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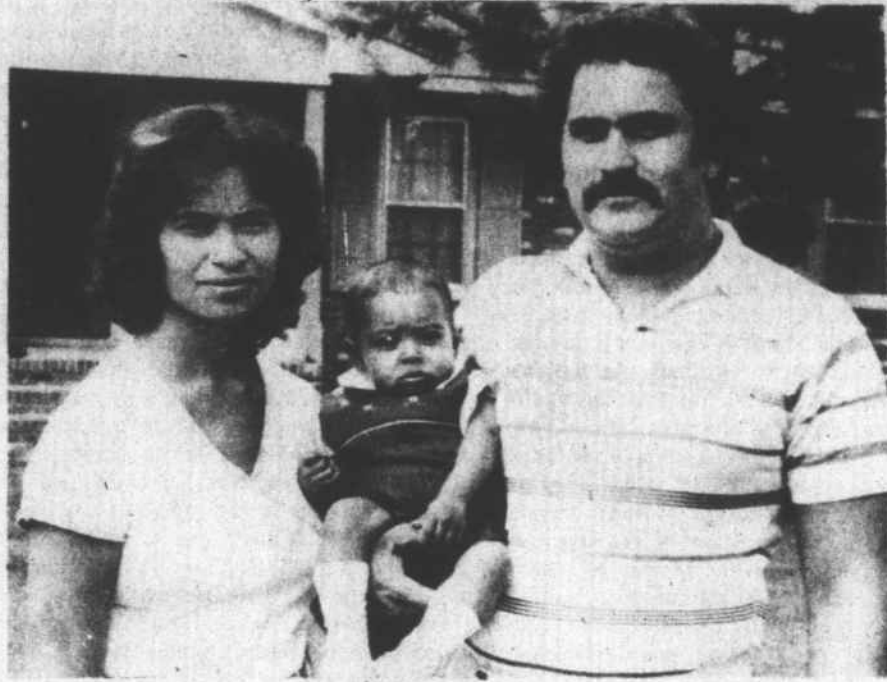
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## HAPPY THANKSGIVING! from Little Josh...and Parents



Rick, June and Josh Brooks

It has been two months now since we publicly shared with you the story about our son Josh: that he has biliary artesia and must have a successful liver transplant if he is to live. The great numbers of people who have helped in so many ways have warmed our hearts, provided food for our table, and blessed our spirits to overflowing with strength and love.

We thank you individually for all the special deeds of kindness that have helped us along to this point. There has been so much. We thank you.

Daily we are grateful to God for all that we have been blessed with, and surely all of you have been a part of those blessings in taking Josh and our little family in, as part of your own. We feel that Josh is not only ours-but very especially a child of the many who care and hope.

We feel your love; we appreciate your concern and help; we weep through smiles as you share with us similar stories.

For all the contributions, hours, energies, special projects, phone calls, thoughts and prayers we are eternally filled with thanks. Our words cannot come close to expressing the gratitude and blessings we have received. We trust, too, that what you have given of yourself has brought special blessings to you and your family.

Please continue to pray for us. May God bless you all.

Sincerely,

Rick, June and Josh

Dr. Turner:  
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E.B. Turner

BY GENE WARREN

PEMBROKE--"True thanksgiving is to God. For in Him, we live, we move, and we have our being. The source of our national prosperity is God."

Thus spoke Dr. E.B. Turner, a member of the UNC Board of Governors and pastor of First Baptist Church on Second Street in Lumberton, in addressing the fifth annual Pembroke State University Thanksgiving Convocation Tuesday at the PSU Performing Arts Center.

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### KIWANIS ANNUAL PANCAKE SUPPER AND BREAKFAST

The 21st annual Fund-raising project will be held Friday, December 2nd, from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m., and Saturday, December 3rd, from 6 a.m. to 9 a.m. Tickets are \$3. The benefit is for the Youth Programs and the supper and breakfast will be held at the new Pembroke Elementary School. Reggie Strickland is the chairman for this event. Tickets may be obtained from any Kiwanian.

### N.C. SYMPHONY TO RETURN TO PSU

The North Carolina Symphony will return to Pembroke State University's Performing Arts Center, Monday, December 12, 1983 at 8 p.m. as a special entertainment attraction.

Tickets are on sale now for \$6.00 each or \$4.00 each for The Season '83-'84 subscribers. For more information and ticket reservations contact the Performing Arts Center Box Office by calling 521-0778.

### BLOOD DRIVE

Mt. Airy Baptist Church, in conjunction with the Mt. Airy Jaycees and Jayettes, are sponsoring a Blood Drive December 3, 1983 at the Mt. Airy Church. The time will be from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The American Red Cross will be on hand to draw your blood. You know, God gave us life, and in turn, He gives us ways and opportunities to save Life. Please come out and help save someone's life. The site is located on Highway 72 between Pembroke and Lumberton. For more information please call Rev. Michael Cummings at 738-7384, or Harlie W. Locklear at 521-9584.

### SENIOR CITIZENS CHRISTMAS DINNER

The Robeson County Recreation and Park Commission will sponsor its First Annual Senior Citizens Christmas Dinner Thursday, December 1, 1983. The banquet will be held at the Red Carpet Inn at 6:30 p.m. until 10 p.m. All interested Senior Citizens can purchase a ticket for \$5.00 from the County Recreation Department located at 108 Elizabethtown Road near the county jail. Deadline for tickets is November 28, 1983. For further information call 738-9061.

### ROBESON COUNTY RECREATION AND PARK COMMISSION ENDS FOOTBALL PROGRAM

The Robeson County Recreation and Park Commission ended its 5th and 6th grade football program on Saturday, November 5, 1983.

St. Pauls won the regular season with a record of 5-0. Maxton was runner-up in the regular season with a record of 4-1.

The third Annual Bowl Day was held on Saturday, November 5, 1983 at Red Springs Football Field.

Fairmont defeated Allenton 10-8, Red Springs defeated Rowland 12-8, and St. Pauls defeated Maxton 34-8. Final season standings were: St. Pauls 6-0-0, Maxton 4-2-0, Red Springs 4-2-0, Rowland 3-3-0, Allenton 1-4-1, and Fairmont 1-4-1.

### CHRISTMAS CLASSIC TOURNAMENT

The Robeson County Recreation and Park Commission Christmas Classic Tournament is scheduled to be held at Oak Ridge Community Center in Lumber Bridge, N.C., December 9, 10 & 11, 1983. It will be a ten team double elimination. Entry fee (\$60.00) must be paid by December 2, 1983 by 10 p.m. High school rules. Trophies awarded will be the Christmas Classic Champions team trophy and individual trophies, and a Runner-up team trophy. There will be a maximum of fifteen players. Team members must have matching jerseys with numbers on back. First ten teams that pay will be allowed to play. Make checks payable to Robeson County Recreation Department. Contact Eva Patterson at 543-2493 between the hours of 3 p.m. and 10 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 1 p.m.-6 p.m. Sunday.

### BLOODMOBILE AT CHEROKEE CHAPEL CHURCH

There will be a Red Cross Bloodmobile at Cherokee Chapel Methodist Church on Friday, Nov. 25, from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. The church is located off Highway 71 in the Wakulla Community between Red Springs and Maxton.

### AUCTION SALE

There will be an Auction Sale, Friday, December 9, at 7 p.m. at Deep Branch Volunteer Fire Department. All items will be sold to the highest bidder. No consignments. Items auctioned off will include beds, motors, bikes, mowers, tools, lamps, clothes, jewelry, household items, and other items too numerous to mention. If you have any item you would like to donate please call Robert Meehan 738-6348, or Jim Emery 738-4124, or J.R. Hunt 738-5436, or any other member of the fire department for pick-up. Snacks and refreshments will be available.

### LRDA TO HOLD COMMUNITY MEETINGS

The Lumbee Regional Development Association's Adult Education Project will be holding a series of community meetings to get community involvement on the upcoming grant. The dates of the meetings will be as follows: December 1- Evans Crossings Fire Department, Maxton; December 6- Rex Rennett Day Care Building, Rennett, NC; December 8, Symrna Baptist Church, Hwy. 211, Lumberton. The public is invited to attend. Each meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m.

## Local Representatives

## Receive Committee Jobs

State Representatives Daniel H. DeVane and Sidney A. Locks were recently appointed to serve on special study commissions.

DeVane, of Hoke County, has been appointed by House Speaker Liston B. Ramsey to a special commission to study large-scale land clearing and peat mining in North Carolina.

The Legislative Research Commission study will examine the operations to see if they are being managed adequately by the State.

DeVane, who is in the auctioneering and real estate business in Raeford, represents Hoke,

Robeson and part of Scotland County in the 16th House District.

Locks, of Robeson County, has been appointed by House Speaker Liston B. Ramsey to a special commission to study the problems of the aging in North Carolina.

The Legislative Research Commission study will carry forward the work of a previous commission looking into the economic, health and social needs of senior citizens.

Locks, a Lumberton minister, also represents Hoke, Robeson and part of Scotland County in the 16th House District.

## Medicare Available for Kidney failure

People in the Lumberton and Laurinburg area suffering from permanent kidney failure should be aware that Medicare health insurance is available for those who need regular kidney dialysis or a kidney transplant. Johnny R. Johnson, Social Security branch manager in Lumberton, said recently.

A person who has permanent kidney failure can get Medicare if he or she:

--Worked long enough to be insured under Social Security, or

--Already gets Social Security benefits.

--Is the husband, wife, or dependent child of someone who has worked long enough under Social Security.

Medicare coverage generally begins with the third month after the month the person starts getting dialysis treatments.

Coverage can also begin the first month of a course of dialysis if the person takes part in an approved self-dialysis training program and the person expects to self-dialyze after the course.

Coverage can also begin the month the person is admitted to an approved hospital for a kidney transplant if the transplant takes place within 3 months.

Medicare generally ends 12 months after the month a person no longer needs maintenance dialysis or 36 months following a kidney transplant.

For more information about Medicare coverage for people with permanent kidney failure, get in touch with the Lumberton Social Security office, located at 322 E. 24th St. The telephone number for the Lumberton area is 738-8121 and the number of the Laurinburg area is 276-5012.

## HAPPY THANKSGIVING!



Three of the 33 foreign students attending Pembroke State University pose with a decoration of a turkey as they

look forward to the Thanksgiving Holidays. Because the students are far from home, many will remain on campus during the holiday. Therefore, faculty and staff members plus other people in the area are being asked to have one or more of the students in their homes as guests for Thanksgiving dinner. Left to right these three foreign students are: Hoang Kong, Korea; Kaarina Nuotto, Finland; and Midek Song, Japan.

# Happy Thanksgiving



### WIN A GIANT SANTA DOLL

What a sensational addition to your household! The kids will love him. You'll love him. Everyone will love him. There's never been a jollier old man! He stands a full five feet tall. Come in and see him for yourself, and sign up to win this great big, huggable, lovable Santa Claus. Simply pick up and fill out entry blank at Jones Store (formerly Woods) located on Main Street in Pembroke. No purchase necessary. So don't delay. Stop in today. [Elmer Hunt photo]

### THANKSGIVING DANCE

The Pembroke Jaycees will sponsor A Thanksgiving Dance, Saturday, Nov. 25th at the Pembroke Jaycee Hut. The dance will begin at 8 p.m. and last until 87 couple, \$4 single.

### AN EVENING WITH GOVERNOR JIM HUNT

You are cordially invited to attend "An Evening with Governor Jim Hunt" Monday, November 28, 1983 from 7:00 until at the Ramada Inn, Exit 211 and I-95, Lumberton, NC.

\$100.00 per person. Coat & Tie. Sponsored by the Jim Hunt Exploratory Committee for Robeson County.

For tickets contact Eddie Musselwhite, Chairman at 738-5277 or 739-2100, office at 117 West 5th Street, Lumberton.

NOW HERE'S

SOME GREAT READING!