

1003 Page Street



Significance: Medium

Date of Construction: 1948

Architect: Unknown

Parcel ID: 040224000

Original Owner: Abe R. Martin

Builder: Unknown

Building History:

This two-bay, one-story, frame and stucco house was built around 1948. The current dwelling has a gabled, standing seam metal roof and a central interior brick chimney. Across the façade is a two-bay, shed roof porch with a parged concrete foundation, and rectangular post supports. There is a two-bay, one-story, shed rear addition. The front-facing window is 3/1 wood sash. The front of the lot has a concrete walkway leading from Page Street to the central entrance. A privet hedge lines the front yard and rear yard. One the west side of the house is the entry to the gravel alley that runs between 10th and 10 ½ Street.

Ownership History:

E.V. Gianniny sold the land to John West in 1903(City 14-20). J. Wilmer Latimer and H. W. Walsh, trustees for John West sold the land to Susan B. Cook in 1932(City 77 – 403). E. C. Brown purchased the property in 1936(City 88 – 449). E.R. Martin bought the land in 1939(City 97 – 414). The property was granted to the Martins three children: Mildred Martin, Abram Martin and Richard Martin (all unmarried) in 1942(City 110 – 347). Curtis Tarry bought the property in 1958 and owned it through the 1970s (City 209 – 19).

Social History:

From 1948 until 1958, Abe R. Martin an African American textile worker at the Ix Mills and his wife Gracie Martin lived in and owned the home. From 1960 until 1964 Lacie Jones, a bindery worker at King Lindsay Printing and his wife Susie N. Jones rented the home.