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Above 30 interviewers, selected in cooperation with the Ohio Bureau of Employment Services, Youngstown Metropolitan Housing Authority, and other local agencies, will make the home visits. All will have identification.

George R. Garchar of Boardman, acting director of YSU's Center for Urban Studies will manage the Youngstown study. Dr. Terry F. Buss of the center is principal investigator and study coordinator of the project.

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Following that, Judge Thomas, who was appointed to the Federal Court bench by Lyndon Johnson in 1966, will be the guest of honor at a luncheon in Kilcawley Center's Chestnut Room at Youngstown State University. The Bicentennial Luncheon is at 12:15 p.m. and is jointly sponsored by the YSU Bicentennial Committee and members of the Mahoning County Bench and Bar (judges and members of the Mahoning County Bar Association).

Dr. Neil D. Humphrey of Poland, president of YSU, Attorney James C. Evans, president of the Mahoning County Bar Association, and Judge Peter C. Economus, Mahoning County Common Pleas Court, will participate in the program.

Luncheon reservations are \$7.50 and can be made at the YSU Political Science Office, DeBartolo Hall, 742-3436, or at the Mahoning County Bar Association Office in the courthouse, 746-2933. Reservations must be made by Thursday, Sept. 10.

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