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"Chatman Hill Addition"

Groundbreaking Ceremonies Set

Ground breaking ceremonies will be held March 30 at East 23rd Street and Birch Avenue to inaugurate a pilot program for affordable housing in Lubbock.

Construction is under way on the first four of up to 24 single family units in the Chatman Hill

neighborhood.

The ground breaking for the neighborhood redevelopment project is being co sponsored by the City of Lubbock, West Texas Home Builders and the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. Immediately following the 1:00 p. m. ground breaking

ceremonies, a news conference is scheduled at Mount Vernon United Methodist Church, 2304 Cedar Avenue, to announce

details of the formation of the Chatman Memorial Center, Inc.

Mayor B. C. "Peck" McMin will be master of

ceremonies at the ground breaking. Entertainment will be provided by the Dunbar

High School band.

The City of Lubbock had signed a joint venture for affordable housing a year ago with the local FHA and the West Texas Home Builders Association. The

demonstration project is aimed at constructing quality homes at the least practical cost.

Persons interested in purchasing a lot and building a home can contact the City of Lubbock Community Development Office at the Municipal

Building, 1625 13th Street. Once a lot has been

selected, assistance is available from the West Texas Home Builders to select a contractor for the home. The home builder will develop house plans and assist in the application for an FHA loan for the project.

Reunion Update



Erma Davis Mitchell

Excitement and participation are continuously building for the upcoming Dunbar All Class Reunion, set for July 1st thru 4th.

Meet Erma Davis Mitchell of the class of 1949. She now lives in Balch Springs, Texas and is the proud grandmother of four. She says she's looking forward to seeing all of her classmates, relatives, and especially would like to see

Minnie Owens.

Don't you be left out of the fun if you ever attended Dunbar High School anytime during the years of 1923 thru 1979. Call 766 1300 for details.



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Easter Week Celebrations

Mt. Vernon United Methodist Church will celebrate the Easter season with a series of events, beginning on Thursday, March 23, as Maundy Thursday will be celebrated.

This special service recalls the establishing of the Lord's Supper. Jesus said: "Do this in remembrance of me."

On Saturday, March 25th, the Children's Ministries will hold their annual Easter Egg Hunt at the church.

On Resurrection Sunday, the church will begin the day with a Sunrise Service. This special effort will begin at 6 a. m. After the service, breakfast will be served until 11 a. m. A full meal is planned. Cost for adults is \$3.00 and \$1.50 for children under age 10.

During the morning celebration, the Sunshine Choir will present their Easter program.

Everyone is invited to attend.

If you don't have a church home, then experience the Mount. It will make a



Rev. William M. Williams, Jr.

difference in your life. Mt. Vernon is located at 2304 Cedar Avenue. Rev. William M. Williams, Jr. is the pastor.

Pastor Williams' sermon for the 6 a. m. service is "How Do You Experience The Resurrection?"

For the 11 a. m. service, the sermon will be "Roll Away The Stones."

The public is invited to join members of Mt. Vernon and Pastor Williams as they celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus Christ, Our Lord!

Four Lady MHS Basketball Players Sign Scholarships

The first weekend in March (4th & 5th) proved to be very rewarding for four talented young ladies from

Estacado High School.

Southwestern Christian College (SWCC) Women's Basketball coach and athletic director Seneca Mangrum arrived in Lubbock on Saturday, March 4th, and made things happen.

Coach Mangrum's purpose for visiting Lubbock was to award full two year basketball scholarships to four talented lady Matadors. The four young ladies who Coach Mangrum awarded the scholarships were Keisha Manahan, Shirleia Chase, Nikka Johns, and Shadeth Collins.

Manahan was the third leading scorer for EHS. She averaged 10.5 points per game during her senior year at Estacado.

Johns is an outstanding point guard, averaging 5.3 points per game during her senior year.

Chase, on the other hand,



John Ella Savage

Ms. John Ella Savage was born and reared in Hook, Texas and a mother of six children, but only four are living.

She moved from Littlefield, Texas to Lubbock in 1972, and since that time,

was one of the better rebounders in District 14A. She also scored 47 points in 8 games during her senior year.

All four of these young ladies are very good basketball players and honor students at EHS.

Coach Mangrum had already signed these young ladies in the 6 foot area, and she needed to sign some guards and forwards such as Keisha, Shiretha, Nikka and Shadeth.

Coach Mangrum believes these four lady Matadors will help improve the Women's Basketball program at Southwestern Christian College in Terrell, Texas, located near Dallas.

Coach Mangrum was unable to see the four ladies prior to this year, but she was made aware of their playing abilities and talent through the local AJ Newspaper

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she has been a big asset to the funeral business here in Lubbock.

She is also a member of the New Hope Baptist Church where she serves on the Usher Board.

Ms. Savage has been a supporter of the South Plains Funeral Home since 1972.

Honoring her for her years of service is a special honor, and with this honor, South Plains Funeral Home feels that she deserves to be the "Mother of the Month" for March. She was chosen by the staff of South Plains Funeral Home.

The staff honored Ms. Savage with a luncheon and presented a plaque showing their appreciation for her years of dedicated service.

Each month, South Plains Funeral Home will honor a "Mother of the Month," and she will be selected by the minister of her church.

South Plains Funeral Home is asking all ministers to advise South Plains Funeral Home if you have someone special in your church who can be a candidate for "Mother of the Month." Please contact South Plains Funeral Home at 769 5088.



Linda McClain

LUBBOCK WOMAN OUTSTANDING STUDENT AT SPC... Linda McClain of Route 11, Lubbock, has been named outstanding performing arts production technology student of the

month in the first of a series of recognition programs at South Plains College, Levelland, Texas, designed to focus on the achievements of SPC's technical/ vocational/

occupational students.

McClain, a performing arts production technology major at SPC, is a member of the Television and Audio Production Engineering Society. SPC Photo

RUBY JAY'S CORNER



The New Hope Baptist Church, 2002 Birch Avenue, is the Church where the people really care.

Church services last Sunday were great. It all began with Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Supt. Swain was at his post of duty. He's doing a good job.

The morning worship service began at 10:45 a. m. Devotion was led by Deacons Jenkins and Cork. The congregation joined in the singing of the morning

hymn, "Leaning On Jesus."

The Ushers were on the floor, and look just great. What a great group of ushers!

Announcements were clearly read by Ms. Anita Henry. A selection by the Senior Choir was just rejoicing. Altar prayer was offered by Rev. Larry Brooks, and the hymn of preparation was "Amazing Grace."

Rev. Brooks brought another dynamic message.

His subject was "The New Birth," with the scripture of John 3:8.

Mrs. H. Stokley is looking for you and your children on Saturday, March 25th, at 3 p. m. for the annual Easter Egg hunt. Ladies, please bring your eggs prepared. Let's have an afternoon of fellowship and fun.

Let us also make plans to be present during the evening worship hour on Easter Sunday. The Sunday School will present their annual Easter program at this time. Please come and help to celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

Due to previous scheduled engagements, the Church Anniversary will be held the second Sunday,

April 9, 1989, at 3 p. m. We are encouraging all families of the Church to participate. Brother U. Kelly and the committee have some glorious plans for that day. This is New Hope's 63rd Annual Homecoming Services. The theme is "A Time For Renewal, Repentance, Restoration, and Forgiveness." Ephesians 4:31 & 32. Why not have New Hope Church Family Dinner, an old fashion dinner on the ground, at 1 p. m. with us in the Church Fellowship Hall. There will be Church

Committees, Host and Hostesses.

Mrs. Fannie Young is home from Dallas, Texas. Her daughter came with her.

Mrs. Ora Jean Keys lost a sister last week in Arkansas. Our prayers go out to her and her family.

New Hope Baptist Church is having Sunrise Services on Easter Sunday morning at 6 a. m. Come and join us.

Many school children are enjoying their spring break.

Ann Thompson and Dearnette McCalvey had an opportunity to travel to Dallas, Texas. Aaron went to San Antonio, Texas.

Chantell Jay, Dana Hill and Mary Hill traveled to Houston, Texas.

Scheduled to preach for the 3 p. m. services on Sunday, April 9th, will be Rev. W. D. Davis, pastor of

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SOUTH PLAINS COLLEGE TWO FACULTY POSITIONS OPEN FOR FALL

Faculty positions now open at South Plains College, Levelland, Texas, in the Technical, Vocational, Occupational Division. All positions are nine-month teaching positions with salary commensurate with education and experience. Excellent fringe benefits. Employment begins August 17, 1989.

Computer Information Systems Instructor
Master's degree or equivalent with three years current experience as programmer. Microcomputer experience preferred. Send current resume to Paula Bell, Professor, Business Administration Dept. at address below.

Diesel Service Technology Instructor
Required AAS degree in automotive and/or diesel mechanics with minimum five years current full-time experience. Current background and knowledge in electronics is required. Class instruction experience desired. Send resume to Kim Williamson, Chairman, Occupational Dept. at address below.

Law Enforcement Technology Instructor
Master's degree with 18 hours in law enforcement or criminal justice preferred. Advanced and instructors certificate from TCLEOSE. Minimum five years recent work experience in law enforcement/criminal justice. Prior teaching experience preferred. Send resume to Darrel Raines, Chairman, Industrial Technology Dept. at address below.

Petroleum Technology Instructor
Bachelor's degree with at least 10 years experience in oil industry. Teaching experience strongly preferred.

Sound Technology Instructor
Bachelor's degree or equivalent in sound technology practical experience. Prefer minimum five years experience in sound industry, including sound reinforcement, recording, electronic maintenance and repair. Teaching experience desired. Send resume to John Hartin, Chairman Creative Arts Dept. at address below.

Application deadline for positions: April 14, 1989. Send resumes to person listed above at: South Plains College, 1401 S. College Ave., Levelland, Texas, 79336. (806) 893-5611.

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Call it the Heartland. Call it Middle America. Call it America's Hometown. But now, more than ever, our leaders need to look carefully at the values of these people and listen sincerely to their opinions. When that happens an immeasurably important voice will be heard.

D.C., phone home! You'll be amazed at what you learn.

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LOOK LISTEN LUBBOCK NOW

68th Church

Anniversary

Greater St. Luke Missionary Baptist Church, 306 East 26th Street, will celebrate its 68th Church Anniversary April 2 through April 9, 1989.

More on this effort will be forthcoming.

Rev. J. H. Ford is pastor.

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Ruby Jay

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Lyons Chapel Baptist Church, at 3 p. m. Special guest will include Rev. O'Neal and members of Mt. Gilead Baptist Church.

Rev. & Mrs. Bob Tieuel of Hobbs, New Mexico were



visiting in the "Hub City" last Friday.

General Mission will be held Monday, March 27th, at 7 p. m. at New Hope.

Mrs. Elnora Johnson and sister in law visited with relatives in Ft. Worth, Texas last weekend.

Willie Mae Evans, a former member of New Hope, visited with the church last Sunday morning.

The public is invited to attend Sunrise Services at Mt. Vernon United

Methodist Church, on Sunday morning at 6 a. m. Breakfast will be served after services.

Keep praying for our sick and shut in citizens. So nice to see Sister Precious Brown at services last Sunday morning. She has been shut

in for quite some time.

Mrs. Lula Virden is in the hospital.

Brother Wilson Campbell is still a patient at Methodist Hospital, room 699.

Deacon Lee Knighten is a patient at Methodist Hospital, room 590.

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Biology/General Science Instructor

Broad background in science, including geology, physics and chemistry with emphasis in botany, zoology and microbiology. Master's degree required, doctorate preferred. Eighteen graduate hours in biology required. Teaching experience preferred.

Zoology (Anatomy & Physiology) Instructor

Broad science background with emphasis in human anatomy and physiology. Foundation in chemistry desirable. Master's degree required, doctorate preferred. Demonstrate ability to teach on college level.

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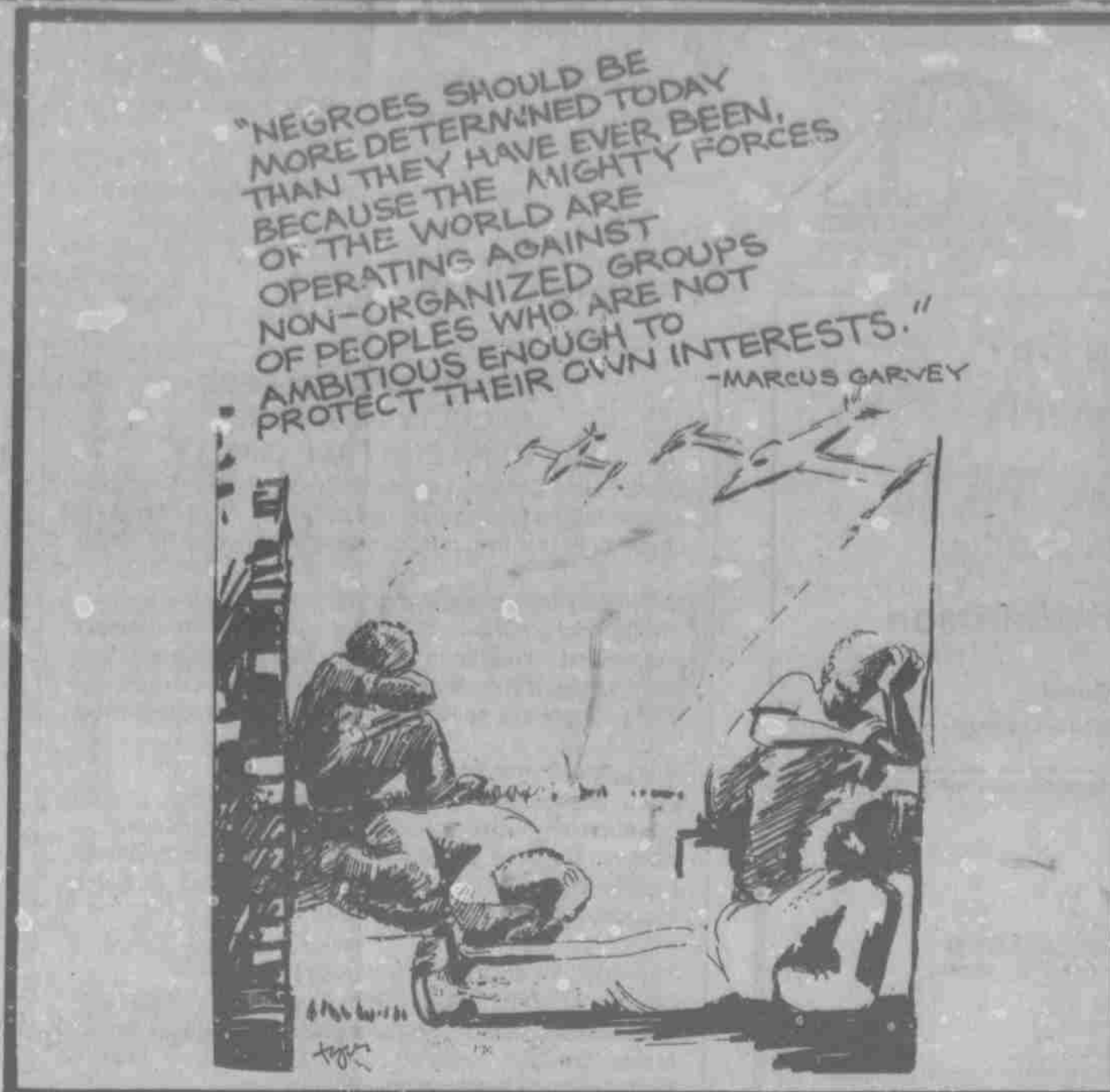
Except for maybe another cold spell or snowfall, we are coming into our summer weather. NOW is the time to begin working on making your home and community beautiful. Look into your front and backyard and alley, do you really need all that "STUFF" out there. Could your yard use new grass, wouldn't a few flowers add more attractiveness to your home? What about some paint, you know that trim around the porch, windows and doors, they need painting at least every three years. And by the way, don't paint your house your favorite color if that color is loud, or does not make for an attractive color on a house. Lime green, purple and some other colors, they simply aren't house colors. And even if the paint is free, don't put an unattractive color on your house, it takes away from the entire look.

Mr. Councilman, now is the time to talk with the city and county about insuring that vacant land is cut in a timely manner. We want a minimal of once a month maintenance on all the vacant land in East Lubbock, nothing less is good enough. Also, Mr. Councilman, have the inspectors toured East Lubbock and red tagged all those junk and abandoned cars sitting on streets and driveways. Yes, there will be "holy hell" raised by the owners, but we must face reality, if the vehicles is not running and the owner can't get it fixed, there is only one choice, get it out of sight of the public. For our community to look the way we desire, sacrifices must be made and cars that don't move, be it driveway or on the street is simply a "sight for sore eyes" and not wanted or needed in our East Lubbock community. Therefore, owners move your cars out of public sight or Mr. Councilman have the city take action.

Another East Lubbock eye sore is our alleys. Far too many alleys look abandoned, they look like no human being has laid eyes on them in years. Let's set aside the month of May as East Lubbock clean up month. Let's get the bodies and trucks together and haul off all the "STUFF." And for those who may not have noticed, grass does grow out side your back fence, add about five minutes to your grass cutting time and cut back there also. Realizing that taking out the trash maybe the job of your children, but an adult should check the alley weekly as some "trash dumpers" intentionally or unintentionally miss the entire dumpster. Yes, the City Collector, the dogs and cats add to the mess in our alleys, but someone with common sense and a sense of responsibility must insure our alleys are clean.

Also, it matters not whether you are renting or buying the structure where you sleep, it's where you live and YOU should make it look decent. There is no justifiable reason for trash and STUFF to be in your front yard or alley. With the wooden fences around the backyard, we, the general public, can't see back there, therefore, if trash and stuff turns you on, make your backyard YOUR THING. But what we, the general public can see makes it OUR THING and as such, we are going to stay on your behind until you conform to OUR way of living. If I sacrifice my time, money, energy and effort to keep my area clean and looking decent, be assured, you are going to hear from me when yours look like hell. Yes, your property is your business, but the part of your property that I, the general public, can see is OUR business, it's that simple.

Neighborhood cooperation can mean a great deal



towards making East Lubbock a very beautiful place. All it takes is for each person to do his or her part. And just like rats and roaches will not stay long in clean surrounding, thugs and hoods will not stay long in a neat, clean and attractive neighborhood. Getting rid of the "STUFF" from outside our homes may well be the first step to getting rid of the drugs and crime within East Lubbock.

EHS Scholarships

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Clippings, compiled and mailed to her by John A. Wallace, Lubbock resident.

Music & Drama Presentation

The City of Lubbock is invited to a special presentation of Music and Drama of triumphant entry,

death, and resurrection of Christ presented by the Music Department of the Greater St. Luke Missionary Baptist Church on Easter Sunday, March 26, 1989 at 5 a. m. in the Canyon Lake,

Martin Luther King Area.

The sensational, via Dolorosa, drama is a beautiful memorial event.

Please come to a Southern Style breakfast immediately after the event

Easter Cheers To Jesus

From us to you, O' Lord, Holy and Mighty, we give you this day, and thanks and blessings in your resting. For you have been here and gave us kindness and cheer, applied your blood for our sake, as clean as an earthquake. Bless you and God, let your kindness, your meekness, and your care; receive our words and keep us aware, aware of our glory; unto you, aware of your fruits, for us; aware of your strength; unto us, glory, glory, glory. God, we salute our Lord's name.

This Easter, as your life in all sings, we sing praises to the highest! We sing praises to the heaven! We sing praises to Jesus Christ, Our King of Kings.

Thanks be to God, the Heavenly Father and King forever and ever. AMEN and AMEN.

by
Myrtle (Cole) Mannix

at St. Luke, 306 East 26th Street. This is compliment of the St. Luke Ushers. The event and breakfast is free of charge.

Rev. J. H. Ford is pastor.

Revival Time!



Evangelist Howard Brigham

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Come and be blessed by hearing this Man of God, a prophet greatly used by God, Evangelist Howard L. Brigham of the City Refuge Church of God in Christ will be here next month at the Tree of Life COGIC, 4117 East 2nd Street.

Services will begin Sunday night, Easter Sunday, March 26th, through Friday, March 31.

Services will be held at 8 p. m. nightly.

Overseer R. L. Caro is pastor.

Mahon Library Seminars

Financial consultant Joe D. Armstrong of Thomas McKinnon Securities will present money management seminars March 29, 30, and 31 at the Mahon Library, 1306 9th Street. The programs are scheduled from 12:15 to 1:00 p. m. each day.

Wednesday's (March 29) topic is long term economic trends and how they effect interest rates. On Thursday (March 30) the business cycle and its effect on the stock market will be discussed. Friday (March 31) concludes the series with the subject of commodity markets and how they work.

AN EDUCATOR'S OPINION

A Most Precious Resource

Last weekend, over 600 educators from across the United States attended an NEA conference in San Diego on education and the economy. The conferees examined the connections between our nation's public schools and the fundamental changes occurring in the U.S. economy.

Joining the educators at this NEA conference were national leaders in business and government—people like Chrysler Corporation Chairman Lee Iacocca and U.S. Secretary of Education Lauro Cavazos. These leaders shared their perspectives and sparked lively debate over what, and how, we are teaching students in our schools.

What struck me most during conference discussions was the nearly universal agreement expressed on one vitally important point. Educators, business leaders, and researchers agreed that America's schools need fundamental restructuring if America is to successfully compete in the world's increasingly competitive and technological economy.

I believe that behind this growing consensus for restructuring lies a basic economic principle: that the most precious resource of any society is "its human capital—its people. More and more Americans are realizing that in today's global economy, our future prosperity depends on how well we develop our human potential.

Unfortunately, America's schools are not structured to develop the

full potential of our nation's young. Our schools are still structured on the old industrial model that treats students as "products" coming down the assembly-line and teachers as mass production workers.

This industrial model helped our nation become the world's economic powerhouse. But this model is now obsolete. The most thoughtful American corporations are moving away from top-down, hierarchical management styles that undermine creativity. They are restructuring to foster innovation and flexibility in management, and decision making and problem solving by employees.

Our schools, enlightened corporate leaders point out, are not preparing students for this new work environment. These leaders are urging that schools

be restructured to foster decentralized decision making. They are urging us to take students beyond the basics, to encourage analytical thinking and the ability to work collaboratively.

I could not agree more. If America's future work force must function differently than in the past, logic dictates that the education of that work force must be different as well.

Education, after all, is a nation's investment in its future. It is imperative that we view, and educate, all children as vital contributors to America's future. Because our nation's future is in their hands—all their hands.



Mary Hatwood Putrell
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THINGS ARE MOVING! **THIS N THAT** is happy to see some things moving here the **EAST LUBBOCK COMMUNITY** and is has been a long time coming. At of this week actually **TODAY THURSDAY (MARCH 23RD)** at 1 p.m. at the corner of **EAST 23RD & ASH AVENUE** a special **AFFORDABLE HOUSING PROJECT & ENTRY MARKER & GROUND BREAKING CELEBRATION** will be held. This special effort is being co sponsored by **CITY OF LUBBOCK, WEST TEXAS HOME BUILDERS ASSN., HUD AND CHATMAN MEMORIAL CENTER, INC.** This is a good **OMEN** of good things to come in the near future in East Lubbock. Not only this but at this report there

are at least **SIX NEW HOUSES** to be constructed in this area plus the construction of the **EAST 24TH OVERPASS** early May. Not only this but other plans are being made know by a newly formulated organization called the **EAST LUBBOCK DEVELOPMENT ASSN. (ELDA)** which will be realising some very positive information this week in a press conference. Actually there is some activity in this area. Even on last Sunday members and overseer of the **CHURCH OF THE LIVING GOD** Elder Barber as pastor had ribbon cutting for their new building which will be completed this year. The address by **REV. KADO LANG** pastor of St. James Baptist Church set the tone for what is going to take place in East Lubbock. If you would look around **ONE CAN SEE SOME POSITIVE** activity in East Lubbock.

JUST KEEP ON OWNING SOMETHING! THIS N THAT has learned that the only way for **BLACK FOLK** to get ahead in this city is to see to it that **BLACKS** began to own some of the properties in the East Lubbock community. Even the **SOUTHWEST DIGEST** is hoping to own its building one day and hopefully that day isn't too far in the future. With a lot of hard work a lot can be accomplished.

D. C. KINNER THE BARBER SAYS: "TALK is cheap but it takes **MONEY** to buy land." **STILL WAITING! THIS N THAT** is still waiting to hear from the **LEADERS** of the **BLACK FRATS & SORORITIES** in Lubbock to see if they will organize a **PANHELIC GROUP**.

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which could be used to coordinate the activities in the Greed world. This would be a **GREAT INITIATIVE** for the Black Greeks here little **BLACK BOYS & GIRLS** would begin to take note. **CONGRATS TO ST. LUKE! THIS N THAT** would like to wish the members and pastor of the **GREATER ST. LUKE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH** a happy anniversary as they prepare for their **68TH CHURCH ANNIVERSARY** April 2 thru April 9, 1989.

STILL NO PASTOR! THIS N THAT hasn't heard of a new pastor being elected for the members of the **NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH**. Wouldn't it be nice if this was done before they celebrate their **CHURCH ANNIVERSARY**. Anyway **THIS N THAT** is proud of you and hope you will continue to do some good things as you have in the past.

MUCH TALK ABOUT DUNBARI! THIS N THAT has begun to hear a lot of talk about the upcoming **REUNION** set for this summer. If you are a graduate between **1923 THRU 1979** you had better advise someone so you can be included on this festive affair later this summer. For more info contact either **R. J. GIVENS, REVA JONES ALEXANDER, CHARLES BROWN or VIRGIL LEWIS JOHNSON!**

DON'T GO TO SLEEP! THIS N THAT would like to advise all of you that **DRUGS** haven't gone away in Lubbock so let's

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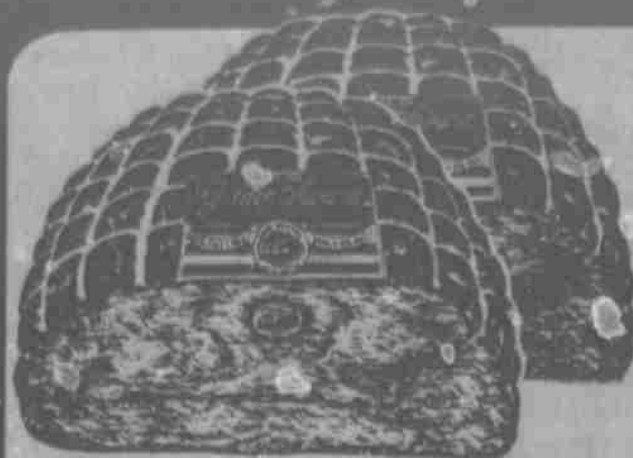
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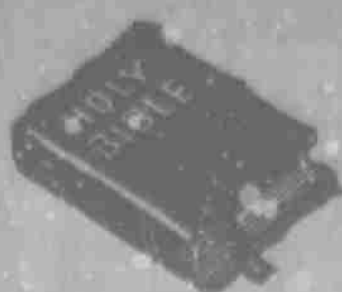
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Nearly two thousand years ago, it cost Jesus His life to save you and me. Jesus poured out His soul as an offering for our sins when He gave His life. His life was not taken from Him. He gave it. He made it very clear while in the days of His flesh that He laid down His life for His own free will. He said to Peter that He could pray to the Father and more than twelve legions of angels would come to His rescue. The reason He offered no resistance to His arrest and crucifixion was because of His great love for sinful humanity.

As we approach the Cross this Holy Week, we need to remember that we are to live constantly beneath its shadow and never forget that we are redeemed through the blood of Him who gave His life for us.

March 23, 1989

We Thank God For Jesus

"Jesus, He's Alive And Well!!!"

Ecclesiastes 1:9: The thing that hath been, it is that which shall be; and that which is done is that which shall be done; and that is no new thing under the sun.

Lord, the rhythm of that verse, and the rhyme is ever so true. Life is sometimes like a re-run: "There is nothing new."

It was 1900 years ago, and its happening over again, "The Crucifixion," not wanting you to rule this land.

Lord, I read who did it; it was not the sinner man. It was those "do right Christians," they're yet in the land.

John 1:10 thru 12: He (Jesus) was in the world, and the world was made by him, and the world knew him not. He came into his own, and his own received him not. But as many as received him, to them gave he power to become the Sons of God. Even to them that believe on his name.

Lord, this U. S. A. started out following you, in so many, many ways. But we've become like "Adam and Judas," you've been betrayed.

Man has come up with a new thing: "You've got rights." Sin is now a thing of no shame, man now sins in open day light.

Romans 1:20 thru 22: For the invisible things of Him (God) from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made. Even his eternal power and Godhead: so that they are without excuse; because that, when they know God, they glorified him not as God. Neither were thankful, but became vain in their imaginations, and their foolish heart was darkened. Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools.

John 12:32: Jesus said, And I, if I be lifted up from the earth, will draw all men unto me.

Lord, even the Church now, like trying to draw bees without honey. "You said lift you up, but now days, it's money, money, money."

Now we have the philosophy, the wordly words of sinner man. As thou of the "66 books of the Bible, no wisdom within."

Isaiah 29:13: Wherefore the Lord said, forasmuch as this people draw near me with their mouth, and with their lips do honour me, but have removed their heart far from me, and their fear toward me is taught by the precept of men.

*** Jesus, He's Alive and Well! Will a man rob God?? ***
Malachi 1:6: The Lord said, a son honoureth his father, and a servant his master: If then I be a father, where is mine honour? And if I be a master, where is my fear.

Revelation 2:4, 5, & 7a: Jesus said: Nevertheless, I have somewhat against thee, because thou hast left thy first love. Remember therefore from whence thou art fallen, and repent, and do the first works; or else I will come quickly, and will remove thy candlestick out of "his place," except thou repent. He that hath an ear, let him hear what the spirit saith unto the Churches.

God is not through with us yet. Let's pray for one another always. AMEN

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The Outreach Prayer Breakfast

Members and friends of the Outreach Prayer Breakfast met with the Parkway Nursing Center Sisters and Brothers at 10 a. m. last Saturday morning. Opening scripture was II Chronicles 7:14. The song, "Because He Lives", was sung.

The morning scripture lesson was taught by Rev. W. H. Stevens. His scripture was Phillip 3:13, and his subject was: "No Looking Back."

Brethren, I count not myself to have apprehended; but this one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before. This preacher said: "You can't do this on your own strength. It will take the help of God to put certain things behind us. But we need to press forward as a people."

This speaker said: "I am not looking back, but forward pressing toward the mark for the price of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus."

Thanks, Rev. Stevens, you brightened our day, and those around you. We love you and all the people in the Center. We're concerned!

Thought of the week: "The world's on fire and some are still around throwing pebbles."

You can make it, if you try Jesus."

Is there anything too hard for God??

Our sick and shut in list include: Rev. Wilson Baldwin, Sister C. Cage, Sister Bonnie Brooks, Carrie Wheeler, Brother Gary Brooks, Brother Samuel Curtis, a patient in West Texas Hospital; James E. Lacy in Fresno, California; L. V. Williams, and all patients in the Center and community.

Read Psalms 103:3; II Chronicles 7:14; Matthew 4:23; I Peter 2:24; and James 5:15 & 16.

"Let Us Pray"

God mercy, we thank you for your word gives us the courage and the strength we have the faith, because all have the same measure of faith. Help us to believe you more and let our faith work a miracle in our bodies, in our souls and in our lives.

In the name of Jesus, we pray. AMEN

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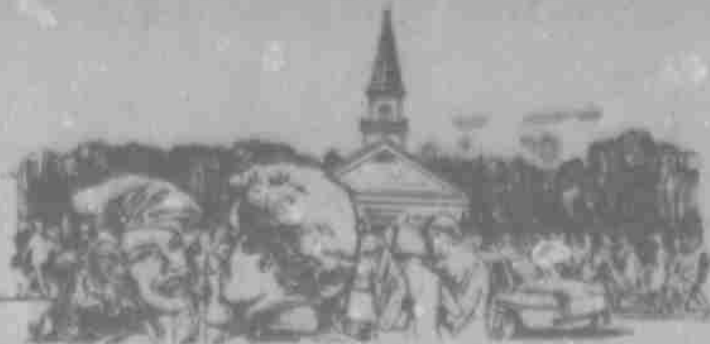
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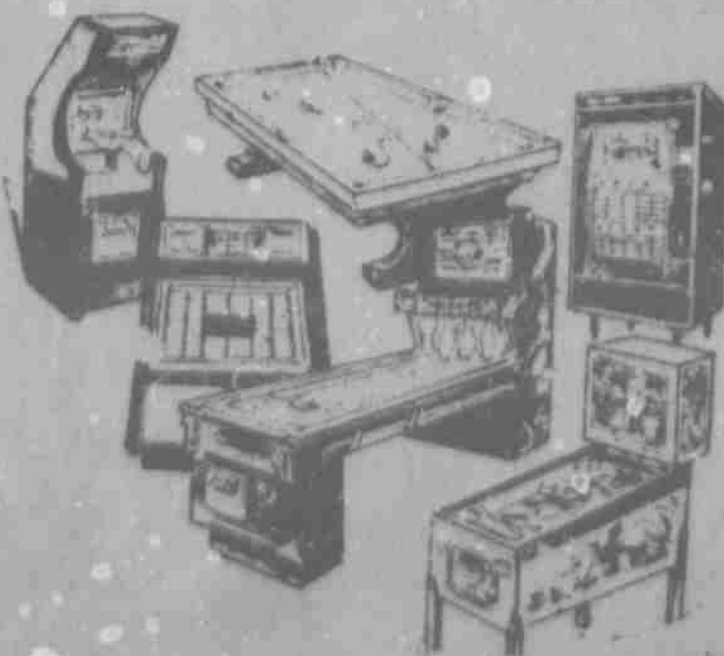


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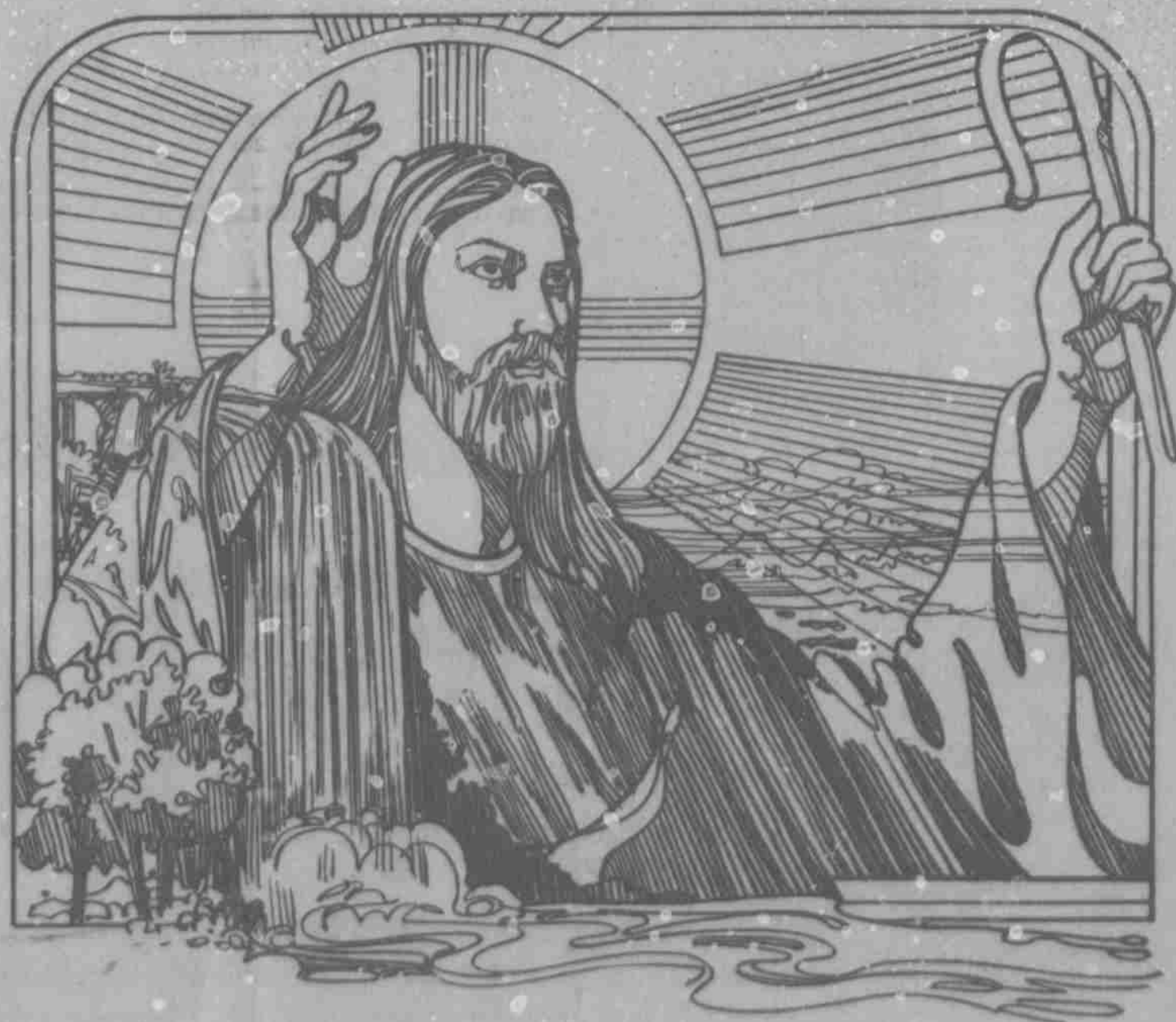
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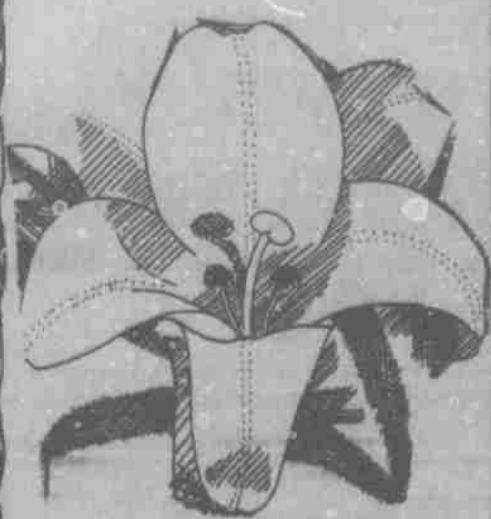
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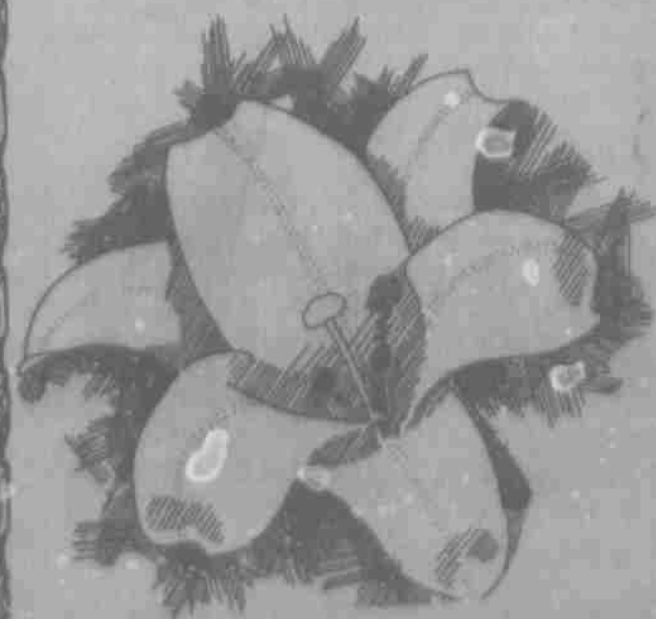
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