

# We've Been WONDERING

WHY? a very mellow on-again, off-again acquaintance of most of those in the "out" crowd hasn't been seen on the scene lately. Could the reason be, ol mellow was led to believe he had an "in" with a certain fast filly that turned out to be a stud. Well, if at first you don't suc-ceed, then suc a lemon.

WHY? a certain individual that seemingly have executive ability and is in a position to prove otherwise, and is straining for recognition like a hungry dog on a leash, don't dig the message of Sir P. Sidney (quote) Nothing sooner overthrow a weak head than opinion of authority; like too strong liquor for a frail glass. (unquote)

WHY? Ol Fatso went stone-ape on his former Barrister - business podner to the point of going up side his head, and to add insult to injury, stuck his size 18 & 3/4 trotter off in his "derriere." Could it be, Ol Fatso didn't know any other way to present an award for services rendered.

WHY? when Benjamin Franklin wrote "There are three faithful friends - an old wife, an old dog, and ready money" he didn't also explain some of the many curious relationships, such as sticking your nose into someone else's business or forcing your opinion on others.

WHY? a certain ofay businessman fired his sexretary when he learned the yum yum spent her leisure time in the company of Bro & Sis. Didn't anyone ever hip him that even tho "Black is Beautiful" it don't rub off.

WHY? the sequences of 22-23-24-26-27-29 33-38. And 3-13-14-25-43-45-54-56. Are supposed to be lucky for Aquarius, Pisces, and Aries.

WHY? since coming of age and is gainfully employed on a better than average gig, a certain youth is often cruel and arrogant to the elders in his family labeling them "Toms", don't realize his intolerance of the people that helped pave the way for him is proof (quote) An ugrateful man is like a hog under a tree eating acorns, but never looking up to see where they come from. (unquote)

WHY? some certain customers when they are buying from bro they all but try to run his of her business, and when they can't have their way they call the business folks cheap, chicken s--t and no good (behind their backs) don't get something of their own going. We always heard that minding ones own affairs was a full time 24-hour gig.

WHY? during El Trickeo Dickeo's first term in office prominent Blacks and Latinos were often on the scene, explaining and extolling on the wonderful opportunities El Trickeo Dickeo was making possible for ethnics. Since January last, the Blacks and Latinos representing the administration have all but disappeared into thin air. Could the reason be history is running true to form in the last to be hired and first to be fired Department.

Henry "P" For Puzzled

## Black Questions & Answers

NEW YORK - Who was the first American Black Roman Catholic Bishop?

Who served under F.D.R. as a Director of Negro Affairs?

Which is the oldest college which had as its original purpose higher education for Blacks?

Who was the first great Black heavyweight boxer in the 19th Century?

Who was the Black biologist who received the first Spingarn Medal?

These are some of the questions answered in the revised edition of the Black Culture Quiz, prepared for the Sperry and Hutchinson Company (S & H) by Dr. Roscoe C. Brown, Jr., professor of Education at the New York University School of Education and Director of the school's Institute of Afro-American Affairs and Carolyn A. Dorsey, an instructor at the School of Education.

The revised edition, now available, is the second issued by the company famous for S&H stamps. The first edition published in 1971. A forward states that "The authors and S&H dedicate this booklet to the goal that Black history and culture will soon be rightfully recognized for its role in enriching the lives of all Americans."

The booklet is divided into sections: People and Their Work; Places and Events; Sports, Entertainment and the Arts, and Science and Economic Life.

The asnwrs to the questions above are as follows: James Augustine Healy (1830-1900 became bishop of Portland, Maine, in 1875. He presided over the diocese of Maine and New Hampshire for 25 years.

Mary McLeod Bethune (1875-1955) was appointed to various posts by several presidents serving as director of Negro affairs in the National Youth Administration. She was a powerful figure in New Deal policies relating to Blacks and served F.D.R. as Director of Negro Affairs.

Lincoln University of Pennsylvania is the oldest college which had as its original purpose higher education for Blacks. It was founded as Ashmun Institute in 1854 by Presbyterians, near Oxford, Pennsylvania. In 1866, it was renamed Lincoln University.

Tom Molineaux fought all of the great heavyweights in his day in England and on the continent.

The Spingarn Medal, established by Dr. Joel E. Spingarn, a white who along with his brother, Arthur, gave many years of service to the NAACP, was first awarded to Professor Ernest E. Just of the Howard University Medical School for distinguished research in biology in 1915.

Copies of the Black Culture Quiz can be obtained by writing Manager of Community Relations, The Sperry and Hutchinson Company, 330 Madison Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10017.

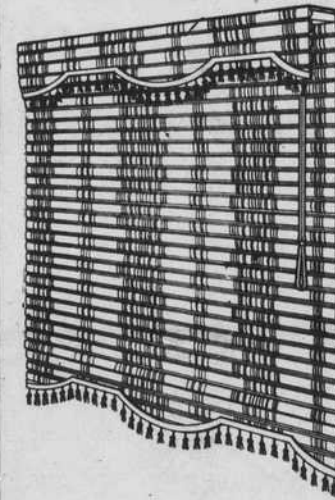
## Vehicle Privilege Tax Filing Period

CARSON CITY---Motor vehicle owners in Nevada who are qualified to obtain a vehicle privilege tax exemption may now file at any time with the County Tax Assessor's Office before the privilege tax is due. In the past, the claim had to be filed before August 1 of the year in which it was due.

Registration Chief John H. Ciardella, Nevada Department of Motor Vehicles, states that as the result of a bill passed during the 1973 Legislature, the privilege tax exemptions deadline of August 1st was eliminated. "Widows, orphans, blind persons and veterans who qualify, under the provisions of the Nevada Statutes, for an exemption from paying the vehicle privilege tax may file their claim during the year at any time on or before the date the tax is due."

Persons filing for a vehicle privilege tax exemption may do so at county assessor's offices throughout the state. Tax exemptions must be filed before a motorist may apply for a Nevada vehicle registration.

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