



Mrs. Rachel Locklear, pictured above, entered the work experience component of the CETA program, which is administered by Lumbee Regional Development Association, in January, 1975. Mrs. Locklear was placed as a teacher's aide at Upchurch Junior High School under the supervision of Mr. Earl H. Oxendine.

that the CETA positions are temporary, Mr. Oxendine pla-ced Mrs. Locklear with the state on November 1st, 1976: She works with the trainable mentally retarded [TMR]

This placement exemplifies the objectives of the work experience program. After ob-taining training under ther-CETA program many en-rollees are able to acquire permanent employment.

#### A CETA Profile at LRDA Edith O. Hunt



Edith O. Hunt, a second year accounting student sponsored by the Classroom Training Component of the Comprehensive Employment Act through Lambee Regional Development Association, was chosen Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges at Robeson Technical Institute of Lumberton, NC.

The honor was based on her academic standing and being a best all-around student. Edith has been a Dean's List [all B's] or President's List [all A's] student during her enroll ment at Robeson Tech. since

September of 1975. Her main objectives for choosing accounting are "Working with numbers and books has always been of interest to me and someday I hope to become a Certified Public Accountant [CPA]."

Edith, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James O. Oxendine of 604 Morro Street, Falrmont, NC is a 1975 graduate of Falrmont High School. She has been a credit to the classroom training program with a good attendance record, good grades, and an enthusiastic attitude towards school.

#### A Happy 1st Birthday



The guests were treated to hot dogs, potato chips, Valen-tine candy, cake and ice-cream and coke. The honored guests were his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Oxendine, Sr., of Route 2, Pembroke, and his great-grandmother, Mrs. Charity Oxendine of Route 1, Pembroke, N.C.

## A Belated and Thankful

Larry and Rose Worriax of Pembroke are proud to announce the recent birth of a daughter, Mary Rose Worriax, born November 29, 1976 at 10:12 a.m. at Southeastern General Hospital In Lumberton. She welghed 5 pounds and 10 ounces at birth and was 18 and 1/2 inches long. The parents report that after a brief bout with spinal meningitis at the age of 2 weeks, Mary Rose is fully recovered and getting along fine.





### Senior Citizens Hear tor and council to study the first problems, and women of information regarding the checks on your bank account? Of Status of Women

The Red Springs Senior Citizens Club is a member of the North Carolina Association of Senior Citizens Clubs.

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station led Springs The Honorable Earl A.
Watson, Mayor of Red Springs
presented the certificate of
membership to the Red
Springs Senior Citizens Club
that is sponsored by the Four
County Community Services.
The presentation was made on
Wednesday, February 16, at
the Red Springs Neighborhood
Service Center which is operated by Four County Community Services, Inc.

The accomplishment of the certificate was through the assistance of Ms. Alice Kennedy of the Robeson County Department of Recreation, Senior Citizens Advisor. The Association is dedicated to the preservation of a person's dignity, and self- respect, regardless of his longevity through communication, participation, education and rereation. The membership association is sponsored by the North Carolina Recreation and Parks Society.

Guest speakers for the occa-sion were Clara Bryant, Re-gional Coordinator of the North Carolina Status on Women, and Ms. Alice Kennedy, Rob-son County Recreation Dept. and Senior Citizens Advisor.

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Women?" Her speech follows:

"Basically we want to promote peace and understanding between the sexes. We are not a women's lib group and we are not out to threaten feminty or masculinity. Our program has nothing to do with who opens doors for whom, or who pays the restaurant check. What the program does involutely one of the sex of the attitudes of women and of men toward women, and to find out in each country what the needs of women are.

"We are trying to fit the needs of each individual coun-ty. It is hard for the state to set up something for each county because each one is different and this is why each county should have its own conding

"The council programs emphasis helping women find resources already available to enable them to help them selves. We try to promote self-suffiency and the pride that goes with it rather than the stay where 1 am philosophy. Some people need a good dose of ambition.

"So many times a woman has a problem and doesn't know where to turn. We are reaching out to these women. We want to let people know what the problems are on the local level, and help them cope with them. Our local offices receives numerous phone calls. My co-worker on the county council and myself help those that we can and refer the others to the proper agencies.

"We get lots of calls from women whose husbands have left them. We get calls from handicapped persons, and from women who feel they are being discriminated against in their jobs. Numerous calls come in from senior citizens who feel that they have been forgotten. We get calls on cases of child abuse, alcoho-

lism problems, and women seeking employment. We serve men as well as women, and on several occasion have been successful in placing men and women on jobs.

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"We are a statutory agency established by the General Assembly and we can not lobby for ERA. The Council has its purpose:

"To identify the status of women in each county by assembling existing informa-tion, conducting original re-search and other appropriate means;

"To disseminate informa-tion on the status of women;

"To serve as the official advisory body on the status of women to the County Board of Commissions, to prepare an annual report to the board and to recommend appropriate ac-tion regarding the status of women.

**PIGGLY** 

"What would you do if you were suddenly left alone? This is a question the Council is trying to help women answer. Would you be able to carry on family business alone? Do you know whether you could write

# "We do not pretend to know or have all the answers, but we do have the resources to channel your questions to the proper agencies," Saddletree Happenings

Ms. Flora Jane Harris visited Saturday night with her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jacobs.

Mrs. Katherine Harris, Mrs. Flora Harris and Mrs. Flora's grandchildren visited Saturday at the home of Mr. Dank Jacobs.

Ms. Paula Harris spent the weekend with her grandma, Mrs. Flora Jane Harris.

Master Paul D. Harris spent the weekend with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Datra Hammonds.

Mrs. Dothery Eddings spent the weekend in Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Carter visited Mrs. Flora Jane Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Delton Goins and kids visited at the home of her mother, Mrs. Flora Jane Harris.

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The Saddletree Senior Citizens meet at the home of Mrs. Cretty Bell Thursday.

Rev. James Bell has return-ed home from the hospital and is improving and requested the prayers of everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Jones visited her mother Sun-day, Mr. and Mrs. James Bell.

Mrs. Luther Bell taught the adult class Sunday at Bethel Hill Church and done a really great job.

Mrs. Wanda Jones spent Monday with Mrs. Flora Jane

# the birthday cake which was baked and decorated by Aaron's grandmother, Mrs. Mil-ford Oxendine, Sr. Making the affair more enjoyable, attending were: his twin sister and brother, Scarlett and Shane, Stephen Hunt, Stephanie Hunt, William Ransom, Jr. Tara Ransom, Chandra Ransom, Julie Christi Crain, Emily Rose Crain, Gary Todd Oxendine, Keevin Lowry, Mrs. Freida Bullard, Mrs. Neila Ann Crain, Ms. Carolyn Hunt, and Mrs. Ernie Lowry.

Master Aaron Chadwick Oxendine, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Milford Oxendine, Jr., celebrated his first birthday, Saturday, February 12, 1977 at his home on Route 1, Pembroke, N.C.

Birth Announcement

