... HATS OFF TO ALL THOSE TURN- TABLE JOCKEYS ...



After hanging out ALLLLL Niggggght Looooong ME had to drive to Laughlin, Nevada so as to top off the morning and come back to right this wrong and tell how thangs Wuz last night. Then on second thought ME is gonn'a keep it all to ME own world and tell U about what is going on in the up coming days of the closing weeks of this U and ME/Year of 1983...

Some folks be hanging out on Friday Nights at Deli-300 round 10 pm with Laura Buckley-M.C., along with JODY'S FIVE Musical Group - 3655 S. Maryland Parkway is where they be's git-it on on any night-o-tha week!

Now for the kicker of letting it all hang out is when folks get down with HENRY SHED at the piano-bar lounge in The SAHARA HOTEL any night of the week (ME is waiting for some info to do a thang on Mr H.S. and his sanging self!) ...

Hey Kenny (bass) BROWN what it be lack in the MUTUAL OF OMAHA GROUP? ME wants to thank you and Yo' Friends for the warm friendship shown to ME and some of ME Friends the other nite as we sip Tun and HAD FUN, so much BIG FUN .

LaMar the photo-man wuz full of smiles and looking like the world is being good that-way to his and others who be creeping and peeping thrill for folks who be standing still to get they picture took (HOW

PATTY WHITE - Here is winking at'cha on this

JACKSON STREET & ME..

By Rudi Jackson

side of the bar at The Paran Lodge #1508 . . . Plus . . . None other than DAVID LEE — of K.C.E.P. stopped by the ELKS for a nite-cap and on the spot as usual, Rudi Jackson was checking out the community for news and David spoke of how Rudi's song "HEARTS OF STONE" is on a newly released wax and should be doing somethang for Rudi's pockets... (Thank-U For the news David Lee).

Lovely LaDora is sounding still as smooth as ever

in her ARIES BAG of Goodies .

ME heard no mention of how THE Non-Payed Dee Jays have SHO' NUFF'td WORKED HARD DOWN THRU THE YEARS to KEEP K.C.E.P. on the ONE when the praises wuz dished out under some sad conditions of getting some thang together at a spur of the moment planning (WHEN IS THE FOLKS GO-ING TO WAKE UP and do like the masters of deception. Do lay the ground work, and do it where the doing is going to really mean somethang. ME knows what ME is talking about) SO HATS OFF TO ALL THEM TURN-TABLE JOCKEYS WHO HAVE BEEN KEEPING K.C.E.P. ON THE MINDS AND HEARTS OF THE MEADOWS AND AT THE COST OF WALK-ING TO WORK AND BEING GAVE A RIDE BY ME or SOMEONE ELSE ON A FREE'BEEEE BASIS cause they get no funds (Wig OUT on that, U who boast) SOME BODY IS TRYING TO pull a rabbit out of the hat and the views are sort'a sad to be viewed . . .

Then on the other hand ME wants to let U in on a bit of news that has nothing but HAPPY FESTIVE **OVERTONES as THE 20th Annual HARVEST MOON** BALL is looking us in the face a few weeks away, Saturday, NOVEMBER 26 in The Natchez Room at The SHOWboat Hotel, 2800 Fremont St., Las Vegas, Nevada, 8 pm till 12 midnight. Donation: \$15.00 per person (FREE COCKTAILS from 8 pm till 9 pm) BUT listen and read! Brother Willie Neal laid this talk on

ME and Him said: "Rudi let the community of Las Vegas know that some 500 people from out of town are making plans to be here in Vegas for The Harvest Moon Ball — A gala event. So folks who be living here in town had better sho'nuf make tracks over to the Elks Lodge at 1012 W. Owens Avenue and get advance tickets which are going FAST!" Only so many are in print and are going First come — First to git one of the 700 Tickets on sale (Oh yes there will be some FREE EATS (nothing heavy, mind U, lack RIBS AND PORK CHOPS) between the 8-9 pm hour at The Ball

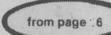
. Plus . . . Live Music and Disco Music will be yours for the asking on that nite ... Then comes THE AFTER THE BALL-AFTER PARTEEE! and That will be at THE ELKS PARAN LODGE #1508 . . . 1012 W. OWENS AVE. BUT YOU MUST HAVE A TICKET STUB from THE HARVEST MOON BALL TO GET IN SINCE THE SEATING AND STANDING ROOM IS FOR ONLY 200 PERSON at a TIME. ALLLLLL NIGHT LONG and U just might git a chance to see and say hello to Patty White who will be moving like the big bird in the sky to serve U up some Tun as U have FUN AllII Night Looooong. Cause Willie Neal and The other Members of The Elks are busy getting it TO-Get-Her so as to make THE HARVEST MOON BALL A SHINE-ON EVENT to be remembered on into 1984 where we ALL SHOULD WANT TO SEE AND DO MUCH MORE TO REALLY START TO PULL THIS COMMUNITY OUT OF THE RUT.

SO MANY HAVE LET IT SLIP AND LAY INTO FOR A FEW TO HAVE AND MANY TO HAVE NOT... RE-MEMBER THERE IS A DIFFERENCE IN SO MANY PEOPLE/PLACES/&/THANGS!

The Couple-O-Tha'Week is none other than WHO ME BE TELL INN U WHO IS THEY: JOYCE WILLIS/ &/RODNEY ROBERSON who be keeping it in the same pocket and spend it in the same places.

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are the headliners of the event to raise the funds to help the Thomas & Mack Center arena sustain itself. Some 20,000 folks are expected to pay from \$5-\$500 to see the show in the yet unopened domed stadium. . A few miles in the other direction, the H'wood branch of the NAACP has told ABC-TV folks that the sitcom "Just Our Luck" is bad luck for the Afro-American image and they should junk it. The role of "Shabu," the black genie, played by T.K. Carter, is the reason for the beef . . . Perhaps if things go his way Bill Cowboy will make some changes in teevee programming. He is among fourteen others bidding for WHBQ-TV, the RKO-General ABC-TV affiliate in Memphis. He isn't the only black who would like to take over the station. Among the

others is U.S. Rep. Harold Ford. Also Dr. W.W. Herenton, Memphis' first black school supt.



Rep. Harold Ford

WRITING HAND POINTING: AFTER A POINTING: After a whirlwind courtship Major Robinson and Iris Saunders exchanged vows. He met her over Sanka at Copeland's, the new favorite eatery in Harlem . . . They're talking about the way the cast of "Sophisticated Ladies" acted during their hotel stay in Dee-Cee. Hope is that they, some members of the cast, will not put on their superstar act in the hotels of Japan and Paris where the show is currently exciting theatregoers. The Booker T. **Washington Foundation** dinner saluting the nation's 234 black mayors,

in DeeCee Nov. 10th, shapes up like a "Boss event." It will really open some eyes, white and black, which didn't know there were that many Afro-American chief executive. Chuck Williams chairs the BTW Foundation and The Hon. Maynard H. Jackson, former mayor of Atlanta, is the guest of honor. Be There! . There are some 35,000 toll-free listings in the Toll-Free Digest just out. You can SAVE a lot of dimes calling hotels, businesses, government agencies and public services with such a book. You don't even have to drop a dime to get the facts; just all this toll-free number 800-447-4700 However, if you're in Illinois it's 800-322-4400. If you've got a few dimes to drop, call 518-828-6400. . The newly formed Council of American Ambassadors held its first meeting in DeeCee. Six Afro-Americans were in attendance: Franklin Williams, Ghana; Judge Edward Dudley, Liberia; Ted

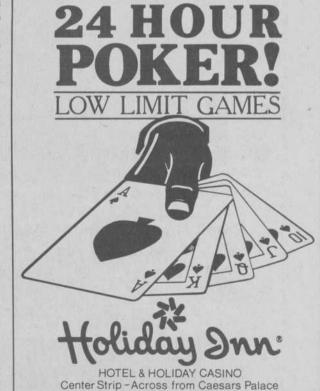
Britton, Barbados; Comm. Carl McCall, United Nations; Donald McHenry, U.N.; and one other, whose name escapes me knowledge this write around . . . That is some kind of Rolls Royce Phantom V Limo Smokin' Joe Frazier & Sons have heading up their luxury fleet limousine service ... Friends of Ed Wimp, the Chgo Mc-Donald/real estate kingpin, are happy about his progress. He's doing well after that stroke which left him speechless and unable to walk. He can move limbs now and say "yes," "hello" and "no." . . . Harry Bela-



fonte has at last gotten his name on the important side of film credits. He's producing, with David V. Picker, "Beat Street." The flick is to be

released next spring by Orion pictures and will explore the break dancing/rap music subcul-

ture dubbed 'hip hop.' . . . STAY LOOSE . . . Billy Rowe is a syndicated columnist.



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