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*Easter Sunday*

"Peace be unto You"



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## BRIDGER DRUG AWARENESS POSTERS



The students of Jim Bridger Junior High in Mrs. McClam's class recently completed a two week course on drug awareness. The students were assigned various tasks to complete, including skits, short stories, notebooks and posters. The posters were displayed in their classrooms until Friday, March 29th.

The posters were put on display Monday, the 8th of April, and will remain on display through Monday, April 15, 1974.

Present at the hanging of the posters were

The posters that were made are now on display at the North Las Vegas City Hall. It is our belief that through education of the type given to these students and the attitude displayed by their posters and the work that went into their projects we will be gaining on the battle against drugs.

students of Jim Bridger, Mrs. McClam, teacher, Gene Breeden, Drug Resource Teacher from the Clark County School District, and Lt. Bob Hartman, North Las Vegas Police Community Relations Office.

## LEAGUE SAYS BLACK HOPES RIDE ON SENATE REVERSAL OF ANTI-BUSING BILL

WASHINGTON, D.C.---A spokesman for the National Urban League said that it is "gravely concerned about the anti-busing provisions" which the House passed in amending the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) of 1965 this week.

Ronald H. Brown, Director of the League's Washington Bureau, said the House action "represents yet another attempt to halt the progress of minority and poor pupils in their efforts to obtain a quality education." He added that the amendments run counter to the equal protection clause of the U.S. Constitution.

Noting that the Senate has turned back regressive House busing bills in the past, Brown said that "once again the hopes of black people

in this country must ride on the action of the Senate." He said the Senate must act forthrightly in demanding the elimination of the anti-busing provisions. "To do otherwise," he said, "would be to capitulate to the forces of conservatism and to contravene the 1954 U.S. Supreme Court ruling on school integration."

Saying that the House has taken a second trip down the "primrose path" it first took in August 1972, the Bureau Director recalled that the Senate reversed that initial effort with an historic filibuster.

Brown called the recent House Action "an unmasked throwback to the separate but equal, dual-school systems which were ruled uncon-

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## WEST LAS VEGAS GROUP ATTACK'S YOUTH PROBLEM

The Community Ranch for Boys' Committee held a meeting on January 14, 1974, to discuss juvenile problems.

Mrs. Helen Fleming, a mother and resident of West Las Vegas, introduced the idea of a "Boys' Ranch" for Clark County. Mrs. Fleming states, "the purpose of the ranch is to provide a facility for the development of social adjustment, academic readiness and achievement and occupational awareness."

The facility will be aimed at helping boys with the following problems:

1. Dropping out of school
2. Failing in school
3. Inability to get along with peers and siblings.
4. Unresolvable parental conflicts
5. Youth "growing up pains"

Boys' Ranch will serve wayward youth between the ages of 11 and 14 who reside in Clark County.

The committee anticipates meeting and discussing the objectives of the Ranch with County and City officials, Clark County School Student Personnel Director, State Board of Education Officials and other social and civic organizations.

Attendees were Mrs. Ida Crockett and Aquilla Guy of Beta Eta Theta Sorority; Ms. Nancy Williams, Director of Counselors, Juvenile Department; Mr. and Mrs. B. Wilson; Ms. Mary

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## Youth Employment Office To Open

LAS VEGAS--The city of Las Vegas has provided office space at 400 N. First St. for the Nevada Employment Security Department's summer Youth Employment Service program in Clark County.

Charles Smith, manager of the Employment Security Department's Las Vegas office, said a lease has been signed by Las Vegas Mayor Oran Gragson making the space available to the summer-long job program. The area is the former city police department complex.

"Community involvement is essential to the success of this annual project," said Smith. "It is not federally funded and depends on local support. I thank Mayor Gragson and other city officials for taking the lead in supporting this

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