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### Black promoted to hotel food director

Louis Conner has been named director of food and beverage for the Fremont Hotel and Casino, Victor Greger, director of all food and beverage operations for Argent Corporation, announced recently. Far from a fledgling to the hotel industry, Conners started as a warehouseman and re-

ceiving clerk. He moved to the purchasing department eight years later. He has served in his capacity for four months. Conners 33, is responsible for the operation of all Fremont Hotel restaurants, with a work force of over 250 persons. He also is responsible for direct-

ing purchasing for the hotel. He lives in North Las Vegas, with his wife, Gloria, and their four children, Cherlyn, Valerie, Louis Jr., and Rodney. Conners is vice-chairman of the North Las Vegas Parks and Recreation Advisory Board.

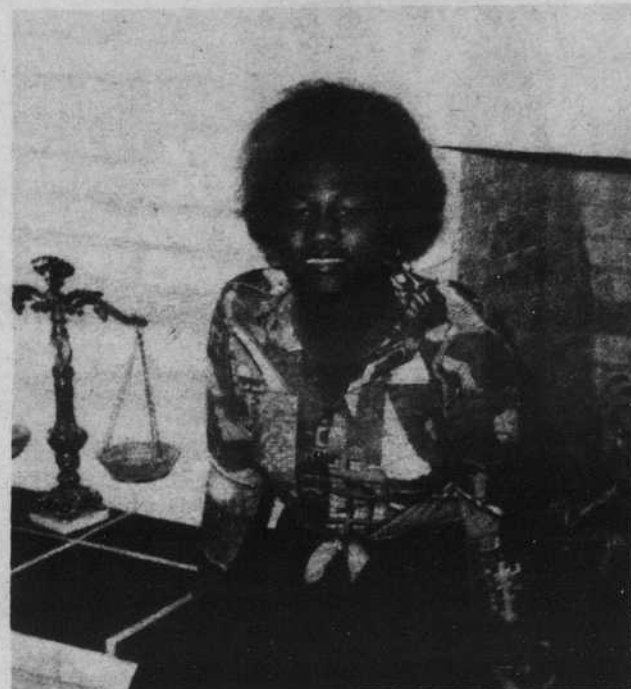
### Black woman becomes 1st telephone installer

Native Las Vegas Cherry Palm will become Monday the first Black woman in Southern Nevada to swing from a pole for the Central Telephone Company when she becomes an installer.

Miss Palm, 19, 1636 N. "L" St., attended telephone installation school for ten weeks. Before that she was a Plant Clerk II for Centel. Her job description will be apprenticed installer, repairwoman. Monday Centel will begin to teach her how to climb a telephone pole, defensive driving and safety.

Miss Palm said she was thrilled about her new position, and the idea of climbing a pole did not seem to bother her.

She will earn \$3.67 an hour as an apprentice. Miss Palm was born in Las Vegas July 23, 1955.



She is a graduate of Clark High School, class of 1973. She got her pre-high school learning at Matt Kelly Elementary and Gibson Junior High

Schools. Miss Palm is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Palm. She was born under the astrological sign of Leo.

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### FLOWER WORLD SPONSORS MISS BLACK TEENAGE WORLD PAGEANT CONTESTANT



Ted Wadley, owner of Flower World Inc., at 400 Las Vegas Boulevard South, presents a \$200 check to Miss Beta Giles, of Western High School, to sponsor her in the Miss Black Teenage World Pageant, to be held at 8 p.m., Saturday, in the Rotunda Room of the Las Vegas Convention Center. Wadley will also donate the flowers for the contestants in the pageant.



SHERIFF RALPH LAMB

### Holt wasting taxpayers' money

Clark County District Attorney George Holt is responsible for the prosecution of criminals in one of the most crime ridden cities in the United States. Yet, he has the time and audacity to try to prosecute Sheriff Ralph Lamb because his son got a driver's license allegedly under age with the sheriff's consent. The VOICE does not agree with the action of Holt in this instance and tells why in Just The Fact, Page 2.