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## VETERANS DAY TO BE OBSERVED IN PEMBROKE NOVEMBER 11

Pembroke VFW Post 2843 will observe Veterans Day on Thursday, November 11, 1982. The celebration will include a parade, a flag raising ceremony, the sale of buddy poppies, and a plate sale.

The parade will travel through downtown Pembroke at 10 a.m. The flag

raising ceremony will be held immediately following the parade in the Pembroke Town Park.

The key note address at the ceremony will be given by Charlie J. Coleman, Jr., Professor of Aerospace Studies, Air Force Reserve Officer's Training Corps,

Detachment 607, Fayetteville State University.

Lieutenant Colonel Charlie Coleman, came to Fayetteville State University from Eglin AFB, Florida. He has been Professor of Aerospace Studies at Detachment 607 since 1951. He received his Bachelors Degree in Chemistry from Talladega College, Talladega, Alabama in 1960. He received his Masters Degree in Acquisition Logistics Management from the Air Force Institute of Technology, Wright Patterson AFB, Ohio in 1978.

Lt. Colonel Coleman's previous assignments include Commander, 33rd Aircraft Generation Squadron (TAC) Eglin AFB, FL; Chief, Maintenance Division, Tactical Air Readiness Group, USAF Tactical Air Warfare Center (TAC) Eglin AFB, FL; Chief, Maintenance Readiness Inspection Branch Air Force Inspection and Safety Center (HAF) Norton AFB, CA. His decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster and the Air Force Commendation Medal. Lt. Colonel Coleman is married to the former Dolores A. Leach. They have two children: Charles J. and Cheryl J. Coleman. The Colemans are natives of Florence, Alabama.

### BUDDY POPPY SALES

The Honorable James A. "Pete" Jacobs has proclaimed the week of

November 8-13, 1982 as Buddy Poppy Week in Pembroke. He commends the wearing of buddy poppies to the citizens of the town of Pembroke.

Bobby Dean Locklear, Commander of Pembroke VFW Post 2843 encourages all citizens to wear a Buddy Poppy on Thursday, November 11, 1982 to the Veterans Day Observance.

Commander Locklear explained that all proceeds from the sale of the buddy poppies will be devoted to the following purposes:

For the aid, assistance, relief, and comfort of needy or disabled veterans or members of the Armed Forces and their dependents and the widows and orphans of deceased veterans.

For the maintenance and expansion of the VFW National Home and other facilities devoted exclusively to the benefit and welfare of the dependents, widows and orphans of disabled, needy or deceased veterans or members of the Armed Forces.

For necessary expenses in providing entertainment, care and assistance to hospitalized veterans or members of the Armed Forces.

For veterans rehabilitation, welfare and service work.

And to perpetuate the memory of deceased veterans and members of the Armed Forces and to comfort their survivors.

## ELECTION

### NOTES

#### ROSE WINS EASILY ETC. ETC. ETC.

Incumbent Charlie Rose (D) easily outdistanced challenger Ed Johnson (R) in balloting for the 7th Congressional seat in the U.S. House of Representatives. Rose captured more than 70% of the vote, garnering 68,523 to Johnson's 27,135.

Rose noted, "In the face of a very nasty campaign, I'm very happy... I've learned a lot in this election and I've got some fence mending to do... But," noted Rose, "I'll be a better Congressman." Rose has represented the district for ten years.

#### AND LOCAL RACES PRODUCE NO SURPRISES

Democrats swept the three races up for grabs in Robeson County. Wyvis Oxendine who beat long time commissioner Herman Dial down to defeat in a bitter Democratic primary and run off had little trouble with Republican challenger Bob Brewington. Oxendine received 13,724 votes to Brewington's 2,804 in the Pembroke-Smiths-Maxton Commissioner race.

And Sammy Cox, one of two-Lumberton commissioners, easily whipped Republican challenger Norm Morton 14,231 to 2,447.

Another commissioner, Bill Herndon from the St. Pauls District, was unopposed as were county board of education members Dr. Dalton Brooks, Rufus Graham, Charles David Locklear, J.R. Musselwhite, Bill Oxendine and Ronald Revels.

Also making their elections official were Sheriff Hubert Stone, Clerk of Court Dixie Barrington, and Coroner Chalmers Biggs.

Also sweeping into office unopposed were Senator David Parnell, house of representative members Danny DeVane, Sidney Locks and Pete Hasty. Also without opposition were D.A. Joe Freeman Britt and District Court Judges Herbert Richardson, John G. Gardner and Charles McLean.

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### REVIVAL SERVICES BEGIN AT ASHPOLE CENTER

Revival services will begin at Ashpole Center United Methodist Church on Sunday, November 14 through the 19th at 7:30 p.m. The Reverend Ted Brooks will be the evangelist. The pastor, Reverend S. Dufrene Cummings and church offer to all a cordial invitation.

### NAMED TO FMA HONOR ROLL

Perry Cummings, ninth grade student at Flora Macdonald Academy was listed on the Headmaster's Honor Roll at that school. Perry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carlee Cummings.

The Headmaster's Honor Roll requires a minimum average of 95 and students in on the FMA Honor Roll maintained averages of 90 to 94 for the grading period.

### Country Band to perform

Freda's Kwik Stop will be featuring music Friday night from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. The popular band, The Country Steelers lead by Clyde Jones will be playing your favorite country and western hits. Stop out and hear them. That's this Friday, Nov. 5, at Freda's.

### LADIES AUXILIARY PLAN ACTIVITIES

The Ladies Auxiliary Club of the Burnt Swamp Philadelphus Rural Fire Department will sell sandwiches and drinks at the Union Chapel Community Building on Saturday, November 6, 1982 beginning at 10 a.m. An auction will begin at 1:30 p.m.

Memberships in the rural fire department may be purchased from any of the volunteer fire members.

The public is invited to participate.

### GLENN MAYNOR SURVIVES AS COUNTY HOUSING HEAD

The county commissioners met Monday night and dealt with the Glenn Maynor matter, deciding to accept the disbanded housing authority employees as county employees, subject to a final audit.

The decision was generally seen as a victory by Maynor, and a defeat by ousted Commissioner Herman Dial and others who had called for Maynor's dismissal because of excessive "politicizing on county time" as Dial termed it.

Maynor, who also is a Lumberton City Councilman, has been a focal point lately, especially from Herman Dial who was defeated by Wyvis Oxendine in a run off for county commissioner from the Pembroke-Smiths-Maxton District. Dial led a move to disband the autonomous county housing authority bringing it under the auspices of county government. The political move was seen as a way to get rid of Maynor.

### FIRST PHASE OF WATER LINES IN PLACE

The county commissioners were told Monday by water department officials that the first phase of the county wide water system is in place, with meters installed on all water lines. About 3,500 customers are now being served by the \$15.5 million project. All areas of the county have been reached with the exception of the towns of Fairmont and Pembroke who have their own water systems.

### PEMBROKE JAYCEES HOLD SOCIAL

The Pembroke Jaycees, in conjunction with their membership drive, will hold a Social Affair at the Jaycee Hut, Wednesday, Nov. 17, from 7 p.m. until. Food and beverages will be served. All members are encouraged to bring prospective Jaycee members.

### TURKEY OR HAM SHOOT

Every Friday and Saturday night until Christmas there will be a Turkey or Ham Shoot located on Hanks Road north of PSU at the first gas station on the right as you drive toward Prospect. Look for the sign.

### YARD SALE

There will be a yard sale Saturday, November 6, under the tower behind the fire station in Pembroke, NC. Mt Olive Pentecostal Holiness Church will sponsor the sale. Starting at 8:00 a.m. and lasting until 6:00 p.m.

### TURNER TO LEAD STATE BAPTIST GROUP

Dr. E.B. Turner is the new president of the N.C. General Baptist Association. Turner was elected last Wednesday at the 115th annual convention at White Rock Baptist Church in Durham. Ernest Grimes, city human relations director and administrative assistant to the city manager, made the announcement Thursday.

Grimes said the association is the largest black organization in the state, with approximately 400,000 members. Turner is pastor of First Baptist Church on West Second Street in Lumberton. He is a Lumberton City Councilman and serves on numerous boards and commissions in Robeson County.

### LONNIE REVELS, JR. NAMED TO COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTIONAL INTEGRITY

Lonnie Revels, Jr., a native of Robeson County, and now a successful businessman in Greensboro, and vice-chairman of the N.C. Commission on Indian Affairs, has been named a member of the Committee on Constitutional Integrity.

Tom Gilmore, Chairman of the Keep the Two-Year Term Committee and former legislator from Guilford County, today announced the organization of the Committee at a news conference in Raleigh.

Gilmore, in announcing the purpose of the Committee, stated he is increasingly concerned about the violations of the separation of powers doctrine in the North Carolina Constitution, citing recent power plays by both executive and legislative branches. He charged each branch with attempting to increase its power at the expense of the other, thereby weakening the integrity of the constitution.

The Committee on Constitutional Integrity will focus on the attempt of one branch of government to intrude on the other.

Gilmore will serve as Chairman of the Committee with John T. Talton, Jr. serving as Treasurer. Revels joins a panel of 32 prominent North Carolinians on the panel, including Vice-Chairman Sam Irvin, Jr., formerly a U.S. Senator; John C. Brooks, Commissioner of Labor, and others.

### JOHN INGRAM SPEAKS TO ROBESON COUNTY MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION

PEMBROKE--John Ingram, the consumer-conscious commissioner of Insurance, was the guest speaker at a recent meeting of the Robeson County Municipal Association hosted by the Town of Pembroke.

Ingram was introduced by his long time friend, Pembroke Town Councilman Sam Dial. A special guest was Cliff Blise, at one time speaker of the N.C. House.

Ingram spoke of a number of areas of concerns, including jobs, housing, health care, energy, water and education. He emphasized the interest and input of his agency in each of these areas that touch all of our lives.

But, more interesting than his talk, was his interest in being governor of North Carolina in 1984. He said, "I remember after the meeting, 'It looks more and more like I am going to be a candidate.'"

As Cliff Blise said in his weekly column which appears in a number of state newspapers, "Ingram is a large and due to his work in behalf of the people has a strong following. Don't underestimate him." The next meeting of the association will be held in...

PEMBROKE STATE UNIVERSITY  
Established 1887 as the State Normal School for Indians. Since 1972 a campus of The University of North Carolina.



## A. DAVID LESTER, BELIEVE IT OR NOT, VISITS THE AREA

PEMBROKE--A. David Lester, Commissioner of Native American Programs, in the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, did visit the Pembroke area, contrary to those who smirked that he probably would not come.

Lester was invited to the area by defeated Republican House candidate Ed Johnson and the Carolina Indian Voice.

The highlight of Lester's visit to the area was a talk, followed by a question and answer session, in PSU's Moore Hall last Thursday night.

Lester talked of the "new directions" of the ANA grants making process, with greater emphasis on results, and renewed old friendships with the Indian community.

After the meeting Lester (second from the left) is shown with E.S. Jacobs, Board member, Waccamaw-Sloan Development Assoc.; A. Bruce Jones, Director of the N.C. Commission of Indian Affairs; and Ken Maynor, Executive Director of Lumbee Regional Development Association (LRDA).

Lester spoke highly of LRDA's track record saying, "(LRDA) has a very favorable track record" in receiving grants and delivering services to the

Indian community.

Lester also denied that ANA grants, and Reagan's Indian policy, was being slanted toward federally recognized Indian tribes, noting that non-federally recognized tribes like the Lumbee received more than 50% of the 150 ANA grants issued yearly, out of a budget of \$28 million.

Lester said that ANA was committed toward grants that work toward "breaking the cycle of dependency" on the federal bureaucracy. He also affirmed that Reagan was "pro Indian."

Lester also talked of the spurt of Indian growth, noting that the 1970 Census counted 800,000 Indians while the 1980 Census was up to 1.4 million.

And, finally, he paid particular attention to LRDA, and the Lumbee Community. Lester said, "You don't know how lucky you are to be able to avoid the history of federal dependency," citing economy recovery as the hope of the future as ANA continues to work with both non-federally and federally recognized tribes. Lester also lauded the Lumbee recognition effort, a part of this year's ANA grant. (Bruce Barton photo)

## PSU STUDENTS ENJOY 'HOME COOKING'



PSU students are shown here enjoying a Wednesday lunch at The House, which is the Baptist Student Union at PSU, Dunderberg Baptist

Church provided lunch on this occasion with five women and three men from the church preparing it.