



M. Carl Holman, president of the National Urban Coalition, has been honored by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for his outstanding work in civil rights, urban affairs and equal opportunity. Holman has been president of the Urban Coalition since 1971.

The Coalition is a national organization representing leaders in business, civil rights, labor, religion, and local government which seeks to improve the conditions of urban life that have bred civil disorder. It is also concerned with changes in national attitudes, priorities and institutions and the systems of urban government by which these conditions are created and perpetuated.

In presenting the award to Holman at the conclusion of the Agency's observance of Black History Month, EPA Administrator Douglas Costle spoke of Holman's dedication and commitment "to the advancement of greater understanding among all Americans and for his untiring efforts and leadership in the fields of civil rights, equal opportunity, and human dignity for all."

Prior to joining the Urban Coalition, Holman served as Deputy Director of the U.S. Civil Right Commission. He holds numerous honors and awards from educational, social, governmental and activist organizations.



Hiram Walker Incorporated has recently formed a Sales Advisory Board made up of black distributor salesmen from all regions of the United States. Purpose of the Board is to advise company management on marketing of Hiram Walker products to the large and growing community of black retailers and consumer.

Shown above at their first meeting in February at the company's international headquarters at the Canadian Club distillery in Walkerville, Canada, are, from left: Wil-

liam P. Middleton, salesman, Lone Star Company, Texas; James R. Keith, Hiram Walker's Canadian Club brand manager; Bobby Cox, sales supervisor, Manhattan Distributing Company Incorporated, Missouri; Bob Thomas, Hiram Walker's market development manager; Randolph Edwards, salesman, Joseph G. Smith & Sons, Inc., New Jersey; Maxie Floyd, salesman, NDC Distributors, Inc., Maryland, and Bill Fletcher, salesman, Major Liquor Distributors, New York.

## UNLV Exchange Program

Preparing people for an international exchange program between the United States and more than 30 different countries is the subject of a seminar being offered April 19 at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas.

The course is co-sponsored by the Division of Continuing Education and the College of Arts and Letters at UNLV, and the Nevada Friendship Force.

Entitled "Friendship Force: Pre-Flight," the program has been prepared to supplement President Carter's belief that an exchange program with foreign countries on a person-to-person relationship can strongly promote world understanding and peace.

The five course sessions have been planned to give local residents insight into an appreciation of other cultures. The classes prepare people for travel abroad or for hosting a guest from another land.

Specific subjects include discussions on various countries, language, customs, dress code and mode, the metric system, money matters overseas, travel hints and how to take better pictures.

"Las Vegasans who are unable to travel or give of their home's hospitality will also find this program of interest," said Artie Cannon, special friendship force program coordinator.

Contact UNLV's Division of Continuing Education for details or registration information.

## Memorial Service

The Memorial Service for Martin Luther King, Jr., on the 10th anniversary of his death, April 4, was held at True Love Missionary Baptist Church.

Rev. I. W. Wilson spoke, using the 133rd Psalms. 1. Behold how good and pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity.

Rev. Eddie Ball read the scripture and Rev. Albert Dunn offered the prayer.

Rev. Cuveston suggested we have moved to that point in time that it is necessary to organize a Minister's Allowance. Rev. Dunn thought it was a great idea because we had a cross section of denominations of ministers attending the memorial service.

The Minister's Allowance was organized officially with Rev. I. W. Wilson, President; Rev. Albert Dunn, 1st Vice President; Rev. Theodore Cuveston, 2nd Vice President; Rev. Eddie Ball, Secretary; and Larry Abdulah, Minister, Treasurer.

The first meeting of the Minister's Allowance will be held Saturday morning at 9:00 A.M. at the True Love Missionary Baptist Church, after which all will join in with Operation PUSH Saturday AM PUSH for Excellence Program, being held weekly at Tried Stone Baptist Church, 621 Carey Street at 10:00 A.M.

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**SHOWER**  
 IF YOUR CAT WON'T COME DOWN FROM A TREE, TRY A GARDEN HOSE WELL ABOVE HIM SO THE WATER COMES DOWN LIKE RAIN. DON'T USE WATER IF KITTY IS NEAR WIRES ON A UTILITY POLE.

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