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So quietly has the drug abuse habit slipped up on youngsters, that few adults realize that "glue sniffing" behind the school or in a dark alley is now a thing of the past and elementary, junior and senior high school pupils are now definitely "on the hard dope kick."

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NEXT WEEK: More on how adult dope pushers operate the golden racket and care less about whose child becomes an addict or dies of an overdose.

Drug abuse conference on Monday

The Maryland and Metropolitan Baltimore Mental Health Associations and The Maryland Conference on Social Welfare is holding a press conference on Monday, October 26, at 9:45 a.m., to be held at the Seventh Baptist Church, North Avenue and St. Paul Street, Baltimore, on explosive drug problem in our City and State, with focus on neglected South Baltimore communities.

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Divorce ends marriage of nearly 50 years

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Mr. Barnes, who is retired and 68 years of age and his wife, Mrs. Evelyn Cross Barnes, 62, were married Dec. 23, 1923, in Franklin, Va.

The divorce ends their 47 years married life. According to Mr. Barnes testimony before Circuit Court Examiner-Master Thomas J. Kenney on Sept. 9, he and his wife agreed to separate on April 15, 1937. He testified that their five children are all grown and self-supporting.

He also told the court that there is no hope of reconciliation between himself and his wife.

NAACP to meet in Annapolis

The annual Maryland Convention of the NAACP will meet on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 23 and 24, in Annapolis at the Annapolis-Statler Hilton Hotel.

Bishop Stephen G. Spottswood of AME Zion Church and chairman of the NAACP national board of directors will address the delegates and members from 22 state branches at the Saturday banquet at 2:30 p.m.

Bishop Spottswood drew national attention last June when he branded the Nixon administration as "anti-Negro" in his keynote address at the NAACP 61st Annual Convention held in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Hosting the Convention will be the Anne Arundel County branch of the NAACP. Samuel Gilmor is branch president.

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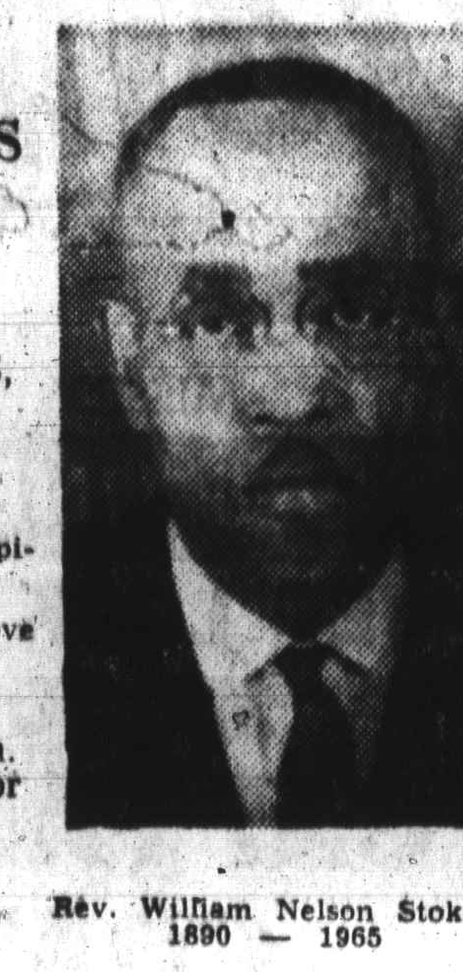

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23rd Annual Woman's Day
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9:15 A.M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL, Mrs. Willia Wise, Supt.
10:00 - 11:00 A.M.—PRAYER & PRAISE SERVICE.
11:00 A.M.—MAIN AUDITORIUM—Guest Speaker: REV. MRS. EUNICE KING Ivory Temple Christian Community Church.
Lower Chapel—Speaker: REV. MRS. RUTH YOUNG, Shiloh C.C. Church. Music by Angelic Voices of Shiloh C.C. Church.
3:30 P.M.—GUEST SPEAKER, REV. MRS. MAUDE COLEMAN, Christian Unity Temple. Music by Women's Day Choir of Shiloh C.C. Church.
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GRIEVING RELATIVES of Mrs. Elsie Thompson Chester, mother of Mt. Olive Freewill Baptist Church, leave Saturday funeral services at the church. Surviving relatives include three nieces, Mesdames B. Dorsey, V. Branch and I. Barnes and a nephew, Leroy Spriggs.

Mrs. Elsie Chester, 'lovable mother'

"She was a kind, sweet, generous and lovable mother to all."

That was the tribute to Mrs. Elsie Thompson Chester at Oct. 3, funeral services at the Mt. Olive Freewill Baptist Church where she was mother and longtime member.

The Rev. Leo K. Ceaser, pastor, officiated.

He was assisted by George McCoy and Miss Trammar Burly.

Mrs. Mary F. Polk, a longtime friend, was the soloist.

Burial was in Arbutus Memorial Park.

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Mrs. Chester died on Sept. 29, in the Mt. Sinai Nursing Home after a brief illness.

An active member of Mt. Olive, she had also belonged to the Home Mission and Helping Hand Club.

She was the widow of John Chester of Baltimore.

She is survived by her brother-in-law, Herman Chester; three sisters-in-law, Mesdames Grace Chester, Mary Henson, and Henry Chester; three nieces, Mesdames B. Dorsey, V. Branch and I. Barnes; one nephew, Leroy Spriggs; two great-nieces, Mrs. I. Brown and Mrs. Frances Jones.

She is also survived by six goddaughters, Mesdames B. Manuel, E. Walbarrow, V. Simpson, S. Brown, S. McCall and Haerice Ashton; six great-nephews and 11 great-great-nieces.

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A three-day workshop this month at Good Samaritan Hospital here might very well pioneer new techniques in treatment of the blind. It will bring together 20 occupational therapists from Maryland, six neighboring states and the District of Columbia to study the problems and rehabilitation of blind persons.

MRS. VIOLA CHASE

Mrs. Viola Chase was architect's mother

Funeral services for Mrs. Viola Chase, mother of famed architect John Saunders Chase, Jr., of Houston, were held Wednesday at the Asbury Methodist Church, in Annapolis, where she was a longtime member.

The Rev. Hilton Parker, pastor, officiated.

Mrs. Chase died Saturday at Anne Arundel General Hospital after an extended illness.

An active member of Asbury Methodist, she sang in the Senior Choir, served as president of the Gold Cross Society and belonged to the Altar Guild.

She was a charter member of the 40-year-old El Progresso Social Club and an affiliate of the Eastern Stars Club, in Washington.

Mrs. Chase, a native of Winchester, Va., was the daughter of Robert Hall and Mrs. Laura Hall. She was educated in Johnstown, Pa.

She was the widow of John Saunders Chase, Sr. of Annapolis.

Other survivors include her daughter, Mrs. Laura Farley, staff social worker at the mental health clinic in Lewistown, Pa.; sister, Mrs. Ethel Brown, of Annapolis; daughter-in-law, Mrs. Drucie Chase, of Houston, son-in-law, Dr. William H. Farley, soil scientist with the U.S. Department of Agriculture in Lewis town; and seven grandchildren.

Churches hold men's day, lay cornerstone

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Annual Men's Day will be held at Bethany Baptist Church on Sunday. Speaker at 11 a.m. will be the Rev. John Wright of New Baptist Church. The Johnson Male Chorus of Townneck United Methodist Church will be the featured chorus at 5 p.m.

Deacon Theodore Brown is chairman of the event; the Rev. James H. Reynolds, pastor.

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Star of Behtlehem A.M.E Church will have the Cornerstone laying on Sunday at 3:30 p.m. The Rev. Roland Howard is pastor.

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Annual Homecoming and Family Day will be held at the Mt. Winans United Methodist Church this Sunday, October 25 at 11 a.m. The Rev. J. Lloyd Russ, pastor, will deliver the message. Music will be rendered by the John Wesley United Methodist Chorus.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary recently at their home on Bentalou St. recently. They were greeted by their many relatives and friends.

The Sarah O. Collins Guild of Mt. Winans United Methodist Church celebrated its 25th anniversary during the month of October. The anniversary opened on Sunday, October 4, with communion services.

Mrs. Blanche Powell, treasurer of the Guild, presented scholarships to the following student in college:

Miss Seteria Harris, Towson State; Miss Miriam McCracken and Craig Mullens, Community College of Baltimore. On October 11 the Cand. Gospel Singers were presented in a recital. Mrs. Bernice Lee is president.

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The Commission on Missions also presented scholarships to Miss Seteria Harris and Craig Mullens recently. Mrs. Dellear Royster is chairman of the commission.

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Mrs. Gladys Wallace and Mrs. Fay Jones were hostesses at the Women's Society of Christian Service on Sunday. Plans were to hold anniversary services on Sunday, Nov. 22. At the time Mrs. Gladys Wallace will be honored by the Society.

Boxer Murdock's son was City College grad

A requiem mass will be offered for Phillip Murdock, Jr., 25, 3901 Bonner Rd., Saturday at 10 a.m. from the All Saints Catholic Church.

Friends may call at Morton and Dyette Funeral Home on Friday from 8 to 9 p.m. Burial will be in New Cathedral Cemetery.

Mr. Murdock died suddenly Wednesday of unknown causes in his home.

A 1933 graduate of City College, he was employed by a Washington construction company.

He is the son of Mrs. Lorraine Murdock, a Baltimore City school teacher, and Phillip Murdock, Sr., owner of the Murdock Welding Company and one-time well-known Baltimore fighter.

He is also survived by two daughters, Nicole, 18 months, and Cheryl, two; five sisters, Misses Indiee, Rhonda and Robin Murdock and Mesdames Lorraine Bardor and Pamela Odom; four aunts, Miss Mildred Thomas and Mesdames Catherine Thomas, Bertha Jordan and Alice Koger; and five uncles, Randolph, Gilbert, Robert and Eugene Jordan and Oliver Murdock.

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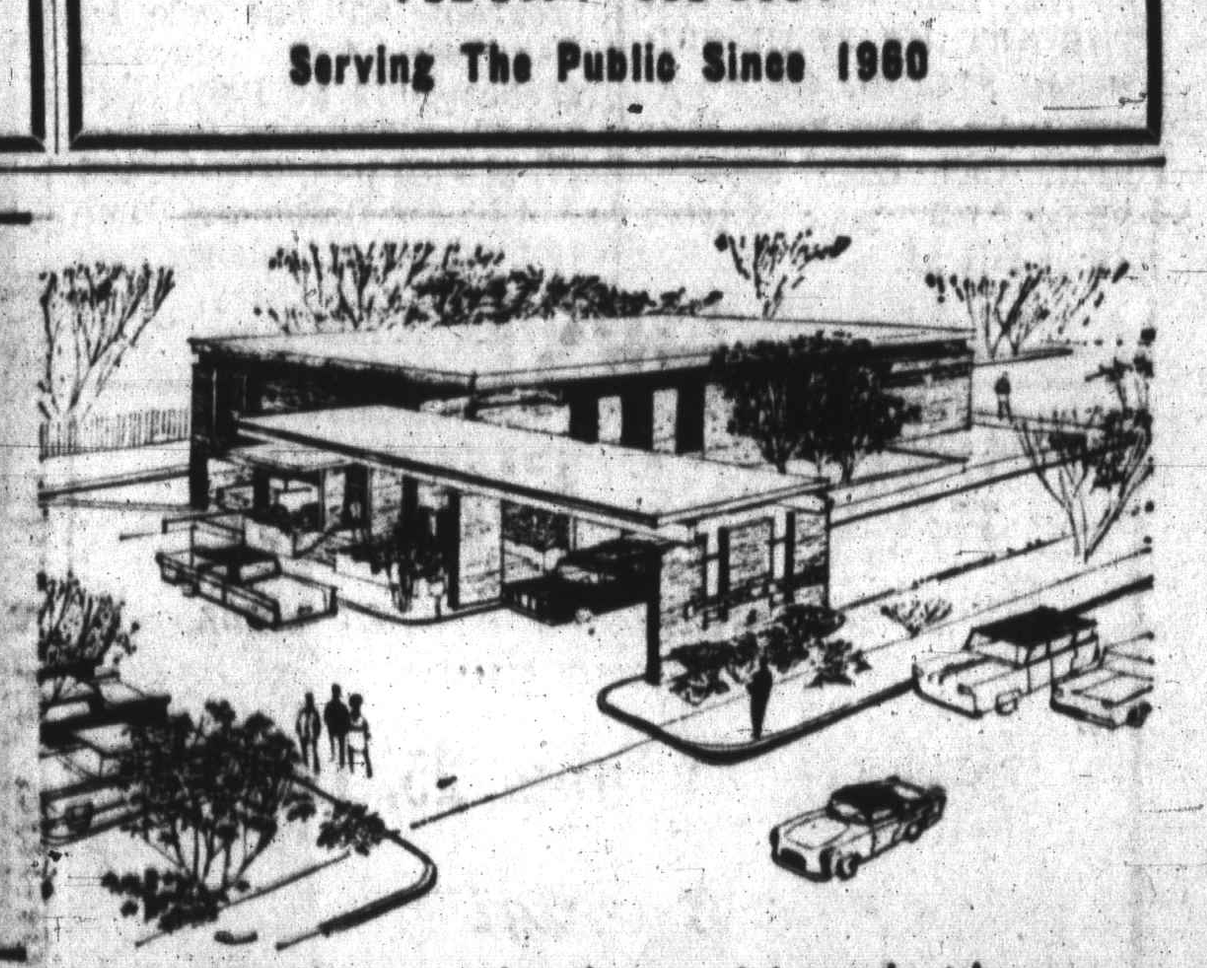

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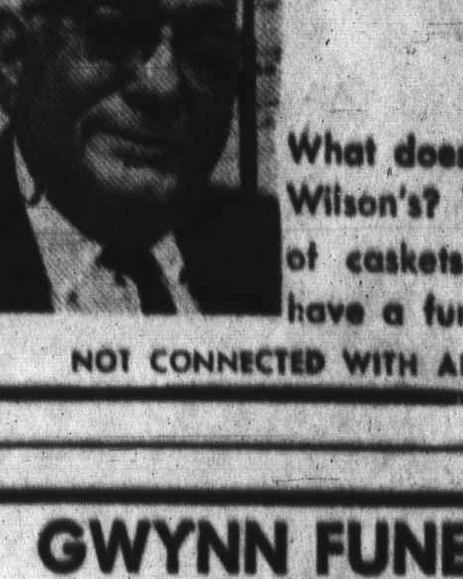

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