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**FRIDAY
 JUNE 19**
 9:30 P.M. - 2:00 A.M.

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To Uncle Sam

I accuse you of taking me from my motherland.

I accuse you of leaving us in bondage.

I accuse you of wanting us to do for you, what you have not done for us.

I accuse you of not learning about me, then discriminating against me for what color I am.

I accuse you of hating my culture, my race, and my family of young brothers and sisters.

I accuse you of trying to kill me, destroy and dismantle me and my race.

I accuse you of putting me down, leaving my soul to be burned down, and not letting me be free to do the same as others can.

Rupert Dallas

Santa Comes Early

On Friday, June 5th at 9:30 A.M. Approximately 450 students of Laurelhurst School (840 N. E. 41st) will donate hand made toys to The Fire Bureau Toy & Joy-Makers.

As an example--approximately 90 covered wagons made by 4th graders will be given.

These toys will be kept in the Toy & Joy Warehouse until Christmas when they will be given to some of Portland's less fortunate children.

**Language Disability
 Consultant To Present
 Beaverton Training
 Seminar**

The Riggs Institute, a national non-profit literacy corporation, will present 15- and 30-hour teacher, parent and tutor training courses, How To Teach Basic Skills Without Workbooks, the week of July 13, 1991 at Pilgrim Lutheran School, 5650 S.W. Hall Blvd. in Beaverton. This multi-sensory penmanship, spelling and complete phonetic system is designed for classroom teachers or anyone wanting to teach developmental or remedial language skills to children or adults through direct instruction. Ms. A. Sharon Madsen, author, language disability consultant and reading specialist of Helena, Montana will instruct. She will be available for literacy volunteers. Optional credit is available through the University of Oregon. Please contact Myma McCulloch in Beaverton at 503-646-9459 for details and pre-registration forms.

**Mien And African
 American leaders To
 Discuss Tragedy At
 Church Service**

Leaders of Portland's Mien and African American communities came together at a church service Sunday, May 31st, to discuss the tragic death of Mr. Fou Seng Saechao, who was shot inside Sunny's Market in north Portland the evening of Friday, May 22nd. The service were held at Lu-Mienh Friendship Baptist Church at 11250 NE Wygant Street in Portland, beginning at 10 a.m.

Speakers include Urban League of Portland President Dr. Darryl Tukufu and Mr. Seng Fo Chao, president of the Lu-Mien Association of Oregon and a case manager at the Urban League's Multicultural Senior Center. Mr. Saechao was a member of Portland's Mien community, most of whom emigrated from Laos as refugees during the 1970's and 1980's.

"We hope this event will help show our communities that the person responsible for this senseless crime represents an individual and not a group," said Seng Fo Chao. "By coming together we can learn ways to prevent this kind of tragedy from happening again in Portland."

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Media Advisory

Representatives of the N/Ne Economic Development Alliance as well as business and government leaders will hold a press conference Tuesday, June 2, 1992 at 10 a.m. to announce an effort in the wake of the Los Angeles riots to invite businesses in the region to join with the community in supporting economic development and employment initiatives in the NE Community.

The immediate focus of the effort will be to find 300 to 500 summer jobs for youth. Details of the press conference will be announced.

For further information, please call Darrell Tukufu at the Urban League, 280-2600. The Urban League is located at 10 N. Russell, Portland, OR 97227.

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banking terms and skills and bank employees adopted "Dream Star" students, giving each a bank with \$2 in nickels. Students learned about check-cashing procedures, writing checks and understanding a paycheck from a representative from Checkmart, and a field trip to U.S. West allowed students to learn about new and innovative telephone techniques.

"The 'Dream Stars' are learning lifelong skills that will enable them to pursue higher education and to someday choose their own gang-free, drug-free, safe, productive neighborhood in which to live," said Catherine Wilson, Grade 2 teacher.

For more information, please contact: Catherine Wilson, King School, 280-6456; or Bill Garbett, director, Dept.