



Human Emphasis

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Rogers moderates program

"On Being Black in Oregon", was introduced on station KOAP-TV, channel 10, on December 26th. The program moderated by James Rogers, Professor of Civilization and Black Studies at Portland State University is the moderator, is an attempt to propagate an understanding of the Black experience in Oregon to all citizens. The show will include presentations in the cultural arts, political affairs, economic problems and educational concerns of the black community.

The first program, in December 26th, featured Rosalie Boothe, a well-known figure in black cultural arts, and Glenn Harper, a freshman student in Black Studies at Portland State University, where he is vice-president of the Black Studies Union.

Chuck Tatum, local sculptor and painter and artist in residence at the Albina Art Center, will be the guest on the January 2nd show.

African Dance

The African Union in Portland will hold a celebration on Friday, December 29th. The evening will feature African dancing, a movie on African development and a cultural and fashion show. Admission is \$1.00 and the public is invited. President of the African Union is Bosco Kante and the publicity chairman is Johnson Onungbogbo.

Dear Dr. Boothe:

I have been going with this guy for about a year now and he has promised me everything, but he hasn't really given me anything. He promised me that if I would move in with him that we would move to a new luxury apartment and he would buy me a new wardrobe and a new car. He sounds very sincere and I can see that we would have more if we were living together. I am living with my folks now. Should I take the chance and move in with him and just give it a try?

Dear Promised:

Not on your dignity. I think you should continue to live with your folks until you are ready to move out on your own or get married, but certainly not on empty promises. Before you even consider moving out under the circumstance which you described, make sure this guy is capable of fulfilling his promises and let him get the new apartment and buy you the new wardrobe and car before you even give his promises another thought.

Dear Dr. Boothe:

I have been going with this cal for quite some time. The problem is that she has this girl friend who is always with her. We have very little time alone to ourselves. When we go out I am always put in the position of feeling guilty, unless I take her friend along. They room together and from the way they act I think they might be Lesbians, and just using me for my money. Although they say there are just good friends. How do I find out if they are Lesbians?

Dear Unsure:

Hard to tell these days isn't it? I know of no acid test methods for checking out Lesbians, but I am sure that if you stop spending money and come on strong with an over sexed aggressive attitude towards your friend, you will find out what's happening in short order. Whether she is or isn't, you can have a lot of fun doing the research.

Dear Dr. Boothe:

Last month I was hired by this Portland Co., and the other day I received this big bill from this employment agency that I had gone to in August.

The company called and told me to report to work, not the employment agency. Do I just ignore this bill or what? Employed,

Dear Employed:

You had gone to this employment agency and as a result they established contact between you and the company. Even though the contact was made in August and the company did not call you until December, the employment agency is still by law entitled to the same fee as if the company had hired you in August. The simplest thing to do is to work out an installment plan with them and pay the bill a little at a time. Most employment agencies can understand your financial situation and will work with you in making it easier for you to pay.



Boys collect food

The boys of the Columbia Boys Club found their Christmas contribution unwanted, approximately seventy-five boys collected food, clothing and toys for needy families but were unable to get any of the agencies to pick up their goods before Christmas. Although disappointed, the boys will contribute their collection to an agency for use throughout the year. The boys club also took a black Santa Claus to Lloyd Center and the Jantzen Beach shopping center.

The Columbia Boys Club, under the Direction of Dave and Joe Harris, uses facilities at North Catholic High School. Pictured are: back row (left to right) - Gene Marlow, Jesse Preston, Ronald Ruffin, Daryl Lagrone, Paris Bergler, David Harris, Chairman Movement New Hope '72; Joe Harris Chairman Movement New Hope '72. Front row: (left to right) - Jim Taylor, Ron Johnson, George Lagrone, Robbie Ruffin and Jeff Brooks.

Media

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3. Promotion of the MN and convenient areas as locations for new, job-productive business enterprises.

MEDIA has two objectives; these are to increase the number of viable resident-owned and operated business enterprises, and to increase the number of business enterprises in and near the MN to provide residents with an increased number of job and management opportunities.

MEDIA is attempting to operate within the following projected level of services:

1. Allocate 17% of seed monies to participation loan packages to expand existing MN resident-owned business enterprises.

2. Allocate 18% of seed monies to participation loan packages to new MN resident owned businesses.

3. Allocate 25% of seed monies to high risk loans for MN business proposals.

4. Provide Business Development Service for all MN resident-owned businesses.

5. Allocate 40% of seed monies to investments in commercial and/or industrial sites for lease-back to tenants.

6. Provide technical assistance and management counseling to all seed money recipients as well as any MN resident - owned businesses requesting such assistance.

MEDIA investments in participation loan packages will seek to leverage additional money at the rate of two to one with the Bank and nine to one with SBA.

Citizen participation and communication channel between MEDIA and the Community are maintained through the regular attendance by the MEDIA Staff at the Economic Development and Transportation Working Committee meetings; and through public discussions, monthly evaluation and progress reports which are monitored by the City Demonstration Agency (Model Cities), Model Cities' employees work for the city of Portland. Their primary function is to monitor and disburse funds for all HUD funded city contracted agencies both under the Model Cities Program and independent agencies such as MEDIA, Inc.

Joseph W. Bostic the Executive Director proudly announced that the New Year will find MEDIA, Inc. restaffed with a total of thirteen employees of which ten are Black. Nine of the thirteen are Model Neighborhood residents.

Non smoking jets

By James L. Mack, M.D.,
President Oregon Thoracic Society

Even jets are trying to quit smoking.

The nation's major airlines have reduced the visible pollutants from almost half their fleet of jetliners. Predictions are that by the end of the year - hopefully before the height of the holiday air traffic - the engines on these jets will be almost smokeless. The "black belch" that streaks across the sky will be, say the airlines, gone with the wind.

To comply with a 1970 agreement with the federal government, the airlines agreed to install control devices to curb smoke pollutants on their big jets. Six lines have completed the conversion project, and 95 percent of all engines on three types of jetliners are now equipped with the new devices.

The antipollution devices, called burner cans, eliminate a fourth of all pollutants, both

visible and invisible. Visible pollutants are cut about 70 percent. Taking the country as a whole, the jets are not a major source of air pollution. But they are a highly significant contributor to the already heavy pollution levels near metropolitan airports. Pollution is what cities don't need more of.

So jets are trying to quit smoking on the outside. And on the inside, most jets separate smokers from nonsmokers. People are demanding their right to breathe clean air and - more and more - getting it.

The campaign for cleaner air didn't just happen. It took a lot of pushing and pulling from all kinds of citizen groups and concerned agencies. Your local tuberculosis and respiratory disease association is one of those agencies. To help support the fight against air pollution, emphysema, TB, and smoking, answer your Christmas Seal letter right away. It's a matter of life and breath.

Prophets foretell

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Alton Page from his position as director of the Consumer Protection Agency, will hire a white director.

The Albina Multi-service Center will hire a white director and if Leon Harris leaves, a Caucasian will replace him.

Representative-elect Wally Priestly will be investigated for election law violations and may lose his seat in the House. Those who violate election laws during primary elections are barred from further political participation but those who break the law during the general election are not. Wally Priestly could be found guilty and still serve in the

legislature, as Lee Johnson was found hilly and is now serving as Attorney General of the State of Oregon to uphold the laws of the state and to prosecute their violators.

Blacks will still find it hard to make progress in conservative state of Oregon. The future of Blacks as a whole will show very little change in 1973. There will be little improvement in the decision making processes of city, county and state government. Only tokenism will be displayed. State, county and city affirmative action will be just pieces of paper with no implementation.

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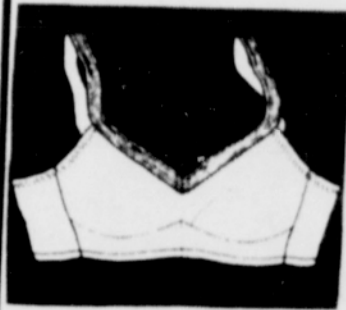
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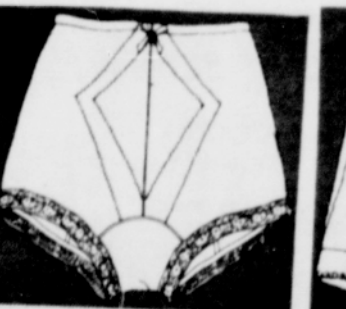
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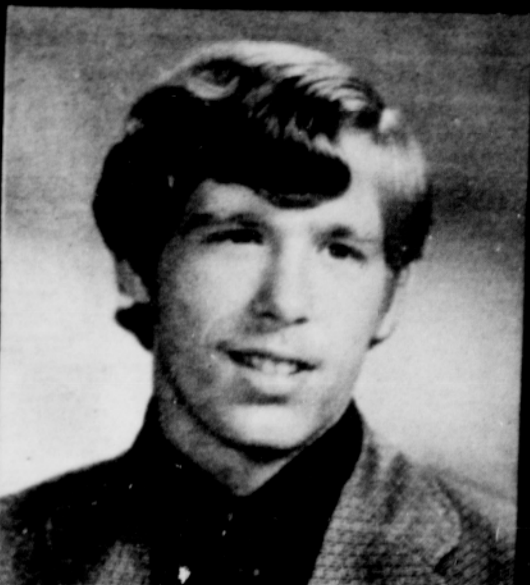
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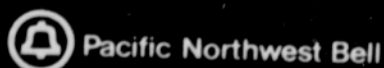
Neal Lordos is a senior at Roosevelt High School. A scholar with a 3.3 grade point. Neal is also an athlete, playing football, basketball and baseball.

He was Freshman class President, was Scholar - Athlete of Roosevelt last year, and was a delegate to Boy's state in the summer of 1972.

Neal plans to attend college and currently his preference is Oregon College of Education in Monmouth. He is undecided as to a career but is leaning toward business or law.

Neal, the son of Mr. & Mrs. William Lordos, has two brothers and a sister.

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St. Martins

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St. Martin is not just now aware of these needs, for it had its humble beginning in 1940 in a family dwelling house on N.E. Victoria Ave. It soon outgrew these quarters and moved to the League's Community Center at 21 N.E. Broadway. In 1946 the first nursery school building was purchased on the corner of Williams and Graham where it is now located. St. Martins is also equipped with Kindergarten.

The nursery is designed for children and their needs. The staff includes Sister Mary Ann Hacker, Sister Rosalina Wingert, director & assistant director, and Mr. Tom Tison, Social Worker. The remaining staff included Mrs. Greta Rogers, Mrs. Frida Jamick, Mrs. Thelma Pea, Sister Laurinda Hefel, Mrs. Kaye Lazenby, Mrs. Beauty Brown, Miss Kathy Robinson, Mrs. Esther Heikes, Mrs. Ethelene Williams & Miss Sharon Cason.

Today 65 children are cared for by a qualified staff of 10 under the direction of the Sisters of St. Francis of the Holy Family, Dubuque, Iowa. The program is designed to promote the child's intellectual and social growth by encouraging them to share; to express curiosity and imagination; to develop coordination and musical rhythm.

A healthful environment is maintained with physical examination on admission, daily health checks, rest periods and a hot dinner at noon with mid-morning and afternoon snacks.

Fees are scaled to the parents' ability to pay with the operating deficit met by UGN and the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

The need for St. Martin Day Nursery is greater today than in 1940. There are more children who need pre-school care and more mothers who must work to augment the fathers' income or who are the sole support of the children.

St. Martin Day Nursery has been filled to capacity the last six years with a normal waiting list of 50 or more children. The Sisters of St. Francis, the advisory board and the St. Vincent de Paul Society are alert to the need for larger facilities. Additional space is a definite part of the Nursery's future plans.

Speaking as a resident and parent of the Albina area, "What would we do without St. Martin Day Nursery, for it helps us feel good about ourselves and our children, and isn't that what living is all about? So, upward and onward."

St. Martin Day Nursery, directors & staff, may you forever live."

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