

JOB CORPS INVITES UNEMPLOYED BOYS TO "EARN-LEARN"

YOUNG NEVADA MALES 16 through 21 years of age who are out of school and unable to find work are urged to investigate opportunities offered by the national Job Corps.

Job Corps applications are available at all state employment offices according to Bruce Barnum, executive director of the Nevada Employment Security Department. The Las Vegas office is located at 135 South 8th St.

Those who qualify will be able to "earn while they learn" for a period of one to two years at training sites set up by the federal government. Purpose of the program is to assist young people with inadequate education or job skills to compete in the labor market. Although applications in Nevada are presently restricted to males, training for young women may soon be available.

"The Job Corps takes dead aim on the nationwide problem of the high school dropout," Barnum said. "There are hundreds of thousands of young people who want to work but who just aren't equipped to do so. The Corps will provide the skills, knowledge and self-confidence they need."

BARNUM SAID EACH TRAINEE will be permitted to spend a maximum of two years in the Corps although the average stay is not expected to exceed 12 months.

Nevadans accepted for training will be sent to camps located chiefly on federal lands. These facilities will be operated by the Job Corps in cooperation with federal conservation agencies.

Training will include work on the nation's forests, parks and other natural resources. Under the supervision of experienced federal employees, Corps members will learn skills in basic surveying, forestry, weed and pest control, farming, carpentry and masonry.

They also will attend basic education classes designed to improve reading, writing, arithmetic and oral communication. Special classes will be conducted in self-government, health and physical training. Plans for the future call for an even broader vocational education program to include clerical and technical instruction.

MEMBERS OF THE CORPS will receive a living allowance of \$30 per month, plus room, board, clothing and medical and dental care. In addition, the federal government will set aside a "readjustment" allowance of \$50 for every month of satisfactory service in the Corps, to be paid the trainee upon termination of enrollment.

Up to \$25 of this monthly readjustment allowance may be allotted to a member of the trainee's family and the federal government will match the amount of each such allotment. Youngsters serving in the Corps will be permitted to make a short visit home once each year during enrollment. Transportation expenses will be paid by the government.

US-Russ Tickets on Sale

TICKETS FOR THE BIG American-Russian basketball game at the Las Vegas Convention Center on Monday night, April 19, are on sale at Doolittle Recreation Center. General admission is \$2 with reserved seats priced at \$4.

This outstanding sports attraction will mark the American debut of the Soviet Union Olympic team in its eight-city tour of the United States. The American team that will play here will include some of the greatest collegiate and AAU cagers of recent years.

During its American campaign, the Russian squad will play the world pro champion Boston Celtics and the St. Louis Hawks.

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Yes, it is here that we most surely come into the presence of Him who decreed, "I am the way, the truth, the life," for the Church is His Body. And we must become a living part of that Body. It is a choice that cannot be rejected lest we, too, find ourselves accepting the false premise that, "I don't think God really cares whether you belong to a Church or not."

When one descends to this level of dark doubt, it is only one step lower to the bottom of the pit where the tortured disciples of Lucifer plaintively try to reassure each other that, "There is no God."



DANCING CHAMPS--Shirley Snowden (left) presents awards to Ben Williams (second from left) and Elaine Fox (third from left) for winning "Swinging Into Spring" Dance Contest sponsored by The Fashionettes at Doolittle Center. Jeanette Snowden (third from right) and Joseph Pickney (second from right) receive runnerup awards from Dorothy Snowden. (See story)

Fashionettes Stage Successful Dance

"SWINGING INTO SPRING" was the theme for a dance sponsored by The Fashionettes at Doolittle Recreation Center recently. Elaine Fox and Ben Williams took first place in the mixed partners dancing contest and Jeanette Snowden and Joseph Pickney comprised the runnerup team. (See photo)

Flowers and ropes of pastel crepe paper decorated the hall and fruit punch was served. Many of the latest records were played for dancing.

The Fashionettes are a group of girls in the junior high school age category who are interested in the development of finer womanhood according to Mrs. Shirley McDaniel, senior recreation leader at Doolittle Center.

Good grooming in dress and manners are emphasized in group activities along with better health habits. The arts of cooking and sewing also are explored.

All girls of junior high school age who would like to join this group are urged to contact Mrs. McDaniel at Doolittle Center. There is no charge.

"Better Parenthood" Course Under Way

A 12-HOUR COURSE in "How to be a Better Parent" is being offered at Ruth Fyfe School, 4101 West Bonanza Rd., on Tuesday nights from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Two dollars (\$2) covers all costs to registrants according to the sponsoring county Adult Education Department.

The course is being conducted by Mrs. Twyla Staub, a teacher at Townsite School, Henderson, with extensive background in parent-child relationships. Topics to be covered include: Discipline, Emotional Problems, Why Children Act As They Do, Biggest Mistake of Parents and Brother-Sister Relationships.

Registration will be accepted at Ruth Fyfe School, located near Western High School, between 7 and 7:30 p.m. Tuesday night, April 6, according to Adult Education Director Ray Sturm.

Rights Luncheon in Reno

RENO -- "Civil Rights Legislation and You" will be the theme of a luncheon meeting sponsored by the Reno chapter of the National Council of Christians and Jews (NCCJ) next Tuesday, April 6, at the Riverside Hotel.

This first of a series of bi-monthly discussion luncheons planned by the NCCJ

will be cosponsored by the Reno Chamber of Commerce. The program will deal with specific problems of business and industry relating to fair-employment practices.

Dr. Heinz Rettig of Las Vegas, executive director of the Nevada NCCJ, will moderate the discussion. Dr. Rettig will report on a study he has made of actual and possible problems affecting employers under various federal and state laws covering civil rights.



Deadline April 6 For Hobby Show

DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES in the third annual Southern Nevada Hobby Show, scheduled for Dula Center April 9-10, has been set for next Tuesday, April 6. There is no charge for entering exhibits or attending the show.

Exhibits may be entered in the following classifications:

FINE ARTS--Ceramics, water color, oil, charcoal, printing, sculpture, interior design, weaving, sketching, mosaics, metal, woodwork, landscape design, other.

HOME ECONOMICS--Cake decorating, knitting, flower arrangement, crocheting, millinery, embroidery, quilting, other.

CRAFTS--Models, leather, tin, candle-making, other.

SCIENCE--Reptile, biology, mineralogy, astrology, anatomy, gemology, other.

COLLECTIONS--Stamps, coins, insects, other.

Entry blanks are available at Dula, Jefferson and Doolittle centers and the recreation and parks departments of Clark County, North Las Vegas, Henderson and Nellis AFB.



EDITOR'S MAILBOX

Editor, Sir:

I am an African lad of Nigerian nationality, 19 years old, 5-feet, 3-inches tall and 130 pounds. I am seeking friends from your country regardless of age or sex. It is my hope this can be achieved by having my name and address published in your highly recommended paper.

My desire is to establish an exchange project of African articles for American products. I can send purses made of skin, handbags, wallets, slippers, masks, ebony carvings and tanned skins of the tiger, zebra, jaguar, leopard, antelope and other African animals.

Thank you in advance for your help.

Yours faithfully,

M. A. Faboluoe

2 Oke Street

Lagos, Nigeria, Africa

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the Communists are hoping to profit from the Selma predicament. They have been trying to attach themselves like leeches to all movements of reform.

But who is helping them? We must honestly face that question.

Certainly those who brood over their beers and martinis in tavern or club must comprehend that they have created--and still defend--local laws which deny the right to vote to qualified persons. They can hardly escape the fact that so-called agitators would not have come there had there not been a condition of injustice and fear locally and state imposed.

One of the major dangers in the South has been, and is, that the "let us alone" attitude would leave the field open to those of the extreme left who wish to exploit it. None of the Southern cities suffering the presence of so-called agitators had made a single voluntary concession. They have left it to tough, bull-whip sheriffs and posses to defend injustice.

WE MAY, THEREFORE, be thankful that an aroused nation fortunately was represented at Selma by the presence of nuns, priests, ministers and many other aroused citizens. Neither the South nor the nation can afford to let it appear that only the Communists are interested in human rights.

The angry men in the beer taverns and the country clubs are playing into the hands of the radical left. The hometown people are those who should be in the forefront demanding voting rights for their people. Why leave a vacuum for the Communists and radical left to fill? The nuns and clergymen at Selma made it clear that America is interested in human rights.

The lesson is obvious--do local people encourage brutal oppression and leave the field to the radical left--or do they themselves correct existing wrongs?

We can be thankful for the great outpouring at Selma.