



Extension Librarian, Mary Ann Delamar with JOAB who will be appearing at the Vanceboro Public Library on July 21.

The Vanceboro Public Library will sponsor its annual Summer Reading Game during the month of July. Boys and girls in K-6th grades are eligible to play the game. The reading program registration begins July 1. *Just Open a Book*, the theme for the 1982 Statewide Summer Reading Game comes from P. K. Mallinan's book of the same title. JOAB, the frog will be the mascot for the reading game this year.

Prizes will be awarded to the person in each grade who has read and reported on the most books during July. A certificate will be awarded to each student who has reported on at least 10 books including 2 travel, 2 biographies, 1 science, 1 history, and 3 of his own choice.

Every Wednesday, beginning in July, a special story hour will be held in the library. All children whether or not they are enrolled in the Reading Game may attend. On July 21 at 4:00 p.m. JOAB will visit the Vanceboro Library. Other story hours will include a puppet show, a ventriloquist act, films, and stories. At the last story hour, on July 28, Mary Ann Delamar, Extension Librarian, will be present to award prizes and certificates at a party in the library.

The program has the strong support of Governor James B. Hunt, Jr., who has signed the certificates for participants and volunteers. Superintendent of Public Instruction, Dr. Craig Phillips has sent a letter of endorsement to parents of public school students strongly encouraging active participation.

For more information about the Summer Reading Game you may call the Vanceboro Public Library. Remember-registration day is July 1.

### In Memory

#### SARAH MORRIS TRIPP

Mrs. Sarah Morris Tripp, 90, died Sunday morning at Craven County Hospital in New Bern. The funeral service was conducted at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday in the Wilkerson Funeral Chapel at Vanceboro by Rev. Lonnie Wetherington, Sr. and Rev. Lonnie Wetherington, Jr. Burial was in the Juniper Chapel Free Will Baptist Church Cemetery.

Mrs. Tripp was a native of Craven County and spent most of her life in the Vanceboro community. She had attended the Tabernacle Holiness Church in Vanceboro.

She is survived by her husband, George W. Tripp; two step-sons: Ezekiel Tripp of Chesapeake, Va., and Calvin Tripp of Rt. 2, Vanceboro; two step-daughters: Mrs. Lottie Smith of Rt. 2, Vanceboro and Mrs. Helen T. Wilson of Rt. 5, New Bern, a sister, Mrs.

Eva Wiggins of Greenville; 18 step-grandchildren; 18 step great-grandchildren; and 2 step great great grandchildren.

#### NATHAN DELWOOD DIXON

Nathan Delwood Dixon, 37, died Saturday morning at Craven County Hospital. Funeral was held Monday at the Wilkerson Funeral Chapel, 4:30 p.m. with Rev. Buddy Jasser and Rev. Hillary Gaskins. Burial was in Kite Family Cemetery near Vanceboro.

Surviving are Wife, Marie Hudson Dixon and son, Jonathan Wayne Dixon of the home, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Dixon of Rt. 1, Vanceboro; two sisters: Mrs. Gloria Craft of Winterville, Mrs. Mary Manning of Rt. 1, Vanceboro and one brother, William Alton Dixon of Rt. 1, Vanceboro.

### Happy Birthday

July 1:  
Aubrey Spear  
Hobson Jones  
Effie Barrow

July 2:  
Nancy McLawhorn  
Kathy Smith  
Nina Dunn

July 3:  
Lori Ann Anderson  
Lillian Anderson  
Nancy Caprara  
Gerrick Ipock  
Joyce Woolard  
Mary Ann Moore  
Marlene Copeland

July 4:  
Carol Register  
Judy Roe  
Brenda Sutton  
Robert S. Whitford  
Betty Gladson  
Michael Sutton

July 5:  
Allen Thomas  
Danny Gaskins  
Tiffany Miller  
Kenneth McLawhorn  
Marie Fillingame  
Sandy Whilford

July 6:  
Kenneth Townsend, Jr.  
John Harvey Lilly  
Sally Gaskins  
Kevin Allen Willis  
Jeff Grega  
Vickie McLawhorn  
Rosa Wilson

July 7:  
Josh Weaver  
Joan Whitford  
Jeff Hill

### Happy Anniversary

July 2:  
Mr. & Mrs. Lester Waters

July 3:  
Mr. & Mrs. Larry Wade Norman

July 4:  
Mr. & Mrs. Corbett Holland  
Mr. & Mrs. Richard Gray

July 5:  
Mr. & Mrs. Robert S. Whitford

July 6:  
Sgt. & Mrs. Harold K. Brinkley

### Personals

Mrs. Judy Lane and son, Richard, of Hartsville, S. C. spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde R. Gaskins. On Wednesday, they were invited along with about 20 friends and relatives to visit with Ruth Croom, Linda Jackson and Carol Gaskins at their beach home.

Everyone enjoyed a day at the beach and a good lunch.

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### Class Reunion

The sound of laughter emanating from the home of Kathleen Carawon echoed down Farm Life Avenue probably as far as the now vacant Farm Life High School building last Thursday night, June 24th. It was the occasion of a reunion of some area members of the Class of 1962 who gathered there during Stan Carawon's brief visit home. Attending the get-together were: Donnie Wiggins, Nancy Cauley Wiggins, Betty Lou Smith Swaringen, Sondra Ipock Riggs, Betty Nobles Cleve, Judith Ipock Chance, Sandra Ipock Caton, Dianne Hartley Martin, Geraldine Buffkin Haddock, Nancy Russell

Broadway, Judy Dudley McLawhorn, Emma Jean Hudson Linton, Anne Hill Williams, Vernon Smith, Gene Nobles, Mickey Buck, and Herman Lewis & wife, Doris.

Amid the "You haven't changed a bit", "Remember the time we----", and "Whatever happened to---" vast quantities of punch and munchies were consumed. At the conclusion of the evening, a resolution was adopted stating for the public record: "It is the unanimous opinion of those present that this is undoubtedly the best looking and best preserved class ever to graduate from Farm Life High School."

### Recreation

The Craven County Recreation Commission invites you to participate in a wide range of organized sports and special programs. These various types of recreational activities and facilities are made available by your Craven County Recreation Commission. These are yours to enjoy. For further information on specific programs, call the Craven County Recreation Commission at 638-4909 or 638-6295.

### Cartoon Night

Saturday night, July 3, will be cartoon night at the Vanceboro Youth Center. Cartoons will begin at 7:00 p. m. Children of all ages are invited. The Youth Center will stay open until 10:00 p. m.

Cartoons to be shown include "Rin Tin Tin", "The Cat & The Hat", and several Walt Disney cartoons.

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Caton vs V & J \_\_\_\_\_

July 13:  
Pugh vs M & B \_\_\_\_\_  
Garris #2 vs Garris #1 \_\_\_\_\_  
Kite's vs Ron's \_\_\_\_\_

July 15:  
Caton vs Ron's \_\_\_\_\_  
C & E vs Kite's \_\_\_\_\_  
Senators vs M & B \_\_\_\_\_

Tie Breaker Senators Score \_\_\_\_\_  
M & B Score \_\_\_\_\_

Place your choice to win in the Blanks. Mail to Highlights, P.O. Box 404, Vanceboro or place in Highlights Mailbox at office by Noon Saturday, July 10, 1982

Entry must be postmarked no later than Sat. of week before above games.

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