

Oct. 16 was the wedding date for "Punkin," formerly Lettie Rose Hall. Ceremonies and the reception were held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Hall, 988 Balzar Ave.

Among the many guests at the festive occasion were Mrs. Rosie Lee McClinton, grandmother of the bride, from San Jose, and Forest Johnson, General Manager of the Las Vegas Voice and many employees from the Nevada Test Site.



JOHNNY ZELLIS, LETTIE ROSE ZELLIS AND RICHARD C. HALL.



JIMMY GAY SPREADS THE "GOOD BOOK"

In recent weeks many of our churches have been damaged by arsonists causing great loss to our sanctuaries. The repair and replacement of items damaged by these useless acts during the time of inflation make this a very costly effort.

Jimmy Gay, as usual, does his share by replacing Bibles to each of the churches victimized. He would like to call on each citizen in the community to assist in any way they can.

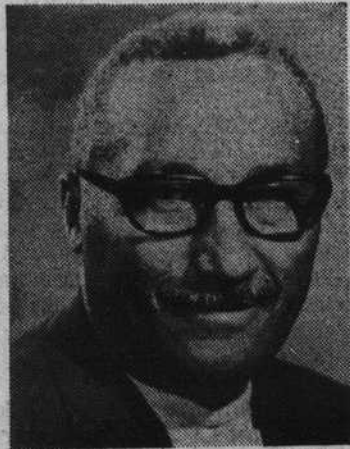
Pictured with Jimmy Gay at the bible presentation is Bishop E. N. Webb, Pastor of Cox Upper Room Church of God in Christ.

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DR. JAMES McMILLAN ENDORSES WES HOWERY



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Dr. James McMillan, one of the leading candidates for the office of County Commissioner Seat D in last September's Primary has urged all of his friends and supporters to vote for Wes Howery in the upcoming General Election.

"I have known Wes Howery for many years and though we have disagreed on occasion, I have always found him to be fair with a full understanding regarding the problems of all the people of Clark County," according to Dr. Mc-

Millan. "Above all I have found him very knowledgeable in matters of government and its complete problems. I now urge all my supporters to vote for Wes in the General Election."

Wes Howery's capabilities as a former City Commissioner are well known by many Las Vegans. During the years from 1967 to 1971 Wes was directly responsible for abolishing night and weekend parking meters downtown, park & recreation development, plus building a stadium and expanding the Convention Center at no cost to the Las Vegas taxpayer. As chairman of the Las Vegas Convention Center, he was instrumental in bringing many of the largest conventions to Las Vegas.

Wes Howery's reputation as a cowboy and a builder and remodeler of houses is widely known throughout Las Vegas. His skill with a hammer and saw are called upon constantly. His capabilities on horseback are displayed in hats and belts presently hanging on the walls of his home.

"My experience as an old neighbor over the past 35 years in Las Vegas allows me to sort out and understand the issues for all groups and individuals, while putting some progressive order into the office to County Commissioner," states Howery. "Due to the State Supreme Court ruling, people now have the right to petition all Commissioners so there is a greater knowledge and consensus of the public's thoughts. It forces all the Commissioners to get involved in order to make things right for everyone, not just a few. I've seen too much bickering in the office. I have no time for office problems. I intend to be on the street dealing with the real problems. The present board has spent too much time and money on deliberation. Too much money has gone to high priced consultants whose reports ended up in the wastebasket."

A Clark County resident of 35 years, he is ready to give up his job at the Thunderbird Hotel due to a possible "conflict of interest." When asked why he would resign, "I want to be County Commissioner. I love politics and I especially



WES HOWERY

enjoy attacking those politicians who continually make special decisions for a select few.

Wes's real "love" are his four grandchildren and he only wishes he could spend more time with them. He also wishes he had four more.

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