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Slaton Youth Held In School Shooting Incident

Golden Gloves Invitational Tournament Opens Tomorrow

More than 60 fighters from seven West Texas cities are expected to compete in the Lubbock Invitational Tournament, sponsored by the West Texas Golden Gloves Association, December 10-11. Young men between 14-26 years old will be fighting in three weight classes; junior novice, novice and open.

The two-day tourney, to be held at the Chapman Fieldhouse, 23rd Street and Avenue W, will feature fighters from Lubbock, Amarillo, Plainview, Levelland, Midland, Odessa and Andrews. Trophies will be awarded for the winner in each class.

The feature bout is the single-elimination tournament will be between Steve Williams, a Univer-

sity of Texas student from Lubbock and Andrew Macey from Andrews. Williams, who defeated his last opponent in San Antonio two weeks ago in a 15-second knock-out, has had trouble finding opposition because of his skill and boxing record. This fight shapes up to be the best fight in Lubbock in many years.

Tickets for the two-nights of fighting are available at the door on a first-come, first-served basis. Tickets are \$1.50 for adults and \$.50 for students, for each night of fighting.

The West Texas Golden Gloves Association is sponsored by the Lubbock Police Department in an effort to promote sportsmanship and responsibility in young men.



SNOW REMAINED ON THE GROUND several days here in Lubbock last week, but has done little to slow the holiday activity, as witnessed by the tire impressions in front of the Greater New Light Baptist Church.

Governor Appoints Austin Citizen To Board of Regents of the TSTI

Governor Preston Smith announced Monday the appointment of Charles E. Wright, Sr., of Austin, Texas, to the Board of Regents of the Texas State Technical Institute in Waco, effective immediately.

Mr. Wright was appointed to a 6-year term to expire on August 31, 1977. He replaces Mr. Harold G. Tate of Austin, who resigned.

Mr. Wright was born in Bastrop on September 10, 1921. He attended Austin Public School and graduated from Anderson High School.

He is presently serving as the Secretary-Treasurer of the Labor-

ers' International Union of North America, Local 790, AFL-CIO.

Wright has been in the Building and Construction Trades since high school days. He was elected Business Manager of the Laborers International Union of North America, Local 790, Austin, in 1969 and prior to that was field representative of Local No. 790.

He is a member of Model Cities and is active in civic organizations.

Wright is married to the former Lonnie Mae Penn and they have six children. They are members of the African Methodist Church of Austin.

The Museum to Hold Open House Today

A gaily-decorated tree, towering more than 20 feet, reigns over the Great Hall in The Museum of Texas Tech University, as the city readies itself for the holiday season.

As a visitor approaches the entrance, an evergreen festooned with giant brightly-colored Mexican paper flowers and fruits is the focus in the foyer.

Near the Museum Shop area is a tree of the Southwest, adorned

with yarn tassels and Ojos de Dios (God's eyes), yarn emblems made by the Indians of New Mexico to ward off evil spirits.

Holiday activities include "A Taste of Christmas" around the world, featuring international open houses to be held Thursday (Dec. 9) in five locations, with proceeds to be used by the Women's Council of the West Texas Museum Association for projects in The Museum.

A ticket for the event is \$2.00, which entitles the bearer to admission to each of the open houses, where holiday taste treats from various countries will be for sale. The locations include The Museum, where tickets will be available, and holiday goodies may be purchased. Open houses will be from 1-4 p.m., according to Mrs. Glen Barnett, projects chairman.

Posey P.T.A. Meeting Set

Something special is on tap for the members of the Walter Posey Parent-Teachers Association, tonight at 7:30 p.m., in the school cafeteria at 1301 Redbud Avenue.

An operetta entitled, "The Toys That Had to Wait," will be presented by this hard working organization.

"The Star of Bethlehem" Holiday Presentation At Moody Planetarium on Texas Tech Campus

The annual holiday presentation, "The Star of Bethlehem," returns to Moody Planetarium during December with production improvements, thanks to additional Planetarium facilities, according to Dr. J. Knox Jones, Jr., acting director of The Museum of Texas Tech University.

The phenomenon which was reported in history and scripture to have been seen by the wise men will be explored, as the Planetarium takes viewers back 2,000 years to view the wonders of the skies over Bethlehem which marked the beginning of a new era. Regular star shows are schedul-

ed each Saturday and Sunday during December, with the exception of December 12, and Christmas day, when The Museum and Moody Planetarium will be closed to the public.

The lecture-demonstrations are held on Saturdays at 3:00 p.m. and Sundays at 3:00 and 4:00 p.m.

Additional December showings will be Thursday, December 9 and Thursday, December 16, at 7:30 p.m.

Admission to Moody Planetarium is 50 cents for adults, 25 cents for students, and free to members of the West Texas Museum Association.

NAACP Chapter to Meet December 12th

Richard L. Dockery, Regional Director of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, announced last week that a meeting of the general membership of the Lubbock Branch, NAACP, will be held at the Mae Simmons Community Center Sunday, December 12, at 4:00 p.m. for the purpose of electing officers and members of the Executive Committee.

All members whose memberships are paid thirty days prior to this meeting or transferred from the National Office are eligible to vote and be elected to office.

There is an Old World belief that ghosts are free to roam about on earth from St. Thomas' Eve, Dec. 20, until Christmas Eve.

A Christmas Carol - 1971

'Twas the night before Christmas and there in his chair, father was cursing and tearing his hair. The children were upstairs asleep—far away, dreaming of gifts they would find Christmas day. The money was paid, the gifts had been bought. . . all was well with the world. . . so father had thought. Then out to the car, put the gifts in the seat, and back to the store for some good things to eat. . . he returned to the car and what did he find? Some lousy sneak thief had stolen him blind!!!!

Bicycle - Motorcycle Sale to Be Staged

The City of Lubbock will hold its annual sale at auction of stolen, abandoned, or recovered bicycles and motorcycles on Friday, December 10, 1971, at 9:00 a.m. at the Sanitation Barn, 324 Municipal Drive.

This year, just in time for Christmas, 85 bicycles, including three tandems and several 10-speeds, and 5 motorcycles will be auctioned to the highest bidder. In addition, one pile of various bicycle parts will be auctioned as one lot.

The sale will be by auction, on a "where is", "as is" basis. Payment must be made in cash and the merchandise is not guaranteed to be in working condition.

A 15-year-old Slaton youth had problems with his junior high school principal Monday afternoon in Slaton. According to officials, the youth was apparently mad at the principal and went to the principal's office to vent his anger.

The 15-year-old was arraigned before Judge Robert C. Wright's 137th District Court Tuesday. He was advised of his rights by County Attorney Tom Purdom.

A Times reporter talked to County Attorney Purdom Wednesday and was advised that the youngster was being held in Lubbock County jail.

Principal James Perkins escaped serious injury by holding a chair in front of himself for protection while the youth reportedly shot at him in his school office.

It was learned that the youth attempted to fire at the principal with the first shot misfiring, and the second hitting the bottom of the chair. According to the County Attorney, the bullet did not penetrate the chair, because it was a hollow-point projectile.

School counselor Raymond Wood intervened, officers were told, and was able to take possession of a .22 caliber pistol.

Slaton police took custody of the youth and afterwards turned him over to Lubbock County Juvenile Probation officers.

County Attorney Purdom advised the Times reporter that he would attempt to talk with the youth after legal counsel is appointed by the court, providing the appointed lawyer will allow him, Purdom, to do so.

Santa Land Village to Open This Saturday

Construction of Santa Land Village has begun at 24th and Avenue Q in anticipation of the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus.

Santa Land Village will open for the children and adults of Lubbock and the surrounding area on Saturday, December 11, 1971. Santa Land is constructed each year by the Parks and Recreation Department with the help of the many Lubbock Civic Clubs. This will mark the 16th consecutive year for this annual Christmas display.

Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus will be present each night from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. to meet and talk with each boy and girl who visits Santa Land Village.



EDITORIALS

West Texas Blacks Need Good Political Coalition

Our Black brothers and sisters in Houston proved last month that if we are together at the polls, we can upset a major election. In the United States' sixth largest city, Houston, it was done when a former resident of Slaton, Mayor Louie Welch, was forced into a runoff with Fred Hofheinz for the mayor's post.

This should prove that Black people in West Texas can, providing they work together, upset any given election. It doesn't matter if it is a city, county, state representative or senate election in one's district, it can be done if people stick together and know which way to go.

There are between 60,000 and 65,000 Black brothers and sisters in West Texas, or nearly 15,000 families in the West Texas community. This should tell us that these votes are valuable ones and properly put together, we can bargain more in the future than we have in the past.

For example in the City of Lubbock there are approximately 4,000 Black families, and these families could easily upset the spring city council and mayor election. Especially since the new voter's law will allow 17, 18, 19 and 20-year-olds to participate. Of course, there is another resource in the students at Texas Tech University and Lubbock Christian College in the 1972 voters game.

A coalition of communities, to mention a few: Midland, Odessa, Big Spring, San Angelo, Plainview, Amarillo, Slaton and Lubbock; could make it really "tuff" for the governor's race. We must admit, however, that this race is perhaps won in the bigger cities; but we could draw the attention of those seeking this state position. Congressional and U.S. Senate posts will depend on votes from West Texas. State representatives and State Senator posts could be "toss-ups" if Black people pool their votes.

West Texas needs some sort of Black coalition to combine its efforts in a political point of view. Every Black brother and sister in West Texas should begin now making preparation for such efforts. A beautiful Christmas gift to the Black community would be to see to it that you are registered, as well as seeing to it that 10 more Blacks are also registered.

In some races, especially the city elections, many of us wouldn't be able to vote, but a concerted effort on the part of a coalition might help a heck of a lot if some form of political strategy could be devised for the Blacks in West Texas. In other words, let's start now conditioning ourselves on how to think and stop being told what to think.

Let's start conditioning ourselves today that our political power could be one heck of a good thing if we use it positively and together. It's time that we all know which way we are going in 1972. We're a strong people and don't you forget it. Let's not be guilty of letting our political power die on the vine.

Right On!!

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Fire Department For City of Lubbock Must Progress!

It's time for the word to get to Fire Chief Hershiel Sharp that his team is without any Blacks. Or didn't he know that even the Lubbock Police Department has three Blacks on the job; along with a few in the City-County Health Department and recently, fourteen Blacks, including an assistant personnel manager has been employed at City Hall.

Of the City of Lubbock's \$26,819,970 budget, beginning October 1st, the Fire Department of the City of Lubbock is budgeted \$1,518,245 more than it was in 1960. Black people most certainly are responsible for a percentage of this tax money.

Time has run out for putting these kind of things off for another fiscal year. It's ridiculous for Black people not to be seen on city departments, when they are paying their hard earned money to help support the same departments.

At least the Lubbock Police Department has attempted some type of public relations to secure more Black applicants and possible more Black police officers. Some of their advertisements have even been seen in this newspaper.

But, the efforts of the Lubbock Fire Department

is nil as far as we are concerned. There seems to be no concern of those in the department to make tracks in this direction.

Another interesting fact is that the Lubbock Fire Department has even enlarged its facilities by three since 1960. We would respectfully advise Mr. Sharp to get on the ball and start looking in the Black community when it comes to bringing on new employees for his department. We realize, too, that there may be some sort of waiting list for those who apply. So what, Black people have been waiting for years to be a part of the mainstream of economic opportunity. Now we realize, without bowing our heads, that the Fire Department or any other political-subdivision, is operating on our hard earned monies too. For that reason, we would also like to see some Black participation on the Fire Department.

There's no doubt about it, the Lubbock Fire Department must start making progress in the right direction. Your budget is increasing, and so should your employment of Black people, especially when the department, at the present time, is lily white.

Think!

by Dr. R. W. Jones

Insecurity

The field of medicine and its auxiliaries have been able to eradicate or control certain diseases—such as smallpox, cholera, tuberculosis, typhoid fever, and others—that at one time threatened to erase man from this earth; but the black citizens in West Texas are still threatened by an epidemic that is giving strength to white racism. That epidemic is the malady of insecurity. If this epidemic is not controlled or stopped, the results will be either servitude or genocide.

There are too many symptoms of insecurity to mention them all, but let us point out a few of them: 1. the refusal to look a person in the eye when talking. 2. When he is the only black with a group of whites, this is the chance for him to project an image of himself as an expert on "Black Psychology" and as the Black Messiah who has come to deliver the other blacks out of bondage. 3. When a committee of whites come to the community to do a survey, old insecure "Uncle" is sure to take them aside and give them data favoring the establishment. This is to assure himself that if the establishment finds out that he was there, it will be known that he said something favorable for them. 4. Absence of creative literary and philosophic ability so he resorts to: taking excerpts from prepared speeches and presenting them as his own creations on lecturing engagements, stealing ideas and philosophies and

calling them his own, and publishing pamphlets anonymously because of the fear of being punished or looked on with disfavor by "Mr. Charlie." 5. Criticizes every black who is a public figure, in order to hide his ineffectiveness and lack of originality. 6. Possesses a vocabulary filled with "I"—"I did, I said, I have, and I told the man." Insecurity can divide and kill a town, in toto, black or white.

For example, let us look at Amarillo, Texas. Here the white man has used a few blacks and made them look good by giving them tid bits, and divided the town so that it is slowly dying, the same as a person who has been given small doses of arsenic intermittently. This has been done to the black community. All of the division can not be blamed on insecurity, however, as foolish pride also plays an important part.

Visiting governmental officials who come to a city, especially those who have been through the valley of the shadow of death, resent "Uncle insecurity" bringing them confidential information when "Uncle" has no record of action, but has plenty of gripes and talk about injustices.

The readers of this article know who has fought for the rights of man in your communities, regardless of status—prostitute, pimp, gambler, minister, doctor; black or white. What happens in our communities is no secret and others who are strong in the movement want to know what "you" are doing for others. In order for us to survive, we must all take the vaccination of unity against the threatening destroyer of brotherhood—insecurity.

my views

by Eddie P. Richardson

We Have to Make Some Decisions, Now!

What do we want to do? How are we going to do it? This should be on every black person's mind across the country. It's time to quit shucking and jiving and get serious, "burn, baby, burn," is not too cool. We will never own anything that way; we should be concerned with "build, brother, build." Shouting and hollering about injustices is not too cool. We all know; in fact, the world knows about the injustice bag. Shouting and hollering is not where it's at. Learn, seek and find solutions! That four hundred year plus agenda has to be changed; we must find new methods, set new goals and most of all to function in this day and age, you need information, information that is relevant. Stumbling around in the dark is not relevant; we must have goals and we must have plans for implementing them.

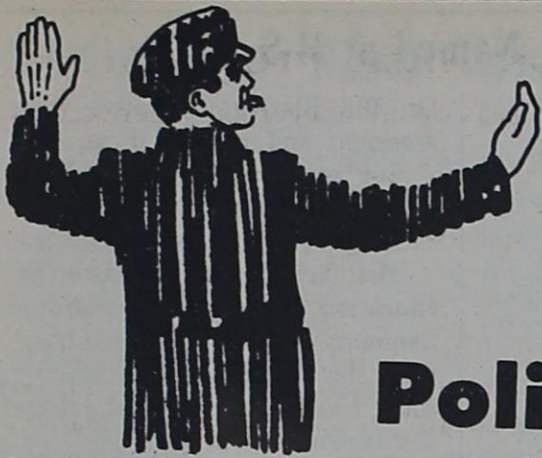
We have to make some decisions and we have to make them now. Are we going to keep killing, cutting and shooting each other? Are we still going to destroy our brothers' business, break out his windows, damage and destroy our brother's property in your own neighborhood? Are you going to try to build up your neighborhood—

buy and trade with your brother? The larger his business becomes the more his business can help the community and create more jobs for you. You have got to make some decisions. Are you going to cut, shoot, and kill each other? Or, are you going to unite and get your thing together and help each other?

We have to make decisions. Do we want to help ourselves or are we going to sit around and wait on hand-outs? We can sit around and moan and groan about injustices or we can get off what keeps the chair bottom hot and forge our way ahead. We even have to learn to think—not what to think—but how to think. I cannot forget a statement made by a P.R. man from Philly, in San Francisco in August: "Most minorities are mentally lazy because they have not been challenged to think." This, I have to agree with. Most minorities have been programed, brainwashed, conditioned, but they cannot think because they never thought or were never challenged to think. We must learn how to think and we must learn now. We have to stop kidding ourselves and put forth some effort on our own and stop complaining about injustices. Prepare yourself—learn the system, because if you don't learn it, you will never be successful in it.

We have to make some decisions and we have to make them now or are we going to walk around broke with a big black clenched fist and talk about black power? Believe me, baby, broke power is no power. Get you some green power—money! Preparation and then your black power is revelent, but, baby, believe me black power, brown power, without money power is no power at all.





Police Beat

Burglary of Caviels

Two Lubbock youth, ages 16 and 17, were surprised by Lubbock Police when police answered an alarm at Caviel's Drug Store, 1719 Avenue A, early Sunday morning. While answering the alarm, police saw one of the youth come out of the establishment through a broken window which had been used for entry.

Both youth ran, after dropping the items they had taken from the drug store. The fellows were chased and caught in the same block, behind the Roquemore Cafe.

Taken from the store were 27 loose packages and one carton of cigarettes.

Damage to the building was estimated at \$150.00.

House Burglary

Manuel Lopez, 4320 Southeast Drive, Apartment 10, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that someone gained entry to his apartment and took a lamp, radio and two sets of pants and shirts. Total value of the items was \$27.00.

It is believed that entry was gained by the door. There were no signs of forced entry.

House Burglary

Dolvin Simon, 2717 East 2nd Street, Apartment B, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that a youth, between 15 and 16, took from his apartment a blue shirt with zipper, tape player and radio and record player.

The value of these items was believed to be \$64.00.

House Burglary

Robert Mooring, 2921 East Bates Avenue, reported to police that someone unknown did enter his place of residence and took a piggy bank which contained pennies, dimes and quarters. The amount taken was unknown.

It was learned that three books worth of S&H Green Stamps was taken from a drawer in the kitchen. The stamps were valued at \$9.00.

Entry was gained by removing a screen and opening an unlocked window. Exit was apparently by the same window.

Attempted Murder

A Lubbock woman told Lubbock police of a problem she was having with a loved one of hers'. She told police that she was at her lover's apartment one night last week when it all happened.

She said that she went to visit the man and as she walked through

the front door, he picked up a chair and hit her over the head. According to the lady, the man was drunk and they had been going together for over two months.

After hitting her, he told her that he was going to kill her. He took his "big knife," according to the lady, and stabbed her in the back and on the arm.

She told police that she would definitely file charges of attempted murder on her lover, and could care less that their love affair had gone sour, even if he was in a drunken condition. She was taken to a local hospital by her brother.

House Burglary

Fertna King, 2826 East 5th Street, reported to the Lubbock police that someone broke into his house and took two wrist watches and about 12 pair of assorted cuff links. The items were valued at \$110.00.

After investigation, it was learned that entry was gained by tearing out a plastic covering on a bathroom window.

Around the hub city

The Dunbar High School Boosters Club will meet Monday evening, December 13th, at 7:30 p.m. at the school.

Mrs. Charlie Mae Anderson, her daughter Betty Jo, and three grand children left Sunday morning for

El Centro, California, after attending funeral services for their daughter and mother, Mrs. Doris Dean Gipson. Mrs. Anderson's grandson, Sgt. Freddie Atkins, drove them back, as he was on a 30-day leave from Germany.

Rev. and Mrs. T.B. Reece and Mrs. P.F. Younger of Midland, Texas spent the week-end here attending the Missionary Workshop at Bethel A.M.E. Church. They left early Sunday morning for home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Wadley visited his sister in Dallas last week. She is a patient at Baylor Hospital. While there, Mrs. Wadley visited the bedside of Bishop O.T. Sherman, who is also a patient there. She reported him resting comfortably.

Mrs. L.A. Bradley called this week to inform this column that she is a patient at Methodist Hospital, Room 406. She was somewhat concerned that her friends might have missed her.

Mr. Sam Crawford is still on the shut-in list and is quite ill.

Mrs. Lillie Anthony of Hubbard, Texas passed last week. She was a cousin of Rev. A.W. Wilson.

Mrs. E.B. Dickson and her sister, of Menard, Texas, left last Sunday for home after attending an important workshop at Bethel

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A.M.E. Church last Friday. In spite of the snow in the Hub City and absence of many of the participants, the meeting was quite a success and very helpful.

"Around the Hub City" would like to encourage all the young folks and old tots to start writing their letters to Santa Claus. The Times will do all it can to forward your letters to the man in the red and white suit. You can address your letters to: Santa Claus, Box 225, Lubbock, Texas 79408.

We'll be more than happy to see that Santa gets them and even print most of them for our readers to see.

Museum to Be Open Two Thursday Evenings For Holiday Visitors

The Museum of Texas Tech University will be open to the public on two Thursday evenings during December, to accommodate the holiday crowds, Dr. J. Knox Jones, Jr., acting director, announced.

December 9 and 16th, from 7-9 p.m., the public may browse

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From My Scratch Pad

by George Parrish

These people were known to have been out of the city recently, in the following places: Mr. and Mrs. Rothchild Ellison and son of 2001 North Jefferson, to Palestine, Texas; Mrs. Eva Cooper of 1632 N.W. 15th, to Fort Worth, Texas; Mr. Ordie McKnight of 1604 N.W. 16th, to Quitman, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. George Parrish and daughter, Dianne, of 1613 N.W. 15th and Gale Scott of 6-7 Arnold Place, to Mineola, Hawkins, Tyler and Grand Prairie, Texas; and Mr. and Mrs. Doris Russell to Quitman and Mineola, Texas.

Mr. Will Knapp is still confined to the Santa Fe Hospital in Albuquerque, New Mexico. Mrs. Knapp left via bus Saturday morning to visit him.

Mrs. Rosetta Calhoun had a beautiful surprise on the Thanksgiving weekend. Her first great, grand daughter, little Miss Shearlese Regenia Taylor, who celebrated her first birthday Saturday, and Mrs. Calhoun's daughter, Mrs. Melvin Taylor and grandsons Richard, James Earl and Cookie, all of Dayton, Ohio, visited here.

Attends Rites In Chickasha

Mr. and Mrs. Henry High, Jr., and Mrs. Mable Carter attended funeral services at Chickasha, Oklahoma last Saturday at 2:00 p.m. for their nephew and cousin, Clarence Bruce Burnett, age 12, who was struck by a car two days before Thanksgiving. The youth

never regained consciousness. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Burnette; five sisters and a brother; three aunts, Mrs. Kattie Turner, Mrs. Hunter Williams and Mrs. Carter, all of Lubbock; and a cousin, Mrs. Betty High, also of Lubbock. Services were conducted at Sheppard Christian Church where he held membership.

City Begins Service Charge to Haulers

On December 1, 1971, the City of Lubbock began collecting fees for commercial disposal of solid wastes at the Sanitary Landfill. These fees are now being collected from the commercial haulers who use the landfill.

The fees as adopted by the City Council on November 11, 1971 are:

Pickups, small trailers, \$0.50; Bobtail trucks, \$1.50; Semi-Trailers, \$3.00; Container trucks and packer trucks, 20 cubic yards, \$7.50; 24 cubic yards, \$9.00 and 28 cubic yards, \$10.50.

These fees apply to all persons or corporations who collect money from clients for disposal of solid wastes. In addition, all commercial haulers must have a permit from the City-County Health Department, 1602 Jarvis Street. There is no charge for the permit.

Citizens who wish to dispose of solid wastes from their homes, do not have to pay a fee for disposal of wastes at the landfill.

For more information concerning use of the landfill, contact the Sanitation Department, 762-6411, ext. 475 or 476.

Sociology Teacher Named at H-S U.



Mrs. Leo "Piney" Scott, veteran teacher for the Abilene Public School system, will serve as part-time visiting instructor in Sociology at Hardin-Simmons University during the spring semester.

Her appointment to the H.S.U. faculty was disclosed last week by

Dr. Bill Blazley, executive vice-president and interim dean.

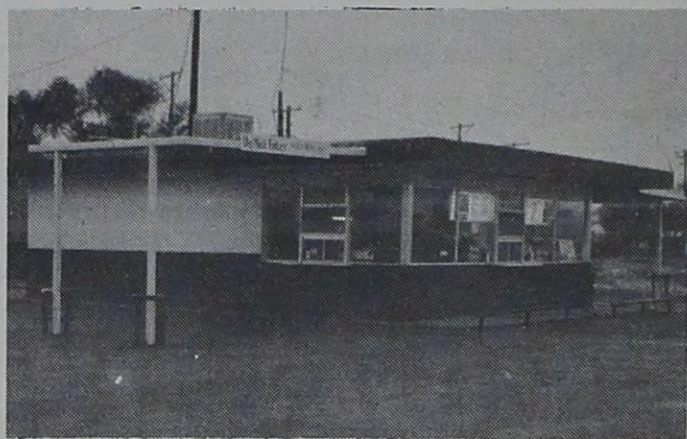
She will teach Sociology 453, "Minority Groups," on Thursday evenings at 6:30 p.m.

Mrs. Scott holds a master of education degree from Hardin-Simmons in Abilene and has been with the Abilene public schools since 1964. She teaches at Jefferson Junior High School.

Her husband, Rev. Leo F. Scott, is chief pharmacist at Abilene State School. They are members of the Oak Grove Baptist Church in Hamlin, Texas, where her husband is pastor. They have three children.

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ringing the bell

with Bob Tieuel

I wish to apologize to readers of the West Texas Times for a bit of neglect in not getting this column in as regularly as bellringers might desire, but may we assure you that it was for reasons beyond human capacity to do much about. We will not go into details here but perhaps later we will be giving you hints on some of the problems.

Our newest bellringers in the West Texas Times include: The Boley Chamber of Commerce, Boley, Oklahoma and said to be the largest all-black town in U.S.A. today and where we will be spending a good deal of time for the next several months taking care of some business matters for family and friends; Robert Webster Darden, 1522 Mesquite Street in Wichita Falls, Texas—oil man, civic and political leader and recent author of a new book, Platform For Americans; and Dr. Charles W. Meister, president of Eastern New Mexico University of Portales, New Mexico.

Recent great quotes from "Platform For Americans" by Robert W. Darden: "The will of the people must prevail. In the democratic spirit of the majority, it is our obligation to criticize our government, our leaders, and our institutions. Not to do so is to silently consent to their stagnation. But worse than stagnation, a failure on the part of the people to demand reform will result in the inevitable destruction of the American way of life as guaranteed by the Constitution."

In mailbag: We received several copies of The Black Panther newspaper recently. Not nearly as violent in nature as other ones we have seen in earlier years. Our thanks to Rey Reavis, head librarian at the Hobbs, New Mexico city library for informing us that hundreds of "Ringing the Bell" columns are being photographed and preserved in bound form for posterity. Mr. Reavis also informs us that persons having printed documents like newspaper clippings, etc. on history of their church in Hobbs area should contact him for publication. Our thanks to noted newsman George S. Schulyer of New York for a copy of his latest publication: "What is behind the Explosion of Black Racism?" Who said our white folks were the only guilty ones? Really, it's a twoway street. Schulyer is editor of the book review department of Manchester Union Leader.

Job Review—Local, county, state and federal employers and employees held a singular Job Institute/meet recently at New Mexico Junior College in Hobbs, New Mexico. Serving as host to the New Mexico International Association Personnel Employment Services, with Milton Fox, employment manager Hobbs office in charge of arrangements. A look-see observation of the job picture with special emphasis on minorities will be reported here in a later column.

A Definition—A bellringer writes: Dear Bob, "As you know, I am the writer of a widely publicized letter that has received national attention in the mass media and other areas. In part it is the definition of a jive a..Nigger as one who poses like he is Black. . He is the guy who is sufficiently educated because he stayed in schools and universities while the kids in the street opened the college doors for him. He is now the expert on Black Affairs in the white company or the showcase Negro that proves the company is an equal opportunity employer. He is often known as the corporate "Nigger". He is an expert on Black politics, ghetto life styles hip language and the Black Panthers.

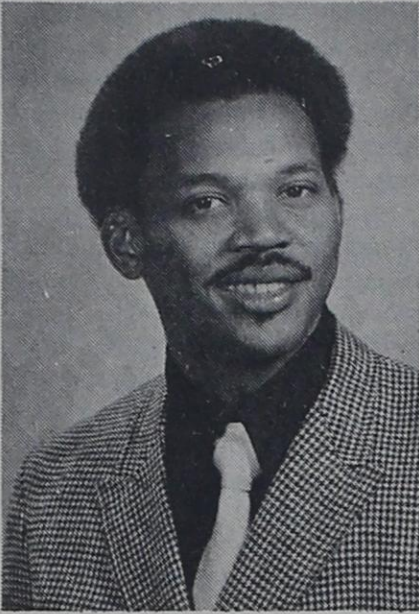
"The jive a.. nigger really digs white folks. He loves their brashness, their self-confidence, their knowledge of a world he perceives dimly. He apes white folks' ability to consume cars, wine, women—all the symbols of good living.

"Mr. Jive As is often the only Black man of status employed by the large bank or the insurance company. We know that he has got to fool the man. . .we know he is jiving, but the j.a.n. is a dangerous man when he uses his position to cut down other black folks on the outside. Essentially, he is a selfish individual who places top priority upon his own individual achievement, and doesn't mind sacrificing the liberation of his people for his own creature comforts and personal desires. Do you know any Bob?" Signed Floyd McKissack. Reply: U Bet I do!!

Bellringers Write: We answer in black and white: To G.N. of Odessa—We agree. There should be a black sheet published by blacks in the Permian Basin. We will resume publication of The Newsletter beginning around the first of December.

To B.N. of Clovis, New Mexico—Thanks so much for your compli-

Alleyne Named Manager of Green-Fair Manor Apartments



Alvin Alleyne became manager of the Green-Fair Manor Apartment complex as of December 1st.

A native of Panama, Alleyne attended the University of Panama and has received training from Lubbock Christian College and Texas Tech University in Business Administration and Political Science.

Prior to being hired for the apartment position, he was a specification analyst at Lubbock Manufacturing Company for 3½ years. He also had an opportunity to serve as a life insurance agent for Metropolitan Life Insurance Company for a year and a half.

ments. Our purpose is simply to develop better inter-racial understanding and goodwill and we are happy to learn that your local daily is carrying some of this stuff. Tell the editor too!

To T.T. of McCamey—We spend several nights per week on campus on Eastern New Mexico University and a lot of week-ends. The rest of our time is spent digging up this column for some thirty publications in U.S.

Until later 30 and Peace. P. S. Remember, love comes in all colors.

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Mr. Alleyne was also a business representative for the New York Telephone Company.

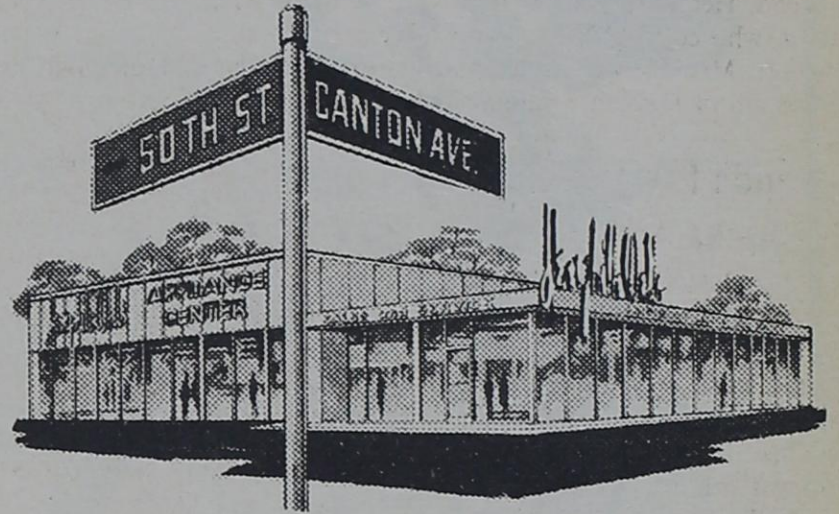
He is married to the former Mildred Alexander, a former student at Dunbar High School.

The young manager of Green-Fair Manor is in the process of making positive changes in order to make this complex a much better place to live. His three fold program, at this time includes: improved maintenance, improved quality of living and closer cooperation with city authorities.

Alumni Association Officers Installed Here Last Month

On November 15th, at 8:00 p.m., in a meeting at the Sizzlin' Sirloin, Mr. T.B. Allen, Province Polemarch of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity installed the first Alumni Association here in Lubbock.

The men who were in the formation of this association were: Polemarch, Harold M. Chatman; Vice Polemarch, Dr. F.L. Lovings; Keeper of Records, Percy Hines; Keeper of the Exchequer, Arlee Jackson and Historian, George Scott, Jr.



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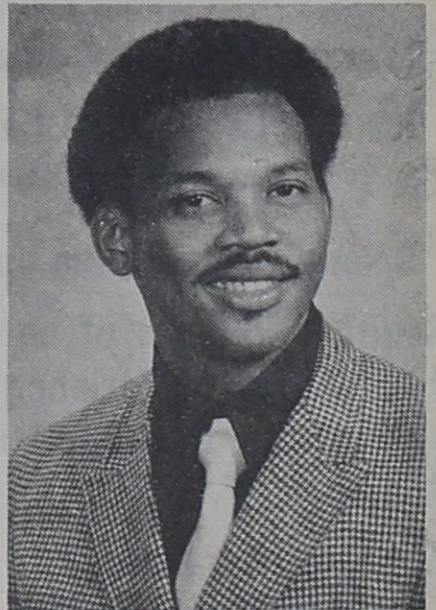
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Engagement Announced



Amarillo—Mr. and Mrs. C.S. Shorter of 3015 Reed Lane, Dallas, Texas, announced this week the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Linda Faye, to Mr. Ronnie Eugene Shanklin, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Jackson of 1218 N. Washington, Amarillo, Texas. The bride-elect holds a BBA degree in Marketing from North Texas State University in Denton, Texas. Mr. Shanklin attended North Texas State and is presently employed by the National Football League in Pittsburgh, Penn. The wedding is scheduled for January 29th in the Good Street Baptist Church of Dallas, Texas.

Christmas Program Set Tuesday at Ella Iles

The Ella Iles Elementary School will present an all grades Christmas program at its PTA meeting, Tuesday, December 14th, at 7:30 p.m., in the gymnasium-auditorium. We are extending an invitation to all parents, patrons and friends to see this program. Our children and school need your support. Please come.

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Lubbock Students Asked To Contribute to TB Fund

It will be Santa Claus buttons and red bangles for Lubbock's public schools students this week. Students will have opportunities to make contributions to the West Texas Area Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association.

Students from the kindergarten through sixth grade will wear Santa Claus buttons and junior and senior high students will wear the traditional red Crusader pins. Funds donated will be used in educational programs in the schools, health materials for students and teachers, and for preparation of supplies for the annual skin-testing program.

Bill Parker, pupil personnel director for the school system, is coordinating the annual drive in the schools.

Junior and senior high school girls, members of Future Homemakers of America chapters, participated last Saturday in conducting the annual sidewalk sale of bangles to Christmas shoppers.

Museum to Open...

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through the galleries and enjoy the exhibits and holiday decorations. There is no admission charge.

The annual December Planetarium show, "The Star of Bethlehem", will be shown at 7:30 p.m. each of the two Thursdays. There is a small admission charge to the Planetarium programs.

The Museum will be closed Sunday, December 12, to the public, in order that an annual reception honoring the university's faculty and staff may be held.

Edgar Allen Poe is generally regarded as the originator of the modern detective story.

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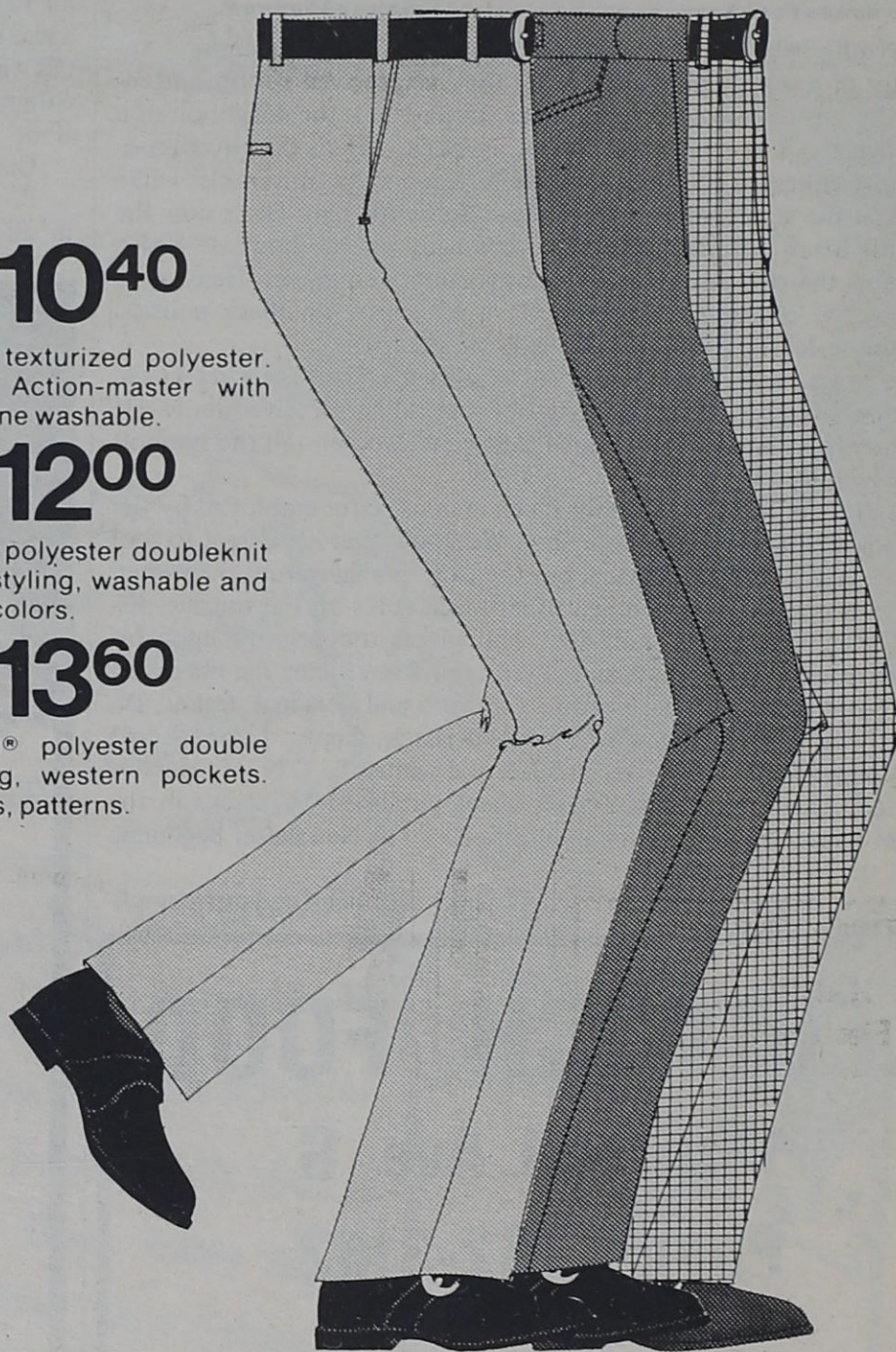
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Job Training Courses Urged by VA

The Veterans Administration, which promotes a 44 week on-the-job training (OJT) program for veterans in water pollution control, is also urging veterans to study the subject in 22 week college level courses now offered at nine community colleges.

The training is sponsored by the Office of Water Programs, Environmental Protection Agency. Preference is given to veterans who plan to become water plant and wastewater plant operators.

Pay for these jobs generally ranges from \$5,000 to \$8,500 a year, but could go as high as \$15,000, depending on experience, longevity, and level of responsibility.

Among 1,120 individuals engaged in government-sponsored OJT in water pollution control in November, 530 were Vietnam veterans. Another 300 veterans were taking courses at community colleges or technical institutes.

About 800 other veterans have already completed OJT programs, started after studying water technology at colleges during their last six months of military service.

Funds for the institutional and OJT training programs are provided by the Departments of Labor and Health, Education and Welfare under the Manpower Development and Training Act and the Economic Opportunity Act.

In addition to straight OJT and

study programs in water pollution control, the Office of Water Programs administers 35 "coupled" OHT programs (classroom and plant work) around the country.

Some veterans draw checks from more than one source while taking OJT under the G.I. Bill. A veteran with no dependents, for example, receives a starting monthly stipend of \$108.00 from VA, while the employer pays him at least half the salary of the job for which he is training. A job is usually assured after successful completion of training.

Veterans interested in water plant and wastewater plant opera-

tor training under the G.I. Bill should contact their nearest VA office.

Lubbock Man's Sister Has Major Surgery

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Wadley and son, Gary, of 1519 East 2nd Street, traveled to Dallas, Texas, last week to be at the bedside of his sister, Mrs. Meleta Wadley Charles, who underwent major surgery at Dallas Methodist Hospital.

Mr. Wadley has an opportunity while in Dallas to see another sister, Mrs. Orbie Jo Robinson of Detroit, Michigan, and his brother's family, Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Wadley

of Palo Alto, California. The brothers and sisters hadn't seen each other for eight years.

Editor to Speak in Amarillo

T. J. Patterson, editor of the West Texas Times, will speak in Amarillo, Texas to the Emergency School Assistance Program (ESAP) community relation project on Ethnic Culture on December 16th.

The program will be held at Carver Auditorium at 7:30 p.m.

ESAP is a community project under the auspices of the Texas Panhandle Community Action Agency.

Geoffrey Chaucer was the first poet laureate of England.

Playwright Eugene O'Neill has received the Pulitzer prize three times.

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San Angelo News

We are having quite a rainy spell, no ice, as yet, though it was predicted.

The Bake Sale held by the R.R. & A. Club was a sell-out. Although it was a very wet day the sale was very successful. We thank all the ladies who helped.

Sister G.D. McNeely, Sister Nold Cross and Mrs. Loonus Minner are in the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Don R. Hall are the proud parents of a baby girl.

The Wesley United Methodist Church will have their Christmas tree and program, sponsored by the Sunday School, on December 19th, at 7:00 p.m.

The Silver Lead Society Club Christmas party will be December 17th, at 8:00 p.m.

Rosary Reading and Art Club Christmas Party will be held December 16th, at 8:00 p.m.

Others on the sick list this week are Mr. H.B. Smith and Mrs. Ola Cross. They seem to be improving.

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Beginning December 1, your city utility bill will show an additional charge. The Lubbock City Council has established a service charge that will help pay the cost of collecting and disposing of solid wastes. The city will be collecting 312 million pounds of garbage and trash this year, at a cost of 2 million dollars.

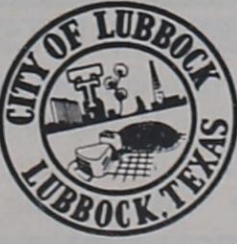
The utility collection department of Lubbock Power and Light and Water is cooperating to make utility billing as economical as possible. By including the new service charge with your monthly water bill, the taxpayers will save \$53,000 per year.

Combined billing provides additional benefits to you. You will be able to pay for all municipal services with one check and postage stamp instead of three.

A schedule for the new service charge rates will be included in your December billing.

Thank you!

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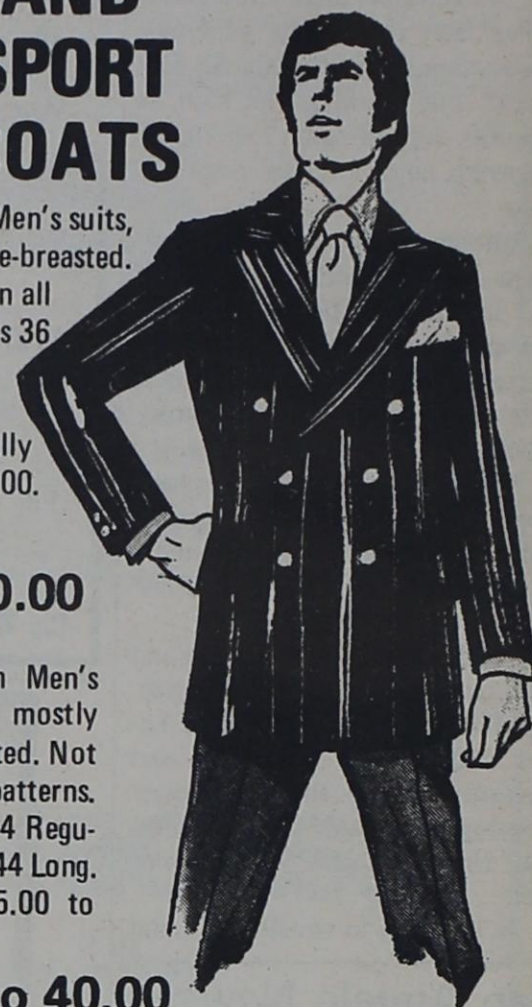
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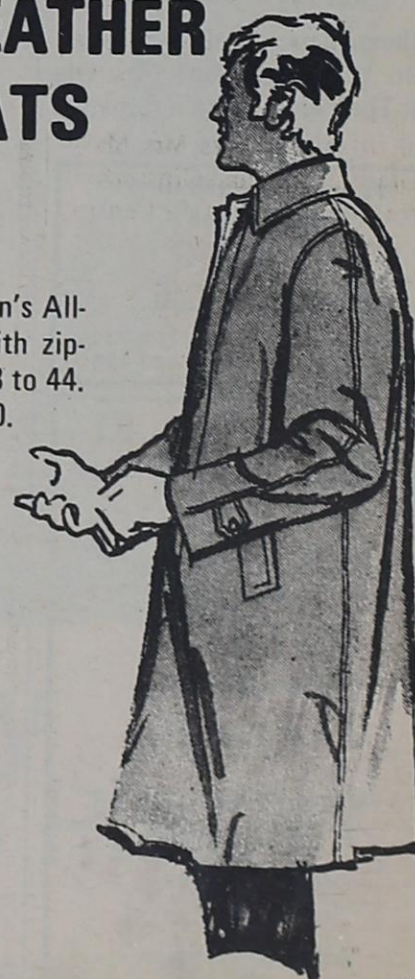
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Rites Read for Mrs. Inez V. King Saturday

Rites were read last Saturday morning at the First Baptist Church in Eastland, Texas, for Mrs. Inez V. King. Rev. A.L. Dunn, pastor of New Hope Baptist Church of Lubbock and Rev. J.L. Norris, pastor, officiated the services.

Burial was held in the Eastland Cemetery under the direction of Arrington Funeral Home.

Mrs. King was born June 24, 1897 in Hammond, Texas. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Cotton, Sr. She moved to Eastland from Dallas, Texas, in 1935 and united with the First Baptist Church.

She was married to Mr. Floyd King, Sr., in March of 1936 and he preceeded her in death in December, 1958. She was the step-mother of the late Floyd King, Jr. of Lubbock.

Mrs. King was financial clerk of her church for thirty years and was secretary of the West Texas Baptist Sunday School and Baptist Training Union Congress for thirty-five years.

She joined the Deshorn Star Chapter No. 226, O.E.S., in 1937 and served as Matron for 30 years. She passed away Sunday, November 28, 1971 in Palm Springs, California.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Flossie Douglas, of Palm Springs, Mrs. Mattie Shepherd of San Francisco, Mrs. Theresa Carroll, of Denver, Colorado; and Mrs. Queen Esther Daughtery of Eastland; four sons, J.W. of San Francisco, J.T. of Denver, Jack, of Lubbock and Roston of Eastland; two sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Diggs of Calvert, Texas and Mrs. Vernora Williams of Eastland, a brother, John Cotton, Jr., of Calvert; eleven grand children, several neices and nephews and a host of other relatives and friends.

Final Rites Read for Doris Gipson Friday

Final rites for Mrs. Doris D. Gipson, 43, of 2809 Ivory Avenue, Apartment 3, were read last Friday morning at the Greater St. Luke Baptist Church with Rev. A. L. Davis, pastor, officiating.

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

Mrs. Gipson died on Sunday evening at Lubbock Osteopathic Hospital after a brief illness. A native of Frederick, Oklahoma, she had lived in Lubbock for 29 years.

Survivors include her husband, Charlie; three daughters, Mrs. Mary J. McGraw, Jacqueline Gipson and Paulette Gipson, all of El Centro, California; a son, Sgt. Freddie Atkins, stationed in Germany with the U.S. Army; her mother, Mrs. Charlie Mae Anderson of El Centro, California; a sister, Mrs. Betty Jo Williams of El Centro, California; two brothers, Arthur Jones of Lubbock and Billy Fisher of Gary, Indiana; and six grandchildren.

Active pallbearers were Jim

Turner, Robert Moore, Robert Jones, William Gipson, Jr., William Moore and Freddy Mooring. Honorary pallbearers were Owen Smart, James Wheeler, Elzie Riley, Joe E. Smith and Stanley Jones.

Lubbock Child Succumbs Here

Funeral services for two-year-old Kimmie Lanett Hollis Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Allen, Jr., of 2604 Weber Drive, Apartment D, were held Monday afternoon at the South Plains Funeral Home chapel, with the Rev. A.L. Davis, pastor of Greater St. Luke Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was held in the City of Lubbock Cemetery.

Little Kimmie died last Friday morning in St. Mary of the Plains Hospital after a short illness.

Survivors, besides the parents, include a sister, Willanya Evette, of the home; her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Judie of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Perkins of Muskegon, Michigan; and great-grandparents, Mrs. Ester Knox of Guthrie, Oklahoma and Frank Knox of Lubbock.

A waxing moon is more favorable at Christmas than a waning one, according to an old Scottish folk belief.

Relative of Lubbock Resident Dies Sunday At Henrietta, Texas

Services were conducted last Wednesday afternoon at Henrietta, Texas, for Mrs. Lewis Moore, 74, who passed away at 5:30 a.m. Sunday morning at a local hospital following several years illness.

Mrs. Moore's native home was

Belton, Texas. She moved to Wichita Falls, Texas and later to Henrietta where she lived until her death.

Survivors include a faithful husband, Lawrence Moore; two brothers, Tommie Nelson of Wichita Falls and George Nelson of Fresno, California; a niece, Mrs. Ollie Crawford of Lubbock and other relatives and friends.

Another brother, Jessie Nelson,

passed away Tuesday, November 27th, and his funeral was held in Wichita Falls.

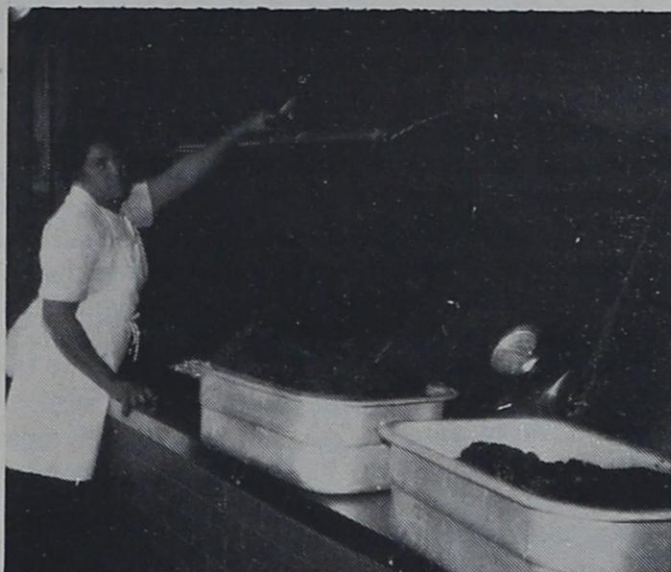
Mrs. Crawford left Tuesday for Henrietta to attend the funeral.

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CHURCH SERVICES

Greater St. Luke Baptist Church

President Craven announces Mission One's annual Christmas Dinner, which will be the second Monday night, December 16, at the church at 7:00 p.m.

The members of the Eunice Circle will meet tonight in the home of Sister Dora Robinson, 3604 Aspen Avenue, at 8:00 p.m.

Bible Band meets at the church

this evening, and every Thursday, at 4:00 p.m.

Members of the Martha Circle met this week in the home of Sister Merle Terry, 2406 Fir Avenue.

A Christmas thought: "In this mad and sick society, the Church has the saving message for the world. Let us go forth telling the glad story of Jesus' Love."

Prayer meeting is held each Wednesday evening at 8:00. Prayer is the connecting link between this life and that which is soon to be.

Let us pray for and visit our sick and shut-in members. Those ill this week include Sisters Ida Johnson, Annie Hinton, Dolly Howard and Emma Breedlove. Brothers E.L. Tatum and Wilmar Wilson are also on our sick list.

Mount Vernon United Methodist Church

Mrs. M.T. Reed is still walking on cloud nine. It does make one feel good to know that someone is thinking of them. Many of you know that on last Sunday, Mrs. Reed received the surprise of her life when Mrs. A.N. Gamble and others from the First Methodist Church gave her a life-membership in the Methodist Mission Home. We were also happy to learn that Mount Vernon has the "Highest Percentage Rate" for giving to the Home of any United Methodist Church in Texas.

All of this was made possible by members and friends of Mount Vernon for which God is pleased.

Gospel Caravan

Dear listeners of the Gospel Caravan, this week's program features such great songs as "That's the Way God Planned It," and "The Broken Vessel," by the O'Neal Twins, "Precious Lord," by B.B. King, "What Have I Given" by the Argo Singers, "Are You Satisfied" by Willie Morganfield, "Let's Rap" by the Brooklyn All Stars. Good singing and preaching will be yours to enjoy by the Great Rev. C.L. Franklin this Sunday so please set your clocks to awaken you to good gospel and spiritual music on 1590 KEND Radio, 7 to 8 a.m., with Roscoe G. Adams as your musical host.

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Bethel A.M.E. Church

Rev. A.W. Wilson delivered another one of his dynamic sermons last Sunday morning. His subject was "Faith." He advised the congregation to re-examine their faith in God.

Although there was snow and ice here last Friday, the Missionary Society had an outstanding workshop.

The youth department is making plans for their annual Christmas program which will be held on Sunday, December 19th, at 7:00 p.m. All young people who would like to participate in this annual program are asked to contact Mrs. A.W. Wilson.

Mount Gilead Baptist Church

"The Mount Gilead Baptist Church, the friendly church where the soul and spirit meet. The church where everybody is somebody. The church extends to the members and public a cordial and clarion call to worship with us each week."

Let us remember to pray for our sick and shut-in members.

The Angelic Choir wishes to thank everyone who supported them on Sunday night in rendering their concert.

The church's 45th anniversary was observed on Sunday, December 5th, at the 11 o'clock services.

I would like to thank each member of Mt. Gilead Baptist Church and friends in my community for assisting me while I was running for "Miss Angelic." It means a lot to know there are people who care. Thanks again.

A special thanks to Mrs. Adlean Nash, Mrs. Desolina Hunter and Mrs. Martha Brown for giving me a tea to assist in my fund raising for "Miss Angelic Queen" contest.

Signed: Bettye Gant

Lyons Chapel Baptist Church

The annual Brotherhood program of our church will be closing this Sunday afternoon, at 3:00 p.m. Guest churches include New

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Jesus and The Minority Struggle

by Emerson Miller

Many are inquiring about the activity of God amidst all the troubles in the world today. People are asking the question, "What is God doing?"

God is doing the same thing He has always done, allowing trouble to occur for a purpose. God desires that all men should come to repentance and inevitably be saved. In order that we may be kept on the right path, God allows trouble to come our way. These difficulties serve to remind us that this world is not our home. No matter how ardently anti-Christian writers oppose the reality of Heaven there is still a real Heaven for the righteous and a real hell for wrong doers.

A second thing that God is doing is sticking with the minority and oppressed people in their struggle. It was Jesus who declared these words, "The poor you'll have with you always." (Matt. 26:11). Christ did not just stop here, He informs us that He also was poor (Matt. 8:20). The Bible also avows that whatever is done to the poor and oppressed people is done to Him, (Christ). "...In as much as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me." (Matt. 25:40).

There are many religionists who spend lucrative prices to go to the Holy Land. They feel that by visiting the Holy Land they may walk where Jesus walked. In the congested alleys, depraved apartment complexes, jails, and in the company of the broken-hearted and lonely, the footprints of Jesus may be treaded. One does not have to go overseas to find out where Jesus would go if He were here today.

God is and will always be with the oppressed people in their struggle for dignity and equality. Notice, I said in their "struggle?" Many believe that the Lord is going to work out everything while they sit and do nothing. That is a great mistake—God helps those who help themselves.

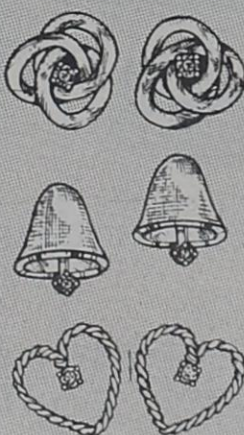
In our endeavor to help ourselves we must be careful that we do not stray from Christian principles. Love is a Christian principle and we must love all people. One Black leader has said, "Too much love, too much love, nothing kills a nigger like too much love." Despite the fact that most civil rights leaders who prescribed love in the past were killed, the fact remains that love is stronger than hate. If God is to continually remain with us in our struggle we must incessantly forgive others. When we come to the issue of forgiveness—white folks have a part to play also. Usually the person who has done wrong comes to the person he has wronged and seeks forgiveness. There are white people who expect Blacks to come to them when they (whites) should be doing all they can to show that they deserve forgiveness. I do not have all the answers or solutions to all the problems, but I feel that the above mentioned guidelines may be helpful. This one thing I know, God is concerned about the poor and oppressed people of this world.

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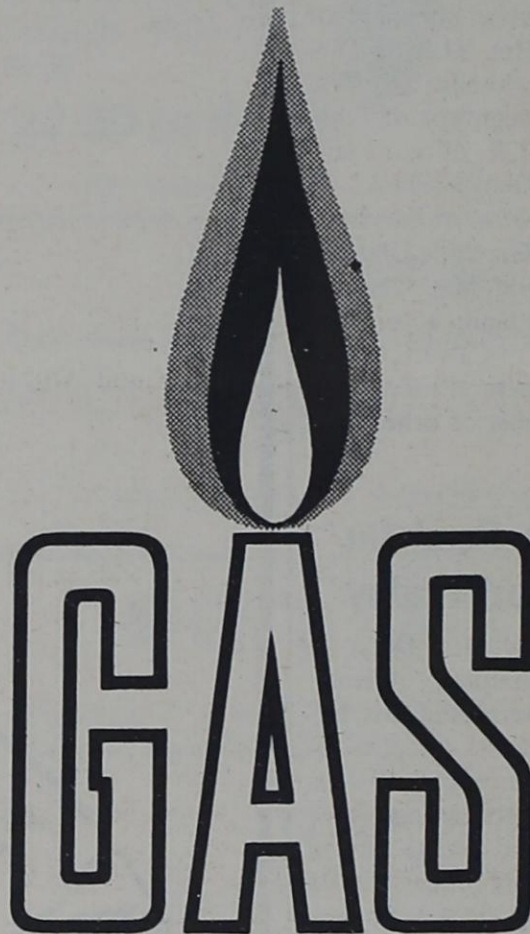
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and clothing to fit boys and girls from ages 1-14. This particular program is similar to Chief Goodfellow. Clothing and toys may be picked up between 5 and 9 p.m. on December 24th at the Manhattan Heights Seventh Day Adventist Church, located at 25th Street and Quirt Avenue.

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Church News . . .

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Jerusalem Baptist Church, and others from the city and area. Our guest speaker will be Rev. Robert L. Lister, pastor of the Manhattan Heights 7th Day Adventist Church. President of the Brotherhood is Brother J.F. Collins.

Jenkins Chapel Miss. Baptist Church

Amarillo—Sunday School for all ages began promptly at 9:30 a.m. with Supt. Scott at his post and all the teachers of the school prepared for service. After class work the general Sunday school assembled in the upper auditorium for the review and high-lights of the lesson. Attendance was off somewhat, due to inclement weather.

The morning services began at 10:45 a.m. with the Deacons in charge of the Devotion and inspirational singing by the parent body of the church.

The message for the morning was brought by Reverend R.J. Dixon, entitled "A Fool on A Mule in the Middle of the Road," from Numbers 22:21-34. The message was very inspiring and filled with power. Rev. Dixon illustrated the power of God through a dumb animal.

The evening services began at 7:00 p.m. with singing by the choir and concentrated prayer. Rev. R.J. Dixon delivered the evening message entitled, "Be Care-

ful Where You Build" as recorded in Matt. 7:21-24. This message was preached to warn us of our lives in general, our love for one another and for Christ. The Lord's Supper was also administered in this service with Rev. Dixon and Church Deacons in charge.

May we remember our sick and shut-ins both in prayer and visitation.

New Hope Baptist Church

Emilio Q. Garza, program director of the Community Action Board in Lubbock County, was special guest last Sunday as he told our congregation of the functions of this agency. He also invited the membership to get involved.

The Good Will Choir meets each Saturday evening at 8:00. New members are encouraged to join this special organization of gospel singers.

Our District Sunday School and Baptist Training Union Congress young people's department is in need of regional directors to work with our young people in the district. If there are women of New Hope who would be willing to work with these young people, please contact Mrs. R.B. Thompson, director, or Joan Ervin, associate director of our District Congress Young People Department.

Let us continue to pray for our sick and shut-in members.

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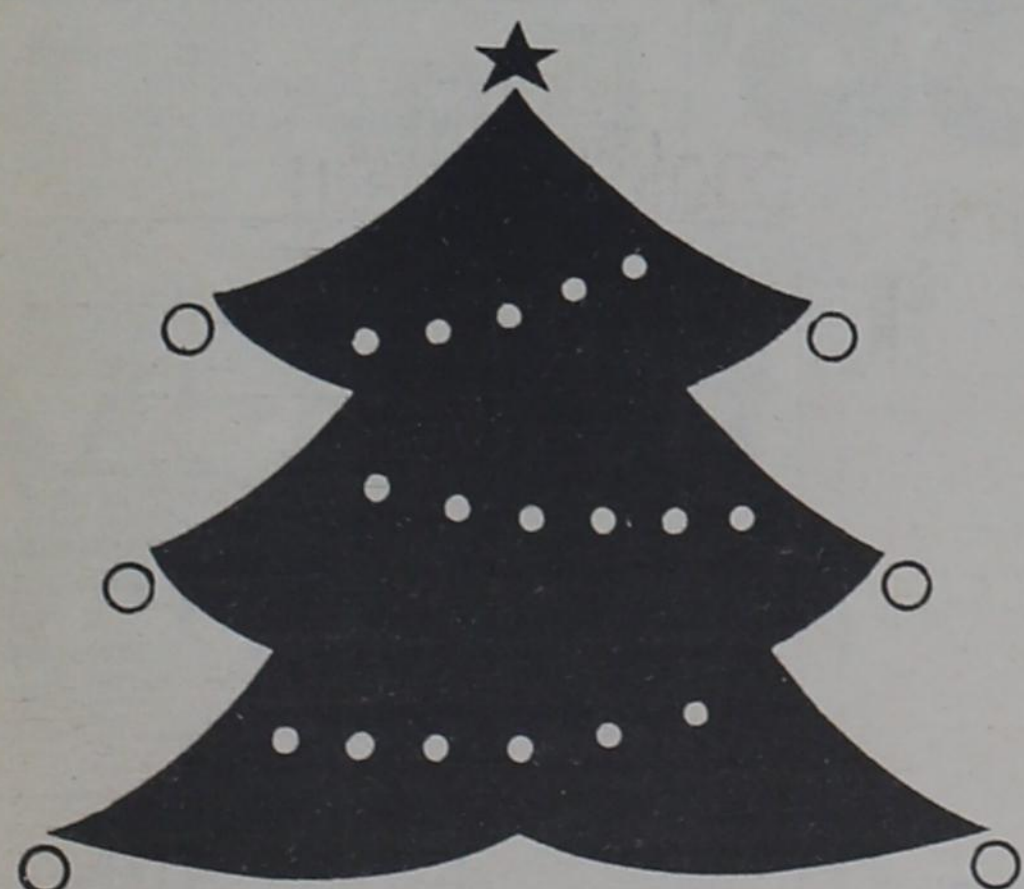
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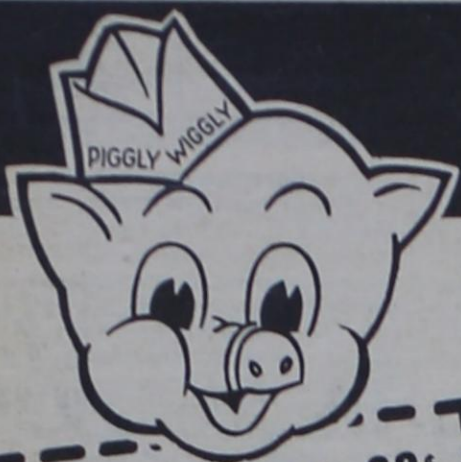
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