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Dedicated to Informing the Negro Citizens of West Texas

FOUR PAGES

'Around the Hub City' FINAL RITES HELD FOR MANGUS WAL

"Around the Hub City" is quite concerned about the wlefare of our young adults, teenagers, and thinks that it is necessary that there be more disicipline given them at the Eastern Little League games. I hope that each adult who reads this short article will capture in his or her mind how important and necessary it is to prepare our youngsters for the trying times of tomor ow. It is pitiful to witness the conduct of the rabble of young people who attend many of these games. Of course, it is not the acts of all who may attend these recreational facilities, but, there are some who paint a dull picture for those who would and are enjoying an evening of recreation. If you are a parent of youngsters who enjoy clean recreation, please try to tell them how impotrant it is for the m to have good clean recreation, and perhaps, it will pass on to many of their peers.

+++++ Mr. and Mrs. Luther Williams and Mrs. Peggy Johnson of Tyler, Texas, spent the week-end here as house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Simmons. Mrs. Johnson is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Simmons. Also accompanying them to the "Hub City" were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson of Jacksonville, Texas, who are the parents of Mrs. Simmons, They were special guest for the celebration of Mrs. Simmon's birthday. They departed from Lubbock Sunday evening.

Clarissa Jay arrived Sunday afternoon from Dallas, Texas, where she has been attending school and will spend the summer with her aunts, Mrs. Maunita Terrell and Mrs. Juanita Simmons. +++++

Mrs. Erma Hubbard left last Thursday afternoon for her home in Seattle, Washington. She was in the city attending the funeral services of her mother, Mrs. Lillian Smart. Other members of the family left at various times.

Mesdames Willie Johnson of Freson, Calif. and Mrs. Geraldine Johnson of Port Chicago, Califor-

FOR MANGUS WALKER

Funeral se vices for Magnus Walker, a resident of Lubbock for over 28 eyars, were held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday at Messiah Presbyterian Church, 1616 Avenue B, with Reverend Merrell T. Reed, pastor of Mt. Vernon Metohdist Church, officiating.

Mr. Walker was reared in Subline, Texas. He moved to Temple in 1919 and then to Lubbock in 1938. He was married to Miss Eddie Wright, and to this union was born two sons. On November 23, 1944, he married Miss Jelma Gaffney and they were blessed with one

He was united with the Mt. Vernon Methodist Church and was a faithful member until ill health prevented him from attending.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Jelma Walker: sons Magnus, Jr. and Bruster L. of Los Angeles, California, Clarence E. a daughter, Gwendloyn M. Smith of Dallas; sisters, Mrs. Annie Martin of Belton, Mrs. Maggie Fisher and Mrs. Lizzie Boston; two brothers, eight grand- hildren, one greatgrandchild, many relatives and a host of friends.

tending the funeral services of their sister, Mrs. Lillian Smart. They are former residents of the "Hub City" and have many friends here.

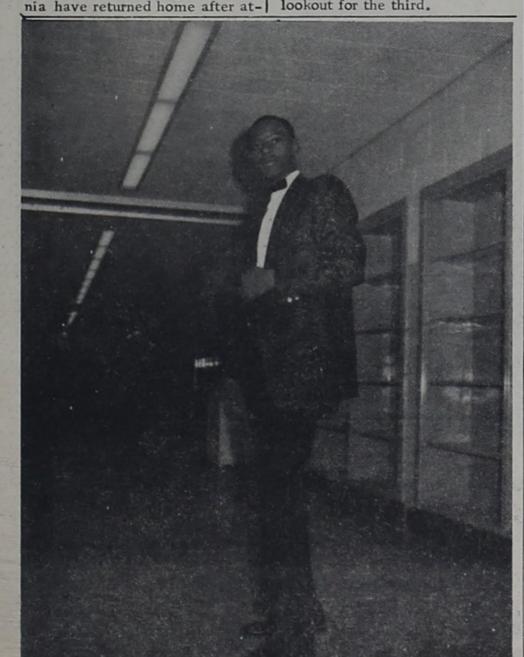
"Around the Hub City" will be in El Paso this weekend

Atlanta -- NPI -- Not many people can spot their own clothes in an instant, especially if someone else is wearing them, but Willie You g did.

Young spotted a 15 year-old youngster wlaking down the street clad in raiment which had been lifted from Young's apartment a week before.

He stopped the youth, questioned him, and discovered that the boy and two others had burgularized his apartment and at least two others in the cicinity.

The second youth was quickly arrested, and police are on the lookout for the third.



Wichita Falls -- Fashion View This is the year of bright colors for the males. Moris Glenn Harris is a living witness to this fact, he is dressed in a royal blue and

black trimmed dinner jacket, black satin bow-tie and black tux pants. This young man would catch any young ladies' eye.

ELKS BATHING BEAUTY AND TALENT QUEEN



The 41st annual convention of Texas State Association IBPOEW held its beauty and talent contest at the Pioneer Hotel recently here in Lubbock. Pictured left to right are; Mr. Leon G. Williams, state director of beauty and talent contest, Miss Mattie Rutherford, second place winner, from Lubbock,

Miss Dianna Broussard, first place winner from Beaumount; Billy Burke, Southwestern Regional Special Market Representative with the Coca-Cola Co.(donor of all trophies); Miss Alice Bright, third place winner of San Antonio; Mr. Fleix Lister, state president; and Mr. J.F. Simmons, grand secretary.

King Family Holds Reunion Here



The family reunion of the King family was held in Lubbock, Texas, June 7th, through June 12th, at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Barber, 4218 E. 64th and Mr. 1

and Mrs. Edward Reynolds, 4216 E. 64th.

Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Alton Smith, and family Mrs. Tressie Turner, Mr. and Mrs.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL HELD HERE

The Lutheran Churches of Lubbock are sponsoring a vacation bible school from June 20 through July 1, at Chatman Hospital, 23-03 Cedar Avenue. The school is for all children between the ages of 3 and 12.

Bible stories, refreshments, singing, games and playtime will be the program each day.

Parents and adults are urged to bring their children. All children in the community are cordially invited to attend. There will be no charge.

Thank You

The family of Mrs. Lillian Smart wish to thank their many friends for their deeds of love and kindness shown them during the recent illness and death of their wife, mother, sister and grandmother. We are deeply grateful and may God bless each of you. The family ...

ACCOUNTABILITY

Folks ain't got no right to censuah otha folks about dey habits; Him dat giv' de squir'ls de bushtails made de bobtails fu' de

rabbits.

-PAUL L. DUNBAR

Bobby Lee Evans and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lee Hervery and family all of Lubbock, Texas. Also Mr. T. G. Gholston, and Mr. Jack Morrison. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Reynolds and family, Mrs. T. G. Gholston and family all from Commerce, Texas. Mrs. Mary Allen Cobbin, and Dinah Reynolds of Wolfe City, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reynolds and family from Portland, Oregon.

Those who could not attend the family reunion were two sisters and two brothers; Mrs. Bernice Huff and family of Arizona, Mrs. Katherine Hill and family of Commerce, Texas. Mr. Issac King of Commerce, Texas, and Mr. Willie Lee King of Bonham, Texas.

The family reunion was success and will be held in Wolfe, City, Texas next year at the same time in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rob Collins.

Mr. Leon Bunton, 1808 East

SOMETHING SHOULD BE DONE

Another example of the old adage about 'the best laid plans of mice and men' came to light here last Friday when the city of Lubbock came pretty close to being blown away without any notice what-so-ever.

This experience could quite possibly be our "free trip" from ole mother nature. It should be taken very seriously by the powers that be in bringing our warning systems up to date and keeping someone's finger on the button, particularly during the spring and early summer when a small thunderstorm can get to be a serious matter even before the people who spend their time watching them can recognize the danger.

The taxpayers in the city of Lubbock put much stock in the warning sirens scattered so well over the city. They always have felt that the system was working well and could not be tripped up, especially when we are always subjected to a specticular display of their effectiveness at least one day each month.

Now, with the real thing at hand at least once, we find that the system didn't work. The explination being that someone didn't push the button because there was no apparent reason to warn the city. This is not a very good reason, so let's rearrange our system to the point where we might get more 'scares' and less chances of someone being

The point, dear reader, is this, if the people in charge of our warning system get a jump on the next storm, we may well benefit from it. But if they don't take a chance on a false alarm, it might be very possible that by the time the city gets ready to clean up after the strom there won't be anything left to show for the investment we have now in warning systems. If it is necessary for the citizens to listen to the sirens when the weather is clear and no clouds are in sight, it might be comforting to hear the things every once in a while when there are clouds in sight and the possibility of a storm exists. No one promised us that we had to have a tornado everytime they pushed the button, only that there was the possibility of a storm.

So let's take the last mistake as a very dear warning, and now, right now, let's get our system up to and ahead of date. Let's revise, rearrange, or rebuild our civil defense system to the point where there will not be another mistake of this nature.

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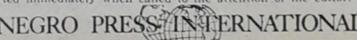
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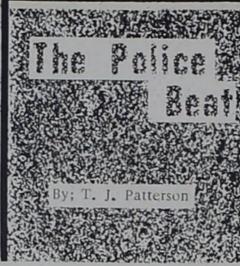
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SHOT VICTIM

Mary Bolton, 1306 East 24th Street, was found by police lying against the wall of a building last week-end. Upon questioning the lady, police found that she had a sharp insturment in her hand. She told police that she was shot by one of her friends only moments before. Accordign to the police, Bolton was shot once in the right hip with a . 22 caliber pistol. The accused lady who was to have been responsible for the altercation was found shortly and booked by authorities. This incident occurred over an argument which had been going on for several hours. Bolton was taken to Methodist Hospital by Sedberry Ambulance Service.

MITCHELL'S CAFE LOOTED

Albert Bunton, Jr., 2609 Ivory, told police that someone unknown had come through the back door of Mitchell's Cafe, at 619 Idalou Road, by kicking it open. Once inside, the jukebox was robbed of approximately five dollars. The box's coin compartment had been pried open with a screwdrievr which was left behind.

HOIUSE BURGLARY

Odell Nelson, 1520 East 25th Street, told police that while he was at work in one of the local restaurants in the city, someone broke into his home ny knocking out the glass in his rear door. It

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was reported that over four hundred dollars worth of merchandis was taken from his closet. Some of the items taken included a gold watch, several long sleeve shirts and many albums. The damage to the glass which made it possible for the burglar to enter was also used for the exit.

CAR BURGLARY 24th Street, todl police that someone, unknown, took from her car one generator which was valued at approximately ten dollars. The car was parked at East 24th and Quirt Avenue. It was told to her by a man that he had seen two young boys playing in the area in which the car was parked and did notice that they were interested in

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from Mrs. Bunton's car.

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RECEIVES AIR FORCE COMMENDATION MEDAL



Sheppard AFB -- TSgt. David E. Smith of the 3630th Consolidated Maintenance Squadron at Sheppard Air Force Base receives the Air Force Commendation Medar during ceremonies conducted by Col.

Frank L. Gailer, Jr. Colonel Gailer is the commander of 3630th Flying Trainnig Wing at Sheppard. Sergeant Smith was one of 10 men receiving medals that day.
(Official U.S. Air Force Photo)

EASTSIDE TEACHER CHOSEN AS **ENGLISH SCHOOL CONSULTANT**



Mr. Olean S. Bell Wichita Falls -- Mrs. Olean D. Bell, remedial reading teacher at Eastside Junior High School has been selected as Consultant in the Institute of English on the Campus

Southern California, Concordia College, Minnesota, and Midwestern University.



David Lee Williams

David Lee Williams, son of Mr. of Midwestern University, June 13 and Mrs. David P. Williams of 14through August, 1966. She recei- 19 Rosewood Street, is home afved her B.S. and A.M. from Prair- ter serving three years in the U.S. ie View A. & M. University, with Army. While in the army SP4 further study at the University of | Williams went to Korea where he

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Sheppard AFB -- TSgt. David E. Smith, flight chief with the 3630th Consolidated Maintenance Squadron, Sheppard Technical Training Center, Sheppard AFB, Texas, was presented with the Air Force Commendation Medal during ceremonies held Friday.

Col. Frank L. Gailer, Jr., the commander of the 3630th Flying Training Wing, made the presen-

Sergeant Smith earned the medal for his distinguished service while assigned at Stead AFB, Nevada as UH-19B helicopter flight chief from October 1963 to Octo-

While at Stead AFB, he was assigned with the 3636th Maintenance and Supply Group.

'Wichita Falls Watch'

Mrs. Aaron Spells, 815 Gerald Street, and Mrs. Bessie Moore and grandchildren left last Thursday morning for Galveston, Texas, where they will visit with Mrs. Moore's relatives.

Walter Phillips Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Allen, 605 Edison Street, is attending summer school at North Texas State University, Denton, Texas.

The summer school session for pre-school children has been very successful. There are seventy students enrolled at Washington Elementary School and tewnty-five enrolled at Holland Elementary.

Happy anniversary to Mr. and Mrs. Empra Roberts of 615 Dee Dr., who celebrated their anniversary of Father's Day, June 19. Mrs. Roberts is attending a workshop in Ft. Worth, Texas this week.

Happy birthday to Mrs. Marvinell Johnson who is now vacationing with her sister in Fort George G. Mead.

Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Jackson, 700 Rosewood left last week for Houston, Prairie View, and Austin Texas. After leaving Houston, Principal Jackson attended a Principal's Conference at Prairie View A.&M. College. And a Principal's Conference in Autsin, Texas, The conference in Austin was held with principals from four white schools and principals of four Negro schools. The agenda for the meeting, 'Merging Conferences". The meet was reported to be very successful.

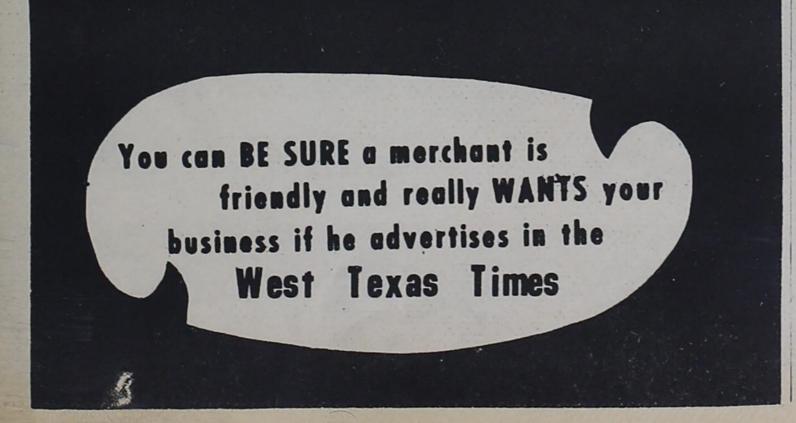
Happy birthday to Mrs. Marie

spent thirteen months in active duty. Then he was stationed at Ft. Benning, Georgia, for eleven months and r3ceived his discharge while stationed there.

David is a 1963 graduate of B. T. Washington High School. He was a member of the Harry T. Burleigh A Cappella Choir, and played half-back for the Leopard Football team.

He is a member of the Mount Pleasnat Baptist Churhc, before goign into the army he was one of the soloist in the senior choir and the male chorus.

Williams plans to enter college in September to further his edu-



Washington Graduate Receives Two Awards from Bishop



Evelyn Barbara Littleton

Wichita Falls--Evelyn Barbara Littleton, daughter of Mrs. Alice Littleton, 606 Juarez Street, received two awards. She received a special award from Bishop College to attend school for ten weeks, this program starting on June 13.

Barbara will also return to Bishop in September for the fall semester, after she received a \$100 scholarship from the Progressive Club of this city.

Her activities in high school included Student Council, Dramatics Club, Harry T. Burleigh A Chapell Choir. She was a member of the National Honor Society, Inter-School Ethus Commission, and graduated an honor students.

West, who celebrated her brithday on June 16th.

Mrs. I. A. Carter, and two granddaughters Miamiah and Shelly, left last week via Air France for Monrovia Liebria, West Africa to visit with her daughter, and Miamiah's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen F. Tolbert. Mr. Tolbert is Secretary of Agriculture in Af-

Barbara plans to major in Government or Psychology.

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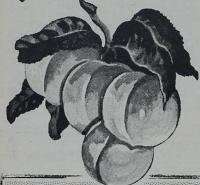
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