined with pneumonia. She is resting comfortable.

Word was received here last Thursday telling of the demise of Mrs. Caroline Young in Dallas, Texas. She is the mother of Mesdames Katie Follison, Ethel Young and Emma Barber, all of Lubbock; and other daughters, Miss Helen Young of Dallas and Mrs. Mary Coffield who is overseas with her husband. Mrs. Young has two sons, three sisters and other immediate family members.

Services were conducted at Centerville, Texas where she formerly lived. Among those leaving Monday were Mr. Richard Rollison and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Melton had house guest last week who was a student from Prairie View A&M Collge. The guest was Miss Erma Jean Murry.

Mrs. Mertha Wright accompanied her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Williams, to Houston, Texas on a business trip last weekend. They returned Saturday with an abundance of nice fish they had enjoyed catching.

Mrs. Minnie Jackson was on the sick list last weekend.

Mrs. Nancy Planks and children returned from Dallas, Texas last week where they visited their aunts.

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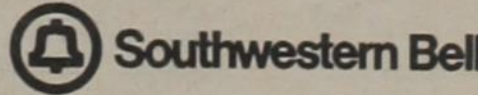
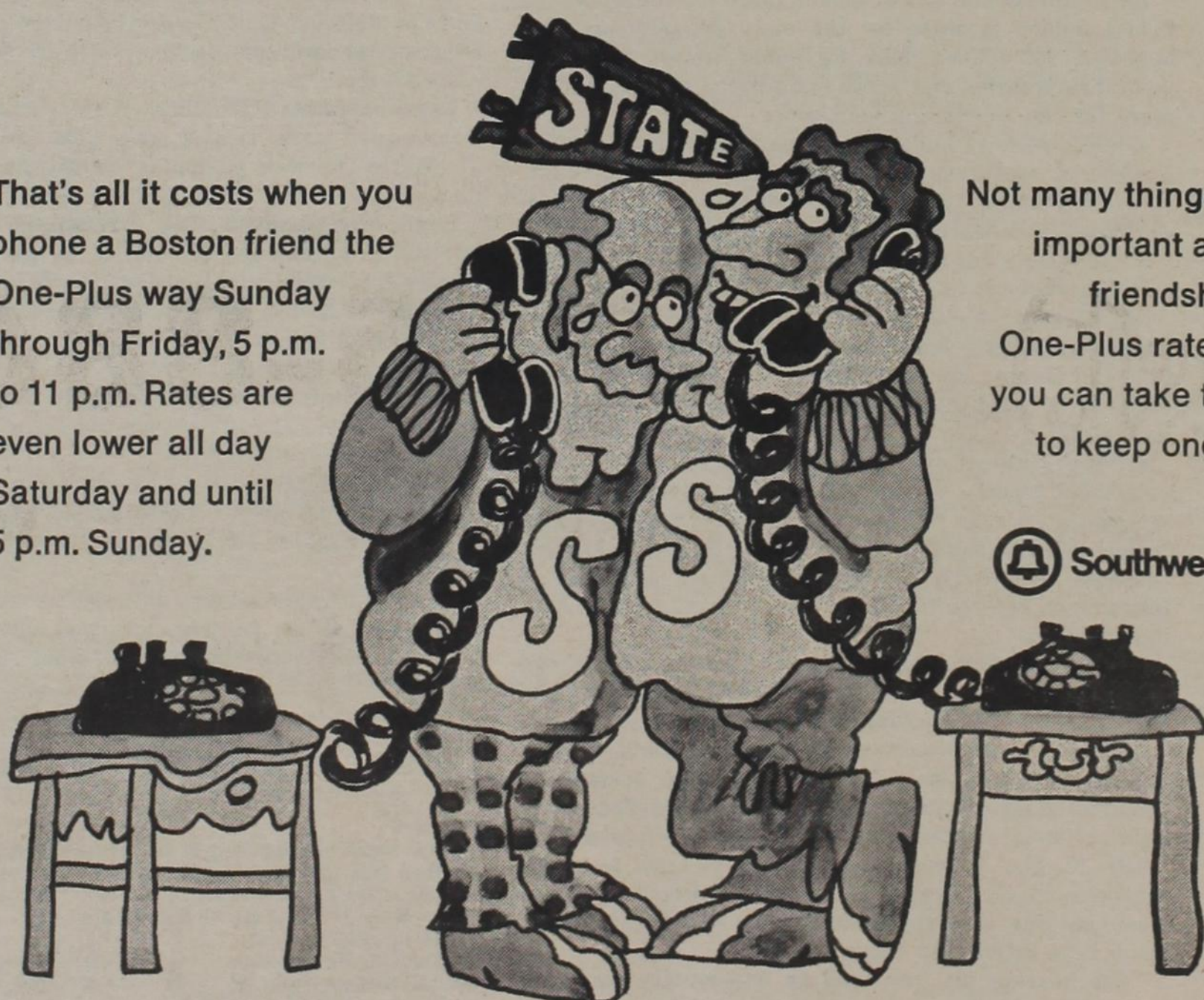
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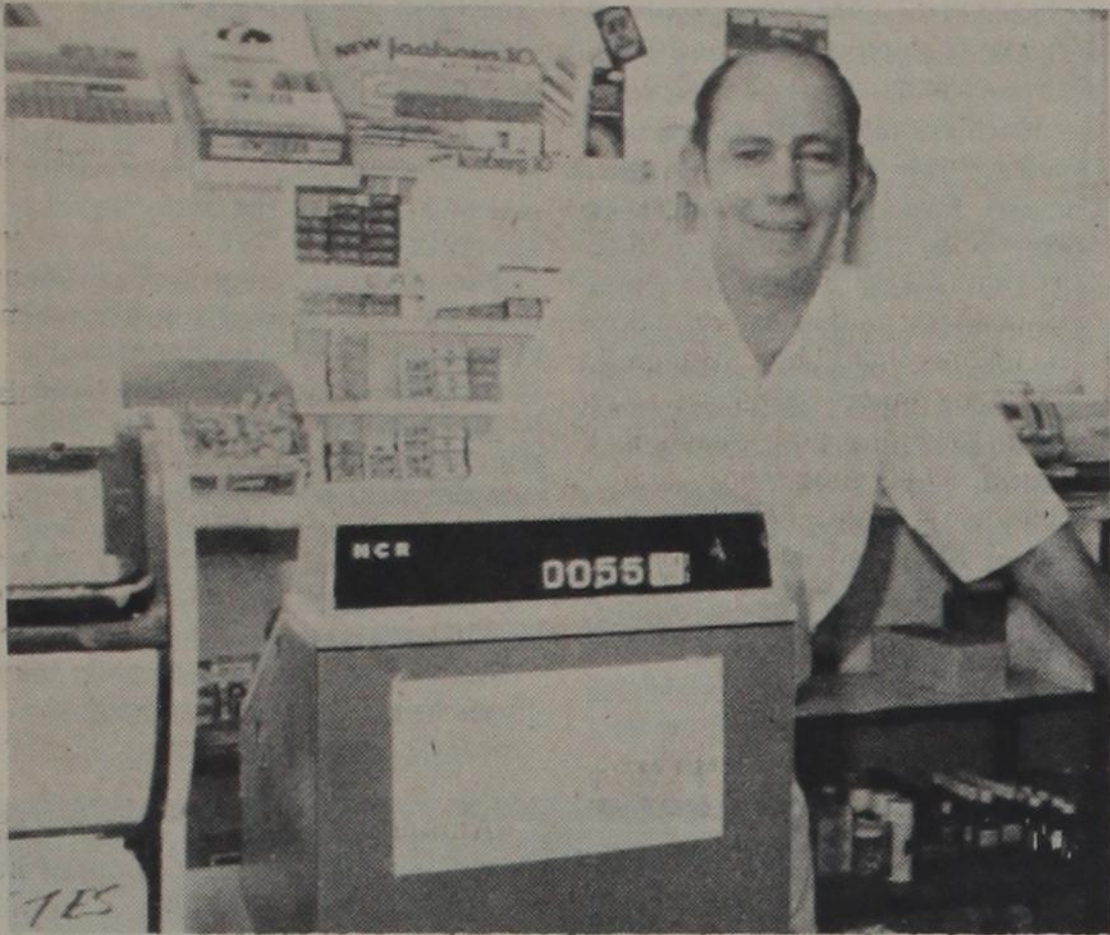
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Local Businessman in the Black Community For Past 18 Years Enjoys His Position Here



BLACK COMMUNITY BUSINESS OWNER—Mr. Jack Gailey, Jr., owner of the Triway Grocery Store, located at 3410 Railroad Avenue, has been a businessman in the Black community for 18 years. He states: "I enjoy working with people in the Black community."

Jack Gailey Jr. is a man who believes that a man only passes through life one time, and to help a person in need is the Christian way. An owner of several grocery stores at one time in East Lubbock, Mr. Gailey has experienced many things since 1955.

The owner of Triway Grocery Store, 3401 Railroad Avenue, he has seen several generations of blacks grow up around his business. He has had an opportunity many times of working with people who are not able to help themselves.

A graduate of New Deal High School, he explains that Lubbock has grown in "leaps and bounds." He adds, however, that the black man hasn't been given the opportunity he needs in order to help himself. He attributes "welfare programs" as the factor which has crippled a great deal of progress in the black community in Lubbock.

"Of course, there are a few who have had an opportunity to move up a little in the city of Lubbock, but the masses of blacks are still down," he adds. "It'll take everyone in the community to make things happen for all of its citizens," he says after his years of experiences in East Lubbock.

Mr. Gailey has seen Urban Renewal clean up the slum areas in East Lubbock, but at the same time, he has witnessed a new area of slums in the same area where it was once cleaned. This is where he believes that citizens should do their part to see that their community has all the benefits of cleanliness as any other community.

During his 18 years in the black community, Mr. Gailey hasn't been a victim of people taking advantage of him by means of breakins on a consistent basis. However, he'll admit that he's had his share of breakins, bad checks and other problems which are a common denominator in any business.

A well liked man, who is known by hundreds of black citizens in East Lubbock, he has had his problems with persons whom he has let credit and when it is time to

community. He hopes that the things he has done will help in a small way.

Very modest in many respects, he has not only been a butcher, delivery and handyman around his store, he has referred people to jobs over the years. "Jobs, I feel is part of the answer in the City of Lubbock," he said. "If a man is given a decent job, with ample pay, this will solve a great number of our local problems," he added.

At present time, two black ladies (Mrs. Amanda Reed and Mrs. Lula McConic) work for him. He feels as though Mrs. Reed has the experience of managing a neighborhood store, because of past years of experiences. Of course, there have been others who have worked for TriWay Grocery.

TriWay Grocery, as he says, is a convenience for people of the black community. "We try hard to make

things comfortable for people of the area, although we're a small operation," smiles Mr. Gailey.

As he always says, "if you got time, come by and visit with me...we're very friendly at TriWay."

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Interracial Marriages Examined on Black Journal to Be Presented on March 27th

Black Journal examines interracial marriages and relationships between Black men and white women in the wake of a recent U.S. Census Bureau report that states the number of interracial marriages between Black men and white women "is increasing significantly."

The program, "Black Man-White Woman", will be presented nationally on Tuesday, March 27 at 9:30 p.m. over the Public Broadcasting Service.

Joining in the discussion will be Dr. Alvin F. Poussaint, a Black psychiatrist based in Cambridge, Mass., who has authored numerous articles in this field; Tony

Brown, the program's executive producer; and several prominent Black scholars.

Census figures show a decline in the number of white men married to Black women—from 25,913 in 1960 to 23,566 in 1970. But the number of Black men with white wives grew in the same period from 25,496 to 41,223.

Black Journal is a production of WNET/13, transmitted nationally by the Public Broadcasting Service. Executive producer Tony Brown.

Average price for Texas crude oil in 1971 was \$3.52 per barrel.

Sorg Named Acting OMBE Director

Secretary of Commerce Frederick B. Dent today appointed Walter L. Sorg as Acting Director of the Commerce Department's Office of Minority Business Enterprise (OMBE), following the resignation of former OMBE Director John L. Jenkins March 1. Mr. Sorg's appointment is effective immediately.

Since 1969, Mr. Sorg had served as Assistant Director of OMBE, heading its Private Programs Division. Prior to joining OMBE, Mr. Sorg had been with Sorg Printing Co. and Subsidiaries since 1947. Sorg Printing Co. is among the largest financial printing companies in the country. He has been the organizer and/or director

of several other companies.

Mr. Sorg received his B.S. degree from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in 1947, having served with the U.S. Naval Reserve from 1943 to 1946. He has been active in the Institute for the Crippled and Disabled, Boy Scouts of America, Chicago Economic Development Corp., New Illinois Committee, and the South Parkway Child Development Center. Mr. Sorg has been active in minority enterprise since early 1965. Mr. Sorg was born April 5, 1926 in Springfield Gardens, New York.

OMBE, established by executive order of President Nixon in 1969, coordinates Federal minority business programs and encourages the private sector in assisting minority business development.

Cubs—Army Reserve To Work Helping Jack Stevens Memorial Fund

Members of a local Cub Scout Pack and the Army Reserve will team up this Saturday to clean-up alleys for residents of the city with proceeds to go to the Jack Stevens Memorial Fund.

The clean-up program will be done by Cub Scout Pack 528 and Company B, 980th Engineering Battalion, Army Reserve. Lubbock residents who want their alley cleaned for a fee of \$5, may call 792-5020 on Saturday, March 17, and a crew of cub scouts will come by and clean the alley, and use the Army Reserve trucks to haul the trash away.

The money collected will be given to the fund created for the

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Police Department Information Sessions Open Here Next Week

Representatives of the Lubbock Police Department and the City of Lubbock Personnel Department will conduct community information sessions for persons interested in joining the Lubbock Police Department on March 20, 21, 28.

Police personnel will present a program on the duties and job of a police officer, and the personnel department representatives will explain the benefits of city employment. The sessions are open to all persons interested in becoming a police officer.

The sessions will be held at: Mae Simmons Community Center, 26th and Quirt, Tuesday, March 20, 7 p.m. Rogers Community Center,

3200 Amherst, Wednesday, March 21, 7 p.m. Municipal Garden and Art Center, 4215 University Avenue, Wednesday, March 28, 7 p.m.

The general requirements for a police officer are: Be 21-35 years of age, in good physical condition, be at least 5 ft. 7 in. tall, have a good driving record, a high school diploma or G.E.D., and be of good moral character, with a good credit record.

Persons interested in a law enforcement career are encouraged to attend one of these sessions.

Alley Clean-Up . . .

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family of Detective Jack Stevens of the Lubbock Police Department who was shot to death about a month ago in a downtown gun battle.

FUN WITH FIGURES

Leslie Jones of Buckley, Flintshire, Wales ate 25 bananas in 4 minutes 23 seconds on November 5, 1968. Two years later Stephen Nel of South Africa, eating bananas against the clock, consumed 50 bananas and was halfway through a 51st when the 10-minute alarm struck!

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Knights of Pythias and Courts of Calanthean Mark Anniversary

The Knights of Pythias and Courts of Calanthean will celebrate their annual Anniversary Services Sunday, March 18, at 2:15 p.m. The celebration will start with a parade led by the Dunbar High School Marching Band, beginning at East 26th Street and Manhattan Drive.

The Anniversary Service will be held at the Church of God in Christ, 1709 East 31st Street. The Rev. M.J. Alexander, pastor, will deliver the annual sermon.

Mrs. C.E. Fair is Worthy Counsellor for the Evening Joy group of Calantheans. Mrs. Charlie Mae Harris is Worthy Counsellor for the Running Rose group. George Woods is Chancellor Commander of the local lodge of Knights of Pythias.

The public is invited to worship with the Pythias and Calantheans.

Spiritual Crusaders To Mark Anniversary

Snyder—The Spiritual Crusaders will celebrate their first anniversary, Sunday, March 18. R. Virgil Mott will be master of ceremonies at 3 p.m. in the Child Development Center, 34th & Ave. K, Snyder. Dinner will be served from 1 to 2:30 p.m. at Mt. Olive Church fellowship Hall. The meal is free and all are invited. The afternoon program will be presented by the singing groups: The Spiritual Highlights, the Wayside Travelers and J. Travelers of Lubbock. The Mighty Tones of Odessa; and the True Lights of Midland. Solos will be given by Miss W.M. Nelson of Lubbock and Mrs. Evelyn Malone of Snyder.

The singing was just wonderful at New Hope Baptist last week

with the Rev. O.J. Archie and Mrs. R. Nelson, Mrs. S. Malone, and Mrs. I. Johnson doing the singing. Rev. Archie is pastor. R.J. Nelson, manager.

Four Seasons Tea at Mt. Gilead Baptist is Success

The missionary society of the Mt. Gilead Baptist Church held a 4 Seasons tea in the annex on Saturday, March 11, which was a big success.

Each table was decorated according to the season it represented, fashions were modeled by different members of the church, Mrs. Ethyl Blake did a lovely job as narrator. The group sang Happy Birthday to Mrs. Georgia Sanders, she received some lovely gifts. The menu consisted of various foods eaten most during that particular season.

Spring season represented by

the Dorcas Circle, Mrs. Maude Whitfield president, the highlight of their season was Easter.

Summer represented by the Ruth Circle, Mrs. Gertrude Miller president, the highlight of their season was the 4th of July.

Fall represented by the Lottie Circle, Mrs. Jessie Evans president, the highlight of their circle was Thanksgiving.

Winter represented by the Rosa Henry Circle, Mrs. Lillian Jones president, the highlight of their circle was Christmas.

Mrs. Lillian Jones served as chairman of the affair, she wishes to extend her sincere gratitude to the presidents of each circle, members and friends who worked to hard to make this an affair enjoyed by all who attended.

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Sports of The Times

by Joe Kelly

Similarity exists between the way the United States got out of Viet Nam and the way Texas Tech's basketball forces left the Wichita State oval. Both were achieved with honor.

The Red Raiders did nothing to diminish the esteem in which their followers held them. They fought valiantly, carried the fight to heavily favored South Carolina and were very much in the game until the final eight minutes. It was a noble effort.

There were, it seemed to me, three things that led to the defeat: 1. Tech was outrebounded badly 2. South Carolina had better individual shooting performance and 3. The Gamecocks forced the Raiders out of their normal game in the late stages.

Let's consider the rebounding. The Gamecocks had a pair of players, one seven feet tall, who dominated the boards. Tech seldom got more than one shot, South Carolina, at times, managed as many as four follow efforts. That was a decisive edge.

How about shooting? The Raiders had a good 45% plus effort, good enough to win most games. But the Gamecocks blistered the nets the last half at 61%, and that's almost impossible to top. And the shooting performance came despite good defense by Tech.

Now, the third factor. Tech was playing good defense. It was patient, working for the good shot. And it was controlling the tempo. Suddenly, the Raiders began to run, to hurry their attack. They took some bad shots, they committed turnovers. And suddenly they were behind and falling farther out of it.

It was disappointing, but not unexpected. The Raiders represented Tech, and the Southwest Conference, well. They put pressure on a team that, much of the year, had been rated in the top 20.

It would be easy to nit pick, and there will be some who will. The majority will accept the fact that Tech competed about as well as it could and simply was beaten by a better team. It's unfortunate that the NCAA chose to move a team out of its normal region to play in the Midwest Regional. I hope it is the last time.

So, the Tech season is over. And all hail the Southwest Conference champs, the all-conference players, Richard Little and Ron Richardson, and the Coach of the Year, Gerald Myers. All deserved their individual and team awards and we salute them.

Looking ahead to next year, Richardson, Ed Wakefield and Gene Kaberline will be missed. But there's a world of good talent returning. Gerald's biggest problem may be finding the one man to go with Little, Don Moore, Rick Bullock and William Johnson.

The other day I was in Clarendon and decided to take a look at Green Belt Dam Lake, located on the Salt Fork of the Red River. It was my first visit to the lake proper.

It's impressive. From the store, where you buy licenses, overlooking the lake, it is not unlike White River Lake. It's somewhat smaller, but it doesn't have the choking moss and weeds, is clear and has a sand bottom. It also is devoid of islands.

The public launch ramp is steep, but wide enough, and most importantly, it is in a sheltered cove. The parking lot is huge and can accommodate a tremendous number of cars and trailers.

It was a great day, with clouds threatening heavier rains than the spit of moisture falling. Besides, we had neither boat nor fishing equipment, so all we did was visit and ask questions.

The operator of the marina is a man named Mooring. He has a brother, J.W., who operates a machine shop in Lubbock, and a brother-in-law, Joe Partain, who works for TNM&O here.

Mr. Mooring said that costs are a little higher at Green Belt because it is a private lake, getting no support from state or nation. Prices are \$2 for a boat permit per day and \$1 entertainment fee per person, which includes fishing, skiing, camping.

You can get season tickets for \$10 an individual and \$20 per boat. Mr. Mooring said that the lake was about 24 feet below being full, despite the snow this winter, mainly because there had been little runoff.

At the same time, he pointed out that there were many features that made the lake better than Meredith. One important feature is that you can fish from the bank almost everywhere.

As of last Friday, Mr. Mooring said that it would be two to four weeks before the fishing really got good. The water isn't warm enough for the bass to spawn yet. But, the lake record walleyed pike was caught within the past few days and people are catching 2-4 pound bass, not many, but a few. It will improve as the weather, and water, warm up.

There's plenty of camping available. There are covered picnic tables. And you can pitch a tent, or park a self contained camper, anywhere. To be on the safe side, bring your own firewood.

The Roundup: To the man who passed us in a car with a bumper sticker that read "Wave if you Love Jesus," thanks, but the way you drive, you'll be shaking hands with Him before I could wave.... Save your Confederate money—bet that Dan Irons signs with Baylor, not his dad's alma mater, Tech.... They're telling the story of how Tech's Richard Bell secured one highly sought-after grid star. The boy signed with Tech because, he said, Richard was the only one who showed an interest in the star's girlfriend! Pizza Huts have been conducting balloting for its second annual all-star basketball game. One of the leaders is SMU's Ruben Triplett, while Arkansas' Martin Terry and A&M's Mario Brown were mentioned. Proceeds go to the Foundation for Research and Education in Sickle Cell Disease.

Lubbock Classroom Teachers Offer Grads New Scholarships

Each year, Lubbock Classroom Teachers Association sponsors one scholarship to a former graduate of each of the five high schools in the Lubbock Independent School District. An applicant for a 1973-1974 scholarship must be planning to teach and must be either a junior or a senior in an accredited college or university during the 1973-1974 school year. Interested students should contact the counselors of the high schools which they attended by March 20, 1973.

Lubbock Classroom Teachers Offer Grads New Scholarships

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CANTON STYLE CHICKEN

- 1 broiler-fryer chicken, cut in serving pieces
- 1 teaspoon monosodium glutamate
- 2 tablespoons soy sauce
- 1/4 cup flour
- 1/4 cup Mazola corn oil
- 1 cup chicken bouillon or stock
- 1/4 cup dry white wine
- 1 1/4 teaspoons salt
- 1/8 teaspoon pepper
- 2 tablespoons finely chopped scallions or onion
- 1 tablespoon corn starch
- 1/4 cup water

On a sheet of heavy duty foil sprinkle chicken with glutamate. Then brush each piece with soy sauce. Dust with flour. Heat corn oil in 10-inch fry pan over medium heat. Add chicken; saute until chicken is golden brown, about 3 minutes. Add bouillon or stock, wine, salt and pepper. Sprinkle chicken with scallions. Cover; simmer until chicken is tender, about 30 minutes. Move chicken to side of pan. Blend corn starch and water; stir into liquid in skillet. Cook a few minutes, until sauce thickens. Makes 4 servings.



Sunday, March 18, the Senior Choir No. 2 and the Youth Choir will travel to Midland, Texas to be on a special program with Mrs. Lucille Gailbraith and the Southside Singers at 3 p.m. at the

Bethel A.M.E. Church

Rev. Jack Robinson, who is filling the pulpit for our pastor, Rev. A.W. Wilson, delivered another splendid message last Sunday morning. Several visitors were present during the morning worship hour.

Visitors present were the Junior Brownie, Cadets and leaders of Wheatley and Martin Elementary Schools and E.C. Struggs Junior High School. Mrs. Loretta Brown of New York City was also a visitor.

The Stewardess of Bethel presented an interesting program, "Can God Answer Prayer Today," last Sunday evening. Senior Choir No. 2 and the Youth Choir participated in the evening program.

Greater Saint Luke Methodist Church.

Rev. and Mrs. A.W. Wilson are in Waco, Texas this week in a meeting at Paul Quinn College.

Birthdays this week include Mrs. Mary Jordan, Carolyn Ragland, Mary and Jerry Ragland, and Kenneth Littlejohn. Happy birthday to all of you.

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

Young people of the Youth Choir are selling popcorn balls and cup cakes for a "surprise project" they will have on Sunday, March 18.

Mount Vernon United Methodist Church

Sunday, March 18, Bishop Alsie H. Carleton will be with us. He is to preach for us at 4 p.m. Please mark this on your calendar and plan to be present at the afternoon service.

April 18, 1973, Mount Vernon and Agape United Methodist Church will have union Holy Week service. We are in hope of our congregation going with us. Our orchestra and choir are now preparing special music for the service.

Mrs. M.T. Reed and Mrs. J.B. Garner left last Thursday morning, via Braniff air lines, for Cincinnati, Ohio. They attended the United Methodist Women's Training Conference. They returned Sunday.

Mount Gilead Baptist Church

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The Deacon and Brotherhood will be in charge of Sunday's evening worship, March 18, beginning at 7 p.m.

Let us continue to pray for our sick and shut in members. Mrs. Adlean Nash, Mrs. Rosa Henry, Mr. Arthur Gipson, Mr. Frank Blewitt and Mrs. Norma Austin are ill this week.

Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church

The ladies of Greater Saint Luke will present the Lenord and Moor Family in a recital Sunday afternoon, March 18, beginning at 3 p.m. Extensive plans are being made for a spiritual presentation. If you miss this meeting, you will miss a spiritual treat. Come by and be with us. We will do you good. We need not tell you about the talent in these families, you already know. Let's break bread together in the House of the Lord.

The Congress Board of the Lovel Sunset District Congress is meeting in Odessa, Texas today and Friday of this week. Several delegates of our church is attending this meeting.

Members of the Eunice Circle will meet in the home of Sister Celestine Bennett, 611 Zenith Avenue, tonight at 7 p.m.

Members of the Esther Circle will meet Friday in the home of Sister Lillian Metters, 1312 East 14th Street, at 5 p.m.

Men's Chorus meets at the church each Wednesday night at eight. Brothers, let us not forget our meetings.

Prayer meeting is held each Wednesday evening at eight. Leave your prayers to Him alone whose will is wiser than your own.

Let us pray for and visit our sick and shut in members. Those on the sick list this week are Sisters Maggie Tatum, Ida Johnson, Florence Guyton, Dolly Howard and Lula York. Brothers Wilmar Wilson and Samuel Swisher are also ill this week.

New Hope Baptist Church

The Usher's Dedicatorial Services will be held Sunday, March 18, at 2:30 p.m. Choirs of the church are to participate in the affair.

Don't forget the "Come and Go Tea" Sunday afternoon, March 18, at 4:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. The

public is invited.

The Baptist Ministers Union has been organized in our community. Your support, cooperation and prayers are requested.

The State Executive Board will convene with Mount Orange Baptist Church of Texarkana, Texas on April 4 and 5. Let us attend these meetings if at all possible.

Whisper a prayer for the sick and shut in. Mrs. Callie Cato, Mrs. Annie Johnson, Michael Brown, Mr. H.C. Black, Rev. L.T. Mitchell, Mrs. Minnie Walker and the mother of Mrs. Dempsey Taylor are ill this week.

A friend of the community, Mrs. Maunita Terrell, is also ill in her home.

The State Sunday School and Baptist Training Union Board will meet at the First Baptist Church of Houston March 21 and 22.

Twentieth & Birch Street Church of Christ

The Annual Christian College Choral Festival at Lubbock Christian College will be held Friday and Saturday, March 16 and 17. Five states will be present to sing at this festival. Make plans to attend this wonderful concert of spiritual and gospel songs. Make plans to make one of these concerts.

Brother Paul Faulkner of Abilene, Texas will be with the Cactus Drive Church of Christ in Levelland, Texas this week. Each family will benefit by his lessons on family enrichment. He is an expert in his field.

Those persons on the sick list this week are Sisters Elva Carroll, Georgia Malone, Emma Conger and Brother T.E. Ray.

Church of God in Christ

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Proceeds for the evening program totaled \$248.00.

The pastor, Rev. Robert D. Adams, and members wish to thank the public for their loyal support of this effort.

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Avenue, this week.

Bishop W.D. Haynes is host pastor. Daily services are at 8 p.m. and will continue through March 17th. All services are open to the public and your presence will be greatly appreciated.

Friendship Baptist Church
Brownfield, Texas—Mrs. Ethel

Williams, superintendent was at her post of duty at the usual hour Sunday. The lesson was turned over to the teachers and was well discussed. The pastor came forward with a powerful review which was enjoyed by all.

Our pastor brought us the morning message, "God's Church was delivered out of Egypt Lord", text as "And the Angel of the Lord Appeared to Him in a Flame of fire

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out of the burning bush."

At the 5:10 p.m. B.T.U. service, the lesson was discussed by our pastor. All present were lifted up.

The subject for the evening worship service was "I made it up in my mind to put all my trust in the Lord", text "For the evil doers shall be cut off, but those that wait upon thee, they shall inherit the earth," Psalms 39:9.

The pastors closing remarks in the evening service were "May we all come together with a better fellowship, one to another."

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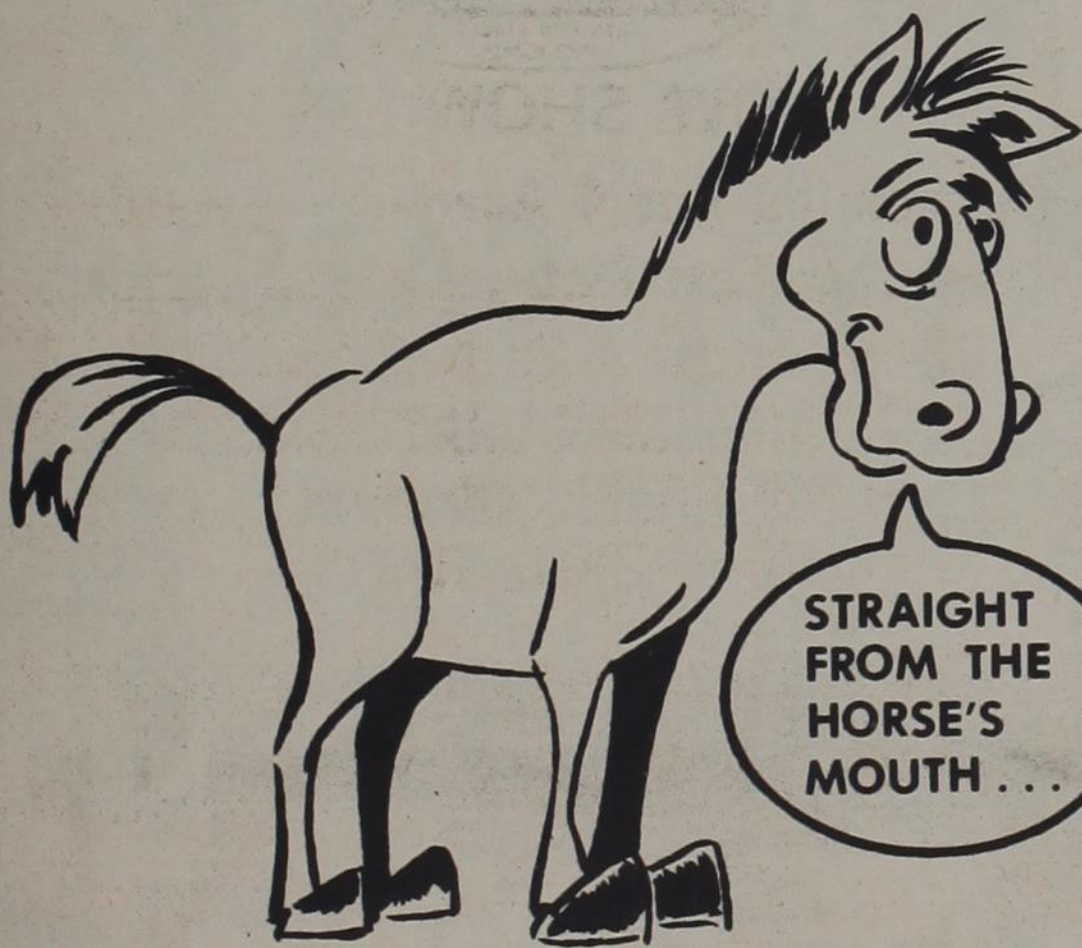
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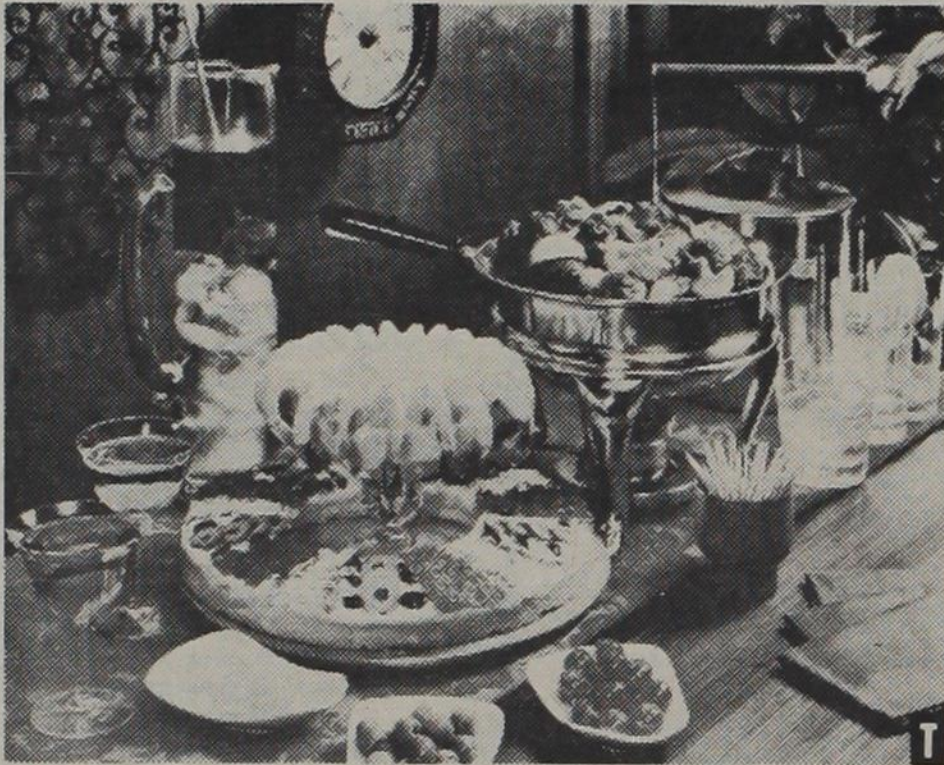
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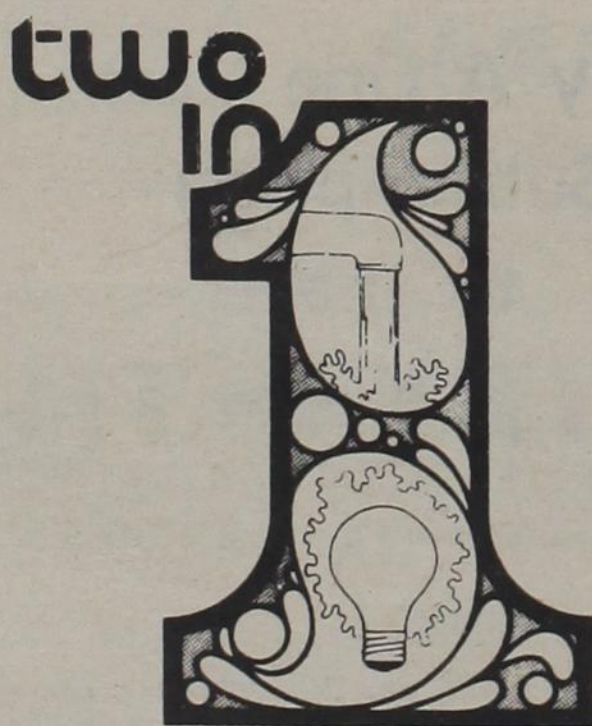
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MEAT BALLS STROGANOFF

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| 4 pounds ground beef | 2 large onions, chopped |
| 2 cups bread crumbs | 1 pound mushrooms, sliced |
| 1½ cups milk | (or 1 8-ounce can) |
| 2 eggs | 1 tablespoon flour |
| 1 tablespoon salt | ½ cup liquor of choice |
| pepper to taste | 2 cups sour cream |
| 6 tablespoons butter | |

Have lean chuck or sirloin ground twice for extra fineness. Soak crumbs in milk, add eggs, beat well. Blend with meat, adding salt and pepper to taste. Shape into small balls. Melt 2 tablespoon butter in large skillet, brown meat balls on all sides, shaking the pan to keep them round. Remove meat balls to heavy pan. Add remaining butter to skillet, cook onions and mushrooms until just tender and translucent. Sprinkle with flour, stir a minute or two. Add liquor and cook, stirring into brown bits, until the sauce thickens slightly. Stir in sour cream and heat. Keep hot until serving time. Makes 32 hors d'oeuvre servings.



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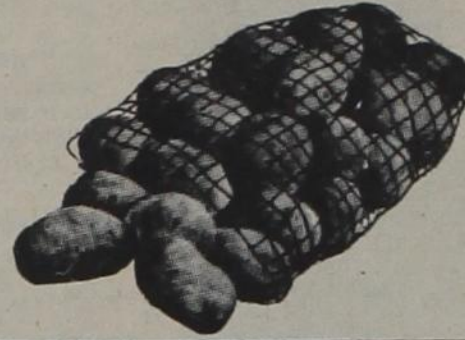
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