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### DHS Student Named "Who's Who"



Earnest Darian Smith, III

A Dunbar-Struggs High School senior, Earnest Darian Smith, III has been named to "Who's Who Among American High School Students for the 1990-91 school year. A member of Smith's Chapel Church, Earnest serves as vice president of the Youth Usher Board and is a member of the Youth Choir.

He is also a member of the Panjammers, Key Club, UIL Science team, treasurer of the Vocational Industrial Clubs of America (VICA). He has been on the UIL Science team for three years. After graduation from high school, Earnest has plans for attending college and majoring in pre-law and a minor in

journalism. His hobbies include: weight lifting, running, volleyball, basketball, drawing, singing, and dancing. Earnest is also proud to be a member of the Dunbar Against Drugs (D. A. D.) organization.

### Three Minorities File For Lake Board

Three minority candidates, the Rev. G.E. O'Neal, Blas Mojica, and Francisco J. Gutierrez are among 14 candidates who filed last week for 3 positions on the Buffalo Lakes board. The election is scheduled for January 19 and will fill three expiring terms on the five-member board which was recently mandated by federal court to hold elections by single member districts instead of the at-large method that was used in the past. The suit was filed by Bidal Aguero of El Editor newspaper and was recently settled so that 4 board members are now elected from districts which follow county commissioner precincts and one member is elected at-large. Rev. G.E. O'Neal is pastor of Mt. Gilead Baptist Church and has been pastor since April of 1989. In announcing for the District 2 position which included most of Southeast Lubbock and Slaton, county com-

missioner precinct 2. Rev. O'Neal said that it was time for minorities to begin to take an active role in all elections. "There have been times that we have been given the opportunity to elect our own and we have not even had candidates to file for positions. We must begin to take part in the electoral process in order to create change in our city," said O'Neal. Blas Mojica who filed for the District 3 position is a retired military person native of Lubbock. District 3 encompasses north and northeast Lubbock and Idalou, county commissioner Precinct 3. "I am running for the board because I know that minorities are the people who really make the Lake function. Both Chicanos and Blacks like to go out there during the holidays and spend time with their families. We need some repre-

sentation on the Board so that we can have a voice on what goes on. Francisco J. Gutierrez is seeking the at-large position on the Board. All residents of Lubbock County will be able to vote for this position. Gutierrez who was recently narrowly defeated for the District 1 City Council seat. The designation of polling places recently drew the ire of minorities who are claiming the polling places are placed in places that would dilute and limit accessibility to minorities. "The designation of polling places in Idalou and Slaton means that minorities within the City will have to travel 10 to 15 miles in order to vote on election day," said Gutierrez. A letter of objection was filed by residents of Lubbock on Tuesday. The judge is expected to rule soon.

### Congressional Nominee

Estacado High School senior Jennifer K. Johns has been nominated to become a Congressional Scholar, representing Texas in the National Young Leaders Conference scheduled to be held February 19 to February 24, 1991 in Washington, D. C. As a Congressional Scholar, she will be one of only three hundred and fifty high school students -- out of over 20,000,000 nationwide -- accepted for this special week, honoring her as one of the nation's outstanding young leaders of tomorrow. The 1990-91 senior will have a first hand opportunity to see our national government at work and will truly be part of a rare academic experience where she will meet with high ranking government officials, senators, representatives, members of the Washington diplomatic corps, national media figures and prominent scholars, so students will leave with a deeper understanding of our democratic system of government, and better equipped to take on the leadership challenges of tomorrow. She will attend a number of special functions held in their honor, including a presentation of the floor of the House of Representatives and a special White House issue briefing. At the end of the conference, there will be an evening banquet and dance where she will



Jennifer K. Johns

receive the prestigious Certificate of Merit.

Jennifer is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Earnest Johns.

### EHS Student Two Times A Matador



Florence Taylor

Only a few have the unique opportunity of living their high school experience from two totally different perspectives. Florence Taylor, once a student at EHS, is now a teacher at Estacado. As a very active Estacado Matador, she was not only a cheerleader and an Honor Graduate, but she also captured that much coveted honor of being elected Miss EHS 1976. This was only the beginning, not the end, of her career at Estacado even though she did not realize it at that time. Mrs. Taylor, then Miss Guyton, went on to Prairie View A & M University, and graduated with a degree in Elementary Education and Special Education. She married Ricky Taylor and they had a son, Quentin.

In 1985, she was assigned to Estacado High School. Is he happy about her return? "Yes!" She says, "It is really rewarding to be here. I feel our students need positive role models. I feel they are comfortable seeking advice on a daily basis from me as a friend as well as an educator." Mrs. Taylor enjoys singing, traveling, and organizing events. As the Estacado chairperson for Black Heritage Week, to be celebrated in February, 1991, she will certainly be able to use those organizing skills! Mrs. Taylor thinks the school is different now than it was in 1976, especially in reference to relationships. "The students seem to respond in groups rather than as individuals in their reactions." She feels this is the reason gangs have been on the uprise. It is going to take strong students, parents, and teachers working to promote a caring environment to combat this "group thinking" tendency. Even so, "Estacado, I think, is on its way to becoming even better than it was when I was a student here! Estacado pride -- alive in 1976 -- alive in 1990."

### EHS Canned Food Drive

Estacado High School students were faced once again with an awesome challenge -- to collect 10,000 pounds of food before December 7, 1990 -- and they did with more than 16,000 pounds of food. Last year, they seized the victory over Lubbock High School by collecting 7,800 pounds of food to win the "Golden Can Award." Collecting food for Lubbock's needy is a project worthy of everyone's best effort and the faculty and students of Estacado are determined to top last year's accomplishment. The new goal, set at 10,000 pounds, was primarily aimed at outdoing the Lubbock High Westerners. Teachers and students at EHS came up with some winning strategies to insure the success. For one, Mrs. Wilda Darden, Estacado Librarian, accepted cans in lieu of library fines. A sock hop was planned for December 3-7, along with a special assembly and a movie. The admission for each event were cans or packages of non-perishable food. The "It's OK to Say No Club" assembly, planned and performed by club members, has become a yearly tradition at Estacado and everyone enjoys it. The Matadors were fired up -- so that explains the outcome last week. Congrats! Matadors for your 16,000 pounds of food!

### EHS Decking The Halls

The halls of Estacado High School are showing that Christmas spirit as home-rooms plan door displays for the annual -- decorating contest. The theme this year is "A Matador Christmas." Teachers and students alike are cheered by the colorful creations decking the halls of EHS. In this time of international crisis, we need to be reminded more than ever of the true spirit of the season, "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men." Whether it comes in the form

of Santas, Angels or Christmas trees, the time-honored message is new and sparkling with each new year!

### Annual Christmas Party At American Legion Post 808

The annual Christmas Party for kids of the community will be held Sunday, December 16, 1990 at the American Legion, Post 808, in Yellow-house Canyon, beginning at 7 p. m. All young people of the community are invited to attend. Parents are encouraged to bring their children.

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# RUBY JAY'S CORNER

Services were well attended last Sunday morning at the New Hope Baptist Church. Sunday School was great, and we had a wonderful lesson. The teachers and officers

were at their post of duty. Devotional period began at 10:45 a.m. with prayer by the Deacons and Deaconess.

The Senior Choir began at 11 a.m. with the processional.

There was altar prayer, and selections by the Senior Choir. Pastor Billy R. Moton gave his pastoral observations. They were very interesting as usual.

Pastor Moton delivered a dynamic sermon which was enjoyed by all in attendance.

Sister Celestione Kyle did a marvelous job by welcoming all the visitors.

Christmas services, sponsored by the Sunday School and Youth Department, will be held Wednesday evening, December 19, 1990 at 7 p.m.

The Annual Church Meeting will be held December 17, 1990.

The International Minister

Fellowship Alliance, IMFA, will have its Christmas Prayer Service on Christmas Night. More about the services will be announced later.

The Mass Choir and Senior Ushers believe "that" it is more blessing to give than to receive. That is why on Saturday, December 15, 1990, Plans are being made for a joint dinner for Senior Citizens her at the New Hope Baptist Church.

Remember the date, December 15, 1990 from 4 to 6 p.m. in the New Hope Fellowship Hall.

The Women's Missionary Society will have Fifth Sunday services on December 30, 1990 at 3 p.m. A skit will be the program with the subject: "In Times Like These."

Sister Bernice Kelly is Chairwoman for this event.

The Women's Missionary Society Chorus is being organized. Sister Jonnie Walker will serve as director, and is asking women of the church to become a part of the group.

Our sick and shut in members include: Rodney Pitts, George Thompson, John N. Middleton, Rev. A. L. Dunn,

## Black Chamber Sponsors New Program

Lubbock's Black Chamber of Entrepreneurs Membership Committee is inviting the entire community to their first ever "Business Card Exchange" which will be held December 14, 1990 at the Parkway Neighborhood Center, 405 North Zenith Avenue, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Door prizes will be given away and hors d'oeuvres will be served.

This event will give the community, business professionals and businesses throughout the area a chance to network and interact.

Virginia Hereford, Katie Lynn, Nancy Robertson, Vernice Norris, Tyrone Ervin, K. G. McCullough, Edward Mosley, and this writer, Ruby Jay, a patient in Methodist Hospital.

Also, A. G. Austin, Alonza Jackson, Wilson Campbell, Vera Mitchell, Anner Johnson, Encina Parson, Rev. F. N. Nelson, Harrison "Bull" Davis, August Benson, Waco, Texas; Ollie Mayberry, a brother of Yvetta Krind; Gwendolyn Denon, Lakridge, California; and Lisa Patterson, San Antonio, Texas.

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EXPIRATION DATE: DAILY 2:30 P.M. BID OPENING DATE: DAILY 3:00 P.M.

#### Lubbock

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3022 E 3RD ST	494-145688-721	3	1	\$12,650	*
2011 E. 8th St	494-124238-203	2	1	\$15,600	*
5422 17TH ST	494-167947-703	4	2	\$71,600	*
2222 25TH ST	494-119467-203	3	1	\$18,800	**
1319 26TH ST	494-112231 '03	2	1	\$10,950	**
6404 27TH ST	494-151680-703	2	1	\$32,050	*
6304 29TH ST	494-109710-265	3	2	\$32,150	*
2317 31ST ST	494-167947-748	3	2	\$27,000	**
5322 31ST ST	494-116829-203	3	2	\$37,800	*
3613 32ND ST	494-123689-293	3	1	\$19,750	*
4314 32ND ST	494-135300-703	3	2	\$21,750	*
2017 35TH ST	494-117587-203	2	1	\$13,750	*
2807 35TH ST	494-149703-203	2	1	\$26,000	*
6212 35TH ST	494-144934-703	3	2	\$45,500	*
1520 36TH ST	494-125761-203	2	1	\$25,000	*
5021 36TH ST	494-150847-703	2	1	\$17,750	*
4715 37TH ST	494-117954-203	3	1/2	\$28,350	*
4812 37TH ST	494-117720-203	3	1	\$25,200	*
6404 37TH ST	494-160637-748	3	1-1/2	\$31,600	*
403 38TH ST	494-131215-703	3	1	\$14,650	**
6408 38TH ST	494-143471-703	3	2	\$49,500	*
2004 39TH ST	494-118909-203	3	2	\$19,800	**
4917 39TH ST	494-123113-203	2	1	\$18,900	*
5306 39TH ST	494-141217-203	3	2	\$27,450	*
533 40TH ST	494-123570-203	2	1	\$16,150	*
528 41ST ST	494-167050-748	3	1	\$22,000	*
1302 42ND ST	494-120970-203	2	1	\$15,350	*
5308 45TH ST	494-164088-703	3	2	\$40,850	**
3714 46TH ST	494-173678-703	3	2	\$46,900	*
2210 48TH ST	494-121619-203	4	2	\$27,700	**
4511 49TH ST	494-123631-245	5	1	\$35,500	*
4919 49TH	494-164122-703	3	2	\$37,050	*
512 55TH ST	494-156922-703	3	1	\$18,250	*
2009 58TH ST	494-168808-703	2	1	\$20,800	*
1606 60TH ST	494-1310790-203	2	1	\$23,650	*
1322 62ND ST	494-136414-203	3	1	\$32,000	**
2723 62ND ST	494-118551-203	3	1-1/2	\$26,550	*
1921 67TH ST	494-137657-203	3	2	\$49,000	*

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2126 73RD ST	494-132706-703	3	1	\$24,200	* Some New Carpet
2106 74TH ST	494-120093-203	3	1-1/2	\$31,300	* New Carpet, Paint
5514 86TH ST	494-133312-203	3	2	\$61,000	*
3414 87TH ST	494-162271-703	3	2	\$67,000	*
5214 91ST ST	494-103218-270	3	2	\$63,400	*
2703 92ND ST	494-101228-203	3	2	\$33,500	**
5710 92ND ST	494-132820-703	3	2	\$55,600	*
2317 93RD PL	494-130595-203	3	2	\$51,250	*
1724 E AMHERST	494-130201-203	3	1	\$19,000	*
1515 E AUBURN	494-162850-703	3	2	\$18,000	*
3513 BANGOR	494-119427-203	3	2	\$32,900	*
4614 BELTON	494-111759-244	6	3	\$41,050	* TRIPLE EX
9117 BOSTON	494-099985-203	3	2	\$30,800	*
9505 DETROIT	494-106367-203	3	2	\$34,000	*
8205 ELKBRIDGE	494-119723-500	3	2	\$37,950	*
7408 FIR	494-108258-265	3	2	\$37,950	*
4405 LEHIGH	494-128522-203	3	1-1/2	\$29,000	*
4707 LEHIGH	494-092529-203	3	1-1/2	\$30,500	* New Carpet, Paint
6003 ORLANDO	494-117097-203	3	1-1/2	\$26,950	*
407 TEAK AVE	494-167094-203	3	1	\$12,050	*
2910 UTE AVE	494-098077-221	3	1	\$21,000	**
7816 VERNON	494-131292-203	3	2	\$52,450	* POOL
5612 AVE A	494-106935-203	3	1	\$15,150	*
5613 AVE G	494-119361-503	2	1	\$14,950	*
6104 AVE P	494-108395-203	2	1	\$15,250	*
6121 AVE Q	494-102256-221	3	2	\$22,800	*
1917 13TH ST	494-124811-203	3	1	\$12,400	**CASH
2308 17TH ST	494-143297-203	7	4	\$29,000	**CASH-Quadplex
1301 26TH ST	494-102724-203	3	2	\$13,900	*CASH
1304 26TH ST	494-169619-703	2	1	\$13,650	*CASH
504 E 36TH ST	494-165095-748	3	1	\$9,550	*CASH
1115 41ST ST	494-149388-221	3	1	\$10,450	*CASH
1830 E AMHERST	494-156921-721	3	2	\$13,300	*CASH
2612 E BAYLOR	494-151259-203	3	1	\$12,100	*CASH
210 DAVID	494-152461-748	3	1	NO PRICE	*CASH
220 DAVID AVE	494-163651-203	3	1	\$10,100	*CASH
3318 JARVIS	494-123572-203	3	1	\$16,600	**CASH
4527 MARSHALL	494-094700-203	2	2	\$22,800	*CASH
6015 ORLANDO	494-159574-703	4	2	\$32,800	*CASH
5613 AVE B	494-095543-203	3	1	\$11,600	*CASH
2007 AVE L	494-098910-203	2	1	NO PRICE	*CASH
2019 AVE H	494-123930-203	2	1	NO PRICE	*CASH
303 AVE T	494-127226-203	4	4	\$9,500	*CASH Quadplex

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# OBSEQUIES

## Mallquiesha Minter

Final rites were read Monday morning, December 10, 1990 for young Mallquiesha Minter at the Tull Thornton Chapel with Bishop W. H. Watson officiating.

Interment was held in the City of Lubbock Cemetery under the directions of Curry Funeral Home.

Young Minter was born February 23, 1989 in Lubbock, Texas to Patricia Cooks and Melford Minter.

She expired December 5, 1990 at University Medical Center of a sudden death.

Her survivors include: parents; Patricia Cooks and Melford Minter; two sisters, Arcasia Cooks and Renessia Smith, both of Lubbock, Texas; a brother, Brodrick Minter of Lubbock, Texas; a maternal



grandmother, Annie Mae White of Amarillo, Texas; and a host of relatives and friends.

Pallbearers were family members.

## Josephine Adams

Final rites were read for Mrs. Josephine Adams on November 10, 1990 at the Bethel A. M. E. Church with Rev. A. L. Dunn, pastor, officiating.

Interment was held in the Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park under the directions of Curry Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Anthony Hodge, Milton Hodge, Ronnie Hodge, Reginald Hodge, William A. Sneed, Jr. and Michael Hodge.

Honorary pallbearers were Tommy Joe Hodge, Iris Cage, Farris Cage, Nathaniel Cage, Jerry Ragland, and Lincoln Earl Lewis.

Mrs. Adams was born January 12, 1920. She was the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Hodge.

She was born in Moody, Texas and raised and went to school in Lorena, Texas. Later, she moved to Lubbock, Texas in 1943. She joined Bethel A. M. E. Church, under the leadership of Rev. Chilton Thomas.

She married Allen Adams in



## Special Stories At Mahon Library

A celebration of Christmas will be the underlying theme for Thrilling Thursday at the Mahon Library Community Room on December 20, 1990 at 7:30 p. m.

Special stories and legends will be told. A film called "Mole and the Christmas Tree" will also be shown. As a special treat a puppet show based on the book "The Day After Christmas" by James Steven-

son will be presented.

Although geared for children 6-12, the program is open to everyone and is free. The Mahon Library is located at 1306 9th Street. For further information, please call 767-

2838.

1944, and to this union, one daughter was born.

She leaves to mourn her passing: her daughter, Mrs. Jean Ford of Lubbock, Texas; her mother, Mrs. Julia Hodge of Lubbock, Texas; five grandchildren, eight great grandchildren, four sisters: Ora Lee Kirby of Lubbock, Texas, Myrtle Sneed of McGregor, Texas, Lorena Hodge and Julia Mae Burns, both of Lubbock, Texas; two brothers, Johnnie L. Hodge of Lubbock, Texas and Ralph Hodge, Jr. of San Francisco, California; three aunts: Mrs. Cora Mitchell, Mrs. Marva Lee Love and Mrs. Francis McDade, all of Dallas, Texas; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Her father and two sisters preceded her in death.

## Letter to Editor

### "Keep The Dream Alive"

Dear Pastors:

Once again it is time to celebrate the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Your support and participation, as always, is greatly appreciated. This letter is to respectfully request an advertisement that will represent your Church Family in this year's celebration program.

The prices are: Full Page - \$75.00; One-Half Page - \$50.00; and One-Fourth Page

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# EDITORIALS • COMMENTS • OPINIONS

## Donations Needed For Guadalupe Economic Services Corporation

With the recent fire of the Guadalupe Economic Services Corporation warehouse, located at 32nd & Avenue H, donations of food, clothing, bedding, cash and any other items are being accepted. If you would like to contribute to this effort, please do so. The Southwest Digest highly encourages our readers and friends to come to the rescue of a program which is in dire need.

All of this has come about, because of some fool who has taken advantage of setting fire to this needed program. The Southwest Digest has always appreciated the efforts of the Guadalupe Economic Services Corporation and its hardworking leader Richard Lopez and his staff.

Many from East Lubbock has benefitted from the efforts of this organization, but now this organization needs your help.

If you would like to make a contribution, then do so today by taking your gift to 1416 1st Street or you may call 744-4416.

Who ever is responsible for this drastic act, the Southwest Digest hopes you will have some sleepless nights as a large number of our boys and girls as well as our senior citizens has depended on the efforts of the Guadalupe Economic Services Corporation. We hope you are caught and made to pay back what you have taken away from needy people of our city.

## Remember The Homeless

by  
Congressman Augustus F. Hawkins

While most of us will find ways to enjoy the coming holiday season with friends and loved ones, there is an increasingly large group of adults and youngsters whose holiday will bring no reason to celebrate: the homeless.

Many of these families and individuals find themselves in this unfortunate circumstance through no fault of their own. With our economy approaching a recession, many businesses have failed or issued pink slips to employees to reduce expenses. State and local governments have begun hiring freezes and/or lowered pay rates, and corporations have "downsized" operations as well.

While many local communities have taken action to provide some shelter and food, particularly during the coming season, we have a long way to go to alleviate this human displacement. Each of us ought consider how we might help.

The federal government has been somewhat responsive to this national embarrassment through the McKinney Homeless Assistance Amendments of 1990. The Act addresses a number of the elements of homelessness; including literacy, education and job training, child abuse, emergency community grants and prevention. Here is some of what the Act will provide:

- \* literacy and basic skills training by local school districts;
- \* grants to public/private partnerships with demonstrated effectiveness in literacy programs;

- \* job training applicants from poverty areas may receive special consideration and Job Corps Centers may be established for homeless families;

- \* social services and residential facilities in conjunction with state and local agencies, (interjurisdictional cooperation).

Through the Emergency Community Services portion of the Act, buildings can be renovated and/or purchased to house the homeless. Services include violence counseling for homeless children and adults, with training for those who provide the counseling.

The McKinney Act states that homeless alone is not enough of a reason to separate students from the mainstream school environment. While information is to be collected on the nature and extent of educational barriers and special needs of homeless children. Grants are provided to schools, specifically for these students to receive services that will enable them to attend and achieve success in school. Teacher training programs to heighten the awareness of those who serve these students is included. It is important that school districts are required to adopt policies and practices to prevent homeless students from being isolated or stigmatized and to designate a liaison to assist these

## Something Blacks Can Do Now



"I'M MORE ENCOURAGED TODAY THAN I HAVE BEEN IN A LONG TIME. DR. HAMILTON SAID HIS ENCOURAGEMENT DID NOT COME FROM THE ENLIGHTENMENT OF WHITE PEOPLE, BUT FROM THE DETERMINATION OF BLACK PEOPLE TO DO FOR THEMSELVES."  
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students. The liaison will help them enroll and receive educational services, and provide referral to other necessary services.

An essential element of the Act permits grants for developing and implementing plans to ensure that homeless children meet eligibility criteria for participation in federal, state and local "before and after-school" care programs. Often, conflicting requirements cancel out opportunities for essential services. A smoother path can be created for these children.

From this small beginning much more needs to be done without delay. Each of us can find a way to share the holiday spirit of giving with those who have the least but can appreciate it most.

As we prepare for the holidays, let us not forget those less fortunate.



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## AT ISSUE

### Balanced Budget Amendment

Grover Norquist currently serves as president of Americans for Tax Reform (ATR), a coalition of businesses and trade associations concerned with federal tax policy.



YES



NO

Dr. Herbert Stein is a senior fellow of the American Enterprise Institute and is a former member of the President's Council of Economic Advisers.

Should there be a constitutional amendment requiring a balanced federal budget?

Yes. Congress has not balanced the federal budget since 1969. All tax increases enacted with the promise of "reducing the deficit" have been followed by higher government spending. Tax increases actually increase the deficit by slowing down the economy and killing jobs, while congressmen see higher tax revenue and open the spending spigots. Just as the First Amendment is necessary to keep the government from passing laws violating free speech, we need a constitutional amendment to force a balanced budget to stop Congress from violating our pocketbooks. Yet, requiring a balanced budget is not enough. This might give politicians an excuse to raise taxes further rather than reduce wasteful government spending. All advocates of a balanced-budget constitutional amendment also support a limit on how much the federal government can spend. A sound constitutional amendment must require a balanced budget and a spending limitation.

How would this affect control of the budget process?

Most state governments have a requirement for a balanced budget. This forces state governments to limit their spending and taxing. Strong anti-tax governors, such as Doug Wilder of Virginia, have used the balanced budget requirements to reign in excessive spending to the relief of taxpayers. And, a balanced-budget amendment would stop Congress' ability to load future generations with debt to pay for their political goodies today.

What are other alternatives for balancing the budget?

A presidential line-item veto would reduce pork-barrel spending and save billions of dollars each year. More than 30 governors have this authority, and it saves taxpayers at the state level a great deal of money. The federal budget mess cries out for a line-item veto.

Should there be a constitutional amendment requiring a balanced federal budget?

A balanced budget is not a proper object of policy. Running a deficit subtracts from the savings available for private investment; running a surplus adds to it. Whether the government should subtract or add, and how much, properly depends on economic conditions and the nation's priorities. In time of war, many things are more important than balancing the budget. There are times, and this may be one of them, when sound policy requires not only balance but surplus, because the rate of private saving is low and economic growth is slow. Finding the right size of deficit or surplus is not easy. But efforts to reach better answers should not be foreclosed by attempting to impose an arbitrary limit on the process.

How would this affect control of the budget process?

The Gramm-Rudman Act shows how difficult it is to make the budget outcome conform to any predetermined path for the deficit if there is not a strong and general desire to achieve that result. The opportunities for evasion are great. The main effect of an amendment would be to create a greater incentive for evasion. There might also be some tendency to restrain government spending. But our big problem is not that the government spends too much, but that it spends too much on the wrong things; a balanced-budget amendment would not fix that.

What are other alternatives for balancing the budget?

The object is not to balance the budget but to get the right policy for spending, taxing and borrowing. People concerned about the improvement of budget policy should take the lead in candid discussion of the real issues, rather than trying to impose a straitjacket on a public that they assume to be both incorrigible and unsuspecting. It

## The Mind/Body Link

by  
Annie Day

For many years the professionals denied any tie between mental and physical health. But now, there are growing indications that our thoughts and emotions can sometimes keep us healthy, and even heal us if we are ill.

Many times, we go from specialist to specialist, getting still more medication, and none of it is helping our condition, because we love to remind ourselves that we are sick, and the

more we magnify our sickness, the bigger it gets in our mind. Our emotions have a profound effect on our health. In a moment of revelation, we should take a journey of self-healing including God and the mind body treatments. Whether we know it or not, the mind and immune system are tightly linked together. The underlying cause of much of our illness is a collagen disorder that cause our body's connective tissue to deteriorate. Once we get that part of our system functioning again, many things can fall in place physically, socially, emotionally and spiritually. Our minds help to make us sick. People who are very close to God know that good thoughts, a warm hand shake, a real hug, a friendly smile can help bring peace and consolation to yourself and to others around you.

Indeed, this mind/body link has become big business, the rich are becoming richer because we are failing to do what God says for us to do. And that is to keep our mind stayed on him. And our affections on things above. We are living in a temporary society, and as we pass through -- please treat our fellowman with kindness. This has a direct effect on our physical and emotional health. On our physical and emotional health. Much research has revealed that the healing process may be enhanced in the face of positive influences. In a fascinating study, published in 1989 at Stanford University Medical School, a follow-up was done on several women who had breast cancers, those who received both medical and psychotherapy treatments survival. On average, twice as long as the ones who received medical treatments alone. There is a continuous flow of messages from the brain to the immune system, then back to the brain again. A message from the brain affects immune-system chemicals that are called lymphokines. Some of these enter the brain affecting such structures as the pituitary gland, which determines how we react to emotions and stress. Anytime any of these things are out of order in the mind, we find ourselves hurting, talking too much, getting angry, real fast, heart pumping overtime, answering too quick, hurting someone's feeling and blood pressure too high. We must not allow our body/mind link to make us sick. With God's help, we can regain control.

1. Learn to relax.
2. Don't be passive.
3. Open up, talk to a trusted friend.
4. Laugh a belly shaking laugh sometime.
5. Thank the Lord for what you have.
6. Don't keep on asking him for what you have.
7. Don't ever forget the common courtesies -- please, excuse me, I'm sorry and thank you!

Yours in Christ,  
Annie Day

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**HARD TO BELIEVE!! THIS N THAT** ... as well as many other Lubbock citizens cannot understand why some **FOOL** ... set fire to the **GUADALUPE ECONOMIC SERVICES CORPORATION** ... warehouse ... located recently ... The warehouse contained thousands of pounds of foodstuff and clothing for the needy of our community ... and surrounding areas ... **THIS N THAT** ... hopes the fool is caught and something is done to him or her ... **JUST DOESN'T MAKE ANY SENSE!! SHALL WE PRAY FOR OUR COMMUNITY** ... as we are living in perilous times ...

**PRAYER IS ALSO NEEDED FOR OUR FRIEND!! THIS N THAT** ... would hope that we would continue in prayer for one of our friends ... **REV. BOB TIEUL** ... who for many years wrote the column in this newspaper ... **'RINGING THE BELL'** **THIS N THAT** ... learned that his wife died in the terrible fire ... and he

has lived through it ... Shall we pray for our friend ... **GOOD SEE!! THIS N THAT** ... is always pleased with the **GOOD WORKS OF THE SOUTH PLAINS FOOD BANK** ... each day of the year ... but especially pleased with what they have done this year ... They are to be **CONGRATULATED** ... successful year helping hungry people of area ... But not only them this year ... dur-

## Amistad Housing Celebrates Grand Opening In Hereford

After six years of planning, struggling and working, Amistad Housing in Hereford, Texas will celebrate its opening this Saturday, December 15, 1990. Texas Rural Legal Aid of Plainview and Hereford announces that, with this grand opening to be held from two o'clock to five o'clock, farmworkers throughout the Panhandle will now have additional safe and affordable housing available through Amistad Housing.

"With good housing for farmworkers being such a rarity throughout West Texas, the Hereford community should be proud that the Amistad Housing Development Corporation persevered to complete this much-needed housing project," said Rodolfo Mares, Jr. of TRLA. "Now, farmwork-

ers need to know that these new apartments are available for occupancy."

Amistad Housing offers units to persons of low income who have worked as farmworkers during the last twelve months. As a recipient of Farmer Home Administration grants and loans, the Amistad Housing will comply with federal regulations governing ad-

missions, occupancy and evictions.

"With this new housing, any farmworker who has a question about availability of units, he should call Amistad Housing. If any farmworker has a question her rights as a tenant, she should call TRLA's toll-free number, 1-800-356-5846," said Mares.

## Fourth Year Appreciation Services

First Progressive Baptist Church Choir would like to invite all choirs and public to their Fourth Annual Musician Director program set for December 15, 1990 at 7 p. m.

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## The Outreach Prayer Breakfast

Members of the Outreach Prayer Breakfast met last Saturday morning in the lovely home of President Christine Burleson. Future plans were made for Christmas gifts for the needy.

President Burleson opened with the devotional period with scripture, 100th Psalms 1:9. Christmas Carols were also sung and prayers went forth.

The morning scripture lesson was taught by Sister Ardelia Hardrick. Her scripture was Matthew 8:13-23.

(13) -- *And Jesus said unto the centurion, go thy way; and as thou hast believed, so be it done unto thee. And his servant was healed in the self-same hour.*

(22) -- *But Jesus said unto him, follow me; and let the dead bury their dead.*

(23) -- *And when he was entered into a ship; his disciples followed him.*

This teacher said Jesus wants true followers. Those that will have signs following them. Remember, we have been redeemed from the curse of the law, which is poverty and sickness.

The lady is truly a teacher of

the word.

Thought of the week: **"What's your plans for Christmas??? Do they include Jesus Christ??? If not, you have no need to celebrate, Friends!**

We will continue to meet at Sister Burleson's home on Saturday morning to finish our plans for the Christmas' food boxes. She lives at 2409 East 9th Street.

Those who are blessed to see the year end, will be handed a clean sheet for '91. We are blessed, all of us. Remember, the harvest is white and getting whiter, the laborers are few!

Keep smiling, super people. What an age to live in, isn't it exciting? Keep loving your enemy. It makes him a better person. We love you, join us!

Read II Chronicles 7:14.

We are praying for all the sick and hurting people everywhere. Prayer works, if you work it!

New officers will be announced the first of the year. Make plans to be a part. **"What joy, there is in being a Christian."**

Write Outreach Prayer Break-

## "Giving"

Every season is a season for giving, and the Usher Unit No. 2 and Missionary Society No. 1 of the Greater St. Luke Baptist Church proves this by ending their year long effort giving -- by delivering sixty-four gift bags to Parkway Nursing Center, and thirty-two to the ill and shut-in of the community.

This is a year round project with these two auxiliaries, and they are publishing this information, in hope that others will not wait until the Christmas season to give. Let's try to do

fast, P. O. Box 1223, Lubbock, Texas 79408.

President, Sister Christine Burleson; vice president, Sister Ardelia Hardrick; secretary, Sister Elnora Jones; and reporter, Sister Dorothy Hood.

## Annual Women's Day Services

The Christ Temple Church of God in Christ will hold its Tenth Annual Women's Services Friday, December 14; and Sunday, December 16, 1990.

Friday evening services will begin at 8:00 p. m. and Sun-

day services will begin at 3:00 p. m.

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The theme for this year's services will be "Saved Women Dealing With Crisis of Black Males." Scriptures references are: I Corinthians 7:14; I Peter

3:1-4; Titus 2:7; Proverbs 14:1, 11:30, 31:10; and Romans 1:24-32.

Conductor of the services is

Mother Hazel Thompson while Mother Wilma James is CO-Conductor. Sister Shirley Scott is secretary; Sister Myrta

Haynes is Finance Chairperson.

Beginning at 7:00 p. m. on Friday, the Christ Temple Youth will state: "We need Daddy as Our Brothers." Sister Caroline Moore, Sister C. Walker and Sister Donnie Walker

will present the young people.

Speakers for the services will be Sister Lemuel Thuston on Friday night; and Mother Victorine Mackey, State Supervisor of N. W. Texas.

Bishop W. D. Haynes is pastor.



FROM THE OF  
PARSON D. A. SMITH

The message of Christmas is the message of a fulfilled dream. Jesus is called the "son of David" (Matthew 1:1). The Jews had longed looked for the fulfillment of prophecy that would make their dream of a Savior come true. They had dreamed a dream of which there was no interpreter like the Pharaoh of Egypt had in Joseph. David had welded Israel into a nation and made her a world power. The Jews had dreamed that a child born of the lineage of David, would deliver them again. In this sense, Jesus was the fulfillment of their dreams. The very name "Jesus" was the Greek form of the Hebrew for Joshua, which means "the one who delivers."

In the world in which we live, Jesus is still the answer to the dreams of man. Many men and women dream of power, wealth, and prestige. But they find real peace only when they get right with God through Jesus Christ. Jesus only is worthy of trust as a Savior.

A Christian Hindu was dying. His pagan companions came to visit him and tried giving him comfort. They started by reading some of the pages of their theology; but he waved his hand, as if to say, "I don't want to hear it." They called in a pagan priest, and he said, "If you will only recite the Numtra it will deliver you from hell." The dying Hindu waved his hand again, as if to say, "I don't want to hear that." Then they said, "Call on Juggernaut." He shook his head, as much as to say, "I can't do that." Then they thought, perhaps he was too weary to speak and they said, "Now if you can't say 'Juggernaut,' think of that god." He shook his head again, as much as to say, "No, no, no." Then they bowed down to his pillar, and said, "In what will you trust?" His face lighted up with the very glories of the celestial sphere as he cried out, rallying all his dying energies, "Jesus! My deliverer."

The message of Christmas is that Jesus demolishes the works of Satan because they stand in his way as Savior. Jesus saves his people from the penalty of their sins; from the dominion and practice of sin; in the end from the very existence of sin; and from the painful remembrance of sin. "Hark the herald angels sing, 'Glory to the newborn King.'"

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Jeremiah 26:13 -- "Therefore now amend your ways and your doings, and obey the voice of the Lord your God; and the Lord will repent him of the evil that he hath pronounced against you."

After the tree fell the cold chills over me: (The Holy Ghost) telling me to talk with my family, when the horn had blown, the chills came over me (The Holy Ghost) telling me it was time to go to Garland, Texas. I drove back to Heame, Texas and paid my cousin Melvin Potts the money he had loaned me for the auto parts.

Thinking everything was alright: my Dad and Wife was talking things out, my debt was paid. Now I can go home in peace. I gassed up my pickup truck and got a six pack of beer for the road like I always did. As I was pulling out of Heame, I got on my CB radio and said: "This is Dr. Bol-Fly, how is it looking back to Waco? A voice came back: paddle to the metal, it's clear that way. I said: I'm just pulling out and can't help you, but have a good day. (Even my name had changed to Blo-Fly; the devil's game, he'll change your name.)

I then turned my tape player on to my blues singers, while my speed picked up to 75 or 80 mph. (You see I was raised on speed, in the 60's. If your car couldn't do 120 mph, you didn't have a good car.) As I reached in teh & got out a beer, with my finger under the snap ring, a voice said: "Don't open that beer! Now there was no one in the pickup I thought to myself, I just told my Dad that a little while ago; but who's saying it now."

Isaiah 1:19-20 -- If ye be willing and obedient, ye shall eat the good of the land; but if ye refuse and rebel, ye shall be devoured with the sword: for the mouth of the Lord hath spoken it.

I yet had my finger under the snap ring of the beer can ready to pull it, (about 3 wks ago I had a dream that I was lying in a field, with blood in my throat: it was choking me. I was dying; I woke up and sat in a bed soaking wet; I went back to sleep and the dream came again; I woke up and didn't go back to sleep fearing I would have it a third time). I was ready to open the beer and the dream came as I was speeding along, the very same thing. "I said it out loud I'm going to die today," the cold chills came again (The Holy Spirit). I put my foot on the brakes, my speed came to 50 mph, I put the beer in the beer holder on my dash; I gripped the steering wheel hard, my foot was shaking "hysterically" on the gas peddle, and I began to pray.

Psalms 6:1-2 -- O' Lord, rebuke me not in thine anger, neither chasten me in thy hot displeasure. Have mercy on me, O' Lord, for I am weak; O' Lord, heal me; for my bones are vexed.

Lord's will Part 5 next week? God is not through with us yet. So let's pray for one another always.

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## Meatier Chili Dish Warms Up Cook-Off Judges

Spice up this winter with a different twist on chili — hearty "Beef and Black Bean Chili" ranks a cut above by using tender chunks of boneless beef chuck roast. Its creator, Carmen Martin Kingery of Manchester Center, Vt., likes to pack the dish for ski trips, but in September it took her to the top as a 1990 National Beef Cook-Off® winner, earning \$1,000 as the Best Beef Recipe Using Any Cut from the Chuck.

Eleven winners were chosen at the 17th annual Cook-Off, held this year in Seattle, Wash. The event's top honor, BEST OF BEEF, earned more than \$15,000 in cash and prizes.

Next year's Cook-Off, to be held Sept. 22-24, 1991, in Colorado Springs, promises to be exceptionally exciting. In the Indoor, Outdoor Barbecue and Microwave competitions, 64 contestants from 50 states will test their mettle as America's top amateur beef chefs — each hoping for a share of more than \$35,500 in cash prizes. The American National CattleWomen, Inc. sponsor the event in cooperation with the Beef Industry Council and the Beef Board.

With sourdough bread, sour cream and cheese, "Beef and Black Bean Chili" makes six servings sure to warm up any crowd. Here's the recipe:

### Beef and Black Bean Chili

Preparation time: 30 minutes  
Soaking time: 12 hours or overnight  
Cooking time: 1 hour 50 minutes

- 2-pound boneless beef chuck eye roast
- 3/4 cup dried black beans
- Water\*
- 3 tablespoons olive oil
- 2 large green bell peppers, chopped
- 1 large onion, chopped
- 2 to 4 jalapeno peppers, seeded and finely chopped
- 3 cloves garlic, minced
- 1/4 cup chili powder
- 1 tablespoon ground cumin
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
- 1 can (28 ounces) crushed tomatoes in puree



- 1 cup (4 ounces) shredded sharp Cheddar cheese
- 3/4 cup dairy sour cream
- Sourdough bread

Soak beans in cold water to cover 12 hours or overnight. Drain and rinse beans. Combine beans and 1 quart water in large saucepan; heat to boiling. Reduce heat; cover and simmer 1 hour to 1 hour 15 minutes or until beans are tender. Meanwhile trim excess fat from boneless beef chuck eye roast; cut beef into 1/2-inch cubes. Heat oil in Dutch oven over medium heat until hot. Add bell peppers, onion, jalapeno peppers and garlic; cook 10 minutes or until tender, stirring frequently. Increase heat to high; add beef. Cook 6 minutes or until beef is no longer pink, stirring frequently. Reduce heat to low; stir in chili powder, cumin, salt and pepper. Cook and stir 1 minute. Stir in tomatoes. Cover and simmer 1 hour 20 minutes. Drain beans; add to pan and simmer 10 minutes. Transfer chili to serving bowl. Serve with cheese, sour cream and sourdough bread. 6 servings.

\*1 can (15 ounces) black beans, rinsed and drained, may be substituted for dried black beans.

Okla.  
His wife, Dora, is the daughter of Juan Martinez of 1914 16th Street, and Susie Saenz of 306 East Rice, Lubbock, Texas.  
He is a 1986 graduate of Harlingen High School.



## East and West Tastes Combine in Prize-Winning Beef Dish

Far East meets Southwest in an unusual beef dish that earned Kathy Rypkema, of Bedford, Texas, top honors in the Outdoor Barbecue category of the 1990 National Beef Cook-Off®. "Indonesian Beef Satay with Peanut Curry Sauce" won Rypkema \$5,000 cash, a Kingsford® Pro™ grill and a year's supply of Kingsford® barbecue supplies.

Eleven winners were chosen at the 17th annual Cook-Off, held this year in Seattle, Wash. The event's top honor, BEST OF BEEF, earned more than \$15,000 in cash and prizes.

Next year's Cook-Off, to be held Sept. 22-24, 1991, in Colorado Springs, promises to be exceptionally exciting. In the Indoor, Outdoor Barbecue and Microwave competitions, 64 contestants from 50 states will test their mettle as America's top amateur beef chefs — each hoping for a share of more than \$35,500 in cash prizes. The American National CattleWomen, Inc. sponsor the event in cooperation with the Beef Industry Council and the Beef Board.

This tangy beef satay can be served as a light main dish, appetizer or an exotic buffet supper selection. Here's the recipe:

### Indonesian Beef Satay With Peanut Curry Sauce

Preparation time: 40 minutes  
Freezing time: 30 minutes  
Marinating time: 3 to 4 hours or overnight, if desired  
Cooking time: 5 to 6 minutes

- 1 pound beef flank steak
- 3 to 4 tablespoons soy sauce
- 2 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil
- 1 tablespoon finely chopped onion
- 1 teaspoon packed light brown sugar
- 1 clove garlic, minced



- 1/8 teaspoon curry powder
- Leaf lettuce
- Peanut Curry Sauce\*
- Condiments such as fresh pineapple chunks, cucumber chunks, green onion brushes and red bell-pepper strips, as desired

Prepare Peanut Curry Sauce. Line platter with lettuce. Decoratively arrange condiments, as desired, on lettuce; reserve. Remove beef skewers from marinade; bring marinade to a boil. Place skewers on grid over medium coals\*\*. Grill 5 to 6 minutes to desired doneness, turning occasionally and brushing with cooked marinade. Arrange skewers on platter in spoke-like fashion. Serve with Peanut Curry Sauce. 4 servings.

\*\*Test about 4 inches above coals for medium with 4-second hand count.

Nutrient data per serving of 3 beef skewers each and 1 tablespoon sauce: 305 calories; 14 g fat; 611 mg sodium; 57 mg cholesterol.

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## Rodgers Center Closed For Renovation

Residents of the Arnett-Benson and surrounding neighborhoods should note that Rodgers Community Center at 3200 Amherst will be closed this week as of Monday, December 10th.

There will be no interruption in the center's schedule. All activities will continue and simply be moved next door to the Arnett-Benson Senior Center. The senior center is adjacent to the community center. Special events such as Yule Trail Bus Tour December 14 and the after school program will continue at the senior center.

Susie Howard, Rodgers Community Center supervisor, said the center will be closed for approximately 120 days as major renovations are completed to the facility.

Built in 1966, the center renovations are part of a program to protect the city's investment in facilities by maintaining their condition and appearance. Work to be performed includes painting, remodeling of restrooms for handicapped accessibility, replacement of windows and doors, replacement of the heating and air conditioning system and other modifications and improvements.

The renovations are funded by the federal Community Development block grant program.

Contact Susie Howard at 767-2702 for further information.



The first system of writing was invented by the Sumerians in ancient Mesopotamia about 3500 B.C.



**MUSICIAN RECEIVES COMMISSION** -- Newly commissioned ensign George Noble Thompson, Jr. gets assistance with his shoulder boards from his wife, Gwendolyn, and RADM Larry Marsh, Commander, Naval Base Seattle. Thompson is the first African-American to be promoted to Ensign within the Navy music program.

(Official U. S. Navy Photo by PH2 D. Harrison)

### LWV Sponsors Forum

The Lubbock League of Women Voters is sponsoring a Public Issues Forum Thursday night, December 13, 1990 (tonight), 6:30 - 9:00 p. m. at the Godeke Branch Li-

brary, 66th and Quaker Ave. The topic for the forum is "Incineration: What You Need To Know."

A panel of experts are expected to address the four incineration processes which have been proposed for West Texas, including the incineration of municipal solid

waste, medical waste, soil incineration, and the incineration of hazardous waste. The panelists are Linda Wyatt from the Texas Dept. of Health; Gerald Hudson from the Texas Air Control Board; James McGrath, MD, from the TTUHSC School of Medicine; and Don Walters from the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in Dallas.



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### Hitting Hard

It's no secret that playing professional football means getting hit hard. A Sunday afternoon watching games on television makes one wonder if the National Football League's teams are beating each other up more than ever. In all honesty, I think the hardest hits and the hardest hitters have come and gone.

I was fortunate to play in the NFL when many of the all-time greats were playing. So many of the men I got a chance to play against have gone on to be included in the Hall of Fame. Our division was dubbed the "black 'n' blue division" because of the intensity of the hitting between teams.

Entire Green Bay Packers teams from the early '60s, it seems, have gone on to the Hall of Fame. They had what it takes to really become famous in the NFL — the ability to intimidate an offense. Men like Ray Nitschke and Willie Wood struck fear into the hearts of the opposition.

Linebacker Dick Butkus had that gift of intimidation, and I can vouch for the power he possessed on the field. We met at the 1964 East-West College All-Star game, and I first learned what it was like to get hit by Dick Butkus. We both went on to play for the Chicago Bears, and I got hit plenty by him in practice. Butkus was what you'd call a "seven-day-a-week" player. He didn't hold back until game day.

Perhaps the hardest hitter I ever encountered was Deacon Jones of the Los Angeles Rams. I consider Jones to be the greatest defensive end to ever play the game. If you got hit by him, you knew it and would remember it well after the game. He was one of the Rams' "Fearsome Foursome," along with Lamar Lundy, Rosey Grier and Merlin Olsen. In my eyes, Jones was the only one of the "Fearsome Foursome" — although they were all great players — who had the ability to intimidate.

Who today can measure up to the legends? Who are the men who intimidate? The truth is that changes in defensive configurations, such as three-man-fronts, have altered the style of play and make for fewer guys who emerge as intimidating players. Players themselves also have changed. Today's players are faster and stronger across the board, making it a contest of big men vs. big men.

Lawrence Taylor of the New York Giants has earned his reputation as one of the real punishing hitters in the game. He may be the closest thing to Deacon Jones playing today. He plays the game like a defensive end, rushing the quarterback on nearly every play from his spot at outside linebacker.

Ronnie Lott, safety for the San Francisco 49ers, also deserves his notoriety as a vicious hitter. I know I'm glad I don't have to play against him.

There are other hitters playing now that I have failed to mention, but I think the game will continue to see a trend of fewer guys making their names as punishing hitters. The gains in overall speed and size have made for a game where the intensity of hitting is not as great a factor. lol

Gale Sayers is considered one of the greatest running backs of all time. The former Chicago Bear is a member of the National Football League's Hall of Fame.

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