Las Vegas SENTINEL-VOICE, April 4, 1985

NEVADA BLACK CHAMBER TO HOST MONTHLY MEETING

The Nevada Black Chamber of Commerce will host its regular monthly membership luncheon meeting on Friday, April 5 at Louisiana Lenny's Cajun Restaurant located at 2517 E. Lake Mead, North Las

Vegas. Guest Speaker for the occasion will be Dr. Robert C. Maxson, President,

University of Nevada, Las Vegas. His topic will be 'The University - Its Future'.

'PRIDE IN PARENTS DAY' Sponsored By NBCC

The Nevada Black Chamber of Commerce Task Force on Black Economics will present 'PRIDE IN PARENTS DAY' on April 11 from 4:00p.m. until dark for parents and children, ages 1 - 12 years.

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throughout Clark County.

The activities will take cream and home-made place in the Light Industrial lemonade, free gifts and a drawing, compliments of Facility area, of Nucleus Plaza. the Nucleus Plaza merchants.

There will be free refreshments - hot dogs, potato chips, cookies, ice

SNETP Announces Summer Youth Employment Program

Southern Nevada Employaverage of 30 hours per week for 10 weeks at \$3.35 ment and Training Program an hour or the federally announces their Summer established minimum Youth Employment Program (SYEP) for 1985. The wage. A variety of jobs will Summer Youth Employbe available ranging from ment Program is primarily routine clerical and a Work Experience Pro-

maintenance jobs to supervising handicapped children, helping to plan Youth will work an recreational programs,

648-6222 working for the Clark Coun-

For more information call

served beginning at 11:30

a.m. with lunch following at

12:00 noon. Cost of the lun-

cheon is \$10.00 per person.

further information call

648-6222 or 648-6223.

The public is invited. For

Economically disadvanwould like to participate in this program should apply at: DOWNTOWN, 401 S. 3rd St., 4th Floor, 382-3900; NORTH LAS VEGAS, 1820 E. Lake Mead, 642-9418; NUCLEUS PLAZA, 928 West Owens Avenue, 646-1880; HENDERSON, 7 Water Street, 565-5744.

Gravanti drops hat in Council post No Host Cocktails will be

NORTH LAS VEGAS Tony Gravanti, a longtime city businessman, has filed for is second try at winning a spot on the city council.

Gravanti, 62, attempted to win a seat in 1981 and garnered enough votes in the primary only to lose out in the general election. Two seats are vacant in



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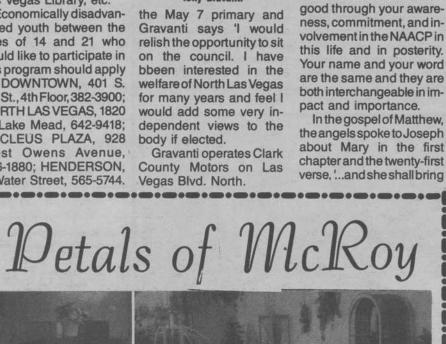
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If you don't think your Many years ago, I lived name is special, then it in a small community callisn't. It all depends upon ed McManus, in the southern part of Louisiana, with the thinking of the one who bears and wears the name. my father, Dan Scott, Sr. My daddy's name and word Your name can be made stood for something in his relationship with other neighboring farmers. From time to time, Papa would send me to one of his

neighbors to borrow an article with the promise to repay it at a future date. There were no written contracts given, only his world.

forth a son, and thou shall

call His name Jesus for He

shall save His people from

their sins.' No other name

would be sufficient, only

Jesus.

In the business and credit world, the extent of one's credit is based upon one's track record and past performance. Today, your credit card or social security number is a representation of your name.

The Holy Bible is saying there is a great significance attached to your name. The difference is how you perceive it and what you do with it.

Since moving to Las Vegas, Nevada, in 1970, I have heard much about a man that I did not have the pleasure of meeting. His early life was spent in Flaminot, Alabama. He and his wife, Fannie, had two children that preceded them in death. The gentleman that I speak of was the first Black barber in downtown Las Vegas. I am also told that he was ninety years old when he died in 1963. I'm speaking of none other than the late Mr. Arthur McCants, who has been cited as the first President of the Las Vegas Branch NAACP.

I understand that Mr. McCants was a fighter for Blacks in Las Vegas up until his death. Now, his name is enshrined and honored in the Arthur McCants Terrace at 115 unit Senior Citizen Complex located on Eastern Avenue and Bonanza.

These units were built under the sponsorship of the NAACP Nevada Housing Development Corporation. Inc.



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