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TUESDAY MARCH 19

7 Congressional Race Deadlocked in Race; Ahmad Gains



Dr. J. Ahmad, candidate for U.S. Senate stands before the Black media on his candidacy.

12th District Race, Charged with Thwarting Black Empowerment

The often quoted adage that "History repeats itself" is taking on a third dimension in the Twelfth Senatorial District. A district that represents half of the Mid-South communities and its wards.

In that race, charges are that black committeemen are working to keep State Senator Robert Molaro in office of a majority minority, a charge by candidates. A lost on them in the lesson of non-support of Black candidates by white politicians in the case(s) of Cecil Partee (Treasure and State's Attorney), Harold Washington, in his bid for Mayor right after he won

the primary over Mayor(s) Jane Byrne and Richard M. Daley. And then there's the long forgotten Wilson Frost, then Pro Tem of the City Council who in 1977 did not pursue claim to the Mayor's office after Richard J. Daley passed. Instead taking the the position as Chairmanship of the Finance Committee'

Now, 20 years later, four year incumbent State Senator Robert Molaro a Caucasian enjoys rock solid support from the black committeemen despite challenges from black candidates for. A charge Black aldermen in the district has shy away from upon South Street

The Mid-South communities continue to be in the center of the political storm as Chicago Urban League's president James Compton stands firm by his decision to include 21st Century Vote in a coalition to increase voter registration and turnout. Steadfast amidst charges of betrayal and collusion, from Mayor Daley and Ald. Ed Smith of the Westside, the Urban League have turned a deaf ear to those who would condemn the organization decision to registrar youth to vote.

The upcoming election has again brought to the forefront the seedy side of politics and politicians with gang association as the battle cry and is quickly becoming a political platform.

In the 7th Congressional District race as 19

candidates attempt to fill the seat of retiring Cardiss Collins, the rift between 3rd Ward Alderman Dorothy Tillman and Cook County Board Commissioner, Bobbie Steele has paled since both candidates have launched a massive attack against Danny K. Davis refuser to denounce Wallace "Gator" Bradley who has alleged gang association. Tillman and Steele seem to have veered away from the issues at

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Journal inquire to their offices.

The district was remapped and drawn to ensure that a Black would win. The voter registration totals exceed 63,000 in the district, made up of mostly minority registrants, over 60% Black.

One of the candidates, Randolph I. Anderson III says "You have to be politically selfish, for yourself" because there's no reciprocity. The figures and the history all but proves his assertion, especially on the issue of the General Assembly's stance on affirmative action. The attitude is personified by Sen. Walter W. Dudydz's bill that would eliminate all the past and future gains made by minorities because of it."

Anderson, associate with alderman Coleman of the 15th ward is proud of his personal achievements as an attorney which led to a stint as a county prosecutor. "To say that af-

firmative action is reverse discrimination to whites is an insult to African-Americans" he continued.

Accusations have been made that "ringers" have been put in the race by the Molaro camp. Charges Molaro denies. It is not a new charge. His reaction to the question put to him about it resulted in an attack on Anderson saying that "He should be tarred and feathered.", stating the right person should be elected and it shouldn't be a Black/White election.

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Anderson

63rd St El Demolition Sets Stage for a Divided Woodlawn

Woodlawn -- The public hearing on the Jackson Park elevated (El) line in Woodlawn was scheduled to begin at 6:30 pm, but by 5:30 pm the auditorium of Hyde Park High School was packed with standing room only. It was clear

from the beginning that the City Department of Planning and Development, The Woodlawn Organization (TWO) and Apostolic Church had organized the public hearing to favor those seeking the El's demolition. Reverend Arthur

Brazier, pastor of Apostolic Church of God and Leon Finney, Chairman of TWO arrived early and partially packed Hyde Park High School on Tuesday.

Staged with "applause" signs as cue cards, pro demolition supporters organized to confirmed with the City and Chicago Transit Authority (CTA) 63rd Street El between Cottage Grove and Dorchester should be demolished to make way for new upscale housing.

As the El was schedule to open March 31, Woodlawn residents and public transportation advocates testified in rage, and in bitter pro and con on the fate of the El and redeveloping the community. But, the most outspoken person was the Chairman Herbert Johnson, he challenged Rev. Leon Finney, as Finney address the crowd at the end of the hearing. Then was escorted from the auditorium by the police.

Those voices in support of keeping the El seemed to prevail. Based in part on the outcome of the public hearing, the City of Chicago will make the final decision on whether the El station will remain or be demolished. The Federal Transportation Authority who mandate the city to hold a hearing before the city final decision will rule on the City's request to waive repayment of existing improvements to the elevated structure in the event demolition



Photos by Vincent Walker

Rev. Authur Braizer, (center) who wants the 63rd Street El demolished east of Cottage Grove made a presentational/testimony while Mattie Butler (below) testify on behalf to keep the El from being demolished.



Photo by Vincent Walker

Protest and demotration, pro and con drew 1,000 people to Hyde Park Career Academy on the subject of the El demolition on 63rd east of Cottage Grove.

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South Street Journal has moved its office to:

4500 S. Michigan Ave. (Coach House). The telephone number remain the same, (312) 924-0461 Fax (Temp.) 536-7663

Hope Institute receives grant to organize local school election.

The Lugenia F. Burns Hope Institute has received a grant to provide support to thirteen elementary and middle schools in the mid-south communities. Organizers from the institute will work with the staff in providing outreach, support and nominees for the April 17th Local School Council election.

The Hope Center was co-founded by Dr. Sokoni Karanja, Centers For New Horizons and Atty. Barack Obama. District State Senator. Designed to provide training and support for community residents who demonstrate leadership qualities and are interested in having an impact in their communities.

Concerned residents interested in applying for admission to the Hope Center should contact Ms. Andrea Adams at 373-5700.

Empowerment Zone Proposals Update

Mid-South communities had won Empowerment Zone (EZ) funding of \$100 million for Chicago, 2 years ago. For the first round funding decision, the three organizations in the area to be tenaciously approved for funding out of 28 proposals submitted are; The Fund, based in Woodlawn; Mid-South Planning and Development and Centers for New Horizons both from the Grand Boulevard community; and the Sutherland Community Arts Center from the Kenwood community.

The final approval must go before the full city council.

Community Briefs

J. Everett Smith of King Drive Recognized for Community Leadership



Author and financial analyst Terry Savage presents J. Everett Smith with the 1996 Neighborhood Leadership Award on behalf of Neighborhood Housing Services of Chicago.

The King Drive Advisory Committee has nominated J. Everett Smith for a Leadership Award. Smith, who has lived in Washington Park Court for 15 years, has demonstrated that concerned residents can make a difference.

Smith served as president of his block club, was an original member of the Mid-South Planning Council, and a founding member of the NHS King Drive Advisory Committee. He led the drive which gained Washington Park Court and 50th Street landmark status and worked with the City's Department of Housing to secure small grants for facade renovation. Mr. Smith volunteers at Provident Hospital and in University of Illinois Greencorp program. He is a member of the Board of Directors of NHS Chicago. The award was given at an annual awards dinner for Neighborhood Housing Services of Chicago, the city's largest neighborhood revitalization organization.

City To Begin Work On Lake Shore Drive Relocation

The actual relocation of northbound Lake Shore Drive lanes is to begin on March 15, 1996 and to be completed on December 1996. When the entire program is completed in early 1998, a new unified Museum Campus linking Chicago's three great museums with nearly 10 acres of new greenery, walkways, and bike paths along the lakefront. In addition, all lanes of

Lake Shore Drive, both northbound and southbound, will be located to the west of the Field Museum and Soldier Field.

During 1996 construction, however, drivers on southbound lanes of Lake Shore Drive south of Balbo will be temporarily detoured to the east side of the Museum and Soldier Field, sharing the roadway with northbound Lake Shore Drive. Three lanes of Lake Shore will remain open in both directions during 1996 construction.

Alternate Routes Suggested during 1996 construction:

1. Avoid Lake Shore by using: a. Drexel Blvd. b. Indiana Ave. c. Michigan Ave. d. Dan Ryan Expwy.
2. Avoid construction northbound, exit at: a. 31st Street. b. 39th Street
3. Exit (I-55) Stevenson at King Dr.

Johnny Cochran in Chicago

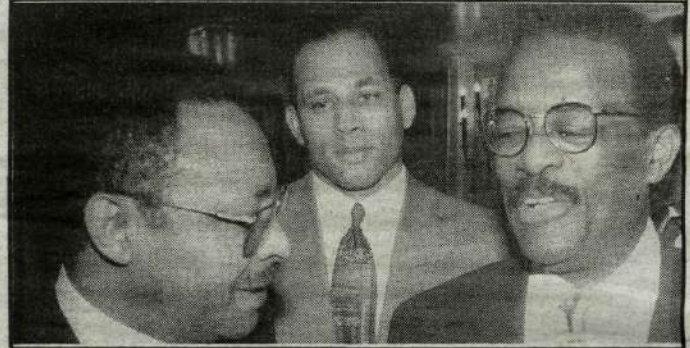


Photo by Owen M. Lawson III

Making the statement if O.J. Simpson did not have the money he has, he would be in jail now, America's foremost trial attorney Johnny Cochran spoke to members of the Chicago Bar Association annual luncheon last Friday. Mr. Cochran told the audience at the luncheon that more lawyers should become advocates for the poor and victims of injustice. The sold out luncheon in honor of Mr. Cochran was the most successful luncheon event that the Chicago Bar Association has had since the organization was founded in 1874.

The UnZip

Operation Push has really gone Rainbow, seen working in their lobby is ethnic folks from Poland. Seems like Glenn & Black Contractors United need to step up the quality of some of their members.

Doug Gill of Kenwood Oakland the Empowerment Zone national representative says that the Empowerment Zone governance is a failure all over the United States.

Special political UnZip

Oops, Former alderman of the 2nd ward **William Barnett** and owner of the Armory on 35th and Giles, should be aware that someone has or is about to purchase his building for back taxes.... other property owned by Mr. Barnett is on 34th and Indiana where **State Senator Margaret Smith** is operating her political campaign.

What was vision to be a major task for **Barack Obama** running for the 13th Legislative District, of **Alice Palmer**, Mr. Obama is running unoppose for his first elected job of many public service stops....More on Senator Smith she has stated that those charges about ghost payrollers is mute, so **Ken Dunkin**, won't be able to dunk it in the campaign banter.

No judge **Marcus Salone**, South Street Journal did not endorse you, but thanks for thinking highly of us to use our name, hope we don't meet in the court room.

What is it about the ward committeemans race that nobody wants to run other than the 20th ward.....could it be that it is a nonpaying office????

Rev. Al Sampson said it must be that **Commissioner Danny K. Davis**, **Ald. Dorothy Tillman**, and **Commissioner Bobbie Steele** were the best of friends in another life.....politics as usual, they'll be friends by March 20th.....and more on the 7th, Ald. Dorothy Tillman told or at least tried to tell Danny's business on NBC's City Desk.....since they cut her, we'll tell you. Commissioner Danny Davis said that sometimes Black women run their men to White women, No Offense to the interracial couples but we know some sisters that would beg to differ...anyway all that was years ago.....or was it.

Ald. Troutman has picked up where **Inside The Hat** left off.....it would be nice if the community could get information about the elected officials when its not election time.

South Street Journal has attracted the interest of the Law Bulletin...seems they confused our Salute To The Community with an endorsement page.....wonder how that happened since Farrakhan and Lu Palmer aren't running for anything

Word is.....someone paid someone in the fourth ward for **IVI-IPO** endorsements..... say it aint so.

There's always a ringer in political campaigns, mainly in the Black community. This time ringer is in the 7th Congressional race and the 12th State Senatorial race...**Eddie Read** would call them a Sell Out.

Calendar of Events

Thurs. 14

CAPS Beat Meetings; Beat 224 meets at 6:30p.m. 4801 S. Michigan Ave.

Columbia College artist-in-residence Chuck Smith will direct "The Trees Don't Bleed in Tuskegee," New Studio Theater, 72 East 11th Street. All tickets are \$2.00. Not-for-profit groups may be eligible for free tickets with advance reservations. For information or to make reservations, call 312/663-1600, ext. 6126.

Black Men Pushing meet every 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:30p.m. at Operation PUSH in the Evans Chapel.

CAPS Beat Meetings Beat 214 meets at 6:30p.m., 3947 S. Michigan Ave.

CAPS Beat Meetings 222-6:30p.m. 4312 S. Cottage Grove

Sat 16

Crusaders For Justice meets every Saturday at 12 noon, at Holiness Temple Church 56th and Indiana every Saturday

The 3rd annual "A Night of Smiles" at The Oak Brook Marriott Hotel, 6:00 p.m. until midnight. Sponsored by PALS (Parents Activating Love, Support and Research), for children who have cancer. Funds are for patient care, education and research initiatives and to provide recreational and social support for children and families at Wyler Children's Hospital at the University of Chicago. The evening includes a silent auction, dinner and dancing." Auction items include a 95-96 Bears team autographed football and a Bulls team autographed basketball.

Sun. 17

Ujamaa Food Market is coming to the Grand Boulevard Shopping Center, 54th and Dan Ryan. A community meeting to start the decision to start a grocery store coop. Sponsored by the Fuller and Washington Park community organizations. Doors open at 2pm meeting begins at 3pm. For information call 667-0464.

Mon. 18

Taifa Black Awareness holds classes in Black history, leadership, conflict resolution, and more every Monday from 6 to 7:30 at Kennicott Park at 4434 S. Lake Park Avenue.

TUESDAY MARCH 19 ELECTION DAY

Thurs. 21

The Foster Parenting Program of Ada S. McKinley Community Service invites you to learn how to become a licensed foster parent. Free foster parent seminars during March will be held:

March 21, 1996-10:00a.m.-12:00 noon. March 25, 1996-6:00p.m.-8:00p.m. Meet with foster parent recruiters at 2907 South Wabash Avenue.

The Black Metropolis Conventin & Tourism Council's (BMC&TC) will be having a community participation workshop, in the auditorium of the newly renovated Chicago Bee Library 3647 South State Street from 4 to 6 p.m.

Conference on the new Millennium, Is 2000 AD Now, a cultural teach in, countering the Willie Lynch Syndrome and the End of the world Psychology at the Center for Inner City Studies 700 E. Oakwood, March 21 and 22, conference begins at 5:30. For information call 268-7500.

Fri. 22

First Chicago Bank, Stoney Branch presents a salute to Artist, featuring the work of Marva Jolly and Melvin King, and poetry by Beverly A. Reed, in the community room, from 6-7:30.

Thurs. 26

47th St. Business Association

meeting; 113 Club at 7:00p.m. 113 E. 47th St. Call Mary Jordan 538-3200 or Ron Carter 924-0461 for more info.

Chicago Park District Lakefront Region 1996 First Quarter Community Meeting Featured Speaker Sgt. Jim Keating, Director of Security, Chicago Park District Lakefront Region meets at 6:00 p.m. Jackson Park Field House 6401 S. Stony Island call 747-2474 for more information.

Sat. 30

Washington Park Wetlands Project Workshop Residents and neighborhood schools are encouraged to attend, once known as the playground of the "Black Metropolis". The goal is to provide residents and neighborhood schools with the opportunities and resources for full participation in the planning, planting, interpretation and stewardship.

The Ecology of Washington Park, March 30, 1996 - 10:00 a.m.; April 25, 1996 7:00 p.m.

Greater Washington Pk. Community Development Corp. meets at the Washington Park Fieldhouse, 5531 S. King Dr. (Last Sat of each month).

West Woodlawn Council of Block Clubs; meet at the Parkway Community House, 500 East 67th Street.

CAPS Beat Meetings; Beat 212-Feb.27, 1996 at 7:00p.m., 449 E. 35th Street
Beats 233-234, Feb.22, 1996 at 7:00p.m., 5531 S. King

April Sat. 13

The West Woodlawn Council of Block Club's Women's Auxiliary meets monthly on the 2nd Saturday of each month at Parkway Community House, 500 E. 67th street; 1:00 - 2:30 p.m. All women are invited.



"Ujamaa Food Co-operative Moves Forward"



Photo by Owen Lawson III

Representatives from Fuller Park and the Washington Park community join forces to establish the Ujamaa Food Market, a grocery store cooperative in the Grand Boulevard Shopping Center at 55th and Dan Ryan.

March 10, kicked off the first of many meetings convening "UJAMAA FOOD MARKET", a grocery store cooperative, in the Grand Boulevard Shopping Center at 55th and the Dan Ryan. The facilitating organizations in Fuller Park and Washington Park expressed enthusiasm toward this exciting venture. They are planning membership drives for the next 5 Sundays at 3:00 p.m. except on Easter Sunday.

Antonio Chappell, Executive Director of the Fuller Park Advisory Council and Development Corpora-

tion stated "Our organization is ecstatic to be part of such an empowering endeavor."

Each Sunday, the organizations will present information on what it means to be a food cooperative. This will allow members to make an educated decision and better understand the operation of a cooperative. Their objective is to make sure all members are knowledgeable of the cooperative principles which are:

1. Open and voluntary membership
2. One member, one vote
3. Limited interest on shares

4. Return of surplus to members
5. Constant education, and
6. Cooperation among cooperatives.

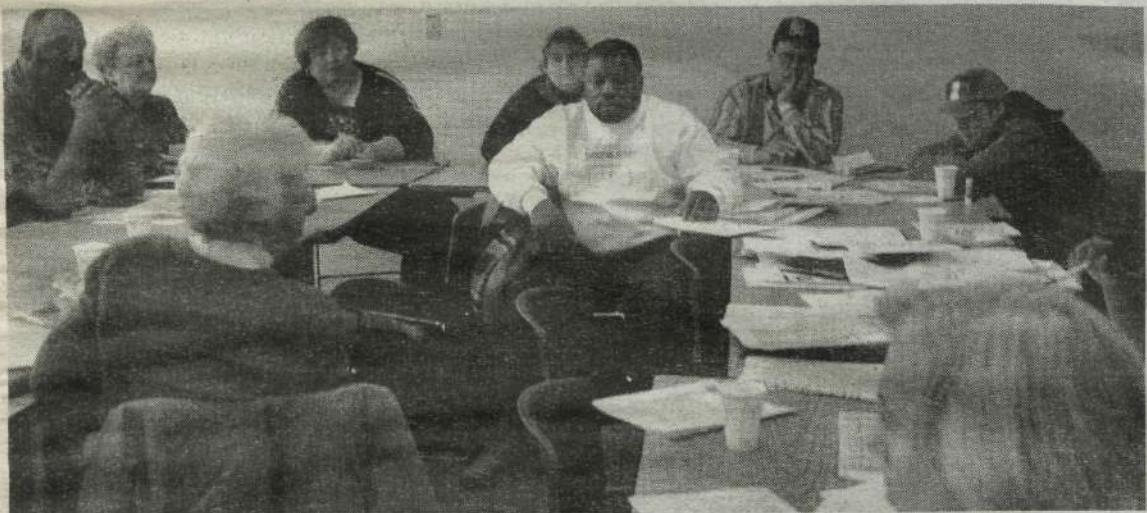
As part of the education and information segment, a video will be shown, which features successful co-op's throughout the nation. In addition, guest speakers will be invited, such as Theresa Primm, of the Itongo Natural Food Cooperative, who is known citywide for her successful planning strategy of the Itongo concept. They have also created a detailed survey which identifies the buying habits of com-

munity residents ie; where do you shop, how often, how do you get there, your satisfaction with your present grocery store, how much do spend, membership fees, the name "Ujamaa", and your willingness to become a member.

The groups first meeting was met with excitement and commitment. Erana Jackson, a Washington Park resident stated, "This venture is exactly what we need in our community, it can work, if we come and support this program."

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School Activists plan for March for School Funding



School Activists Plan for Parents' March for School Funding

School and community activists discuss plans for the Parents' March for School Funding in Springfield on March 27 during a recent organizing meeting at the Chicago Urban League, 4510 S. Michigan. At least 1,000 parents throughout Illinois will march at the state capitol in Springfield on March 27 demanding adequate and equitable funding for Illinois public schools.

Featured in the center of the photo are Mark Allen of Operation Push and Arlene Zielke of the Chicago Region PTA. Others (from left to right) are: Brian Banks of the Chicago Urban League, Illinois PTA president Betty Durbin, Sharon Voliva of the Illinois PTA, Lynn Steiner of the Chicago Urban League, Alfred Rodgers of Southwest Community Congress, Joe Damal of Southwest Community Congress and Valerie Denney of Valerie Denney Communications. To participate in the Parents' March, call 1-800-627-2425.

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"New Organization Encourages Student Unification"



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(top) Dr. Sam Musoni, President of World Crisis Intervention Network officially appointed Mr. Adeb Asad and Mr. LaMont Evans respectively to the WCIN International Advisory Council.

Another birth has happened in the Grand Boulevard community, right out of the heart of the Northeastern Illinois University - Center for Inner City Studies (NEIU/CICS), the founding of the United African American Student Forum UAASF, under the auspices of the World Crisis Intervention Network (WCIN).

Mr. Adeb Asad and Mr. LaMont Evans were officially appointed by Dr. Sam Musoni, President of WCIN as Executive Coordinator and Administrative Coordinator of this new organization respectively. These young leaders were also officially appointed to the WCIN International Advisory Council.

The paramount mission of the United African American Student Forum is to organize African American college and high school students to make a significant contribution to the ongoing struggle for social, cultural, political, and economical unification, liberation, and self determination of African people everywhere.

The strategy is to start initially on a citywide level, and to progressively expand their scope to state, national, and international levels. Dr. Musoni says, "We are blessed to have these young men because they bring vision, energy, diligence, and a wealth of protracted experience as student and community leaders." For example, Mr. Asad is the President Emeritus of the Black Student Movement at the Center for Inner City Studies, a member of the NEIU Student Government Association, as well as the Illinois Board of Higher Education - Student Advisory Committee Representative for NEIU. He is a third year student working on his Bachelor's of Science Degree with a major in Inner City Studies, and a minor in Mexican-Caribbean Studies at the NEIU-CICS. Mr. Evans is the President of the African American Student Organization, Student Activities Coordinator,

and the Illinois Board of Higher Education - Student Advisory Committee (Chairman for the Illinois Private Colleges and Universities) for the DeVry Institute of Technology-Chicago Campus.

This organization is unique because it is the only one of its kind in the State of Illinois that has such a wide platform that seeks to unify and facilitate solidarity among African American college and high school students. The UAASF plans to train African American students to lead and organize on their campuses and within their communities. The UAASF gears its energies towards providing a forum to voice issues, concerns, and aspirations of students, and to sound the trumpet of social and political consciousness that will capture and stir the conscience of the world.

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In conclusion, the UAASF held their first series of conferences at the Center for Inner City Studies on May 10, for the high school students, and DeVry Institute of Technology-Chicago Campus on May 11, for the college and university students.

For more information, you may contact Dr. Sam Musoni at (312) 268-7500 ext. 115/120, Mr. Asad can be reached at (312) 658-7321, and Mr. Evans can be contacted at (312) 740-1402, (312) 929-8500 ext. 2017, as well as if you cruise the internet, he can be electronically Mailed at dsao@interaccess.com. The address for the WCIN-UAASF is 700 E. Oakwood Blvd., Chicago, Illinois 60653. We look forward to watching this child (UAASF) grow and develop into a mature and healthy life span.

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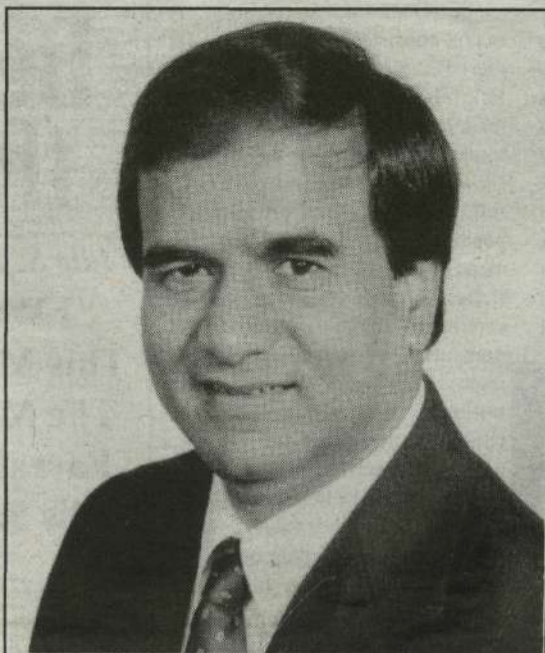
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***Everyone has the right to work--Guaranteed jobs at 60% pay--**Never should the income of any capable person drop to zero.

Key: Full employment, lowered spending on welfare and unemployment, save families. 100% Job guarantee in Socialism did not work; 0% in the Capitalism is destroying millions of hardworking families every year. We have guaranteed minimum wages there should also be guaranteed minimum income for hardworking people.

***Strengthening/Expanding America's small business base--Guaranteed small business loans -**
every citizen will have the right to start a business by obtaining a loan equal to one year's expected income, interest-free, once in a lifetime.

Key: To utilize the capabilities of every citizen to the maximum and boost America's small businesses. Create millions of jobs. Every child has the right to go to school similarly every adult should have the right to start a small business once in a life time.

***Educating America - Guaranteed education loans--**Affordable, interest-free college loans to end economic discrimination. Our future depends upon the education. We are unable to afford mortgage payment on our homes. How students are going to afford two mortgages?

Key: Equal opportunity for all. Zero-risk investment in America's future.

***Investing in our businesses--No capital gains tax--**The phasing out of all capital gains taxes.

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5 Chicago Public Schools In Partnership, Receive \$135,000 Grant



Woodlawn Schools Network Principals and Partners: Left Dr. Milton Albritton (Wadsworth Elementary), Charlotte Gray (Dumas Elementary), Dr. Leon Finney (The Woodlawn Organization), Dr. George Olson (Roosevelt University), Barbara Watkins (McCosh Elementary), Dr. Weldon Beverly (Hyde Park Career Academy), Diana Rochon (Bret Harte Elementary School).

One high school and four elementary schools within the Chicago Public School system comprise the Woodlawn Schools Community Network which recently an award of \$135,000 from the Annenberg Foundation. A reception honoring the schools in the Network was held at the Hyde Park Career Academy where teachers, principals, students, parents, community and educational partners were in attendance.

The Network, which includes Bret Harte Elementary, Alexander Dumas Elementary, James McCosh Elementary, Wadsworth Elementary and Hyde Park Career Academy, have joined two visionary partners:

Roosevelt University and The Woodlawn Organization.

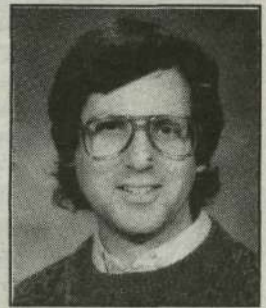
The "Chicago Annenberg Challenge" vision was established in order to strengthen the network of schools within the Woodlawn area. The schools which are recipients of the grant seek to enrich the culture for learning and enable students to reach their full potential.

In the wake of funding for educational endeavors being downsized, the Woodlawn Schools Community Network, Roosevelt University and The Woodlawn Organization want to insure that all students can enter high school and receive sufficient preparation and support to succeed in a high school environment.

Education Column

Micheal H. Brownstein

Funding and Education



putting in front of them books, books and more books.

The Rochelle Lee Fund is well known on Chicago's northside for its idealism and innovation. With money getting scarcer and scarcer, this fund actually enables teachers to purchase books for classroom libraries.

Furthermore, the fund holds free in-services and other classroom opportunities to create better reading teachers.

Why am I writing about this fund? It wants to expand into the southside. In fact, it already has to a certain degree and now it wants more southside teachers to get involved. Lots more.

Mr. Lincoln Brown, a SOUTH STREET JOURNAL area teacher, applied for it and got it a couple of years ago. I myself got five hundred dollars to utilize at Mollison School this school year. Between the two of us we have classroom libraries with over a thousand books.

Rochelle Lee--she used to be a Chicago Public School librarian--would like more southside teachers to apply. When she began, she only gave funding to a specific area. Now she wants to expand city wide. To apply is easy, it's painless, and most of all, it benefits all of our children by

And we all know we need all of the reading material we can get our hands on. Even in this day of the video revolution, if you can't read, you just can't do much of anything.

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Remember to call (312) 989-8582 today.



First Chicago Bank Stony Island Branch Continues Black History Celebration

The First National Bank of Chicago's Stony Island branch will host an art exhibit through the month of March in a continuing celebration of Black History Month.

The exhibit, "Celebrating Artists in the Community and from the Past," will feature ceramic artist Marva Pitchford Jolly; artists Melvin King, Chauncey Nickson, Gloria Buckley, Sebron Grant, Stella Beck, George Fulgham and William Morris.

African masks and statues from Nigeria and the Ivory Coast have been provided by art collector, Cheikh Balla Samb. Quilts by turn-of-the-century quilt maker, Sally Andrews, are also on view from First Chicago's permanent art collection.

"It is an honor to be able to share such wonderful pieces of art from our past and by artists in our community," said Shelley Anderson, President of the Stony Island branch.

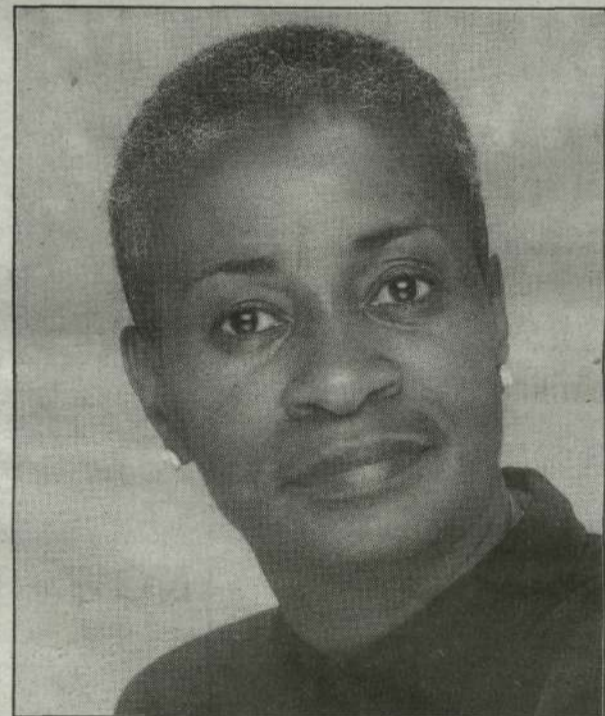
Members of the community are invited to view the artwork in the Community Room of the branch at 6650 S. Stony Island Ave. during exhibit hours. Exhibit hours are 9:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on Saturdays.

The First National Bank of Chicago is a subsidiary of First Chicago NBD Corporation, the nation's 7th largest bank holding company with \$122 billion in assets. It is the Midwest's number one provider of financial products and services to consumers, corporations of all sizes, institutional investors and government agencies.

Punch # 282

Vote For

Karen Brazil-Breashears



Karen Brazil-Breashears has been an attorney for 17 years. Karen has trial appellate court experience. Karen was staff attorney for the Family, Law Division of the Cook County Legal Assistance Foundation, a partner in the firm of Clark, Brazil-Breashears & Associates a Law Clerk for the Hon. Blanche M. Manning and the Hon. R. Eugene Pincham., and staff attorney for the Illinois Appellate Court.

Karen Brazil-Breashears is a graduate of The Depaul University College of Law, University of Chicago. Chicago State University and Wendell Phillips High School. Karen is married to James E. Breashears, the Principal of Paul Robeson High School. They are members of Hope Presbyterian Church.

Karen Brazil-Breashears is recommended to be elected Judge for the Circuit Court by:

- The African-American Fire Fighter's Association
- The African-American Police League
- The Coalition of Black Political, Independent & Community Organizations
- The One and a Million Black Men
- The Cook County Democratic Women
- The Concerned Black Fire Fighters Association
- The Dixmoor Park District Police
- The Illinois Association of Minorities in Government
- The Chicago Chapter of the National Political Congress of Black Women
- The South Street Journal
- The Southwest Community Action Organization
- The Task Force for Black Political Empowerment

Democrat Punch #282

Primary Election Day

Board of Elections**voter count**

As of December 1995 in Mid-South Communities Wards. Noted as the second lowest count in a presidential primary election since 1992 (Number will change by March 19, when names are added.)

Wards:

2nd - 28,289
3rd - 26,464
4th - 28,169
5th - 29,103
20th - 26,550

Primary (1992) Wards:

2nd - 24,159
3rd - 21,483
4th - 23,123
5th - 25,961
20th - 22,543

Loveless Guest On Talk Radio

Mark Loveless, Harold Washington Party candidate for Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County will be a guest on WVON Deborah Crable show on Monday, March 18th.

Loveless will explain how voters can double their voting power in both either the Harold Washington - Democratic Party ballot or the Harold Washington - Republican Party ballot. "The Harold Washington Party ballot is pink, the Democratic Party ballot is green, and the Republican Party ballot is yellow. If a voter asks for a Democratic-Harold Washington Party, the ballot pages will be green except the center will pink. If all the pages in your ballot are the same color, you are only participating in one primary and issues in this election.

Loveless the recipient of the 1996 Activist of the Year presented by the Greater Chicago Committee has been endorsed by Independent Voters of Illinois - Independent Precinct Organization, The Committee a Black Lesbian and Gay Political Action Committee.

Open Your Heart And Home...Becom e A Foster Parent

Ada S. McKinley Foster Care seeks singles and couples for fostering parenting. We need foster parents for babies, little brothers, little sisters and teens. Who is more deserving than a child, and especially a child requiring substitute care. Being a foster parent will allow you the opportunity to give a child a warm home, loving environment and unending affection. The Foster Parenting Program of Ada S. McKinley Community Service invites you to learn how to become a licensed foster parent. Free foster parent seminars during March will be held:

March 21, 10 a.m.-12:00 noon
March 25, 6:00p.m.-8:00p.m.

Meet with foster parent recruiters at 2907 South Wabash Avenue.

Married couples or singles over 25 years of age, may qualify to provide care to many of the large numbers of children requiring foster or adoptive care today. Learn more about the rewarding experience of foster parenting as a way to develop and empower youth. To confirm your attendance or for more information on becoming a foster parent, contact Lynette Stokes at 312/808-6173.

DEREK D. MCNEAL

for State Senator, 12th district

Punch 120

- ★ 15 years of community service
- ★ Experienced in taxation—law & finance
- ★ Consumer advocate
- lower utility costs • CTA reform • store refund policy
- ★ Advisor to small businesses
- ★ Advocate for the rights of children
- ★ Advocate for the rights of senior citizens

A Voice for the Voiceless

Re-Elect

Margaret Smith

Democrat

State Senator

3rd District

**Ask the People Who Know Senator Smith
Why They Have Endorsed Her....**

AFL-CIO

Chicago Teachers Union

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Associated Firefighters

Chicago Firefighters

IL Federation of Teachers


Cook County Democratic Women

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**Senator Margaret Smith...Working
For Jobs...Seniors...Veterans...
Health Care**

**Punch # 108
You Count...I Care**



**Primary Election
March 19, 1996**

- Advisory Vote for President of the United States

To be Nominated:

- United States Senator
- Representatives in Congress
- State Senators (Districts 1,,3,4,6,7,9,10,12,13,15,16,18,24)
- Representatives in the General Assembly
- Commissioners of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago (3)
- Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County
- State's Attorney of Cook County
- Appellate and Circuit Court Judges

To Be Elected:

- Delegates and Alternate Delegates to National Nominating Conventions
- Ward Committeeman

Democratic National Convention

- Chicago United Center
- August 26 - 29

General Election - November 5, 1996

**VOTE
MARCH 19TH**

"Why We Support Karen Brazil-Breashears"

by the Honorable R. Eugene Pincham and Professor Robert Starks



Prof. Robert Starks

Karen Brazil-Breashears is a candidate for Judge for the Circuit Court of Cook County from the 5th Judicial Subcircuit "B". Karen's punch number is 282. We strongly support Karen's candidacy and urge you to vote for her.

Karen has been an attorney for 17 years. She was a staff attorney for the Cook County Legal Assistance Foundation, a partner in the firm of Clark, Brazil-Breashears & Associates, a law clerk for the Honorable Blanche M. Manning and the Honorable R. Eugene Pincham, a staff attorney for the Illinois Appellate Court and a solo practitioner.

There are five hundred judges in Cook County, but only 57 are African American. We clearly need more African American judges; but we need African American judges who have the courage and independence to make the right decisions. Karen will be such a

judge.

Karen is not only a lawyer, but a community activist. Karen has demonstrated her commitment to the community during the civil rights movement when she was jailed with other demonstrators who protested against the racist treatment of African Americans in this country. Karen was also involved in the anti-apartheid free South Africa movement. More recently, Karen joined forces with those who are trying to stop demolition of the Jackson Park El (between Dorchester and Cottage



R. Eugene Pincham

Grove) to assure that there will be affordable and accessible transportation for the community. Karen is a tutor for Jobs For Youth and a staff reporter for the South Street Journal, where she also serves on the Advisory Council.

As many of your readers may recall, Karen had to sue the Illinois Supreme Court to get the right to run for judge. The Court had issued a policy prohibiting all state judicial employees from running for public office. As a result of Karen's lawsuit, the policy was changed. Karen was the only state judicial employee who had the courage to file the lawsuit.

We know that Karen has the character, sense of fairness, legal experience and understanding of the law that will make her an excellent judge. On March 19, 1996, we urge all voters to punch number 282 and elect Karen Brazil-Breashears judge.



Karen Brazil-Breashears

ELECT

Danny K. DAVIS

For Congress • 7th District

PUNCH #33

Vote Democratic March 19, 1996

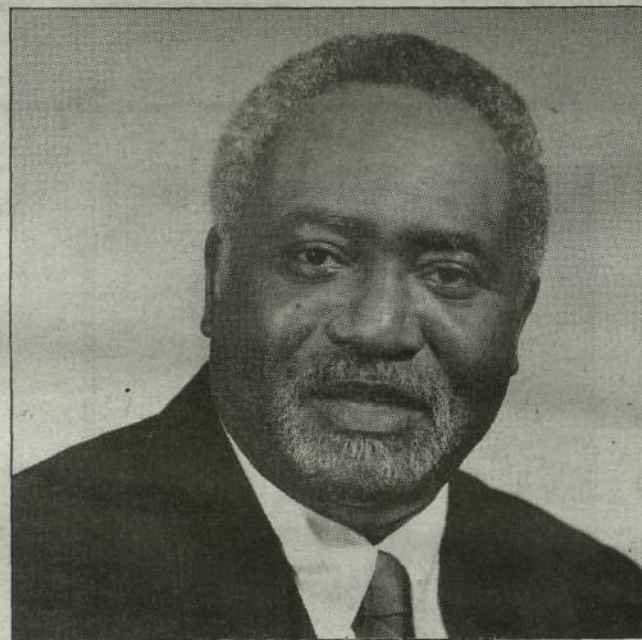
Danny Davis Will Stand Up to Newt Gingrich and Bob Dole in Washington D.C. to Protect:

- Medicare/Medicaid • Affirmative Action
- Headstart • Education Loans • Social Security
- Public Housing Funds • Affordable Health Care

Danny Davis Needs Your Vote to Fight Back. Join the List of Davis for Congress Endorsements:

- Sen. Paul Simon • Cong. Bobby Rush • State Sen. Miquel del Valle • State Sen. Jesus Garcia • State Sen. Rickey Hendon • State Rep. Coy Pugh • Roberto Maldonado, Cook County Commissioner • Joe Freelon, Mayor of Maywood • Mary Daly, Oak Park District 97 School Board Member • R. Eugene Pincham, Former Appellate Judge • Pat Quinn, Former State Treasurer • Roland Burris, Former Attorney General • Belgium Green, NAACP President, Western Suburbs • Suzanne Stanton, Black Expo • Miriam Santos, City Treasurer • Ald. Michael Chandler • AFL-CIO, COPE • Coalition of Black Trade Unionists • International Brotherhood of Teamsters • Chicago Federation of Labor • Acorn • Illinois Public Action Council • Sierra Club • 29th Ward People's Assembly • 22 Ward IPO • Gary Woll, Maywood Trustee • Melvin Pratt, Maywood Trustee • Lonzia Castell, Maywood Trustee • Anna Mustafa, Former Board of Education Board Member • Attorney Sheila Watkins • Marc Loveless • State Rep. Eugene Moore • Ald. Ricardo Munoz • Artensa Randolph • Grady Jordan • Willie Delgado

(Paid for by Davis for Congress)



"Change comes when those most in need, make it happen. Voting brings about Change."

—Danny K. Davis

City Ups The Ante Against Deadbeat Parents

In effort to mae children "our top priority," Mayor Richard M. Daley announced a new ordinance that would delay license approvals and deny City loans to business owners who are delinquent on their child support payments.

In a four-pronged approach targeting business licenses, city contractors and loan applicants, and city employees, the ordinances would also subject city employees who are delinquent in child support payments and do not take steps to fulfill those obligations to progressive disciplinary actions. Contractors bidding on city contracts would be subject to an 8 percent increase on their bids if they were behind on child support.

Peoples was among several child support advocates and business leaders who joined Mayor Daley, City Clerk Jim Laski, Arenda Troutman. About 70,000 businesses are licensed by the City. In order to access to relevant information about child support payments, the new ordinances will require all businesses with licenses or applying for licenses to provide addresses and other information.

Several states have enacted statutes to facilitate collecting unpaid child support -- including Maine, Massachusetts, California, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, New York, Virginia and Delaware. Chicago is the first city to target business licensees.

While employees' paychecks are subject to automatic withholding, and professionals can lose their licenses if they fall behind, business owners fall through a gap in the state child support enforcement mechanism," Mayor Daley said. "These ordinances will enable Consumer Services to investigate any applicant or licensee to determine if they are paying child support, and to inform state enforcement agencies when an individual is behind."

Vote For Glenn B. Wharton State Senator



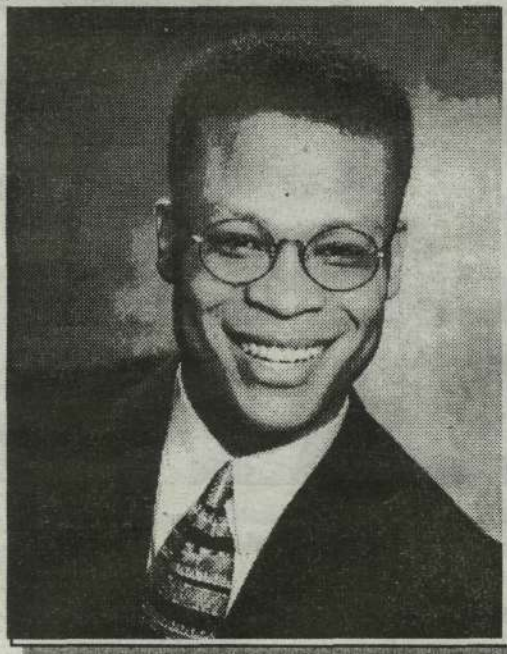
Currently District Manager
Franklin Life Insurance Company
Immediate Past President, "Friends of Amistad Research Center"
-Chicago Metropolitan Chapter
Pre-Engineering - Langston University
Illinois Institute of Technology Solid State Electronics
Penn. State University Studied Sonar
Graduate, Oklahoma State University-B.S. in Electronic Engineering
Advisor for 3rd District Police Senior Citizens Council
Supporter of Educational Reform and Citizens Involvement at
All Levels of Government
Chairman of the Board Woodlawn Mental Health Center
Commissioner's Taskforce on Mental Health
Community Mental Health Board of Chicago, Inc.

**Win With Glen
Punch #117
Harold Washington
Party**

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**Deotis Taylor
for
State Senator
of the
12th Legislation
District
March 19, 1996
Punch #119**



Ken Dunkin

Candidate for State Senator, 3rd District

**New Integrity
New Energy New Vision**

- *Promote Economic Development**
 - Facilitate Investment in Communities
 - Increase Job Counseling and Training
 - Promote Small Business Growth
- *Respect Our Seniors**
 - Fight to Ensure Quality Health Care
 - Protect Vital Services such as Home Delivered Meals
 - Support Neighborhood Safety
- *Nurture Our Children**
 - Increase Preparedness For The Job Market
 - Maintain Nutrition and Health Programs
 - Encourage Mentorship and Adult Involvement

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Chicago NOW: Qualified Rating

To Volunteer or to Make a Donation: 312-431-1996

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Senate Race Charged with Thwarting Black Empowerment

Black/White election.

Anderson has continued his straight ahead quest for the senate seat. As he maintains he is campaigning on the issues, making the defense of affirmative action a priority. However, one main issue is the split of the Black voters. Where Anderson maintains he holds a solid victory with the 16th ward.

Another candidate of the 12th district is Derek McNeal of the Woodlawn community maintaining his victory is based on the 20th ward. In the 4th ward Rwane Raoul has maintained his base is strong in all the wards with a stronger influence in the 4th ward, where he ran for alderman in 1995.

Conversations were taking place among the black candidates of who should drop out to win the race for the majority Black district. However, many candidates being insulted by the concept to suggest one of them drop out they hold their position of investing too much money already to being the best candidate with a strong political base.

Other candidates in the race includes Harold Washington candidate Glenn Wharton from Woodlawn; Richard Taylor and Deitus Taylor from Englewood, Leroy Williams and Ray Charles Hash from the far west of the district. It remains to be seen if any of the candidates will surface to pull out the last days before primary election day. All indications are that they won't.

Anderson held a Press Conference, Saturday March 9, at his campaign headquarters located at 1253 W. 63rd Street. Characterized the response of Senator Molaro for saying that some of the other candidates are "ringers" put in the race to help him (Molaro) get reelected. "That's the sole purpose of them to be in it and he didn't deny it or address the issue.

Anderson, a former State's Attorney before his challenge to the Senator described Molaro's remarks as smacking of those of a "Cryto-Klansman". "How can he casually evoke a practice that was used

12th District Number of Voters in the District

Wards	No of voters.
3	7,370
4	4,192
5	1,178
11	1,266
12	1,475
14	11,948
15	9,213
16	20,640
17	3,277
20	21,565
22	1,518
23	6,973

Total 86,735

Race %:

Black 64%

Hispanic 11%

White 25%

Boundaries

Dorchester to Larimie, 47th to the Stevenson Expressway

against black people for two centuries with impunity, by whites hiding beneath hoods and robes? And even his allusion to U.S. Senator Carol Moseley Braun is not only not germane to my assertion, but inappropriate.

There were no other black women in that race to serve the purpose of helping Alan Dixon remain in office. Moseley Braun won, in part due to a backlash among women voters.

Anderson contends that Molaro's tenure in office has been ineffectual as far as meaningful legislation applies. He said that "unless you're a corpse Molaro has shown little concern for improving the lot of those who are alive and residing in this particular district."

Andrew Young

Demonstrating his confidence in the Congressional Candidate Dorothy Tillman and Young both Mayor and former United Nations Secretary General Andrew Young will be in Chicago for the 7th Congressional District for the Atlanta '96, the community and human rights for everyone, education, economic security, housing and health care for seniors.

The following is an itinerary of the day:
9:30 a.m. Breakfast in Oak Park Carlton Hotel

VOTE Hybrid ballot Harold Washington Democratic Party or Harold Washington -Republican Party.

State's Attorney

Lawrence C. Redmond, Jr.

Punch 160

- * Pro Bona Criminal Defense Attorney.
- * Veteran U. E. Air Force.
- * Published Author.
- * Specialist in Computer Science.

Clerk of the Circuit Court

Marc Loveless

Punch 170

- * Public Policy Analyst and Community activist for 15 years.
- Endorsed by
- * Independent Voter of Illinois-Independent Precinct Organization (IVI-IPO).
- * The Committee.
- * Personal PAC.
- * ACORN & AFL-CIO 880.

Recorder of Deeds

Brenda Hernandez Frias

Punch 162

- * Volunteer to assist battered women.
- Endorsed by
- * Harold Washington Party.
- Education
- * Roosevelt University.

State Senator

12th Legislative District

Glenn B. Wharton

Punch 117

- * Supported of education reform and Citizen involvement at all levels of government.

Elect Marian E.

PERKINS

Judge 5th Sub-Circuit "A"

PUNCH 276

Experience

- *Assistant State's Attorney of Cook County, Criminal Prosecutions Bureau; A Senior Supervisor with the Child Support Enforcement Division.
- *Tried over 450 criminal & civil cases
- *Legal Counsel - TNT Family Reunion T-Shirts
- Legal Advisor - Black Child Journal
- *Pro Bona lawyer for the Cook County Bar Association Community Law Project - Award Recipient in 1988 & 1989
- *Legislative Intern - City of Chicago under the Harold Washington Administration



PUNCH 276

Community Service

- *One of the Founders and First President-Young Adult Board of the DuSable Museum, Benefit Committee-Muntu Dance Theatre, Board member of the South Side Community Art Center, Member of Delta Sigma Theta, Inc. - a PublicServiceSorority, Past board member & crisis counselor for Deborah's Place, Operation PUSH, Mentor-Chicago H. S. Students-"Law Day" Celebration.

IF YOU DO NOT VOTE

1. YOU CANNOT COMPLAIN WHEN YOU HAVE NO FOOD STAMPS
2. YOU CANNOT COMPLAIN WHEN YOUR MEDICARE AND MEDICAID ARE TAKEN AWAY
3. DON'T COMPLAIN WHEN THEY CUT HOUSING SUBSIDIES 100 MILLION DOLLARS AND 46% ARE SENIORS.
4. DON'T COMPLAIN WHEN YOUR SCHOOLS ARE OVER CROWDED.
5. DON'T COMPLAIN WHEN MORE PRISONS ARE BUILT THAN SCHOOLS.
6. DON'T COMPLAIN WHEN TAXES ARE RAISED.
7. DON'T COMPLAIN WHEN THEY RAISE YOUR LIGHT AND GAS BILLS
8. DON'T COMPLAIN WHEN THEY RAISE THE COST OF PARKING TICKETS.
9. DON'T COMPLAIN WHEN YOU HAVE NO ENERGY ASSISTANCE
10. DON'T COMPLAIN WHEN YOUTH HAVE NO SUMMER JOBS AND ADULTS HAVE NO JOBS.

VOTE FOR INTERGRITY, COMPASSION & FAIRNESS

VOTE DEMOCRATIC TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 1996

Paid for by the Committee to Elect Marian E. Perkins

Endorsements: State Rep. Lovana "Lou" Jones, Ald. Madeline Haithcock - 2nd Ward, Women's Committee For Quality Representation, Lu Palmer, Eddie Read, BIPO, Rev. Tyrone Crider, Father Darryl James, Rev. James Demus Rev. B. Herbert Martin, and Rev. Karl Wilson, Illinois Committee for Honest Government; "Soul" State; African American Chronicle Newspaper, South Street Journal

South Street Journal Endorsements

After much consideration and debate the South Street Journal Advisory Board has prepared a list of endorsements for the March 19th election. These endorsements should serve as a guide for the voters in the Mid-South community. In making endorsement selections the board voted on the candidates they believed would best serve the community.

South Street Journal's responsibility to its readers dictates the direction the paper takes and informing them of the political process is part of that responsibility. It is clear that a community, even a progressive, driven community can be stifled by ineffective leadership. The challenge is not in telling the truth but in getting the truth.

South Street Journal Advisory Board Endorsements

For United States Senator

Dr. J. Ahmad - It is time to reflect a different style of politicians. His agenda on Affirmative Action is conducive to the needs of this community and his nationality gives him a broader view on global issues. His work in the medical field give him a background that would indicate a lean towards peace not only in this country but worldwide. In the midst of career politicians, he reflects a new perspective.

For representative in Congress

Bobby L. Rush - His is a proven aggressive spokesperson for

the common person. He has been on the side of the people during his entire political career. Astute in his political maneuvering, he has gained great strides in public service. Rush has been noted for his many accomplishments, as a seasoned politician he has always served the interest of the wave of the community.

For State Senator

Congratulations to Barack Obama after getting off to a rocky start, he has prevailed and is now running unopposed.

For Representative in the General Assembly No Reponse - No Endorsements

For the General Assembly

Margeret Smith has been instrumental in the campaign to Restore Bronzeville. Smith has been working closely with community organization in the area to secure money to renovate the Armory.

For State Senate

12th District - No Endorsements

The district was mapped up in order to ensure representation for African-Americans, however with three

candidates running it is our consensus that these should realize what is at stake. The redistricting was to broaden the scale for increased rep in the st of ILL. The mission to serve the district is jeopardized by the use candidates who refuse to acknowledge their diminished chance of victory. It is our call that someone should step down.

For Judge of the Circuit Court - Cook\ County Judicial Subcircuit Fifth Subcircuit

A Slot Marion E. Perkins - Marion Perkins - Her integrity, compassion and fairness has been demonstrated in her hands on approach to community involvement.

B Slot Karen Brazil Brashears - A South Street Journal Advisory Board member, Brazil-Brashears has demonstrated unwavering commitment to the community. Her work with Project LEAP as well as her accessibility to the community has made her a familiar face in Mid-South. She has practiced law for over 17 years and has extensive experience in litigation all the way to the Illinois Supreme Court level.

C Slot Chanon Lena Williams knows the community raised in the community. Her expertise in equal opportunity and human rights makes her a viable candidate for this office.

Letters to the Editor

Why I Endorse Dorothy Tillman For Congress

Dear Editor;

All politics are local, therefore, I am taking the time in this SSJ column to officially endorse the candidacy of 3rd Ward Alderman Dorothy Tillman for Congress in the 7th Congressional District. This endorsement is personal and does not reflect a political position from the Black Metropolis Convention & Tourism Council.

There are several qualified candidates in the race that I respect as effective politicians. I would be mistaken if I supported politicians who I have never been involved with as a voter. As a resident of the 3rd Ward, which unfortunately was gerrymandered out of the 1st Congressional District to accommodate the creation of a Hispanic Congressional District, I have an obligation to support my local elected official.

Although Alderman Tillman and I differ on issues of political accountability to her constituency, she has always made herself available to dialog on these issues. I have known Dorothy personally way before she became an elected official. Tillman was in the forefront of the battle for education reform at Mollison School at 44th and King Drive. Throughout her political career she has never been involved in taking money for corruption and or illegal activities.

Sometimes Tillman can be abrasive and aggressive on local political issues. Consequently, we have had our debates over accountability from her as a public elected official. There is no doubt in my mind that Dorothy Tillman is

dedicated to the people of the Third Ward and we love her for her dedication to the grassroots community. Her annual Roots Festival is the best blues festival in the city. Last year she came out at my request and supported the 43rd Street Blues Festival sponsored by the Mid-South Planning & Development Commission.

Once elected to Congress, we would hope that our beloved Alderman would take a broader view of development issues as they relate to the development of the Black Metropolis Historic District as an International Heritage Tourism Destination.

Hopefully from the halls of Congress, Alderman Tillman will fight for parity of resources on House Bill HR2579 that calls for the creation of a National Tourism Board and organization.

African American support of that bill should reflect a set-aside provision that would provide financial resources so we can continue to develop our Heritage Tourism initiative in Bronzeville.

Those Congressional resources along with Empowerment Zone dollars could help to develop the Lou Rawls Cultural Center on Tobacco Road at 47th Street. State and Federal resources should also support a 43rd Street Blues District anchored by the Black Metropolis Forum building commercial enterprise and a historically renovated upscale Tyson Hotel at 43rd and King Drive, to accommodate visitors and tourist interested in an authentic African American cultural experience.

Harold Lucas

An Open Letter To The Republican Presidential Candidates

Dear Editor'

Yesterday, in South Carolina the Republican presidential candidates held one of their 1996 primary debates. In that debate, the candidates were asked about flying the confederate flag over the Georgia Capitol. Patrick Buchanan responded by saying that the flag did not fly over slavery, but was a symbol of honor and courage in battle. He then said that if the civil rights community can sing "We Shall Overcome" then there is nothing wrong with singing "Dixie."

That position may be expected from Pat Buchanan, in South Carolina, as he is making crude racial and religious appeals a centerpiece of his presidential campaign. That is why he has the support of Lester Maddox and David Duke. However, all of the other candidates on the stage with him remained silent or gave tacit approval. When the others say that this is a matter for these states to decide, they are giving tacit approval to Mr. Buchanan's statements.

Let us be clear, "Dixie" is not the moral equivalent of "We Shall Overcome." One symbolizes legal apartheid, the other symbolizes overcoming legal apartheid. The confederate flag and "Dixie" divided us along lines of race. "We Shall Overcome" united a majority of Americans across racial, religious and economic lines. The confederate flag and "Dixie" are seen around the world as symbols of a shameful past. "We Shall Overcome" is sung everywhere around the world in freedom, equal rights and democracy struggles about a hopeful future.

"Dixie" and the confederate flag are symbolic of a racist and anti-Semitic South. The confederate flag is loaded with official racism, anti-Semitism, sexism, anti-worker and anti-voting rights symbolism. The decision by the other presidential candidates to remain silent is to allow false southern pride to continue to exist because of false southern political fears. If there is a "New South" - as all the presidential candidates say, and, as I believe there is -- then it must be appealed to politically by candidates of conviction and courage. representatives of the New South cannot remain silent in the face of a brazen attempt to resurrect the "Old South!"

For the other candidates to respond to Pat Buchanan's over racial, political appeals by saying that these are matters of state's rights, if to pull the cover off the real Republican agenda with regard to returning block

grants to the states, and with regard to the weakening or the elimination of federal standards. States' rights is a throwback to state's wrongs. After all, the "Old South" had much to do with making such federal standards necessary in the first place.

There is a new South. The "New South" allowed Jimmy Carter and Bill Clinton to rise and lead all of the American people-something the "Old South" could never have done. The "New South" allowed economic investment and growth. The "New South" allowed economic investment and growth. The "New South" brought with it the 1996 Olympic Games, and the Atlanta Braves, Hawks and Falcons; the New Orleans Saints; and the Charlotte Hornets and Carolina Panthers. They would never have come to the old Buchanan South.

The "New South" has helped the South, the nation and the nation's image in the world. Buchanan's confederate flag and Dixie would help to unravel those gains.

Pat Buchanan likes to talk about his boyhood. That is all well and good. But I had a boyhood too. That boyhood was in Greenville, South Carolina, where my father went off to fight the Germans and Nazism in the name of democracy, but when he returned home he did not have the right to vote. One Christmas, when I was home from college, I wanted to use the Greenville public library but was denied because of my race. My daddy was called "boy" and my mother was called "girl." We had to drink out of a "colored" water fountain, be served out of the back of the cafe by the road, and sit in the back of the bus while paying the same fare to ride. In whose name was this done? The symbol of all this? The confederate flag and "Dixie!"

We need conviction and leadership from those in the Republican party who would be president of all Americans, to match the conviction and leadership that Pat Buchanan is giving through his appeal to the old confederacy. Neither Pat Buchanan, nor his racist appeal should be taken lightly.

We do not need the election of 1996 to be a repeat of a Supreme Court decision in 1896, where a conservative and racist Court turned back the clock on racial progress. Such a repetition is not inevitable, but the challenge must be met head on with strong moral leadership.

This letter is a moral appeal to all the Republican presidential candidates to step up to the place of racial, gender and worker grievances, and hit a home for racial, gender and worker justice, freedom and civility everywhere.

In peace and justice,
Rev. Jesse Jackson

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Candidates Support For Affirmative Action at Liberty Baptist

Photo by Owen M. Lawson III
Danny Davis (R), Candidate for Congressional in the 7th district and Pat Quinn announced their opposition to a law suit recently filed by Republican lawmakers that would end all Affirmative action programs in Illinois. The announcement was made during recent joint news conference at Liberty 49th and King Dr.



Redmond Warns Of Abusive Prosecutors

Commenting on the recent spate of initiatives designed to undercut the rights of citizens in criminal proceedings, Larry Redmond, the Harold Washington Party candidate for Cook County State's Attorney, warned that the people of this county must beware who they pick as prosecutor.

Referring to two bills recently introduced in Springfield by ex-Will County prosecutor Edward Petka, Redmond said, "The first is designed to undercut the availability and the effectiveness of relief granted by the post-conviction statute. The second is designed to remove the ability to introduce evidence of innocence after a criminal conviction. As a state representative, Petka is doing nothing more than perpetuating his invidious scheme of herding young minority men into the state's prison system."

Redmond pointed out that Cook County States Attorney Jack O'Malley contributed to this scheme in his recently-announced initiative to replace judges who have been elected

by the people with political hacks appointed by the Executive branch under the guise of merit selection.

Taken together, these initiatives serve to undercut the rights of all citizens. "Hungry for safer streets and neighborhoods, the American people have fallen victim to political rhetoric promising law and order," Redmond said. "We have been led to believe that criminals have all the rights, and we close our eyes when we see those rights being chipped away."

Redmond went on to say that criminals have only those rights that all citizens have. "In an attempt to cut back those rights to snare criminals, we are really only snaring ourselves. These measures make it easy for unscrupulous prosecutors to convict any individual accused of a crime and then hamstring that individual's efforts to prove his innocence." Redmond warned, "this trend must be fought, because state's attorneys have a duty to pursue the truth, not merely to amass

convictions."

Redmond noted that neither Jack O'Malley nor Richard Devine, the Democratic Party candidate for Cook County State's Attorney, have the strength of conviction to resist this erosion of individual rights. "One need only look at O'Malley's record in office to see his complete lack of regard for the rights of the citizens of Cook County," Redmond said, referring to O'Malley's handling of the Gould, Guillen and Hill cases.

"As for Dick Devine," Redmond continued, "consider his involvement as First Assistant State's Attorney under Richard Daley in the John Burge case and, more recently, his involvement as lead counsel in the Ward Remap case. He's a cold-blooded hired gun with no regard for the rightness or wrongness of the cases he takes. He is not the kind of man the people of Cook County want exercising discretion in criminal cases."

Loveless Guest On Talk Radio

Mark Loveless, Harold Washington Party candidate for Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County will be a guest on WVON Deborah Crable show on Monday, March 18th.

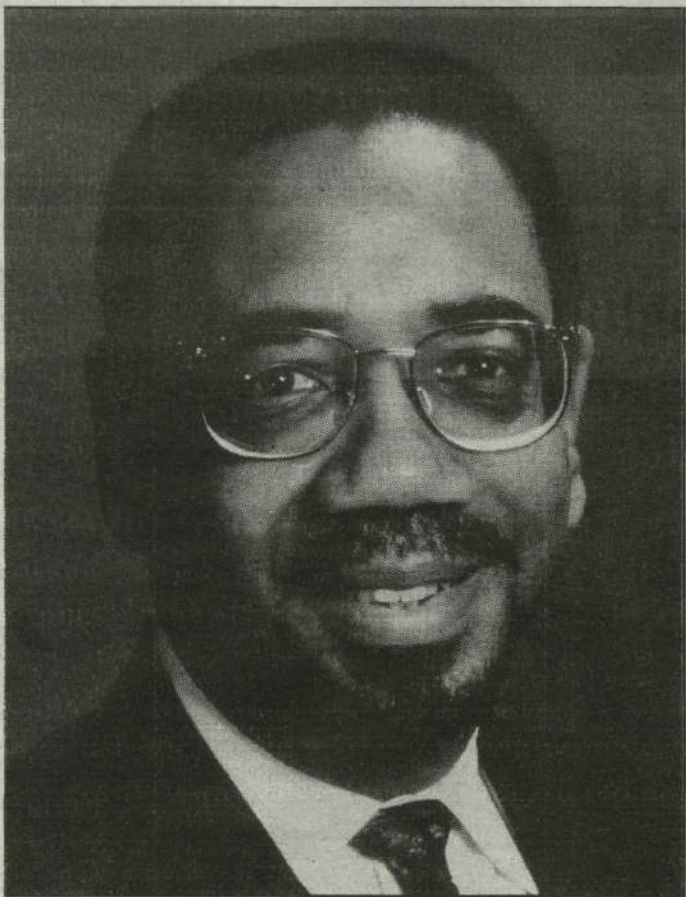
Loveless will explain how voters can double their voting power in both either the Harold Washington - Democratic Party ballot or the Harold

Washington - Republican Party ballot. "The Harold Washington Party ballot is pink, the Democratic Party ballot is green, and the Republican Party ballot is yellow. If a voter asks for a Democratic-Harold Washington Party, the ballot pages will be green except the center will pink. If all the pages in your ballot

are the same color, you are only participating in one primary and issues in this election.

Loveless the recipient of the 1996 Activist of the Year presented by the Greater Chicago Committee has been endorsed by Independent Voters of Illinois - Independent Precinct Organization, The Committee, a Black Lesbian and Gay Political Action Committee.

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A Leader Who Fights For Our Community

Committeeman Bobby Rush led the fight for justice in the Joseph Gould case.

Committeeman Bobby Rush fought relentlessly to provide relief for the elderly during the 1995 heat wave.

Committeeman Bobby Rush organized a fire victims' relief fund for residents of the Lake Grove Village Apartments earlier this year, in January.

Committeeman Bobby Rush is committed to empowering people through voter registration. He was appointed the National Director of Voter Registration for the Clinton-Gore campaign in 1992. For the 1996 upcoming primary election,

Committeeman Bobby Rush sponsored a voters' registration drive in the 2nd Ward that led the city-with over 3,000 new registered voters.

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Re-Elect Bobby Rush
2nd Ward Committeeman.

Bobby RUSH



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Judicial Slate

A panel of community organizations which include the following have recommended the candidates listed below. While individual organizations may have selected other candidates to recommend for the same offices, these candidates represent the selection of a collective body and the majority of votes. On March 19, we ask that you go to the polls and vote for the candidates which appear below. We gratefully acknowledge the participation of the National Political Congress of Black Women, Southwest Association for Community Action, African American Police League, Task Force for Black Political Empowerment, Illinois Association of Minorities in Government, Dixmoor Park District Police, Afro-American Fire Fighters Association, Concerned Black Fire Fighters, Amer-I-Can Illinois, Inc. and the South Street Journal.

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DuSable Museum Cinema Series Pays Tribute To Women's History Month

In honor of the celebration of "Women's History Month" the DuSable Museum of African American History's Black Cinema Series will present an outstanding line-up of films during the month of March, will pay tribute to women. The films will be shown at the museum located at 57th and Cottage

Grove Avenue in Chicago's Washington Park. On Thursday, March 14, at 7:00 p.m., "I Am Somebody" a film about 400 poorly paid Black women hospital workers in Charleston, South Carolina who went on strike to demand union recognition and wage increases only to find themselves in a confrontation with the National Guard; and "What Could You Do With A Nickel," the inspiring story 200 Black and Hispanic women employed by the City of New York, who joined together in 1078 to form the first

domestic workers union. On Thursday, March 21 at 7:00 p.m., a trio of films including: directors Camille Billops and James Hatch's "Older Women and Love" which deals with a humorous look at social altitudes towards relationships; "Sisters In The Life: First Love" the story of a 30-something Black lesbian who falls in love with her best friend, and "Land Where My Father Died" director Daresha Kyi's story of two lovers who are both the children of alcoholics.

MEET DOROTHY TILLMAN



MOTHER - Fighting and winning to successfully raise five kids in Chicago Public Schools. All are in or have completed college.

CIVIL RIGHTS ACTIVIST -- Fighting and winning for voting rights while serving under Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. She continues to fight for justice and equality for the poor and disadvantaged.

ALDERMAN -- Fighting and winning to reverse decades of decline in the Third Ward. She generated over \$25 million of investments for housing and economic development.

CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS

Dorothy Tillman is ready and willing to take her fight to Washington to counter the efforts of Newt Gingrich and the Republicans.

To Fight and Win...

FOR FAMILIES: affordable and dependable child care - Welfare reform - An end to drugs and violence in our neighborhoods - Fair housing - Affordable health care - Quality services for seniors.

FOR EDUCATION: Adequate funding for quality education - Student loans for college - Vocational training

FOR JOBS: Leveraging public investments to stimulate job creation - Fostering entrepreneurship - Increasing the minimum wage.

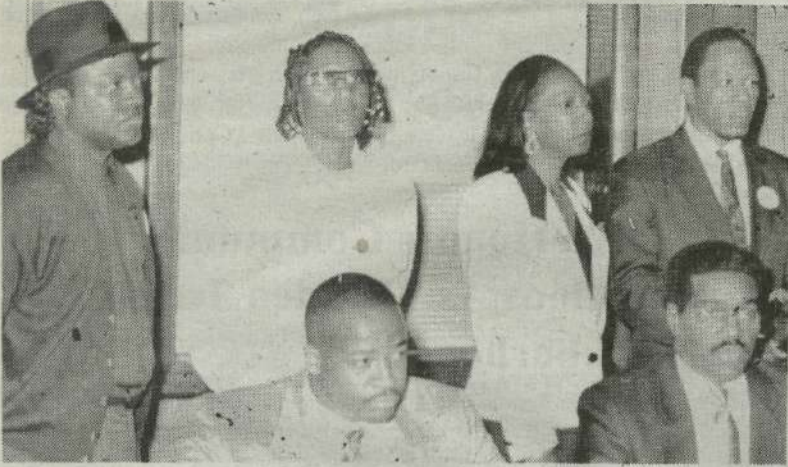
It's not enough to be right,
you have to know how to fight!

ON MARCH 19th

VOTE DEMOCRATIC AND PUNCH #30

ELECT TILLMAN FOR CONGRESS --

A FIGHTER FOR YOU!



You can count on the all news radio stations for better political coverage than the local TV news shows.

Chicago's talk radio programs provide an excellent venue for listening, and learning about politics. It is interesting to hear the different opinions of local and global politics. One disappointing aspect of talk radio is you do not have a large number of young African Americans calling to give their opinions. The vast majority of young African American are evidently listening to all music radio stations.

Years ago the black music radio stations gave their listener's news and commentary. When you

listened to the news and commentary begin to learn about politics in Chicago. Today's black music radio stations jam more hits in the ear than anyone can handle. The music is so hypnotic, so mind numbing it can mentally make you lose the desire to deal with reality. At this point you have no use for news and politics.

It takes a real effort to familiarize your self with all the candidates on the March primary. There are so many candidates to choose from, and everyone would like to pick a winner. The voting age public needs candidates to win and actually get things done while their in office. Politics in Chicago is not like it was

when you could get a chicken, ham, or a job for your political participation. Today's younger voters want to see tangible benefits for their votes.

The benefits of voting should be based on the needs of the voter. If you want younger African Americans to vote, go find out exactly where are their needs and concerns. Young African Americans need a good political education. One way to educate them is to use the Steve Forbes approach.

Getting the Younger Voter Out

Will younger African Americans come to out to vote in the March primary.

Your guest is as good as mine. Up to a few years ago you could count on the local television news programs to provide daily reports on the Chicago political seen. Now the local news shows are consumed with national headlines, extended weather, and sports reports. The Chicago newspapers can keep you abreast of local politics, but how many young African Americans read the newspapers for the political news.

Chicago all news radio stations provide ample coverage of local, national, and international politics.

Chanon Lena Williams has 16 years of practice as an equal rights trial attorney. Chanon Lena is a respected expert in employment discrimination and labor law.

Chanon Lena grew up on 37th and Prairie in Chicago. She graduated from Wendell Phillips High School; received a Bachelor's Degree from the University of Illinois-Chicago; and her Juris Doctor from De Paul University College of Law.

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Chanon Lena Williams

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Wards of The 5th Subcircuit

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Parts of Wards: 2, 6, 7, 11, 15, 16, & 17

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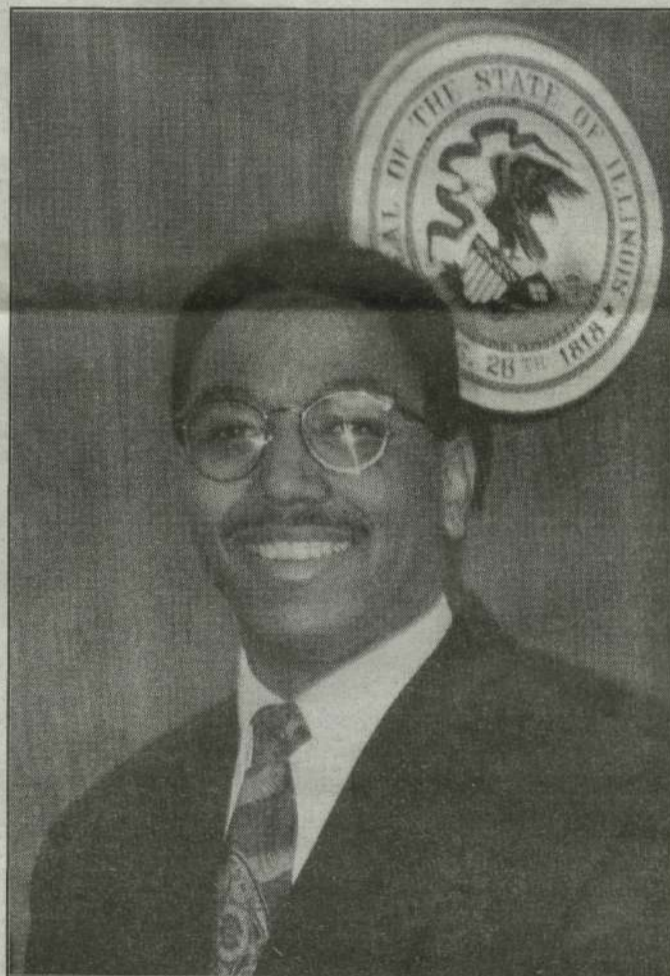
*Legislative
District!*

BACKGROUND:

- *Raised in the 12th Legislative District
- *United States Air Force Veteran, 1983-1991
- *University of Nevada, UNLV, B. S.
- *Golden Gate University, J.D.
- *Assistant State's Attorney

COMMITTED TO:

- *Ensuring that the 12th District receives its share of the millions of dollars allocated by the state each year.
- *Fighting for more funding for education and vocational training.
- *Sponsoring legislation for affordable health care.
- *Creating programs which allow for redeveloping and rehabilitating of our vacant land and abandoned buildings.
- *Protecting affirmative action programs so that all people can have an equal opportunity to succeed.



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On March 19, 1996

**Vote Anderson
for State Senate - 12th
District**

Environmental- talist Give Rush A Thumbs Up

Washington, D.C. - U. S. Representative Bobby L. Rush (D-IL-1st)

is an "Environmental Hero" according to the League of Conservation Voters (LCV). Rush earned a score of 92 on LCV's annual National Environmental Scorecard which rates the voting records of Members of Congress. The scorecard, released this month, reflects lawmakers'

commitment to national environmental policies. Twenty-seven mainstream environmental groups identified key votes in the House and Senate during the 1st session of the 104th Congress. In the House, lawmakers were evaluated on 12 votes on issues ranging from funding for

renewal energy to closings of national parks. Rush was one of only four House members from Illinois to earn a score of 90 or more. LCV was founded by leaders of the Environmental movement fol-

lowing the first Earth Day. It is the only group that works full-time on national environmental politics. Rush is currently seeking reelection for U.S. Congress and as 2nd Ward Committeeman.

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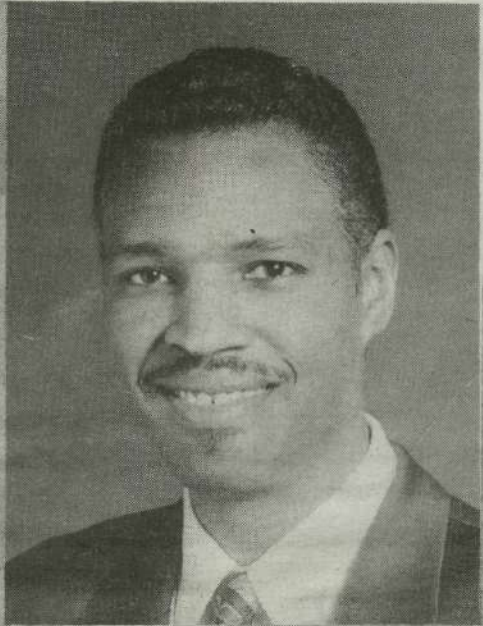
Re-Elect

Howard Kenner

State Representative

24th Legislative District

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Jewel-Osco Honors Community Organizations As "Hidden Jewels Of The Neighborhood"

Jewel-Osco recently introduced the Hidden Jewels of the Neighborhood program, to honor community organizations that are making a positive impact on community life. The 1996 honorees, Chicago Roseland Coalition for Community Control, West Englewood United Organization, Westside Association for Community Action and the Ada S. McKinley Educational Services, were recognized at a recent awards reception.

A new Jewel-Osco community relations program, Hidden Jewels of the Neighborhood recognizes the accomplishments of organizations with emphasis on those making contributions in the areas of family, health, nutrition,

education and empowerment. The selected organizations may not have received the spotlight of public attention, but their work is well known in the community.

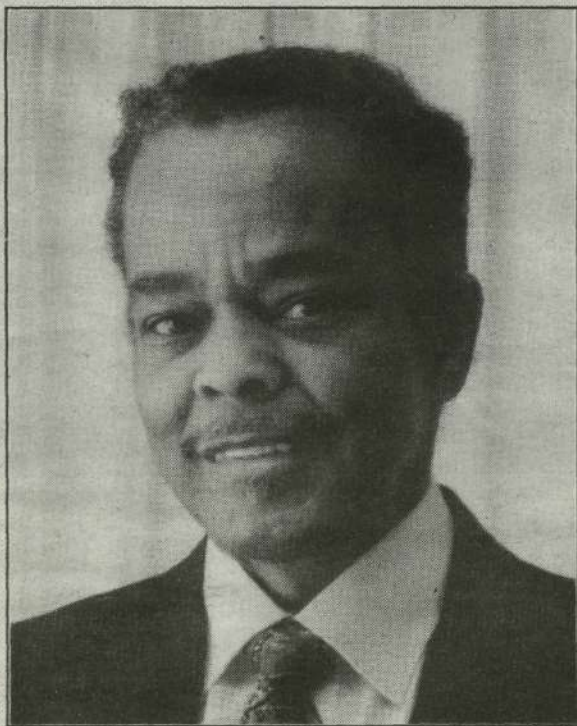
"Too often community programs and outreach services struggle or fail due to lack of recognition and support," said Dianne Maffia, Jewel-Osco director of public relations. "Jewel-Osco developed this program to provide recognition and financial support to organizations that provide a direct benefit to their respective communities."

In addition to a cash donation, each organization we featured in a weekly Jewel-Osco newspaper ad and radio spot.



Pictured left to right: Dianne Maffia, director of public relations, Jewel-Osco; Willie Lomax, executive director, Westside Association for Community Action; and Silas Purnell, executive director, Ada S. McKinley Educational Services.

What People Are Saying About 1st Congressional District Democratic Candidate



Caleb Davis, Jr.

QUALIFIED CANDIDATE!

Education: Governors State University MBA 1974-1976, Northwestern University Bachelor of Philosophy, Major: Mathematics 1957-1961, John Marshall Law School 1961-1962, Tennessee State University 1952-1954, Melrose High School Memphis, TN.

Business & Professional Activities: Phi Delta Kappa Professional Fraternity, Board of Director, Accountax, Inc., 1967-1985, Board of Director, Continental American Realty 1979-1982.

Civic Activities: Carter Temple CME Church Steward, Early Morning Prayer Warrior Missionary, NAACP Life Membership, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. Life Membership,

International Who's Who In Education 1979.

Current Position: Mom Bettie's Premium Homemade Ice Cream Co., Real Estate & Insurance 1987-Present.

Past Work Experience: Teacher-Chicago Board of Education 1985-1994, Training Specialist City Colleges of Chicago 1983-1987, Instructor/Dept. Chairman Central YMCA Community College 1971-1982, Accountant Washington, Pittman and McKeever 1969-1971, Civil Engineer City of Chicago 1959-1971, City Letter Clerk United States Post Office 1954-1959, Who's Who In The Midwest 16th (1978-89) & 17th Editions (1980-81).

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Take Note

By Beverly A. Reed

I hope you all got a chance to get over to DuSable and check out her royal badness Nikki G....She really set folks on fire and the place was packed.

The **Full Moon Poets** are working the scene.... look for them at your favorite haunt next time the moon is full.

Virda Jean Towns-Collins won an honorable mention for her poetry in the Black Pearl Poetry Contest....Congrats.

Speaking of former women of the word.....**Sharon Warner** has a piece in another publication something bout folks exhalin.....check it out.

The Sutherland got it going on.....SCAI was awarded big buck to do arts stuff on 47th.....you go **Malachi**.

Hey **Marian Hayes** when you gone come teach us how to make quilts down here in Mid-South.

Looks like **Malik Yusef** is as good a father as he is a poet.

Looks like **Q** is as good a photographer as he is a poet.

Looks like **Sporty King** is as good a motivational speaker as he is a poet.

The **Cotton Club** has poetry

every Tuesday night complete with open mike.

DuSable Museum has poetry every 2nd Wednesday complete with open mike.

WordSongs is looking for poets to participate in a special segment of its Festival of Poetry next month; call 924-0461 & leave a message for yours truly.

James Anyike is on the radio WSSD 88.1FM every Wednesday night from 8pm til 10:00 pm.....let's support the brother.

Check out **Marva Jolly's** fabulous creations on display at First Chicago-Stony Island Branch, if you had doubts about your connection to the earth, they'll vanish.....If you go **Friday the 22nd** you will also catch some poetry from 6:00 till 7:30pm

Thursday, **March 28** DuSable Museums, Black Independent Cinema Series will conclude with a showing of "A Litany for Survival: The Life and Work of **Audre Lorde**"

If you have something to tell your fellow artists do it here; **Arts Stuff; SSJ, 4500 So. Michigan Ave. 60653**

One In A Million

For all there is a warning hidden inside their deep black skins

To whom it may concern: there is a message far away and has yet to be found

For we had yet to be adapted to a different habitat and face horrible obstacles

For we all thought life was not worth living, surviving, but now we know life is one in a million

Through our depth journey we traveled, struggled, and strived

We have yet to know overcoming is ONE IN A MILLION!

This Poem was written by Joseph Pritchard Mollison School, Seventh Grade, 12 years old

Nikki Giovanni at DuSable Museum

photo by Owen M. Lawson III

In honor of Womens History Month, award Winning poet Nikki Giovanni read from her works last Friday at the DuSable Museum of African-American History. Ms. Giovanni talked about the writers who influenced her unique style and the personal experiences that shaped her view of the world. Speaking to a packed house, she entertained, educated and enlightened her captive audience. She also read from her African-American centered childrens story which was dedicated to vocalist Nina Simone. After the event Ms. Giovanni signed copies of her latest collection, which includes the previously published selections, "Cotton Candy on a Rainy Day" and "Ego Tripping".



Chicago's Own T'Keyah Chrystal Keymah Stars in "The Show" on Fox

T'Keyah Crystal Keymah, (pronounced Ta-Kee-ah Kristle Kee Mah). A quiEt storm, best known for her ubiquitous work on the Emmy Award winning comedy, In Living Color. She won many fans with stunning impressions.

Currently, Keymah is in production for Fox's new sitcom, The Show. In the ensemble comedy, she plays Denise Everett, a clever, earthy, sketch comedy writer.



She has taught theatre, dance, and pantomime, working in many of Chicago's renowned theaters such as The Goodman, Court and ETA.

In her own one-woman show, Some Of My Best Friends: A Collection of characters Speaking in Verse & Prose, Keymah tours the country taking the form of eleven different characters. This critically acclaimed show garnered her NAACP Theatre Awards for Best Actress and Best Play. T'Keyah was also nominated for an NAACP Theatre Award for Best Actress for her portrayal of Tanya, in The Five Heartbeats!

T'Keyah Crystal Keymah enriches her busy life with charitable work and writing. Currently she is involved with My Good Friend, an organization that pairs celebrities with teenage cancer patients. Whenever she can, Keymah works on both a health/fitness book and a children's book she hopes to complete in time for Kwanzaa.

Maya Angelou Keynotes "An Expo For Today's Black Woman" Gala 96

Preeminent author and poet Dr. Maya Angelou will deliver the keynote address at "An Expo For Today's Black Woman" GALA 96, Thursday, March 28. The theme of the event is "A Call to Lift Every Voice."

Sharing the evening with Maya Angelou will be singer-composer-musician, Oleta Adams. The event will be held at Hyatt Regency Chicago, 151 E. Wacker Dr. Hosts for the evening will be Diann Burns and Cheryl Burton of WLS-TV and V-103 morning man Tom Joyner. The reception is at 6:00pm; dinner at 7:00pm. Tickets are \$100.00 per person.

The nation's leading exposition for women of African descent will be held March 29-31 at McCormick Place East, 23rd Street & Lake Shore Drive. Tickets are \$8 general admission; \$5 for seniors and children under 13, and a reduced \$3 ticket for students on Friday only.

"We are pleased to present this annual expo in celebration of the aspirations and achievements of women of African descent," said Don Moore, general manager, WVAZ Radio.

Additions to the Expo include a Kids Pavilion and a Hip Hop Pavilion in addition to a Women's Health and a Job Recruitment Pavilion.

A gathering place for writers, lecturers, educators, and stateswomen, highlights include Attorney Carl Douglas from the law offices of Johnnie Cochran, activist/author Tony Brown, Ben Chavis, National African American Leadership Summit, Archbishop Stallings, Imani Temple, actress Tempestt Bledsoe and author E. Lynn Harris.

For information on Gala 96 and the Expo, call Merry Green Promotions Group at 312-913-9334.



"An Expo for Today's Black Woman" Creator, Merry Green (r) poses with advisory board member Ald. Dorothy Tillman

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The Journey Within..... It's Time To Clean House

This is the time of the year for the annual spring cleaning of the planet earth and the human body which is often called the temple of God. It is inconceivable to think that there are still people going around talking about how much they love God and yet they never, if ever take the time to clean their temples. Can you imagine entertaining a deity in an unclean house? Who wants to be entertained in a dirty, filthy physical house? It's time to get back to the basics. Grandma made sure that we kept the temple(body) clean, because every spring she would give us herbs and/or castor oil in order to move the poisons out of our body so that they wouldn't resettle and cause us problems when we got older. However, some of us swore that when we became grown, we would never, ever take castor oil as long as we lived. Of course, our knowledge of the cycles of the universe in relation to our physical cycles was quite limited. We have

acquired a vast amount of book knowledge and yet have little or no knowledge of self because in essence, self-knowledge is the only true knowledge. Book knowledge is only glorified job training. We must begin to learn about our bodies so that we can survive the onslaught of pesticides and pollutants and such. Our bodies are marvelous machines as our existence can attest. We must learn the body cleansing times, and which herbs to do what. During spring, mother nature starts the cleaning process within our bodies by stirring up the toxins in our liver and pancreas, which causes us to feel sluggish (spring fever) and grandma knew just what to do and how to move the toxins out. Cleanse and rebuild and as the bible states, "be wise as serpents and harmless as doves", and what does a serpent or snake do, he sheds his skin every year and in humans this makes for a new heaven and a new earth. Matanah

Mystery Writer Dr. Robert O. Greer To Speak In Hyde Park

Robert Greer, a professor of pathology, medicine, surgery, and dentistry at the University of Colorado, will read from and sign copies of his debut novel, *The Devil's Hatband*, on Thursday, March 21st at 7:30 p.m. at 57th Street Books, 1301 E. 57th Street in Hyde Park. Dr. Greer's appearance is sponsored by 57th Street Books and the Seminary Co-op Bookstore, and is free and open to the public. *The Devil's Hatband* features CJ Floyd, the only African American bail bondsman and bounty hunter in Denver. CJ is a character Booklist calls "the archetypal lone-wolf American private eye...smart, tough, principled, and complex in the best Philip Marlowe tradition." When Brenda Mathison, a member of an ultra-radical environmental group calling itself *The Grand River Tribe*, is found murdered in her kitchen, strangled to death with a three-foot length of barbed wire

(the devil's hatband), CJ is drawn into a complex case involving eco-zealots, irate and headstrong ranchers, and a plot to wipe out the country's entire cattle says "Robert Greer knows Denver--every nuance and neighborhood--and he delivers this intriguing debut novel with wit, style, and a native's inspiration." In addition to his medical practice and research, Robert Greer is the founder and editor of the acclaimed literary journal *the High Plains Literary Review*. His short fiction has been published in many journals and magazines. He and his wife divide their time between Denver and a ranch near Steamboat Springs where he raises Black Baldy cattle. Join us for an evening with one of the nation's rising stars in the mystery genre at 57th Street Books, 1301 E. 57th Street, Chicago, IL 60637. Please call 57th Street Books, at 312-684-1300 for more information.

"Life Begins At - 40?"

By Bobbie Warren

Life is full of "new beginnings." As moments unfold into minutes, hours, into days, months, years. Those of us who are fortunate enough to recount experiences and memories can turn back the wheels of time sharing things that remind us to realize: "Life begins over, and over, and over, and -- until life ends?" So, we must remind ourselves of this, repeatedly, and continuously record our history and black heroes for our future generations to reaffirm our place in the universe. One breath of history in my life that I remember concerning our hero, A. (Asa) Phillip Randolph, powerful Founder and President of The Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters, one -- if not the first has served memberships in this country! Black or white. I did not know Mr. Randolph very long; about three months. Because my first job after graduating from Wendell Phillips High School, Chicago's south side, was with the Brotherhood, the blunders as well as rewards; my precociousness, maturing into adulthood remain with me, I am proud to say. Unfortunately, some of us never mature, regardless of age. They simply "live on." A. Phillip Randolph was very impressive looking. Not because of his good looks, but because the man simply radiated with dignity and class in a very subdued way, very gentlemanly, yet strong. The Chairman of the Brotherhood was quite the opposite of Mr. Randolph. He was Milton P. Webster. The best thing that I can say about that man (and probably the only thing that really matters) is that if I had been a Pullman Porter and happened to be black, in trouble with the threat of being fired for whatever reason, I would have loved having Mr. Webster defend me. This man was dynamite defending his Brotherhood membership, whether they were right or wrong. He had a forceful way about him in his defense and a way with words that wreaked with vengeance. Some of his effectiveness remains with me,

also. I will never forget the word, "exemporaneous;" he branded it on my mind, although, I feel, embarrassing me, unfairly. In his loud, condescending voice while dictating a brief to me (as if I was not having enough trouble with my shorthand, in answer to my query): "Do you mean to tell me you never heard the word e-x-t-e-m-p-o-r-a-n-e-o-u-s and you don't know what it means? And, you graduated from high school?"

Yes, he was quite the opposite of Mr. Randolph. I recall his disrespect that caused me to quit my job on the spot.



Talking about a swollenheaded!

I had finished my work and requested two hours of leave to attend a friend's funeral that afternoon. Mr. Webster buzzed for me to come into his office and he said to me: "Little girl, you know you can't go to all the funerals." I had never asked before and he did not ask me whose funeral I wanted to attend. Mr. Randolph and other New York office officials were sitting in Mr. Webster's office and heard what took place. I accepted his denial to my request and went back to my office, tearfully disappointed. I thought about it for a minute and packed my things, returning to Mr.

Webster's office without knocking. I told him that he was the most ignorant man I had ever known, not to mail me my check I would pick it up, walked out of the office and he was saying to me: "You better think about it. You know you have to work 'cause there's nobody but you and your mother." Without looking back I replied: "Yeah, I have to work. But after working here I know I can work any place." I made sure I slammed his door with a "bang!"

When I picked up my check on Saturday from the Executive Secretary, she told me that after I left Mr. Randolph gave Mr. Webster hell! Told him he had been very mean and unfair to me and reprimanded him severely.

Life begins at -- 40? I don't think so. I am still experiencing new beginnings. What about you? We want to know about some of your new beginnings. Write to South Street Journal and tell us. Also, most importantly; we need to: Develop our own labor unions and visit The Memorial to A. Phillip Randolph on Chicago's south side. Research The Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters, soon.

Robert Thorne and the staff at SSJ

would like to take a moment to acknowledge the passing of Tommy Sims and Aundra Williams. We extend our condolences to their families.

Although this time for you and yours seems a time of infinite sorrow Please bear in mind we're on Gods time, we can't keep we can only borrow So we'll save a space, in our hearts there's a place, a place for all tomorrows.

by Robert Harding Thorne Jr. South Street Journal

Ministers Hold Breakfast Strategy Meeting

Rev. Clay Evans, pastor of Fellowship Missionary Baptist Church, hosted a clergy breakfast, March 6, 1996. Ministers from around the city came to discuss the Shore Bank. Recently the Shore Bank acquired the Independence Bank and Drexel National Bank. Both a minority financial institution of the city's south side. Rev. Dr. Jones made opening statements in terms of the past, when churches had great difficulty obtaining financing for new church buildings, or community projects; and the present-where the churches have experienced an increase in membership. In the words of Rev. Dr. Jones "has more people than the mayor." The next two speakers,

Rev. Henry Williamson and Rev. Dr. Wilfred Reid had nothing but praise for the president of Shore Bank. They both agree Mr. Clyde A. White, Associate Pastor of Trinity United Church of Christ; a capable administrator, with a spiritual background that allows Mr. White to bring a God-centered demeanor to the office of president. However, Shore Bank was not without distractions. After a brief statement, Mr. White expressed the hope that a firm partnership could be formed between the bank, the churches and their members. Questions were generated by the audience, particularly Ms. Jeanet Wilson-Howard, who is herself a ordained minister and attorney.

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Financial Matters

Personal Finance/Real Estate Homeseekers Seminar at Harris

Chicago--A free Homeseekers Seminar will be held on Tuesday, April 9 from 5:00 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Harris Bank, 11 W. Monroe in the 8th Floor Center Assembly Room. The seminar is open to the public, but space is limited. Please call 312/461-3363 for reservations.

Attendees will learn about pre-purchase planning; establishing, maintaining and rebuilding credit; low down payment mortgage programs; and, the responsibilities and benefits of home ownership.

Harris will hold free on-site seminars on the second Tuesday of

each month through October, in addition to its regular schedule of city and suburban neighborhood seminars.

Harris was the first bank to hold on-site Homeseeker seminars. More than 300 people attended last year's series. Many went on to purchase homes.

Dearborn Homes Project Seed, A Partnership for Community Development Joint Venture



From left to right-Avis Averette, Otis Monroe, of the Monroe Foundation Dennis Muhammad, of are sharing views on joint venture as they look over a blueprint layout.

The Monroe Foundation, a not-for-profit community development agency, recently enabled The Dearborn Homes Community Development Corporation and The Muhammad Ali Community and Economic Development Corporation, obtained lines of credit from The First National Bank of Evergreen Park and The Northern Trust Company to finance a resident run business enterprise venture on the Southside.

The credit lines of over \$75,000, will enable the joint venture program between the Dearborn Homes and Muhammad Ali DevCorps. to provide jobs for over thirty (30) CHA residents.

The financing was made possible through participation in the Monroe Foundation's Project SEED (Start-up

Effort for economic Development) program, which provides minority business enterprise technical assistance planning and financing development.

Monroe Foundation President Otis Chandler Monroe, III, stated; "Project SEED is an opportunity for minority business enterprises within low-income communities to obtain technical assistance with developing business concepts, plans and obtaining financing for projects that will create jobs and encourage community development".

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47th Street Merchants Association to Meet

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Real Estate Matters



Mid-South Planning and Development Commission

Neighborhoods Coming Together... One Community United

Home Nominations for the 2nd Annual Restoring Bronzeville Historic Tour June 30, 1996

The Mid-South Planning and Development Commission (MSPDC) is taking nominations for homes to be in the 2nd Annual Restoring Bronzeville Historic House Tour. Homes must be within the boundaries of the Mid-South community which are 22nd St. to 51st St. and the Dan Ryan Expressway to Lakefront/Cottage Grove. MSPDC is looking for homes with unique features to showcase in this year's tour.

The house tour will be held Sunday, June 30, 1996 from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. If you would like to nominate your home or another home, please complete the form on this page and mail it to bring it to the Mid-South Planning and Development Commission, 4207 S. King Drive, Chicago, IL 60653 or fax it to MSPDC (fax) 924-1470.

Please call the MSPDC office at 312-924-1330 or stop by the office at 4307 S. King Dr. for more information. Nominations will be accepted until March 29, 1996.

Homeowner/s _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____

Is the owner aware of this nomination? Yes _____ No _____
Has the home previously been in a house tour? _____
If yes, when? _____

What unique feature or other aspect about this home makes it a good candidate for the Restoring Bronzeville Historic House Tour?

Nominator: _____ Phone: _____

Please include a picture of the outside and/or inside of the home if possible.

Real Estate Transactions in the Mid-South Communities

Readers: Listed below are 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 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.

Community/Address		
Woodlawn		
6111 S. Eberhart Ave., Phyllis Moore To Margaret J. Buchhalter	2-15	85,000
6342 S. Ellis, Sarah Saffolo* To Dolli Branch	2-7	95,000
6102-3W S. Dorchester, Unit 6102, Chgo, Wilfreds Developments, Inc.,	2-5	63,500
6527 S. Vernon, Lucille G. Taylor To Frank Drew & Darlene Drew	1-24	58,000
6418 S. Eberhart, Ahmad Martin dba TAB Real Estate To Richard C. Williams	1-23	110,000
6418 S. Eberhart, Stephen Nowells To Ahmad Martin	1-23	67,000
6615-6617 S. Greenwood, Annabell Graves To Randy & Deborah Alexander	1-22	79,000
5345 S. University, Robert McCarthy To Stephan R. Chaslen	1-19	625,000
6736 S. Langley, Amelia Dianne Owens Reed To Harry Bates	1-18	31,500
6104-25 S. Dorchester, Wil Fred Developments, Inc., To Katrina Mahomes	1-29	65,000
6127 S. St. Lawrence, Avondale Federal Savings Bank To Lashli Thomas	1-29	53,000
6122 S. St. Lawrence, South Holland Tr., & Sav. Bk., To Felicia Coll	1-26	45,000
Washington Park		
6728 S. Michigan Ave., Lourdes J. Wheat To Ricky D. Hawkins	2-6	78,900
5326-28 S. Indiana, Chicago Title & Trust To Mittie Nesbary	2-7	55,000
Kenwood		
4361-63 S. Greenwood, John A. Beckett,	2-6	115,000
4610 S. Drexel, Patricia Meyers To Southwest Financial Bank & Trust	1-22	235,000
4610 S. Drexel Blvd, Atlanta Life Insurance Company To Patricia Meyers	1-22	175,000
4920 S. Chicago Beach Dr., Unit 37, Indian Village Development Corp., To Marquis D. Foreman & Stephen H. Mankowski	1-18	13,500
4926 S. Blackstone, #C, Pamela S. * To J. Romaine Roberts	1-16	245,000
4800 S. Chicago Beach, Unit #610, Vilma Longley & Richard Longley to Ana Liza Abubo & Ferinad So	1-3	32,000
Hyde Park		
1215 E. 54th St., Vernon A. Miller To Charles & Leesa Albert	2-15	241,000
5424 S. East View Park., Unit 5424-2, Gerda Blackstone To Marko Dumlija	11-27	55,125
5138 S. Kenwood, #3, Claudette Morin To Wallace W. Williams	2-5	91,500
5712 S. Harper Ave., Richard T. Robertson & Vivian D. Robertson To LaSalle Bank, Tr.	1-22	229,000
5317 S. Ellis, Olga Madsen To Nancy L. Cleveland	1-22	160,000
1400 E. 55th Place, Unit 908-S, Lawrence & Judy C. Gilbert To Jess & Beth A. Williams	1-22	395,000
4920 S. Chicago Beach Dr., Unit #70, Indian Development Corp., To Kim A. Goodhard & James J. Dunn, Jr.	1-18	160,000
1401 E. 55th St., #908 N, Florence Parnes To Patricia Ziegenfuss	1-31	40,000
5110 S. Woodlawn Ave., Unit 2H, Estate of Margaret Culbreath To John W. Harbin	1-29	13,500
1700 E. 56th St., Unit 3406, 56th & Hyde Park Partnership To Keith Wilson	1-25	43,500
1700 East 56th St., Unit 2510, 56th & Hyde Park Partnership to martha Ellis Bass	1-17	40,000
5300 South Shore Dr., #75, Catanya Norwood To Hays Harris & Ora Taylor	1-17	56,180
Grand Boulevard		
4500 S. Michigan Ave., The Chicago Urban League To Christine Perkins	12-1	101,000
4950 S. Vincennes, Unit 3 John A. Beckett to Bonita Frieson	1-19	56,081
823 E. 53rd St #2, Javier Tatancon to Mary Lee McKinney	1-26	48,000
Fuller Park		
5545 S. Shields, William & Frances Cummings To Cornelius Kimbrough Jr.	11-21	52,000
Oakland		
4244 S. Drexel, Mario L. Short to Carmen S. Edwards	11-22	77,500
3985 S. Drexel, Southwest Financial Bank & Trust Comp. to James A. Daniels	11-22	82,000
Washington Park		
6834 S. King Dr., John R. Chamberlain To Betty Jean Holmes	1-25	63,000
6821 S. Wabash Ave., Frances orange To William Overby	12-28	82,500
6146 S. Evans, Darril G. Harris To Reginald J. Ward	12-22	43,000
5335 S. Wabash, Ena Ekong To Charles Robinson	11-14	112,900
5614-16 S. King, Chicago Title & Trust Co. to James Cross	11-21	50,000
6745 A. Indiana, Joseph W. Ebster, et al. to Carla Henderson		

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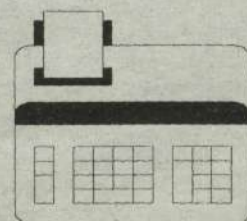
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