

VOTE

TUESDAY APRIL 4

Run-Offs

2nd Ward, Both Candidates from Rush's camp



Above 2nd ward Ald. Madeline Haithcock is in a run-off with challenger Geraldine Laury, both roots working with Congressman Bobby Rush.



The Second Ward's diversity has been a positive factor for Alderman Haithcock. It now includes areas of the near Southside, South Loop, and the Near Westside.

The candidates have expressed a common interest on some of the issues.

Both support the federal district court case filed by African-American voters against Mayor Daley and other white defendants over the present ward map. The plaintiffs argue that the map denies African-Americans fair representation in the city council.

Laury was responsible for putting a referendum on the February 28 ballot, that passed with a 96 percent vote—calling for the Alderman to seek community input on development issues. A referendum that Ald. Haithcock supports.

Carolyn Rush, spokesperson for Laury, said "Laury will bring a much needed inde-

By Charles Taylor
Staff Writer

A quiet battle royale (unlike the neighboring 3rd ward) is being waged over the second aldermanic ward. The contenders are incumbent Alderman Ma-deline Haithcock and her challenger Geraldine Laury.

Interestingly enough, Haithcock and Laury share the same political mentor, Congressman Bobby Rush whose first congressional district includes the second ward. Laury is the sister of Congressman

3rd Ward- A Battle for the Senior Vote



Alderman Dorothy Tillman who missed 51 percent of the



vote February 28 primary election by, must face Wallace 'Gator' Bradley April 4th, where the Senior Citizens are the key to victory.

South Street Journal received a phone call from Roberta Tate age 75, of East 41st. Tate called to congratulate the Journal on their editorial (March 9th issue), saying she felt that "Mr. Bradley should be given a chance to show what he can do for the third ward."

"Everyone deserves a second chance," she continued, "We've seen what Dorothy Tillman (3rd Ward Incumbent) has done for the past eleven years. I have always voted for Dorothy in the past, but this time I am going to vote for Mr. Bradley."

Wallace "Gator" Bradley, candidate for 3rd Ward Alderman, says "Senior support is a very necessary part of any campaign, all factions of a community must be given attention in order to support the idea of empowerment." He continued, "It is my goal to achieve recognition as a candidate for all of the citizens in the third ward.

The senior citizens of the 3rd ward was a major part of Dorothy Tillman vote base as she has long been regarded as the "Harriet Tubman" of the Civil Rights Movement. Her aggressive style and staunch leadership has been praised by many leaders around the city who have come out to support her in the April 4th runoff.

Recently featured in the television movie "Promised Land", Tillman continues to receive credit for her work in the Sixties Movement. South Street Journal contacted Tillman's office for comments but received no response.

Bradley's camp says they are dismayed at

Continue on page 6

Burris claim's Victory

Stressing Supporters to work on election Day
James Brown to headline campaigning Victory Party



Photo by Owen Lawson

Liberty Baptist For Burris

Continuing the tradition established by his father Rev. A.P. Jackson of supporting qualified and progressive African-American candidates, the Rev. Darrel L. Jackson, current pastor of Liberty Baptist, 48th and King Drive pleages his support for Mayoral candidate Roland Burris during a campaign stop last weekend.

Story on page 16

Electing Representatives for the Empowerment Zone

March 30th, community representatives in the Grand Boulevard community elected representatives to serve on the tentative South Side Empowerment Zone Governance Committee (EZCC). Other communities in the Mid-South

communities are in the process of electing representatives. The majority will come from Grand Boulevard with 20. There is a tentative decision to add the 5 representatives from the Douglas community to Grand Boulevard, which is being met with skepticism by some community leaders.

"if you were given an amount of money and told to improve a community, how would you do it."..... some said, give the guy on the corner \$500. Others said don't give the guy on the corner anything, let them figure it out for themselves.

The Oakland community held their election over week ago and Washington Park community has selected a slate of candidates for their election on April 1st for the EZ Governance board.

Cecilia Butler president of the Washington Park Community Coalition said, "The persons slated have been active within the EZ process for the past 14 months."

However she added that the Washington Park group is still accepting applications for those residents who want to take part. "You are welcome and encouraged to help make this EZ happen. Southside residents need to step up to the plate and take part in the process and the time has finally come"

All together there will be 47 to 61 representa-

tives from the representing eight communities, decided by the census track expected to be approved by the City of Chicago and Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

Other communities representatives are: Oakland 5; Fuller Park 1; Kenwood 3; Washington Park, 5; and Woodlawn, 5.

Meeting in the auditorium of DuSable High School beneath the the infamous motto of the school "peace, if possible but justice at any rate" The Southside Cluster held a meeting to discuss and inform citizens on how to become involved in the millions of dollars that will soon pour into selected communities.

Basically the same dedicated community leaders and community activists congregate to

Continue on page 16

The UnZip

By Jabar

Happy birthday to Rev. Earl Sardon and Lu Palmer (March) on 37th and King Drive, founder and Chairman of Chicago Black United Communities (CBUC). Lu just recently left the ill bed, and word is he was still calling the charge to get Burris elected Mayor as Chairman of Burris campaign committee.

There may be some investigation in the 20th ward election ballots coming up. The question is, was there some under counting or over counting and for who...and Troutman holding her 1st meeting since her reelection had three people present, the alderman, her mother and one lady. So where did all those votes come from...Also in the 20th ward former candidate for alderman Helen Latimore is videoing and taking pictures of couples in cars doing some real unzipping and the you know what around 61st & Ingleside. As soon as she get some developed shes going to hold SSJ to publish them.

Hyde Parker Public Relations practitioner and contributing writer for South Street Journal, Donna Hodge may be making an historic trip to Germany for an historic point of history for Blacks and Jewish people during WW II.

Former mayor Eugene Sawyer may be taking a gamble in more than one way, endorsing Mayor Daley, just for a gambling casino.

It was, then it wasn't, then it was, now it's not regarding Harold Lucas leaving the Mid-South Planning and Development Commission. And while Angelo Rose MSPDC chairperson is making a trip out of the country this is Lucas chance to speak his issues and get back on WVON.

Washington Park leader Cecilia Butler, is back in town with a new hair-do. Not just as leader but as an organizer. This means that Washington Park Community Coalition will become another power base just as it's two neighboring communities, Grand Boulevard and Woodlawn have their power base organizations.

People wondering about 2nd ward alderman Madeline Haithcock not endorsing Joe Gardner or Burris. Checking out the 3rd ward? How Alderman Dorothy Tillman pay a \$75,000 campaign debt. Like Carol Mosely Gone, word is she got it from the fifth floor of city hall. Politics at its best.

Hats off to the 4th ward organization for supporting Burris for mayor. Al Kindle was seen at CBUC office picking up fliers.

Community Brief

Chicago 158TH BIRTHDAY

City of Chicago's 158th Birthday Celebration, took place on Friday, March 3rd at 12p.m.

It was on March 4, 1837 that the Illinois State Legislature granted the town of Chicago its city charter. At that time, the city was no more than a wood-frame outpost on the shores of what is now the Chicago River, with a population of just over four thousand people.

Principals, staff, students, Local School Councils, and other representatives

from 24 schools in the Oakland, Kenwood, Hyde Park and Wodlawn communities participated in a Workshop on Saturday, March 18, 1995, in downtown Chicago. The workshop culminated a series of discussions and moves forward the South Side Demonstration project, a collaboration committed to implementing creative initiatives to improve student achievement.

The sponsor of the event and the proposed demonstration project to increase student learning is the GFund of community Redevelopment and Revitalization (The Fund). The Fund has been a catalyst for the redevelopment and revitalization of the North Kenwood-Oakland and Woodlawn communities.

Consultants for the project include the Center for School Improvement at the University of Chicago and Chapin Hall Center for Children. Funding for the workshop was provided by The Joyce Foundation.

DuSable Museum Presents:

Literacy Read A Thons

The DuSable Museum of African-American History will present prominent celebrities, authors, poets, educators, journalist, media personalities and local families in read-a-thons throughout the month of April.

Recognizing a decline in library usage, Marion Thomas Education Specialist for the Museum says "this event will encourage families and children to use the library resources, visiting the libraries more often will increase the reading rate especially among African-American children."

The Museum's kick-off ceremony will be held on Saturday-April 1, 1995 from 11am-2pm.

Hyde Park Career Academy emerged as the winners for the 1995 edition of the television quiz show

"Know your Heritage." Coach Linda Murray was joined by Mayor Richard Daley, as the WGN-TV principals and winners display their trophies and the \$1,000 scholarships they received from the McDonald's Owners of Chicagoland and Northwest Indiana (MOCNI). Winning team members from Hyde Park are Juanitas Tennyson, Monica Harper, Naila Robinson and London Shavers and Yehoshuah Young. Helping to celebrate their victory are sponsor/representatives Annette Whitworth, Morris Smith of the Coca-Cola Bottling Company of Chicago, and Harold Rice, a McDonald's owner/ operator representing MOCNI. Also, attending was Don Jackson, of central city productions, producer of "Know your Heritage," Manager of WGN-TV. Winners also received an all-expense paid trip to Disney World in Orlando, Florida—compliments of the Coca-Cola Bottling Company of Chicago.

The South Area District of the Boy Scouts of America and the Museum of Science and Industry is sponsoring the Pinewood Derby

an annual car race for scouts of all ages. Scouts will race their custom built 5 ounce wooden cars along a 32-foot racing track and compete for district prizes. More than 200 scouts and volunteers are expected to attend this exciting event. The event will also serve as a membership drive for young boys ages 5-12. The South Area District and the Museum of Science and Industry invite all families to come out.

In This Issue

Historical Neighborhoods	4
Housing "Contact with America"	7
State Officials Proceedings	8
Feature Interview	
Dr. Barbara Norman	10
Editorial - Endorsing Daley	11
Letters - Letter from Larry Hoover	11
Women's Month Section	12
Women's Month	
Education Columnist - Michael Brownstein	17
Community/Job Services	18
Housing Transactions	19
Classified	

Calendar of Events



March

Thurs. 30

Grand Boulevard community Empowerment Zone Election of community representation. 6 - 8 pm at the ML King Center 4300 S. King Drive.

The Scene at the Sutherland, Music

By Delark Recording Artist Malachi Thompson & Africa Brass, Comedian James Hannah, and a Report to the Community: The Empowerment Zone, by Pierre Clark. 4659 S. Drexel Blvd. 7 to 11 pm, followed by an open mic segment. Free Admission sponsored by Sutherland Community Arts Initiative & Travellers and Immigrants Aid.

April

Sat. 1

Shop til you Drop at Gurnee Mills, A Charter Bus will leave at 8 a.m. and return 6:30 p.m. \$15.00 per person round trip. Send check or money order to: The YWCA Harris Center 6200 So. Drexel. First come first served. Limited seating Mastercard/Visa accepted.

Crusaders of Justice regular community meeting at 12 noon, at Holiness Temple Church 56th & Indiana. Every Saturday.

Support for Sexual Assault Survivors 10:30 - 12 noon for Adults 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Adolescents Harris YWCA 6200 S. Drexel 955-3100 ext. 36. For women only is no charge.

Mon. 3

TAIFA Black Awareness Group holds classes in Black history, leadership, conflict resolution and

more every **Monday** from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at Woodlake Community Room, 4514 S.

New Structure Organization weekly meeting begins at 6:30 PM at 5659 S. Indiana Ave. Call J. Thomas at 324-5256.

VOTE Election Day

Tue. 4 **Mid-South Planning and Development Commission's** Committee General Meeting at the King Center 4314 So. Cottage Grove begins at 6:30 p.m. 1st Tuesday of the month.

Wed., 5 **South Cluster Empowerment Zone** meeting at Inner City Studies. 39th and Oakwood. 6:30 pm. Every Wednesday.

Thurs. 6

The Scene at the Sutherland, Music By Delark Recording Artist

Malachi Thompson & Africa Brass, Poetry by C. Siddha Sila & and the Side Pockets, Report to the Community: Christianity on Trial" Dr. M. Johnson & Drs. M. Hyshaw for the Institute of Divine Metaphysical Research 4659 S. Drexel Blvd. 7 to 11 pm, followed by an open mic segment.

Fri. 7 **Jackson Park** Presents A Speech Tournament at 7:00 p.m. 5531 S. King Dr. For more info. contact Van Jackson (312) 747-6187.

Sat. 8 **South Street Journal Board of Advisors** meeting, for information call Hildre Carter 924-0461.

Tue. 11 **34/35 King Dr. Block Club** Meetings: Spring Beautification Program. Lawn/Flower Beautification Presentation for the

The meetings are held the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:00 at Congressman Rush's Office.

Task Force for Black Political Empowerment meets at Inner City Studies, 39th and Oakwood. Every Tuesday.

Freedom Now Center holds its weekly meeting at 6359 So. Cottage Grove

Wed. 12

The 35th Street-Gateway Citizens Committee: Monthly community meeting at Hartzell Memorial United Methodist Church, 3330 S. King Drive. Meetings are held on the 2nd Wed. of each month and are open to all residents of the Near south and Grand Boulevard areas. For info, call 548-2000 or 924-0014.

Nommo Power of the Word Chez Finley, Donna Hodge, Virda Towns & Charlotte Reid are the feature

poets at DuSable Museum 7:00 p.m. \$3.00 Admission Beverly Reed Hosts Open Mike come early

Sat. 15

Jerry Butler will perform live in concert for the WECAN organization of Woodlawn, at the Museum of Science & Industry from 7 pm to 12 midnight. Cocktails & Hors D'oeuvres from 6-7 pm. Tickets \$35/50. For information contact Evelyn 288-3000.

Tue. 18

The Harris YWCA Invites You To Come Rolling On The River on the Empress Riverboat Casino. \$18.50 fee covers round trip, transportation, entry fee, continental breakfast, and lunch. Proceeds to benefit the YWCA's Activity department.

Wed. 19

Washington Park Advisory Council meeting, at Washington Park Field House on 55th and King Drive. Every 3rd Wednesday

Wed. 22

Behold Of Faith Missionary Baptist Church 1651 W. 63rd St. Present The Spiritualities Saturday, The Grand Ballroom 6351 S. Cottage 7:00 p.m. Donation: \$7.50

Ald. Madeline Haithcock (2) Monthly Community meeting held at Hartzell Memorial United Methodist Church, 3330 King Dr. Meetings held on the 4th Wed of each month, Issues and concerns

Next issue: South Street Journal, Deadline for material is April 5, 1995

SSJ will publish notices of community meetings, events and programs. Any organization or person in the SSJ circulation area may submit material. We will print others as it relate to the area. Send material one week in advance to SSJ 4305 S. King Dr., Chicago, Ill. 60653. We reserve the right to refuse and edit material.

Photo View will be back in the next issue South Street Journal

IIT Invests \$150,000 in Illinois Service Federal

Robbery takes place during the ceremony

Grand Boulevard—About the same time Illinois Institute of Technology (IIT) presented a \$150,000 deposit in Illinois/Service Federal Savings and Loan Association of Chicago (ISF), on Thursday March 30th, at about 1:15 pm, a bank robbery took place at the institution.

The robbery still under investigation at *South Street Journal* deadline no official reports were available, other than it was at gun point to a teller. No one was hurt in the incident.

ISF celebrating its inception since March 1934, located at 46th and King Dr., it is the only savings and loan association in Illinois to be founded, owned and managed by African Americans, building a reputation as a strong resource management, with high liquidity and profitability for its 14,000-

member customer base. The deposit is part of IIT's effort to help revitalize Chicago's Near and Mid-South side. Through IIT's vision and a McCormick Tribune Foundation grant, the Mid-South Planning & Development Commission was formed, of community organizations, development corporations, other academic and medical institutions, the City, and historic preservation groups.

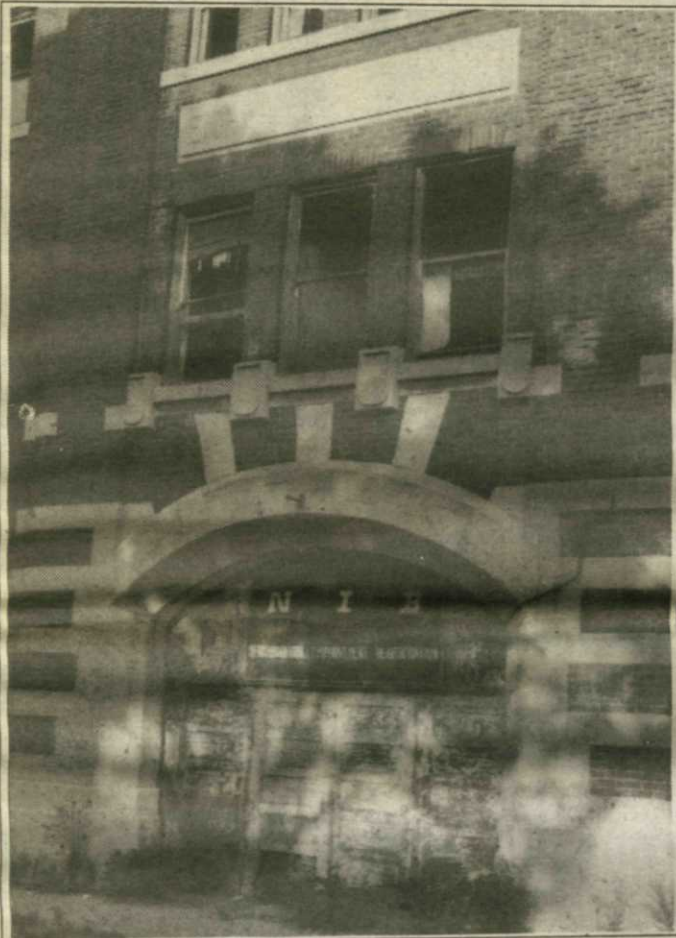
IIT, along with the Homebuilders Association of Chicago, organized the nation's first Urban Parade of Homes in 1992. The initiative, which serves as model for similar programs in the city, resulted in over 30 new homes in the Gap community near IIT. An investment of over \$5 million dollars. In addition, the IIT hosts community events such as local science fairs,

tutoring programs, and trade fairs to help minority, female, and small business owners learn about IIT contract and purchasing procedures, resulted in over \$2 million worth of contracts awarded to minority and female-owned businesses.

"We believe that there is a strong interdependent relationship between the university and our neighbors. By adhering to a philosophy of cooperation, continuing to strive and successfully work toward a future of shared growth and achievement," says IIT President Lew Collens.

"The deposit from IIT symbolizes a joining of like missions; a common bond in fulfilling the dreams of people, ISF in home ownership and IIT in education," says Thelma Smith, ISF president and chief executive officer. "IIT's investment in ISF is a reinvestment in building successful South Side communities—constituencies we both serve."

MSPDC Spearheads legislative campaign in support of 8th Regiment



The 8th Armory Building on Giles at 35th Street was designated as one of Illinois's 10 most endangered historic properties.

Douglas—Mid-South Planning & Development Commission's (MSPDC) representative Harold L. Lucas, Black Metropolis Coordinator went to Springfield IL, on March 15th-16th to participate in a legislative advocacy campaign and press conference convened by the

Landmark Preservation Council of Illinois (LPCI) to save 8th Armory Building on Giles Street at 35th Street.

The 8th Armory building designated as one of Illinois's 10 most endangered historic properties was chosen from a pool of twenty Illinois sites

considered. Following an application prepared and submitted to LPCI by the MSPDC. The new designation will help the Armory attract additional public attention and financial resources needed to rehab the landmark building.

Patrica Dowell-Cerasole, executive director of MSPDC stated, "MSPDC has a responsibility to the community to insure that this historic treasure be preserved. We nominated the 8th Armory building for two reasons. First, to bring local and state attention to this important building, and second to encourage a stronger more diverse collaboration around its' future development".

The MSPDC plays a major role in the restoration of the numerous buildings designated as historical landmarks in the Greater Grand Boulevard area. through advocacy, collaboration and the mobilization of residents.

State Representative Howard Kenner, Democrat 24th district said 'Tourism has always been an important cottage industry in other ethnic communities. Here in Chicago, areas with deep historical and cultural value to the African-American community have been neglected. The State of Illinois should do everything it can to preserve this heritage and tradition for future generations. As a member of the House Appropriations Committee, I will continue in the future to make sure that development of Black metropolis as a tourism destination remains a high priority for the State of Illinois".

Woodlawn Revitalization Meeting Meets With Skepticism

Woodlawn - Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church was the site of a recent revitalization meeting hosted by leading community organizations and elected officials serving the Woodlawn area. In attendance were, Mattie Butler, WECAN, Dr. Leon D. Finney, Jr., TWO, Alderman Troutman (20) and a representative from the Dept. of City Planning. The meeting was set up to discuss the designation of a eight square block area as a revitalization site. Described as a 40 year plan to develop a southeast section of the Woodlawn Community. The residents in attendance were provided with detailed graphs, charts and plans describing the process and procedures involved in the Dept. of Planning and Development's decision to select the area.

Several residents expressed concern on the use of outside contractors doing the construction without hiring from within the community. While others expressed suspicion of the whole plan. As one resident put it, "You all said this same thing fifteen years

ago with the Urban Renewal Project, and look at our community. In 40 years I'll be dead, we need help now!"

Others also seemed to be discontented with the plan and were apathetic towards the panel. As one woman in the audience became upset at the lack of attention given to her question by the city representative, she reprimanded the Alderman for interfering. However, there were residents who were pleased with the direction the community seems to be taking.

Mattie Butler relating to the concerns of the community residents provided information on the project and responded to their questions frankly. Shelly Anderson, President, First Chicago Bank spoke briefly concerning the bank's commitment to working with community residents in providing loans, seminars and accessibility.

Dr. Finney moved the crowd as he spoke briefly of his longstanding commitment to the growth of the Woodlawn Community and provided the closing prayer.



INSURE NOW....PAY LATER

SAVE MONEY ON NEW STATE MANDATORY INSURANCE


LOW DOWN PAYMENT....E-Z Monthly Payments

"Don't Be in Violation Call for Free Quotation"

JIMMY MORGAN

INSURANCE

(312) 684-0900

 **VISA-Master Card & Checks Accepted** 

Bacon's

SAVE SAVE SAVE SAVE

FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY

& CLOTHING FOR THE MAN OF DISTINCTION

HOT! BUYS & STYLES ARE HERE!

SUITS * COATS * SWEATERS

JACKETS

GLOVES * JEANS * SLACKS

MEN DRESS HATS

SPORTS WEAR*

Hat Service
Cleaned & Blocked
Hat Making

On 47th St. for over 40 years.

Bacon's

Clothing & Hatters (312) 624-1176

507 E. 47th Street

HOURS: M-SAT 11AM-8PM
SUN: 11AM-6PM

Finding the perfect house could take a lifetime. But preapproval only takes five days.

The five-day EXPRESS preapproval.

With Old Kent's EXPRESS mortgage preapproval, you get a written answer from us in five business days or less, telling you your approved price range before you begin house hunting. Then, once you find a house, all you need is the appraisal. And that gives you a real edge over other buyers.

Come into Old Kent today and ask for your Stepsaver™ Mortgage Kit. It has everything you need for our five day EXPRESS preapproval.

OLD KENT BANK

Common Sense. Uncommon Service.®

Chicago: Sears Tower (312) 876-4200, Merchandise Mart (312) 836-8000, Germania Place (312) 836-8175
Clarendon Hills (708) 920-3900 • Countryside (708) 352-8980 • Dundee (708) 428-0404 • Elgin: Grove (708) 742-7560
Larkin (708) 742-7666, Waverly (708) 695-2300 • Elmhurst (708) 941-5200 • Hampshire (708) 683-3133
Itasca (708) 250-0610 • Lombard: St. Charles Road (708) 627-3100, Roosevelt Road (708) 620-6610 • Naperville (708) 983-0153
Rolling Meadows (708) 342-5400 • Rosemont (708) 825-3343 • St. Charles: Central (708) 584-5500, East (708) 377-1000
Randall (708) 377-5100 • Westmont (708) 920-3958 • Wheaton: Blanchard Road (708) 462-5590, Main Street (708) 462-5459
Winfield (708) 462-5600 • Woodridge (708) 985-6700

 MEMBER FDIC. ©OLD KENT BANK 1995.

Republicans Waging War with Welfare Bill, Rush Charges

U.S. Rep. Bobby Rush charged strong opposition to a Republican Welfare Reform Bill as "weak on work and tough on kids." Rush said that the Republican plan is an "all-out war" waged by the Republicans against the most vulnerable and defenseless in society.

"This bill requires welfare recipients to work, and yet it will drop parents from welfare rolls without the assurance that in fact, there are jobs available for a liveable wage for these individuals," Rush said. "the bill provides no assistance of education, job training or child care to help individuals go back to work."

Children will be hit hardest by the bill, Rush added, through cuts to

school lunches, nutritional supplements to women and children, and funds for college scholarship and jobs programs.

"This mean-spirited approach by the GOP punishes children while at the same time, provides these callous lawmakers with the cuts they need to pay for their tax giveaways to the wealthy," said Rush.

"True reform requires parents to be self-sufficient while at the same time.

Historical Neighborhoods: Keepers of Culture

Selected Douglas/Grand Boulevard Neighborhoods for its Historical Heritage



Douglas/Grand Boulevard-A collaborative effort between the Chicago Historical Society and four neighborhoods in which collectively will decided on how best to amass artifacts, interpret, and exhibit the histories of the neighborhoods. The four neighborhoods involved in the project are Douglas/Grand Boulevard, Rogers Park/ West Ridge, Near West Side/East Garfield Park, and South Lawndale/ Lower West Side. The exhibition for each neighborhood will open first at the Chicago Historical Society and will then move to a location in each of the neighborhoods:

newal, and the construction of public housing, along with outward patterns of migration and city's changing economy, greatly affected the area and contributed to its disinvestment and decline.

Today, as dedicated members of the community work to revitalize Douglas/Grand Boulevard to create a better future for its residents, they build upon a rich heritage of accomplishment, a tradition of self-reliance, and history of this neighborhood from the late 19th century to the present.

The exhibition will move to the DuSable Museum of African American History after its run at the Chicago Historical Society.

Speakers for the training course include: Tracye Matthews, Neighborhoods Project Coordinator, James Grossman, Director of the Dr. W. M. Scholl Center for Family and Community History at the Newberry Library, Charles Branham, senior historian at DuSable Museum and visiting professor of History at Indiana University, and Timuel Black, professor emeritus at the City Colleges of Chicago, visiting professor at Roosevelt University, and historian of Douglas/Grand Boulevard.

For more information Call 312)642-5035 ext. 396.



THE RITZ HOTEL

90 Spacious Rooms As Low As \$270 Month Serving the Community Since 1916

409 E. Oakwood* Corner of 40th & King Dr.

Banquet Rooms

FREE Adult Movies

Newly Decorated Rooms

Call **536-6000**

It figures.

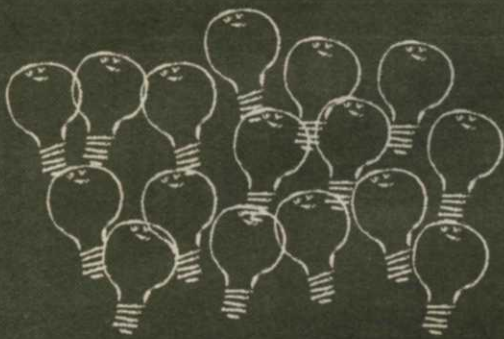
ComEd's Light Bulb Service adds up to savings.

\$8.28

At the store

\$8.28

At ComEd's Light Bulb Center



It's not hard to figure out that joining ComEd's optional Light Bulb Service saves you money. In fact, for no more than 69 cents a month you can receive up to four light bulbs. That adds up to less than 18 cents per bulb! And there's such a wide variety to choose from; energy saving, three-way bulbs, standard and specialty bulbs too - whatever suits your needs.

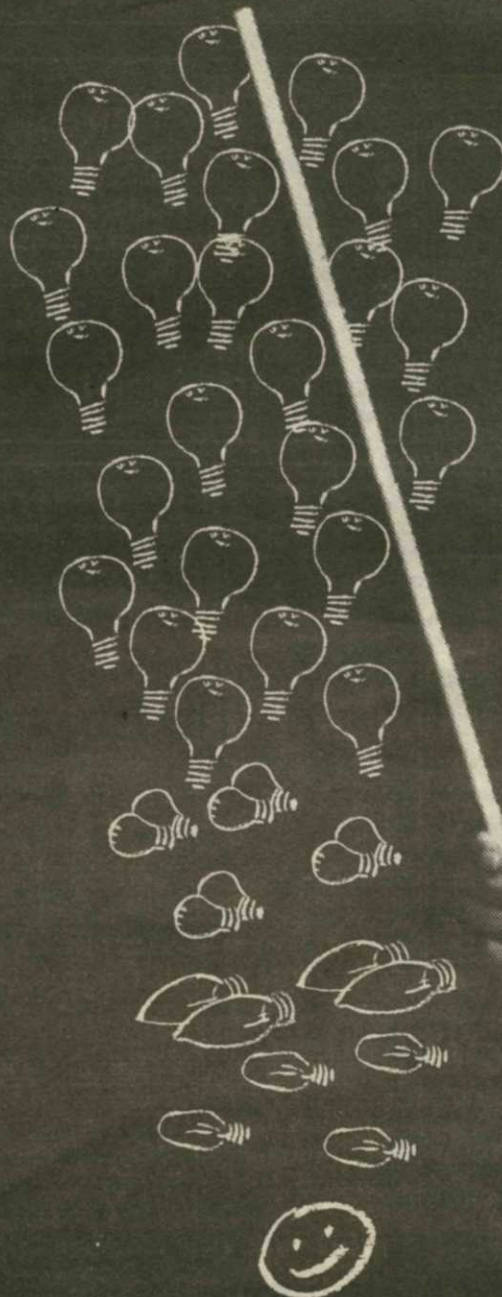
Joining ComEd's Light Bulb Service is as easy as a phone call. Dial 1-800 EDISON 1 (1-800-334-7661), anytime, 24 hours a day to sign up. To pick up your bulbs, just bring your electric bill stub to any one of our 28 conveniently located Customer Service Centers or at more than 300 ComEd Authorized Light Bulb Agents.

So call us today and start getting more light bulbs for less money.

The power to make life better. SM

ComEd

A Unicom Company



Housing for Homeless opens on 61st and Wabash

Washington Park-Chicago Equity Fund President William Higginson and other community leaders dedicated a rehabbed Washington Park apartment building that will provide affordable housing and support services to homeless families.

The 6100 South Wabash Apartments, which will provide 24 fully rehabilitated units to homeless families and families at risk of being homeless, represents a unique partnership between the not-for-profit community development group, the city, local financial institutions and the private business

sector to rehabilitate community-based affordable housing.

Chicago Community Development Corporation (CCDC), in partnership with the community housing Partners, Ltd., and the Faith Tabernacle Housing Corporation, the not-for-profit community development arm of the Faith Tabernacle Baptist Church, was initiated as a way of rebuilding the Washington Park community with local resources.

Financing stems from City of Chicago Department of Housing, Chicago Housing Authority (CHA), U.S.

Operation PUSH Commemorates the Death of Dr. Martin Luther King, Saturday April 1st

Operation PUSH will commemorate the 27th Anniversary of the Death of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. in a special Saturday Morning Community Forum on April 1st beginning at 9:30 am at the national Headquarters, 930 East 50th Street.

The Rev. Willie Taplin Barrow will lead this commemorative program which will feature special guest Independent Mayoral Candidate, Roland Burris and Women for Burris. Dr. King's message of unity and

peace for all races will be emphasized through tributes to the slain civil rights leaders.

Rev. Barrow is calling for the community to pay tribute to Dr. King on April 4th, Election Day, the actual day King was slain, by marching in peace, in his memory, to the polls to cast their vote. She adds, "Through this action his death will not be in vain."

The Saturday Morning Forum is open to the public. For more information call 312-373-3366.

Continued from page 1

Continued from page 1

3rd Ward

the incumbent Alderman's apparent frustration with his genuinely sincere commitment to empower the community. Calling for those who use the candidate's past as a platform to respect the intelligence of the third ward voters. The voters need to hear our position on the issues instead of mudslinging and backbiting.

Supports show that Bradley votes came heavy from the Chicago Public housing, Robert Taylor Homes and Stateway Gardens. If he is to defend Tillman he would have to reach outside of public housing and mainly in the senior citizens homes to tap into Tillman's strong hold.

"The community is ready to share in the responsibility, to define, promote and achieve economic and social parity," said Bradley, "Including, but not limited to community based quality public education, affordable health care and conventional housing, competitive career choices, job training and placement, early intervention and prevention assistance and restoration of public safety.

Bradley credits his 31% voting total, to his challengers' inability to effectively address or offer sufficient remedy for community concerns. "Under the leadership of Dorothy Tillman, our community is now void of current youth and at-risk programs," said Bradley, "I would enact a law enforcement/resident coalition which would serve to address and formulate practical long-term public safety strategies.

On the issues Bradley has expressed concern about the return of unconstitutional random CHA sweeps, police harassment/brutality of community youths and unwarranted arrests. A position that Tillman has stated she stands for as well.

Bradley reiterates he is vigorously and clearly anti-drugs, anti-guns, anti-violence, anti-criminal enterprise and strongly opposes any and all forms of crime and violence, antisocial behavior and exploitation. "As a matter of absolute fact," he states he is "unequivocally "pro-all-life!"

Tillman missing the 51% majority vote is briefing up her campaign, has went beyond posters and her strong base of senior citizens in the ward to radio commercial, with Commissioner Joseph Gardner endorsing her campaign.

Many community representatives have gave there support to Bradley, but did not want to make it public.

The third ward has over 29,000 registered voters in which the winning candidate is expecting to receive 4 - 5,000 in order to become the next alderman of the 3rd ward.

2nd Ward

pendent voice to city council.

Haithcock is viewed as a Daley supporter in the mayoral election. The second ward is predominantly African-American.

Laury has endorsed Roland Burriss for Mayor and a spokesperson from her camp says, she in turn has received his support. However, the Burriss camp has not said it is an official endorsement.

Currently she serves as Vice President of the 2nd Ward Regular Democratic Organization and President of its Women's Action Group, which initiates most of the special projects of the 2nd Ward Organization.

Issues in the race include schools, jobs, economic development and the expansion of McCormick Place.

"One of the basic things an alderman does," says Laury, "is to deliver city services. People are shocked about the poor condition of the Ward. I will make sure the 2nd Ward gets the city services the people deserve."

Another issue that has been under scrutiny is single room occupancy buildings in the South Loop. Haithcock says, "I believe that SRO's are needed, but, they should be spread throughout the city."

Turner credits Haithcock with being instrumental in acquiring more than 50 jobs for second ward residents from the Illinois College of Optometry.

"As a candidate, Laury has helped youngsters in the near westside of the ward save a basketball court facing demolition and successfully demanded that the city repair and turn on street lights which had been off for two weeks near 29th and Ellis."

Continue on page 9

Republicans gearing up for the Election



Robert Dale (right) President of R.J. Dale advertising & public relations, was among the many supporters who attended a recent fundraiser in honor of Patricia Rogers, the Republican candidate for City Treasure. Pictured (L-R) are: Carl Bibbs (R), 1st district candidate for U.S. Congress; Patricia Rogers; Abby Didrickson, daughter of the State of Illinois Comptroller Lolita Didrickson; and Bob Dale.

Turn to page 18 and Subscribe to:
South Street Journal

Punch
42



Punch
42

Geraldine Laury pledges to work and fight for the people of the 2nd Ward.

"The concerns I know from my lifelong involvement with people from throughout the 2nd Ward are not now being addressed," says Geraldine Laury, a teacher in Chicago Public Schools for 27 years, and a candidate for Alderman.

"I will work and fight for the people on such critical issues as education, community development, crime, the condition and future of public housing, and city services."

On the issue of **education**, Laury says, "I advocate the construction of more schools to ease overcrowding and equitable funding of school districts throughout Illinois. I will work to keep schools open after the regular school day and to provide more resources for tutors, arts and crafts and other after-school and recreational programs."

On the issue of **community development**, Laury says, "People in all areas of the Ward -- Near West Side, South Loop and Near South Side -- have specific concerns about development that is occurring or planned that does not include their input."

On the issue of **city services**, Laury says, "As Alderman, I will make sure the streets are repaired, the alleys are clean, abandoned vehicles are towed, and abandoned buildings are rehabbed or demolished. I will make sure we get the city services we deserve."

On the issue of **crime**, Laury says, "As a teacher, I have taught conflict resolution and know that children are eager to learn how to prevent violence in their lives. I will introduce legislation mandating that conflict resolution be taught in all our public schools.

"I will aggressively work with Representatives Cardiss Collins and Bobby Rush to insure that the 2nd Ward gets its fair share of federal dollars from the 1994 Crime Bill."

On April 4, 1995, vote for Geraldine Laury for Alderman, a leader who works and fights for you.
Punch 42.



Geraldine Laury is endorsed by:

- Congressman Bobby Rush
- Congresswoman Cardiss Collins
- Cook County Democratic Women
- Illinois Public Action Council
- IMPACT

(Paid for by Citizens for Laury. Call 225-3444.)

Elect Geraldine Laury, Alderman, 2nd Ward
A Leader Who Works And Fights For You.

☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆

We Want Your Aluminum Cans

49¢  **lb.**

Also accepting Stainless, Copper, Brass, Aluminum

ON STATE RECYCLING INC.

5825 s. State - 667-8283

M-F 8-5 SAT. 8-2 SUN. 8-12
PRICES SUBJECT TO CHANGE

☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆☆

"Contract with America" Slug: Housing

Charles Taylor
Staff Writer

Two weeks ago over 300 agencies representatives receiving funds from the federal government meet with the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) at Antioch Missionary Baptist Church on 63rd and Steward. They were there to discuss housing legislation plans of the dominated that will strangle housing in the mid-south area for years.

At issue is legislation affecting the continuation of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) programs which threaten Chicago with a \$181 million dollar rescission or loss of funds. "What we're seeing is that again and again the theory of the Republican's 'Contract With America' will negatively affect the nations most vulnerable in terms of HUD cutbacks." Congressman Bobby Rush warned.

HUD cuts will affect single and multi-family home purchasing, rehabilitations, Section 8 subsidies and other funding programs geared towards the low income population. "The relocation of people who will be forced out of neighborhoods and places they have called home for years is HUD connected." said Rush. The legislation will rescind current funding plans and redefine HUD's role in distributing low income housing funds.

Chicago is threatened with losing:
\$68 million - in modernization and
\$15 million - rental assistance.
\$2 million - assistance and shelter for AIDS sufferers.
\$7+million - community block grants

Park District Reports Record Number Contracts To Minorities

Figures reported by the Chicago Park District show an increase in the number of contracts awarded to minority and women owned businesses. In 1994, the Park District reported more than 42 percent of all Park District contracts went to M/WBE contractors, (in comparison with under 6% for the city of Chicago overall performance) an increase of more than one-third compared to 1993. The district did not break down the ethnic makeup of the contracts awarded.

"These numbers reflect our strong commitment to increasing economic opportunities in minority communities," said General Superintendent Forrest Claypool. "We have been diligent in improving the number of contracts awarded to women and minority owned businesses and will continue to develop stronger partnerships with these businesses."

General Superintendent Forrest Claypool along with Board President John W. Rogers, Jr., and Purchasing Committee Chairman Micheal Scott were all appointed by Mayor Richard M. Daley in 1993. The Park District leans to their efforts resulted in exceeding the goal of 25% to minority businesses and 5% to women owned businesses by more than 40 percent.

"Our efforts to ensure that all businesses receive an equal and fair opportunity to bid on contracts and purchases have been successful," continued Board President Rogers.

Of the \$38.4 million in contracts,

towards day care and supple-mental community redevelopment funds.

Republican conservatives see their 'Contract' as cutting back on government spending while privatizing, and streamlining, federal housing. "There is the point of talk that you can dismantle public housing and replace it with Section 8 type grants," said Mary Davis, Senior Vice President of the Leadership Council For Metropolitan Open Communities, "If people perceive that then they are very very wrong." Davis warned saying "these cuts go way beyond responsible levels" possibly, consciously or not, "setting up a racially impacted housing authority" forcing blacks to remain in segregated areas.

Mid-south areas affected by HUD funds, could be culturally, economically and politically "dismantled" if circumstances lead to increased

homelessness. Davis questioned whether private industry could absorb the possible overflow of new homeless if the nation-wide \$2.7-billion recommend cuts were initiated.

"The south side will be especially hard hit." Rush's office explained, "Block grants have been the key to community renewal and revitalization on the cities south side." "Public housing could be hit in two ways," Ed Sehr, Coordinator, National Housing Policy, warned, the cuts by the new conservative majority being the most obvious but also by President Bill Clinton's pledge to "restructure" HUD in response to his interpretation of 'Contract With America' mandates. Sehr said

FRAGILE!



Chicago Park District To Offer Summer Camps

Parents and Youth: Don't wait for summer to begin planning for your summer activities "Come Out and Camp" this year with Chicago Park District and participate in a wide variety of day camps, gym camps and other specialty camps being offered citywide and in the District's Central Region.

Registration for summer camps, most of which are free, will begin Tuesday, April 11 in all parks, including those in the Central Region (e.g. Armour Square, Bosley, Cornell Square, Douglas, Franklin, Hamilton, Harrison, Lindblom, Mckinley, Piotrowski and Sherman, to name just a few). Most camps will begin on Monday, June 26 and run through Friday, August 4.

Earn Pay as an Election Judge

Election judges are needed for the April 4th General election. Persons wanting to earn extra money and help in the election can earn \$75 a day plus \$25 for attending a class to become an election judge. For information call the Board of Elections at 269-7900.

Candidates Urged to Remove Signs

Although the election season is not over till April 4, all candidates from last February 28th election in Chicago are being urged to remove any of their campaign signs from light poles, trees and other public property.

Streets and Sanitation Commissioner Eileen Carey asked the candidates to take down these signs and stickers before it becomes necessary for city crews to perform this work at taxpayer expense.

Although such postings violate municipal ordinance, it remains a common practice for many campaigns to put up these signs, particularly during the final days of an election season.

Punch #42

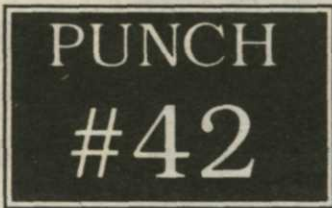
Wallace "Gator" Bradley

Alderman 3rd Ward



I, Wallace "Gator" Bradley, Will Not Only Fight For The Concerns Of The Residents Of The 3rd Ward At City Hall. I Will Take Your Issues And Concerns Through The Congress, The Senate, And Even To The President For A Solution!

Elect Wallace "Gator" Bradley The Next Alderman Of The 3rd Ward.



The People's Servant

★★★★ Vote ★★★★★

April 4, 1995

Rep. Kenner Introduces Bill To Increase Job Opportunities In Enterprise zones

State Representative Howard Kenner (D-24), recently introduced legislation that will create job opportunities in Enterprise Zones.

Representative Kenner's measure, HB 2192, provides a \$500 tax credit to business for the hiring of each additional full-time employee who is a resident living in the Enterprise

Zone.

"There are areas in the state with many unemployed individuals wishing for jobs," Kenner said. "This legislation addresses the need to increase job opportunities for them."

The bill was heard in the House of representatives Revenue Subcommittee receiving one yes Democratic vote and two Republican present votes. Kenner is currently working with the Republican Leadership to keep his legislation alive by having his bill added to another Republican measure. This smart political move on behalf of Kenner would ensure the passage of the original plan to increase job opportunities in Enterprise Zones.

State Officials Proceedings



Speaking: Rep. Howard Kenner giving testimony on HB 2192 and Nick Theodore from the Chicago Urban League. The HB provides a \$500 tax credit to business for the hiring of each additional full-time employee who is a resident living in the Enterprise Zone.

Enterprise Zones are federal and state programs designed to promote job creation, economic development, and neighborhood revitalization through tax incentives. Currently, the enterprise Zone programs in the state are administered by the Illinois Department Of Commerce and Community Affairs. Compiled data has shown that in a period of 5 years nearly 6,000 jobs have been created and close to 21,000 jobs have been maintained in communities where Enterprise Zones have been implemented.

"The federal Government has long provided business with tax credits in order to create true economic opportunity," said Kenner. "I hope the Illinois General Assembly and the state of Illinois use the same policy to increase job

opportunities."

Representative Kenner pointed out that the passage of HB 2192 would show that the state of Illinois is serious about increasing job opportuni-

ties in areas designated as economically distressed.

Kenner's legislation is supported by the Chicago Urban League and small business in the Empowerment Zones.

SAVE WITH THIS PRESCRIPTION



AMERICAN VISION CENTERS

Name _____ Age _____
Address _____ Date _____

With This Coupon
\$1 EYE EXAM
with purchase of complete pair of prescription glasses
Coupon Expires 5/1/95

With This Coupon
\$59 Extended Wear Contacts
(1 Hour service) Eye Exam not included
Coupon Expires 5/1/95

With This Coupon
\$29 Daily Wear Contacts
(1 Hour service) Eye Exam not included
Coupon Expires 5/1/95

AMERICAN VISION CENTERS

95th & WESTERN AVE., EVERGREEN PLAZA

Phone: 708-425-4350

Offer applies to new purchases only. Cannot be used in conjunction with other discounts.

Kenner's Boot Camp Bill Moves To House

State Representative Howard Kenner (D-24) proposed a measure that would require the Department of Corrections to build a facility to house adult prisoners within 100 miles of a county whose population exceeds 2,000,000. This will allow those

participating in the impact incarceration program (Boot Camp) to remain closer to their own communities. The legislation was heard before the Illinois House Judiciary Committee in Springfield and was passed by a vote of 10 to 5. Within the next few weeks this measure will be presented on the House floor from hearing before the entire body.

"This will allow greater visitation privileges for the Boot Camp participants," said Representative Kenner.

"The camps are now located in downstate communities that are far away from any major city. Most of the men have absolutely no contact with their family while there."

Discussed also was the construction, maintenance, vendor, and other job and economic development opportunities that will open when this project is begun. "These incentives will now become available in the larger communities of this State," Representative Kenner declared.

Smith Regrets Failure Of Minimum Wage Hike

State Senator Margaret Smith expressed her deep disappointment over the failure of the Senate Commerce and Industry Committee to pass her legislation raising the minimum wage in Illinois.

Smith (D-Chicago) had introduced legislation raising the minimum wage for adults from its current \$4.25 an hour to \$4.70 an hour beginning July 1 and to \$5.15 per hour beginning July 1, 1996.

The legislation also would raise the minimum wage for employees under the age of 18 to \$4.20 and hour beginning July 1 and \$4.65 and hour beginning July 1, 1996.

"The current minimum wage is not livable wage," Smith said. "it provides little incentive for those who wish to get off of welfare and go to work. And, unfortunately, it provides little sustenance."

"Approximately 63 % of all persons working for minimum wage are over 20 years old and work for a living. These people do hard work. They take care of our children and our senior citizens. They work as janitors, busboys, garbage men and food servers. They deserve a decent wage for their efforts."

Smith said using the federal government's Consumer Price Index as a measure of cost of living increases,

the minimum wage should actually be \$5.22 an hour, seven cent higher than her proposal.

Smith said her bill failed in committee because Republicans have a majority of the Commerce and Industry Committee members.

"It is unfortunate that the Republican majority can give tax breaks to the wealthy but they can't support a pay increase for the lowest paid members of our work force," Smith said.

Bill Naming I-57 After Ronald Reagan Defeated

The Illinois Senate defeated a resolution to name the Illinois portion of I-57 after former President Ronald Reagan.

The issue over naming the roadway began two years ago, when Senator Margaret Smith proposed naming I-57 after former Supreme Court Justice Thurgood Marshall. Senate Republicans blocked those efforts and this year, with full control of the General Assembly, sought to name the roadway after Reagan.

Smith put forward numerous compromises, including offering to name I-57 after Thurgood Marshall and the East-West tollway after Ronald Reagan.

She noted that in the 1940s, Marshall, then an attorney with the NAACP, traveled the route of I-57 from Chicago to Cairo to work a

lawsuit to provide pay equity for African American teachers in Cairo. Reagan grew up near the present day course of the East-West Tollway.

Senior And Low-Income Houses Renovated

The homes of many seniors and low-income persons will become renewed if a measure sponsored by State Representative Shirley Jones is signed into law. House Bill 312 establishes a senior citizen and low-income house renovation program. The program will use the assistance of volunteers to renovate homes.

"This bill states that seniors who are 65 and older, and low-income persons whose household annual income is below the poverty level can apply to get their homes repaired. And it provides volunteers with renovation skills that could be used for future employment," Jones said.

House bill 312, which is before the Privatization, De-Regulation, Economic and Urban Development Committee of the Illinois House, creates this program which is similar to one in which for Humanity is a privately run organization. This bill would create a program that would be administered by the State of Illinois.

"This measure will provide training for many people and will renovate housing for those who can't afford or are incapable of doing it themselves," concluded Jones.



State Senator Margaret Smith

There are 61,000 Lawyers in the State of Illinois and Cook county but there is only one

E. Duke McNeil
The law firm of

E. DUKE McNEIL & ASSOCIATES

and the

E. DUKE McNEIL LAW NETWORK

are located at

8541 South Cottage Grove
994-0915

available 7 days a week

Areas of Concentration

Criminal Defenses
Divorce and Family Law
Real Estate

Associates:

Lewis Myers, Jr.
W. Dennis Richardson
Richard Heaston
Leslie J. Starks
Raymond Hough

OF COUNSEL
RICHARD MILLER
JULIA McNEIL BENTON

Hospitals Lose \$36 Million Under Budget

6th District Hospitals Under Siege

According to State Representative Shirley Jones (D-6), hospitals located in her district will lose \$36 million dollars if Governor Edgar's 1996 Budget passes the General Assembly. Jones' comments were made after closely reviewing the Governor's Budget.

"Hospitals already carry the burden of being owed \$1.3 billion in Medicaid dollars from the state, now

the Governor wants to take away funds needed keep costs down and hospitals open," said Jones.

Governor Edgar's budget slashes payment to hospitals, and further it does not address the \$1.3 billion the state owes these same facilities. The irony is, hospitals must continue paying their provider tax to the state according to Jones.

"The Governor has to address the problems of health care funding now before many of our facilities close their doors forever. governor Edgar needs to wake up and remember that it is the

responsibility of the state to pay it's bills. Hospitals are being placed in a no-win position," concluded Jones.

The budget effect the following hospitals in Representative Jones, 6th District:

- *Cook County Hospital
- *Lincoln West Hospital
- *Mercy Hospital and Medical Center
- *Rush-Presbyterian-St. Luke's Medical Center
- *Saint Cabrini Hospital
- *University of Illinois Hospital

Continued from page 6

2nd Ward

Some second ward residents and business owners say that have seen little of either candidate. George Lowe, chairperson of the Lake Meadows Tenants Council said, "While at least 5 of the second ward's 50 precincts are located in Lake Meadows, neither candidate has campaigned here." He continued to say, "Displacement of ward residents, overcrowded schools, crime, drugs and land development are just some of the problems that need to be addressed."

William Darling, a South Commons resident, calls the second ward the "silent ward." An attorney and former community activist, Darling states that while there are a significant number of professional and semi professional persons in the ward, their interest in the aldermanic race is minimal and neither candidate has excited voter interest.

"I have worked hard to make sure projects such as the McCormick Place Expansion hire 2nd Ward residents and purchase products and services from business located the Second Ward," said Haithcock.

"My record speaks for itself," said Haithcock. "As always I will remain committed to the people in the Second Ward and work for their best interest."

Continued from page 7

Housing

Clinton promised to: "Restructure HUD to an all voucher system in the next 6-years." This new system, Sehr claimed, has some similarities to present Section 8 procedures but "it doesn't have the same safeguards." The bottom line, warned Sehr, is "they both (conservatives and Administration) want cuts. They have very scary plans for residents of public housing." He said.

Sehr sees a restructured HUD dominated by Tenant based subsidies which can be used anywhere and Project based subsidies for Public Housing use only. Tenant based subsidies bring blatant racism to the surface Sehr feared. "Landlords can turn down any tenant based subsidy," he said, which may force blacks to remain in already congested areas. "Project based subsidies can only be used to replace the vacant units left by previous Project based subsidies users," he explained.

John DeVaughn, mid-south community activist and Chairman of the Statewide Housing Coalition urges residents to get involved in the fight for affordable HUD housing and home ownership. The fight "has to be bottom up as well as top down," he urged. Currently, DeVaughn warned, the state has already begun to draft a "plan for the consolidation of affordable housing." Still presently in its "draft" form, he said, the plan seeks to cut the states housing department to just "three consolidated agencies. The draft will reinvent government and (African Americans) need our local organizations to have an input," he urged. "We got to wake up."

**VOTE
TUESDAY
APRIL 4**

YOUTH PAGE WILL RETURN IN THE NEXT ISSUE OF SSJ

NEWS FLASH!
The Only News Store in the
Mid South Community
**43rd Street
News Stand**
4301 S. King Drive

Newspapers
Magazines
Trading Times
Racing Forms
Puzzles of all Kind
Comic Books
Lottery Books

Ms. Henderson,
Owner
Formerly of
43rd Street
L Stand

Curb Service,
Chips, Candy,
Sodas

ALL YOU NEED
FOR PERIODICAL
READING

Ph. 538-1162,
Hours: 5 am to 5 pm



Sam's Thrift
Formerly Tellis's Clothing
807 E. 63rd Street
New Stock everyday

"You can always find
what you're looking
for at
SAM'S

**Blamourama
Beauty
Salon**

285-7401
433 E. 47th

Scurch
Waves,
Finger
Waves or
Pencil
Waves
\$35 perm
\$25 w/o
perm

Curls*
Perms* Ear
Piercing* Hair-
Weaving* Cu
ts Booths for
Rent - Super
Specials



RETAIN ALDERMAN MADELINE HAITHCOCK

**PUNCH
41**



**PUNCH
41**

FOR EFFECTIVE AND RESPONSIVE LEADERSHIP IN THE 2ND WARD

AS ALDERMAN OF THE 2ND WARD SINCE 1993, ALDERMAN HAITHCOCK HAS BEEN AN EFFECTIVE VOICE IN CITY GOVERNMENT FOR RESIDENTS OF THE 2ND WARD AND A DEDICATED ADVOCATE FOR --

- * INCREASED ECONOMIC & BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT, WITH CREATION OF ADDITIONAL JOBS
- * EXPANDED COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND REINVESTMENT INITIATIVES THROUGHOUT THE WARD
- * IMPROVED PUBLIC SAFETY, WITH CONTINUING ACTIVE SUPPORT OF COMMUNITY POLICING
- * EXTENDED SCHOOL REFORMS TO ENSURE IMPROVED PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND QUALITY EDUCATION
- * INCREASED HOUSING DEVELOPMENT, WITH SPECIAL FOCUS ON QUALITY AFFORDABLE HOUSING
- * ACCESSIBLE HEALTH CARE SERVICES, INCLUDING HEALTH EDUCATION/PREVENTION PROGRAMS
- * AFFORDABLE PUBLIC TRANSIT SERVICES FOR SENIORS & OTHER RESIDENTS ON FIXED INCOMES

APRIL 4TH GENERAL ELECTION

ENDORSED BY:

Amalgamated Transit Union Local 241 * American Federation of State, County & Municipal Employees, Region I * Service Employees Int'l. Union * Black Trade Unionists, Chicago Chapter * A. Philip Randolph Institute * U. S. Senator Carol Moseley Braun * Hon. Charles Hayes * Hon. Eugene Sawyer * Commissioner Bobbie Steele * Commissioner Jerry "Iceman" Butler * State Senator Margaret Smith * State Senator Donne Trotter * State Rep. Constance "Connie" Howard * State Rep. Lovanna "Lou" Jones * Artensa Randolph, President- CHA Central Advisory Council * Mary Baldwin, LAC Pres.-Rockwell Gardens * Deverra Beverly, LAC Pres.-Abla Homes * Annie B. Davis, LAC Pres.-Dearborn Homes * Gloria Williams, LAC Pres.-Ickes Homes * Rev. Benjamin Butler * Rev. Edward Curtis * Bishop Charles E. Davis * Rev. David Garvin * Rev. Donald Guest * Rev. Lucius Hall * Rev. Earrol Narrin * Rev. J.W. Phillips * Bishop A. C. Richards * Rev. Napoleon Wordlaw * Chicago Assn. of Realtors * Chicago Sun-Times * Chicago Tribune * Near West Gazette * The Austin Voice * Today's African American Chronicle * The 35th Street Merchants Assn. * Gar-Expres e Development Corp. * Lawndale Community Revitalization Organization * Citizens to Elect Alderman Madeline Haithcock

"BUILDING UNITY IN OUR COMMUNITY"

PAID FOR BY CITIZENS TO ELECT ALDERMAN MADELINE HAITHCOCK

When the Community calls for a Doctor in the House

There is Professor, Captain,

Dr. Barbara J. Norman



By Beverly A. Reed

*Photo by Dennis Worix

Dr. Barbara Norman is a Mid-South resident of Hyde Park and native Chicagoan who has travelled the world. A graduate of Dunbar Vocation High School she is a member of the Hall of Fame. Dr. Norman speaks of her ties to her family life, her years at Dunbar and her membership to Liberty Baptist Church with the kind of pride one would expect to hear about the credentials she maintains. With two Ph.D's, four Masters degrees, and rank of Captain in the United States Army her sense of humility is refreshing.

Dr. Norman has consistently demonstrated unwavering and unflinching courage and direct action in her fight against the oppression of the African American Community, with particular devotion to the ravages of infant mortality.

A combination of passion and knowledge makes Norman a strong voice for the impoverished African American woman. Those women who, amidst an environments of violence, drugs, and the attempts to destroy the African American male, still manages to love and nurture life itself within her womb. She continues to fight against the odds, by bearing the future of the African-American race bringing it on home of a community level.

The strength heard in the cry of these newborns is what gives Dr. Barbara Norman the courage to say what others dare not.

Reed: Why Infant Mortality?

Norman: When we look back and reflect on the history of African American Women and their families, we can see the significance of their role and the contributions they have made. What has happened is in the past 25 years both mother and father went out of the household to work, leaving the youth to be raised by the television. So what we are experiencing today are the results of 25 years of conditioning coming into play. Looking back at my experiences with Public Health, as Director of Cook County Hospital, OB/GYNE, it was not uncommon to have



Nat Turner is my hero.

I can just see us in heaven now, I'll say hey Nat I took some with me too. Dr. King gonna be over there shaking his head saying, I tried to teach you all about peace.

But again I say F@%K It.

over 30 births a day. You know how you shake the crib of a newborn they become startled? Well, what we are experiencing now is that our newborns are showing apathy to the response of hitting the crib.

Reed: How can a newborn acknowledge apathy without having experienced this life?

Norman: Example; for an average

infant born today from a normal delivery, from conception to delivery is a 40 week period. Let's say that mother is not working, not receiving any prenatal care, and is living in an environment that is not conducive or healthy for a quality life. If we were to say 50% of that pregnancy has been exposed to the media, the talk shows, and the violent programming. That means at the time of delivery the infant has already witnessed over 3,350 hours of violent acts. This is how we create a Yummy or the young boys who threw Eric Morse from the window.

Reed: How does a child become that comfortable with violence so early in its life?

Norman: It is during the pregnancy period that we begin developing our foundation of personality, for values, for respect, for discipline. It is the social, economic and environmental conditions that basically influence our growth and development.

This is why the Empowerment Zone philosophy is so significant because it is based upon a ten year plan, if we were to do this correctly from the time of implementation every young mother who is pregnant now could be followed for the next ten years. The rewards will be magnified triple times

our initial investment. The Empowerment Zone has not become a reality and seems to be in danger of not ever becoming one.

Reed: What is going on?

Norman: The Empowerment Zone philosophy is founded upon the Sixties Movement concept of empowerment i.e., Equal Employment Opportunity, War on Poverty or Urban Renewal. Basically the concept is all pretty much the same, what's new and different about it many of us who were involved in the sixties social movement know from experience, what could have been done to make it work. We also know that if the initiative is signed off by the

community groups those of us who worked together to put the application together made a vow. I am still holding to that vow although, I understand others may have tried to skirmish from theirs. My position was then and is now- That it will not be business as usual, If the rich want to continue to get richer off the back of the poor, I will do everything within my power to see that the money goes back to the Federal Government.

Reed: There was some concern expressed as to how you became involved with the Fuller Park zone designation.

Norman: I initially began working with the Healthy Start program through the Department of Health and Human Services

who entered into an agreement with Cisneros Office (Dept. Housing and Urban Development, HUD) that the Healthy Start program would receive consideration if the Empowerment Zone Funding became a reality.

Part of my initiative was to target high-risk areas in the Mid-South that would benefit from the Healthy Start program.



That is why it is so important for the South Street Journal to truly emerge and become the "Voice of the People" like me to voice my opinion.

Fuller Park was one of the communities in the area that has one of the highest infant mortality rates in the country. It is also interesting that, from the packet I presented there were just a few census tracts

in Fuller Park chosen as part of the zone designation. Yet the Back of the Yards was tacked on to the zone.

I know that there was some misgivings concerning my motivation for representing Fuller

Park. So I went and did my presentation for the residents and met with Antonio Chappel, and the Merit brothers and that matter has been settled.

Reed: Dr. Norman, with the kind of credentials you have, you could hold court anywhere in the world. What keeps you here in Chicago?

Norman: There are many things that keep me at here. Although I don't have any children biologically, I have many nieces and nephews and their friends who all refer to me as auntie. I must say there is one niece in particular, Traci who at age thirteen is a junior in high school. She calls me auntie mom and is my pride and joy.

My family and I have a very loving and supportive relationship. I am the middle child with one older brother and sister and one younger brother and sister. My parents are alive and well and my dad is very supportive of what I do and goes to a lot of the events and meetings with me. We have traced our family line on my father's side all the way back to Madagascar an island on the southeast coast of Africa. It is the second largest and one of the wealthiest places in Africa. I have had the opportunity to speak with members of my family who trace back to 1888.

In addition, I have worked in Public Health for twenty five years plus, but when Harold was in office there was an opportunity to see how the city could provide the services crucial to providing a quality of life for the residents of our community. There are many reasons for staying in Chicago. People ask me, Norman why do you keep trying to fight the system? I say, I would die before I sit down and just watch. I would be a disservice to my family, my church and the thousands of babies I helped to deliver. You know I believe I must be a

What if Sou

The South Street Journal endorses Richard Daley in his bid for election. How could the "People Paper of the Mid South" (a call it) justify this endorsement based on its commitment to community it services. Are we too, allowed to separate our relationship the community from the business of politics, if dollars are involved? If we are not, we are here to serve this community, we will never go against wave of the community. There is no solvency if the trust of the community betrayed. There must be something those who endorsed Daley hope to receive that would have them go against the wave of the community. (C the community matter anymore to these people?)

South Street Journal has remained consistent in following the court out by the residents of the community. We have made endorsements as provided coverage on the candidates that represented the wave of Mid Even when it put the paper in opposition to the powers that be, so much making the right deals. Consequently there are no 1/2 page Daley 95' the South Street Journal and there most likely will be no city sponsors during the few weeks Daley has left in office.

In the business of politicians, business people, and social service agencies their actions should reflect the community they serve. To do otherwise blatantly disrespect those they claim to represent.

The gross manipulation of the 20th ward by alderman Arenda Trout the heels of her overwhelming victory is reprehensible. She has taken confidence of her constituency and thrown it back into their faces with endorsement of Daley while her ward is obviously pro Burris. In my opinion Troutman is a very warm and good person, her lack of loyalty to the people she claims to represent is shameful. Prior to the election she was willing to work with South Street Journal. Now she does not return our phone calls.

The aldermen in the 2nd, 3rd, 4th or 20th ward are not aggressively supporting Roland Burris' campaign openly. Lacking the initiative to stand for what is right. It has never been more evident than in this current mayoral election that those who have masqueraded as leaders are in reality, con artists, liars and traitors to community unity. There is no justification. The obvious self-

Letters To The Edi

A Directive from Larry Hoover

Dear Editor;

My Brother and Sisters in the Struggle:

I learned this week, for the 13th time, that I have once again been denied parole. My thoughts, as they have been for years now, are of my family and of you. My sons, who have grown from infants to men during my imprisonment, and their mother, whose commitment has been unwavering: they all continue to pay, with me, the price for the terrible crime I committed, for which I am solely and fully responsible. They have been strong, as the families of tens of thousands of other black prisoners have been and must be strong every day of their lives.

But, Brothers and Sisters, we must have more than strength. We must have vision, too. We must see that we, ourselves, are the victims of the crimes that ignorance, poverty, hopelessness and drugs lead us to commit. We must see that, just as no man is an island, we all wear the shackles of the ghetto. We are all Ghetto Prisoners.

Our only hope for release is to use our strength and vision in the cause of change. Ignorance is our enemy; we must honor learning and those who learn. Poverty is our enemy; we must gather our pennies and dollars and use them in our own communities. Hopelessness is our enemy; we must organize and vote by the hundreds of thousands, to give voice to the voiceless. Drugs are our enemy, destroying many of us with join our voices with those across the land of whites and blacks, churchgoers and convicts, gays and straights all who share the purpose of taking the profit out of drugs and ending the slaughter made easy by guns.

Whether and when I will be released is beyond my control. Whatever my personal destiny may be, I will fight to strike the shackles that imprison us all.

Larry Hoover
Ghetto Prisoner #1829

The Past and Future, labeled: Public Enemy Number #1

Dear Editor,

South Street Journal

March 30 - April 12, 1995

Vol. 2 No. 13

A 1995 Cherrel Communications Publication

Published Bi-Weekly

Publisher/Editor, Ron Carter

General Manager, Beverly A. Reed

Advertising Manager, Jeffrey Davis

Copy Editor:

Editorial Assis

Contributors/Writ

Charles Taylor, Val

Weathers, Gw

Beverly A. Reed

Atty. Karen

Youth Edit

Administrati

Editorial

South Street Journal Endorsed Mayor Daley?



...serving decision to endorse Daley is a travesty. The only way to survive this onslaught against the wave of the community is to support the wave of the community and get out the vote this time.

Approaching the April 4th election, this is the time to look again at the issues: public school system, poverty, health care, job training, employment, affordable housing, criminal justice, and economic development. They should be discussed, dissected and more importantly debated, pressed on the minds of every citizen as they go out to the polls.

Instead the public is treated to stories of black leaders, ministers and business people who are endorsing Daley. Issues are sidetracked by massive doses of O.J. Simpson's murder trial, Michael Jordan's comeback, and the so called investigation of Minister Farrakhan.

These distractions almost seem to be by design; during the last Municipal Election we were treated to a play by play of the Persian Gulf War. Newspapers stories are designed to dismiss the issues Burris addresses.

Television is no exception, Channel 5 reporter Dick Kay

... spoon-fed answers to Daley on his Sunday show. Totally disregarding the issues as the focal point for this election.

Media is painting the illusion that the communities are all right. While residents say, "I hear what is being said, but know what I see".

The Mid-South communities cannot afford to allow these actions to continue without a strong voter turn-out. Over look the media's constant reminder that it is going to be the lowest voter turn out of the city history. There are over 100,000 votes in the Mid-South communities alone. A voting block that will remain true to put the interest of the community before a few endorsements that the media builds up. As Joe Gardner said, "Numbers don't go to the poll and vote, people do."

To put it in Harold's words, "When any group of people becomes the power of the vote it is their turn". There is a big difference between Richard Jr.'s turn and Harold's. Under Daley, government has been unfair, looking out for its own, promoting the interests of politicians and private business buddies. Roland Burris' agenda deals with our input in the direction of the communities. The concern is making up for the last six years of the Daley administration. That is the challenge of Burris and for those who would take up the torch and ensure they are a campaign of 20, ensuring 20 people will vote for Burris.

Burris' agenda demands a call for more than good management of city services. It calls for intelligent attention to making public policy that is cost effective while adequately meeting the pressing needs of this community. These are the areas that Daley has not addressed. The elected positions that Burris has held overwhelming proves his ability to effectively run this city.

As you cross 51st Street and Michigan going south you not only leave Grand Boulevard (3rd ward), but you enter Washington Park (20th ward). Crossing 51st and Federal, same ward (3) but a different community however, Robert Taylor Homes. Still the wave of the community is basically the same, issues are the same, and the agenda should stay the same. However diverse the community may be in selecting their alderman, when it comes to a city wide election the community has voted the same. Elected leaders and representatives of the community should follow the wave and not go against it. So, what if South Street Journal did endorse Daley?

Corrections...

In our February 23 - March 8 issue, South Street Journal ran a story on St. Edmund's Redevelopment Corporation and the residents of the Washington park Scattered Housing on 61st and Michigan, featuring Ms. Gloria Robinson. The story contained many errors that were unfounded.

In addition, the interview was held without the input of Rev. Richard Tolliver, pastor of Jewel Ross-Brown, Development Director.

We would also like to thank Ms. Robinson for speaking with our reporter and apologize for any problems the story may have caused.

SERC has a proven, positive track record in the field of low-income housing. It is not the intention of SSJ to impede the good efforts of SERC.

South Street Journal offers our sincere apology and will print a follow up story in the next issue of the newspaper.

Very truly yours,
Ronald L. Carter
Publisher & Editor



...on Carter
...ublisher & Editor

tor

I read recently, where gangs are deemed Public enemy number #1. Is that too mean all gangs or just those concentrated in the black neighborhoods? Is the gang that patrol our neighborhoods, disguised as Chicago Police to be included? Is the gang that call themselves alderman/woman, to be included? Are the gangs that systematically deny programs, monies, jobs, etc. and by-pass our neighborhoods, to be included? Are the gangs that control trade unions, to be included?

I imagine the subtitle public enemy #1. Stems from recent drive-by's, killings, drug sells, and general civil unrest. Though refrained to our thing neighborhoods. everybody's in uproar, except those that profit. That is, gun manufacturers, ammunition factories, the newspapers, television stations, the list goes on.

Would the negroes whom agree with the Caucasians. That gangs are destroying our neighborhoods, not then. Be in cohesion with gangs, when they shot, killed, etc. only Caucasians. Sparing our neighborhoods to cleanliness, better education, safe streets, and complete unity.

Gangs are a reaction to exclusion. Blacks are dumped on for lack of education, having no money, where they live, and just for being black. When will that end?

At election time I see politicians garnishing votes, whether gang member or the insane asylum. But when the smoke clears, it's back to duping on those less fortunate.

Public enemy number 1, use to be relegated to bank robbers, nugs, and gangsters. We see again Caucasian making us lesser. hereby when killed, the story goes. He was just a gang-banger. haven't we seen this before when they created the words: nigger, sp, kooks, savages, coons, terrorist etc.

Larry Jackson
MBS

Excuse Me

Dear Editor,
Can you see any reason why you should vote now? If not, I'll give you some.

Reduction of Welfare/No Welfare to families and especially children. 2. Reduction in Medical Care. 3. Reduction in Free Lunch Program/No Free Lunch Program. As we all know the little money you receive now isn't enough from Public Aid. Without the Free Lunch Program it will affect your child's growth and well being.

Vouchers; The state is going to experiment with The Voucher program. How far do you think \$2,500 will go towards your child's

education in a private school when you add on books, lunch, car fare and other fees when you're on Welfare and out of work. And benefits are limited?

5. The FREEZING of Section 8 to possible elimination for those who don't have a job.

What's in store? I foresee with the increase building of prisons and the high cost. It would be cheaper to educate a person than to put them in jail. But you see this is the Repressive System. A new form of Slavery to boost the small town economics in Illinois. This is one reason why you should vote.. The Court System in Cook County and most counties are adjust. You're unable to get a decent Lawyer to defend one self and the Public Defender will defend you right to prison.

But you can make a difference. If you only knew how important it is to vote. Voting is power. We MUST Vote together and be aware of what's going on in our communities and across the nation.

So be knowledgeable of what issues will affect you and your family. If we as African Americans want to get ahead we must start supporting one another as long as it is just. By this I mean we must support one another by encouragement. We must create an economic base among ourselves by keeping the money we have in our community so we can create jobs in our community by supporting Black Business in our neighborhoods and one another.

We can turn our situation around with the strong burning desire and determination that our fore parents had to survive.

Concerned Citizen,
Harlan Hayes.

Community Involvement for Self Employment

Dear Editor,
I'm writing this letter in concerning first of all employment for myself and or community involvement. It is very much visible in our neighborhoods that we as blacks don't own anything as a whole. And I think I have the answer. (Self Employment) We must employ each other.

yours truly,
James Edward Foggs

For those Hanging Out on the Corner

Dear Editor:
Thank you for the publication of one of my poems in the latest edition of S.S.J. enclosed is another poem about the prayer of a alcoholic to be free from the effects of alcoholism. I hope you find it interesting, and equally worthy of your consideration to print. I have better ones forthcoming. Thanks again;

And make us sick and blue. Forget those who forgave us
In time they too shall learn. We only care for alcohol
It is our first concern.

Lead us not into the routhouse. Or the gutters or skidrow
But deliver us from those. Evils that only a Drunk
can know.

Please save us From those blackouts
And those crazy bugs We see-but most of
All 'O Whiskey Deliver us from thee.

One from the Gappie



Dear Editor
c/o Mr. Davis (Advertising Manager SSJ)
As President of the Gappie Development Corporate, and on behalf of the board and the membership of Gappie, I want to personally thank your support of the recent 1995 Awards Dinner honoring outstanding members of our community and students in the Douglas community. Because of your help, we had a wonderful turnout and highly successful event.

As you know, funds raised from this event will be used to establish Mentoring Program for selected Douglas area students and to set up scholarships for the student winners of the 1995 "My Dream Is To Be..." Essay Contest. Your strong support enabled us to honor 30 talented and deserving young people from the elementary schools in the Douglas area. The Mentoring program, which will be administered by the Douglas Development Corporation, will shortly be underway.

Funds from the 1995 Awards Dinner will also be used to provide technical support for the Gappie/Alco Drug Store Project. As you know, Gappie is purchasing the former Alco Drug Store at the corner of 35th Street and King Drive. We plan to renovate the facility into a community mini-mall featuring will an electronics shop, a bookstore, a copying service and other services. When completed, this renovated facility will enhance the level of quality services provided for residents of the Douglas community.

From the outset, Gappie's motto has been "Growth by Action through Participating in a Progressive manner by Investing in Economic development in my neighborhood." As we go look at the future development of the Douglas area, we will continue to be motivated by our strong desire to play a role in making ours an economically and socially stronger community. Again, we thank you for your support.

Sincerely,
Esther M.M. Barnett
President of Gappie

Ursula V.F. Bolton
Assistant: Theresa Pillow
Editors: Micheal Brownstein,
Aerie Adams, Gwendolyn
Dendolyn McClinton,
Raymond J. Mason
Brazil-Brashears
Editor: Chez Finley,
Editor: Lloyd Johnson,
Hildre' Carter,
Darryl Burrows
Circulation: Just Deliver,
John Thomas & New Structure Organization
(Washington Park)
Various Youths (Robert Taylor)
Address all correspondence to:
South Street Journal
4305 S. King Dr. Chicago, Illinois 60653,

Telephone: [312] 924-0461
Fax [312] 924-1470
All unsolicited materials submitted to South Street Journal becomes the property of Cherrel Communications/South Street Journal. We assume no responsibility in returning unsolicited materials and we reserve the unrestricted right to edit, comment, and/or withhold materials from publications.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR
Letters to the Editor are welcome and encouraged. Mail them to SSJ, c/o FNC 4305 S. M.L. King Drive, Chicago Illinois 60643. They also can be telephoned in by calling (312)924-0461. They should be typed or print written, accompanied with a return address and a day time phone number. Letters may be edited for space or clarity, and we assume no responsibility for the accuracy of facts stated in any letter. Names may be withheld. We also seek suggestion for improvement and stories you feel South Street Journal should address.



I'm Every Woman

As we close out the month of March, Women's month comes to an end... technically. Women's month gave us the opportunity to come together in spirit and comradere. Taking the time to acknowledge the beauty of our diversity and the strength of our common goals.

As we journey towards the accomplishment of our goals, we find many bumps and detours that vex the mind and try the spirit. When the school called for the umpteenth time concerning my daughter, in frustration I began to ventilate my feelings to the voice on the other end of the phone. I told her that I worked hard and it really was a pain to have to deal with all the juggling. The kids, the house, the job, my writing and still remember my name by the end of the day. She agreed and began to describe her version of the same situation. Soon we were laughing and comparing war stories as we released



Beverly A. Reed
General Manager, SSJ

the pressure of single motherhood together each one lightening the load for the other as we ended the conversation we reminded each other that we were not really alone. We are alone as long as we do not share our true selves with others.

One should not strive towards the goals that dictate material success without acknowledging the need to step outside of self. There is no success in isolation and pain, open your heart to someone who needs what you have and you will find the well full when it is your time to drink. As James Baldwin said, "You cannot fix what you cannot face".

We are not enemies who cannot be trusted and keep up a lot of you know what. We are sisters in the struggle, the struggle to maintain our piece of serenity and that of our people in the way we have been guided.

The Gist of Effecting Change

Geraldine Taylor-Gist

by Donna Hodge

"You can fight City Hall"..... "You Can Get Rid of Drugs...there is a way, says Geraldine Taylor Gist in her recently published book, "Formula For Change", co-authored by Christopher Sower, Ph.D. Taylor-Gist, a long time Hyde Park resident gives us a straight forward no-nonsense and practically fool-proof formula for an effective change in our lives.

A mother, entrepreneur, community activist and Director of Human Resources at St. Jude League, Geri firmly believes that "if you want to change your life-only you can do it". Sharing her wisdom, Geri says, "Diagnosis-Plan-Implement, whenever I see something wrong, I put pen to paper, I believe in the written word, and when I write it, then it becomes tangible." "You have to start to by taking responsibility for who you are, where you live and how you live... being satisfied with your life. When I was growing up, a whole community



Geraldine Taylor-Gist, author of "Formula For Change"

raised a child. You knew your neighbors and you showed them respect, something that is sorely lacking (to our detriment) today.

Our expectations have changed. Schools aren't able to do their jobs anymore and teachers are more like monitors and baby-sitters. We don't even value our kids and they are our future, our most important products.

"You don't have to start out big, when enough people in a community begin to agree on an idea, then it grows." Gist continued, "Talk with your neighbors and find a common concern or cause."

Community organizations play important roles but many times they try to address so many needs that they lose sight of their main objective. You don't have to have a Ph.D. behind your name to know that drugs and crime are wrecking our youths and tearing communities apart. Most people don't realize just how powerful they really are, all it takes is one good idea, Identify the problem - Devise a plan - and implement it. Whatever it is just do it.

Patients with Metastatic Breast Cancer Needed for Drug Study

Researchers at Northwestern University's Cancer Center need patients for a National Cancer Institute-sponsored drug study on the treatment of metastatic breast.

The Northwestern study will determine if the drug suramin prevents angiogenesis in tumors of the breast.

To qualify for the suramin trial, women must have a confirmed diagnosis of progressive regional or metastatic adenocarcinoma of the breast and be at least four weeks post major surgery and recovered from the toxic effects of other therapies. Patients must not be pregnant. For more information, call Northwestern University at (312) 908-4026.

An African American Owned Accounting Firm

Bowman & Associates

3428 S. Dr. M.L.King, Jr. Dr.
1st floor-South

WE OFFER THE FOLLOWING SERVICES

INCOME TAX PREPARATION

- *YEAR ROUND ELECTRONIC FILING*
- *ACCOUNTING/BOOKKEEPING*
- *BUSINESS REFERRALS*
- *WORKSHOP*
- *FINANCIAL PLANNING*

OUR OFFICE HOURS DURING TAX SEASON ARE:

Monday through Friday
9:00 am to 8:00 pm
Saturday 8:00 am to 6:00 pm
Sunday Noon - 4:00

for Additional Information Call
(312) 949-0013

Brakes, Tune-Ups, Major Auto Repair

A Female Owned African American Company since 1973

Sims Auto World

Domestic & Foreign
Low Discount Prices

10% OFF Women's Month Special March ONLY

10% Discount For Senior Citizens

Home of the \$109,553.00 Lottery Winner!

5100 S. Michigan Ave
548-3514

Lube and oil
Fuel Injection
Cooling System
Radiator
Transmission
Shocks/Struts
Suspension
Water Pumps

We only do the work you authorize & Guaranteed

She looks at him and pretends not to notice the empty hole in his ear which has become an ever yawning gulf between them swallowing up the little boy who was and spitting out the preted man who may never become real. The earring is hidden along with the cap which will be donned later at a certain angle. She has learned to shut out the sound of the beeper and to ignore his incessant hours away from her. After all what can she do against peer pressure besides, the money comes in handy

Poem by Sharon Callers

Today's Black Woman Expo Kicks Off in Mid-South



Dr. Maisha Bennett addresses the press at the Club on the Boulevard, 48th and Drexel Blvd. Dr. announcing the activities of "Today's Black Women Expo" scheduled for April, 7th 8th and 9th. Standing left is Marry Green founder of "Today's Black Women Expo, seated is Beverly A. Reed, General Manager South Street Journal, Don Smith, representative of Pepis Cola, and Alderman Dorthoy Tillman.

Financial Independence for Today's Black Woman... We Got Rhythm: Black Stereotypes, & Myths... State Of The Union: Male/Female Relationships... Finding Your Faith.... These are a few of the seminars taking place at "An Expo For Today's Black Woman" to be held April 7, 8, & 9th at McCormick Place East Building 23rd & Lake Shore Dr. The exposition is scheduled to run from 10:00a.m. - 8:00p.m. Friday & Saturday 10:00a.m. - 6:00p.m. Sunday.

At a recent press conference held at Club on the Boulevard, 48th & Drexel, a historic facility in the Kenwood District restored and managed by a woman-owned business. Kensey & Kensey Communications, a female African-American owned firm in the Mid-South

community is handling the public relations for the event.

The advisory panel for WVAZ Radio announced the addition of issue related seminars to the schedule of the annual Expo

AIDS, Domestic Violence, Community Organizing and Spirituality are a few of the issues that will be addressed at the Expo by some of the leading experts in their respective fields. Rev. Willie Barrow, Operation Push, Dr. Maisha Bennet, 3rd Ward Incumbent Dorothy Tillman and Beverly Reed, South Street Journal will be representing the Mid-South community at its best as they relate their expertise in issues ranging from substance abuse to spirituality.

Donna Hodge

Donna Hodge, a Hyde Park resident and world traveler (by age 15, she had already traveled to Europe, Caribbean, and North Africa) developed her passion for photography and journalism while attending Kenwood High School. After graduating college, she began a successful journalism career which took her to many parts of the country including San Diego, California where she received several awards for her journalistic talents.

After returning to Chicago, Hodge worked for a successful public relations firm before forming her own public relations company, Donna Hodge & Associates.

In addition, she has created and hosts her talk show "The Donna Hodge Show". Shown

locally on cable access television.

Ms. Hodge is a well known patron of the arts and is actively on the board of the Southside Community Arts Center. She writes children's stories and will read from her collection at DuSable Museum.

An accomplished gourmet cook, Hodge has plans to publish a cookbook of original recipes. Ms. Hodge who is single, lives alone with her exotic bird, Cinnia

South Street Journal is pleased to welcome Donna Hodge to its freelance staff.



Donna Hodge, SSJ, freelance writer/photographer

Parkway Community House Hosts Annual Fashion Fest

Honoring 7 Black Business Women

Woodlawn-Hull House Association's Parkway Community House will celebrate its 60th anniversary and honor seven outstanding black business women during its annual Fashion Fest on April 2.

The 17th Annual Fashion Fest will start at noon with a reception and luncheon at the Marriott Hotel, 540 N. Michigan Ave., followed by the show at 2:30 p.m.

The honorees—ranging from a teacher's union vice president to a banker—represent Chicago women who have distinguished themselves in business and by helping others in their own community. "These women are truly a shining example of strength, courage, inspiration and

determination," said Shirley Brown, event chairperson. "They have achieved great success in their personal and professional lives making them positive role models for their community and families. We're proud to have recognized outstanding women like them for the past 17 years."

The women honorees are: Kathy A.E. Jones, founder and executive director, Family Enrichment Counseling Center; Carmen S. Lemons, president, Lems Bar-BQ House; Estella Pruitt, mortgage banker, Old Kent Bank; Pamela Smith, artistic director, Cheveux Salon; Joyce Stelle, founder and executive director, Joyce's Fine Arts Academy.

Let Jerry Butler Heat Up Your Night!

Saturday April 15, 1995

Grammy Award Winner

Legend In Time



A Benefit Concert for Woodlawn East Community And Neighbors WECAN

Woodlawn East Community And Neighbors

Present

Jerry THE ICEMAN Butler In Concert

Saturday April 15, 1995 * 7:00pm to 12:00 Midnight

West Pavilion Auditorium

Museum Of Science And Industry

57th and Lake Shore Drive * Chicago, Illinois 60637

Cocktails & Hors D'oeuvres

Served 6-7pm for Gold Circle Patrons

Special Performance By Infinity

Ticket Donation (Individuals) \$35.00/\$50.00

Ticket donation (Corporate) \$100.00/\$250.00

For Ticket Information, Contact Evelyn * W.E.C.A.N. 312-288-3000

"Everybody likes a Treat & We provide that Treat"

"SCOTT'S POPPIN"

3471 S.KING DR.
IN LAKE MEADOWS SHOPPING CENTER
(312)225-5522

Gourmet Popcorn,
Caramel corn,
Butter Cheese,
Chocolates,
Fudge
Nuts and a
Variety of Candy

Our Gift To You

and your family

Call our office before March 22, 1995 to set up an appointment for yourself or any member of your family and our gift to you will be a COMPLETE examination, consultation and x-rays as needed for only \$5.00 with this gift card.

Dr. Wilkerson and Dr. Williams would like to welcome you and your family to our practice of dentistry. The staff at DYNAMIC DENTAL SERVICES would be delighted to have you choose our office for all of your dental needs!

Dynamic Dental Services

Dr. Cynthia C. Wilkerson
Dr. William J. Williams
GRAND BLVD. PLAZA
Harold Washington Professional Building
5401 So. Wentworth
Chicago, Ill 60609
(312) 538-6191



The

New Bonanza Lounge

Mary Jordan: Prop.



WHERE THE FRIENDLY PEOPLE MEET

552 East 47th St.

10 AM TO 2 PM 538-3200

FREE ADMISSION!!!!

Jazz Artists Openset (L to R)

Vocalist: Louis Ketchum, Lead Vocalist: Julius C. Garrett,

Drums: Willie Scales, Bass: Gerald Lindey,

Keyboard: Karl Johnson,

& Special Guest: SkyLark

Every 4th Sunday 6pm - 12 am
EVENTS

Thursdays - 4 + 4

Social Club

Saturdays - Free Buffet



Continued from page 10

There is Professor, Captain, Dr. Barbara J. Norman

never could understand the house slave mentality.

I teach at Center for Inner City Studies and Kennedy King on Strengthening and Empowering the Family and I fight twenty

four hours a day for the rights of my people. I have been schooled in the best universities, yet I still have to see folks suffer from the tragedy of the system.

The police are crooked, the administration is crooked, filled with insidious corruption.

Reed: What would you say to those who choose to support the system by supporting Richard Daley in his bid for re-election?

Norman: How could we live as long as we have, through the regime of the senior Daley and still want a favor from Junior. It is a despicable disgrace. The most difficult thing to tolerate is to watch them turn over so conveniently, for some favors, jobs, contracts or underhanded dollars. I am adamant about this, I would rather fight and vote for

someone I believe in. Those dollars are only going back to the city anyway. The city has a legal responsibility to provide goods and services to its inhabitants we do not have to rollover for what is ours by

right. Tell them that Dr. Barbara Norman says "F#*K It".

You know I have great respect for Dr. King, Malcolm X and the rest but, I would have to say Nat Turner is my hero. I can just see us in heaven now, I'll say hey Nat I took some with me too.

Dr. King gone be over there shaking his head saying, I tried to teach you all about peace. But again I say F@%K It.

Reed: What is your message to the voters?

Norman: Stand up, no one can walk on your back if you are standing. There will never be another Harold, still if we truly want to be self reliant, the formula is very simple - exercise your right. We have 650,000 people with one right and one vote

each. If we can mobilize our brothers and sisters, we can offset this subliminal psychological warfare of the media against Roland Burris.

Dr. was the chairperson for the committee to draft a Black to run for Mayor for the April 4th election.

Reed: What are your projections for the April 4th Election?

Norman: Those who are fair-minded, who want to enjoy a better quality of life. Those who don't accept the systematic exclusion practices of the current administration and want to do the right thing will punch 31 for Roland Burris.

Dr. Norman is a resident of the 5th Ward.

Reed: Any comments on the 2nd and 3rd Ward run-offs?

Norman: I'll say this, I am glad that I don't live in either ward.

However I do not make any decisions on the character of a person based on the media's representation.

Reed: Has life given you everything you need to feel safe?

Norman: Well Beverly, even with all my credentials and contacts and what have you



I can be subjected to the same treatment as the rest of my Black brothers and sisters. I am very blessed and I thank God every night although I must admit my prayers have gotten shorter as I grow older. I enjoy the luxury of being myself, having my thoughts, my opinions and my independence. I don't need

twenty pair of shoes from Neiman Marcus when I can get them from Payless or Woolworth as long as they go forward. I don't need Neiman Marcus if its going to take me backward. I am quite comfortable eating bean soup and greens, I never developed a taste for escargot. I am much more interested in the truth. That is why it is so important for the South Street Journal to truly emerge and become the "Voice of the People" like me to voice my opinion. The Tribune is not interested, and the Defender as old as it is, only has about 30 pages with half of those devoted to the Daley Machine. So what if there are a few dangling participles, let them dangle - We want the truth.



An EXPO for



TODAY'S Black Woman

Gala '95

A CELEBRATION OF AFRICAN AMERICAN WOMEN

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

CICELY TYSON

VOCALIST

CHANTAY SAVAGE

COMEDIAN

GEORGE WALLACE

THURSDAY, APRIL 6, 1995

HYATT REGENCY CHICAGO

GRAND BALLROOM

151 EAST WACKER DR.

CHICAGO, IL

COCKTAILS 6:00 P.M. DINNER 7:00 P.M.

PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT "FAMILIES FOR A BETTER LIFE" OPRAH WINFREY'S FOUNDATION FOR CHA FAMILIES

\$50.00

TO ORDER TICKETS CALL 312-913-9334

South Street



Painting on Down Town

Celebrating the 3rd annual ARTSMART campaign, Janilla Elder, (a Twin) student and Woodlawn resident from Art Resources in Teaching (ART) helped paint giant colorful theme murals in the Wabash display windows at Marshall Field's State Street store. Children from A.R.T. painted during a day-long event kicking off the eight-week multi-media campaign designed to raise public awareness arts education for youth. ARTSMART directs audiences to a hotline number, 1-800-808-ARTS, providing callers with information on arts education resources in the community. Janilla participates in the ART program at the Parkway Community Center on 67th and Vernon serving Woodlawn and Washington Park areas.

ASHA FOR LIFE



A SPEECH TO PARTNERS IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

The State of Redevelopment - How do you create a sense of community???

by Cheryl Corley

It's really interesting that we come together today to talk redevelopment in this area of the city...because today that effort was underscored by the beginning of a vast, sometimes controversial and historic undertaking. For years now there has been debate over public housing in the city of Chicago and in the nation. There have been discussions about the impact of high-rise public housing. People who live and work in public housing

argue about how to make a sometimes really difficult living situation much more habitable. Alderman Toni Preckwinkle and others gathered to begin the process of tearing down public housing...right at 41st and Cottage Grove.. Vince Lane- the head of the CHA says what he wants for public housing residents is a "normal neighborhood" where people of all economic standards live together... a community. So how do you go about

building one of those in an area which has seen years of disinvestment... an area which has both its share of wealth...and abject poverty...and where it seems the two seldom meet. Isolation is nothing new to the city of Chicago...we are a city of neighborhoods as we like to brag...and new ones pop up every day as gentrifying areas seek to make themselves distinct from the streets from which they sprang.

Even so Chicago is still fairly segregated...both racially and economically...But I'm preaching to the choir...so I'm sure you know this...

Not everybody minds... in fact, one of the laments by some who nostalgically recall Chicago's Bronzeville neighborhood, is that segregation helped keep the African-American community intact...that the wealthy lived with the poor...that the successful and the driven mingled with the folks who were down on their luck and with those who liked to make a living in somewhat illegal ways.. But just like everyone else when the

opportunity to move elsewhere became available... African-Americans moved...Perhaps, we should consider it another great migration...and this time its not just African-Americans who are moving from the South, or Whites creating space in the inner city as they move to Chicago's outer edges as people of color move into the space whites have vacated...This time its everyone...and its visible every time you look at a vacant store-

Continue on page 17

Neighborhood Farm Program 1995

The city of Chicago's Department of Human Services Neighborhood Farm Program will be developed for 1995 in cooperation with the Chicago Park District, the University of Illinois Cooperative Expansion Services and the Chicago Housing Authority.

Community gardens will be developed in each service area through churches, block clubs, delegate agencies, private individuals back yards and city-owned lots.

A community gardener, selected by the central coordinator and district manager, will act as liaison to each Family and Community Service Office, cooperating agencies and City departments.

Communities will be covered through neighborhood meetings, field personnel from the Mayor's Office of inquiry and information and technical assistance in horticulture from Botanic Garden's personnel and the University of Illinois Cooperative Extension. The CHA will identify residents who wish to grow their own community garden. The Chicago Park District, which will germinate all plants, has assigned a community gardener. to assist the coordinator throughout the growing season.

The program begins each March with enrollment and site identification. In late April or early May, "starter Kits" will be distributed by the community gardener liaison and district manager from each DHS Family and Community Services Office.

St. Thomas Episcopal Church Hosts Fashion Show to Benefit Scholarship Fund

Douglas--The St. Thomas Episcopal Church at 3801 S. Wabash will host a Fashion Show on Saturday, April 22, 1995 at 2:30p.. until 5:30p.m.

A variety of fashions, Sears Model Club, Rhonda Beith Wholesale Clothing and Windows to Africa. Organizers says the event will be a delightful evening of fun, fashion and shopping.

Tickets are \$10.00 and may be purchased by calling St. Thomas Church at (312) 268-1900. All proceeds will benefit the St. Thomas Scholarship Fund which assists with funding the education of community's future leaders. The Reverend Father Martini Shaw, rector of St. Thomas Episcopal Church is committed to the future of our youth and helping the community. St. Thomas Episcopal Church is the oldest Episcopal Church in the area and offers Sunday masses at 8:00a.m. and 10:30a.m.

\$20

\$2000 CASH DISCOUNT

On Any Service*

Offer Good On Purchase Of \$50.00 Or More.

Present Coupon At Time Of Purchase. *Not Valid With Any Warranty Work, Other Coupons Or Special Offers.

- FREE ESTIMATES
- MOST JOBS 20-30 MINUTES
- FOREIGN CAR SPECIALISTS
- FREE BRAKE INSPECTION

LIFETIME WARRANTY ON MUFFLER, BRAKE PADS & BRAKE SHOES



carx

Muffler & Brake

WE SPECIALIZE IN:

- MUFFLERS
- COMPLETE BRAKE WORK
- EXHAUST PIPES
- SHOCKS & STRUTS
- CUSTOM PIPE BENDING
- COIL & LEAF SPRINGS
- C.V. BOOT & AXLE REPAIR

In The Lake Meadows Shopping Center

460 E. 35th Street

(312)225-8211

\$20

We Want To Make **carx**

The Place You Go Back To

COUPON EXPIRES April 12.

\$20

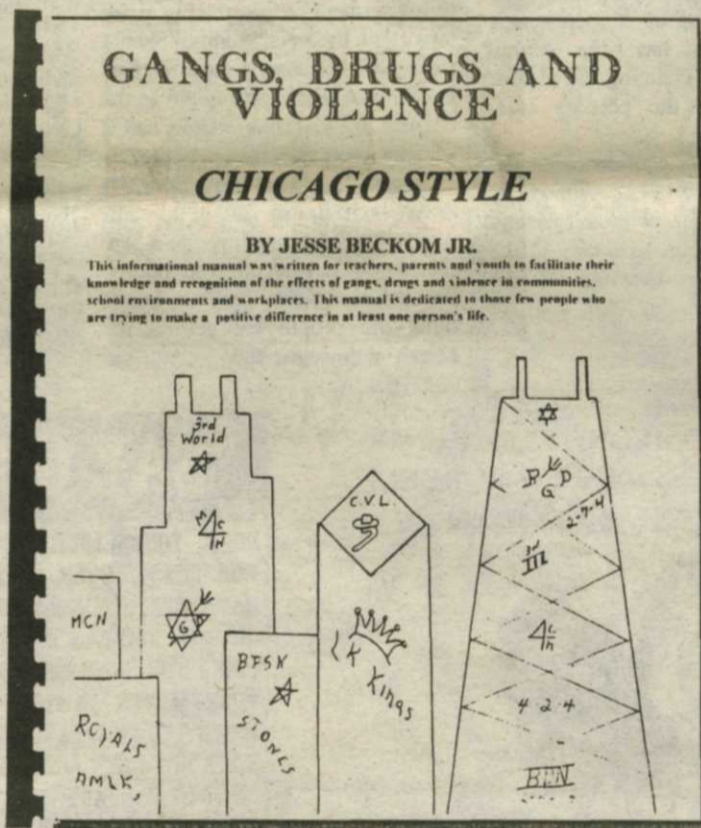
DISCOUNT DOLLAR

GANGS, DRUGS AND VIOLENCE: CHICAGO STYLE

by Jesse Beckom Jr.

Gangs, Drugs And Violence: Chicago Style is the most in-depth, insightful and detailed look at how the over 135 gangs operate in Chicago and the mayhem they cause.

Written by a 22-year Chicago Police veteran, this illustrated book is mandatory reading for parents, teachers, principals, counselors, youth officers and anyone who cares about their community. Pick up your copy today!



Jesse Beckom Jr. will be signing copies of Gangs, Drugs and Violence: Chicago Style at the following area bookstores:

Saturday, April 1
2 -5 p.m.
African American Book Center
7524 S. Cottage Grove
651-9101

Sunday, April 9
3 -5 p.m.
Heritage Books
(at An Expo For Today's Black Woman-Booth 330
262-1566

Saturday, April 8
2 -5 p.m.
House of Peace
10900 S. Halsted
1-800-928-0889

Friday, April 7
3 - 5 p.m.
Black Light Fellowship Bookstore
128 S. Paulina
563-0081

Saturday, April 15
2 -5 p.m.
Freedom Found Bookstore
5206 S. Harper
288-2837

Hi! There's a new Newsstand located at 57th & Cottage Grove. Please come, and support me. Let me know what papers you would like me to sell to you. Thanks



YES WE ARE OPEN TO SERVE YOU!
BLOW YOUR HORN!
57th St. NEWS STAND
Chicago Tribune Chicago Sun Times
Chicago Defender South Street Journal

Continued from page 1

Burris claim's Victory

Claiming victory on April 4th, Roland Burris plans to keep his campaign at the street level urging his supporters to work on election day to get the vote out.

As Burris makes several stops throughout the city, in the Mid-South communities Burris shook hands with an enthusiastic crowd and posed for pictures at Liberty Baptist Church 49th & King Dr. Where Rev. Darrell L. Jackson officially announced his endorsement of Burris. Not making the ministers endorsement of Daley a major concern he made stops also at the churches of Daley supporters, Rev. Clay Evans and Bishop Arthur Brazier.

Also on the schedule are caravans converging from three directions of the city (northside, southside and westside) to meet downtown for a "Your Voting Aint' Done till you Punch 31", rally.

Godfather of Soul, James Brown, plans to join up with the Mighty Clouds of Joy, Barry White, Rap artists and other entertainers to perform at a major victory party to celebrate Burris' expected win in his bid to unseat current mayor, Richard Daley. A win media polls and reports from the board of election predicating a very low turn out.

The Independent Mayoral candidate spoke at a recent Black Task Force for Political Empowerment. Stressing to his supporters, "Brothers and Sisters we went to sleep (referring to the February 28th election), but it won't happen again. The movement is back"

Burris discredit the polls and the media for a all time voter turn out. Drafted to run for mayor by progressive political leaders in the Black community. A move that many felt it would be another spit in Black com-



Roland Burris

munity vote. Burris said, "There is no fiction in the community, and we will make the dream come alive. Referring to April 4th the assassination of Dr. Martin L. King, as the wakening of the community dream for political empowerment. "Daley will be privatize call April 5th."

However, Mayor Richard Daley, not taking Burris under the suffice has did a mass mailing to his supporters stressing this may be a tight race and urging his supporters to come out to vote. has paraded many stops in the Mid-south Committees as well as picking up support across the city. Burris has been gaining voters trust and claiming his bid for mayor as he runs the "people's campaign."

Burris' camp is confident that the people will show their support by heading out to the polls and casting their ballot for him. Looking at the numbers there are over 600 African American voters in the city of Chicago.

Empowerment Zone

get the facts out to those citizens affected by the Empowerment Zone Project.

According to Olivia Marsh, EZ representative in Woodlawn with the Woodlawn East Community and Neighbors (WECAN) "We walked in zero degree weather to deliver over 1,000 flyers to people telling them about the meetings, but only 32 people showed up."

Angelo Rose, of Mid-South Planning & Development Commission describes the Empowerment Zone process by asking "if you were given an amount of money and told to improve a community, how would you do it." this conjecture was put to

Others said don't give the guy on the corner anything, let them figure it out for themselves.

While we once asked, What is the Plight of the Empowerment Zone Project? The question has become, Will the Empowerment Zone Project create politics as usual in Chicago? The residents that serve on the EZCC are fighting hard to make sure that politicians and special interest groups do not get their hands on the money.

The people that were instrumental in writing the proposals attend every meeting, and it does not end there, they also meet weekdays in addition to holding other positions.

It goes without saying that designated sites should be filled to capacity with citizens living in the Empowerment Zone voicing opinions about their community. Should there be a different plan to action? Is the word really getting out to the citizens in these communities and if so, why aren't there more people?

Marsh said in Woodlawn, "I never seen in my life time until now, how important a project like this could impact our community. I'm excited about it, however, I don't think the people are getting it". Marsh claims that the people are

reacting to past experiences with similar projects. Which could explain why the community is not overly excited about the Empowerment Zone project because of past projects that did not look out for the true interest of the residents.

The organizers in the eight communities are moving full speed ahead. It is clear that the plan of action is to empower the citizens of the Empowerment Zone. However,

what is not clear is what is it going to take to get the message out, to get the people out.

For information concerning the elections, projects and meetings in your area; Woodlawn contact Olivia Marsh at 288-3000; Washington Park, Cecilia Butler, 667-4160; Fuller Park, Shirley Noland 793-5263; Oakland Doug Gill, 268-8494; Grand Boulevard, Angelo Rose 924-3937.

Contributed to this story is Gwendolyn McClinton

CHICAGO'S FEDERAL EMPOWERMENT ZONE

WHAT

Empowerment zones are the centerpiece of President Clinton's plan to revitalize blighted urban areas through the creation of public-private partnerships, using tax breaks, loans and direct grants to low-income communities.

WHERE

1. West Side 2. Pilsen and Little Village 3. South Side

HIGHLIGHTS

- (During the first 2 years)
- 6 small business centers.
- 4 family centers for child care and education.
- 100 or more units of low-income housing created.
- 6 industrial sites.

FUNDING

Government

- Federal grants of \$100 million over 1995 and 1996 to the city.
- Federal tax breaks for private participants in the zone over next 10 years.
- City appropriation of \$2 million in 1995 budget.
- State of Illinois commitment of \$50 million over 10 years for Chicago and for "enterprise communities" in East St. Louis and Springfield.

Private sector

- \$1 billion from the Bank of America for credit, investment grants, third-party loan pools.
- \$10 million for building rehabilitation (10 units or less) with First National Bank, LaSalle National Bank, Northern Trust, Harris and Community Investment Corporation.
- \$1 billion in loans and credits from the Local Initiative Support Committee, Lender's Underwriting Committee and the Community Investment Corporation for affordable housing development.

HOW

City Council will appropriate money on recommendations from a community council yet to be named.

ALSO

East St. Louis and Springfield designated federal enterprise communities, where they will get about \$3 million each for one year.



SUN-TIMES

TIRED OF WORKING FOR SOMEONE ELSE ? THEN LETS GET DOWN TO BUSINESS... FOR YOURSELF **BE YOUR OWN BOSS**

ENTREPRENEUR... HERE'S A SPECIAL INVITATION FOR YOU



YOU ARE GUARANTEED INSTANT & EASY MONEY the Second your customers glance at our **HOT! HOT! HOT!!!** Lingerie from our Fashion Fantasy Catalog Men & Women's garments available. Sizes: Women's petite (2-4), Jr. Misses (6-18), Plus Sizes (1x - 4x), Men's small (28-30), medium (32-34) large (36-37)

100% OFF THE TOP OF ALL SALES FROM YOUR CUSTOMERS HANDS TO YOU & YOU ONLY
NO INVESTMENT NO MINIMUM ORDER
NO STOCK UP FEE NO QUOTA SALES
NO INVENTORY NEEDED NO PYRAMID SYSTEM
NO MEMBERSHIP OR CLUB FEES NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY

WE'VE GOT WHAT YOU NEED TO MAKE MONEY

ACT NOW !!! Don't wait until later for your chance to become WEALTHY now !!! ORDER YOUR DISCOUNT START-UP KIT TODAY !!!
YOUR START-UP KIT INCLUDES:
* MASTER & CUSTOMER CATALOGS
* START-UP MANUAL WITH FOUR (4) FREE WHOLESALE PRICE LISTS
* PARTY PLAN INFORMATION
* ONE TIME ONLY SERVICE FEE
NAME _____ ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
PHONE _____ SIGNATURE _____
YES... I URGE YOU TO INVEST AT LEAST 18 YEARS OF AGE

"SAY GOODBYE TO ROACHES!"

DO IT YOURSELFERS, NOW, YOU CAN RID YOUR HOME OR APARTMENT OF ROACHES FOREVER. AS A STATE CERTIFIED AND LICENSED EXTERMINATOR, I HAVE WRITTEN A 9-PAGE BOOKLET GIVING YOU STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW YOU CAN RID YOUR HOME OR APARTMENT OF ROACHES FOREVER, USING THE SAME METHODS I USE TO ELIMINATE ROACHES FROM HOMES AND APARTMENTS. IN THE BOOKLET I'LL TELL YOU WHAT TO BUY, HOW TO USE IT, WHEN TO USE IT, AND WHY YOU ARE USING IT. ALSO, I'LL TELL YOU WHY YOU HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE TO GET RID OF YOUR PRESENT ROACHES AND WHAT TO DO TO STAY ROACH FREE FOREVER.

FOR THE BOOKLET, SEND A \$5.50 money order to : **ELCO, 83 W. SIBLEY BLVD., SO. HOLLAND IL 60473-0242**



The Hyde Park Kung-Fu academy
For Young People ages 4 to 17
Every Friday at 6:30 pm
\$25.00 per month
Tai Chi Ch'uam & Kung-Fu
Confidence*Discipline*Excellence



The Hyde Park Kung-Fu/Tai Chi Club
Adult Classes
Every Sunday at 6:30 pm
Instructor Paul Hanah M>D>
under the guidance of Dr. David M. Berry
Tai Chi * Pa Kua * Kung-Fu *
"Women's Self-Defense"
4945 S. Dorchester Enter on 50th
Call 312-842-3759



EDUCATION Columnist Success In the Classroom

Michael H. Brownstein



with the other fourth grade classes and began the second day of our fitness program.

During the mile run, Candy not only finished but she beat almost everyone else and was

well into the range for a child who was in excellent shape. During the shuttle run, she beat most of the fourth graders and again was well above the range for her age group. Again and again she showed her strength.

Each time I praised her for effort and excellent times. Soon her frowns changed to smiles. When we returned to the class, she pulled out paper and pencil and began working.

Her teacher found her sitting at her desk working hard on an essay. "I didn't know she could write," she told me and I said she was a dream--no problem at all. The next day she walked out of her class and was suspended again.

Candy was in my classroom--and still would be if I hadn't transferred. In my room I seldom saw her frown and she did all of her work. I never had to call for her mother because of discipline problems. I am sure even now she remembers her success and my praise. Sometimes all you need to do to make a change is turn a child's frown to a smile, offer praise instead of contempt, and most of all find the worth in an individual.

I first met Candy when her third grade classroom teacher brought her to my classroom. She was a small girl with shining eyes and you could tell she would have a brilliant smile if only she would quit practicing how to frown. "We're going on a field trip today and all the other teachers know her," teacher told me as she held Candy's hand. "She does what she wants in my class. I just can't be responsible for her on a trip. Can you do me a favor? Can you take her?"

I told Candy to take a seat near the door and the second I tuned my back to walk to my desk to take attendance, she bolted. I reached her before she made it to the stairs.

She told me she was going home and I could go to the office if she wanted to and we could call her mother to come pick her up, but then she would miss what we were doing--and who knows? I told her, it might be better than any field trip.

She asked me what we were doing and I told her we were going to be participating in the President's Physical Fitness Program during gym. "Don't you want to see how you can do?" I asked.

Candy sat in the chair I assigned to her and did not do a thing. An hour later, we went down to the gym

An Agenda For The Dr. Ira M. Mason Foundation

The purpose of the Dr. Ira Mason Foundation is the Empowerment of African Americans through education and organization. Dr. Mason's extraordinary education as well as his life-long dedication to his community and people, serve as our inspiration and guide. Dr. M. Mason; Attended Phillips Academy () 1902-1906. Graduated to attend Yale University class 1910, then taught at Talledega College and Tuskegee Institute. Both in Alabama in the years of 1910-1911. He also taught at Howard University in Washington D.C. class 1916. Dr. Mason also studied at University of Madrid, where he earned his PH.D in languages. He mastered French, Portuguese, Italian, German, Greek, and Latin. His extensive research, teaching and studies were widely published in scholastic and medical journals. He also was an accomplished writer, musician, and composer.

The Dr. Mason Foundation is unique in its scope and breadth. Although concerned primarily with education, it enlarges on an even redefines education in relation to the building of stable communities and economic power.

Raymond Mason, the director of the foundation and son of Dr. Mason says, "Our immediate goal is to award scholarships to those students, showing exceptional abilities in their academic endeavors, who would like to continue in their pursuit of higher learning but who would not otherwise be able to do so because of the exorbitant cost of today's education, especially that of the more prestigious Institutions such as Phillips Academy, Yale University, and Chicago medical



school. The respective alma maters of Dr. Ira Mason."

Qualifying recipients will participate in internships showing service to the inner city community in reflection of the spirit and honor of the memory of Dr. Ira M. Mason,

Raymond Mason outline the overall goal as "A nation within nation", with the following points;

- 1) Encourage and promote entrepreneur within the African American community and ultimately the business world at large.
- 2) Encourage African American businesses to start financing the education of children while simultaneously employing them with on the job training through a voluntary apprentice program.
- 3) Encourage neighborhood rehabilitation and reconstruction by employing youth with financing by a consortium of businesses who stand to gain financially from such work, and others who gain by favorable

- 4) Encourage African American businesses to promise to employ youths who have finished high school. Further, be able to guarantee permanent employment for anymore with a good work record.
 - 5) Encourage the creation of adoption agencies for African American children through churches also handling of foster child placement.
 - 6) Encourage the employment of mothers at home, through a consortium of businesses.
 - 7) Encourage the use of cable television for classroom instruction from first rate schools like West Side Prep to be used nationally on a large scale.
 - 8) Encourage development of an International Afro-American super university.
 - 9) Encourage the development of a national African-American supermarket chain, stocked with African -American food brands such as a Black farmer's Cooperative brand.
 - 10) Encourage the publication of a national and international African-American super newspaper.
 - 11) Encourage the formation of a national African-American cable television network to coordinate and foster the above activities, including the classroom instruction.
- "In helping our children," said Mason, "Who are also our future, in archiving a means of securing and controlling their own destinies, they are our destinies we must see to it that their tomorrows will be benefitted from what we do today."
- "A nation within a nation can and will be achieved only by showing your support today," said Mason.
- Persons in the Dr. Ira Mason foundation or interested in presenting donations, write, Dr. IRA M. Mason Foundation 47 W. Division. suit 3830 Chicago, IL 60610.

VOTE! APRIL 4

MUSIC **NORMAN'S RECORDS** **MUSIC**
The ONLY RECORD SHOP
On 35th Street ALL THE LATEST HITS!
R&B, Jazz, Rock, Blues Gospel, Rap, house and More!
CD's, LPs, TAPES
248 E. 35th St.
Hours: Mon.-Thurs, 12-9 pm Fri.-Sat: 12 non - 10:30 pm
Sunday: 12 noon - 4:00 pm (312) 842-9510

Dysfunctional By Design
The Rebirth of Cultural Survivors
Survivors Self-help for African-American Substance Abusers
by William Green with foreword by William L. White
A Must Read for Anyone Who Has Known The Pain and Devastation of Substance Abuse or Those Who Love Them
"The conscience of the nation must be roused"
FREDERICK DOUGLAS
African American Communiversal project
P.O. Box 2783
Country Club Hills, Ill. 60740
1 (708) 798-6880

USHA HERBAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE
Dr. Seibs Herbs, an Herbalist with 30 years of research.
Dr. Seibs states, "There are no incurable diseases only incurable people. Our herbs come from the rain forest of South America. We are curing AIDS, CANCER, DIABETIC, HYPERTENSION, AND MORE."
Call Salume a herbalist at 538-1713 - 538-4541 3630 Lake Park

Prom Inc. presents
"Prom Service"
Dresses Made:
Some Rentals Available, Tux Information available
Some Gowns at \$99.00 Complete!!
HAIR! MAKE-UP! NAILS!
at discount prices
Make appointments right here, bring deposits to get things started
Call: 768-1674

Continue from page 15
SPEECH: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
front in a neighborhood, every time you see how incomes plummet in some areas as the middle class looks for other boundaries and every time the unemployment level shoots up in given communities as businesses go elsewhere... And its not just an inner city problem...Its trouble for the suburbs as well Census figures from 1985 to 1990 show that people opted for newer communities... bigger homes... They left straggling neighborhoods behind... Whether those neighborhoods were in Chicago or in so called "Mature suburbs" surrounding the city...and who can blame them... people move because the jobs move, because crime is lower...because schools are better...At least that's the perception....
Last year, the Chicago Tribune did an analysis of 1990 census figures...and what it found was that Chicago...the city of neighborhoods is actually about 16 cities...some poor, some rich, some white, some black...and many struggling with issues of development, displacement, affordable housing and the economy...and all part of what still seems to be the great Divide...even though there is good work going on in many communities... The Trib analysis outlined a new Black belt: Where 950 thousand African-Americans live in vastly different
Ms. Corley's speech will continue in the next issue of SSSJ

Community Services

Education



Enroll your child now and give them a "HEAD START." Services are provided for children with disabilities; wheelchair - accessible; For more information, call or visit **CENTERS FOR NEW HORIZONS, HEAD START**, 226 East 43rd Street, (312) 624-0061.

Health Assistance

Free shots for all ages. Watch for the Chicago CareVan on the second Thursday of each month at Washington Park Homes, 4120 S. Prairie, Apt. #103, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The Chicago CareVan is sponsored by Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Illinois and the Chicago Department of Health. Remember to bring your child's immunization record.



Exercise at the Sutherland Hotel Ballroom, 4657 S. Drexel Blvd. on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 6 to 7 p.m. Monthly fee is \$25 per person. Seniors pay \$15.

Free Medical Help For Medicare Recipients. Healy Moms/Healthy Kids, a program for babies, kids, and pregnant women, is a special Medicaid program that helps you get regular medical care. You choose a regular doctor for each of your children and for yourself if you are pregnant. If you do not have a regular doctor, HM/HK will help you sign up with a doctor. The program is operated by the Illinois Dept. of Public Aid in conjunction with the Illinois Dept. of Public Health, Alcoholism and Substance Abuse, and other sister agencies. For info. call Michael Elliot, outreach worker, at 268-7600 at the Komed Health Center, 501 E. 43rd St.

Help for drug and alcohol abuse. Hannah & Elkanah, a community-based organization, offer "self-esteem" meetings beginning at 7 p.m. every Thursday. If you need help with a "drug or alcohol" problem stop in at 600 E. 61st St. or call 241-5400. Help is a phone call away.

Legal Assistance

Operation PUSH opens Community Legal Clinic at its National Headquarters, 930 E. 50th St., from 6 to 8 p.m. every Thursday, it is staffed by volunteer attorneys from the Cook County Bar Association. Services are available on a first-come, first serve basis. Appointments are preferred, but not required. Call PUSH at 373-3366.

Low Income Energy Assistance Program for people who have their utilities shut off. Come to Evening Star Missionary Baptist Church, 4235 S. Cot-

tage, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday to Friday. Call 536-9527.

Free legal services for low income persons. Advice and representation by experienced lawyers. Landlord/tenant, consumer, unemployment compensation and family law. An attorney will provide assistance to you every Saturday from noon to 2 p.m. at the Centers For New Horizons, 4150 S. King Dr. Call the Cook County Bar Association Community Law Project, Inc. at 630-9363.

Having Problems In Your Building? No heat! No hot water! Rodents! Lead Paint! Learn about your tenant's Bill of Rights. The Kenwood-Oakland Tenants Association, 1238 E. 46th, meet every 2nd Tuesday of every month. Call Paul J. Cleveland at 548-7500.

Job training and Placement

Free 4-week Workshop. Are you at least 18 years old, have never worked before, have been unemployed more than 6 months, and have only a short work history. Apply at STRIVE 4910 S. King Drive. Call 624-9700.

Free Job Training Class. Must live in the Grand Boulevard area; be at least 18 years old; and read at the 9th grade level. Call the Center For Inner Studies 700 East Oakwood Boulevard at 873-2300.

G.E.D., college, and job training programs. If you are between 16 to 30 and receiving AFDC you qualify to participate in KOCO's free G.E.D., college enrollment, or employment training program. Call 548-7500, from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Mayor's Office of Employment and Training (MET) offers vocational and on-the-job training. Training programs include accounting/bookkeeping, auto repair and technology, computer programming, medical, chef training, drafting, electrical, office skills, and other trades. Call Client Services Unit at 744-5734.

Trade Union Apprenticeship Program Booklet available with information and listings in the Greater Chicagoland area. The free booklet can be picked up at any of the weekly Sunday meetings of Community of Islam. Call Minister Jamal M. Shabazz at 779-4569.

Adult Learning Skills Program. Free classes begin every eight weeks at the King Center, 43rd & Cottage. Enroll in GED, English as a Second Language, adult basic education, reading, writing, and math. Classes meet every Monday and Thursday from 4 to 8 p.m., and Tuesday and Wednesday from 4 to 6 p.m. Contact Ms. Adams at 747-2300 evening or Ms. Johnson at 747-2279 days.

To list your organization's services in the Mid-South area (listed on page 18) forward information to: South Street Journal, Community Services Listing 4305 S. M. L. King Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60653

Employment Information

Summer Job Applications for 1995

Gallery 37, the city of Chicago's summer jobs program is holding application sessions from 10:00 am to 2 p.m. at the Chicago Cultural Center, 78 E. Washington Street, 2nd floor. The dates are: Every Saturdays from April 1 - May 6, additional dates are scheduled during the Chicago Public Schools Spring Break. Gallery 37 will begin Wednesday, July 5, and end Friday, August 25, employing more than 500 students. Training is offered in visual arts, architecture, video, literature arts and music. Apprentice artists earn \$4.25 an hour for 20 hours a week for eight weeks.

Apprentice artists are hired on the basis of their artistic aptitude and talent (Judged by Panel). Applicants must provide a letter of recommendation from a teacher, community or church leader, past employer or person of official standing. Those applying must be Chicago residents, 14 to 21 years old, who have successfully completed the application process.

All applicants will be notified in June.

Teacher Recruitment

Afrikan Teacher Corps of the Council of Independent Black Institutions (CIBI) is currently recruiting teacher candidates for the 1995-96 school year. Experienced teachers, prospective college graduates and other interested candidates should be willing to attend a CIBI Teacher Training Institute. Applications and further information can be obtained from the: CIBI Public Relations Office 846 East 100th Place, Chicago, IL 60628 Attn.: Afrikan Teacher Corps.

Crusaders seeks Construction Workers who want jobs.

Custom Contractors, 3949 S. Pulaski, does not use black laborers to remodel buildings in the black community according to the Crusaders of Justice who have been protesting the construction work site at 5608-5624 S. Wabash Ave. "The Building is being rebuilt with foreign and white laborers" said Rev. Earl Sardon, president of the Crusaders. Custom contractors Practices outright job discrimination against blacks. We did reach an agreement at one time, however we need community support to ensure an agreement to put the community to work as well."

The organizers are urging construction trades people to come their meetings on Saturday - 12 noon, 5536 South Indiana, to organize for work by developers in the community. For information call: 493-0512.

Area residents can take advantage of STRIVE/Chicago Employment Service four-week workshop. The workshop is structured for the participants to gain confidence and direction, understand their place in the workforce, and develop excellent job seeking skills.

STRIVE Free Four Week Job Workshop

STRIVE make a 'Life-Time' commitment to everyone who completes the workshop for their employment needs, including the help of job developers in any job search.

Representatives of STRIVE said three out of four graduates find work and more than 470 people have been placed on jobs.

To be eligible persons must be at least 18 years old, have never worked before, or have been unemployed more than 6 months, and have only a short work history. Priority is given to public aid recipients. All services are free.

The workshop starts April 3rd at 4910 S. King Dr. For information call 624-9700 9 am to noon.

Job Opportunity at the Palmer House
The Palmer house Hilton will be accepting applications on the following days and times: Tuesdays 7:30 am - 12:30, Thursday 2 - 7 pm. If an applicant is unable to come in for an application during the hours stated above, contact the human Resources Department at 726-7500 ext. 5526 to set up an appointment.

Do you live, work and/or play in this part of the city?
Surely you know someone who does.

The Mid South Street Journal

Lake Michigan

Woodlawn

Serving: Cottage Grove

Grand Boulevard, Oakland, Douglas,

Kenwood, Woodlawn, Washington Pk.,

Near South, Gap, Fuller Park, Armour Square

Indiana

39th St

State St.

Dan Ryan

47th St

Princeton

Extended Offer. SPECIAL TWO FOR ONE OFFER FOR YOU AND SOMEONE YOU KNOW.

Start my subscription to South Street Journal at \$17.50 for 26 issues (bi-weekly), and send someone I know South Street Journal FREE*.

Please Print

Name _____
Address _____ # _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____

[] Home [] Business

Enclosed is my payment of \$17.50 [] for the two of us.
Call (312) 924-0461 for faster service.

Start someone I know their subscription to South Street Journal for 26 issues (Bi-Weekly) FREE.*

Please Print

Name _____
Address _____ # _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____ [] Home [] Business

* One of the subscribers address must be in or near the area above for offer.

Mail to: South Street Journal 4305 S. M.L. King Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60637.

Support the Advertisers

Sims Auto World, Romona Romance, 57th St. Newsstand, Jesse Becko, Ald. Haithcock, Citizens For Laury, Old Kent Bank, Com Ed, One Stop, CBJ Jeweler, AMV, MAD Fashions, Elco, Bacons, Dr. Seibs, Romonas's Romance, J. Morgan & Assoc., Ritz's Hotel, Scott's Poppin, New Bonanza Lounge, 43rd St. Newsstand, Dynamic Dental, Dysfunctional by Design, On State Recycling, Car X, S.B. Rawls, WECAN, Roland Burris, Wallace "Gator" Bradley, Hyde Park Kung Fu, Bowman & Assoc., and the classifieds. Those in the past and those in the future.

South Street Journal

For Advertising
Call Jeff Davis
(312) 924-0461



Real Estate Transactions in the Mid-South Communities

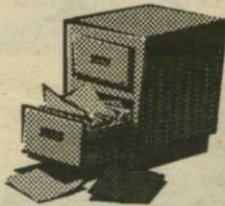


Readers: Here are the property transfers in *South Street Journal's* circulation area (Generally on page 18), according to the latest report released by Jesse White, Cook County Recorder of Deeds. For your convenience transfer listings are organized by the community. Display of the "=" symbol next to a listing indicates that information supplied on the State Real Estate Transfer Declaration may be incomplete or incorrect. South Street Journal will publish this information in each issue.

Address	Rec'd Date	Sale Price
Woodlawn		
6609 South Evans, John D. Barron & Catherine Brown to Anthony Morris	3-3	58,000
6350 South Ingleside Ave., Laverne Carpenter to Melvin Moore	3-8	80,000
6223 South St. Lawrence, John S. Mondschean To David A. Berry	2-14	36,000
6354 South Langley, Brenda L. Brown To Lawyer Jackson Jr.	2-14	48,000
6745 South Champlain, Standard Bank and Trust To Pamela Jones	2-15	68,500
316 E. 69th Place, Ernest Edwards to Kenneth Edwards	1-5	55,000
Kenwood		
1418 E. 48th Street, Kenwood Gateway L.P. To Van D. Epinger	3-7	332,000
4800 South Lake Shore Drive, Unit 2413 N, Mary Clinch To Shirley Overy	2-23	59,500
4721 B. S. Woodlawn Ave., James D. Jackson and Donna M. Jackson To Constance W. McCargo.	2-28	221,000
4326 South Greenwood Ave. Donald McPhan To Ocie Brown	2-14	58,500
4548 South Lake Park, Laurence A. Dowdy North To Donald Blount	1-18	100,000
1640 E. 50th Street, Apt. 2c, Audrey J. Sebastian To Renee Minner Stein	1-18	70,000
4800 South Lake Shore Drive, Unit 2408S, Beach Partners, Ltd. To R. Peque	1-5	40,000
1150 E. 46th Street/4550-52 S. Woodlawn, First National Bank Of Blue Island to Thrush Development Company	1-5	100,000
4800 Chicago Beach Drive, Christopher Watts To Michelle T. Stiger	3-7	66,540
Hyde Park		
1700 E. 56th Street, Unit 310,	3-7	151,000
56th and Hyde Park Partnership to Willa F. Morgan	1-10	31,000
1160 E. 54th Street, Cosmo P. Campoli and Kathryn Campoli To Mark A. Rogers and Debra A. Hass	3-8	252,000
5230 A South Cornell Ave., Unit 6, Lynn A. San and Louis James San II To Tai T. Nguyen and E. Pham	3-8	312,000
5410 S. Harper, Lance J. Rips and Julie W. Johnson To Addison D. Braendel and Catherine Yachnin Braendel	2-23	325,000
5710 S. Dorchester, Colleen C. Schneemann To Michael A. Weiss and Carol J. Weiss	2-24	118,135
1700 E. 56th Street, Unit 308, 56th and Hyde Park Partnership to Carol A. Brown	3-7	66,540
1700 E. 56th Street, unit 1205, 56th and Hyde Park Partnership To Robert F. Mayer	1-17	80,835
5331 S. Cornell Ave, Unit 3 Thomas G. Weber and Anne Nicholson Weber to Neil S. Neroutsos and Michelle L. Kaiser	1-17	80,000
1617 E. Hyde Park, Peggy Ann Spieth To David Weathington	1-17	99,500
5021 South Woodlawn, Corinne S. Asher To Robert A. Balzekas	1-18	190,000
5444 South Dorchester, Cole Taylor Bank To Robert J. Chaskin	3-7	173,50
Grand Boulevard		
4630 South Cottage Grove, Robert O'Donnell to Barbara E. Leja	2-15	151,000
4552 South Michigan Ave, Betty Martin To Katherine Brie Young	1-5	65,000
5014-16 South Prairie, Clarence Blow to Johnnie Lee		75,000

Classified

To find someone or something. Or to offer a service.



Help/Work Wanted
Legal Services/Notices
Birth Announcement,
Business Opportunities,
Personal Ads, Real Estate
Services,
Auto Sales

Use South Street Journal

Up to 15 words \$ 8.50
 16 to 30 words \$14.50
 31 to 50 words \$20.50

Call 924-0461 or bring/mail your ad to:
South Street Journal 4305 S. King Dr.
Chicago, Illinois 60653

South Street Journal makes no assurances as to the propriety or quality of any advertiser.
 We reserve the right to edit or reject any ad.

Help Wanted

Avon - Ability to be #1. Earn X-tra \$\$\$. Up to 50% profits. Tina 1-800-472-5260. Ind. rep.
Cab Drivers need all shifts \$250 Security deposit must have good references & good MVR come by 538 E. 61st or call 312-684-0900
Cashiers, washers, managers & detailers Earn good tips & salaries. Variable hours. On-job training for cashiers & washers. Accepting applications Mon., Wed. & Thurs., 5 to 7 p.m., 453 E. Marquette Rd. 312-493-8915. Best Hand Car Wash & Detailing. Ask for Mr. Thomas or Ms. Harding.

Volunteer Opportunity

The CASA Cook Program needs a volunteer to assist the Program Staff one day a week by performing clerical and related support. Responsibilities will include, but not limited to: Answering telephones, typing correspondences, data entry, filing and other office duties. For more information Please contact: CASA Cook Program
 1100 South Hamilton, Room 8-West Attn: Sally McLennan, Program Director Chicago, IL 60612 312-433-4935

Writers Free-lancers are needed to cover various beats in the Mid-South community. Must be serious about writing. Payment is determined by story. Send clips, resume, and cover letter to Ron Carter, SSJ 4305 S. King Dr. Chicago, IL 60653. No phone calls please.

Services

AUTO SALES

M and G Auto sales your source for quality pre-driven cars. 6043 S. State St. Lonnie Griffith, 643-5044.

TYPING SERVICE

Typing service also professional editing and writing - college papers, resumes, application, scripts, book proposals, self publishing 288-0797

CONTRACTORS

Andy's Contracting Co. Building and Maintenance, plumbing, cement work. 5402 S. Drexel. 288-2697.

EXTERMINATING

We guarantee to kill roaches, termites and rodents. Servicing homes, apt., complexes and commercial businesses. 24-hours at 571-4725

MOVING

Local and long distance, furniture, bulk items, big or small. We can do it all. Call Greg Movers, 643-3327.

SENIOR CARE

Excellent care in-home care for while you are out of town, on vacation, or short term leave from home. Call Ms. J. Reed at 483-7172.

For Rent

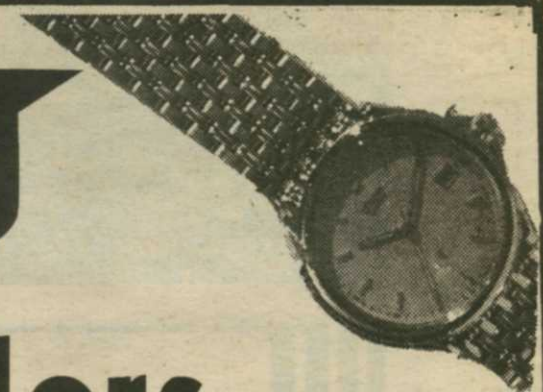
REAL ESTATE SERVICES

BUYERS / SELLERS Thinking of Buying and / or Selling a home or 2 - 4 unit building? If yes, call Joseph Davis, Jr at 348 - 8080 for details -Root Realty.

Rooms For Rent Newly decorated rooms for rent starting at \$59.00 per week for single and \$75.00 double T.V. and Phone come to 409 E. Oakwood or call 312-536-6000.



CBJ



Pawners & Jewelers

BUY - SELL - LOAN



CASH



IN A FLASH ON

Most items of Value

JEWELRY & WATCH REPAIR

5516 S. State St. Chicago, Il. 60621

Tel. (312) 643-2101

ELECT...



ROLAND W. BURRIS
... A Mayor for All the People

History of Proven Leadership

- 1990 - Elected Attorney General of the State of Illinois
- 1986 - Re-elected Comptroller of the State of Illinois
- 1985 - Elected Vice Chairman, Democratic National Committee (DNC)
- 1982 - Re-elected Comptroller of the State of Illinois
- 1978 - Elected Comptroller of the State of Illinois
- 1977 - Appointed National Executive Director, Operation PUSH
- 1963 - Graduated from Howard University School of Law
- 1959 - Graduated from Southern Illinois University - Carbondale

Roland Burris lives on the south side of Chicago with his wife of 33 years, Dr. Berlean M. Burris, and is the proud father of two adult children, Rolanda and Roland II.

VOTE APRIL 4

PUNCH

31