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Rev. Cleophus Robinson to Appear Here



The alteration of gospel music from its time honored place on gospel and religious oriented radio to the capricious world of the top 100 record charts has been interpreted by many artists today. Though many new voices have been raised, making a joyful noise unto the Lord, via gospel music, none can equal the mastery of the "World's Greatest Gospel Singer", the undisputed "King of Gospel Singers", Reverend Cleophus Robinson.

This Mississippi born exponent

of the gospel is no newcomer. For 28 years, he has been praising the Lord in song and sermon. His exciting and inspiring voice has been heard at the famous Apollo Theater, Carnegie Hall, Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts, Washington D.C.'s Constitutional Hall and Powell Symphony Hall, among many others. He has toured Europe, turning thousands of people over there on to the pithy, exuberant message of gospel.

Gospel, the music of the spheres. The act of performing it is an

affirmation of faith, and people such as Rev. Robinson practice that faith as well as sing of it. His witness of that faith has placed the Reverend in the Christian vanguard.

For instance, Rev. Robinson is the first gospel singer to sponsor scholarships to aid young people in furthering their education. Each year he gives his Annual Cleophus Robinson Scholarship. Also, each year, Rev. Robinson performs for the inmates of the Missouri State Penitentiary; his commitment to his beliefs are very real to him.

There are many other firsts in the long, distinguished career of the Right Reverend. He was the first Black man in the City of St. Louis (the place he calls home) to have his own TV show on Station KPLR, where he heads the Religious Department. Recently, he was awarded the "Pioneer Television Award" by KPLR-TV's Manager, Jim Heard, for his "unique contribution to the visual communication media." His show is presently beamed into 17 major cities.

The energetic Cleophus Robinson does not stop at TV, he also has a radio show on WLAC, a fifty thousand watt station in Nashville that beams into some forty states. The sermons of this active minister caused Richard Miller, manager of radio KXLW of St. Louis, another station Rev. Robinson has been affiliated with, to praise him for his work in changing that station's format from R&B to Gospel.

Recognizing this remarkable human being's work, he has been praised and presented the key to the city of Cleveland by its recent mayor, Carl Stokes. That honor was repeated in St. Louis, when A.J. Cervantes made the presentation. More recently, he was awarded the Frederick Douglass Award for humanitarian deeds by the United Front of Cairo, Illinois. Most recently, he was made an Honorary Citizen of the City of Los Angeles by Mayor Tom Bradley, as well as becoming a rare "Distinguished Mississippian" by the Governor, his most excellent Mr. William Waller. He currently has sixty one singles on the market as well as twenty five albums. Added to his lengthening list of achievements, Rev. Robinson has two gold records for outstanding record sales.

Rev. Robinson is a family man. He and his lovely wife, Bertha, have six beautiful children. Paul Cleophus, Jr., Linda, Pricilla, Shadrach, and Aquilla.

Also appearing on the program will be the Dynamic Annie White, Lubbock's Gospel Queen Mae Pearl Jackson, recording artist Johnny Ray Watson, First Progressive Choir under the direction of Joseph Jones and the Rev. M.G. Shephard. Tickets are on sale at Soul Patrol Style Shop, House of Soul Records, Cherry

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"The Young and Old"



Mr. Ike Rogers, father of Mrs. Ruby Neal, took time to pose with one of his neighbors, Wilbert DeVaughn, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert DeVaughn. Mr. Rogers who is referred to as "Pa Pa" by young Wilbert, he is 102 years young and gets around as though he is 80 years young.

Little Wilbert, age three, is a student at Milam's Training Center and has been for several years. Wilbert, who loves football, has had several operations. His mother says: "The Lord has

performed miracles with Wilbert, because his doctor gave up on him when he was four days old." She continued: "With God on your side, anything is possible."

Mr. Rogers, who resides with Mr. and Mrs. Neal at 2313 Birch Avenue, loves to dig in the flower beds and Wilbert, Jr., loves football. Both are examples of the young and the old. Two beautiful people who took time to pose under a tree to let people know that all things are possible if you believe in God.

Jo Harold Long is A Young Woman With A Dream!

"Though my work may not be as good as the person's next to me, it's mine, and I can communicate in a way I couldn't yesterday", says Jo Harold Long, who is executive director of the Community Center for the Arts on the campus of Southern Methodist University (SMU) in Dallas. "I want to help the black and the beautiful make the scene together," admits the former Lubbock resident who graduated from Dunbar High School.

A young, attractive, energetic, 23 year old West Texan, she got her master's in music history at age 21 from SMU. Prior to working in this area, she was a graduate of Bishop College, a sister institution across town in Dallas, where she attended on a music scholarship.

During a regular year at the center, Jo is concerned about seeing that young people have an opportunity to participate in the program. During the regular school year, the center offers a broad program in the various arts. Aside from the 350 young people who attend the center, there are at least 100 young people involved in the special summer program, plus 30 or more volunteers who give their talent to see that the program succeeds.

The center's chief product is neither professional expertise nor amateur distinction in the arts. It is the joyfully shared discovery of the self, of ethnic legacies, of universal human treasures.

In any organization or institution, it is important to have funds available to do whatever the program is designed to do. In Jo's case, her financial support at present, comes from the National Endowment for the Arts. She believes that the study of arts "ought to make children feel good about what they produce." It's not



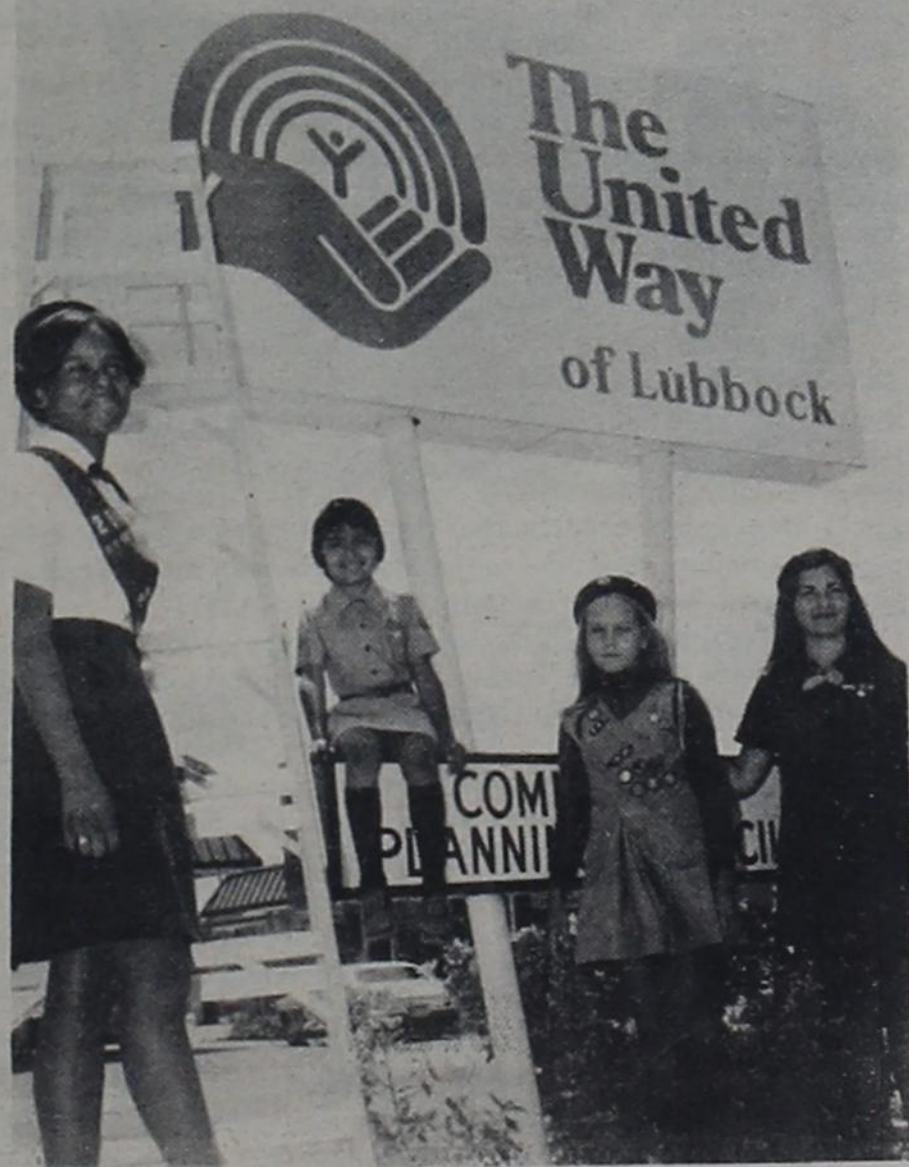
important for them to compete, is her frequent thesis. If you stunt this feeling, "you take away the only reason they have to learn", says the young administrator.

Quite an impressive musician, who plays the clarinet and piano, she lives up to this viewpoint with the zest which seldom fails her. At present, she is hooked on art. She crows and bubbles over her finger painting, right back at small classmates crowing and bubbling over theirs. She is the catalyst and is quite proud of her accomplishments.

A woman with a dream, Jo Harold Long began by walking sidewalks in black neighborhoods in Dallas, recruiting students. Eventually, she got used to working days which could last for 16 hours, each on a part time salary and to skipping that salary when it meant keeping up fellowships. She acquired some skill at writing proposals for grants and even learned to enjoy it.

It's been a long time since she first got started with her dream. Today, she has a board of directors with twenty members, and is

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Girl Scouts supporting the United Way of Lubbock are from left, Linda Hunter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adolphus Cleveland, 2625 East Auburn, Suzanna Cisneros, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Disneros, 1924 73rd Street; Karla Harck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Harck, 2111 52nd St.; and Laura Hubbard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Hubbard, 3008 25th St., Lubbock.

EDITORIALS

Black Newspaper Has Value in Community

Some interesting data was found after a recent survey of sixteen U.S. cities with a black population of 13 percent or more. This data documented the newspaper readership patterns of black communities. The survey, prepared by Behavioral Systems, Incorporated for Amalgamated Publishers of Chicago, was reviewed recently by the National Newspaper Publishers Association.

There were several points brought out by the survey. They are of significance to residents of the black community as well as those persons who advertise in predominately black newspapers. The survey showed that:

—The extent to which black readers are aware of the black newspapers in each city varies, often with correlation between the percent of familiarity and the percent of black which constitute the total city population.

—Negative attitudes toward black newspapers are seldom voiced, but when they are, they tend to be moderated by an understanding of the financial problems of black publishers.

—Advertisements are generally perceived to have greater impact and are more impressive when they appear in black newspapers.

—The black newspaper symbolizes a sense of black autonomy among the mass media, filling a communications void in the community.

—More advertising is desired in the areas of food, clothing, personal care, travel, entertainment and classified.

—The functional role of the black newspaper has been inadequately defined. Many readers would prefer a black newspaper with an underlying philosophy (i.e., Muhammad Speaks).

—Positioned against general market media, black newspapers are rated relatively high in terms of their news and advertising value.

One interesting factor about the black newspaper is that while most readers would rather have a subscription to a black newspaper, rather than buy single copies, once in hand, issues are passed among friends and relatives, and are likely to be read at any time of the day, increasing the "life value" of black newspapers.

We realize, also, that the West Texas Times is of great value to our many readers in West Texas and other parts of the country. This is why we encourage the business community to take a second look at our effort. We are of great value and can help the business community of any given area.

There's no doubt about it, black newspapers have great value in the black community as well as the business community.

As I See It

by T.J. Patterson

It is good to see that the Lubbock Housing Authority Board of Directors in last Thursday's meeting voted to meet in the various housing projects, namely Green Fair Manor and Hub Homes, beginning Thursday evening, October 10, at 7 p.m. This is far better than meeting at the Lubbock Club during the noon hours. Those persons concerned about the project in which they live had problems attending luncheons at that time and place.

Regardless of how many problems the Lubbock Housing Authority Board has faced in the past, we as citizens now have an opportunity to voice our opinion on how these projects are being managed. It is the responsibility of all residents and tenants of these housing units to do their part also.

Since many of the residents of Green Fair Manor Apartments disagree with what is being done at that apartment complex, I would suggest that they be present at the meeting in October. The meeting will be held in the office of Green Fair Manor. If this is the case, then residents of Green Fair should fill the office to the top. Why not pack that office and explain your position on the housing situation.

We don't have time to cry and complain about the housing situation, but should have something to offer as a solution to the shortcomings of Green Fair Manor. If we don't show up in large numbers, we are going to be labeled once again as a bunch of citizens who don't give a darn about the housing situation. This appears to be the impression of one of the members of the housing board. I would recommend that all tenants or residents of Green Fair Manor be present at the evening meeting October 10, 1974.

I would also recommend that all concerned citizens and organizations of East Lubbock become involved with the Green Fair Manor thing. Regardless of whether or not you live in the apartment complex, you still have a position to take since this public owned unit is in our community. So if the local sororities, Delta Sigma Theta and Alpha Kappa Alpha Sororities; Men's Civic Club, Lubbock Chapter of National Association for the Advancement of Colored (NAACP) and other concerned organizations want to get something done, I would strongly recommend that you be there on October 10th.

It would make a lot of sense if the pastors and ministers in East Lubbock avail themselves to the local situation. Each congregation should be informed of the meeting on October 10th. This is, without any doubt, a community concern. This needs to be broadcast from the various pulpits and from every circle or club that meets in East Lubbock. Not only should the churches do their part, but let the Federation of Choirs organization do its part in announcing how important this meeting is to our community.

All you fellows who hang out at the pool hall and wear you high heel shoes and think you are real "hip", you had better get your thing in order and make this scene. Whether you like it or not, you're involved also. No matter where your station in life is, you've all got a stake at the Green Fair Manor, or any housing project in Lubbock.

last great depression. People couldn't pay their debts, businesses failed and the economic chain reaction spread.

Yet the lesson of the 1930s hasn't changed the borrowing habits of most Americans. Not even sky high interest rates are keeping them from buying on credit. They are simply taking out longer term loans. As long as they can keep down the monthly payments, most Americans don't seem concerned about the terrible cost of borrowing.

Terrorist Weapons: Intelligence reports warn that Libya's madcap leader, Muammar Qaddafi, is buying up new Soviet weapons for terrorists. He has ordered sophisticated weapons, including shoulder fired missiles, beyond the needs of his own military forces. The Central Intelligence Agency has learned that he intends to distribute some of these arms to terrorist groups around the world.

Qaddafi fancies himself the leader of a worldwide revolutionary movement that is both anticommunist and anticapitalist. He is in touch with some of the world's most irresponsible terrorists, particularly Palestinian extremists, who have received arms from Qaddafi in the past.

The Soviets also are shipping arms to Syria in huge quantities. Intelligence reports claim some of these weapons were diverted from Egypt, which is now on the Kremlin's blacklist.

In the past, the Syrians also have supplied Palestinian terrorists with weapons. But Syria's President Assad has become more moderate since his dealings with Secretary of State Henry Kissinger and has developed a closer relationship with Jordan's King Hussein. Of course, Hussein ranks next to Israel on the Palestinian's enemies list.

There are many more Syrian hotheads, never the less, who can be expected to smuggle arms to the Palestinian extremists. Between Libya and Syria, terrorists are sure to get dangerous new weapons.

Rocky In Limbo: Nelson Rockefeller's confirmation as Vice President, we have been told privately, is being held up because of the pardon of Richard Nixon.

The House Judiciary Committee, which must approve the Rockefeller nomination, was particularly stung by the pardon of the former president. Many members felt that President Ford made a mockery of their arduous impeachment investigation with his sweeping action. And there are some bitter feelings because Ford told the lawmakers during his own confirmation hearings as Vice President that "the public would not stand for" a pardon.

Although the Senate is preparing to hold hearings on the Rockefeller nomination later this month, the House is just getting around to setting the ground rules for its hearings. With their own reelection campaigning to do, the miffed

The executive director of the Lubbock Housing Authority Board is responsible for sending out an announcement to inform all residents of Green Fair about the October 10th meeting. If you don't receive a copy from his office, please inform the board when it meets. If, however, you receive an announcement, please pay close attention to it.

With all the bad that comes from a community, there is always some good. I would like to commend the Planning and Zoning Commission for not allowing the American Scrap Metal to enlarge their operation. This would have hurt our situation. The efforts of Orville Alderson and Betty Anderson are to be commended for a job well done.

East Lubbock doesn't need anymore blight as it has enough to go around for every small community in West Texas. It would be nice if this entire operation was moved out of our community. It affects the Green Fair Manor and Coronado Apartments.

Thanks again for a job well done and may you continue as a commission working for the betterment of all citizens.

It's time for some organization or club to start pushing the upcoming November election. If we start in time, we can get several thousand votes from the East Lubbock community at the polls. If East Lubbock (with particular emphasis on the Alderson and Ella Iles voting boxes) would turn out five thousand votes, can you imagine what the effect would be in Lubbock and West Texas.

If we did vote 5,000, we would be able to write our ticket in many things. We wouldn't have to remind politicians of the pressing problems in East Lubbock. We wouldn't have to beg or bum for anything, it would come our way. If we really got with it and voted, the local political subdivisions (county and city) would be more cooperative with the problems which are confronting us.

If we voted 5,000 from East Lubbock, we wouldn't have to worry about the South Plains Council of Governments (SPAG) putting minorities on their board of directors, thus making them qualified to receive Economic Development Administration (EDA) funds. If we voted 5,000, we wouldn't have to worry about being left out of administrative positions at the central office of the Lubbock Public Schools.

What I'm saying is, and you check it out, we would have more things going for us if 5,000 voters went to the polls in East Lubbock. Just think about it and decide that we are going to get busy getting our people out to the polls. Can you imagine state, county and local politicians visiting East Lubbock more often.



Gresham, Nebraska, Gazette: "I get all steamed up about the way things go in all parts of our political houses and realize that we must wake up, take more interest, push

our neighbors, you know those who are always saying 'What good does it do to vote?' We can't change it! That's a bunch of hogwash. We are all important so start getting politically minded right now!"

JACK ANDERSON'S WEEKLY SPECIAL



AMERICANS TOO DEEPLY IN DEBT

by Jack Anderson

(From United Feature Syndicate, Inc.)

Washington—President Ford's inflation fighters are worried that Americans are too deeply in debt. American consumers owe their creditors a staggering \$185 billion, not even counting home mortgages. This is triple the consumer debt only 15 years ago.

Many Americans have their paychecks committed for the next couple years to pay off their obligations. The creeping recession could cause paychecks to shrink. This will make it difficult for them to pay back their borrowed money.

Already, Americans are having trouble paying off their loans. Loan delinquencies have shot up to an alarming 25 percent. An estimated 165,000 Americans will be forced to declare personal bankruptcy and throw themselves at the mercy of their creditors this year.

It was precisely this kind of credit crisis which caused the

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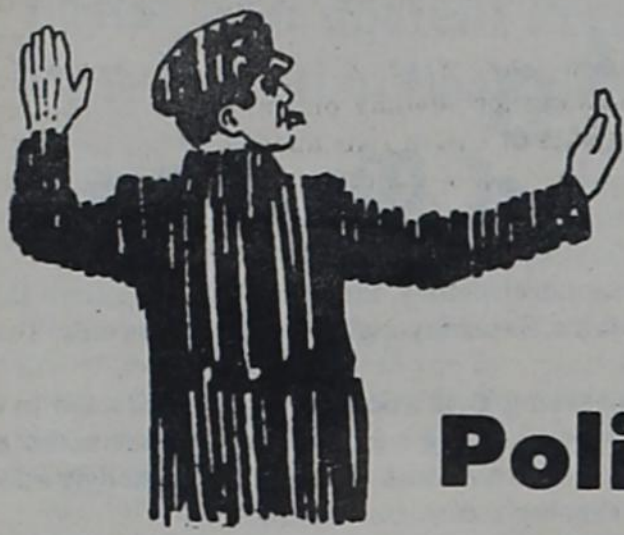
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Police Beat

Theft Over \$50.00

Fannie Thomas, 2606 Weber Drive, Apt. C, reported to Lubbock Police that persons unknown entered their apartment one day last week through a window. The window, however, was broken.

Taken from the house was a tape recorder which was valued at approximately \$97. It is believed that there was \$15 worth of damage done to the window for entry.

House Burglary

Henry Jackson, 1713 East 28th Street, reported to Lubbock police that persons unknown broke into his house one night last week. Entry to the house was gained through a bedroom window.

Taken from the house were several items, including some change, two cameras, six pair of earrings, four watches and a man's black suit.

In the heist, there was approximately several hundred dollars worth of items taken.

Jackson, according to the police report, was away from the house on a short vacation.

House Burglary

Bonnie Walton, 2611 East 19th Street, reported to Lubbock police that persons unknown broke into her house while she was away one

day last week. Entry was apparently gained through a rear window.

The unknown burglars broke a window out to gain entry. After gaining entry, the house was completely ransacked. Taken from the house were two lamps and a television set.

Attempted Suicide

There is so much happening in the East Lubbock community this day and time. Last week, for example, an AID Ambulance was called to the 2600 block of Ivory Avenue to pick up a lady who apparently attempted suicide on herself.

The lady, who was at least 28 years of age, said she was riding with her lover when all hell broke loose. She said she had a fight with him. At this point, according to the police report, she began to talk about suicide. Then all of a sudden, she jumped out of the moving car.

She was quite concerned about her lover staying with her and was apparently willing to take her own life. She was, however, taken to a local hospital for treatment. Love is a many splendored thing. Don't you agree?

House Burglary

R.J. Givens, Jr., 1321 East 25th Street, reported his problems to the Lubbock Police Dept. last

week. He told police that someone broke into his house through a window on the north side and took \$326.50 worth of items.

Entry, however, was confirmed by local police as they discovered that this was the entry point.

Taken from the house were several items, including a tape player, \$1.50 worth of change in a jewelry box, a watch, and two 8 track player kits.

around the hub city

Mr. Frank Jefferson returned to his home in Corsicana, Texas, after visiting his sister, Mrs. Minnie Jackson, who is a patient at a local rest home here. His nephew and family, Leon and Fannie Melton, were glad to see him. He was here several days. His wife is ill at home in Corsicana.

Mrs. Mildred Howelton of San Antonio, Texas, is here at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Sentelle Lyons, who is a patient at West Texas Hospital. She is reportedly recuperating satisfactorily and is expected to be dismissed this week. Mrs. Howelton arrived here last Tuesday and Mrs. Ruth Womack, another sister of Mrs. Lyons, has returned to her home in Odessa. "Around the Hub City" had an opportunity to visit with Mrs. Lyons also.

Mr. Buster Banks left Sunday afternoon after spending several days here with his sister, Mrs. Bessie Mason, and husband, J.B.

Mrs. Johnella Savage is home from the hospital and recuperating nicely. Last week, this column reported Mrs. Savage's daughter,

Patricia, was a patient. Mrs. Savage was the patient. This was an oversight on our part.

Ronald Kinner has enrolled at Texas Tech University. His desire is to become a coach.

Airman Shelby Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Walker, arrived home last Thursday from Lowry Air Force Base in Denver, Colorado where he was stationed. He is being transferred to Carswell AFB in Fort Worth, Texas. He will report for duty in early October. He will spend the days here with his wife, parents and sisters.

Richard Rollison, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rollison, Sr., and a 1974 graduate of Dunbar High School, is home from Hays, Kansas, where he enrolled at Ft. Hays College. He will transfer to Texas Tech beginning the second semester. In the meantime, he has resumed his old job at the post office. He will register as a freshman.

Mrs. Ruby Jay and grand daughter, Chantell, returned early Monday morning after spending the weekend in Dallas on a business trip and visiting her daughter, Clarissa Jay.

Dave Bailey, Jr., left Sunday via air flight for his home in California

after spending several days with his mother and family. He visited his father, Dave Sr., who is quite ill at the VA Hospital at Big Spring, Texas.

The George Lewis family were guests in Ft. Worth in the home of their sons. The children, Cherrie, Winnie, Madeline and Curtis, went to Six Flags while there. The 3 families motored to Paris, Texas, to visit in the home of Mr. George Lewis Sr.'s mother and father. They also attended homecoming in Roxtom, Texas. Thank the Lord for a safe trip.

Rev. A.W. Wilson was able to attend services last Sunday, but did not preach. Mrs. Bessie Mason is not feeling well again. The sick list reported last week are about the same.

Mrs. Katie Snell is yet at the

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MAE PEARL JACKSON

Will Be Appearing With
REV. CLEOPHUS ROBINSON
Thursday, October 3, 1974
8:00 P.M.
American Legion Post 808

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Statistics Show a Burglary Occurs Every 15 Seconds. Two Million Homes Were Victims Last Year with Losses Over \$900 Million.

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5 lb. Ground Beef
5 lb. Stew Meat

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5 lb. Stew Meat
5 lb. Roast

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WE ACCEPT FOOD STAMPS

Office Education Association Clubs to Hold City Wide Installation October 7th

A city wide installation will be held on Monday, October 7, 1974, at 7:30 p.m. at Coronado High School Auditorium for the officers of the Office Education Association (OEA) Clubs of Coronado, Dunbar, Estacado, Lubbock, and Monterey High Schools. OEA is composed of students enrolled in Vocational Office Education.

Special guests will be parents of all OEA students, employers of the officers, school administrators, members of the Advisory Committee and the Business Education teachers.

The Presiding Officer will be Glenda Neagle, OEA Club President at Lubbock High. The invocation will be given by Mary Lou DeAnda, President, Dunbar OEA. Coronado Air Force Junior ROTC will give the Presentation of Colors. The keynote speech will be given by Mr. Bob McKinsey, General Manager, KCBDTV.

Mrs. Kline Nall, OEA Advisory Committee, will install the officers. Each member will participate in the final candlelighting ceremony.

A special "Building of the Emblem Ceremony" will be presented by Mrs. Terri Reeves, former Area IV OEA President from Coronado and Miss Maria Gomez, former State OEA Secretary from Lubbock High, and the OEA president of each high

school.

Refreshments will be served after the ceremony.

The VOE teacher coordinators include Mrs. Sue Parrish, Coronado High; Mrs. Shirley Ponder, Dunbar High; Mrs. Dot Park, Estacado High; Miss Nelda Jobe, Lubbock High; and Mrs. Barbara Clarkson, Monterey High.

Dunbar OEA Officers are: President, Mary Lou DeAnda; Vice President, Billie Petty; Sec., Geniva Soto; Treas., Genice Hubbard; Historian, Rosemary Torres; Reporter, Dora Arismendez; Parl., Jo-Stovall; Sergeant at Arms, Yolanda Castaneda.

Estacado OEA Officers are: President, Linda Carr; Vice Pres., Diana Hernandez; Secy., Rosemary Pina; Treas., Sylvia Tijerina; Reporter, Carolyn Henry; Hist., Elsa Ramirez; Parl., Delia Hernandez; Sergeant at Arms, Ester Benitez.

Change Noted at "Times" Plant

As all good operations, the office of the West Texas Times has undergone a positive change this past week. The darkroom facility has new equipment, including a NuArc Vic-1418 camera. Also new in the room is sink for the development of films.

"If we are going to maintain good quality, we must acquire new equipment," said Norman Williamson, publisher.

The new camera, which is tops among the field, will enable the

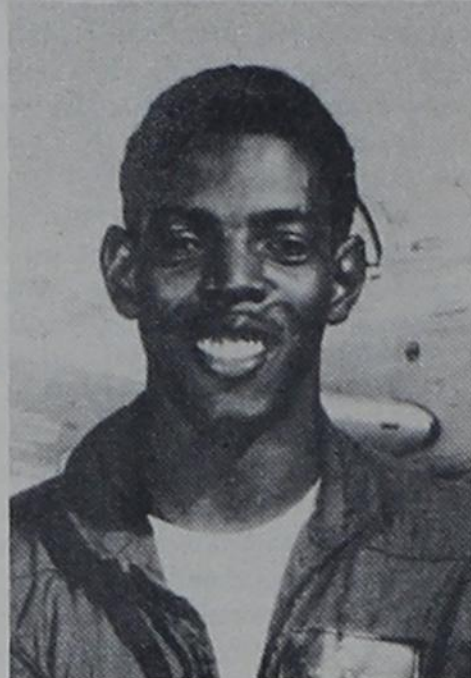
operation of the Publication Service Company to do a much better job on reproduction.

"This new equipment will keep our production among the best of its kind in the state as well as any other member of the Texas Press Association", admits Williamson.

News of Area Men in Service

Army Private Kenneth R. Womack, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Womack, 2505 S. Browning, Amarillo, Texas, is assigned to the 2nd Armored Division at Ft. Hood, Texas. Pvt. Womack is a rifleman in Company B, 2nd Battalion of the division's 41st Infantry.

His wife, Barbara, lives in Well's Apartments, Killeen.



Marine Second Lt., Larry W. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don G. Jones of 1838 Manhattan Drive, Lubbock, Texas, made his first solo flight at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla. Soloing is a major step towards becoming a Marine Aviator.

A 1973 graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., he joined the Marine Corps in July, 1969.

Army Private Howard Cook Jr., 18, whose mother, Mrs. Ruby J. Delce, lives at 1702 E. Hemlock, Midland, Texas, completed the terminal operations specialist course. The course was given at the U.S. Army Transportation School, Ft. Eustis, Va.

During the five week course, Pvt. Cook learned to transfer cargo to and from water, land and air transports by manual and mechanical methods.

Pvt. Cook's father lives at 1312 E. Culbert, Midland.

Army Private Raymond K. Pray, son of Mrs. Henrietta K. Pray, 2220 Bivins, Amarillo, is assigned to the 2nd Armored Division at Ft. Hood, Texas. Pvt. Pray is a rifleman in Company A, 2nd Battalion of the division's 41st Infantry. His father, Ralph J. Pray, lives at 3317 Eddy, Amarillo.

His wife, Nellanne, is with him.

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Sports of The Times

by Joe Kelly

If there's such a thing as a moral victory, there must also be such a thing as a moral defeat. New Mexico, Saturday night, scored the former. Texas Tech scored the latter.

Having been deprived of seeing Tech's opener, I looked forward to the Lobo game. I had high hopes of seeing a Raider eleven that acted and performed like a champion. Instead, I was unbelievably shocked by a team that was flatter than a rancher's cast iron stove top.

Outside of a defensive front line that performed exceptionally well, Tech didn't show me much that would make me go out and risk a bob or two on their beating Texas.

Six-count 'em—fumbles, destroyed any semblance of a consistent ground game. Untimely, nagging penalties, destroyed control. Lack of a passing attack added to the uncertainty. In short, it was a lackluster performance, totally unbecoming a contender.

Emotionally, the Lobos were fired up. They looked like the teams of Jim Carlen's first three years at Tech. On the other side of the coin, the Raiders looked completely uninspired. They gave the impression that here was a gem on the schedule. Period.

Of course, you can forgive the players. After all, they had destroyed this team, 41-7, last year. They had posted an 11-1 record last season. They had beaten Tennessee in the Gator Bowl. New Mexico? Let's get the game over and get ready for Texas.

Well, they got the game over, all right. But in the process, they lost considerable respect; and their lack of enthusiasm during the course of events casts doubt on their ability to make a run for the title.

A good team mentally prepares for any foe, good, bad or indifferent. Tech wasn't mentally ready Saturday and immaturity showed through. The enthusiasm for playing well, if it was there, was well disguised. A tie isn't as bad as a defeat, but a tie, when you have the ability to win, is no credit to your efforts.

The defensive line was impressive. For example, late in the game, New Mexico faced second and one near midfield. Two plays left the Lobos a foot short and they had to punt.

Indeed, three Tech backs each picked up more yardage than the entire corps of Lobo carriers. The Raider defensive line was superb. And the strong defensive end play on power sweeps was good, too. The defensive line received A plus.

The secondary was something else. Steve Myer picked the secondary apart. The only thing he couldn't do was complete the bomb on the fly pattern. But on hooks, curls and slant ins, he left Raider defenders looking like Ned in the first reader.

Out of 40 passes he had only one intercepted. He moved the Lobos against the clock like a veteran—and it was through the air, 55 yards worth, for the tying score. If New Mexico had it to do all over, the Lobos probably wouldn't have run a ground play.

Offensively, the Raider line blew the Lobos, most of the time, out of the way. It wasn't consistent, but it did win the war of no man's land. Larry Isaacs, Cliff Hoskins and Rufus Myers ran well, some of it on their own, but a lot of it with good blocking.

Through the air, Tech didn't exactly make anyone tremble with fear. The Raiders threw only nine times, apparently sure that good old ground power would win the day. It almost worked.

Tommy Duniven passed sparingly. His only pass in the first quarter was rubbed out by a penalty. Three second quarter passes resulted in one interception. One pass in the third quarter. Four passes in the final period, three of them after the Lobos had tied up the game.

Maybe the pass is Tech's secret weapon for Texas, but you can bet that Texas will throw after New Mexico's success. Anyway, the passing game was not an integral part of the Raider attack.

All in all, it was a disappointing performance and left a lot to be desired. One of the big accusations against Tech, and why it doesn't get consideration each year in the top 20 ratings, is that it is inconsistent. Saturday was a perfect example.

The fumbles, the penalties, the lack of enthusiasm shown, all can be attributed to mental attitude. The players weren't ready. The better teams GET ready. It's time Tech players do.

After a great (6-2) opening week, Saturday was a SWC disaster, except for Texas and A&M. The latter really brought credit to the league by beating LSU in Baton Rouge. SMU also won, although it was not impressive.

But Arkansas, Houston, Baylor, TCU and Rice lost and four of them were favored to win. So was Tech, and it gained a tie. A lot of coaches will be back at the drawing boards this week.

As much as a tie with a lesser opponent stings, it could work to Tech's advantage. The players learned something and probably will be easier to coach this week. And, if they didn't lose confidence, it could make the Raiders a better team. Also, it must have sent Texas coaches away shaking their heads, while gloating inwardly. Believe me, it will be a different team this Saturday than the one that played New Mexico. You better not miss it.

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Foster Grandparent Project at Lubbock State School in Need of Local Volunteers

The Lubbock State School Foster Grandparent Project is in need of more volunteers to help with their program. The State School is funded for 64 regular Foster Grandparents. An eligible person must be 60 years of age or older, and income from all sources must not be over \$2,330 per year for single person; and \$3,070 per year for married person. The Foster Grandparent must be physically, mentally and emotionally capable of serving the selected children on a one to one basis and to accept supervision as needed. Foster Grandparents serve a total of four hours a day, two hours with each of two children, five days a week. Foster Grandparents are assigned to children who are

Groundbreaking Ceremonies for New Teaching Hospital Scheduled Friday

The Lubbock County Hospital District Board of Managers announces it will hold ground-

Governor Briscoe to Visit In Hub City Next Friday

Governor Dolph Briscoe will visit Lubbock, October 3, and will be hosted to a special "Lunch With Governor Briscoe", it was announced last Friday, by Dr. Dan Croy, Lubbock County Democratic Chairman.

Croy said that the luncheon, to be held at the KoKo Convention Center, is open to the public and that tickets can be purchased at the Lubbock County Democratic Headquarters, 1216 Ave. K, for \$10 a plate.

In addition to the luncheon Briscoe will meet with agricultural leaders from throughout the High Plains area, tour the Textile Research Center at Texas Tech and hold a new conference with area newsmen.

According to Croy the Governor's schedule calls for him to meet with supporters and friends at a special invitation only breakfast, followed by the tour and meeting with agricultural leaders at the Textile Research Center. After the meeting at Tech, the Governor will meet with newsmen at the Lubbock County Democratic Headquarters which will be followed by the luncheon. The Governor is scheduled to leave Lubbock later that afternoon.

breaking ceremonies September 27 to signify construction of its teaching hospital to be built adjacent to the Texas Tech University School of Medicine in Lubbock. The event is scheduled to begin at four o'clock in the afternoon at the hospital site at Fourth Street and Indiana Avenue on the Tech Campus where the Medical School is already under construction.

The hospital is scheduled for completion around mid 1977 and will serve as an important regional referral health center for the West Texas - Eastern New Mexico area. Total construction and equipment costs are expected to exceed \$18,000,000 with funds secured from the 1970 Lubbock County bond issue and tax levies together with an \$8,000,000 Hill - Burton loan and \$1,000,000 in Hill - Burton grants.

The District Hospital will provide adult and pediatric bed facilities, intensive and coronary care units. The structure will include many new and innovative labor saving features to reduce personnel and other operating costs. Other services, such as emergency room, laboratories, x-ray, and ambulatory clinics will be provided by the School of Medicine.

The exterior will be composed of pre cast concrete panels and a bronze aluminum curtain wall system using tinted glass.

deprived of identification with a mature adult; have a need for individualized, person to person relationship; have a capacity for improvement in personal adjustments, social relationships, learning ability, and/or motor coordination and skills; are age 17, chronologically, or under; and in the judgement of the Foster Grandparent Project staff, are reasonably manageable in terms of size, strength or behavior.

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This program provides a way for older adults to contribute usefully to their community in the retirement years and to enjoy the self respect and satisfactions that come from being needed and serving others.

Foster Grandparents will receive a stipend of \$1.60 per hour, paid semi monthly on the 1st and 15th.

If you are interested in becoming a Foster Grandparent, call the Lubbock State School at 763-7041.

Area Men in Service . . . Continued From Page Four

Adalberto Galaviz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Galaviz, 3114 Bates, Lubbock, was promoted to Army Specialist Four while serving with the 2nd Armored Division at Ft. Hood, Texas.

Spec. Galaviz is a radio teletype operator in Headquarters Battery, Division Artillery at the Fort.

Army Spec. Four Carroll W. Henry, son of Mrs. Cora Gibbons, 6666 Pavillard Drive, Amarillo, is assigned to the 3rd Infantry Division in Germany.

Spec. Henry is an operations and

intelligence assistant in Battery A, 1st Battalion of the division's 76th Field Artillery in Kitzingen.

Pvt. Randy G. McKinney, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. McKinney, 906 W. Second, Odessa, Texas, completed eight weeks of advanced individual training as an armor reconnaissance specialist at the U.S. Army Armor Center, Ft. Knox, Ky.

He received instruction in the use of various kinds of weapons, maintenance of armor vehicles, map reading, communications, artillery adjustments, and mines and demolitions.



basic training at the U.S. Army Training Center, Infantry, Ft. Polk, La.

He received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, combat tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.



Marine PFC Frank R. Gutierrez of 3002 E. Second St., Lubbock, graduated from recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego. Physical conditioning, discipline and teamwork are emphasized during Marine recruit training.

Marine Pvt. Alejandro Garcia, son of Mr. and Mrs. Feliciano Garcia of 2716 E. 3rd St., Lubbock, graduated from recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego. Physical conditioning, discipline and teamwork are emphasized during Marine recruit training.

Pvt. James H. Morris Jr., 19, whose parents live at 2660 E. 25th, Odessa, completed eight weeks of

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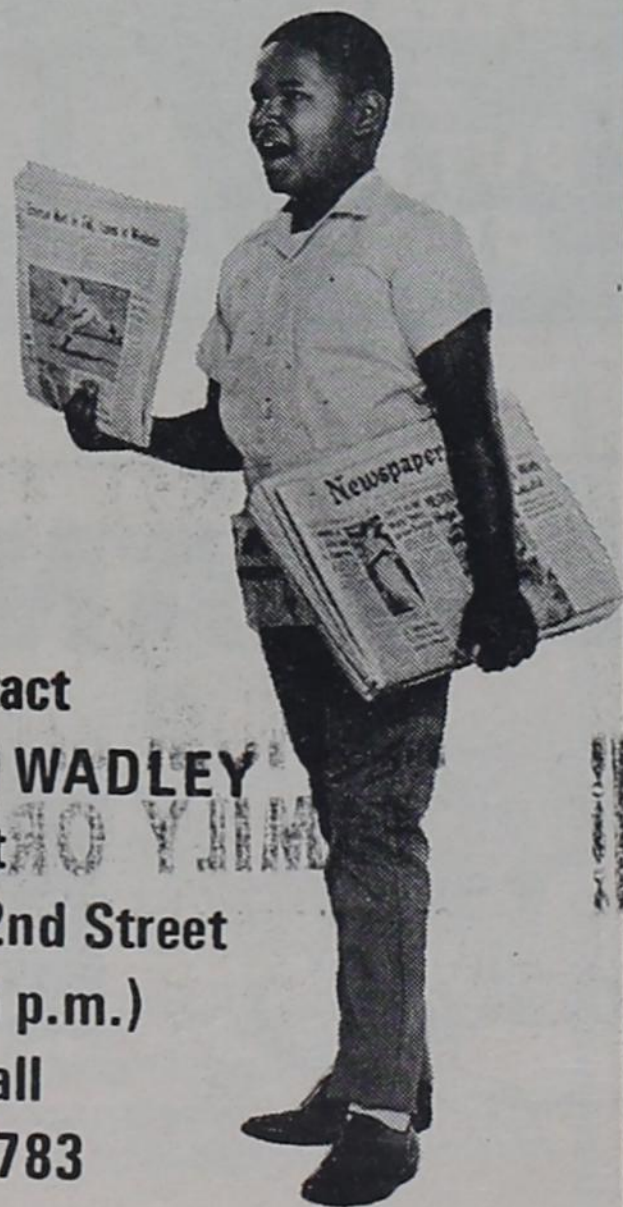
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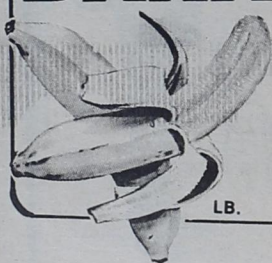
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Eta Delta Omega chapter of AKA proudly presents a full scholarship to Neldia Quigley. The scholarship will take care of tuition and books for this young lady until she has received her undergraduate degree.

Neldia is a 1971 honor graduate of Dunbar High School, where she participated in the marching band. She was a member of the Honor Society, Student Council, the Y-Teens, and a cheerleader. She is now studying in the field of Business Education at Texas Tech University. Neldia works part time at Time D.C. Inc.

When this young lady was told of the award, she thought maybe she was dreaming, but cried out loud and clear. "Lord, you have answered my prayers, and I'm so



thankful for your blessings."

Neldia resides on East Baylor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Quigley.

The members of Eta Delta Omega chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority want to thank the public for its support during their fund raising projects. The Ebony Expo '74, Miss Black Lubbock, and the Deb. Ball, which is coming up in December. Without your full support we could not give the scholarships that we give.

May God bless all of you for giving your whole hearted support.

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Fall Classes Set to Begin First Week of October at City's Community Centers

Hodges Community Center has announced its pre-school, elementary, and teen classes for the fall. These free classes, which are sponsored by the Lubbock Parks and Recreation Department, are open to the public and will begin the first week of October.

Pre-school classes will be offered for children three through five years of age on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings from 9:30 to 11:30. Specialty classes in baton, rhythm band and tumbling have been planned for this age also. Elementary children can participate in girls' and boys' gymnastics and baton. Teens are encouraged to take baton lessons from Kerry Benjamin, the Canadian Grand Champion Twirler. A class in Arts and Crafts will be held in the evening for teens also.

For registration or information on these free classes, call 762-6411, Ext. 319, or come by the center at 41st and University.

Maxey Community Center, 30th & Oxford, is now registering for adult classes. In basic crochet, students will learn the chain, single, double, triple and popcorn stitches and will make several articles. Adults have a choice of

attending Monday evenings, 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. or Wednesday mornings, 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. In western dance the county and western two step, country western waltz, cowboy schottish, Texas polks, cotten eyed Joe and four corner will be taught. Students may attend either Monday or Wednesday evenings, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. In art and crafts classes students will complete a different project each week. Adults may come either Wednesday or Friday mornings, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. A different and fun way of exercising and basic belly dancing will be on Thursday mornings, 10 to 11 a.m. and adults have a choice of attending basic bridge classes either on Tuesday mornings, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., or Tuesday evenings, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Most classes will run for 8 weeks and will start the first two weeks of October, and are offered free of charge. Maxey Community Center is sponsored by the City Parks and Recreation Dept. Adults must pre register by calling 762-6411, Ext. 321.

Hodges Community Center will be offering two new adult classes this fall. Arts and Crafts class will begin Oct. 1, and will be held every Tuesday night from 7 to 9 p.m. Many of the new craft ideas will be taught each week.

If beautifully decorated cakes catch your fancy, you can learn the intricate and detailed art of cake decorating in the Cake Decorating Class beginning Oct. 3rd, from 7 to 9 p.m.

The only cost for these classes will be for the supplies used. For more information or registration, come by Hodges at 41st and University or call 762-6411, Ext. 319.

Cleophus Robinson . . .

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Point Records, Tri Way Grocery, and Shop and Save. Tickets can also be bought from any member of First Progressive Baptist Church or contact Joseph Jones, Mae Pearl Jackson, Johnny Ray Watson, Sammy Miller, George Johnson, Floyd Price, Pearlie Ruth Bonner, Bernice McCuthins, Annie White, Bernice Kelly, Dessie Carroll.

Woman With A Dream . . .

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planning a new music program this fall in ten feeder schools of the Lincoln High School cluster and high hopes of a new building with a branch, and the evolution of a performing arts center and the doubling of the student body.

Sources around the director says that she may leave Texas to study for her doctorate in educational administration and supervision. When asked about this, she says: "I had a great offer some time back for an internship to earn my doctorate while redesigning the work of a middle school, but I felt I couldn't desert the center."

A young lady with many things on her mind, she has interests in politics and has run a successful campaign for State Rep. Eddie Bernice Johnson's district office. While in Lubbock this summer, she talked about the shortcomings of the community in which she was reared. "Lubbock has so many opportunities if the community got together," she said.

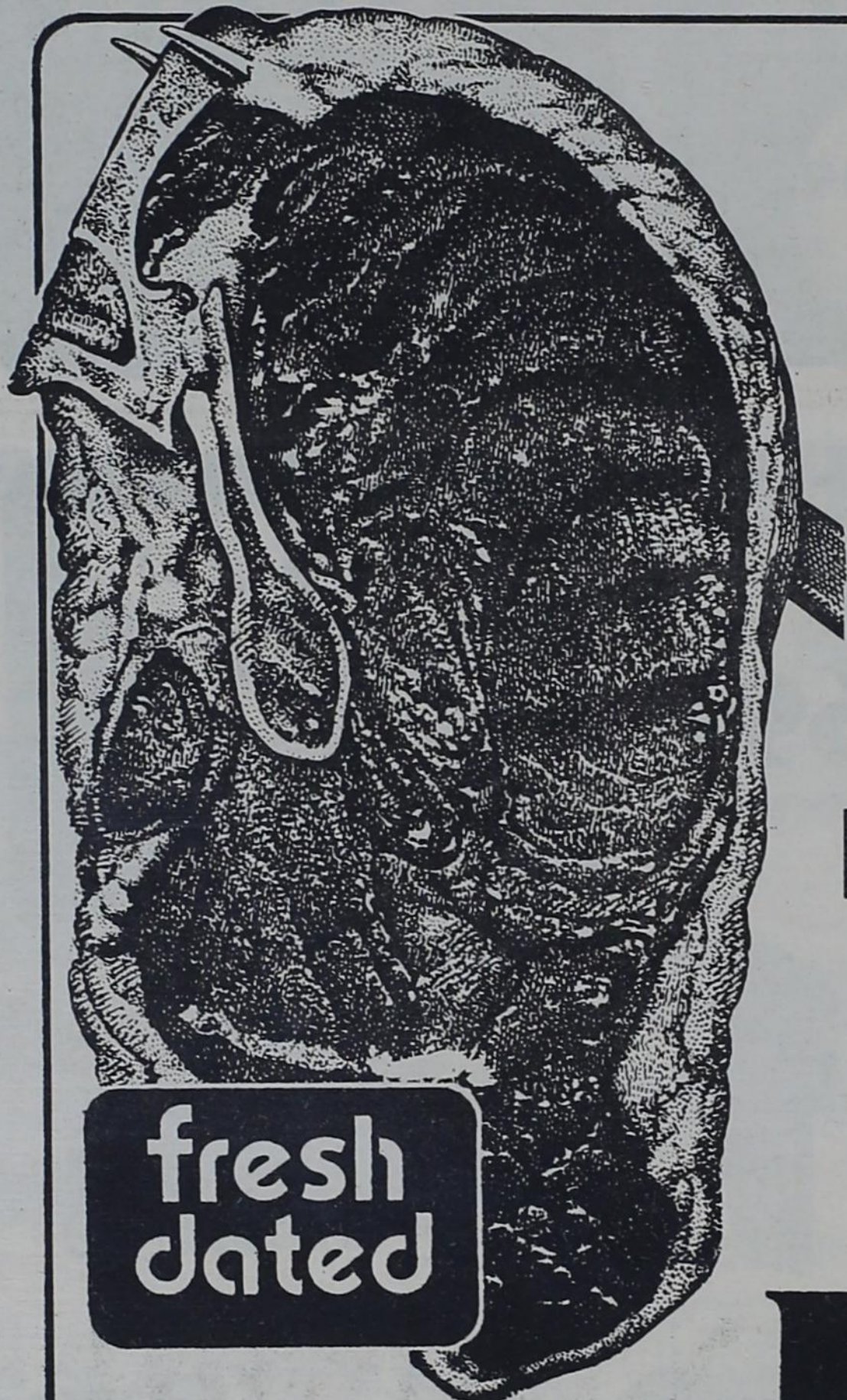
She is the daughter of Mrs. Marie Long, who is quite active herself in the Lucky Twelve Club. "I am proud to see my daughter get involved and doing things she likes to do," said Mrs. Long.

At SMU, where she went armed with a band scholarship and Zale Foundation money for clarinet lessons, she is quite proud of her accomplishments. A very modest person, her thesis was: "An Analysis of 20th Century Compositions by Black Composers."

Without any doubt, her research on that paper carried over into her present work at the center and will be of further value in the school program. She has said many times to many people: "Minority children have been turned off by a classroom approach which makes them regard the arts as something alien to their own lives."

Anyway, Jo Harold Long hopes the children who attend the center will be getting acquainted with "music they can go home and play, that everyone in the family can get involved in."

If you are ever in the Dallas area, stop by the Community Center for the Arts on the campus of SMU and meet this young lady with a dream which has become a reality in just a very short time. Without a doubt, she is helping the black and the beautiful make the scene together.



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Staff Sergeant Roger L. Culberson Appears in Reese Talent Show Here

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Sergeant Culberson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Blacknell of 3615 East 15th Place here in Lubbock. He also has two sisters, Willie Pearl Thomas and Lillian Thomas and Philip Ray Thomas, a brother, who reside here. Sergeant Culberson attended Lubbock High School two years but moved to California and received his diploma there in 1968. He entered the Air Force in June of that year.

Sergeant Culberson explained that he was working as the OJT (On the Job training) Administrator at Lakenheath Air Base before entering the 1974 Air Force Worldwide Talent Contest earlier this year. After participating in a series of competitions, he was selected as one of the seventeen performing members of this year's show.

The Tops In Blue troupe includes their own seven piece band, "Heavy Blue," some of whose members also sing and dance. The fast paced, two hour long 1974 edition of the show combines comedy, vocal and instrumental rock, soul, gospel and folk music to recount the past twenty years of popular music.

Staff Sergeant Culberson explained that the tour is scheduled to end on December 22 by which time its all Air Force cast will have presented 105 performances at Air Force Bases throughout the nation over a 16 week time span. Sergeant Culberson will be leaving

the Air Force on December 24 to return to Los Angeles as the assistant pastor of the Mount Mariah Baptist Church.

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Troop 102 Holds Court of Honor Here

Boy Scouts of Troop 102, sponsored by the South Plains Branch Boys Club, held its annual Court of Honor last Saturday evening at the South Plains Boys Club. Scouts in attendance were Rapheal Scott, Alvin Chatman, Kervin Deo, Joey Roberts, Levin Harris, Leslie Cross, Thomas J. Patterson, Jr., Mark Sanders and Gregory Phea. Each Scout received merit badges on skill awards.

Senior Patrol Leader is Roberts; and Cross and Scott are Patrol Leaders.

Scoutmaster, Roy Roberts, expressed his sincere appreciation to patrons and parents for allowing these fellows an opportunity to attend Camp Post this summer. "We hope we can repeat our success next year," said Roberts.

Raymond Pepers, assistant scoutmaster, was paid tribute for his efforts during the past year of operation, by Roberts.

Patterson led in pledge while Chatman led in prayer. Scoutmaster Roberts was introduced by Sanders; Joey Roberts gave the welcome. Cross led the group in the benediction.



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Thursday, October 3

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home of her daughter, Mrs. Joan Y. Ervin, but is yet undergoing tests and waiting for reports from consultations from her doctors. Darrell Edward Berry has been having problems last week which kept him from school. He is scheduled to see a pediatrician this week.

News of out of town relatives of residents here include Mrs. T.C. Alexander of Meridian, Texas, mother of Mrs. Ernestine Davenport and Ralph Alexander, who is holding her own at a rest home.

Mrs. Luecreasie Lester of Hobby, New Mexico, sister of Mrs. Leaner Goldstein, who is recuperating nicely.

Mr. Arbra Halloway, brother in law of M. Terrell and Ruby Jay, is seriously ill at a rest home at Meridian, Texas.

Mrs. Arenthesia Morris of Bryant, Texas, the mother of Mrs. Clara Lawson, is confined to her home. Mrs. Lawson is at her bedside at this report.

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Bethel A.M.E. Church

The rains fell last Sunday morning and our services were well attended. Rev. James Robinson, assistant pastor, delivered a message entitled: "In Want". Senior Choir No. Two rendered music for the morning.

Our pastor, Rev. A.W. Wilson, was in the pulpit on last Sunday morning. Rev. Wilson has been away several weeks because of illness.

Let us continue to pray for our sick and shut in members. Mrs. Sentile Lyons, Mrs. Estelle Pierce and Mrs. Leaner Goldstein are on the sick list. Rev. T.B. Reece remains the same.

Mrs. Dorothy Nash took time Sunday morning to thank the entire congregation for what it had done for her and the family. "Words can't express how we feel toward your kindness", she said.

Plans are being made for the annual revival in which Rev. Mrs. L.E. Moore, an evangelist of Dallas, will be with us. Rev. Wilson asked the entire congregation to participate in this annual effort.

A happy birthday is in store for Shelia Patterson and Jeffery Austin.

New Hope Baptist Church

Annual Women's Day will be held Sunday, September 29, at 3 p.m. Mrs. Vivian Jones, vice president of the Women of West Texas District Association, will

serve as guest speaker. Let us all lend our support and help our women make this a big day.

General Mission will be held Monday evening, September 30, at 7:30 p.m. All women are asked to attend.

A church conference will be held on Monday evening, October 7, at 7:30 p.m. All members are encouraged to attend.

All women are asked to meet with Ms. Taylor tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m. for the Mission Chorus rehearsal.

The B.M.E. State Convention will convene with the Good Street Baptist Church October 14 through 18. Our choir has been invited to render musical selections on Thursday, October 17. Let us help make plans for our choir to attend.

Special services will be sponsored by the Deaconess on Sunday, October 20, at 7 p.m. Let us all return and give our support.

Whisper a prayer for the sick and shut in members. Those on the sick list include Ms. Callie Cato, Mr. Clem Virden, Mrs. Katie Snell and Mrs. Johnella Savage.

Mt. Gilead Baptist Church

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

The intermediate ushers are still asked to meet with the Senior Board on Monday evenings at 7 p.m. until further notice.

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

Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church

Members of the Esther Circle will meet in the home of Sister Mary Lee, 1508 East 15th Street, Friday afternoon at four.

Prayer meeting is held each

Wednesday evening at seven. Men ought to pray continually and never lose heart.

Brotherhood Union meets at the church each Monday evening at eight. Men's Chorus meets at the church each Wednesday evening at eight.

Let us pray for and visit our sick and shut in members. Those on the sick list include Sisters Lucille Cleveland, Dolly Howard and Florence Guyton. Rev. Samuel Swisher remains shut in at Edwards Rest Home.

New Light Baptist Church

The missionary society is sponsoring Markees, Sunday, Sept. 29th at 3 p.m. and 8 p.m. President, Earla Anderson, said that she is expecting a big crowd, so please come out and help us enjoy these great spiritual singers. Rev. J.M. Hill is pastor.

First Progressive Baptist Church

First Progressive is sponsoring two great concerts in Lubbock. For the first time to Lubbock, Evangelist Shirley Ceasar and Rev. Cleophus Robinson. Rev. Robinson will be appearing at the American Legion Post 808, October 3, 1974. Tickets are \$3.00 and \$3.50 at the door.

Evangelist Shirley Ceasar will be appearing in Lubbock at the Fair Park Coliseum, November 8, 1974. Tickets for Sis. Ceasar are \$3.50 and \$4.00 at the door. Also appearing with Shirley Ceasar will be Sis. Mae Pearl Jackson, Sis. Annie Helen White, Bro. Johnny Ray Watson, and the First Progressive Choir, which will be under the direction of Bro. Joseph Jones. Tickets for both these great performers are being sold at Tri Way Grocery, Shop and Save, Soul Patrol Style Shop, House of Soul, Cherry Point Record Shop and Cavell's Pharmacy. Tickets are also

sold at various places by the sisters and brothers in the hub city that are helping us out to make these performances a success.

Please come out and get involved in these two concerts. Perhaps more of these types of concerts will be coming to Lubbock in the future. We are expecting many of our friends to come out and help us in this effort. Get your tickets now while they last.

Friendship Baptist Church

Brownfield—We have a fellowship meeting all day at the church. Rev. Bates, the pastor of Omega Church was the speaker. Rev. North was host pastor. The services ran high.

On our way back to Lubbock we stopped in on Rev. Alexander at the Church of God in Christ, for the evening service. Enjoyed the Soul Seekers and the Gift of God singers from Hale Center.

Let us pray for the sick and shut ins both far and near. See you next Sunday.

Mt. Olive Baptist Church

Snyder—The Sunday School was conducted by the superintendent, Sister Bertha Willis. The teacher for Sunday was Mrs. C. Andrews of Breckenridge, Texas. High points on the lesson were given by Bro. George Willis and Bro. R.J. Nelson.

The message for the morning service was delivered by Rev. C. Andrews of Breckenridge. His subject was "The Two Sons", from the 15 chapter of Luke.

Music was provided by both the Junior and Senior Choirs. Sister Paula White at the piano and Sister A. Johnson at the organ.

Both the message and music was enlightening to the congregation.

Lyons Chapel Baptist Church

The Young Women's Auxiliary of Lyons Chapel Baptist Church will present a musical, September 29, 1974, at 3 p.m. featuring the Young Women's Auxiliary Chorus and others.

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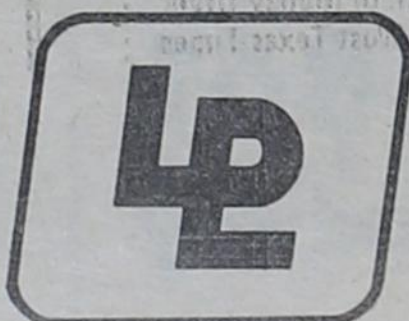
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The Black Experience: With the demise of Richard Nixon as President of the United States, the burning question among black civic, political and economic leaders today is: What of the future of Black Capitalism? Will "Black Capitalism" attempt to go it alone or will it become more integrated under the leadership of President Gerald Ford? Is there hope for a vibrant growth of all -black towns and communities in the U.S. today or do they face a bleak future?

One of the leading proponents in the Black Capitalist movement during the early Nixon years was Floyd B. McKissick, who served as a sort of "director" of the movement on an official cabinet basis and in 1968, he announced the Soul City Project in Warren County, North Carolina. Friends of the movement say that the innovative aspect of Soul City—and a main reason for its support by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development—is not that it's developed by blacks, but "rather that it will be the first new community, financed with guarantees from the government, to be built in an entirely rural area."

Some opponents of the movement say the venture is "segregated or it is a separatist" one and that blacks "shoud not try and go it alone" but seek to become a part of the mainstream of large scale real estate development in this country. These same critics point out that present all black towns and communities in this country like Boley, Taft and Langston, all in Oklahoma and towns like Mound Bayou, Mississippi, have experience growth only when some white capital was made available to them and that that need is even greater today if growth of black oriented towns does not come to a standstill.

McKissick in a statement recently to the Wall Street Journal said "We have shown that the new business and industry Soul City will attract will benefit white and black business people alike. I regret that the vital contribution the white staff members have made to the building of Soul City has been ignored in the pages of the Wall Street Journal." End of quote. And the arguments pro and con go on and on. Yet there can be no doubt that more ways must be found to place more blacks in the mainstream of our American industrial system. As to how remains the big question.

The Boston Story: (The Cradle of Liberty?) From a New York Times story of December 5, 1971—The Department of Health, Education and Welfare accused officials here (in Boston) of maintaining a dual, segregated system at the intermediate—or junior high school—level, in violation of Federal Law. That action marked the first such public charge against a major, urban school system outside the South under the 1964 Civil Rights Act, which forbids segregation in federally funded programs. It was determined: 1. Cases of busing black children past predominantly white schools with empty seats to other, more distant schools that are predominantly nonwhite. 2. The totally white enrollment in a high school that, under district lines, should have several hundred black students from an intermediate "feeder" system and, 3. Elementary school district lines that create schools within several hundred feet of one another that are totally segregated.

John Holt, popular Anglo educator and writer says in his latest book, "Freedom and Beyond" comments on the Boston Story above: "Such use of government power to create, maintain, and extend race segregation in schools is clearly improper and illegal, not to say stupid, destructive, and wrong. Both federal and state governments would be neglecting their plain duty if they did not use all their fiscal and judicial power to prevent and overturn such acts. Nobody's schooling should be determined by the color of his skin." End of quote. Are you listening Boston?

In the chapter: "Schools Against Themselves", Holt critically comments further: "Racial prejudice or contempt is a particularly cruel attack on another person's dignity. It attacks him where he has no way to defend himself, attacks something about him that he did not cause and cannot change. It is above all scapegoatism. It is a way in which someone who feels that he has very little worth tries to feel better by believing that others have none. It is a way to turn against others the contempt and hatred one feels for oneself. Some way surely can be found so the schools can save their own souls."

In rethinking the Boston Story, our mind traveled back some thirty odd years ago as we walked thru the Harvard Yard, across the Charles River from Boston. We thought of people who followed these same paths in by gone days like Henry Thoreau, T.S. Elliott, William Randolph Hearst,



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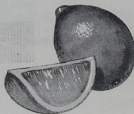
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