

**"When The Million Applaud You, Seriously Ask What Harm You Have Done;
When They Censure You, What Good!" - - - See PUDDIN HEAD On LBJ**

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"PUDDIN HEAD"



**"TELL'N IT LIKE IT IS---AND
PUTT'N IT WHERE IT'S AT"**

All The Way With LBJ

Hear ole Puddin loud and clear, Blood. We goin' to talk politickin' turkey today, and every-day right up to election time next November. Baby, we got to stand tall, and stand together for our all-time champion, LBJ. It don't make a bit of difference about what party you belong to, we got a man who been fightin' our fight, and the time done come when we got to fight his fight.

Our President has turned the White House into a house of justice for the black man. LBJ has done more for Bro than all other presidents put together. The tall Texan has stood ten feet tall in leadin' the way for Bro to become a full-fledged citizen of this nation. He ain't been just walkin' and talkin', he been actin', baby, and he been actin' for our cause at his own political expense.

While our champ has stood his ground fightin' our battles, he done made a lot of political enemies that used to be his friends. Blood, if we don't stand behind this courageous leader in his hour of need, we don't deserve nothin' but the dirty end of the stick. And believe me, baby, that is exactly what we will get if we desert LBJ after all he has done for us. We got to put everythin' we got into the fight to keep LBJ in the White House.

Dig ole Puddin's reasonin', baby, and you will see the light. If Lyndon B. don't get the full support of the Black Man's vote, not even a damn fool would ever stand up for us again. They would say, and say with just cause, "Why stick your neck out for the Black Man--he will only turn against you when you need his help--look what they did to LBJ after all he did for them." Baby, we got to go all the way with LBJ, and we got to go all together, or we all goin' down the drain.

FOR THE sake of our future, and for God's sake, don't keep your big mouth shut whenever, and wherever you hear somebody talkin' against our man. Talk up loud and clear, baby, and let 'em know where you stand and how strong you feel about our champ. We ain't never goin' to get a better champ, so we got to fight like hell for the one we got. He been fightin' like hell for us for years. Let's show the man that we are with him, and that we love him, baby. If we

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Hundreds Attend Henry Feltus Rites



Henry Hurvie Feltus

Hundreds of mourning friends and acquaintances gathered at The Upper Room of God in Christ, 'F' and Madison streets, Tuesday afternoon to pay final tribute to 30-year-old Henry Hurvie Feltus who died of a gunshot wound in the early hours of Friday morning, Dec. 8.

News of the shocking tragedy swept the community like wildfire and the measure of affection he enjoyed from those who had known him from early childhood was attested by the sorrowing throng that jammed every aisle, corridor, nook, and cranny of the large two-balconied Church to say their last goodbye to the popular young man about town.

The gun which figured in the tragedy has not yet been found, but police are holding two

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SAMMY DAVIS JR., TO HEAD NAACP PROGRAM

Sunday, Dec. 17 marks the close of the Las Vegas NAACP Chapter's membership drive and the membership committee, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Sarah Ann Knight, have arranged an imaginative, unique, and exciting program to ring down the curtain on the formal membership drive.

Following the 3 p.m. NAACP meeting at Doolittle Recreation Center, members will adjourn to Bob Bailey's Sugar Hill Lounge, Miller and Lexington, where at 4:30 p.m., no other than Sammy Davis, Jr., will ring up the curtain on a program of great fun, greater entertainment, and much deserved acknowledgements.

Admission to this wonderful evening of
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Nation Mourns Astronaut

CHICAGO - (NPI)--The tragic death of the nation's only Negro astronaut is being mourned by his sorrowful family and admirers all over the nation.

Air Force Major Robert H. Lawrence, Jr., 31, was killed in the crash of an F-104 Starfighter at Edwards Air Force Base, California.

He was the fifth astronaut to die in an airplane accident, and the ninth in various mishaps--none of them in space.

Major Lawrence was killed when the plane he was co-piloting crashed on the base runway during a proficiency training flight. A second pilot, Major Harvey J. Royer, 36, was injured.

The astronaut was selected last June as an astronaut-designee for the Manned Orbiting Laboratory.

A Chicagoan, he attended Englewood High School and won letters in such track events as the cross country and 800 runs.

Not one to involve race in his selection as
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