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A Little Local News

I learned this week that Leisl Newsome of Southern Pines has been selected as a district winner in the Morehead Scholarship Competition.

Leisl's parents are Larry and Linda Scarborough Newsome and her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T.C. Scarborough of Raeford. Miss Newsome and her family must be very proud. I am proud, and she doesn't even know me.

I think it seems a very short time ago that Anne Dickson and I rode to Hoke High every morning with Linda in her grey Studebaker.

I have a question for Raeford folks who remember 1947. Who would have been "a lady from Raeford, a Scottish balladeer" who appeared before the Moore County Historical Association in

the holiday season of 1947? The Raeford woman and two students from Chapel Hill entertained at the Association dinnerdance. One of the UNC students was "a youthful baritone" named Andy Griffith.

Thanks to Sam Morris and "Around Town", the Hoke County Historical Association is shaping up. Dues are \$10 per household, Palmer Willcox is the Treasurer. A number of caring people have sent checks signifying "I care, let me help."

A very interesting pattern has developed. At least one-third of the new members are out-ofcounty Hoke Countians-of-the-They are certainly appreciated. Their sentiments make me feel that our small town must have something special to preserve.

Personals

Mrs. G.M. Freeman spent Christmas week with her son, George, and his family in Washington, D.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Huey Long and Mrs. Addie Vic of Laurinburg spend Sunday with Mrs. G.M. Freeman and her sister Mrs. A.J.

Mrs. Jane Pratt Davis of Marietta, Ga. visited her sister, Mrs. Betsy Lowe, recently. Her son, John Harmon, and daughter, Jennifer, came with her.

Mr. Ras Ellis and his grandson,

Lynn Ellis, celebrated their December 29 birthdays at a party at the home of C.L. Ellis. The party marked the grandfather's eighty-seventh birthday and his grandson's twenty-third. Approximately twenty guests were served finger foods and punch as the honorees opened their gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Upchurch spent Christmas Eve with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Phillips and children, Brad and Brooke in Asheboro. The Phillips returned home with them and spent Christmas day with them and Mrs. W.C. Phillips and

Births

Mr. and Mrs. David Wayne Locklear announce the birth of a aghter Garrie Rochelle, on December 7 at Cape Fear Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Lowe announce the birth of a son, Kenneth David, on December 21 at Moore Memorial Hospital. The Lowes have a fourteen year-old daughter,

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Preparing for Raeford

North Carolina Symphony String Quartet members Marshall Johnson (left seated), Phyllis Sandgren (right seated), Paul Goldsberry (left) and Gerald Nelson (right) will be in Hoke County next week to conduct discovery programs in the schools. The Quartet will perform Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the Hoke County Library. Admission is free. The event is sponsored by the Sandhills Library, Raeford Chaminade Music Club and the Hoke County Chapter of the N.C. Symphony

Beauty search announced

carried live from Music City, U.S.A. on April 15.

Selected stores and radio sta-tions will be closely involved in

discovering the talented young

women in every state. When the fifty state winners have been pick-

ed, they will be photographed in

their Jantzen wardrobes so that the

public can vote for their choice to

ticipating stores and the results will

be tabulated for a special award on

the television show. Each person

who casts a ballot will be eligible to

win a Jantzen swimsuit and sports-

Juanita Duff is the North

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sons with general questions can call 1-800-523-1954.

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win the national pageant.

wear outfit.

Young women interested in entering a nationwide beauty and talent contest are being sought by Jantzen's State Director for American Beauty Search. Juanita Duff announced this week that the State Pageant will be held in Charlotte.

The pageant is called the All-American Music Pageant.

Jantzen, Inc., a leading manufacturer of swim and sports-wear apparel, will sponsor a "grass roots beauty and talent competition.

There will be local and state contests and the national event will be a two-hour television spectacular

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The Woman's Club of Raeford plans to meet for the annual January covered-dish supper on January 8 at 6:30. From the supper and business meeting, the group will move to the Library Conference Room for the performance of the N.C. String Quartet at 8

The January Open Meeting of the Cub has traditionally been dedicated to an Arts Festival co-sponsored with the Raeford Jr. Woman's Club. This year, plans have been changed. The club is inviting Raeford Juniors and Chaminade Music Club members to join them for dinner. The concert and the social hour to follow are being hosted by the Chaminade Music Club.

A special guest for the dinner meeting will be Greg Hathaway. He has been asked to report on the activities and aims of the local Alzheimer's support group. The Woman's Club plans to help this group in some project. The General Federation of Woman's Clubs has adopted Alzheimer's help as a special project for this and next year.

Christmas Followup Mrs. Joyce McDiarmid reports

that the Club Christmas contribution to Sandhills Youth Center was very fine. Club members provided twenty homemade layer cakes for the SYC Christmas party. Shaving

cream, boxes of stationery, cartons of cigarettes, mens' toiletries, and one hundred pairs of socks were collected for gifts for the men. Mrs. Sadie Constantino and

Public Affairs

The Arts

Mrs. Clara Pope report that Share Your Christmas-1984 represented the hard work and dedication of all the club. Final tallies show that 208 households received help (totaling more than 1000 people) and that around \$2,300 was contributed and spent. The clothing, food and household items cannot be given a monetary value, but the contribu-tions were nice and the amounts overwhelming.

Some help came from outside the club, but this year's communi-ty project was carried through by club members. As money was donated, shopping was done for fruit, sugar, candy, children's clothing, and a few small toys (coloring books and crayons). The toys which were distributed were those which had been donated. The dolls were those which had been given and then dressed lovingly by ladies of Hoke County.

The leaders of these Christmas projects are thankful for the support, time, energy and money which helped others at Christmas. The club is very grateful for the leadership of these women, for their enthusiasm, and the way they gave of themselves so generously this holiday season.



Garnering award

W.W. Cameron, Jr. president of Hoke County Farm Bureau, was announced as the winner of a special award by John Sledge, president of the North Carolina Farm Bureau Federation, at its annual meeting in Winston-Salem this week. Presented in recognition for outstanding production during a statewide contest, the award allows Farm Bureau agents an opportunity to win this honor for their county's president who serves on a voluntary basis. Agency Manager Bob Blankenship (left) accepts award on behalf of County President Cameron from NCFB Vice President D. Gray Faulkner.

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