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'Around the Hub City' CAB CONTROVERSARY STIRS COMMUNITY INTEREST

"Around The Hub City" had the opportunity of interviewing three students from the Republic of Panama. In talking with these young people, it was impressive to know of the interest they have in wanting to come to America and better their conditions in education.

Each of the students are very much interested in preparing themselves in order that they may be able to help more young people in their country.

The students are presently enrolled at the Mary & Mac Private School.

The Dunbar Alumni organization, an ex-student organization of the Dunbar High School, will hold its regular meeting on Sunday afternoon, February 12, at 4:00 p.m. in room 107 of Dunbar High School.

The president of this organization made it known that it is imperative that as many members as possible be present at this meeting.

The director and managers of the Eastern Little League met on last Sunday afternoon in regard to the on coming baseball season.

Velma Nash, a senior, was elected as the editor of Mary & Mac's first annual. Julius Caesar Graves, also a senior, was elected as assistant editor. Both are students of the Mary & Mac Private School.

The sixty-six newcomer families reported in Lubbock last week brought the first five week total in 1967 to 311 new families, at comparable date in 1966.

A final tabulation of Lubbock County's 1967 voter strength is at least several days away, it was learned this week, according to deputy Ralph Thompson in the tax-assessor-collector's office.

Deputies in the office estimate it will take the length of time to complete the check of voter registrations and tally the total registered during registration on period which ended on January 31.

A seven-year-old boy, Robert Bonds, Jr., 3303 2nd Place, received treatment at West Texas Hospital last Friday evening for second-degree burns he suffered on his right arm and side. His clothes caught fire from an open stove in the bathroom of his home. He was taken to the hospital by his parents.

A charge of assault with intent to murder was filed Monday against Jesse Lee Vandabilte, 27, 3622 East 15th Street. L.V. Johnson, 18, 311 16th Street, suffered a gunshot wound in the left thigh in an incident last Thursday evening in the 400-block of 17th Street. Police arrested the suspect at the scene of the incident.

Thomas James Patterson, 2405 Globe Avenue, received an award from the National Council of the Boy Scouts of America upon recommendation of the South Plains Council. The award was a certificate for completing the Training Recognition Plan for the Scouter's Key.

The award and key was presented to him on Tuesday afternoon at Mary & Mac School by the chairman of the Leadership Training Committee, George Millier.

It looks as though the 'ground hog' saw his shadow last week, and it appears as though we will have those six week of bad weather here in 'Hub City'. You know we did have a few snow flurries this week. How about that!

WEDDING ANNOUNCED



Mr. and Mrs. R.V. Carroll, 2401 East 7th Street, entertained their friend in a reception in behalf of their wedding which was given on last Sunday evening at the Caprock Elk's Rest.

The wedding for newly couple was held on last Friday afternoon, and an enthused crowd was on hand to wish the Carrolls a great and happy success.

Community Action Directors Meet With Small Business Administration

Community Action Program Directors and personnel from 60 counties in the West Texas area met Monday afternoon with Small Business Administration officials in the conference room at the Federal Building, 1600 19th.

Over 50 people were on hand at this meeting.

The purpose of this program was to elaborate on the ways the SBA can enter into the war on poverty.

Lincoln Day Tea Scheduled

A special Lincoln Day Emancipation Tea is on tap for Sunday, February 12, in the Navaio Room at Caprock Hotel from 4-7 p.m.

This is to be a public event and tickets are available.

A public forum with the theme, "The Racial Aspects of the Growing Crime Rate in Lubbock County," is to be conducted about 5 p.m.

Mayor W.D. Rogers, Jr. is to be the speaker. Discussion will follow. Charles E. Brown, principal of E.C. Struggs junior high school, will be the master of ceremonies.

Music will be presented by the Dunbar high school band. Representatives of the Prairie View College Choir are to be guests.

Plans for the event were announced by the Rev. George Flemmings, pastor of Ricks Chapel Baptist Church, located on Liberty Rd. in northeastern Lubbock.

Tying in with observance of National History Week, the program will include remarks by the Rev. Bob Taniel, Jr., Hobbs, N.M., a Methodist minister and Southwest director of National History-Week observance.

Speakers for this program included Joe Meador, program consultant of the district Office of Economic Opportunity; M.T. Klein, of the management and procurement division of SBA; Garner Young and W.H. McKelvey loan officers with SBA; and B.E. Winder, chief financial assistant with SBA.

Also appearing on the program were Bertram Adams, program consultant with the Texas Office of Economic Opportunity in Austin; and Mrs. Thelma Elliott, research and program development specialist with the state OEO.

Adams spoke on "How Neighborhood Centers Relate in the Community Action Program Structure." Mrs. Elliott talked about the role of the Neighborhood Center.

CITY VISITOR DIES HERE

Mrs. Lillie B. Booker, who was visiting a niece, Mrs. Johnnie Hayden, passed here at Porter Clinic on January 25th and was taken back to her home, Hearne, Texas for burial.

Mrs. Hayden and family has returned back home from the funeral along with a brother, Rev. D.C. Mullins of Martin, Texas.

Mrs. Hayden resides at 2402 East 7th Street.

Mrs. Booker's survivors include four sisters, Mrs. Lovie Decker of Fredrick, Okla., Mrs. Sarah Mc Dade of Rockdale, Texas, Mrs. N.C. Huwitt of San Antonio, and Mrs. Bersie Mitchell of Los Angeles, California; two brothers, Rev. D.C. Mullins of Lubbock and Jimmie Mullins of Morton, Texas; and host of relatives and friends.

A call meeting of the Steering Committee of Census Tract 12 of the Community Action Board was held on last Sunday afternoon at the Mary & Mac Private School with approximately forty members of this tract present.

This meeting was called to discuss various reports to the members of the Steering Committee which had been received concerning the hiring of an Assistant Director of CAB.

Harry Stokley gave a report on the investigation and conference he and R.A. Wheatley had with the director, Joe Kelly, concerning the reported hiring of the Assistant Director. Wheatley gave a report on the conference he and Stokley had with Rev. A.C. Shindler and Rev. J. Walker.

It was also recommended that a letter be sent to the CAB requesting a meeting with representatives of the Board at the earliest possible date. The letter is to be sent to the Executive Committee requesting a joining meeting also stating our feelings on recent as possible.

Mrs. Marshall Taylor was elected secretary of the Steering Committee, and Grover C. Colvin was elected assistant secretary and treasurer.

Another important factor in this meeting was that in order for each member of this organization

to participate as chairman, it was voted upon that each member rotate in alphabetical order over a three month period.

In the meeting on Monday night with Joe Kelly in regard to the hiring of Rev. Schindler, it was learned that he (Rev. Schindler) had resigned his position for another position.

The Steering Committee decided that the best way of discussing the hiring of an Assistant Director and the necessary funds needed in operating the center was to have representatives meet with the members of the Community Action Board.

According to Kelly, only ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) are available for this center and that the assistant director will be paid a salary of only \$5,000 a year.

In addition to this, two aides are needed to help fill the necessary status of the center.

Because of a pending meeting with the CAB board a definite meeting of the Steering Committee has not been set.

A mass meeting is scheduled in the near future in regard to the Neighborhood Center which is to open next month.

The qualifications of the Assistant Director-which were drawn up by Kelly-were presented to the Steering Committee.

PRAIRIE VIEW ACAPELLA CONCERT CHOIR SET TO APPEAR AT DUNBAR



Dr. H. Edison Anderson

The nationally known Prairie View Acapella Concert Choir will appear in Lubbock Sunday, February 12, at 3:00 p.m. at the Dunbar High School Auditorium.

The choir is under the direction of Dr. H. Edison Anderson. Their repertoire includes works from the masterpieces, classic, modern, romantic, and excerpts from serious and light opera and Broadway musical hits. The choir has been popular in sacred and secular concerts, radio and television.

During the past 6 years, they have made extensive tours, ap-

pearing in the major leading cities and musical centers from Galveston to Detroit and Canada, from San Francisco to Washington, D.C., inclusive of New York, Chicago, Tijuana, Old Mexico and in every sizable city, school and church in Texas and the Southwest.

The choir consists of thirty nine young singers and will concertize in a program entitled, "Versatile Telstar of Songs Internationale."

The group is being sponsored by the Carter Chapel C.M.E. Methodist Church.

NEW BUSINESS OPENED HERE



R.J. Givens, 1321 East 25th Street, has announced the opening of the Given's Real Estate Agency at 4th Street and Ute Avenue, near Dr. Pillow's office, soon. The new office will handle real estate sales, income taxes, a notary public, and rental collections.

Givens, a resident of Lubbock for thirty years, is a 1951 graduate of Dunbar High School and a 1955

graduate of Huston Tillston college where he received a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration.

He has been a substitute teacher in the Lubbock Public Schools for seven years, and a federal employer in Lubbock for ten years. He is a qualified real estate broker.

Givens, who worked for a year as salesman for the East Ridge

Agency, 1801 Broadway, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Givens, Sr.

He is a member and secretary of Caprock Elks Lodge and a member of Omega Psi Phi fraternity.

A grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Neal McMorris, 2706 East 2nd, is married to Mrs. Octavia Givens and they are the proud parents of two children, Ronald Dean, 14, and Cheryl Dense, 8.

I DIDN'T KNOW?

I DIDN'T KNOW that the area southwest of the beautiful Green-Fair Manor apartments was designated for a 'JUNK YARD' for wrecked cars. Actually, you wouldn't expect this type of a situation, less than a block from the newly modern 125 complex, would exist after the URBAN RENEWAL PROGRAM had wiped out "QUEEN CITY", "STEIN CITY" and all of their little sisters.

One thing about this JUNK YARD, it is well equipped with a ten foot wire fence and the necessary equipments for making a growing industry. Oh, by the way, an office building is presently being built to handle all of the paper work. This is a good omen that this business is here for duration.

I DO KNOW, my people, something should be done about this type of action. I'm sure you didn't know this was existing here in our midst.

A great deal of you didn't know and perhaps some of you are not AWARE that the 'BLACK ASPHALT' covering at the corners of Ivory Avenue and East 28th Street is designated for a PARK.....not a PARKING LOT. According to the Park and Recreation Office, this playground facility will cost in the neighborhood of \$70,000. It was also learned that this type of PARK is the new trend.

How about that!!!!

With the population of young people, it would appear as though this area would be equipped with MOTHER NATURE'S GRASS, regardless of the heavy traffic of people on the park.

I DO KNOW that several weeks before the ASPHALT COVERING, a sprinkler system was embedded in the earth for the growth of green GRASS (I'm sure). How about that Park and Recreation?

I DIDN'T KNOW that an excuse as this was the reason for constructing a 'BLACK ASPHALT PARK'.

I DIDN'T KNOW that James Ray Jackson, a former footballer and trackman at Dunbar High School, was considering to play professional football until his visit here during the Christmas holidays.

In talking to Jim, he made it known (to me personally) that he was very much concerned about playing the eleven man game as a 'pro', and that he had been contacted by representatives of the Canadian Professional League. However, Jim admitted that he would not consider any type of confirmation to this league until the National Football League (NFL) has made its draft.

It would be a giant step for the ex-Panther to engage in the NFL or Canadian League. I DO KNOW he would look good in a Dallas Cowboy jersey.

Jackson was one of the sparks on the Oklahoma Sonners squad this past year.

I DIDN'T KNOW that the railroad crossing, near the old Urban Renewal Relocation Office building on Juniper, was as dangerous as it was until the other evening when an automobile (with passenger) appeared to have 'just' missed colliding with the on coming engine.

Perhaps some type of crossing-with a red light-should be erected so that a passing vehicle or pedestrian can be warned in case there is an engine approaching.

The traffic in this area, especially during the dusk of the day, is quite frequent and something needs to be done about this problem before something terrible happens.

If there is anything that you 'DIDN'T KNOW' about in your city, then send it to this column, "I DIDN'T KNOW", and express your opinion. Remember the item you 'DIDN'T KNOW' may help all of us.

A Brunch To Remember



A super dish is "Eggs Supreme," and a perfect choice for brunch or lunch. English muffins, thin slices of cooked ham, poached eggs and a vegetable sauce made with one of the new frozen vegetables with cream sauce make up this delightful version of eggs Benedict.

Eggs Supreme

- 1 package (8 oz.) frozen green peas and potatoes with cream sauce
- 6 English muffin halves, toasted and buttered
- 6 thin slices ham or Canadian bacon, cooked
- 6 eggs, poached

Prepare peas and potatoes as directed on package. Meanwhile, top each muffin half with a slice of ham and a poached egg. Pour prepared vegetables over all; garnish with parsley, if desired. Makes 6 servings.

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Probation Term Revoked Here

Judge Victor H. Lindsey, 72nd District Court last Friday revoked a three-year probationary sentence for a Lubbock woman for violations of the terms of her probation.

The defendant was Mildred Mae Evans, 20, 3032 East 24th Street. She was revoked because of theft on March 18, according to Asst. District Attorney Jerome Scheutzeberg. She will be transferred to the Texas Department of Corrections.

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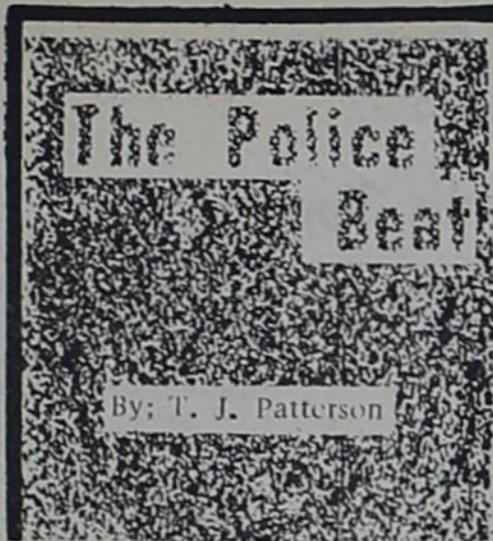
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Women Talk

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Wine's use as a "safe long acting natural tranquilizer" instead of drugs that are "artificial tranquilizers" is advocated by a distinguished University of California physician in an article published today in the January issue of the Illinois Medical Journal.

Dr. Salvatore P. Lucia, professor of Medicine at the University of California School of Medicine, San Francisco, writes that wine "is of far more value as a therapeutic adjunct in promoting relaxation than is a hastily swallowed capsule."

Wine, he points out, has been used for more than 40 centuries as a safe tranquilizer and there is no reason it should not be used for this even today. Modern research has confirmed the ages-old values of wine, he says. In his view, wine is a "natural tranquilizer" while tranquilizing drugs are "artificial tranquilizers."

Some tranquilizing drugs also have hidden wallop that strikes when taken in combination with alcohol or with barbiturates and opiates.

Wine, says Dr. Lucia, is more than merely alcohol. "Its many other ingredients bring into the category of tranquilizers. Many studies of wine disclose that the ability of wine to reduce nervous tension is a result of the ability of its 'chemical symphony'."

Numerous studies have shown "that wine gives far more sustained and gently tranquilizing effects than does straight ethyl alcohol diluted with water to the same strength."

One leading possibility for use of wine as a tranquilizer is in the elderly, says Dr. Lucia. It can help them "cope with these tensions and live out a long span in peace and gratitude." One serving before, or two servings with a meal provide the desired tranquilization.

"In the rush of rapid pharmaceutical progress, the ages-old established, inexpensive, and safe medicine called wine is apt to be forgotten," writes Dr. Lucia. "So, too, in a post-prohibition society, these ancient dietary beverages are still apt to be regarded over-emotionally and pseudo-morally by the physician. Yet, the long history of the use of wine in medical practice and the modern scientific research confirming its values are gaining the attention of increasing number of physicians."

THIS WEEK IN NEGRO HISTORY

—An NPI Feature

Feb. 1, 1776 George Washington answered letter from Poetess Phyllis Wheatley.

Feb. 1, 1810 Charles L. Redmond, Negro abolitionist, was born.

Feb. 1, 1902 Langston Hughes, poet-author lecturer, was born in Joplin, Mo.

Feb. 2, 1827 Law passed in Illinois providing "No Negro or Mulatto shall be a witness in any court against a white person."

Feb. 2, 1876 Birth of Atlanta, Ga. of John Adams, Sr., lawyer-minister and Nebraska State Senator from the Omaha fifth district for six terms.

Feb. 2, 1921 Death of Lucian B. Watkins, Baltimore poet, often called the "poet laureate of the New Negro." One of his works was entitled "A Message to the Modern Pharaoh."

Feb. 3, 1867 Birth of Fannie Jackson Coppin, educator-lecturer-religious worker.

Feb. 3, 1938 Gratien Candace becomes first Negro to preside over French Chamber of Deputies.

Feb. 4, 1822 Negroes founded a settlement in Liberia. The country was formally declared a republic in 1947.

Feb. 5, 1934 Hank Aaron, baseball star of the Atlanta Braves, was born in Mobile, Alabama.

Feb. 6, 1780 Birth of Lott Carey, early Negro Baptist missionary to Africa, from whom the Lott Carey Baptist Missionary Convention is named.

Feb. 7, 1787 The African Methodist Episcopal Church began functioning in Philadelphia, under the leadership of founder Richard Allen.

Feb. 7, 1850 Richard E. Moore, first Negro to receive a commission as captain in the Illinois National Guard, was born in Brownsville, Pa. He was in the outfit later to become the famed Eighth Infantry Regiment of the State's militia.

Feb. 8, 1947 Sister Josephine Bakhita, former slave from Darfur, Sudan, died in Schio, a small village in northern Italy. She had been taken to Italy by her owner and was freed through the intercession of Pope Pius X in civil court. She is now a candidate for beautification in the Roman Catholic Church.

Feb. 9, 1870 Allen University, Columbia, S.C. was founded.

Feb. 9, 1906 Internationally-famous poet Paul Lawrence Dunbar, died in Dayton, Ohio, at age 36.

Feb. 10, 1854 Joseph C. Price, orator-educator-founder of Livingston College, Salisbury, N. C. (1879) was born. He died in 1893.

Feb. 11, 1929 Birth of opera star Leontyne Price.

Feb. 12, 1790 Anti-Slavery Memorium signed by Benjamin Franklin.

Feb. 12, 1809 Abraham Lincoln, the Great Emancipator and 16th President of the United States was born in Harding County, Kentucky.

Feb. 12, 1859 Arkansas Gov. Elias N. Conway signed into law an act of the General Assembly expelling all freed Negroes and mullattoes from the State of Arkansas.

Feb. 12, 1865 The Rev. Henry H. Garnett, pastor, 15th Street Presbyterian Church, Washington, D. C. became the first Negro minister to deliver a sermon in the U.S. House of Representatives.

Feb. 12, 1909 Conference held in New York leading to the formation of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP).

THEFT OF A BIKE
The cry of a stolen bike was the call last week when Charlie Budley, 3316 East 16th Street, reported the theft of red and white bicycle from his yard.

Budley had no idea who could have stolen this bike, but one thing is for certain, this bike was valued at \$30.00.

BATTERY THEFT

It's true, people are stealing everything these days. If you think I'm not leveling with you, why not ask E.C. Watson, 620 Avenue B, who was a victim of a battery theft last week.

Watson told police that his car was parked in his yard when the incident occurred. He, too, had no idea who wanted his \$19.00 battery.

According to Watson, the battery was in good shape.

WHAT'S THIS..... ARRESTED FOR THEFT OF A BOTTLE OF DEODORANT

At least the 53 year-old man arrested on last week for theft in a local store took something

that would help keep smelling sweet.

You can imagine how he felt when he woke up in jail, you see this thief was in a drunk condition, but at least he wanted to smell good. How about that!!

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY

Lubbock Police was summoned to the Jackson and Hall Barbecue Pit, Railroad Avenue, in regard to an alarm which had been down.

Upon arrival, police found that the north window had been broken and the window pried. The remaining pieces of the glass were found under the building, but the burglar did not enter the building.

The value of the attempted burglary costed the owners, Henry Jackson and Sidney Hall, exactly \$5.00 for the damage to the window and glass.

ANOTHER BIKE TAKEN BY UNKNOWN PERSON

A.J. Draper, 3406 East 16th Street, was the second person to report the theft of a bike from his home last week.

The bicycle, which belonged to his son, was valued at \$15.00.

He, too, like the other victim, had no idea who could have stolen his son's bike.

HOW ABOUT THIS..... NO BREAK IN AT E.C. STRUGGS OR DUNBAR LAST WEEK

Let's hope this type of action remains at these two schools. For weeks, Dunbar and Struggs were victims of many lootings.

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NOT CRICKET

London--NPI--Another intercountry sports event has run afoul South Africa's racial policies, all because a non-white member is likely to be on one of the teams. The issue revolves about Basil d'Oliveria, a mixed-blood South African who is in line for a spot on the team of the Marylebone Cricket Club which operates England national team. The club has now been asked to cancel its scheduled 1968-69 tour of South Africa because that country's laws against interracial sports would prohibit d'Oliveria from playing in the test match series.

FREEDON VOTE

Djibouti--NPI--If the present climate in French Somaliland is any indication, come next month, the referendum to decide on the nation's future will bring an overwhelming vote for independence from French colonial rule. Three of the nation's most prominent political units, the Issa Democratic Union (UDI), Party Alliance for Progress and People's Movement (PMP) have joined forces to get out the "Independence" vote.

JAILED FOR BIAS

London--NPI--Colin Jordan, 43, and Peter Pollard, 19, convicted under the 1965 Race Relation Act last week, on charges of inciting racial hatred. Jordan drew 18 months in jail, while Pollard was given probation. This was the second case prosecuted under the law, the first being against Christopher Britton, 17, who drew a six-month sentence, later suspended.

RERUN AGAIN

Accra--NPI--It seemed like old times in Ghana last week when the ruling National Liberation Council announced it had uncovered a plot to stage a coup in which council members would have been assassinated. During ex-president Nkrumah's reign, numerous plots against his life were thwarted, and his ouster came when he was out of the country. Involved in the most recent attempt against the government were four Ghanaians and a Nigerian.

ALARM EITHER WAY

Tokyo--NPI--Birth rates are important statistics, but in two countries, the figures are causing some alarm. In Japan, the 1966 figures are reported to be the lowest since the government began taking an annual census in 1899. On the other hand, South Africa is becoming alarmed over the skyrocketing population.

Figures for black Africans estimates are that 3.5 million white and 12.5 million blacks will rise by the year 2000 to 7 million whites and 30 million blacks.

DELAYED VOTE

San Juan--NPI--Decision-day for Puerto Rico whether to attain statehood—which was to have been July 23, may not come off until the fall, according to recent reports. A postponement has been requested because of threat by the Republic Statehood party to boycott the polls.

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The Negro as a Human Being in America

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The Negro's Attempts to Overcome His Oppression

(Editor's Note: This is the third in a five-part series analyzing the Negro as a person, a people and as Americans—a series that seeks to explore the history, nature and complexity of an oppressed people in a land of abundance, who strive to gain equality of opportunity, dignity and respect.)

"What I can't understand is why the Negro didn't do something sooner to throw off his oppression," said a Canadian-born white theatre director as a group sat around a table discussing the efforts of one of the young playwrights to dramatize the life of the Negro insurrectionist, Nat Turner.

Before they knew what happened, the conversation had changed from the usual discussion of the theatre to a discussion of the race issue. The Negroes in the group were quick to give explanations why Negroes had waited so long to try to overcome their oppression.

The white group members, mostly curious young men, hastened to take advantage of the trend in the conservation to satisfy their uncertainties regarding aspects of the Negro's behaviour. The questioning and answering continued after the session, even until the group was lounging in a nearby cocktail lounge.

During the course of their explanation, the Negro members of the group had gone through the gamut of reasons and explanations, and still the whites were not satisfied. It seemed ironic that they were dissatisfied since by some act of their being white, they were even now inadvertently helping to keep the Negro oppressed.

In earlier discussions of the Negro as a human being in America, some reasons why the oppression was so effective. Perhaps some repeating would explain why it took the Negro so long to initiate some action.

There are rare and infrequent historical records found attesting to the actions of Negro slaves to mutiny on slave ships or fights against capture once they were brought to America.

There are also accounts of insurrections of men like Nat Turner, and the abolitionists like John Brown who had plans of violently freeing the Negroes.

There were Harriet Beecher Stowe, Frederick Douglas and W. E. B. DuBois, and their efforts to point to the atrocity of the continued dehumanization of the black people in America.

Then there were those few Negroes who migrated into Canada, and finally made it to Europe and freedom. And also those who returned to Africa and founded the country of Liberia.

But what about the ones who remained? What was it like for them? In earlier discussion, it was pointed out that most of the Negro slaves were in the South, supporting the agrarian economy of that region. The country was rural; Negroes were isolated and decentralized, and even after slavery, there were no Negro leaders of stature who could bring the peo-

ple together.

In many parts of the South, the Negro lacked education and appreciation of the American ways. They were used and abused by their former owners, by the carpetbaggers, and had their fate debated in the halls of Congress.

They were intimidated by murders, lynchings, night riders, and other forms of terrorism to the point that they were afraid to take part in any action opposed by their white masters.

The lateness of the Negro's attempt to overcome oppression thus resulted from the fact that he is just now getting the real and necessary elements with which to overcome.

The educational level of the Negro has increased rapidly—no change, social, economic or violently revolutionary, can be accomplished without education as a basis.

For most of his history, the Negro has depended for his livelihood on the gratuities of the white man, but today, because of the size of his labor force potential, his income and spending habits, he has, to a large extent, become increasingly economically independent.

The white merchant has come to respect this independence and has gone after it with respectable advertising, with reciprocations in job opportunities, and with other opportunities for advancement.

The Negro has also acquired power. No revolutionary force can do anything to bring about change, unless it has some kind of power. Being one-tenth of the total population in America and reproducing faster and living longer, with his increased education and appreciation of values and becoming familiar with their uses, the Negro has made himself a power element respected and at times feared by the white community.

More significantly, the Negro has been successful in restoring the natural and historic image to his American image. At the same time, he has given himself pride, confidence and aggressiveness—attributes which any adversary must not only admire, but respect.

Basically, it has taken time for the Negro to gather unto himself the necessary tools with which to break the bonds and cast off the mantle of oppression.

What was the starting point? Perhaps it was the year 1954, which brought the historic U.S. Supreme Court decision on integration in education and the bus boycott in Montgomery.

With the progress the Negro has made in such a short period of time, there is no limit to what the future has in store for the Negro in America.

(Editor's Note: Though some of the ideas presented in these articles do not meet with our views and feelings as we represent them, we still feel that all of the ideas deserve notice and for this reason we will run all of the author's series.)

PANTHERS CLOSE WITH 83-49 WIN

The fighting Dunbar Panthers closed their 1966-67 basketball season last Friday night in Panther Gym with an impressive 83-49 victory over Amarillo Carver.

Jerry Phillips and James Johnson led the Panthers' charge with 18 and 17 points respectively while Glenn King ripped the net for 21 points for the losers.

Dunbar was never seriously threatened as the Panthers wound up the year with a 20-5 season mark and a 4-2 district mark.

The Panthers jumped out ahead of the Amarillo quintet 21-10, in the initial quarter as Phillips and Johnson hit for eight and six points.

The challengers, an old rival, finished the year with 2-4 district mark and 12-8 for the season.

Aside from the Panthers victory, the Dunbar "B" culminated a perfect season with a 16-0 mark by stopping, Amarillo, 63-49. Frank Melton and William Baldwin had 18 and 17 points respectively for winners.

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Church News



CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST NO. 1

The Church of God in Christ No. 1, 1602 Quirt Avenue, will be the location of a convocation of churches of Lubbock District February 13-19.

Bishop J.E. Alexander is host pastor. He is presiding bishop of Texas Northeast Diocese.

District officials are the Rev. J.E. Alexander, district superintendent and host pastor; the Rev. F.J. Lauterdale, Ralls, treasurer; the Rev. E.L. Hastings, Slaton, chaplain; and the Rev. W.H. Robinson, Young People Willing Worker president; G.S. Lewis, Sunday School superintendent; the Rev. J.E. Judie, secretary; and Mrs. Emma Winn, district missionary, all of Lubbock.

Services will be conducted at 8 p.m. daily, February 13-18, and from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on February 19.

Homecoming will be observed opening night. Sunday School and YPWV will be emphasized on February 15. Women's Day will be observed on February 17.

District Superintendent Alexander will be honored on Superintendent's Day, February 19.

MOUNT GILEAD BAPTIST CHURCH

The members of the Ebenezer Baptist Church of Hobbs, New Mexico are celebrating their 29th anniversary of Rev. and Mrs. F. W. Well, February 5-12. Our church will worship with them on Sunday, February 12.

Members on the sick list include Charlie Payne, Miriah Gre-

en, Maybell Bolton, N.L. Gadsden, and Frank Blewitt.

LYONS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH

A Mass Foreign Mission service was held at our church on last Sunday afternoon. Foreign mission representative, Rev. A. B. Lee was special speaker.

GREATER SAINT JAMES BAPTIST CHURCH

Everyone is cordially invited to a pre-Valentine Party in honoring Sis. Nancy Scoody for over 20 years of service as secretary of the church.

You will miss a treat if you miss this special program.

Her special guest will include her husband, C.S. Scoody; daughters, Mrs. Helen Davis, Mrs. Pearl Harris, both of Lubbock; and two others from Big Spring and Spokanee, Washington; and an aunt from Wichita Falls, Texas.

Many more years of good service is expected of her in years to come.

Refreshments will served immediately after the program.

NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH

A special Knights of Pythians service will be held at our church on Sunday, February 12, at 3 p.m.

A Church conference was held at our church on Monday night.

Federation of Choirs will be held on Sunday, February 26, at 2:30 p.m., with the St. James Baptist Church as host.

Annual Deacons Day will be

Woman's Talk

By ROSE HAWKINS
Negro Press International

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observed on Sunday, the fifth Sunday of March, due to the fact that a special Foreign Mission service was held in our city on last Sunday afternoon.

Bible Study Courses are held each Saturday evening at 7:00 p.m. at the church. Anyone is cordially invited to attend this special program.

The West Texas District Board will convene on March 15-16 in Fort Worth, Texas.

General Mission will be held at our church on Monday night the 27th of the month at 8:00 p.m.

GREATER SAINT LUKE BAPTIST CHURCH

The Y.W.A., an organization for young women between the ages of 17-24, met in the church on Monday evening at 8:00 p.m.

The Saint Luke choirs are invited to sing on the pre-opening program of the Lubbock District Convocation. This service will convene February 13 at 8:00 p.m.

The Martha Circle met with Sis. Wilma Horton on Tuesday evening at 7:30 p.m.

The Eunice Circle will meet tonight, Thursday, in the home of Sis. Lorene Crawford, 3608 Walnut Avenue, at 8:00 p.m.

The Jochabed and Hannah Circles met in the homes of Sisters Mary Devaughn, 1805 Avenue E, and Florence Guyton, 1014 Avenue A, last Monday evening at 8:00 p.m.

Bro. Howard McBride is in the Veteran's Hospital at Big Springs.

Sis. Daisy Deo is doing fine after surgery in Phoenix, Arizona.

Bro. Thomas Sanders is ill in the Methodist Hospital.

Sisters Lorene Crawford and Gloria Ward are on the sick list.

BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH

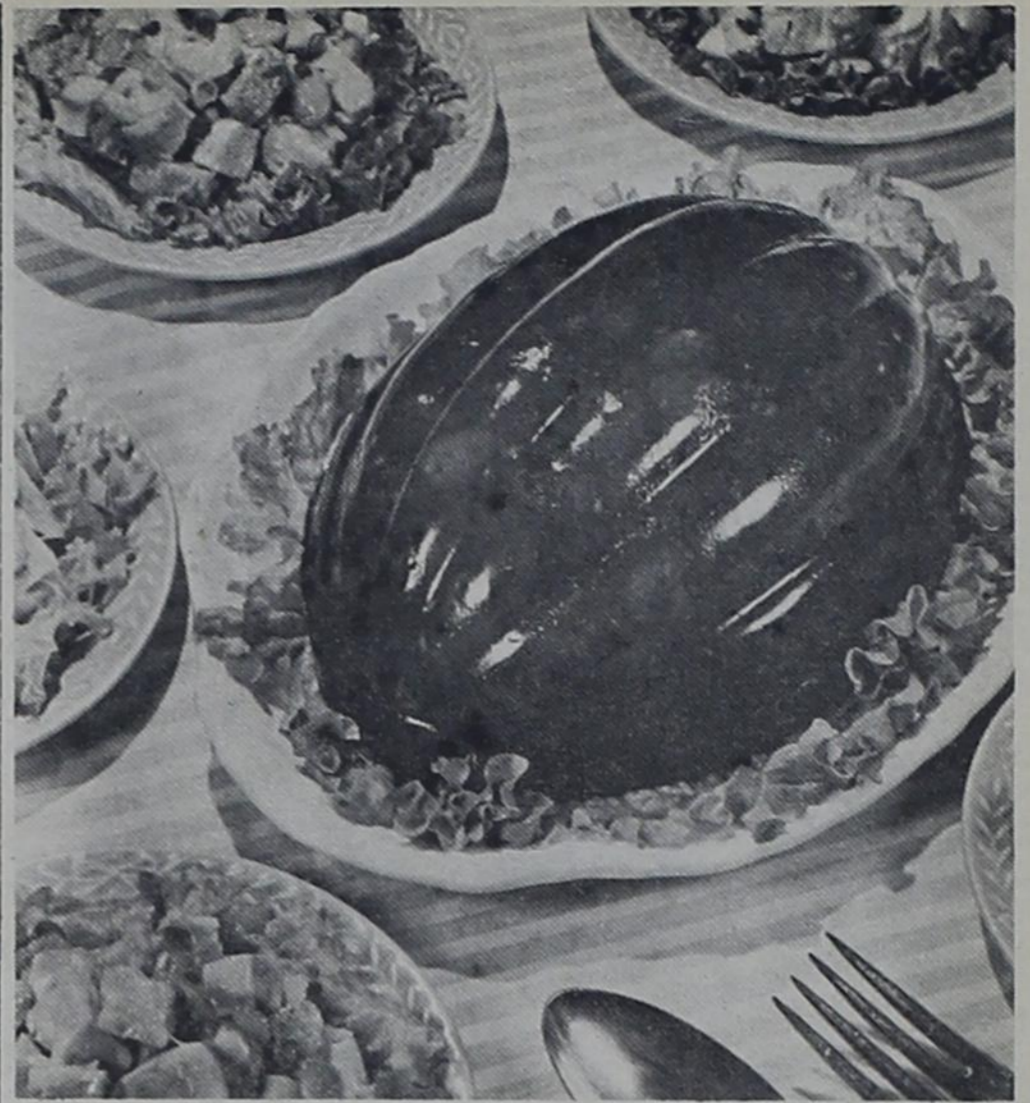
One of the twenty captians of the women committee at our church, Sister Fannie Melton, announced last week that Mrs. Lavern Osburn, 1810 East 25th St., was a winner of a box of groceries on February 5th.

This is a special effort that is given to meet the quota of each team.

JERUSALEM TEMPLE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

The Spiritual Wonders, a well known quartet from Midland, will appear at our church on Sunday, February 12th, at 3:00 p.m.

Also appearing with this group will be a Lubbock group, the True Light Gospel Singers. This group will also appear on the weekly Sunday morning program over Radio Station KLLL at 9 a.m.



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luncheon table. Its refreshing tang is due to ReaLemon bottled lemon juice.

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- 2 6-ounce packages raspberry flavored gelatin
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- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 2 10-ounce package frozen raspberries
- 3 cups cubed cooked chicken
- 1 cup sliced celery
- 1/2 cup mayonnaise
- 2 to 3 tablespoons ReaLemon bottled lemon juice
- 1/4 cup blanched almonds, toasted

- 2 to 3 hard cooked eggs, chopped
- 2 tablespoons sliced green onion
- salt and pepper to taste
- Lettuce Cups

Dissolve gelatin in hot water; stir in ReaLemon bottled lemon juice and salt. Add raspberries. Stir gently until fruit defrosts and is well mixed. Chill until partially set; pour into mold that holds 5 1/2 cups. Chill until firm. Unmold on serving plate.

Combine chicken, celery, almonds, eggs and onion. Season with salt and pepper. Combine mayonnaise and ReaLemon bottled lemon juice; and to chicken mixture and toss lightly. Fill lettuce cups with chicken salad and place around mold or on individual salad plates. Yield: eight servings.

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