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EMMA YANCY APPOINTED EXTENSION HOME ECONOMIST



EMMA YANCY, a product of two black colleges has been appointed to a position as an Extension Home Economist by the University of Nevada and United States Department of Agriculture cooperating.

Emma received her B.A. from A.M & N. College (now the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff) in 1971 in Home Economics/Early Childhood Education. It marked the fulfillment of a well planned journey.

There were, however, some roadblocks along the way. After graduation, Emma found that the only jobs worth having for blacks were as teachers. After being determined not to end up as a teacher, she applied to Atlanta University's Masters program and was accepted. In August 1975, she received her M.A. degree in Early Childhood Education.

After getting her degree, Emma worked at Georgia State University in Atlanta as a Curriculum Development Coordinator for the Child and Family Resource Program.

In September of this year she assumed her position with Cooperation Extension Service as an Extension Home Economist in Human Development and the Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP). She is the first black professional to be employed

by the program since its beginning in Las Vegas.

The purpose of the Extension program is to aid in diffusing among the people of the United States useful and practical information on subjects related to agriculture and home economics, and to encourage application of the same. Emma explained that her duties include supervising the Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP) which is an integral part of Cooperative Extension Service home economics and 4-h youth programs.

The EFNEP program is designed to teach nutrition to low-income audiences, and help them acquire a more nutritionally adequate diet through the most efficient and effective use of available resources.

She is also responsible for program development, training and assistance to meet the recognized needs of the people throughout Clark County, in the areas of human development, human relations, and family life as well as recreation, health and safety programs for both adult and youth and to all income levels.

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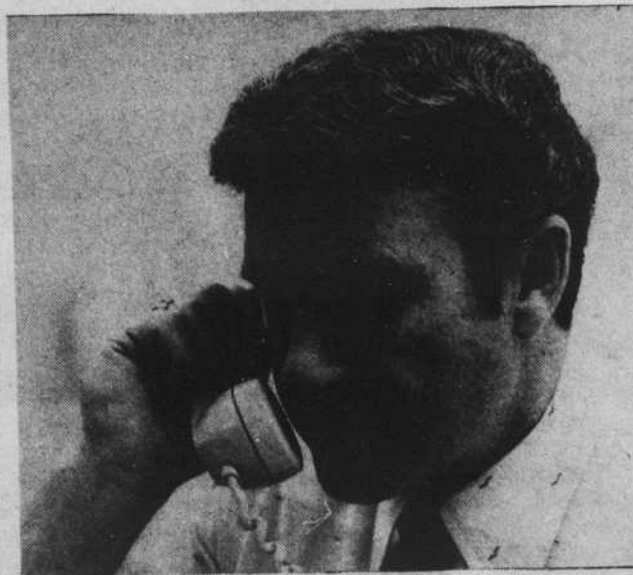
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Those four included the Southern Nevada Police Officers Association, the Henderson Police Officers Association, the North Las Vegas Police Officers Association and the International Conference of Police Associations, based Washington, D.C.

McCarthy said he is pleased with the endorsement and "grateful for the support of my fellow officers."

"Our Southern Nevada law enforcement officers can see the problems within the Metropolitan Police Department better than most people," McCarthy said. "It is gratifying to see they agree with me that it is time for a change. "I appreciate their confidence in my ability to be sheriff of Clark County," he said.

Commander McCarthy is proud that he has risen through the ranks to his high rank in Metro. From his first day on the job in 1956, he has worked and studied to advance himself in his chosen career.

He served six and a half years in the Uniform Patrol, 1960 he was assigned to the Detective Bureau and worked burglary, robbery and homicide. John was promoted to Sergeant in 1962 and appointed head of the Vice and Narcotics Detail in 1964. His promotion to Lieutenant came in 1968 as did his advancement to Detective Bureau Commander. In 1969 he became Juvenile Bureau Commander, promoted to Captain, head of Juvenile, Vice and Narcotics in 1974. He became a Metro Commander in 1975.

Yet another law enforcement organization has endorsed John McCarthy in the race for sheriff of Clark County--the fifth such association to throw its support to him since the campaign began.

The Southern Nevada Constable and Lawmens Association issued a statement Tuesday pledging "our full support" to McCarthy.

The release, signed by Executive Vice-President Joe C. Toscano stated:

"After due consideration of all facts and issues presented to the voters of Clark County, we the general membership of the Southern Nevada Constable and Lawmens Association, hereby declare our endorsement of Commander John McCarthy in his for Sheriff of Clark County, Nevada.

In past weeks, four other law enforcement organizations also endorsed McCarthy.

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