

A Kid's Opinion

By Che' Jones



On Saturday, Aug. 11, our "fellow American," President Ronald Reagan said, "My fellow Americans, I am pleased to announce I just signed legislation that will outlaw Russia forever. We begin bombing in five minutes."

CBS and CNN (Cable News Network) recorded

CPB BOARD REAFFIRMS COMMITMENT TO EQUAL EMPLOYMENT

Washington, D.C. — Stricter enforcement of equal employment opportunity within public broadcasting stations is being sought by the Corporation for Public Broadcasting (CPB).

At its June 28 meeting, the Board of Directors unanimously passed a resolution introduced by

Howard White, a member of the Board. "Although progress in hiring minorities and women has been good in public broadcasting, it is still inadequate," he said.

A number of public broadcasting stations do not employ minorities in full- or part-time executive, professional or

technical positions. The resolution will address this situation.

The resolution recommends that CPB management advise the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) to promptly adopt and enforce regulations relating to equal employment opportunity. As mandated by federal statutes, HHS is the department responsible for enforcing EEO for public broadcasting.

The Corporation will

further analyze data on the employment of minorities and women at public broadcasting stations to identify options for diversifying employment at stations, to be presented to the CPB Board in November.

In other Board action, funding for Fiscal Year 1985 Tune-In Advertising for television and radio was approved by the CPB Board. Public television will receive \$700,000, and public radio will receive \$200,000 in Tune-In monies.

Reagan's comment, supposedly made jokingly while testing his microphone just before his weekly radio broadcast, although neither station played the statement on Sunday, when the Broadcast was aired.

This man leads our country, he's our president and he plays a joke like this. GROW UP!

If a foreigner had overheard this, they could have called Moscow and said, "Connect me with the KGB, it's an emergency. America is going to bomb us in five minutes."

This is no joke, it is "sheer stupidity!" This wasn't a city councilman, or a mayor, or a governor; it was the President of the United States of America!

I think President Reagan should go jump in a lake!

GREATER VOTES, GREATER POWER

DESERT LOUNGE BRINGS NEW COMFORT AND TO NORTH LAS VEGAS

When one brings a dream into fruition and reality through many trials and tribulations, particularly with one's own sweat and sacrifice, it makes the effort self satisfying. That dream was the building of the newest lounge in the Las Vegas valley — the Desert Lounge owned by Herman and Charlene Thrower.

With ground breaking accomplished two years ago, Herman Thrower put the machinery in motion on 2½ acres at 2343 W. Gowan Road in North Las Vegas and developed a beautiful and complete lounge covering 7,000 sq. ft. It opened on Aug. 5, 1984.

Herman Thrower, a former airman stationed at Nellis Air Force Base as a jet engine mechanic, started formulating his plans for his future shortly after discharge from the service. To be involved in some type of business was inevitable. Such formulation all started when he was employed as a meat cutter at the old Ranch Market then located at 611 Van Buren (once located behind the New Town Tavern). Later Thrower was promoted as manager of the meat department.

At one time he was co-owner of the Big 8 Market, corner of "H" Street

and W. Owens. Later they moved their grocery business to 1960 N. Highland and named it 'Super 6 Market.' He has now been in the grocery business for the past 22 years.

The new Desert Lounge is presently open on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays from 3:00 p.m.-3 a.m. with the Happy Hours set on those days from 5-6 p.m.

One of the big features of the Desert Lounge is their ability to handle catering service for such affairs as reunions, weddings, receptions, meetings and other types of gatherings. They can accommodate around 300 people. The appointments and service are beyond one's wildest dreams.

Herman and Charlene Thrower are the proud parents of four children (3 boys and 1 girl). One of the sons, Mark Thrower, has developed an interesting and challenging dirt bicycle course on the adjacent property.

Future plans for the Desert Lounge will include a beautiful outdoor patio and lounge, complete with bar and embraced with a spacious lawn, plants and flowers, set off with exciting lights and umbrellas. It's the talk of the town!

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Deadline for all registrations: August 24, 1984
Deadline for parade entries: August 31, 1984
(\$10 entry fee)

Deadline for all advertising in the Autorama Trade
Fair Program Book:
August 15, 1984

AWARDS • PRIZES

PROGRAM FOR NBCC AUTORAMA/TRADE FAIR

FRIDAY, Aug. 31, 1984 • 11:00 a.m. to Midnight

1:30 a.m. — Drill Team Contest
1:00 p.m. — Break Dance Contest
(above contestants provide their music)

2:30 p.m. — Lowrider's Show Contest
Coordinator: Earl Swift Jr.

SATURDAY, Sept. 1, 1984 • 11:00 a.m. to Midnight

12 noon — Auto Rama Show & Contest
Coordinator: Saul Joe Miller, Ed Brown
(Fancy Cars, Trucks, Vans & Cycles)
Lowriders: vehicles of fancy also may participate
Coordinator: Donald Haven

2:00 p.m. — Battle of The Bands Contest
Coordinator: Donald Haven

5:00 p.m. — Candidate's Forum featuring participants of the
Ms. Chamber & Mr. Macho Contest

SUNDAY, Sept. 2, 1984 • 11:00 a.m. to Midnight

3:00 p.m. — All Finals Announced (P.A. System Fair Grounds)
Break

7:00 p.m. — NBCC GRAND NETWORK SHOW WINNERS

1. Best Break Dance - Performance
2. Low Rider Best - Performance
3. Auto Show Winners - Viewing
4. Drill Team - Performance
5. Mr. "Macho" Served by Models
6. President-Elect, Bob Bailey presents Ms. Chamber - sponsored by Mr. Macho contestants
7. Battle of The Bands Winner Receives Award
(Continued Music by the Winner)

ADMISSION: Adults \$4.00, Children \$2.00

MONDAY, Sept. 3, 1984 • 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

11:00 a.m. Parade: Consisting of Protocol, Cycles, Contests and Various Entries
Parade begins at E.O.B. on Comstock to Lake Mead to "O" St. to Jackson St. to "W" St. to Owens finally disembarking at Nucleus Plaza, 1000 W. Owens

