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West Texas Times Moves Into New and Larger Facilities in Downtown Lubbock

We've come a long way since 1961! The new facilities of the West Texas Times (formerly the Carver Heights and once the Manhattan Heights) is now located at 816 Avenue Q, former location of Lokey Cleaners.

An early location of the West Texas was a one room building on Farm Road 1585 and later to a larger building at the same address. The later building was the location of the Times for nearly ten years.

"I can remember setting columns on an IBM machine twice", admits editor T.J. Patterson, who had this opportunity at the times. "Norman (Williamson) was the real expert on setting type," admits Patterson.

Health Occupation Students Take Awards in Contest

The Texas Association of Health Occupation Students (TAHOS) Area IA Contest held at Amarillo College on February 14 and 15 was attended by students from Coronado and Monterey Health Education programs and their Coordinators, Mrs. Jean Cassell and Mrs. Helen Payne.

The Coronado Parliamentary Procedure team from Coronado consisting of Max McGee, Ilene Bentley, Sandy Cox, Paula Miller, Paul Webb, Linda Ray, Kala Worley and Norma Padilla won 1st Place. Other Coronado winners were Job Application, Sandy Cox 1st Place, Jan Burke 3rd Place. Extemporaneous Essay, Ilene Bentley 2nd Place, Paul Webb, 4th Place. Extemporaneous Speech, Kala Worley, 3rd Place, Prepared Speech, Max McGee 2nd Place. Notebook Division, Ilene Bentley 1st Place, Linda Ray 2nd Place, Jan Burke 2nd Place, Debbie May 4th Place, Paula Miller 4th Place, Sandy Cox 5th Place. Skills Division: Ilene Bentley 1st Place in Medical Laboratory; Paula Miller 1st Place and Max McGee 3rd Place in Physical Therapy; Sandy Cox 2nd Place and Norma Padilla 3rd Place in Dental.

The Monterey Parliamentary Procedure team from Monterey consisting of Debi Coffin, Sheila Moore, Ricky Stephens, Matt Dillon, Diane Eggenberger, Paul Johnson, Kim Gastineau and Nancy Archer won 2nd Place. Other Monterey winners were Job Application, Kathy Davis 2nd Place, Linda Condra 4th Place. Extemporaneous Speech; Debi Coffin 2nd Place, Linda Condra 4th Place. Prepared Speech, Donna Mott 3rd Place. Extemporaneous Essay, Nancy Archer 5th Place. Skills Division: Julie Wade 1st Place and Susie Rodriguez 2nd Place in Ward Clerk; Sheila Moore 2nd Place in

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Since that time, however, the Times has purchased much more equipment to put out a quality newspaper each week, as well as two other newspapers, the Suburban Today and The Plainsman.

Equipment now owned and operated by the Times includes a Compugraphic Compuwriter for typesetting at a much faster rate, and a NuArc camera for better production in the darkroom.

The new facility will meet the growing demand of the West Texas Times at the 816 Avenue Q location. Space has been allocated for several offices, a computer typesetting room, darkroom, layout area, coffee area, mailroom and reception area.

"We are looking forward to moving into other areas of newspaper work in the near future," says Williamson. "There is a great demand for a second newspaper for the city of Lubbock," he continues.

Bob DeLavan, has recently joined the Times as advertising salesman. He, too, will add a new dimension to the efforts of the West Texas Times, which is dedicated to informing citizens of West Texas.

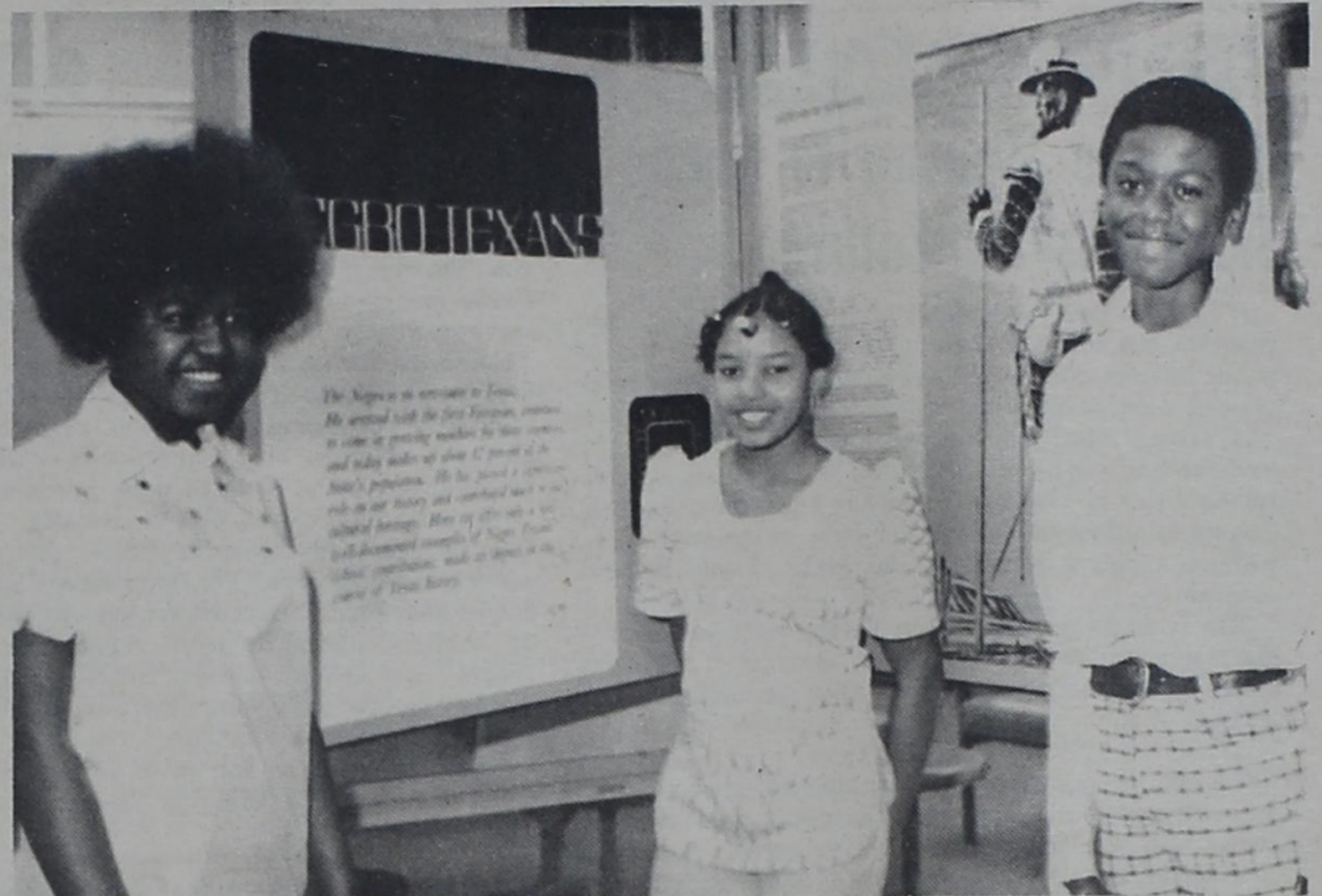
"In the near future, a special open house will be held at our new location to invite our many readers and advertisers out to see what we are all about," says Patterson. "Without any doubt, we've come a long way and there is still a long way to go," he continued.

"Over the past few weeks, I've had an opportunity of speaking to such groups as the Lubbock Board of Realtors, Lubbock Lions Club, Reese Air Force Base and the American Business Club (ABC), telling them about the West Texas Times," said Patterson. "This type of effort will continue, because we want every club, man, woman and child to know about the West Texas Times," he continued.

Philatelic Journalist To Issue Paul L. Dunbar Cachet

In connection with the commemorative stamp to be released May 1, honoring the American poet Paul Laurence Dunbar, The Philatelic Journalist will issue a bi-colored cachet. The black and autumn cover shows a photograph of the famous poet, the days of his birth and death, and a description of his works. It will be franked with the new stamp and cancelled at Dayton, Ohio on the first day of issue.

The first day cover is available from The Philatelic Journalist, P.O. Box PLD, Clinton Corners, N.Y. 12514. Enclose \$1.00 for each cover and #10 stamped and addressed envelope, so that the cover may be sent unaddressed.



Three members of the Struggs Junior High School Junior Historians Club are shown in front of a large display that has been on exhibit in the library at Dunbar High School. The fold-out display is entitled "Negro Texans" and has been on loan from the Institute of Texan Cultures. Shown from left are Laura Lang, whose guardian is Mrs. Mary Lipscomb of 2940 E. Baylor; Rena Flewellen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Flewellen of 1802 E. 24th; and Raphel Scott, son of Mrs. Nancy P. Scott, 1331 E. 25th St. The faculty sponsor of the Struggs Junior Historians is Sam Parker.

Revenue Sharing Bias Charged

Washington — (NBNS) — The U.S. Civil Rights Commission has charged the Office of Revenue Sharing with failing to enforce legal provisions barring discrimination in the use of revenue sharing funds by state and local governments.

It called on President Ford to request \$7.5 million for 300 additional civil rights compliance monitors—instead of the present four. In the meantime it said the Revenue Sharing office should delegate its compliance work to other more experienced federal agencies.

Charges of bias in the use of revenue sharing funds recently caused a federal court to order payments withheld from the city of Chicago. The court upheld charges that the city practices discrimination in its police department, which is one of the recipients of federal revenue sharing funds.

Graham Watt, head of the Revenue Sharing office, said many of the Commission's criticisms were "worthy of serious consideration," but rejected the view that his office should change its policy of largely leaving it up to the states and local governments to obey the anti-discrimination provisions of the revenue sharing law.

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Camp Fire Girls Receive Awards

Top Camp Fire Candy salesmen for 1975 were honored at an awards program Thursday evening at First Christian Church.

Deborah Kay Steinborn, a 5th grade student at Stewart Elementary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Steinborn, 4901 49th, received the grand prize, a telephone for her room for a full year, plus a trophy, portable TV, and a campership to Camp Monikiwa this summer for her sales of 417 boxes.

Other top sellers, selling more than 400 boxes each, are Bonnie Bailey, fourth grader at Murfee Elementary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Bailey, 3712 64th Drive; and Melina Patterson, fourth grader at Rush Elementary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Patterson, 4817 24th St.

More than 500 girls were honored at the event, receiving awards ranging from a certificate

New Manpower Training Program Offered by Lubbock Public Schools

Unemployed or underemployed adults 18 years of age or older who desire employment in sheet metal construction are invited to submit applications for a new Manpower Training Program that will be offered by Lubbock Public Schools.

Applications will be taken from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. on March 3 through 5 at the Lubbock Adult Learning Center, 2013 13th Street. The 21 weeks of classes get underway March 10 and end August 1.

Training allowances from \$80 to \$100 weekly will be provided under the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act. Trainees will be selected by the

of honor through the grand prize. Forty-four girls will be treated to a hamburger party courtesy of McDonald's on March 18, followed by a swim party at the Y.W.C.A. pool to be attended by 57. Camperships, either partial or full, at the Camp Fire Day Camp or resident Camp Monikiwa were won by 125 girls during the sale, which netted approximately \$28,000 for the Camp Monikiwa Fund.

Second Annual "Blue and Gold" Banquet Held at Bethel Church

Over one hundred Cub Scouts of Pack 139, their parents, sisters and brothers, and representatives of Mackenzie Trail District were present for the second annual "Blue and Gold" banquet held last Friday evening in the Fellowship Hall of Bethel A.M.E. Church.

Mr. Jeff Joiner, cub master of Pack 139, expressed his appreciation for the concern of everyone who helped to make this program

Alderson Jr. High PTA to Meet Monday, March 3rd

The PTA of Alderson Junior High School will meet Monday, March 3 at 7:30 p.m. in the Alderson Gymnasium, 219 Walnut Avenue.

The program will be presented by the Physical Education Classes, followed by a business meeting.

All parents and interested persons are invited and urged to attend.

Manpower Intake and Assessment Committee, according to Harvey Owen, coordinator of adult education for the school system. Following completion of the course, the Texas Employment Commission and the Manpower Training Services will provide job placement, Owen said.

Adults who desire further information about the classes may call 765-9338.

Attention Members Of Eastern Star

The Pride of Marshall Chapter #796 of the O.E.S. will hold a business meeting in the home of Sister Nancy Scody, 2611 Globe Avenue, Thursday evening, February 27, at 8 p.m.

Because of the nature and importance of this meeting, all members are requested to be present. It is a must from the Grand Lodge. "We are anticipating a lovely and joyous event for the evening and hope to see each of you there," says Mrs. C.E. Fair, W.M.; Mrs. Margie Jackson is reporter.

a success. "I am real happy over this program and I hope we can continue to do a better job in 1975," said Mr. Joiner.

The effort, which was directed by Ms. Maxine McCormick and other ladies of the committee, is an annual affair as a means of appreciation for the outstanding work the Cub Scouts have done over the past year.

Mr. Grover Colvin, district chairman of Mackenzie; Dr. Heenan Johnson, executive board member of the South Plains Council; T.J. Patterson, Duane and Clo Parker, Cub workers for Mackenzie District; and Ron Snyder, executive scouter, were present at the affair.

Pack 139, which is sponsored by Bethel A.M.E. Church, has grown from twelve boys several years ago, to over forty boys under the leadership of Mr. Joiner.

Rev. and Mrs. A.W. Wilson, pastor and wife of Bethel, were present at the affair. Rev. Wilson gave the invocation.

A special skit was put on by Webelos of Pack 139.

EDITORIALS

Revenue Sharing to Face Stern Test in Future

We realize that the Federal revenue-sharing payments program has suffered a great dent. If the activities of public interest groups continue to pick up, as they are at present time, revenue sharing may become very porous.

A recent effort, in the state of Texas, under the leadership of the Texas League of Women Voters, have revealed that the state of Texas has a disproportionately low number of minorities and women in its agencies. This, without a doubt, is against the grain of this Federal program.

The Texas League of Women Voters made known that black men and women held only 7.7 percent of the more than 70,000 jobs studied, while they account for 12.6 percent of the state's population. This information was based on the 1970 U.S. Census report.

Not only did their report reveal interesting information on black men and women, but the group noted that "a comparison of salary levels among the various categories shows even more marked evidence of under-utilization of minorities and women." This report made known that minorities and women held down the lowest paid and lowest skilled jobs.

The salary aspect was quite interesting for minorities and women. The Texas group showed that 71.2 percent of blacks employed by the state earned \$5,999 or less, and as salary levels increased, minority percentages at each higher level decreased.

A real good example of what is happening in Texas is that in the \$16,000 to \$24,099 income bracket, white non-Spanish persons occupied 96.4 percent of the jobs. Another interesting point was at the top-level, most visible jobs, did the number of blacks and Spanish surnamed individuals reach 11.4 percent. But that level, according to the report, represented only 28 individuals.

Other information about women revealed that women constitute 41.3 percent of the state's employees and they were not in the high paying jobs. The study reported that 57.4 percent of the women received less than \$6,000 and that women held only 10.6 percent of the jobs paying \$16,000 or more.

The State of Texas will receive approximately \$361.1 million (a period from January, 1972 through August, 1975), with the money being divided among the state and municipal agencies.

The question to be asked now is: "What will happen to the Federal revenue-sharing program in Texas?" It must be understood that the Treasury Department administers the Office of Revenue Sharing. This department also investigates complaints and determines types of punishment. The Federal Government then tries to resolve the noncompliance with the law administratively or through the courts. Either action could lead to a cutoff of Federal funds.

In December, as a direct result of groups as the Texas League of Women Voters, payments to Chicago, Ill. were held up because of the city's proven record of discrimination in employment practices continues. There are other cities who are joining the trail to expose those municipal governments and to prevent or delay their share of revenue sharing programs. The City of Boston, just last week, has geared up its involvement in the same direction.

What we are saying is that, without any doubt, the Federal Revenue Sharing is facing a stern test because of problems seen in its effort. Only time will tell about what will happen, and judging from all indications the sea is rather stormy.

As I See It

by T.J. Patterson

I knew it would finally happen! I knew someday and sometime, someone would be involved in a traffic mishap on Southeast Drive (Railroad Avenue). That person involved was this writer. Yes, last Friday evening (before the ice and snow came) someone hit me in the rear end of the car I was driving.

Thank God that no one was injured in the mishap. It could have happened very easily. You don't realize what a

traffic mishap is about until you are involved in one yourself. Believe me, you don't want to ever face this type of situation.

In recent weeks, this writer has written about the speedy traffic in this area. It's a wonder no one has been killed. I would hope that some type of enforcement will be given by the Lubbock Police Department concerning this area. There is a church (Bethel A.M.E.) at this location in which many young people of the community attend services weekly.

Southeast Drive has become a speedway for those persons who like to drive at high speeds. It is time for this to cease for the benefit of all citizens of Lubbock. The speed limit is 30 miles per hour, but it would be safe to say that people drive in the 50 to 60 miles per hour range.

The pastor of Bethel A.M.E. Church said, "I've asked the City Council to do something about this situation, but nothing has been done." For God's sake, I hope something will be done soon. This is one reason why the City Council of Lubbock needs to have representation from all geographical areas. At least, there would be persons residing in those areas where there are problems similar to the one on Southeast Drive.

I hope Rev. Wilson will do as he suggested: "Start a petition to take to the City Council about this bad situation."

Thought of the Week: "More than that, we rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit which has been given to us." Romans 5:3-5.

There's nothing wrong with our Lubbock Public Schools continuing to build public schools for the boys and girls of Lubbock. It's true, Lubbock is growing in leaps and bounds in the southwest part of the city. All of this is good!

I hope the Board of Trustees will take a close look at the schools in the eastern part of the city. This area, too, needs some consideration when it comes to upgrading our school situation.

With all the growth taking place in the city of Lubbock, it will be easy to overlook the young people in the eastern sector of the city.

The West Texas Times has a new home. We are located at 816 Avenue Q (the old location of Lokey Cleaners). I would like to take this opportunity to invite our many readers and advertisers to come by and visit with us.

We're sure you will enjoy visiting with us at this facility.

Since 1961, the West Texas Times has come a long way. Without people like you in Lubbock and West Texas, all of this wouldn't have happened. We appreciate all of you for your concern and welcome you at any time.

Don't forget to check out my monthly television show over KCBD-TV, Channel 11, at 12:30 p.m. Saturday afternoon, March 1. This month our program is about **The Popular Movement**. My special guest is Jorge Moreno, a longtime civic leader in the Mexican-American community. You'll enjoy what he is talking about.

On the show, Mr. Moreno will remind all of you to sign the petition which is going around Lubbock for another election concerning the expansion of the City Council.

Check us out on the tube Saturday afternoon, 12:30 p.m.

As I See It, editors, like me and others, are going to have to awaken and explore untapped areas in 1975. Perhaps this message was made loud and clear recently at the National Newspaper Publishers Association, during its mid-winter workshop, by Barbara Proctor, president of Proctor and Gardner Advertising agency.

No doubt about it, there will be new mountains to climb in advertising as the young lady suggested. In speaking to the black press, she pointed out: "The publisher or editor who relies strictly on his blackness will feel the foundation crumble beneath him." This is so true, because the black press has to reach out and find new ways of portraying what the black press is all about.

The West Texas Times, as well as other black newspapers, must find a way to educate the business community of what it (West Texas Times) is all about. It is time for local retailers to know how a black newspaper should be used. Many local businessmen and women are unaware of the black retail market.

The black retail market is growing and expanding. For example, the number of black elected officials has grown threefold over recent years. Although this aspect of the black community hasn't happened in Lubbock, it'll happen one day. Ten years ago, only three percent of the black population was in the \$20,000 and above income bracket. Now, nationally, that number is more than 30 percent. Thirty percent of the black population own homes and the number of two-car families has grown to thirty percent.

The black retail market is here in Lubbock and West Texas. It is time for the business community to realize that fact. Better still, the business community should realize the importance of the black press. The business community should rely more and more on the West Texas Times.

JACK ANDERSON'S
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SPECIAL



KISSINGER'S OIL PLAN
by Jack Anderson with Joe Spear
(From United Feature Syndicate, Inc.)

Washington—Despite the shah of Iran's recent pledge not to go along with another Arab oil embargo, the State Department is quietly preparing for such an emergency.

Even as Secretary of State Henry Kissinger was exchanging toasts with Arab leaders on his recent nine-nation tour, his aides were meeting behind closed doors with oil company representatives. They were working on an oil-sharing plan for the Western world.

The scheme calls for the Western nations to share energy resources in case of another embargo, but in reality this means the United States would provide most of the fuel.

Yet Kissinger may have more trouble negotiating with our own allies than he has with the Arabs. Several key points of his worldwide energy blueprint have raised hackles in France and England.

The peripatetic Kissinger may also have trouble with the U.S. Justice Department. His oil-sharing proposal would require the major oil companies to swap vital information. This, the Justice Department's antitrust lawyers fear, would lessen competition between the oil giants and give them even more dominance over the American market.

So if there is another oil embargo, the consumer may be picking up three tabs—one for himself, one for the European nations and one for even higher oil company profits.

Executive Ego: President Ford is beginning to feel his oats. In his private conversations with aides, he now talks confidently of winning the economic showdown with the Democrats.

He believes one-third of the populace supports his economic program and another third opposes it. The battle, he has told aides, is for the undecided third.

He has been encouraged by the response he has received on the road. He believes his economic arguments are beginning to catch on. He has an advantage over the Democrats, he has suggested, in being able to concentrate on a single program. There are too many disparate Democrats in Congress, he believes, ever to unite behind an economic policy.

The President has acknowledged to aides, however, that he can't completely control the economic forces. His re-election will depend, in his opinion, on whether the economic outlook is brighter in 1976.

Defense Dilemma: Much has been written about Secretary of State Kissinger's slipping popularity on Capitol Hill. What hasn't been written is that Secretary of Defense James Schlesinger is also in trouble with the lawmakers.

Basically, it boils down to personality—or lack of it. Senate sources who deal with the defense secretary tell us he is too professional and condescending. He tends to lecture senators and talk down to them. This bruises some of the tender egos on Capitol Hill.

Schlesinger has made the situation even worse by appointing aides to handle Congress who are as unsociable as he is. His top assistant for legislative affairs, for example, is John Maury, who was a CIA man for over 20 years. He is a man who is used to speaking in whispers and is singularly unsuited for the gregarious role he is expected to play on Capitol Hill. As Maury's assistant, Schlesinger has chosen Donald Sanders, whose credentials include a four-year stint on the Communist-hunting House Internal Security Committee and 10 years with the FBI.

As one Senate source put it, Schlesinger was a strike against the Pentagon. The appointment of his two legislative assistants means he has struck out.

Grave Talk: President Francois Tombalbaye of the African nation of Chad has come up with a unique method of winning over public opinion. According to CIA reports, he has begun a radio program called "Voice of the Ancestors", which appeals to citizens of Chad to rally behind their esteemed leader. In truth, the voice from the beyond is that of a close friend and adviser of Tombalbaye. No one seems to know, just yet, what effect the "Voice of the Ancestors" will have on the people of Chad, 40 per cent of whom are animists.

Sensitive Art: Hanging in the Corcoran art gallery in Washington are some odd-looking portraits of Communist Chinese leader Mao Tse-tung painted by American pop artist Andy Warhol. When visiting Red Chinese art curators arranged to visit the museum, their tour was carefully arranged to avoid the wierd pictures of Mao. But they canceled the tour and relieved Corcoran officials hung up still another peculiar Mao portrait. Then the Chinese decided to see the museum after all.

Oil Spies: The United Arab Emirates, the seven tiny sheikhdoms along the Persian Gulf, are convinced they will be the target of U.S. military intervention. According to CIA reports, they even claim to have caught an American spying on their oil fields.

A U.S. embassy member in the sheikhdom of Abu Dhabi, the Arabs say, asked Japanese oil company executives to obtain detailed maps of the sheikhs' oil wells. The American spy, claim the Arabs, also tried to find out about the sheikhs' plan to blow up their oil fields if the United States invades.

Sky Spies: Intelligence reports warn the Soviets are preparing to build space stations which could have tremendous military significance. The space labs are under construction, according to the intelligence reports, on a regular production line. More than 75 cosmonauts are also training to man these sky posts. Ultimately, the Russians plan to orbit the huge space stations with 12-man crews. Some will be used, the intelligence reports say, as observation posts.

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Police Beat

Criminal Mischief

Doris Clements, 3411 East 14th Street, reported a problem she had one day last week to Lubbock Police. She said that she was enroute to work and was traveling west in the 1300 block of East 19th Street when a person or persons unknown threw an unknown object at her car.

The unknown object broke the passenger window of her 1968 model pickup. Damage to the window is approximately \$50.

House Burglary

William H. Kurney, 1918 East Baylor Avenue, reported to Lubbock police that persons unknown entered his garage, which he admitted was left unlocked, and took some of his possessions.

Items taken were a .357 magnum pistol, one refrigerated air conditioner, a patio umbrella, a watch, set of crystals and \$375 worth of frozen meat from the freezer. Also \$20 in cash was taken.

As we have said many times, you'd better lock all your doors, because people are borrowing your meat and foodstuffs now. If you don't believe us, ask Brother Kurney.

Car Burglary

Will McReynolds, a resident of Idalou, reported that while he was in Lubbock one day last week he had a problem. He said that persons unknown entered his unlocked 1973 model car and took advantage of his possessions.

After gaining entry to the car, the burglars took an 8-track tape deck, valued at \$35; and three 8-track tapes, valued at \$24.

Approximately \$25 worth of damage was done to the dash and glove compartment of the car. There were no suspects in the case.

House Burglary

Freddie Green, 2812 East 8th Street, reported to Lubbock police that persons forcibly entered his house, possibly through a kitchen window, one day last week. He stated that he had left it unlocked and the window was partially open.

Taken from the house was a 12-inch television set. The police report that there was a possibility of knowing where the TV set was, because someone in his family had seen the set.

Burglary of Pleasure Gardens

D.C. Fair, Sr., 2807 Date Avenue, owner of the Pleasure Gardens, reported to Lubbock police that persons unknown cut the chain which locked an outside door to the building.

Once inside the breezeway, another plexiglass door was broken to gain entry to the main entrance to the main part of the building.

Taken from the establishment were five boxes of candy and gum, valued at approximately \$25. Damage to the plexiglass was approximately \$90.

In cases like this, and others, the unknown burglars do more damage to the building that the items they take.

around the hub city

Mr. and Mrs. Artemus Tennison and Mrs. Evans, mother of Mrs. Tennison, attended funeral services at Mart, Texas last Wednesday for Mrs. Joe Hooks, sister of Mrs. Evans. She passed away at a hospital in Waco, Texas.

Mr. Thomas Sanders and sister, Mrs. Lillie Smith, have returned from Portland, Oregon where they attended final rites for their

sister-in-law, Mrs. Margaret Sanders. Other out-of-town relatives attending the services were Mr. and Mrs. E.T. Hubbard and Mrs. Clarence Fagans of Seattle, Washington.

Rev. and Mrs. Donald Coleman, acting minister of the Messiah Presbyterian Church, 314 17th Street, were dinner guest of Leo W. Sedberry and family last Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Maude Hamilton was also present at the dinner.

Message has been received here of the passing of Mrs. Bertie Settles of Waco, Texas last Saturday at a local hospital there. She was the sister of the late Mrs. Pearl Fair who passed away August, 1974 here. She is also survived by three brothers, Paris, Clyde and Phil Brown; also two nephews, D.C. Fair, Sr., and D.C. Fair, Jr. She also has two nieces who reside in the state of California. At this time, services are pending.

Family members of Mrs. Alma Moseley, who passed away at Fort Worth, Texas, have returned after attending the services last Tuesday.

The sick and shut-in list this week includes Mrs. James Emma Knighten, a patient at West Texas Hospital, who is not feeling so well. Mrs. Callie Cato is still a patient at Jewel's Rest Home. Mr. Ulysses Beaty is a patient at St. Mary of the Plains Hospital.

Mrs. Minnie Walker, Mrs. Sarah Riddles and Mrs. Katie Snell are ill at their homes.

Mrs. Estelle Pierce is still on the critical list at a local rest home. Rev. T.B. Reece is about the same at his home. Almo Sedberry continues to recuperate at home. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Johnson are improving slowly.

Mrs. Hannah Lee Patterson, mother of T.J. Patterson, is reported doing well after a recent operation. She resides in Wichita Falls, Texas and is a weekly reader of the West Texas Times. Mrs. Patterson is a sister of Mrs. April Rose Anderson and Mrs. Lucille S. Graves.

When you talk to an individual who wants full agreement with his, or her views, you are wasting your time.

Texas Public Schools Week to be Marked Here Week of March 3rd through 7th

Lubbock Public Schools join others in the State in observance of Texas Public Schools Week, March 3-7. This year's annual recognition of education marks the 121st year of the public school system in Texas.

Superintendent Ed Irons has extended an invitation to the public to visit the schools. All classrooms from kindergarten through adult education will be open for visitors. Although many schools will have special programs, the emphasis of the week is on visitation of the classrooms in normal operation.

Numerous open houses, parent-teacher meetings, special exhibits, and programs have been planned. Hundreds of items of student art work from the elementary schools will be on display in the South Plains Mall during the week. Another large art work display will be open to the public at the Garden and Arts Center. The exhibit will feature the work of students in grades 9-12 from throughout the city.

Texas Public Schools Week was first observed in 1951. It is

sponsored locally by the Masonic lodges, the City Council of Parents and Teachers, and the Lubbock Classroom Teachers Association.

Teachers will be honored with various courtesies during the week by the individual P.T.A. units.

Special information brochures about the Lubbock Public Schools have been prepared and will be distributed at civic club meetings next week by members of the City Council of Parents and Teachers. The pamphlets will also be sent home by elementary school students and be available to visitors at the junior and senior high schools. Viewers of a special display in the South Plains Mall may also pick up an information brochure.

Littlefield News

Mrs. Elsie McFrazier is in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. She has just undergone surgery. She is in fair condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Holmes are gone to hi uncle's funeral in Pampa.

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Hobby - Baker Exchange Vows

Miss Freda Hobby and Reginald Curry Baker were married last Saturday afternoon at 5 p.m. in the home of the bride, with the Rev. A.W. Wilson, pastor of Bethel A.M.E. Church officiating.

Miss Hobby is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Clark and Baker is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Baker of Memphis, Tennessee.

The maid of honor was Mrs. Katharine Hardaway and the best man was Anthony Baker.

A graduate of Dunbar High School, the bride has attended Langston University in Oklahoma and is a recent graduate of the Lubbock Vocational Nursing School.

The bridegroom is a graduate of



Carver High School in Memphis and has attended Langston University where he is a senior pre-law major.

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Dr. Leon Sullivan's call to the President, the Congress, and the American people to get rid of the slums in Urban America and the poverty in Rural America was greeted with a standing ovation by 1500 enthusiastic OIC delegates and leaders at the closing session of an historic four day Convocation in Atlanta last week.

Sullivan said: "This is the time to look toward rebuilding the cities of this nation that have been bombed out by poverty and segregation and neglect and to train our unemployed and our poor and eliminate the ghettos and the slums of America!" He rejected out of hand arguments that recession and energy crisis make this impossible. "If we can find billions of dollars to send to Vietnam and Cambodia and Korea, the Far East and Europe, then we can find billions of dollars to rebuild American Cities and American rural areas so that every American can have a decent house to live in, a decent job to work on, and a dignified future for their children and their families."

Speaking directly to President Ford's economic and energy proposals, Dr. Sullivan said: "More and more all Americans must learn the value of individual responsibility and self-reliance. We must discipline ourselves to self-reliance until there are better times. This is what the President is asking for; self-reliance and cooperation with volunteer controls, until the Nation can increase our own energy supplies and do better."

Pushing for a workable plan tied to training to put all the unemployed who want to work in a job, Dr. Sullivan challenged OIC leaders to "go home and keep working, keep pushing until doors open..." "Go back home and submit an OIC Emergency Job Plan to your Prime Sponsor to make OIC a Public Service Jobs Information Center for Veterans and young people—an Emergency Jobs Placement Center—and emergency jobs employer."

"Let America know that we are not satisfied with the way city hall is pork-barreling these emergency funds and that emergency jobs are not the final answer. We need permanent jobs in a stable economy with industrial production and skilled workers and government cooperation working together..."

"With unemployment lines getting longer and Federal debt getting bigger, and welfare costs getting higher—is there a way? We of OIC say to America, Yes—there is a way: and OIC is going to help make that way. People will be trained. Jobs will be found. Ghettos will be rebuilt. Rural areas will be revived. We intend to spread the spirit of self-reliance and self-improvement and self-dependence across this nation. We intend to reach the unreached and get our Government to put people to work in their own communities, rehabilitating the houses, working in anti-pollution and energy production and crime prevention programs, and always, always getting training in a skill that

industry will need after the emergency is over so they won't have to go back on welfare. We intend to make OIC a precision instrument that the President and the Congress, the Governors and the Mayors can use to help solve the problems of unemployment and poverty. OIC will be as precise as IBM or AT&T or GE or General Motors, as cost effective as the most efficient profit making corporation. Yet, OIC will continue to be as dedicated as ever to helping people help themselves and continue building bridges between industry and government and the people."

The National OIC Board of Directors voted to convene in 1976 in Philadelphia for the Bicentennial Convocation." Dr. Sullivan stated at the conclusion of the four exciting days, "it was beyond our greatest expectations, it was the greatest Convocation OIC has ever had, and we have just begun."

Lubbock School Lunch Menu

- Monday, March 3**
- Pizza Squares
- Buttered Whole Kernel Corn
- Pear Half, Pudding, Milk
- Tuesday, March 4**
- Pig in a Blanket
- Steamed Rice
- Buttered Green Beans
- Fruit Punch, Cobbler, Milk
- Wednesday, March 5**
- Country Fried Steak
- Mashed Potatoes
- Buttered Blackeyed Peas
- Hot Rolls, Butter
- Fresh Banana, Milk
- Thursday, March 6**
- Beef Tacos with Lettuce
- Pinto Beans, Sliced Peaches
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Bethel A.M.E. Church

Services were well attended last Sunday morning, despite the icy and snowy weather experienced in the city. Our pastor, Rev. A.W. Wilson, delivered the morning message. His subject was "The Lord is my Shepherd". Senior Choir Number Two was responsible for the music of the hour.

Brother W.H. Stephens taught a combined Sunday School class for the morning. There was a great deal of discussion about the Letters of Paul in the Book of Romans.

Let us continue to pray for our sick and shut in members. Rev. T.B. Reece is still shut in as well as Mrs. Estelle Pierce.

Senior Choir Number Two is rehearsing on Wednesday evenings, rather than the regular Thursday evenings, because of practice sessions of the Mass Federation of Choirs at the Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church.

Wednesday evening prayer meetings are held at 7:30 p.m. in the church auditorium. Why not come out and have a good time serving the Lord.

Twentieth & Birch Street Church of Christ

The monthly area fellowship will take place at the congregation in Levelland next Sunday, March 2. A meal will be served at 2:30 p.m. Brother Mayberry is minister.

Several of the young ladies of the congregation met at the home of Sister Velma Lethridge last Friday evening for a devotional. The group plans to put on a

Definition

Hangover: Something to occupy a head that wasn't used the night before.

—Review, Plymouth, Wis.

Experts, like ordinary people, seldom agree.

"Group Dynamics" this Friday evening, February 28, in the fellowship hall. All young married couples of the congregation are invited. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Those on the sick and shut in list include Sister Cora Lawson and Sister Cathrine Hamilton. The father of Sister Archie Brown has been sick for some time. Let us continue to pray for all our sick and shut ins.

New Hope Baptist Church

Dr. E.A. Freeman, president of the National Baptist Sunday School and Baptist Training Union Congress, will be in our city March 9, Sunday, at 8 p.m. Services will be held at Lyons Chapel Baptist Church. All members are asked to attend and invite others.

Church Conference will be held Monday evening, March 3, at 7:30 p.m. All members are asked to attend.

The West Texas District Executive Board will convene with the St. Mark Baptist Church of Cisco, Texas, March 11 through 13.

Special Bishop College Sunday will be observed March 9th. This is a National Baptist Convention assigned date that all churches will observe. Let us make plans to do our share for our college on this date.

Hats Off! To the Brotherhood of New Hope for the great service on last Sunday afternoon. The Male Chorus was outstanding and our prayers are that these men will continue singing, and that you will render services for some Sunday worship services.

The Wild Game Dinner, also on last Sunday, was a powerful send-off for all that attended. The men of New Hope are now on the road to do great things. Let us continue to give our support to them.

Remember the sick and shut in our church and the community as well. Those on the sick list include Ms. Callie Cato, Ms. Minnie Walker, Ms. Katie Snell, Ms. James Emma Knighten and Mr. Ulysses Beaty. If you know of others, please inform the pastor or church office.

Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church

Members of the Eunice Circle will meet in the home of Sister Everlean Allen, 239 Beech Avenue, Thursday evening at seven.

Members of the Dorcas, Queen of Sheba and Sarah Circles met in the homes of Sisters Clara Scott, Clara O'Neal and Lucille Middleton this week.

Prayer meeting is held each Wednesday evening at seven.

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Matador Message

by Myrna Whitehead
 Black Bicentennial Warm Up was the theme of the programs presented by the Estacado High student body to aid to the celebration of National Black History Week.

These programs were well received by parents as well as people in the community, stated

Mr. Carroll Thomas, EHS activity director.

The Warm Up featured re-enactments of the contributions made by Black leaders in the past two hundred years.

A recreation of the play Mulatto by Langston Hughes was performed by Dwight Delgado and Calvin Stiggers. A "Raisin In

the Sun" was performed by Maxine Jackson and Bill Connors. Black Poetry was read by members of the EHS Speech Team and creative dancing was performed by the student body. Solos were sung by Carol Lee and Demetra Miller and Rhythm and Blues were performed by the EHS Stage Band. Tina Moore was mistress of ceremonies.

Student Association of Black Unity, an organization at Texas Tech University, extends an invitation to the EHS student body asking for the reproduction of the Bicentennial Warm Up to be held on April 2.

The program to be presented by EHS is only one of many to be presented during Black History Week at Texas Tech.

The EHS Matadorettes defeated the Dunbar Panthers in the DHS gym 41-21.

In the first game the Matadorettes were also victorious 20-18. Matadorettes, the name chosen by the Girl's Basketball team last year, are 1-2 on the season. EHS will play Lubbock High in the LHS gym February 28 at 6:15 p.m.

Curiosity is still the basis of most of our knowledge.

Doing favors for people is habit-forming, in both directions.

Sports of The Times

by Joe Kelly

The sun was shining Sunday morning, birds were singing and there were smiles on the faces of Texas Tech basketball fans. I hope that they were there Wednesday morning.

Since this is written Sunday, I don't know what the outcome of the Tech-Aggie game Tuesday night was. If I had to risk a bob or two on that outcome, it would have to go with the Aggies. A couple of years ago, after A&M had beaten Tech here, I kiddingly said to Shelby Metcalf, shame on you! He replied "we just delayed their winning a little." It turned out he was right.

Eddie Sutton, the Arkansas coach, gave Tech a good chance to beat A&M after his Razorbacks had lost to the Raiders Saturday night. And, on the record, he could have been right.

The edge that A&M has is in quality depth. Shelby can run in nine or 10 players with no letdown in ability. The Raiders rely, obviously, on no more than six. Six is enough, but it would take tremendous defense and a hot hand in the field.

Tech had a big week. It squeaked by SMU, never an easy task, and then it beat a solid Arkansas team that set up Tuesday night's showdown.

The trail the rest of the way, even if Tech won, is not easy—home Saturday against Texas, at Baylor and home to play TCU. And a tie would mean a neutral site playoff. On one thing you all can agree—it's been a great race.

Maybe I'm alone, but it makes me boiling mad when a Texas high school boy signs to play for Oklahoma. I'd rather that player went to a Southwest Conference school, any school, and performed, even if he beat Tech, than to cross the Red River.

The idea of a Texas athlete playing for OU is repulsive, at best. Take Lone Star State players away and OU couldn't beat Canyon Normal. That's why, on one day of the football season, I always pull for Texas.

One of these days Texas ought to make it mandator for anyone crossing the Red River to have a visa—and then not give them to Texas high school athletes!

The aforementioned Sutton the other day pulled the cork on a situation that has bothered league coaches for a long time, inferior officiating in the conference.

At best, the coaches would be happy if the officiating was merely consistently bad. They could adjust to that. The thing that drives them crazy is inconsistency. And for too long the officiating has been inconsistent.

The conference could score with the coaches if there was a basketball man as director of officials and a formal school for officials was held.

The school could be taught by officials from recognized "basketball" conferences, such as the Big 8, Big 10, Pacific Coast, Southeastern. Their interpretation of the rules is usually pretty good, to say nothing of their judgment.

Sunday's hockey game between Philadelphia and New York was one of the best of the year. The game had everything—including a fight, which is one of those extracurricular activities not on the schedule, but which the fans always love.

But the game itself was the thing. It had fast and furious action, great passing, brilliant goal work, good hard checks, poke checking, relatively few penalties and great skating. It was a pleasure to watch.

The Roundup—Congratulations to Steve Sloan on being selected to coach the East squad in the Colleges All-America football game....That Bill Murray (AFCA director) ain't so dumb—Steve and Grant Teaf oughta sell a lot of tickets....SMU has switched Charlie Adams from defensive end to linebacker and Earl Hopper from defensive back to defensive end in spring grad drills. Saturday ended the first week of workouts....Putt Choate, a 6-2, 215 pound Oklahoma high school boy, has signed with the Ponies. They now have 29 signees....Billy Joe Dupree of the football Cowboys wants to organize a Cowboy basketball team. Wow! Who'd dare play that beef?....Speaking of Teaff, he might give a handsome reward to anyone who could tell him where Billy Sims of Hooks was for three days....In the Jayton area, coyotes are starting to "pack up" and some ranchers are getting nervous....As reported earlier, J. William Davis of Tech probably will go under the knife for open heart surgery when he loses some extra poundage....George Foster, a fine young man intent on doing the best possible job, came up to a man in the pressroom area in the Coliseum Saturday night and asked to see his press pass. He didn't have one and George was in the process of asking him to leave when a couple of bystanders stepped in. The "freeloader" was Dr. J.E. Loveless, the Raider team physician!

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Final Rites Read for Oscar Mosley Here

Final rites were read Monday afternoon for a longtime resident of Lubbock, Oscar Mosley, age 61, at the Christ Temple Church of God in Christ, with the pastor, Bishop W.D. Haynes, officiating.

Burial was held in the City of Lubbock Cemetery under the direction of South Plains Funeral Home.

Mosley, who resided at 3601 Vanda Avenue, died last Thursday in Methodist Hospital. He was a retired cafe owner and had been a resident of Lubbock for 38 years.

Survivors include a son, James of Los Angeles, California; and a granddaughter.

Final Rites Read at Meridian, Texas for Andrew Crawford

Final rites were read last Saturday at Meridian, Texas at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church for Andrew "Bud" Crawford, 45, whose body was found beside his truck Thursday, Feb. 15, by his employer. He died of an apparent heart attack.

Survivors include ten brothers and sisters, a wife and two children. Lubbock relatives include Mrs. Joe Davenport, Ralph Alexander, the Sedberry families, Maunita Terrell, Ruby Jay and Mrs. Jess Johnson and family.

Severe weather here in Lubbock prevented relatives from attending the services.

Final Rites Held For Joe McGowen

Services were conducted at Jamison and Son Funeral Chapel last Wednesday afternoon at 3 p.m. for Joe McGowen, age 65, who passed away Saturday, February 15, at 8:15 p.m. at the V.A. Hospital at Big Springs, Texas where he entered February 4th.

Rev. A.W. Wilson, pastor of Bethel A.M.E. Church, officiated the services. The services were brief and largely attended. Active pall bearers were Sidney Hall, Roy Blue, O.C. Horton, James Crave, Sr., Miles Neal and Plural Diamond. Honorary pallbearers were members of the American Legion Booker T. Washington Post 808.

Immediately following the services, Emmitt Jamison and a helper left with the body for Millian, Texas, Mr. McGowen's home, where graveside rites were held with scores of relatives and friends in attendance. Interment was at Barker Cemetery. Members of each side of the family who resided in California met the family there.

Family members who went from Lubbock were Mrs. M.E. McGowen, his widow; Mrs. Lula Mae Gentry and son, David; his daughter and grandson; and two friends of the family, Mrs. Lillie Loud and Mr. David Collins.

They returned early Saturday evening and the California family left for their home in Los Angeles and Rio Linda.

The family requested flower

donations be made to the Cancer Research Center.

Other survivors included two brothers, three sisters, four nieces, a nephew, other relatives and many friends who will miss him very much.

Newborn Black's Hearts Beat Faster

Washington — (NBNS) — A possible clue to the greater incidence of high blood pressure and heart disease in Black Americans may have been found in the faster heartbeats recorded for newborn black babies as compared to whites.

A group of Pittsburgh scientists detected the more rapid heart rate while measuring the heartbeats of 78 black and 68 white babies as they slept.

They found the rates significantly higher for newborn blacks, even though the mothers were generally of the same age, socioeconomic status and had had the same number of previous births.

The scientists reported, however, in an article in Psychosomatic Medicine, that it could not yet be determined whether the differences in heartbeat were the result of genetic or environmental

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State Board of Education Approves Text Books for 1975

Longview, Tx.—Textbook analysts Mr. and Mrs. Mel Gabler of Longview this week made available to newspapers throughout Texas a list of approved textbooks which the State Board of Education has adopted for use beginning September, 1975, and which they recommend.

The Gablers devote their full time to research, reviewing books strictly for content from a parent's point of view. Through their efforts during the past 14 years many changes have been made in textbooks prior to their adoption by the State of Texas and subsequently the nation.

"Texas is fortunate in that its policy allows citizen review of textbooks before they are adopted," Gabler points out. "Had

West Virginia had a like system, that state could have avoided its present conflict."

Final selection of textbooks used in local schools is dependent upon local textbook committees, but they are limited to the state approved books.

The Gabler's work entails reference sheets and Bills of Particulars they prepare on books under consideration.

"These pinpoint the "questionable" material," the team points out. "Each reader must make up his own mind regarding it."

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Church News . . .

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Freedom of worship should not be interpreted to mean neglect of worship.

The Men's Chorus meets at the church each Wednesday evening at eight.

Youth Choir meets at the church each Monday evening at seven. All young people in St. Luke are asked to avail themselves of the great movement.

Let us pray for and visit our sick and shut in members. Sister Dolly Howard is shut-in in her home. Sister Everlean Allen is recuperating nicely at her home. Rev. Samuel Swisher is a patient at Edwards Rest Home.

Mount Gilead Baptist Church

"The Mount Gilead Baptist Church, the friendly church where the soul and spirit meet. The church where everybody is somebody. The church extends to members and public a cordial and

clarion call to worship with us each week."

The Senior Choir wishes to thank everyone for their presence and support on last Sunday afternoon.

Those of you who have not registered to vote, please do so. This is of great importance.

The Senior Choir was in charge of the 3:00 p.m. program held at the church on Feb. 16, which included a special installation ceremony. The theme of the program was "Togetherness." Several songs were sung, "Old Time Religion", "Something Within Me I Cannot Explain", "When All of God's Children Get Together", "A Charge To Keep", and "Use Me Lord." Mrs. Ruby Tennison gave a reading. At the conclusion of the choir's program, the Pastor installed all the church officers for 1975.

The Junior Ushers will put on an Easter program on March 30th.

Let us remember our sick and berieved families in our prayers.

Lyon's Chapel Baptist Church

The YWA of Lyon's Chapel Baptist Church fellowshipped with the Rosa Ricle of Mt. Gilead Baptist Church in the church auditorium on last Tuesday night. Devotion was rendered by Ms. Robbie Lee of the Rosa Circle and Ms. Ernestine Dotsey of Lyon's Chapel. The YWA of Lyons Chapel also rendered two songs. Ms. Elnora Brooks is the sponsor of this group and Ms. Louise Perry is the musician.

Mrs. Lottie Thornton, president of the General Missionary Society, presented Ms. Lillian Jones, Ms. Martha Blue, Ms. Estelle Loggins, and Ms. Henrietta Clark with certificates of recognition for their continued work with this organization and the church in general. Ms. Jones has been a faithful president since 1971. Sis. Thornton stated that Ms. Jones has been the strength of the organization—that she has never given up, even though there were times when only two or three were present, she carried on to keep the group moving forward.

Ms. Clark, secretary since 1972, has been faithful throughout the years in documenting all minutes, reports, etc. Sis. Thornton stated that Sis. Clark was not only a faithful and dedicated worker with the Rosa Circle, but also a dedicated worker in the entire church. Ms. Loggins, Teacher since 1974 and member since 1971 has been a source of inspiration to those who heard her talk about "what thus saith the Lord." It seems as though each topic she discusses has been divinely inspired in order to reach all who listened. Ms. Blue, Treasurer and a member for over a year came

into the organization with the desire to do her share for the on-going of God's work. Sis. Thornton stated that she was a good example of the topic discussed that night on "Stewardship." Ms. Blue is a willing worker who has given not only financially to the on-going of their efforts, but has given of her time and talent. The ceremony was an inspiration to these young women and to those who were in attendance.

Triumph Baptist Church

Slaton—If you don't have a church home, feel free to come and worship with us.

God blessed us with another wonderful Sunday starting with Sunday School. The lesson was "Living in Hope" in the motto text: We know that in everything works for good with those who love him.

Eleven o'clock service was well attended. Devotion was led by Bro. Roberson and a prayer by Sis. Mable Willis. The Junior Choir sang three songs. Rev. Brown delivered the morning message. His topic was "You are Never Alone When You Know Christ", St. John 14:18, Matt. 28:19-20. The senior choir was responsible for the music of the hour.

Sis. Pearlle Franklin is asking our friends to join in with the members in a house warming to welcome our pastor's wife into our city. Place, 835 S. New Mexico St.

The "Gift of God" and the "Spiritual Soul Seekers" will be at Triumph Baptist Church March 2, 1975. The youth of Triumph Baptist Church is sponsoring this program. Let us pray for our sick and shut-in. Triumph Baptist Church, 1255 E. Geneva, Slaton. Rev. M.A. Brown, pastor.

Mt. Olive Baptist Church

Snyder—The Superintendent, Sis. Bertha Willis, was at her post to call to worship the Sunday School. High points were given by Bro. A. Lewis and very uplifting to all.

The pastor, Rev. F. Nelson brought he message, "The

West Texas Area Workshop Held

The New Jerusalem Baptist Church, 3524 East Broadway Avenue, Rev. Adolphus Cleveland, pastor, was host to the Baptist Missionary and Educational Convention of Texas (B.M.E.) State Sunday School and Baptist Training Union Congress, West Texas Area Workshop, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday (February 19, 20 and 21). Rev. U.S. Cornelius, president of Dallas; Rev. M.L. Bailey, director of Christian Education; and Mrs. Erma Buford, secretary, were present.

This meeting is an auxiliary to the B.M.E. Convention of Texas; Rev. C.A.W. Clark, president; and Rev. S.A. Stuckey, secretary.

Theme for the three day workshop was "Biblical Images for Contemporary Culture." Classes: 310b, "Understanding Youth", Mrs. H.I. Gatewood; 462b, "Program of the Laymen", Rev. U. Bailey; 521b, "Church Procedure", Rev. M.L. Bailey; and 614b, "Financing the Work of the Church", Rev. W.E. Gibbs.

Representatives from various towns and cities included Marshall, Crane, Dallas, Houston, Plainview, Odessa, Abernathy, Fort Stockton, Pecos, Morton and Pittsburg, Texas.

Friday evening, February 22, the W.M.U. of New Hope Baptist Church of Lubbock furnished refreshments.

Greatness of God". Scripture reading Psalms 104:31-35.

Music for the morning service was provided by both the junior and senior choirs, combined. Sis. Anniece Johnson assisted the choirs at the organ.

Both the message and the music was very inspiring.

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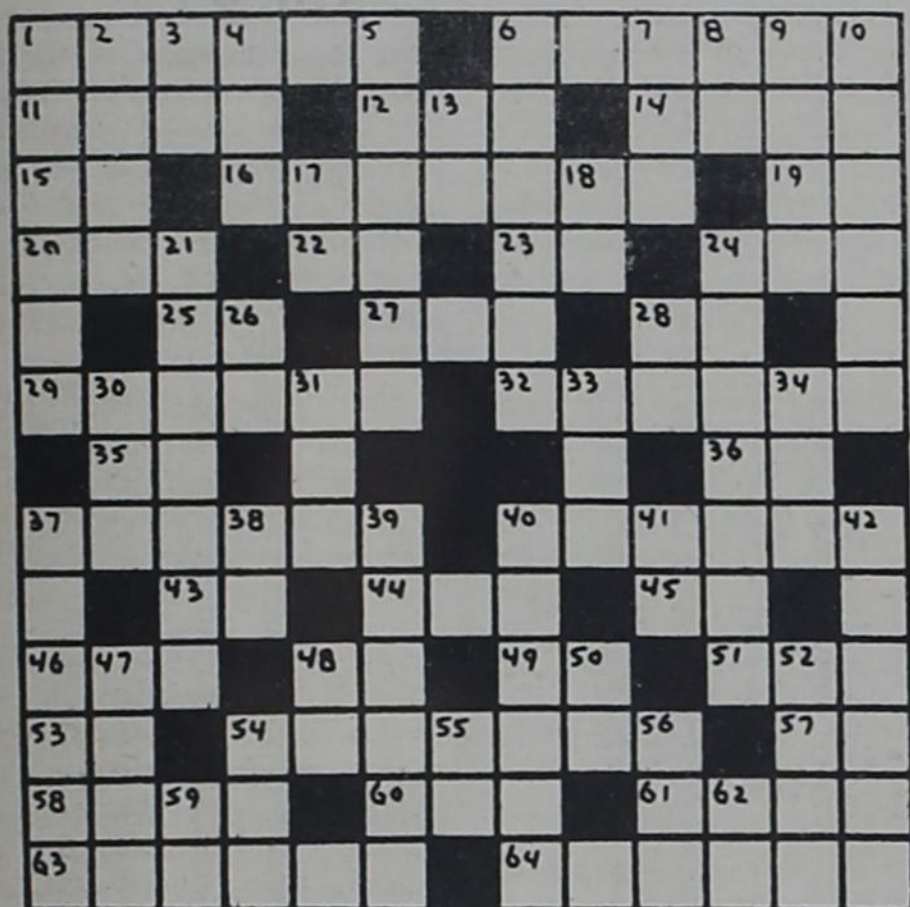


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- 1 - Agree
 - 6 - Humbler
 - 11 - Tote
 - 12 - Anger
 - 14 - Larlat
 - 15 - Preposition
 - 16 - Pertaining to motion
 - 19 - Printer's unit
 - 20 - Coy
 - 22 - Exists
 - 23 - Sun god
 - 24 - Vegetable
 - 25 - This or that (abb.)
 - 27 - Biblical high priest
 - 28 - U. S. "Corn State" (abb.)
 - 29 - Jubilant
 - 32 - Fabric
 - 35 - Either
 - 36 - Musical note
 - 37 - Of a time period
 - 40 - Of a metal
 - 43 - Half an em
 - 44 - Dine
 - 45 - Medical than (abb.)
 - 46 - Container for No. 24 Across
 - 48 - Silver (chem.)
 - 49 - Exclamation

- 51 - Sign of a full theater
 - 53 - For example (abb.)
 - 54 - Manufactured
 - 57 - Mystic word
 - 58 - Roman emperor
 - 60 - Born
 - 61 - Girl's name
 - 63 - Covered with depressions
 - 64 - To humble
- DOWN**
- 1 - Pure
 - 2 - Affirmation
 - 3 - Greek letter
 - 4 - Office worker (abb.)
 - 5 - Washed out
 - 6 - Of a measure
 - 7 - Circle part

- 8 - Negative
- 9 - Fencing device
- 10 - Linger
- 13 - In reference
- 17 - Roman deuce
- 18 - Ethiop..
- 21 - Longed
- 24 - Taps lightly
- 26 - Pronoun
- 28 - That thing
- 30 - ... Chaney
- 31 - Time period
- 33 - Grain
- 34 - Cause to run smoothly
- 37 - Attach
- 38 - World peace organization (abb.)
- 39 - Old tale
- 40 - Affirmed
- 41 - Male nickname
- 42 - Navy clerk
- 47 - A molding
- 48 - Area unit
- 50 - Pronoun
- 52 - "Sub .."
- 54 - Bed
- 55 - ...sop's Fables
- 56 - Beginning of democracy
- 59 - Degree of nursing
- 62 - Legal Educa-tion (abb.)



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NOTICES

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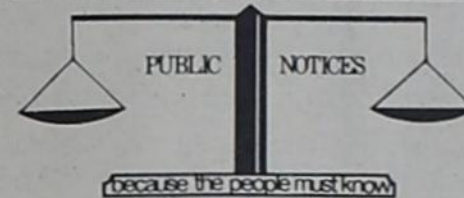


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SUMMARY OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS SPECIAL ELECTION APRIL 22, 1975

NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. No. 3)

Repealing Sections 48a, 48b, 51e, and 51f of Article III and Sections 62 and 63 of Article XVI of the Texas Constitution, Article XVI of the Texas Constitution is amended to:

Provide for the revision and consolidation of provisions relating to state and local retirement systems and programs and to provide that all general laws that have established retirement systems and optional retirement programs for public employees and officers in effect at the time of the adoption of this constitutional amendment will remain in effect, subject to the general powers of the Legislature.

Provide that the amount a participating officer or employee contributes to the employee retirement system or the teacher retirement system shall be established by the Legislature but may not be less than 6% of current compensation and providing further that the amount contributed by the state may not be less than 6 nor more than 10% of the aggregate compensation paid to participating persons, except that in an emergency, as determined by the Governor, the Legislature may contribute more than 10% of the aggregate compensation paid to persons participating in state retirement systems.

Provide that the Legislature shall provide for local retirement systems created by any city or county for its officers and employees and shall further provide for a state-wide system of benefits for officers and employees of counties or other political subdivisions of the State which may voluntarily participate, and

to further provide that a state-wide system of benefits shall be provided for officers and employees of cities which may voluntarily participate.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment revising and consolidating provisions relating to state and local retirement systems and programs and providing for a maximum state contribution to state systems of 10 percent of the aggregate compensation paid to individuals."

NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. No. 6)

Amending Article III, Section 24 of the Texas Constitution to:

Provide an increase in salary for members of the Legislature from \$400 per month to \$600 per month.

Provide an increase in the per diem rate for members of the Legislature from \$12 to \$30 for each day during each Regular and Special Session of the Legislature.

Provide an increase in the transportation allowance for members from \$.10 per mile to the rate prescribed by law for employees of the State of Texas.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

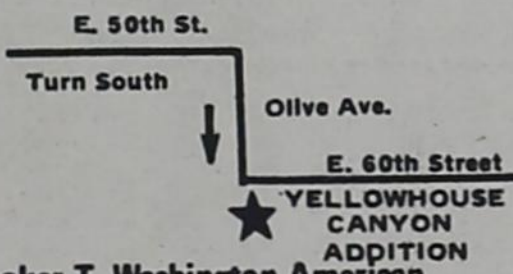
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S.R. Roberts, pastor, presided during installation of all officers for the year. The choir is making strides toward its goal, with more to come soon. Program chairman is Mrs. Sug Johnson who is president of the choir.

Newborn Blacks . . . Continued From Page Nine

factors. They said there were differences between the black and white mothers in education, religion, and marital status, and no data was collected on the diet or the care and handling of the babies.

"Although these environmental characteristics were not shown to be associated directly with newborn heart rates, factors relating to these characteristics may have influenced the newborns' heart rate level," they said. "We feel unequivocally that it is not possible to determine from this study whether the difference in heart rate levels is due to genetic or environmental influences."

High blood pressure is twice as common among Black Americans as White Americans, affecting one out of seven. But the reason is still unknown. Blacks in urban centers have more high blood pressure and heart attack than whites, but African blacks who live in rural areas apparently do not.

contended that the Office of Revenue Sharing should not wait for complaints before checking into state and local compliance with the provisions of the law relating to discrimination. It notes that the Revenue Sharing office regularly monitors, on its own initiative, what the states and local governments do about the other provisions of the law governing the use of revenue sharing funds.

The five-year \$30 billion program of aid to the states and localities is coming up for renewal later this year. Without further congressional action it would end Dec. 31, 1976.

Students Take Awards . . . Continued From Page One

Nursing; Donna Mott 2nd Place and Paul Johnson 5th Place in Medical Laboratory. Notebook Division, Diane Eggenberger and Karen Martin 1st Place, Canda Hampton 3rd Place, Debi Coffin 2nd Place, Kim Gastineau 4th Place. Project Division; Becky Wilkinson 2nd Place, Linda Condra 4th Place and Ricky Stephens 5th Place. Health Careers Poster, Matt Dillon 2nd Place, Paul Johnson 4th Place, Karen Martin 5th Place. March of Dimes Poster, Linda Condra 1st Place, Susie Rodriguez 5th Place. The Monterey Scrapbook won 1st place.

Three students were elected to Area IA offices: Nancy Archer, Secretary; Kim Gastineau, Treasurer, both of Monterey; and Kala Worley, Parliamentarian of Colorado.

Revenue Sharing . . . Continued From Page One

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