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A BACKWARD GLANCE IN SAMPSON COUNTY --HOME OF THE COHARIES



Mark Harkbarth shows some of his findings to Sally Migliore, a staffer from the N.C. Commission of Indian Affairs.

PRESERVING OUR HERITAGE BY EXAMINING THE PAST

By Bruce Barton

Archaeology is the scientific study of the remains of the culture of a people.

A saying goes like this "We cannot know where we are going if we do not know where we have been..."

Archeologist Mark Hackbarth is helping the Coharie Indians, and all of Sampson County, find out more about themselves. By finding out where they came from ... they can, in a broad sociological sense, chart their course into the future with more certitude.

Hackbarth is finishing up a one year study in Sampson County under the auspices of the N.C. Commission of Indian Affairs and the N.C. Division of Archives and History.

His final report is due in April after a review by the funding agencies.

Sampson County, where the majority of the Coharie Indians reside, are matching the state funding by providing in kind services, including manpower, office supplies and space.

The Coharie Intra-Tribal Council is working closely with Hackbarth and the participating agencies, providing information and work sites.

Archeological sites unearthed by Hackbarth eventually may be listed on the National Register of Archeological Sites.

"The purpose for listing any site on the National Register," Hackbarth explains, "is to save it for future generations. The criteria is, is it worth saving..."

So far, Hackbarth has uncovered 160 sites yielding cultural material such as projectiles, tools and ornaments used by early inhabitants of the area. The first 45 sites were identified by farmers in the area and by the Coharie people. The rest were uncovered through the archeologist's research strategy.

Locating sites, cataloging his finds and recording information about them on a 7-page site form is the way Hackbarth conducts his survey.

The completed site form includes photos, names of the present owners of the property and information about the cultural affiliation and the time periods presented by evidence at the site.

"I may find cultural material from any or all of four time periods at a given site," Hackbarth says. "The periods are Paleo-Indian, Archaic, Woodland and Mississippian."

"Very generally speaking, in the Paleo-Indian period all over the American continent, the people were big game hunters, hunting such animals as bison, camels and horses, which they brought down by group effort.

"In the Archaic period, the people were regional wanderers who hunted such animals as the white tail deer.

"In the Woodland period, the people became semi-sedentary to fulltime villagers. They had learned about agriculture and their diet included grapes and berries.

"In the Mississippian period, of which I have found no evidence in Sampson County, the people were fulltime agriculturists and village dwellers with a stratified society."

The earliest artifact Hackbarth has located in Sampson County is a projectile point dating back from the early Archaic period, or around 8000 to 7000 B.C. It was unearthed in northwest Sampson County, near South River. Also found was a Paleoindian projectile point called Clovis. The point is similar to points dated at 12000-8000 B.C. in other parts of the United States.

"The Indians were good land managers," the archeologist says. "They fired

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PSU HOMECOMING SET FOR JAN. 17

Pembroke State University, which experienced the biggest homecoming in its history last year on a day when Old Main was rededicated and a record 537 attended the alumni banquet, is planning more big things Saturday, Jan. 17.

This is a month earlier than last year's event, but some big things are scheduled. Tickets are \$10 per person to all of the events which follow:

5:30 p.m.--Alumni banquet at which the newly-elected members of the PSU Athletic Hall of Fame will be inducted, new alumni officers will be installed, and special awards will be presented. These will include the Distinguished Service Award, Outstanding Alumnus Award, and attendance awards to alumni chapters, classes, and schools. Life membership awards of the Alumni Association will also be presented. The lucky ticket holder will win a

chain saw, courtesy of Lowry's Chain Saw Co. of Maxton. 6:30 p.m.--Women's basketball game: PSU vs. Gardner-Webb.

8 p.m.--Men's basketball game: PSU vs. Guilford (The homecoming queen will be crowned at halftime).

10 p.m.--Braves Club Victory Party.

The number of people attending PSU alumni banquets has grown in recent years. In 1979, a total of 351 attended in what was Dr. English E. Jones' last year as chancellor. Last year, in Dr. Paul E. Givens' first year as chancellor, the record 537 were present.

Since then PSU has done much to heighten its image, raising \$20,620 to make a bell tower a reality it will be erected in March), beginning an extensive advertising campaign through television and launching its first Annual Fund Drive.

UNC Board of Governors visit PSU

PEMBROKE - it was a first in Pembroke last Friday when the board of governors of the N.C. University system visited Pembroke State University for one of its regular meetings.

While in season on the PSU campus the board adopted a resolution of support for UNC President William Friday for informing the state about the role and mission of the university system.

The News and Observer of Raleigh raised questions in an editorial this week about Friday's program, which features interviews with state officials and other public figures. The newspaper said in its Friday edition there had been suggestions the university system president used the program to curry political and legislative favor for UNC's requests in the upcoming legislative session.

Friday told the board of governors Friday that the accusations are "wholly false." He said the practice of interviewing the governor and legislative leaders has been an established policy of the UNC education public television station. He said also that he was unaware the interview programs were being promoted through advertising.

The newspaper had hinted that Friday had put pressure on the station to promote the program.

The board of governors adopted the resolution supporting the interview programs offered by board member E.B. Turner of Lumberton. Another member, William Johnston of Harnett County suggested the board "lend our support and our encouragement of this policy" of the interview programs.

Board chairman John Jordan said the charges by the newspaper "are completely unjustified to the extent of being ridiculous."

Cardinal Health Agency to consider Pembroke Request

Lumberton-Federal grand fund requests by the Tri-County Community Health Center in Newton Grove and Pembroke medical Services in Pembroke will be reviewed by the Cardinal Health Agency Board of Directors at its 7 p.m. meeting on January 21, 1981. The Board will review a \$505,872.00 project by the Cumberland County Hospital System.

The Tri-County Community Health Center is seeking a \$389,683.00 fourth year continuation grant to provide primary health care to migrants and

seasonal farmworkers in Johnson, Sampson, and Harnett Counties.

The service area covers approximately 25 miles and contains approximately 10,000 migrants and an estimated 12,600 seasonal farmworkers.

The applicant is building a new facility and should occupy the building by March, 1981.

Pembroke Medical Services is seeking a \$208,752.00 Federal Rural Health Initiative Grant to provide primary care to a service area with 13,000 people. The grant will supply income which was lost when the clinic's dentist left the program.

The Cumberland County Hospital System is proposing to purchase a new telephone system to serve Cape Fear Valley Hospital and Southeastern Regional Rehabilitation Center. Located in Fayetteville, the hospital and the Rehab Center are licensed for 517 beds. The project will cost \$595,872.00 and among other things, will enable the system to control long distance calls made by patients.

In addition to the projects, the Board will consider draft appropriateness review findings on radiation therapy services. If approved these findings will be made available for public comment for 30 days. Prior to the business portion of the meeting Dr. Gale Martin of Pinehurst will present a board orientation session on ophthalmic surgery.

Cardinal is the regional health planning and review organization for 15 southeastern North Carolina counties. All meetings of the Board of Directors and its committees are open to the public.

Sale of Beer & Wine on Sundays to be Considered Feb. 2nd

PUBLIC NOTICE

THE PUBLIC WILL TAKE NOTICE that the Town Council of the Town of Pembroke will hold a public hearing concerning amendments to Sections 6-1021, 6-1022, 6-1051 & 6-1052 of the Code of Ordinances at 7:00 p.m. on February 2, 1981, at the Town Hall. In particular, among other amendments, the Town Council will consider amendments to the so-called "Blue Law" to allow the sale of Beer and Wine on Sundays by package stores and to regulate the hours thereof. Also to be considered will be the allowance or disallowance of any activity on Sundays and the hours of such regulation.

All interested persons will be given an opportunity to be heard at said hearing before the Town Council acts on any amendments to the aforesaid sections of said Code. This the 6th day of January, 1981.

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PSU HOMECOMING FEATURES BASKETBALL AND HALL OF FAME INDUCTION

PSU will be hopping with excitement this week and especially on Saturday, Jan. 17 when the institution hosts Homecoming 1981.

A schedule of all the activities for Saturday are: 4-5:15 p.m.-- campus tours; 5:30-6:30 p.m.-- Alumni Banquet and Hall of Fame Inductions; 6-7:45 p.m.--PSU Lady Braves Basketball vs. Gardner-Webb; 8 p.m.--PSU Braves Basketball vs. Guilford (Homecoming Queen crowned at halftime); and 10-12 p.m.-- Braves Club Victory Party at Pembroke Jaycee Hut.

PSU HOMECOMING QUEEN?



The 14 candidates for "Homecoming Queen" at Pembroke State University are shown above. The queen will be crowned during Saturday night's homecoming men's basketball game with Guilford College. Left to right, the coeds and their homeowns are: Maria Lopez, Fayetteville; Kim Strickland, Stedman; Ann Starling, Hope Mills; Lisa

Cramer, Liberty; Beth Spill, Fayetteville; Zenetta Brown, Pembroke; Jackie Jacobs, Hope Mills; Jane Floyd, Fairmont; Nancy Carter, Laurinburg; Franey Adler, Fay-

etteville; Phyllis Bryan, Pembroke; Carolyn Logan, Fayetteville; Ann Jackson, Fayetteville; and Madeline Shugart, Fayetteville. (Bill Hunt photo)

PEOPLE AND PLACES AND THINGS

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. L.J. Heckwolf, Jr. of Baltimore, Md. are the proud parents of a son, Joseph Lacota- 7 lb. 13 oz. Mrs. Heckwolf is the former Sara Helen Brooks of Pembroke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Brooks and grand daughter of Mrs. Lela H. Brooks and the late John J. Brooks of Pembroke and Mrs. Sara Burnette and the late Chris C. Burnette of the Saddletree community. Master Heckwolf arrived January 8, 1981.

COUNTY LIBRARY TO SPONSOR QUIZ BOWL

The Robeson County Public Library will sponsor again this year the Quiz Bowl which is an academic competition between senior high school students. There will be one team (composed of four members and one substitute) from each high school participating in this competition.

The winning team of this local Bowl will advance to the regional competition which will be composed of teams from other counties. The state championship will be determined from competition between regional winners.

The Quiz Bowl will be held in the Robeson County Public Library Auditorium on February 16, 1981 at 7:30 p.m. The semi finals and finals will be held on February 23, 1981 at 7:30 p.m. in the Library Auditorium. For more information contact Ms. Karen Brown, Children and Young Adult Librarian at 738-4859.

ROBESON COUNTY BASS ANGLERS TO ORGANIZE

There will be an organizational meeting of the Robeson County Bass Anglers on Sunday, Jan. 18 at 2 p.m. Anyone interested in Bass fishing should attend. The meeting will be held at the Brewers residence, four miles west of Pembroke on Highway 74. For more information call 521-4037 any time and ask for Kent or Keith.

GOSPEL SINGING PLANNED

A gospel singing will be held at Prospect United Methodist Church, Route 3, Maxton on Sunday, Jan. 18 at 7 p.m. The pastor is Rev. Bob Mangum and Music Director is Harold Jacobs. The public is cordially invited to attend.

It was Cold in Robeson County

Robeson County residents shivered along with others across the region and eastern part of the country Tuesday morning as a record setting six degrees was recorded in the city.

a piece of paper and say here we are. This document will last for generations to come. The Tribal Roll is merely a listing of everyone who is a member of that tribe. Wouldn't you like to know that your name will live on forever as a member of one of the largest tribes in America today? Then get your application and complete it today.

If you have any problems in completing your application or you have any questions, please feel free to call me (Ed Chavis) at 521-8602 or drop by our office in the Revels Motel complex.

TRIBAL ENROLLMENT: WHAT IS IT?

By an act of state legislature in 1953 and by an act of Congress in 1956, all the Indian people in Robeson and adjoining counties were named the Lumbee Indians of Robeson and adjoining counties.

We all know who they were talking about when these laws were passed but there has never been any kind of document that named each of those individuals that affiliate as Lumbee people.

We at Lumbee Regional Development Association need your help in doing that. We want to have a list of everyone who is a Lumbee. Finally, we can look at

BUT A WARMING REPRIEVE IS LIKELY

Temperatures are expected to climb into the 40s to day in North Carolina, but frigid winter weather will return by Sunday.

Some light snow is possible in the northern mountains, but the National Weather Service predicts little precipitation elsewhere.

The extended forecast calls for highs in the 40s and 50s and lows in the 20s until Sunday, when highs will dip back into the 30s and lows into the teens.

Tuesday was cold. Record lows were set in Raleigh (4 degrees), Wilmington (7) and Cape Hatteras (17), and Boone recorded a low of minus 4. Single-digit low temperatures were common across the state and afternoon highs were mostly in the upper 20s and 30s.