

MINISTERS ALLIANCE PLANS DEMONSTRATIONS DURING BOXING DATES

Rev. G. James Christopher of Kyles Temple African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church in Sacramento, Calif., and N.W. Regional Vice President of the National Black Pastors'

an afternoon press conference, said the visit was a follow-up to his many previous Las Vegas visits to ascertain the "true" circumstances surrounding the plight of the Council.

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According to Rev. Christopher, demonstrations are planned for Jan. 30 at Caesars Palace - the site of the Benitez-Duran championship fight and again at Caesars Palace during the Holmes-Cooney heavyweight championship fight on March 15.

Rev. I.W. Wilson, head of the local Ministers Alliance, told the SENTINEL that the local group was not aware of any plans to form a demonstration for the March 15 fight.

Rev. Wilson and a group of local ministers just returned from Los Angeles, where they had been seeking support from the Los Angeles ministers for the Jan. 30 demonstration.

Efforts are also being made by the Ministers Alliance to gain support from other cities across the country for the Jan. 30 demonstration.

Lovell Gaines Hurt In Car Accident

Lovell Gaines, president of the local chapter of the NAACP, while traveling on the old Los Angeles highway Monday afternoon enroute to Las Vegas from his job at the Jean Correctional Center, became involved in an auto accident while trying to avoid an animal on the road.

His car hit the shoulder of the road and while trying to straighten the car's path, he overcorrected and rolled over four times before coming to a stop.

Approximately three hours later on this seldom used road, Gaines was rescued and taken to the Valley Hospital in Las Vegas.

He is reported to have suffered a broken collar bone, right arm and left leg. His injuries also included bruised ribs.

He is presently recuperating at his home. Further hospital treatment will be required later.

CONSUMER AFFAIRS PROBLEMS AND ANSWERS

QUESTION: I know the landlord has some basic responsibilities toward the tenant. Has it been determined that there are certain obligations of the tenant? His bed is not made of roses. Am I correct?

ANSWER: A tenant shall, as basic obligations, comply with the terms of the rental agreement; keep that part of the premises which is occupied and used as clean and safe as the condition of the premises permit; dispose of all ashes, garbage, rubbish and other waste from the dwelling unit in a clean and safe manner; keep all plumbing fixtures in the dwelling unit as clean as their condition permits; use in a reasonable manner all electrical, plumbing, sanitary, heating, ventilating, air conditioning and other facilities; and conduct himself and require other persons on the premises with his consent to conduct themselves in a manner that will not disturb a neighbor's peaceful enjoyment of the premises.

The Nevada Consumer Affairs Division is mandated to enforce statewide the laws covered under the Deceptive Trade Practices Act, the Automotive Repair Act and the Door To Door Sales Act. The agency is designed to protect and serve the needs of consumers and business persons alike through its offices in Las Vegas and Carson City.

Enquiries can be registered weekdays between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. by mail and in person at 2501 E. Sahara Avenue, Suite 304, Las Vegas, Nevada 89158 or by phone Area Code 702-386-5293.



Christopher

Conference visited Las Vegas earlier this week in another effort to continue the investigation of the Southern Nevada Economic Development Council once headed by Otis Harris.

Christopher, during

He outlined suits filed against the Federal Government and the State seeking redress on funds withheld by the Economic Development Administration totaling nearly \$528,000 of a \$925,000 grant to the now-defunct

Grand Parade Marking Dr. King Birthday Set For Jan. 16

A grand parade, commemorating the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., will be staged in the West Las Vegas area on Sat., Jan. 16. Scheduled to begin at 9 a.m., the parade will form on the parking lot of the Nucleus Plaza (Golden West Shopping Center), proceed through the community and terminate on the parking lot of Doolittle Center.

Following disbandment of the parade, a rally will be held on the parking lot.

The parade is being organized by Wendell Williams, an employee of the City of Las Vegas

and a former employee of the Clark County School District. Williams stated, "It is planned for the parade to be an annual event. All businesses, organizations and individuals are welcome to participate. There are no fees or charges for entries."

Each entry is responsible for providing its own decorations. First, second and third place awards will be given for the best entries.

At Sentinel press time, the following organizations and persons are scheduled to participate in the

parade: Miss Black Teenage Nevada, the Boy Scouts, the Girl Scouts, the Elks Lodge, the Color Guard from Nellis Air Force Base, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, KCEP Radio, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, KVOV Radio, 3 Drill Teams and many of the area churches.

Also in conjunction with the celebration of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s birthday, the annual Dr. King Basketball Tournament will be played at Doolittle Center on Jan. 15-16. All teams are urged to participate in the tournament.

Bernard Hamilton Earns Degree

Bernard Hamilton a local resident of Las Vegas for the past 19 years has recently received his doctorate degree in Education Administration. Dr. Bernard

Hamilton, a Rancho High School graduate, received his doctorate diploma on October 17, 1981. Dr. Hamilton was the Education Chairman of the local branch of the

NAACP before leaving Las Vegas to work on his degree. He also was the founder of the NAACP Youth Scholarship Awards. He is presently the Dean at Bonanza High

OUTSTANDING BLACK BUSINESS OF THE WEEK



CHEYENNE SQUARE BARBER SHOP, 3250 Civic Center Drive, North Las Vegas, owned by Nathaniel LaShore, was established in 1974 in a small, newly built structure that stood alone on the lot that now has developed into the Cheyenne Square Shopping Center. Two years later he established the LaShore Fashions next door - an enterprise that carries a stock of men's and women's high fashion clothes plus a line of accessories to compliment the attire. Last year, Nathaniel LaShore purchased the Hickory Pit Barbeque near the Southeast side of the shopping center. This trio of business ventures culminates a long-awaited dream that started following his military association at Nellis Air Force Base. After his military tour there, he worked in the barber shop at the base. A short while later, he worked at the then Moulin Rouge Barber shop on Bonanza Road. The Cheyenne Square Barber Shop - a four chair shop - plus the other two enterprises in the are comprise a successful group of outlets that contributes heavily to the business climate of the shopping center, and merits the LAS VEGAS SENTINEL Outstanding Black Business Award for the week.