



African Liberation Day was celebrated last Saturday with a march and a rally at King Neighborhood Facility.

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Merrick, Gorham appointed to Commission

Eugene resident Lewis H. Merrick and Umpqua resident A. Kent Gorham have been appointed to the Governor's Commission on Black Affairs by Gov. Vic Atiyeh.

Merrick replaces Patricia Creal, Eugene, whose term ended Dec. 28, 1981 and expires Dec. 28, 1984.

Gorham replaces Geraldine A. Christian, Portland, who resigned. Gorham will serve a term that officially began Feb. 2, 1982 and expires Dec. 28, 1982.

Created by an executive order in 1980, the commission's duties include monitoring existing programs and laws designed to meet the needs of the Oregon black population in the areas of education, employment, economic development, health and law. In addition, the commission researches problems and recommends actions and legislation to the governor, while maintaining a liaison between the black community and governor.

Gorham is a member of the City of Eugene's Human Rights Staff and the city manager's staff. He was a corporate staff attorney for Trans World Airlines, Inc. (1973-1976) and an elementary school teacher for the City of New York (1969-1970). Gorham served two years as a Peace Corps volunteer in Brazil (1966-1968).

He received a bachelor of arts degree from Rutgers University (1966) and a law degree from Rutgers University School of Law (1973).

Merrick has been the coordinator of special programs for the Oregon State System of Higher Education, Eugene, since 1973. As coordinator, he supervised a counseling program in Portland for seven years (1973-1980). Merrick has served three years on the City of Eugene's minority commission including one year as the commission's president. He was a lay member on the affirmative action committee of the Oregon State Bar (1981-1982).

Merrick was director of the Educational Clearinghouse for Central Los Angeles California Council for Educational Opportunity (1969-1973) and served as its senior counselor (1967-1969). He was director of University Teen Post at University Methodist Church, Los Angeles, (1966-1967) and was community programs director for the Southern California Council of Churches (1965-1966).

He is a member of the American Personnel and Guidance Association of College Admissions Counselors, and the College Entrance Examination Board.

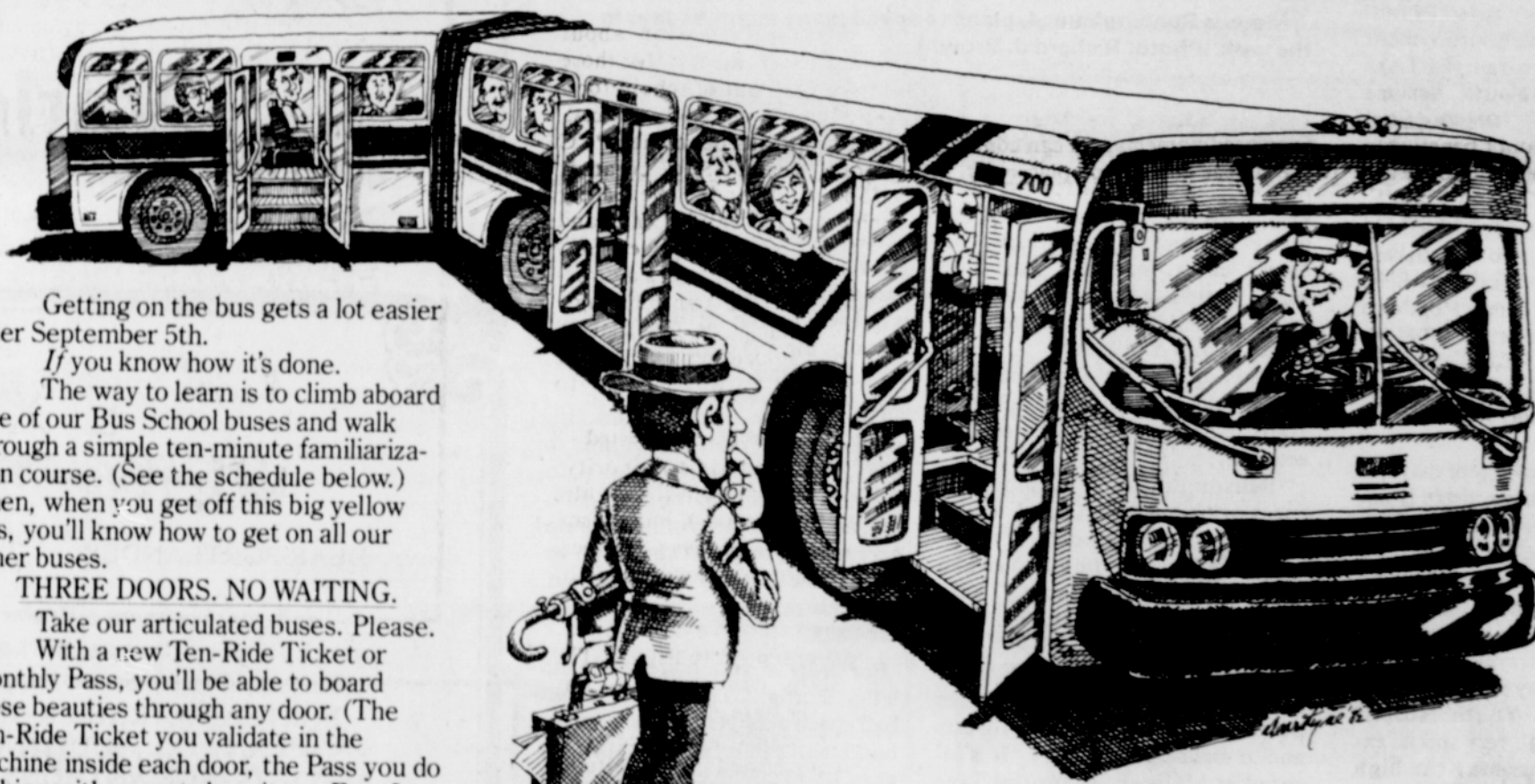
Merrick received his master's degree from the University of Oregon, (1976).

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