



GOV. MIKE O'CALLAGHAN visted with Herb Rhodes, director of the California State Fair in Sacramento. The occasion was Nevada Day at the fair which featured a special Nevada handicap pari-mutuel race.

## Biographical Sketch of Virna M. Canson

Mrs. Virna M. Canson, Regional Director, West Coast Region, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, assumed this position in August, 1974. She joined the staff of NAACP in July, 1967.

Mrs. Canson served as Credit Union and Consumer Education Specialist with the California State Office of Economic Opportunity. She spearheaded the drive to organize credit unions among low income families. Twenty-eight credit unions were organized in low income areas in Los Angeles and other California cities.

Under Mrs. Canson's leadership as Treasurer-Manager of the Sacramento Branch NAACP Credit Union, 1953-1965, the assets grew from \$35,000 to \$400,000.

She authored a proposal from the Sacramento Branch NAACP Credit Union which was funded as a component of the Community Action Program of Sacramento County.

Mrs. Canson has authored many publications concerning economics for low income families; one of which -- "Dollars and Sense" appeared for 2 years in the Sacramento Observer. She is presently responsible for the "Annual Voting Record of California Legislators."

Virna Canson serves on 15 organization boards, in the interest of civil right, education, and economics. She has served in 19 different committees, panels, etc. in the past.

Mrs. Canson received 7 different awards and citations for her outstanding service. One was the "Who's Who of American Women, 1968-1969 edition."

Mrs. Canson, a native of Oklahoma, presently resides in San Francisco. Her husband, Attorney Clarence B. Canson, is the Attorney-Advisor, San Francisco District Office, Small Business Administration. She has 2 children - a son, Clarence B. Canson, Jr., M.D., Northwestern Medical Complex, and a daughter, Faythe Canson, student, Northwestern Management trainee, Harris Trust Company. (See NAACP Walk - a - Thon page 3.)

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rate returns are 3% while the downtown banks returns are 4-1/2% to 5%. The people of this community are beginning to wonder what kind of loans can be obtained at the Westside Federal Credit Union without having to go through a lot of hassles.

The question was asked some years ago, why the bankers downtown are getting all the black community's business. Well, the answer is quite simple. The group that went down to make the loan and was rejected by the Westside Federal Credit Union, went downtown and was processed for the same amount of money in less than 15 minutes. Customers are received in an order of good manners, and business is conducted in a professional way.

The Westside Federal Credit Union is suppose to be in existence to serve the community - What good is it when the purpose cannot be served?

## Egyptian Treasure

An ancient Egyptian treasure on loan to the United States for exhibit was off-loaded recently from the Navy combat store ship, USS Sylvania in Norfolk, Va.

The crates containing the priceless archeological King Tutankhamen (Tut) treasures were transported to the United States from Alexandria, Egypt by the U.S. Navy.

The exhibit will be on display throughout the country for approximately two years. The rare exhibit will open in Nov. at the National Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C.

## Pre-Business Workshop

A one-day workshop for those interested in starting their own business will be cosponsored by the Small Business Administration and the University of Nevada, Las Vegas College of Business and Economics on Oct. 7.

The program will focus on the information prospective of new small business owner will need to start a business. Topics will cover organization and planning, legal aspects, financial needs, advertising, accounting records and insurance. The workshop sessions will be presented by local businessmen, small business administration personnel and professors from the College of Business and Economics.

For information and registration, contact the Office of Conferences and Institutes, Division of Continuing Education UNLV.

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## March of Dimes

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Location: Callente, Nevada. For additional information, contact Nevada State Personnel, Las Vegas or Carson City or any local Nevada State Employment Security Office.

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CLERK  
Salary: \$577 - \$702. Any combination of training and experience equivalent to graduation from high school, including or supplemented by courses in office practices and procedures. Ability to type 35 wpm. Filing Closes: September 27, 1976 at 5:00 p.m. Personnel Department, City of Las Vegas, 400 E. Stewart Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada.

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GOLF STARTER  
Salary: \$686 - \$834. Any combination of training and experience equivalent to graduation from high school and two years experience meeting or working with the public and some experience as a golf player. Filing Closes: September 27, 1976 at 5:00 p.m. Test Given: September 29, 1976 Personnel Department, City of Las Vegas, 400 E. Stewart Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada.

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BUILDING INSPECTOR  
Salary: \$1070 - \$1301. Any combination of training and experience equivalent to graduation from high school and completion of an accredited apprenticeship program for carpenter plus two years of journeyman carpentry experience. Possession of a valid Nevada driver's license. Filing Closes: September 27, 1976 at 5:00 p.m. Test Given: September 28, 1976 Personnel Department, City of Las Vegas, 400 E. Stewart Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada.

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KEYPUNCH OPERATOR  
Salary: \$670 - \$814. Any combination of training and experience equivalent to graduation from high school and one and one-half years of experience in clerical work, including or supplemented by training or experience equivalent to completion of a standard course in the operation of keypunch machines. Must be available for shift work. Filing Closes: September 30, 1976 at 5:00 p.m. Personnel Department, City of Las Vegas, 400 E. Stewart Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada.

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## JOB VACANCIES COUNTY OF CLARK FEDERALLY FUNDED POSITIONS

SECRETARY I  
Varied secretarial work involving preparing agendas, taking minutes of meetings and transcribing from tapes of meetings. Minimum education and experience are graduation from high school, including or supplemented by courses in secretarial science; and three (3) years experience as a secretary or stenographer. Salary Range: \$755 to \$955 per month.

LEGAL SECRETARY I  
Specialized stenographic work in the legal field including copying, taking and transcribing notes requiring familiarity with legal terminology, legal format and routine legal forms. Minimum education and experience are graduation from high school including or supplemented by courses in secretarial science; and three (3) years experience as a secretary or stenographer, including one (1) year in the legal field. Salary Range: \$785 to \$993 per month. Both positions require testing with a minimum scores of 60 wpm typing, 100 wpm shorthand, and 50% written clerical test.

Filing closes Friday, September 24, 1976 at 5 p.m.

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