

Dedicated to Informing the Negro Citizens of West Texas

'Around the Hub City'

The rains came last week and from all indications, well, it appears as though we will have a repeat performance this week. Because of this 'half-a-foot' rain, the "Manhattan Heights and West Texas Times", your favorite weekly, will only be four pages this week. You see, where this paper is laid out each week, well it is nearly in water.

'AROUND THE HUB CITY' had an opportunity of traveling to Post, Texas last Sunday with a Boys Scout troop. You know, it does one good to get out and see some of Mother Nature's doing.

Aside from this, I had an opportunity of marching with my son and nephew in the 'Loyalty Day' parade here Memorial Day. The kids got a 'big kick' out of the three mile march, but me, I felt as though it was my duty since I have served in a war torn country--South Vietnam.

Don't you think more of these are needed?

They tell me that Ed Deo and L.D. Davenport are spending late hours on the golf course. I wonder why they haven't invited Earl Elloitt and yours truly?

Charles 'Snookie' Sedberry has returned from Dallas, Texas where he visited several days with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E.T. Hubbard of Seattle, Washington and their niece, Mrs. Clarence Fagan also of Seattle, arrived here last Sunday afternoon for a visit with relatives.

Mr. s. Hubbard's father, Mr. Smart, is a patient at the hospital and is quite ill. Mrs. Fagan is a daughter of Mrs. Carrie Sanders who is Mr. Hubbard's sister.

Freddy Simmons left Sunday afternoon for Houston, Texas where he will enter summer school at Texas Southern University. He is majoring in Pharmacy.

Mr. s. Norma "Baby" Austin entered Methodist Hospital last Sunday afternoon. She will undergo surgery soon.

James Page, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Page, is home for the summer. He is a student at Mississippi Valley State College at Itta Bena, Mississippi.

He has completed his freshman year work.

Cecille Joyce Graves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Graves, II, left last week for Bishop College where she will enter summer school.

Would you believe that every 14 seconds, yes, 14 seconds, a baby is born in India's drought-ravaged state of Bihar, a family planning conference reported last week. The rate for all of India is one baby every 1 1/2 seconds, according to a government official.

This column would like to remind you, MOM and DAD, that you are responsible for the actions of your children.

What do I mean by this, well it's simple. I mean that you should be concerned more about what they do, where they go and when they return.

Especially during the summer when most of them are idle around the community. You know, your child as well as the neighbor's kid can easily get into trouble. Believe me, MOM and DAD, your child--regardless where he lives--needs constant counseling. Why not be more concerned!!

Presented In Musical Program Here



Robertha Ann Johnson was one of twenty students presented in a musical sponsored by her teacher, Mrs. Burt Sinclair.

The affair was presented last Sunday afternoon at 4 p.m.

Special guests were parents of the students.

Robertha, known to her peers as 'Baby Sister', is the 17 year-old daughter of Mrs. Sug Johnson of Lubbock and Crowell Johnson of Austin.

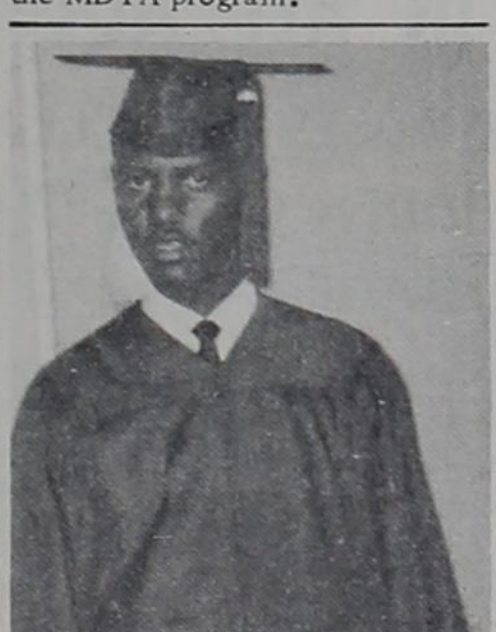
She was a member of the 1967 graduating class of Dunbar High

Four Attend Classes In Waco, Texas

Four young Lubbockites, Don Hunt, Oliver Walker, Terry White and Willie Floyd, are students at the James Connally Institute at Waco, Texas in a twenty-five week school in draftsmanship.

The quartet left for school last week and was reported enrolled and doing fine.

This program is one of the many government programs under the MDTA program.



Larry Blaylock, one of the starting five at Dunbar last year, left last Saturday, June 3, for Bishop College at Dallas, Texas where he will try out for the 'Tiger', Bishop's varsity basketball team.

He is a 1966 graduate of Dunbar High School.

School. She is planning to enter Bishop College at Dallas in September. Her summer plans include working with the Head Start Program here.

The following twelve ladies shared a surprise get-together party honoring Mrs. Annie Mae Dotsey, for an approaching event come July 12.

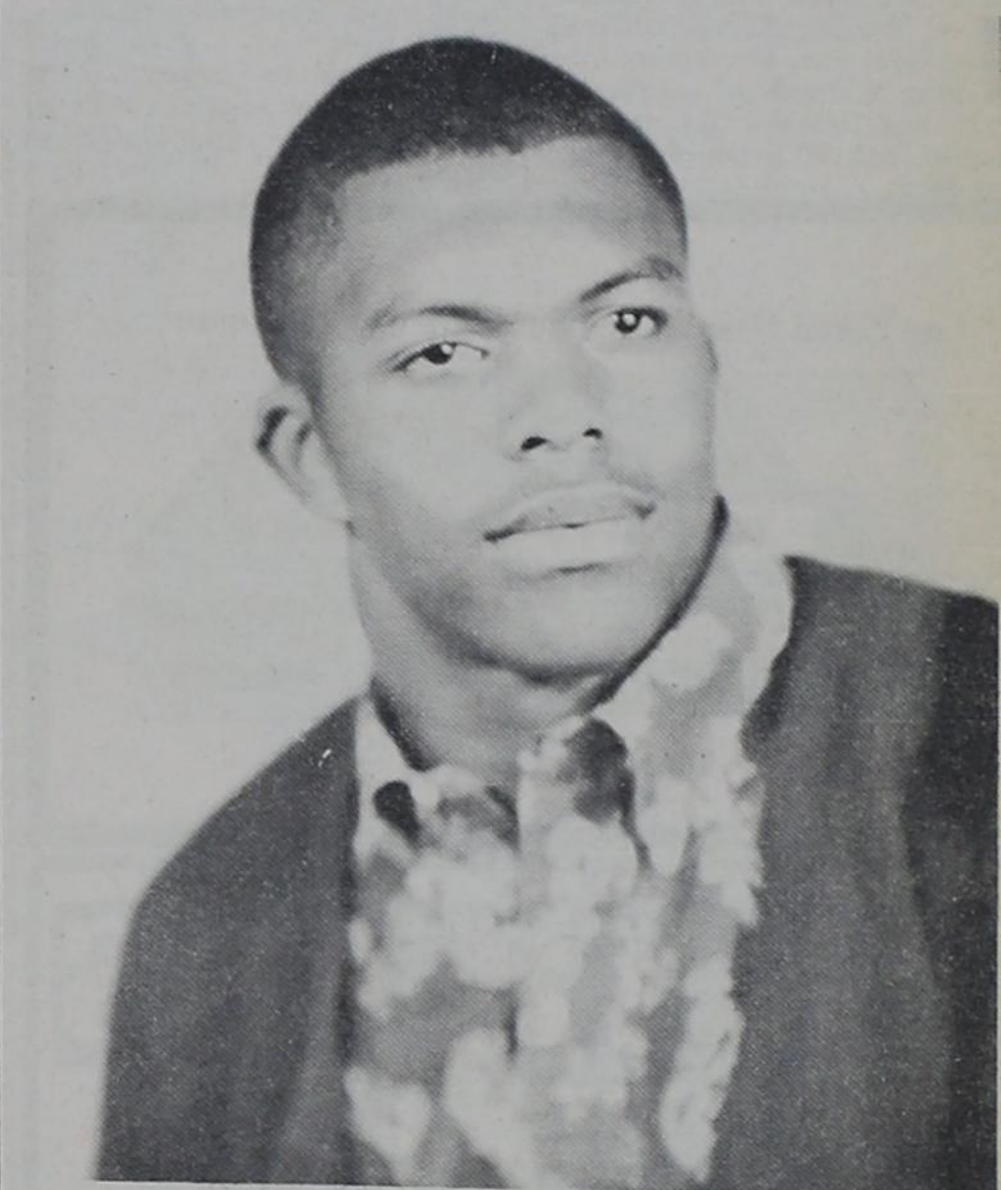
They were Mesdames Lula Mae Gentry, Bernice Kelly, Alvie Bailey, Margie Thomas, Addie Sterling, James Emma Knighten, Doshia Mae King, Doris Bunton, Minnie Ola Bunton, Forsaline Belvin, and Fayrene and Becky Alexander.

The group gave surprised lady a complete punch bowl.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sterling and children, Patrica and Mike, will leave Lubbock in the very near future to make their home in Rock Island, Illinois.

The Sterlings have two sons, Charles who was inducted into the Armed Services, and Alvin, a junior student at Paul Quinn College at Waco, Texas.

Sidney Hall, Jr., To Attend Legion's Boy State This Month At Austin



Sidney Hall, Jr., one of the fifty area young men to attend the American Legion Boys State at the University of Texas at Austin June 10 through 17 as a delegate.

Sidney, along with the group, will leave at 7 a.m. Saturday from the Lubbock bus terminal on two charter buses, according to A. C. Bullard, district Boys State chairman.

Districts of the Legion sponsor the boys' participation, aided by numerous civic groups, reports Ellis Schmidt, Slaton, District commander.

Some of the boys will board

the buses in Lubbock, and others will join the trip at Brownfield, Lamesa and Big Springs.

Boys State activities are designed to demonstrate the functions of government, with emphasis on the role of good citizens in discharging citizenship responsibilities. The youths organize into political parties and conduct campaigns and elections at the state meet, going on to study enactment and enforcement of laws.

Sidney is a member of the Panthers' football squad of Dunbar high school and gave extra punch to the relay track team.

Directors are on duty at the city's supervised park playgrounds which got underway Tuesday morning.

Daily schedule is from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Monday through Saturday, and 3:30 to 8:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, at all parks except Bozeman and Booker T. Washington which will be operated afternoons only.

Location of the Booker T. Washington park is East 21st and Cedar Avenue.

Highlights planned for the summer include the annual Playground Olympics, June 29, when the city-wide meet will be held

at Pioneer Park, 6th and Avenue T.

A round of table games tournament will be in progress throughout the summer, beginning June 20 and ending the first week in August.

Table tennis and chess tournaments also are planned. Regional play days will be featured at intervals, with three or more parks participating in each.

Any Hub City youngster interested in participating in the City Park and Recreation's tennis or track summer programs may still

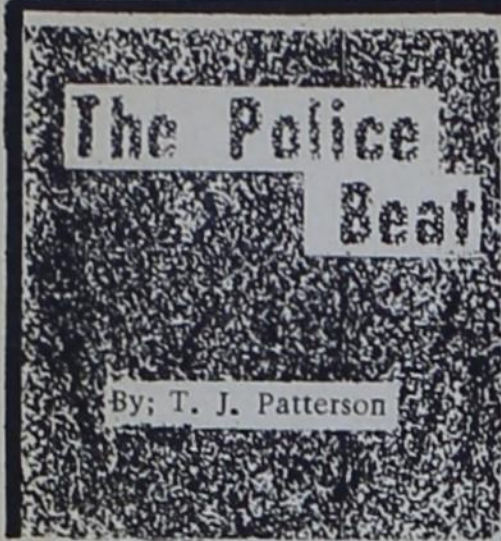
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RETIREES...Retiring at the end of the school term are Mrs. Eliza Dodson, Mrs. La Verne Davison, Mrs. Ruth Carter, Mrs. Gertrude Waggoner, Ruby Lee Waller, Mrs. Alice Lofland, Mrs. D. M.

Hopper, Bess Lewis, Mrs. Mary Fomby, Mrs. Bertha Dye, Miss Bessie Bullock, Mrs. Loree Walters, and Mrs. Gladys Sims. Notshown are Mrs. Madge Garrett and Mrs. Alice Lowrance.





**The Police Beat**  
By: T. J. Patterson

**VANDALISM**  
Mrs. K.H. Kyle, 2201 East 29th Street, reported to the police that someone had broken branches off of her prized Mimosa tree. Aside from this, she reported the breaking of boards off her fence. It was learned that approximately \$15.00 worth of damage was done.

**BURGLARY**  
John DeLeon, 717 Avenue D, reported that a pair of blue uniform pants were taken from beside his bed. According to DeLeon, there was no money in the billfold in the pants. Loss value was set at \$4.00.

**DESTRUCTION OF PRIVATE PROPERTY**  
Albert Edward, 1719 Avenue D, told police that someone had broken into his home by breaking the front glass. Approximately \$15.00 worth of damage was done.  
\*\*\*\*\*  
Let's look at more of the laws that teen-agers as well as their parents should know. I hope that this information-- which is provided in this column-- will prove to be helpful to you.

**BURGLARY**  
Burglary is defined as entering any building by force, threats or fraud, with the intent of committing a felony or crime of theft, without the consent of the owner. The penalty for Burglary is not less than two (2) years nor more than twelve (12) years in the state penitentiary. If the Burglary is of a private residence at night the punishment is any term of years in the state penitentiary not less than five (5).  
Breaking and Entering Coin Operated Machines--Breaking into or manipulating coin operated machines with the purpose of

committing theft of any money or for the purpose of obtaining any service from or through a coin operated machine, is a felony and punishment therefor is by a fine of not less than \$100.00 nor more than \$1,000.00 or by confinement in County jail for not less than ten (10) days nor more than two (2) years or by both such fine and imprisonment or by confinement in the State Penitentiary for a term of not more than five (5) years.  
**HOT CHECKS**  
It is unlawful for anyone to write or cash a check with the intent to defraud, without money in the bank. If the check is under \$50.00 punishment is imprisonment in the County jail for not more than two (2) years or a fine of not more than \$1,000.00 or both. If the check is over \$50.00 punishment is by confinement in the state penitentiary for not less than two (2) years nor more than ten (10) years.

Continued From Page One sign up today.  
Track programs are being held at Lubbock High, Dunbar and Monterey.  
Those interested in this may sign up before 5:30 p.m. daily. Tennis is at all high schools until 5 p.m. daily.  
Mrs. Gertrude Miller Lasley, gospel and spiritual singer, presented a most enjoyable recital last Sunday afternoon at the Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church. This recital was sponsored by the church.  
Mrs. Lasley has been a member of the Greater Saint Luke Church for 15 years. For several years, she has served as directress of choral music for the church choir and has appeared in recitals throughout Texas and New Mexico. Aside from this, Mrs. Lasley serves on the musical staff of the State and National Baptist Convention.

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# Church News



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All students are ask to be present this day... it is your day. \*\*\*\*\*

BETHEL A. M. E. CHURCH

The pastor, committee chairman and captains would like to thank all members and friends who contributed to the success of our drive. May God bless and keep you!!

The special Father's Day program is coming along nicely under the direction of Mrs. Sarah Wadley.

If there are any young people willing to be in this special effort then please feel free to call on Mrs. Wadley. \*\*\*\*\*

NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH

Vacation Bible School will get under way tomorrow, Monday, June 12, and continue through June 16.

All young people are ask to become a part of this special religious program.

Teacher's meeting is held each Friday evening at 7:00 p.m. Don't forget that Sunday, June

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11, is Children's Day. Let's give them our support.

Let us not forget dear old Dad on Father's Day, June 18th.

We will serve as host to the West Texas Baptist District Association August 14-18. \*\*\*\*\*

GREATER SAINT LUKE BAPTIST CHURCH

The Lovely Sunset Association Congress is underway at the St. John Baptist Church with Rev. E.D. Toins and members as host.

Today, Thursday, is Youth Day. Young people from throughout the West Texas area are here for this special day.

Lonnie Love is the director of

Eleven Lubbock Seventh Day Adventist boys and girls have joined other Adventist youth from churches all over the Southwest Region Conference, in a ten-day summer camp meeting at Hawkins, Texas.

Attending from Lubbock are: Elder Jack Glaspie, Elder P.H. Brown, Alfred McKelvey, Charles McKelvey, Evelyn Woodard, Kathrine Woodard, Marvin Williams, Nancy Price, Joyce Price, Doris Stubberfield, and George Turner.

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