

# Lumberton Honors Noted Minister

## Salisbury News

413 S. Oak St. Salisbury — Rev. Harter H. H. of Lumberton College, the Little, minister in Rock, N.C., speaker recently at a number of street schools first assembly of the year.

Apprentice in connection with Miss Wilson's family, and the program Rev. Harter had the honor of the month of January offers them a fine opportunity to think and act.

He pointed out that in the making of a lot of resolutions, they are not going to see, they should think about the things that are going to be done in the best way possible. The very act of making resolutions is the first step in the making of a better life.

The speaker asserted that the most vital thing in the young students to have their teachers' classmates, school mates and others, that to have a good time when the time comes to be in others. When one has faith in God he can find the path to duty.

This year I'm going to try to be my best, he concluded. The speaker was introduced by Mrs. N. J. Lash.

**BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL CLUB MEET**

The Business and Professional Women's club entertained the Federated clubs at the first meeting of the new year. This meeting was held at the home of Mrs. William Simpson. The program was beautifully decorated with winter's atmosphere.

After the business session, which was presided over by the president, Mr. Randall, the president of the Business and Professional Women's Club, Mrs. Mary Perkins.

Mr. Jesse L. A. Radford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Radford of Lumberton, is taking advanced training in California. He entered service in June 1951, now has basic at Fort Jackson, and Infantry training at Camp Stewart, Ga. He is a graduate of Dunbar High School and was employed at the White Packing Company when he entered service.

**BROTHERS IN SERVICE**

Mr. Wallace S. Tucker and Pvt. James Tucker of E. Spencer Ave., are both serving in the Army. Wallace is stationed overseas in Germany. He entered service in November 1951. James entered service in December and is stationed at Camp Rocker, Ala.

**PLEASE FILL IT... SEAL IT... MAIL IT!**

Join the MARCH OF DIMES

January 27 to 31

WILMINGTON, N. C. — Above is Dr. H. Alford Farrell, executive assistant to President James Mann Bond of Lincoln University, Pa., who this week visited Wilmington on a southern tour in the interest of Lincoln's Centennial Celebration which will be held next year and for the purpose of contacting alumni. Monday evening, local dinner was entertained by Dr. Farrell at a seafood dinner at Haley's Hotel, Seabreeze. Members are Dr. F. W. Avant, the Rev. E. H. Baskerville, B. T. Washington, James Cooner, and W. D. Bryant, a Wilmingtonian. James E. Mackay, is dean of students at Lincoln.

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## HOMETOWN NEWS



ART EXHIBIT AT COLLEGE — The Traveling Art Exhibit, now on display at A. & T. College, is drawing considerable interest in the Greensboro community. Leroy Moore, center, an instructor in the art department at the college, points out a few interesting features in one of the productions to a group of interested young painters of the day.

**Frink Hi School News**

**COMMERCIAL CLUB ANNOUNCES OFFICERS FOR 1953**

LA GRANGE, N. C. — The commercial club at Frink High School is making advance progress in general office practices and procedures. During a series of scheduled meetings the group engaged in general office and secretarial practices. The organization has available for use a full-time typewriter, a typewriter, a typewriter, a typewriter, and a Remington dictation typewriter.

Members of the group are making plans for a visit to the Federal building in Raleigh and Durham, North Carolina, in the Spring.

Officers are as follows: President, Lindeber Uzzell; Vice President, Marie Warren; Secretary, Edna Rhodes; Asst. Secretary, Hettie Patrick; Chairman of Activity Arrangements, Velma Simmons.

Miss Lillie M. Jones is club advisor.

**MC CAIN G. I. IS RELEASED**

CAPT. LEONARD WOOD, MC, Capt. George P. Malloy, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Malloy, of Raleigh, N. C., was recently released from active duty with the U. S. Army at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. A former student of North Carolina College, he entered the service in January 1951.

**TWIN CITY MAN IS OVERSEA G. I.**

WITH THE 1ST CAVALRY DIV. IN JAPAN — Pvt. Elmer Sharpless, whose wife, Mrs. Marie Lee Sharpless, lives at 414 N. Jackson Avenue, Wilmington, N. C., is now serving in Japan with the 1st Cavalry Division.

Members of the Division are serving in Japan, Korea, and the Philippines. The 1st Cavalry Division is the only division of the Army that has served in all three of these areas.

**Church Leader Dies**

Last rites for the Rev. Mrs. Maggie Harriet Johnson, outstanding religious leader, who died Sunday, were conducted Wednesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church, Lumberton. She was 72 years of age.

A large crowd gathered to pay respects to a woman who early in life turned to the church, and remained a devoted member to the end, and rose to become an outstanding evangelist and co-president of the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Association, Southern District of the United Holy Church of America, Inc.

The service was conducted by Elder N. M. Midgett, Scripture Reading was given by the Rev. E. H. Baskerville, minister of Chestnut Street Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Mary Shaver read the obituary, while James McKelver conducted a solo. Several three-minute expressions were made, including one by the Rev. J. A. Forbes, pastor of the church.

Interment followed in Pine Forest cemetery. French L. Davis, general director, was in charge.

Mrs. Johnson was born in Wilmington on March 28, 1884. She was the daughter of the late Alex and Lizzie Harris. In 1901, she was united in marriage with the late Rev. Johnson.

She began her religious work in what was then known as the Bob White Band Room. She later became famous over the South for her evangelistic work through which she brought countless souls.

**Rocky Mount Soldier Is Returning From Far East**

WITH THE 1ST CAVALRY DIV. IN JAPAN — Army Pfc. Willie B. Simpson, whose wife, Vivian, lives at 333 Napoleon, Rocky Mount, N. C., returned to his home in Rocky Mount after 18 months of service in Japan with the 1st Cavalry Division. He was discharged on Feb. 1, 1953.

He served as a rifleman in Company B, 1st Cavalry Division, and was decorated with the Purple Heart for wounds received in action.

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He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simpson, 333 Napoleon, Rocky Mount, N. C., and is a member of the Rocky Mount Community Church.

**ROCKYMOUNT NEWS and VIEWS**

By M. B. HARRIN

**ADULTS STUDY TITAN**

Two classes including some 200 adults, several appearing for the first time, met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. M. B. Harrin, 121 W. Main Street, for a study of the book "Titan" by Robert Grant. The book is a study of the life of the great conqueror, Alexander the Great.

The classes are being conducted by Mrs. M. B. Harrin, who is the president of the Adult Education League.

**WILMINGTON, N. C. POLIO COMMITTEE**

Above are members of the steering committee of the local March of Dimes. They are, left to right, front row: W. D. Campbell, Mrs. Curvey, and T. C. Jerrett; back row: Edward Hamilton, Earl George, S. J. Howie, Jr., J. M. MacRae, and Charlie Whitty—Vanderbilt Studio Photo.

## Minister Lumberton Church Is Stated To Mark 50th Anniversary Of Pastor

W. B. HARRIN, Editor, Wilmington, N. C., writes: LUMBERTON, N. C., (Special to The Carolinaian) — The 50th anniversary of the pastorate of Rev. J. M. MacRae at the Lumberton Church is being celebrated this week. The church was organized in 1853, and Rev. MacRae has served as pastor since 1903.

Rev. MacRae, who is now 74 years of age, has served the church for 50 years. He was born in Scotland and came to America in 1870. He has served churches in North Carolina, Virginia, and South Carolina.

He is a member of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A. and has served as moderator of the assembly in 1928 and 1932.

He has also served as moderator of the General Assembly of the Southern Baptist Convention in 1938.

He is a member of the National Council of the Churches of Christ in the U. S. A. and has served as president of the council in 1948.

He is also a member of the National Council of the American Baptist Churches in the U. S. A. and has served as president of the council in 1950.

He is a member of the National Council of the United Methodist Church and has served as president of the council in 1952.

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**ASKS FOR CHANGE**

The Lumberton Church is asking for a change in its pastor. The church has been served by Rev. J. M. MacRae for 50 years. The church is now looking for a new pastor who will be able to lead the church into the future.

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**St. Marks Notes**

St. Marks Church is holding a series of services to mark the 50th anniversary of the church's founding. The church was founded in 1853 and has since then been a part of the community.

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