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## Mayor Issues Proclamation Here

(Editor's Note: This proclamation was issued to the members of the World Community of Al-Islam in the West. We feel as though this proclamation should be seen and read by Blacks in Lubbock and the South Plains of Texas. We salute the efforts of the local Brothers and Sisters.)

Office of the mayor  
CITY OF LUBBOCK

## PROCLAMATION

**Whereas:** Members of The World Community of Al-Islam in the West at Masjid Muhammad are asking that the month of November be proclaimed as "The Month for United Religious Thrust for Self Control and the Respect for Leadership"; and,

WHEREAS: The purpose of this national thrust is to enhance respect and unity of all citizens of our great country; and,

WHEREAS: In conjunction with this thrust, a seminar is being held on November 24, 1979 with topics such as Self Respect, Respect for Leadership, and United Religious Thrust,

NOW THEREFORE, I, Dirk West, Mayor of the City of Lubbock, Texas, do hereby proclaim the month of November as

UNITED RELIGIOUS THRUST FOR SELF CONTROL AND RESPECT FOR LEADERSHIP MONTH

in Lubbock, and encourage all citizens to join hands with the members of The World Community of Al-Islam in working for the survival of the true American spirit in accordance with President Carter's stand for human rights.



In official recognition whereof, I hereby affix my signature this 8th day of November, 1979.

## Write Your Letters To Santa Claus

The Lubbock Digest will publish letters to Santa Claus during our special Christmas issue which will be published on Thursday afternoon, December 20. If you would like to have your letter to Santa Claus in the Lubbock Digest, then send it to us by Saturday, December 15, 1979. You may send your letter to:

**Santa Claus**  
P. O. Box 2553  
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We encourage our young people to write Santa Claus a letter. If you do so, it will be published on December 20th. Tell your mom and dad you would like to write Santa a letter. Tell your friends about it also.

## "Party Of Year Slated"

The Annual Community Christmas Party is scheduled for Tuesday, December 4, 1979, at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center. The Community Christmas Party is open to the public and will be held from 6:30 p. m. to 8:30 p. m. in the main level concourse of the Civic Center. The Women's Division of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce sponsors the Community Christmas Party which began

last fall as an annual project. The occasion will offer an opportunity for everyone throughout the community to celebrate the beginning of the Holiday Season. This year there will be many holiday decorations lining the concourse of the Civic Center, and refreshments will be on hand. The Madrigal Singers from Texas Tech University will perform. The Lubbock Youth  
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## A Digest Editorial If You Are 18 Or Older, Give Yourself A Christmas Present ..... Register

(Editor's Note: With the rise of the Ku Klux Klan across the nation and the lack of regard to minority citizens' needs and feelings in this area of the county, basically the South Plains of Texas, we need to register so we can become qualified voters. We hope all Blacks and minorities will take heed to this plea by the Lubbock Digest, your newspaper.)

The "Lubbock Digest", because of various reasons, saw a dire need for Blacks and minority people to become registered voters so somethings can become a reality. So this upcoming "Voters' Registration Drive" is a project of this newspaper so Blacks and minorities will get the word about how important it is to become a bonified voter. It is up to all of us to vote in any election. We encourage everyone to vote for the person of their choice. This, to us, is of great importance. We feel very strongly that the ballot is more important than the bullet.

With the lack of empathy and responsive to minority needs and wishes, the "Lubbock Digest" feels and highly recommends every Black and minority person to become a registered voter. This includes everyone, especially Blacks, Browns and women -- young people under age 25 and anyone else who are considered a minority, such as a senior citizen.

Keep in mind that we have two weapons, either a bullet or ballot. We encourage the ballot. It is more sensible and feasible. Together collectively, we (Blacks, Browns and other minorities) can change and make the system responsive to our needs.

As mentioned in previous editorials in this newspaper, the "Lubbock Digest" is on record as wanting all Lubbock High School seniors, especially minority seniors, to be armed with a Voters' Registration certificate as well as a high school diploma upon graduation.

The whole community should get together collectively and push for this to become a reality in Lubbock town and the South Plains of Texas.

Don't forget to give yourself a Christmas present by becoming an eligible voter by registering. It is needed, and we are sure you agree with us. Come by the Lubbock Digest Office and we will see that you are registered.

## Digest Will Hold Registration Meet

The Lubbock Digest will hold a meeting on Saturday afternoon, December 8, concerning the need for more voting participating on the part of Blacks and other

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## Miss Future Fashionetta & Mr. Future Fashion, 1979"



Nicole Weatherspoon & Derrin Cage

HERE THEY ARE.... "Miss Future Fashionetta and Mr. Future Fashion of 1979". Nicole Weatherspoon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weatherspoon, and Derrin Cage, son of Mr. and Mrs. Iris Cage, are winners this year.

Nicole is a student at Hardwick Elementary School and Derrin is a student at Bozeman Elementary School.

Both are elated as being chosen as the royal family for 1979. (Photo by Ufok Etukudo)

## LPD Looking For Edith Jean Griffin

The Lubbock Police Department advised the Lubbock Digest they are looking for Ms. Edith Jean Griffin of 714 East 14th Street. She is needed to be advised of a relative who is deceased and will be buried on Sunday, December 2.

The relative is Leroy Russell. The funeral services are to be held in Corsicana, Texas. If anyone knows the location of this person, Ms. Edith Jean Griffin, contact the Lubbock Police Department as soon as possible.

## Beautiful Black Sister Dancers Here



THESE BEAUTIFUL BLACK SISTERS performed at the "Miss Future Fashionetta and Mr. Future Fashion" at Mae Simmons Community Center recently. This affair was sponsored by Eta Delta Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Inc. (Photo by Ufok Etukudo)

## RUBY JAY'S CORNER



The Board of Education of the New Hope Baptist Church, Rev. A. L. Dunn pastor, is sponsoring a musical on Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. Mrs. Bernice Kelly, Mrs. Shirley Williams, Mrs. Faye Sims, Mr. Clarence Ervin and others will participate in this program. Each year, this board sponsors an activity to help defray the

expenses of the church, especially the building fund. Everyone is invited to attend this program. Let us all come out and take an active part.

Mr. General Ponder of Greenville, Mississippi, worshipped at New Hope Baptist Church last Sunday morning. He is the brother of Mrs. Clara Colquitt.

Rev. Roger Lee Culberson and wife and

son of California were visiting his mother here, Mrs. Winnie Blacknell, and family. He was at Federation of Choirs last Sunday afternoon at Bethel A. M. E. Church. He sang a beautiful number, "He Looked Beyond My Fault."

Tyronda Vine, granddaughter of Mrs. Johnella Savage, came home last Sunday afternoon from Health Sciences Center Hospital.

She had pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew (Pat) Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Charles West motored to Oklahoma City, Oklahoma last Saturday to witness the University of Oklahoma and University of Nebraska football game. Mrs. West's son was on the Nebraska team. They returned early Sunday morning.

Robert Terry, who is a patient at a nursing home. They left Sunday for home.

Mrs. G. H. Davis returned home last Tuesday from San Antonio, Texas. She reports a wonderful trip to the Alamo City.

Lee Savage spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Littlefield, Texas with relatives.

Mary Ann Jones, Ruthy Chaney Fagan and daughter, and Minnie Skief, all of Dallas, were here for the Thanksgiving holidays visiting relatives here. They reported a wonderful visit.

Mrs. Johnnie Mae Derrough was all smiles on Thanksgiving Day with so many relatives here. Her sisters, Earnestine Moore, Gerena Powell, both of Fort Worth; her father, Mr. Wiley Lockart of Waxahachie, Texas, and two nieces, two nephews of Fort Worth were part

Mrs. Mary Tiel of Hobbs, New Mexico spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her sister, Mrs. Lillian Struggs and brother, Mr. Porter. Mrs. Struggs was rushed to Methodist Hospital early Friday morning. She is expected to come home this week. Let us all continue to pray for her a speedy recovery.

### "Holiday Events"

Mrs. Claudia Owens and two daughters, Demetra and Lydia, all of Dallas, spent Thanksgiving with her parents here, Mrs. Florence Collins, her mother. She also visited her uncle,

## The Outreach Prayer Breakfast

Members of the Outreach Prayer Breakfast Club met in the home of Mrs. Christine Carter last Saturday morning at 9:45 a. m. Mrs. C. E. Fair presided over the meeting.

Opening scripture was taken from Matthew 5 and was read by Mrs. Dyer. Prayer was offered and a song by Mrs. Clara Cagle.

The morning lesson was taught by Mrs. Iwilla Moore. Her scripture was taken from Mark 1:35, Luke 18:1, John 16:24, and Romans 8:32.

"Then Jesus told his Disciples a parable to show them that they should always pray and not give up."

We thank you, Sister Iwilla. This lesson was great!

Thought for the Morning: "Why not use our opportunities as Christians." Think this over.

A solo was sung by Mrs. Dyer. It was entitled "Oh, Today."

Breakfast was served and well prepared and piping hot by our hostess.

Can't you feel a hunger pain? If not physically, then spiritually. Come by and enjoy this meal with people who really care. The Prayer Breakfast's

annual affair will be held on Saturday, December 8.

Prayer requests were made. Do you have a request? Come and let us pray together.

The morning prayer was offered by Mrs. C. E. Fair.

Our sick and shut in list include Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton, both at home; the grand daughter of Mrs. Johnella Savage; Mrs. Bobbie Johnson, a patient at St. Mary's of the Plains Hospital; Mrs. Dollie Howard, at home; and Mrs. Lillian Struggs, a patient at Methodist Hospital.

To these and bereaved families of this community and city, God cares. He really cares.

Our next meeting will be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Prentis Dyer, 1306 East Oak Avenue.

Mrs. Mary Ward is president; Mrs. C. E. Fair, vice president; Mrs. C. E. Brown, secretary; and Mrs. Dorothy Hood, reporter.

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# POLICE HAPPENINGS AROUND LUBBOCK

## ASSAULT & THREAT TO KILL

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She told police that she heard a knock on the front door and before she could get to the door to see who it was, he opened the door and began to hitting upon her.

She received a large bruise on the left cheek. The police report revealed that the man kept telling her that he was going to kill her.



went to add that if he saw her on the streets he was surely going to kill her. She told police that the man, who is on ten year probation, had a knife and did attempt to stab her. She told police that she will file charges this week.

## THEFT OVER \$200, UNDER \$10,000

JACQUELINE L. WOODS, 2311 9th Street No. 2, reported to Lubbock police that someone unknown took advantage of her one day last week.

She told police that she put her purse in a locked closet in a office at West Texas Hospital (the Respiratory Office).

When she returned, she learned that someone unknown had used a key and unlocked the closet and took her purse.

The purse, according to the police report, contained \$721.00. Woods told police that if she found out who was responsible for the theft, she would file charges.

SHAW, 2930 - East Colgate Avenue, reported to Lubbock police that persons unknown did gain entry to her house one day last week by prying open the window over the kitchen sink. Taken from the house was a television set which was valued at \$300. Approximately \$50 worth of damage was done to the window.

## CRIMINAL MISCHIEF AND AGGRAVATED ASSAULT

CAROLYN SUE CLINTON, 1713 East Auburn Avenue, reported to Lubbock police that someone unknown knocked on her front door. She would not answer and the unknown person went to the back of the house and gained entry.

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# Editorials

## "WHY NOT?"

by  
Eddie P. Richardson, Jr.

### It Takes Us All

We are fast approaching the end of another year. As we look back over the past year, whatever was accomplished, it was done by lot of hard working people and organizations or groups who were concerned about what was going on. It takes all of us.

A recent conversation with John Logan of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce made it unequivocally clear that for Lubbock to be truly what ever concerned citizen wants it to be, it will have to be done collectively. All sections of the city need to work together to fulfill all of our dreams.

Now for a little negativism, mixed with a lot of positivism. Hats off to the BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER OF THE AMERICAN GI FORUM for their annual banquet at the Civic Center here. It was most impressive and successful even though there should have been more people in attendance. It was, in this writer's opinion, a very successful effort. This is what really counts. The thing, however, which disturbed this writer is that our city concilman, Bill McAlister, presented the honorary citizenship and made his exit. This appears to be a role for all elected officials when they attend minority functions here. This has to change. If we have the necessary political clout, this will change here. It is needed now. We must find a way for those elected officials to stay from beginning to end when we give an event.

Well, it has happened again. An elected official left again. Nuf sed. **WHY NOT??**

Minority businesses are slowly surviving and some of us are even paying partial payments on some of our overdue bills. Who knows, one day, some of us may even make a profit if we can hang in there.

Congratulations fellow publisher and minority business, **EL EDITOR, publisher BIDAD AGUERO and STAFF** on their two years of publications and **OPEN HOUSE** at your new location. **BIDAD CONGRATULATIONS on your survival and ten years of marriage, especially this day and age. Good going on surviving in business and a happy marriage. HANG IN THERE, BIDAD!!**

Would you believe it after ten issues into our third year, we finally made it. We are part of a church's budget in our community. Can you image all of this after more than three years. After two years of donating two pages to the Black churches, including the names of churches and locations, pastor's names and schedule of services, church news and the like, praise the Lord, we made it officially. We are in the Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church's budget. This includes the weekly bulletin each week and an advertisement weekly. Also other church related public relations which will benefit the functions of the local church. We are thankful to this church and minister, Rev. Stephen Pierson. Speaking of the pastor, you must meet this new minister. He is quite a person, and is concerned about the welfare of Black people. No doubt about it, he is a young warrior who has replaced a truly fine statesman pastor, the retiring honorable Rev. A. W. "Chester" Wilson.

Crime is every ones business as Dr. Heenan Johnson said recently. "It is very bad when we have to lock ourselves in our homes with bars, locks to protect ourselves and property," he said. Right, Doc!

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Thank God, with the help of **CRIME LINE**, a citizens Crime is every ones business as Dr. Heenan Johnson said recently. "It is very bad when we have to lock ourselves in our homes with large locks to protect our homes and property," he said. Right on, Doc!

The coffee session Tuesday morning at the Civic Center Inn was very informative. It include several inmates from Huntsville who talked about their life

of crime. One of those inmates was a graduate of Evans Junior High School here and was quite concerned about helping to show young people the right direction in life. This program is good, and this writer hopes others will profit from what these inmates had to say.

One of the young inmates made it clear that prison life is not good and one must get an education. He made it clear that one must start to

realize that when you are in prison you donate your basic freedoms, such as those all of us take for granted. Such as you are told when to go to bed, you are told when to eat, you are told when to get up, when to eat, when to do this and the other.

Another one of the inmates made it clear that prison is not for you. "You know, when my older brother was being released from prison, I was going there, and this nearly gave my mother a nervous breakdown," he said.

The Lubbock Digest totally supports this effort. We would hope it would open the eyes of many young boys and girls who are thinking differently. This writer believes we must all get behind programs a this and help those kids who really need us. We can do that now by gettin involved.



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So, this is our resolution to you: **'Feel free at anytime to call this office for information concerning this newspaper or any other matter that is of concern to you.'**

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T.J. Patterson Eddie P. Richardson

Editors



## BLACK EMPOWERMENT

By Dr. Nathaniel Wright, Jr.  
Human Rights Activist

## THIS WEEK WE EXAMINE

### FEDERAL ENERGY POSTURING

Many of us may have seen newspaper or television accounts of one young automobile engine inventor who claimed that his auto would get up to 100 miles on a gallon of gas. When the time for his EPA tests came, he reportedly "flunked out" ... at 40 miles per gallon! Disillusioned, the young inventor was debating what next to do.

Here is a classic picture of federal indifference, bungling and lack of commitment in coming to grips with the nation's serious fuel needs. Long before this young man had his engine put to the test, the federal government ought to have afforded him every possible assistance and encouragement. It ought to be doing just that right now.

If most of the automobiles were getting between 40 and 50 miles to the gallon of gasoline, we would be making a major headway toward meeting our nation's pressing fuel needs. With federal slogans saying, "save a gallon of gas a week," here is a way to have saved many gallons, every week, forever!

The federal government ought to be creating incentives for every creative project which shows promise of making some substantial dent in the tackling of our nation's fuel needs.

When Chrysler Company began to be in financial distress, there was a strategic opportunity for the government to help bail it out by

having it seek to perfect and market—with federal subsidies—some of the new high miles-per-gallon gas and gas/electric cars which struggling inventors have not had the resources to perfect and market.

If a relatively poor inventor, working alone in his own garage, can come up with a gasoline-saving car which cuts our gas consumption in half, then the whole nation might well be up in arms about a federal indifference toward its manufacture and marketing for widespread availability.

The White House and the Congress need to get the message that there are many ready opportunities for us to tackle our fuel crisis. The

failure to do the obvious is what perpetuates our crisis of confidence and worsens our fuel needs.

What about fuel savings—or production—from solid wastes? One governor recently remarked that his state

could produce up to 10 percent of its state office heating needs by using solid wastes for fuel.

If this kind of saving could be effected, where is the federal program—or even serious mention as a priority—of the use of our abundant

solid wastes? In most communities, solid waste is simply buried. Is this done to create an energy deposit for some time in the far distant future?

Perhaps the most important aspect about the possible encouragement of the development of fuel saving cars and the use of solid wastes for fuel is that these projects are highly visible and close to home. The general public can visualize and identify with them.

On the solid waste issue, which could save as much as or more than gasoline, the general public's patriotism and civic pride could be galvanized in a major effort to collect litter and to clean up the growing number of unsightly areas which are marred by all kinds of discarded objects.

The environmentalists—if they stopped being quite as belligerent and took on an aggressively cooperative posture—could win much public favor by pressing solid waste experimentation for fuel and by pushing for a national clean-up campaign as a part of our present fuel and inflation crisis.

Try this exercise or experiment one day. As you drive along your nearby highway or freeway, simply count the

major littered areas which you find. You will doubtless be amazed to see how extravagant we are in wasting things.

Among the materials in the highway litter will be items which could be recycled and others which could be used for fuel. The "law and order" people—if they are serious—could be advocating \$500 fines for littering, instead of the many presently laughable \$50 fines.

What we are suggesting here is that there are many obvious ways to bring about major fuel savings which the federal government and others in authority are simply overlooking. In addition, a deepened sense of civic pride and national purpose is needed, and our energy needs must be identified as fully as possible with national patriotism and civic purpose.

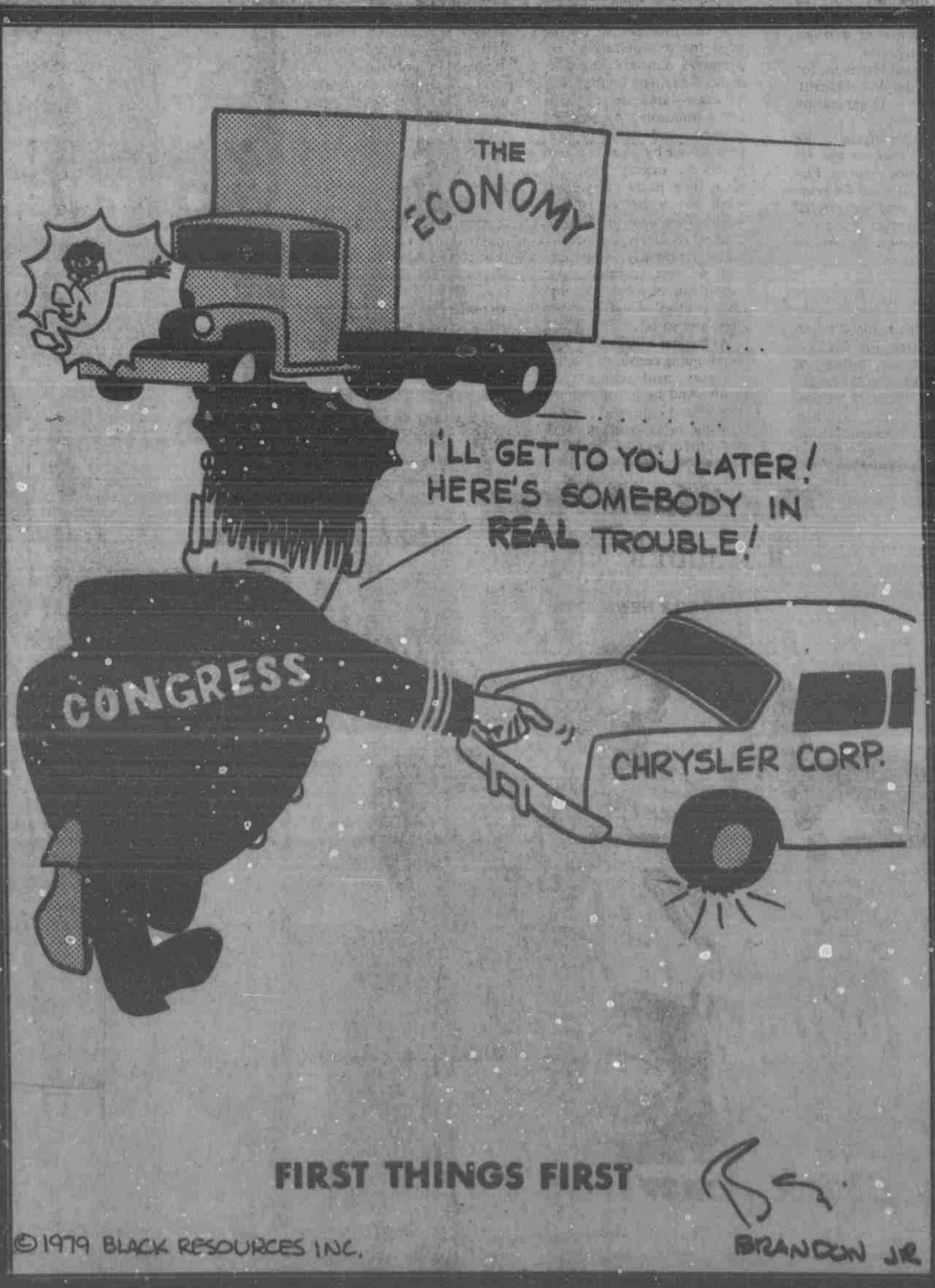
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## World Scene

A "HEALTH AUXILIARY"

(For Classroom and Group Discussion)

In this day of over-population and "under-medical" services in the world, the World Health Organization has begun to realize that in order for the largest number of people to have access to some type of "medical" services, we have to make use of "traditional" medical knowledge. Today, for example, we are finding that some of the herbal cures used by village "doctors" for centuries are in advance of the western modern medical technology.

The following six-part series describes the ways in which health auxiliaries throughout the world are being trained and used to bridge the gap between "traditional" and "modern" health care.

"A Health Auxiliary must serve all who need his help—even if they are not his friends—and must respect their confidence as a priest would a confession."

By Paul Harrison, for the World Health Organization

In the following part, we continue to look at the remarkable work done by Victor Charca, a local 24-year-old farmer, who was elected by the 92 families in his district to become the health auxiliary official.

Charca has made a handwritten poster for his patients' guidance, listing the services offered by the health auxiliary: "Sanitary education, home visits, first aid, tuberculosis examinations, vaccinations, attendance at

births, supply of medicines, personal medical attention, coordinates with local authorities and institutions, daily and monthly reports on activities." Next to this poster he had pasted 10 hand-made drawings (done on his training course) showing: month by month, what foods mothers should feed to their babies.

In fact, Charca's functions are broader than this brief catalogue suggests. He provides attention to mother and child, with pre- and post-natal care and advice, as well as acting as midwife at the birth. He can give vaccinations against tuberculosis, measles, polio, smallpox, yellow fever, rabies (when needed) and a triple dose against whooping cough, tetanus and diphtheria. It is his responsibility, too, to organize vaccination campaigns to inform and convince people of the need for immunization. He promotes sanitary improvements—latrines, or filtration of water—and tries to teach his community, by way of meetings and talks, to prevent disease by good hygienic practices: urging them to wash their body every day, wash hands before eating, wash plates, wash and change clothes regularly, clean the house frequently, keep animals in their corrals, throw rubbish in covered containers, protect food against flies, and so on.

As he goes along, he keeps a continuing census of births, illnesses and causes of death. And he is, of course, trained and equipped to deal with the most common and straightforward ailments,

such as diarrhea, pneumonia, aches and sprains, wounds, eye infections, stomach pain, anemia and skin complaints. Where a case is outside his competence, he must refer it to the nearest health center. Charca's diary—beautifully written in flowing long-hand—records some of his activities: 7/11/76—cure a burn, injection; 10/11/76—vaccination campaign, 30 children, polio, BCG, triple; 2/12/76—talk on menstruation.

While I was at Machajmarca an old man, wearing a thick brown poncho, stocking cap and hat, walked slowly and deliberately up to the community health post and waited patiently until Charca had finished chatting to me. He had come for a consultation, complaining of pains all over his body, and inability to eat or swallow. Charca was sensible enough to admit to doubts about the diagnosis, and decided to refer the case to the health center about three miles away in Pileuyo.

Key Questions:  
1. What are three main issues raised in this article?  
2. What does this article suggest that you may do about our world situation?  
3. How many words did you look up in the dictionary? (If we do not use a dictionary daily, and for every word whose full meanings we may not know, we cannot grow individually and assure the best use of our resources for group freedom and a better America.)

## OUR GIANTS SPEAK

THE STRUGGLE OF PETER AND WILLIAM STILL AND THE UNDERGROUND RAIL ROAD

(William Still, the brother of Peter Still, commits himself to the Underground Rail Road.)

The following letters are concerned with those he helped in Philadelphia and his role in the Underground Rail Road.

Wilmington, 3 mo. 23rd, 1856.

Dear Friend, William Still—Since I wrote thee this morning informing thee of the safe arrival of the Eight from Norfolk, Harry Craige has informed me, that he has a man from Delaware that he proposes to take along, who arrived since noon. He will take the man, woman and two children from here with him, and the four men will get in at Marcus Hook. They may take Harry Craige by the hand as a brother, true to the cause; he is one of our most efficient aids on the Rail Road, and worthy of full confidence. May they all be favored to get on safe. The woman and three children are no common stock. I assure thee finer specimens of humanity are seldom met with. I hope herself and children may be enabled to find her husband, who has been absent some years, and the rest of their days be happy together.

I am, as ever, thy friend, Thos. Garrett.

Kimberton, October 28th, 1855

Esteemed Friend—This evening a company of eleven friends reached here, having left their homes on the night of the 26th inst. They came into the town, their two carriages drawn by two horses. They went to Thomas Garrett's by open day-light and from thence were sent onward for fear of pursuit.

They reached Longwood meeting-house in the evening, at which place a Fair Circle had convened, and stayed a while in the meeting, then, after remaining all night with one of the Kennet friends, they were brought to Downingtown early in the morning, and from thence, by daylight, to within a short distance of this place.

I have been thus particular in my statement, because the case seems to us one of unusual danger. We have separated the company for the present, sending a mother and five children, two of them quite small, in one direction, and a husband and wife and three lads in another, until I could write to you and get advice if you have any to give, as to the best method of forwarding them, and assistance pecuniarily, in getting them to Canada. The mother and children we have sent off of the usual route, and a place where I do not think they can remain many days.

We shall await hearing from you. H. Kimber will be in the city on the third day, the 30th, and any thing left at 408 Green Street directed to his care, will meet with prompt attention. Please give me again the direction of Hiram Wilson and the friend in Elmira, Mr. Jones, I think. If you have heard from any of the nine since their safe arrival, please let us know when you write.

Very respectfully, G.A. Lewis.

2nd day morning, 29th.—

The person who took the husband and wife and three lads to E.F. Pennypecker and Peart, has returned and reports that L. Peart sent three on to Norristown. We fear that there they will fall into the hands of an ignorant colored man Daniel R-ss, and that he may not understand the necessity of caution. Will you please write to some careful person there? The woman and children detained in this neighborhood are a very helpless set. Our plan was to assist them as much as possible, and when we get things into the proper train for sending them on, to get the assistance of the husband and wife, who have no children, but are uncle and aunt to the woman with five, in taking with them one of the younger children, leaving fewer for the mother. Of the lads, or young men, there is one whom we thought capable of accompanying one of the older girls—one to whom he is paying attention, they told us. Would it not be the best way to get those in Norristown under your own care? It seems to me their being sent on could then be better arranged. This, however, is only a suggestion.

Hastily yours, G.A. Lewis

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## questions and answers

by Booth H. Robbins Field Representative Lubbock, Texas

QUESTION: Were Supplemental Security Income payments increased in July, 1979 for everyone?

ANSWER: No. The \$25 payment to persons supported by Medicaid and living in a nursing home was not increased.

QUESTION: To be eligible for Supplemental Security Income a person must meet a resource limitation. What are resources?

ANSWER: Resources are cash and other items such as property, stocks, bonds and jewelry that can be turned into cash. An individual can have resources that total up to \$1,500 and a couple up to \$2,250 and still be eligible for Supplemental Security Income checks. The home is excluded as a resource if the individual or couple live in it.

QUESTION: Can a person who qualifies for Supplemental Security Income receive a large retroactive check?

ANSWER: An application for Supplemental Security Income is not retroactive. It is effective only with the month of filing.

QUESTION: Are Supplemental Security Income checks reduced because of income received from the state for being a foster parent?

ANSWER: No. Although most types of income reduce a person's Supplemental Security Income check, foster care payments do not.

QUESTION: Why are the records of people receiving Supplemental Security Income checks reviewed every year?

ANSWER: This review is called a redetermination and is necessary to determine if the person is still eligible for SSI and whether the check amount is correct. It is required by law.

QUESTION: My social security check goes directly to the bank. Can my SSI check also be deposited directly?


ANSWER: Yes. To do so, contact your bank for direct deposit.

## By Kofi Tyus



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## Sportlight



by  
**Elton Conger**

### Who Is The Real Big "E" (Estacado or Ector)

Ector took the opening kick-off and after a couple of quick first downs, they fumbled and the Matadors David Johnson fell on the ball, then the real Big "E" stood up.

From 41 yards out, it was Alvin Davis in the middle and Kevin White working the outside. It was if the Matadors were playing a junior high school team the way they ripped open the Eagle defense. With first and goal on the 2 yard line, Kevin White put Estacado on the board first, 6-0. White also added the point after, and it became 7-0.

Little did anyone in the stadium realize that this would be the only score of the game for either team. However, Ector traveled to the 20 yard line, but it was to no avail. Each time, Ector came close to scoring. They would meet Stacy Burrell.

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Kenneth Davis, and Steve McGraw — the superior linebacking core for the Matadors. At one instance in the game, the only name being called was "Stacy Burrell". In fact, one person sitting behind this writer, holding a bottle with a crow or old crow on it, thought there was a Burrell on both teams. It ended, Estacado 7, Ector 0.

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### Monterey Takes One Step Closer!!

The Monterey Plainsmen took one step closer to the state crown last Friday night at Lowery Field. The Plainsmen beat Amarillo High School 27-7, in a crucial bi-district contest. Amarillo got on the scoreboard first when Mark Mathiasmeier went 55 yards to give the Sandies a 6-0 led. Kyle Sandies a 6-0 led. Kyle Eddieleman added the PAT.

Monterey finally got on the scoreboard by the twisting and turning of Willie Johnson who got Darren White in field goal range. White booted a 23-yard field goal to the Amarillo led by 3 (7-3) at the half time buzzer.

In the third quarter, it was the Willie Johnson show. Johnson exploded on a quick 37 yard run to put Monterey in scoring position at the 9 yard line. On second and eight, Johnson took the Plainsmen in the endzone to give them a 9-7 led. Darrem White added the PAT. It was 10-7.

After Dale Pinkston recovered an Amarillo fumble, Potts began to call on way-out Willie "Again" Johnson. He was hit behind the line of scrimmage, but somehow broke free to give Monterey another TD to make the led 16-7. White missed the PAT.

The Plainsmen final TD came with 8:11 left in the game when Johnson went off tackle for 64 yards.

On the night, Willie Johnson had 215 yards for the evening.

## The KITCHEN BEAT

*In today's black American home, cooking is no longer the responsibility of one person. Because of busy and varied schedules, usually every member of the family at some time or another has to prepare personal meals or meals for other members of the family. The Kitchen Beat is designed to meet some needs of the various cooks in the modern black family.*

### Delicious Dessert

Savvy cooks are serving coffeecakes for dinner dessert as well as for breakfast and brunch. They are less sweet and less rich than many desserts, and that fact alone appeals to calorie watchers.

The accompanying recipe for Apple Coffecake made by the CoolRise method offers another consideration for busy cooks. It can be prepared a day in advance of serving.


The dough goes into the refrigerator for at least two hours, but can wait up to 24 hours, until an appropriate time for baking. Not all yeast doughs refrigerate well. Some have to be chilled, then shaped and time must be allowed for rising. The CoolRise method is different. It allows you to mix, knead and shape a dough all at once, then refrigerate and bake at different times. For instance, after two hours in the refrigerator, you can bake one coffecake on Saturday, hold the other cake to bake for Sunday brunch.

### Apple Coffecake

*Recipe courtesy of Fleischmann's Margarine (Brands suggested by The Kitchen Beat)*

- 2 3/4 cups Gold Medal unsifted flour
- 2 Tablespoons Domino sugar
- 1/2 teaspoon Morton salt
- 1/2 teaspoon grated lemon peel

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## Ebony Express Bowling League

*Ebony Express suffered a not so good night last week as only three bowlers reached the 200 plateau. Two of that three, however, turned in super good series. Charles (Pee Wee) Planks led the way with a sizzling 242. Charles also turned in games of 183 and 141, good for a 566 series; James Skief was not far behind with a 554 series (204, 160, 190). Joe Brown rounded out the top three with a nice 200 game.*

*La Chars Glenn joined Wayne Davis as qualifiers in the "Bow! Your Way To Europe" tournament. A 268 game three weeks ago sewed up the Class "A" spot (October) for LaChars. Wayne qualified in Class "C" with a 253 game (September).*



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## WORDS OF LIFE

### Biblical Inspiration For The Week

*"For God so loved the world, that he gave..."*

1. We must "give in." We must always be willing and inclined to give in to others. Love "seeketh not her own." God, we are told, "emptied Himself" in the birth of Jesus. God left the divine ramparts of the heavens, divesting Himself of the accoutrements of the Godhead, and "was made in the likeness of men." Even as God gave, so too must we give. "Give in... always, in Jesus' Name."

2. We must "give up." Especially those past hindrances to our becoming full-grown servants of God. There must be a continual self-correction and a repeated re-adjustment of our lives to conform us to "the measure of the stature of the fullness of our lives in Christ." Is it pride? Is it some human love? Is it fear, weakness or seeming inability? Whatever it is that hinders us in our Godward growth, give it up!

3. We must "give over." We must give our lives over to God's life, to His strength, His will, His mind, His grace, His glory! St. Paul said, "Not I, but Christ in me." We must cease "trying as hard as we can to do the best that we can." "Giving over" means simply letting God's strength do its work in and through us. Hence Jesus said, "My yoke is easy and my burden is light." Let God's love give of itself through you.

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### Prayer Poem

When we turn our lives prayerfully toward God, with Jesus as our constant companion in everything we do, we find fulfillment. This is what the words of "Prayer is the soul's sincere desire, Unuttered or expressed, The motion of a hidden fire That trembles in the breast."

Prayer is the soul's sincere desire, Unuttered or expressed, The motion of a hidden fire That trembles in the breast.

Prayer is the burden of a sigh, The falling of a tear, The upward glancing of an eye When none but God is near.

Prayer is the simplest form of speech

"Jesus! Jesus! Jesus!" "Jesus! Jesus! Jesus!" What more powerful prayer than this—the silent surrender of our whole heart to God!

### St. James Baptist Will Sponsor Revival Here

The Rev. Kado Lang, pastor of the St. James Baptist Church, has announced that their congregation will sponsor a revival here, beginning Monday evening, December 3, and continuing through Sunday, December 9. Each service will begin at 8 p. m. "We invite our many friends of the various churches to come out and

be with us each evening. This will be a high spirit revival, and we want everyone to be with us," says Rev. Kado Lang, pastor.

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"We will be looking for our many friends," concluded Rev. Lang.

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# OBSEQUIES

Betty Jo Freow Jefferson



Final rites were read last Saturday at the Trinity Church for Mrs. Betty Jo Freow Jefferson. Pastor Paul Jentzen officiated.

Interment was held in Peaceful Gardens under the direction of Jamison & Son Funeral Home. Mrs. Jefferson, daughter of David and Vera Freow, was born the twenty-first day of August, 1938.

Mrs. Jefferson was an ardent church worker. At a very early age, the Lord bestowed upon her a special anointing and a unique way of reaching people. She was a dynamic Missionary and whomever was blessed to hear her exhortations, were never able to forget how God beautified her with salvation, and filled her mouth with wisdom which God only could do.

Her educational background began in Ponca City, until the time her family migrated to Wichita, Kansas where she completed her high school education. She decided that along with the healing of the spiritual body, the physical body should be healed also. Thus, she began a career in nursing. Before completing her education in nursing, she and Van Jefferson were joined together in matrimony on October 2, 1960. To this union, two children were born, but she continued her education afterwards. As a reward for her hard work and dedication, she was named "Most Outstanding Student" of her graduating class of the North West Texas Hospital of Nursing. After becoming a registered nurse, she waited a few years then went on to receive a Bachelor of Science in

Nursing at West Texas State University.

She worked in most of the major hospitals in Lubbock, and later became more involved with the public by becoming a school nurse. Mrs. Jefferson had worked in her present church and different community organizations until the Lord summoned his angel to bring him a beautiful flower out of the garden of time.

She went to her eternal home the nineteenth day of November, 1979, leaving her husband, Van; two daughters, Terri Lynn and Patricia; a father, a sister, three brothers, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Pallbearers were John Bootsey, Howard McCoo, Robert Ray, Garner Jordan, James Jones, Earl Wheeler.

Honorary pallbearers were Theta Kappa Lambda Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Fraternity, and the football coaches of the Lubbock Public Schools.

**Lillie Mae Allen**

Final rites were read for Mrs. Lillie Mae Allen on Tuesday morning, November 13, at the Ford Memorial Church of God in Christ with Bishop J. E. Alexander, pastor, officiating.

Interment was held in Peaceful Gardens Cemetery under the direction of South Plains Funeral Home.

Mrs. Allen was born June 7, 1914 in Hubbard City, Texas to Will Robinson and Etta Nett Wadley.

She became a devoted church member in 1925. Mrs. Allen remained devoted to her faith until



her death. She held the honors of being an ordained Evangelist, Missionary, Superintendent of Sunday School, and president of the Bible Band.

She departed this life on November 10, 1979 at 1:00 a.m.

Survivors include her husband, Mr. E. L. Allen; two daughters, Mrs. Darlene Thomas of New Orleans, La., and Mrs.

Arletha Louis of Lubbock; two sons, Erskin, Jr. of Lubbock, and Danny Ray of Nueurnberg, Germany; two step-children, Mrs. Jeanette Livingston of Denver, Colorado and Margaret Allen of Lubbock; two brothers, Bishop J. E. Wadley of Chicago, Ills and T. J. Wadley of Tokyo, Japan; a sister, Miss Carrie Wadley of Los Angeles, California;

and thirteen grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends.

Pallbearers were Bro. Joe Graves, Bro. Robert Ray, Bro. James Wright, Bro. Jerhemian Yates, Bro. Jerry Ellis, and Bro. James Bibbs.

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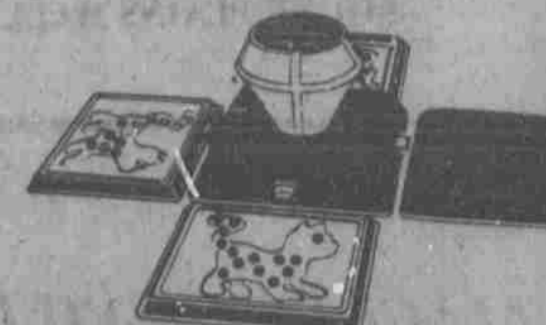
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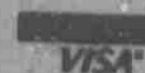
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# YOU, YOUR STARS, AND YOUR NUMBERS

November 28—December 4



## THE BLACK CHILD

Perhaps no better time has come in understanding the role of the black child than now. Although this is the "International Year of the Child," no one in history at this very moment is more in peril of neglect and misdirection than the black child. If we don't understand this

now, our future is doomed. Therefore—as a black mother, father or guardian, one of the most important things you can do is to understand your child. After all, the black child is an extension of yourself and your heritage. As a result, your love and understanding of your child will be in direct proportion to how you feel about yourself as a

black man or woman. If our children are observed carefully, they will tell you a lot about themselves. You see, the black children of this nation are our future leaders, directors, politicians, communicators and hope. So what can you do to give the black children a direction and a purpose—and assure our future? A very large amount

of the child's direction and purpose as to the nature, strengths, character or weaknesses of each can be determined through the combined use of numerology and astrology, together. It is a known fact that the masters and originators of much of the occult sciences from our ancient past were black people. Among them

were the Chaldeans, Phoenicians, Egyptians, Sumerians and the like. It was these ancient black people of the past that also gave others their knowledge of the heavens and stars, science, mathematics, commerce, culture, religion, language and so on.

And so with the combined use of numerology and astrology, we look for the child's birthdate number (i.e.) a black child born on the 15th of the month,  $1 + 5 = 6$  as well as their zodiac sign for a good understanding. Let's begin:

The black child, born on the 1st, 10th or 28th of the month, or in the zodiac sign of Aries and Leo—with excellent guidance, can be one of the leaders in the group. The child born under the number one is almost always determined, and will like to have their way. They will be origi-

nal in thought, energetic and very independent. Self confidence and decision-making should be encouraged. They will grow up to be writers, lawyers, investors, directors, leaders and the like.

The black child, born on the 2nd, 11th, 20th or 29th of the month, or in the zodiac sign of Cancer—with daily attention may be one of the followers in the group. The child born under the number two is by nature shy, gentle, imaginative and emotional. Understanding, love, gentleness and consideration will be important to their emotional growth. Never be harsh or cruel on this type of child. They will grow up to be poets, dancers, computer experts, artists and the like.

The black child, born on the 3rd, 12th, 21st or 30th of the month, or in the zodiac signs of Pisces and Sagittarius—with constant encouragement, can be one of the leaders in the group. The child born under the number three is usually very proud, very ambitious and very independent. They will be known for their cheerfulness, quick smile, and optimistic outlook, and will usually be

popular and sociable. They will grow up to be lists, lawyers, judges, musicians, priests, etc.

The black child, born on the 4th, 13th, 22nd or 31st of the month, or in the zodiac sign of Aquarius—wants to be the "different" one in the group. The child born under number four is basically cautious and deliberate; slow and methodical in nature. They will be very positive, hard strung, yet easily undled in feelings and emotions. The four child will grow up to be aviators, radio TV personalities, inventors, reformers, occultists and so on.

In next week's column, we

will continue with our analysis of black children who are numbered from 5 through 9.

**ARIES** — March 21-April 20  
Your aggressive nature should take a back seat now. More tact, diplomacy and

charm will be required. Wednesday the 28th and Thursday the 29th may bring some minor disappointment. Monday December 3rd again relates to very good news. Take advantage!  
**TABERNUS** — April 21-May 21  
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# 14th Centennial commemorated Senate extols Al-Islam

(Editor's note: The following resolution was introduced in the U.S. House of Representatives by Rep. Lee Hamilton (D-Ind.) and in the United States Senate by Senator Richard Stone (D-Fla.). It was promptly adopted by the Senate body with concurrence of the House of Representatives. The passage of this resolution is indicative of the growing recognition and respect for the religion of Al-Islam among the American people, and it is one that is warmly welcomed by the World Community of Al-Islam in the West and other Islamic communities throughout America and the world. The concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 4) honoring the 14th Centennial of Islam, was considered and agreed to. The concurrent resolution, with its preamble, reads as follows:)

## 14th Centennial of Al-Islam

Whereas November 24, 1979, marks the fourteen hundredth anniversary of the founding of Islam, an event which will be commemorated throughout the world, including in the Holy Cities of Islam; and

Whereas Islam is one of the mankind's great religions in history and today, followed by approximately eight hundred million people encompassing every major region of the world; and

Whereas the word "Islam" derives from Abraham's willingness to accept all God's commands, an example profoundly meaningful to all monotheistic religions; and

Whereas the "House of Islam" extended gracious hospitality to philosophy and science in both the East and West when these scholarly disciplines were threatened by narrowness and prejudice, thus preserving this precious heritage for subsequent generations; and

Whereas Islam strives for a worldwide community which, in the words of one Islamic philosopher, "does not recognize the superficial differences of race, or history, or nationality; and

Whereas the United States and countries of the Islamic world hold in common many benefits and values including the concept of world community, which inspired the Founding Fathers of our own country; and

Whereas international understanding and peace are strengthened by free and open communications among nations representing various historical and religious traditions: Now therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That Islam is hereby recognized for the rich, religious, scientific, cultural, and artistic contribution it has made to mankind since its founding.

Sec. 2. The Congress takes note of the contribution of Islam and wishes success to the fourteenth centennial commemoration.

Sec. 3. On the occasion of this anniversary, the Congress pledges its efforts to achieve better understanding, reduction of tension, and the pursuit of improved relations with all nations of the world.

Sec. 4. The Congress requests that the President forward a copy of this resolution to the Chief of State of each country where Islam has a significant following and where celebrations will mark this important international event.



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### YOU & STARS

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This week, and on into the month of December, indicates a "wait-and-see" approach for you. Good fortune will begin to shine on you starting Friday the 30th. The opposite sex will assert its influence, in your domestic and business life as well. Although Saturday, December 1st is indicated as favorable, be extra careful. GEMINI — May 22-June 20 Thursday the 29th indicates a wonderful time to relax for a change and enjoy yourself. For the next several weeks ahead, a lot of patience and

fact will be needed of you to get the most out of this period. Sunday and Monday, December 2nd and 3rd, are excellent to push your ambitions.

CANCER — June 21-July 21 Planetary forces are predicting that Thursday the 29th will be a mixed day of good

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news and minor delays for you. Take full advantage of your persuasiveness and charm now to get what you want. Sunday, December 2nd should bring good news related to change, travel or position.

LEO — July 22-August 20 Wednesday the 28th will get you started on the right foot for the rest of the week. The lion heart you carry can now be more understanding and generous towards others. Saturday, December 1st will be a seesaw day, but by Monday the 3rd, activity picks up again.

VIRGO — August 21-September 21

The early part of the week (Monday and Tuesday) may have had some delays and setbacks coming at you. However, over the weekend, this will all start to change. Your analytical qualities will begin to soften now, so keep silent and observe. Make no plans for Monday, December 3rd. LIBRA — September 22-October 21 Wednesday and Thursday indicates a big fat caution for your plans and projects. Friday the 30th will be a fantastic day. Be selfish and go after what you want. Monday, December 3rd will also hold nice things for you, so take advantage of the situation.

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# BLACK BUSINESSES

SCORPIO — October 22-November 21

Thursday the 29th and on into the weekend suggests that you definitely keep a low and silent posture. Mentally, start gearing yourself now to a slowing down of events, as compared with the early month of November. Tuesday, December 4th will prove interesting with a hint of the unexpected attached. SAGITTARIUS — November 22-December 20

Hey "Sag" — the time, astrologically speaking, is now — since the sun entered your sign November 22nd at 3:55 p.m. Now is your chance to push your aims and ambitions, but in a quiet, tactful manner. Thursday the 29th will be most enjoyable, and by Friday the 30th, and into the weekend, you should be "feeling your oats."

CAPRICORN — December 21-January 20

Take Wednesday and Thursday, the 28th, and 29th, to be low and be thankful for this extremely important year. Saturday, December 1st gives fine indication that this is the

day to take full advantage of the situation. However, be careful on Tuesday the 4th of anything important.

AQUARIUS — January 21-February 19

The 28th and 29th shows good vibes, but especially that Thursday. But be on guard now against sudden and unexpected moves — as this particular period indicates a more patient approach. Saturday, December 1st says you should keep in the background as much as possible. Monday the 3rd will be much better.

PISCES — February 20-March 20

Much of this week your mental juices should have been flowing. This is very true for Friday the 30th. Saturday, December 1st will also have a minor enjoyment in store. However, it is Mon-

day the 3rd that a more diplomatic low-key approach should be taken to ensure that all will go well.

Dear Readers... have questions??? We'd like to hear from you. For your personal and astro-numerology profile chart, send us your name, birthdate and time of birth (if you know), with \$15.00 money order or check, payable to CASH. Send your letters to Box 753R, 2266 Fifth Avenue, New York City 10037. Allow three (3) to four (4) weeks for delivery.



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### Digest Meet

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minorities in the community. This meeting, which is scheduled to be held at the Digest office at 510 East 23rd Street, will involve leaders of various organizations and ministers in the Black and minority community.

"We don't want to limit this meeting to just these people, but we want to get something started before the beginning of the new year," says Eddie P. Richardson, co-publisher and coordinator of effort. Members of the Lubbock Digest will be deputized this week and will begin to register persons this week who are not. "If you want to become a qualified voter, we invite you to come by our office (510 East 23rd Street), between 10 a. m. and 5 p. m., and we will register you," he continued.

The meeting, with the various leaders and concerned citizens in the community, is to map out a plan of action to get the masses of Black and minority persons to the polls during election time.

### RUBY'S COLUMN...

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of the crowd. They all left for home last Friday after enjoying themselves in the "Hub City."

Freddy Simmons of Chicago, Ill took time on Thanksgiving Day to call his aunt, Ruby Jay (this writer). He said "Hello" to all, and wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.

We are praying for Mr. George Francis a speedy recovery. He is in room 439, West Texas Hospital.

Pastor A. L. Dunn says thanks to members of New Hope and the many friends who joined to help make his anniversary the best ever. "I'm grateful," says Rev. Dunn.

George Scott, Jr. returned home last Friday after spending a month at the bedside of his mother in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He reports her to be doing fine at this report.

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