



JERRY BUTLER (2nd from right), famed recording star for Motown Records, and his wife Annette (right), shared the limelight with United Nations Ambassador Andrew Young and his wife Jean, at the 7th Annual Congressional Black Caucus Dinner weekend. Jerry was the featured entertainer at the Caucus Dinner and was given a standing ovation after his captivating 45-minute performance.

BLACK CAUCUS DINNER

The consensus among the more than 3,000 who attended the 7th Annual Congressional Black Caucus Dinner was that Motown recording star Jerry Butler did as much as United Nations Ambassador Andrew Young, ROOTS author Alex Haley and President Jimmy Carter in contributing to what some said was "the best dinner of them all."

Backed by a full orchestra with strings, Jerry entertained during the dinner hour, just prior to the Caucus dinner program, which featured Young, Haley, President Carter, Gary Mayor Richard Hatcher, OIC Founder-President Dr. Leon Sullivan, emcee Ossie Davis and members of the Caucus "really excited the people, set the mood, and added to the beauty and success of the evening."

The "Ice Man," as he is commonly called, displayed his unchallenged ability to communicate, musically, with all age, racial and cultural groups. Whether he was singing "For Your Precious Love," a longtime Jerry Butler standard, or one of the tunes taken from his current Motown album, "Suite for the Single Girl," it didn't seem to matter to the highly attentive audience, which responded favorably to everything he chose to sing.

As a matter of fact, after his 45-minute performance, the more than 3,000 persons in attendance gave Butler a standing ovation.

During the Caucus dinner program United Nations Ambassador Andrew Young, who was one of the honorees, commented "Listening to Jerry Butler sing 'Only the Strong Survive,' reminded me of what Dr. King would always tell us during the difficult days of Montgomery, Birmingham and Selma . . . and that was 'Only the Strong Survive.'"

Jerry and his wife, Annette, shared the Caucus weekend spotlight with actor Lou Gossett, who won an Emmy for playing "Fiddler" in ROOTS, Dick Gregory, actor-producer Ossie Davis and his actress wife, Ruby Dee, Alex Haley, Mrs. Esther Edwards, Senior Vice President of Motown, and numerous elected officials and famous personalities.

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1.1 million in 1976, or about 11 percent off all college students under 35. The Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce, recently released its profile of the people of the United States indicating that Black Americans made up 11 percent of the U.S. population in 1976.

The forced integration of schools allowed black people to present themselves to institutions of higher learning. Only similarly types of forced employment mandates by Congress and the President will provide equal employment opportunities.

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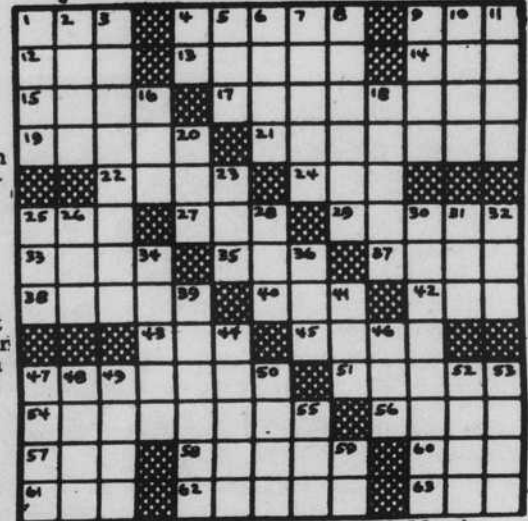
quota and stop progress when a given quota is reached. The Bakke case is of grave importance to blacks in education and jobs.

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Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Conjunction
4. Asian country
9. Toward the stern
12. Constellation
13. Narrow Norwegian sea
14. Sorrow
15. Dress
17. Drudges
19. Bother
21. Enrolls
22. Woody plant
24. Japanese coir
25. Exclamation
27. Essay
29. Slaves
33. Moos
35. Consume
37. Withered
38. Cotton cloth
40. Crowd
42. At present
43. Weep
45. Comfort
47. Attire
51. Tall building
54. Seized: slang
56. Valley
57. Extinct bird
58. Spaniard
60. Falsehood
61. Sea eagle
62. Dais
63. Unhappy



DOWN

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|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Seaweed | 11. Girl's nickname | 39. Marsh |
| 2. Rare gas | 16. Neither | 41. Club |
| 3. Business district | 18. Eats | 44. Soft cap |
| 4. In case that | 20. But | 46. Turf |
| 5. Bite off | 23. Before | 47. Highest point |
| 6. Deal sparingly | 25. Aged | 48. Not rich |
| 7. Sarcasm | 26. Farm tool | 49. Scheme |
| 8. Confuses | 28. Edible tuber | 50. Siberian river |
| 9. Inspires with fear | 30. Restorations | 52. Charles Lamb |
| 10. Armed place | 31. To and — | 53. Tall grass |
| | 32. Stitch | 55. Canine |
| | 34. Rope fiber | 59. Musical note |
| | 36. Pedal digit | |

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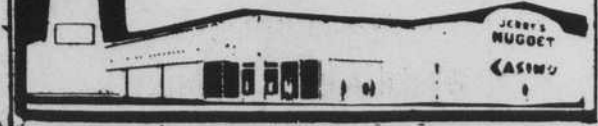
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