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## Juneteenth Meet Set For Friday Night

The Juneteenth Committee meeting will be held Friday night, April 15, rather than the usual Thursday night, to further discuss the upcoming activities in June.

"We are inviting those who would like to participate in this program to come and be with us on Friday night," says Harold M. Chatman, local president. "Everything is shaping up, but input from the concerned citizens is always helpful," he continued.

Chatman told the **Southwest Digest** that a well known black

Final rites were read for Mrs. Mary Ella Newsom Monday, April 11, 1983 at Greater St. Luke Baptist Church with Rev. J.H. Ford, Pastor, officiating.

Interment was in the City of Lubbock Cemetery under the direction of South Plains Funeral Directors.

In Fairfield, Texas Freestone County a baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Isiah Carden. Her name was Mary Ella. She was the third child of five boys and three girls.

Mary Ella grew up in Fairfield and attended school in Blount community. She gave her life to Christ at an early age and united with Hopewell



Mrs. Mary Ella Newsom

Eastern Star, a member of The Ever Ready Club of Lubbock. At the time of death she was a Foster Grandparent at the Lubbock State School a position she enjoyed and held for several years.

She leaves to cherish her memory one daughter, Mrs. Occie Alford, a son-in-law, Johnnie Alford of Lubbock, Texas a step-daughter, Mrs. Hazel Mayes of Fairfield, Texas, a step-son, Willie Keeton of Dallas, Texas, a sister, Mrs. Callie Alford of Fairfield, Texas, three brothers, Isiah Carden, Jr. of Fairfield, Texas, Hite C. Carden of Edinburg, Texas, and Hoover Carden of Prairie View,

## NAACP Confab

**New York** - The NAACP, in conjunction with a group of black businessmen, will hold a conference in Charlotte, N.C. on April 15 and 16 at the Sheraton Center Hotel. The purpose of the conference, as the title denotes, is to "build economic bridges in partnership with the NAACP, black business and the black community."

The conference is jointly organized by the NAACP's Operation Fair

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# Citizens March!!

Citizens from all walks of life in Lubbock are very upset by the recent decision by the Lubbock City Council to appeal the ruling by Judge Halbert O. Woodward. As a result of this, an organization calling itself the Concerned Citizens of Lubbock, has

organized a march and prayer vigil to be held Thursday morning (today) beginning at 10 a.m. The effort will climax at City Hall.

"All those citizens who want to do something, now have a chance to get involved," says Rose

Wilson, local NAACP proxy.

A late development was learned late Monday evening when one of the

city councilmen, Alan Henry, said he will reconsider his action taken to appeal the ruling. Some members of the Concerned Citizens of Lubbock are saying this development will be very interesting as the march and prayer vigil gets closer.

## Letter To Pastors

Recently the Mayor and the Lubbock City Council made the decision to appeal Judge Halbert O. Woodward's ruling which would establish six single member districts.

Many Lubbock people are disappointed and embarrassed by the city's decision. A committee, Concerned Citizens of Lubbock, has met several times and has decided to organize a prayer vigil while the City Council is in session on Thursday, April 14. The intent is to offer prayers for a rescission of the appeal in order to allow Lubbock to acknowledge the fair representation is desirable and essential for all our citizens.

Realizing that there may be many others in our community who feel as we do and who would like an opportunity to express their feelings, we invite all Pastors and Ministers to attend the Prayer Vigil and to offer their prayer with us.

Your help is needed to share this information with your congregation from the pulpit and through the church bulletin. We fervently hope that you will encourage your people to participate in this event.

On April 14, the people will meet in the parking lot at the East end of the Civic Center at 10:00 a.m. The group will proceed south down Avenue L, turning left on 8th Street past the Avalanche Journal building and on down Texas Avenue to the City Hall. Formal prayers will be offered at the main entrance of the City Hall, beginning at approximately 12:00 noon. This should allow those wishing to attend, an opportunity to do so during lunch hour.

Sincerely,  
Floyd Perry, Jr. - William Harley - Sam Sweeney  
Arthur A. Preisinger - Rev. Stephen Pierson  
Bruce A. Enge - Stephen Keogh - Marvin Rogers  
William E. Chapman - Clark N. Ross

## Lubbock Students Participate

Two hundred eleven soloists and twenty three ensembles participated in the annual UIL Region XVI Vocal Solo and Ensemble Music Contest at Coronado High School, Saturday, March 26th. The Contest Chairman was John Wotickowski, CHS Choir Director. Judges were Darryl Bledsoe of Spring, James

Ramsey of Canroe, Lee Kendle of Amarillo, Jim Reed of Wichita Falls, and Louis Unger of Amarillo.

Lubbock schools represented in the contest included Coronado, Dunbar, Struggs, Estacado, Lubbock and Monterey high schools, and Atkins, Evans, Hutchinson, Mackenzie, Brownfield, Denver City,

Frenship, Idalou, Kress, Lamesa, Levelland, Plainview, Post, Seagraves and Serrinole. Lubbock ISD soloists who received 1st Division ratings (superior) included:

**Coronado**  
Amber Anthony  
Royal Berry  
Teri Davis  
Jill Dossier  
Steve Goodman

**Dunbar-Struggs**  
Glendon Bagley  
Beverly Pharris  
**Estacado**  
Francis Andrews  
Robin Jaushlin  
Curtis Lewis  
Ofelia Mosqueda  
Marlus Phillips  
Shirley Upshaw  
**Lubbock High**  
John Belasco  
Tonda Chance  
Brent Coffman  
Dan Duggin  
Felicia Foster  
J.J.rod Martinez  
Lisa McWilliams  
Jeff Mitchell  
Cindy Newlin  
Kris Peterson  
Susan Sherrod  
Bobby Trimble  
Dean Ann Wood

**Evans Jr. High**  
David Boatman  
Brian Evans  
Dawn Halgren  
Cherice King  
Anne Lowry  
Vicki Newman  
Chuck Rickard  
**Hutchinson**  
Robyn Barker  
Terrie Gutierrez  
Sherrie S. Rogers  
Lesley Sioune  
Randy Sutherland  
Albert Tretz  
**Mackenzie**  
Wade Bass  
Erin Frey  
Keliy Hayhurst  
Lori McCrumman  
Michael Mullikin  
Darren Stover  
David White  
Nichole Whitten

## Participants In County Spelling Bee Contest

The **Southwest Digest** is proud to present some of the young people who participated in the Lubbock County Spelling Bee which was held at Evans Junior High School. All of these young people are winners! For the next few weeks pictures of these young people will continue to appear in this newspaper. If you have an opportunity to see one them or all of them, let them know you appreciate their efforts.

We salute the parents and teachers for their concern for the efforts of these young people.



Haynes Elementary  
Parents  
Mr. & Mrs. L. Mullins



David Gonzalez  
Hedges Elementary  
Parents  
D. & T. Gonzales



Rajesh Billmoris  
Maedgen Elementary  
Parents  
Mr. & Mrs. S. Billmoris



Larisa Abernathy  
Mahon Elementary  
Parents  
Mr. & Mrs. Abernathy



Carolyn Campbell  
Fossey Elementary  
Parents  
Mr. & Mrs. J. Campbell



Lori Vasquez  
Wolffarth  
Parents  
Mr. & Mrs. R. Vasquez

## Adult Black Men Hardest Hit

**Washington ...** The recovery from the 1980 recession was weaker for blacks than for whites or Hispanics and their unemployment rate began rising earlier in 1981, resulting in record jobless rates virtually from the beginning of the current recession.

Adult black men were hardest hit, reaching a high of 20.5 percent unemployment in December 1982 compared with 16.5 percent for black adult women. For black teenagers, the

situation was especially severe, with an unemployment rate hovering around 50 percent during most of the year.

These are some of the highlights reported in the fourth quarter 1982 "Employment in Perspective: Minority Workers," a publication of the U.S. Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics.

This issue of "Employment in Perspective" focuses on 1982 labor

## Local Sorority Meets

Theta Nu Sigma National Sorority Alpha Mu Chapter met in the home of Willie B. Jones on Tuesday, April 10th at 8 p.m.

Donation was donated to give some underprivileged family or some child in need at Xmas.

Founder's day will be celebrated. National Nu Sigma National Sorority Alpha Mu Chapter of Lubbock and Childress, Texas will celebrate by v orshipping with St. Luke Baptist Church, 506 East 26th Rev. J.H. Ford, Pastor on May 22, 1983.

the main entrance of the City Hall, beginning at approximately 12 noon. This is expected to allow those wishing to attend an opportunity to do so during the lunch hour.

According to sources, more than 100 persons are expected to attend the march, with a possibility of more than 300 persons showing their discontent. Participants include persons



EHS Choir students made themselves proud at UIL, winning six "1st Rating Medals" in solo at UIL Solo and Ensemble contest. They also had eight "II Ratings" and two "III Ratings."

Receiving "I Rating Medals" in solo are: Francis Andrews, Robin Jaushlin, Curtis Lewis, Ofelia Mosqueda, Marlus Phillips and Shirley Upshaw.

Receiving "II Ratings" in solos are: Ellie Brown, Deshaun Burton, Elijah Flowers, Kuan Perren, Hezie Nicholas, Stella Walton, Terry Washington, and Reginald Williams.

Receiving "III Ratings" in solo are: Eric Jackson and Kira Young.

Congratulations to our EHS Choir students for their excellent performance in UIL Solo.

# Social Security Tips Universal Life Prexy

## Your Social Security And You

by Jewel M. Love  
Service Representative



### What You Should do if Your Social Security Check Does Not Come

Most people eligible for Social Security or supplement security income (SSI) checks get them in the right amount at the right address and on time each month. A small percentage of checks, however, arrive late—or not at all.

If your benefit check does not arrive on schedule, it may be due to one of these reasons:

**Change of Address** - Change your mailing address recently? This may be the reason particularly if you did not promptly notify both Social Security and the post office.

**No check due** - Perhaps you were not eligible for a payment because you earned too much from a job or failed to submit a request report or no longer meet all requirements for benefits.

**Mail Delay** - Your check may be late because of misrouted mail, heavy mail volume during a holiday, or some other reason.

**Theft** - About one-fourth of all missing Federal checks are not received due to confirmed theft and forgery.

In case of a missing check, first wait 3 days after the expected delivery date to make sure it hasn't been delayed in the mail. Then contact the nearest Social Security office.

Someone at the Social Security office will check to make sure you had a payment coming and that a check was issued. If so, you will be asked to complete and sign a notice of missing payment. Information you provide is then sent to the U.S. Treasury Department regional disbursing center that issued the check.

How long it takes to get a replacement check depends on what happened to the original one. If it was mailed to the wrong address, it will simply be sent to the correct one. If your check is still missing and has not been cashed, you generally can expect a replacement within a few weeks.

If your check was stolen and cashed, a forgery investigation is necessary, in this case, it could take several months before you receive a substitute check.

Here's what you can do to make sure you receive all benefits due on time:

1. Let both Social Security and the post office know your new address as soon as you have it.
2. Promptly report any event that may affect your payments and return any questionnaire or other forms

**Memphis, Tennessee** ... In a precedent-breaking move, the Board of Directors of Universal Life Insurance Company, meeting February 11 at the company's Memphis headquarters, elected Patricia Walker Shaw as the company's new president. Twelve new officers were also elected. Ms. Shaw, formerly Universal's Executive Vice President, becomes the third chief executive in the firm's 60-year history, and the first woman to head a major American life insurance organization.

Universal Life is the nation's largest black-owned insurance company, with assets of over \$52 and over \$579 million of insurance in force. Thirty-six branch offices service policyholders across the country.

Patricia Walker Shaw's election to the presidency was announced by retiring President A. Maceo Walker, her father, at a press conference following the board's decision. "I am very pleased that my chosen successor is such a highly experienced and proven

executive," Walker said. "A leader who knows our business from the bottom up, who has the kind of forward-looking ideas the company will need in the years ahead."

Ms. Shaw comes to the President's office after 17 years of advancement through the ranks at Universal Life. "Moving step-by-step through this company has been the most important learning experience of my life," she said at the press conference. "I have become Universal Life's daughter, almost as much as I am Maceo Walker's daughter. The company has literally raised me as a businessperson... and believe me, they didn't spare the rod."

After her 1961 graduation from Fisk University, Ms. Shaw initially chose a career in social work, spending six years in the field of child service in Illinois and Tennessee. In 1966 she turned her sights toward a business career, and began work at Universal Life as a keypunch operator. She earned promotions to middle management positions in the Data Processing and Accounting



Patricia Walker Shaw

departments in the late sixties. Since entering senior management in 1971, as Assistant Vice President, her responsibilities have included those of Associate Controller and Assistant Secretary of the firm. In 1981, she was named Executive Vice President, in charge of developing a new marketing thrust for Universal Life.

Citing the state of the economy, especially inflation, as the company's major challenge, Ms. Shaw noted that Universal Life is experienced in dealing with economic problems: "For 60 years, we have worked to provide insurance that is affordable by economically disadvantaged customers." Although Universal is perceived as a Black company selling insurance to Black people, she said, "...In fact, we are a full-service company offering insurance coverage to millions who otherwise might not be able to afford it." The company's new marketing program is based on this large vision of its constituency, Ms. Shaw said. "We will work hard toward the day

when Universal Life will be recognized as a secure, full-service company offering the security of insurance protection for everyone who needs it."

Patricia Shaw also stressed the importance of financial and personnel management within the company: "We have succeeded over the past 60 years by paying close attention to the basics—careful management and development of our resources, both financial and human resources. And we will continue to strengthen our commitment to these basics, with a special emphasis on our

employees' personal development." Patricia Shaw's development as a business leader has not gone unnoticed. Later this year she will become President of the National Insurance Association. She has served as Chairperson of the Board of Directors of the Federal Reserve Bank, Memphis Branch, Tennessee Governor Lamar Alexander named

her to the State Commission on Minority Economic Development and the Memphis/Shelby County Jobs Advisory Commission. She serves on a number of boards in her native Memphis, and

is currently in her tenth year on the board of Memphis Light, Gas and Water Division.

Summarizing her goals as President of Universal Life, Ms. Shaw said, "I am committed to combining our traditional principles with our new and broader marketing profile. Universal Life will grow significantly in the years to come."

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Jane Prince-Jones

## TRAVEL ROYALLY with JANE PRINCE-JONES

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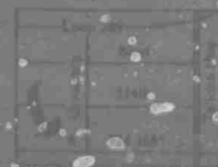
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# EDITORIALS • COMMENTS • OPINIONS

## • If There Ever Was A Time!!! •

by  
**Eddie P. Richardson**

We would like to start this week off by taking our hats off to Rev. S. C. Nash on the fine concert given at Booker T. Washington Post #08 American Legion Hall for the aid of Bishop College. It shows that we can help our own; it is only good and right for us to help and support our own. I hope Rev. Nash has started something in our community that we might continue helping ourselves and giving people something for their money as well. People normally give freely to a good cause but it becomes much easier when we get something in return for our giving. Thanks, Rev. Nash, we feel you are going to be a great asset to our community and maybe pave the way for some new and renewed commitments.

Looks like the Mayor and city council really made one of themselves along with much encouragement from the **Dailies**. They also have the people that's for moral, equal, righteousness and fairness for all people who were highly upset. This group of people include minorities, religious groups, and a cross section of all of Lubbock, all races, backgrounds, political parties, occupations and ways of life. Mayor and city council really have angered, shamed, disgusted and even, yes, surprised many citizens by refusing to allow some citizens equal representation along with equal taxation. Your voice was not the voice of the citizens of Lubbock for as has been shown in the last few weeks since the decision to appeal Judge Woodward's decision. Citizens have been very disturbed by your actions, the actions that have embarrassed and shamed the moral, decent, fairminded citizens of this area. Some of the council members were a big disappointment to fair play in Lubbock. Odds are heavy that at this time, no one on the council, as well as the Mayor, could be elected at this time. Wonder how the Mayor and council conscious and sense of guilt will be if thousands of citizens of all races, creeds, national origins, religious, and walks of life shows up praying to God Almighty against the decision to appeal the Judge's decision because of a handful of power brokers want status quo or business as usual. Who does the council really represent the power brokers, and ex city officials, which is another minority, minority or the masses of people white, Black brown, Jewish, Catholics, protestants and others? Who do they really represent? Who???

Let's get away from it all. The **Digest**, in conjunction with Jane Prince Jones local radio and TV personality, through Prince Jones Travel Agency, will be traveling throughout each year starting with a cruise October 15-22 to the Caribbean and Las Vegas, possibly the Holy Land and other interesting and educational sites. When you want to **get away from it all**, do it with us.

Back to the Mayor and council, they have their chance to get off the hook of defending the present racist charter that was immoral and legally wrong and the Judge ruled so. That was their chance even legally and they even got a second chance when the Judge ruled that the attorneys' fees and the single-member district case would be separate on the order of bifurcation. But the Bible says love their enemies, pray for them and forgive them. The council is not our enemies, we love them because they are our elected officials but they did an unjust to good, decent, law abiding citizens and still wanting to keep some their citizens out of the decision making process which still would not be a big threat because two against five cannot work many miracles. Wonder if the problem is keeping a segment of the community in the dark about how our city dollars are spent and how contracts and bids, etc. are handled? It has to be something really. What is it Mayor and council?

Speaking of single member districts, after the city waste the tax payers' money appealing and losing, the school board should be thinking, they will be next. Are they going to do it or will they have to be taken to



court too!!!  
Look for the **Digest's** 5th Market and Consumer Seminar in June. A lot of good speakers and information will be available. More on this as time goes by.

Fifteen years after Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s death we have public accommodations, the right to vote but how far have we really come? Did we gain or lose ground since his death? Have we over come? Something to give thought to. What happened to the Civil Rights Movement? Did too many of us think we arrived? If so, where? And from where? Did a little success spoil us? Finally, where do we go from here?

**Business in the Black**  
By Charles E. Belle

## Presidential "Poop" Budget Has Bad Smell

In Southern California there is a perpetual trophy passed on from year to year in California tennis tournaments consisting of "gold-plated buffalo droppings." Don't know if the President plays tennis, but his budget might qualify him for such an award. An anus proposal which puts bullets before bread.

Blotting the budget is the President's initially proposed military budget of \$249 billion cut by Congress to \$23.4 billion. Budget documents however list numerous small expenditures that would add to immediate outlays. Outlandish spending by soldiers seems to please the President, even at the expense of the poor.

Placing the blame for his unbalance budget on the backs of the poor, the President calls for specific measures to cut food stamps to the people. Pretending it and similar programs were "the largest single cause of the built-in or structural deficit problem." Perhaps the President cannot count. Consider that the projected budget deficit is \$209 billion only slight less than the Lefens budget.

Military spending is scheduled to grow 14.2 percent in fiscal year 1984, starting on October 1, 1983. The Pentagon piece of the budget pie is increasing from 25.9 percent to 28 percent this year, from a quarter to almost a-third by the end of the President's term.

To think his temperature appeared up and the President professed "feeling a bit nervous" before delivering the State of the Union address is about right. Getting the runs is a regular happening when you are about to witness a holocaust.

Firing workers without notice and with deceit is a dangerous act, even for an ex-actor. A record 690 bankruptcies a week last month, exceeded only 696 last year is behind the real economic recovery of the economy. There are lost jobs, savings and souls.

Still, the President feasts with generals, Queens and prince in a royal manor. Maybe Hamlet will remark again about the same about the country since common sense says all is not well. But then again perhaps the purpose of the President's budget is to send down the alimentary canal something that goes po-po.

## An Independent View from Capitol Hill

BY HON. GUS SAVAGE  
First Black journalist ever elected to Congress



Last week, I joined my courageous colleague from Michigan, the Honorable John Conyers, in pleading before the Rules Committee to allow full and open debate and a vote in the U.S. House of Representatives on the Congressional Black Caucus' budget proposal, a legitimate and essential alternative in the crucial debate respecting our government's budgetary priorities.

The Rules Committee refused, however, to hear us. They presumably felt that such an opening would permit a rule for an alternative budget proposal, more conservative than the Reagan-backed proposal.

As a consequence the Black Members of Congress could not debate and argue for their own budget proposal with the same standing on the House floor as those who supported the Democratic proposal. This was the first time in three years in which the Congressional Black Caucus did not submit a proposal during the budget debates.

Such a decision by the Rules Committee deprived minorities, the working poor and the unemployed of putting forth an alternative to the administration's agenda which calls for decreasing outlays for bread while increasing outlays for bombs. The net effect being to gag Americans who truly believe that the first foreign policy line of defense for this nation should be a domestic policy line above which our government will not tolerate unemployment—a line above which we will not tolerate deprivation or disrespect of our elderly—a line above which we will not tolerate hunger or homelessness.

Certainly we cannot insist that our white-fellow Democrats accept our priorities, however, we must insist upon our equal rights to be heard.

It is this denial that I fought against in support of the CBC alternative budget indeed, it is just such a denial that has resulted in the Democratic Party split, along racial lines, in Chicago's mayoral campaign.

It is just such disrespect as this that is justifying Black Democratic voters turning out of frustration to a Black candidate in the Democratic presidential primaries, even if such a candidacy has no chance of ever winning our party's nomination.

Yes, Black political leaders must insist upon being heard rather than being spoken for by white Democrats whether in the mayoral campaign in Chicago, the presidential campaign across the country or budget debates on the floor of Congress.

## SENATOR JOHN T. MONTFORD

Reports from the Capitol



## WATER FOR TEXAS LEGISLATION

AUSTIN - The issue of water has been discussed and discussed, time and time again, not only in West Texas, but throughout the State. Now, hopefully, a compromise has been reached and finally Texas may have an effective Water Resource Program for the future.

On Monday, March 21, 1983, Lieutenant Governor Bill Hobby, myself, Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower, Land Commissioner Gerry Meastro, and ten other State Senators, announced a five-point package of water

## Ringling The Bell

by  
**Bob Tieuel**



Significa: Did Blacks Discover America? Everybody is talking about this unusual fact that was recently carried in nationally circulated **Parade** magazine and this correspondent has received several clippings of article in our mail from bellringers. The article in part reads:

"Most historians now agree that Columbus was not the first explorer to set foot in American. They say that the New World was part of call to many ancient mariners—including blacks from western Africa—hundreds of years before Columbus. Sometime between 1000 B.C. and 500 B.C., a new culture sprang up in Central America. Known as the Olmecs, this group was far more skillful at metallurgy and agriculture than other Indians of the area. It is believed that they taught their neighbors a kind of hieroglyphics and the use of a calendar. Could the Olmecs have been taught these skills by visitors from what Europeans once derisively called "the Dark Continent"? It seems likely. Surviving Olmec artifacts show black people with distinctive African features working and fighting alongside Indians allies."

The article concludes with the fact that when Columbus arrived in the new world, he heard stories of these black men and collected golden spearheads identical in workmanship to those used in Western Africa. The distance from Africa's west coast to the Caribbean is only about half the distance Columbus had to traverse from Spain and a North Equatorial current could have taken African sailboats to the New World in just 30 days—a trip that Columbus and his crew would have envied indeed.

Let's not forget: "A peaceful mass of people, hard working, carries out slowly and patiently an unstoppable invasion. But neither barbed-wire fences nor aggressive border guards nor campaigns nor laws nor police raids against the undocumented have stopped this movement of masses that is unprecedented in any part of the world." Carlos Loret De Mola, a columnist writing in **Excelsior**, one of Mexico City's leading newspapers.

It is a fact that Los Angeles had become the second-largest Mexican city in the world, surpassing all but Mexico City itself, and Los Angeles has as many Spanish-speakers as Madrid, the Capital of Spain. Loret de Mola lauds what he calls the "Mexicanization of Los Angeles," and he forsees a Mexicanization of much of the American Southwest. **Mexicanization** to Loret de Mola doesn't mean the assimilation of Mexicans into American society or even the development of bilingualism and biculturalism. It means what it says, the transformation of America into Mexico, states Doug Harlan, a San Antonio columnist.

Loret de Mola eulogizes the Mexican immigrants, most of them illegal, as having "ability for adapting to the environment and for conquering a great region...that once belonged to our fatherland."

The big question in Chicago as the countdown nears for the mayoralty election is still Harold Washington, the black Democratic nominee be able to woo some of the 100,000 voters who went for Daley and Ms. Byrne? Will the machine bring out the vote for him—or will the race factor bring unprecedented support for Republican Mayoral candidate Epton? Republican campaign leaders have sought to glorify the race issue and thousands of dollars are reported pouring into Epton's race, it is reported.

legislation which has a heavy emphasis on conservation. The important part of this program is the conservation of all existing water sources. I feel that we now have a total program which will win both the support of the legislature and the voters of Texas.

The five point water legislation includes:

**WATER DEVELOPMENT FUND** - This is a proposed constitutional amendment sponsored by Senator Ray Farabee of Wichita Falls, myself and Senator Ed Howard of Texarkana. This amendment would authorize the sale of an additional \$300 million in bonds which would be available as loans to cities in hardship situations. Half of the amount would be available for water supply purposes with the other half for water quality. This program has been in existence since 1957. The new bonds would be added to \$150 million of bonds which have not been sold, to insure our water needs are met in this decade and in the future.

**BOND GUARANTEE AND LOAN FUND AUTHORIZATION** - This combination of a proposed constitutional amendment and enabling legislation is sponsored by Senator Car Parker of Fort Arthur and by Senator Ed Howard of Texarkana. The amendment would authorize the state to appropriate up to \$250 million for water development, water quality or

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**RUBY JAY'S CORNER**



Sunday was Youth Day at New Hope Baptist Church and services were carried out in the usual manner. The young song, however, their musician, Jackie Jackson, is ill in the hospital. Garnett Lee furnished music for them.

Our message was brought by Pastor Nash. His subject "A Persistent Cry." Mark 10:46-52. During morning service,

the singers that sang with Rev. Nash Saturday night rendered two numbers. We were glad to see Sister Fannie Young at service. She was a shut-in for quite awhile and was greatly missed.

The After Easter Fashion Parade, sponsored by New Hope So. Ice Board, Mrs. G.H. Davis, president, was beautiful.

The Easter Lilies on the pulpit at Bethel A.M.E. Church were given by Dr. Henan Jr. in honor of his mother Mrs. Johnson and Maunite Terrel, sister of Ruby Jay, thank you Dr. Johnson.

Mrs. Zick Sowell attend Training Union at 6 p.m. and she thank the church for being so loyal to her in the passing of her husband.

Mrs. Earnest Swain is enjoying her mother from Midland, Texas. Little Angelia Nash celebrated her 11th birthday on March 31st with a

slumber party at her home. She and her little friends enjoyed it very much. Mrs. Dorothy Kinner spent two days attending a library meeting in San Antonio, Texas. Prayer meeting last Wednesday night was very spiritual. Only eight women and one man though.

Pray for our sick and shut-ins and don't forget to visit them. Our christian love and sympathy go out to the Coler, Sowell and Mary Newsome families. Put your trust in God.

**ASTRO/NUMEROLOGY AND YGU**

April 13-14, 1983

By Lloyd Strayhorn

**Part III of Four Parts**

Like an individual, nations too have their pattern of producing certain numerical influences. Certainly the highest office in this land, President of the U.S., is no exception. If you've been with us over the last several weeks, you've already seen for yourself which zodiac signs stand out

**Numerology and the United States Presidents**

most, as well as the numerical influence which has borne the most U.S. presidents. In this segment, and next week's, we'll look at the Astrological and Numerological danger that has proven ominous to them.

**Question:** Under which numbers have most U.S. presidents died, and under which numbers the least?

**Answers:** It was found that the numbers 4 and 8 have been most ominous to the presidents, with the number 4 being in the lead. Eight presidents have died under the number four and its series. Next are the numbers 2 and 6, with five presidents each. Just these four numbers alone have accounted for 35% of the U.S. presidents dying under their

influence. Of all the numbers from 1 to 9, no president to date has yet died on a number 7 day or any of its series, and only two presidents have died under the numbers 2 and 3.

**Next Week:** Numerology and the U.S. Presidents. Continued. (Please clip and save as a series.)

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start projects, it is for you. **ARIES BORN:** George Benson, famous singer and musician. **TAURUS—April 21-May 20**  
 Wednesday indicates stress, but Friday indicates the best in matters of love, that is. The weekend is free of any opposition from the stars. On Tuesday someone important will give you the help you need. Use the Master Number 33. **TAURUS BORN:** James "Cool Papa" Bell, of the old Negro Baseball League. **GEMINI—May 21-June 20**  
 This week and even into next week is going to go like a "Bang" for you. Travel, money and a chance to change the career status looks very favorable... it just

depends on you! This week your number is 4. **GEMINI BORN:** Countee Cullen, famous poet and author. **CANCER—June 21-July 21**  
 Although this part of the year usually causes opposition for you, this particular week will be an exception to the rule. You will be powerful and productive, according to the stars. Act accordingly. 9 is for you. **CANCER BORN:** Paul Lawrence Dunbar, famous poet and author. **LEO—July 22-August 20**  
 Be a little cautious about trips and coming before the public this week... there could be hassles attached. By late Friday into Saturday, things will pick up again. The best will happen in the middle of next week.

Third of the 6. **LEO BORN:** Alex Haley, author of "Roots". **VIRGO—August 21-September 21**  
 A change for the better in your personal and business affairs is indicated for this week. Saturday looks especially good for money. Next Tuesday should see an improvement in your reputation. Use the 5. **VIRGO BORN:** Louis L'Amour, famous inventor and engineer. **LIBRA—September 22-October 20**  
 This week leaves you free of stress... so you have an excellent opportunity to put whatever plans or projects you have into motion. Sunday and Monday should be days of big moves for you.

Use the Master Number 11. **LIBRA BORN:** Hugh Mulzac, 1st black to command a U.S. merchant ship. **SCORPIO—October 21-November 21**  
 From the looks of things, Wednesday and Thursday may not be too kind to you—watch your health and mind. By the weekend, the storm of opposition will have passed. Use number 2 for the week. **SCORPIO BORN:** Bobby Seale, political activist. **SAGITTARIUS—November 22-December 21**  
 Get whatever needs to be done out of the way before this Friday. From Friday on, matters relating to love, money and secrets could ruin a fine weekend for you. Next week will be better.

Use the 6. **SAGITTARIUS BORN:** Owen Dodson, educator and author. **CAPRICORN—December 22-January 20**  
 From an unexpected and/or surprising point of view, this week is for you! In other words, expect the unexpected for big results. After the weekend you'll have to use caution for the next few days. Yours is the Master Number 22. **CAPRICORN BORN:** James Varick, 1st black bishop of the A.M.E. church. **AQUARIUS—January 21-February 19**  
 Be careful of putting your foot in your mouth this week—it could really be embarrassing! Late Friday into Saturday will see the change you need. Since opposition

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 comes on Tuesday, do what needs to be done now. Use the 3. **AQUARIUS BORN:** Gen. Samuel Armstrong, builder of Hampton Institute. **PISCES—February 20-March 20**  
 Mentally, ideas will come like a flash for you during this time. It's best to write them down, or quickly put them into action. The challenge this week is about holding back on your feelings and emotions. Let go. Think of 7. **PISCES BORN:** Haki Madhubuti, famous poet.

**Black Adults**  
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market developments among blacks and persons of Hispanic ethnicity. The data are based on a sample survey of households conducted monthly for the Bureau of Labor Statistics by the Census Bureau.  
 According to the publication, as overall

labor market conditions worsened in 1982, the employment situation for minority workers also deteriorated sharply, with some evidence of a widening in the already large gap in the labor market status of blacks and Hispanics vis-à-vis whites.

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\$50	20	\$1,000	1 in 144.1	1 in 14.41	1 in 7.205
\$25	40	\$1,000	1 in 72.05	1 in 7.205	1 in 3.602
\$10	100	\$1,000	1 in 28.82	1 in 2.882	1 in 1.441
\$5	200	\$1,000	1 in 14.41	1 in 1.441	1 in 0.7205
\$2	500	\$1,000	1 in 5.764	1 in 0.5764	1 in 0.2882
\$1	1,000	\$1,000	1 in 2.882	1 in 0.2882	1 in 0.1441
Total	2,882	\$194,000	1 in 1	1 in 10	1 in 20

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# This N That

**WANTS BOYCOTT!** The pastor of ... **BETHEL AME CHURCH** ... **REV. STEPHEN JERSON** ... asked his congregation to ... **BOYCOTT** ... Lubbock Power & Light Company ... last Sunday morning ... He told his congregation ... he supports the ... **MARCH** ... on Thursday ... but switching to

**SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY** ... will make sure they ... **CITY** ... will get the message ... that ... **MINORITIES** ... are tired of what is going on here in Lubbock ... Upon hearing his comments ... the house was full of ... **AMENS!!**

**BACK IN NUMBERS!!** The young people ... who frequented ... **BUTLER PARK** ... are back in full force again this year! It's hard to drive by the area ... or Sunday afternoons ... Young people ... **PLEASE** ... respect the Senior Citizens!!

**WHO WILL STAND UP!!** NAACP prexy ... **ROSE WILSON** ... has challenged all those ... **BLACKS** ... who are always complaining to be in the ... **MARCH** ... Thursday ...

**HOPE ITS ANNUAL!!** Many who were in attendance of the ... **BISHOP COLLEGE CONCERT** ... last Saturday night at the ... American Legion Hall in Yellowhouse Canyon ... hopes it will become an ... **ANNUAL AFFAIR** ...

**REV. S. C. NASH & COMPANY** ... did a splendid job ... plus those other choirs ... **NEW HOPE BAPTIST LUBBOCK COMMUNITY RADIO CHOIR** ... **JAMES CLEVELAND WORKSHOP** ... and ... **MOUNT OLIVE BAPTIST CHORZ** ... of Slaton ... There were some former ... **BISHOPITIES** ... who should have been here ... Maybe they will send in their donation ... Bishop can use it!!

**57TH CHURCH ANNIVERSARY!** The members of the ... **NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH** ... will celebrate their ... **57TH CHURCH ANNIVERSARY** ... this week through April 15th ... A ... **REVIVAL** ... will be held to celebrate with ... **REV. B. R. DANIELS** ... pastor of Beth Eden Baptist Church ... Fort Worth, Tx ... as guest speaker ... **CONGRATS!** ... New Hope!

**SUPPORTS MARCH & PRAYER VIGIL!!** Maybe the ... **MARCH** ... on Thursday morning ... followed by a ... **PRAYER VIGIL** ... won't change anything ... concerning the ... **APPEAL** ... by the City Council ... but it should

make ... **MINORITIES** ... know there are a lot of things to be accomplished here in our community ... It will all begin at 10 a.m. Thursday morning (today) ... If you happen to have a ... **FEW HOURS** ... and you are concerned about the future of your city ... than be there!

**D. C. KINNER THE BARBER SAYS:** "The best ... **ARGUMENT** ... for getting ... **MARRIED** ... is that it remains the best way to get acquainted!"

**RECENT APPEAL!** The decision by the ... **LUBBOCK CITY COUNCIL** ... points out the fact that ... when you ... **PLAY THEIR GAME** ... they come up with new rules ...

**ADVISE CONGRESSMAN HANCE!!** Since school is almost out ... why not contact your congressman ... **KENT HANCE** ... and inquire if there are any ... openings for ... **SUMMER INTERSHIPS** ... in Washington, D. C. ... It would be a great learning experience for your child ...

**WILL THERE BE WEEDS? THIS N THAT** ... has learned from sources ... that our friend ... **JOSEPH WILLIAMS** ... has been moved from the East Lubbock ... area to work in another area of this department ... He did a splendid job ... for the city ... in seeing that

**Montford**  
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food for the fish and other life in our bays and estuaries. As these rivers are dammed up, the nutrients are sometimes blocked with the water. This bill would simply give the Water Commission, in issuing a water permit, a requirement to assess the impact on in-stream use and provide for offsetting any adverse impact.

**CONSERVATION** - This legislation is sponsored by Senator Tati Santiesteban of El Paso. Senator Santiesteban is Chairman of the Senate Natural Resources Committee, which is the committee that will hear all of the water legislation. This bill would require a political subdivision to develop a water-conservation plan before it could receive state financial assistance on any water project.

In conclusion, I am very optimistic about the success of this water legislation. It has strong support from Lieutenant Governor Bill Hobb, Governor Mark White and many other key officials in our state. These bills will be presented together for hearing on a water agenda in the Natural Resources Committee on Wednesday, April 13, 1983. As vice-chairman of the Water Subcommittee I feel that I will be in a good position to help direct the flow of this important legislation.

If you have any comments on this water program, or any other issue facing our State Government, I would appreciate your input. My mailing address is State Senator John T. Montford, P. O. Box 12068, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711.

# YAO



unwanted ... **WEEDS** ... were kept to a minimum ... We ... **MUST** ... keep our eyes on the weeds this rain season!!

**OVERLOOKED!** Perhaps there are several other ... **BLACK DOCTORS** ... in Lubbock who were not honored last Saturday ...

Those doctors ... several we know ... are not in business for themselves ... but work for various institutions! **SHOULD BE AP-**

**POINTED !!** It has come to ... **THIS N THAT** ... **THEODORE PHEA, JR.** ... will be

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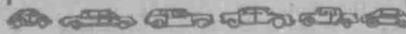
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## OBSEQUIES

### Mrs. Edna F. Collier

Final rites were read for Mrs. Edna Estes Collier Wednesday, April 6, 1983 at Bethel A.M.E. Church with Rev. Stephen Pierson, Pastor, officiating.

Interment was held in City of Lubbock Cemetery under the direction of South Plains Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Edna Estes Collier was born in Lubbock, Texas to Mrs. Pauline Baker Estes and Mr. Grover L. Estes August 15, 1939. She was united with Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church at an early age where her membership remained until her death.

Mrs. Collier enrolled in Dunbar Elementary School in 1945. She was a graduate of Dunbar in 1964. She was married to Mr. Willie E. Tipton who preceded her in death. To this union four children were born.

She was later married to Mr. Floyd R. Collier and to this union one child was born.

Mrs. Collier was employed by the Lubbock Independent School District, Transportation Department.

She leaves to mourn her passing: her hus-



band, Mr. Floyd R. Collier, as son, Floyd R. Collier, Jr., of the home; four daughters - Mrs. Letha McGraw, Vera Tipton and Ursula Tipton, all of Lubbock, and Denise Miller of Cameron, Texas; her mother, Mrs. Pauline Grant of Lubbock; two brothers - Sammy and Charles Grant both of Lubbock; a son-in-law, Homer McGraw, of Lubbock; a grandmother, Mrs. Mary Baker; eight grandchildren, four aunts, two uncles, a great uncle, a host of cousins, other relatives and friends.

## Revival On Tap At New Hope

Members of the New Hope Baptist Church are celebrating their 57th Anniversary this week. Special guest speaker is Rev. B. R. Daniels, pastor of Beth Eden Baptist Church of Fort Worth, Texas. He is preaching through Friday night in a revival.

Services began at 7:30 p. m. nightly at the

church which is located at 2002 Birch Avenue.

"We are inviting our many friends to come out to this soul-saving revival," says Rev. S. C. Nash, pastor.

Everyone is asked to come out and hear this great preacher of the gospel who is also the president of the BM & E State Youth Convention.

### Post, Texas

#### Pleasant Home Baptist

By Annie V. Gilbert, Reporter

Services at Pleasant Home started with sunrise service which was beautiful. Sunday school was at its usual hour. Our lesson subject was "Confronted By The Risen Lord," Acts 9:1-31; 22:1-21. We had a very good attendance. The Easter program went over very beautiful. Rev. Kelly really poured out his heart and soul during altar call and preached a wonderful sermon. His text "The Borrowed Tomb," Matthew 27:57-61. He preached from his heart and soul, truly food for the soul.

We had a host of visitors. Please come again, you are always welcome.

Let's remember to pray for and visit the sick and

shut-ins. Among our sick are: Sisters Elizabeth Iles, Clarice Jackson, Emma Griffin and Emma Hayder each in their homes also Sister Madie Arthur Johnson, Sisters Rebecca Brewster and Sylvia Williams Twin Cedars Nursing Home, Sister Sirkoma Steel and Brother Harry Trueblood United Convalescent Nursing Home, Sister Fredia Mae Daniels hospital in Lansing, Michigan.

Brother Henry Lee Daughtery succumbed Saturday, April 2, 1983 in Community Hospital in Odessa, Texas. Prayers go out to all his bereaved family.

Rev. Arthur Kelly, Pastor  
Rev. John James, Jr., Associate Pastor



Rev. B. R. Daniels  
Pastor  
Beth Eden Baptist Church  
Fort Worth, Texas

### Prayer Poem

I know not how that  
Bethlehem's babe  
Could in the Godhead be;  
I only know the manger  
child  
Has brought God's life to  
me.

I know not how that  
Calvary's cross  
A world from sin could free;  
I only know its matchless  
love  
Has brought God's love to  
me.

I know not how that  
Joseph's tomb  
Could solve death's mystery;  
I only know a living Christ,  
Our immortality.

God's life in us can move  
us on to greatness. Share that  
greatness through your  
church or temple.

## The Outreach Prayer Breakfast

The members and friends of the Outreach Prayer Breakfast met at 9 a.m. in the home of Juanita Sowell. This was the second rerun of what the three nights will be like this week. We are wish you could have been there. President Ward was presiding.

Opening devotion: Isaiah 40:2, participating M. Ward, Juacita Sowell and M. Bogus.

Morning scripture Acts 9:1-16 was given by Mrs. Mildred Bogus "And A Continue In Prayer."

v. 1 And Saul, yet breathing out threatenings and slaughter against the disciples of the Lord, went unto the high priest, v. 3 And as he journeyed, he came near Damascus and suddenly there shined round about him a light from heaven: v. 4 And he fell to the earth, and heard a voice saying unto him, Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou me? v. 5 And he said, who art thou, Lord? And the Lord said, I am Jesus whom thou persecutest: it is hard for thee to kick against the pricks. v. 11 And the Lord said unto him, Arise, and go into the street which is called straight, and enquire in the house of Judas for one called Saul of Tarsus: for, behold, he prayeth. Thank you Mrs. Bogus for this scripture, it was dismissed by all.

Thought for the week: It is getting darker, spiritual darkness, but God's Glory is about to shine through, completely. Think about it. Breakfast was served as the to kings and all ate in the same manner. "Come let us all live like kings, children, because we are." See you this week. The spirit ran so high, the cooks forget to cook the breakfast completely but no one noticed the error. They are something special, our cooks, we love them.

Sick list: Helen Crewe, St. Marys Hospital, F.n. 321, Hattie Stinger, Lupe Rodriguez, Rosie Lee Minters, Mrs. C. E. Fair, Pearl Ruth Borer, Attie M.

Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. Blevands.

Let's Pray: **Lord grant your servants great boldness in teaching your word. And in your word, there are promises of your healing power. And our very own faith will make us whole in the name of your son, Jesus. AMEN.**

There will be two days of fasting and praying for the tough problems we are facing. This will take place April 11 - 12th at 7:30 a.m. and 12 noon. The Prayer Revival will begin April 13, 14 and 15th at Lyons Cnapel Baptist Church, 1704 East 24th at 7:30 p.m. nightly. Prayer requests after call nightly. The last night will have the Lord's Supper city wide as a

family. Come dressed like old times, whatever makes you comfortable. Special guest artists will be singing nightly. Camel Let's pray together. Come expecting a miracle and that's just what you will receive. All pastors, ministers, prayer groups, all churches and congregations are invited.

We thank you, Lord, for touching minds, souls and bodies and all the other good things that's already gone through the power and promise of your word. AMEN.

Closing prayer by Mrs. Annie Mae Johnson.

Can any good thing, come out of Nazareth? We will meet in the home of Mrs. Christine Hysom.

M. Ward president, C. E. Fair, vice president, C. E. Brown, secretary, Mildred Bogus, acting secretary, D. Hood, reporter.

**Juneteenth** Continued from Page 1 effort, and we want those who would like to participate to attend the meeting Friday night," he concluded.

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### "I Thank God For Jesus"

(Thanks; Flo and Bobbie)

#### "The Lord Checked In --- Satan Checked Out"

Mark 5:5 And always, night and day he was in the mountains, and in the tombs, crying, and cutting himself with stones.

I at on-time was like that man, damaging myself; smoking, drinking, cursing, and everything in the land.

I had demons in me, how many I don't know, but they torched and worried me everywhere I'd go.

I've seen them kill people, it's a disease in me, but I'm going to kill them first them I'll be free.

Matthew 11:28 Jesus said; Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give your rest.

I've tried smoking them out with cigarettes, but they keep asking for more!!! and won't quit.

I've tried to kill them with alcohol, but it's not to be, I only woke up with headaches and in misery.

I've tried cursing them out, and it did them no harm, I only filthyed my mouth with my tongue.

I Corinthians 6:19,20. What? Know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own? For ye are bought with a price. The more glorify God in your body, and

in your spirit, which are God's. I had tried everything " + ± + " but going down on my knees, then a voice inside said: "Try Jesus" you'll be well pleased.

I called on Jesus, and He heard my prayer, satan checked out, Jesus now dwell there.

Mark 5:8 Jesus said; come out of the man thou unclean spirit.

Isaiah 1:18 Come now, and let us reason together, saith the Lord; through your sins be as scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they be red like crimson, they shall be as wool.

II Corinthians 5:17 Therefore if any man be of Christ, he is a new creature: Old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new.

T.G.&Y --- Means tell God yes.

Yes Lord, please clean my life.

Brothers and sisters God loves you, wants you to experience peace and eternity in heaven. What you must do is admit you are a sinner, be willing to turn from sin, (repent). Believe that Jesus Christ died for you and rose from the dead. Through prayer, invite Jesus to come in your life and contract it. Receive Him as your Lord and Savior. AMEN.

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

Directed, Arranged, Produced, and Guided by my Lord Jesus Christ. Written by Billy E.J. Morrison, III, your brother in Christ Jesus.

### Faith First Baptist

Morning services began at 9:30. Our lesson was "Good News For Former Enemies," Acts 11:2-18. Today was Youth Day and devotional prayer was carried out by the youth deacons Bro. Roosevelt Portee, Jr. and Bro. Eddie Jackson. The Primary Choir sang today. Rev. Bell delivered the message of the hour, his text was "If Your God Is Dead, Try Mine." I King 18:21-39.

We'd like to acknowledge our visitors Mrs. LaGloria Kinslow,

the Moore sisters and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Peppers, Mrs. Rafe, Ms. Janette Conwright and daughter. Thank you all for coming and may you all come and worship with us again.

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And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works: not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is: But exhort one another, and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching.

Hebrews 10:24,25  
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Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a. m.  
Baptist Training Union (B.T.U.) ..... 6:30 p. m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p. m.

Week Activities -  
Mission ..... Monday ..... 7:00 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting ..... Wednesday ..... 8:00 p. m.  
Brotherhood Breakfast ..... Saturday ..... 7-10  
Youth Program ..... Second Sunday ..... 3:00 p. m.

"Come Let Us Reason Together With The Lord"

Isaiah 1:18

# The KITCHEN BEAT



## Glorious Ground Beef

In today's black American home, cooking is no longer the responsibility of one person. Because of busy and varied schedules, usually every member of the family at some time or another has to prepare personal meals or meals for other members of the family. The Kitchen Beat is designed to meet some needs of the various cooks in the modern black family.

If you're someone who clings to the belief that there's more to life than endless hours in the kitchen, these are your kind of recipes. Sent to our readers from General Foods Corporation, the makers of Bird's Eye frozen vegetables and many other fine products, these ground beef dinners are rapid but ravishing main dishes for people who have everything but time on their hands and outgoing wallets. We know that you will actually enjoy making them, and your family will enjoy eating them!

### Yankee Beef and Vegetables

- 1/4 lb. ground beef
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 pkg. (10 oz.) frozen New England Style vegetables
- 1/2 cup milk
- 1 teaspoon flour
- 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce

Brown beef in skillet. Sprinkle with salt. Set aside. Topping: add vegetables to skillet. Bring to a full boil over medium heat, separating vegetables with a fork and stirring occasionally. Combine milk, flour and Worcestershire sauce. Stir into vegetable mixture. Reduce heat; cover and simmer 5 minutes. Sprinkle on topping. (Makes 2 servings.)

### San Francisco Super Supper

- 1/2 lb. ground beef
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 medium onion, cut in wedges
- 1 pkg. (10 oz.) frozen San Francisco Style vegetables
- 1 Tablespoon water

Brown beef in skillet. Sprinkle with salt. Move beef to one side and saute onion until tender. Add vegetables and water; set aside topping packet. Bring to a full boil over medium heat, separating vegetables with fork; stir occasionally. Reduce heat, cover and simmer 5 minutes. Just before serving, sprinkle on topping. (Makes 3 servings.)

## Italian Beef Kertle

- 3/4 lb. ground beef
- 3/4 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup water
- 1 can (8 1/2 oz.) tomatoes or broken spaghetti
- 1 beef bouillon cube
- 1/2 cup cooked elbow macaroni, bow ties or broken spaghetti
- 1 pkg. (10 oz.) frozen Italian Style vegetables

Brown beef in saucepan. Sprinkle with salt. Add water, tomatoes and bouillon cube, bring to a boil; reduce heat; cover and simmer 5 minutes. Add macaroni and vegetables. Bring to a full boil over medium heat, separating vegetables with a fork and stirring frequently. Reduce heat; cover and simmer 3 minutes. (Makes 3 servings.)

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## NOODLES AND CHEESE LOAF

Here's a perfect dish for a summer luncheon or supper. To serve 6 you'll need:

- 3 cups noodles
- 1/2 lb. shredded sharp cheese
- 1 cup dry bread crumbs
- 5 beaten eggs
- 1 1/2 cups milk
- 1/2 cup finely chopped celery
- 1/2 cup chopped pimiento
- 1/2 cup chopped green pepper, seeds and membrane removed
- 2 lbs. grated onion
- Salt & pepper to taste
- 1/4 cup melted butter

Preheat oven to 325 degrees F. Boil noodles in salted water according to package directions. Drain. Stir in half the bread crumbs, half the cheese and all remaining ingredients except the butter. Place mixture in a well-greased baking pan. Mix remaining bread crumbs, cheese and butter and arrange on top of noodle mixture. Bake 25 minutes or until top is golden brown. Serve plain or top with a mushroom or tomato sauce. A leafy salad generously sprinkled with sliced radishes and tossed with vinaigrette dressing provides a nice textural contrast. Chilled white wine to drink, of course. Optional: Leftover ham or chicken can be diced and added to the ingredients.

## Stir-Fry Recipes With A Smart European Flair

Stir-fry may be a relatively new cooking term, but clever cooks have done it from the dawn of skillets. It doesn't even have to involve a wok or Oriental seasonings. Stir-frying transcends nationality because it really translates into one smart method of getting a main course together in minimum time.

Here are two speedy and quite different stir-fries that use no waste round steak. Because the beef should be thin sliced to stir-fry, this more expensive cut of meat can be stretched into an affordable—and impressive—meal. To have a firm texture for easier thin slicing, the meat should be frozen for at least an hour.

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**Stir-Fried Caraway Beef** is served over mashed potatoes. It, and the **Budapest Beef**, with paprika and

gherkins, echo the flavors of Northern and Central Europe—but the delicious, innovative recipes are from America's own Campbell Soup Company.

### Stir-Fried Caraway Beef

- 1/2 lb. boneless round steak (1/2-inch thick)
- 2 slices bacon
- 2 medium onions, sliced
- 1 cup sliced celery
- 1 teaspoon caraway seed
- 1 can (10 1/2 oz.) gravy
- 1 medium tomato, cut up
- Mashed potatoes

Freeze meat 1 hour to firm (makes slicing easier); slice into very thin strips.

In a 12" skillet, cook bacon until crisp; remove and crumble. Pour off all but 2 tablespoons drippings.

Cook onions, celery and caraway seed in hot drippings until just tender; push to one side.

Add meat; cook until color just changes. Then add crumbled bacon, gravy and tomato. Heat, stirring occasionally. To serve: Pour over mashed potatoes. (Makes 4 cups or 4 main dish servings.)

### Budapest Beef

- 1/2 lb. boneless round steak (1/2-inch thick)
- 2 Tablespoons salad oil
- 1 can (about 16 oz.) potatoe, drained and cut in half
- 1/2 cup chopped onion

- 1 medium clove garlic, minced
- 2 teaspoons paprika
- 1 can (10 1/2 oz.) mushroom soup
- 1 cup sliced sweet gherkin pickles
- 2 Tablespoons sweet gherkin pickle juice
- 1 teaspoon dried parsley flakes

Freeze meat 1 hour to firm (makes slicing easier); slice into very thin strips.

In a 12" skillet in hot oil, brown potatoes and cool, onion with garlic and paprika until tender; push to one side.

Add beef, cook until color just changes. Add remaining ingredients. Heat, stirring occasionally. (Makes 4 cups or 4 main dish servings.)

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- 2 You can help protect your rights as a taxpayer by estimating and rendering the value of your property on a rendition form. Contact your county appraisal district before May 2nd for details.
- 3 A new pamphlet by the State Property Tax Board explains property taxation in Texas and outlines your rights and remedies as a taxpayer. Pick up your free copy at your county appraisal district office.
- 4 If you are 65 or over or disabled, you may qualify for additional property tax exemptions on your home. The State Property Tax Board says contact your county appraisal district office for details.
- 5 The State Property Tax Board reminds farmers and ranchers that the 1983 filing deadline for agricultural productivity valuation in Texas is May 2nd. Contact your county appraisal district office for details.
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# Sheridan's Ride

by Jack Sheridan



There is one film that has been playing for months in Lubbock, steady at the Mann Slide Road Theatres, that I saw during its first weeks before Christmas and have never for some reason mentioned. It's still with us, too, yet was not an Oscar contender. Its popularity around the country is as steady and marked as apparently its Lubbock date.

The film is cops-and-robbers kind "48 Hours" a chase film set again on the streets of San Francisco. This is no "Bullitt" though, far from it. Still, it has its novelty and apparently popular players, Nick Nolte and Eddie Murphy fresh from his Saturday Night television program. White Nolte, a cop, teams up with Black Eddie to nab the evil ones and there is good playing and lots of action. It's not a bad film, just run-of-the-mill but it seems to have satisfied a lot of people and is still doing so.

I was personally pleased to see that the petite Austrian former Hollywood star, Miss Luise Rainer, came out of retirement in Switzerland to make one of the Oscar presentations this year. Miss Rainer has an Oscar distinction, you know, she's the only actress to win two Oscars back-to-back in successive years. It was in the mid-1930s that this talented woman gave us an unforgettable portrait of the state beauty Anna Held in the film "The Great Ziegfeld." Who will forget the incomparable telephone scene she etched.

It was only the very next year that she gave us a stunning performance of the Chinese peasant woman, O-lan, in Pearl S. Buck's "The Good Earth" which nabbed the second Oscar. That was a picture, with Rainer and Paul Muni and dancer-actress Tilly Losch and a locust invasion of the fields as the climactic moment. Those were fine pictures, among the best in those years so often referred to as the "Golden Years."

The passing of 84 of Gloria Swanson who spanned the era from silent films to the talkies in the 1930s, both as actress and singer (The song was "Love Your Magic Spell Is Everywhere.") in the film "The Trespasser" circa 1930. She lived a full and whirlwind life in the days of dazzling glamour climaxing with a near-miss-at-an-Oscar for "Sunset Boulevard" a comeback film that scored heavily and is seen every so often on the TV screens.

That's about it for this time. More to come next time.

## New Church Opens In Lubbock

The church in the mall, Foundation Apostolic Church, opened its doors on April 10, 1983. The founder and pastor is Elder Willie C. Mitchell. The church is located at 1701 Parkway Mall.

Pastor Mitchell is married to Mary Mitchell. God has blessed them with four lovely children, Tonya, Tanya, Tanaisha and Elijah Mitchell. Elder Mitchell is a graduate of Estacado High School and has been a minister here in Lubbock for eight years.

The Foundation Apostolic Church is a member of the Pentecostal Assemblies of the World. This church is in the diocese of Bishop R. Wauls of the Texas Council. The district Elder is Elroy Smith. Foundation Apostolic Church is also a member of West Texas District Fellowship, Churches in Jesus name. The Assistant Pastor of the church is Elder Derrick Carty and assisting him is Elder Dana Brazell.

Church services are as follows:  
 Sunday School 10 a.m.  
 Sunday Morning Worship 11:30 a.m.  
 Evening Service 6 p.m.  
 Tuesday night weekly Bible study 7:30 p.m.



**Elder Willie Mitchell**  
 Thursday night worship service 7:30 p.m.  
 We invite you to come and worship with us at Foundation Apostolic Church where we believe Jesus Christ is Lord, God and King.

### NAACP

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 Share program, which is under the direction of Fred Richeed, and the Black Business Support Group, whose chairman is Tom Farrington of Waltham, Mass.

The main objectives of NAACP Operation Fair Share are to:  
 • Increase black representation on corporate boards.  
 • Increase black corporate employment.

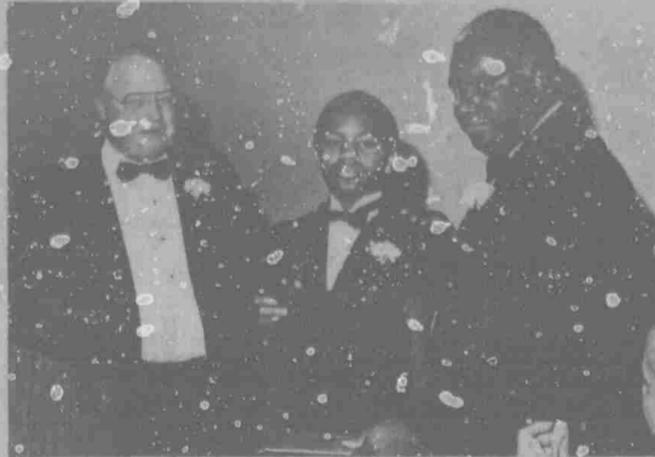
## Thank You

The members of the Federated Women's Clubs of Lubbock were surprised as well as delighted when the president of the Stokes-Parker District of the National Association of Women's and Girls Clubs, Mrs. Lillian Deaver, her husband, Mr. Fred Deaver, and Niblett, all of Odessa, Texas attended the "Get-Acquainted Scholarship Tea" at Lyons Chapel Baptist Church's Fellowship Hall last Sunday afternoon.

This event was sponsored by the Lucky "12", Soul Sisters, and the Magnificent "7" Civic Clubs.

The Youth Department of Lyons Chapel entertained with a beautiful fashion show.

This group of Ladies wish to thank each of you for joining us in this gala event and for your most generous contributions.



**FOR HIS DAD** -- Joey Clements (center), the adopted son of Chicago Roman Catholic Priest George Clements, accepted the Blackbook Humanitarian Award on behalf of his father during recent ceremonies at the Conrad Hilton Hotel. Clements, pastor of Holy Angels Church, was cited for a variety of outreach activities -- including a program to get black couples and single people to adopt black children, and the recent citywide voter registration that is credited with helping Harold Washington win the Democratic nomination for Mayor of Chicago. Making the presentation was John Murphy (left), Chairman of the Board of the Miller Brewing Company, and Donald Walker, publisher of Dollars & Sense magazine -- the Chicago-based publication that sponsors the awards.

## National Award Winner

The United States Achievement Academy announced that Gena Williamson has been named a 1983 United States National Award winner in business education. This is a prestigious honor. In fact, the Academy recognizes less than 10 percent of all American high school students.

Gena Williamson, who attended Monterey High School and is now attending Texas Tech University, was nominated for this National Award by Mrs. Phyllis Kimmonson, an accounting and business teacher at Monterey High

School.

Miss Williamson's biography will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published nationally.

The Academy selects USAA winners upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors or other school sponsors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy. The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to

learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability, and recommendation from a teacher or director.

Gena is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Williamson of 3231 76th Street.



Jim Backwourth, a Black man, discovered a pass through the Sierra Nevada mountains to California and the Pacific Ocean in 1844.

## WALKAMERICA for March of Dimes

"Birth defects are this country's number one child health problem, striking 250,000 babies every year," says Jeff Klotzman of KAMC-TV.

WALKAMERICA Chairman for Lubbock, and the WALKAMERICA is the biggest fundraising event of all, happening all across the country April

24th. It's an annual event in which more than a million Americans will put on their walking shoes to raise money to fight birth defects.

To register to walk you must pick up a pre-registration card at 7-Eleven, Wendy's, McDonald's, Taco Villa, Church's Fried Chicken

or Shallow Waterbeds and mail it to the March of Dimes in Lubbock. A sponsor sheet will be mailed to you promptly. Your only job is to get as many donations as possible and bring it to the Walk at Canyon Lake Waterfall at 8 a.m. on Sunday April 24th. The 20 kilometer Walk and all the fun will begin at 9 a.m. For more information call 747-1804.

## Stand for Something

by Leslie Isaiah Gains, Esq.

**NMP.** -- How strong is your character? How straight is your spine? A muscle man with a jelly spine is too weak to hold his head up for what he believes in. Stand for something! Stand for what you believe, even if you have to stand alone. Stand for what is right and just even if the whole world turns against you.

It's always easy to stand in the crowd and get lost in the masses. It takes a person with moral strength and personal character to see the line drawn and see his friends standing on the other side. Stand on your own even if you have to stand against your friends.

How many people started smoking just to go along with their friends? How many people started drinking or popping pills just to join the group or to be one of the boys? How many girls went along with unwanted sex just to be accepted? How many people went to juvenile detention or jail to just follow the crowd?

The hell with the crowd! Be guided by your own judgment. Conduct your life with dignity and pride even if your so-called friends turn their backs on you.

Stand for something! Don't be a pushover or a "yes man" for anybody. Don't let anybody sweet talk you or con you into doing anything you know is against your personal

character or family name. Stand for something! Don't try to please everybody. Don't try to agree with everybody. Conduct your life with dignity and respect.

The bottom line of life is not who likes you, but who respects you. What is it worth to be liked by

## UNUSUNG HEROES

Millions of Americans are enjoying better phone service thanks to twenty-three people whose faces and names are not even known to them. Heading that highly skilled group is Tommy Dennis who works for Western Electric in Dallas, the manufacturing unit of Bell System.



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possible for you to do special things with your telephone. Things like programming your telephone so it will forward a call to a friend's home while you're visiting there. Things like setting a soft tone to let you know, while you're talking on the phone, that someone else is trying to reach you. Because of the work Tommy Dennis does, you can even hold a three-way telephone conversation, literally just with the tap of a push-button on your phone.

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