



LOVELACE WATKINS -- well-known entertainer to Las Vegas and other parts of the world, gave the Westside a treat when he visited the Moulin Rouge Beauty Salon. He brought his mother to the salon to have her hair coiffured by hair stylist Pat Blackmore.

Seated from left is Jean Hurd, Pat Blackmore, Mrs. Watkins and Meiko. Standing from left is Jor Tregwell, Debbie Cooper (owner of the beauty salon) Lovelace Watkins and Carolyn Marlborough.

Lovelace is currently appearing to capacity audiences at the Flamingo Hotel.

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Toston was selected over seven other applicants for the job, according to David Rowles, personnel director for the LVCVA. Toston scored highest on the oral exams.

Rowles said, "We're very concerned about the position being filled by the right person. The Authority is spending a great deal of

money for advertising and tourism and needed persons who could effectively represent the Authority."

Toston said he took the job because it would mean greater security for his family. He is married to the daughter of the Rev. Leo Johnson. They have a seven-month-old son.

America entering 'Energy Age'

New and developing energy industries will provide many job opportunities for qualified workers and young Blacks have been urged by the Federal Energy Administration to prepare themselves to take advantage of the coming "Energy Age" by enrolling in science, technical and vocational educational programs.

As millions of the Nation's young Blacks prepare for the 1975-76 school year, they will be entering an "Energy Age" that will require workers of all educational levels as domestic energy production is increased, new technologies are developed and existing facilities are expanded and modified.

As the U.S. strives to regain its energy independence by reducing its vulnerability to any threat of an oil cutoff, the demand for people to conduct research, explore for new energy sources and to build and maintain energy facilities is expected to increase substantially. To meet manpower needs resulting from the heavy emphasis on developing domestic energy resources, U.S. schools and colleges, both public and private, will be called upon to play a major role in sustaining appropriate skilled levels for the new and expanded energy industries. □

In the past decade, employment in the energy industries declined, but a sizeable expansion in the number of jobs is expected as efforts are made to accelerate development of the Nation's domestic energy supplies. The energy industries whose labor needs are expected to increase are coal, nuclear, natural gas, oil exploration and extraction, refineries, oil shale, synthetic fuel from coal and electric powerplants.

Some expected needs can be pinpointed. Employment amount the trades at nuclear powerplants and petroleum refineries is similar. Both require substantial numbers of electricians, welders, steamfitters, and pipefitter. As nuclear development increases, a need for technicians is expected, especially for those technicians performing highly skilled tasks under the direction of engineers and scientists, rather than routine tasks. Occupations to be noted are reactor operators and instrumentation control technicians.

Strings Program Offered

Any student interested in learning the violin, viola, cello or bass violin who can provide her own instrument and find transportation to the junior high school nearest his or her home is welcome to enroll in a beginning and intermediate strings program offered by the Clark County School District.

Classes will be offered two days a week, 4:00-5:00 p.m. in all junior highs, with enrollment scheduled for 3:00-4:00 p.m. Monday, September 22. Instruction is free.

The program is geared primarily for students in grades four through eight, according to Music Consultant Jan Morgan, but younger children will also be considered.

Jan Morgan (386-4848) has additional details on this program, the symphony orchestra program at Sunset High School, and the new elementary school music program.

Playwrights competition announced

Playwrights who are residents of Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington or Wyoming are invited to take part in the Western States Arts Foundation's first Playwrights Competition.

Five plays, selected solely on the basis of artistic excellence by a panel of theatre professionals, will each win a \$600 prize. In addition, the Foundation will make awards of \$700 to each of ten theatres in its region that selects one or more of the winning plays for production.

Selection of theatres will be based on the quality of production, exposure to audience, and the degree of involvement between playwright and producing theatre. Scripts of winning plays will be circulated to interested theaters.

One full-length play or a maximum of three one-act plays may be submitted by a single applicant. Plays entered must not have been produced in a professional theater. Deadline for submitting plays to the Foundation is December 15, 1975.

Participating theatres will each have the option to stage ten royalty-free performances during a single season, after which period all rights revert to the playwright.

This is the first program in the field of literature that the Western States Arts Foundation has sponsored. During its two-year history, the Foundation, a non-profit corporation, has provided technical assistance and co-sponsored residencies for western communities involving a wide variety of such performing artists as the Guthrie Theater of Minneapolis, Western Opera; Theater of San Francisco Opera, and classical, modern, and Spanish dance companies. In addition, the Foundation has awarded fellowships to artists, begun a regional design program and initiated the nation's first large-scale study of the Artists-In-Program.

Supported in part by public and private funding, and by the National Endowment for the Arts, the Foundation's purpose is to broaden and deepen arts experiences of communities and artists in the west.

For applications for the Playwrights Competition, write Western States Arts Foundation, 1430 Larimer Square, Suite 200, Denver, Colorado, 80202.

Public TV Game Show Teaches Money Management

YOU OWE IT TO YOURSELF, an exciting quiz show designed to cover what everyone should know about personal finances, will premiere Thursday, September 18, at 7:30 p.m. on Channel 10.

Allen Ludden of "Password" and "College Bowl" fame is host and quizmaster for the series of half-hour shows. Husband-and-wife contestant teams compete for points by answering questions about personal and family money management, and viewers at home are invited to play along with studio participants.

The programs cover budgeting, consumer credit, financing of family housing, social security, life insurance, health insurance, property and casualty insurance, banks and savings institutions, investment and risk capital and estate planning. Contestant answers to questions asked about these topics are graded and elaborated on during the program by money management experts.

CONGRESS FAILS TO OVERRIDE VETO

Nevada Senator Howard Cannon issued the following statement recently regarding the Senate's effort in overriding presidential vetoes on energy and education:

"I was extremely disappointed that the Senate was unsuccessful in our effort to override the President's veto of the Oil Price Control bill. It is a shame that this nation's energy policy has been determined by a little more than one-third of the Senate. Congress' failure to override means much more expensive energy sources and higher fuel bills for Nevadans and all Americans.

On the other hand, I am very pleased that the Congress did override the President's veto of the Educational Appropriations bill. Had we failed to override this one, Nevada would have lost a sizeable amount of funds which are intended to help check the increasing financial burden on local school districts and individuals while arresting the further decline of educational quality."

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