## 'Motown Revue' Holiday Benefit

'Hitzville' show in Portland Saturday

out the Christmas spirit in Port- at 7 p.m. land Saturday as Project Clean

Project Clean Slate is an award Slate benefits from a Roy Jay holi- winning community non-profit orday fundraiser expected to attract ganization which helps people make over 700 people to the Oregon Con- restitution and get past civil and



## Excellent Care Funeral Services

One Stop Funeral Center Now-Open... Get the best package in Portland for burial. Everything you need all in one building.

- Consultation
- Large Sanctuary
- and Balcony
- Cremation
- Provided Hearst
- Minister
- upon request
- Parking Available
- Limousine Service
- Large Kitchen

Location: 126 NE Alberta St. On the corner of Mallory and Alberta 2 blocks West of MLK, Jr., Blvd

Call now (503) 995-8442 www.excellentcarefuneralservices.com

Two Las Vegas shows will bring vention Center, Saturday, Dec. 14



A holiday fundraiser for Project Clean Slate will bring the Las Vegas show Hitzville, The Motown Revue to Portland on Saturday, Dec. 14 at 7 p.m. at the Oregon Convention Center.

as Cher.

criminal judgments that can hinder their employment. The program was founded by Jay, a Portland African American leader and business entrepreneur, and has received support, recognition and praise from government and private sector officials.

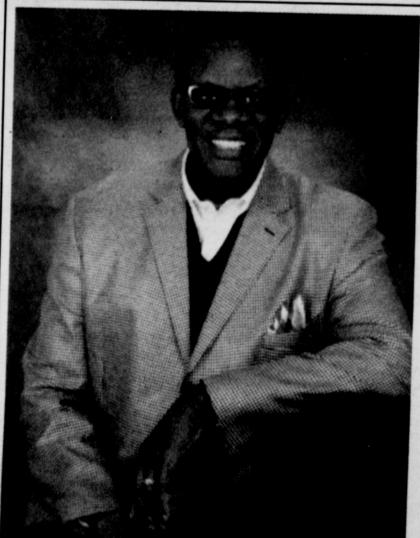
Saturday's black tie optional event promises to be one of the highlights of the holiday season. Headlining the night is Hitzville, The Motown Revue which has received rave reviews from Las Vegas audiences. In addition,

the opening act will be Heidi Thompson as Cher.

The event of the season is co-sponsored by various businesses and agencies throughout the city including Wells Fargo Bank, Motorola Solutions, Portland Police, Roy Jay Enterprises, Emerett International, City of Portland and others.

The evening will include a full course dinner catered by Aramark/Giacometti Partners. For tickets, call 503-231-2571 or visit tickettomato.com.





Dr. Billy R. Flowers

## SPINA COLUMN

An ongoing series of questions and answers about America's natural healing profession.

PART 11. EXERCISE: Does it help low back problems, or only make them worse?

A friend of mine showed me a series of exercises designed to help her low back problems. Is it all right for me to use them, too?

: It would be enlightento know the number of people with qualified back problems (fixation on the spinal joints) who are told they only need to exercise. They are given a brief exam and a sheet of stretching exercises to follow. They are led to believe nothing else need to be done. This is only incomplete therapy, it is also therapy that could easily lead to

very disastrous side effects. When we exercise and stretch muscles without removing the cause of the spasms, it actually forces the body to degenerate faster. You are better off to have done no exercising at all. In Chiropractic, we know the exercise is an important part of health, but only after Chiropractic care has removed the spinal fixations that caused the prob-

lem in the first place. Then and only then can the spine be correctly stretched and strengthened without traumatizing muscles and nerves. For a safe, gentle accurate assessment of your spinal situation or for answers to any questions you might have about your health please call our office.

## Flowers' Chiropractic Office

2124NEHancock, Portland Oregon 97212 Phone: (503) 287-5504