

# We've Been WONDERING

WHY that local NAACP clique who rigged that election last December are not regretting the part they played--or are they?  
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WHY "Big Cat Fish" has remained a land lubber for the past three months when, not so long ago, hell and high water couldn't keep him away from his secret catfish holes for as long as a week.  
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WHY that great big barn of a shopping center on North Main refuses to spend a few hundred bucks in VOICE advertising, when they have been taking a cool million out of the Westside every year. Maybe they believe that we can't spend our loot anyplace else. We wonder if they would have a change of heart if all of us shopped on Tonopah Highway instead of on the boundary line of our twin cities.  
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WHY our new sparkplug at the VOICE, Alice "The Flame" Key took so long getting back to Vegas. She just didn't know that both the VOICE and the people needed her here.  
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WHY that other charity group keeps trying to take over Operation Independence. Where were these civic-minded citizens in 1963 and 1964 when Lubertha J. was desperately SOSing for help? It's nice work if you can take over after the other guy has done all the struggling and suffered the heartaches of getting a project off the ground.  
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WHY certain of the local sorority ladies dolled-up so fancy for the Fashion Show. One or two of them actually up-staged the professional models that Ebony imported. We know one poor husband who had to float a loan at the bank to frock his sister so that she could out-Jones the Joneses.  
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WHY the sequences of 2-4-10-15-22-25-27-33 and 46-47-49-42-53-57-64-77 are supposed to be lucky for persons born in January, February, August and November.  
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WHY Napoleon "Nappy" Whiting never got miked during all those 40 lean years. Now that he is making long bread as a regular in the "Big Valley" series, he says that the camera, as well as the mike, scare him out of his wig. Guess that is why he plays the part of Silas sans his toupe. Way back, when he couldn't get to his grits, he couldn't pass a microphone without going into his act--"Catch on?"  
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WHY Miss Fine Young Brown, a doll of a rookie teacher on our scene, lets that eligible batchelor get away with murder at romance. My grandpa never did appreciate water until the well went dry. Maybe Miss Fine should take a hint from grandpa.  
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WHY that local business gent keeps getting bitten by his own dog. Maybe if he showed up at home more frequently Fido would get to know him better.  
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WHY shoe-shoppers pass up the top shoe merchant in town to go all the way downtown, or across town looking for ground pads. Take a tip from ole 'P' that Michael is a boss guy and he handles nothing but top quality creepers.  
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WHY our school district employs so many teachers of questionable sex. They are obvious enough to 'P' for puzzled, and I am half blind. However, I still can read the labels on booze, and dig the gams on dames. We wonder if the questionables ever take a second gander at glamorous gams--female style. They don't know what they are missing. On the other hand, maybe they think poor Henry P. is missing something.  
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HENRY 'P.' (for 'Puzzled')

## MORE JOB TRAINING COURSES OFFERED

RECRUITMENT IS CURRENTLY underway for an Automatic Transmission Mechanic training course, with classes scheduled to start December 13. Trainees for two courses in Basic Education will be sought beginning December 13. The Education courses are scheduled to start January 1, 1966. One course is listed as clerical, and is open to those of age 22 and up; the other is a Youth Basic Education course and is programed for youths between the ages of 17 and 22.

The vocational education courses, sponsored jointly by the Nevada State Department of Vocational Education and the Nevada Employment Security Department, are offered under the auspices of the Manpower Development and Training Act.

Because all training courses are based on the needs within individual communities, Las Vegans wishing to upgrade their earning capacity and increase their employability, would do well to check with the local Manpower Development and Training agency about the numerous training courses offered, and take advantage of counseling aid to select the class for training in the specific field determined to develop individual potential.

Recent training courses completed have included such diversified classes, as Office Practices, 52 weeks; Data Processing (Programmer), 45 weeks; Duplicating Machine Operator, 52 weeks; Upholsterer, 52 weeks; Auto Service Station Attendant, Janitorial and Automatic Transmission Mechanic classes.

SOON TO BE ANNOUNCED are recruiting dates for Nurseryman and Front Office Cashier training courses.

It is vitally important that trainees registering in classes realize the importance of faithful attendance at classes. Those who begin a training course, keep up attendance, and are graduated are easily and immediately employable, while those who underrate the importance and value of regular attendance, unfortunately, become just another drop-out statistic.

## But The Game Was Lost

NEVADA'S SECTION OF VITAL Statistics in Carson City recently received an airmail special delivery letter from a mother and father, now residents of Glendale, Arizona. They were parents of a High School Sophomore whose big chance had come to play on the undefeated varsity football team in the last game of the season. The letter was an urgent request for a copy of their son's birth certificate needed for verification of age.

The going fee for such certificates is the sum of \$2, and although the frantic parents had only enclosed a dollar with the request, John Sullivan, Chief of Vital Statistics, dispatched the certificate post haste, returning the dollar and requesting that the two dollar fee be mailed.

Sad to relate, our story has no happy ending. The certificate arrived in Glendale in ample time for our football hero to play; however, when Sullivan received the requested correct fee, a note was enclosed bearing the news that the team was defeated in their last game.

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