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Real Good News

Although there has been two warlike murders or slashings since the announced peace agreement among the rival gangs in the minority communities, their decision to make a change, is still a step in the right direction.

Because there is little operational money available in our communities in a fast changing society which requires ready money to keep ahead of time—these changes come much faster than they can be handled, and as a result, dreams and the "greener grass" that we were looking for is not so green—it evaporates when the group reaches this goal.

This point has been emphasized because there were those of us who thought that if Negroes became shop keepers and businessmen, property owners, political office holders, owners of his church buildings, professional people, big time athletes, etc. (and there are dozens today, who say that the situation now is hidden in the direct control of our communities) that every thing then will be solved.

No one ever had it even hit his mind—during this time that we members set out to accomplish these goals that with them would come fear-ridden gang-wars, slashings and murders, burning and looting, as well as assaults and robbery, poor school deportment, in the same buildings that one time was less than a dozen non-white students enrolled.

All the leaders could see at that time were these things that they were observing: theft, night homes, recreation, schools, hospitals, politics as well as industrial, white and blue collar jobs, etc.

At the time these dreams were defined, there was little whiskey or dope easily available to bring us up, keep us up or help us get up, as well as few cars and the money-making system which passed through the father's reign only, thus eliminating today's independent attitude of a great many Negroes.

Now that this situation "has cranked wide open" something for good, it has elevated these two big names for the time—please respect feeling, right understanding, morality, destruction, escape, life, etc.

Therefore the statement that the boys of the gang "love me another and wait to boys in a conservative way is good news. The cleaning up and repairing of the community will certainly help to enhance the value of property and business investments of their people to which they are the heir. If motivated there is no telling what this value may become.

Again, who say the statements released by the gang leaders during the past work are very appropriate in the vast majority of communities who are law abiding and it is unfair to throw stiff prison sentences handed out by Judge Mattina, to those convicted.

Crossword Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down. Includes a small illustration of a person's face.

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Quotations WITH A MEANING

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These Are The Facts



By MARK E. O'RILEY

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Vital Questions Indeed

The question of self-help as it concerns Black men living in America, can no longer be considered as a philosophical discussion, but rather as a critical problem demanding immediate intelligent action.

If America were bombed tomorrow, where would you, as a poor Black citizen, find shelter? If there were scores injured, sick and dying Americans in the streets, what chance would you, as a Black man have of receiving prompt medical aid? Are there enough Black doctors and nurses? Are the medical schools accepting enough Black boys and girls for training? If not, what are Black adults doing about this vital problem? Are our Churches and other organizations supported by our dollars equipped, in case of emergency, to offer shelter and guidance? Do you know of a bomb shelter near at hand? Who would the hospital accept first, faced with an overload problem? How many Black families own a first-aid kit, or even know how to use one? If food and water were cut off for ten days, how would Black families survive?

Such immediate questions cannot help but bring home to us with a terrible bang, as a race, the instant need for thought and action. The clouds of war seem not too far distant. Crises of crime by man and nation, finally lead to total war.

There are vast problems facing Black America, but none so immediate, so important and vital as the problem of actual survival in case of emergency. Discuss this situation with your ministers, your doctors, teachers, nurses, neighbors, say and all. But whatever you do, gather together immediately. The life you save, may be your own.

On Maneuvers Output Rises

Andy Lutz of the Stadium... In the first quarter of 1975, output per man-hour in the U.S.A. increased by 1.7 per cent compared to 1.7 per cent in the fourth quarter of 1974. The rate reflects an increase in real output of 1.7 per cent in the fourth quarter of 1974 compared with 1.9 per cent in the third quarter.

Things You Should Know

Advertisement for Phoebe Frances, 'Daughter of the Famous Black Sam', proprietor of Frances Tavern in Colonial N.Y. in 1776. The ad lists various 'facts' about her, such as 'she was the lowest temperature at night' and 'she was the only woman to avoid the revolution by poisoning George Washington'.

TELL ME

A series of four small illustrations with questions: 'How many birds is there in all the oceans?', 'Is it a fact... that a witch burns first at night?', 'What animal lives the longest?', 'Is it the runaway or a horse?'.

A collection of small illustrations and text snippets, including a man's face, a horse, and various phrases like 'Enough to make a solid body' and 'What animal lives the longest?'.