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City Council Hears Pleas by Neighborhoods

Final Rites Read Here Last Thursday for Dunbar Grad, O. D., Gary

Final rites for O.D. Gary, 35, were held last Thursday afternoon in the chapel of Mount Vernon United Methodist Church, 2302 Cedar Avenue with Rev. Merrell T. Reed, minister, officiating.

Interment was held in Peaceful Gradens Cemetery under the direction of Jamison Funeral Home.

Gary, a graduate of Dunbar High School and an All-Stater, was born

July 7, 1934 in Shiro, Texas and had lived in Lubbock, County for 20 years.

At the time of his death, he was a member of the Harlem Stars. He and four other members of the Stars died after a car carrying part of the team back to Dallas were involved in a car-truck mishap. Gary died in a Greenville Hospital six hours after the incident.

He was married to Clara Ellis Gary and was blessed with three daughters, Linda Carol, Jimmie Francis and Kendra. His mother was Emma Gary, and his step-father was Tommy Miles. He had two sisters: Onnie Bell Hardgrove and Addie Bell Ashley. Three brothers: Odell, Ardell and Ezell Gary. His mother-in-law was Carrie Ellis.

Francis Kerr Rites Read In Midland

Midland—One of Midland's outstanding civic and church leaders, was buried the past week from the St. Paul C.M.E. Church, 409 S. Lee St. She was Mrs. Francis Kerr, affectionately known by family and friends as "Mother" and a charter member of St. Paul.

The funeral oration was delivered by Rev. Rayfield Medcalf, pastor of Porter Temple C.M.E. Church of Dallas, Texas. Medcalf formerly pastored St. Paul and was a very popular public school instructor in the Tall City.

Rev. Bob Tieucl, Jr. is pastor of St. Paul and served as Mastor of Ceremonies.

Perry Murray's Rites Read Tuesday

Final rites for Perry Murry, 54 of 1701 Avenue C, Apt. 9, were read Tuesday afternoon, February 24, in New Hope Baptist Church in Vernon, Texas with burial held in East June Memorial Park.

Murry died last Thursday in Methodist Hospital after a long illness.

He was born in Monahans and had resided in Lubbock for over eleven years.

Survivors include his wife, Imogene; two daughters, a son, two sisters and six brothers.

Federation Of Choirs Met Sunday

The Federation of Choirs was largely attended with a few choirs absent, but represented. Two special solos were rendered by Brother Douglas Sedberry, a former resident and now residing in St. Jo., Missouri and Rev. H. Jefferson, formerly of Los Angeles, California.

Lyons Chapel Baptist Church was host to the monthly meeting of the various choirs in the city.

Next month is Anniversary for the choirs. We celebrate the 16th year of this organization.

Vice president Wilson Baldwin presided in the absence of the president. Second-vice president, Brother Willie Turner, was also absent.

Bethel A.M.E. Church is next month's host. The meeting will be held at Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church.

Residents of the Posey and Martin neighborhoods met with the Lubbock City Council last night, Wednesday, to air their request for paving and a neighborhood clean-up.

Mayor W.D. "Dub" Rogers, Jr. called the special council hearing in response to petitions submitted by neighborhood representatives last October.

Tract representatives of the Community Action Board in Lubbock County petitioned the council for a night meeting: "At your earliest convenience."

The request was signed by Father Stephen Keogh and Gabin Valdez, representatives of the Martin neighborhood, census tract 11, and by Lorenzo Sedeno, representative of the Posey neighborhood, census tract 10.

Accompanying the request were two groups of petitions signed by several hundred residents of the areas.

One requested paving for all streets in the Posey and Martin neighborhoods "to remove all weeds, junked autos and other accumulated trash."

Ex-Dunbar Star Signs Pact With Chiefs

Billy Wayne Jones, 1965 graduate of Paul L. Dunbar High School here, signed last Saturday with the Kansas City Chiefs, the Super Bowl champions of whom drafted him.

Jones, 22, attended Wiley College at Marshall for two years, then transferred to Arkansas A & M in Pine Bluff, Arkansas. Jones is a quarterback.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Jones, 1707 East Auburn.

Former Resident Arrives In Panama

Mrs. Betty Doris Castilow Thomas and her two daughters, Lesa Thomas, age 2 and Marlow Lasha, age one; left Los Angeles, California Friday, February 13, via plane flight for Panama where they joined their husband and father, Sgt. Roosevelt Thomas.

They arrived at their destination safely Saturday morning, February 14.

Betty Doris is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Castilow, Sr and is a graduate of Dunbar High School, the class of 1961.

The Thomas family lived at Clovis, New Mexico prior to his move overseas in September of 1969.

They visited the Castilow family here in August and also visited his mother in Longbeach, California.

Sgt. Thomas left for Panama in September. They will spend three years in their new location. The Castilow family have several children besides Betty Doris.

Attention Choirs:

Friday evening, February 27 at 8 p.m., the rehearsal for the Anniversary Services of the Federation of Choirs will be held at the Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church and the program is under the direction of Mesdames Desma Moore Bettye Hollins Miller and Miss Mae Pearl Jackson.

It is important that each choir

Wedding Vows Exchanged



Miss Barbara Jean Adams became the bride of Robert A. Pillow IV in a double ring ceremony at six o'clock Saturday evening, February 14, in the Gordon Memorial Methodist Church at Nashville, Tennessee, with Rev. Dugan H. Williams, pastor, officiating.

member be present for the remaining rehearsals. You are expected and urged to please be present for this rehearsal Friday evening February 27, at eight o'clock at the Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church,

Bethel A.M.E. Parsonage Damaged By Fire

Early last Wednesday morning fire damaged the Bethel A.M.E. Parsonage. The kitchen and dining area suffered the most damage. The flame started somewhere around the cook stove. Most of the damage was done to the cabinet and smoke also damaged the living room.

An estimate of the total damage is not known so far.

Baseball Started

Snyder-The Snyder High baseball team will start their season March 3 against the Odessa Permian basemen here on home grounds. The S.H.S. basemen have selected the captains for this year and they are Senior lettermen Merce Hernandez and Randy Levens. Both boys are ace player with Hernandez being a pitcher and Levens is third baseman. I strongly believe that this year will be Tigers all state year to controll the distric and all the other stages between here and state championship play.

The City Wide Mission

The members of the City Wide Mission were present at the birthday party of Mrs. C.E. Fair at her home, 2007 Date Avenue, last Wednesday evening. Mrs. Mary Sterling was program sponsor for the special fete.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. J. Adams of Leesburg, Florida. The bridegroom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. R.A. Pillow, 1822 Manhattan Drive here in Lubbock.

Escorted to the alter by her brother-in-law, Richard Merkins, the bride was lovely in an informal length gown of lace over satin. Mrs. Kaye Menkins, sister of the bride served as matron of honor. Clinton Cummings served as best man.

Cheryl Pillow and Joe Phea, Jr., seated the guests. Rose Pillow served as hostess.

A reception followed in the Walnut Room at the Capital Park Inn, 400 5th Avenue North.

The bride is a member of Alaph Kappa Alpha Sorority and holds a B.A. degree in Sociology. She is presently employed at Fisk University in Nashville, Tenn.

The groom is a 1964 graduate of Dunbar High School. He received his pre-dental training at Tennessee A & I University and is now in his second year at Meharry Medical College in the School of Dentistry. He is a member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity.

The Pillow family of Nashville includes the groom's grandfather, Robert A. Pillow, three aunts and uncles and cousins, Rose and Cheryl, sisters of the groom, attend Tennessee A & I University. Mrs. Faye Barrow Satterfield and husband were among the guest present at the wedding and reception.

The newlyweds are at home at 2005 Albion, Nashville, Tenn.

Notice To Area Readers

Due to the Monday holiday, marking Washington's birthday, we were unable to include in this issue much of the news mailed to our office by your area correspondent. Mail delivery was delayed to some extent, and most news arrived after our deadline.

The news will be included in next week's issue of the "Times."

Thanks,
The Ed-

Basketball Coach Of The Year



Garland Hollins, son of Rev. and Mrs. Kado Lang, a 1964 graduate of Bishop College and now teacher at E.C. Struggs Junior High School, was recently named "Basketball Coach of the Year" by Y.M.C.A.

The E.C. Struggs Hi-Y team won the "Sportsmanship Trophy" for their play and participation in the Y.M.C.A. basketball league.

Mr. Hollins is a member of St. James Baptist Church, 3601 Railroad Avenue.

Special Thanks To Federation Of Choirs

To the president and members of the churches of the Federation of Choirs of the City of Lubbock. Please accept our thanks and appreciation for your generous gift to the Presbyterian Center. It surely helped in the purchase of medicine for the many persons who are treated and not able to pay.

Thanks to Rev. A. W. Wilson, minister of Bethel A.M.E. Church for making this appeal and to you who responded. We are grateful that you cared enough to share. Thank You.

Alpha Petersen
Director of Presbyterian Clinic
Dr. Jack Rudd
President of Board
Juanita Simmons
Secretary.

James E. Knighten Visits South Plains

Snyder-James E. Knighten visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Nelson this week. Also she visited her uncle in Colorado City, Rev. F. N. Nelson. She hadn't seen him in 10 years. Also visiting Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Nelson was their Daughter, Ruby and Son-in-law, Gary from Dayton, Ohio.

EDITORIALS

Do Poor People Have Rights?

N.W.R.O., The National Welfare Rights Organization is a large national organization—with national headquarters in Washington—made up of numerous local groups of poor people all over the country. This organization has been successful in its three years of existence in bringing about a number of changes to favor the well-being of poor people. Much work remains to be done.

At present there are over 100,000 poor people who belong to NWRO. Chapters of local Welfare Rights Organizations exist in all large cities and in many smaller ones, in all states of the union. What does WRO do? Who are they? What are their accomplishments? Their aims and ambitions, their hopes for the future?

Poor people have the right to organize. WRO for action and is dedicated to changing the miserable lot of poor people and of people who are on welfare. WRO certainly believes in the right of poor people to become visible, in their right to confront society to point up some of the many unfair practices aimed at poor folks. Confrontations and demonstrations are some of the means poor people have of making a system more fair to poor people. As an organized group poor people can and do gain the power to have a say in what is done. WRO fight hunger and malnutrition by favoring in the open better food distribution by our government. Poor people need free school lunches for their kids and often poor people have to unite against landlords who take advantage of them badly.

The Welfare Rights Organizations stand for four things most of all:

1. Adequate Income: Decent-paying jobs or else enough welfare money to live on.
2. Democracy: Equal rights without regard to race, creed, color or economic background.
3. Justice: Equal and fair treatment under the law even for poor people. Present laws often are made to work against poor adults and poor children. We want fair justice even though we are poor.
4. Dignity: We may be poor but we are not stupid! Too many of the rich and middle class people seem to forget that we are human beings just like they are and just because we are poor and have not had their advantages, our kids must eat and must be kept healthy just like theirs. We are human beings and we want the rest of society to respect us like human beings—we are tired of being pushed around by the rich and affluent folk.

But to gain the full measure of good things America may have to offer, poor people have to be organized and must be willing to fight, if necessary, to get their rights. And this WRO has done and is doing in many ways all across the nation. The struggle to liberate poor people By The Poor People Themselves is only now beginning here in Texas. But already many victories have been won. In Houston, in Dallas, in Austin, the establishment of city halls and of the state is beginning to learn that

poor people have power, once they organized. It is every American's right to be organized. Right here in Texas, some of the slum landlords in the big cities have been made to clean up and fix up places where poor people live. Welfare Departments have been made to play the game by the rule. And WRO's often find much corruption and misuse of public funds when they learn about what goes on in their own communities. Welfare Rights Organizations often demonstrate and come out in public to make public officials explain what is being done and where the money goes. And whenever they do that with courage and vigor, things being to change—in the favor of poor people.

Welfare Rights Organizations are composed of all poor people, regardless whether they are on welfare or not. Many women are members and officers especially where there is no man to help with the family. And everyone can join; this being an organization for and of poor people there are black, brown, anglo people, old folks and young folks.

How can you join WRO for action?

There is no WRO chapter in Lubbock yet. But you can get busy and form one, Now! Talk to your neighbors, get a group together and see how many problems you share and ask each other this, "What can we do about it?" Then write a letter and ask for assistance to form your own local WRO. Once you have organized you can "link-up" with the folks in Houston, Austin, Dallas and all over the country and plan and act together. The time is now! Write to:

National Welfare Rights Organization
1419 H Street
Washington, D. C. 2002

STATE CAPITAL
Highlights
AND
Sidelights
by Vern Sanford
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Austin-Homeowners throughout Texas apparently are in for a substantial increase in their insurance payments.

State Insurance Board's staff has recommended these average hikes:

- Statewide extended coverage, 6.9 per cent.
- Fire Insurance, 1.7 per cent.
- "Homeowners" policies, 18 per cent.

Recommendations were made as the insurance board held its annual hearing preparatory to promulgating new rates and possibly some new changes in its rules concerning these forms of insurance.

Board will set new rates around the end of next month, making the effective date early July.

Rates actually will vary according to location, building use and construction.

Another jolt would be Texas Insurance Advisory Association's recommendation of Mandatory \$250 deductibles statewide on all windstorm, hurricane and hail coverage. Mandatory deductible now applies only to seacoast territory for this type coverage, and that is limited to \$100.

TIAA further suggested one-year optional "homeowners" policies be permitted. Present policies now run for three years.

Busing Referendum Considered-Gov. Preston Smith asked the State Democratic Executive Committee to consider putting the question of school busing to achieve racial balance on the May 2 Democratic primary ballot as a referendum issue.

While not stating his own position, Smith argued that Texas voters should have a chance to express their opinions. He noted that the problem is "a federal and local issue," and called on federal officials to "assist us at the state and local level to upgrade our neighborhoods and our schools."

Meanwhile, the busing issue came in for attention from Democratic Senatorial candidate Lloyd Bentsen, who called compulsory busing "the most disruptive threat facing public education in America."

Smith sent a telegram to Sen. John Tower in Washington, urging him to "use your influence with the Republican administration" to obtain "more realistic, impartial and reasonable" treatment of Texas school districts by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. He cited his meeting with 150 citizens from East Texas school districts (particularly Tyler and Longview) as motivating his request.



Juxtaposition

Advertising makes strange bedfellows. A billboard in a New York subway station featured this Bible Society sentiment: "Yes, I will bless the Lord and not forget the glorious things he does for me." Next to it was an ad for the movie, "Fanny Hill," promising that it was "In there with sex and love all the way."

Vietnamese And Brotherhood

A group of Vietnamese who came to the United States to teach their language to Americans have learned the meaning of American trade unionism. The Vietnamese, reports the **San Diego Labor Leader**, are language teachers at the Navy's Coronado Amphibious School for Navy personnel on counterguerilla duty and in advisory posts in Vietnam.

Dr. Ngyuen Ton Hoan and his wife, who are employed by H. L. Yoh Co. of Hollywood, a civilian firm which contracted with the Navy to provide language teachers, were fired after he wrote a letter to Navy officers complaining of intolerable working conditions.

Hoan, a former vice premier of South Vietnam, complained that, among other indignities, the teachers were being forced to mop the floors of the classrooms. The reason he was fired, he claimed, was that he was president of Local 1976 of the American Federation of Teachers, which represents all the language teachers. Seven other foreign teachers walked out after the firing, even though they were subject to deportation as a result.

The strike was backed by the San Diego County Council of AFT Locals, whose chairman castigated the company for carrying on "the old story of the exploitation of the foreign-born worker." The prevailing wage for adult-education teachers in San Diego is \$7.40 an hour. But most of the Vietnamese teachers were receiving \$3.10 an hour.

The Company offered to recognize the union as sole bargaining agent and to reinstate all the teachers except Hoan and his wife. When the teachers refused, the company finally capitulated, signing a contract which gave the teachers better working conditions and pay.

Along Freedom Road

A residential training program to prepare minority-group members for union leadership is scheduled to open at the University of California's Center for Labor Research and Education next March. The twenty students in the first class will receive financial aid to cover lost wages and added housing expenses. Prof. Lloyd Ulman, director of the Institute of Industrial Relations, said that training young minority union members for leadership can help the trade union movement in "moving itself and the nation closer to the ideal of a fully integrated, free, and open society." A national visiting committee of unionists, minority leaders and university officials will evaluate the program to consider possible extension on a national scale. The Ford Foundation has put up \$173,000 to cover the first year of operation plus the planning period.

Twenty-five young Indian men have been accepted by the Ironworkers apprentice program in Phoenix, Arizona and Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Publishers' Weekly reports that Publishers' COPE Inc. is placing 20 young minority group men as production trainees with major publishing houses.

Six hundred Louisiana families who wanted to "go into some kind of business," organized the Southern Consumers Cooperative. It soon raised \$20,000 and built the Acadian Delight Bakery which now does a booming business in Christmas fruit cakes and other baked goods. Direct your inquiries and other to P.O. Box 3005 Lafayette, Louisiana 70501.

The battle against hunger on Long Island, N. Y. is \$20,000 stronger because of an 18-mile "hunger walk" by 650 persons, most of them teen-agers. The march, organized by 10 Lutheran churches, benefited the Long Island Farm Workers Service Center in Riverhead.

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Police Beat

More Policemen Needed

In a recent study made by a sub-committee on the state committee on Human Resources, appointed by Governor Preston Smith, it was learned that the minorities fall short in regard to becoming members of the law enforcement agencies in the State of Texas.

It would make good sense if the local police department, under the direction of Police Chief J.T. Alley, would evaluate the members of the black and brown community who are presently on the force. Perhaps if a special effort was made by the Lubbock Police Department, including public relations in the high schools, more blacks or browns could be recruited.

This would certainly be a wise move on the part of the local police department if this type of an effort was considered. What do you think about this readers? Let me hear from some of you.

House Burglary

Rev. O.D. Hollins, 2602 Teak Avenue, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that someone broke into his house and took a television set and some food items.

It was learned that entry was gained by prying the screen door off the back door.

House Burglary

Larry Smith, 2415 Auburn Avenue, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that persons unknown forcibly entered his residence and took a \$20 bill, \$1 bill and a 50 cent piece while he was away.

According to the police report there were no signs of forced entry. The house was apparently locked.

Value of damaged to house was \$25.

House Burglary

Billy Harlan, 2706 East 9th Street, reported that someone entered his home and took the following items: a gold double breast suit, single breast suit, pair of boots and cuff links.

There were no set price as to the cost of the items taken. It appeared as though there was no forced entry.

Theft of .22 Pistol

A Lubbock woman told police that she left her apartment and went to visit some friends. While she was gone, her boy friend apparently took her .22 caliber pistol which was under the pillow.

Value of the pistol was believed to be \$15.

House Burglary

A friend of a man who resides on East 14th Street, told police that he saw his friend's window open when he was going to work. He admits that this was the exit used for the burglars who took his friend's television set and record player from the living room of the house.

After careful investigation, it was learned that the window was forced open in order to gain entry.

Police Beat Prayer

Dear Lord, help us to live with our fellow man rather than break into his properties and take from him. Please help us O! Lord. AMEN.

around the hub city

Mrs. Ida Belle Price of Toledo, Ohio is visiting her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Solone Cunningham. This is her first trip to Texas. She worshipped at Bethel A.M.E. Church last Sunday morning.

Mrs. Alford Hervey and son from Pensacola, Florida are here because of the illness of her mother, Mrs. J. H. Wilson, who is home from the hospital and recuperating.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ervin

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spent the week end in Dallas visiting their son who is a student at Bishop College.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Sedberry of Saint Joseph, Missouri were here for the morning worship at their former church, Messiah Presbyterian. He was guest speaker. Mr. Sedberry, also rendered a solo; "I Trust In God", during the services. Mrs. Faye Alexander accompanied him at the piano.

Other guest at the morning worship were Eddy, Eric and Glae Sedberry, sons and daughters of Major and Mrs. Edward Sedberry who spent the week end here with their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Almo Sedberry. They are now living at Kileen, Texas. Major Sedberry is stationed at Fort Hood, Texas.

Miss Donna Jones was here last week end for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Jones, and her sister, Cheryl. She is a junior at Trinity University at San Antonio, Texas.

Mrs. Mae Phea accompanied Dr. and Mrs. Robert A. Pillow III and son, Lony, to Nashville, Tennessee last week where they attended the wedding of their son, Bobby, IV.

Mrs. Phea had an opportunity to see her son, Joe Phea, Jr., who is a freshman at Fisk University.

S.H.S.'s Toughest and Most Painfull Losses

Snyder-The 3-AAA district has proven to be the toughest around in basketball. When you find teams losing games by one and two points three or four times in the same district, you must realize the determination and desire displayed here in this district. I believe either of the top three teams in our district would make a good showing or representation of the class of sport here in the 3-AAA district.

Unfortunately, the Tigers lost their chance to represent the 3-AAA

district when they, for a second time, lost to Dunbar Panthers by one little old point. Although the Tigers lost the game they won the recognition of being able to stick in there with the rest, not the best, because the Tigers are among the best.

The Tigers as a whole "together" team preformed sensationally this year and should not be ashamed of the let-downs that cover their successful trails along the way. After all, no team has yet faced a Snyder Tiger team in a play-off feeling good. Tigers Wesley Bishop, Jim Patrick and Lee McNair have garanteed this in the games they won and lost

Track Team Makes Track In Brownfield

Snyder-Last Saturday the Snyder High speedsters made tracks in Brownfield invitational track meet. The team made a speedy like showing as they captured 56 points for third place honors behind Big Springs and Eisenhower of Lawton Oklahoma the winners of the meet. Tiger speedster Gary Patterson captured a second place timing of 15.7 and Hodges tossed the first place distance with the discuss for first place honors. They

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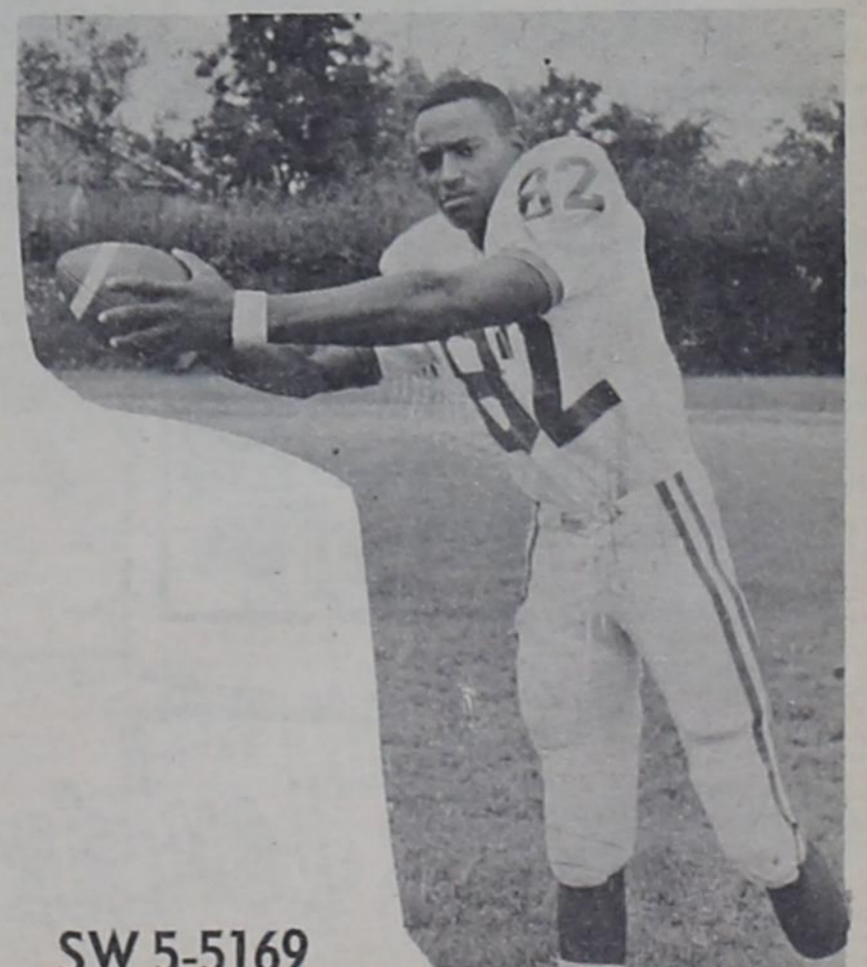
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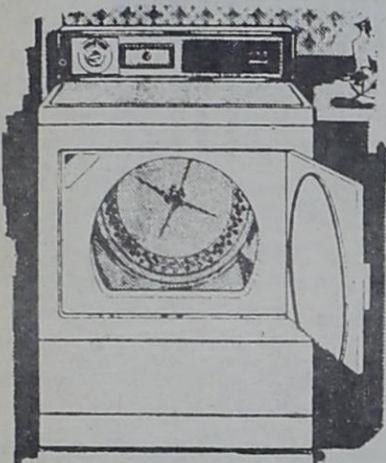
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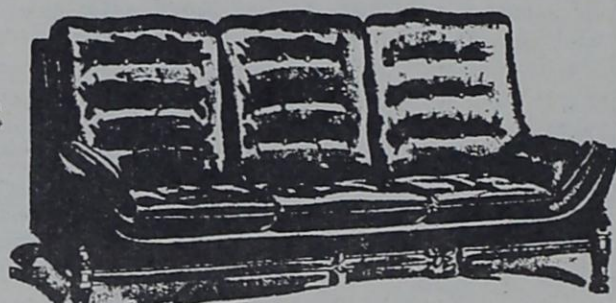


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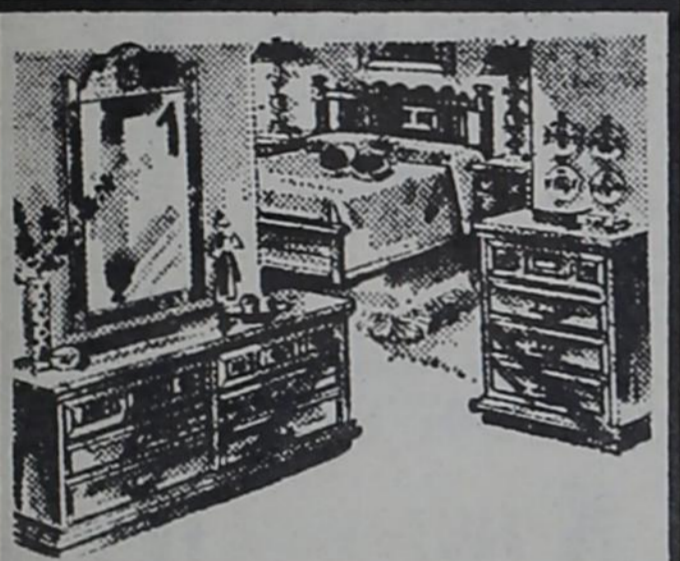
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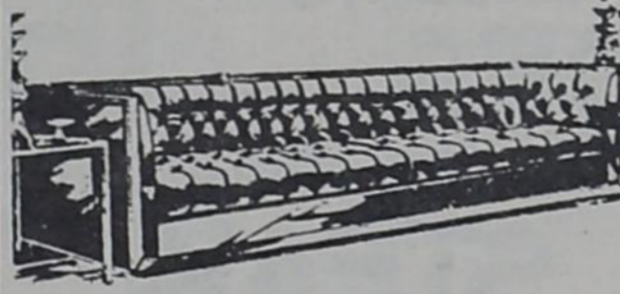
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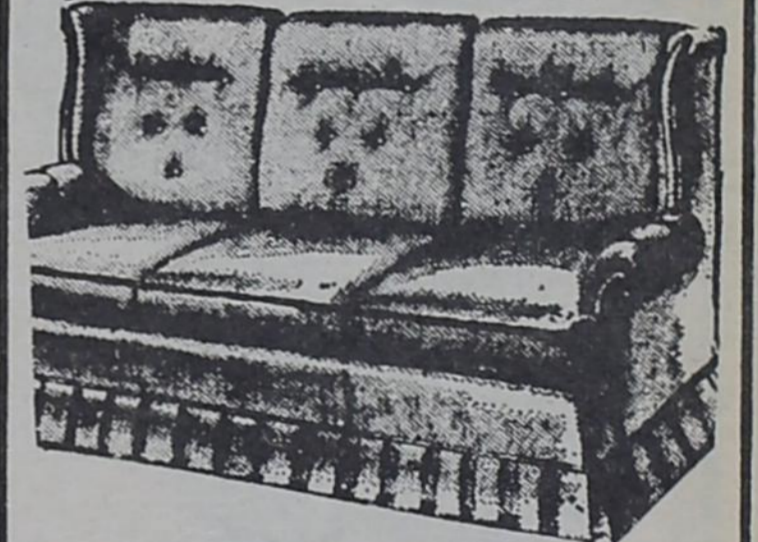
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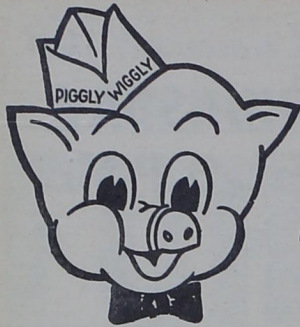
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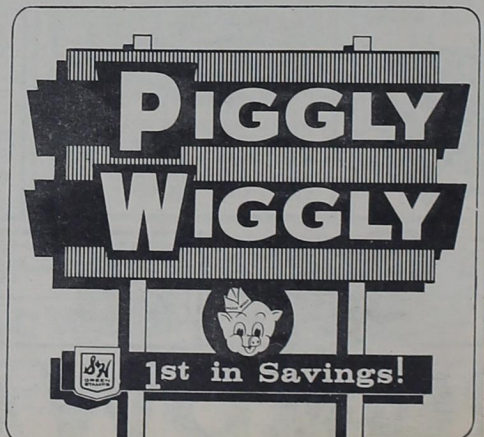
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CHURCH NEWS

Mount Vernon United Methodist Church

Our pastor, Rev. M.T. Reed, traveled to Abilene, Texas last Saturday to preach the funeral services for Mr. Issac Walker, a well known and respected citizen of that city and a member of the Plum Street United Methodist Church. He served his church as trustee and a steward. His wife, Beatrice, is a teacher in the public schools and has been a long time.

Mrs. Rilla Powler is still in Methodist Hospital, Room 629-B. Pray for and visit the sick and shut in. Jesus says in all things that you would that men do unto you, do ye also unto them.

We draw near to Easter Sunday and should begin soon practice for our annual Easter program. The choir will begin soon on their music for the Holy Week.

Our visitors last week were Mrs. Doris Fuller of San Angelo, Texas and Miss Helen Hodge of Lubbock.

Mount Gilead Baptist Church

The Senior Choir of our church will be sponsoring a program on March 6. More information will be printed in our next week column. The choir will be selling dinner in the kitchen March 7.

A devotional message was given by Sister Ethel Black last Monday evening in the church auditorium. This program was sponsored by the W.M.C.

Great Saint Luke Baptist Church

The Eunice Circle will meet tonight, Thursday, in the home of Sister Ella Cherry, at 8 p.m.

The members of the Queen of Sheba, Esther and Sarah Circles met in the homes of Sister Etta M. Tucker, 2112 Birch Avenue; Sister Lillian Metters, 1314 East 14th Street and Sister Blanche Durham, 313 Guava, Apt. B, this week.

Quarterly business meeting will be held Monday evening, March 9th, at 8 p.m. in the church auditorium.

The Easter Program committee is asking the youth of St. Luke and worker to be at the church Saturday afternoon at 3 p.m. for practice.

The Lovely Sunset Association

March Board will be held in Spur, Texas next month. Delegates and workers are asked to prepare for this meeting.

Let us pray for and visit our sick and shut in. Sister Argusta Hall, Sister Ella Cherry, Sister Annie Hinton and Brother Rush Davis are on our sick list. Sister Daisy Deo, Sister Mary Brown and Brother Wilmar Wilson are still shut in.

New Hope Baptist Church

A Special Auxiliary Rally has been launched and will close Sunday, April 19th, at 3 p.m.

Mid Week Prayer Services are held each Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m. Rev. A.L. Dunn, our minister, is asking members as well as friends to attend.

Board of Christian Education will meet each second and fourth Wednesday of the month at 7:30 p.m.

National Brotherhood Week is being observed through March 1st. All men of the church are asked to blend their forces and help make this a great service.

World Day of Prayer will be observed Friday, March 6th. All members and friends are asked to join in prayer on this special day.

The West Texas Baptist District Executive Board will convene March 10-12 with the Community Baptist Church at Fort Worth, Texas. All association officers and members are urged to attend.

Religious Institute will begin March 16-20 with the Pilgrim Valley Baptist Church, Rev. Robert Blackshear, minister. Rev. Blackshear will serve as our guest speaker each night.

Whisper a prayer for our sick and shut ins. Send cards of cheer. Brother H.C. Black and Sister Helen Ward are ill in their homes.

St. James Baptist Church

The Rev. M.A. Brown, minister of Triumph Baptist Church of Slaton, Texas, delivered a dynamic message at our church last evening, Wednesday February 25th, and will continue through Sunday,

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Services will begin each evening at 8 p.m.

The minister of our church, Rev. Kado Lang, is asking your presence. Come in and hear this great speaker from Slaton.

Pleasant Home Baptist Church

Post-Sunday School opened with Supt. Dona Smith in charge. Morning worship is at 11:00 a.m.

Rev. Queenan spoke from Matthew 24 chapter verses 4-13. Rev. Queenan's speech was concerning the trying times of today.

Fellowship mission was held in the Pleasant Home Baptist Church at 3:00 p.m. in the afternoon all choirs were at their post of duty. The Rev. McKeever, pastor of Wesley Chapel was the speaker. His subject was concerning influence.

Rising Star Missionary Baptist Church

Sunday School opened at 9:45 a.m. with Supt. Morris at his post and the teachers took charge of their various classes. After class work, the General Assembly took place in the church sanctuary, and reports were made by each class secretary. The Sunday school lesson was reviewed by Supt. Morris. Sunday school was well attended.

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