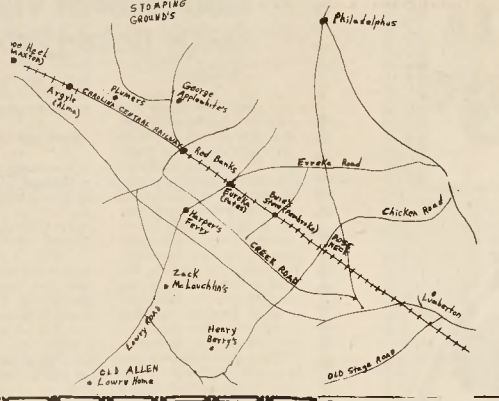


ROUGH SKETCH OF THE LOWRY GANG'S STOPPING GROUNDS



More From Pembroke Jaycettes Installation Banquet



Larry Brooks, President of Pembroke Jaycettes, presents the gavel to Joyce W. Cummings, new Jaycette President.



Sandra Oxendine presents the Jaycette of the Year Award to Frances Chavis.

The Pembroke Jaycette Installation Banquet was held Jan. 28, 1977 at the Jaycee Clubhouse.

After the invocation by Theresa Locklear, a delicious meal was enjoyed by all.

President Frances Chavis welcomed everyone and introduced the special guests, Miss Lumbee, Linda Locklear; Rev. and Mrs. Julian Ransom; Mary Burns, East Central Region Director; Claudette Aragona, State President; and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Jones.

The speaker for the evening, Mr. Steve Jones was introduced by Joy B. Locklear. Mr. Jones is a Biology teacher at Pembroke Senior High School and Pastor of Harpers Ferry Baptist Church.

Larry Brooks, President of Pembroke Jaycettes, installed the new officers. President, Joyce W. Cummings; Vice President, Ann Crain; Secretary, Andrea Scott; Treasurer, Wanda Harris; Member at Large, Joy B. Locklear.

Outgoing president, Frances Chavis presented her board of directors with awards, Theresa Locklear, Doris Cummings, Helen Locklear and Joyce W. Cummings. She also presented certificates of appreciation to Ann Crain, Molly Locklear, Elizabeth Brooks, Sandra Oxendine and Joy B. Locklear. Certificates of appreciation were also presented to Larry Brooks, Steve Jones, Bill Hunt, Mary Burns and Claudette Aragona.

Miss Lumbee, Linda Locklear presented the Jaycettes with a plaque in appreciation of the Club's support during her reign as Miss Lumbee.

Sandra Oxendine, last year's winner of Jaycette of the Year Award presented Frances Chavis with this award.

Joyce W. Cummings presented Frances Chavis with the Past President Award.

Mary Burns and Claudette Aragona both made comments of praise and encouragement to the club.

The program ended with the Jaycette Creed led by Ann Crain.

A social hour was then enjoyed by all. Music was provided by Gene Locklear.

The congregation is small in number with about 48 resident members and about 91 Sunday School members. Situated in a very scenic and restful location this church is a very pleasant place to visit or make one's place of worship. Located at the end of rural road #2461 North of Rowland, about four miles, Dogwood Baptist Church can offer new life and guided hope for any weary traveler on a dead-end road. It is another witness of "The Only Way, The Truth, The Life," and another member of Burnt Swamp Baptist Association.

The Life and Times of

Henry Berry Lowry



Scuffletown was an area with hard-to-define borders. The whites of Robeson used the term to apply to the region primarily inhabited by the "Free Persons of Color" who differed immensely from their more affluent white neighbors; the descendants of the same "Free Persons of Color" are today recognized as Lumbee Indians, so named after Lumbee River which was later renamed Lumber River.

The above sketch is not all inclusive and is not presented to scale. It is simply a rough sketch of the main stopping grounds of Henry Berry Lowry and the Lowry Gang. Its purpose is to better give the reader a general idea of the many townships, swamps, etc. he has read about in this weekly column.

In 1791 James Lowry, of whom all present-day Lowrys are descended, sold out his property on Lowry Swamp and moved to what was once known as the 'Harper's Ferry Place.' Here he opened up a combination grocery store and saloon. It was here at Lowry's Grocery Store/Saloon that Scuffletown earned its name.

Col. Vick, of whom Vicks-

burg, Mississippi is named and who frequently patronized Lowry's place, ran a store at Fair Bluff, also in Robeson County. Because of the Indian's unruly behaviour when drinking, Col. Vick named the region inhabited primarily by them Scuffletown; his reasoning was that it was generally a scuffle to live among, or to get along with these "half breeds." The region Col. Vick was referring to was that region lying East of Drowning Creek (later changed to Lumbee River and yet again to Lumber River) and extending for a couple of miles East of Bear Swamp.

A more precise understanding of the location of this region can be obtained by reading Mrs. Mary C. Norment's description in "The Lowrie History":

"Scuffletown proper is located a little to the northwest of the centre of Robeson County, the centre being near Pates about 15 miles north-west of Lumberton, on the Carolina Central Railway. Eight miles north-westward of Lumberton, on the Carolina Central Railway, is the station of Moss Neck. Seven miles from Moss Neck, on the Carolina Central

More on Henry Berry Lowry and the Lowry Gang next week.

A History of Dogwood Baptist Church

By Rev. Tony Brewington
11th In A Series



DOGWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

It was the latter part of the 1800s that a Mr. A. R. McLean gave approximately 1 1/2 acres of land to a group of followers of the Methodist doctrine to establish a church. Upon this property a long building was erected and became known as Old Bethel Methodist Church. It is said that those who worshipped there included persons of three races: Indian, Black and White. The minister was a White circuit rider who traveled from Wilmington through this region on his four-legged mobile unit caring for the spiritual needs of several Methodist groups scattered along the southeastern coastal area of North Carolina.

Resulting from an internal struggle, in 1902, a group separated themselves from the Old Bethel congregation and established New Bethel Methodist Church. Old Bethel became known as "Ashpole" but also carried the nickname of "Dogwood." A school building was constructed which

provided a training center for Indians and was used as headquarters for an organization known as the "Red Man's Meeting." Several ministers led the Ashpole congregation including, among the earliest, Rev. Mahoney Locklear, Rev. George Dewey Locklear and Rev. Zack Jacobs.

Gradually, Baptist influence began to make its mark upon this group and in 1951 Mr. Allen A. Hunt purchased land and led a splinter group to establish Dogwood Baptist Church. The first building of this congregation was constructed and completed by 1952 with Rev. N. R. Morgan serving as the first official pastor. Serving as the first deacons were Mr. M. D. Freeman, Mr. S. P. Locklear and Mr. James (Jack) Hunt of Elrod. Other ministers working with this congregation have included Rev. R. W. Maynor, Rev. Z. A. Chavis, Rev. L. B. Jacobs, Rev. Vestor Oxendine, Rev. Winfred Locklear, Rev. Jake Mitchell, Rev.



REV. JAMES DIAL



CHURCH SUPT. SAMUEL CHAVIS

L. A. Maynor, Rev. Bradford Locklear, and Rev. James D. Dial who is the present pastor having been called to this church for part-time work in 1974.

In recent years many interesting things have been happening among this group. A

bold program of renovation has replaced worn and decayed floors with a new concrete-carpet floor and added new windows and lights to the sanctuary. In addition, a new Fellowship Hall has been constructed providing needed educational space as well as provisions for social gather-

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- All courses offered below are approved for Veterans benefits.
- Tuition cost for all courses is \$2.50 per credit hour, and students may enroll in one or more courses. Students are responsible for the cost of textbooks and material required in class.
- All class hours listed are p.m.
- All class meeting days are noted by the following code: M-Monday, T-Tuesday, W-Wednesday, Th-Thursday.
- All applicants must be 18 years of age or a high school graduate.
- High school graduation or the equivalent is required for admission; however, exceptions may be made in certain circumstances.
- All applicants must have their Social Security number to register.
- Robeson Technical Institute reserves the right to make changes in the schedule.
- Robeson Technical Institute is an Equal Opportunity Institution.

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COURSE	NUMBER	TITLE OF COURSE	ROOM NUMBER	TIME	DAYS	COMPL. HOUR
EVENING BUSINESS AND SECRETARIAL						
PSY	206	Applied Psychology	315	6:00-7:15	M & W	3-3
*ENG	102	Composition	819	6:00-7:15	M & W	3-3
ENG	101R	Grammar	709	6:25-8:30	M & W	5-5
BUS	102	Typewriting I	812	6:25-8:30	M & W	3-5
BUS	102	Typewriting II	813	6:25-8:30	M & W	3-5
BUS	120	Accounting I	815	6:25-8:30	M & W	4-5
ECO	102	Economics	817	6:25-8:30	M & W	5-5
BUS	115	Business Law I	804	6:25-8:30	M & W	5-5
EDP	104	Intro. to Data Processing	707	6:25-8:30	M & W	4-5
BUS	110	Office Machines	811	6:25-8:30	M & W	3-5
BUS	232	Sales Development	10-1	6:25-8:30	M & W	5-5
BUS	271	Office Management	819	7:20-8:35	M & W	3-3
SSC	201	Social Science	315	7:20-8:35	M & W	3-3
BUS	101	Introduction to Business	817	8:40-10:45	M & W	5-5
BUS	111	Business Math	804	8:40-10:45	M & W	5-5
*BUS	121	Accounting II	815	8:40-10:45	M & W	4-5
ECO	104	Economics	819	8:40-9:55	M & W	3-3
*BUS	116	Business Law II	804-A	8:40-10:45	M & W	5-5
BUS	123	Business Finance	707	8:40-10:45	M & W	5-5
BUS	235	Business Management	710	8:40-10:45	M & W	5-5
*ENG	204	Fundamentals of Speech	709	8:40-10:45	M & W	5-5
*BUS	229	Taxes	10-1	8:40-10:45	M & W	5-5
BUS	110	Office Machines	811	8:40-10:45	M & W	3-5
*ENG	206	Business Communication	815	6:00-7:15	T & Th	3-3
*BUS	122	Accounting III	709	6:25-8:30	T & Th	4-5
*BUS	103	Typewriting II	812	6:25-8:30	T & Th	3-5
*BUS	211	Office Machines	811	6:25-8:30	T & Th	3-5
BUS	241	Sales Promotion & Adv.	817	6:25-8:30	T & Th	5-5
BUS	112	Filing	819	6:25-8:30	T & Th	4-5
BUS	222	Intermediate Accounting	804	6:25-8:30	T & Th	4-5
*ENG	103	Report Writing	815	7:20-8:35	T & Th	3-3
BUS	247	Business Insurance	815	8:40-10:45	T & Th	5-5
BUS	183	Terminology, Vocabulary & Punctuation	819	8:40-10:45	T & Th	5-5
*BUS	225	Cost Accounting	804	8:40-10:45	T & Th	4-5
EVENING GENERAL EDUCATION						
MUS	101	Music Appreciation	710	6:25-8:30	M & W	5-5
ENG	105	American Literature	9-1	8:40-10:45	M & W	5-5
HIS	106	American History	804A	6:25-8:30	T & Th	5-5
*MAT	111	Fundamentals of College Math	315	8:45-10:45	T & Th	5-5
EVENING VOCATIONAL COURSES						
RADIO, TELEVISION & ELECTRONIC SERVICES						
ELC	1112H	Direct & Alternating Current	501	6:00-10:30	M-Th	12-20

* These courses require prerequisite.

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