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# SECURITY OFFICER KILLS MAN AT MARKET

An argument over a \$20 debt was apparently the main factor in the shooting death of Obie Cluff, 865 Bartlett.

According to the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police report, Obie, went into the Pantry Pride Market in the Golden West Shopping Center, and got into an argument with the Security Guard

about money owed to the Security Guard (Holle Bee Broadus). He then went out of store to his car parked in the parking lot and produced a pistol, came back to the store and fired all six shots through the open store door at Security guard who was still inside the store. None of the shots hit Broadus, but, one hit the butt end of his gun. Broadus was then joined at this time

by another Security Guard, Richard Hamilton, and Hamilton and Broadus both fired two shots each at the victim who was still out side of the door, three of the shots hitting the victim in the upper chest area. The victim was taken to Southern Nevada Memorial Hospital by Mercy Ambulance and expired a little after 2:00 p.m the same afternoon.



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### NARCO BUST

Last Thursday, 10 persons were arrested and booked for possession of heroin and other dangerous drugs.

Caught up in the raids were Samuel Lee King, Lee Wilson Bell, Alfredie Jackson, Charles Anderson, Carolyn Miller and Sandra Lee Williams, all blacks. Also arrested on Narcotic charges were Robert Stepo, Jeffrey Fred Schalk, Debra Mary Halper and Terry Hush McMillan, all whites.

The narcotics officers confiscated approximately 1-3/4 ounces of heroin.

### TASK FORCE ACTIVITIES

The Task Force arrested more than 60 persons last week during their operation clean-up Las Vegas of prostitutes, pimps and drug possession.

According to usually reliable sources many prostitutes and their pimps are leaving town. The word has gone out across the country that the heat is really on.

At least one young lass has not been scared off. She has been arrested more than 6 times on different charges. She must be carrying risk insurance or she must have a huge legal fund and lives by the code that a winner never quits.

### 55MPH BECOMES LAW MARCH FIRST

CARSON CITY---The federally mandated 55 miles-per-hour speed limit will become effective in Nevada on March 1.

The Department of Motor Vehicles announced today that the Nevada Highway Patrol will fully meet its obligation to insure that motorists on Nevada highways obey this law.

Colonel James Lambert, the Department's Highway Patrol Chief said, "The speed limits under 55 miles-per-hour posted on various portions of our roadways are still in effect. However, exceeding the 55 miles-per-hour on any portion of our highways will be unlawful, effective March 1."

Lambert said, "Our Patrol will not launch a massive offensive against the speeding motorist but rather will use the normal facilities at our disposal, including VASCAR and RADAR, to discharge our responsibility regarding the maximum speed law."

### RATED NUMBER ONE by RING MAGAZINE



Willie Jenson, a senior of Las Vegas High School, has recently been rated number one in the Flyweight Division nationally by RING, a nationally publicized magazine.

After six years at the fight game, starting at the age of 12, Willie became a pro boxer last year. In his one pro year career, Willie has earned over \$2,000 and the national ranking.

Willie came to Las Vegas with his family 12 years ago from their home state of Louisiana.

He began his fighting career as a member of the Golden Gloves. In the six years that Willie was an amateur, he had a 26/6 win record and as a pro he has a 13/0 win record.

When asked about his future plans, Willie replied, "I would just like to go on fighting and win the title."

### SKI-MASK GANG LOOT \$100,000 PLUS SO FAR

After extensive investigations by North Las Vegas Police and Las Vegas Metropolitan Police an estimated \$100,000 in stolen property has been recovered. After a phone call Friday evening by an informant, officers arrested the following persons: Trenna Gulbranson, 20 of 1927 Basseler, NLV, 1 count robbery and possession of controlled substance, cocaine Frances Gore, 19, 4785 Patterson, Possession controlled substance, (MJ); Richard Rodriguez, 19 378 Maydell, 1 count robbery; Daniel Blanchard, 19, 600 N. Bruce. 2 counts robbery, Possession, (MJ); Larry Green 19, 1300 Melissa, 1 count burglary, 4 counts robbery, and Mark Morgan, 18, 2713 Searles, 4 counts robbery, resisting arrest.

Officers obtained a search warrant for the residence of 5753 Halloween, Las Vegas, and recovered TV's, stereos, jewelry, furs, paintings, small appliances, clothing, silverware and dishes. A 2-ton truck was used to load all of the property.

Other addresses where recoveries were made were: 1927 Basseler, NLV, where a city police motorcycle and radiowere recovered. They were stolen 2 years ago from the City of Las Vegas Police Building. Also recovered was a stereo. 2713 Searles, LV, a stereo, jewelry, guns and narcotics; 600 N. Bruce, LV, stereo, jewelry and narcotics; 2504 Webb, NLV, 2 TV's and taperecorders; 1300 Melissa, LV, 4 motorcycles, air compressor, stereo, 16 sticks dynamite, caps and fuses.

Officers obtained a search warrant for the address on Halloween about 11:05 Friday evening which led to other subsequent arrests and properties recovered.

Special praise is to be given to members of the North Las Vegas Police, including Sgt. Curt Kinney, Detective Dick Warrilow and Larry Hennessey, and reserve officer, Rex Smith. Members of the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department included - Sgt. Jack Phillips, Detective George Helm, Charles Jordan, Glade Lamoreaux and Ray Burrige.

There are more arrests expected and more properties expected to be recovered from subsequent arrests. These arrests and recoveries were linked to several home robberies that have occurred here since last September...the first of which was the residence of Sherman Simmons of 3568 Madrid. Other residences robbed were William Richards and James McGuire of 3822 Rio Blanca, Allen Lance 725 E. Sierra Vista, Guy Tursini, 1907 E. Mesquite and Vera Love Realty, 1837 E. Charleston.