

NAACP PROTEST ACTIONS OF "TASK FORCE"

It must be perfectly clear that the Las Vegas Branch of the NAACP does not uphold any type of illegal activities and encourages all citizens to become involved in positive law abiding activities. The NAACP has no complaint against good law enforcement only against abuse of powers given to those who enforce the law.

Many individuals have called on the NAACP office for help in insuring their constitutional rights to a fair day in court. Others have called on the NAACP office for unjust arrests and harrassment by members of the Task Force because they were mistaken to be pimps because of the clothes they wear or the cars they drive.

The NAACP is also concerned about the negative effects this Task Force imposes on the black individual and the black community.

The Task Force appears to promote segregation. Blacks are afraid to visit the Strip Hotels and discotheques and whites are afraid to visit West Las Vegas. This is a definite advantage to some of those discotheque owners who have found no other legitimate means to "keep blacks out." The business in West Las Vegas needs a variety of people of all races to be successful.

The NAACP is in full agreement that visitors to Las Vegas should not have to be subjected to embarrassment and harrassment by prostitutes, but the priority of prostitution activities is questionable to Citizens all over West Las Vegas who are gravely concerned about the problems of Narcotics and the decay of our community caused by DOPE, robberies and burglaries and the constant cause of rape all over the country.

Realizing the shortage of manpower on the Metro Police Force, citizens would rather have that manpower used to protect their property.

CRIME IN THE CITY

Honest Johns casino, 2444 L.V. Blvd. So. was reported to have been held up Sunday night by the bandit gave a note to the barmaid that stated - "Don't say anything, I have a gun, give me all the money." The receipts from 2 cash drawers were placed in a bag and handed to the bandit who ordered the barmaid to follow him, when the suspect reached the rear door he fled down the alley. Some of the money was recovered.

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Robert Toston, 428 Van Buren was arrested in the north parking lot of the Union Plaza Hotel and charged with burglary (auto) according to the L.V.M.P.D. report Toston was observed by the security guard and another witness, using a flashlight to look through cars. One witness observed him breaking into a pickup truck. Metro officers responding to a call observed the suspect who fled upon seeing the officers. After a short chase officers apprehended Toston.

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Trudy Holland, no local address, was arrested and booked for receiving stolen property, possession of an unregistered firearm, and possession of Marijuana, forgery, using a stolen credit card along with 2 other blacks. One Robert Shoulders and a Martha Boykin also known as Wanda Brooks.

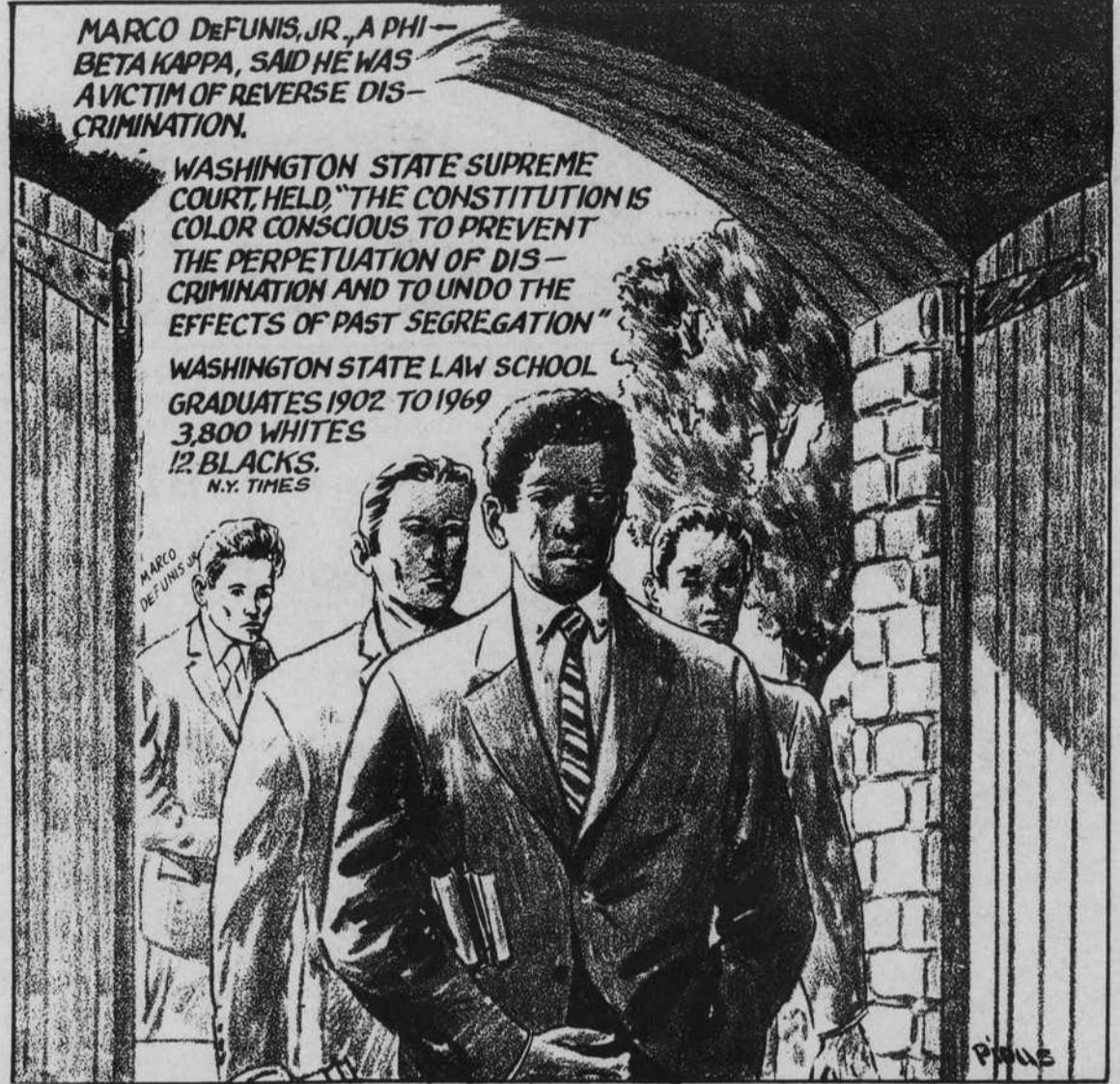
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Ethel Prudhomme, 509 Leonard, had one G.E. 19" color TV removed from her residence during a short absence from home. Two suspects were observed leaving the residence, one of the two suspects has been arrested in connection with the burglary.

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Thelma Hughes, 1209 Doolittle left home to have breakfast and returned 40 minutes later to discover burglars had broken a kitchen window entered the house and made off with cash, jewelry and TVs valued at more than \$1600.00 dollars.

ASKING THE VICTIM TO PAY FOR THE INJUSTICE OF THE PAST?



MARCO DeFUNIS, JR., A PHI-BETA KAPPA, SAID HE WAS A VICTIM OF REVERSE DISCRIMINATION.

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COMMUNITY CAMERA KORK TV 3 FLOODS ENDANGER LAS VEGAS LIVES

Most Southern Nevadans laugh off talk of serious flooding, yet local scientist are fearful we are heading for real property damage and loss of life when an unusually heavy storm strikes the Las Vegas Valley. Two experts will appear with John Howe on "Community Camera" this Saturday, to tell why they see a dangerous situation brewing. Dr. William Fiero of the UNLV Geoscience department, and Dr. Darryl Randerson, of the United States Air Resources Laboratory will describe what Nevadans can expect in years to come, when huge amounts of water might rush through the city after heavy storms in the Spring Mountain Range.

Also, on the program, representatives of the Army National Guard, Air Force and Navy Reserve will point out that these citizen forces still serve America. "Community Camera" is seen Saturdays at 6:30 PM on KORK TV 3.

God is hope. God is now.

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this past year, and predictions of political pessimists notwithstanding, won a solid 56% of the vote.

Twenty-one years on the police force--ten years as a Councilman--he has a deep understanding of urban needs, and a strong feeling for the people.

He often says that to be Mayor of Los Angeles is the fulfillment of a lifetime dream.

The public is cordially invited to hear Mayor Bradley in his first Nevada public appearance. Tickets for the Luncheon are \$5.50 per person. Reservations may be made by calling the office of the Southern Nevada Human Relations Commission. The telephone number is 648-9329.