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Moore Rites Read Here

for 27 years, passed away on May 4, 1964, at 6:00 p.m. in Methodist Hospital, where he had been a patient for eight days. He had been in ill health several months. Funeral services were held in Honey Grove, Teas, on May 7 at the Eighth Street Methodist Church, Rev. M.T. Reed, pastor of Mt. Vernon Methodist Church of Lubbock, officiating.

Masonic graveside rites were at the cemetery. The members of Honey Grove Masonic lodge served as pall-bearers. Local arrangements by Sedberry Funeral Home and burial by Fergerson Funeral Home of Honey Grove.

Honey Grove, Texas. He attended the public schools and spent most of his life there. He married Miss Texas.

Simmie A. Moore, 2109 Susie Childs on June 6, 1916. Elm, a resident of Lubbock and to this union two children were born, a son and daughter. The son preceded him in death as an infant.

to Lubbock September 5. 1937. He united with Mt. Vernon Methodist Church where he served as a trustee, class leadr, and an honorary steward. He was a member of pride of Lubbock Lodge No. 328.

Mr. Moore was the oldest of sixteen children, born to Mr. George Washington Moore and Mrs. Hannah Foster Moore. His survivors are his wife, Susie; a daughter, Mrs. Louise Sparks; four grandchildren, three sisters, Mrs. Mary Burleson of Morton, Texas, Mrs. Irene James of Detroit, Michigan; Mrs. Mr. Moore was born in Mable Osborne of Honey Grove, Texas; three brothers, Jerry, George and Ralph Moore of Honey Grove,

Dunbar Graduation Tonight

Funeral Services For Sister Montgomery

Funeral rites were read The Moore family moved for Sister Vergie Montgomery Owens last week at the Mt. Gilead Baptist Church with Sedberry Funeral Home in charge.

> Vergie Montgomery Owens was born to Joel and Minnie Montgomery, September 28, 1916, at Gilmer, Texas.

> She was baptised in Gilgal Baptist Church in 1924, Rev. S. H. Howard, pastor. She moved to West Texas with her family where she united with the Mt. Gilead Baptist Church. She attended Texas College, Tyler, Texas; Madam Coleman's Beauty School, Dallas. Vergie was later married to J. L. Owens with whom she lived until her death. She served as

CONGRATULATIONS TO SENIORS

Editorial

seventy-eight of you - are ing. You will find the world witnessing an experience engulfed with many probyou have never had before. This will be the last time sented as the same group.

Each of you will enter into roles of your own choice. Some will choose to further your education, some will enter the armed forces, some will enter trade schools. some will prefer to just

O.W.T. Baptist District for several years and musician for the Mt. Gilead Baptist Church from the age of 16 until her health faild.

She leaves her husband, two brothers, two sisters, two stepchildren, nieces, nephews, and a host of other relatives and friends.

work, and others will be some of you whom will marry.

No matter what role you Tonight, Seniors - all prefer, it will be challeng-

Presently each of you each of you will ever be pre- have just begun to play the game of life. If you look at your field of play, you will find it resembling a baseball diamond, and you are the significant player. For twelve long years you have been batting to reach first base. Perhaps at times you found yourself fouling your lessons, and some of you nearly struck out, but you had the determination to hold on and the reward was you hit a Texas leaguer.

Now that you have struggled to first base, will you continue to move forward boldly in order to qualify for a score, or will you be picked off first base by some of life's obstacles?

In this comple society you will eventually discover that a qualified base runner must be able to overcome many obstacles in pursuing the next base of knowledge.

Remember you are now at member of the Lubbock first base, and by continuing your education there will be no trouble in attaining the

> The future of the world, nation, state, county, and city is depending upon you to cross home plate. You are tomorrow's leaders let's not give up!!

> As one of our great presidents said, "Prepare yourself, and some day your chance will come." By living up to these great words you will be confident of the fact that you will play the game of life well, and you will cross home plate.

doctor to call POrter 5-7014," stated Jimmy Graves.

Wedding Bells Ring



Miss Patsy Ruth Phillips and Mr. Lepolua Dickson were quietly married April 30, 1963, in the home of Miss Phillips' mother.

And for her first anniver- good Christian.

sary came little Lepolua Dickson Jr., a fine son, born May 1, 1964.

Congratulations, be a good wife and husband to each other, and of all things, a

New Negro Patrolman

Mr. James Sneed was sworn in as patrolman on May 15 at 9:00 a.m. Mr. Sneed resides with his family at 3601 Vanda Street.

The Sneeds are members of the Faith Tabernacle Church of God in Christ at 1802 Avenue B, under the pastorage of Rev. F. L. Clark.

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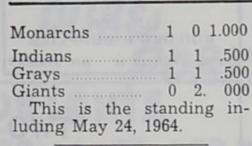
here, as head pharmacist at the uy Rite Pharmacy within the store, according to Charles E. Pearson, Division Manager. The Pharmacy is open seven days a week, 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Mr. Graves' hometown is

Lubbock, and he graduated from Dunbar Senior High School in 1955 He attended Texas Southern University in Houston for four years, graduating with a Bachelor of Science degree in Pharmacy in May, 1959. He is a County Pharmaceutical Association and the 20th and Birch Street Church of next base. Christ. He and his wife, Jo Ree,

reside at 3408 E. 17th street with their two boys, Jimmy Bernard, 17 months, and John Aaron, 3 months. Jo Ree also is a graduate of Texas Southern University with a major in education. She is a former school teach-

Mr. Graves was formerly with Evans Drug on Avenue A. At Piggly Wiggly, Idalou Road, the Buy Rite Pharmacy gives Double S&H Green Stamps with every prescription every day. "We anteed savings. Ask your have the lowst prescription prices in town, with guar-



Eastern Little League Fans

On opening day at the Eastern Little League park these pretty little girls were caught posing behind left field fence. They are (from left to right) Linda Kaye Sneed, an eighth grader at Dunbar; Vickie Joyce Moore, also an eighth grader; and Ocquinetta Sneed, a seventh grader at Dunbar.

Linda and Ocquinetta are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Sneed of 1502 East 25th street, and Vickie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James N. Nelson of 2607 Date street.



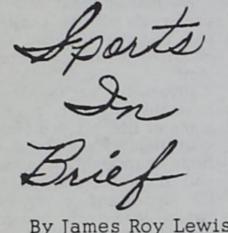
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By James Roy Lewis

A Letter of Thanks

I would like to have this letter published so our readers can have a chance to see

It came from a white lady



Morton, Texas, Mrs. Charles ones, and her son, who were in their car at Avenue J and Broadway in Lubbock about three weeks ago and her car went dead and she couldn't start it. I got in the car and got it started, drove it around to Dunlap's for her where she was to pick up some packages. Said she and her husband owned a drug store in Morfton, Teas. She was thanking me when I got out of the car when I got back from Austin I had this letter of thanks and just wanted to pass it on to our many readers: I plan to keep it.

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By BETTYE PRICE Dunbar High School Correspondent

The Rev. A. L. Davis, pastor, Saint Luke Baptist Church, delivered the graduation sermon Sunday. To begin the program the Dunbar band played the processional. Seventy-seven prospective graduates participated.

Dunbar's ninth grade track team walked off with the city junioh high track and field championships May 13 at the Texas Tech track. Having won both relays, Dunbar captured 114 points. Larry Franklin sparked Dunbar to its vic- ribbon. He was second in tory with 33 points, winning both hurdles races and running on the sprint relaw team that picked the blue

ELECTED AS PREXY OF Y TEENS

Miss Darlene llen, a 1964-65 senior, has been elected to the office of president of the Dunbar Y Teens (YWCA), and vice-president of the inter-city council, as well as secretary of the Dunbar Spanish club.

She is a member of the Tri-Hi-Y, a branch of the YMCA, F. T. A. (Future Teachers of America), choral club, Girl Scouts, and Sight-

reading club. Darlene served as this year's Spanish club presithanks to you for helping me and my little boy on our way this afternoon. I appreciate so much your helping us get our car started. I believe this would be a better world if we would all take a little more time to help a fellow man in need.

"Thank you so much. "Mrs. Charles Jones."

Honor Day at Ella lies

Approximately 200 students were honored on May 14 at Ella Iles Elementary school. These awards were given to students obtaining good standards in scholarship, attendance, reading, audio-visual, citizenship and

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the broad jump. Dunbar's eighth grade team wound up in second place with 80 points. Other partibeipants were Landis Mitchell, Robert Planks, Herbert ohnson, Eddie Love, Robert Medlock, Yayne Davis, Richard Dotson, and Charles Sims.

Spring practice for next year's grid team ended May 14 with an intra-squad game between the Maroons and Whites. The tangle ended in a tie score-14-14. Sixteen lettermen are return-

dent, where she has shown great interest in Spanish. She is also serving the present position as an office assistant at Dunbar.

She serves as district and local secretary of her Sunday school, and is an active member of the Church of God in Christ.

Miss Allen was among the seven students at Dunbar to participate in the United Fund tour on Saturday, May 16.

ing. They are Tommy Ricks, Clarence Hawkins, Robert Lampkin, oJe Newman, Eugene Cleaver, Willie Quigley, Billy Wayne Jones, Jimmy Gary, Kenneth Fields, O. C. Wilson, Bobby Holmes, Marvin Lethridge, Ervin Richardson, Earnest Stevenson, Henry Planks, and Milvin Daniels.

The E. C. Struggs Chapter of Future Teachers of America elected the following officers for 1964-65: Odessa Henderson, president; Eloyce Hopper, vice-president; Wanda Williams, secretary; Susan Jackson, assistant secretary; and Louise Merritt, treasurer, and Dorothy Sowell, parliamentarian.

Spanish Club officers for 1964-65 are Wanda Williams, president; Charles Williams, vice-president; Darlene Allen, secretary; and Morris Brannon, parliamentarian.

Home for Commencement

Daniel Anderson Jr. and Lawrence Anderson arrived in Lubbock last week in order to see their baby brother graduate at Dunbar High School in June.

Burnett Anderson plans to attend college also. His parents hope in four years he will trust in God and march out of college.

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Let's not forget Vacation Bible school beginning on June 15. Those who will be able to work with the school are asked to contact Mrs. D. Kinner, superintendent.

There was a Panarama Pageant under the auspices of the Youth Fellowship, presented by the youth and B.T.U. on last Sunday eve-

The West Texas District

St. Luke Baptist

Henretta Sick: Sister Mims is recuperating nicely. Sister Hattie Love is also recuperating nicely. Roy Davis is up and at it again. Vernon Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hill, Sr., is in the hospital undergoing surgery.

Prayer meeting each Wednesday night. The church and family that pray together stay together.

The lovely Sundst Sunday School and B.T.U. Congress will convene in Anson, Texas, on June 3 through 5, 1964, Rev. R. L. Washington,

At Plainview

Baccalaureate services were held on last Sunday at the Booker T. Washington High school auditorium with the Junior High graduating class, graduating seniors, and members of the faculty drawing a beautiful picture for the many people who attended.

Mr. R. Fennell, Jr., principal of Booker T. Washington High school, introduced the speaker of the hour, Rev. W. Griffin, pastor of United Baptist Church.

Sixteen graduating seniors will hear an address by Mr. James L. Hill, counselor of Woodson High school of Abilene, Texas, on commencement night, May 28.

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NEGRO PROFESSOR AT UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

Ervin Sewell Perry, age 28, who will receive his doctorate from the University of Teas this commencement season, has also been hired by the University as an assistant professor in engineering. He hails from Coldspring, Texas, and is a graduate of Prairie View A.&m. College.

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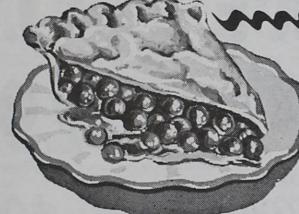
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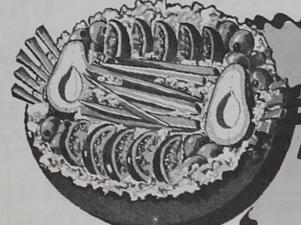
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