Silver Lining Can Be Found In Cold Clouds

BY MATTIE HEWETT

Maybe we've never had it so cold, but to think seriously, we've never had it so good either, because during

our record low reading in the area of five degrees above zerc, we didn't freeze. We 'mow that's a blessing.

Although bursted pipes. loss of electricity for for several

hours and other freezing weather conditions interrupted our daily routine for a while, most people seemed to be happy just moving around being concerned for one another.

Interesting Events Ahead As we enter the second month of the new year, we find February to be chock full of interesting events for all

people of all ages. A series of observances will kick off Black History Month in area churches and other meeting places.

We are proud of our black heritage and thankful to have come this far. We cannot rest until we've passed the bar-the bar that gives us courage and strength to carry on until every living human is equalized as one.

We are not striving for a name in society with some falsified degree. We are working, praying and trusting to be what God wants us to

Musician Honored

Pleasant Grove Missionary Baptist Church and its pastor, Rev. Sam Stanley, recently honored their musician, Mrs. Bernice Marlow, for 29 years of devoted service. She was presented a beautiful plaque in appreciation for continued service.

Birthday Greetings

Happy birthday to S. D. Bernard Jr., Jan. 27; Douglas Heweit, Lyneite Reed, Susan Bellamy, Jan. 28; Lewis Stanley, Jan. 30; Clarence Stanley, Jan. 31; Janie Bryant, Daniel Durham, Feb. 1; Jettie Piggotte, Feb. 2; Eric Bryant, Floyd Gore, Feb. 3; Christerbell Bryant, Frank Randolph Jr., and Flora Johnson, Feb. 5

Musical Program Sunday A musical program at St. James Baptist Church in Bolivia Sunday, Feb. 3 at 5 p.m. will feature Rev. Heziciah Reaves preaching and several choirs singing, including Friendship-Southport, Supply Community Group, Pleasant Grove and Cedar Grove. It promises to be a program you will not want to miss. You are invited.

This Week's Bible Verse

"And I say unto you, ask, and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you. For everyone that asketh receiveth; and he that seeketh findeth; and to him that knocketh it shall be opened." Luke 11:9-10.

Tune In

Tune in WVCB Radio in Shallotte Thursday at 3 p.m. and Saturday at 10:15 a.m. for the Cedar Grove area news and on Sunday at 3:30 p.m. for Moments of Inspiration gospel pro-

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Waccamaw Teacher Awarded Conservation Scholarship

A Waccamaw Elementary School teacher has been awarded a \$300 scholarship by the N.C. Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts.

Mary Katherine Griffith, a science social studies teacher for grades four through six, will use the scholarship to pursue her master of

elementary education degree at the University of South Carolina at Conway this summer.

The Brunswick County native is the sole winner of this year's award, which is usually divided among Longwood. several applicants.

Funds for the scholarship are raised by the women of the state associa-

tion's auxiliary. Griffith is also a member of Sunset Beach Town Council.

Return To Germany

Three Brunswick County men were involved in a NATO-sponsored exercise, participating in the army's return of forces to Germany (Reforger) 1985.

They are Sgt. Arthur P. Thomas, son of Edward Thomas of Longwood; Pvt. Eugene L. Pennell Jr., son of Eugene L. and Gloria A. Pennell of Calabash; and Pfc. Lyndon E. Bellamy, son of Dorothy J. Johnson and grandson of Annie M. Young of

Birthdays And Anniversaries

Thursday, Jan. 31

Patrick Wayne McDonald, Kim Bell, Susie Sellers, Larry Boyte, Martin Feldt, Joyce Carmichael; Mr. and Mrs. Alan Russ.

Friday, Feb. i Jeffrey Galloway, Chris Hewett, Grant Gore

Saturday, Feb. 2

Lynn Causey, Charlie Atkinson, Katrina McCullen, Erin Austin Lee, Jessica Roberts, Kim Carter, V.W. Simmons Jr; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sellers Jr.

Sunday, Feb. 3 Landis Phelps, Johnny Craig, Bobby Davis, Bobby Long, Alan Holden, Debra S. Young, Doris L. Wilson, Joey Galloway, Mansel Bennett,

Amber Carter; Mr. and Mrs. John Ratterree.

Monday, Feb. 4 Pauline Tripp, Kip D. Young, David Kanoy III, Willie Curtis Fulford Sr., L.D. Benton, Mr. and Mrs. Cletis Clemmons.

Tuesday, Feb. 5 Flora R. Johnson, Janie King, Felicia Stanley, Rebecca Hewett, Kevin Mulholland; Ken and Ann

Wednesday, Feb. 6

Chris Campbell, Perry Lee Johnson, Mandi Page, David Dawson, Gary Ross Galloway, Danny Stanaland, Mandi Page, Emily Ratteree, Nellie Phelps, Lillian Ann

Shallotte Middle Announces Honor Roll

Shallotte Middle School Principal Mark Owens has released the honor roll for the fourth six-week grading

Students with the highest academic averages attained the principal's list, others attained the honor roll.

Fourth Grade Principal's List-Amy Caison, Emily Gore, Robin Hewett, Sean Hughes and Tara Sommersett.

Honor Roll-Keane Bellamy, Lauren Boyte, Jason Booth, Charlie Bradley, Aaron Butler, Elizabeth Calson, Rensie Clark Jr., Kim Clem-mons, Patricia Ciencons, Charl Crattres, April Cumber, Heather Dosher, Amanda Enton, Julie Anna Galloway, Scott Gore, Willie Gore, Perry Grinsett, Yales Gupton, Joseph Hawes, Keith Holden, Irene Johnson, Laurai Keesee, Scott Lewis, Amy Long, Chris Long, Ashley Marshall, Catheryn Mints, Wendi Moore, Darrilyn Morgan Kristina Poulos, Mary Miller Russ, Michael D. Sellers, Shannon Spears, Christy Stevenson, Jenny Jo Trout and Randy Woodard

Fifth Grade

Principal's List-Kim Baxley, Damaris Bettinger, Carolina Carlisle, Leah Cheers, Pamela Detrie, Jacob Hugg, Lori McLamb, Hamilton Lee, Wanda Morgan, Reree Pickett and Chris

Honor Roll-Todd Andrews, Chris Arnold, Sonya Baines, Jeffrey Ballou, Heather Beck, Dariene Bellamy, Dennis Bellamy, Matthew Bozeman, Richard Buffkin, Cleon Butler, Barry Chedwick, Phillip Chestnut, Tracy Clemmons, Ryan Cooper, Jody Dale, Jason Dosher, LaGrant Evans, Tara Evans, Melody Gause, Cheryl Gore, Amber Grissett, Ebony Grissett, Tamela Griasett, Dennis Hall, Tammy Hatley, Eric Herndon, Jamie Hewett, Jennifer Fiewett, Keiya Hewett, April Hill, Bridget Hill, Heather Hughes, David Ingle, Lloyd Jackson, Elbert Johnson, Traci Kirby, Sonny Leggett, Tammy Marlowe, Tikila Morgan, Terry Nawara, Rebecca Oxen-

Daniel Russ, Daniele Sellers, Meg Small, Eric Smith, Roberta Stanley, Beverly Stevenson, Nathan Swain, Donnie Warren, Kevin Williamson and Sarah Williamson

Sixth Grade Principal's List-Kelvin Barnes, Heather Bolick, Perry Culpepper, Elisa Herndon, Victoria Hill, Chris Phelps, Jennifer Russ, Chad Shreve

Tonya Smith and Jessica Turner. Honor Roll-Bobble Jo Balley, Kerri Barbee Chris Bland, Stephanie Bradey, LaTanya Brannon, Rebecca Buffkin, Marsheco Burney, Chris Byrd, Wesdell Cheers, Wesley Chestnut, Sherrie Clark, Timmy Clemmons, Keith Dickerson, Kim Dixon, Amy Edge, Frika Farr, Lanore Floyd, Deborah Power, Debbes Print, Jill Print, Cynthia Gore, Alex Gore, Heather Hardwick, Allen Hewett, Angel Hewett, Issue Hines, Shane Holden, Rita Holmes, Denise Lechene, Georgia Lewis, Michael Nelson, Jeanean Norris, Regina Norton, Scott Quaintaince, Michelle Robinson, Sylvia Robinson, Marcia Scagle, Michelle Sellers, Inda Simmons, Cindy Skipper, Joe Smith, Karen Stansland, Delena Stout, Christa Thompains Marcia Todd, Tonia Trest and Jonathan White.

Seventh Grade
Principal's List-Kelly Bexiey, Kristi Lewis

Henor Rell-Sonya Burney, Tania Butler, Laura Brown, Erin Cavedo, Tunothy Farmer, Marc Farthing, Craven Hewett, Shane Holden, Raymond Howard, Stephen Lancaster, Louisa Lewis, John Malpass, Sherry Nichols, Tammy Williamson and Sabrina Varnam

Eighth Grade Principal's List-Kristen Boyles, Karen ominac, Kelly Stanaland and Sallie Stohler. Honor Roll-Eric Branson, Lafaye Bryant, Jeremy Danford, Joel Edge, Craig Fogle, Dee Dee Gause, Marcelia Gause, Alicia Gore, Cason-dra Hall, Allison Harris, Angie Hatley, Leigh Helms, Bryan Hewett, Larry Hewett, Jessica Home and Tina Jeffers.

Special Class
Honor Roll-Stuart Carter, Woodrow Hewett,

The exercise was designed to develop uniformity of doctrine, standardize procedures for rapid response to a crisis and demonstrate solidarity in commitment to NATO goals and objectives.

All three are graduates of West Brunswick High who are now serving with the 4th Infantry Division at Fort Carson, Colorado.

Honor Teacher

Audrey Gail Owens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Owens of Shalfotte has been recognized as an honor teacher by Appalachian State University. She taught physical education at Western Guilford High School under the supervision of Frank Dover and Martha Tuttle.

This award is given each semester to students at Appalachian who demonstrate exceptional initiative, scholarship and excellence in student teaching.

Secretary Honored

Birdie Frink of Shallotte, secretary to the Brunswick Soil and Water Conservation Districts, has been recognized for doing an "outstanding job," according to Charles Bullock, District Programs Section Chief, N.C. Department of Natural Resources and Community Development and the office of Brunswick County Manager Billy Carter.

She was ranked the second most outstanding secretary in the state in a 1984 contest sponsored by the North Carolina Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts among its members.

Cumbee Wins Award West Brunswick High School stu-

Shean Cumbee has been named a 1985 United States National Award winner in history and government by the United States Achievement Academy.

His biography and photograph will appear in the academy's annual yearbook, which recognizes less than 10% of all U.S. high school students.

Shean is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cumbes of Supply. His grand-parents are Mr. and Mrs. Rob Cumbee of Supply and Mrs. Lucinda Wilson of Ash

Blanks Graduates

Airman Derrick L. Blanks, son of Quessie D. Shaw of Route 1, Leland,

has graduated from the administrative specialist course at Keesler Air Force Base, Mississippi. He is scheduled to serve at Clarke Air Base in the Philippines.

On Dean's List

Margaret Leanne Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Carter of Southport, has been named to the dean's list for the fall semester at Meredith College.

For a student to be named to the his honor, she must have a semester grade of at least 3.2 out of a possible .0 and must have completed a minimum of 12 semester hours and passed all courses taken.

Completes Course

Pfc. Marvin G. Munn, son of Leon R. Graham of Route 2, Leland, has completed the helicopter repair course at the Army Aviation School in Fort Rucker, Alabama.

In NATO Exercise

Pvt. Junious D. Mills, son of Amanda G. Mills of Route 1, Bolivia, was involved in a NATO-sponsored exercise, participating in the army's return of forces to Germany (Reforger) 1985.

Mills, a 1983 graduate of South Brunswick High, is with the 4th Infantry Division at Fort Carson, Col-





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