

NEWS CLIPS

McMILLAN HOSPITALIZED FOLLOWING COLLAPSE AT KING BANQUET

Clark County School District Trustee Dr. James McMillan is listed in stable condition following a collapse at the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Committee's annual banquet last Saturday. Doctors said the collapse was brought on by stress, McMillan's wife Marie said Wednesday when contacted at her home. "He's doing just fine at this time," she said of her husband still hospitalized at Sunrise Hospital and Medical Center. "Everything is doing just fine. He's doing so well that perhaps (tonight) I can bring him home," soon. "He was just doing too much," she said.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION DIRECTOR MAY RUN FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Clark County Affirmative Action Director George Cotton said Jan. 5 that, if he could raise enough funds, he would run as a candidate against County Commissioner Paul Christiansen. Cotton has been interested in running for office for some time, but he lived in County Commissioner Bruce Woodbury's district and didn't want to run against him, a fellow Republican. Cotton, 44, investigated complaints against County Commissioner Don Schlesinger in 1993 and "found he engaged in racial and sexual discrimination in comments he made to county employees," the *Las Vegas Review Journal* reported recently. Cotton plans to move into Christiansen's district sometime in February, a move he planned before considering a run for office.

KING COMMITTEE NAMED CAR DEALERSHIPS' JANUARY CHARITY OF THE MONTH

Two local car dealerships will donate \$75 from every car sold in the month of January to the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Committee. The King Committee was designated Charity of the Month by Las Vegas Chrysler Plymouth, 2100 S. Decatur Blvd., and Tom Saitta Truck Center and Cars Too!, 3395 S. Valley View Blvd.

LAS VEGAS TEEN TO DANCE AT SUPERBOWL HALFTIME SHOW

Bonanza High School cheerleader Kanessa Shelton has been selected to dance at the the Superbowl XXX Half-Time Show. Shelton is one of 400 members of the American All-Star Dance/Drill Team. She was selected from a field of over 10,000 dancers across the U.S. Shelton's mother, Angela Washington, said the family is seeking contributions to help cover her daughter's trip expenses. For more information call 242-4015.

JANET JACKSON SIGNS \$80 MILLION DEAL

Janet Jackson re-signed with Virgin Records for an industry high \$80 million, the Los Angeles Times reported last week. Jackson, 29, signed a \$40 million three-album deal with Virgin Records in 1991 and has been in a bidding war since last year when the deal expired. The four-album deal beat out two \$60 million deals by Madonna and Michael Jackson as the highest paying contracts in the music industry.

LOUISIANA GOVERNOR ENDS STATE AFFIRMATIVE ACTION PROGRAMS

BATON ROUGE, La. — Louisiana's new governor, Mike Foster abolished affirmative action programs in state government and proclaimed a Martin Luther King Jr. holiday Jan. 11, after less than a week in office. Foster, a conservative white Republican, was sworn into the office Jan. 8. He beat out Rep. Cleo Fields, a black Democrat, for the post in November. Dr. King himself would not have supported affirmative action, because it's reverse discrimination, Foster said. "I can't find anywhere in his writings that he wanted reverse discrimination," Foster said. "He just wanted an end to all discrimination based on color." Foster's executive order cannot stop any federally funded or state-law mandated affirmative action programs. Almost half of the state's \$12 billion budget comes from the federal government, including most of the \$3.2 billion Medicaid program. "But it sets the tone of what I want to do," Foster said.

HAITI TO RECEIVE POLICE TRAINING FROM U.S.

WASHINGTON — Nearly \$2.5 million for Haitian police training will be released to the island country. Rep. Benjamin Gilman, R-N.Y., chairman of the House International Relations Committee froze \$5 million in training funds effective Dec. 22 on the grounds that the money was being used to train human rights abusers. President Clinton warned the freeze would shut down the training program next week, preventing the training of 3000 Haitian police officers.

POLICE SEIZE FILM NEGATIVES

HARARE, Zimbabwe — Police raided the home of Ingrid Sinclair and her husband, Robert Bright for the negatives of a controversial movie. The movie "Flame" depicted the rapes of Zimbabwe women nearly two decades ago by African bush fighters. The fighters were working to overthrow white-minority rule during the 70's.

Mesquite and Bunkerville Get New Bus Route

Special to the Sentinel-Voice

The Regional Transportation Commission of Clark County (RTC), announced the implementation of a new Citizens Area Transit route in Mesquite and Bunkerville, Nevada Jan. 19.

The Virgin Valley route, #602, will begin full operations with the first bus departing Mesquite City Hall at noon. Regularly scheduled service will then run seven days a week, from 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

A kick-off celebration will take place at the transit stop located at Mesquite City Hall at noon Friday. Guests will then be invited on a short trip to the Bunkerville transit stop dedication site at Virgin and 1st West in Bunkerville.

"We are extremely pleased that CAT will be operating in our communities," stated Ken Carter, Mayor of Mesquite and RTC Commissioner.

"Our communities have grown and now need a public transportation service for our citizens and visitors. CAT's fully accessible buses comply with all ADA regulations, and allow us to accommodate the transit needs of all our customers including those who are disabled or just need a little extra help boarding the bus," Carter said.

The new service will travel from Mesquite Heights Road on the north end, to 2nd West and 2nd South in Bunkerville, then return. The route will include service by the Virgin Valley High School, the Mesquite Library and Bunkerville Community Center.

The bus will have approximately 30 identified stop locations on the route, and riders will be able to anticipate the time schedule based upon six published timepoints.

Maps identifying the exact route and six key timepoints will be printed and distributed throughout key locations in the communities.

Fares will be \$1.50 cash, one-way, or three tokens if the rider is utilizing convenient CAT coins. Monthly CAT Passes allowing unlimited travel are available for \$20 per month. Discounted fares of \$0.75 cash, two tokens or \$10 monthly passes are available to students five to seventeen years old, those 62 years or older and those who are disabled.

"Meeting the growing demands of our growing communities is our goal," stated Bruce Woodbury, County Commissioner and Chairman of the RTC.

"We continually review the operation of CAT, expanding and enhancing service whenever

possible. We are proud to now expand into the Virgin Valley region," Woodbury said.

Citizens Area Transit, or CAT, began operating in Las Vegas in December 1992, with 21 routes. The Virgin Valley route marks the 35th route in operation and will increase annual service by approximately 6,000 hours during the first full year of operation.

Information regarding the

routes, schedules, bus stops, fares, general information and CAT Paratransit services can be obtained by phoning 1-800-223-3911 in Las Vegas. CAT route guides, CAT Coin tokens and monthly CAT Passes are available at Mesquite City Hall and various other public locations.

A complete listing of sites is available through CAT-RIDE Customer Service.

Ultimate Pest Control • Work Guaranteed
Office Hours: 8 am - 5 pm Mon.-Fri.
License No. 2340

New York Style Pest Control

(Put your pest to rest)
649-6868

Zyra & Robert Thomas, Owners & Operators
3424-C E. Lake Mead
North Las Vegas, Nevada 89030

Davey Deals

AUTOS • BIKES • BOATS
1717 FREMONT at BRUCE  **SHELDON WELCH**

E-Z FINANCING & LOW PAYMENTS
HOME OF THE 300 DOWN

WE SELL 'EM FAST
CUZ WE SELL 'EM CHEAP **474-7777**

GRAND OPENING

Visit Our Phase I Models Today!

Single Family Homes from \$91,900

5% F.H.A. Financing • No Money Down Move-in VA Loans
3 & 4 Bedrooms • 2 Car Garages • 4 Exciting Floor Plans

The Right Price. The Right Home. The Right Location. Right From The Start.



Sunbeam II
HOMES BY NATIONAL HORIZON

878-8500
All Financing On Approved Credit. See Sales Office for Details.



Take Lamb Blvd. to Owens.
West 2 blocks to Gateway and the Models.



Model 2 "Sunburst" 1,325 Sq. Ft.