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Doggett Honored By NAACP

The Texas State Conference on the NAACP has awarded State Senator and U.S. Senate candidate Lloyd Doggett a Certificate of Appreciation for his work in helping

establish a Human Rights Commission in Texas. The award was presented to Senator Doggett during a banquet Friday night, the second

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Let's Get To Know Each Other - Again!!!

Attend Community Meetings At Mae Simmons Each Month!

"I'm A Business Oriented Candidate" Says Saunders

One of eleven candidates vying for the Mayor Pro Tem post on the Lubbock City Council, vacated by Alan Henry who ran for Mayor and won, is Charles Saunders of 5709 89th Street. He announced his candidacy last Thursday afternoon at city hall.

"I feel that I can be truly representative of all the people in the municipality of Lubbock. I am concerned with the future economic growth and possible opportunities for minorities to contribute to that growth," continued Saunders.

In his Monday afternoon press conference, he said: "I feel that a minority should run in this special election and there are minorities perhaps as equally qualified, but have been reluctant to get in the water and get their feet wet."

"I hope my candidacy will serve as a political catalyst to put oil in the troubled waters before the April 1st judicial man-

date for single member districts. If the community polarization related to single member districts is transferred into the City Council chambers, we will witness the same chaotic conditions that we have observed with the city government of Chicago, Illinois, we do not need that in Lubbock," he made known.



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Students May Qualify

There are thousands of unused college scholarships and loans for which students can and do qualify. The students' problem is to find those for which they qualify.

Student College Aid, a nationwide, computerized, scholarship locator service with \$500,000,000 of non-government awards in its data base, searches out scholarships and loans for students. Students contact the company for free information and a personalized dataform. SCA mails this information to the students.

To use the service, students fill in the dataform as completely as possible. Information as to college major, religious affiliation, club membership etc. is requested. This information is coded into the computer. The computer searches through thousands of sources and prints out those to which the student is eligible to apply. This printout is mailed to the student, who then contacts the funding sources.

Student College Aid guarantees to furnish at least 5 listings or to refund payment along with those listings discovered. The average number of listings the students receive is 12, valued at \$12,000. The fee for this

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EHS Homecoming Candidates - Pictured above are five lovely Estacado High School who are vying for homecoming queen for 1983-84 for Estacado. They are from (left to right) Paula Davis, Latrice King, Porcha Roland, Tina Johnson and Sherry Luckey.

EHS Homecoming

Estacado High School students are making preparations for their 17th annual homecoming slated for October 14, 1983.

Kicking off the activities will be the annual Senior/Alum Breakfast to be held at Furr's Cafeteria in Town and Country Shopping Center at 6:30 a.m. on Friday, October 14. The featured speaker at the Senior Breakfast is Mr. Jerrell Snodgrass, assistant superintendent for administration for the Lubbock Public Schools. All Estacado Seniors,

former students, teachers and members of the community are cordially invited to attend.

At 8:00 a.m., the Homecoming Pep Rally will be held in the Estacado High School gym. Special events during the pep rally will be a Senior Skit, chants, and crowning of the Estacado High School Football Sweetheart. After the pep rally, there will be a reception in the Estacado Cafeteria for all Estacado Ex-students. The Ex-students reception is sponsored by the Estacado Student Council.

The Homecoming queen candidates are Paula Davis, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Davis; Tina Johnson, daughter of Mr. Edward Johnson, Jr.; Sherry Luckey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Luckey; Latrice King, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. K. C. King; and Porcha Roland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Roland.

Homecoming queen candidates will be driven in cars furnished by the West Texas Corvette Car Club. Homecoming queen candidates will be escorted by their fathers and honored with a special honor guard with sabers provided by the Estacado ROTC unit.

During the half-time activities the Homecoming Queen will be crowned.

The Homecoming Game will feature the Estacado Matadors against the Canyon Eagles at Lowery Field for an 8:00 p.m. showoff. The activities will wind up with a Homecoming Dance at the Estacado High School Cafeteria after the game.

Additional information may be obtained by calling 763-7021, ext. 47.

Blacks Named To LISD Committee

The new administration of the Lubbock Independent School District (LISD) has set improved communications between the schools and the various segments of the city as one of its primary goals.

According to E. C. Leslie, superintendent, one step in accomplishing this goal is already in motion. "An advisory committee from the Black community and the Hispanic community have been established to

provide a means for sharing concerns and aspirations for children's education from these areas with the school administration," he said. "In addition, it will give the administration an opportunity to inform the Black and Hispanic communities of our plans for the future, material about existing programs, and problems we encounter in providing satisfactory school experiences for the boys and girls of Lubbock," Dr. Leslie added.

"The committees are advisory in nature," said Dr. Leslie, "and are unable to take official action on any matter, but suggestions and recommendations will give us invaluable help in determining direction for future plans."

Blacks named to the advisory committee are: Fulton Berry, Rick Childers, Mrs. Joan Y. Ervin, Rev. J. H. Ford, S. J. Givens, Mrs. Ruth Hicks, Dr. Davon Hill, Floyd Price, Mrs. Mary

Paul, Fancy "June" Richardson, Mrs. Annie Sanders, George Scott, Mrs. Teresa Wheatley, Rev. Larry L. Polk, Sr.

and Rev. Bruce Enge. Hispanics named are: Ernesto Barton, Luis Benavidez, Alfonso Castaneda, Genaro

Chavez, Jaime Garcia, David Garza, Roberto Lugo, Jessie Rangel, Ms. Gloria Reyes, Ms. Esther Sepeja, Josue Silva and Richard Lopez.

Observes 58th Church Anniversary Sunday

With the theme for the 58th Church Anniversary of the Mount Vernon United Methodist Church, "Reaching For The Heavens," Rev.

Citibus Driver of Month - June & July



Mr. & Mrs. Billy Morrison, III

CITIBUS DRIVER OF MONTH - Although it happened during the month of June and July, Billy "B. J." Morrison, III, is proud to have been chosen as "Citibus Driver of the Month - June and July." He joined Citibus in August, 1981, and is presently driving routes five and summer.

Billy, and his lovely wife, Jeffathel, are members of the Ford Memorial Church of God in Christ, where Rev. W. C. Watson serves as pastor.

Billy's hobbies include hunting, gardening, mechanics, fishing, cooking and writing. "I was glad when the Lord made me a fisherman of men," says Billy.

He is the author of "I Thank God For Jesus" column which appears in the Southwest Digest each week.

He said his philosophy as an operator has always been, "No matter how bad you feel when you see a rustier, smile." Congratulations, Billy, plus \$25.00.

Lydia Jackson Waters of Dallas will be the guest speaker at the 3:00 p.m. service Sunday, October 16th.

Rev. Waters, a native of Lubbock, Texas, is the oldest daughter of the late Perry and Estella Jackson, is the pastor of Northside United Methodist Church in Ennis, Texas and St. Andrews Methodist Church in Waxahachie, Texas.

She is currently married to Rev. Kenneth Lee Waters, pastor of Rice Chapel A. M. E. Church of Dallas.

Reverend Waters graduated with honors from Dunbar High School in 1961 and was among the first group of Black students to enter Texas Tech University.

In 1963, she left Lubbock to enter the Domestic Peace Corps and served in New York City's Harlem ghetto for a year. She returned to her hometown and was employed by the Parks and Recreation Department as director of Mae Simmons Community Center for three years.

She has spent the last fifteen years as an active citizen of Dallas, serving on several boards and



Rev. Lydia Jackson Waters

agencies and employed by Channel 13, local television station there.

Reverend Waters is currently a graduate student at Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University, pursuing a Master's of Divinity degree.

Rev. Bruce Enge is the pastor of Mount Vernon United Methodist Church.

"We invite our local churches and friends to come out and help us welcome this dynamic minister and help us observe this church anniversary," says Harold Chatman, local member.

Rev. Waters was a member of Mount Vernon for twenty years.

Black Advisory Committee Meets

The Black Advisory Committee of the Lubbock Independent School District met last month to share plans, ideas and discussed their continued interest in the education of Black children.

The meeting was held

at the St. Luke Baptist Church.

After the meeting will be held tonight, October 13th, at 7:00 p.m. in the Ella Mae Cafeteria. According to Mrs. Joan Y. Er-

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Congressman Gus Savage (second from right), as chairman and organizer of a workshop on procurement of government advertising by Black newspapers, recognizes Calvin Roland (extreme left), chairman of Black Media, Inc. This workshop at the 13th Annual Congressional Black Caucus Legislative Weekend, in Washington, D. C., recently, was the first of its kind during the Annual CBC Weekends. Congressman Savage, a former newspaper publisher/editor, was asked by the CBC chairman, Congressman Julian Dixon, to chair and organize the workshop based upon his previous experience and expertise. Also pictured are Christopher H. Bennett (second from left), President, National Newspaper Publishers Association and Don Roberts (extreme right), chairman, Amalgamated Publishers, Inc.

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Social Security Tips

Your Social Security And You

by
Jewel M. Love
Service Representative

Applying For Benefits - Plan For Retirement

Applying for Social Security benefits is relatively simple if you're prepared. And being prepared means having all the necessary papers. No matter what benefits you're applying for, you always need your Social Security card and birth certificate. In addition, for retirement benefits, you need your W-2 forms for the last two years. If you are applying for disability payments, you must also have hospital and medical information. Finally, for survivors benefits, you need the Social Security number, birth, marriage and death certificates of the deceased worker. If the survivors include children under 18, you will also need their birth certificates. To make sure you have all the proofs that are needed, it's a good idea to call any Social Security office before you apply. All Social Security offices are listed in the phone book under Social Security Administration.

Here's some good advice from Social Security. Years ago, people who retired at 65 seldom lived longer than a few more years. Today, if you retire at 65, you can generally look forward to another 10 to 15 years. So it's important to plan ahead for your retirement years while you're still working. While you can count on monthly Social Security retirement payments, those checks replace only part of the income you lose when you retire. That was the original idea of Social Security, and it's never changed. However, if you add to it with savings, pensions, insurance, or other investments while you're working, you could have a sizeable additional income at retirement. This could make the difference between maintaining your same standard of living or having to make some drastic changes in your life style. And the time to start planning is right now.

YCCA Sponsors Appreciation Banquet

The Yellowhouse Canyon Community Association (Y.C.C.A.) held an Appreciation Banquet Monday evening at the American Legion Post No. 808 at 4102 East 61st Street. The dinner was held in appreciation for all the people who have helped Y.C.C.A. in their struggle for better conditions. The guest list included: city staff, council members, leaders in the community, and other supportive friends.

The Y.C.C.A. was formed in July, 1978 when the struggle began for better water and sewer conditions. Since that time, the area has been annexed to the city and the water and sewer hook-ups are almost complete.

The YCCA extended an invitation for their friends to attend.

Y.C.C.A. has developed a packet which gives the history of the organization.

panded to include ten schools and grades K-4 in the Lubbock system this year.

The CIMA program gives gifted and talented students the opportunity to be with other students of like ability. It also gives the gifted student the

chance to learn through the traditional curriculum, the additional components of creative thinking, decision making, communication, logic, and creative problem solving.

CIMA teachers are required to participate in a two year in-service plan with training sessions in

For a long time as she can remember, Gertrude Brown wanted to become a doctor. She knew it would take a great deal of effort to reach her goal, but she was willing to work hard and make sacrifices.

At age 28, Brown's prescience has paid off. She is currently practicing pediatrics in Winston-Salem, N. C. and was recently appointed to a clinical teaching position at Wake Forest University's Bowman Gray School of Medicine.

"A physician is what I

always wanted to be," Brown says. "My parents inspired me by teaching that I could be whatever I wanted through hard work and prayer."

Brown is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hodges Brown of Winston-Salem, N. C.

When she entered Winston-Salem State University in 1973, Brown received an R. J. Reynolds Scholastic Achievement Scholarship, sponsored by R. J. Reynolds Industries, Inc.

"The scholarship came at a very opportune time in my life," says Brown. "My family has six children, and there was a financial strain in putting them all through school. Although I'm sure my parents would have made any sacrifices necessary to see that I got the education I wanted, I'm glad I didn't have to put the burden on them."



Dr. Gertrude Brown with Michael James, son of Beverly James and Shelly King of Winston-Salem, N. C.

Brown graduated in three years and started pre-medical studies at WSSU in 1977. A year later, she transferred to Meharry Medical College in Nashville, Tennessee, where she earned her medical degree in 1980.

"Medical school was a challenge for me," Brown says. "You have to really prepare yourself for it and, of course, make good grades. Academically I did well, but it took a lot of effort."

After graduation, Brown worked for a year as an intern at George Hubbard Hospital in Nashville. She completed two years of residency training at Winston-Salem's Baptist Hospital and was then offered her present position in the office of Dr. Charles L. Kennedy.

When her appointment at Bowman Gray begins in late August, Brown will be teaching pediatric

diagnosis to third- and fourth-year medical students, in addition to treating patients at Dr. Kennedy's office. Most of her teaching will take place at the Reynolds Health Center in Winston-Salem.

Brown chose pediatric medicine because she likes working with young people. Children, she says, generally listen to a doctor and follow his instructions, unlike many adult patients.

"With a child, you have the concern of the family behind you," says Brown. "They're willing to work with you to do what needs to be done. Everyone complies when a child is involved, and that's good."

As a black woman, she overcame a number of obstacles to achieve her present position, but says the future is brighter for women in medicine.

"I think people have come to the point where they are beginning to accept women in medicine," says Brown. "In fact, 25 percent of the medical class I graduated with was female."

The scholarship Brown

received is part of Reynolds Industries' \$1 million Scholastic Achievement Program at WSSU. The program is designed to attract high achievers, strengthen the faculty and improve the curriculum.

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The American Cancer Society will be sponsoring a new series of FreshStart Programs to help smokers quit.

There will be a four session series offered at noon. The dates are:

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City Hall - Training Room
2nd Floor
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This program is designed to help participants stop smoking by providing them with all of the essential information and strategies needed to direct their efforts at stopping. FreshStart is a straightforward, no-nonsense program. It contains all of the elements that have been found to be meaningful in helping smokers stop and stay off cigarettes; the behaviors, thoughts and feelings of participants are addressed.

Finally, FreshStart makes use of group interaction to encourage and support change.

The FreshStart series will be led by volunteers who are trained FreshStart Facilitators.

Please call the American Cancer Society to pre-register at 794-5808.

Saunders

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development of Lubbock. With the facts of any situation, I feel confident that I can make reasonable and proper judgments in budgetary and long-range planning. I feel that my military background and business experience has provided me with the tools necessary for the decision making process," concluded Saunders.

Another Black seeking this position is Gary Price, who lists his occupation as a businessman, announced that he will run for this position Monday afternoon.

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Something To Ponder Over!

by
Eddie P. Richardson

The advent of the Black Press is still a many splendored thing. Surely, we make mistakes. Surely, we have our typographical errors and some misspelled words. Surely, we take stands on what is right and just. Surely, at times, we are controversial when we need to be -- like going against the system, power structure, money and other power sources. Surely, we make mistakes -- only being human -- but you can rest assured we will hang in there and do the best we can. We realize more Black publishers and editors have been lynched, murdered, and burned out more than any other profession where Blacks have been engaged in for a livelihood.

But one thing for sure, the Black Press has hung in there under all odds and has been a leader in the fight for freedom, justice and equality without faltering for many, many years and will continue to do same for many, many more years. Many of the people we have helped will not support us. Many even oppose us. But we will still hang in there and help them. A lot of Black people call us "that little paper" and "that gossip sheet". Some have gone as far as saying things like: "I don't read that little paper or I read the real paper." And the talk goes on: "They don't have any substance" or "Too much gossip!"

But you know what, those same brothers and sisters who have some difficulties and encounter serious problems -- like injustice, mistreatment, get messed over, fired or have any problem -- guess what? Then they beat a path to the door of this little paper. Wanting our help and exposure. They come so mad until they want to tear down the city and then they are the world's greatest militants. A bit after the fact, too little too late.

We should never forget who we are or where we come from. We should always work together to help us all. We should never be bitter and negative, but, rather, positive. Let us build and not destroy the Black Press. This institution is dedicated to the effort of building and supporting what is right and just. The Black Press, whether you want to admit it or not, stands on guard 24 hours a day for Human Rights and is dedicated to freedom, justice and equality.

Look around the City of Lubbock and wonder why Black people are treated the way we are? Since 1977, Lubbock has never been in compliance with the ten percent set-aside statute. Black people are not sought for goods and services contracts. The City does not properly let bids on contracts. They just let them out to select people. Word is some federal fund contracts are rotated to a few Mexican Americans, but not on a bid basis. We pay taxes and support our city! Why don't it support us with more than handshakes and pats on the back?

We need to get to know each other again! The recent community gathering at Mae Simmons Community Center was a beautiful opportunity for people to express themselves, and have a good time exchanging ideas. There will be many more of this type of gathering. We have to get back to basics, such as community pride, race pride and respect of self and kind.

Certain forms of integration has been detrimental to Black people. We are the only ethnic group in America who gave up our heritage, culture and dissolved ourselves. Where all other groups maintained their pride, culture and heritage. Some how, we gave up our background. Let's face it, we were the only people to come to these shores and not be able to melt in the melting pot because of color and legislation. Everyone else could blend in one way or another. Everyone else came for a better life and thrills, but we came as slaves against our will. We are as much American as any other American in America, except the American Indian. But look what's happened.

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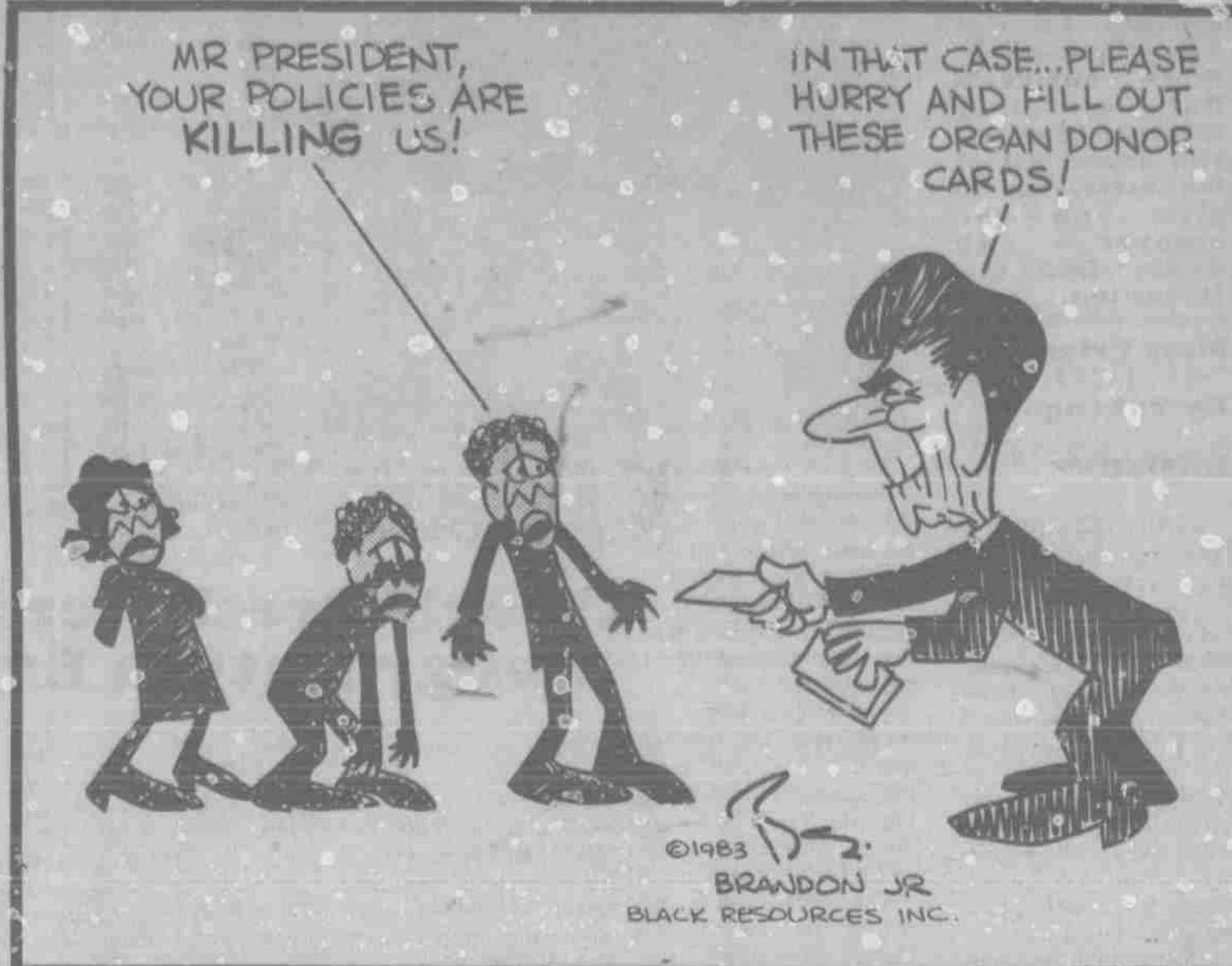
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ed to them. They were put in concentration camps -- disguised as reservations. We built America through slave free labor, blood, sweat, tears, lynching, segregation and all kinds of other deprivation and despair around. But by the help of God we survived and will continue to survive if we work together collectively. As far as this writer is concerned, he will be on the last boat behind the last Indian. That's for the people who say "Love America or Leave it!" I love America, but will go down swinging for right and just legal change.

America is the best place in the world, but it can stand some improvements. Nothing or no one is perfect. America, Texas, and yes, Lubbock, in a lot of instances is not all right, but all white. But together working hand and hand, we will, we shall make it better for all of us.



STRIVING FOR TRUE FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION

By Senator Bob Packwood (R-OR)

When the publishers of this newspaper decided to publish this essay, the decision was theirs alone. They did not have to worry about government control of editorial content. This newspaper is protected from government meddling by the First Amendment, which says, "Congress shall make no law...abridging the freedom of speech or of the press..."

If, however, I were speaking these words to you over radio or television, the situation would be entirely different. The station's management, in deciding whether to broadcast these words, would be deeply concerned about possible government reactions because broadcasters are regulated by a federal agency which reviews their programming decisions.

Despite the intent of our founders, freedom of expression is abridged in this country. Despite the fact that there are 9,000 radio stations, over 1,000 television stations, and a huge diversity of programming available to the consumer through cable television, broadcasters are shackled while the press remains free. Based on law that was written in the age of the crystal set, we have created two classes of media: the press, with full freedom to express its opinions, and radio and television, which cannot.

The subordinate status of the electronic media should trouble the print media. Communications technology is merging the two. This convergence may soon undercut pleas for First Amendment protection from publishers.

What will this newspaper, for example, look like in 20 years from now? Will it be distributed electronically? Will we be able to call it up on our television screens? And if we can, will what we flash onto our screens be subject to government regulations? For example, *USA Today* and *The Wall Street Journal* are already using satellites to beam their copy across the country to various printers. That's why we must act before technology outruns the law and we find that we have stifled the freedom of expression that should be guaranteed to all of us. That freedom assures the diversity of information that breeds life into the free marketplace of ideas.

How then can we best ensure that radio and television gain the same protections guaranteed to newspapers? By repealing the laws which give the federal government the right to tell radio and television what it must and what it must not say. That is the reason that I have introduced legislation to repeal the law which restricts the rights of radio and television broadcasters to say what they want.

The fight will not be an easy one. There are powerful special interests, both right wing and left wing, who perpetually seek control of the government. And when those interests are in control of the government they think it perfectly legitimate to control radio and television for the purpose of furthering their political goals. In addition, many incumbent politicians are reluctant to give radio and television the same freedom that the press has for fear that radio and television might attack them. No matter that the attack might be justified. The politicians want no attack at all.

The public is best served when there is a free flow of diverse ideas. The public is badly served when the government prohibits that free flow of diverse ideas. Hopefully, therefore, the public will force Congress to act responsibly and demand repeal of the laws which now prohibit that free flow. Call these regulations what you will, they stifle political debate and prevent the widespread discussion of public issues.

Thomas Jefferson said that democracy can't work well unless the voters are educated about the issues of the day.

Business in the Black

By Charles E. Belle



Poor at Any Age is Possible

President's Plan Means Poverty

The only people who can brag about being poor are those who are no longer poor. The fact that young people may never get this chance is not news if you observe their high 40 percent unemployment rate. Even those who can brag are careful, however, how to comment on the subject since it might catch up with them later in life.

The U. S. Census Bureau recently released figures point to the highest rate of poor people in the country since 1965. Seventeen years and growing. Even the elderly, those 65 and older, are now suffering more, breaking in numbers below the national average for the first time. This is the direct result of the President's economic program. Profits for the affluent few and poverty for the rest of the people regardless of race, religion, sex or age. An agenda that does not address the needs of most Americans.

An influential advisor to the White House administration recently stated the so-called nation's economic recovery, harped by the President a few months back, will slow drastically for the remainder of the year due to the continuing federal budget deficit. The basic problem is the federal government's massive credit demands. The U. S. Treasury has been in the market on an increasingly large scale and now is absorbing nearly half of the total credit raised in financial markets.

In other terms, this means the federal government borrowing is equal to about three-fourths of total private net savings, an unprecedented level of peacetime borrowing pressure has developed. Defense spending at the monstrous magnitude of this administration accounts for an abnormal amount of borrowing need. Bullets are being bought, not bread.

No poor people are benefiting from the big bucks spent on the President's defense build-up program.

A push from personal consumption spending for bargain sales spurred the spring pick up in the economy. However, rising interest rates with a strong U. S. dollar has done in any increase in export sales. Since many U. S. manufacturers have substantial overseas sales, any drop of significance hurts the hiring policy of major companies. People don't buy bargains today when they may be fired tomorrow.

Tomorrow is already here for 1.6 million people, equal to every man, woman and child living in San Francisco and Boston combined, who have been out of work for over a year. This is almost 30 times the number poor souls similarly situated in 1969. Being "86" without a hope and prayer to get back into play is bad business. The Joint Economic Committee of Congress calculated the average length of time without a job for out of work people is at a post-war record of 22 weeks.

Well, it has its effect on the poverty line. Now a record number, one out of seven Americans, are below the poverty line attesting to the atrocity of this administration's economic policy on both young and old alike.

When the founders amended the Constitution for the first time in 1791, they did it to protect the only two forms of communications known, press and speech. Our founders were concerned that the freedom of expression be guaranteed. It's time we returned to that standard not only to ensure better services and more information for consumers, but to guarantee a lively discussion of issues and a revitalization of our electoral process.

Conference Reports is a semi-monthly column of the Senate Republican Conference. The opinions expressed are those of individual senators comprising the Senate Majority.

Ringling The Bell



by
Bob Tieuel

In the fifty odd years that we have been in public service, we have enjoyed it so much and we are not about to give it up now. At least we will wait until the great Editor or Bishop of our souls will say "Well done." When we started out in those days, there were a lot of lonely, discouraged, and poor black youth, who were just groping to find a way out.

And so it was at a small-town rural-oriented church in Oklahoma back then, that we believed the Lord had called us to the ministry of our people. We received our license to "preach the gospel" and how well we remember the text of our first sermon more than fifty years ago. It was: "Upon this rock, I will build my church and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it." Matthew 16:18.

We traveled across the country telling the good news at any place or church that would listen. In New York, Chicago, Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi, Kansas, Missouri, we thrived in telling the story to mostly black congregations: "God loves you and wants to see you saved." We felt many believed our report and they came forth to give me their hand and we pray -- God their hearts.

In the meantime, we went back to college and the university to further our training in the gospel ministry when the printer's ink bug hit us. We felt that this would be a good extension of our ministry and we founded several black sheets that told the story of Jesus and of the necessity of black participation in the community affairs and the affairs of local, state and federal governments. If we wanted to be free, we would enroll in the action. We believe we stirred a lot of young black minds with our enthusiasm as we look back to those days now. We have a good feeling anyway.

Odessa, Texas has been called by some of the media in recent weeks, as the murder capital of this country. This came as sort of a surprise to us, as we have lived, worked and pastored churches in both Odessa and Midland and consider them both as our "second home." And we shall never forget Mr. DeBolt, who was for many years publisher of the Odessa Daily American and a student of interracial matters. This column got its first start under his administration a few years back and he would often call us into his office, and talk long on "the state of the country" insofar as racial problems were concerned. We attended his last rites and murmured "it will be a long time before there is another DeBolt."

But back to the "murder capital" story. Dave Lyons is the present publisher of the Odessa American and we have learned to respect him for his interest in "the black experience." We hope to know him better as time rolls on. Here is briefly, Mr. Lyons comment on the murder story:

"In fact, to my knowledge, Odessa was not the murder capital in West Texas. I believe Kermit was the all-time leader. Kermit had four murders but they only have about seven thousand population. If you use that formula that those anti-gun nuts use, Kermit's figure would work out to 51.95 per 100,000 population," end of quote.

California is the only state with a public junior college systemwide fees. The average fees nationwide outside California in 1980 for junior colleges nationwide were \$480.00. There are 300,000 full-time students, nearly 1 million part-time students and 170,000 students taking non-credit courses in the state. Wow!

The Law and Legal Services

by
Marcy Wenzler

In 1981, the Texas Legislature passed a landlord-tenant law that will require smoke detectors in all rental dwelling units by September 1, 1984. Any units constructed after September 1, 1981, must have smoke detectors installed now.

The law specifies where each detector shall be located, generally outside of every bedroom. With some exceptions, if a tenant lives in an apartment or house that was built before 1981, he or she may install a smoke detector before the deadline in September, 1984. If a tenant does this, it must be done in compliance with the terms of the law (Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes article 5236j). The tenant may then remove the smoke detector when he or she moves out, unless there is unnecessary damage done.

In addition to the duty to install smoke detectors, landlords also have the duty to inspect and repair detectors at the request of the tenant. If the detector is battery-operated, the landlord does not have the duty to replace batteries when they wear out.

If the tenant is current on rent, he or she may request that the landlord install or inspect the smoke detector. If the landlord fails and the tenant gives written notice that it should be done in 7 days, the tenant may terminate the rental agreement or get a court order against the landlord. Such order may direct the landlord to comply with the tenant's request, may award damages the tenant may have suffered, may impose a penalty of one month's rent plus \$100.00, or may order court costs and attorney's fees assessed against the landlord.

Any lawsuit brought for the purpose of harassment may subject the person to liability for one month's rent plus \$100.00 and attorney's fees. This law does not apply to owner-occupied housing that is not leased nor to nursing homes that are licensed by the Texas Department of Health and certified under federal law.

Advice With You in Mind

A Black Kid in a White Home?

DEAR YOLONDA: There's been a little turmoil in our neighborhood and I'd like your opinion. It seems that a couple we know, a White couple, are trying to adopt some beautiful little Black twin girls who were abandoned at birth. Maybe they knew the natural mother, I don't know. Because the woman who wants to adopt is a former co-worker, and I suspect, because she doesn't know any other Blacks, she has asked me to write a reference letter to her case worker. This would make me part of the adoption.

I'm leery about writing the letter. My problem is that I believe in preserving our beautiful Black heritage, and I disapprove of interracial adoptions. What happens when the kids grow up and don't know anything about their own heritage? With this couple as their parents, they won't know who Frederick Douglass, or Malcolm X is.

Another reason I'm against interracial adoptions is that the only time you hear about Whites adopting a Black child is when they've been unable to find a suitable White child.

I believe in protecting our children. It's not that I'm prejudiced. I just have certain views against this. What do you think?

Glenda G. In Maywood

DEAR GLENDA: I believe in the ideal -- that every Black child should have Black parents, and there's a federal law to support this theory.

But as I said, that's the ideal. In reality, there continues to be a greater proportion of Black children awaiting adoption than potential adoptive parents. Nationally, there's an estimated 100,000 homeless Black youngsters waiting to be adopted. I can appreciate your strong views, but what these



Yolonda Gayles

children want, and need is a home, not our sophisticated rhetoric. If the choice is between them spending their young lives homeless, or with non-Black parents, I'd have to go with the latter.

I'd like to hear some more views on this.

Current

Girlfriend

Feels Second to Ex

DEAR YOLONDA: I am a 25-year-old woman, in love with a man, age 23. I am a career woman, working as an administrative assistant.

Before I met my boyfriend, he was a flirter, until he got two girls pregnant. One of the girls is his former high school sweetheart whom he can't seem to stay from.

On the contrary, he keeps putting her first, saying he has to see his child.

One night, he was throwing a party and he invited her. She was in control all evening. You would think they were giving the party together. I ignored her, but deep down inside, I was hurt.

Apparently, he feels as though I'm asking too much when I ask him to stay clear of her. She's even close to his family, but I feel very uncomfortable around them. She's not beautiful, nor all that wonderful, but I'm still worried. What should I do.

Worried, in Toronto

DEAR WORRIED: From the way I see your situation, if your boyfriend was in-

terested in his former girlfriend, they'd be together. I mean, she's certainly done her share. He's known her longer, plus, they already have a child. So, clearly he is more interested in you.

What to do? You've got to act more confident. But certainly relate to him that you expect all of his associates to give you the respect you deserve. Don't settle for less.

Meet Friends

By Taking

Initiative

DEAR YOLONDA: I have a problem making and keeping female friends. After I got out of high school in 1981, it seemed that all of my friends scattered. Some of them went the wrong way and got into drugs. The rest moved out of town. I'm working now, but the females on my job are older and don't share my interests. I'd like someone to go skating and horseback riding with.

What can I do to make new friends?

Katherine

DEAR KATHERINE: First, if you want more friends, you've got to be friendly. Learn to take the initiative.

Second, I urge you to go skating and horseback riding without a companion. In fact, that's where you'll find the kind of people you'd wish to be friends with.

Got a problem; or a gripe? Write Yolonda Gayles, P. O. Box 1911, Chicago, Illinois 60619

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Scouts Attend Derby



The Parkway Neighborhood Center, 405 North Zenith, Cub Scouts -- ages 8 and 9 -- attended the Chaparral District Pushmobile Derby Sunday, October 9, at the Montgomery Ward parking lot.

The 8 year olds won the 8 year old bracket and the 9 year olds won the 9 year old bracket. Plus, the 9 year olds won the overall championship and a first place trophy.

The Scouts who attended the event were: Vicente Silvente, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vicente Silvente; Sedrick Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Walker; Alex Bernard White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred White; Darshoel Willis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Willis; Rodney Womack, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Womack; James Gibson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Womack; Jerry Askins, son of Ms. Debbie Askins; Doug Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Taylor; Willie Mitchell, son of Mrs. Doris Mitchell; Wilmer Dunn, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Dunn; Chris Kelly, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Kelly; Derek Wilkerson, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkerson; Tyrone Fair, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Fair; Natrieon Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Johnson; Jimmie Hollie, son of Mr.

and Mrs. Jimmie Hollie and Broderick Stevenson, son of Mrs. Janice Gaines.

Black Presbyterian Congregation Exists

Did you know that there is a black Presbyterian congregation here in Lubbock? Well, there is! And it will be pushing its way once again -- at the very front of what's happening in Lubbock!

For over fifty years, the Messiah Presbyterian Church has actively served the people. Maybe our older folks can recall Elder and Mrs. Will Sedberry knocking on

doors raising money to build the church or maybe the sweet spirit of Mrs. Juanita Pollard Simmons brings back memory to those who remember her beckoning parents to send their children to Sunday School. Now, if you're a bit younger, then surely you know about Messiah housing the Presbyterian Center Doctors' Clinic which still faithfully serves the community.

Letter to Editor

"Oh! How It Hurts Me"

Dear Editor:

Nothing ever hurt me as much as what I heard September 28, 1983, from Dr. Harold Manner when he said that when he went to his Pastor and asked him how a person can find out that the "Bible" is God's word, he was told don't worry about it, I don't even believe it is God's word. Then he went to the Concordia Seminary in St. Louis, Mo. and all the professors told him the same thing. God says, Adolf, you have been judged wrongfully, now I will do the judging. Thank God the people won't be the judges, that he will be, because that is the only one a person is accountable to.

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RUBY JAY'S CORNER



Church services were well attended last Sunday morning at the New Hope Baptist Church. It all began with the Sunday School where the youth resided.

Morning worship service devotion was conducted by Dexcon Swain and Jimmy Jackson, a youth of the church. The choirs were at their post of duty.

The sermon of the hour was delivered by Rev. S. C. Nash, pastor. His subject was "God's Plan Church Finance." His scripture was I Corinthians 16:2.

One person united with the church last Sunday by Christian experience.

Mrs. V. Francis is at the bedside of her mother again in San Antonio, Texas. Wish her a prayer for her.

The choirs of New Hope celebrated their Annual Day with a program last Sunday evening at 7 p. m. Each choir member was asked to \$50.00. There's no doubt about it, according to this writer, the choir met its

quota for 1983. Some lovely person, with the name was known, donated \$50.00.

The new National Baptist Hymnals to New Hope Baptist Church were presented in memory to Mrs. Bell D. Thigpen. Everyone is most grateful of this gift.

The Texas Baptist State Convention is meeting this week in San Antonio. Dr. Winter is host pastor. Pastor S. C. Nash and B. Kelly attended.

The New Member Orientation Committee will sponsor a tea Sunday afternoon, October 16th, from 2 until 4 p. m. at the Garden & Art Center, 42nd and University. Come help us welcome our newcomers.

President Ruby Jay is still asking each member for only \$5.00 for the Fifth Sunday at New Hope Baptist Church. No doubt about it, the quota for the year has been met. Thank all of you for a job well done. "I love you all," written from this writer's heart. Ruby Jay!

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OBSEQUIES

Mrs. Mary Brooks

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Mary Brooks last Saturday at the Carter Chapel C. M. E. Church with the pastor, Rev. Raymond McKeever, officiating.

Jamison & Son Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

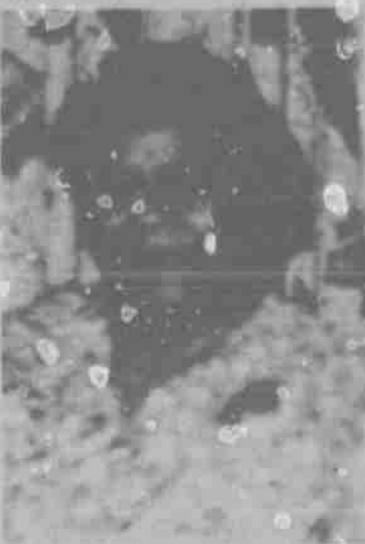
Mrs. Brooks was born in Bryan, Texas, Brazos County, to Mr. and Mrs. James & Elizabeth Thurman July 3, 1911.

She was married to Lewis Brooks, and to that union was born three children, namely: Gladys, Myrtle and Ruthie Lee.

Mrs. Brooks attended public school in Bryan, Texas, and accepted Christ at an early age. She was a member of the Shilo Baptist Church in Bryan. She had been a resident of Lubbock for forty-two years.

Mrs. Brooks passed away, Friday, September 30, 1983.

She leaves to mourn her death: three daughters -- Gladys Brooks and Ruthie Lee



Owens, both of Lubbock and Myrtle Oliver of Dallas, Texas; three sisters -- Lillie Colas, Essie Lee Guyden, both of Fort Worth, Texas and Katie Mae Reed of Bryan, Texas; three brothers -- James Thurman, Jessie Lee Davenport and Walter Lewis Davenport, all of Bryan, Texas; ten grandchildren, fourteen great grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Pallbearers were grandsons and friends

Mrs. Mary Bennett



Final rites were read for Mrs. Mary Bennett at the St. Matthew Baptist Church Monday afternoon with the pastor, Rev. R. S. Sizemore, officiating.

Jamison & Son Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Bennett was born in Marlin, Texas, Falls County, in 1899 to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Richardson.

She was married to Mr. Theodore Bennett on June 30, 1930 and to that union was born a daughter, Mary Wilma Givens who preceded her in death.

Mrs. Bennett died last Wednesday, October 5, 1983.

She leaves to mourn her death: a husband, Mr. Theodore Bennett; two granddaughters, Marian Gamble of Lub-

District Usher Board Workshop

The Lovely Sunset District Usher Board President, Mrs. Anne Sanders, will host a District Usher Workshop at St. Luke Baptist Church Saturday, October 15, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. The church is located at 306 East 26th Street.

With them, "The Early History of Ushering", enrollment fee will be \$5. Enrollment and coffee will be held

from 9 a. m. til 9:30 a. m. The workshop will be held from 9:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m. with lunch held from 12:30 til 2:00 p. m. The workshop will continue from 2:00 p. m.

to 5:00 p. m.

All monies will be used for printing of materials for the workshop and for use of the building. The balance of funds will be for the going on of the Lonely Sunset District

Encampment site and facilities.

"If any usher is unable to attend, please send your donation," says Mrs. Sanders.

Each hour, a represen-

tative from each church will have a space to comment.

Non-ushers and visiting ushers are welcome. Enrollment fee for their participation is

only \$2.50.

Rev. F. K. Williams is moderator of the Lonely Sunset District Association. Rev. J. H. Ford is pastor of St. Luke Baptist Church.

with us and for us, that God's word will be performed these nights of prayer. Oh, what a mighty God we serve!

The Prayer Revival will take place October 19-21 at 7:30 p. m. each night at Christ Temple Church of God in Christ, 2411 Fir Avenue. Bishop W. D. Haynes is pastor. Expect miracles and that's just what you will receive. If you have no transportation, please call in advance at either one of the numbers, 747-7326 or 762-1347.

Can any good come out of Nazareth?

The closing prayer was offered by Rev. Adams. Keep smiling all and have a good week. The Prayer Group will meet at Christ Temple Church of God in Christ Saturday morning. Bishop W. D. Haynes is the proud pastor.

Come, you are welcome!

Mrs. Mary Ward, president; Mrs. C. E. Fair, vice president; Mrs. M. Bogus, acting secretary; and Mrs. D. Hood, reporter.

Post, Texas

Pleasant Home Baptist Church

by Annie Gilbert Bates

General worship services were held as usual at church last Sunday. The Sunday School had thirty five in attendance, plus the teachers who were at their post of duty. Sister Johnson, Sister Dollie Martin and Sister Priscilla Martin did a splendid job in teaching the lesson: "The Problem: Sin." Jeremiah 2:9-13; Romans 1:18-32; 2:1-11.

Devotional services for the morning worship hour were conducted by Deacon Willie Burleson. Deacon Jim H. Osby and

Sister Iona Smith. Sister Smith read Psalms 18:1-8. Alt. call was very spiritually prayed by our pastor, Rev. Arthur Kelly, who prayed out of his heart.

The choir was their post of duty, and really sung out of their hearts and souls to the Loving Master.

Rev. John James, Jr., associate pastor, read Matthew 25:1-13.

During the 11 a. m. service, our pastor delivered a wonderful message from St. Luke 14:16-24. His theme was "Invite Them To the Supper." He truly preached out of his soul and heart to the Loving Master. He really and truly was in the midst.

Please remember the sick and shut-ins in our prayers. Among our sick are: Sisters Elizabeth Iles, Ola Harrison, Emma Griffin, and Della Smith, who are all ill in their homes.

Sister Sylvia Williams, who was a patient at Twin Cedars Nursing Home, is now in Garza Memorial Hospital, room 107-B, Post, Texas.

Sister Steel and Sister Lizzie Milo and Brother Harry Trueblood are patients at the United Convalescent Nursing Home.

Rev. Arthur Kelly, pastor; Rev. John James, Jr., associate pastor.

The Outreach Prayer Breakfast

The members and friends of the well talked about Outreach Prayer Breakfast met last Saturday morning at Lyons Chapel Baptist Church's fellowship hall. The meeting was, as usual, spirit filled. Presiding was our president, Mrs. Mary Ward.

Opening devotion was conducted by Mrs. M. Bogus and Mrs. D. Hood. The scripture was Revelation 2:1-10.

The morning scripture lesson was taught by Rev. R. D. Adams. His scripture was St. John 3:5. His subject was: "The Work of the Spirit In Relation to the Holy Spirit."

Jesus answered, verily, verily, I say unto thee, except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the Kingdom of God.

This speaker said you can't get to heaven unless you are born again. Just being good won't save you. Christ told Nicodemus, you must be born again. He did not say he came to save good people, but he did come to save that which was lost.

No one can cheat on God; for he knows your thoughts.

The Holy Spirit fills the believer. When a cup is filled, one drop will run it over. The Holy Spirit guides us. Not only to church and where we live, but into the dives and places where our young people are on dope, pills and alcohol.

"And we have the nerve to say sitting and doing nothing and say I know I'm a Christian. Where are your works? It's not in the Church, but on the outside. There are a lot of weak Christians, depend-

ing on their own ability," said Rev. Adams.

David challenged Goliath and won because of his strength in Jesus Christ. Rev. Adams made known, "Only in Jesus are we able to move mountains. Don't say to a child that does not have shoes that God will take care of you. When you and I can make these conditions okay, by our strength in Jesus Christ," continued this Pastor.

He brought many, many more good things. This Pastor is truly doing some positive things. Maybe they are not popular, but positive. And we love that. Mission is go and send or let go. If we can't go, let's help to send. We love you, Rev. Adams, and all of you who are out there.

Thought for the week: "We are going to keep on fighting until we set our own race 'Free' through Jesus Christ!" Think about it!

Mrs. Bogus sang "God Will Take Care of You."

Breakfast served. We had all the pancakes and sausages one could eat physically and all the gospel spiritually. All are free! Come by.

Our guest list included: Rev. R. D. Adams, Mrs. Ellen McCreary, Mrs. Nadine Smith, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Lonnie Cole, Mrs. Ester M. Josey, Mrs. Lucille Drone, Mrs. Hazel Dudson and Mrs. Lenora Dugles.

Thanks for coming. "You are so special!"

Our sick list this week includes: Mr. Henry Stevens, Mrs. Lucille Russell, Plainview, Texas; Mrs. C. E. Fair, Mr. Roosevelt Carroll,

Mrs. Gladys Coffee, Murrell Brown, Mr. Andrew Williams, and perhaps others whom we missed.

"Let's Pray"

God of mercy while these sleep this night under your watchful care, please lift our worries, banish our fears and cleanse our minds and bodies of all pain and discomfort. Bring all your children who pray this prayer with us thy gift of glowing, perfect health and strength. This we ask in the name of Jesus. AMEN.

The Project Blessing went to Rev. R. D. Adams to help support him in his trip abroad to Haiti and help the people there. We thank God for Rev. Adams and this effort.

Would you please pray

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Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.

Baptist Training Union (BTU) 5:30 p. m.

Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.

— Week Activities —

Mission Monday 7:00 p. m.

Prayer Meeting Wednesday 8:00 p. m.

Brotherhood Breakfast Saturday 7-10

Youth Program Second Sunday 3:00 p. m.

"Come Let Us Reason Together With The Lord"

1st John 1:16

"I Thank God For Jesus"

"Lord, I'm Bad; Meaning Bold - Angry - Dangerous!"

Matthew 19:13 -- Jesus said: Suffer little children, and forbid them not, to come unto me; for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

Lord, all my life I've been called bad.

I'm now all alone in jail, and I'm sad. Lord, as a child my parents would say, "He's so bad."

And my heroes were that (Dorsett, Bullet Bob & Ali) and I was glad.

Lord, I grew up thinking that's the way to be.

Where I did go wrong. My parents didn't punish me. Lord, Am I Bold?

Proverbs 22:6 -- Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old, he will not depart from it.

Proverbs 22:3 -- A whip for the horse, a bridle for the ass, and a rod for the fool's back.

Lord, I mellowed with age and the world called it cool.

I dranked, smoked and curs'd; the world called me a fool.

Lord, the world showed me ways to get high.

It teaches sex all around me and for it I'll die.

Lord, I gambled at bingo, dice and football I play.

I was winning at first, but then Oh! How I Had To Pay.

Lord, I'm Angry.

Proverbs 14:6 -- A scorper seeketh wisdom, and findeth it not; but knowledge is easy unto him that understandeth.

Lord, I was told I didn't

God is not through with us yet, let's pray for one another always.

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need you, so I went out to have fun, I even picked up street talk called "We Shall Overcome."

(Not, Lord, with you we shall overcome!)

Philippians 4:13 -- I can do all things through Christ which strengthen me.

Exodus 20:2-5 -- I'm the Lord thy God, which brought thee out of the land of bondage; thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them, for I the Lord thy God am a jealous God visiting the iniquity of the father upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me.

Lord, it was leaders who let the devil take prayer out of school.

Now that I'm a heathen, it's me they call the fool.

Lord, I killed a man! And now doing time.

I almost black out, when the judge said: 99 years!

Lord, I'm dangerous!

Matthew 11:28-30 -- Jesus said: come unto me, all that labour and are heaven laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I'm meek and lowly in heart; and ye shall find rest unto your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.

Proverbs 14:16 -- A wise man feareth, and departeth from evil, but the fool rageth and is confident.

Let's repent and Lord, please bless America.

Catholic Family Fun Day

Catholic Family Service Fun Day will take place Sunday, October 16, 1983 at the Christian Renewal Center, 4th and Toledo, Lubbock.

It will begin at noon and end at 6:00 p. m. There will be games, raffles, and lots of good things to eat. The fundraising event will be sponsored by all the Catholic Churches in Lubbock County. Everyone is invited. Live music will be donated by the June Borgego Band and the Texas Twilighters Band.



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Hebrews 10:24-25

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THIS N THAT

VOTERAMA!! In the city of Los Angeles, Ca. five southern regional areas are doubling their **REGISTERED VOTERS** in each region with a **VOTERAMA**. The effort will which got underway on September 30th will continue through **NOVEMBER 20TH**. Mayor inc Lubbock Branch of the NAACP could do same on such a large scale. There will be a

lot of **POLITIC-ING** in Lubbock throughout this year and in 1984. **BLACK IN RACE!!** It finally has happened a local **BLACK** is vying for the unexpired term of **ALAN HENRY** for the position of **MAYOR PRO TEM**. He is **CHARLES SAUNDERS** a local businessman who says he **"HE REPRESENTS THE ENTIRE**

COMMUNITY." Saunders is joined by seven others. They are **GEORGE CARPENTER**, **GILBERT HERERA**, **HAROLD HARRISON**, **PEDRO "PETE" MORA**, **ROM REIMANN**, **JOE E. MURPHY** and **JAMES RATLIFF**. **DECIDES NOT TO RUN!!** Another young **BLACK MAN** **AARON HARVEY** who

was expected to **AN-NOUNCE** his candidacy for the Mayor Pro Tem position decided not to run at this time. With **POLITICS** on his mind **HARVEY** will probably run for some office in the future. Don't count him out!! **GOOD PRO-GRAM!!** The members of the **MANHATTEN HEIGHTS SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH** had a wonderful program. Last Saturday at St. John Baptist Church it was their annual

COMMUNITY GUEST DAY. The theme of the program was **"WHO IS THE GREATEST?"** Pastor is **CHARLES CONNINGHAM**. **BLACKS NAMED TO LISA ADVISORY COMMITTEE!!** Local Black citizens were named to the Lubbock Independent School District **BLACK ADVISORY COMMITTEE**. Those chosen to serve on the committee according to Dr. E. C. Leslie were

FULTON BERRY, **RICK CHILDERS**, **MRS. JOAN Y. ERVIN**, **REV. J. H. FORD**, **R. J. GIVENS**, **MRS. RUTH HICKS**, **DR. DAMON HILL**, **FLOYD PRICE**, **MRS. MARY PAUL**, **FANCY "JUNE" RICHARDSON**, **MRS. ANNIE SANDERS**, **GEORGE SCOTT, JR.**, **MRS. TERESA WHEATLEY**, **REV. LARRY L. POLK, SR.** and **REV. BRUCE**

ENGE. WHY NOT ADVISE?? Although this new advisory committee from the Black community can't make any **OFFICIAL DECISIONS** they could **ADVISE** the need for an **ASSISTANT BLACK SUPERINTENDENT**. **WHY NOT??** Even **LESLIE CROSS** would have been in line for some sort of a position of sort since he's been there for some while. Wonder why he hasn't been given such an opportunity??

DID YOU KNOW?? How many of **YOU** knew that the **FERTILITY** level of **BLACK FEMALES** declined 27 percent during the decade from 3.1 births in 1970 to 2.3 births per woman in 1980. **DON'T FORGET HER!!** At one time in Lubbock a local Black sister **MRS. WILLIE MYRTLE WASHINGTON** worked hard for the community but today she's ill and is forgotten by many whom she has helped in her past efforts. Wouldn't it be

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One former Dunbar graduate says that

the Estacado Matadors have been waiting and wishing for a chance to be victorious over the Dunbar Panthers. But now, says this former graduate.

The date is Saturday, November 5, 1983. The place is Estacado High

School gym, beginning at 7 p.m. Tickets are priced at \$1.00 for adults and 75¢ for students. As one person said, "be there if you dare!!" Monies from this game will go to each 1974 class for their class reunions.



ASTRO/NUMEROLOGY AND YOU

October 12-18, 1983

By LLOYD STRAYHORN

Numerology and Gambling

Part I of Four Parts

Some people have extremely good luck gambling.

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NICE ... to remember her ... Some nice affair ... say luncheon or tea ... would certainly help her. Let's not forget ... **SISTER WASHINGTON!!** **RIDICULOUS!!** A young Black brother ... who graduated from ... Dunbar High School a few years ago ... **HARDY "CHICO" ROBINSON** ... was dismayed at the ... **LACK OF BLACKS** ... in the construction field in Lubbock ... In Houston ... where he is in the construction business ... and are bringing in ... **YOUNG BLACKS** ... with them ... **TRUE MEXICAN AMERICANS** ... are into the ... construction business and others here ... and Blacks are complaining ... It's just **REDICULOUS** ... for Blacks not to be into it also!! Ever heard of ... **TEN PERCENT SET-ASIDE???** **CONGRATS!!** New officers of the ... **DUNBAR-STRUGGS H.S.** ... Health Occupation Students of America ... are: **JANICE LEWIS** ... president **ANGELA KEELING** ... vice president **RENEE LAMBERT** ... secretary **TAMI ALLEN** ... treasurer **TYNETTE LUNA** ... reporter **JEANNE VALDEZ** ... historian **JILL PEPEZ** ... parliamentarian and **WILLIAM YORK** ... sentinel ... **D. C. KINNER THE BARBER SAYS: "MARRIAGE"** ... is like a ... **VIOLIN** ... after the beautiful music is over ... the ... **STRINGS** ... are still attached!! **NATIONAL FIRE PREVENTION WEEK!!** October 9 - 15 ... is designated as ... National Fire Prevention Week ... Every third grade ... student ... in Lubbock Public Schools ... is scheduled to take a field trip ... to the city training grounds at ... N. Ash and Municipal Drive ... plus receive a fire prevention pamphlet.

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ing, while others are a flop. Like anything else, gambling should be done within reason, and with a cool head—which is easier said than done. Almost always, the serious or long-term gambler loses in the end. Gambling in all forms is at an all-time high—and because there are so many forms of gambling, it is understandable that one person may have better luck at one form than another. To find the type of gambling where you may have some degree of luck, turn to your date of birth. For example, a person born on May 23rd would be ruled by the number 5 (2 + 3 = 5), and as a result, would do better in one particular form of gambling than perhaps another.

Finally, one should not look on gambling as a livelihood—unless you have lots of money to spend...and lose.

Next Week: Numerology and Gambling—Part II of Four Parts

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ARIES—March 21-April 20 Late Wednesday and on into Thursday could cause you some unexpected problems if you're not alert. But just hold tight—around Saturday and Sunday you will see a change in your affairs for the better. This week use the 2. **ARIES BORN:** Jack Johnson, athlete. **TAURUS—April 21-May 20** Try and be more creative this week, for this will be the key to your success. Over the weekend period it is best not to be stubborn with others or interfering in their affairs. 6 is your number. **TAURUS BORN:** John Davis, news editor. **GEMINI—May 21-June 20** From the cosmic markings on your map, it seems that this will be a pretty mild week for the most part, without any incident. Friday, however, does suggest something—possibly money or a gift. Select the Master Number 11. **GEMINI BORN:** Dr. Enrique Riggs, NY dentist. **CANCER—June 21-July 21** The first part of this week indicates that great stress is all around you, particularly where moths are concerned. Just rest up over the weekend. Things will be much calmer on Monday. Choose the 3. **CANCER BORN:** Kenneth Dickerson, famous occultist. **LEO—July 22-August 21** Enjoy yourself as much as possible before Friday.

From then up until the latter part of Saturday evening, there is a very strong warning for you to be careful—especially in matters of love. Use the number 7. **LEO BORN:** Vernon Jordan, civil rights activist. **VIRGO—August 22-September 21** There is an opportunity to expand on any of your projects or plans this week, and it is most important that these get done before this Sunday. From then until Tuesday evening, things are not likely to go well. Use the Master Number 22. **VIRGO BORN:** Roy Wilkins, famous civil rights activist. **LIBRA—September 22-October 21** It's imperative for you to be on guard of your health this Thursday and Friday. On Saturday look for a favorable gift, probably in the form of money. The next several days afterward is all clear. 4 is your number. **LIBRA BORN:** Aaron Pryor, famous boxing champion. **SCORPIO—October 22-November 21** Creatively, this should be a pretty good week for you. And on the other hand you'll have to be more diplomatic in matters of love and family. Try to make money deals on Monday. 8 is this week's number. **SCORPIO BORN:** Jayne Kennedy, famous model and actress. **SAGITTARIUS—November 22-December 21** From the looks of things this is a mild type of week for you. At least you have no major or minor pitfalls ahead. Friday and on into Saturday looks promising. Only next Tuesday may cause concern. Use the Master Number 33. **SAGITTARIUS BORN:** Guion Bluford, 1st Black American to go into space. **CAPRICORN—December 22-January 20** At the time of this reading you should be in the heart of some very productive activities that should yield some very nice results. This active period will spill over into next week. Use the 5. **CAPRICORN BORN:** Arthur Prysock, famous crooner. **AQUARIUS—January 21-February 19** Brace yourself—for very soon you will receive a big cosmic boost from the stars. It has to do with matters of travel, public dealings and family or love. Indeed it won't be wasted. Enjoy.



Work with the 9. **AQUARIUS BORN:** Bob Marley, famous Reggae musician. **PISCES—February 20-March 20** To be honest, cosmically speaking, this week is of the kind you have not experienced in quite some time. In other words you have the green light on just about anything or any task you undertake. Just take action! 1 is your number. **PISCES BORN:** Gary Byrd, famous radio personality and early creator of "the Rap sound."

vin, chairperson. "We feel that interner parents are supportive parents and therefore ask that all parents with children in grades 1-6 attending Iles and Wheatley Elementary Schools will attend this Umbrella Session at Iles tonight."

On agenda for tonight's meeting is the policies adopted by the Lubbock Board of Trustees regarding a national problem, "Students Reading Below Grade Level." What the end results will be for those students is of our concern," says Ms. Ervin. "We have proposed a 'Let Us Help Tutorial Program' and Dr. E. C. Leslie, superintendent, has approved and agreed to supply materials needed to help us help our children solve our problem," says Ms. Ervin. "In order for this program to be a success, we must have your presence, support, cooperation as well as your child attending the tutorial sessions," concluded Ms. Ervin.

Black Advisory Committee

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NAACP

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day of the NAACP's annual convention in San Antonio.

Doggett sponsored the landmark legislation to create the Human Rights Commission that will protect citizens from discrimination. Convention delegates also noted Senator Doggett's support of legislation to establish a state program that would help finance legal services to low-income people, better pay and benefits for teachers and state employees, and aid to school districts in low-income areas by providing them more state funding.

Addressing the entire convention on Saturday morning, Doggett outlined the history of the Human Rights Commission and later participated in a candidates forum with other Democrats running for the U. S. Senate seat being vacated by Republican John Tower.

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