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Proud Grandmother!

Pictured above is a very proud grandmother who wanted the entire city of Lubbock to see her newly born granddaughter. Looking with wisdom is Mrs. Dora Jimison of 2112 East 30th Street, who is holding her two day old granddaughter, LaTobia Saviour Jimison.

Mrs. Jimison is an ardent reader of the Southwest Digest.

Excitement Building For Las Vegas Night!

Dunbar International Alumni Association is elated at the response to this coming Saturday night's event: "Las Vegas Casino Night!" The event will take place at the Pioneer Hotel Ballroom, located downtown, and will last from 8:00 p. m. until 1:00 a. m. The admission is \$5.00 per person which includes "play money" for various games such as poker, roulette, blackjack, craps, bid whiz, dominoes, dancing, bingo, and other fun events. This promises to be a night to remember!!!!!!

A spokesman for the alumni association stated that this was another attempt to raise funds for its projects and provide a variety of activities for the community. All "play money" accumulated can be exchanged for various prizes that have been donated by businesses and supporters. Don't miss LAS VEGAS CASINO NIGHT this Saturday night, August 31st, in the Pioneer Hotel Ballroom.

One must be 21 years of age to enter, set ups will be available for \$2.00, and no bluejeans or shirts without collars will be allowed.

PLENTY OF PRIZES AND PLENTY OF FUN FOR THE FAMILY!!!

Judge Woodward Issues Order

Federal Judge Halbert O. Woodward last week issued an order that approves several changes in the Lubbock Independent School District. The modifications were proposed by LISD and have met no objections from the U. S. Justice Department.

Busing requirements will be altered for six elementary schools that have become desegregated. Bayless, Overton, Stubbs, Wester, Wheelock, and Williams will no longer be required to send or receive students as part of the mandatory transportation plan.

Two other campuses with small resident populations will no longer be required to bus out students. They are Iles and Mahon elementary schools. However, the two campuses will continue to receive magnet and bussed students.

The northern boundary of Irons Junior High will be moved from 50th Street south to Loop 289. This area will become part of the Wilson Junior High zone.



Labor Day Holiday

Students and faculty in the Lubbock Independent School District will have a holiday on Monday, September 2, in observance of Labor Day.

Several days have been designated in the school year calendar dismissal of classes to provide for staff development. The first shortened day will be September 11 when elementary schools dismiss at noon and secondary school classes conclude at 1 p. m.

The court order also gives the district permission to offer in all of its junior high schools the courses of algebra and geometry. Algebra will be offered in eighth grade, and geometry will be available at the ninth grade level for students.

Parents with questions regarding the changes approved by the court are invited to contact their principals or the school administrative offices at 766-1000.

Gospel Singers At St. John Baptist



The Zion Jubilee Singers

The Zion Jubilee Singers of Bryant, Texas will be appearing at the St. John Baptist Church, 1712 East 29th Street, on Saturday, August 31st, at 7:30 p. m. and on Sunday afternoon, September 1, 1991, at 3:00 p. m.

The St. John Choir is inviting the entire public to come and help them praise and worship the Lord with them on this special occasion.

Rev. James E. Moore, pastor; Arlee Jackson, choir president.

Black Woman Missing



Mary LeFlore

Texas Department of Corrections Sociologist, Mary LeFlore, has been missing from her Huntsville Texas home since July 19, 1991. She was reported missing by her husband who also works at TDC. Mr. LeFlore reported that his wife left work about 5:00 p. m. to go to a Huntsville shopping mall. She was to return home by 5:30 p. m. to take their two children to an ice cream parlor. When Mrs. LeFlore had not come home by 9:30 p. m., her husband drove mall where her car was still parked in the mall parking lot. The keys were missing, but Mrs. LeFlore's purse was in the car.

Investigators reported they are following several leads but do not know what may have happened to the young woman. Detective David Collins asks that anyone who may have seen the woman contact the Huntsville police at 409-291-5480.

Other staff development dates are scheduled for October 16 and November 20 during the next few months.

Lubbock Attorney Appointed To Governor's Commission

Lubbock attorney Maria Luisa Mercado was recently appointed to Governor Richard's Commission On Women. The Commission members were appointed by Governor Richards for a two year term. The commission is charged with working on issues specified by the Governor.

The 29 member Commission also has a woman from Hereford and another from Midland who will present the West Texas viewpoint.

"I look forward to serving on the Commission," Mercado. "I believe there are problems unique to women that the Governor will ask us to look into and make recommendations to her," Mercado said.

Ms. Mercado is a partner in the Lubbock law firm of Mercado & McIntyre.



D'Undra S. Royall

Another High Fashion Model

There she is -- the next high fashion model in the U. S. She is D'Undra S. Royall, a 5'9" beauty of Athens, Texas, who is currently in the United States Air Force and aims for a career in the "High Fashion modeling."

"I've always been interested in the latest fashions, and what was new in other cities," she said. Continuing, she said: "I decided to model a year ago, but not seriously until I saw Mrs. Towonda Harrison's biography in the Reese AFB Round-up. Not only did it motivate me, but wit promptness, I enrolled in her class. During six months of intense training, Towonda has really shown me what 'class' truly was. I've gained more self confidence in myself and my self-esteem has boosted tremendously. I'm able to apply my make-up and accessorize my clothing to perfection. Regardless of where I go, I always carry the characteristics of a model with me."

Ms. Royall remembers Towonda telling her that she admired her. "It made me feel really excited that my instructor felt that way. She has the experience as a Runway Model, so comments as such coming from her are truly appreciated. She tells me that I have potential to go very far. I am now an expert on all the model stances, turns, and poses. Lots of leadership and practice paid the way," she continued.

Ms. Royall enjoys talking about how great photo shots are. "The camera and I have become close so it's easier to relax while being photographed. I have photos in Chicago and New York awaiting a response," she says.

At present time, she has completed numerous Fashion Shows for major department stores and the Reese AFB Main Exchange. "I've also managed to model at the same stores. I've modeled for local beauty consultants in the area and have been lauded by the public for outstanding "talent," she makes known.

Ms. Royall's desire is to one day become a "High Fashion Runway Model." "I work very hard for everything I get, and this is no exception," she continues. "I am willing to put forth any effort toward my success as a High Fashion Model. I apply myself daily whether it's walking to a store or in my office. My attitude is great, because this is what I actually enjoy doing."

Closing her comments, she said: "I thank my Heavenly Father for my talent, and my Mom for her faithfulness to me in any endeavor."

East Lubbock Early Settlers Committee Meet

The East Lubbock Early Settlers Committee will meet Thursday, August 29, 1991 at Givens Pines Estate.

New members are welcome to attend this planning session. The meeting will begin at 6 p. m.

Mrs. Edna Raye Walker and Mr. R. J. Givens, Jr. are co-chairpersons.

Great Race

Lubbock Parks and Recreation Department is proud to sponsor the 14th Annual Great Yellowhouse Canyon River Raft Race on Monday, September 2nd. It all starts with registration at 11:30 a. m., at Buddy Holly Park, North Loop 289 and North University. There will be 31 awards given to the winners.

Entry fee is \$10 per raft. For more information, call the Lubbock Parks and Recreation Department at (806) 767-2690.

RUBY JAY'S CORNER



The New Hope Baptist Church, located at 2002 Birch Avenue, is the Church where the people really care. Rev. Billy R. Moton is the proud pastor.

We can say truly the Lord was at New Hope last Sunday. It all began with Sunday School as it got off to a good start. Supt. Deacon Swain was at his post of duty. He had been missed the previous Sunday morning.

During the 10:45 a. m. devotional period, it began with the singing of "Glory To His Name." The 122nd Psalms were read by Sister Howard. Prayer was offered by Deacon R. J. Givens, followed by another song.

As the morning worship hour began, the Senior Choir marched in the processional singing "Lift Up The Lord." Altar prayer was offered by Deacons Jenkins; followed by the singing of "Glad To Be In The Service." The 122nd Psalms were read by Sister Swain with Deacon Swain praying. Another song, "How Sweet It Is To Be On The Lord's Side,"

Responsive reading was done by the congregation and led by Sister Doris Dailey.

The morning hymn was "Jesus Is All The World To Me," which was led by Sister Kelly.

Pastoral observations were given by Pastor Moton. Emphasis were placed on the hymn and weekly activities.

Another was sung. It was entitled "Jesus, You Are Center Of My Joy." The song was led by Brother Tharrington.

The sermon of the hour was preached by Pastor Moton.

The subject was "Shorting John." His scripture text was Revelation 1:9-11. It was another wonderful message.

Invitation to discipleship was extended with several coming for prayer.

It was so nice to see Sister Veora Frances in the "Hub City" as she is a former member of New Hope. At present time, she resides in Giddings, Texas.

Announcements were made last Sunday morning by Sister Anita Henry. Welcome of visitors were given by Sister Celestine Kyle.

The offering and education tithes and offerings were coordinated by the Deacons and Ushers.

Revival Week with Rev. Joshua Cutler will begin Sunday morning, September 8 through 13, 1991. Climaxing with the Annual Men's Day on Sunday, September 15, 1991, with special guest, Rev. C. C. Peoples and the Mt. Olive Baptist Church of Slaton, Texas.

Visitors and friends are welcome.

The second annual Pre-Revival Week of Prayer will be held this week, from 7 a. m. until 8 a. m. Theme will be "When Praises Go Up, Blessings Come Down." You are invited to join the New Hope Baptist Church this week in this effort. Let the Revival begin within me.

Please don't forget to pray for our sick list and others.

Brother Harrison "Bull" Davis was rushed back to the hospital.

Services for Sister Vera Mitchell were held at New Hope Baptist Church on Tuesday morning. She was a wonderful Christian, loyal church worker. A link in the Nannie B. Circle is broken. Sister Clara Colquitt, president; Sister E. Johnson, vice president; Sister Igie Scott, secretary; Sister Katie Johnson, treasurer; Sister R. B. Thompson, teacher; Sister Ruby Jay, assistant teacher. Members include Sisters Fannie Young and G. H. Davis.

Sister Vera Mitchell was a wonderful worker until her health failed her.

All persons interested in working with the computer program of the church, please call the church office, between 9 a. m. and 2 p. m. or you may turn your name into Pastor Moton.

A Prayer Lock In is scheduled. All auxiliaries of the church are asked to sponsor one hour of their schedule. Call chairman Sister Margaret Moton and give your auxiliary desired time and slot. The times are: 1 a. m. to 2 a. m.; 2 a. m. to 3 a. m.; 3 a. m. to 4 a. m.; 4 a. m. to 5 a. m. and 5 a. m. to 6 a. m. Thank You!

The Women Missionary Society has a special project taken on pitch the pennies in the pot and watch copper turn green. This will be held Sunday, September 29, 1991, their Fifth Sunday effort. Will you help with your pennies??

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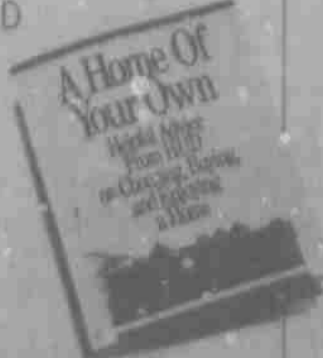
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OBSEQUIES

Eugene Cosey, Jr.

Final rites were read for Eugene Cosey, Jr. on Friday, August 23, 1991 at the First Progressive Baptist Church with Rev. Homer L. Avery, pastor, officiating.

Interment was held in the City of Lubbock Cemetery, under the direction of Curry Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Marvin McGaha, Harshal McGaha, Raymond McGaha, Jimmy Frances, Stelvery Parks, and Farris Washington.

Cosey was born March 23, 1967 in Hubbard, Texas to the parentage of Eugene and Laura Cosey. His father preceded him in death.

He was a resident of Lubbock, Texas for 23 years, coming from Hubbard, Texas.

He attended Monterey and Estacado High Schools.

He was a Baptist and a member of First Progressive Baptist Church.



He leaves to mourn his passing: his mother, Laura Cosey of Lubbock, Texas; two brothers, Ronnie Freeman and Rodney Williams, both of Lubbock, Texas; two sisters, Irene Bailey and Valerie McGaha; and a host of relatives and friends.

Arlene Daniels



Final rites were read for Arlene Daniels on Friday, August 23, 1991 at the St. Luke Baptist Church with Rev. J. H. Ford, pastor, officiating.

Interment was held in the City of Lubbock Cemetery under the directions of Curry Funeral Home.

Ms. Daniels was born June 7, 1908 in Caldwell, Texas to the parentage of Henry and Mary Daniels. They preceded her in death.

She was a resident of Lubbock, Texas for 50 years, coming from Caldwell, Texas.

She was a member of St. Luke Baptist Church, and worked with the Missionary Society, Eastern Star, and the Foster Grand Parent Award.

She leaves to mourn her passing: one sister, Katherine Robinson of Trenton, New Jersey; 7 nephews, 4 nieces, and other relatives and friends.

Pallbearers were St. Luke Baptist Church Deacons and James Jackson.

Letter To The Editor

"Positive"

Dear Editor:

It needs to be told, and so it shall. This community has been very negligent in awarding warm fuzzies, or any type of thanks, for a job well done. And that is exactly what this is all about.

To Mr. Quincy White, we thank you for the tremendous job you're doing. Keep up the good work.

To Barbara White in City Personnel, your light burns bright. Keep shining.

To Mrs. Rose Pillow, congratulations on a marvelous idea -- "Ring Around Dunbar." We know the thought was conceived by you. Thanks, and give us more.

Ms. Gwen Titus, our children might not remember your name, but your deeds are being recorded here and else-

where. Wouldn't it be to our advantage and to Lubbock if Mr. Q. White became Director. God knows we need one.

Abe Spires

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Where - Civic Center!



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Stachi Lee Robinson

Funeral services were held for Stachi Lee Robinson on Saturday, August 10, 1991 at the St. John Baptist Church in Jewett, Texas with Rev. Alzie Robinson, pastor, officiating.

Pallbearers were Devode Robinson, Jr., Eric Robinson, Kevin Robinson, Dorsey, Jr., Danny Wayne, and Ricky D.

Interment was held in the Friendship Cemetery, Jewett, Texas, under the directions of Curry Funeral Home.

Robinson was born March 25, 1928 in Jewett, Texas to Evelyn and Judge Robinson. He moved to Lubbock, Texas in 1948. He was united at the Church of The Living God.

He leaves to cherish his memory: a very dear and close friend, Annette Haynes of Lubbock, Texas; three sons: Terry Lee Robinson, Harmon D. Robinson of Ft. Worth, Texas and Randy L. Robinson of Lubbock, Texas; six daughters: Carolyn A. Tippens, Jackelyn A. Buckley, Shirley L. Ro-



binson, Silvia I. Priestly, Janett E. Perkins, all of Ft. Worth, Texas, and Beverly L. Robinson of Lubbock, Texas; a sister, Elma L. Haynes of Houston, Texas; ten grandchildren, and two great grandchildren.

LISD Gold Cards

The Lubbock Independent School District will make available again this year the "LISD Gold Card". The "VIP" pass is available to persons 60 years of age and older and provides complimentary admission to most school events, including upcoming football games at Lowrey Field.

Senior citizens who already have a "Gold Card" may continue to use it this year. The pass is good for most athletic contests, musical programs, drama programs, and other extra-curricular activities sponsored by LISD and held in the district. It is not good for meals sponsored by LISD groups, and it may not be accepted as a pass to events that involve students but are sponsored by organizations other than LISD.

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EDITORIALS • COMMENTS • OPINIONS

CRAZY HORSE

by
Stephen C. McIntyre

The September issue of "D" magazine has an article about the problems of the Dallas school board. The fights there are comparable to the fights here in Lubbock. Now, ain't that a coincidence. Of course, the Dallas fight is a little different. African-Americans and Chicanos make up a majority on the school board and the school system in Dallas. In Lubbock, African-American and Chicano kids now make up the majority in elementary school, but obviously not on the school board. But the numbers are now there and the day is coming...

In the September issue of "Texas Monthly" there is an article about Ernie Cortez. It points out that he is a book hound reading several books simultaneously for his personal study. The article goes on to point out that Cortez is one of the most important and powerful men in Texas and yet few have heard of him. Cortez is an organizer who has helped to organize the poor and middle class across Texas.

I have a friend up at MIT working on his PhD in economics who is always reading two or three books at a time. When interest in one book slacks off he spends more time on one of the others. If a book does not pan out he tosses it aside and starts up another.

It seems both of these men have simply continued their personal education beyond the classroom. Didn't all of us take a number of different books in high school and college? And once we quit going to school didn't most of us quit reading and learning? If we want to be a good example to our kids we should be seen reading a book instead of vegetating in front of the TV.

After leaving school I have tried to continue reading but it has always been one book at a time and many months apart. Last week I started my first simultaneous reading. I have returned to school.

What are you reading right now? I am reading a book of Irish poetry, the biography of Caesar Chavez, and a book on Texas criminal procedure.

All of us need to be reading more and watching less TV. All of us need to be reading to our kids and grandkids. It is one habit we all need to get our kids hooked on.

Last week the AFL-CIO had a big meeting. Governor Richards and former Agricultural Commissioner Jim Hightower spoke to the union members and told them they should not support politicians who sell them out. The union leadership pointed out that some Democrats went against the interests of labor on the last workers compensation bill and that in the future it is very likely they will support a Republican or even run an independent "labor" candidate for office.

- 9/1 1907 -- Texas Department of Agriculture created.
- 9/2 1906 -- Texas Farmers Union formed.
- 9/3 1948 -- LBJ won U. S. Senate seat by 87 votes.
- 9/4 1970 -- Allende wins presidential election in Chile.
- 9/6 1860 -- Jane Adams born.
- 9/7 1938 -- Buddy Holly born, Lubbock.

"We cannot solve delinquency by building new prisons. We must create new opportunities for our nation's youth."

Robert F. Kennedy, 1962.

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Partisan Debate Over Thomas Recalls 100 Year Old Argument

by
Larry A. Sill
Capitol News Service

The simmering controversy over the nomination of Federal Appeals Court Judge Clarence Thomas to the U. S. Supreme Court appears to be developing into an all-out partisan battle between black Democratic and Republican party leaders as the "Council of 100" Republicans challenged the Congressional Black Caucus campaign to block the presidential appoint-

ment. The Council of 100, a national organization of black Republicans, announced support of Thomas for the Associate Justice position in a settlement on behalf of its members and constituents, said Milton Bins, chairman. The organization "is composed mostly of business and professional persons whose goal is to impact on the involvement of black Ameri-

cans in the affairs of the Republican party," he explained.

Some of the key members were identified as Samuel Cornelius, Elaine Jenkins, Edward Hayes, Brad Carson, Arthur McZier, Willie Hall Smith, Cynthia Harris, Milton Curry, Louis Dodd, John Wilks and Harry Singleton, a recent candidate for Congress in the District of Columbia. Most of the leadership have or have held major government positions.

Referring to the predominantly Democratic CBC action in a questionable almost unanimous vote against Thomas last week, Bins declared, "The Congressional Black Caucus does not speak for all African-Americans.... (They) must make up their own minds about Judge Thomas (and) that can only take place when people have relevant facts which the Senate confirmation hearings will provide."

The reportedly near unanimous vote by the 27-member CBC body with only one Republican member dissenting is being questioned because several CBC members were not present, Bins emphasized. "I know that thoughtful, fair Americans will see through this political ploy and will reserve judgement about Judge Thomas until they get all the facts," he concluded.

An early Thomas supporter, the Council wrote President Bush before the public announcement requesting that the chief executive consider the candidates for the nomination to the nation's highest court. The group discussed strategy to support the nomination at a luncheon with the Republican National Committee, Bins confirmed. "We are here to share that strategy, and develop action plans with you and the American people," he told the committee.

"We plan to use 'truth squads' to counter CBC propaganda and disinformation. We will follow them everywhere they go," said Bins. Founded in 1974 by the late civil rights activist, Samuel C. Jackson, former Assistant Secretary for the Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Council of 100 was established to facilitate the involvement of black Americans in all activities of the party, according to its pronouncements. While criticizing the CBC for following a strictly partisan line on the Thomas nomination, Bins declared he "is proud of the role the Council has played in the Republican party for more than a decade.... It will continue to make evident the black perspective with the party and to advance the participation of black Republicans in political and governmental affairs...."

"But, we don't expect all African-Americans to march in lock-step with our leaders. Elected officials should have more statesmanship than that. Our people are too diverse in their thinking, except we are all against oppression. It was noted that militant Washington (DC) informer newspaper publisher Calvin Rolark, an outspoken, self-help advocate, has also endorsed Thomas. The current controversy over the Thomas nomination, said Bins, is similar to the debates of over 100 years ago over the "conservative views of another presidential favorite, Booker T. Washington, founder of Tuskegee (AL) Institute and the National Business League philosophy of independent community development vs the distinctive, uncompromising approach of Dr. W. E. B. DuBois, noted educator, who helped establish the NAACP's thrust for a completely integrated society."

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WHAT WILL HAPPEN TO THE JUDGE THOMAS NOMINATION?? THIS N THAT ... like many other African-Americans ... is waiting with ... anticipation of the ... SENATE CONFIRMATION HEARINGS ... about the ... JUDGE CLARENCE THOMAS POSTURE ... as relates to whether he will be confirmed as a member of the highest court in the land ... U. S. SUPREME COURT ... The outcome will determine if he will replace a legend ... THURGOOD MARSHALL ... who set the pace in this posture ... There are those who are against ... and there are those who are for Thomas ... and yet ... in the African-American Community ... there are those who don't know which way to go ... in this historical endeavor ... Regardless ... come this fall ... and hopefully before the court goes into session ... THE WHOLE WORLD WILL KNOW ... WILL JOHN WILEY PRICE SEEK THE CONGRESSIONAL SEAT?? THIS N THAT ... as in the Clarence Thomas confirmation

... is also awaiting the outcome of what ... JOHN WILEY PRICE ... decision to run for the newly created ... CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT ... At the same time ... STATE SENATOR EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON ... is also thinking about running for the same seat ... Now what has ... THIS N THAT ... is thinking ... as who will replace both of these ... AFRICAN-AMERICANS ... positions as County Commissioner and State Senator ... Again ... only time will tell ... and we should watch for the outcome ... It appears as though ... EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON ... may have the inside track ... because of the recent developments in the ... JOHN WILEY PRICE CAMP ... but you really can never tell the outcome ... Only time will tell ... and ... no doubt ... if these two meet up ... it will be some race ...

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EASY TASK ... that is if ... the two groups got together ... and made it happen ... Anyway ... CONGRATS, LUBBOCK FOR A JOB WELL DONE!! NOW THE WHOLE WORLD KNOWS MORE ABOUT US!! WE NEED TO STAY TOGETHER!! THIS N THAT ... would hope that we as ... AFRICAN AMERICANS ... would make greater strides in seeing that we all ... WORK TOGETHER ... and if we continue to do this kind of posture ... we can't help but do more exciting things together ...

WATCH OUT FOR THE KIDS!! THIS N THAT ... would advise all of you to ... WATCH OUT FOR OUR LITTLE KINGS AND QUEENS ... as they travel to and from their various schools this week ... The school bells have rung ... and our kids are glad that school doors are open again ... and they are so excited that they might not even see you driving ... so please look out for the kids ...



The word "bicycle" is a combination of Latin and Greek root: bis is Latin for twice and kylos is Greek for circle.

St. Matthew Baptist News

St. Matthew Baptist Church's Sunday School began at 9:45 a. m. last Sunday morning with the Superintendent and teachers at their post of duty. They did a fantastic job with the lesson.

During the 11:00 a. m. worship hour, services were open with a lively devotional period. Altar call was conducted by Rev. Jackson. He prayed a prayer that filled the house with the spirit. Personally, we wish to commend Rev. Jackson for his sincerity and dedication to his church. We know there are other members who can say the same. In times like this, it's always great to see our young men and women working faithful in the church. God bless!

The choir sang great with the spirit. Pastor R. S. Stanley brought message of the morning. His

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Sister Imatha Isaac

subject was "I Have A Problem." His scripture text was St. Luke 18:15; 27-29.

St. Matthew hosted the Federation of Choirs at our church last Sunday. We had a wonderful time in the Lord.

The St. Matthew Annual Choir Week will be held September 13, 14 & 15, 1991. Everyone is invited to come and help in the worshipping of the Lord in songs.

Let us pray for the sick and shut in as well as the bereaved families. Pray without ceasing. P. S. Stanley, pastor; Sister Imatha Isaac, reporter.

Top Gospel Albums

THIS WEEK	LAST WEEK	WEEKS ON CHART	ARTIST	TITLE
1	1	15	RANCE ALLEN	PHENOMENON
2	2	17	NEW LIFE COMMUNITY CHOIR FEATURING JOHN P. KEE	WASH ME
3	3	43	REV. JAMES MOORE	"LIVE" WITH MISSISSIPPI MASS CHOIR
4	12	3	BEBE & CECE WINANS	DIFFERENT LIFESTYLES
5	7	9	DOROTHY NORWOOD/NORTHERN CA G.M.W.A. MASS CHOIR	LIVE
6	5	19	D.F.W. MASS CHOIR	I WILL LET NOTHING SEPARATE ME
7	4	45	TRAMAINÉ HAWKINS	LIVE
8	6	32	LAMORA PARK YOUTH ADULT CHOIR	WAIT ON THE LORD
9	9	29	REV. E. DAVIS, JR./WILMINGTON MASS CHOIR FEAT. REV. D. COLEY	HIS PREPARING ME
10	11	29	THE JACKSON SOUTHERNAIRES	THANK YOU MAMA FOR PRAYING FOR ME
11	9	41	DARYL COLEY	HE'S RIGHT ON TIME: LIVE FROM LOS ANGELES
12	17	31	THE WEST ANGELES C.O.G.I.C.	SAINTS IN PRAISE VOL. II
13	14	63	REV. J. CLEVELAND/SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY CHOIR	HAVING CHURCH
14	10	35	REV. CLAY EVANS/FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH CHORUS	REACH BEYOND THE BREAK
15	18	5	FRED HAMMOND	I AM PERSUADED
16	13	55	WALTER HAWKINS	LOVE ALIVE IV
17	21	7	SOUNDS OF BLACKNESS	THE EVOLUTION OF GOSPEL
18	16	15	REV. R.L. WHITE/MT. EPHRAIM BAPTIST CHURCH/WILLIAMS BROS.	MOVE MOUNTAIN
19	28	3	THE WILLIAMS BROTHERS	THIS IS YOUR NIGHT
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22	19	5	KEITH PRINGLE	MAGNIFY HIM
23	26	77	REV. CHARLES NICKS/ST. JAMES BAPTIST CHURCH CHOIR	HOLD BACK THE NIGHT
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31	32	67	HELEN BAYLOR	HIGHLY RECOMMENDED
32	31	23	LYNETTE HAWKINS STEPHENS	WALKING IN THE LIGHT
33	35	68	WANDA HERO BUTLER	NEW BORN SOUL
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1	1	8	FOR GOD'S WEAKNESS	NO BIZ
2	2	5	SUMMERTIME	THE FRESH PRINCE
3	3	10	BLINK 182	SHADO THOMPSON
4	4	12	THE FRESH PRINCE	CHERRY BLOSSOM
5	5	11	THE FRESH PRINCE	SILVER ROCK
6	6	8	THE FRESH PRINCE	ANG
7	7	3	THE FRESH PRINCE	TERESA TAYLOR
8	8	8	THE FRESH PRINCE	ROCK
9	9	7	THE FRESH PRINCE	CAROL LANE
10	10	17	THE FRESH PRINCE	SHERRY O & THE BOYZ
11	11	8	THE FRESH PRINCE	BLAZZ OF THE NEW ORLEANS
12	12	18	THE FRESH PRINCE	ORANGE JELLY
13	13	18	THE FRESH PRINCE	MARY BOUNCE
14	14	1	THE FRESH PRINCE	DJ QUIK
15	15	9	THE FRESH PRINCE	M.C. BREED & D.F.C.
16	16	31	THE FRESH PRINCE	DE LA SOUL
17	17	3	THE FRESH PRINCE	SON OF BAZZ
18	18	3	THE FRESH PRINCE	ROCK WAX
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The Outreach Prayer Breakfast

The Outreach Prayer Breakfast met last Saturday in the lovely home of Sister Judy Stohl at 9 a. m. This was a spirit filled meeting. Scripture was II Chronicles 7:14. A song was sung by Sister Bolton. Prayer was offered by Sister Dorothy Nash, and a solo was sung by Sister Ardelia Hardrick. She sang "He Looked Beyond My Faults."

The morning lesson was taught by Sister Stohl. Her text was Haggai 2.

(4) But take courage, O'Zerubbabel and Jothua, and all the people: take courage and work for I'm with you," says the Lord Almighty, for I promised when you left Egypt that my spirit

would remain among you; so don't be afraid.

(6) For the Lord Almighty says, in just a little while I will begin to shake all.

Sister Stohl said, "Judgement begins at the house of God. God is shaken America. Out of the shaken will come peace. And the gates of hell can't prevail against it. The Christians in Russia other day. The enemy came down. What do you feel happened??

You know what happens when a earthquake comes, and things start moving. You have to catch hold of something sturdy and hold on so it is with life. When the storms of life are raging, we have to hold on to the Rock of Ages, Jesus Christ."

"The shaking is here. Look at the banks, business failing. Closing up even in our fair city."

Thanks, Sister Stohl, for the

message. It was great!

Thought of the Week: "The Lord didn't promise to come back after anything on this earth, but the Church. Are you ready???"

Think about it!!

God bless you. Keep loving those who seem to thrive on hate. We are going to make it together.

We need your continued support. Write to us: Outreach Prayer Breakfast, P. O. Box 1223, Lubbock, Texas 79408.

There are many sick out there. God's got the answer for you. Read Mark 11:22-26; II Chronicles 7:14.

Sister Dorothy Hood, president; Sister Ardelia Hardrick, vice president.



FROM THE OF
PARSON D. A. SMITH

It is sobering to realize that we have but one life to live. And how swiftly that life is spent. We need a sense of destiny so that our lives may be spent in fulfillment of God's will. We need a sense of urgency for "the night cometh when no man can work."

This is a wonderful world. It is filled with fascinating mysteries. Man is supremely challenged to "subdue the earth," to learn the secrets of the universe, and to control and overcome natural laws for benevolent purposes. Man has reached technological heights. Through this continuing success venture, he has founded another solar system and is looking to conquer distant worlds.

Someone has said that knowledge is deeply coveted by the scientist and the teacher. There is great power in the influence of a learned scholar. There is power for good or evil in the accumulated knowledge of the world.

But Paul says, "Though I have ... all knowledge ... and have not (love) - I am nothing" (I Corinthians 13:1-2). The apostle was not discontinuing learning. He was an educated man. He had sat at the feet of the greatest teacher of his day, Gamaliel. A Roman official accused him, "much learning hath made thee man" (Acts 26:24). The Christian faith is not anti-intellectual. It can stand on its own. Josh Billings said, "Learning is the art of knowing how to use common sense to advantage." Alexander Pope said, a little learning is a dangerous thing. Much learning also is a dangerous thing, if it is knowledge without God. One can be an educated fool. And there is such a thing as an educated devil.

What really counts in life is "love." If a man love God, he will love his brother also." Jesus was the incarnation of this love, the love which alone can confer real worth on humanity. Man without this love is nothing.

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"You Got The Right One Lady; Un-Huh!!!"

Deuteronomy 23:3 -- An Ammonite or Moabite shall not enter into the congregation of the Lord; even to their tenth generation shall they not enter into the congregation of the Lord for ever.

We know that Ruth was a Moabite, and was not to be one of God's people, "but when you make the right decision, God's for you goes ever so deeper."

Psalms 37:4-5 -- Delight thyself also in the Lord; and he shall give thee the desires of thine heart. Commit thy way unto the Lord; trust also in Him; and He shall bring it to pass.

Ruth was an outcast, but loved God and was blessed with a son called O'Bed. "He was the father of Jesse, the father of David -- Jesus' great, great grand dad."

Ruth 1:4a, 16; 4:17 -- They took wives of the women of Moab, the name of the one was Orpah, and the other Ruth. And Ruth said, entreat me not to leave thee, or to return from following after thee: for whither thou goest, I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge: thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God. And the woman, her neighbors gave it a name, saying, there is a son born to Naomi, and they called his name O'Bed. He is the father of Jesse, the father of David.

**** You Choose The Right God Lady, Un-Huh!!! ****

Now there was a lady who had a daughter, vexed of the devil, and needed to be healed. She spent plenty of money on "mental hospitals, only to receive a big bill."

"But her faith in Jesus," she believed His words, that her daughter was healed. "What so good about: Jesus is healing, and He won't send you a bill."

Matthew 15:25-28 -- Then came she and worshipped him, saying, Lord, help me. But he answered and said, it is not meant to take the children's bread, and cast it to dogs. And she said, Truth, Lord. Yet the dogs eat of the crumbs which fall from their master's table. Then Jesus answered and said unto her, "O' woman, great is thy faith: be it unto thee even as thou wilt. And her daughter was made whole from that very hour."

**** You Choose The Right Doctor, Lady, Un-Huh! ****

And then there was the lady that had been hemorrhaging for 12 long years. Her faith was too touch the hyme of Jesus' garment, he she'd be healed.

When she did touch it, her hemorrhaging it did cease. Then Jesus said unto the crowd, "Who touched me."

Luke 8:45a, 46-48 -- Jesus said, who touched me? Somebody hath touched me: for I perceive that virtue is gone out of me. And when the woman saw that she was not hid, she came trembling, and falling down before Him. She declared unto Him before all the people for what cause she had touched him, and how she was healed immediately. And He said unto her, "Daughter, god comfort. Thy faith hath made thee whole, go in peace."

**** You Touched The Right Hyme Lady, Un-Huh! ****

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

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Letter To The Editor

"Positive"

Dear Editor:
It needs to be told, and so it shall. This community has been very negligent in awarding warm fuzzies, or any type of thanks, for a job well done. And that is exactly what this is all about.

To Mr. Quincy White, we thank you for the tremendous job you're doing. Keep up the good work.

To Barbara White in City Personnel, your light burns bright. Keep shining.

To Mrs. Rose Pillow, congratulations on a marvelous idea -- "Ring Around Dunbar." We know the thought was conceived by you. Thanks, and give us more.

Ms. Gwen Titus, our children might not remember your name, but your deeds are being recorded here and elsewhere.

Wouldn't it be to our advantage and to Lubbock if Mr. Q. White became Director.

God knows we need one.

Abe Spires

Governor Announces Crime Victim Assistance Grants

Governor Ann Richards last week announced that \$136,747 in grants will be awarded to crime victim assistance programs in the Lubbock/Hale County area.

These grants to local victims' assistance programs are administered by the Governor's Office Criminal Justice Division from federal Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) funds. The money is collected from criminal fines, penalty assessments and bond forfeitures in federal criminal court cases.

Texas received the third largest allocation of VOCA funds in the nation--over \$4 million. The grants will supplement funding in 92 criminal justice

and community-based Texas programs that provide direct services to crime victims.

"While there is no way to truly alleviate the suffering of crime victims and their families, this grant will provide funds for counseling centers, rape and domestic violence shelters, and in some cases, provide legal help and medical benefits," Richards said. "This money does not come from tax dollars. It comes from those who break the law and hurt innocent people, and that's the way it should be."

The grant recipients are: Children's Enterprises, Lubbock, \$36,812; Hale County Crisis Center Domestic Violence Shelter, \$50,000; Women's Protective Services of Lubbock, \$49,935.

SPC Schedules GED Exams

Lubbock, Tx. -- A GED exam for persons who do not

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The exam will be given in two equal parts from 9 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. each day in the Student Assistance Center on the third floor of the library building. Fee is \$30.

Additional exams will be given Oct. 2-3, Nov. 6-7 and Dec. 4-5.

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Judge Shephard Praises Democrats For Prison Reform

According to Judge McKinley Shephard, the prison reform plan passed by the Texas Legislature was due to the hard work of Democrats like Senator Ted Lyons, Senator John T. Montford, and State Representative Mark Stiles.

Judge Shephard says: "The plan represents a new era for the State Criminal Justice System."

Along these same lines, Senator Ted Lyons (D-Rockwell) says: "It represents a revolutionary approach toward dealing with drugs and how they've affected our society."

Judge Shephard concurs with Senator Lyons statement that "the most important provisions of the bill expands the state's drug and alcohol treatment for criminals."

The plan pushed by Democrats calls for the construction of about 25,000 new prison beds including 12,000 in regional facilities that will be reserved for non-violent offenders needing treatment for substance abuse. Lyons said, "The bill will enable Texas to lead the way in solving the drug problem that is a chief cause of crime."

Lyons also said, "Eighty-five percent of the people who are

Lubbock Attorney Appointed To MALDEF Board

Lubbock attorney Maria Luisa Mercado was recently appointed to the Board of Directors of the Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Foundation (MALDEF). The national board governs the organization and sets policy.

Because of the continuing problems of discrimination in this country towards Mexican-Americans, MALDEF has continued to be in the forefront of the fight to end racism. MALDEF has been quite visible over the last few years in Texas as the lead attorneys in the school finance case against the State of Texas and filing numerous law suits challenging violations of the Voting Rights Act.

in the prison system are there because of a drug related offense."

Lyons further stated, "About sixty percent of the inmates are repeat offenders."

Judge Shephard agrees

with Senator Lyons assessment of the problem of cocaine users.

Lyons also stated that "cocaine users often are so

addicted to the drug that a prison sentence does not deter them from committing crimes to assure their next fix.

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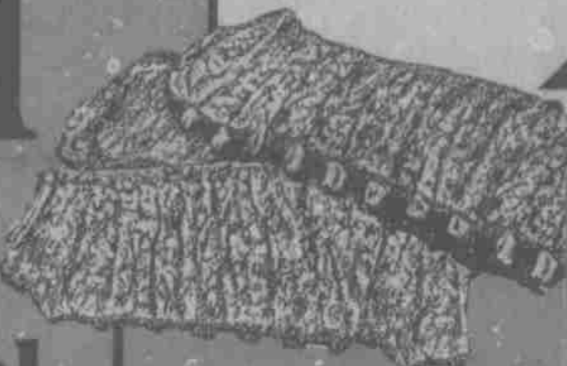
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